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County Ticket.
For Representative,
WILLIAM ANGLE,
of Milford.
For Jury Commissioner,
W. T. STRUBLE,
of Milford.

Kansas has experienced a few cyclones, but they were not sufficient severity to offset the prosperity now raging in that State.

Middle-of-the-road Populism possesses the courage of its convictions. But the other variety possesses the faculty for political dickering.

When the Kansas City convention denounces trusts the Tammany delegations will ask for a special dispensation in favor of its combine.

Republicans are willing that the United States Government should contribute to the upbuilding of an American merchant marine, so that the ships employed in doing our import and export carrying may be built by Americans in home shipyards. Democrats on the other hand, favor the purchase of ships built abroad, by aliens, chiefly the English.

Our total foreign trade this fiscal year is likely to exceed two and a quarter billion dollars.

The Illinois Republicans have ruled a large batch of Democratic expurgations by holding a harmonious convention and placing an excellent ticket in the field. The indications are that this is going to be a record-breaking year for Democratic disappointment.

The Republican party has always depended upon commercial tranquility and prosperity for its success. Democratic hope is founded upon strikes and business depression.

The severity of issues for Democratic campaigning is shown in the eagerness of the leaders of that party to lug in the South African war and other foreign questions.

A Abdul Hamid shows a disposition to join Aguinaldo in holding out in the hope of Democratic success in November.

The Hon. Arthur Sewall is going abroad this year in preference to going the Chicago platform again.

The policy of condensed Americanism is not making any perceptible gains.

The enlargement of Mr. Bryan's front porch is all right, but it is too bad that the process was not extended to his views on the great questions of the day.

Democrats who are so eager to show their hostility to Great Britain by trying to involve the United States in a war with that country on account of the Boers in South Africa, are at the same time doing their utmost to secure the passage of an act of Congress that would permit British-built ships to be registered as American.

Democratic proaching is different from Democratic practice.

The Kentucky Democrats are clamoring for the election of United States Senators by the direct votes of the people. At the same time they are committed to the policy of electing governors by the trickery of partisan legislatures.

In addition to its other troubles the Democratic party now has a severe case of bifurcated Populism on its hands.

The per capita circulation is now \$26.58. This is another Democratic prediction destroyer.

The election of the Hon. Joe Bailey to the United States Senate will leave the Constitution in an unchaperoned condition in the House of Representatives.

The wage raising employers are all so raising Cain with the Democratic platform-makers.

A Republican platform will fit any State in the Union. A Democratic platform would be embarrassing if it were to say over a State line.

The Virginia Democrats didn't do a particularly bright thing when they hissed Admiral Dewey. The Democratic party is not so heavily stocked with heroes that it can afford to hiss them.

It is said that the chairman of the Democratic National Committee has not yet recovered from the surprise he experienced when, in attempting to "discipline" three Democrats for advocating in an official report Government aid for the building up of American shipping in the foreign trade, they told him that they were opposed to the dragging of the ship pling question into partisan politics. "Party first and country last," is no doubt the motto of the chairman of the Democratic National Committee. The country is to be congratulated upon the fact that he represents but a section of his party, after all.

Dangers of Illuminating Gas.
Numerous accidents occur annually in the use of gas for lighting, cooking, or heating, through either carelessness or ignorance. The largest number of accidents, probably, occur from igniting gas, either blowing out the gas or turning it off and subsequently turning the cock on sufficiently for the gas to escape unnoticed.

Many other accidents are the result of the bad practice of turning down a gas flame, particularly in a bedroom. This is always ill-advised, for such a turned down flame may be either blown out by a draught of air from an open window, or else it may be extinguished by the sudden variation or reduction in the pressure. When this happens in a small bedroom without ventilation, there is great danger of asphyxiation, particularly so if water gas is used. Much can be done to avert this danger by a proper arrangement of the gas piping in houses.

Another dangerous custom is to shut off the gas at the main service or at the gas-meter during the night, and numerous accidents, some of them fatal, have resulted from it. It is almost equally bad to turn off the gas at the meter during the day.—Cassier's.

Noah built the ark against a flood of public opinion.

Loosed Her Tongue.
"Margery didn't use to be much of a talker."
"No, but she attended the opera a great deal last season, and that brought her out."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Reason.
Mr. Speller—Oh, you may talk as you please, Jane, but you were an ignorant woman when you married me.
Mrs. Speller—Yes, that probably accounts for it.

Mercantile Assessment FOR 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL dealers in goods, wares, merchandise, commodities and effects of whatever kind or nature, whether of the growth, product and manufacture of the United States or of any foreign state, and all millers and coal dealers within the county of Pike, in the State of Pennsylvania, that they are classified and assessed by the Appraiser of Mercantile Taxes in said county for the year 1900 as below given, and that they are severally required to take out a license at the office of the County Treasurer, at Milford, on or before the 1st day of July, 1900, if not paid on the above named date said will be brought as per Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

- Blouning Grove Township.**
DeGross, Dennis, store.
Pieron, George W., store.
Rosenkrantz, Ira B., store.
- Delaware Township.**
Brown, A. D., bicycles.
Fulmer, Philip F., hotel.
Merzier, Francis, hotel.
Niles, Justin, store.
Shepherd, Robinson, boarding house.
Van Eaton, B. B., Son's, hotel.
Van Eaton, George B., store.
Van Eaton B. C., store.
Van Gordon, R., hotel.
Westbrook, Jacob B., store.
- Diuguan Township.**
Ballhotel, E. O., hotel.
Dales, Louline, boarding house.
McCart, Charles, store.
Meta, August, hotel.
Schanno, Joseph, boarding house.
Schanno, Anna, hotel.
- Greene Township.**
Gillip, Bros., store.
Hanes, F. G., store.
Hoeck, J. & C., store.
Low, R. F., store.
Selig, C. F., store.
Wilson, Edgar, boarding house.
- Lackawanna Township.**
Alman Samuel, hotel.
Asher, Kenneth, hotel.
Austin, William P., store.
Burdler, J. L., store.
Brockmann, Louis, boarding house.
Brantling, J. C., store.
Coutright, Joseph, store.
Elsch, George A., hotel.
Fisher, Arthur, restaurant.

HEADACHE

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DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

- Gebhardt, Charles, butcher.
Greenwell, Clark, store.
Hankins, R. H. & Co., store.
Holbert, Joseph, hotel.
Lamminger, Paul, store.
Schmidt, G. F. & Co., store.
Rottstadt, August, hotel.
Lowland, A. G., hotel.
Shannon, J. W., store.
Smith, Minnie E., store.
Smith, John H., store.
Sharrf, Julius, store.
Schott, John, store.
Steinmetz, M., store.
Stewart, H. R., store.
Van Akin, E. L., store.

- Lebanon Township.**
Bach, Martin L., hotel.
Bensley, Parry P., store.
Clyce, Elmer, store.
Graham, Clara, hotel, 1 billiard table and 1 pool table 3 months \$10
Peters, Edwin F., hotel, 1 pool table and 1 billiard table 3 months \$10
Smith, Clinton, store.
Whitmore, Abram G., cigars, etc.
- Milford Borough.**
Armstrong, C. O., drug store.
Armstrong, R. C., store.
Beck, Marie, Frederika, hotel.
Bonhomme, P. N., hotel, 1 pool table and 1 billiard table 3 months \$15
Boyd, James E., butcher.
Beck, John C., hotel.
Cornelius, B., hardware.
Dimmett, Kate V., store.
Dimmick, F. A., hotel.
Emerson, H. E. & Co., drug store.
Fritch, Louise, hotel.
Gambler Bros., butchers.
Gehhardt, Clara, Millinery.
Hilfner, L. F., hardware.
Hornbeck, D. H., bicycles.
Kelly, Dr. John, hotel.
Kyle, Benjamin, store.
Kron, T. E., Julius, hardware.
Meyer, James A., photographer.
McCart, John, store.
Mitchell, W. F., store.
Mitchell, Mary, milliner.
Milford Milling Co., millers.
Kutan, J. C., bicycles.
Reiman & Wells, store.
Struble, W. T., miller.
Thornton, John R., hotel, 1 pool table \$50

- Milford Township.**
Watts, John A., hotel.
- Palmira Township.**
Ladon, Clara, hotel.
- Porter Township.**
C. Wright, Chas. W., boarding house.
Stetler, Joseph, hotel.
- Shoshone Township.**
Fuller, Adolph, hotel.
Gardner, Stephen St. J. & Son, store.
High, J., store.
Hummann, John H., hotel.
Knapp, Clarence J., store.
Maxwell, F. D., store.
Vogt, John J., hotel.
Vogt, George, butcher.
- Westfall Township.**
Allen, D. B., hotel.
Balch, A. W. & Son, store.
Bovans, Floyd E., hotel.
Casky, Laforge, hotel.
Coleman, C. H., icecream, etc.
Dunker, Gustav, store.
Fels, Peter, hotel.
Gehhardt, Nicholas, hotel.
Heller, Martin, store.
Kessler, F. A., store.
Langton, G. H., store.
Miesler, Christian, hotel.
Sermour, C. H., store.
Ueb, Michael, butcher.
Van Gordon, J. G., store.
Wellingner, George, butcher.
Wintermute, James, store.

Agreeably to the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed April 11, 1898, entitled "An Act relating to the appointment of mercantile appraisers and graduating the duties upon wares, goods and merchandise, and the supplements thereto," and "Act of May 9, 1899," the undersigned, appraiser of mercantile taxes of Pike county, does hereby certify that the foregoing dealers in foreign and domestic merchandise in said county, that have come to his knowledge, and that they are classed according to law.

Witness my hand this 23 day of May, A. D. 1900.
A. G. WALLACE,
Mercantile Appraiser.

An appeal will be held in the Court House, in the Borough of Milford, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m., on Friday, June 1, 1900, when and where all persons interested, that have come to his knowledge and description, can attend if they see proper.
A. G. WALLACE,
Mercantile Appraiser.

All dealers in the above list are requested to take up their licenses at the County Treasurer's office on or before July 1, 1900, after which they will be given to a Justice of the Peace for collection.
G. F. HOWLAND,
County Treasurer.

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July 1, 1897. GEORGE H. MCCARTY, Lewistown.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the southern half of the tract of land known as the William Henry, No. 33, in Shoshone township, for hunting, fishing, berrying or any other purpose, also trespassing on Sawkill pond in Dingman township, or fishing in it is forbidden under penalty of the law.
M. CLEVELAND MITCHELL, Attorney for owner.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the property of the Forest and Game Association in Lackawanna township, Pike county, Pa., for the purpose of hunting and fishing, or any other purpose is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.
ALEXANDER HADDEN, President.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing on the premises of the undersigned, situated in Dingman township, for any purpose whatever is strictly forbidden, and all offenders will be promptly prosecuted.
DIA B. CASE, Oct. 24, 1895.

NOTICE. All hunting, fishing or other trespassing on the premises of the undersigned in Dingman Township, on Bay, Dingman and Dewart Creeks, is forbidden under penalty of the law.
Dingman Twp., N. BOLEAU, May 17, 1898. JOSEPH F. BOLEAU.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.
The following account has been filed with the Register of Pike county and will be presented to the court for confirmation and allowance on the
FIRST MONDAY OF JUNE NEXT.
Estate of James Frick, dec'd. First and final account of Administrator of said estate.
J. O. WESTBROOK, Register.
Milford, May 9, 1900.

COURT PROCLAMATION.
State of Pennsylvania, County of Pike.
Notice is hereby given to all persons bound by recognitions or otherwise to appear, that the June term, 1900, of the several courts of Pike county will be held at the Court House in the borough of Milford on the first Monday (that is to say) 6 o'clock p. m., and will be continued one week if necessary.
Milford May 17, 1900. VAN DERMARK, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
By virtue of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Pike county do directed, I will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry, at the Court House in the borough of Milford on
FRIDAY, THE 8th DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1900.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, All that certain tract of land situated in the township of Lackawanna county of Pike and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone corner, on line of land formerly of G. G. Walters, thence south 50 degrees west 25 rods to corner thence north 43 degrees west 25 rods to the middle of the Dingman's classic turnpike road thence along said road 45 rods to a point marked by a stone by a rock thence by line of Werner, and Lois Breese, south 50 degrees east 85 rods to the place of beginning being the same point as Walter, Steinhafer and wife conveyed to William Herwig recorded in Deed Book No. 48 page 338 etc.

IMPROVEMENTS.
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H. VAN DERMARK, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Milford, Pa., May 17, 1900.

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