



McCormick Treasurer of Sonman Coal Co., He Says Under Oath

Court Records Show That He Was One of the Men Who Thought \$400 a Life Sufficient to Pay For Five Workmen Killed in Mine That According to His Own Testimony He Helped to Manage

Vance C. McCormick, Democratic candidate for Governor, tries desperately to-day to dodge responsibility for the settlement of damage suits against the Sonman Shaft Coal Company, of Cambria county, brought by widows and families of five workmen who lost their lives in that mine through defective machinery.

That Mr. McCormick was an officer in this company is shown from the following extract of evidence taken from the State Supreme Court records when the Pennsylvania Railroad Company appeal from a verdict of the Clearfield courts granting the company \$125,000 damages for failure to supply cars.

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By the Way Who Do You Suppose Will Get McCormick's Vote For U. S. Senator?



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STOP---LOOK---LISTEN

TONIGHT the mobilization of the voters of Pennsylvania and nation will have been completed. For months the issues of the campaign have been presented to the people and it must be assumed that all intelligent persons are thoroughly informed as to what is involved in the election of to-morrow.

- WHY are factories and railroad shops running half time?
WHY are the earnings of railroads reduced to a point where they can not pay dividends?
WHY are our earnings less and cost of living higher?
WHY are we assessed with what is called a WAR TAX when we are at peace with the world?
WHY has the government income been reduced, making a special WAR TAX necessary?
WHY all this idleness and loss in government income in 1914?
WHY the loss of the industry and prosperity which we enjoyed up to twelve months ago?
WHY was the business depression said to be psychological before August 1st, and later charged to the war?

THERE IS A REASON

The Democratic party got possession of the Executive and Legislative branches of our government March, 1913, and changed our tariff system from a protective to a NEAR FREE TRADE basis, and put our workmen and manufacturers in direct competition with foreign labor—50 cents per day in Europe; 7 cents per day in China.

WHAT WILL PENNSYLVANIA DO?

Here in Pennsylvania the issues have been obscured so far as it was possible for the Democratic machine to obscure them by a campaign of misrepresentation, abuse and hypocrisy such as has never been known in this Commonwealth.

Notwithstanding the State-wide primary system advocated and enacted into law with the aid of the very forces which have violated its spirit in the first open election the Palmer-McCormick machine has striven in every way to mislead the people and to secure an endorsement of the fallacies of the Washington administration by the election of the two men foisted upon the voters of Pennsylvania by the man in the White House.

While pretending to direct their assault against Senator Penrose they have actually been scheming in every way to get control of the State government in order to build up a machine that might be used in continuing Democratic control at Washington for four years after 1916.

Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, the Republican candidate for Governor, has gone before the people on a straightforward declaration of principles as progressive as any candidate ever proclaimed as his pledge to the people. He has discussed intelligently and frankly the questions which are now uppermost in the thoughts of all Pennsylvanians.

Dr. Brumbaugh is a native of Huntingdon county. He was born upon a farm and as a boy and in his youth worked on the farm to earn his daily bread. He was educated in the schools of the State and throughout a long period of years has given splendid service to the cause of education.

DR. BRUMBAUGH'S ENDORSERS

Such men as John Wanamaker, Rev. Dr. Gray Bolton, Rufus W. Miller, J. Levering Jones, Rev. Dr. Russell H. Conwell, Rev. Dr. Floyd W. Tompkins, Francis V. Reeves, Cyrus H. K. Curtis and scores of others of like character and standing in Pennsylvania have endorsed Dr. Brumbaugh, stating that they "believe that the temperance voters of Pennsylvania in voting for Dr. Brumbaugh will be placing in the Executive Chamber of Harrisburg a man who will be a perfect Gibraltar of strength not only in the great local option movement, but to every other moral reform as well."

We sincerely deplore any action that may divide the real friends of temperance or cause any radical departure from the fundamental position of the Anti-Saloon League, which was designed to be "unsectarian" and "omnipartisan" in its character.

The attempt to array the temperance forces of this State against Dr. Martin G. Brumbaugh, the candidate for Governor on one of the three great party tickets now before the people, we regard not only as most unwise, but also as grossly unjust.

Every effort has been made by the backers of the Democratic machine to throw dust in the eyes of the voters in the hope that they will not discover the truth until too late. But the light has been turned on and the duplicity of this machine has been discovered in time to open the eyes of all voters who want to see Dr. Brumbaugh's triumph at the polls to-morrow is going to discourage in all future campaigns such hypocrisy and double-dealing as have characterized the fight against him.

STOUGH IS AGAINST LIQUOR MEN OF ALL POLITICAL PARTIES

Says Rum Question Is Not One of Party, but of Booze Against Anti-booze

Declaring that the Stough campaign party does not stand for partisan politics in any way and that it will not depart in the least from the straightforward preaching of the Gospel of Christ and the strong opposition of all things in any way antagonizing that religion, the Rev. Dr. Henry W. Stough yesterday opened his six weeks' evangelistic campaign in the great tabernacle at North and Cowden streets.

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2,500 MAJORITY FOR BRUMBAUGH IN THIS COUNTY, HORNER SAYS

Sweeping Republican Victory in City and Country Districts, Chairman Forecasts

William H. Horner, Republican county chairman, predicts that Dauphin county will give Dr. Brumbaugh and the Republican ticket a majority of 2,500 at the polls to-morrow.

Mr. Horner was in the height of good humor at headquarters this morning. Reports reaching there from all parts of the city and county as well as the State at large, were of the most optimistic nature. Everywhere the Republican county chairmen foresee a triumph for the party.

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Dozen Men Seriously Cut in Fight During Wedding

Special to The Telegraph. Williamstown, Pa., Nov. 2.—In a free-for-all fight between Austrians and Slavs in the foreign settlement near here last night, at least a dozen participants were slashed with knives and razors and received bullet wounds from revolvers. Two are seriously injured and may die. Six others have very bad cuts on the body, and several more escaped with less injuries.

Important to Voters



JUDGE GEORGE KUNKEL

To vote a full ticket at least three cross marks will be necessary. One cross mark in the Party Square. One cross mark for Judge of the Supreme Court. One cross mark for Judge of the Superior Court.

You can vote for only one. A cross mark in a Party Square is a vote for Party candidate only and is not a vote for Judge. In addition you must make a cross mark after the name of the Judge for whom you desire to vote. Vote for Judge Kunkel and mark your ballot this way:

GEORGE KUNKEL | X

THE WEATHER

For Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair to-night and Tuesday; cooler to-night.

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair and colder to-night; Tuesday fair, colder in southeast portion; moderate northwest winds diminishing.

River. The main river will remain nearly stationary to-night and Tuesday. A stage of about 1.9 feet is indicated for Harrisburg Tuesday morning.

General Conditions. The low pressure that was central over Manitoba, Saturday morning, moving southeastward, has been separated by the pushing northward of the high pressure area covering the southeastern portion of the United States.

Temperature: 8 a. m., 44. Sun: Rises, 6:35 a. m.; sets, 4:58 p. m. Moon: Full moon, to-night, 6:48 p. m. River Stage: 1.9 above low-water mark.

Yesterday's Weather. Highest temperature, 78. Lowest temperature, 40. Mean temperature, 59. Normal temperature, 47.

Telegraph's Election Returns

Owing to the conditions in Federal Square due to the remodeling of the Federal building, it will be impossible for the Telegraph to make its usual display of election returns next Tuesday night from the Telegraph building. Arrangements have been made, however, with the Silberstein Syndicate to give the display on the old Opera House site at Third and Walnut streets.

The Real Test of Value. Publishers of magazines and periodicals of a general nature are frequent newspaper advertisers.

Deadlock Prevails Along 300 Mile Battle Line on French and Belgian Soil

Official Reports From Berlin and Paris Agree on Present Situation; Emperor William Says Enemy Will Be Beaten "Under All Circumstances"; Berlin Is Pleased With Progress German Army Has Made During Past Few Days; Allies Have Repulsed Many Attacks

The renewed assaults of the Germans, which have led in the last few days to the most violent fighting of the war, are still progressing with fury almost unparalleled, but there have been no changes of importance at any point along the 300-mile line of battle. Official reports to-day from Berlin and Paris agree that the deadlock still prevailed.

The confidence of Germany as to the ultimate result is reflected in the words of Emperor William. "Under all circumstances the enemy will be beaten," he said in addressing one of his regiments.

Berlin states officially that the situation is regarded as the most favorable for some time, although it gives no new details of the fighting. The French statement is equally hopeful in tone. The allies are said to have made slight progress at various points, including the blood-soaked fields of Flanders, in the vicinity of Dixmude.

The German and Austrian forces in the east, compelled to retire before the Russian advance have taken up new positions and a renewal of general fighting impends. Austrian successes on the Russian left flank are claimed in Berlin.

Apparently Turkey is now definitely involved in the general war. What the allies described as the "last chance" for Turkey to keep out of the struggle by disavowing responsibility for the acts of her Black Sea fleet has not been accepted and the British government to-day handed his passports to the Turkish ambassador, following similar action by Russia.

Bulgaria, faced with the bitter alternative of opposing her former protector, Russia, or fighting with her enemies, Greece and Serbia, if such joins in the war, has decided, according to a message from Sofia, to remain neutral.

Heavy fighting has been resumed along the Austro-Serbian border. According to official advices from Vienna, the Austrians crossed the Save and Drina rivers, drove back the enemy and occupied several towns. This is disputed by Serbians, who state that the Austrian attacks were repulsed with heavy losses.

All accounts agree that the loss of life in the fighting of the last fortnight has been tremendous, owing presumably to the fact that the fighting has been largely in the open, exposing large bodies of troops to the deadly work of modern instruments of war.

The long dispute over the indemnity which the city of Brussels is to pay the Germans has been settled, Berlin reports. The amount is said to have been fixed at \$9,000,000.

In New York active preparations were under way to give relief to Belgium's starving people. It was expected that the first relief ship provided for by the Rockefeller Foundation, would sail to-morrow.

MAY REACHES VERA CRUZ

By Associated Press. Vera Cruz, Nov. 2.—Paul May, the Belgian minister at Mexico City, who was given his passports by the government because of an alleged indiscreet protest regarding the treatment of a Belgian citizen, arrived in Vera Cruz last night. He does not disguise the bitterness he feels over the treatment he received at the hands of General Carranza.

SHELL RAILROADS AND DOCKS

By Associated Press. Petrograd, Nov. 1, via London, Nov. 2, 4:25 A. M.—The newspapers report that the cruisers Goeben and Breslau and four Turkish torpedo boats bombarded the shore near Sebastopol yesterday, shelling the railroad and docks. The Russian shore batteries replied. The warship disappeared along the Crimean shore to the eastward after inflicting trivial damages.

NETHERLANDS TO GET PEACE PRIZE

The Hague, Netherlands, Nov. 2, via London, 10:55 A. M.—The Handelsbald of Amsterdam has published a report from Christiania says that the managers of the Nobel institute have decided to give this year's peace prize, which amounts to about \$40,000 to the Netherlands government to be applied toward the support of Belgian refugees in Holland.

FOOTBALL PLAYER DIES OF INJURIES

Pittsburgh, Nov. 2.—James Levery, aged 19, of Ambridge, Pa., died in a hospital here to-day from injuries received in a football game Saturday. He was buried in a scrimmage and his back broken. It is the second football fatality here this season.

GUTIERRES ELECTED PRESIDENT

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 2.—The conference of revolutionary chiefs at Aguascalientes has disregarded General Carranza's protest and elected Eulalio Gutierrez provisional president of Mexico, according to an official report reaching the border to-day.