

Receipts and Expenditures of Montour County, Penn'a. For the Year Ending January 2nd, A. D., 1905.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE TAX ACCOUNTS OF THE SEVERAL COLLECTORS FOR THE YEAR 1904.

Table with columns for Districts, Collectors, County Tax, State Tax, and Dog Tax. It lists various townships and their respective tax amounts for 1904.

N. B.—Taxes remaining due and unpaid for prior years as follows: Edward W. Peters, collector of Danville Borough for 1901, County Tax, \$21.25; Edward W. Peters, collector of Danville Borough for 1902, County Tax, \$21.25; Edward W. Peters, collector of Danville Borough for 1903, Dog Tax, \$31.50; C. D. Levan, collector of Lincolnton Township for 1903, County Tax, \$22.48.

A. J. STEINMAN, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH MONTOUR COUNTY.

Table showing DR. TO CASH RECEIVED FROM THE FOLLOWING SOURCES and BY DISBURSEMENTS AS FOLLOWS. It details the flow of money for the year, including receipts from taxes and disbursements for various services.

A. J. STEINMAN, TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH LICENSES RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR A. D. 1904.

Table showing receipts from various licenses: Retail and Wholesale Mercantile Licenses, Billiard and Pool Licenses, Hotel Licenses, Brewers and Distillers Licenses, and Wholesale Liquor Licenses.

CLASSIFIED ACCOUNTS OF EXPENDITURES.

Large table of classified expenditures including Court Expenses and Commonwealth Costs, Ferry Expenses, Court House Expenditures, Jail Expenditures, Miscellaneous, Election Expenses, Assessors Pay, Bridge and Road Expenses, Danville River Bridge Expenses, and various other administrative costs.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF MONTOUR COUNTY.

Table showing assets and liabilities of the county, including bonded indebtedness, taxes on County indebtedness, and various other financial items.

A. J. STEINMAN, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SEVERAL DISTRICTS FOR TAXES ARISING FROM UNSEATED LANDS AND COLLECTORS RETURNS.

Table showing tax accounts for unseated lands and collector returns across various districts, including Montour, Lincoln, and others.

We, the undersigned commissioners of Montour County, Pa., do hereby certify that the foregoing statement of receipts and expenditures of said county for the year ending January 2nd, A. D., 1905, is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF THE COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY: We the undersigned Auditors of Montour County, State of Pennsylvania, after having been duly qualified according to law, respectfully report that we have audited the accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners of said County, and find that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the several districts of two hundred and thirty-two dollars and thirty-six cents (\$232.22).

CAUCUSES HELD IN TOWNSHIPS.

The following nominations have been made throughout the county for the coming spring election, Tuesday, February 21. ANTHONY TOWNSHIP. Citizens party. Justice of the Peace, William C. Flora; School Directors, Peter A. Rishel and Levi Fortner; Judge of Election, B. E. Stead; Inspector of Election, Jacob Holden; Supervisors, Jacob Diehl and John A. Ellis; Poor Overseer, James Probst; Constable, William Mills; Auditor, William Albeck; Township clerk, Rescoe Mohr.

COOPER TOWNSHIP—Republican. Judge of Election, John Krum; Inspector of Election, W. R. Wertzman; Supervisor, Charles H. Rishel; School Director, Alonzo Manser (2 yrs.); William Black (3 yrs) and John F. Manser (3 yrs); Poor Director, I. W. Krum; Auditor, Alonzo Manser.

COOPER TOWNSHIP—Democratic. Judge of Election, Charles Wertzman; Inspector of Election, James Baylor; Supervisors, Alfred Blecher and David Kram; School Directors, H. B. Fonest (3 years), L. H. Weaver (3 years), and Alonzo Manser (3 years); Poor Director, Charles Fry; Constable, Philip Boyer; Auditor, Harvey Keiser.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.—Republican. Judge of Election, John F. Springer; Inspector of Election, A. D. Clewell; Supervisors, Charles F. Strail and J. H. Diehl; School Director, Charles F. Bogart and Samuel Wagner; Poor Director, James Foresman; Constable, C. H. Diehl; Auditor, W. G. Ford.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.—Democratic. Judge of Election, Stewart Curry; Inspector of Election, William Starnor; Supervisors, William H. Taylor and Benjamin F. Ware; School Directors, Luther Cromley and William Robbins; Poor Director, Samuel Y. Curry; Constable, William S. Bogart; Auditor, C. C. Billmeyer.

LIMESTONE TOWNSHIP.—Republican. Justice of the Peace, D. W. Rank; Judge of Election, Charles A. Lohr; Inspector of Election, Calvin W. Derr; Supervisors, Sylvester Umstead and E. W. Balliett; School Directors, Levi D. Geiger and William Lindner; Poor Director, David Cooper; Constable, John D. Lilley; Auditor, Charles A. Wagner.

LIMESTONE TOWNSHIP.—Democratic. Judge of Election, Norman Brofee; Inspector of Election, Rufus Bird; Supervisors, P. S. Cromley and R. E. Bird; School Directors, Isaiah Vought, Rufus Bird and C. J. Cleaver; Poor Director, Peter H. Vought; Constable, P. S. Cromley; Auditor, O. W. Eckman.

VALLEY TOWNSHIP.—Republican. Justice of the Peace, P. E. Maus; Judge of Election, Jessu Conway, In-

PENSIONS FOR THE TEACHERS.

Before the present legislature finishes work an act will be introduced pensioning school teachers who have served continuously for thirty years. The provisions are as follows: Providing for the retirement of teachers in the public schools of this Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the passage of this act, public school teachers who have taught in the public or common schools of this Commonwealth for a period of thirty consecutive years shall be retired upon reaching the age of sixty years, upon a pension equal to one-half the salary received by such teacher during the last year of his or her actual teaching.

Section 2. Before any teacher shall be entitled to a pension under this act, it shall be necessary for the boards of controllers or directors, under which the said teacher has been employed for the period of thirty consecutive years, to certify, under the seal of the said boards, that such teacher has taught in the public schools of their respective districts.

Section 3. Where any teacher has taught for thirty consecutive years, but has not reached the age of sixty years, and such teacher desires to be retired or the board of controllers or directors desires to retire such teacher, upon furnishing the certificate or certificates as provided in section two, the state superintendent of public instruction shall appoint a commission consisting of one director or controller of the district in which such teacher is employed at the time of making such application, and one physician who may be a resident of each school district, to examine said teacher. And if the said superintendent of public instruction that it would be for the interest of the schools of such district that said teacher shall be retired, there upon the state superintendent shall retire the said school teacher upon a pension as required by section one of this act.

Section 4. If any teacher retired under the provisions of this act shall be re-employed by any school district, then such person shall cease, provided that after such re-employment ceases, the said pension may be restored.

Section 5. All pensions provided for by this act shall be paid out of the state treasury upon warrant drawn upon the state treasurer.

Section 6. This act is to be submitted for the approval of the state convention of school directors which convenes in Harrisburg this week. If it is then approved it will be introduced at the present session of the legislature. The addition referred to above was an addition section providing that when a leave of absence was granted a teacher for sickness he or she should be considered as having taught during that period.

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STATE SABBATH SCHOOL WORKERS.

The mass meeting under the auspices of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School Teachers' Association, at the Pine Street Lutheran church Sunday afternoon, was one of the most interesting services that has been held in this city in a long time. There was a large congregation in attendance. Every seat was occupied, and many were unable to get into the church.

The Tour Party consists of six people, four of whom constitute a quartet of fine singers. They are: Irvin C. Van Dyke, first tenor; Hugh Cork, second tenor; W. F. Landes, first bass; George F. Sawley, second bass; W. L. Erdman, D. D. Bible instructor and Miss Ermina C. Lincoln, primary worker. This itinerary will cover forty-five counties of Pennsylvania, with an institute of four sessions in each county.

The exercises Sunday afternoon, consisted of singing by the quartet, interspersed with selections from the "Four Party Songs of Praise," by the church choir, consisting of twenty well cultivated voices. Following several selections by the choir, and congregation, Secretary Lunamster led in prayer. Rev. Mr. Shortman, pastor of the First Baptist church, read the lesson. Before the quartet rendered its first song, Mr. Landes said:

"I trust that you will not expect too much of us. You will get nothing classical; nothing but plain gospel songs. Two weeks ago some of the members of this quartet were strangers. We had never met, much less sung together. Consequently our intercourse has been brief. Then we are handicapped in another manner. We are all suffering with severe colds. During the early stages of the present cold snap, our voices became frozen. Three of us have become pretty nearly shrewed out, but the vocal chords of the fourth are rather too frigidly inclined for good singing."

Notwithstanding his statement and the fact that the members of the quartet were in the condition he represented them to be, they sang with much sweetness, range and power.

Hugh Cork, the second tenor singer, gave an interesting talk on Sunday Schools and the duties involving upon Sunday School teachers. Of the vast number of Sunday School scholars in Pennsylvania, less than one-third of them were not within the pale of the church. What a great thing it would be could every Sunday School scholar in the State be started out to work for Christ. There should be more in the church, and that there are not shows something radically wrong somewhere. One reason is that we do not hate enough. A Christian's duty is to hate.

I have until recently always prayed that hate would be driven from my heart and only love be allowed to remain. I have quit that, and am now praying for power to hate something. Why do I say this? Let me tell you: "During the dark days of slavery, a young man visited Kentucky. While there he saw a slave tied to a post and his master cruelly beating him. The scene so enraged the young man and filled him with such a hatred toward slavery that he said: 'If I ever get the opportunity I will strike a harder blow at slavery than that master is striking that poor colored man and revenge him.' When Abraham Lincoln signed the emancipation proclamation that young man had his revenge. Sin is trying us up tighter than ever that black man was tied, and the cords are cutting into our souls deeper than the lash did into his flesh. As Abraham Lincoln hated slavery so should every Christian hate sin. Let no opportunity go by to strike a blow at it."

The speaker then urged the necessity of personal work. Speak to your friends of Christianity. Ask them to come out for Christ. There are too many people in all congregations who have no personal knowledge of Christ. They are on the church roll, but for another purpose than that of working for the Master.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to be aware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's or Bucklen's remedies, as all others are mere imitations. H. E. BUCKLEN & CO., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada. Sold by Paules & Co.

Death of Andrew Russell. Andrew Russell, a life-long resident of Danville, died Monday night at 9:30 o'clock at his home, Church and Bloom streets, of a complication of diseases.

Mr. Russell was a man widely known throughout this section of the state. He was a staunch Democrat and was at one time the nominee for Sheriff of Montour county. He was born September 15th, 1850, and resided in Danville all his life. Early in his career he entered the employ of Henrie's undertaking establishment, and later became identified with the Montour Iron and Steel Company as shipping clerk. This position he held until he was appointed Street Commissioner twenty years ago, occupying that office for thirteen years. Soon after his resignation he opened a restaurant, continuing in this business until one year ago when he retired.

He was a member of Lotus Conclave, No. 127, Order of Heptasops, and of Montour Lodge, No. 109, I. O. O. F. The deceased is survived by his wife and six children, Mrs. John Y. Henderson, of Williamsport; Mrs. Alex. Foster, Mrs. Rose Edmondson, William Young, of Clay, N. Y.; Ed. She says: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened, and I could not eat. I was very bad for a long time, but in Electric Bitters, I found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Best medicine for weak women. Sold under guarantee by Paules & Co., druggists, at 50c a bottle.

Reserved Popularity. To cure Constipation and Liver troubles by gently moving the bowels and acting as a tonic to the liver, take Little's Early Risers. These Famous Little's Pills are mild, pleasant and harmless, but effective and sure. Their universal use for many years is a strong guarantee of their popularity and usefulness. Sold by Paules & Co.

Burlingame Friday Night. The Burlingame Basket Ball team of Williamsport will play a return date in this city on Friday evening. The first game between Burlingame and Danville, which was played January 11th, was one of the best games witnessed on the Armory floor this season, although it ended in a defeat for the local team. The score was 22-19.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral advertisement. Text: "Doctors first prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral over 60 years ago. They use it today more than ever. They will tell you how it heals inflamed lungs. One Ayer's Pill at bedtime insures a natural action next morning." Includes image of the medicine bottle.