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BRIEF MENTION

Officer Pinchot addressed the Legislature Wednesday evening in the Hall of the House on forestry.

Little Henry Barclay is the proud possessor of a little donkey.

Mrs. Martha Helms is home after a visit with her sister at Bridgeport, Conn.

Albert L. Cuddeback and wife are visiting the family of H. O. Kipp at Oswego, N. Y.

Mrs. Jacob C. Schorr has gone to visit her daughter at Ridgewood, N. Y.

Mrs. Justin Lanchantin of Nyack, N. Y., has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Miller in town.

Near by papers chronicle the appearance of robins, meadow larks and blue birds. We add the fact that there are crows in this neighborhood.

Howard Mutchler is not wearing a very broad smile over the election of James M. Goff, Jr. as chairman of the Democratic State Committee. It don't suit him.

All personal property of C. B. Woods of Shohola has been levied on by the Sheriff and advertised for sale Feb 10th.

The will of Andrew Marling of Lackawaxen dec'd was probated this week. He devises his property to his three sons and wife and names Henry Executor.

Have you sent in your application for trout fry yet.

Several dogs in Monroe county have been shot by the State Constables for being on the highway without muzzles. Under orders any dog in the quarantine district found running at large on public highways without a muzzle to prevent him from biting, unless led by the owner, may be shot. It is expected that similar orders will be issued for Lehman township, as nearly a dozen suspected dogs have been killed there.

Ballois for the February election will be printed by the Dispatch office.

The February number of the Circle contains a glowing prospectus of the beauties of Lincoln Park in Westfall as a summer home residence. It has water, electric lights and all modern conveniences and is located high and dry within twenty minutes walk of Port Jervis. The advertisement is an attractive picture of the desirability of this chosen spot for those desiring rest while surrounded by all the comforts of life and the blessings of an ocean laden atmosphere.

It would be well however for those seeking to purchase lots there to slip up Heater hill and view this milk and honey territory to ensure their future satisfaction and peace of mind. To follow the modern novelists the obsession might be hedonistic.

The Oregon Senate has passed a law that hereafter no persons can obtain a license to marry in that State without producing a certificate from a reputable physician that they are in good health.

Miss Evelyn Hotalen of this Boro is making a determined effort to obtain one of the free scholarships offered by the Port Jervis Gazette. She is a graduate of the Milford High School and a most deserving young lady. Her efforts to secure an opportunity to enjoy greater educational advantages are most commendable and entitle her to receive cordial assistance from her townspeople.

It is probable that a R. F. D. route to be known as No 3 will soon be established from Milford to Layton N. J. The offices at Hainesville and Bevans will be discontinued and the mail route will run from Layton to Branchville. The P. J. R. F. D. No 1 also will be rearranged.

Bids for carrying the mails between Milford and Port Jervis and Milford and Branchville have been rejected by the Department as being too high. The routes are readjusted.

M. M. Cady Esq. who taught in the old Academy select school here in the latter sixties and who now lives at Dubuque, Iowa recently sustained a severe fall on the ice and was painfully injured.

Measles have appeared in town and some youngsters will now be more or less exempt from attending school. Every household should take all necessary precautions to prevent contracting or spreading the disease.

Mrs. W. S. Ryman had an unfortunate fall recently and badly injured several ribs.

For SALE or RENT—Store room and dwelling on Broad Street, Milford, Pa., either together or separately.

Apply to Mrs. K. V. Dingman or to Press Office.

After the cold snap this week the weather became quite spring like. Question, did the ground hog see his shadow if he looked for it.

It is probable that the head of Lincoln will appear on the half dollar coin. President Roosevelt has given his consent and an artist has submitted models.

A child labor bill has been introduced in the House to regulate child labor in all forms of employment except on farms and in domestic service. The bill is intended chiefly to regulate work in mines. It is in line with the education bill before the House.

It is reported that E. S. Wolfe has sold three carloads of white pine lumber, about 75,000 feet, to a city buyer. This consumes quite a bunch of Pike County logs.

Mrs. Margaret Westbrook of Montague has given a satisfactory bond for rearing the Milford Bridge and it will be under her control April 1. Tolls will not be changed from the present rates.

A bill now before the legislature authorizes the State Board of Health to offer a reward of \$50,000 for the discovery of a remedy for tuberculosis.

A Vice Chancellor in New Jersey has refused an application of the State Board of Health for an injunction to restrain a city from emptying sewage in the Delaware river.

Peter Finsgan, the well known clothier in Port Jervis is dead.

An act has been introduced requiring County Commissioners to build township bridges in the several townships on petition of Supervisors.

Since the election of Root to the Senate in New York one of Mr. Wanmaker's reasons against a parcels post has been removed.

John Degen Jr. has news that are gold mines. His 15 White Plymouth Rocks laid 186 eggs in December and 210 in January, an average of over 6 1/2 eggs a day.

F. F. White and wife went to New York this week.

Timothy Jordan, an Erie conductor living in Matamoras died suddenly of heart failure Monday while on his way to attend a funeral. He was stricken in Port Jervis, fell to sidewalk and expired.

The South will do nothing to break the solid Taft.

According to the Allentown Call, a New Jersey minister marries complex and his son gets divorces for them. That's pretty fine team work at all events.

N. C. Detrick, who has been employed at the Hotel Majestic in New York visited Milford this week. He expects to go to Atlantic City for the remainder of the winter.

There would be plenty of money in circulation here if everybody made haste to pay his small bills.

Maybe the President should have a larger salary, but it is to be remembered that the Government furnishes the typewriter ribbons.

No attack on the character or motives of Congress appears in the latest message.

The Senate is asking Bonaparte questions which he doesn't answer while Roosevelt is answering questions that are not asked.

The American Athlete

The American nation ranks first in athletics, as shown in the last Olympiad in London. The horseback ride of ninety one miles thru a driving snowstorm by the President was a wonderful feat of endurance, and is only another proof of our quality as athletes. Human beings in the days past and today are compared to machines. There is no one question the logic of the comparison, for the body is equipped with all sorts of levers, pulleys, cordage, pumps and valves, which require a master mechanic to manage. Mike Murphy, the famous Penn. trainer, undertakes this task. He will write all about his wonderful work of brain and recreation in a series of articles to be published exclusively in "The Sunday" edition of "The Philadelphia Press." Order your copy at once from your newsdealer or send your order direct to "The Philadelphia Press," Seventh and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia.

Advertisements in this Press.

TOWNSHIP NOMINATIONS

Blooming Grove

Republican
Judge of Election—Lafayette Rolston.
Inspector of Election—William K. Hatton.
School Director—Lafayette Rolston.
Overseer of Poor—Casper Madden.
Collector—John Kleinbans.
Auditor—D. G. Haller.
Clerk—C. O. Bittings.

Dingman

Republican
Judge of Election—Julius W. Kissel.
Inspector of Election—Jules E. Bollean.
Collector—Chas H. Quinn.
School Directors—Edward H. Orben, Jeremiah W. Greening.
Auditor—William Drake.
Clerk—C. J. Bollean.
Justice of Peace—Julius W. Kissel.

Lackawaxen

Republican
School Directors—John Johnson, Geo E. James, Lewis Nino.
Supervisor—Edmund Dellert.
Overseer of Poor A. G. Rowland.
Collector—Geo W. Shannon.
Judge of Election—Wm. B. Courtright.
Inspector of Election—Lafayette James.
Auditor—G. J. Kiernan.
Clerk—Marcus H. Lasaley.

Lehman

Democratic
Justice of Peace—James P. Deliber.
Collector—Wm B. Schoonover.
Auditor—John Cook 1 yr., Joseph Nye 3 yrs.
School Directors—Geo. M. Arnet, Walter Stafford.
Supervisor—Fredrick Messerli.
Judge of Election—Evan Schweitzer.
Inspector of Election—Philip Courtright.
Clerk—Frank L. Layton.
Overseer of Poor—Jason Litts.

Matamoras Boro

Republican
Burgess—John H. Sheen.
Judge of Election—Eara Burdiok.
Inspector—F. L. Seymour.
Councilmen—A. C. Van Eiten, T. F. De Graw.
School Directors—Edwin M. Kimball, Nathan Youngs.
Collector—A. W. Balch Jr.
Overseer of Poor—Robert Danley.
Auditor—Geo. E. Marsh.
Justices of Peace—Lansing B. Wright, A. W. Balch.

Milford Township

Democratic
Judge of Election—Christian Heriman.
Inspector of Election—George M. Quick.
Collector—D. B. Olmsted.
Overseer of Poor—Christian Heriman.
Supervisor—D. B. Olmsted.
Auditor—Geo R. Bosler.

Palmyra

Republican
Supervisor—Theo. Schmidt 3 yrs.
Overseer of Poor—C. A. Pollett 1 yr., John H. Sievers 2 yrs.
School Directors—Henry Gumble, W. J. Keeler, Richard G. Phillips 3 yrs.
Auditor—E. A. Gumble.
Clerk—Walter Vetterlein.
Judge of Election—A. H. Down.
Inspector of Election—Arthur L. Relett.
Collector—Alva H. Quick.

Shohola

Republican
Collector—L. B. Watson.
School Directors—Valentine Hipsman, W. H. Stratford Jr.
Overseer of Poor—Robert Drummond.
Supervisor—Thos Bradford.
Auditor—Henry Bradford.
Judge of Election—E. R. Kalbfus.
Inspector—G. A. Haas.
Clerk—John Marquardt.
Justice of Peace—E. R. Kalbfus.
Committee—Henry Bradford, Levi Middaugh, Herman Hipsman.

Democratic

Collector—Geo E. May.
School Directors—Geo A. Kosalling, Marcus Kroger.
Overseer of Poor—Peter G. Hess.
Supervisor—Geo P. Haas.
Auditor—Geo P. Haas.
Judge of Election—Frank Keller.
Inspector—John J. Haas.
Clerk—Frank Keller.
Justice of Peace—Otto Zoellner.

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TO DIKE CAVE BANK

Following is an Act Introduced in the Legislature by Mr. Marvin in relation to Improvements at Cave Bank.

Making an appropriation for the improvement of the channel of the Delaware river and for the protection from said river of the public highway, leading from Bushkill to Matamoras at Cave Bank, in Delaware township, Pike County, Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, That the sum of Twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby specifically appropriated to the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania for the purpose of constructing a dike or dikes along the bank of the Delaware river, at Cave Bank, in the township of Delaware, County of Pike, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, so as to improve the channel of the said river and to prevent the destruction of the public highway leading from Bushkill to Matamoras in Delaware township, Pike County.

THE CHRISTMAS DINNER

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, and is a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

The prominence accorded by the Press to the resignation of Secretary Root and the discussion of the subject by public men and journalists is merely expressive of the great influence he has had on public affairs during his ten years' residence in Washington. That he will continue to influence public affairs from a different but no less important standpoint is matter of gratulation to the country at large. It has been long indeed since the greatest state of the Union has had an equally great representative of even so great a state as New York. He has had too much to do with national and international affairs to become merely a provincial representative. In his recent address in Albany, he said that he would advocate a parcels post if New York State will be in favor of it. That New York State will be in favor of it, there cannot be the slightest doubt, and Mr. Root doubtless knew this when he made the remark. The man whom he succeeds in the Senate has long been known as the representative of the express companies—the companies that have skimmed the cream of the postal profits and left the nation a yearly deficit. The Post Office Department, with its thousands of rural carriers bringing letters and newspapers to so many homes, might with immense helpfulness to farmers and suburbanites and immense profit to the nation, deliver parcels as is done in England, Germany, France and in every other civilized country in the world.

Washington is busy with preparation for the inauguration ceremonies which will take place in scarcely more than a month from now. Everything has been prearranged except the weather. The fourth of March is down in the weather reports for a disagreeable day and a number of ineffective attempts have been made to change the inauguration day to another date. It is understood that there will be a condensation of the procession or parade which has on previous occasions been far too long drawn out. The avenue is wide and seventy-five or a hundred men can easily march abreast on it. Such has been the vanity of civic and military organizations for conspicuousness, that some have actually insisted on marching single file, causing the spectators on the Avenue to wait frequently three or four hours until the whole procession passed.

The President, it is said, will make a breach in the old custom of riding with his successor to and from the Capitol. He will, it is understood, accompany the President elect to the Capitol and see him inaugurated, but instead of returning with him to the White House, will make a beeline for the Union Station and thence to Oyster Bay, sailing a few days thereafter from New York to a Mediterranean port on his way to Africa.

The President announced this program yesterday when he accepted the offer of the New York Republican Committee to act as his escort on the route from the Capitol to the station.

The leaders of the Senate and of the House have held a conference with reference to the legislative program for the remaining thirty days of this session and it is plain that their purpose is not to permit the enactment of any general legislation beyond the appropriation bills. It has been the intention of the House to pass statehood bills for Arizona and New Mexico, but the Senate does not favor this action. The time for convening the special session for consideration of the tariff has been pretty definitely fixed for the tenth of March, or six days after the inauguration. This arrangement was made after consultation with Senator Knox, who, as his chosen Secretary of State, is supposed to represent President elect Taft, now absent in Panama. Mr. Taft will probably approve this date and it is favored by Speaker Cannon and republicans as a desirable early date for work on the new tariff bill.

Much interest is expressed with reference to the very lofty tower for wireless telegraphy which it is proposed to erect in Washington for the purpose of communicating with ships at sea to a distance of three thousand miles. Bids have been submitted from seven firms and it is probable that a Pittsburg house offering to furnish the apparatus and tower for \$125,000 will get the contract. The tower will probably have a construction somewhat similar to that of the famous Eiffel tower in Paris, though it is not expected to be as high as this structure.

NOTES FROM SANDYSTON

The measles epidemic scare is about over, and the many cases reported are convalescing rapidly. The attacks were of a mild form.

OBITUARY

Mrs. JOHN G. MAIER.

Catharine, wife of John G. Maier, of Milford township died January 29, after an illness of considerable duration. She was born in Germany nearly seventy four years ago, and was a daughter of the late Philip Deck, a former resident of this county. Her husband, four daughters and two sons, all adults, and residing in New York survive. The funeral was held Tuesday and interment in Milford Cemetery.

MEDICINE THAT IS MEDICINE

"I have suffered a good deal with malaria and stomach complaints, but I have now found a remedy that keeps me well, and that remedy is Electric Bitters: a medicine that is medicine for stomach and liver troubles, and for run down conditions," says W. C. Kientler, of Halliday, Ark. Electric Bitters purify and enrich the blood, tone up the nerves, and impart vigor and energy to the weak. Your money will be refunded if it fails to help you. 50c at both drug stores.

Real Estate Transfers

Elizabeth Crocker to Otto R. Brink 5 acres Green \$500.

Emmett L. Parks to Robert G. Reynolds, lots in Lincoln Park Westfall.

John W. Frazier to Ida R. M. Sykes, three lots in Matamoras 147, 148, 149, \$1000.

Emmett L. Parks to W. P. Canby, lot in Lincoln Park Westfall.

Lorus Sommers to Ferdinand Gerhardt and wife, 104 acres Palmyra part of James Dauean No 92.

The Lincoln Centenary

One hundred years ago the twelfth of this month a great man was born. There is no need to trace his history. You know it. Every child in the public schools has the wonderful story by heart, the story of a man whom circumstances could not bind, whom obstacles could not discourage, whom ridicule could not deter, whose height and breadth and depth of vision so far exceeded those about him that, impervious to all without, guided only by that within, he followed the way we know not of. It is a question whether we of less vision see clearly even now, fifty years after his death, what his life has meant to the nation. We have seen enough to raise him above criticism, above censure, to place him among the heroes to which mankind is pleased to do a tardy justice. And we have, perhaps, come to realize something of the bigness of mind and heart that makes him our greatest American. The lengthening perspective gained by the passage of each year has but added to his prestige, and none can foresee his final rank.

We recognize, by applause and laurels, many forms of so called greatness. We respect the man who achieves, whether the production be a symphony, a painting, a miraculous cure of disease, or the invention of a new battleship. The teacher who evolves a new cult has always a devoted following; the scientific investigator—the philosopher—these have been accorded their need of praise. Let all those who attempt to be encouraged. This is wise and right, lest any good that can come to mankind be lost.

But, in the last analysis, there is but one true measure of greatness. It is the measure Christ gave us two thousand years ago—and which we in our vanity oft forget. That measure is service.

Tested by this standard the life of Abraham Lincoln stands out supreme above that of his fellows. Utterly forgetful of self, even to the disregard of his personal appearance, his mind, his heart, and his very existence were given freely without reserve to a nation which sorely needed him.—The February Dehoecor.

THIS IS WORTH READING

Leo F. Zelinski, of 68 Gibson St., Buffalo, N. Y., says: I cured the most annoying cold sore I ever had, with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I applied this salve once a day for two days, when every trace of the sore was gone. Heals all sores. Sold under guarantee at both drug stores, 25c.

ANDREW CROX.

Mr. Cron, who resided in Delaware township with his son Calvin died last Monday aged about 77 years. One brother David and sons Calvin, Alonzo, David J. of Delaware, Chas. of Dunmore and three daughters Mrs. Alice Wheatcroft, Mrs. Marcus Benuley and Nettie residing at Dunmore survive him. The funeral was held yesterday and interment in Delaware Cemetery.

ARTHUR ROHMAN AND KATIE A. BESS

both of Shohola were married last week at the Presbyterian Manse by Rev. C. A. White.