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One blessed hope we have to help keep us warm this winter, is that ice may be cheap next summer.

Speaker Cannon, "Uncle Joe," did some talking on Thursday when he gave a treatise on party regularity, but not until the newspaper boys did a whole lot of coaxing. Cannon has been in the political game long enough to know that anything said by him on the subject is certain to cause the people generally to do just a bit of thinking.

"My test of regularity in politics, church, finance, or family," he said, is "co-operation, harmony. I am a great believer in caucus—the wicked caucus. Get together and fight out the differences there, and if you are licked, come back and fight again. We can't all have our way in this world. We do not have our way, no matter how big or high we may be. The manly man gives and takes, fights or yields, as he thinks best for his cause. I haven't much patience in these men who are wiser than all the other fellows put together, and whose views are unchangeable. I always feel that a man of that sort has no business in an organization. If he can't fight it out in party ranks and yield if he is beaten then he had better go out and join the enemy, or, better still, form an organization of his own."

### WORRIED.

Certain Democratic organs alarmed at the consequences to Democracy of Taft's appointment of a Democrat to the Supreme Court Bench yell loudly and wonder what the Republicans in the South will finally think of the President in refusing to build up his own party in the South.

The Democrats are worried. They see things. They cannot understand why the pie does not always go to the hungrier of the same faith. They saw in the appointment of a North Carolina federal judge a terrible mistake made by Taft. But as the appointment was a Democrat glorified they couldn't say anything against that. But Democracy becomes the keeper of its brother and its brother is a Republican.

But bless your souls it is easy to see the point. President Taft feels that incidentally he is President of the country—President of the Democrats just as much as of the Republicans, although democracy voted against him.

What does it all mean? It means that President Taft proposes to show the South that he is bigger than any Democrat yet hatched. He proposes to suggest, officially, that he will choose the man he wants for an important position—the man in his judgment best fitted—he proposes briefly to go after Men, not politicians.

And how will it work in the long run? How will it come out of the wash? Why, when Mr. Taft or any other Republican runs again for president the Democracy that always had a happy habit of attempting to frighten the South with bogie men called radicals will be like Othello with their occupation gone. Taft has emphasized and will further prove that the federal bogie man is a myth. Therefore when the Democracy attempts to yell "federal laws" and insist that Republicanism means destruction to the South the records will point that the Republican party recognized decent Democrats—and what are you going to do about it? No wonder the Democratic papers are yelling loudly. No wonder they see much harm to the Republican party—but their zeal is understood. They see what all men see that President Taft is leaving a record that will make Democratic success forever impossible. He has taken away from Democracy its last hope—the hope to abuse the Republican party by yelling "Radical"—when forsooth, there is nothing radical about it.

It develops as we progress, that President Taft is as much of a diplomat as he is a lawyer and judge and the whole country will love the man before he has finished his first round. And that is why Democracy is unhappy.

Wednesday night Dr. Bull's suggestion to preach on the street corners of Scranton was inaugurated and the results were apparently greater than those obtained in the Tabernacle.

United States Senator Money, Democratic leader in the Senate, is the most indefatigable worker in Congress. He has secured a government position for every one of his known relatives not forgetting his mother-in-law.

According to a recent report to the Senate by the Commissioner of Pensions, the soldiers who served in the Union army, during the Civil war, are dying at the rate of one every fourteen minutes.

It makes people tired to hear the insurgents and rhinoceros-hided Democrats grinding and harping about Cannon being an "old fogey" and so forth. These noisy objectors have forgotten about their Methuselah Gassaway Davis, who sat on the tall end of the Democratic ticket in 1904. Why Joe Cannon looks and acts young enough to be a grandson of Gassaway.

The esteemed editor of the Herald (not the active editor) but the gentleman who has charge of the political column, is again on the mourners' bench, on account of the little differences that exist among Republican Congressmen. His two epistles to the "disgruntled" in last week's issue, we hope may be temporary solace to him, while his thoughts stray away from the rascality of his own political brethren.

### NEW HOSPITAL ERECTION WORK PROGRESSING.

Work on the hospital for the criminal insane at Farview is progressing as rapidly as possible, although the work has been somewhat retarded by the heavy snows and cold weather for the past month.

Dr. Fitzsimmons in his report submitted to the commission on the first of the year, in speaking of the work, says:

The condition of the two hospital buildings "C" and "D," now under course of construction, is as follows: The sheet metal and slating on the roof of building "C" is 98 per cent. completed. There is only the sheet metal work on half of the ridge on this building yet to do. The sheet metal work on the tower or louvre of this building is all completed, excepting the piling of the sheet metal on the louvre proper or the opening for ventilation, all of which is made and ready to be placed in position which work can be done in about six hours. At the time of the last report the iron work of building "D" was in course of construction. That work is now all completed and the sheet metal work on the roof of this building "D" is also completed and 96 per cent. of the slate of the roof of this building has also been laid. There is about twelve hours work of slating to be done on this building and had it not been for the severe snow storm this roof would have been completed. If weather permits the slate work on this building will be completed this week. This does not mean that the cement has been placed around the slate as that is a job in itself that will take about two weeks to complete. If weather will be comparatively favorable by Feb. 1st all of the roof work will be completed. The frame work on the three towers or louvres of building "D" has been completed and they are ready for the sheet metal work to be commenced. This will be proceeded with without delay. The stair builders have been engaged in the building of the iron stair way during the past month and at the present time the stair way leading from the basement of building "C" has been placed in position to and from the basement.

The electrician has about 50 per cent. of that kind of work done in both buildings, "C" and "D," and this work will have been completed by the 25th of the present month, January. The plumbers or men engaged in the placing of the drain pipes, cast iron pipes, which are being placed in trenches under the basement, and galvanized iron pipes, which are being between the roof gutters, have about 50 per cent. of this work done. This includes the hemp covering which surrounds the galvanized iron pipes to prevent them from freezing. The metal conduits for the conveying of air and heat and which contains the thermotatic or heat testers is about 40 per cent. done. All of the windows have been placed in position and are ready to be permanently cased in. Storm doors have been placed at all the openings where ingress and egress to the buildings is necessary and where this is not expedient the openings have been boarded up.

All of the work now in process of execution, aside from the small amount of work to be done on the roofs, can be readily carried on regardless of weather conditions. During the month three car loads of trimming stone and one carload of lime for building "G" arrived at the D. & H. R. R. siding and is at present in the store houses at that place. There is only twenty men employed at the hospital, sixteen of whom are mechanics in the different departments and four laboring men.

Legal blanks at The Citizen office.

## WAYNE COUNTY COURT NOTES

The grand jury made its final report Thursday afternoon. It recommended that a hot water pipe be placed in the jail for sanitary purposes; that the wall under the bay window in the sheriff's house should be repaired; that the frescoing in the court room be repaired.

J. A. Carey was appointed custodian of the ballot box of election district of Buckingham No. 2. Charles Wallinger, Hawley, was indicted for passing a forged check of \$43. Edward Niederost, prosecutor. True bill by grand jury.

In the case of Com. vs. Charles Wallinger, passing a forged check for \$25 upon Edward Niederost, N. B. Spencer, prosecutor, a true bill was found.

In the matter of Com. vs. Charles Wallinger, for passing a forged check amounting to \$10 upon Herman Meyer, N. B. Spencer, prosecutor, the grand jury found a true bill. Judge Little, of Susquehanna county, will assist in trying cases in court this week. This is Judge Little's first appearance in the Wayne county courts as a judge.

The following accounts and appraisements were confirmed nisi by the court, Monday afternoon.

First and final account of Joshua A. Brown and H. M. Spence, administrators of the estate of Eliza C. Peters, late of the borough of Honesdale, deceased.

First and final account of George Anselmy, testamentary guardian of Homer Anselmy.

First and final account of G. C. Tarbox, administrator of the estate of Lida Tarbox, late of Scott township, deceased.

First and final account of Edwin P. Kilroe, administrator of the estate of John C. Kilroe, late of Dyberry township, deceased.

First and partial account of Henry Wilson, administrator C. T. A. of the estate of Albert Whitmore, late of the borough of Honesdale, dec'd.

First and final account of Phoebe J. Wheeler, administratrix of the estate of Almon E. Wheeler, late of the township of Lake, deceased.

Second and partial account of E. A. Penniman, executrix of the last will and testament of Francis B. Penniman, late of the borough of Honesdale, deceased.

First and final account of Walter M. Fowler and Charles Sanker, administrators of the estate of Frederick Werner, late of Texas township, deceased.

To the widow of A. W. Brown, late of Starrucca; personal property.

To the widow of Fred Kennedy, late of Mt. Pleasant; personal property.

To the widow of Henry D. Cole, late of Clinton; personal property.

To the widow of Mathew McKenna, late of Buckingham; personal property.

To the widow of W. M. Buchanan, late of Preston, deceased; personal property.

To the widow of J. A. Rutledge, late of Preston, deceased; personal property.

In the case of the Commonwealth versus Frank Watterson, John Anderson, prosecutor, charges being assault and battery on Robert Anderson, son of John Anderson, and attempted rape on Margaret Anderson, a daughter of the prosecutor. Miss Anderson upon being questioned said that she did not know Watterson, and on Sunday, November 7th, he met her in Hawley and asked to go home with her. She objected and he followed her up to Glass Row, where he put his arm around her and grabbed her by the neck. Her brother interfered and Watterson hit him with his fist, knocking him down. Watterson on being called to the witness stand said he did not know the girl but saw her at Hawley, and asked if she had any objection to his going home with her. She said "No." He walked some distance with her, and finally put his arm around her waist and she made no objection. He asked her to go to a dance with him and she said her father would also have to go. Watterson said that would be satisfactory to him. Upon meeting her brother, the boy raised an objection to Watterson's company, and "got fresh," as the defendant said. Watterson then slapped the boy twice in the face, the second time knocking him down. The boy arose and grabbed some stones and Watterson made his escape. Several other witnesses were called on both sides. Shortly before noon the jury was charged, and as we go to press the jury has not yet reached a verdict. District Attorney Simons appeared for the prosecutor and C. A. McCarty for the defendant. The following jurors had charge of this case: Thomas Barnes, of Dreher; Jos. Billard, of Berlin; L. D. Chamberlain, of Preston; M. I. Denio, of Preston; Thos. Drake, of Hawley; W. L. Harvey, of Lehigh; C. E. Luchs, of Sterling; R. F. Mumford, of Mt. Pleasant; Conrad Reineke, Paupack; M. A. Schletz, of Palmyra; Wesley Wilcox, Damascus; William B. Yerkes, Damascus.

In the case of George F. Whitmore, charged with desertion. Mr. Whitmore plead guilty, providing sentence be suspended and prisoner discharged. P. H. Iloff and District Attorney Simons appeared for Mrs. Whitmore and Herman Harmes for Mr. Whitmore.

Commonwealth vs. Floyd Hazelton, three counts, assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery and aggravated assault and battery

with intent. John N. Nyce, prosecutor, discharged. Settlement by payment of costs.

### REMINGTON'S EARLY CAREER.

This sketch of Remington's early career appears in the New York Sun:

"Fred Remington was born in New York State. His father was a newspaper man and political factor whose editorials had a rank of their own among county newspapers. His home was at Canton, St. Lawrence county, and there his son was born on October 4, 1861. The boy was a lively youngster, much given to outdoor sport and not taking a very serious view of life. His father wanted him to be a newspaper man, but Fred felt the call of art, or thought he did—he had a second thought presently and it was long ere he returned again to art—and at the age of eighteen was permitted to go to the Yale art school. He didn't learn much there, he used to confess; that is, not much of what he went there to learn, but he got a lot of information about football and was on Walter Camp's original eleven when Camp was booming and developing the American game. The death of his father interrupted his course at Yale and he returned to his home and worked as clerk in a country store, afterward acting as confidential clerk to Governor Cornell at Albany. Then he took his share of the patrimony and went west as a cow-puncher, an occupation at which he kept for four years, practically living in the saddle, much of the time in Montana. Part of the time he lived among the soldiers at army posts, taking especially to the cavalry. He got ahead, established a sheep ranch and a mule ranch and made some money, went to Kansas and lost it, and then wandered farther to the Southwest, serving as scout, ranchman, anything that offered in the free and exciting life of the great plains. He has been over the ground from the interior of Mexico to Hudson Bay. Once when he 'dropt his wad' he made up his mind to quit ranching and come East. His father's friends, Senator Platt among them, were ready to help him and he soon had a job at clerical work in the office. Figures fretted him and he went to the superintendent of the counting-room one day and said to him: 'Do you like this sort of work?'

"I do," said the man.

"Well, you are welcome to all you want of it. I don't," said Remington and he put on his hat and coat and went out.

"The next place he got he stayed half an hour. The West was calling again and art once more was stirring within him. He had always liked to make pencil sketches, and he went to the editor of The Century Magazine and told him of an astonishing group of Indians of the Southwest and asked to be sent out there to make drawings of them and to have a writer sent with him. Remington was so enthusiastic and so entertaining in his talk that the editor told him to go out there and do the whole thing himself, both the writing and illustrating. Remington told the editor that the only writing he had ever done to his satisfaction was signing his name on the back of a railroad pass.

"Never mind," said the editor, "if you write what you have told me you will do well enough."

"Remington went, and a little later presented himself to the public as an illustrator and author in The Century and in the Harper publications."

### SECOND ANNUAL BANQUET.

In spite of the snow storm, about fifty members and friends of the Ariel Grange gathered at the Grange Hall, at Ariel, Friday night, January 14th, for the second annual banquet. Mr. Brink's orchestra furnished music before and during the banquet. At nine o'clock the caterer, Mrs. Smith, served the following menu: Cold ham, potato salad, celery, pickles, Neapolitan ice cream, cake and coffee. After all had done justice to the excellent supper they were favored by vocal selections by Mrs. Roy Howe and Mr. Storm, a whistling solo by Miss Storm, a recitation by Harry Samson and a talk on the work done by the State Grange by Theodore Kline. After this the young people cleared the tables from the floor and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Samson, Mr. and Mrs. George Samson, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Samson, Mrs. Wm. Samson, Mrs. J. Cook, Miss Anne Samson, Elmer Samson, Fred Smith, Anzi Cook, Mrs. P. T. Howe, Maud Howe, Miss Elsie Howe, Miss Florence Jones, Miss Storm, Mr. John Storm, Mrs. J. W. Andrews, Miss Frankie Simons, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Polly, Miss Agnes Schneider, Densy Andrews, Lucy Quintin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sandercock, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kline, Mrs. E. P. Jones, Abbie Brink, Mr. Brink, Mr. C. E. Jones, Mr. Homer Jones, Mr. Frank James, Starbert Treslar, Homer Sandercock, Sam Lonstein, Miss Eva Schoell, Solomon Jones and Harold White.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

### \$600 A POUND FOR CHICKEN; OFFER REFUSED.

Let those who are preaching of the increase in the cost of living and also vegetarians pause and take heed. Six hundred dollars a pound was bid for chicken—live weight—one day last week and the offer was spurned. Twelve hundred dollars a pound was asked, and the sellers were not particular about selling, either.

The offer was made to Megargee & Weddigen, of that city, by H. D. Riley, a multi-millionaire poultryman, in the following telegram: "Megargee & Weddigen, 136 Washington Avenue, Scranton, Pa. 'Will pay six thousand dollars for Black Orpington hen, 'Lady Washington,' to be delivered in time for Philadelphia poultry show. Want to exhibit her with 'Peggy,' the ten thousand dollar White Orpington hen. Will then have at show the two most valuable birds in the world."

"H. D. RILEY, '205 Mint Arcade, 'Philadelphia.' 'Lady Washington' weighs just ten pounds. So quick that it must have taken his breath away, Mr. Riley received the following reply: 'Your offer of six thousand not accepted. Our Black Orpington hen, 'Lady Washington,' cannot be bought until after the Scranton show. We will then consider an offer of twelve thousand. Megargee & Weddigen. This was thwarted the attempt to deprive Scranton of the honor of housing the greatest Orpington hen the world has ever seen."

"Lady Washington" won the prize cup for the best bird at the New York poultry show a couple of weeks ago, and will be exhibited here at the Scranton show in Music hall this week. The show will open to the public on Tuesday and continue the balance of the week.

Ever since "Lady Washington" won the big prize in New York, Messrs. Megargee & Weddigen have been swamped with offers for the hen, but nothing will tempt them to sell until after the show at Scranton.

An offer of three cops as guards was made to the local men if they would exhibit their hen at the Philadelphia show, but inasmuch as it will be held at the same time as the Scranton exhibition (the offer was turned down.

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Closing out sale of Made-up Winter Goods at Menner & Co. during January to clean up before inventorying. 2e04

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION. ESTATE OF JAMES NEVILLE, late of Sterling, Pa. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned; and those having claims against the said estate are notified to present them daily attested, for settlement.

J. E. CROSS, Administrator. Sterling, Jan. 10, 1910.

HENRY Z. RUSSELL, PRESIDENT. ANDREW THOMPSON, VICE PRESIDENT.

EDWIN F. TORREY, CASHIER. ALBERT C. LINDSAY, ASSISTANT CASHIER.

## HONESDALE NATIONAL BANK.

This Bank was Organized in December, 1836, and Nationalized in December, 1864.

Since its organization it has paid in Dividends to its Stock holders,

\$1,905,800.00

The Comptroller of the Currency has placed it on the HONOR ROLL, from the fact that its Surplus Fund more than equals its capital stock.

What Class? are YOU in?

The world has always been divided into two classes—those who have saved, those who have spent—the thrifty and the extravagant.

It is the saver who have built the houses, the mills, the bridges, the railroads, the ships and all the other great works which stand for man's advancement and happiness.

The spenders are slaves to the savers. It is the law of nature. We want you to be a saver—to open an account in our Savings Department and be independent.

One Dollar will Start an Account.

This Bank will be pleased to receive all or a portion of YOUR banking business.

## Last Week of Muslin Underwear Sale

Augmented by the addition of new lots which replenish the vacant spaces left by the busy days of last week.

# GOWNS



Muslin, high and V neck yoke of cluster tucks all sizes; Sale Price 47c. Muslin Gowns, high neck, tucked yoke and trimmed with embroidery insertion, 90c. value; sale price 60c. Cambric Gowns, low neck, embroidery or lace trimmed, \$1.25 value; Sale price 89 cents.



## JANUARY CLEARANCE

Ladies' Suits, Coats and Furs

To accomplish this sale we have cut prices just in half.

\$20. Coats at \$10.00  
\$15. Coats at \$ 7.50  
\$10. Coats at \$ 5.00

Great Dress Goods Sale

Saturday, January 22d we begin to offer more than 6,000 yds. 36 in. all wool flannels and fancy suitings full value 50c a yd. During sale only 33c a yd.

Katz Bros.