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For Judges of the Superior Court,
GEORGE B. ORLADY,
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CHARLES E. RICE,
of Wilkes-Barre.
JAMES A. BEAVER,
of Bellefonte.

COUNTY.

For Sheriff,
WILLIAM BEGLEY,
of Somerset Borough.

For Prothonotary,
CHAS. O. SHAFER,
of Somerset Borough.

For Recorder of Deeds,
JOHN R. BOOSE,
of Somerset Borough.

For Clerk of Courts,
MILTON H. FIKE,
of Meyersdale Borough.

For Clerk of Orphans' Court and Register of Wills,
CHAS. F. COOK,
of Berlin Borough.

For Commissioners,
JOSIAH SPECHT,
of Quemahoning Township.
ROBERT AUGUSTINE,
of Somerfield Borough.

For Treasurer,
PETER HOFFMAN,
of Paint Township.

For Auditor,
W. H. H. BAKER,
of Rockwood Borough.
J. S. MILLER,
of Somerset Township.

For Poor Director,
WILLIAM BRANT,
of Brothersvalley Township.

For County Surveyor,
ALBERT E. RAYMAN,
of Stonycreek Township.

For Coroner,
C. E. BITTNER,
of Hooversville Borough.

SOME of the Prohibitionists are acting the wet dog with one of their candidates for Commissioner. They are supporting Donges, a Democrat, along with Zimmerman. The other man on the Prohibition ticket for Commissioner, the one who is running strictly on his own party ticket, is getting tired of being knifed in the house of his friends, and he and his friends will be doing some knifing, too, on election day.

THERE was a time when a good many people could be deceived by the silly political waddle the old Somerset Herald belched forth, but the old prevaricating Scull family organ doesn't seem to realize that that day has gone by. The poor old faking Herald's political ranting falls very flat with people who know the thrifty organ of \$667 election proclamation graft. Oh, no, the old Herald can't get back to the public crib just yet a while.

SEVERAL of the Orphans have been in town the past week soliciting alms in the shape of vote-pledges for the November election, but since they don't seem to consider pledges binding, they will hardly dare to rely on even the few pledges they may have gotten, if any. The philosophy of the fatherless candidates seems to be that it is wrong to ask for a pledge because it destroys the liberty of the voter, but that it is perfectly right to break a pledge, if you think you can win by doing so. Of course, with such an elastic creed, such candidates will not really expect those who promise to vote for them, to keep their promises, and, of course, they will not complain when they find after the election how few voters really took their candidacy seriously. They were a very discouraged looking lot of men when we last saw them, and so far as a newspaper probe can discover, they had plenty of good reason for being discouraged with the situation in Confluence.—Confluence News.

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A BROKEN PLEDGE!

ANNOUNCEMENT:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Recorder of Deeds, at the Republican Primary Election to be held in and for the County of Somerset, on Saturday, March 25, 1906, and promise whether nominated or not, that I will support the Republican nominees at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday of November, 1906, and that I will not indirectly, nor in any other way oppose any of said candidates so nominated.

My post office address is Somerset, Somerset county, Pennsylvania.
E. H. WERNER.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a pledge signed in my presence by E. H. Werner; and that identical pledges, with the single exception of a change in the name of the office, were signed by Calvin M. Ankeny, Clinton C. Wagner and E. A. Walker, all of whom are now candidates on the Citizens' Union and Orphans' tickets in this county, and that the original pledges are now in my possession. I further certify that I am a duly registered elector of Somerset borough, Somerset county, Pennsylvania.

CHAS. O. SHAFER,
Ex-Chairman.
Somerset, Pa., Oct. 21, 1905.

COMMENT.

Voters, what do you think of the shameless Ananias now going up and down the county begging for votes, with nothing better than broken pledges to recommend them? Any man who will go back on a signed pledge, his most sacred word, is a very small "potato." Any man who regards his word as lightly as that should not be trusted. The pledge-breakers are telling people that their pledges were not sworn to, hence not binding. By the same logic and code of morals, then no man's word should be believed unless it is sworn to, and if that is the case, then it is about time for Gabriel to blow his trumpet and the general invoice and house-cleaning of the universe to take place. However, most people will insist that a pledge should not be broken for the mere sake of trying to get public office or to stir up discord in a political party, no matter whether the pledge is sworn to or not. When a man's pledged word cannot be believed, we would not give much for his oath.

THERE'S NO MORAL DIFFERENCE.

The Connellsville Courier, one of the foremost Republican papers of Fayette county, has the following to say in reference to the pledges taken and broken by some of the professed Somerset county Republicans who have joined the Orphans' party:

"The Meyersdale Republican thinks a pledge ought to be as binding upon an honest man as his oath. And so it should. There is no moral difference between the pledge and the oath, save a matter of form, which matter of form carries with it amenity to the law. A man may break his pledge, and he cannot be liable any further, if at all, than for damage in a civil action. If he swear falsely, however, he is liable to criminal prosecution and punishment."

The pledge-breakers were fairly beaten at the Republican primary, and they should follow the good example of that sturdy Republican, Wm. Deeter, and take their defeat gracefully. Deeter came much nearer being nominated than any of the pledge-breakers came to it, and if it hadn't been for the dirty sell-out engineered by an old bloated shyster over at Boswell, Mr. Deeter would have been nominated. Yet, in the face of it all, Deeter took his defeat manfully, and he promptly wrote his successful opponent a letter of congratulation and assured him of his loyal support. That is what we call good Republicanism, and we admire a candidate who respects the will of the majority of his party.

If the pledge-breakers would have been nominated, they would expect the support of those who opposed them at the primary; but, being defeated, they are showing themselves to be very unfair, narrow-minded and unwilling to give the support they would expect if they had been nominated.

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A STATEMENT ANALYZED.

Herald Great on Assertions and Charges, but Very Short on Truth.

The Somerset Herald is great on making assertions and charges, but it is very short on truth. In a longwinded calamity howl in its issue of this week, it winds up its tirade of falsehood with the following absurd and lying statement:

"The Orphans' party is made up of Republicans, whose sole object is to save Somerset county from the hands of those who have brought reproach upon her fame in order that they might personally profit."

Let us analyze the statement made by the Herald and see how much truth there is in it. To begin with, the candidates of the Orphans' party must be recognized as the head of that party. And who are the candidates? We will tell.

Begley, their candidate for Sheriff, is a Republican who was duly nominated at the last Republican primary. He heads the Republican county ticket as well as the Orphans' ticket, but he says he did not seek the Orphans' nomination, and that he will not support a single man on their ticket. On the contrary, he has told Republican County Chairman Forney, that if the Chairman wished him to, he would go with him to any part of Somerset county to electioneer for the whole Republican ticket and against the entire Orphans' ticket.

The Orphans' candidate for Prothonotary is Clinton C. Wagner. Aside from being a pledge-breaker, an ex-Republican and a gosling weighing about 145 pounds, he is nothing, and devilish little of that.

Their candidate for Recorder is "Edwie" Werner, a man whom the Herald characterized as a political trickster and shyster for years. "Edwie" voted for Bryan and free silver twice, and he hasn't been a Republican for the last ten years. He is also a pledge-breaker.

William A. Weaver, for Clerk of Courts, is a mugwump and sorehead.

E. A. Walker, for Register of Wills, ditto. He is only punk and another pledge-breaker.

For County Commissioners the Orphans' candidates are George Donges and Chas. Zimmerman. The former is a dyed-in-the-wool Democrat and was defeated at the last Democratic primary. Zimmerman is a dyed-in-the-wool Prohibitionist.

Calvin M. Ankeny, for Treasurer, is another pledge-breaker, defeated candidate, mugwump and sorehead.

For Auditors, the Orphans' candidates are Chas. C. Streng and Geo. Steinbaugh. Streng is a Democrat-Socialist and is a portion of the rubbish that the Socialists and semi-anarchists tried to elect to the Legislature, last fall. Steinbaugh is a man that can't tell what his politics are, but it wouldn't take him long to tell all he knows.

For Poor Director, Josiah M. Bowman would make as poor a director as we know of. He doesn't know what his politics are, and he doesn't know much of anything else.

For County Surveyor, Albert E. Rayman is a Republican, and is also the Republican candidate for the office to which he aspires. He did not seek the nomination on the Orphans' ticket.

George May, Orphans' candidate for Coroner, is one of the Socialist crowd that last fall came within one vote of carrying Elk Lick township against President Roosevelt. He is also a leading spirit in the corrupt aggregation that the Republicans and Democrats of Elk Lick township had to combine against at the last Township election in order to keep the township offices out of the hands and under the baleful influence of the most vicious and illiterate element that ever cursed this garden spot of good old Somerset county.

The Herald must think its readers are a very ignorant lot to try to palm such a mongrel, socialistic, anarchistic, sorehead aggregation off on them as "Republicans." If the Herald succeeds in fooling many people, then there are more fools in Somerset county than we believe there are. Begley and Rayman are the only worthy candidates on the Orphans' ticket, and they are also on the Republican ticket.

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