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WELLS TANNERY.

Among the many visitors in upper Wells are Mrs. Anna Hoffman, of Johnstown, Miss Lillian Burkett, of McConnellsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burkett, of Altoona, in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Burkett; Jay Stunkard, of Yellow Creek, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stunkard; Mrs. Sue Horton, of Huntingdon, and Mrs. Gertrude Owens, of Elkins, W. Va., with the Wishart families; Oscar Cisco and W. Oscarman, of Turtle Creek at W. L. Sprowl's; Lewis Kelley, of Saxton, at W. H. Baumgardner's; Phoebe Horton, of Breezewood, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Horton. Among the lucky turkey hunters are George and Ernest Sprowl, Russel Swope Harrison Horton, and Jesse Barnett. Game of all kinds is reported scarce in our mountains.

Wells Tannery is noted for fast people in many different lines of life, but when it comes to runners, we challenge the World's record. Russell—did not trust his gun when he saw a big wild turkey in the woods the other day but threw it better skelter and beat it after the gobbler in a dead run. The gobbler had long legs, but he didn't have the speed of his pursuer, and before he had gone very far, Russell was on his back with his hand around the big bird's neck. Charlie Earley who always carries a smile, has one this week that is entirely original, and is supposed by his friends to be the result of the arrival of a little daughter Sunday night. The Pine Grove Ladies Aid Society has provided a lot of good things to eat, which will be yours if you call at the Town Hall Saturday evening. Jess Hastings, of Rays Cove moved into Baumgardner's lumber camp Monday. Geo. W. Swope reports a pleasant trip to Huntingdon last week. It was a reunion of the survivors of his Company out in the Civil War. Mrs. Clyde Warsing who was operated upon in the Nason Hospital for appendicitis is recovering nicely. Mrs. Elizabeth Sharpe of Kansas City and Mrs. Lena Keith, of Trough Creek, were pleasant callers in town last Thursday. Though past the three score-and-ten milestone, they are both active and bright as girls in their teens.

WARFORDSBURG.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ward Barnhart—a daughter. Our friend and neighbor Mr. John Harmon, who suffered from a stroke of paralysis some time ago, is improving and is able to walk about. Harvey and Herbert Raack, of Altoona, Pa., visited their mother here last week. Hon. W. B. Stigers and Gilbert Mellott took some of their friends to the Hagerstown Fair last week. The weather was ideal, the roads fine, and all enjoyed the ride. An affray occurred last Thursday evening on Black Oak Ridge near the pipe line in which one of the parties was cut three times with a knife; and he may not recover. The trouble was caused by a fellow called John Barleycorn. Voters, do you not think it time to do something with John.

WEST DUBLIN.

David Glunt, of Bedford, and George Raker and family, visited George King's Sunday the 10th inst.

A number of Westmoreland county and Altoona hunters are in this vicinity.

Mrs. Della Mellott attended the Hagerstown Fair last week and visited the family of her son Frank Cook.

Clarence Hoover and wife and daughter of Dana, and Mrs. Sarah Shaw and son Bruce of Hustontown, spent Sunday with the family of Mrs. Eliza Hoover.

Among those who were at Gettysburg recently were Joseph Barnett N. E. M. Hoover and Mrs. Eliza Hoover. Sheridan Strait has employment on the Lincoln Highway, building a concrete bridge just west of Saluvia.

Figures of the Judicial Primary for Consideration of the Voters of Fulton County.

Adams county is Democratic by 600 votes.

Mr. McPherson, candidate for President Judge, carried Adams county by 68 votes.

The first ward of Gettysburg, Mr. Butt's own ward --is Democratic by 30 votes.

Mr. McPherson carried this ward by 26 votes.

In Gettysburg, the home of both candidates, Mr. McPherson carried all the wards, his total majority being double the normal Republican majority.

These figures from the home community of both candidates show its estimate of the fitness of Mr. McPherson for the office of President Judge.

Fall and Winter Goods at REISNERS'

Very early we bought quite a quantity of Woolen Dress Goods that will enable us to keep up for some time, the lowest price these goods have ever been sold at.

Note These Prices.

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KNORSVILLE.

Dr. Fasick delivered a very interesting sermon here last Sunday afternoon, his text being "For we are saved by hope."

Mrs. Myrtle McDonald and daughter Clara, of Three Springs, are visiting friends at this place. While hunting last Saturday

John Kalso killed a 'coon that weighed sixteen pounds and nine ounces.

Those who attended the Hagerstown Fair from this place were: Mr. and Mrs. James Keibach, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Kerlin, George Ragi and two sons Bonner and Brenton, and David

Fore and two daughters, Mrs. Samuel Pittman and Mrs. James McQuade.

William Gunnels and son Daniel, of Chambersburg, acted to this place Sunday and was accompanied back by Mrs. Emma

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to section one, article eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:— That section one of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"Section 1. Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject, however, to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact."

"First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

"Second. He shall have resided in the State one year (or, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

"Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

"Fourth. If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election."

Section 1. Every citizen, male or female, of twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject, however, to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact:

First. He or she shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He or she shall have resided in the State one year (or, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he or she shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He or she shall have resided in the election district where he or she shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he or she shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election.

Fifth. Wherever the words "he," "his," "him," and "himself" occur in any section of article VIII of this Constitution the same shall be construed as if written, respectively, "he or she," "his or her," "him or her," and "himself or herself."

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.

CYRUS E. WOODS, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.

A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to section eight of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:— Amend section eight, article nine of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the assent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which now exceeds seven per centum of such assessed valuation may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation, except that any debt or debts hereinafter incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the construction of wharves and docks, or the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owned or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenues in excess of the interest on said debt or debts, and the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted: Provided, That a sinking fund of their cancellation shall be established and maintained," so that it shall read as follows:

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation of property, without the consent of the electors thereof at a public election in such manner as shall be provided by law; but any city, the debt of which on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, exceeded seven per centum of such assessed valuation, and has not since been reduced to less than such per centum, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation. The city of Philadelphia

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.

CYRUS E. WOODS, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

upon the conditions hereinafter set forth, may increase its indebtedness to the extent of three per centum in excess of seven per centum upon such assessed valuation for the specific purpose of providing for all or any of the following purposes,—to wit: For the construction and improvement of subways, tunnels, railways, elevated railways, and other transit facilities; for the construction and improvement of wharves and docks and for the reclamation of land to be used in the construction of wharves and docks, owned or to be owned by said city. Such increase, however, shall only be made with the assent of the electors held in such manner as shall be provided by law. In ascertaining the borrowing capacity of said city of Philadelphia, at any time, there shall be excluded from the calculation a credit, where the work resulting from any previous expenditure, for any one or more of the specific purposes hereinabove enumerated shall be yielding to said city an annual current net revenue, the amount of which credit shall be ascertained by capitalizing the annual net revenue during the year immediately preceding the time of such ascertainment. Such capitalization shall be accomplished by ascertaining the principal amount which would yield such annual, current net revenue, at the average rate of interest, and sinking-fund charges payable upon the indebtedness incurred by said city for such purposes, up to the time of such ascertainment. The method of determining such amount, so to be excluded or allowed as a credit, may be prescribed by the General Assembly.

In incurring indebtedness, for any one, or more of said purposes of construction, improvement, or reclamation, the city of Philadelphia may issue its obligations maturing not later than fifty years from the date thereof, with provision for a sinking-fund sufficient to retire said obligation at maturity, the payments to such sinking-fund to be in equal or graded annual instalment. Such obligations may be in an amount sufficient to provide for interest and sinking-fund charges accruing and which may accrue thereon throughout the period of construction and until the expiration of one year after the completion of the work for which said indebtedness shall have been incurred; and said city shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges, as required by section ten of article VIII of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until the expiration of said period of one year after the completion of such work.

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CYRUS E. WOODS, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three.

A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to section twenty-one of article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amend section twenty-one, article three of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"No act of the General Assembly shall limit the amount to be recovered for injuries resulting in death, or for injuries to persons or property, and in case of death from such injuries, the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for those benefit such action shall be prosecuted. No act shall prescribe any limitations of time within which suits may be brought against corporations for injuries to persons or property, or for other causes, different from those fixed by general laws regulating actions against natural persons, and such acts now existing are avoided," so that it shall read as follows:

The General Assembly may enact laws requiring the payment by employers, or employers and employees jointly, or reasonable compensation for injuries to persons or property, arising in the course of their employment, and for occupational diseases of employees, whether or not such injuries or diseases result in death, and regardless of fault of employer or employee, and fixing the basis of ascertainment of such compensation and the maximum and minimum limits thereof, and providing special or general remedies for the collection thereof; but in no other case shall the time for bringing an action to be recovered for injuries resulting in death, or for injuries to persons or property, and in case of death from such injuries, the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for those benefit such actions shall be prosecuted. No act shall prescribe any limitations of time within which suits may be brought against corporations for injuries to persons or property, or for other causes, different from those fixed by general laws regulating actions against natural persons; and such acts now existing are avoided.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 3.

CYRUS E. WOODS, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Four.

A JOINT RESOLUTION Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of this Commonwealth in accordance with provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth (XVIII) article thereof:—

AMENDMENT. Laws may be passed providing for a system of registering, transferring, insuring of and guaranteeing land titles by the State, or by the counties thereof, and for settling and determining adverse or other claims to and interest in lands the titles to which are so registered, transferred, insured, and guaranteed; and for the creation and collection of indemnity funds; and for carrying the system and powers hereby provided for into effect by such existing courts as may be designated by the Legislature, and by the establishment of such new courts as may be deemed necessary. In matters arising in and under the operation of such system, judicial powers, with

right of appeal, may be conferred on the Legislature upon county records and upon other officers by its designees. Such laws may provide for continuing the registering, transferring, insuring, and guaranteeing such titles after the first or original registration has been perfected by a court, and provision may be made for raising the necessary funds for pensions and salaries of officers, which shall be paid out of the treasury of the several counties.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 4.

CYRUS E. WOODS, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

McCconnellsburg & Chambersburg's Touring Car Line

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of George G. Geinger, late of Fulton County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay.

MRS. ACHSAH GEINGER, Executor. Buck Valley, Pa.