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At KEITER'S.

THE ELECTION RETURNS.

The "Herald's" Report Will be Full and Complete. Much interest is manifested in the result of today's election, and the HERALD has made final arrangements to give a full and detailed report in to-morrow's issue.

The result of the contest in the county, if the vote is close, will not be known before to-morrow afternoon at the earliest, and the HERALD has made arrangements with special correspondents to give its readers returns up to the hour of going to press. We are enabled to do this by the long distance telephone connections, together with provisions for reporting the same, so that the latest returns will be found in to-morrow's HERALD. This report will also include the result of the great fight in New York, and other state elections and accurate returns from all parts of Pennsylvania.

If you want the latest returns, buy to-morrow's HERALD.

Get one of those pretty oil cloth rugs for under your heating stove, at Fricke's carpet store, 10-13-14

COUNTY COURT.

Judges Bechtel and Koch Handled Most Routine Business. Judges Bechtel and Koch sat in motion court yesterday and handled much routine business.

Thomas Maughan was appointed supervisor of New Castle township, in the vacancy caused by the death of the father of the appointee.

In the case of Commonwealth vs Dean, the sentence was reduced to four months imprisonment.

In the case of Herman Sandman vs Daniel Ellis, rule on plaintiff to show cause why he should not enter security for costs, court discharged the rule.

In the case of Armour & Co., vs Melnick & Son, rule to show why the writ of attachment should not be quashed, court discharged the rule.

In the case of Snellenberg vs Meyerwick, rule to quash an attachment, court made the rule absolute.

The case against Squire P. F. Devine, now in jail, convicted of larceny as before, will be dropped, his attorney filing an affidavit from the prosecutor stating that he did not want the defendant imprisoned.

Patrick Dunn was appointed guardian of James and Julia Dunn, minor children of James Dunn, late of the borough of Frackville, deceased.

Joseph Brown presented the bond of Thomas Maughan, appointed supervisor of New Castle township, in the sum of \$500, with Elias Davis as surety.

J. H. Filbert asked for a rule to show cause why the judgment entered against John Strolins should not be opened, returnable in two weeks.

Deaths and Funerals.

John Boland, an aged resident of St. Clair, died at his home Sunday night. The deceased has two brothers residing in Leadville, Col. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning.

H. W. Tracy, superintendent of the Pinegrove division of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad for 27 years, died suddenly at his home in Pinegrove on Sunday after an illness from stomach troubles of only three days. He was a member of the Masonic order and the P. O. S. of A. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning.

The funeral of William Cooper, Sr., took place at one o'clock this afternoon from the family residence at 25 East Lima street. The services were conducted in the Primitive Methodist church, Rev. James Moore, the pastor, officiating. Interment was made in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. In addition to many beautiful floral emblems presented by relatives there were designs from the trustees of the P. M. church and the members of the deceased connected with the congregation. The pall bearers were Messrs. Marshall Haugh, William C. Collins, William Finburn, John Hoskins, Joseph Lee and George Miller.

The funeral of Thomas, son of Mrs. Kate Gallagher, took place at one o'clock this afternoon from the residence of Thomas P. McGuire, on West Coal street. Interment was made in the Annunciation cemetery.

100,000 pair of Ladies', Children's and Men's rubbers at a sacrifice. At Wozner's Shoe Store, 122 North Main street. 11-2-1m

Another Rally. Owing to the grand success that attended the rally in the Reformed church of the Young People's societies connected with the Protestant churches of town it was decided to continue the meetings periodically and a meeting of the general committee was held in the First Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon to make arrangements. The meeting was attended by Revs. O'Boyle, Reits, Evans, Moore and Hoebner and Misses Keister, Dangler, Johnson and Sterner. It was decided to hold the second rally in the Primitive Methodist church on the 30th inst.

Birthday Party. At a birthday party given to William Wenlock last evening the following young people spent several very enjoyable hours: Lizzie Wholam, Cassie Cox, Gwendol Lewis, Cora Smith, Selma Lewis, Millie Smith, Sadie Smith, Robert Powell, Harry Schawb, George Cox, Clarence Wenlock, Charles Cox, Harold Danks, James Wholam, Thomas Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Wenlock, Mr. Lewis, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Powell.

Wicked Dempster. William Dempster, who was committed to jail yesterday to await trial for stealing a pair of gum boots from A. F. Morgan, the West Oak street shoe dealer, was also committed upon a complaint lodged against him yesterday, charging that he threatened to kill his crippled mother, who is paralyzed, and also made a similar threat against his father, Robert Dempster.

Free Transportation. Anandus Womer, the shoe dealer, to-day received by mail from State Secretary Thos. J. Stewart, free transportation from Shenandoah to Chattanooga, Tenn., to attend the unveiling of the monument which marked the movements of the Pennsylvania troops in that great battle. Mr. Womer was a member of Co. F, 7th Regt., Pa. Volunteers, and is the only survivor of that company residing in town.

A Colliery Wreck. The engineer at Packer No. 5 colliery, operated by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company at Rappahannock, made an over-holt of cars from the shaft with the result that the caps of the head frame were broken and the two shafts fell. The damage done will keep the colliery idle two or three days.

Embodiment Charged. Joe Paakey last night charged Anthony Wenakalis, his employee, with the embodiment of about \$5 and the accused furnished bail before Justice Shoemaker for trial at court.

PROGRESS OF THE ELECTION

Light Polls in All the Wards This Morning.

THE DEFICIENCY CONSIDERABLE!

A Total Decrease of Over Three Hundred Votes From the Noon Vote of Last Fall - Temporary Suspension of Electioneering Caused by an Alarm of Fire.

Election day opened very disheartening for the politicians. Both the Democratic and Republican parties learned several days ago that there was danger of a big stay-at-home vote, but hoped for favorable weather to aid them in a campaign of persuasion. It can hardly be understood how they felt when the day opened with the rain pouring alone in torrents and the streets covered with mud and water. Their discouragement was not unequalled. The rain got in its work. During the morning hours runners employed by both parties complained that many voters declined to walk to the polls, through the storm, and many would not even risk a drive in a carriage in the dampness. Whether or not the weather was responsible, the fact stands that the vote polled during the morning hours was very light in all the wards and there was considerable grumbling among the workers, although they expressed hope of being able to catch up with the figures of last fall if the weather took a change for the better during the afternoon.

The vote up to the noon hour was as follows: First ward, 182; Second, 104; Third, 104; Fourth, 102; Fifth, 100, a total of 792. This was a decrease of no little proportion from the figures at the same hour of last fall, last fall election, when the poll was: First ward, 241; Second, 179; Third, 205; Fourth, 201; Fifth, 223, a total of 1,150. It will be seen from a comparison of the figures given above that the total vote up to noon to-day was nearly the same as that of last fall election. The deficiency was divided among the wards as follows: First ward, 59; Second, 77; Third, 65; Fourth, 49; Fifth, 64.

The figures given are correct and the readers of the HERALD can draw their own conclusions as to the causes of the discrepancies. It is not nearly so bad as it is made to appear by H. A. Canavan among the political workers to-day showed that both the Democrats and Republicans were claiming that the decrease was working to the benefit of their respective parties. Which claim is correct only the returns will show, but there is every reason to believe that the Democrats will not carry the majority by a large majority as they predict. Many claim Toole the candidate for Sheriff, will carry the borough by 600 to 700 majority. A few of them were more enthusiastic during the day. They felt confident that nearly all the stay-at-home vote was in the Republican camp and that nearly all the vote of the town by about 500 majority, the other hand the Republicans were quite conservative. None made any pretensions to the claim that Albright, or Rowe, would get a majority in the town. To the contrary, it was generally conceded that Toole would carry the day. The Republicans were well aware that a quiet house at large a sympathetic canvass had been made for Toole, despite the Democratic claims that the Democrats in this town had done very little work. The only difference of opinion among the Republicans was on the extent of Toole's majority. Estimates gleaned from various sources ranged from 150 to 250.

At about two o'clock this afternoon work at the respective polls was temporarily stopped by an alarm of fire from the Fifth ward. At the poll of that ward work was paralyzed for about half an hour, as the scene of the fire was but a short distance from the poll and almost all the men on the election board belonged to one of the other of the fire companies. The fire was in a house on West Lloyd street occupied by Jacob Yost and owned by Theophilus Williams. The fire caused great volumes of smoke to float over the town, but the damage was not nearly so bad as it is made to appear by its origin could not be traced, although it is supposed to have been started by some children who were playing in the garret of the house. A woman residing in the vicinity of the place became so much overworked by the excitement attending the fire that she fainted. She recovered in a few minutes.

The New Bee Hive. Have you been at the New Bee Hive, No. 205 East Centre street? Headquarters for dry goods, hosiery, underwear, etc. The cheapest place in the county. 10-25-1f

A Smoker. The members of Antisocial Castle No. 74, Knights of the Golden Eagle, held a smoker in the castle room last evening that was enjoyed by a large number of the members. There was a program of vocal and instrumental music and addresses. Grand High Chief Lewis, of St. Clair, exemplified the unwritten work of the order.

Burned at No. 2. Luther Preskitt, residing in the First ward was burned about the back and hands by a slight explosion of gas at Packer colliery No. 3. His injuries are not of a serious nature.

Attention. At the next regular meeting of Washington Camp No. 203, to be held on Nov. 4th, the consideration of new laws and also the question of the manner in which we will celebrate the 50th anniversary of our order will be brought up. All members are urgently requested to be present at this meeting for their own benefit as well as the camp's. By order of THOMAS H. SNYDER, Pres. 11-2-1f

Smashed Windows. Anthony Wyzak was arrested at Turkey Run last night by Patrick Kerne, special officer, on a charge of smashing windows in the house of Andrew Greig by firing stones. Wyzak was committed to jail.

Annual Supper. This evening the annual supper under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Calvary Baptist church will be held in Robinson's opera house. It is an event which has always been marked with excellent satisfaction to the patrons and management, and it will be equally so this year.

Half Holiday. Operations were suspended at the Kehler Run at noon to-day on account of the funeral of Supt. Thomas Baird's father-in-law, William Cooper, Sr. This enabled all employees to cast their vote to-day.

GRAND CONCERT.

Brilliant Musical Event at the Annunciation Church Last Night.

The sacred concert in the Annunciation church last night proved a grand financial and artistic success. From both points of view the concert was one of the finest ever undertaken by local talent and superior to any given in town in recent years. All who took part in the program acquitted themselves so well that distinctions would be invidious and it would require much more space than can be afforded at present to give individual justice. The audience that witnessed the concert taxed the capacity of the spacious church. Upwards of 1,500 tickets were sold for the event. After the concert the ladies and gentlemen who participated in it, with a few invited guests, went to Bickori's dining parlors and partook of a sumptuous supper. Carvers were paid for fifty and the service was excellent.

The following program was rendered at the concert: Part I - Overture, Consecration, Orchestra; Gloria, Choir and Orchestra; Tumor solo, "Peace," Mr. Martin Devit; Duett, "Lead Kindly Light," Misses Lambert and Lafferty; Baritone solo, "Palm Branches," Mr. J. L. Canfield; Soprano solo, "Hosanna," Miss Annie Wynn, of Mahanoy City; Trio, O Salutaris, "Sweet is the Work," Miss Coogan, Messrs. F. J. Gray and L. J. Conghlin.

Part II - Selection, Marcato, Mandolin and Guitar Club; Two Part Chorus, "Hymn to Blessed Virgin," Children's Choir, with Mandolin and Guitar Accompaniment; Soprano solo, "Babylon," Miss M. Cavanaugh; Duett, "Holy Mother Guide our Footsteps," Miss M. Lafferty and Mr. Martin Devit; solo, "Angel Land," Miss Marie Kinney, of Philadelphia; tenor solo, "Jerusalem," Mr. E. J. Greer; bass and organ, "O Salutaris," "In There a Lone and Dreary Hill," Miss M. Cavanaugh and Mr. M. Lally; soprano solo, "Holy City," Miss Mary Homu, of Mahanoy City.

Part III - Credo, choir and orchestra; baritone solo, "O Holy Night," Prof. L. J. Conghlin; solo, "Dream of Paradise," Miss A. Coogan, with violin and Cello Obligato; solo and chorus, "Inflammatus," "When Thou Comest," Miss Wynn and choir; Cujus Animam, "Lord Vouchsafe Thy Loving Kindness," Prof. L. J. Thompson, of Newark, N. J.; "Star of Descending Night," choir; selection, orchestra.

Miss Kate Maley was the organist and Mr. Edward Conghlin the director of the concert.

The following were the ushers: L. J. Wilkinson, T. J. Mullahey, M. J. O'Neill, J. J. O'Hearn, Counselman D. J. Oakley and William McGuire.

Minister Performance Postponed. Owing to the late arrival of two comedians, Messrs. Wertz and Scaulan, of Minnetonka, the minister performance by the Nonpartisan Social Club for the benefit of the mother of William Butler, a deceased member, has been postponed. The date has been changed from election night, Nov. 2, to the following Friday, Nov. 5th. The Schoppe orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for the event. Seats are now on sale at Kiril's drug store. Prices, 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. 10-28-1f

"I have used your Salvation Oil and can say, it is the finest thing I ever saw for all kinds of pains or sprains and can recommend it to any one. N. L. Adams, 231 10th St., Cairo, Ill."

Union Services. At a regular meeting of the Ministerial Association, held in the First Presbyterian church yesterday, it was decided to hold Union Thanksgiving services in the First Baptist church, corner of Oak and West Streets, on Thanksgiving Day, at 10:30 a. m. Rev. T. M. Morrison will preach the sermon. It was also the wish of the Association that Mr. W. H. Waters act as chanter for the service. More detailed announcements will be made later.

Did They See Connell? The rumor is current to the effect that two residents of St. Clair, while on a recent visit to Philadelphia, saw Phil. J. Connell, that the ex-chief clerk has been sick and was under the care of a Pottsville nurse. "Billy" Gordon, formerly of St. Clair but now of Philadelphia, is alleged to have said that he can produce Connell any time he may be wanted. These rumors came to the ears of those who are interested in Connell's whereabouts, but thus far they have been unable to verify them.

Held For Assault. George Miller appeared before Justice Toomey last night as prosecutor against Anthony Gagner, charging him with assault and battery, and the defendant was put under \$300 bail. Miller's head and face was badly cut with a stove lifter.

Immigration Statistics. Washington, Nov. 2. - The number of immigrants arriving in the United States during the first three months of the present fiscal year was 49,256, which is a decrease of nearly 17,000 as compared with the same period last year.

Thrown From His Horse to Death. Berlin, Nov. 2. - General Von Bulow, brother of Baron Von Bulow, the secretary of state for foreign affairs, died here yesterday as the result of injuries which he sustained by being thrown from his horse while out riding.

Hit With a Beer Glass. John Vargas, of the First ward, got into a fight last night and was terribly beaten with a beer glass. He has not yet recovered his senses. Dr. Stein attended the man and found one large cut on top and two on the back of the head. In dressing the injuries the doctor made fourteen stitches.

School Board and Council. A regular monthly meeting of the School Board will be held on Wednesday evening and the Borough Council will hold a regular meeting on Thursday evening.

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THE UNION PACIFIC SALE

The Reorganization Committee Now in Full Control.

RECEIVER TRUMBULL'S PROTEST.

Objected to the Sale of a Certain Two Miles Which is Claimed by Both the Union Pacific and the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf Road.

Omaha, Nov. 2. - The interest of the United States government in the Union Pacific railroad terminated yesterday, when, at the foreclosure sale of the mortgage held by the United States, the road was purchased by the committee of eastern capitalists formed for its reorganization.

The full amount accruing to the United States from the sale cannot be given exactly, but it is estimated to be \$38,967,484.60. It was impossible to determine the full amount until the time of the sale, for the reason that the monthly statement made by the secretary of the treasury to the management of the Union Pacific on the first of every month was not available, and it was found necessary to estimate some items, although the estimates are approximately correct.

The amount due to the government is made up as follows: Principal of debt, \$27,236,612; interest paid by the government up to Sept. 30, 1897, \$30,828,887; interest accrued during the time of the sale, \$286,147.68; total due the government, \$58,352,647.68.

Against this are the following credits: Cash and bonds in sinking fund, \$18,182,466.53; estimated credits for the quarter ending Sept. 30, and for the month of October, including government earnings and the interest on bonds in the sinking fund, amount not yet credited, \$334,180.21; total credit, \$18,516,646.74. Total debt of the railroad to the government, \$58,448,928.61. Total credit of railroad with government, \$18,516,646.74.

After the sale was concluded General Corwin, the representative of the government, was assured by the committee that if the amounts were not accurately figured or should differ from the figures given, whatever may be lacking would be paid by the committee, and will in no way be allowed to interfere with the confirmation of the sale.

There was no opposition to the committee, and no bids were offered against theirs.

A protest was presented from Managing Receiver Frank Trumbull, of the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf Road, against the sale with the Union Pacific property of two miles of track on the Cheyenne and Northern road, the two miles being claimed by both the Union Pacific and the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf. Mr. Cornish, receiver of the Union Pacific, announced after reading the protest, announced that any prospective purchaser of the road must be willing to encounter the consequences of the protest, and that no guarantee of their ownership by the Union Pacific was included in the sale.

This was agreeable to the reorganization committee, and the sale proceeded. None of the reorganization committee regarding the Kansas Pacific sale, which has been postponed until Dec. 15. None of them would say a word as to whether the committee intended to bid or not.

Mr. Meldiss' New Hostelry. This new hostelry is now almost completed, and by the time of the opening next Wednesday evening, November 3rd, it will rank among the foremost of its kind in town. The Lullmanian band and orchestra will be on hand and discourse an excellent concert of musical selections. In addition to the bar which will contain the choicest of beverages, a fully equipped eating bar has been attached. The most fastidious will be supplied with the delicacies of the season to the Queen's taste. The basement has been fitted out with pool and billiard tables which is entirely separate from the eating and drinking department. An invitation is extended to the public to be present. 10-29-1f

New carpets, oil cloth and window shades at Fricke's carpet store. 10-13-1f

SERIOUS LABOR RIOT.

Unionists Fired Upon by a Crowd of Non-Union Workers.

Scottsdale, Pa., Nov. 2. - A riot occurred here last night in which Henry Gillespie, John Jordan and Manager Skimp of the Scottsdale Iron and Steel company, were badly injured. Sunday a union man, Frank Keltz, was beaten into insensibility by non-union iron workers, and Keltz's fellow workmen vowed vengeance. Manager Skimp learning of the trouble when his men came to work formed 30 or 40 of them into a line and marched up Pittsburgh street. At Broadway a large crowd gathered, and four of the marchers with drawn revolvers stepped to the front and ordered the crowd back.

Just then some one threw a stone into the crowd of non-unionists. This was responded to by a shot, followed by a regular fusillade, fully 50 shots being fired, nearly all coming from the non-union men. Manager Skimp was shot in the left foot and was struck by a stone or brick on the left side of the head, and is seriously though not dangerously wounded. Henry Gillespie was shot through the right arm, the ball passing through an artery, and he almost died to death before the wound could be dressed. John Jordan had three fingers shot off. Several others were slightly injured by being struck with stones.

Water Rent Notice. Notice is hereby given that water rents for the six months beginning May 1st, 1897, are now overdue and payable at the office of the undersigned, corner of Third and Oak streets. T. M. SYDNER, Water Superintendent. 11-1-3f

Lehigh Valley Changes. The trainmaster's office in Hazleton was yesterday removed to Delano, and now all trains on the branches receive their orders from that place.

Coat Season in Full Blast.

It isn't often that such a splendid collection of fashionable and stylish Fall and Winter Goods as we have labored for months to gather here, can be found. Our selections now crowd every rack and shelf of our store and represents the cream of thousands of lines we have inspected. We have taken care that the figures we quote should properly harmonize with our well established reputation for low prices, and have no hesitation in saying that in all our departments plentiful assortments of new and desirable goods will be found at money-saving figures that cannot be equalled elsewhere.

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