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Evening Herald.

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OUR COUNTRY: First, Last and Forever.

The sudden death of ex-Congressman Smedley Darlington, at his home in West Chester, removes a conspicuous figure in Chester county politics and social life.

It is believed to be the purpose of the Republicans to pass an act in the coming Congress which will put the gold standard definitely and concretely on the statute book.

Mr. BRUMM is not a candidate for judicial honors, so he informs his political friends. It is well, for more reasons than one. The candidate selected should be the choice of a united party—then success is assured.

Schrick and His "Home."

Through the enterprise of our several county seat contemporaries, it is learned that the Hon. Augustus Schrick, postmaster at Pottsville, now occupies the new federal building as the place of his official abode.

We are only too willing to accept the statements of our contemporary in this respect, but a critical inspection of the cut of the building published in the same issue in which the statement appears leads one to the opinion that the editor's enthusiasm has the better of his good judgment, or else the conclusion that it is "the prettiest home in Schuylkill county" was reached after a comparison had been made between Mr. Schrick's "official home" and the barns of several of Pottsville's moneyed men.

Accompanying the cut of the building is a picture of Pottsville's new postmaster, and the features of that fortunate individual does not corroborate the statements of our esteemed and usually trustworthy contemporary. One would think the day of the removal of the postoffice from "the old to the new" building would be the happiest day of the new P. M.'s life, but his face, as produced in the columns of our contemporary, bears a troubled look; in fact, the expression is not that of the usual jovial "Gustavus. The cause, we are not prepared to state, and on this point our contemporary sheds no light, and adds none to the features of its owner.

Up to the present time, prior to the occupancy of the building, the county seat newspapers have very wisely refrained from commenting upon the "architectural beauty" of the structure, and whenever some "enterprising" newspaper man did venture to discuss the subject it was to ridicule the government, the architect and the gentleman (a worthy son of Pottsville) who secured the appropriation. In fact, since the building assumed shape, our county seat contemporaries delighted in nothing better, when "copy was short" in poking fun at their new federal building. But this has all been changed. A new candidate for public favor has appeared upon the scene, has taken the bit in his teeth, and as "one who upholds and defends popular rights" has braved the storm and presents a reproduction of the "architectural beauty" of this structure upon white paper. We certainly commend the courage of our contemporary, even if we cannot recommend it as an authority on such matters, notwithstanding, as it says, Super-vising Architect Simonson "received his promotion as a direct result of his clever work on the structure."

"The adverse criticism" on the part of the three other Pottsville newspapers, regarding the new structure must now pass away, and we expect them all to join the lead of their youthful but fearless contemporary, and declare it to be "the finest home in Schuylkill county."

After Dinner. To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take Hood's Pills. Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

A Handsome Complexion. The greatest charm a woman can possess. FOSTER'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saved Mrs. Hayes From an Operation.

LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 61,841. "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—Words cannot express my thanks to you for your kind advice to me in regard to my health. I had been running down in health for about seven years. I had doctored with good doctors and taken a great many patent medicines. My trouble began when my first child was born. I had a very hard time and after its birth would have severe flooding spells. After my second child I had very good health until last winter when I again became pregnant and suffered very much and miscarried. I came very near dying, and the doctor said I must have an operation, which frightened me very much, and concluded to write to you for your advice, and take your medicine. Was troubled with the whites, great pain in back and hips, sometimes when lying down or sitting was unable to get up. Would have such pain in groins could hardly walk. "I can say I have never seen anything so wonderful as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sative Wash. Your remedies have done wonders for me. Hoping that many of my suffering sisters may be led to take your medicine from reading this letter. I remain, sincerely yours, MRS. MARY HAYES, HARRISBURG, KY."

Letters like the foregoing should convince everyone that Mrs. Pinkham's advice is a certain help.

Twister Strikes Nebraska Village. Bradley, Neb., June 25.—Early yesterday morning a twister struck this village and partially wrecked it. The storm came from the north with a tremendous roar. It first struck the two story brick block owned by Charles Nash, of New York, and occupied by a drug store and a general mercantile store below and the Methodist society up stairs. The building was totally wrecked, and Floyd A. Walworth was caught in the debris and seriously injured. Across the street the postoffice was totally wrecked. The ground was plowed up by the wind and some stock killed.

WHO IS TO BLAME.

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, promptly cures. At drugists in fifty cent bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Mrs. Meier's Murderers. Chicago, June 24.—The police stated yesterday that positive evidence has been secured pointing to Frank, alias Smith and Bruno, as the murderers of Sigmund Brock, two salt water sailors, as the men who robbed and murdered Martin Meier, the aged Swiss recluse and miser, who was found dead in his lonely home on West Fifty-seventh street about three weeks ago. Smith and Bruno are said to be in Michigan, and several Chicago officers are searching for them. Instead of securing several thousands dollars, as it was supposed, the men succeeded in finding but \$18.

Young Mothers. Crop is the terror of thousands of young mothers because its outbreak is so agonizing and frequently fatal. Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure acts like magic in cases of croup. It has never been known to fail. The worst cases relieved immediately. Price 25 cts., 50 cts. and \$1.00. Sold by P. D. Kirkin on guarantee.

Woman Convicted of Manslaughter. Towson, Md., June 25.—After deliberating 18 hours the jury in the case of Mrs. Clementine M. Reckord, on trial here for the murder of her husband, returned a verdict yesterday of manslaughter. In a former trial of the woman the jury failed to agree. The crime for which Mrs. Reckord was tried was committed in Baltimore on Jan. 20. The body of Azariah Reckord was found in bed with two bullet holes through the head. The maximum penalty for manslaughter is ten years' imprisonment. Mrs. Reckord maintains her innocence and asserts that an unknown man did the shooting.

A Card. We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. A. Wasley, C. H. Haggenbach, Shenandoah Drug Store, and P. W. Bierstein & Co. 11-14-33-45

Rough Riders Memorial Services. Lee Vesper, N. J., June 25.—Memorial services were the first thing on the rough riders' reunion program yesterday. They were held at the Duncan Opera House and Rev. Thomas A. Uzzell, pastor of the People's Tabernacle, of Denver, preached the memorial sermon. Mr. Lefe Young, editor of the Iowa State Capital, then delivered an address. Mr. Young served with the rough riders. Governor Roosevelt, who was presented with a gold medal, left at midnight for Chicago and Milwaukee.

Sick Headaches. The curse of overworked womanhood, are quickly and surely cured by Kart's Clover Root Tea, the great blood purifier and tissue builder. Money refunded if not satisfactory. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by P. D. Kirkin on a guarantee.

Spain's Standing Army. Madrid, June 25.—The Official Gazette announces that the effective active army for the next financial year has been fixed at 108,000 men.

Emperor William Wins a Yacht Race. Kiel, June 25.—In the Kiel regatta yesterday Emperor William sailed his steel yawl yacht Meteor, winning the first race.

Croup, sore throat, pulmonary troubles—Monach our pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

Three Wounded in Drunken Brawl. New York, June 25.—Three men were mortally wounded in a drunken brawl early yesterday morning in the Laurel Hill section of Long Island City. Mrs. Mary McPadden, a widow, was giving a dance in the rear of a saloon which she owned, and about 50 persons were present. The rioters became intoxicated and quarrelsome, and adjourned to the sidewalk to finish a fight which started in the saloon. Hugh O'Neill, it is said, attacked Dominick Flynn and William Huston with a knife. A dozen other men joined in the battle. Nine shots were fired. O'Neill was shot in the lungs, Huston stabbed in the side and Flynn in the abdomen. It is said O'Neill and Flynn will die, and that Huston has only a slight chance. Patrick J. Miskel was arrested, charged with the shooting.

THE KENTUCKY DEADLOCK.

Democrats Seem Unable to Select a Candidate For Governor. Louisville, Ky., June 25.—There is no sign of an agreement between any of the Democratic candidates for governor. There is no change from the eleventh ballot, taken on Saturday night, the ballots thus far taken resulting: Stone, 376; Hardin, 366; Goebel, 346. The 1,002 delegates to the convention are divided so nearly even that there is not a difference of 30 votes in the strength of the three candidates, but Goebel is the strongest because of the solidity of his support. He controls his following absolutely, and can vote them for himself or throw them to either of his opponents at will. Neither Stone nor Hardin can do this and for that reason neither is in a position to make terms.

A noteworthy feature of the contest is the Hardin campaign. Coming into the convention with a hundred votes short of a majority of the delegates, beaten at every point in the temporary organization and weakened by adverse decisions by the credential committee involving scores of seats, the Hardin managers, with consummate cleverness, jumped into the fight when the game seemed lost, withdrew the name of General Hardin and left Goebel and Stone to fight it out. These two fell into the trap and lay at each other's throats, with the result that when the convention adjourned Saturday night Goebel and Stone had split and Hardin, who had been again taken up, stood second in recorded votes. Meanwhile the three cornered fight grows warmer, and the delegates, who have spent nearly a week trying to nominate a state ticket, may yet have to look outside the trio now occupying the ring to find a leader upon whom they can unite.

Story of a Slave. To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work. This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. Wasley, Drugist.

Britons Want Our Cattle Market. Austin, Tex., June 25.—L. M. Crogan, member of the legislature from Nolan county, is authority for the statement that an English syndicate, with a capital of \$100,000,000, has started to purchase all of the cattle in Texas, with a view of cornering the cattle market in this country.

Give the Children a Drink called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1/4 as much as coffee-15 and 25c.

Jones Announces His Candidacy. Columbus, O., June 25.—In a letter to a Columbus friend Mayor I. M. Jones, of Toledo, announces himself ready to stand as a candidate for governor, and adds: "I am more than ever convinced that the day of political parties is passing. Parties and party machines will find themselves out of a job, so to speak. They are expensive and frightful burdens on the body politic. They are a positive menace to liberty and stand directly athwart the path of progress."

You Try It. If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, which is sold for the small price of 25 cts., 50 cts. and \$1.00, does not cure take the bottle back and we will refund your money. Sold for over fifty years on this guarantee. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by P. D. Kirkin on a guarantee.

Political Cards. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, FRANK R. KANTNER, OF LOFTY. Subject to Republican rules. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, HORACE F. REBER, OF PINE GROVE, PA. Subject to Republican rules. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, BENJ. KAUFMAN, OF TREMONT. Subject to Republican rules. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, JOSEPH WYATT, OF SHENANDOAH. Subject to Republican rules. FOR COUNTY REGISTER, F. C. REESE, OF SHENANDOAH. Subject to Republican rules. FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS, EMANUEL JENKYN, OF POTTVILLE, Formerly of Joliet. Subject to Republican rules. FOR RECORDER, J. H. NICHTER, OF POTTVILLE. Subject to Democratic rules. FOR CLERK OF THE COURTS, JOHN T. SHOENER, OF ORWINGTOWN. Subject to Republican rules. FOR PROTHONOTARY, JAMES M'ELHENNY, OF MAHAROV CREEK. Subject to Republican rules. FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, CHARLES E. BERGER, OF CRESSONA. Subject to Republican rules.

SUMMARIZED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF SCHOOLS AND RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE SHENANDOAH - SCHOOL - DISTRICT, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING, JUNE 5th, 1899.

Table with columns for SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, SCHOLARS, EVENING SCHOOLS, TAXES, EXONERATIONS AND ABATEMENTS. Includes data for number of schools, teachers, scholars, and various financial figures.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Auditor's Report for F. J. SCANLAN, ex-TAX RECEIVER AND BONDSMEN. In account with the Shenandoah, Pa., School District, Duplicate of 1895. Includes valuation, tax rates, and balance due.

Auditor's Report for F. J. SCANLAN AND BONDSMEN. In account with the Shenandoah, Pa., School District, Duplicate of 1896. Includes valuation, tax rates, and balance due.

Auditor's Report for EDWARD BURKE, TAX RECEIVER. In account with the Shenandoah, Pa., School District, Duplicate of 1897. Includes valuation, tax rates, and balance due.

Auditor's Report for EDWARD BURKE, TAX RECEIVER. In account with the Shenandoah, Pa., School District, Duplicate of 1898. Includes valuation, tax rates, and balance due.

Auditor's Report for EMANUEL JENKYN, RECORDER OF DEEDS. Includes valuation and tax rates.

Auditor's Report for J. H. NICHTER, RECORDER. Includes valuation and tax rates.

Auditor's Report for JOHN T. SHOENER, CLERK OF THE COURTS. Includes valuation and tax rates.

Auditor's Report for JAMES M'ELHENNY, PROTHONOTARY. Includes valuation and tax rates.

Auditor's Report for CHARLES E. BERGER, DISTRICT ATTORNEY. Includes valuation and tax rates.

H. J. MULDOON, TREASURER.

Table showing Balance from ex-Treasurer J. J. Franey, Balance of funds, and various receipts and expenditures.

Table showing Receipts and Expenditures. Includes items like Redemption of bonds, Building and Furnishing, Teachers' Wages, and various supplies.

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

Table listing outstanding orders for redemption of bonds and other financial obligations.

SUMMARY.

Summary table showing Total receipts, Total expenditures, and Balance cash in hands of treasurer.

RECAPITULATION, Receipts and Expenditures of District Receipts.

Table showing Balance in hands of Treasurer, Balance of funds, and Receipts from various sources.

EXPENDITURES.

Table showing Redemption of bonds, Redemption of interest on temporary loans, and other expenditures.

RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES OF DISTRICT.

Table showing Cash in hands of the Treasurer, Due from Collector Scanlan and bondsmen, and other resources.

LIABILITIES.

Table showing Bonds outstanding, Interest due and unpaid, and other liabilities.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Borough of Shenandoah, Pa., having examined the different accounts of the Receivers of Taxes and the various accounts of the Treasurer of the Shenandoah School District submit the above statement as correct.

JOHN McDONALD, M. J. BYRNE, MARTIN F. MAHER, Auditors.

YOUR EYES.

J. D. COLDREN, Of Schuylkill Haven, The noted Refractor, who has testimonials from the best people of the county, as to his ability, will be at

GRUHLER'S DRUG STORE WEDNESDAY OF EACH WEEK. If your eyes cause you any trouble call and see him. Glasses furnished if needed and no medicine.

EXAMINATIONS FREE. The only pleasure resort and picnic ground in this region. This season will be the most successfully conducted since its existence.

LAKESIDE! The only pleasure resort and picnic ground in this region. This season will be the most successfully conducted since its existence.

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The Rosy Freshness. And a velvety softness of the skin is invariably obtained by those who use Puzoski's Completion Powder.

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PHILA. STOCK ALE, Sparkling Still Amber Ale, Bottled Pale Ale, Brown Stout, Half and Half, Beer and Porter.

LORENZ SCHMIDT'S BOCK BEER ON TAP.

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