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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

- Judge of Supreme Court, J. HAY BROWN, Lancaster. Judge of Superior Court, JOHN I. MITCHELL, Tioga county. State Treasurer, LT.-COL. JAMES E. BARNETT, Washington County. For Sheriff, J. D. SWOPE, Shippen. For County Commissioners, E. W. GASKILL, Shippen. CHARLES GLEASON, Driftwood. For County Auditors, CHAS. L. BUTLER, Emporium. WM. H. LOGUE, Gibson.

Even the train robbing business seems to share in the general prosperity.

The Democrats might have some substantial additions to their campaign fund by selling those anti-expansion documents to the junk dealer.

Bryan is needed in Texas at once. Ex-Governor Hogg of Texas has declared that it is the duty of this country to "shoot h-l out of the Filipinos."

His Democratic friends will presumably be sorry to hear that Aguinaldo's plan for a rising among the lower classes in Manila, was detected and suppressed last week.

Democratic politicians in their greed for office will hardly be able to stampede the voters of this enlightened country by going about at this late day setting up "King George III" scarecrows.

It is safe to assume that Admiral Dewey will not do anything to make himself ridiculous in the eyes of the country when it comes to the consideration of his name for the presidency.

Your Duty.

We know that most of the Press readers are too busy with their work to realize that an important election is rapidly approaching and that on Tuesday, Nov. 7th, they will be called upon to again cast their ballots for the party of their principles.

Prosperity and plenty has come to this grand of grandest countries after years of distress, suffering and soup houses—the child of free trade Democratic rule under Grover Cleveland. Honest voter of Cameron county calmly ask yourself the question: "Which do I prefer; a return to those times made possible by electing the Democratic ticket in Pennsylvania and thereby encourage the cheap-money Bryan—Altgeld—Aguinaldo party in their warfare against President McKinley, or do I desire a continuance of the prosperity now enjoyed by the whole people of the United States in a degree never before known in this or any other country?"

This is a question to be decided, not upon partizan lines, but for the good and happiness of these people. The contest in this State this year decides whether this great era of prosperity shall continue; decides whether the patriotic and unselfish policy of President McKinley shall be endorsed by Pennsylvania. Let the verdict be in tones so unmistakable that the aiders and abettors of those who are engaged in the warfare against our honorable President may read whilst they run. Pennsylvania will be true to its past record. What will you, Cameron county Republicans, and Democrats, do? You are the bosses—you are the dictators of your own consciences—or ought to be.

Ponder carefully the signs of the times and be men. Stand up for those ennobling principles that have given us the bravest men and the grandest party ever known in history. Vote an X at the head of the first column in the ballot Nov. 7th, and you will have fulfilled the highest and most honorable duty of an American citizen.

John I. Mitchell for Superior Court.

The Republican State Committee met at Philadelphia last Saturday to fill the vacancy on the Republican state ticket caused by the resignation of Josiah R. Adams. Judge John I. Mitchell, of Wellsboro, was nominated by acclamation for the position. John I. Mitchell formerly represented Cameron county in Congress, when this county formed a part of the Tioga district. It 1881 he was elected to the United States Senate and was subsequently elected President Judge of Tioga county, to which position he was last year re-elected without opposition, his name being placed on both tickets. Judge Mitchell is a life-long friend of Gov. Stone, who urged his nomination.

It is a significant fact that Gompers, the head of the Federation of Labor, is not only opposed to further anti-trust legislation of any kind, but is convinced that the government is not capable of preventing the legitimate development of natural concentration of industry.

A Demand for Fair Play.

It is never wise to allow political prejudice or passion to make editors or political orators run away from the truth. Colonel Barnett served as lieutenant-colonel of the gallant Tenth regiment in the Philippines from the time of its organization until its return to receive the hearty applause of the patriotic people.

During part of the period of its service Colonel Barnett was in immediate command of the regiment because of the serious and fatal illness of Colonel Hawkins, and no imputation was ever made against his courage that reached the public.

It is entirely safe to assume, and all fair-minded men will assume, that a soldier who served with a regiment conspicuous for its gallantry without criticism from his men or from the public, can't be charged with cowardice a few days before the election at which he is to be voted for as a candidate.

There are two reasons why the accusation of Colonel Barnett dodging the enemy will fall to the ground if it does not recoil against the accusers and their cause. The brave men of the heroic Tenth would not have permitted a coward to command them, and the fact that the imputation of cowardice was invested just on the eve of the election and given to the public for the first time, will be accepted as conclusive that the imputation of cowardice is a mere campaign invention.

It is entirely proper to urge any political objections to Colonel Barnett's election as State Treasurer or to criticize his general character or fitness for the office, but partisan zeal greatly outstrips discretion when it waits until an election is at hand, and then charges him with cowardice without any intimation as to when or where he ever exhibited a lack of courage. Fair play is not only just, but it is good politics as well.

The Republican Ticket.

Two weeks from to-morrow Pennsylvania will go to the polls. The Republican party presents a ticket that it is proud of. The Democrats say that the issue is purely local. Very well, be it so. Can the Republican ticket be matched, says the Philadelphia Inquirer?

There is Hay Brown for Judge of the Supreme Court. He is known in every county. Is there a word to be said against him?

There is James E. Barnett, the gallant commander of the fighting Tenth Regiment, the candidate for State Treasurer. Has any one dared to bring a charge against him? Yes. He is a Republican and a soldier. That is his crime. And so they place against him William T. Creasy, who is neither a Republican nor a soldier, and they say of Creasy—what? Why, he is honest. He may be. He undoubtedly is. But was he yet dared to breathe a suspicion of the honesty of Colonel Barnett.

And then there is John I. Mitchell for Superior Court Judge. We fancy that there is not even an "insurgent" who would care to assail Judge Mitchell. His life has been an open book. Was raised on a farm, taught school, studied law was three years district attorney of Tioga county, went to war for a year, was five years in the Legislature, served four years in the National House of Representatives, and for six years United States Senator, and for the past ten years has been President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Tioga. He was re-elected last November. Where is the man who is going to say that Judge Mitchell is not worthy of a seat on the bench of the Superior Court?

If there is a Republican who cannot vote that ticket he ought to be ashamed of his association with the Republican party.

"Oh! but it is a State issue," cries Candidate Creasy. "The Treasury has been robbed."

Has it? When? "But I'll be honest," he says. "Indeed, Will not Barnett be honest? "Yes, but if I am elected," declares Creasy, "I'll show the books. I will obey the law."

But the law is obeyed, and strictly according to the letter, too. What more, it is a Republican law. The man who goes upon the stump to-day and claims that the State Treasury is run corruptly is a fool, a knave, a deliberate falsifier or a person so ignorant that he ought to keep a guardian by his side continually. The books are open to the public. Every entry is public property. No business on the face of the earth is conducted more openly and above board than is the business of the State Treasurer.

Pennsylvania will be expected to fall into line with the States that believe in prosperity, patriotism and peace, and support McKinley. There

can be no question of the loyalty of Pennsylvania. This great state will elect Brown and Mitchell and it will prefer Barnett, the man who fought Spain and Aguinaldo, to Creasy, who fights for Aguinaldo by opposing those who gave battle to him.

Rich Valley.

Splendid weather these days. A good many of the Valley folks are attending court this week.

Rev. Redett and wife have returned home from visiting in Potter county.

We notice, while passing by, that Frank J. Lewis has erected a new barn.

The farmers are all gathering their crops with the merry plow whistles in their mouths.

E. W. Taylor is looking after H. J. Lewis' job, while the latter attends court this week.

We notice the mountains are on fire near the mouth of North Creek. Persons should be careful of fire especially near bark slashings.

How is the bass fishing down the river? Ask V. L., L. L., or M. C. and they will tell you to stay at home or you will come back empty handed.

We hear some complain of the Valley being dead but when you get near the middle ward you will hear the big and little horns blowing in more than one direction.

Lyman Lewis and wife, Frank and John Lewis were called to Gardeau one day last week, on account of the sudden illness of their sister, Mrs. Ballard. Glad to hear she's much better at this writing.

Henry Goff and wife, who have been residing at Cross Forks for some time have returned to the Valley. Mr. Goff is engaged in making ties for C. B. Howard & Company, on Cook Run.

The gunners are quite plenty in our forests at present. We noticed one of Emporium's esteemed citizens in the Valley the other day after birds—John D. Logan. He had the game when he started home.

Sizerville.

School vacation now over. The Heading factory has put on steam and is putting out lots of stock.

The shot gun is constantly heard all through this neck of the woods.

D. Burlingame captured an opossum last week—a rare animal in these parts.

Rev. Sleep, is holding a series of revival meetings at the Sizerville school house.

The beautiful weather and the golden hued foliage of woods, makes a grand picture.

Mrs. H. C. Crawford and daughter made her husband and son a visit on Saturday and Sunday last.

Miss Birdie Taggart has a music class here. Her winning ways and musical talent make her a prime favorite.

As the train was passing to Buffalo, yesterday, we noticed a face at the window that recalled pleasant memories of twenty years ago.

Messrs. Widman and Norris, of the Heading Company were here looking over their interests. They are very sociable gentlemen.

Master Ed. Sizer has a bran new piano. He says he wished it had been a new shot gun instead. Charley Weller says: "Dat ish de Boy of it."

Conductor Earl tells us he has to do the night, day and Sunday act on the Hill since the hard coal trade commenced. An evidence of prosperity.

Mr. B. N. Thompson and wife, of Lancaster, N. Y., are taking their vacation here. Tompy, as he is familiarly called, is an all around man in (size) as well as a good salesman—musician, chicken roaster, and story teller.

OLD KIT.

John Snyder, of St. Marys, was in town Monday.

E. H. Lininger had business in Sterling Run Friday.

Fred Morse transacted business at Emporium Saturday.

Dan Sullivan is carry the mail. We only get two mails a day now.

Fred Schwab of Johnsonburg was in town Monday looking after business.

J. R. Fetter and family of Emporium, were visiting relatives in town Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Clark of Johnsonburg is visiting John Clark and family this week.

Adam Ritchey was taken to the Williamsport Hospital Friday morning for treatment. He has been sick for several weeks past.

Discovered by a Woman. Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly, and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking the first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hammick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at L. Taggart's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

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Election Proclamation.

WHEREAS, by an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to amend an Act to regulate the election and nomination of public officers, requiring certain expenses incident thereto, to be paid by the several counties and publishing certain notices in regard to such elections" approved the 26th day of June, 1895, it is made the duty of the Sheriff of every county to give notice of every general election to be held therein, and in such notice to enumerate the officers to be elected, to give a list of all the nominations to be voted for in said county and to designate the places at which the election is to be held.

Therefore I, FRANK MUNDY, High Sheriff of Cameron county, do hereby make known and proclaim to the qualified electors of Cameron county that a general election will be held on THURSDAY the SEVENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1899, (being the Tuesday next following the first Monday) in the several districts of said county, as follows:

The place for holding the election for the Township of Shippen shall be at the building of the late J. S. Wiley, east of Portage wagon road in said Township.

For the West Ward of the borough of Emporium, at the Rink in said Ward.

For the Middle Ward of the Borough of Emporium, at the City Hall in said Ward.

For the East Ward of the borough of Emporium, at the Hose House in said Ward.

For the Township of Portage, at the Bath House building on the premises of E. D. Sizer.

For the Township of Lumber at the Alpine House.

For the Township of Gibson at the house of Julia Dent.

For the Borough of Driftwood, at Commercial House.

For the Township of Grove at the Hotel of Joe. M. Shaffer.

At which time and place the qualified electors will vote by ballot for the following officers to be elected, namely:

One person for State Treasurer. Two persons for Judges of the Supreme Court. One person for Judge of the Superior Court. One person for Sheriff.

Three persons for County Commissioners. Three persons for County Auditor. The following being a list of all the nominations made to be voted for in the said County of Cameron:

REPUBLICAN.

State Treasurer—James E. Barnett. Judge of the Supreme Court—Hay Brown. Judge of the Superior Court—John I. Mitchell. Sheriff—John D. Swope. County Commissioners—Everett W. Gaskill, Charles Gleason. County Auditors—Charles L. Butler, William H. Logue.

DEMOCRATIC.

State Treasurer—William T. Creasy. Judge of the Supreme Court—S. Leslie Mestretzat. Judge of the Superior Court—Charles J. Reilly. Sheriff—Moses Minard. County Commissioners—Augustus F. Vogt, Alexander W. Mason. County Auditors—Michael Brennan, Thomas W. Snyder.

PROHIBITION.

State Treasurer—John M. Caldwell. Judge of the Supreme Court—Agis Ricketts. Judge of the Superior Court—Harold L. Robinson.

PEOPLE'S.

State Treasurer—Justus Watkins. Judge of the Supreme Court—John H. Stevenson. Judge of the Superior Court—Nathan L. Atwood.

SOCIALIST-LABOR.

State Treasurer—Samuel Clark. Judge of the Supreme Court—Donald L. Munro. Judge of the Superior Court—Val. Rimmel.

UNION REFORM.

State Treasurer—Samuel D. Wood. Judge of the Supreme Court—John H. Stevenson.

BRYAN ANTI-TRUST.

State Treasurer—William T. Creasy. Judge of the Supreme Court—S. Leslie Mestretzat. Judge of the Superior Court—Charles J. Reilly.

Notice is hereby given that every person, excepting Justices of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether commissioned officer or otherwise a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary department of this State, or of the United States, or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every Member of Congress and of the State Legislature and of the Select or Common Council of any city, or Commissioner of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for except that of an election officer.

Sheriff's Office, FRANK MUNDY, Sheriff. Emporium, Pa., Oct. 23rd, 1899.

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF UNSEATED LANDS IN CAMERON COUNTY.

AGREEABLE to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided, the Commissioners of the County of Cameron hereby give notice that on TUESDAY, 31st day of October, 1899, at 1:00 o'clock, p. m., they will sell at public sale at the Court House in Emporium, Pa., or any part or parts of the following described lands, which have been purchased for the use of the county of Cameron, and are now held by it: UNSEATED.

Table with columns: No., Acres, Warrant, or Owner, Township. Includes entries for 1407, 1390, 1389, 1199, 1407, 4048, 1144, 5457, 5469, 5489, 4839, 1389.

ALL that certain piece or lot of land situated in Lumber township, Cameron county, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post corner on the east side of the public road and in the south line of F. Shaffer's farm, and running east sixty (60) rods to line of Penna. Joint Lumber & Land Company lands; thence south four (4) degrees, east to lands formerly owned by Washington Mason; thence west about sixty (60) rods to the east side of the public road; thence along the public road westerly to place of beginning, containing thirty (30) acres, be the same more or less.

One Lot, L. P. Hancock, Portage township. All that certain piece of land situated in the township of Portage, county of Cameron, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a post on the east line of the Buffalo, New York & Philadelphia Railroad, being the northwestern corner of a lot flooded by L. B. Jones to C. Moulten; thence north by the said east line of said railroad five (5) rods to a post; thence east ten (10) rods to a post; thence south five (5) rods to a post; thence west ten (10) rods to the place of beginning, containing fifty (50) square rods of land, be the same more or less.

CHAS. GLEASON, E. W. GASKILL, A. F. VOGT, Commissioners.

Attest—FRANKLIN HESLER, Clerk, Emporium, Pa., Sept. 28th, 1899.

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