ASSEMBLYMAN PHILLIPS TALKS

DIRECT PRIMARIES WOULD CONCENTRATE POLITICAL POWER IN HANDS OF FEW. WORKED BADLY WHERE TIRED.

(From Hornell Tribune)

At the meeting of the Men's Club at the Parish House, last evening Vice-President C. J. Clark presided and introduced the speaker of the evening, the Hon. Jesse S. Phillips, of Andover, who proceeded at once to address the meeting upon his announced subject; "Direct Nominations". He said he was no stranger here, or to our people. That he formerly lived here years ago, and has always been a frequent visitor here.

Direct nominations, he said, was a system of nominating candidates for public office by the voters of each party direct instead of through the medium of conventions, and he proposed to give his reasons why the proposition did not meet his judgement and endorsement.

Certain statesmen had conceived the idea that it was possible to improve the present system. "The malady had previously existed in other states before it broke out here," he said.

He paid a high personal tribute to Governor Hughes, for whom, he said he had only the most friendly feelings, but opposed the proposed measure.

It utterly failed to prevent boss rule. On the contrary it accentuated it. Under the proposed law Hornell city and town of Hornellsville, town and city of Corning, with Bath and two other towns could control every nomination of a party in the whole county. The men who represented these towns under the act could not only name the candidates of their own party in the county, but if any other candidate should try to be nominated by petition they could carry every, one of the other 25 towns in the county for the nomination, but would stand no show whatever of succeeding. The candidate who got a majority of the representation was credited with the entire vote of his party in town or county, for the same principle applied to the township and city and village elections.

In small municipalities the system of direct nominations might work, for there every voter was familiar with the character and qualifications of all possible aspirants, but in larger regions this would be impossible. No one could know all the qualified candidates in a county personally, and in a state campaign it was an absurdity.

Under the Hinman-Green bill Monroe and Cayuga counties could control the nominations for Judges of the supreme court in the whole judicial district, and the few men who represented those counties could personally select such candidates absolutely.

How the proposed law would work if enacted no one can tell except by the operations of similar laws in states where they already exist. But some states have and have had such a law in force, and the working there of is interesting. Wisconsin has such a law, and under its operation the junior United States senator Stephenson, was elected. And according to the reports his election under this law was a riot of corruption. $150.00 was spent. The position was literally purchased. Newspaper space was bought and other sources of strength were secured by money. No man who had no bank account could possibly be elected as against him. Even Senator La Follette, who stood sponsor for the law went into the legislative halls and tried to defeat him.

Mayor Rose, of Milwaukee, a popular Democrat, has for five times been elected in that city, three times been elected in that city, three times under the delegate system, although the city is normally Republican, and twice under the direct nomination system. Under the former system he paid only one fourth to be nominated and elected than under the latter, and the record of his Republican opponents was the same.

Pennsylvania has also the direct nominations law, and under it Boise Penrose, one of the worst political grafters, according to reports, was elected United States senator. In that state the bosses are in favor of the law and the reformers are opposed, as it is easier for the corruptionists to hold power than under the old system.

Mr. Phillips wound up with a passionate appeal for the present system of primary meetings and systems of conventions, as promising the best results, and giving the voter greater opportunities than the Hinman-Green bill offered in actual fact.

More Danville Proof.

Jacob Schrall, 432 South St., Danville, Pa., writes: "For over eighteen months I was a sufferer from kidney and bladder trouble. During the whole time was treated by several doctors and tried several different kidney pills. Seven weeks ago I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Pills, and am feeling better every day and will be glad to tell anyone interested just what Foley's Kidney Pills did for me."

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Court Appointments.

I, the undersigned, County Judge and Surrogate of Allegany County, do hereby make the following appointments of Terms of County and Surrogate's Courts to be held in the County of Allegany until further order.

County Court With Jury

First Monday in February;
Second Monday in April;
First Monday in October.

Special Term

Each Friday at Chambers in Belmont;
Second Thursday of each Month at Chambers in Wellsville;
Third Thursday of each Month at Chambers in Cuba;

Surrogate's Court

Each Friday at Belmont;
Second Thursday of each Month at Wellsville;
Third Thursday of each Month at Cuba.
Excepting Month of May.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have set my hand this 20th day of November, 1909. 51

Elba Reynolds.
County Judge and Surrogate of Allegany County

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Ramer Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c. and $1.00 Trial bottle free, guaranteed by.

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NEW NATIONAL BANK

Application for Belfast People Approved By Comptroller

Belfast, Dec. 2—Tuesday of this week a letter was received from Lawrence O. Murray, comptroller of the currency, Washington, D. C., favoring the application of some of the citizens of Belfast to organize a National Bank have been approved.

The stock has nearly all been subscribed. A meeting of the stockholders will be held Saturday and in a short time it is expected the bank will open for business.

The stock has been nearly all subscribed by local people. The citizens of Belfast and surrounding territory seem to think the organization of a National Bank here will presage the dawn of a larger business for Belfast.

COWARDLY ATTACK

Birdsall Man Blinded By Mustard Thrown in His Eyes

Charles Perry of Birdsall may lose the sight of his eyes as the result of having a quantity of oil of mustard thrown in them. He says the affair occured in the Hotel Osborne, Hornell. He was found by Patrolman Snyder just outside the hotel. He was rushed to Doctor Kelly's office where a half hour was spent trying to remove the powerful stuff.

Perry is still blinded and his eyes may be permanently affected. Arrests will be made in the case at once, it is expected.

Clearance of Ladies Suits at Rockwell's

About fifty of them—all right colors, any size from a 14 year old Miss to the stoutest woman. Grouped in four price lots $9.50—12.50—17.50 and 23.50 which is twenty-five per cent under value.

Rockwell Bros. & Co.,
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UNIVERSAL BOOMING

Over 2000 Wells Abandoned in Last 107 Months

The abandonment of large numbers of wells in Indiana, surpassing by the completion of new wells, raises a pessimistic outlook for the industry of the state. The greatest mistake has been the scarcity of natural gas for fuel purposes, the small quality of the wells not justifying the use of other fuel. During the ten months of this year the number of announced wells in Indiana reached 2,096, against 1,784 for the corresponding period of last year. The total for the last twenty-two months is 4,255, while but 625 new wells were completed within that period. The neighboring Lima fields of Northwestern Ohio present a less discouraging status. For the ten months of this year there were 1,096 wells abandoned in that section, bringing the total for the last twenty-two months to 2,141, while completions for the same period numbered 1,552 wells.

beside this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to woman, Writes Mrs. O. Rhinevault, of Vestal Center, N. Y., "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and jubilant health. It quickly cures Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Headache, Backache, Fainting and dizzy Spells; soon builds up the weak, ailing and sickly. Try them. 50c. at

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Pleasant Party at Opera House

Mrs. Miner Shaw gave a large party to her friends at Greenwood Opera house on Friday evening of last week in honor of her niece, Miss Mildred Potter.

About 100 guests were present to enjoy the occasion. Harry Bassett and Miss Robbins of Whitesville furnished the music for dancing and supper was served at Hotel Phillips. Mrs. Shaw is an expert in the entertaining art and all reported a fine time. Several were present from Jasper and South Canisteo.

Looking On's Best

It's a woman's delight to look her best but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; makes the skin soft and velvety. It glorifies the face. Cures Pimples, Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Cracked Lips, Chapped Hands. Try it. Infallible for piles. 25c. at

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Extra Christmas Attractions
CLOAKS AND SUITS

THE CLOAK AND SUIT DEPARTMENT IS ALWAYS A VERY IMPORTANT DEPARTMENT WITH US AT CHRISTMAS TIME. WHILE MANY CONCERNS ALLOW THEIR STOCKS TO RUN LOW AT THIS TIME, FEELING THAT THE SEASON IS ABOUT OVER, WE KEEP OUR STOCK UP GOOD AND FULL, ALMOST AT HIGH WATER MARK. ADDED TO THIS ATTRACTIVE FEATURE IS THE FACT THAT WE REALIZE THAT PEOPLE EXPECT TO BUY GARMENTS FOR LESS MONEY THAN EARLEY IN THE SEASON. THIS FACT IS CONSTANTLY BEFORE US AND IS CONSIDERED IN THE PRICING OF EVERY GARMENT.

YOU SHOULD CERTAINLY CONSIDER THESE INDUCEMENTS WHEN CONTEMPLATING THE PURCHASE OF EITHER CLOAKS OR SUITS

BLACK KERSEY COATS, made of splendid material, well tailored in plain, conservative style. Semi-lined with satin. This is a very practical garment made to sell for $12.00. You can buy them now for .. **$8.75**

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Lot No. 1—Coats which sold up to $13.00 ..... $10.75
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Suits are still a very important factor with us. While some people consider that the the Suit business is entirely over, we are selling Suits every day. By making special effort we have been able to pick up some of the best values we have ever had.

Special prices prevail all through the line, however, we mention in particular, the more expensive garments which sold up to $35.00.

THESE ARE ALL IN AT ONE PRICE.
$19.75

FURS For Christmas, we have the most important showing of Furs we have ever had. A glance at the range of prices will convince you that our line is so broad, that we can suit both your taste and your pocket-book, no matter what they be.
Neck Pieces from $1.50 to $75.00. Muffs from $1.75 to $85.00.

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Dropsy—
Given up by Doctor

"I had dropsy, and was told by my family physician that there was no chance for me. My family also gave me up. My limbs and body were swollen one-third larger than natural, water collected around my heart and I had to be propped up in bed to keep from smothering. I took Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy until I was entirely cured. This was in 1902, and I am now able to do any kind of work on my farm. My cure was certainly marvelous."

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Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy has been wonderfully successful in relieving heart trouble. Its tonic effect upon the heart nerves and muscles is a great factor in assisting nature to overcome heart weakness.

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Notice To Creditors.

In pursuance of an order of Hon. Elba Reynolds, Surrogate of the county of Allegany notice is hereby given to all persons having claim against the estate of Sarah Atwell late of the town of Andover, N. Y., deceased, to present the same with proper vouchers thereof to the undersigned at the law office of Crayton L. Earley, at the village of Andover, N. Y., on or before the 1st day of February, 1910.
Dated, July 21, 1909.

Flora B. Cook
Executrix

Notice to Creditors

Pursuant to an order of Hon. Elba Reynolds, Surrogate of Allegany County, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of Julia A. Smith, late of the Town of Andover, in said County, deceased, and that they are required to present same with the vouchers thereof to the undersigned Crayton L. Earley, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, at his office in the village of Andover, N. Y., on or before May 25th, 1910.

Dated, November 17, 1909.

Crayton L. Earley
Executor

Foley's Honey and Tar is the best and safest cough remedy for children. At the first symptoms of a cold, give as directed, and ward off danger of croup, bronchitis, sore throat, cold in the head, and stuffy breathing. It brings comfort and ease to little ones. Contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Keep always on hand, and refuse substitutes.

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Dandruff Germs In Your Scalp

IT HAS BEEN PROVED THAT MICROBES CAUSE BALDNESS.

Professor Unna of Hamburg, Germany, and Dr. Sabouraud, the leading French dermatologist, discovered that a microbe causes baldness. These discoveries have been carefully verified through research experiments carried on under the supervision of eminent scientists. The microbe lives in the follicles which is its natural hairroll, and when permitted to flourish it destroys the hair follicles and in time the pores entirely close, and the scalp glazed it takes on a shiny appearance. When this happens there is no hope of the growth of hair being revived.

Dandruff is a contagious disease, which is largely due to a destructive microbe, which when left to pursue its course causes itching scalp, falling hair and baldness. Dandruff is caused by the microbe affecting the glands which produce the sebaceous matter, which latter then unnaturally dries up and scales off.

We have a remedy which will, we honestly believe, remove dandruff, exterminate the microbe, promote good circulation in the scalp and around the hair roots, tighten and vitalize the hair roots and overcome baldness, so long as there is any life left in the hair roots.

We back up this statement with our own personal guarantee that the remedy called Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will be supplied free of all cost to the user if it fails to do as we state. It will frequently restore gray and faded hair to its original color, prevent loss of color has been caused by disease; yet it is in no sense a dye. Rexall "93" Hair Tonic accomplishes the results claimed for it, leaves no sticky, greasy residue behind, is not affected by bathing, and will not gum the hair or permanently soil the pillows or bolsters.

We make no objection to your trying anything you care to give it a thorough trial and if not satisfied tell us and we will refund the money you paid us for it. Two sizes, prices 50 cents and $1.00. Remember you can obtain it in Andover only at our store.—The Rexall Store
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PURCHASES BIG TEXAS RANCH

RILEY ALLEN OF ALLENTOWN AND OTHERS BUY A SQUARE OF A MILLION INTO LAND DEAL —WILL BUILD A NEW TOWN

The San Antonio, Texas, Express of Saturday, Nov. 30th, has the following news item which will be read with interest by the many friends of Riley Allen of Allentown:

A record-breaker in the way of a land sale in Southwest Texas was closed Friday by the J. H. Kirkpatrick Company, acting for Shaver and Armstrong of Brownsville, in the sale of the old Timon, or F. B. Butler ranch in Starr and Hidalgo Counties.

The property consists of 40,000 acres of land and the cattle thereon. The total amount of the sale, land and cattle, approximates a quarter of a million dollars.

The purchasers of this property—new men in Southwest Texas realty circles—are H. Nelsin Rider of Cambridge Springs, Pa., Riley Allen of Allentown, N. Y., and George C. Moore of Cambridge Springs, Pa.

These are said to be men of prominence and financial leaders in the sections from which they come, and in acquiring this splendid property have some modern ideas in regard to the development of this tract.

They plan the development of a town in the center of this property which will be one of the townships or the San Antonio to Brownsville railroad.

Their plans include the development of a model town. They will build a creamery plant, canning factory, and in other words, provide for the welfare of the colonists.

They have ordered an outfit, and will keep well drillers in the field

Ira Clark's life long partner, Greenwood and family died at Hornellsville on Saturday. He leaves a widow, one son, Dever, and two daughters, Mrs. Thos. Conlon and Mrs. Clark, to mourn his loss.

The interment was at Mallery's Corners.

Entertainment.

The Greenwood Home Talent will place a drama entitled Bar Havers on the stage at the opera house on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week with a strong cast of characters. The celebrated Andover Orchestra will attend both productions and they will be followed by a dance, for which the orchestra will furnish the music. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Rebecca Lodge of this place.

We be speak for them a full house on both occasions.

Advertised Letters

For the week ending, Dec. 4, 1909.

T. A. Moran
Walter Dimmick
Fred Dimmick

Death of John Updyke

On Tuesday John Updyke of this place died at the hospital in Hornell, from a complication of complaints sometime ago he was injured breaking his collar bone and dislocating his shoulder. The first of last week it was found necessary to reset the same and soon after the operation he commenced to fail and was removed to the hospital, where he died of congestion of the lungs and heart failure.

The funeral was held at the Christian church, Thursday, Rev. Box conducting the service. Deceased leaves his widow and one son, his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Huron Updyke, two sisters, Martha Withey and May Armstrong and one brother, William Updyke to mourn his early death.

Mr. Updyke underwent great suffering during his last sickness, which he bore with fortitude.

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Santa Claus Has Arrived

A Merry Christmas and the Compliments of the Season we present to our patrons

We know they will be pleased to see the handsome Xmas offerings that we are displaying for their choice. Xmas gifts of Furniture are always joyfully received by those who love a cosy home.

When Christmas comes and you wish to make some furniture gifts, use good judgment when making selections and come to us for what you need.

For a handsome Christmas gift an elegant Oriental Rug cannot be surpassed or be more appreciated.

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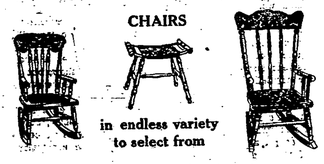

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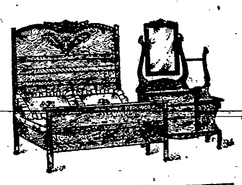

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