

Notes

Yesterday was a rainy day. Cow loose in the court yard. Politics are getting extremely hot now.

Heavy frosts nearly every night now. The brown leaves are now ready to fall. Winter will be here one of these fine days.

New side walk in front of Powell & Kime's store. Pleasant weather Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Freight traffic does not seem to decrease on the P. & E. R. R. Wallace Morgester has opened a grocery on the corner next the bakery.

Sheriff Oyster has a story in this issue, the sequel of which will be told at the November term of court. J. W. Morgester keeps oysters by the quart or count.

Pig chase on Centre street last Monday. If there is anything in the world that will arouse a neighborhood that thing is a pig chase. Why should Republicans vote for John G. Hall when they have just as good a man of their own?

Ladies, have the Star treadle attached to your sewing machine if you want to live long and be happy. Sold by E. K. Gresh, Ridgway, Pa. A Sunday school institute will be held at Brookwayville, on October 29, 30 and 31st.

The neat picket fence built by J. S. Hyde in front of the T. A. Neill property recently purchased by him, adds greatly to the appearance of Zion's hill. Republican Mass Meeting at the Court house on Monday evening next.

The Greenback meeting at the court house, last Monday evening, was well attended, the court room being crowded to its utmost capacity. A number of ladies were present.

The Ohio Election.

FULL OFFICIAL RETURNS FROM THE STATE—THE REPUBLICAN MAJORITY. CINCINNATI, Oct. 16.—In the recent election in Hamilton county the official returns give Barnes (Rep.) for Secretary of State, 1,164 majority; White (Rep.) for Judge of the Supreme Court, 1,080 majority; Paul (Rep.), for the Board of Public Works, 1,195; Butterworth (Rep.), for Congress, First district, 720 majority. Young (Rep.), for Congress, Second district, 974 majority.

On the county ticket Judge Watson (Dem.), for the Probate Court, is elected by 93 majority. Kellerman (Dem.), for Director of the Infirmary, 25 majority. The Republicans elect their own candidates, with the possible exception of Prosecuting Attorney, which hinges on a decision respecting the tally sheet of Precinct C, Fourth ward.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 16.—Full official returns from all the counties give the following as the total vote cast for each candidate: FOR SECRETARY OF STATE. Barnes, Republican, 274,420; Peige, Democrat, 270,996; Roy, National, 28,282; Robinson, Prohibitionist, 2,874.

Barnes' majority, 3,424. The returns also show the election of eleven Democratic and nine Republican congressmen, as follows: Dist. Name, Maj. Dist. Name, Maj. 1. Butterfield, R. 750 11. Dickey, D. 1,028

Third Class Mail Matter. The United States mail service, like that of Germany and other continental countries, seems destined in time to do a large part of the business now transacted by the various express companies. This will be accompanied by the new system of registering third class mail matter, which includes almost everything except written matter, and which will give facilities long withheld from the people of this country.

The registration fee required on third-class matter is 70 cents in addition to the postage required on the article sent, the charge for which is determined by weight. This fee is designed simply to cover the cost of registration, which furnishes the sender with evidence that the package has been forwarded and assures for it the extra care given to all registered matter. The new system, therefore, enables people to send packages by mail with precisely the same advantages as by express.

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John G. Hall says he is sure of being elected. If this is true why does he ask Republicans to vote for him? ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.—Fire-arms are dangerous playthings for children. A little ten-year old boy of this place, son of Sheriff Pentz, became possessed of a revolver one day last week, and while he and some companions were shooting with it last Saturday, a ball passed through the fleshy part of his hand and struck another little fellow in the side, passing through the clothing and just grazing the flesh.

The Recorder of the City.

Philadelphia North American, Oct. 18. The office of Recorder of Philadelphia has always been subject to appointment by the Governor of the Commonwealth. As one of the curial results of this, it is especially worthy of remembrance that during the entire life time of the Whig party this staunch Whig city never had a Whig recorder! The old city always elected Whig mayors and councilmen, but always had a Democratic recorder.

For a period of forty consecutive years the office of Recorder of Philadelphia was filled by Democratic incumbents. They had no salary, no appropriation for office expenses, no provision for clerks or other dependents. Yet they managed to make the office so valuable that the control of it became an object in local politics. The recorder had both civil and criminal jurisdiction, and as his office was always in Chestnut street, or in the commercial centre, the business of the court was large and lucrative. He was not subject to any supervision whatever. He did as he chose, and he was not accountable to any one for his receipts and expenditures.

There were many dark and devious ways in which a Democratic recorder could serve his party. All the criminal elements of his party could be held in leash by an officer who could only be removed by legislative impeachment; and thus, while the Whigs held the old city firmly, the Democrats most of the time managed to control the county. In the changes of time the Republican city of Philadelphia has had one Republican recorder for a ten years' term, and now has another. The tenure of the office is not changed in the least. It is precisely the same that it was during the whole forty years of Democratic sway.

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How Do You Vote? "The freeman casting with unpurchased hand, The vote that shakes the turrets of the land." "That's the question" that agitates now the public mind, especially that portion represented in the names of the numerous nominees of the different party organizations now struggling for the mastery in the fierce battle now waging, which shall continue to wax hotter and hotter, till the accidental 5th of November shall have decided the issues of this memorable campaign, this triangular fight by the free ballots of free men.

Among the rights covered by the word liberty is the sacred right of suffrage—a right guaranteed by our constitution to every male citizen who has passed the age of twenty-one years and has subscribed to certain conditions enjoined by law. In that right he has the choice, when not intimidated by force of circumstances or force of arms to cast his vote with that party and for those men who in his honest judgment are best calculated to conduct the affairs of government the most intelligently and honestly.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in and by the 13th section of the Act of General Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed July 2, 1869, entitled "An Act relating to the elections of the Commonwealth," it is enjoined on the Sheriff of every county to give notice of such elections to be held, and to enumerate in such notice what officers are to be elected, in pursuance thereof, D. C. OYSTER, High Sheriff of the county of Elk, do therefore make known and give this public notice to the electors of said county of Elk that a general election will be held in said county on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH, 1878, (it being the first Tuesday of the month) for the purpose of electing the following officers, to-wit: One person for Governor of the Commonwealth. One person for Lieutenant Governor. One person for Supreme Judge. One person for Secretary of Internal Affairs. One person for member of Congress from the 20th district composed of the counties of Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Union, Mifflin and Elk.

One person for State Senate from the 38th district composed of the counties of Cameron, Clarion, Elk and Forest. One person for member of Assembly. One person for Prothonotary, &c. Three persons for County Commissioners. Three persons for County Auditors. And the qualified electors of the county of Elk will hold their elections in the several districts, as follows: Benetize township, at the house of Elizabeth W. Winters, on the Elk creek bridge.

Fox township, at the Centreville school house. Highland township, at the house of Levi Ellithorpe. Horton township, at the school house, near D. C. Oyster's hotel. Jay township, at the house of Alfred Peard. Jones township, at the Wilcox Tanning and Lumber Company's office. Millstone township, at the house of Henry Derr, at Barr's Dam. Ridgway township, at the court house. Spring Creek township, at the house of Thos. Irwin.

St. Mary's borough, at the town hall. I also make known that the following Act regulating the mode of voting at elections in the several counties of this Commonwealth, approved March 30th, 1869, SECTION 5. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the qualified electors of the several counties of the Commonwealth, at all general, township, borough and special elections, are hereby authorized and required to vote, by tickets printed or written, or partly printed and partly written, severally, classified as follows: One ticket shall embrace the names of all judges of courts voted for, and to be labeled outside "Judiciary;" one ticket shall embrace the names of all State officers to be voted for, and be labeled "State;" one ticket shall embrace the names of all county officers to be voted for, and be labeled "County;" etc., and each class shall be deposited in a separate ballot box.

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