

# THOUSANDS OF PERSONS HEAR DR. HATFIELD

At One Point in Mercer County 2,000 Miners, Farmers and Others.

## TURN OUT FOR HIM

Prediction is Freely Made He Will Carry That County by 2,000 Majority.

MONTICMERY, W. Va., June 1.—The Dr. Hatfield special met 2,000 miners, farmers and business men here today and it looks much like "Johnny was coming marching home" with the nomination for governor.

It was the greatest outpouring since leaving Kenova yesterday morning.

Look for 2,000 majority in old Mercer for Hatfield for governor.

All along the line to Bluefield where stops were made great crowds heard and cheered Dr. Hatfield lustily as he spoke from the rear of his car.

Reaching Bluefield shortly afternoon 10,000 people awaited him and he made a set speech that evoked tremendous applause from beginning to end.

## WARRANT

Is Out for the Arrest of Thomas Watson, a Presidential Candidate.

MACON, Ga., June 1.—A warrant for the arrest of Thomas Watson, once a candidate for president on the Populist ticket, has been issued. He is charged with sending obscene matter through the mails, the outcome of an article in his magazine on the Catholic religion.

## BIDS ACCEPTED

By the Traction Company for Work on Traction Line to Weston.

Bids for the grading and masonry of the electric line from Mt. Clare to Weston were accepted conditionally at Fairmont Saturday by the traction company and with a few condemnation proceedings soon to end for rights of way, the work will begin the middle of June and be completed seven months thereafter. R. T. Martin, of Lynchburg, Va., gets the first section from Mt. Clare five miles long, the next six and one-half miles long goes to C. P. Keeley and Company of this city, and the last section of six and a half miles goes to Gilmore and Weaver, of Morgantown. The masonry and grading will cost about \$250,000.

## ELEVATOR

Crushed Two Girl Employees to Death in Glass Factory.

FAIRMONT, June 1.—Nellie Syntalt, 18, and Eleanor Crowe, 19, were instantly killed Saturday noon by a freight elevator in the Monongah glass factory, where they were employed. They were reclining upon the elevator when another girl started it on another floor and they were caught between the elevator and a floor and crushed to death.

## TO ACT AS JUDGE

The Rev. W. M. Long has been chosen as one of the judges at a literary contest as a part of the Salem College commencement program at Salem next Tuesday.

## TAKES A VACATION

Miss Minnie McVicker, the efficient and accommodating clerk of Justice G. H. Gordon's court, has temporarily relinquished her duties there in order to take a well earned summer vacation, part of which will be spent with her mother at a mountain summer resort. Miss Helen Gordon will act as clerk of the court in Miss McVicker's absence.

# APPEAL IS MADE FOR LABOR VOTE

## WOMAN IN NIGHTIE; THIEF IN TERROR

There was a thief in the vicinity of Fairsville, Ohio, whose respect for his neighbors in nighties has recently been increased by something over 100 years.



Window of Mrs. A. M. Summer, aged sixty, of said town of Fairsville, Ohio, Mrs. Summer didn't faint away. She raised her loaded revolver, chased the man out of the window, followed him from the house in her nightgown, and ran him a quarter of a mile to the business section, calling for the police and trying in vain all the while to discharge the gun, which refused to work. The thief finally escaped, but it's dollars to doughnuts he'll think of old ladies in their flowing night gowns.

## POLICE RAID

Of Water Street House Results in Arrest of Three Persons.

A mulatto woman giving the name of Cora Talbert was arrested Saturday morning by Policeman Washington at her place of abode on Water street and was placed in jail to await a hearing in the evening before Mayor Frank R. Moore in police court on a charge of conducting a house of ill repute. Her arrest was the result of a raid made upon her house Friday night by Lieutenant N. M. Whyte and Policeman Michael Joyce, in which May Stewart, a negro and a white man giving the name of John Doe were taken into custody. They deposited cash bonds of \$11.60 each for their appearance in police court in the morning, at which time they forfeited the money.

A foreigner was sentenced to serve three days in jail in default of paying a fine of \$4.60 this morning in the court for street drunkenness and two other fellows paid fines for like offenses and were released.

By Mr. Nicewarner Who Seeks Nomination for Justice of the Peace.

Theodore G. Nicewarner, candidate for the Republican nomination for justice of the peace in Clark district, was raised in Charles Town, Jefferson county, this state, and received his education in the public schools of the eastern part of West Virginia. He is 46 years old.

He came to the western portion of our state about fifteen years ago, locating at Weston where he was employed as engineer at the hospital for the insane for about five years. Afterwards he came to Clarksburg, where he helped to install the machinery for the old Citizens Ice Company, later absorbed by the Clarksburg Ice and Storage Company and continued in that firm's employment for two years.

Leaving here he went to Bellington, W. Va., where he was connected with the Bellington Ice and Bottling Works for more than four years.

Then he returned to Clarksburg, entering the employ of the Phillips Sheet and Tin Plate Company, and while engaged there he unfortunately received very severe injuries, which resulted in the loss of his right arm. It may be said for him, that on this occasion had his thoughts been only for his own safety, he might have escaped, but he bravely stuck to his post in his effort to save the lives of his fellow workmen and the property of his employers.

Mr. Nicewarner has had experience in the administration of justice, having served as a special officer and at present is an efficient deputy game warden of this state.

He has been a life long Republican, an earnest party worker, an honorable, straight-forward citizen and is deserving of the united support of the laboring element of this district and will make a capable official if the voters entrust him with this office.

He is a married man with a family of four children and being handicapped through the loss of his good right arm in this struggle for existence, your assistance will be of peculiar benefit to him and he earnestly solicits your support, and promises you a good, clean, honest administration if nominated and elected to the office of justice of the peace for Clark district.

## Leading Men for White

- For the information of any persons who may not enjoy a personal acquaintance with Mr. George E. White, of Weston, W. Va., candidate for the Republican nomination for state senator, we, the undersigned citizens of the city of Weston and of Lewis county, volunteer with pleasure the information that he is a man of mature mind, being in his 28th year, a successful business man, a gentleman of honor and integrity, of unusual natural endowments, well educated and of wide general information, fitted by legal training and otherwise for the transaction of private or public business, the son of a Lewis county farmer, independent of any interests save those of the people, and entirely worthy of any confidence or trust reposed in him.
- William L. Dunnington, president Citizens Bank.
- George A. Hatzel, independent oil and gas producer.
- Linn Brannon, ex-circuit judge.
- J. W. Ross, cashier National Exchange Bank.
- W. C. Weber, ex-mayor of Weston.
- Charles M. Sneath, oil and gas well contractor.
- Harry C. Bailey, fire insurance.
- J. S. Vandervort, cashier Lewis County Bank.
- T. A. Whelan, cashier Citizens Bank.
- James G. G. Heavener, assistant cashier Bank of Weston.
- W. T. Wilson, member of board equalization.
- J. W. Sneath, member board equalization, and ex-member county court.
- W. G. Hinzman, assessor of Lewis county.
- John H. Conrad, clerk circuit court Lewis county.
- W. R. Jewell, ex-sheriff and ex-representative Lewis county.
- Luke White, ex-judge of county court.
- Lloyd Beeghly, manager Beeghly Telephone Company.
- J. H. Brewster, president Sun Lumber Company.
- W. R. Gregg, general manager and treasurer Gregg Grocery Company.
- P. K. Teter, farmer and horse dealer.
- O. L. Harrison, chief of police, Weston.
- Lot Hall, ex-sheriff Lewis county.
- J. S. Turner, merchant.
- W. H. Aspinall, merchant.
- J. M. Hayden, ex-justice of the peace.
- J. M. Henry, secretary of Republican committee.
- A. V. Woodell, clerk Philadelphia Gas Company.
- J. P. Cole, liverman.
- W. C. Danser, president and general manager Danser Manufacturing and Supply Company.
- John W. Farnsworth, president Hope Lumber Company.
- D. D. Chapman, M. D. Vads, W. Va.
- H. H. Bailey, Jr., proprietor Weston Steam Laundry.
- H. R. Kayser, bookkeeper National Exchange Bank.
- J. C. Roane, president Weston Lumber Company.
- Alexander Brown, farmer and Civil war veteran.
- C. E. Anderson, G. A. R.
- James S. Perry, farmer and G. A. R. member.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Okey R. Davis and Elizabeth Brumbaugh, Marshall Jenkins and Bertha Webb, William A. Rice and Julia Sabo and S. Gawlik and Anna Koper.

## LICENSE COURT.

The city council will sit Monday night at 7:30 o'clock as a license court.

Harry H. Watson was a visitor here from Fairmont Saturday.

# NO MARINES YET LANDED ON CUBAN SOIL

But Commander Mitchell is Ready to Do So at Any Time.

## EMPLOYEES DEFEND

Spanish American Iron Company's Plant Successfully.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.—No marines have yet been landed at Daiquiri, Cuba, but Commander Mitchell, of the Paducah is ready to land a force when necessary to protect American lives and property.

Last reports were that the Spanish-American Iron Company's plant had been successfully defended by its employees.

SANTIAGO, Cuba, June 1.—It is reported today that a battle at Malaya near Palma Serena yesterday resulted in complete victory for government troops. Mounted artillery was used with terrible effect.

## EVANGELIST

Will Deliver a Lecture in the Odeon Theater Tomorrow Afternoon.

Evangelist Bell in the Odeon theater tomorrow at 3 o'clock will give his lecture on the "Land of Promise," also the story of his conversion on the stage in the city of Buffalo, N. Y. He is known in New York state as the vendeville evangelist and if he stays in this state much longer he will be known as the mountain evangelist. Hear Mr. Bell at the court house tonight on the subject, "The Sign of the Cross."

## STRIKE SPREADS

And Hotels Will Suspend Rather Than Recognize Waiters' Union.

NEW YORK, June 1.—The strike of 8,000 waiters and cooks threatens to spread further today. Two hotels have already filed the strikers' placards, and hotel men say they will shut down rather than recognize the waiters' union.

## JAMES NAMED

As One of the Delegates to the Church's Conference at Sutton.

The meeting of the Fairmont district of the Methodist Episcopal church conference which was held at Farmington this week, has come to a close. There was a good attendance of ministers and laymen from all parts of the district. The Rev. L. S. Cunningham, of Clarksburg, presiding elder of the district, presided at the meeting.

Delegates were named to the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South to be held at Sutton next September, as follows:

- D. P. Fitch, Shinnston; E. W. James, Clarksburg; H. H. Bruffy, Hacker Valley; S. M. Titus, Dunkard, Pa.

## DEVOTIONS CLOSE

The closing services of the May devotions which have been conducted in the Church of the Immaculate Conception during the month of May were held in the convent yard Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

## SECOND EXAMINATION.

The second uniform teachers' examination will be held in the Central school building here Thursday and Friday. Applicants should go to the building between 1:30 and 7 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to enroll.

## TO PREACH AT MONONGAH.

At 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 3, the Rev. W. M. Long will preach an Odd Fellows memorial sermon at Monongah.

# BIG GROWTH SHOWN IN WATER RECEIPTS

As Well as Work of the Department by the Annual Statement.

The third annual statement of the Clarksburg Water Works and Sewerage Board published elsewhere in this issue shows a remarkable growth over last year's report. The total cash collections for the year ended March 31, 1912, were \$43,874.81, showing a cash increase over last year's receipts amounting to \$11,465.40. The report further shows that ever dollar due the city has been collected except from the United States postoffice, which is payable annually on July 1, and the county jail and court house, which is in the circuit court for adjustment, both of which are collectible.

The results obtained show that economy and proficiency have been practiced in every department and that the plant is established on a sound financial basis and so operated that the community is supplied with water that is unquestionable in purity and at rates which are reasonable.

The decision of the board to set aside a certain per cent on the valuation of the plant to provide for annual depreciation is highly commendable. The physical plant depreciates and sooner or later this plant is worn out or obsolete. The accumulation of funds for this purpose is to be used only for this specific purpose, and when the property must be replaced on account of its depreciation either from wear or accident, the cost will be defrayed out of this renewal fund and not by resort to an issue of bonds.

Special attention is directed to the cash collections for temporary uses of water, building purposes, etc., which amount to \$5,935.50, the same being a net increase over the receipts of last year for this purpose amounting to \$4,194.05. The plumbing department has been made self-supporting, the receipts in this department being \$422.05 in excess of the total expenditures. During the year approximately \$40,000.00 has been passed to the

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## MRS. REED IMPROVING

Word received here from Charles-ton is that Mrs. Stuart F. Reed is able to walk around in her room and is not dangerously ill.

## MAKES A FLIGHT.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 1.—Melvin Vaniman, in the airship, Akron, made a fifty-minute flight over Atlantic City today and landed safely in Hanger.

## DUCHESS CONSUELO TO BE FLOWER GIRL



The Duchess of Marlborough, formerly Consuelo Vanderbilt, is to become a flower girl. No starvation hasn't driven her to it. She will be permitted to pay any price they choose; and the society women have announced that five-pound notes will be especially acceptable.

## NEENAN

Very Strongly Recommends Mr. Rolland to Voters in the County.

Joseph M. Neenan, president of the National Window Glass Workers, has written from his headquarters at Cleveland, O., to A. J. Rolland here, as follows:

"I have been informed that you are a candidate for the nomination for assessor of Harrison county, and it pleases me to know that you are aspiring to such an honorable position, and I trust your ambition will be gratified. Your record as a local officer of our organization is one to be proud of and I have no doubt but that if the citizens of Harrison county honor you with the position of assessor you will serve them in the same honest, conscientious and capable manner that you have served your brother workmen. I predict your nomination and election, and if it is possible for me to be of service to you, I am yours to command."

# WELL FITTED FOR OFFICE HE SEEKS

Is John J. Sturm, Candidate for Member of the County Court.

In selecting men at the June 4 Republican primary, who are to form the Republican ticket at the election next November, the voters will make their choice with the objects in view. First, they will consider the qualifications of the aspirant and secondly, they will make such a choice as they believe will add strength to their ticket. Party success at the general election demands a consideration of these facts this year more than ever before and they should not be overlooked by the good party-man when he makes his choice of candidates.

There has been a strong demand by the people of lower Harrison county that they be given the privilege of naming the candidate for the office of county commissioner. Every section of the county has conceded that the lower district is entitled to this nomination and have left the field open to the men of that section. Clay district's selection for this office is John J. Sturm, of Shinnston.

Mr. Sturm is 47 years of age, was born in Harrison county, near Enterprise, and with the exception of a few years has always resided in this county. He is son of the late John F. Sturm, of Enterprise, who served two terms at different times in the office of county commissioner.

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## CLAPP OR HADLEY TO OPPOSE ROOT



The fight at the Chicago convention between the Taft and Roosevelt forces will begin immediately the convention opens. The Taft forces have picked Senator Root for temporary chairman, and the Roosevelt people have now definitely decided upon either Senator Clapp of Minnesota, or Governor Hadley of Missouri, as their choice. The vote for temporary chairman before the real work of the convention begins, will indicate the relative strength of the two factions.

# LAST TRIBUTE TO A BIRDMAN BY THOUSANDS

As the Body of Wilbur Wright Lay in State Three Hours.

## TRAFFIC SUSPENDS

Old Personal Friends of the Aviator Act As His Pallbearers.

DAYTON, O., June 1.—Thousands of persons paid a last tribute to Wilbur Wright, famous aviator, here today.

His body lay in state for three hours, and during the funeral all traffic was suspended for five minutes.

The funeral services were conducted in the First Presbyterian church and the pallbearers were old personal friends.

## ACCRUED PENSION

Is Ordered by Pension Bureau Paid to a Calhoun County Woman.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—An order has been obtained from the pension bureau for the payment to Mrs. Sarah J. Eitelburg, of Big Bend, Calhoun county, of the accrued pension due to her husband at the time of death. She will not be able to get a widow's pension as she married Mr. Eitelburg after the time allowed by law for the granting of pensions to the wives of old soldiers.

## FORTY-TWO

Proposed Constitutional Amendments to Be Voted On in Ohio State.

COLUMBUS, O., June 1.—Forty-two proposed constitutional amendments framed and ready to present to voters for ratification at a special election to be held September 3, are the complete work of the Ohio constitutional convention, which adjourned today.

## UNION

Meeting of Churches to Be Held on Prohibition Amendment.

A union prayer meeting of all the churches of Clarksburg has been arranged for next Wednesday evening in the First Baptist church. The object of the meeting is to discuss and ratify the proposed prohibition amendment to the state constitution, which will be voted on this fall. The Rev. Dr. Henry T. McClelland, pastor of the First Presbyterian church will preside at the meeting. It will begin at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

## TRIPLE SHOOTING

By a Well-to-Do Farmer and He and Mother-in-Law Are Dead Now.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 1.—G. E. Staples a well to do farmer of Angola, today shot his wife, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Florence Brown, and himself. He and Mrs. Brown are dead, and Mrs. Staples is fatally wounded.

## RASPILLAIRE AT BIJOU.

Emile Raspillaire, who has been violinist and director of the Cadenza orchestra for nearly two years, has resigned his position and has accepted Mr. Simeral's offer at the Bijou. Mr. Raspillaire has engaged Mr. Fisher, a well known pianist of Baltimore, to play with him. Mr. Fisher is expected here tomorrow evening, and both are to begin featuring pictures at the Bijou Monday.