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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT
Judge Robert Von Moschizsker,

AUDITOR GENERAL,
A. E. SISSON,

of Erie.

STATE TREASURER,
Jeremiah A. Stober,

of Lancaster.

JURY COMMISSIONER,
W. H. Bullock.

HOME COMING WEEK.

NOW THAT IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO HAVE A "HOME COMING WEEK" IT BEHOVES EVERYBODY TO PUT THEIR SHOULDER TO THE WHEEL AND MAKE IT A SUCCESS.

LET EVERY LETTER THAT GOES OUT OF HONESDALE BEAR THE HOME COMING WEEK STAMP ON ITS ENVELOPE.

LET EVERY MESSAGE TO FRIENDS AND RELATIVES CARRY AN INVITATION TO ATTEND OUR CELEBRATION.

LET EVERY BUSINESS HOUSE HAVE A HOME COMING WEEK STICKER ON THEIR STATIONERY.

GET THE HOME COMING WEEK IDEA FIRMLY INTRENCHED IN YOUR MINDS. MAKE IT YOUR UPPERMOST AND FOREMOST THOUGHT FOR THE NEXT MONTH.

TALK IT TO THE VISITING DRUMMERS.

PUT A "DON'T YOU FORGET" TICKET IN EVERY PARCEL YOU SEND AWAY FROM THE STORE. REMEMBER THAT IF 1000 PEOPLE WILL MAKE IT THEIR HEART'S DESIRE FOR A BIG REUNION OF FRIENDS AND ACQUAINTANCES AND A GOOD TIME IN GENERAL, AND WILL PITCH IN AND HELP THE DIFFERENT COMMITTEES, WE WILL HAVE A MAGNIFICENT SUCCESS IN WHICH ALL WILL SHARE.

A MISUSED WORD.

What is populism anyway? A few weeks ago a New York paper denounced Governor Hughes' direct nomination bill as "a flower of the populist fancy."

Populism, whatever it is, or is not, has been abroad in the land for a long time. Railroad rate regulation was populist, insurance legislation was populist, and the income tax law was a very bad case of it indeed.

Whenever, in the name of profits, three or four gentlemen with bank accounts like dirigible balloons and faces like asphalt pavements gather together over frugal eighty-seven dollar dinners to protect against popular legislation, the word populism has a very busy evening.

We think we have the secret at last. Populism is not a political belief, nor a religion, nor a disease, nor a breakfast food. It is an epithet.

In the progress of the country toward a broader and deeper democracy, men will propose laws for direct nominations, for initiative and referendum, for recall, for control and ownership of public utilities.

Dogmatic Advice. Author - I have here a wonderful play, the suppression of a woman's heart and a man's soul by petty conventions. I call it "The Muzzle."

The Supreme Court having, it is announced, declared the two-cent a mile bill unconstitutional, is quite certain that the railroads affected will return to the old-time tariff. That is hard for the traveler but it makes the railroad people chuckle.

ANOTHER STEP AHEAD.

A discovery which will bring great satisfaction to the timid who fear to be put in a condition they lose consciousness is reported in a telegram to the State Department at Washington by the consul general at Bucharest, Roumania. This is an anaesthetic, a combination of strychnine and stornin, discovered by a surgeon of Bucharest and from the application of which the patient does not lose mental consciousness.

WAR ON THE CIGARETTE.

The legislature of the state of Washington has just passed an act making it a misdemeanor for any person to smoke, have in his possession or offer for sale cigarettes in the state. The act provides for the arrest of any person who uses cigarettes and the police authorities are instructed to enforce the law on all persons within the confines of the state, whether they be citizens or visitors.

Why does a state legislature enact a law of this kind? Not because it desires to prevent any person enjoying the pleasures of the life. Not because the legislature wishes to restrain the people in their liberties. Not because there is a desire to oppress anybody. The act was passed in the interest of the young men and boys of the state whose mental and physical health is endangered by the use of the cigarettes.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF SCHOOL.

Miss Keen's school closed Friday, June 18, with the usual spelling contest. First in order "choosing sides." Frances Prosch and Russell Martin were drawn "choosers" and after two rounds Frances' side won by two.

The exercises were varied somewhat, for the B. Class gave the route from Honesdale to Seattle, naming the states passed through, giving their capitals, boundaries; a few facts about Alaska, Yukon, Japan, China and the manner in which the Fair was opened by President Taft at Washington several thousand miles away.

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Figuratively Speaking. "That girl's graduation essay shows remarkable maturity of thought."

Sad End of a Commencement. Miss Sarah Ann Amelia Scroggs spoke well on graduation day.

It made four columns—something o'er—And Sarah read it through with pride.

But Sarah had hysterics wild. That smelling salts would hardly cure.

Manager—Try it on the dog.—Baltimore American

MONTHLY MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL

Proceedings of This Meeting Briefly Reported.

The regular monthly meeting of the town council took place on Thursday evening last. The councilmen present were: C. A. McCarty, G. W. Penwarden, Wyman Kimble, George M. Genung, Thos. J. Canivan, and Martin Caufield.

Treasurer Penwarden reported a balance of \$748.50 on hand. Received from J. J. Canivan, dog tax, \$92.10.

Mr. Stocker and Mr. Simons appeared for the citizens of West North Main street in regard to the opening of sewers at Main and 18th streets, and on West street.

The street commissioner was appointed to lay walk on property of Mrs. McLaughlin on Terrace street and to charge same to property.

Script was issued to H. H. Brown, also to R. W. Penwarden.

Committee on police calls were continued.

Committee on lights continued, and on presentation of a petition signed by over sixty citizens, the committee was instructed to erect an arc light instead of an incandescent, at the west end of the canal bridge at the foot of Terrace street.

The council ordered the gong committee to have gong at Durland-Weston Co's Shoe factory transferred to the Honesdale Consolidated Light, Heat, and Power company, according to plans drawn, and price submitted by Rettew Bros.

The resignation of B. Schermehorn as a member of the Board of Health was accepted, and Dr. H. B. Searles was appointed to fill the vacancy.

A petition signed by 21 citizens of the borough asking for a walk to extend from Mr. Dunnigan's property, down the west side of West street to the property of Emil Gass was received.

The secretary was instructed to notify the Water company to itemize old bill sent to borough, and have good hose that was taken from the engine house returned.

The following bills were presented, and ordered paid: L. Weidner, street commissioner, \$46.22; T. Sweeney, street work, \$33.51; John Symons, street work, \$29.18; John Fisher, street work, \$32.35; Frank Quinlan, street work, \$15.85; C. A. Cortright, street work, \$37.76; John Decker, carting, .75; C. A. Cortright, fire horses, \$150.00; John Leocher, two mattresses, \$4; John J. Canivan, salary, \$35.00; John Canivan, disposing of dogs, \$8.00; J. J. Carmichael school fire, \$2.00; Chas. Gray, school fire, \$2.00; C. M. Spettigue, roof, town hall, \$27.83; Levi De Groat, \$40; Bittenbender & Co., hose material, \$5.88; Frank McMullen, hose, \$3.00; Honesdale Light, Heat and Power Co., \$226.29; Kraft & Conger, coal, \$5.10; W. Crist, painting benches, \$1.50; N. B. Spencer, special police, \$12.00.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS

Delaware & Hudson R. R. Trains leave at 6:55 a. m., and 12:25 and 4:30 p. m.

Erie R. R. Trains leave at 8:27 a. m. and 2:50 p. m.

Delaware & Hudson R. R. Trains arrive at 9:55 a. m., 3:15 and 7:31 p. m.

Erie R. R. Trains arrive at 10:15 a. m. and 6:50 p. m.

OBITUARY.

Raymond, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Miszler, died at their home on Willow avenue, early Sunday morning, after a few days' illness of diphtheria.

Edward A. Ward, son of the late Rev. Elias C. Ward and Emeline Farrer died at Newark New Jersey, on Sunday, July 4, 1909, very suddenly of heart trouble.

Mrs. Henry F. Atherton died at her residence, North Main avenue, Providence, Monday afternoon, following several weeks of serious illness, surrounded by surviving children.

Mrs. Atherton was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Roe, of Honesdale, where on Nov. 4, 1839, she was born and where she spent the earlier years of her life.

She was married Oct. 12, 1864, to Henry F. Atherton, and immediately afterward they took up their residence in this city.

Mr. Atherton for many years and up to the time of his death was paymaster of the Pennsylvania division of the Delaware and Hudson company.

Mrs. Atherton was an esteemed and useful member of the Providence Presbyterian church, and not only identified with the activities of the local church, but also having an intelligent and responsive thought for the larger mission of the Master's kingdom in home and foreign fields.

Her hand and heart were always open in kindly sympathy in behalf of the needy and poor. Especially in Providence and this place she leaves a large circle of friends in sorrow.

She is survived by two daughters at home, Caroline Foster and Annie Raynsford, and three sons, John Roe Atherton, paymaster of the Delaware and Hudson company; Thomas Sayre Atherton and Henry Foster Atherton, also in the paymaster's office, and Mrs. W. W. Weston, a sister in Honesdale, and John Fuller Roe, a brother in Los Angeles, Cal.

Services for the burial of the dead were held at the family home yesterday (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was made in the family plot in Dunmore cemetery.

At the last session of congress there was a very close division on an important measure that was pending. A western member was fighting the bill with all of the vigor at his command, and his success depended absolutely on his presence at his post.

"What!" gasped the inquirer, "and in the face of that are you going to the capitol?"

"I am," was the cool response. "But don't you feel worried about your wife?"

"Not in the least," was the reply. "Why?" asked the other

"Because," replied the fighting member, "I have no wife."

Farmer—What's all that racket, Mandy?

Farmer's Wife—One of them thar airship chaps is tumbling down the chimney and out into the dining room.

Farmer—Do tell! Waal, just set another plate on the table and tell him to make himself comfortable. Funny how guests do drop in these days.—Detroit Free Press.

A Particular Caller. "Any callers today, my dear?" the man who had just moved into the suburbs inquired as he sat down to his delayed dinner.

"Yes," his wife replied, "one."

"A neighbor?"

"No, a servant girl."

"Good! Did she suit?"

"Yes, but she didn't." — Cleveland Plain Dealer

WORTH KNOWING.

It appears from two decisions lately made by the Superior Court of this State that the owner of a horse has still some rights with regard to the actions of other people tending to frighten the same.

In the brass band case, the Court practically held that a brass band had no right to take its stand at the intersection of two streets, gather a crowd around it and play with their drums and horns in such a way as to frighten the horse of a man driving by at the time.

In the case of the automobiles, the Court held that the operator of an automobile had no right to discharge from the same a volume of vapor with a hissing sound and strong odor in such a way as to frighten a horse standing near by.

It looks as though the Court had commenced to take cognizance of these matters and to hold persons occupying the streets and making unusual noises frightening horses to a strict accountability for their acts and it would be wise for persons so offending against the public to take notice.

That was a brave lady who was witnessing a baseball game and when the bats were all broken took off her wooden leg and handed it to her favorite and told him to take it and make a home run.

When a female rooster is that intense, to be sure it is the National Game and no mistake.

THE TOWN THAT PUSH BUILT

I.—The Wise Workman



HERE is a workman who is wise because each thing he needs he buys from local dealers who advertise. Whenever he gets his weekly pay, He doesn't send the money away, But spends it here, where it will stay.

P. S.—The local dealer who's up to snuff Will always advertise his stuff.

HENRY Z. RUSSELL, President. ANDREW THOMPSON Vice President.

EDWIN F. TORREY Cashier. ALBERT C. LINDSAY Asst. Cashier.

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of the savings in our bank is interest—good interest—for the use of your money. Twice a year you reap the harvest on the dollars you have planted here during that time.

There is no safer soil than a bank, with ample resources and wise management; no surer yield than the three per cent. interest we pay. Saving leads to success.

Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank, Honesdale, Pa.

ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY

Time Table in Effect June 20th, 1909. SCRANTON DIVISION

Table with columns for Stations, A.M.P.M., and S.M.P.M. listing various stations like Hancock, Starlight, Preston Park, etc.

Additional trains leave Carbondale for Mayfield Yard at 6:50 a. m. daily, and 5:30 p. m. daily except Sunday.

J. C. ANDERSON, Traffic Manager. J. E. WEISS, Traveling Agent.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WAYNE COUNTY. Katie Dean v. Samuel Dean.

No. 107 March Term 1909. Label In Divorce. To SAMUEL DEAN: You are hereby required to appear in the said Court on the second Monday of August next, to answer the complaint to the judge of said court by Katie Dean, your wife, in the cause above stated, or in default thereof a decree of divorce as prayed for in said complaint may be made against you in your absence.

Simons, Atty. M. LEE BRAMAN, Sheriff. Honesdale, Pa., June 29, 1909. 5w4