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Start 1912 right by subscribing for The Citizen. See special inducement on second page of to-day's paper.

The Citizen wishes its many subscribers, correspondents and advertisers a prosperous and Happy New Year.

SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY OF THE CITIZEN.

This issue of The Citizen is the last paper of the sixty-ninth volume. The seventieth volume will begin next week with Wednesday's issue. We are trying to make The Citizen better and with your assistance we will accomplish our desire. You can help by sending us news items.

NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS.

- Resolve to take The Citizen.
- To patronize its advertisers.
- To help the poor.
- To be ambitious.
- To speak to everybody.
- To be prompt in all things.
- To take up one thing at a time and stick to it until accomplished.

NEXT REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republican National Committee at its meeting in Washington selected Chicago for the 1912 convention at which candidates for President and Vice-President are to be named. The convention will meet on June 18. These officers were elected: Chairman, former Governor John F. Hill of Maine for the interim till the nomination shall be made, when a new chairman-campaign manager will be elected; secretary, Hayward of Nebraska; committee on convention arrangements, Harry New of Indiana, chairman; David Mulvane, Kansas; Franklin Murphy, New Jersey; E. C. Duncan, North Carolina; Ralph E. Williams, Oregon; Arthur I. Vorys, Ohio; Victor Rosewater, Nebraska. This committee will make all the arrangements for the convention and name the temporary officers.

DAN RICE, PUBLIC BENEFACTOR.

Jonathan Swift gave it as his opinion that "whoever could make two ears of corn, or two blades of grass to grow upon a spot of ground where only one grew before, would deserve better of mankind, and do more essential service to his country, than the whole race of politicians put together." For over a century the world has accepted this as a truism, and by the same logic Dan Rice who made an apple orchard to grow on the top of a mountain in Perry county, where nothing but weeds and underbrush grew before, has a rather large claim to public esteem and gratitude.

Practical apple growers have known for a long time that the top of mountains such as we have in Wayne county is a good place to plant an orchard. Nevertheless every man who leads in a movement, who blazes a trail in a new country, as it were, must have a soul akin to that that inspired Christopher Columbus, and we venture the assertion that Dan Rice is well worth knowing; a philosopher and a guide as well as an apple grower, and a man that Perry county may well be proud of. His example will lead to a material increase in the wealth of the whole State and add to the sum of happiness.

NEWSPAPER SPACE.

Years ago we used to think that the goods a grocer took out of his store for his personal use didn't cost him anything, and that the wearing apparel taken by the clothier out of his store was free. We have since learned our mistake.

No doubt a good many adults, not children, think that the publisher of a newspaper gets his space free, but he is in the same category as the grocer and the clothier or our childish fancy. The Munro, La., Star puts it concisely:

Every line in a newspaper costs its publisher something. If it is to benefit some individual, he may fairly expect it to say something. You do not go into a grocery store and ask the proprietor to hand you out ten pounds of sugar for nothing, even though the grocer may be a personal friend and the gift might not be a large one. If the beneficiary of advertising does not pay for it, the proprietor has to settle the bill. Nevertheless, many people cannot seem to learn that a newspaper pays its expenses by renting space and that it is just as much entitled to collect rent for every day that space is occupied as you are for the house you rent to a tenant.

COME TO HONESDALE—WE'LL SHOW YOU HOW.

WITH the close of 1911 the manufacturers and business men in general have experienced a very prosperous and successful twelve months. As a whole business has been good notwithstanding the depressed condition of affairs in general. Industrially Honesdale's future is bright. The different shops that are closed for the usual holiday season will reopen January 2 with prospects of working steadily the rest of the year.

Nothing could speak in words louder for the prosperity of Honesdale and Wayne county than the growing and healthy condition of its banks. During the year just passed there has been about a quarter of a million of dollars deposited in the Wayne County Savings, Honesdale Dime, Farmers and Mechanics and First National Bank of Honesdale.

The future of Honesdale's financial institutions is indeed bright. Good banks attract investors to any city or town, because these institutions are the best criterion by which to judge of the condition of a municipality. The attraction of investors means more money for the prosecution of new enterprises, new enterprises entail new commercial plants, which necessitate increase in workmen, which means increase in population and an immense stride toward the realization of Greater Honesdale.

That articles made in Honesdale are good and have wearing qualities is demonstrated in the following. Michael Herrman, wagon maker, of this place, has manufactured vehicles by hand over forty years. Mr. Herrman recently told the writer that many wagons made by him several years ago are running to-day. He told an instance in which a wagon was made in 1868 for Messrs. Krantz & Hartung, when they started in business in Honesdale. It is in use to-day and stated that he just placed the 29th set of tires on the original wheels. This speaks good for a home industry.

What is true concerning Mr. Herrman's business is also true of other industries located in Honesdale and vicinity. The opportunities afforded here are manifold and should attract many people to our beautiful and healthful town. Come to Honesdale—we'll show you how.

PEOPLE'S FORUM.

The Citizen Publishing Company assumes no measure of responsibility for any articles which may appear in this column.

Favors Homer Greene.

Editor The Citizen: Having read in your recent issue relative to having Homer Greene appointed Commissioners' Attorney, I would like to add my approval to this appointment. Mr. Greene is well thought of in this township and the commissioners will make no mistake in having him for counsel.

REPUBLICAN VOTER.
Ariel, Pa.

They Should Play Fair.

Editor The Citizen: I wish to add a word in behalf of the appointment of Homer Greene as Commissioners' Attorney. We feel that Lebanon loyal supporters both Republican townships in the recent campaign and that they should pay some little attention to their adherents. We are sure of one thing and that is that neither Republican commissioner need ever expect another county office of any description unless they play fair with their constituents and give us the man we want or they will see the folly of trying to force upon us a man that we most emphatically do not want for one minute.

LEBANON FARMER.

Another Vote for Homer Greene.

Editor The Citizen: I notice with a great deal of pleasure the effort being made through the columns of The Citizen by voters of various townships to secure the appointment of Homer Greene as attorney for the county commissioners. It certainly appears reasonable that if one lawyer has held the position of attorney for the county for ten years that another lawyer should be given the office if he wants it and is capable of filling the position. There is certainly no question as to the ability of Homer Greene to take care of the duties of the position and if he wants it he should have it. He is certainly a good, straightforward attorney who has shown his interest in the welfare of the county in various ways, and the least the county commissioners could do would be to give him the office in question, and I trust the effort made by citizens from various sections of the county to secure for him the attorneyship for the county will be successful.

AN ARIEL VOTER.

Sterling Wants Greene.

Editor The Citizen: In regard to the appointing of a Commissioners' Attorney by the commissioners, we would like to say that so far as Sterling is concerned nothing would please us better than to honor the office by appointing Homer Greene, and we will all say amen.

A STERLINGITE.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[Special Correspondent.] President Taft's annual message was approved from one end of the country to the other. The idea of dealing mainly with one subject emphasized the matter far more than if the message had been ten times as long dealing with a score of subjects. The message has been followed by others which in turn will be followed by more from time to time during the session.

But the messages of President Taft will have scant recognition by the House majority which seems bound to inaugurate legislation regardless of the recommendations of the Chief Executive. In the matter of appropriations and tariff legislation the bills presented will be Democratic bills regardless of the best interests of the country. These can of course be amended in the Senate or vetoed by the President should they ever reach him. It is not likely then that any destructive legislation can be enacted at this session of Congress.

Democratic economy has most emphatically been changed to Democratic profligacy and waste. The coming appropriation bill will, it is expected, carry a much larger sum than ever before in our history. The raid on the Treasury has already begun and there is no telling where it would end were there not a Republican Senate and President to check the reckless onslaught.

A score or more of so-called investigating committees have been provided for by the Democratic House. These committees are costing the Government thousands of dollars a week and in the end the cost will be enormous for junketing trips, for extra stenographers, for printing and in many other ways, without any result beneficial to the country. So far nothing has been found to justify these great expenditures and it is not expected that anything will be discovered.

The result of Democratic legislation so far has been void, except the prominence given to certain members who could have attained publicity in no other way. This obviously is for the purpose of securing re-election but when the people learn the truth there is liable to be many surprises when the votes are counted next November.

The tariff question will soon be well defined and will doubt be the issue of the coming campaign. It will be a clear cut issue between adequate protection and a tariff for revenue only. Speaker Clark and Chairman Underwood have put the Democrats on record as opposed any protection whatever to American labor and industry but favor such duties as will allow of vastly increased importations which must displace our home productions—or compel wages to be reduced to the foreign level.

The Republican policy will continue to be a plea for such duties, and such duties only, as will equal the difference in the cost of production here and abroad, with a reasonable profit for our farmers, miners and manufacturers. This should overshadow every other question in the coming campaign and there is not the slightest doubt that Protection will win, that President Taft

will be re-elected and with him a Republican House of Representatives to work with a Republican Senate.

The present Protective Tariff permits the largest importations ever known—more than \$1,500,000,000. It also produces more revenue than any other tariff in our history.

Labor's share in tariff benefits is to be found in wages from two to twenty times higher than in other parts of the world; also in the certainty of employment. Labor's share is represented in the higher standard of living and in the nearly \$5,000,000,000 of deposits in American savings banks, and as much more in building and loan associations, life insurance, etc.

The percentage of labor cost is always underrated by Free-Traders. Cost of production in clothing goes far back of the single item of wages paid for weaving the cloth. Labor cost is all along the line, from the foaling of the lamb to the fabric, while back of that is the labor cost which began with the first shovel of dirt in digging for the foundation of the factory, and continued until the wheels began to turn. Labor cost and production cost are practically synonymous terms.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Isaac Tibbitts died at her home on Main street Saturday morning after a lingering illness, death being the direct result of a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Tibbitts, whose maiden name was Mary M. Spencer, was thrice married. She was 87 years of age and was born in Unadilla, N. Y. Mrs. Tibbitts is survived by two daughters, namely, Mrs. Edward Stone of this place, and Mrs. W. E. Greely of Los Angeles, Cal. The funeral was held from her late home Tuesday afternoon, Rev. G. S. Wendell officiating. Interment in Riverdale cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. James Nollan occurring at Canaan on Tuesday was the largest held in the country in many years. Rev. E. H. Burke, assistant to Rev. T. M. Hanley, of St. John's Roman Catholic church, Honesdale, officiating. Mrs. Nollan lived in Cherry Ridge and was 50 years old. She is survived by a husband, several children and three sisters, namely, Mrs. James Moran, Scranton; Mrs. Patrick Skelly, East Honesdale; Mrs. Nollan, Canaan.

GOULDSBORO.

[Special to The Citizen.]

Gouldsboro, Pa., Dec. 26. The M. E. Sunday school held its Christmas festival on Christmas eve. The church was filled so that many could not find standing room and were obliged to return home. The following program was rendered: Processional, school; song by the school, "Come Forth, Behold Him"; prayer, Rev. J. F. Stohle; responsive reading; exercise, "Merry Christmas" by four girls; recitation, "A Telephone Message," Mary Edwards; "Thoughts of Home," two boys; recitation, Alberta Adams; recitation, Mary Bender; exercise, class of girls; song by choir; recitation, Matheldia Flower; exercise, "Titles of the King," class of girls; recitation, Willard Gress and Claude Hawick; recitation, Hattie Major; exercise, "Promise of the Christ," class of boys; recitation, Rosa Simons; song, "Christmas Day"; exercise, "A Strange Christmas," class of girls; recitation, Clement Gress; vocal solo, Helen Crooks; address, Rev. J. J. Stoltz; selection, male quartette; address by the pastor, Rev. P. S. Lehman; presentation of gifts; song, "Joy to the World"; benediction, Rev. Stoltz.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fisher recently entertained Mr. Carrigan, of Texas, assistant grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Miss Jessie Mathews is spending several weeks with relatives in New York.

Last week Frank Newell underwent an operation for a tumor. The growth was on his back under his shoulder and gave him considerable trouble.

Ida, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fritz, who has been having considerable throat trouble, has had her tonsils and adenoids removed.

The four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Duttar, of Thornhurst, was operated on for appendicitis on Wednesday. Dr. Kerling performed the operation.

Miss Blanche Phillips, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Burton Crooks and Mrs. Reuben Beescker, has returned home.

Mrs. George Johnson, Sr., is spending the holidays with her son, Amanda Johnson, at Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wardell, of Scranton, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore.

Miserable Dyspeptics

All the world looks gloomy to the man with the upset stomach. He sees the world through smoked glasses and never tries to rub off the smoke. Cheer up, Mr. Dyspeptic, there's bright days ahead of you. Go to G. W. Peil's this very day and say I want a box of MI-O-NA tablets. Take them as directed and if the misery doesn't leave your stomach and bring a sunny smile to your gloomy countenance, go and get your 50 cents back.

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Wayne County Savings Bank ELECTION

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wayne County Savings Bank for the election of directors will be held at the Banking office on

TUESDAY, JAN. 9, 1912, between the hours of three and four o'clock p. m.
H. S. SALMON, Cashier.
Honesdale, Pa., Dec. 19, 1911.

Misses J. Emma, Jennie and Nettie Eschenbach were home from Scranton to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Catterton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Catterton and Miss Sue Catterton spent Christmas in Scranton as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dixon.

Harold Edwards, of Bucknell University, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards.

Miss Emma Bates is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents at South Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mathews entertained on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. William Mathews and daughter Margaret.

The Fayette school at Clifton gave an entertainment on Friday. The programme was very good and the school room beautifully trimmed. The scholars from Lehigh Glen school attended and a large number from Clifton.

Miss Lila Flower cut her hand badly on Christmas morning with broken glass.

Misses Geraldine Kelley and Grace Crooks, students at the Stroudsburg State Normal, are home for the holidays.

Mr. Krank, Scranton, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Flower and family.

Mrs. Heber Cross, of Denver, Col., who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is now out of danger. Mrs. Cross has many relatives and friends in this section. She spent last summer here.

SCHLINKZ LIBERATED.

Vagrant Foreigner With Voracious Appetite Leaves the Town.

Michael Schlinkz, who was arrested December 5, upon complaint of E. W. Lillie, Clinton township, and taken before Squire S. J. Stanton, charged with vagrancy, in that he was found on Sneecker's road, walking back and forth without sufficient clothing and very hungry, who was committed to Wayne county jail, Dec. 5, Constable I. W. Cowperthwaite escorting him to the bastille, was discharged December 27 on an order of the Court which declared that "in view of the fact that there is no provision in the Wayne county jail furnishing labor, and that the defendant cannot carry out the sentence which should be imposed under the act of May 8, 1878, and there being no authority for imprisonment in jail without labor."

At the hearing, Michael said he wanted a job, but told conflicting stories. Poormaster E. W. Lillie and I. W. Cowperthwaite testified as to the facts in the case. When admitted to jail, Schlinkz displayed a voracious appetite, and for a time threatened to eat Sheriff Braman out of house and home.

ACCIDENT PROVES FATAL.

An exceedingly sad accident occurred in Berlin township on the eve of Christmas which resulted in the death of Thomas J. Ham, a farmer living near Beachlake.

Mr. Ham was returning home and it is presumed that he became ill and fell from his wagon, as his unconscious body was found lying along the road a short distance from his home.

Dr. E. B. Gavitt, of White Mills, was summoned, but Mr. Ham died before he arrived. It was first presumed that his neck was broken, but after an examination made by the

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FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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Notary Public

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doctor it was found that it was no A light scratch on the forehead was the only mark on his person.

Mr. Ham was about 50 years of age. He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. W. Tuhill, Hawley; Irma, Betha and Jeannette, at home; also four sisters and two brothers.

The funeral was held from the deceased's late home on Wednesday Interment at Indian Orchard cemetery.

"Steeple-Jack" Huyck Killed.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 27.—Falling from the roof of St. Ignath church, at Kingston, the steeple which he painted a year ago, Edward J. Huyck, aged thirty-six years, a "steeplejack," of Deposit, N. Y., received injuries a few minutes after 9 o'clock this morning that caused his death three hours later at the Mercy hospital. His father was working with him at the time and saw the fatal accident.

Both father and son are well known in Honesdale having been called here repeatedly to take charge of difficult and hazardous building operations. The son went up once to often. They all do. Only his turn came early in life.

HYMENEAL.

McLOUGHLIN—GEIER—in Scranton, Pa., Dec. 27, 1911, by Rev. F. C. Winters, Joseph M. McLoughlin of Rock Lake, Wayne county, and Miss Margaret M. Geier, of Dunmore.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. A. L. Whittaker will hold service in the Indian Orchard school house Sunday, Dec. 31, at 2:30.

The Christmas music will be repeated at Grace Episcopal church next Sunday morning. The motive running through the services of the day will be that of the building of the secular year. At the 10:30 a. m. service the sermon text will be "That those things which are not shaken may remain." The theme of the sermon at the 7:30 p. m. service will be "Belief in Christ as an element in character."

At 11:30 the New Year's eve service will commence. It will consist of Holy Communion and sermon "Wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business?" The order of service will be as follows: Lord's Prayer, Collect for Purity, Ten Commandments, Epistle, Gospel, Address, followed by the remainder of the Communion Service, which will be concluded about 12:15. You are cordially invited to worship with us at all these services.

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Election Notice!

Meeting of the stockholders of the Honesdale National Bank will be held at the banking house of the said bank in the borough of Honesdale, Wayne county, Pa., Tuesday, January 9, 1912, between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors and transacting any other business that may be brought before the stockholders.

L. A. HOWELL,
Cashier.

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