

—POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT—

FOR STATE SETATOR

WILBUR P. GRAFF
OF BLAIRSVILLE BOROUGH

Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of the 37th Senatorial District, composed of Indiana and Jefferson counties, at the Spring Primary Election Tuesday, May 16th, 1916.

Your Support and Influence is Solicited

For Representative
in Congress

S. Taylor North
of PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA.

Subject to the decision of the Republican voters of the 27th Congressional District, composed of Indiana, Jefferson, Armstrong and Clarion counties, at Spring Primary Election Tuesday, May 16th, 1916.

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(Political Advertisement)

For Congress

Nathan L. Strong
of Brookville and Kittanning

Subject to the decision of the Republican Voters of the 27th Congressional District, composed of the counties of Armstrong, Clarion, Indiana and Jefferson, at the General Primary Election, Tuesday, May 16, 1916.

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited

The Change of a Name.

How family names change in the course of many years is illustrated by the conversion of "Boteville" into "Thynne." An English deed bearing date in the closing days of the fifteenth century shows three brothers then flourishing—John Boteville of Boteville and Thomas and William Boteville. The trio are distinguished from all other Botevilles by the explanation "of the Inne," or family residence, the "tle to which had come to their joint possession. John's grandson was known as Ralph Boteville-of-the-Inne, from which the transition to Ralph Thynne is easy. His descendants have been Thynnes ever since.

Tipping It Off.

"My boy, never tell another that you know more than he does."
"Why not, pa?"
"Because with that warning he may do a little studying nights and overtake you."—Detroit Free Press.

Our Daily Special.

A poor liar makes a poor diplomat.

Luke McLuke Says:

Any old mutt can steal kisses from a girl. But it takes nerve to steal candy from a baby.

If a man would devote as much energy to hard work as he does to cussing his luck he wouldn't have anything to cuss about.

It doesn't do a married man any good to know it all. He never gets a chance to tell it.

The photograph that a girl's own mother wouldn't be able to recognize is always the one that a girl thinks looks most like her.

Some people seem to imagine that a man who confesses that he likes the efforts of Honus Wagner better than those of Wagner, the composer, is a low brow.

Father's idea of disciplining the children is to bowl mother out every time one of the kids does anything wrong.

One reason why the woman who kisses and nurses her Fido wouldn't like to have a baby around the house is because Fido might catch something from the baby.

When a man remembers that there are nearly 2,000,000,000 people in the world he wonders why trouble happens to pick him out and make him the goat.

Any fat head can make hay while the sun is shining. But the fellow who can make hay when there isn't any sun always gets the kale.

We are all inclined to be very careful when it is too late.

A jolly will get more out of a woman than will a threat or a club.

If some of the June brides had to do it all over again they would select April 1 as a more appropriate wedding date than June 1.

Another difference between genius and talent is that talent gets a hair cut once a month.

A man goes to school and to college and thinks he has completed his education. Then he gets married and finds that he has only begun his education.

The man who is killing time is also assassinating his opportunities.

If a man has four or five needy heirs it is a cinch that he is going to live to be at least a hundred years old.

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The River Tigris.

The river Tigris appears in the book of Genesis as Hiddekel, one of the four "heads" into which the river of Eden was parted. The name by which we know it does not exactly "mean" tiger, for the correct way of putting it is that both "tiger" and "Tigris" mean in Persian swift as an arrow. "Euphrates" is a Greek version of the Persian Hurat, which signifies "the good abounding" and represents the old Asiatic Burat or Purat, akin to our verb "pour."

Long Lived Tennysons.

The Tennyson family was noted for its longevity. Miss Matilda Tennyson died in her ninety-ninth year; Charles was seventy-one at the time of his death; Mary, seventy-four; Emilia, seventy-eight; Alfred, poet laureate, eighty-three; Frederick, ninety-one; Arthur, eighty-five; Horatio, eighty, and Cecilia, ninety-two.

The Observant Beggar.

"Excuse me, sir," said the panhandler, shuffling up to Dubbleigh's side, "but you couldn't let me have \$15, could you?"
"Fifteen dollars?" echoed Dubbleigh.
"Great Scott, man, do you for one moment suppose I'd be fool enough to give you \$15?"
"No, chief, I didn't," said the panhandler, "but I sort o' hoped you'd regard it as a kind of personal assessment and swear off \$14.90, leavin' me with a dime to the good."
He got it.—New York Times.

BE TACTFUL.

Talent is something, but tact is everything. Talent is serious, sober, grave and respectable. Tact is all that and more too. It is not a seventh sense, but is the life of all the five. It is the open eye, the quick ear, the judging taste, the keen smell and the lively touch. It is the interpreter of all riddles, the surmounter of all difficulties and the remover of all obstacles. Tact is a wonder worker.

His Maternal Grandma.

A devoted father after a day's absence was met by his two little sons.
"Have you been good boys?"
Silence.

"Have you been good boys?"
"No, papa. I called grandma a bad word," said the five-year-old, turning scarlet.

"Is it possible? What did you call your grandma?"

"I called her a human being."

The father, with a mighty effort, maintained his gravity and closed the scene decorously. "I must forgive you for once, but remember if you ever call your grandmother a human being again I shall have to spank you."—London Telegraph.

Repertee.

"But why are you in mourning?"
"Oh, for my sins."
"I didn't know you'd lost any!"
The Simple Life.
Many persons trying to live the simple life find a lot of fault with the bill of fare.—Judge.

A Lost Mine.

Among the famous lost mines of the western world and one which is again being sought is the Tisingall of Costa Rica. It is said to have yielded great quantities of gold in the time of the Spanish domination. After quelling the Indian uprisings, however, the Spaniards failed to relocate the mine. It is thought that it lies hidden in the bed of one of the larger streams. Many legends are heard dealing with its wonderful richness, and many attempts have been made to find it, but so far without avail.—Argonaut.

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- D. Have you read the Constitution of the United States?
R. Yes.
- D. What form of Government is this?
R. Republic.
- D. What is the Constitution of the United States?
R. It is the fundamental law of this country.
- D. Who makes the laws of the United States?
R. The Congress.
- D. What does Congress consist of?
R. Senate and House of Representatives.
- D. Who is our State Senator?
R. Theo. M. Kurtz.
- D. Who is the chief executive of the United States?
R. President.
- D. How long is the President of the United States elected?
R. 4 years.
- D. Who takes the place of the President in case he dies?
R. The Vice President.
- D. What is his name?
R. Thomas R. Marshall.
- D. By whom is the President of the United States elected?
R. By the electors.
- D. By whom are the electors elected?
R. By the people.
- D. Who makes the laws for the state of Pennsylvania?
R. The Legislature.
- D. What does the Legislature consist of?
R. Senate and Assembly.
- D. Who is our Assemblyman?
R. Wilmer H. Wood.
- D. How many State in the union?
R. 48.
- D. When was the Declaration of Independence signed?
R. July 4, 1776.
- D. By whom was it written?
R. Thomas Jefferson.
- D. Which is the capital of the United States?
R. Washington.
- D. Which is the capital of the state of Pennsylvania?
R. Harrisburg.
- D. How many Senators has each state in the United States Senate?
R. Two.
- D. Who are our U. S. Senators?
R. Boise Penrose and George T. Oliver.
- D. By whom are they elected?
R. By the people.
- D. For how long?
R. 6 years.
- D. How many representatives are there?
R. 435. According to the population one to every 211,000, (the ratio fixed by Congress after each decennial census.)
- D. For how long are they elected?
R. 2 years.
- D. Who is our Congressman?
R. S. Taylor North.
- D. How many electoral votes has the state of Pennsylvania?
R. 38.
- D. Who is the chief executive of the state of Pennsylvania?
R. The Governor.
- D. For how long is he elected?
R. 4 years.
- D. Who is the Governor?
R. Brumbaugh.
- D. Do you believe in organized government?
R. Yes.
- D. Are you opposed to organized government?
R. No.
- D. Are you an anarchist?
R. No.
- D. What is an anarchist?
R. A person who does not believe in organized government.
- D. Are you a bigamist or polygamist?
R. No.
- D. What is a bigamist or polygamist?
R. One who believes in having more than one wife.
- D. Do you belong to any secret Society who teaches to disbelieve in organized government?
R. No.
- D. Have you ever violated any laws of the United States?
R. No.
- D. Who makes the ordinances for the City?
R. The board of Aldermen.
- D. Do you intend to remain permanently in the U. S.?
R. Yes.

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