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Notice of Election!

The Republican Primary Election will be held in the Borough and Townships comprising the several election districts of Pike County on SATURDAY, July 13th, 1901, between the hours of 3 and 8 p. m. Printed Ballots will be forwarded to the Town Committeemen in the several election districts and will comprise the names of candidates for Committeemen (County), 7 to be voted for. Associate Judge, 1 to be voted for. Delegate to State Convention, 1 to be voted for. Coroner, 1 to be voted for. Sheriff, 1 to be voted for. District Attorney, 1 to be voted for. 1 Township Committeeman in each election district, of which he must be a resident. The names of candidates for the various offices must be filed with the chairman of the county committee not later than June 22nd, 3 weeks before the election. Those presenting their names as candidates for members of county committee will be assessed \$1. Each town committeeman will appoint one judge, one inspector and one clerk of election and provide a proper place for holding the primary election on the date specified. The copies of instructions to election officers and rules of the party will be forwarded to each election officer. By order of the county committee. DR. H. B. REED, Chairman.

CREED REVISION. The General Assembly by a practically unanimous vote has decided in favor of revision of the Presbyterian creed by the addition to it of an explanatory statement. A committee of twenty-one will prepare a statement of the faith of the church, but this is not to be regarded as a new constitutional confessional formula. It will simply be a statement showing what the church believes. The committee will also prepare a declaratory statement explaining and removing difficulties growing out of infelicitous forms of statement in the Confession of Faith. It may also report to the next Assembly which will convene in 1902 in New York, certain changes in the way of textual revision of the Confession itself. This seems to assure moderate revision, and the unanimity by which it was accomplished will bring peace and progress to the church during the coming year, and should gratify every friend of Presbyterianism.

OUR IMPERIAL POWER. The Supreme Court of the United States in an opinion just rendered, which is perhaps one of the most important utterances ever made by that body, holds that Porto Rico is not foreign territory, but territory of the United States, and subject to all the laws and privileges which have hitherto been exercised in our government of such possessions. It acknowledges that the island is eligible to statehood and implies that when she fulfills the demands required for admission into the Union that she will be granted all the rights which follow the flag. Until then she cannot be entitled to be warranted by the protection of the flag. It follows, therefore, that the island is subject to important laws, that the Foraker act is constitutional and that duty imposed before that tariff law is illegal.

GUESSING AT DECISIONS. It will be in order, perhaps, for some one to explain how the Philadelphia Press could give such an accurate guess May 2 on the standing of the several members of the Supreme Court on the Pittsburg ripper bill. That paper then declared that Justice Potter had informed Governor Stone that the bill would be upheld by four judges, and named them. The event proves that as to the fact of the decision and the standing of the judges that paper was correct, but how did it know unless it was equally sure of the information said to be given by Justice Potter? If the Press did it on a pure guess it is entitled to the whole contents of a bako shop, and it would be extremely dangerous for any one to be hanging around in its vicinity with any secrets locked up in his inner consciousness. It must have an X-ray process.

THE "RIPPER" DECISION. The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania in a decision handed down Monday affirmed the constitutionality of the act popularly known as the "ripper bill." Four Justices, Mitchell, Fell, Brown and Potter affirm and Justices Dean, McCollum and Mestrezat dissent. The principle on which the majority bases its decision is thus stated: "The fact that the action of the state towards its municipal agents is unwise, unjust, oppressive or violative of the natural or political rights of their citizens is not one which can be made the basis of action by the judiciary." The court thus while condemning the law and saying that its effect may be to leave the affairs of cities in "a state of very regrettable confusion" upholds it and relegates the people for redress or protection to their own sovereign power in selecting proper servants to pass laws for their government.

A bill abolishing the office of associate judges, not learned in the law, but allowing those now in office to serve out their unexpired terms on passage and may become a law. If so it will relieve several gentlemen in this county of considerable anxiety this fall. There are twenty-five counties in which they exist.

How To Gain Flesh. Persons have been known to gain a pound a day by taking an ounce of SCOTT'S EMULSION. It is strange, but it often happens. Somehow the ounce produces the pound; it seems to start the digestive machinery going properly, so that the patient is able to digest and absorb his ordinary food, which he could not do before, and that is the way the gain is made. A certain amount of flesh is necessary for health; if you have not got it you can get it by taking Scott's Emulsion. You will find it just as useful in summer as in winter, and if you are thriving upon it don't stop because the weather is warm.

THE CHURCH COLUMN. Commonion service next Sabbath morning. The subject for the evening is "The Tangled Skeins of Life." Wednesday night the presiding elder will be with us and preach. After the service there will be held the first quarterly conference. CONVENTION ECHOES. Milford was honored by giving it two of the convention officers, the president and treasurer, being the writer and William Angle. The talk of Dr. Roads in the afternoon in answering questions called for many compliments, especially his answer to the question, "How often have decision days in the Sunday school?"

The address of Dr. Chadwick in the evening on "Connecting Links" was full of suggestions gathering around his one idea of unified study of the Bible. To know the Bible in its central teachings and to be able to interpret the parts as parts of the whole, this is necessary to be a safe and successful teacher in the Sabbath school. In the address on "Our Juniors," Mrs. Barnes placed them at the age from nine to twelve and considered this the most fruitful time for definite work in connection with church life. Children at that age will do anything asked of them and in wise hands will be brought to an acknowledgment of love to God and union with His church.

The address of Dr. Roads in the evening was strong and inspiring. He gave us the pillars of the church at the present time and traced their construction back to the Sabbath school. More than half of the churches recently built began in Sabbath schools and five-sixths of the accessions to the church have come from the Sabbath school. He deplored the general ignorance of the Bible, and said but for the work in the Sabbath school, that best of all classics neglected in the public school and college, would hardly be known at all. This sounds rather overdrawn, but has too much truth in it. About the ideas of expansion and co-operation Dr. Roads built up a forceful argument for a larger work in the Sabbath school. He brought home with telling force the duty of parents to the children, and in speaking of that excuse for keeping the children out of the church, "You are too young," quoted those words of Christ, "It were better that a millstone were hanged about your neck," than that you should keep a child away from his Savior.

New Fish Law. A bill making many changes in the fish law was signed by the Governor Wednesday and is now operative. By it June 15 is the first day on which bass can be caught and the season closes Feb. 15. The trout season closes July 31. It is unlawful to catch black bass less than seven inches in length, and green bass, rock fish, pike, wall eyed pike and pickeral less than nine inches. No one can take more than fifty brook trout in one day. Dip nets may be used in all streams except trout streams during March, April, May, October, November and December for carp, catfish, eels, and suckers, provided they do not span over 5 feet and have 2-inch meshes. Flyke nets may be used during the same period in such streams provided they have no wings and are not set to wing walls or openings in dams. The use of set lines from sunset to sunrise for catching eels, catfish, carp and suckers is allowed in other than trout streams. The act will not apply to the Delaware river until New Jersey concurs.

New Laws. Among the bills recently signed by Governor Stone are the following: Providing that vinegar made wholly from grapes, apples and other fruits shall not be required to contain an acidity of 4 per cent. Giving game protectors the same power as constables. Requiring school teachers to be examined in elements of civil government and algebra. Defining the offense of disorderly conduct by persons on public or private parks and picnic grounds. Allowing township commissioners to enter into contract with one or more taxpayers of the township for making and repairing public roads and bridges. Authorizing United States Commissioners to administer oaths and affirmations, to take affidavits and depositions to be used in any court of this commonwealth or elsewhere, and to receive acknowledgments and proof of deeds, mortgages, etc., within or without the commonwealth. Authorizing policemen of boroughs to perform the duties of high constables.

Real Estate Transfers. Edward Q. Kirby et. al. to Louis Chatillon, quit claim deed 100 acres, Lackawanna township. Consideration \$2. Louis Chatillon et. ux. to Christine H. Knoedler, same land. Consideration \$300. Governor Stone has signed the anti-oleomargarine bill which it is estimated will clear the market for four million dollars worth of pure butter a year. This will be a great boon to dairymen.

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Mercantile Assessment for 1901. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL dealers in goods, wares, merchandise, commodities and effects of whatever kind or nature, whether of the growth, product or manufacture of the United States or of any foreign state, and all millers and cool dealers within the county of Pike, in the State of Pennsylvania, that they are classified and assessed by the Appraiser of the County of Pike, in said county for the year 1901 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, 1901. If not paid on the above named date suit will be brought as per Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

- Blossing Grove Township. DeGroot, Dennis, store. Delaware Township. Fuller, Philip F., hotel. Dordier, Frank, hotel. Nills, Justis, Mrs., store. Shepherd, Robinson, store. Van Aken, George B., Sons, hotel. Van Aken, George B., Sons, hotel. Van Aken, George B., Sons, hotel. Westbrock, Jacob H., store. Dingman Township. Bollstet, E. O., hotel. Dalton, Leonard, boarding house. McCarty, Charles, store. Metz, William, hotel. Schenck, J. C., hotel. Schanno, Joseph, boarding house. Greene Township. Gilpin Bros., store. Haues, F. G., store. Houck, J. & C., store. Schenck, M., store. Wilson, Edgar, boarding house. Lackawanna Township. Aaber, Emma, hotel. Austin, William P., store. Altman, Samuel, hotel. Dwyer, J. L., store. Hranstine, J. C., store. Cortright, Jason, store. Cortright, Wm. B., store. Elston, George C., hotel. Gishardt, C. F., butcher. Gishardt, Clara, store. Harshbarger, John, hotel. Harshbarger, Richard, store. Lemmenmeier, Paul, store. Towland, G. E., store. Towland, G. E., store. Hettendorf, Augusta, hotel. Smith, M. E., store. Shuman, C. W., store. Smith, John H., store. Schott, John, store. Sheriff, Julius, estate, store. Schenck, M., store. Van Aken, S. L., store. Letman Township. Bonley, H. F., store. Baeb, Martin L., hotel. Nyce Bros., store. Ottenheimer, Clara, hotel, 1 billiard table, 1 pool table and 1 bowling alley, \$300. Peters, Edwin F., hotel, 1 billiard and 1 pool table, 3 nos., \$10.00. Smith, Clinton, store. Milford Borough. Armstrong, T. & Co., store. Armstrong, C. O., drug store. Beck, Fred A., hotel. Beck, Fred A., hotel, 1 pool table and 1 bowling alley, 3 nos., \$10.00. Boyd, J. E., butcher. Bost, J. C., hotel. Corneilus, B., butcher. Jungman, A. S., store. Kappeler, H. B., & Co., drug store. Frick, Louis, store. Gumbel Bros., butchers. Hadner, L. F., harness. Hranstine, J. C., store. Koller, Dr. John, hotel. Kyrle, Benjamin, store. Kyrle, W. H., & Son, hardware. Meyer, James A., photographer. McCasby, John, store. Mitchell, Mary, millinery. Mitchell, W. H., store. Milford Milling Co., millers. Sills, F. M., hotel, 1 pool table, 6 nos. Butts, P. C., bicycles. Ryman & Wells, store. Strubbe, W. T., miller. Thompson, John R., hotel. Yass, Marie, hotel. Wallace, John C., store. Wallace, Frank, store. Fatmeyer Township. Labels, Clara, hotel. Jones, Edward S., store.

Porter Township. Cortright, C. W., boarding house. Stetler, Joseph, store. Shobols Township. Fuller, Mary, boarding house. Gardner, St. John, & Son, store. Higley, Edwin, store. Hranstine, John H., hotel. Maxwell, F. D., store. West, John, Jr., hotel. Vinton, L. B., store. Westfall Township. Allen, D. B., hotel. Balok, A. W., & Son, store. Beranan, Floyd E., hotel. Caskey, Ladford, hotel. Dinkler, Gustave, store. Fets, Feby, hotel. Heller, Martin, store. Komer, F. A., store. Langton, G. H., store. Leibel, Martin, hotel. Mueller, Christina, hotel. Prescott, J. H., store. Seymour, C. H., store. Todd, M. H., Mrs., store. Tich, Michael, butcher. Van Gorden, J. G., store. Weglager, George, butcher. Wisnerme, Isaac, store.

Agreeably to the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, passed April 11, 1891, entitled "An Act relating to the appointment of assessors and graders of the duties upon wholesale dealers and merchants, etc., and the enforcement thereof," and "Act of May 3, 1890," the undersigned, appraiser of mercantile taxes of Pike county, does hereby certify that the foregoing are dealers in foreign and domestic merchandise in said county, that have come to his knowledge, and that they are assessed according to law. With my hand this 27th day of May, A. D. 1901. WALTER VETTERLEIN, 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, 1901, after which they will be given to a Justice of the Peace for collection. G. ROWLAND, County Treasurer.

Register's Notice. The following accounts have been filed with the Register and will be presented to the next Court, to be held on the first Monday of June next, for confirmation and allowance: Estate of Carl M. Kelly, deceased. First and final account of Frances B. Kelly, executrix. Estate of M. Friederick Beck, deceased. Account of Daniel H. Middaugh, executor. Estate of Clyde E. Van Aken, deceased. The second and final account of William S. Van Aken, administrator. J. C. WESTBROOK, Register. Milford, May 31, 1901.

Notice of Application for Charter. In the Court of Common Pleas of Pike County. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said court on Monday, the 3rd day of June, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., under an Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 30th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, by Frederick W. Hammett, B. Griffith Jones, Thomas B. Hamner, H. C. Toomer and H. W. Seattergood, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Egypt Mills Club," the character and object whereof is the purchase and maintenance of one or more private parks in the County of Pike and State of Pennsylvania for the cultivation, protection and preservation of forests; the propagation, protection and preservation of game and fish, and the hunting and catching of same in a lawful manner; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements. STAPLES & ERDMAN, Solicitors. Egypt Mills, Pa., May 8, 1901.

Widow's Appraisement. The following appraisements set apart to widows have been filed with the Register, and will be presented to the next court to be held on the first Monday of June next, for confirmation: Estate of George G. Plett, deceased. Appraisement of real estate set apart to Genelia A. Plett, widow. Estate of William H. Cortright, deceased. Appraisement set apart to Louisa Cortright, widow. J. C. WESTBROOK, Register. Milford, May 3, 1901.

Court Proclamation. Notice is hereby given to all persons bound by recognizance or otherwise to appear, that the June Term, 1901, of the several Courts of Pike County will be held at the Court House in the Borough of Milford on the first Monday (3rd) at 2 o'clock p. m., and continue one week if necessary. F. VANDERMARK, Sheriff. Milford, Pa., May 15, 1901.

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TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the southern half of the tract of land known as the William Denny, No. 92, in Shobols township, for any purpose whatever is strictly forbidden, and all offenders will be prosecuted. IRA B. CASE, Attorney for owner. April 24, 1898.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the property of the Forest Lake 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 HADDER, President. Nov. 20, 1898.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the premises of the undersigned, situated in Dingman township, for any purpose whatever is strictly forbidden, and all offenders will be prosecuted. IRA B. CASE, Attorney for owner. Oct. 24, 1898.

NOTICE—All hunting, fishing or other trespassing on the premises of the undersigned, in Dingman Township, on Raymondskill and Dwarfskill Creeks, is forbidden under penalty of the law. CHAS. J. BOILEAU, N. BOILEAU, JOSEPH F. BOILEAU. Dingman Twp., May 17, 1898.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the property of the undersigned in Milford and Dingman townships, Pike Co., Pa., for the purpose of hunting, fishing or any other purpose is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law. Mrs. S. M. CHAFF. Oct. 24, 1898.

TRESPASS. Notice is hereby given that I, trespassing upon the property of the undersigned in Milford and Dingman townships, Pike Co., Pa., for the purpose of hunting, fishing in Sawkill creek or any other purpose is strictly prohibited under penalty of the law. JOHN F. WALTER, Milford Township, Pa.

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