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Edwin A. Parker, Clerk.

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DEMOCRATS SCORED FOR FAILURE TO HOLD CAMPAIGN PLEDGES

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WITH MORE PROMISE
THAN LATE ONE

ENDED WITH DISAPPOINTMENT

Lack of Leadership and Party
Division Largely At Fault
Increased Taxation Most Nota-
ble Result Of Legislative Labors
—Economy Measures Juggled
And Finally Lost.

The Republican view of the recent legislative session, as expressed in statements by Assemblyman Richards, of Atlantic City, the minority leader of the House, and Senator Edge, of Atlantic City, President of the Economic and Efficiency Committee, has severe criticism of the failure of the Democratic majority for its failure to stand by its platform. Mr. Richards, in part:

"Possibly no session of the Legislature ever began with more promise and ended with more disappointment than the present session. The lack of leadership and cohesion in the Democratic majority has resulted in no legislation of a constructive character having been passed."

"Practically every important pledge of the Democratic party has been scorned, and the only time when the majority was able to get together was when the purpose was to impose some new form of taxes upon the people, while on the other hand, every measure looking to economy has been lost."

Senator Edge said:

"The entire policy of the legislative session from the standpoint of the Democratic majority, has been along the line of forcing measures compelling the people to pay more money for the privilege of living in New Jersey. The street inheritance tax, the bank stock tax, the diversion of local school money from the schools to general state use, additional automobile tax, etc., have been included in this effort."

"The entire tendency of the majority has been to tax, tax, tax; and on the other hand, sincere efforts in the interests of economy and efficiency and more businesslike consolidation of State departments have been juggled back and forth with no final enactments."

The Republican Journal editorially sees nothing but broken Democratic platform pledges and consequent disaster to the Democratic cause next November. The Democratic press is compelled to admit that the party program was not carried out, but insists that the platform, is the declaration of these papers, and the fight to bring this about must continue unabated."

Owing to the feelings in the Democratic law-making ranks, Governor Felder failed to carry out his legislative program. There were three Democratic factions among the 37 Democrats in the Assembly, namely the Fielder men, the Wittmann men and the Nugent men, so that notwithstanding the Governor had behind him a Legislature Democratic in both branches, the entire session was marked by political "log rolling." Instead of the Democracy standing solid with the Governor to carry out the platform pledges, it has been termed a "lemon session."

CHILD PLAYING BY FIRE MEETS DEATH IN FLAMES

Sad Fatality At Emilville Shocks Entire Neighborhood.

While playing near a small fire near the home of her parents Tuesday last, three-year-old Elizabeth Gallo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gallo, of Emilville, three miles from here, ran too close to the flames and her clothing catching fire was burned so badly that death ensued in spite of all that could be done to relieve her suffering.

Her parents and other relatives were near at the time and hearing her agonized cries quickly rushed to her aid, tearing the burning garments from her body. By the time they were removed, however, the little girl had been horribly burned and although Dr. H. C. James was summoned as soon as possible little could be done to alleviate the excruciating agony from the burns. The accident occurred at two o'clock in the afternoon and death came to her relief about midnight.

Rev. Lynch Tendered Reception.
A delightful reception was tendered to Rev. John W. Lynch and family by the Official Board of the First M. E. Church, Cape May Court House, Monday evening last. The church was crowded and beautifully decorated with palms and Easter flowers. A fine musical and literary program was rendered. Sheriff Coleman Corson presided. The ladies ad-
eptly presented a handsome bouquet of car-
dons, and also a large Calico Lily to Mrs.
Lynch. All then retired to the Sunday school room, where refreshments were served.

Legislature Ignored Farmers.

The State Agricultural Experiment Station, on which institution \$30,000 farmers depend for scientific aid received no extra financial assistance in the legislative budget, although the request for funds was urged by agricultural societies in every county. The further development of the station is left to more discriminating legislature, to the inconvenience and injury of farming interests throughout New Jersey.

Chimney Caught Fire.
Fire broke out in the residence of Charles Volk Thursday afternoon last, when a chimney caught fire. The blaze destroyed considerable clothing of Mrs. Volk. She was in the yard when she discovered smoke coming from the windows in the second story. Rushing into the house she discovered a closet containing clothing ablaze. Calling assistance, by strenuous work she subdued the flames.

Board of Health Meeting Postponed.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Board of Health of Atlantic County will be held in the Township Committee Room, in the Fire House, May's Landing, N. J., on Saturday, April 18th, at 8 p. m. This meeting is held for the purpose of hearing complaints, reports and general business.

THOMAS G. HOOVER, Clerk.

Bride and Groom Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Applegate are home after a delightful honeymoon trip to Washington, D. C., where they visited many scenes of interest, remembering their friends here with numerous souvenir postals. They will reside in the house recently purchased by Mr. Applegate at the corner of Second Street and Maple Avenue.

COLLEGE COURSES OPEN TO AMBITIOUS STUDENTS

Rutgers Announces Second Summer Session At New Brunswick.

Rutgers College, in its second summer session, will again offer opportunity for higher education to those who are unable regularly to attend college. The session will open June 27 and extend six weeks, closing August 7.

Courses are open to men and women who in the judgment of the instructors are qualified to pursue them. Thirty-seven competent instructors, for the most part regular members of the College faculty, will have supervision over eighty-seven courses in the agricultural, scientific and educational departments.

Courses satisfactorily completed in the summer session are accepted in lieu of examination by the State Board of Examiners toward credit for State Teachers' Certificates.

The College dormitory and dining hall will be open throughout the session and provision will be made for recreation and social intercourse.

The action of the New Jersey State Assembly in appropriating \$30,000 makes it possible for the State College to offer exceptional advantages to residents of New Jersey. Other funds have been added to this amount, extending the scope of the courses. Tuition in all departments is free to residents of this state. All others are required to pay a tuition fee of \$15. A registration fee of \$5 is required of all. Further information can be secured by addressing the Secretary.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Miss Sara Abbott is home after a delightful winter in Florida.

Mr. Thomas Thorpe was a shore visitor Monday evening last.

Mr. Albert C. Abbott was a Hammonton visitor Wednesday last.

Mr. John Wagner is making improvements to his Sugar Hill property.

Mr. S. Hudson Vaughan, of Atlantic City, was a visitor Wednesday last.

Mr. Thomas Smallwood is improving his Farnum Avenue cottage by repainting.

Mrs. Isabella Corson and Miss Anna Corson spent the Easter holidays at the seashore.

Mr. Henry Burley sends best regards from Geneva, Florida, to his many friends here.

Fine cakes, pies and candy will be on sale this afternoon at the High School Building.

Mrs. Anna Bergenthal, of Cass, W. Va., is here on an extended visit as the guest of her mother.

Mr. Frederick Trueman, of Union Hill, N. J., spent the Easter weekend with his sister.

The Board of Regents is composed of the Governor, the Chancellor, and the six lay members of the Court of Errors and Appeals.

Mr. John Pratt, of this place, who was convicted of a charge of extorting money from a road contractor, Harry May, of Atlantic City, was sentenced at the same time for conspiracy in the affair but sentence has never been passed.

John Zeller, former Democratic Sheriff of Hammonton, is home after a vacation.

Boys under sixteen and women will not be required to take out licenses. Neither will anglers in salt waters, though the bounds distinguishing salt from fresh waters are not defined. Sportsmen now look for the repeat before January 1 next.

An amendment was made Wednesday by the Commission that no attempt will be made to enforce the law except in streams stocked by the State. As the Commission has liberalized game fish in the Great Egg Harbor River and Lake Lemape, it appears from this that anglers, if the law is not repeated, will come under its provisions.

The statement issued by the commission was as follows:

"It was the judgment of the commissioners of the board that, inasmuch as the State has not stocked the tide waters of the State with fish, the new law should only be enforced in respect to those streams, lakes and ponds which have been or may hereafter be stocked at the expense of the State."

"Also that because of the concurrent jurisdiction exercised by this State and the State of Pennsylvania over the Delaware River under laws enacted by the respective states, that the new law should not be enforced in the Delaware River throughout its entire length."

The ambiguity of these two rulings of the commission is such that an understanding of them is almost impossible. It is thought that the first paragraph of the statement issued by the commission means that it proposes to enforce the law in fresh waters actually stocked with fish produced by the State.

In this paragraph the commission says it has not stocked tide waters, and then goes on to say that the law shall be enforced only in streams, lakes and ponds which have been or may hereafter be stocked at the expense of the State. All of this conflicting dictum is laid down in a single sentence. Just what conclusion there is between the first half of the sentence and the last is difficult to determine.

It is assumed that the fish and game commission by the first paragraph of its statement attempts to gather to itself the power to select just what waters of the State shall be stocked, thus leaving anglers to do their fishing just where the commission shall choose to dictate.

Mr. Julius Kraus, of May's Landing, was a visitor Tuesday last.

Mrs. Margaret Snyder is home from Pittsburg visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder.

Mr. Edward Gibson has gone to Ocean City where he has secured employment as a carpenter.

Mr. Harry Jeffcott, of Philadelphia, was the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. C. Nugent, over Easter.

James Gibson has accepted a position on a large poultry farm at Palermo, N. J., for the summer.

Mr. A. E. Seidel has returned to his home after spending the winter in Philadelphia with relatives.

Frederick and August Seidel spent the Easter holidays here as the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Seidel.

Mr. Theodore Herleit has sold his farm property to Harry Tasche, of New York City. Mr. Herleit and family have moved to Jersey City.

Mr. Samuel Stahl and Miss Mary Chaloupka were united in marriage Saturday last at the bride's home by Rev. William Grimes of the Tuckahoe M. E. Church.

Robert L. Warke to Henry M. Warke and Rosalie Warke, \$25 personal, \$2,800 real estate, Phillipine C. Allen to Theodore Allen, \$10 real estate.

Letters of administration granted in the following estates:

Wm. Admitto to Walter Foster, \$1,200 per month, \$2,000 real estate.

Oliver M. Gandy to Lydia L. Gandy, less than \$100 personal.

J. T. B. Smith to Mary E. Smith, \$4,000 real estate.

Robert L. Warke to Henry M. Warke and Rosalie Warke, \$25 personal, \$2,800 real estate, Phillipine C. Allen to Theodore Allen, \$10 real estate.

Letters of administration granted in the following estates:

William Foster to Walter Foster, \$1,200 per month, \$2,000 real estate.

State of Antonio Marti; petition for removal of executor and other thorson.

Estate of Thomas J. Brown; petition that citation be served on Margaret Brown, execatrix, requiring her to file an inventory and account.

Those who argue private questions on street corners at night should observe well that neighboring windows are closed or their secrets will be scattered.

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1914.

SENTENCES REDUCED BY BOARD OF PAROONS

LEGAL CONTROVERSY OVER FISHING LICENSE LAW

May Be Declared Unconstitutional—
Not Effective This Year.

Anglers who are indignant over the enactment of the new measure compelling fishermen to take out fishing licenses have hopes that the obnoxious law will never be enforced. According to reports from Trenton, it will not go into effect until January 1, 1915, and by that time a more considerate legislature may repeal it.

Lawyers are of the opinion that the new law is unconstitutional because it embraces two objects in one, which is contrary to general practice. According to the provisions of the new statute, a resident's license costing \$1.00 will be good for either hunting or fishing, while non-residents have to take out both kinds. This feature, some declare, will not be upheld by the court.

Boys under sixteen and women will not be required to take out licenses. Neither will anglers in salt waters, though the bounds distinguishing salt from fresh waters are not defined. Sportsmen now look for the repeat before January 1 next.

Several new members have been enroled in the Board of Trade.

The Women's Political Union held a meeting Tuesday evening last.

Lawyer William E. Phillips, of this place, has taken no office in the bar.

The Civic Club held a Willow-ware Tea Tuesday evening last in Bremer's Hall.

The need of better facilities for public meetings has been discussed recently by civic organizations.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Verner have been enroled in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Jeanne Simon, widow of Claus Simon, who died at Gloucester, was buried last week in Greenmount Cemetery.

Harry J. Klein, attorney to Howard Wesley et al. in suit, \$2,200, \$200, North of Atlantic Ave. and 50 ft. West of Delaware Ave. \$100.

George H. Adams attorney to Colonial Inv. Co., \$100, 20 ft. East-side of Hudson Ave. \$100.

Mathilde C. Belts to Philip R. Enders, \$2,500, 20 ft. East-side of Buffalo Ave. \$200, South of Atlantic Ave. \$100.

Alfred Gillison et al. to William Bray, \$2,500, 20 ft. West-side of Madison Ave. \$200.

Howard L. Landis Imp. Co. to Reuben R. Fox, \$2,500, 20 ft. East-side of Green St. \$2,250, North of Buffalo Ave. \$1.

Townsend-Harris Co. to Mark S. Stimpf, \$2,500, 20 ft. North of South of Oakdale Ave. \$2,200, 6 ft. West of Atlantic Ave. and 50 ft. South of Madison Ave. \$100.

Alfred Gillison et al. to Joseph E. Stepp, \$2,500, 20 ft. West-side of Swarthmore Ave. \$2,250, North of Atlantic Ave. etc. \$1.

Howard L. Landis Imp. Co. to Louis F. Fox, \$2,500, 20 ft. East-side of Atlantic Ave. and East-side of Buffalo Ave. \$1.

Townsend-Harris Co. to Mark S. Stimpf, \$2,500, 20 ft. North of South of Oakdale Ave. \$2,200, 6 ft. West of Atlantic Ave. and 50 ft. South of Madison Ave. \$100.

Daniel A. Ahern to Margaret Ahern, \$2,500, 20 ft. North of South of Oakdale Ave. \$2,200, North of Atlantic Ave. etc. \$1.

Charlotte Lippincott et al. to James D. Pasquale, \$2,500, 20 ft. beginning at a stake for a corner in West-side of 5th St. \$100, North of Atlantic Ave. etc. \$1.

David Johnson et al. to the Ventnor Standard Bank, \$2,500, 20 ft. intersection North side of Atlantic Ave. and East side of Surrey Place. \$100, 40 ft.

Howard G. Harris et al. to Colonial Inv. Co. \$3,000, 20 ft. West-side of Hudson Ave. \$2,200, North of Atlantic Ave. etc. \$100.

Joseph A. Meloney et al. et al. to Colonial Inv. Co. 1,000 ft. \$2,500, South-side of Spring Lane, 70 ft. East of Connecticut Ave. etc. \$100.

Victor S. Fisher et al. to Colonial Inv. Co. \$2,500, 20 ft. East-side of Summer Ave. \$2,250, South of Madison Ave. \$100.

Howard L. Campbell et al. to H. G. Harris & Co. 1,000 ft. West-side of Victor Place, \$100, North of Ventnor Ave. \$1.

Howard Blackman et al. to Louis F. Fox, \$2,500, 20 ft. North of Ventnor Ave. \$1.

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Local Points of Interest.

Cotton mill of the May's Landing Water Power Co., on Little May's Landing. Charles Kems, Superintendent. Manufactures cotton towel ing, etc., employs 250 hands.

Plant of the Atlantic Brick Manufacturing Co., one-half mile on the Pleasantville boulevard. Fine pressed brick. Employs about one hundred hands.

Cranberry bog of McKeepeen & Co., more than one thousand acres in extent, on the Egg Harbor City boulevard, about one mile from May's Landing. Charles D. McKeepeen, Super. May's Landing Cranberry Co., Gloucester, Mass. Fine cranberries in process of manufacture.

County Jail and Offices of the Surrogate and County Clerk, Court House, Daniel F. Vaughan, Custodian.

Lake Lengau, artificial, and Lengau Falls, Remained for beauty and a favorite fishing ground for pike and pickerel. Boating and bathing.

Great Egg Harbor River, flowing Southwest eighteen miles to the Great Egg Harbor Bay. Once sailed by freighters, the signs of old ship yards still evident. Long shores. Picturesque and a favorite stream for motor-boats. Good fishing and bathing.

Publie water supply station. Water per cent pure. From a well it is more than two hundred feet deep. Sixteen thousand hundred and twenty feet high, with fifty five pound pressure. Cost \$10,000.

Industrial Park and public swimming, adjoin-

ing Court grounds on May's Landing.

High School, First 200 Avon, Egg Harbor, Principal.

First National Bank Main St., Egg Harbor, Morse, Cashier. Deposits \$100,000. President, Charles D. McKeepeen.

May's Landing School Street. Home of the Grammar School, Primary and Girls' High School. Post, G. A. W.

Freeholders Committee.

Fitzgerald, W. L., Black, Samuel, Whitehead, Fred, Wetmore, E. F., Dugay, J. W.,

Stevenson, C. C., F. S., S. J., Robert, Fitz-

gerald.

Alysium, A. R., Smith, A. T., H. H., John,

Worthington, F. A., Hart, C. K., Johnson,

Roads, G. B., Hart, C. K., Johnson, J. K.,

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