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Thursday, January 7, 1886.

THE NEW AND THE OLD.

Monday, January 4th, 1886, witnessed the installation of our newly elected County officers. On this day occurred the first change within a period upwards of twenty-one years, in the office of Prothonotary. The late incumbent, Jeremiah Crouse, was first inducted into office, December 5, 1864, and has served continuously since that date, through seven successive terms. His total incumbency therefore is but a single day short of twenty-one years and one month. The man who has just concluded a period of service so unusual, was born on the Isle of Que, October first, 1828. He had the advantages of but a few months of schooling, as the common school system had not yet been established. Natural good sense, tact, and energy, however, have largely made up for defects in early education. For a number of years, he carried on a prosperous business as a druggist in Selins Grove, Pa., but business reverses, which foresight and tact could not avert, rendered him a poor. His courage did not fail him, and he tried successively different plans for earning a livelihood, with results not always the most satisfactory, but he never gave up—In the Spring of 1855 he was elected Constable of Selins Grove Borough, and was reselected in 1856. At September Court of the same year he resigned in order to avoid selling out a poor debtor on an execution in which the right of exemption was waived. The debtor never learned that Mr. Crouse held the execution. Mr. Crouse held the position of Post Master at Selins Grove during the administrations of President Taylor and Fillmore, and for the first six months of the administration of Franklin Pierce, and again, during President Lincoln's first term, and the first six months of his second term, when he resigned to enter upon his new duties as Prothonotary. Since that time he has been indeed a tower of political strength among the people of our County. While the discords and jealousies of politics have made for Mr. Crouse some bitter and uncompromising foes, yet his friends are legion, and to-day, no one man holds a larger influence in our county. He possesses a geniality which is contagious.

Readiness to forgive enemies is a proverbial trait of his character, and he is the most neighborly of neighbors. His last official act was the administration of the oath of office to District Attorney Bower, in accordance with the hitherto prevailing custom.

Assisted by Sheriff Middleswarth, Ex-Sheriff Bolender, Deputy-Collector Trout, and the editor, he escorted his successor to the Court House and then delivered over to him the keys of the office he had himself so long and worthily filled.

J. M. Vanzandt, at the same time surrendered the office of Register and Recorder, to H. J. Dack. Mr. Vanzandt has occupied the office for twelve years, or four successive terms, during which time he has proven himself a most worthy servant of the people. His proverbial kindness has won him many warm friends, and he leaves the office with a clean record, carrying with him the universal confidence of the people.

F. E. Bower, Esq., took the Oath of Office of District Attorney. He is the only democrat in the county that has been successful in overcoming the six hundred republican majority at the last election, which is the strongest evidence that can be adduced of his good qualities as a man and fitness as an officer. In 1882, he was first elected to the office, and his many sterling qualities have won many friends to him from the republican side, while he holds the democracy as a unit, by his sincerity of purpose and firmness of his political convictions.

PICTURE PRESENTATION.

McClure, Jan. 4, 1885.

Ed Post:—On Tuesday, Dec. 29, a portrait of Captain Michael Smith was presented to the McClure Post G. A. R. named in honor of the deceased captain. It had been previously announced that the picture would be presented Saturday the 26th, but a letter being received from the family of Mrs. Smith, who at present reside in the state of Michigan, that the picture had not yet been received by them, and that they could not have it ready at McClure for presentation on that day, hence the matter was postponed until further notice by the Post. Contrary to expectations of the Smith family, the picture did arrive, and the two sons, and only children of Captain Smith, at once set out for Pennsylvania and arriving at McClure on Friday evening train. As the meeting had been postponed, the Post met in special session on the same evening, and set Tuesday, Dec. 29, for the presentation. The reason for the setting of the time of the presentation, at so short notice was that Captain Smith's sons had traveled upon excursion tickets, and had to return home by Jan. 2. As soon as the time of meeting was set, Maj. Wm. H. Dill the "Snyder County Orator" was at once invited to be present to deliver the presentation address in behalf and at the request of the Smith boys, who said they were no orators to deliver such an address and especially among strangers. Although they are bright and very intelligent young men. The one was only 6 and the other one year old when their parents moved to Michigan. Hon J. A. Lumbard was also invited to deliver an address. Comrade Lumbard has quite a number of members of this Post who belonged to the same company he did during the war (namely Captain Davis' company). The short notice to Prof. Dill prevented him from being present, which all regretted very much. In the absence of Maj. Dill Past Post commander of the Post Sheriff Ner B. Middleswarth was called upon to present the picture. The Speaker said he felt very much embarrassed, that all the people present expected to hear Maj. Dill deliver one of his eloquent addresses, and especially now, since so suddenly called upon to fill such an able speaker's place, he felt he was a very lame substitute. Comrade Middleswarth after presenting the crayon, dwelt a short time upon his connection with the captain as a citizen, and a soldier, having served in his company during the war for the Union. When the portrait was presented the large crowd of anxious spectators who were present, were all ready and eager to get a glimpse of the picture of the lamented and much esteemed soldier. Many eyes shed tears when the speaker presented to view the very identical likeness of him who was among the first of Snyder County Volenteers under the call of President Lincoln for 75,000 men, to defend the flag of the nation, which had been insulted at Fort Sumpter. The captain was no schooled but a self-made soldier, educated in the art of war on the field, and returned home a disabled man, having been wounded and lost the use of one of his arms in front of Petersburg, Virginia, and but later to meet a horrible death in a Michigan forest, by being killed under a load of rails. He being all alone when the sad accident occurred, the story is never fully told. After the speech of comrade Lumbard who delivered a very able and touching address, comrade's Dr. A. M. Smith, H. M. Uish, Wm. Hecter, and T. A. Wagner, each made very appropriate remarks, eulogizing the captain for his good qualities as a soldier and citizen. At 3 o'clock P. M., the meeting adjourned, which had been held in the Evangelical Church, and standing room was at a premium. There were about 40 of the members of the Post present, nearly all in full uniform, having first praded the streets before going into the church. Captain H. R. Ritter Camp 65 S. V., were also in line with the old Veterns. The boys make a good appearance in line. A number of visiting comrades from Maj. Byers, and Col. Hulings Post, were present. The Decatur Band furnished the Music. It appears the McClure Band and the G. A. R. Boys can not understand each other any more.

McClure.

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Saturday, January 9th, 1886,

The following described valuable real estate, to wit: All that certain messuage or tract of land situate in Middlecreek township, Snyder county, Pa., containing

108 Acres,

more or less, bounded north by land of David Breon, east by land of Fred. Leitzel, south by lands of Fred. Leitzel and Solomon Bilger, west by land of David Weaver, on which are erected a two story DWELLING

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