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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Prosperity's right hand is industry, and her left hand is frugality.—John Ploughman.

So far the year 1912 has established a record for changeable weather, and we have had all kinds of it the past few weeks. It has been many years since the farmers of this locality have been so far back with their spring work as they are this year, as there has not been one full week of good weather at one time since the snow went away.

Deciding a demurrer in the Middlesex County Courts at New Brunswick, N. J., a few days ago, Judge Daly declared that a wholesale license has no right to deliver outside of the town or city in which it is located. The decision was of wide interest to the dealers in the country. The case was in the nature of a test case to settle a point upon which there had been a difference of view.

CONSOLING THOUGHT ON FLIES.

There's a lot of satisfaction when one swats a fly nowadays in the knowledge sent broadcast by the anti-fly crusaders about the number of flies that might have been at the end of the season if one hadn't swatted the aforementioned specimen in its first feeble efforts at walking. If one (meaning a fly) strolls across your muclage bottle these wet May days swat it with the gleeful thought that you thereby probably prevent a few million like specimens before the baseball pennants are won.

There is a great deal of perturbation in official circles in Washington over the curtailment of sinecures by the Sundry Civil appropriation bill as it has passed the House of Representatives. The measure lops off a lot of bureau officials, consular agents and other "beef eaters" in the State Departments who have been performing little work and drawing large salaries. It is believed that the saving to the government, as the result of this legislation will amount to several hundred thousand dollars a year. But it will also cut out of the pay-roll a large number of party pensioners who will thus be driven to the disagreeable necessity of earning their living by honest labor.

The Pennsylvania State Grange has arranged for a conference between the organized farmers of Pennsylvania and prominent educators, including the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the State Board of Education, upon the subjects of "The School Code as it Affects Rural Schools," and "The Teaching of Agriculture in Public Schools." The meeting will be held in the House caucus room of the State capitol on Friday, May 24. The Governor will preside. The Grange view will be presented by William T. Creasy, Jerome T. Allman and others. The subjects to be discussed at the convention are all important to the farmer. They represent the vital questions that are before the farmer of to-day, and they should be given deep and considerate thought by every Wayne county farmer.

A SIX-YEAR PRESIDENTIAL TERM.

It is not an edifying spectacle to see a president and an ex-president of the United States going about the country hurling invectives at each other in a campaign for renomination. It is not a practice which benefits the dignity and importance of the office to which each of them aspires. The only excuse for it is that it appears to have been brought about not as a matter of choice, but of necessity. Mr. Roosevelt claims that it is the personal weakness of Taft

that makes his nomination unwise, and Mr. Taft replies that it is the personal egotism and ambition of Roosevelt that makes his nomination dangerous. So the campaign has developed into one of personalities.

For the future, matters should be so ordered that a repetition of this spectacle will be impossible. One of the remedies proposed is the limitation of the presidential term to six years. Legislation is already under way in congress looking to a constitutional change of this character, and thus far no serious opposition to the project has developed. President Taft, in one of his Massachusetts speeches a few weeks ago, strongly recommended such a change. Ex-President Roosevelt in speaking of it more recently, called it, in characteristic Roosevelt phrase, a Tom-fool proposition.

It seems to us that the argument is with those who favor the change. The custom has become a fixed one of giving a president a second nomination. Not to do so would be for his party to put the stamp of disapproval on the conduct of his administration. It necessarily follows that a large part of his time and effort during his first term will be expended in strengthening himself politically looking to a renomination, instead of making it his first and sole aim to perform the duties of his office with an eye single to the welfare of all the people. Moreover it gives opportunity for just such a spectacle as the American people are now witnessing with regret and impatience. And if the salutary custom of limiting a president to two terms be broken down a result of the present campaign, then we are likely to have an indefinite repetition of the present undignified contest.

There is hardly an argument to be made against the constitutional limitation proposed, provided the length of the term fixed upon be such as to give the occupant of the office abundant time to work out his policies and justify his administration, and still not such as to fasten upon the country for an undue period a president, an administration and a policy that, after due trial, have proved to be mistaken, unwise and unsound. A four-year term would be too short, an eight-year term might be too long. But six years would be sufficient within which to get from any competent president, the best work and the best results with the minimum of risk.

The Citizen believes that it would be to the advantage of the American people, as a measure of political economy, to limit by constitutional amendment, the presidential term to six years.

BOARD OF TRADE BULLETIN

Honesdale is 985 feet above sea level and is noted for its healthfulness, its death rate being less than 16 in every 1,000 inhabitants, which is the lowest in this section of the country.

Honesdale stands for progressiveness. It is the Board of Trade's purpose to make Honesdale a greater Honesdale and boom the town. Good times are coming. All work for Greater Honesdale.

The business men of the town should stop talking and hoping for others to do something for their town. They should get together themselves, and prove to the world that they have a money making town. No outsider will want to fish in your swimming hole, until you prove that you can catch fish.

Other towns and cities are advertising their respective places as being ideal summer resorts. Ever stop to think of the ideal advantages Honesdale has over other places? Out-of-town visitors when here claim it is the prettiest place they ever stayed at. Can we not take advantage of our opportunities?

Every town—Honesdale included—has its advantages, and wise are its citizens if they avail themselves of the helps and make the most of them.

One man can't make a town nor can a newspaper do it. But the latter with the assistance of the stirring men of the town, all pulling the same way, and for the same end, can accomplish much. A wide-awake business man is an influential factor in this matter. The more he makes—if he spends it—the better

for the town and community. And the more his business increases, the more attention is called to the town. If one man can accomplish this much, how much more can be done, provided all pull together, all working for the same result, and intent on reaching the same end. This has been done in other places; in fact it never fails, when earnestly tried.

How to Kill Your Town.

Buy from peddlers as much and as often as possible. They never sting you. Oh, no!

Denounce your merchants because they make a profit on their goods. Glory in the downfall of a man who has done much to build up your town.

Make your town out a bad place and stab it every chance you get.

Refuse to unite in any scheme for the betterment of the material interests of the community.

Tell your merchants that you can buy goods a great deal cheaper in some other town and charge them with extortion. If a stranger comes to your town tell him everything is overdone, and predict a general crash in the near future.

Patrolize outside newspapers to the exclusion of your town and then denounce your town for not being as large and as cheap as the city papers.

If you are a merchant don't advertise in the home paper, but compel the editor to go elsewhere for advertisements and howl like a sore head because he does so. Buy a rubber stamp and use it. It may save you a few dimes and make your letter heads and wrappers look as though you were doing business in a one horse town.

If you are a farmer, curse the place where you trade as the meanest on earth. Talk it over to your neighbors and tell them the men are robbing you.

OBITUARY.

Death of Thomas H. Dickson.

Thomas Hunter Dickson died at his home in St. Paul, Minn., May 14, 1912, of which city he had been an honored resident for a long period, aged 71 years. He is survived by his wife, three sons and a daughter. Deceased was born in Philadelphia, but came to Honesdale with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Dickson, in 1846. The family residence was on Park street, now the home of Mrs. George S. Purdy. The subject of our sketch obtained his education at the Honesdale Academy. He was admitted a member of Protection Engine Co. No. 3, Dec. 21, 1859, and was afterwards elected secretary, serving two terms, and second assistant foreman. Mr. Dickson united with the Presbyterian church of Honesdale in 1857. For six years, from 1857, he was in the employ of Thos. Cornell & Co. and Coe F. Young, who were engaged in the transportation business on the Delaware and Hudson canal. During the Civil war he served in the navy, for two years on the U. S. S. Wenona, and when Pennsylvania was threatened by invasion by the Confederates, at the time of the battle of Antietam, he enlisted in Co. C, 24th Pa. Militia, under Capt. Miles L. Tracy, and was appointed a corporal. Soon after the Civil war he went to St. Paul and entered the employ of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co., where he filled many important positions with great credit to himself and the satisfaction of his employes. He was an active member of the Presbyterian church of his adopted city, and in 1876, was chosen one of its ruling elders.

Mr. Dickson was thoroughly honest, an upright Christian gentleman and highly respected by all classes of citizens of St. Paul.

He was a brother of Alexander Walker Dickson, late of Scranton.

Death of Captain S. E. Bryant.

Captain Samuel E. Bryant died at his home in Baltimore, May 18, 1912, of which city he had been for several years a resident, aged 74 years and 2 months. He is survived by a brother, A. L. Bryant, of Scranton, two married daughters and two sons. The interment was in Carbondale, by the side of his wife, who died several years ago. Mr. Bryant was born in Dyberry, this county. Upon the organization of Co. C, 6th Pa. Reserves, in May, 1861, Mr. Bryant enlisted and was mustered into U. S. service at Harrisburg, May 28, as first sergeant, commissioned 2d Lieutenant Apr. 6, 1863, and transferred to Co. G, 191st Pa. Vols., May 13, 1864; to 1st Lieut. June 6, 1864, and to Captain, April 24, 1865. He participated in many of the great battles of the Civil war, and was never wounded. He was captured by the Confederates at the battle of Yellow Tavern, Va., in 1864, and was confined in a number of southern prisons. His death was caused by cancer of the stomach, following an operation.

Death of Mrs. William Bushwaller.

Anna F. Linkey, widow of William Bushwaller, died at her late home on Ridge street on Saturday morning, May 18, death being caused by a complication of diseases.

Deceased was born in Germany on August 27, 1849, and when only eight years old came to the United States with her parents. Shortly after her marriage to William Bushwaller they lived at Sparrowbush, N. Y. In 1873 they came to Honesdale and for the last thirty-nine years have made their home here. She was a woman of fine personality and womanly character and was esteemed by her large circle of friends both in Honesdale and in her former home. She was a devout member of St. John's Lutheran church and also a member of the Ladies' Aid society.

She is survived by six children, namely: William, of Clyde, N. Y.; Hackett, of Philadelphia; Charles, Minnie, Emma and Hannah, at home. The following brothers also survive: Theodore, of Portland, Oregon; Herman and William, of Chicago; Albert, of Sparrowbush, N. Y.

The funeral services were held at her late home on Monday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. C. C. Miller officiating. The remains were taken on Tuesday morning to Sparrowbush for burial.

Death of Elizabeth Bond.

Mrs. Elizabeth (Budd) Bond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John and Elizabeth (Rogers) Budd, was born at Bayton, Cornwall, England, July 23, 1843, and died early Sunday morning, May 19, 1912, aged nearly 69 years. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Emma Martin, Mrs. W. B. Coleman, Clarence E. Bond, Mrs. William H. Hawken, Mrs. Charles L. Bassett, Mrs. George S. Spettigue.

Mrs. Bond was the first out of a family of nine children to pass away, two having died in early life. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Thomas, Bridgerule, England; William P. Budd, Mrs. C. T. Van Gorder, both of Beachlake; Edward, of Mount Vernon, N. Y.; John R. Budd, Forest City; Mrs. Susie Budd, Peckville.

Mrs. Bond came to America in 1858 and located at Beachlake with her parents until November 2, 1862, when she was married to George Bond at Beachlake. She was a resident of East Honesdale for over forty years, until the death of her husband ten years ago, after which she made her home with her daughters. For the past three years she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Charles L. Bassett, East street, but owing to sickness she was spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. George Spettigue, of the same street and was apparently in good health, having visited her daughters, Mrs. W. H. Hawken and Mrs. Chas. L. Bassett in the morning, called on Mrs. Neville Hoigate in the afternoon and toward evening took a walk up as far as Fifteenth street with another daughter, Mrs. George Spettigue. Mrs. Bond had been subject to heart trouble for a number of years and was taken with a severe attack about 12 o'clock Saturday evening and died shortly after.

Mrs. Bond was a devout Christian and was held in the highest esteem by everyone who ever knew her. She possessed a loving and kind disposition and was a faithful mother. She was a member of the M. E. church for a number of years. Revs. William Hiller and Wm. H. Swift, D. D., officiated at the funeral which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawken, East street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:00. Interment was made in the Riverdale cemetery.

The pallbearers were June Decker, Howard Bishop, Joseph Fryer, F. B. Hawken, Lewis S. Partridge, Charles Spettigue.

The following out-of-town people attended the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. William B. Coleman and daughter, Miss Vera, Nyack, N. Y.; Mrs. Susie Budd, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sitgraves, Dr. and Mrs. Frank T. Budd and Mrs. George Lockin, Peckville; Mr. and Mrs. P. Budd, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Budd, Mrs. C. T. Van Gorder, Beachlake; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Budd, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hoar, John R. Budd, Forest City; Edward Budd, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles Dolph Passes Away.

Ellen Colwell, wife of Charles Dolph, passed peacefully away after a prolonged illness at the home of her daughter in Gilbert White's residence, Sunday morning, in her 58th year of her age. Mrs. Dolph was born in Napanock, N. Y., January 29, 1854, and when a small child removed with her parents, Thomas and Sarah Colwell, from that place, to Cherry Ridge where she lived until 29 years of age, when she was united in marriage with her surviving husband. Their residence for some time was in Waymart. Mr. and Mrs.

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Dolph lived in several different places during their married life. During the past eighteen months their home has been with their daughter, Mrs. Gustave E. Schmidt. Mrs. Dolph has been in failing health the past two years, but notwithstanding the nature of the disease she was patient and cheerful throughout her sickness, bearing her ailment with Christian fortitude. Mrs. Dolph always looked upon the sunny side of life, possessing a kind and cheerful disposition. She will be missed by a large circle of friends. The family has the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

Mrs. Dolph is survived by her husband, two children, four brothers, one sister and three grand-children. The children are Mrs. Gustave E. Schmidt, Honesdale; Harry Dolph, of Schenectady, N. Y.; the brothers, Sidney and Fred, both of Wilkes-Barre; Arthur, of Schenectady; Frank, of Carbondale, and sister, Mrs. Harry Swingle, of Forty Fort. Gilbert White is an uncle of the deceased. The pallbearers will be Mrs. Dolph's four brothers, brother-in-law and nephew. The funeral will be held from Gilbert White's residence, corner East and Fifteenth street, Wednesday, at 12:30. Rev. Will H. Hiller officiating. Interment will be made at Cherry Ridge. Mrs. Dolph was a member of Relief Corps, department C. G. A. R., of Schenectady, N. Y.

Death of Mrs. Myra Truscott.

Mrs. Myra Truscott, an aged and highly respected resident of Carbondale, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Adelbert Cole, at 7 o'clock Friday night.

Deceased was born at Dyberry, Wayne county, seventy-three years ago and had been a resident of that city for the past twenty-seven years during which time she won the esteem and regard of a wide circle of friends who will learn of her death with deep sorrow. She was a devout and consistent member of the First Presbyterian church and manifested a profound interest in all its activities. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Adelbert Cole of Carbondale, and Mrs. George Remig, of Paterson, N. J. The funeral service was held at the Cole residence on

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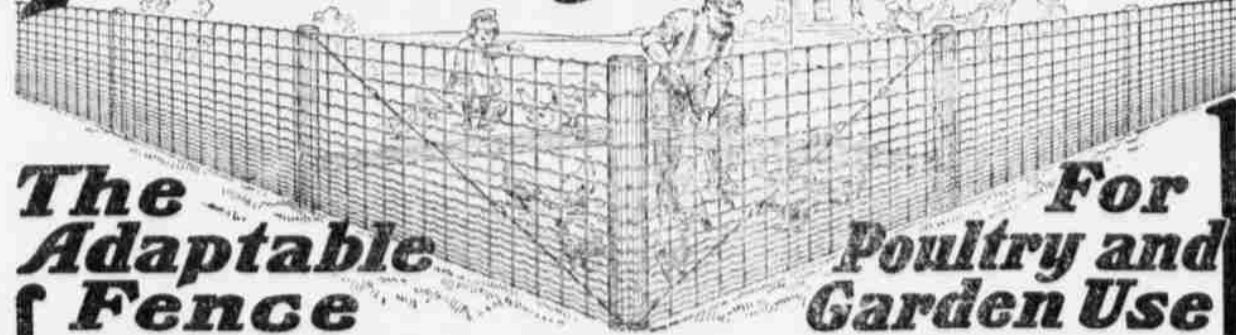
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