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**Meck, Charles S.**, of the firm of Roberts and Meck, wholesale stationers, was born in New Bloomfield, Perry County, Pa., February 16, 1865, son of **Joseph H.** and **Catherine (Sheaffer) Meck**, both natives of Perry County, and residents of Harrisburg since 1865. His father is employed in' the State printing office. He served in the army during the late war. His children are: **Charles S.**, **Warren Z.**, **Zelda M.** and **Frank L.** **Charles S.**, when an infant of nine months, was brought by his parents to Harrisburg. He received his education in the public and high schools, and in the business college of this city. When he had finished the course of studies in the public schools, he entered the office of Boyd & Co., coal dealers, beginning as office boy and advancing from one position to another, finally reaching the position of assistant bookkeeper. He continued in the employment of this firm for eighteen years, during which time he completed his education by night study and attendance at the Commercial College. After leaving Boyd & Co., he formed the firm of Charles S. Meck & Co., and started in the wholesale stationery business, continuing from July 1, 1890, to April 1, 1891, when the firm of Roberts & Meck was formed, which does an extensive business, reaching out over the greater part of the State, and extending into the adjoining States. **Mr. Meck** was married, in Harrisburg, March 8, 1894, to **Miss Flora A. Staffer**, daughter of **Daniel H.** and **Sarah (Anderson) Staffer**, natives of York County; the former died October 29, 1895, while the latter survives, and lives in Harrisburg. **Mr.** and **Mrs. Meck** have one son, **Robert S.** In his political views he is a Republican. He attends the Fourth Street Church of God.