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108 JURORS DRAWN FOR MARCH TERM

Two Weeks of Court in Third Month, 1912

PANELS MADE UP BY JURY COMMISSIONERS W. H. BULLOCK, O. E. MILLER AND SHERIFF F. C. KIMBLE.

Jury Commissioners W. H. Bulluck and O. E. Miller and Sheriff Frank C. Kimble last Tuesday afternoon drew from the wheel the names of 24 persons to be grand jurors...

Grand Jury--Week of March 4.

- 1. Abner Tyner, farmer, Buckingham. 2. John Thielke, carpenter, Hawley. 3. G. P. Sommers, jeweler, Honesdale...

Fravere Jury--Week of March 11.

- 1. R. B. Crooks, laborer, Lehigh. 2. Allen Kimble, glasscutter, Honesdale. 3. Conrad Hiller, carpenter, Lebanon...

Traverse Jury--Week of March 25.

- 1. George Heller, carpenter, Damascus. 2. Roy Bailey, farmer, Berlin. 3. Wm. D. Kimble, farmer, Cherry Ridge...

Government After High Prices.

(Special to The Citizen.) Scranton, Jan. 25.—The Government has special agents investigating the cause for high price of meats in Scranton and the Lackawanna Valley...

BASKET BALL.

At the rink on Tuesday night the Rink Five easily defeated Seelyville in the fifth game of the series for championship of Wayne county...

Death of Mrs. Margaret Weber.

Mrs. Margaret Weber, widow of John Weber, died at her home in Hawley, Wednesday, following an operation for gall stones...

Death of Barney Kimmet.

Barney Kimmet, an old resident of Hawley, died at his home there Wednesday, January 24. Death was due to the infirmities of old age...

Death of Stephen G. Kimble.

Stephen G. Kimble, one of Wayne county's highly esteemed pioneers, died at the home of his son-in-law, W. D. Curtis, at Pink on Tuesday...

Death of David M. Stalker, Sr.

David M. Stalker, Sr., died at his home in Braman on January 8, at the age of 79 years. He had been confined to his bed for several days and death came as a result of gradual decline...

13. Daniel Storms, laborer, Texas.

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OLD SOLDIERS ARE TO BE CARED FOR

The Commissioners Name Committees In 28 Districts

THEY WILL SEE THAT THE LAST RITES ARE PERFORMED--COUNTRY'S DEFENDERS TO BE SPARED FROM PAUPERS' GRAVES.

County Commissioners John Male, Earl Rockwell and Neville Holgate have appointed a number of persons in each of the twenty-eight townships and boroughs in Wayne county...

This Act of Assembly passed in 1909 was amended at the last session of the Legislature to include all who were in active service in the militia of the State of Pennsylvania during the Civil War...

It shall also be the duty of these persons to examine all the circumstances in the case of such deceased soldier, sailor or marine whose body they are called upon to bury...

The persons appointed, who shall hold their offices at the pleasure of the county commissioners, and shall serve without compensation, are the following: Berlin--W. H. Dunn, A. M. Henshaw...

Lebanon--William Justin, Charles E. Bolcom. Lehigh--S. H. Rhodes, W. L. Harvey...

Waymar--Z. A. Wonnacott, F. R. Varcoe. Struck by Lightning 15 Years Ago and Dies a Cripple.

Albert Bishop, of Cliff street, died the 23rd inst. as the direct result of being struck by lightning 15 years ago while working in a field in Oregon township...

—W. E. Perham, Niagara, this county, has been named as one on a committee for agricultural development in this state...

IT'S "INSPECTOR SHARPSTEEN" NOW

County Seat's Assistant Postmaster Honored By Dept.

JOHN N. SHARPSTEEN HAS BEEN "RIGHT ON THE JOB" FOR HIS "PAST 18 YEARS--MORAL--PERSEVERANCE PAYS!"



INSPECTOR J. N. SHARPSTEEN.

Mr. Sharpsteen was promoted to this office without passing a Civil Service examination. His new berth carries with it a comfortable salary and traveling expenses...

For the past eighteen years, Mr. Sharpsteen has been employed in the Honesdale Postoffice. He served two years under Postmaster William F. Briggs...

D. Y. L. M. DANCE.

The D. Y. L. M. Girls entertained their "gentlemen" friends at a Leap Year Dance at Lyric Hall on Wednesday evening and some dance it was...

PROGRESSIVE DEMOCRACY WINS

(Special to The Citizen.) Pittsburg, Jan. 25.—Progressive Democracy won its first victory in court when Judge John D. Schay refused to grant a motion to continue...

Mrs. John Bracey Dead.

Mrs. John Bracey, Sr., for many years a resident of this place, died at the Danville hospital on Wednesday evening, January 24. About three years ago she suffered from a stroke of paralysis...

SMALLPOX IN SAYRE.

Sayre, Pa., Jan. 25.—Six cases of smallpox is reported here to-day. All cases are quarantined. The authorities hope to keep the malady from spreading...

PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

—John D. Bryant is erecting a partition in District Attorney M. E. Simons' office.

—The Institute comprising the districts of Paupack, Palmyra, White Mills and Hawley was held in White Mills on Saturday, Jan. 20.

—A nomination of new officers for the Sodality in St. Mary Magdalen's church was held on Sunday.

—The president of the Honesdale Improvement Association desires the members to continue holding the chain teas...

—Five indictments were returned by the grand jury sitting at Towanda, Bradford county, on Monday...

—Judge Searle is sitting in the courts of Lackawanna county this week.

—Andrew Thompson went to Scranton Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late Alexander W. Dickson.

—D. J. Branning has purchased the Vandermark property at Hawley. Mr. Vandermark and family will move to Hoboken, N. Y., soon.

—Misses Nellie and Kathryn Dorflinger, of White Mills, sailed Wednesday for Bermuda...

—Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Mang and Mrs. Adam Feik of this city, attended the funeral of the former's son, the late Anthony Mang at Port Jervis on Monday.

—Mesdames Hermon Schuerholz, Tressa Weiger, Messrs. Laurence and Fred Weiger attended the funeral of the late Louis Foster at Scranton on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Quirk, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the parents of a son born, recently. Mrs. Quirk was formerly Miss Grace Reidman, of Honesdale.

—Mrs. George Johns returned to her home in New York Thursday after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Chambers, on Fourteenth street.

—W. W. Kimble, the newly appointed mercantile appraiser, spent this week in town visiting the different merchants...

—G. E. Bates, of the Delaware & Hudson road, and Representative Ashley of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, both of Scranton, were business callers in Honesdale and vicinity, Wednesday.

—John Boyd spent Saturday and Sunday in Scranton with his little son Allan, who is in the hospital, having had an operation on the bone of his leg...

—William J. Beehn, of Newfoundland, met with a painful accident on Wednesday afternoon of last week while helping to put a load of ice into Dr. F. Gilpin's ice house...

—R. T. Whitney, Scranton, manager of the Tiona Oil company, was a recent caller in Honesdale. Mr. Whitney witnessed Fitzgerald, the athlete, make his almost fatal dive in Scranton last Friday night...

—Among the out-of-town guests were Misses Schantz and Belding of Scranton; Miss Eleanor Rlerdon of Carbondale and Miss Pauline Lesser, New York.

—Mrs. Salo Friedewald, of Scranton, gave a delightful interpretative recital of two charming little playlets, one by William Butler Yeats...

—Notable passages in "The Hour Glass" are: "Hell is the place of those who deny." "Maybe you don't know how easy it is to doubt!" "Teaching does not go very deep; The heart remains the same underneath!"

MRS. FRIEDEWALD'S RECITALS.

Will Be At High School, Saturday Afternoon, and Interpret "Herod."

Mrs. Salo Friedewald, of Scranton, gave a delightful interpretative recital of two charming little playlets, one by William Butler Yeats, entitled "The King of the World" by Lady Gregory...

—Mrs. Sarah E. Baley dead. Mrs. Sarah E. Baley died at her home in Pamona, Cal., Jan. 19, at the age of 94 years.

—Rev. A. L. Whitaker will hold service in the Indian Orchard school house Sunday, Jan. 28, 2:30 p. m. A hearty welcome for all.

—WILL MEET NEXT WEEK. (Special to The Citizen.) Indianapolis, Jan. 25.—The miners and operators are getting together and planning for a convention which will be held next week.

1.03 COUNTY SEAT MORTALITY RATE

41 Deaths And 31 Births In Year 1912

"WATCH TEXAS GROW!"—PNEUMONIA AND TUBERCULOSIS CLAIMED MANY VICTIMS.

One hundred and nine deaths and one hundred and sixty births occurred last year in the registration district composed of Honesdale and Prompton boroughs, Texas, Oregon and Berlin townships...

Under the present Law all births must be reported to the Registrar within ten days, and all deaths within a period of five days. A study of the tabular exhibit of vital statistics reveals many interesting facts...

Statistics go to show that Texas township, with a population almost twice that of Honesdale borough, had only five more deaths among her population than did the County Seat...

The Berlins reported nine boys and eleven girls, and Oregon brought up the rear of the procession with six boys and two girls. By districts, the births were as follows:

Table with columns: Honesdale (18 Males, 12 Females), Berlin (9 Males, 12 Females), Oregon (6 Males, 2 Females), Texas (46 Males, 62 Females).

Last year there were thirteen deaths reported in the Berlins and nine in Oregon township. Of the one hundred and nine persons who died pneumonia claimed by far the largest number...

Pulmonary tuberculosis carried off ten. Heart disease, in its various forms, was responsible for the death of a great many people.

The average age, to which each of the 109 persons lived, was between 48 and 49 years.

Following is the mortality record for 1911, with the causes of death, and the number who were claimed by the various maladies, tabulated.

Table with columns: Cause of Death, No. Causes of Death: Anemia (1), Angina Pectoris (2), Arterio Sclerosis (2), Apoplexy (1), Bright's Disease (1), Bronchitis (3), Cancer (4), Carcinoma of stomach (3), Cystitis (1), Cholera Infantum (1), Carcinoma of Rectum (1), Cirrhosis of Liver (1), Carcinoma of Throat and Neck (1), Concession of Brain (1), Cerebral Hemorrhage (7), Chronic Valvular Heart Disease (5), Diabetes (2), Dilation of Heart (3), Heart Disease (5), Hemiplegia (1), La Grippe (1), Liver Affection (1), Meningitis (1), Mental Insufficiency (1), Marasmus (1), Mitral Stenosis (1), Nephritis (5), Old Age (1), Pernicious Anemia (1), Peritonitis (3), Phthisis (1), Pulmonary Tuberculosis (10), Pneumonia (15), Senility (4), Senile Dementia (2), Senile Debility (2), Stillborn (7), Tetanus (7), Tuberculosis (1), Typhoid Fever (1).

—Grace Episcopal church, Sunday, Jan. 28, services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "The Lord's Own Sermon at Nazareth." Evening text, "The Light of the Body is the Eye. If therefore, thine eye be single, thy whole body will be full of light."