The Post.

Middleburg, NOV 1, 1877.

J. CROUSE, Editor & Proprietor.

Republican State Ticket.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE,
HON JAMES P. STERRETT,
of Allegheny County.
FOR STATE TREASURER,
HON. WILLIAM H. HART,
of Montgomery County.
FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,
HON. JOHN A. M. PASSMORE,
of Schuylkill County.

Republican Co. Ticket.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE
JOSEPH A. LUMBARD,
of Selinsgrove.
FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR
GEORGE B. BENFER,
of Jackson.

Go to the Polls.

There has been no election since the close of the war to which more importance attached than for the coming election on the 1st Tuesday of Nov. inst (6), for reasons well known to every intelligent republican. We have presented for our suffrages men in every respect worthy and capable, hence let us poll every vote. *Let there be no stay-at-homes.*

We urge the active, working men of the party to resolve at once that no one shall stay away from the polls.

Will we restore our old majority? Yes. Have we lost numerical strength? No, but too many stay away from the polls.

Voters give a loss of one day—election day—to the Republican party which supports and maintains the Government that protects your lives, your liberties and your property, and you will be paid principal with compound interest. Vote early then turn your attention to those who lag in the rear. Let each district vie with its neighbor to poll the fullest vote so that we determine the actual majority of the Republican party in Snyder County.

Let gallant little Snyder add her full strength to the forces which shall surely hurl back the tide of disaster which flows from Ohio.

Vote for WILLIAM H. HART, for State Treasurer.

A fire at Portland, New Brunswick, on Saturday destroyed 320 houses, mostly of wood.

Vote for JOS. A. LUMBARD, for Associate Judge.

The Russians obtained a great victory over the Turks in Armenia last week. The Turkish loss in killed, wounded and prisoners is said to have been 18,000.

Vote for JOHN A. M. PASSMORE, for Auditor General.

Congress has been organized, but has done but little yet. The admission of the Louisiana Senators threatens to be a question of much contention and discord in the Senate. There are two sets of claimants, South Carolina also puts in a claim for two Senators when she is entitled to but one of them. The old chronic feuds in those two States are thus revived.

Vote for JAMES P. STERRETT, for Judge of the Supreme Court.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH.—The election will come off on Tuesday, and quiet as everything is politically, we hope the Republicans will not only turn out themselves but induce every neighbor to do so. Hitch up your carriages and wagons and take the poorer classes around you to the polls and then haul them home again. Our State ticket is a good one, tinctured with no ism, and our county ticket is acknowledged on all hands to be worthy of election.

Vote for GEORGE B. BENFER, for County Surveyor.

TIME brings wonderful changes. Major General Fremont, one of the most popular men in the country a quarter of a century ago, once a candidate for the Presidency, is now suffering, with his accomplished wife, the romantic Jessie Benton Fremont, under a very severe pinch of poverty, and all apparently because he has tried to be honest in the payment of his debts. A few weeks since they were bereft of their family portraits and pictures, which were sold at auction and brought less than one thousand dollars, although they cost over ten thousand dollars. His life has been full of vicissitudes and romance, although he has ever tried to live judiciously and in the true Republican way—a perfectly upright and honorable gentleman, a patriotic citizen, faithful soldier and man of science. Certainly he has made mistakes, and he has the manliness to acknowledge them; but his career contains nothing, individually or collectively, that in any way deserves the neglect that he has received.

Vote the whole Republican Ticket, both County.

The Auditor-Generalship.

As Democratic journals are endeavoring by innuendoes and otherwise to tarnish the character of J. A. M. Passmore, the Republican candidate for the office of Auditor General, we will give our readers a brief history of his career, and a few facts relative to his standing where he is known.

J. A. M. Passmore was born in Chester county, in 1836. He was one of a respected Quaker family, whose ancestors had settled in Pennsylvania in 1682. The family has been held in high esteem among their neighbors.

No man has warmer friends or more honest supporters than are the relatives and former neighbors of Mr. Passmore, in the old Quaker settlement in Chester county, his former home.

As an expression of the estimate which Chester county places on him we may also refer to the action of the Republican Convention of Chester county, in passing the following resolution a few months ago:

"*Resolved*, That we, the representatives of the Republican party of Chester county, in convention assembled, recognize in John A. M. Passmore, Esq., (a native of this county, but now a resident of Schuylkill county), who is suggested as the next Republican candidate for the office of Auditor-General, a gentleman of culture and refinement, an earnest and thorough-going Republican, and a man in every way eminently qualified for the proper discharge of the duties of the office for which he is named, and that we instruct our delegates to the State Convention to support him, and to do all in their power to secure his nomination."

Mr. Passmore's father died poor, and left his son an orphan, without property, at the age of twelve years. When only eight years old the boy became a *waiter* by working in the chrome mines, where he toiled faithfully year after year, until at the age of fifteen, being disabled by an accident, he was obliged to give up that employment. Meanwhile he had been able to attend school for a few weeks each winter, where he began to acquire the education which his natural thirst for knowledge prompted him to seek. Leaving the mines, he worked two years on a farm, teaching in the winter a district school.

Subsequently, he taught in order to support himself while at the same time he pursued his studies in the State Normal School at Millersville. During those years of labor it required strenuous exertions for the young man to discharge his responsible duties as teacher and at the same time keep up with his class. Young Passmore's energy was equal to the emergency, and after four years of continued effort, he graduated with honor in 1860 in the Normal School. His health had become impaired. He stepped out into the world beyond the pupil's life to essay his "commencement" as a man. Without money, without health, without aid to place, he began a new struggle in a new field.

He then came to Pottsville to reside, and after faithful management of the public school during five years, he was desired to open a select school, which under the name of the Paschall Institute, he controlled until he abandoned teaching in 1869. In the meantime he had studied law, and in 1866 had been admitted to the bar, but never entered into its active practice. In 1869 he was made an agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, of which he afterward became manager and attorney for Pennsylvania.

We thus see that J. A. M. Passmore is a *self-made* man. He owes his success to his own efforts. He comes from the ranks of the laborers, and in elevating him to the position for which he has been nominated each workingman can feel that he is placing in office one of his own class. How much wiser it is for the laboring man to honor laboring men by voting for Mr. Passmore, who is of their number, than by voting for a labor reform candidate who cannot be elected, and thus indirectly aiding Mr. Schell, the Democratic nominee.

Mr. Passmore's duties as State agent for the Metropolitan have for years required him to travel about from point to point in the State, and the large and friendly acquaintance which he thus made through all parts of the Commonwealth was one cause of his strength in the convention at Harrisburg, and will give him many votes in November. Then has J. A. M. Passmore the esteem of the people among whom he is best known?

When he relinquished his position as teacher, he was chosen a school director. The School Board in turn elected him President, and he is now near the end of his fourth term of service. The public schools of Pottsville rank high in the Commonwealth, and the people of Pottsville are proud of the character which those schools have attained.

About 1867 Mr. Passmore was actively engaged, with W. L. Whitney its President, as one of the organizers of the Pottsville Benevolent Association, which is still in successful operation. The Benevolent Association's Home for Children, has since been founded, in 1873, as a branch of that association, and has for its objects "to afford a home, food, schooling and clothing for testitute, neglected and friendless children, and, at a suitable age, to place them with respectable persons and families, to learn some useful trade or occupation, and thus aid the Benevolent Association in its work, as one of its greatest difficulties was that many children needed help whose parents were poor and unworthy, and that some children, without parents and friends, were growing up

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Passmore filled the office of President for four years. Speaking of these two institutions, the *Miners' Journal* some time since said: "There is no public or private institutions in our community of which our people are more proud than these; and it may be said that through their able management they have become the most effectual medium through which to distribute charities and provide homes, for the friendless that have been established in any part of the Commonwealth."

The Republican county meeting of 1877 "*Resolved*, That the Republicans of Schuylkill county present the name of their fellow citizen, John A. M. Passmore, to the consideration of the Republicans of Pennsylvania for the nomination of Auditor General of this State; and our delegates to the State Convention are requested to earnestly insist upon his nomination, and that the nomination of John A. M. Passmore will insure for the Commonwealth a faithful, energetic and able officer, and by his popularity will materially strengthen the Republican party in the Antracite coal region in the coming campaign."—*Daily Miners' Journal, Oct. 18th.*

Go to the polls early, and take your neighbor with you.

The election will be held on Tuesday the 6th of November. We notice no unusual demonstration in progress by either party, and if this apathy prevails the vote polled will be light. Although this is called the "off year" in politics, yet the Republicans should make timely preparations to secure a reasonable fair turn out to the polls. If they do they will be successful. If they indulge in the Ohio fillgots and absent themselves from the polls, they must expect defeat as a matter of course.

Let every Republican vote be polled on the 6th of November.

400 for the State Ticket. By a united effort to bring out the vote we can give the above majority on the State ticket. Be wide awake.

The Republican Ticket is a good one and will be elected.

Public Sale of Valuable

REAL ESTATE!

THE undersigned, Executors of the estate of Joseph Wetzel, late of Jackson Township, Snyder County, Pa., dec'd, will offer at Public sale, on the premises, on

Saturday, November 17th, 1877,

The following described Real Estate, situate in Jackson township, Snyder county, Pa.

TRACT No. 1, containing

100 ACRES,

more or less bounded North by Penns Creek, East of lands of Conrad Mitchel, South by lands of Jeremiah Spangler, and West by lands of John Wiand. It is a high state of cultivation—under good fence and thereon erected a two story FRAME

House, Bank Barn,

and other necessary outbuildings—a young Orchard of choice fruit trees—excellent water at the door.

TRACT No. 2—A certain messuage and Tract of land situate in the township aforesaid, containing

Seventy-Six Acres,

more or less, partly clear and part of the timber land, bounded North, by land of David Braun, East by land of John Snyder, South by land of Henry Yerger and West by land of Henry Yerger.

Sale to commence at ten o'clock A. M. of said day when due attendance will be given and terms of sale will be made known by

J. M. WETZEL,
EMANUEL WETZEL,
Executors.

Oct. 25, '77.

Assignee Notice.

ALL persons interested are hereby notified that S. B. Schoch, of Franklin twp., Snyder Co., made an assignment of all his effects, real and personal (including book accounts) to the undersigned for the benefit of his creditors. All persons having claims are requested to present them to the undersigned, and persons indebted will please make immediate payment.

T. J. SMITH,
Assignee.

Oct. 25, '77.

Caution.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following articles have been purchased by the undersigned, at Constable's Sale and left in the possession of Henry Yeisly during his pleasure. All persons are cautioned not to meddle or interfere with the same, viz: Horse, Colt, Mare, Cow, Bull, Heifer, Calf, Three Hogs, Wagon, Sled Hay Rake Hay ladders, Fanning Mill, Set Rakes, 2 Plows, 1 Cultivators, Harrow, 10 bushels Wheat 25 bushels Oats, 8 bushels Rye, 3 bushels Buckwheat, ½ of 3 Acres Wheat in ground, ½ of 6 Acres Rye in ground ½ of 6 Acres Corn on Shock, 30 bushels Potatoes, Dinner Bell, set Harness, Saddle, Iron Kettle, 2 Tubs, 2 Meat Stands, Scythe, Grain Cradle, Hoe, Cook Stove, Half dis. Chairs, Rocker, Rifle.

SAMUEL WITTENMYER.

Oct. 25, 1877.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on estate now on the estate of Jacob Minium, late of Perry twp., Snyder Co., Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, while those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

WM. HARDING,
MICHAEL MINIUM,
Administrators.

Oct. 25, '77.

Assignee's Sale!

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THE undersigned Assignees of Abraham Gaugler of Union twp., for the benefit of creditors &c., by virtue of an order issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Snyder county, will expose to Public Sale, on the premises, on

Thursday, November 22nd, 1877,

The following described Real Estate, to wit:

TRACT, No. 1—A 1 that certain messuage and Tract of Land, situate in Union township, Snyder county, Pa., containing

FORTY ACRES,

more or less, all River bottom, bounded North by land of Daniel Brubaker, East by the Susquehanna River, South by land of Jos. Shaffer, West by land of S. G. Herr, whereon are erected a two-story

Stone House and Bank Barn,

good well of water, outbuildings.

TRACT No. 2—All that certain part Tract of land situate as above, containing

FIFTY ACRES,

more or less, bounded North by land of Joseph Brubaker, East by land of J. H. Shaffer and S. Harrold and others, South by land of Abel Harner and George M. Harrold, West by land of S. K. Harrold.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day when due attendance will be given and terms of sale will be made known by

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Assignee's Sale!

THE undersigned, Assignee of Henry Mechtly for the benefit of creditors &c. by virtue of an order issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Snyder county, will expose to Public Sale, on the premises, on

Thursday, November 1st 1877.

The following described Real Estate, situate in Beaver township Snyder county, Pa., bounded as follows: North by lands of Aaron Specht, on the East by lands of Wm. Smith and Adam Specht, South by land of Mrs. Catharine Shiery, and Rush Haines on the West containing two and one half ACRES, more or less, whereon are erected a good Two Story

BRICK HOUSE,

STABLE and other Outbuildings. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day when due attendance will be given and terms of sale made known by

E. I. MANBECK,
Assignee.

Oct. 8, 1877.

DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between Wm. Haines and Wm. H. Snyder, doing business under the firm name of Haines & Snyder, at Salem, Pa., has been dissolved by mutual consent. The books of the firm are in the hands of Wm. H. Snyder for settlement and all bills not settled immediately will be placed in proper hands for collection.

WILLIAM HAINES,
WILLIAM H. SNYDER,

Salem Snyder Co., Pa. Sept. 25th, 1877.

Caution.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following articles have been purchased by the undersigned, at Constable's sale, and left them in possession of James Erdly, during her pleasure. All persons are cautioned not to interfere or meddle with the same viz: 2 mares top buggy, 1 cow, 2 calves, 10 hogs, 1 set harness, buggy harness, wheelbarrow, grain cradle, coal stove, coal stove, 2 bells & bedding, set of chairs, 20 yards carpet, table, cupboard, clock, ¼ of 12 acres grain in ground, ¼ of 3 acres of buckwheat, ¼ of 5 acres corn, lot of wheat, lot of oats, lot of potatoes, harrow, plow, grind-stone, buffalo robe, gun, iron kettle, chest.

CATHRINE ROUSH.

PUBLIC SALE.

BY Virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Snyder County, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Peter Bingaman, deceased, will expose to Public Sale on the premises, on

Saturday November 3d, 1877,

the following described Real Estate situate in Adams township, Snyder county, Pa., bounded as follows: North by lands of George Musser, East by lands of John M. Myers and Daniel Shawver dec'd., on the South by public road leading from Centreville to Tomlinsville on the West by land of George Musser, containing

One-Fourth Acre

more or less whereon is erected, a One and a half Story Plank

Frame House, Stable &c

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day when due attendance will be given and terms of sale made known by

THOMAS SWARTZ,
BENJ. HUMMEL,
Administrators.

Oct. 8, 1877.

Orphans' Court Sale.

THE undersigned Trustees appointed to sell the Real Estate of John Swengle, late of Franklin township Snyder county, Pa. will offer at Public Sale, at the late residence of said deceased, two miles west of Middleburg, on

Wednesday November 21st, 1877,

The two following described valuable tracts of land, viz: All that certain messuage and Tract of Land situate in Beaver township Snyder county, Pa. Bounded North by lands of Abner Angler and J. J. Middlesworth, East and South by lands of A. J. Middlesworth, and West by land of Reuben Angler, containing

148 ACRES.

and 119 PERCHES, strict measure. This Tract contains good IRON ORE.

TRACT No. 2—All that certain Tract of Land situate in Centre and Franklin townships, Snyder county, Pa. Bounded North by lands of Samuel Heath and Adam Walter, Jr., East by lands of Samuel Heath and Adam Walter, Jr., South by lands of Adam Walter, Sen., and Henry Harkenbold, containing

Sixty-Seven Acres

and 68 PERCHES strict measure, 42 ACRES of which is under cultivation, the balance is covered with fine growing young chestnut timber. This Tract will be sold in parcels to suit purchasers.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M. of said day when due attendance will be given and terms of sale made known by

CHAS. S. SWENGLE,
J. G. M. SWENGLE,
Trustees.

Oct. 4 1877.

General Election Proclamation

I, DANIEL EISENHART, High Sheriff of Snyder county, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that an election will be held in the said county of Snyder, on

Tuesday, November 6th, 1877,

for the purpose of electing the several persons hereinafter named, to wit:

One person for Supreme Judge of Pennsylvania.

One person for Auditor General of Pennsylvania.

One person for State Treasurer of Pennsylvania.

One person for Surveyor of Snyder county.

One person for Associate Judge of Snyder county.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the place of holding the aforesaid election in the several townships and boroughs within the county of Snyder are as follows, to wit:

At the Odd-Fellows Hall, in the Borough of Selinsgrove.

At the House of Daniel Hovis in and for Perry township.

At the house of David H. Harrold, in and for Chapman township.

At Boyer's Town Hall in and for Washington township.

At the house of George O. Smith, in the Borough of Middleburg, for Franklin township.

At the Odd-Fellows Hall in Beavertown in and for Beaver township.

At the house of Jacob Miller in and for West Beaver township.

At the house of James D. Long in and for Centre township.

At the house of James J. Mitchel, in and for Middlecreek township.

At the House of Sarah A. Miller in and for Penn township.

At the school house in Kratzerville, in and for Jackson township.

At the school house at Shamokin Dam in and for Monroe township.

At the house of Fred. Rathfon, in and for West Perry township.

At the Court House in and for the Borough of Middleburg.

At the house of Jacob Blosser in and for Union township.

At the house of the heirs of Charles Mattern in Tomlinsville, in and for Adams township.

At all elections hereafter held under the laws of this Commonwealth, the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock a. m. and closed at seven o'clock, p. m.

Every person, excepting the Justices of the Peace and Aldermen, Notaries Public and persons in the militia service of the State, who shall hold or shall within two months have held any office or appointment of profit or trust under the United States, or of this, late, and city or corporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under the Legislature, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State, or of any city or of any 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 commissioners of any incorporated district, are by law incapable of holding or executing 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 said election, shall be eligible to be a voted for.

The Inspectors and Judges of the aforesaid shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election in the district to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning, and each of the Inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

The qualified voters of this county at all general, township, borough and special elections are hereby hereafter authorized and required to vote by tickets printed or written, or partly printed and partly written severally as follows: One ticket shall enumerate and contain the names of all persons voted for and intended to be [illegible] for Judges of the Supreme Court, and for each of which Judges one vote shall be given. One ticket shall enumerate the names of all State officers voted for and intended to be [illegible] for, one of which shall be the name of the person voted for for Surveyor, one ticket shall enumerate the name of all County officers voted for and intended to be [illegible] for, one of which shall be the name of the person voted for for Associate Judge, one ticket shall enumerate the name of all Township officers voted for and intended to be [illegible] for, one of which shall be the name of the person voted for for Constable, and each ticket shall be deposited in separate ballot boxes.

Every person entitled to vote at any election in Pennsylvania, shall be entitled to vote in the district in which he resides, and not elsewhere, except as hereinafter provided.

Every person who shall receive a challenge to his vote, shall, before his vote is received, make and subscribe a declaration before the officers holding the election, that he is a qualified voter of the district, and has resided within the same for the time required by the Constitution, and that he is twenty-two years of age