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The Dispatch last week commenting on the result of the Borough election says "although the democrats polled the majority of votes by a good margin, through the treachery of a few party workers at the polls, nearly all the democratic nominees were defeated."

Another democrat, one who has enjoyed the favor of the party for years and been rewarded with office, declares there was a bottle of democratic whiskey election day in nearly every corner of the Court House. It is not fair to allow such reflections to go unchallenged. The very absurdity of the charges perhaps is sufficient refutation, for who ever heard of a treacherous democrat. Are they not always true to their instincts and hoary beliefs? Could a democrat vote other than the straight ticket. Don't they always take every thing straight? The charge concerning whiskey, too, is preposterous. The constable, high constable and chief of police of the borough, all democrats, were present all day at the polls. Can it be supposed for a moment that these conservators of law with their high character and known reputations for maintaining the law would suffer any such infractions?

It is unfair for defeated and disgruntled democrats to allege any such reasons for defeat, and it is a slander on the party of Jackson, Jefferson and Bryan to make any such belittling insinuations. We trust the Dispatch will retract and apologize.

ELECTION NOTICE

The Republican primary election throughout Pike county will be held on Saturday March 26, 1904, from 3 p. m. to 8 p. m. for the nomination of candidates for the following offices, to wit:

- One Sheriff. One Coroner. One Representative in the General Assembly. One Delegate to the State Convention. One Congressional Conference. Seven Members of the County Committee. One Town Committeeman in each election district.

Twenty (20) days before said election each candidate shall notify the County Chairman of his candidacy and pay his assessment of one dollar. By order of the County Committee. WM. A. H. MITCHELL, Chairman. F. B. TRHALL, Secretary. Milford, Pa., Feb. 23, 1904.

WANTED—Married man to drive milk wagon, retail route. Must be a good milker, no field work. Wages \$30 a month and house. References required. HENRY M. NICHOLS, Merchantsville, Camden Co., N. J.

REGISTER'S NOTICE

The following accounts have been filed with the Register and will be presented to the Orphans' Court for confirmation, on the third Monday of March next: Estate of Kate B. Van Wyck, deceased, the first and final account of Hans B. Brodhead and C. W. Ball, Executors. JOHN C. WESTBROOK, Jr., February 26th, 1904. Register.

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENT

The following Inventory and Appraisement of personal estate are apart to widow has been filed with the Register and will be presented to the Orphans' Court for confirmation on the third Monday of March next: Estate of John C. Smith, deceased. Appraisement of personal property as apart to widow. JOHN C. WESTBROOK, Jr., February 26th, 1904. Register.

Methodist Church Jettings.

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Consumption

Salt pork is a famous old-fashioned remedy for consumption. "Eat plenty of pork," was the advice to the consumptive 50 and 100 years ago.

Salt pork is good if a man can stomach it. The idea behind it is that fat is the food the consumptive needs most.

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Feeding him fat in this way, which is often the only way, is half the battle, but Scott's Emulsion does more than that. There is something about the combination of cod liver oil and hypophosphites in Scott's Emulsion that puts new life into the weak parts and has a special action on the diseased lungs.

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Wash. Dupue says he will remove to Branchville on March 10th and occupy his new store and premises at that place.

The light rain and south winds of Sunday night and today have caused the snow to melt rapidly. The roads are so icy that traveling on foot is attended with danger of a tip up and sit down.

Capt. Lewis Van Blarcom of Newton died Sunday last. He was captain of Co. C, 15th N. J. infantry was wounded at the Wilderness battle and captured. His wound compelled the amputation of his leg at the hip. Upon his discharge Dec. 15, 1864, he returned to Newton and practiced law until a few years ago when illness confined him to his home.

The Louisiana Purchase Exposition will open April 30th and close Dec. 1st, seven months, which is a month longer than the period of the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893, owing to the fact that the weather at St. Louis during October and November being peculiarly pleasant, it being the Indian Summer of the Middle States. In order to appreciate the immensity of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition it should be noted that the area of the exposition grounds is 1,240 acres as against the World's Fair at Chicago 653 acres; the Buffalo Pan-American 300 acres and the last Paris Exposition 320 acres. In other words the area of the grounds of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition is nearly equal to the combined area of the Chicago, Buffalo and Paris expositions. The approximate cost of the exposition is fifty million dollars. All the nations of the world will have elaborate exhibits. The "Midway" will be a mile long and cost over \$5,000,000. Arrangements are being perfected for a through car line to and from St. Louis via Erie Railroad to Marlon, O., and the Big Four route to St. Louis during the continuance of the world's fair at rates as low, if not lower, than any other first-class line.

MATAMORAS.

Matamoras is a quiet town now a days. There are no ferries in operation or ice bridges by which sleighs can cross the river, and the sound of sleigh bells is of infrequent occurrence. Still the people of Matamoras are happy and strive to break the monotony in other ways. With the exception of the milk sleighs, baker, grocery and other delivery wagons the streets are deserted. It is to be hoped the new Barrel bridge will be erected soon and ordinary travel resumed. Had the work on it been commenced earlier it would now have been completed.

Miss Davis of Paterson, N. J., is the guest of Mrs. Jesse Martin for a few days.

The condition of Mrs. Emanuel Coykendall who was injured by falling from the Matamoras railroad bridge is somewhat easier. Drs. Skinner and DeKay have put her fractured hip in plaster Paris.

At Hope church Sunday morning Rev. C. T. Weidner delivered a fine sermon to his congregation and the one in the evening was the final one of the last sermon he will preach as he leaves for Conference this week and will be appointed to another charge. His friends regret his leaving. Six persons united with the church in the evening.

George Masten of New York spent Sunday in Matamoras.

Miss Agnes Wilken who has been spending some time in Hoboken, N. J. has returned home.

Miss Carrie Bartly of Port Jervis was calling on relatives in Matamoras Sunday afternoon.

Frank Pitt of Port Jervis visited Matamoras Sunday afternoon.

Another accident occurred on the railroad bridge at Matamoras on Saturday. Mrs. Susan Miller of this village sustaining quite painful injuries while walking across the bridge on the afternoon above mentioned. She dislocated her left ankle. Dr. Wolfe reduced the fracture.

Mrs. Ed Lord has been on a visit to Lordville, Pa., and returned home a few days ago.

Miss Mattie Hart of Southport, E. I., is visiting her friend, Mrs. B. Barner.

W. B. Barner is quite ill at his residence on Adams street.

Brener Lockwood and Albert Nichols, both of New York City, spent Washington's birthday at their homes in Matamoras.

Rev. C. T. Weidner, pastor of Hope church, left town Wednesday to attend conference at Allentown, Pa., Thursday Feb. 25.

At Epworth church Thursday evening the annual men's supper and reception to their former pastor Rev. T. G. Spencer, now of East Orange, N. J., took place. It was an event in the history of the church, that of burning the mortgage on the parsonage. Rev. Mr. Spencer was pastor here before there was a parsonage. By his influence, energy and hard work the parsonage was built. There was a debt on it when he left the charge, and Rev. Shoop, the present pastor, has succeeded in obtaining the full amount to clear the debt, with the aid of the different societies of the church, so that the church and parsonage are free of debt. The ceremony of the burning of the mortgage occurred at 8:30 p. m. Rev. T. G. Spencer, former pastor, made a very impressive address and then, with the present pastor, Rev. O. J. Shoop, committed the mortgage to the flames. After which the Doxology was sung by all present.

Isaac Van Gordon, who had the misfortune to break his leg a short time ago, is getting along nicely. Dr. Wolfe is the attending physician.

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DINGMAN'S FERRY. Many lose their votes at the spring elections because of the cold and stormy weather being too severe for their constitutions.

Mrs. David O. Brodhead is in very feeble health at present.

Farmers generally have given up the egg crop. They did not coddle the hens and they retailed.

The roads are all frozen in ridges and travel for horses is difficult.

All kinds of ties are taken here and the business is booming.

The Press did not seem natural last week without Hamble's notes.

There is a good demand for tie makers and they are scarce. The crop of ties seems to grow faster than they can be got out with the available help.

Delaware has a representative at the county seat, Lewis T. Smith, who was not particular about whose ties he hauled away, and it is probable there will be others when the snow blockade is raised so that surveyors can run lines.

Chicken coop rheumatism cures are shown at some of the stores here. They are microbes about the size of buck shot.

It is thought that the story of George Jagger implicating Sam Litts in the burning of Van Aulken's place is a fake. No goods can be found at the place designated, and it is claimed that at the time of the fire when Jagger lived on the Angle place at Centre and Litts over in Jersey that they were not associates.

The question why spring sown buckwheat did not produce grain and lets sown did, has been under discussion here. It was said the early sown on account of surplus moisture went to straw while the later lacking moisture made less straw and more grain.

If one will study the habits and needs of hens and provide them with plenty of water and a warm coop, never allowing them to go out in the snow, and furnish such food as is necessary for egg production with plenty of cracked oyster shells there is profit in the business.

It is a business requiring care, judgment and knowledge and in this respect differs from no other to be successful. Books and papers on poultry raising and a close study of the methods of others are great helps if combined with labor and intelligent management. All these are absolutely necessary if the business is to be made profitable. Hazardous work will not be productive of satisfactory results either with hens or any other kind of farming.

A very apt definition was recently given by a speaker who said, referring to farming generally, that a good farmer was one who worked with his hands guided by brains and an agriculturalist was one who worked with his mouth.

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Wyckoff's New York Store Weekly News

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New Dress Goods. Our equipment of dress goods for spring is about complete. For the tailor-made a Scotch effect is still strong, though varied somewhat from last season, showing a tendency toward plaid effects and some less startling stripes. Broadcloths promise to be strong factors in season's trade, while staple serges and frocks will not be outclosed. In line of fancy materials voiles, etamines and then goods generally will play a strong part. All are well represented in black and new colors.

New Muslin Underwear. With the price of cotton soaring toward the 20c point, affecting every item in the muslin underwear line except labor, our orders placed long before speculations began were based on old prices of cotton and trimmings. It requires no astute mathematician to show a 25 per cent saving to you. Corset covers run from 10c to \$1.30; drawers 25c to 90c, both closed and open, with a fair proportion of extra sizes for stout people; gowns 30c to \$1.75; skirts 45c to \$2.98. Lace and Hamburg all expertly made.

New Wrappers. Three cases of wrappers just received, and bought before cotton advanced, would seem to put our stock in an unusual state of preparedness, but our content is only half filled. As to style in these, the manufacturer has not rested on his oars but changed many important points which robs them of the wrapper look and gives them more of the house dress appearance. Prices 75c to \$1.48.

Clean in Men's Shirts. To make room for our large purchase, Men's 40c Shirts we have placed our entire present stock on front counter corner, near the door, at uniform price of 35c or 3 for \$1. Don't delay, the stock is not large.

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