

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

HERE, THERE AND THE OTHER PLACE.

The Portage station money-drawer was robbed of \$15 last Saturday.

Sixty-three tickets to Ebensburg were sold for the celebration of the centennial of the independence of the United States.

A young man has been injured by a horse in the neighborhood of Johnstown.

A new road between Chest Springs and Altoona gives much satisfaction to the people of those places.

A black horse which measured 13 inches in height at the withers was sold last Friday by Mr. Low, Rodgers.

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The dead body of an infant was found in a sink attached to the residence of a gentleman at Baker's Furnace, Blair county, Sunday afternoon, and a young woman employed in the family of the gentleman admitted to have made way with the child in order to conceal the traces of her crime.

Our townsmen Mr. Geo. Hensley, whose place of business is on High street, tells us and we tell our readers that he has on hand a few choice musical selections, and horse-races which he will dispose of at a bargain. A lot of horse hay-forks, worth \$10 each, will be sold by the same gentleman at \$5 each. He who is in quest of a bargain in agricultural implements will go amiss if he goes elsewhere than to Mr. Hensley's.

Miss Amelia, a daughter of our late friend and patron, Mr. Alver Akers, of the firm of Messrs. Mattell, Conrad, & Company, has been married to a young man of Prospect, departed for Altoona at noon on Wednesday with the crowd intending of entering the "Mother House" of the Sisters of Charity in that city and in due time becoming members of that far famed and highly commendable order. May Heaven crown with success their self-sacrificing aspirations.

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A NOMINATING CONVENTION THAT DIDN'T NOMINATE.—In pursuance of the published call of Gen. Joseph McDonald, Chairman of the Democratic Committee of Cambria county, the delegates elected last Saturday at the election of the Democratic Convention, assembled in the Court House, Ebensburg, at 10 o'clock Monday afternoon of this week. Each and every borough, ward and township was fully represented.

Chairman McDonald called the assembly to order in a brief but well-timed speech, after which the following named Secretaries of the Democratic Convention, viz: John H. Hays, Esq., of West township, Chairman; Charles W. Taylor, of White township, Secretary; and Michael Sweeney, of Cambria borough, and Michael Sweeney, of Cambria borough, were appointed to take charge of the proceedings.

The several delegates thereupon handed in their credentials, when the list was made up as follows:

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At 4:30 o'clock, after some good balloting, which, as usual, promised nothing final, a motion was passed that all parties to the Democratic Convention, consisting of delegates and representatives of the press, the outsiders squatted loudly when they saw that their work was performed to their company, but they were obliged to retire, the door being locked after them and Deputy Sheriff Slesmer taking charge of the key.

At 4:40 o'clock, a resolution was passed to a successful vote, and in connection with the 2nd ballot, the name of the lowest candidate should be dropped from the list. But the result of the vote was not ascertained until that such a rule would not and could not be made to work.

Subsequent to the result of the four final ballots taken:

- Wagon..... 71 72 73 74 Kirk..... 28 29 30 31 Linton..... 2 3 4 5 Myers..... 1 2 3 4 Taylor..... 1 2 3 4

The hour of 5 o'clock had now arrived, when, on motion of Delegate Hannan, the question was taken into consideration whether or not to adjourn until the following day, the Sheriff's business for the time being and proceed to the nomination of a Poor House Director for the year 1879-80.

Mr. Kirby's delegates to an attempted application of what is commonly known as the "long law" to the effect of saying that they withdrew in a body, followed in a few moments afterward by the rest of the delegates.

On motion, the convention adjourned sine die, after the longest and most interesting of the kind that the political history of Cambria county can produce.

The precise hour of adjournment was 5:05 o'clock. The delegates who remained in session 21 hours, or thereabout, and had accomplished nothing.

It will be noticed by the result of the final ballot that all the delegates were in their seats and voted.

Another convention must as a consequence be called to transact unfinished business.

A TEMPTER IN A TEMPT.—The Johnstown Fair, which was held last week, has been a success. It was a success in every respect, and the fair was a success in every respect.

We remain, Very Respectfully, Wanamaker & Brown, The Largest Clothing House in America, OAK HALL, Sixth and Market, PHILADELPHIA.

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