

The Post.

Middleburg, April, 29, 1875.

J. CROUSE, Editor & Proprietor.

FOR GOVERNOR,

JOHN F. HARTRANFT.

(Subject to the Republican State Convention.)

STATE CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the State of Pennsylvania are hereby requested to assemble by their delegates in State Convention at noon on Wednesday, the 26th day of May, 1875, in the Fulton Opera House, at the city of Lancaster, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Governor and State Treasurer. Each Representative and Senatorial District will be entitled to the same representation as it has under the present apportionment for Senators and Representatives in the Legislature.

RUSSELL EMBERT, Chairman. A. WILSON NORRIS, Secretary.

Wherever Republican county conventions have been held, the delegates elected to the State Convention have been instructed to support the nomination of Governor Hartranft, and it is altogether probable that his renomination will be unanimous.

Says a Western Democratic sheet: "If there is one thing under heaven that a Radical office-holder admires more than another, it is the grave of a Union soldier." To which the Baltimore Republican replies: "And if there is one thing under heaven that a Bourbon editor admires more than another, it is the rebellious cause" which has favored the country with loyal graves.

We copy the following from the Chambersburg Repository. It will also be recollected that Snyder Co. is in the 18th congressional district. If there are any applicants in the county, they must be prepared to meet the requirements of this notice.

CADET MISSISSIPPI.—There being a vacancy in the Naval Academy at Annapolis, from the Eighteenth Congressional District of Pennsylvania, I am requested by the Secretary of the Navy to recommend a candidate for appointment. In order that a fair opportunity may be given to all who desire to compete for this recommendation, Professor J. H. Shumaker, of the Chambersburg Academy, Professor C. R. Lane, of Wilson College, and Dr. T. J. McLaughlin, of Chambersburg, have kindly consented, at my instance, to make an examination of all applicants. The person whom those gentlemen, or any two of them, shall certify to be best qualified will be recommended by me for appointment. The accepted candidate will be required to report for examination at the Naval Academy, on the 21st day of June next. At that date he must be over fourteen and under eighteen years of age. The gentlemen named will meet all applicants at Chambersburg on the first day of June next, for the purpose of making the examination preliminary to the recommendation. Persons desiring to make application for this appointment can receive more definite information as to qualifications by addressing me, at Chambersburg, Pa.

W. S. STENOER, April 29th, 1875.

County Superintendent.

Prof. Neelting's term of office as County Superintendent of Common Schools is about to expire. His office being one of paramount interest to the public it is not only our right and privilege, but our public duty to inquire briefly into the manner in which he has performed his duties. In the first place, however, we assume the responsibility of saying that Prof. Neelting is a scholar of unquestionable ability and more than master of the duties of that office. In the second place as to how he performed his duties we deprecate our opinion with the best light and authority obtainable. The elevated standard of teachers and the perceptible improvement in the schools show his adaptability to the office. His untiring efforts, zealous workings, indomitable perseverance show clearly that his whole heart and heart was in his work. Notwithstanding the unusually severe winter we have seen him go through storm and mud, sometime on foot, apparently dragging along his over-worked body with difficulty. But it is useless to produce evidence to prove what is already admitted on all sides, hence, we dismiss that branch and respect-fully call the attention of our Superior Directors to the following relating to the salaries of Superintendents. Read it carefully and determine that we will have our fair share of the fund set apart and properly compensated industry and talent.—

"It is known, that under the new Constitution, \$1,000,000 are appropriated for Common school purposes by the State—no more, no less. The County Superintendents are paid out of this \$1,000,000, and the increase of the salary will not increase the amount to be appropriated nor the taxes of the people.

In every county of the State, except one, the salary of the County Superintendent is higher than is paid in Perry county. Cameron county, with only 32 schools, has a Superintendent at \$800 a year; Blair, with 143 schools, gives the Superintendent \$1,000. The salary of the Superintendent of Clearfield county, with 179 schools, is \$1,200. Clinton, with 111 schools, is \$1,200. Delaware, with 106 schools, is \$1,600; Juniata, with 103 schools, is \$800; Lebanon, with 157 schools, is \$1,200.

The directors of Snyder, with 108 schools, voted their County Superintendent the lowest salary given any Superintendent in the State—namely, \$600.

THE COLUMBIA DAM.—The Columbia Herald, states that the dam has been badly damaged by the flood. It says there are very bad breaks of several hundred feet, through which the fish can ascend in high water. With a suitable stage of water in due season there may be expected to ascend the Susquehanna to Duncan's Island, and the Juniata to the dam below Millerstown.

A recent Act of the Assembly requires the executors, administrators, or friends of the deceased person, to put an affidavit on record in the Register's office, setting forth the day and hour when the death occurred. Friends and parties applying for letters of administration will do well to bear this in mind, and thereby save much inconvenience in receiving their legal papers. The Act in question can be found on page 194, Pamphlet Laws of 1874.

A good deal of fluttering has been caused in Ohio by an article in the Catholic Telegraph, in which it claimed the Roman Catholic church and Democracy were natural allies, and even the Cincinnati Enquirer, which is accustomed to eating dirt of all kinds, scolds the organ for its outspoken frankness in classing the church and the Democratic party as one, and the Cincinnati Commercial declares that if archbishop Purcell's organ "must have it that the Democratic party is a part of the machinery of the Church, the people have only to be convinced that the Telegraph is speaking by authority to make an end of the party.

One of the moanest acts ever perpetrated was the change of the postal laws, made by last Congress at the instance and for the benefit of the express companies, for the purpose of excluding merchandise from the mails, which has the incidental effect of doubling the charges upon transient newspapers, magazines, pamphlets, and miscellaneous literature. The postage upon this sort of matter is so oppressive that its circulation will be much reduced, and there will probably be a loss of revenue. The measure was smuggled through Congress in an appropriation bill, and the gentlemen concerned in the transaction will be called to an account by an outraged and indignant people.—Industrious Balcon

COLD WEATHER PREDICTED FOR MAY.—A man in Allentown possesses a copy of the One Hundred Year Almanac, published in 1809 and 1910 as years to be marked by unusually stormy weather. The gentleman has observed with curious interest the fulfillment of these predictions, which he says have been singularly complete, the storms always falling not more than a day apart from the date indicated. The calculation sets down a period of severe cold in the latter part of May, 1875, this being one of the fourteen years, when it is predicted we shall have frost in this latitude, and grape vines will freeze and be destroyed unless protected. It is hoped the prediction may not be verified.

There appears to be no abatement in the Black Hills fever. From so far east as Boston there reaches us a publication of imposing appearance, the Black Hills Bulletin, devoted to extolling the supposed golden land, and with it the announcement that an expedition, well equipped and led, will start from Boston on the first of May, while from the West we hear of so many expeditions already on the way that we fear these enterprising Yankees will be rather late. It is stated in a recent dispatch that the rush of emigrants through Omaha is at the rate of six or eight hundred a day. The Black Hills cover a good deal of space, and there is probably room for all these people, if they get there; but as there is nothing for them to do, and no means of their earning a living, since the very small quantity of gold which is said to be there will not, at the best, go very far among so many, there is likely to be some bitter disappointment and perhaps no little suffering. We cannot say, however, that our sympathy for these idiots runs very deep.—Philadelphia Times.

THE THRETEENTH WAR IN EUROPE.—A Paris special to the Herald says: War is again threatened—war involving Russia, Italy, Austria, Germany and France. Prince Bismarck is the promoter of this war, and the puppet is the pretext. Many signs indicate that the illustrious Chancellor's intellect, long the wonder and admiration of the world, has become enfeebled, and that in his fractiousness he is ever seeking battle with the gigantic shadows of a sick brain. The aggressive attitude of Prussia was doubtless the real, though not the ostensible, cause of the late conference at Venice. There is also a strong belief that Russia, alarmed for the safety of her Baltic provinces, will look with favor upon the project of a new quadruple alliance, including France, against Prussia. Such a plan, if formed, will prove as powerless for the purpose of aggression as the confederation against the stubbornness of Frederick the Great, which broke like angry waves against the rocky coast. Germany could crumple the armies of France, still unorganized, as she did at Forbach and Gravelotte; could humiliate the pride of Austria as on the day when her victorious eynabals were heard at the gates of Vienna; while the Italians have been unable for many centuries to send to the battle field soldiers to match the North men.

If France, Austria and Italy should together, attack Prussia, their troops would fall like corn before the sickle. They would be outmaneuvered, out-engineered and blown to the winds by the Prussian artillery. Russia is invincible for purposes of defence, but has never succeeded in putting a firm grip on Germany as an invader.

On the morning of the 19th of April, the British force of about 800 appeared at Lexington, fired upon the Americans, and continuing on to Concord met with resistance from the patriots at every step. The retreat of the British from Concord to Boston was a continued skirmish with the patriots. On Sunday the 18th of April, 1875, the lantern was hung in the old North Church tower, in Boston as it was hung there one hundred years ago. Speeches were made. On Monday, the 19th the centennial anniversary was celebrated at Lexington and Concord. President Grant and most of his Cabinet were present. It was a grand patriotic gathering of the sons of our Revolutionary sires.—Advocate and Press.

New York, April 23.—Fred Klein was to-day sentenced in Hudson county, New Jersey, to eighty-four (84) years imprisonment for stealing the funds of the Hoboked Savings Bank and forgery. He was indicted on eleven charges.

HAILETON, April 22.—News has been received to-day of another raid last night by a band of armed men, estimated to number about 100, who entered the house of Jasper Ely, a farmer, residing about one mile and a half north of this place. The mob destroyed furniture, and carried off a quantity of clothing belonging to the family. Shots were fired into the house, but the members of the family received no injury. Inquiries were made for Mr. Ely, but fortunately he was away from home over night.

Candidate Cards. FOR SHERIFF. REPUBLICANS, we respectfully present SAMUEL HARRIS, of Middleburg, as a suitable candidate for the office of Sheriff. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

For the office of Sheriff announce J. CALVIN SHAW, of Franklin, as a suitable candidate. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

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H. I. Romig, C. M. Aurand. NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS! Low Prices! Low Prices! ROLIG & AURAND, Adamsburg, Snyder County, Penn'a

THE Subscribers have purchased the Store in Adamsburg, owned by H. L. Handenbush, and have entered into a partnership, intended to carry on a general mercantile business at the Old Stand and take the method of informing their many friends and customers in Adamsburg and the surrounding country, that they have just returned with AND WILL AT ALL TIMES keep on hand, a well selected and liberal assortment of all kinds of Goods usually kept in a first class country Store, their stock consists partly of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS, Such as Cloth, Cassimer, Kentucky Jeans, Cottonades of every style and quality, also Ladies' Dress Goods, Silks, ALL WOOL DELAINS, Merinos, Poplins, &c. at all prices and very cheap. HATS AND CAPS, Cargets, Floor, Table, and Stair Oil Cloth, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hardware, Queensware, Tin and Glassware Wood and Willowware, Coffees, Sugars, Syrups, Molasses, Teas of all kinds, and at Low Prices, Cigars & Tobacco, Fish & Salt, Wholesale and Retail, COAL, COAL, COAL, (See Card for Riverbank's use.)

The Highest Market Price Paid for all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, Dried Fruit, Potatoes, &c. &c. ALSO --- Dealers in ALL KINDS of Grain and Seeds, or which the highest Price in Cash will be Paid.

GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS!! HENRY HOUSER, [Beaver's Corner,] MIDDLEBURG, PENN'A.

I have just returned from the Eastern Cities with A LARGE and WELL Selected Stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS, consisting in part of DRY GOODS, Notions, Hats, Caps, Boots, and Shoes, Glass & Queens-

ware, Groceries, Fish, Salt, Sugar, Coffee, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., &c. A Large Stock and Cheaper than Ever of Ready Made Clothing.

Highest Price paid for COUNTRY PRODUCE. Remember the Place. Please stop in and examine my Stock. It is no trouble to show my goods. Apr. 29, 1875.

ESTABLISHED 1853. REBUILT 1871- THE OLD CORNER. Rebuilt and repaired with the finest and cheapest materials.

DRY GOODS! NOTIONS, TRIMMINGS, QUEENSWARE, Hardware, Groceries, Cedarware Hats & Caps, Shoes, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Shoe Findings, WALL PAPER, GLASS, &c., &c., EVER OFFERED TO THIS COMMUNITY.

The subscriber having removed into his NEW STORE ROOM, on the Corner of Market and Pine Streets, is now prepared to offer, to his old customers, and all ones that may favor him with their patronage, great inducements. He is determined that

SHALL STILL CONTINUE THE MOTTO FORMERLY ADOPTED, "THE CHEAP CORNER." By a strict attention to business, and keeping at all times the most complete stock and selling at the lowest prices, he hopes to merit a full share of patronage.

All kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods. WM. F. ECKERT. Selinsgrove, April 26, 1871.

HOLIDAY GOODS! at the N. Y. FANCY STORE. S. WEIS, (OPPOSITE SCHOCH & BRO. Selinsgrove, Pa. STORE)

I have just returned from N. Y. and have now ready my Fall Stock of CHRISTMAS GOODS My Customers and the Public generally will find it to Their Advantage to make their selections early, and thereby avoid the THROG usually to my HOLIDAY BUSINESS.

Articles purchased now packed and reserved until wanted. Selinsgrove, Oct. 16, '73. S. WEIS, App's Building

FURNITURE Intending Purchasers should read the following from the Public Papers of Philadelphia.

Public Record of Aug. 17, 1874, says: "Gould & Co., produce fine work in all branches of their business, and are in every way creditable to the well earned reputation of Philadelphia."—On Oct. 27, 1871, the same authority states that "Rich homes and humble ones may be improved by their taste and labors"

Forney's Weekly Press, Sept. 5, 1874, says: "We heartily commend the Messrs. Gould & Co., as honorable and fair dealing gentlemen, in every way worthy of the fullest confidence and of general patronage."

Evening Herald, Sept. 3, 1874, says: "Gould & Co., may be regarded as one of the most reliable and popular firms, and certainly the largest."

GOULD & CO., are now prepared to supply any sized house throughout with Furniture either plain or of the most exquisite Styles and Make. They will supply One Bedroom Suit of Solid Walnut, Full Marble Tops, for \$60. This suit comprises Nine Separate pieces of Furniture. Write, or call on GOULD & CO., N. E. Corner Market and Ninth Streets. 37 and 39 North Second Street, 242 and 244 South Second Street, PHILADELPHIA, PA. Or at any of their other Stores.

EXCELSIOR Planing Mill. MIDDLEBURG, SNYDER CO., PA. Stetter, Stahlmecker & Co., GENERAL Dealers & Manufacturers of Lumber & Building Material, such as DOORS, DOOR LINES, WINDOWS, WINDOW BOXES, SHUTTERS, MOULDING, BRACKETS, SCROLL WORK, FLOORING, SIDING, &c., &c.

All orders promptly filled, do not fail to call and see our Stock and work before purchasing elsewhere. Thankful for past favors would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. S. S. & CO. Apr. 29, 1875.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Let- tere testamentary on the estate of Solomon HARRIS late of Snyder Co. died on the 12th day of March 1875. All persons who have claims against the said estate are required to make same known without delay, within three months from the date hereof, to the undersigned, who will then proceed to settle the same. J. CROUSE, Administrator.

TRUSTEE ACCOUNT. NOTICE is hereby given that Frederick N. Steiner and George Wagner, Trustees appointed to sell the Real Estate of Elias Wagner, late of West Branch, Snyder Co., Pa., have filed their account in the Prothonotary's office, and that the same will be presented for confirmation at May Term of the C. P. of said county to be held on the 21st day of May, 1875. J. CROUSE, Prthy.

CAUTION.—Notice is hereby given that I have this 19 day of April 1875, purchased at Constable's sale the property of Philip S. Shaffer, and left the same in his possession to use until I see fit to move them. All persons are cautioned not to interfere or meddle with the same, via; viz. looking store and pipe, 1 Table, 1 Bench, 1 Cooking Glass, 1 Stove, 2 Bins, 1 Emannel NEITZ, Apr. 29, 75.

To all Whom it May Concern.—Know all men that Joseph Warrick of the 21st day of April A. D. 1875 sold and assigned to me all his right title and interest in and to all his Blacksmith Tools, Machinery, stock, fixtures, &c., and all and everything in said shop pertaining to the Blacksmith trade. All persons are cautioned not to meddle with the same. MILTON R. WEBERICH, Selins Grove, Apr. 21, 75.

NOTICE of Widows Appraisements under the \$300 Law.—Notice is hereby given that the following widows appraisements have been filed with the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Snyder Co., for confirmation on Monday, the 21st day of May next. Elizabeth Meyer, widow of Daniel Meyer, dec'd. Anne Moore, widow of Henry Moore, dec'd. Lydia H. Fisher, widow of Hony Fisher, dec'd. Sarah Walter, widow of John S. Walter, dec'd. Sarah Hendricks, widow of Isaac Hendricks, dec'd. Elizabeth Hingman, widow of John Hingman, dec'd. Mary Youngman, widow of Isaac Youngman, dec'd. Elizabeth Erb, widow of Frederick Erb, dec'd. Apr. 29, 75.

LICENSE NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that John Krick, Tavern, West Beaver; Noah Smith, do do; Moses Specht, do do; George O. Smith, do do; Benjamin Bachman, do Middleburg; James J. Mitchell, do do; George Guyer, do Franklin; Peter Hartman, do do; John S. Weaver, do do; John Wolf, do Perry; Henry S. Schroe, do do; Daniel Eisenhart, do do; Matthias Schroe, do do; Frederick Meyer, do do; Jacob F. Walter, do do; I. D. Boyer, do do; Jno. B. Wording, do do; Sarah Keen, do do; Ezel Hattonstein, do do; John Wendt, do do; H. H. Specht, do do; Susan Koons, do do; Ira Sayers, do do; Jacob Blosser, do do; J. C. Conrad, do do; Middleburg.

Mr. Ennon.—Be kind enough to announce ELIAS SWARTZ, of Adams, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Mr. Post.—Please announce the card of JOEL ROW, of Middleburg, for Commissioner. Mr. Row is well known to the people of the county as a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Mr. Post.—Please announce a suitable candidate for County Treasurer, GEORGE F. MILLER, of Washington. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Mr. Post.—Please announce a suitable candidate for County Treasurer, GEORGE F. MILLER, of Washington. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Mr. Ennon.—announces to the Republican voters that HENRY BROWN, of Freeburg, is a candidate for county Treasurer at the approach- ing election. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Mr. Post.—The office of County Treasurer I desire to be an important one, and in acquiring certain qualifications for a right administration of its duties, we therefore recommend GEORGE F. MILLER, of Washington, as a suitable candidate. He served the people in that capacity on a former occasion. WEST PERRY.

Mr. Post.—Must the name of JOHN K. HUGHES, of Penn as a candidate for the office of Sheriff. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

For County Treasurer announce PETER M. GARMAN, of Perry. Mr. Gorman is a suitable party man and fully competent to discharge the duties of the office. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Associate Judge. EDWIN POST.—Announce DANIEL GEMERLING, of Penn, as a suitable candidate for the office of Associate Judge. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

J. CHURCH, Esq.—Be kind enough to announce, JOHN BOYER, of Penn, as a candidate for the office of Associate Judge. He is a native of this county, and has been in the military service of his country for several years. He is a man of high moral character, and is well qualified for the duties pertaining to the office, and will be a credit to the county. You for him.

Accommodations good and charges moderate. Special accommodations for drovers. A share of the public patronage is solicited. J. J. MITCHELL, Middleburg Pa. Apr. 1, 1875.

COURT PROCLAMATION. Whereas the Hon. J. C. BROWN, Presid- ent Judge of the Judicial District composed of the counties of Snyder, Union and Mifflin and J. G. L. Shindel and B. L. Handenbush Esq. Associate Judges in and for Snyder county have issued their precept bearing, date the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1875, to me directed for the holding of an Orphans court, a court of Common Pleas, court of Oyer and Terminer and General court of Quarter Sessions of the peace at Middleburg, for the county of Snyder, on the 14th Monday, (being the 24th day of May 1875), and continue one week

Notice is therefore hereby given to the Coroner, Justice of the Peace and Constables in and for the county of Snyder, to appear in their proper person with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances to do those things which of their offices and in their behalf pertain to be done and witnessed and persons prosecuting in behalf of the Commonwealth against any person or persons are required to be then and there attending and not departing without leave at their peril. Justices are requested to be punctual in their attendance at the appointed time agreeably to notice.

Given under my hand and seal at the Sheriff's office in Middleburg, the 20th day of April A. D., one thousand eight hundred and seventy five. DANIEL BOLENDE, Sheriff