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**Republican Standing Committee.**

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Penn—Joseph H. Hendricks, I. N. Jarrett.  
Perry—A. W. Valentine, P. E. Boyer.  
Perry West—J. S. Winy, J. Z. Strawser.  
Selinsgrove—J. Frank Keller, J. A. Ludwig.  
Spring—C. H. Klose, D. Harrison Snook.  
Union—J. G. Stahl.  
Washington—W. F. Brown, Myron A. Moyer.

**Civil Service.**

During the year ending June 30, 1902, there were 14,983 persons appointed to positions in the U. S. Classified Civil Service, which was 4,692 more than were ever before appointed in a single year. If you wish information about

positions of this kind you can obtain it free by writing for the Civil Service announcement of the Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C. The Civil Service Commission will hold examinations to secure young men and women for these places during March and April at Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Scranton and Warren.

From 3,046 appointments during the first year of Mr. McKinley's administration, they have increased to nearly five-times that number. President Roosevelt is a firm believer in the merit system, and as long as he is president these appointments will continue to increase.

The Indianapolis patrolmen are sad because they are to be decorated with a new and impressive nickel badge, described as about the size of a dinner plate. It is natural for a patrolman to shrink from publicity; but he must consider the interests of the public. When you want to find a policeman, you never can. The more brilliantly he shines, the better for you, if you are an honest man; and if you are a rogue, the more terror he inspires you with the better. If we were CALIPH of Bagdad, we should insist upon an illuminated police force. All the night patrolmen should have red heads and beards and electric lights. Night or day, a big bell should

hang from their necks. The detective force would consist of clairvoyants, clairaudients, telepathists, mind-readers and hypnotists.

**Success.**

Our energies must not be allowed to run to waste in longing without action. Our latent strength must be developed steadily and persistently. All our reserves must be utilized, all our powers concentrated and wisely directed toward the accomplishment of the work we have marked out for ourselves.

With eyes ever fixed on the ideal, we must work with heart and hand and brain; with a faith that never grows dim, with a resolution that never wavers, with a patience that is akin to genius, we must persevere unto the end; for, as we advance, our ideal as steadily moves upward.—"Success" for January.

We are glad to note that while the Council of the Dunkard church did summon Rev. Shellenberger to answer the charge of shooting the burglar and though they at first ex-communicated him, have since restored him to all his Ministerial rights in the church. The members of the Council admitted that under the same conditions they probably would have done just what Mr. Shellenberger did.

**KREAMER.**

J. Smith Rich of Lewisburg visited his relatives in town.

Miss Carrie Hilbish, Miss Lulu Smith and her gentleman friend, Prof. Roswell Gilbert, Miss Miriam Smith and Miss Mable Gutelius took Christmas dinner with the latter's parents.

Mrs. James Magee was to the County Seat Christmas evening to attend the Lutheran exercises held in the Court House.

On Christmas afternoon there was a train shifting around on the side track and two coal cars jumped the track and delayed the passenger trains for about three hours.

Mrs. John Mitchell and son of Renova are the guests of her parents.

William Hummel and family and Jacob Hummel and family of Lewistown were the guests of John Fields and family.

Miss Cora, the same condition, was with her sister, Mrs. J. Miller at Paxinos.

Frank Mitchel, who is working at Lewistown is home with his family.

Miss Erma Magee spent Sunday at Middleburg.

S. T. Hilbish and family spent Sunday with relatives in town.

J. Row and family and her sister, Izora Walter and mother, Samuel App of Selmsgrove took Christmas dinner at A. C. Smith's.

Mr. Hartman of Shamokin Dam was seen in town Saturday.

Ralph Heintzelman and wife of Lewistown spent Sunday with his parents.

A. C. Smith and wife and N. C. Gutelius and wife took New Year's dinner at Thompson Hilbish's at Selmsgrove.

Isaac Saurer and wife spent New Year's day at New Berlin.

A Kreggar of Middleburg spent Friday of last week in town.

Mrs. Anna Hottenstein and daughter, and Mrs. Frank Reigle and daughter of Middleburg spent Saturday at A. C. Smith's.

The carpenters are here to remodel the depot.

M. E. Erdley expects to have a horse sale on the 20th of this month. Thomas Samer and Chas. Leanic commenced to work at the carpenter trade for the P. R. R. Company.

Wm. Hummel traded a horse for a mule Saturday.

Wm. Rauch and brother, Renaldo of Seattle, Washington are visiting friends.

The scholars and parents of this place presented our teacher with a fine chair.

**MT. PLEASANT MILLS.**

Rev. Genszler, of Selinsgrove, preached in the St. John's church, Sunday evening in the absence of Rev. C. C. Miller.

Our Supervisor and several of our citizens were engaged in shoveling snow on Monday afternoon to make the roads passable, it was drifted in some parts of the township. Means would just as soon

Frank Yerger of Nebraska, is visiting his parents. Gustavous Steiver of Hooper, Nebraska, is visiting friends and relatives in this locality.

Only a few of our citizens have their ice houses filled.

T. G. Arbogast and family will move to Freeburg, in the spring.

The Republican and Democratic Primary nominations will be held Saturday, Jan. 24th.

Mrs. Frank Spotts was visiting a week at Nekoda, recently.

R. R. Fory and family and J. P. Shadle left Monday a week ago for Altoona, where Messrs. Fory and Shadle are employed as conductors on the trolley line.

On Thursday morning Jan. 8th, Henry Mengel of Henster Valley, passed from life to eternity. He was sick for a few weeks only. He was a consistent member of the Lutheran congregation and the father of ten children. Three sons and two daughters survive, to mourn his loss. He was interred in the St. John's cemetery, Saturday, Jan.

10, aged 80 years, 2 months, 6 days. Rev. C. C. Miller officiated. His wife preceded him to the spirit world about two years ago.

David Uplinger and H. J. Howell who were working at Blanburg, returned home last week.

A sled load of our young people visited Abraham Mitterlings, Monday evening.

**BEAVERTOWN.**

Rev. J. M. Rearick, of Center Hall, paid his father, S. Rearick, who has been ill, a short visit last week.

Miss Alma Wetzel, of Swineford paid her grand parents, Mr. Jacob Wetzel's a visit, Friday and Saturday.

J. M. Shuman has located his saw mill on his timber tract, about a mile South of town. J. Ramer and Amos Bowersox of Swineford, have contracted to stock the mill.

Mrs. James D. Boush, of Cayuga, Ohio, is the guest of her father-in-law, Isaac Boush and wife.

Miss Sallie Dreesse spent Sunday in Middleburg, the guest of Mrs. Harriet Shambach.

A tramp called at W. H. Specht's back door one evening last week for a cup of coffee. A good overcoat and a small coat that Mr. Specht had left hang on the back porch disappeared that night.

A man giving his name as Joseph Wittho, a native of Padolin, Hungary, was found in the alley near the West end of town, Friday morning nearly frozen to death. He had been working at Oneida, Schuykill Co., up to the time of the strike when he and his wife went to South Fork. His nose, hands and feet were badly frozen, and he was unconscious when found. He has since revived.

It seems he was on his way back to Oneida, and while on his way into Beavertown to find lodging he was overcome with heart trouble and fainted away. He is being cared for by Dr. Miller.

Corporation, wants a man in this county, with \$600 to invest. Salaried position given to investor. Good opportunity for active men. Address, Box 2, Post, Middleburgh, Pa.

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**The Bee Hive**

A Great Clearing Sale, Commencing Saturday, January 10th, 1903. Last day of sale, Saturday, January 24th.

**Good News For Economical Shoppers**

It is regular house-cleaning time with us, and all good housekeepers know what that means; a general cleaning up and We have gathered together for this big sale all the surplus and all the odds and ends of our best and newest goods. Prices are pushed to the lowest limit, but low prices with us does not mean POOR QUALITIES.

- Ladies' and Childrens Furs Reduced. Good seal fur boa \$2.75 reduced to \$2.48
- Stone marten boa \$3.50 reduced to \$3.15.
- Brown marten fur \$4.00 reduced to \$3.60.
- Long mink scarf \$4.50, reduced to \$3.98.
- Brown marten boa, ribbon tails, \$5.00, reduced to \$4.48.
- Large bear boa, very nice quality, \$6, reduced to 5.40
- Real marten boa \$10.00, reduced to \$8.98.
- Isabella fox scarf \$8.00 reduced to \$7.23.
- Isabella fox scarf \$16.00 reduced to \$14.98.
- Children's Fur Sets \$1.00 white hare set now \$9c.
- \$1.75 grey krimmer set now \$1.58.
- \$1.75 fine white lamb set now \$1.58.
- \$2.50 white thibet set, now \$2.23.
- \$2.50 chinchilla set now \$2.23.
- All Dressing Sacks Reduced. Made of good outing flannel and eiderdown. 50c sacks now 44c. 75c sacks now 68c. \$1 sacks now 89c. \$1.50 sacks now \$1.35.
- Men's Gloves of leather, lined and unlined.
- 25c gloves now 21c. 50c gloves now 44c. 75c gloves now 68c. 90c gloves now 80c.
- Men's Cashmere Gloves 25c kind now 21c. 50c kind now 44c.
- Ladies' Kid Gloves, Fur Tops Worth 75c, reduced price 68c. Worth 85c, reduced price 77c. Worth \$1., reduced price 89c.
- Kid Mittens, Fur Tops Worth 50c, reduced price 44c. Worth \$1., reduced price 89c.
- Children's Tam-O-Shanters 25c ones now 32c. 50c ones now 44c.
- Children's Colored Silk Caps All reduced, 25c caps now 21c. 50c caps now 44c. 75c caps now 68c. \$1.00 caps now 80c. \$2.00 Bonnets now \$1.79.
- All Blankets Reduced. All Comforts Reduced.
- Ladies' Cashmere Gloves Fine black cashmere gloves, 50c kind now 32c. 50c kind now 44c. Mercerized silk golf gloves, black, grey and white, worth \$1.10 row \$1.13.
- Ladies' Mittens. All wool: 25c kind now 21c; 50c kind now 44c.
- Children's Mittens. 10c kind now 8c. 12c kind now 10c; 25c kind now 21c. Children's Cashmere Hose. Only a few styles left. 35c hose for 21c. 35c hose for 31c. 40c hose for 36c.
- Men's All Wool Half Hose. 15c natural wool hose now 13c. 25c natural wool hose now 21c.

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