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FOR PRESIDENT. ABRAHAM LINCOLN. FOR VICE PRESIDENT. ANDREW JOHNSON.

We omit a number of advertisements from to-day's paper, and also various communications and news items, to make room for new advertisements.

THE ELECTION.—We give below the official returns of Lewistown district:

Table with columns: Name, E. W., W. W., Granville, Derry, Total. Rows include Barker, Johnston, A. Reed, Hall, Haines, Christy, Walters, Balsbach, Swoope, Africa, Kearns, Wilson, Taylor, Whitehead, Weiler.

The borough not only nobly held its own, but gives Mr. Barker a larger majority than any candidate has received for years.

The Chicago Platform majorities for Congress are reported as follows: McVeytown 25, Bratton 1, (caused by a railroad colony), Oliver 42, Decatur 3, Brown 30, New Armagh 8, Menno 30.

A report from Blair gives the Union majority at only 450, which would render Congress and Senator extremely doubtful.

Philadelphia is reported at 5000 Union majority, Allegheny 7000, votes which indicate a close contest in the State.

Ohio and Indiana are reported Union by a large majority.

THE PEACE MEETING.—After a great deal of exertion on the part of the submission and peace on any terms party, the patent democracy of Mifflin, Juniata, Centre and Huntingdon counties assembled in Lewistown on Saturday last.

Whisky was of course in attendance, and played a conspicuous part in the programme. The procession as it was termed comprised as motley a group as could be scared up anywhere.

The details are given in the following dispatch from Gen. Thomas: NASHVILLE, Oct. 6—11.30 p. m. Hon. E. M. Stanton, Sec'y of War: The following telegram is just received from Chattanooga: Gen. Smith, who left that place yesterday, fifth October, telegraphs that the enemy retreated last evening from Alatoona, moving in the direction of Dallas, leaving from four to six hundred wounded in our hands.

The Resaca bridge will be repaired by tomorrow and the trains will be able to run as far as Alatoona, going via Cleveland and Dalton.

Nothing further has been heard from Sherman since my dispatch of yesterday, but the retreat of the enemy towards Dal las indicates he was close upon the rear at Alatoona.

I have not heard from Gen. Rousseau or Washburne to day, but presume they are pushing Forrest as rapidly as the condition of the roads will admit.

Gen. Morgan's advance was skirmishing with the enemy this a. m. on Span's creek, he being unable to cross the creek on account of high water.

Dean, of Philadelphia, would have been more applauded at Richmond than they were here. One of these fellows was badly taken down by a soldier, who in answer to the question who could show a gold dollar, said "I can!" And again, when the speaker with crocodile tears was deploring the high price of coffee, he was told by the same blue-coat, "Why don't you come down to the army and get the best for nothing?"

Andrew Reed, Esq., addressed a little audience at the Town Hall on Thursday evening last, in which he undertook to demonstrate that the north could not subjugate the south. Now we should like to know what Mr. Reed and other speakers mean by such language? Are they in favor of recognizing the south? If so, where is to be the division line?

MONITOR MANUFACTURING Co.—Mr. Haines we learn is now ready to receive subscriptions to this Company, the design of which we gave in our columns a few weeks ago.

WAR NEWS. Official Despatches.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7—11.40 a. m. In a recent dispatch it was mentioned that Gen. Sherman was taking measures to protect his communications from the rebel forces operating against them.

Maj. Gen. George H. Thomas was sent to Nashville to organize the troops in his district, and drive Forrest from our lines, while the attention of Gen. Sherman was directed to the movements of the main rebel army in the vicinity of Atlanta.

On the 4th of October the rebels had captured Big Shanty, but were followed up closely by Sherman. On the 6th a severe engagement was fought by our forces under Gen. Jno. E. Smith and the rebel forces under General Forrest, in which the rebels were driven from the field with heavy loss.

WOODSTOCK, Va., Oct. 9, 9 p. m. To Lieut. Gen. U. S. Grant: I have the honor to report my command at this point.

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I have destroyed over two thousand barns filled with wheat, hay and farming implements, over seventy mills filled with flour and wheat, have driven in front of the army over 400 head of stock, and have killed and issued to the troops not less than 300 sheep.

Lieut. John R. Meigs, my engineer officer, was murdered beyond Harrisonburg, near Dayton. For this atrocity all the houses within an area of 5 miles were burned.

The Alabama railroad will be repaired from here to Pulaski in one week. GEORGE H. THOMAS, Major General. Another and unofficial dispatch reports as follows: Telegraph repaired to Alatoona to-day.

A dispatch from Gen. Stevenson reports an officer of Gen. Sheridan's staff just arrived. Gen. Sheridan was still at Harrisonburg. His supply trains were going on all right, occasionally interrupted by guerrilla parties.

In the death of that gallant officer the department has occasion to deplore no ordinary loss. Last year he graduated at the military academy at West Point with the highest honors at the head of his class, was commissioned as a Lieut. of engineers, and was immediately sent into the field.

Gen. Rosecrans reports that Gen. Ewing made good his retreat to Rolla, losing only a few stragglers, and the killed and wounded by the way were very few.

Reports have been received by the War Department from Generals Butler, Sherman, Thomas, Sheridan and Burbridge, showing the favorable condition of military affairs in their respective fields of operation.

General Rousseau reports that Forrest has escaped him by crossing the Tennessee in flat boats, above and below Florence, on the 6th inst., while he (Rousseau) was detained by high water in Shoal creek and Elk river.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8—12 o'clock m. This Department has received the following reports of the enemy's assault yesterday upon Gen. Butler's line.

At 6.40 p. m., the enemy, having moved Fields' and Hoke's divisions from the left, at Chapin's Farm, around to our right, at Darbytown road, attacked with spirit Gen. Kautz's cavalry in the intrenchments, and drove him back, with small loss of men, but with the loss of his artillery.

The enemy suffered very considerable loss in this attack. The enemy then swept down the intrenchments towards Birney, who, having thrown back his right, waited their assault and repulsed it with a heavy loss on the part of the enemy.

A later dispatch says, Gen. Berry has regained Gen. Kautz's old position, and holds the enemy in the inner line of intrenchments around Richmond, extending from Darbytown road to connect with Weitzel on the left near Fort Hamilton.

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Ferry up to Harrisonburg, every train, every small party has been bushwhacked by the people, many of whom have protection papers from commanders who have been hitherto in that valley.

I have not been followed by the enemy up to this point, with the exception of a small force of rebel cavalry, that showed themselves some distance behind my rear guard to day.

A party of the 8th Ohio cavalry which I had stationed at the bridge over the mouth of the Shenandoah, near Mt. Jackson, was attacked by Gen. McNeil with 170 men while they were asleep.

I learn that fifty of them reached Winchester. McNeil was mortally wounded and fell into our hands. This was fortunate, as he was the most daring and dangerous of all the bushwhackers in this section of the country.

In coming back to this point, I was not followed up until yesterday, when a large force of cavalry appeared in my rear. I then halted my command to offer battle, by attacking the enemy.

The attack was handsomely made. Gen. Custer, commanding the 3d cavalry division, charged on the back road, and Merritt, commanding the 1st cavalry division, on the Strasburg pike.

The number of prisoners will be about 330. The enemy, after being charged by our gallant cavalry, were broken and ran. They were followed by our men on the jump, twenty-six miles, through Mount Jackson and across the north fork of the Shenandoah.

WE are indebted to Mr. Harshbarger, of the Juniata Vineyard for a box of delicious grapes, which are now in their season.

THE MARKETS. Lewistown, Oct. 12, 1864. Butter, is quoted at 35 cts.; Eggs, 20; Lard 2.00; Wool, washed, 90; prime Red Wheat, 2.00; Corn, 1.50; Rye, 1.50; Potatoes, 75; Extra Flour, per 100, 5.50; Fine 4.50; Superfine, 4.00; Family, 5.00; Salt per bbl. 5.00; Sack, 4.50; Oats, 80.

Died. In hospital, at Alexandria, Va., Sept. 10, of wounds received at the Weldon Railroad, JOHN B. MONTGOMERY, son of Wm. Montgomery, of this place, aged about 19 years.

Married. At the Lutheran parsonage, in this place, on the 6th Oct. by Rev. H. R. Fleck, ISRAEL MOYER to Miss SUSAN WILL, both of this county.

CAPTURE OF JEFF. DAVIS! GRANT IN RICHMOND. Time will make Changes. DAVID GROVE

HAVING purchased the entire stock of Nottions, Spices, Perfumery, &c., of J. F. Sturgis, in East Market street, Lewistown, two doors west of Kennedy's store, would in form his friends and the public in general that he has lately returned from the city with a variety of Goods, consisting of Coffee, clarified and brown Sugars, Syrups, New Orleans and gill Ette Molasses, Imperial and Black Teas, Brooms, Baskets, Buckets, Cocoa, Chocolate, Rice, pure Spices, Figs, Raisins, Almonds, Pea Nuts, Crackers of every kind, Spice Cakes, Tea Cakes, Sugar and Ginger Cakes, No. 1 Cheese, fine, coarse, table and dairy Salt, No. 1 and 2 Mackerel, scrubbing, clothes, blacking and whitewash Brushes, Cider and pure cider Vinegar, Twine, Ropes, Pepper, Ginger, Mustard, Sal Soda, Washing Soda, Soaps, Sims' Sulfidified Lye, for making family and country soap, Indigo, Cloves, Mace, Cinnamon, Allspice, Lemons, and a large stock of Candies, Fancy N-tions for children, and a variety of Goods not enumerated. Also, Tobacco, Cigars, Pipes, &c., all of which will be sold at reasonable prices.

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\$50 REWARD. STOLEN from the pasture field of the subscriber, in Oliver township, about 4 miles above McVeytown, on Saturday night, Oct. 8th, a heavy BLACK MARE, 4 years old, with a small white spot on each side of the neck rubbed by the collar, and a small white stripe on the forehead.

WILL be sold at public sale, at the residence of the undersigned, in Decatur township, about three miles from Lillyesville, on Thursday, Oct. 27th 1864.

REGISTRAR'S NOTICE. THE following accounts have been examined and passed by me, and remain filed on record in this office for inspection of Heirs, Legatees, Creditors, and all others in any way interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of the county of Mifflin, to be held at the Court House at Lewistown, on MONDAY, the 7th day of November, 1864.

SARAH JANE BENNETT, by her next friend, Samuel Tice, vs. BONUM G BENNETT. Alias Subp. sur Divorce. MIFFLIN COUNTY, ss. Bonum G Bennett, Greeting: Whereas, Sarah J. Bennett, by her next friend, Samuel Tice, did on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1864, prefer her petition to the honorable Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Mifflin county, praying that for the causes therein set forth, that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you, Bonum G. Bennett, we do therefore command you, as we have heretofore commanded you, the said Bonum G. Bennett, that setting aside a 1 other business you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Lewistown, at a Court of Common Pleas, there to answer the petition or libel of the said Sarah J. Bennett, your wife, who she should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided. And hereof fail not.

THREE VALUABLE FARMS FOR SALE. OFFER at private sale, on reasonable terms, my three farms, situate in Granville township, Mifflin county, Pa., to wit: No. 1. situate on the old Huntingdon pike about 1 1/2 miles from Lewistown, adjoining John Brought, containing 170 ACRES, with a two story BRICK HOUSE, Bank Barn, Tenant House, Orchard, &c., with good water.

PEREMPTORY SALE, BY ORDER OF HEIRS. Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers. SIX TRACTS LAND, WAYNE TOWNSHIP, MIFFLIN CO., PA. On Tuesday, October 25, 1864, at 12 o'clock, noon, WILL be sold at public sale, without reserve, at the Phila. Exchange, the full equal and undivided 1/16 parts of the following tracts of land, parts of most of which is covered with wood:

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No. 4. Ore Right. All the lands, lying belonging to a certain Elijah McVey, in the North Valley, in the county of Mifflin, and all the ridges bordering on the said valley, adjoining the Juniata river. Also, fifty acres of land on the ridge, adjoining the said valley above the house lately occupied by the said McVey.

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No. 10. Mineral ore right in a certain tract of land in Derry township, Mifflin county, late the property of Isaac Stride and Joseph Stride, containing two hundred acres more or less, and adjoining lands late of D. H. Hulings, esq., and others.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Catharine Ramsey, late of Armagh township, Mifflin county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned residing in said township. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

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