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WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 1912.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- For President, WILLIAM H. TAFT. Vice-President, JAMES S. SHERMAN. State Treasurer, ROBERT K. YOUNG. Auditor General, A. W. POWELL.

THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

Wondrous is the strength of cheerfulness, altogether past calculation its powers of endurance. Efforts, to be permanently useful, must be uniformly joyous—a spirit all sunshine, graceful from very gladness, beautiful because bright.—Carlyle.

The chestnut trees are in bloom. Time to sow buckwheat.

The next Electoral College will contain 532 votes. This makes 49 votes more than the number cast for President and Vice President in 1908, which was 483.

A GRATUITOUS INSULT.

The Wayne Independent says editorially, in a recent issue: "If the common people, and all other people of the nation, were permitted to choose the president's cabinet, they would not be likely to select its membership from the college-bred kind that has marked President Taft's administration with incompetency and scandals."

This is by no means the first time that the Independent has gone out of its way to strike viciously at the men in this community who have had the advantage of a college training. It may believe that this kind of demagoguery pleases its readers. But nothing could be farther from the truth.

The 1912-13 edition of "Who's Who in America" contains the names of 17,546 persons, the foremost men and women along all lines of honorable achievement in America.

TEARING DOWN THE AMERICAN FLAG.

The beautiful stars and stripes when unfurled to the breeze represents the greatest nation in the world. Unity and strength is displayed in a most striking manner.

this civilized land where freedom predominates? Yes, and it chagrins us to say it, that it happened in Honesdale. Flags have been torn down, broken off their staff and dislodged from their respective places by young men and boys apparently having maliciousness at heart.

A QUESTION OF MORALS.

The Wayne Independent declares that Republican candidates for the office of presidential elector, if elected, have but one course to pursue and that is to vote for Col. Roosevelt in the electoral college.

It is bad in law because no candidate for presidential elector has a legal right to take the benefit of votes cast for him as a party candidate, and then vote against the regular nominee of his party in the electoral college.

But the political and legal aspects of the case are of little importance in comparison with the moral aspect. A candidate for presidential elector who permits voters to cast their ballots for him under the belief that he will vote for the presidential candidate of the party on whose ticket he is running, while at the same time he intends to vote against the presidential candidate of his party, is obtaining votes under false pretenses.

The Man For Public Office.

Because of his long familiarity with party cries before an election the countenance of the sophisticated voter shows lines of weariness when he is urged to turn out the party in power merely to allow someone who has been untried to take over the office.

prosperous condition of the country today. He is not going to gamble his position away.

This is just one sound reason which will go a long way towards re-electing William H. Taft. "Let well enough alone" is a sufficient reply to make to anyone who advocates a change.

Warns Irish of Wilson.

The Rev. Dr. Robert Ellis Thompson, principal of the Central High school, Scanton, is one of the best known educators in the country. He has issued a statement in which he calls upon the Irishmen of the country to oppose the Presidential candidacy of Woodrow Wilson.

UNION PICNIC A SUCCESS.

The Union Sunday school picnic which was held at Lake Lodore on Thursday last, was enjoyed by about 500 people. The day was ideal; not too hot nor too cold, but just right.

After dinner nearly everybody went to the baseball ground to witness a game of ball between the benedicts and bachelors. Sides were chosen and assignments given. Some excellent plays were made.

Five Thousand Dollars to be Spent For Machinery, Says Senator McNichols.

When the Farview hospital for the criminal insane opens October 1, the state will have on the ground up-to-date farming machinery that will make it possible for the hospital to raise most of the foodstuff used in maintaining the institution.

George W. Butterworth Dead.

On Thursday afternoon last, July 11, occurred the sudden death of George W. Butterworth, of Sterling, while engaged in pitching on a load of hay in the field.

Death of Mrs. Kate Bradbury.

Mrs. Kate (Reddy) Bradbury, wife of Chas. E. Bradbury, Esq., died at her home in Scanton at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

WAYNE COUNTY IDEAL PLACE TO RAISE APPLES

Flavor of Native Grown Fruit Unequaled in United States—Government Says So—Farmers Ought to Organize Association and Sell on Big Scale.

There is no country better adapted to raising apples, fruits and berries than right here in Wayne county. The soil is better and climatic conditions cannot be equalled.

Union.

The much needed rain came at last, which was much needed for the gardens and crops. Miss Sophia Blum, a student of Stroudsburg Normal School, is spending her vacation at her home in Braman.

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.

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meath, Ireland, in 1842, coming to this country in the fifties and settling with her parents in Honesdale. A few years later she went to Scanton where she was married to Mr. Bradbury, in 1873, by the late Rev. Moses Whitty, V. G.

Having lived in Scanton continuously over half a century she had seen the city's growth and possessed a very wide acquaintance throughout the valley.

HOME TALKS

Every professional, mechanic and laboring man ought to own his property. There are several suitable locations that can be purchased in Honesdale and in the adjoining townships at reasonable prices.

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HOLLISTERVILLE. (Special to The Citizen.) Hollisterville, July 16. A very severe thunder storm passed over this section last Saturday evening, but very little rain fell.

The Hotel Foote is well patronized every Sunday. Last Sunday evening twenty-nine persons besides the family took supper.

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