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J. H. Van Etten, PUBLISHER.

The amendments were probably carried but there was so much shifting on them and in many counties they were so strongly opposed that their fate is in some doubt. The 7th seemed to be an especial target for voters.

The boys here behaved very well on Halloween and beyond taking the burrs off a wagon no harm was done and only a little annoyance caused. This is a proper spirit, sport without damage or loss to anyone.

Farman went 144 miles in his aeroplane in four hours in France Tuesday, this beats all records for duration of flights and distance.

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There are now thirty nine dry counties in Illinois. By the election of no license judge in Bedford county this state there will be three dry counties Bedford, Mifflin and Greene.

John C. Wallace accompanied his wife this week to a Philadelphia hospital where she went for treatment. A. Q. the son, also aided in making the journey.

The question was asked is she making him a good wife? and the answer was not exactly—but she is making him a good husband—which is not quite the same thing.

Ernest Cotterill, a brother of Mrs. R. P. Nills of Lehman and Albert of Hotel Salsano died at his home near Flanders, N. J. Tuesday.

Manson for Supreme Court Judge for whom a careful contest was waged was defeated by von Moschalsky by about 90,000.

Mrs. Haight, who with her daughter has spent several summers here has been quite ill at her home in East Orange and was obliged to undergo an operation.

Bessie Jennings of Brooklyn is making a two weeks visit in town.

It may not be generally known that an act of assembly provides that no person shall hereafter be entitled to recover any damages for any buildings or improvements of any kind which shall or may be placed or constructed upon or within the lines of any located street or alley, after the same shall have been located or ordained by council.

Borough ordinance No. 11 approved Jan. 7th 1878 defines the streets and alleys and also forbids occupying them.

The ballot this year in New York was 4 feet long, 18 inches wide and contained 20 columns of different party emblems. Gaynor was nominated by 8 factions and Barnard by 4. George Weightman of Brooklyn, who kindly sent us a specimen says it surpassed for size anything heretofore used. It put ours in the shade several degrees.

Dr. Rodman and wife of Hawley were guests at Centre Square Hotel this week.

The Womens Society Meeting in the church last evening was largely attended and very much enjoyed.

DONT COUGH, BUT LIVE LONG. If every cough were cured before it got a strong hold, human life would be lengthened by many years. If every coughing sufferer knew that Kemp's Balsam would stop the cough in a few minutes, he would be glad to accept the serious consequences. If any medicine will cure a cough Kemp's Balsam will do it. All druggists and dealers sell.

DINGMANS FERRY We are troubled here to get soles to mend our shoes. If some storekeeper would keep a supply of cowhides to enable us to get good understandings, paper soles made out of refuse of tanneries would go out of fashion.

The legislature earned part of its pay when it provided us with such good road laws. They have worked to the advantage of our highways which are in good condition.

Lumbering is brisk down here.

Subscribe for the Press.

Ten Years Hence.

An exchange remarks that this is the way papers will write up weddings ten years hence: "The bride looked very well in a travelling dress, but all eyes were centered upon the groom. He wore a dark suit that fitted his form perfectly and in his dainty gloved hands he carried a small rose. His curly hair was beautifully done, and a delicate odor of hair oil of the best quality floated down the aisle as he passed. The young people will miss him now that he is married. He is loved by all for his many accomplishments, his tender grace and his winning ways. The bride commands a good salary as bookkeeper and the groom will miss none of the luxuries to which he has been accustomed. A crowd of pretty men saw them off at the depot."

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is a new positive cure, now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any disease that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. HERBST & CO., Tol. O. Sold by all druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MAST HOPE

Black cats, ears of corn, witches, and various things greeted those who were entertained last Friday at a Halloween party by Miss Agnes Dick.

Miss Catherine Schott came home from Fremont Centre to attend the Halloween party.

S. J. Hankins and wife entertained their daughter Hazel and her husband Lewis Ruptky on Sunday.

William H. Hankins caught a walleyed pike in the river here that weighed 3 1/2 lbs. Harry Davis caught one at Lordville that weighed 13 lbs.

Mrs. Barton returned from Wartsboro on Sunday.

Miss Kitty Johnson had such a jolly visit in Port Jervis that she expects again to visit there soon.

Miss Flora Bross and Mrs. W. J. Stump were in Port Jervis last week.

Joseph McMahon has taken his brother Thomas' place in the T. N. over, his brother having been transferred to Wimmers, Pa.

No school last week while the teachers attended the Institute at Matmoras.

Mrs. Lou Evans and family left Monday for Chicago where they will spend the winter.

A FAMOUS HEALTH BUILDER.

A medicine that will cleanse the bowels and put them in condition to do their proper work unaided will do more than anything else to preserve health and strength. Such a medicine is the tonic laxative herb tea, Lane's Family Medicine. Get a 50c package to-day at any druggist's or dealers. No matter what you have tried before, try this famous herb tea.

CAT LIKES SNAKES.

Preferes Serpent Diet to Rodents, Milk or Meat.

"St. Patrick," a monster mauler cat, which hunts and eats snakes, is the latest freak of nature in this vicinity. He belongs to Francis H. McGovern, roadmaster of Lower Oxford township, and won his name because, like the patron saint of Ireland, he has driven reptiles out of the neighborhood.

This cat lives almost exclusively on serpents. Rats and mice are never touched by this epicurean feline. During the past week he is known to have caught eleven snakes of various sizes and varieties, none of them poisonous. He has even caught and killed a four-foot blacksnake, and Sucky Spring, which gained its name from the fact that it was infested with water snakes, has been cleaned out—Oxford (Pa.) Correspondence Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Roman Waterworks Still Used.

The town committee of Szamovar, Hungary, has decided to utilize the remains of the thousand year old water mains and reservoirs which have remained since the Roman occupation. The water mains were discovered by Professor Ornstein, an archeologist, who states that the great reservoir and the extensive canal served as the water supply of a large late Roman military camp—Constricstrum. The great reservoir lies on a high hill near the town. The dirt which has collected in the basin and mains during many centuries has been removed, and now it is almost incredible that they should be a thousand years old. The medical officer of the town has declared the water basin and the mains to be fit for use.

Prairie American Women.

Alfred East says that American women, like American machines, need but little man power. The American woman, he says, is the most chaste, the most charming, the most intelligent, the most energetic, the most responsible for the fact that American comes are such "good fellows."

NEW IDAHO RANGE AT VAN ETEN'S AT VAN ETEN'S Castings are extra heavy, very large fire box for wood or coal, extra large oven. It is made in three sizes and is very cheap. If you intend to buy a stove or heater this fall you better get our catalogue and prices at once as we can save you money. THE VAN ETEN COMPANY 585 MAIN ST., STROUDSBURG, PA.

We Redeem PALMOLIVE Free Coupons From the NOVEMBER LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PALMOLIVE Cut the Coupon from Palmolive page advertisement and get a cake of the daintiest toilet soap made, absolutely free. F. J. HERBST, Milford, Pa.

American Stature Increasing. Measurements by scientists bring out the interesting fact that the American college athlete of to-day is a much larger man than his father was, and is constantly growing. The average height of the Yale athletes to-day is an inch and a half more than it was five years ago; he is 22 pounds heavier with three inches more chest development and 42 cubic inches more lung capacity; the average height of the Yale athletes is now 5 feet 8.5 inches, and their weight is 170.5 pounds. At an examination of Harvard athletes Prof. Sargent said that they were an inch taller and four to five pounds heavier than were the students of 30 years ago.—Chicago News.

Living Expenses in India. The increased cost of living in India generally and in Calcutta particularly, writes our correspondent is severely felt not only by Europeans but also by Indians. House rent in recent years has trebled and even quadrupled. Ten years ago a family of half a dozen persons could live in fair comfort for £200 a year, excluding extras. With nothing less than £500 can one live in the same way now. This is recognized by the government, and the salaries of subordinate officials have been revised. Domestic servants' wages have increased enormously. A good cook cannot be had for less than £40 a year, whereas half that sum was considered sufficient ten years ago.

Unfair Political Advantage. "Gerrymandering" in United States politics is an arrangement of political divisions in disregard of natural boundaries, as indicated by geography or position, so as to give one party an unfair political advantage. It is done sometimes by throwing the greatest possible number of hostile voters into a district which is certain to be hostile, sometimes by adding to a district where parties are equally divided some place in which the majority of friendly votes is sufficient to turn the scale.

Whetstones and Hones. The particular classes of stone used in sharpening edge tools, such as razors, knives, scythes, etc., are hard, compact, and so very silicious that they readily wear down the hardest steel. They are varieties of slate, derived from argillaceous schists of the Paleozoic. These stones are found in Turkey, Bohemia, Persia, and the Harz Mountains in Styria, in the United States, Spain, Peru and Siberia. One of the best American stones for hones comes from Arkansas.

Caught Three Tons of Moths. An electric light trap to end the caterpillar plague by destroying the brown nun moths that lay the eggs from which the caterpillars are hatched has been devised and placed in successful operation at Litzia, Germany. The trap consists of two large and powerful reflectors placed over a deep receptacle into which the moths are drawn by exhaust fans. The first night three tons of moths were caught.

The World's Coal Production. The coal production of the world in 1907 was 1,399,200 short tons, of which amount the United States furnished 480,400,000 tons, Great Britain 288,000,000 tons and Germany 238,800,000 tons.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank of Milford in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Sep. 1, 1909.

Assets and Liabilities. Assets: Loans and discounts, \$1,000,000.00. Deposits, \$2,000,000.00. Total, \$3,000,000.00.

BAZAAR Madame Maloof has opened her 'Bazaar' in the Wells Building on Harford Street with a line of souvenirs, hand painted china, kimonas, hand embroideries, real laces, cut glass, special Venetian gold glass.

Fall Footwear Two courses are open to us in announcing our "Fall Footwear." One is to attempt to describe them and the other is to invite you to see them and let them speak for themselves. We'll try the latter. Your eye and your head will tell you more of quality, style and workmanship, in five minutes than we could in a page of type. Our complete fall lines are ready. Telephone or write us your wants. JOHNSON, FITTER OF FEET, Port Jervis, N. Y.

Need MILLINERY OPPOSITE 5 & 10c. Store PORT JERVIS. SENSITIVE MR. GOBLINGTON. Can Stand Being Snubbed by a Man, but Hates to be Ignored by a Woman.

The Nebulae. The discovery of the gaseous nature of the nebulae came about largely through the use of the spectroscopic method. Fraunhofer proved that the spectrum of an ignited gaseous body is "non-continuous, with interrupting lines," and J. W. Draper demonstrated that the spectrum of an ignited solid is always "continuous, with so interrupting lines. In this way it was proved that many of the nebulae are gaseous, illustrating the process of development actually going on.

The World's Disease. Mammonism is only an effect of which selfishness is the cause. Selfishness—the assertion of self against the rest of the universe, self-gratification instead of the general good—that is the disease of the world, and we can never have social health until society is saved from selfishness.—Hemlock Review.

GRAND INTRODUCTORY OFFER We have taken the exclusive agency for REMMER'S TOILET SOAPS and make the following great offer: One Cake Medicated Soap, value .25. One Cake Hand-Pumice Soap, value .05. One Cake Sassafras Medicated Soap, value .25. One Cake Transparent Glycerine Soap, value .10. One Cake Medicated Sulphur Soap, value .10. One Cake Wreath Toilet Soap, value .15. One Cake Wonder-Foam Shaving Soap, value .10. Total Value \$1.00.

Armstrong's Pharmacy Wall Paper This week we received our stock of new wall paper. Over 100 different patterns to select from, ranging in price from 10 to 20c a double roll. Also a lot of remnants to sell for 5c a double roll. Our new stock will please you both in style, quality and price. Look them over before you purchase. We can save you money. W. S. RYMAN & SON, Milford, Pa.

GAS FITTING... If you are intending to put in Gas or are having any trouble with your pipes already in, Let us know. SANITARY PLUMBING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

Cuddeback & Co. BROAD ST., MILFORD, PA. New Goods New Goods Just received a new and complete line of "Spring and Summer Goods" Fancy lawns 7c to 18c per yard. White shirt waist goods 12c to 25c. Seersuckers 12c to 14c. Ladies' gauze vests 10c to 25c. Ladies' hosiery 10c to 50c. Men's fancy dress shirts 50c to \$1. "fancy half hose 10c to 50c. "work shirts 50c. "underwear 25c to 50c. "belts and suspenders 25c to 50c. Also a complete line of Notions, Groceries, Crockery. ARMSTRONG'S Broad & Catharine Sts. Milford, Pa.