



POTTSVILLE. SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 9. DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

HONEST JOHN BANKS. FOR ASSEMBLY. GEORGE N. ECKERT, GOVERNOR. ANDREW MORTIMER, TREASURER. JOHN H. HILL, COMMISSIONER. JACOB MATTHEWS, DIRECTOR OF THE POOR. GEORGE DEIBERT, AUDITOR. WILLIAM HAGGERTY, for 3 years. JACOB KAERCHER, for 1 year. PRESIDENTS. CHARLES WITMAN, JOSEPH HAMMER.

Attention, Democrats! A meeting of the friends of A Protective Tariff, JOHN BANKS, AND GEORGE N. ECKERT, will be held at Brown's Tavern, Centre street, on Monday evening next. Several addresses will be delivered.

THE WORKING MAN'S FRIEND.

It is high time for the workmen of this state to exert that political and moral weight in the community which rightfully belongs to them. They have long been duped by the arts and specious promises of political charlatans...

We venture to assert that there is no man in Schuylkill county better qualified by education and experience to represent her wants in our Legislative Hall than GEORGE N. ECKERT. A long residence in Schuylkill county has made him known to most of our citizens...

Workingmen! You have the power to correct the evils alluded to. You have the power to place men in office who will guard, watch over and protect your interests...

We are, sir, workingmen, and keenly feel the urgent necessity of being protected against the ill-paid labor of Europe, in order that we may receive fair remuneration for our labor. We need not tell you that Schuylkill county is the heart and centre of the greatest coal and iron region on this continent...

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SUB TREASURY AND HIGH WAGES FOR LABOR AND HIGH PRICES FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS. Can you hesitate about a choice? You know your friends—you have felt your enemies.

The people of Pennsylvania have been sufficiently humbugged and outplayed by a set of men who have crawled into office by making politics their business. We want officers, fellow citizens, who are fresh from the people—who are pure and uncontaminated...

A LETTER FROM HONEST JOHN BANKS TO A NUMBER OF WORKMEN OF Schuylkill County.

Read the following, Colliers and Iron Masters of Pennsylvania.

The following letters will be read with the deepest interest by every Collier and Iron Master in this state. It will be seen that a number of our workmen have addressed a letter to Judge Banks, for the purpose of ascertaining his views relative to an INCREASE of duty on foreign coal...

TO THE HON. JOHN BANKS. SIR:—The practice of interrogating candidates for office, relative to the views which they entertain on the great political questions of the day, cannot but meet the cordial approval of all honest and reflecting men. As the candidate, sir, for the highest office in the gift of the people of this great state, we are desirous of ascertaining your sentiments in relation to a question, the determination of which will have such a great bearing on the interests and prosperity of our region.

We think it cannot have escaped your observation, the want of adequate protection on the part of the general government to the Colliers of the United States. Pennsylvania alone possesses an almost inexhaustible quantity of Anthracite and Bituminous coal, more than sufficient to supply the whole Union for centuries to come...

Notwithstanding a duty of six cents, per bushel, is imposed on foreign coal imported into the United States, and the expenses incurred in transporting it over 3000 miles, it can be brought into successful competition with our own coal in our market.

We believe the evil alluded to can only be remedied by an increase of duty on foreign coal—say to twelve cents, per bushel. The imposition of such a duty would protect the American Collier, and, at the same time not prove prejudicial to the interests of the consumer of coal. Such a protection would prove the best sort of capital to our colliers; and in the end enable them to furnish their coal to the consumer at a less price than they are now paying for the same.

An additional duty we think should likewise be imposed on foreign iron. Unless such a wholesome protection is extended, the American Iron Trade must ever remain in a feeble and languishing condition.

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In conclusion, sir, we beg leave to say, we are anxious to know your views on the proposed alteration in the Tariff, so that the people of this county may be early apprised of what so intimately affects their prosperity.

J. M. Crossland, Robert Adams, Daniel Morgan, Jacob A. Meyer, John Mortimer, Charles H. Richards, Daniel Henry, John Leaser, W. H. H. Russell, Henry Mull, George Broom, Joseph Costesworth, John J. Jones, Oct. 2d, 1841.

JUDGE BANKS' REPLY.

GENTLEMEN:—I received your letter last evening, and now give it a hasty reply. Its subject is one of deep interest, not only to you, but to the American people. All the means of human enjoyment and individual wealth are but the products of labor; and national happiness and prosperity are always in proportion to active industry.

The certainty of a fair and liberal reward for labor, is the strongest inducement to invest capital and skill in laborious employments. When thus employed, workmen will be furnished with means of applying their labor to advantage, and to the improvement of machinery, which adds much to the productive power of human industry.

Iron in its uses and purposes is essential to all business. It forms part of all machinery, and, indeed, its instrumentality and utility are every where conspicuous. The agriculturist and mechanic alike are dependent upon it. It is the good fortune of Pennsylvania to possess iron in the greatest abundance and of almost every quality; and at the same time the advantage of deriving the full benefit from this material, and every motive to improve upon it.

Connected with iron there is coal—both Anthracite and Bituminous—which will soon be the chief fuel for manufacturing it. Pennsylvania abounds in this mineral treasure. Schuylkill County ALONE can supply in quantity the demands of a whole continent. Coal and Iron will be the great elements of grandeur and opulence to the United States, if properly protected. That this protection should be given to them, is the interest of the whole country. IT SHOULD BE SO HIGH AS TO BE EFFECTUAL—SHORT OF THIS WE SHOULD NOT STOP.

ing the most substantial wealth to the surrounding countries. The coal trade is but in its infancy. It is destined to a constant and great increase. In many places, it is now the only fuel used for a variety of purposes, and will soon be used for all purposes to which fuel is applied.

With proper protection, I can readily imagine what a phenomena would be presented to view in your coal and iron region—smoke and flame issuing forth from thousands of all kinds of manufactories, would catch the eye at every point. There would flow lakes of molten liquid, and there would be heaps of glowing embers, while the elements of earth, water, air, and fire, would appear to have all their power used up in aiding and relieving the labor and industry of man.

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You all know, fellow citizens, that last winter our Banks were in a critical situation. They had required specie payments without being prepared to meet all their liabilities in gold and silver. At the time the Miners' Bank of our Borough was redeeming their issues in specie, Mr. Huntzinger had a large amount of the notes of that bank on hand, belonging to the county.

Mr. Huntzinger has no claims upon the democracy of this county; he is in no need of office, for he has already amassed sufficient money to surround himself with all the comforts and even luxuries of life, without requiring the emoluments of office.

That one vote made Judge Morton Governor of Massachusetts. That one vote elected Gen. Root to the New York Senate. Remember, that one vote may secure the election of Judge Banks— that one vote may defeat Col. Straub in this county.

WHEN THE POLLS ARE OPEN, vote yourself, and then look out for the rest. Be on hand all day, and if there be a Banks or an Eckert man sitting, start off after him. Possibly he may be backward with his work, and unable to lose the time required to go to the place of voting. Send him along, and honor for him yourself. Do any thing that is fair and honorable to bring out the voters.

DEMOCRATS OF SCHUYLKILL COUNTY!—Are you prepared for the battle? It comes off on TUESDAY NEXT, and you have but little time left for preparatory organization. Every friend of Banks and Eckert should be brought to the Polls!

SCRIPERS TICKETS.—Let every man examine his ticket, no matter from whom he receives it, to see that every name is spelled right, and that there are not too many upon it. See, in particular, that GEORGE N. ECKERT'S name is on your ticket.

BEAR IN MIND, proclaim in far and wide, that the state debt, under Taylor's administration, has increased upwards of FIFTEEN MILLIONS of dollars.

SONG. John Banks and Old Tippecanoe! Our Hero's called home to his Heaven, But his spirit still breathes in our ranks, 'Tis the spirit kind nature has given, TO THE FAITHFUL, the HONEST JOHN BANKS!

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BY AUTHORITY. Appointments by the Governor with the advice and consent of David R. Porter.

James Madison Porter, brother of the Governor, to be a Contractor of the Dam at the mouth of the Lehigh, with a profit of perhaps \$5,000.

Mr. Humes, of Lancaster, cousin of the Governor, to be a Contractor of the Basin opposite Easton, with a profit of perhaps \$5,000.

Mr. Humes, cousin of the Governor, to be a Notary Public for the city of Lancaster, with perquisites to the amount of probably 6 or 7 hundred dollars a year.

Andrew Porter, son of the Governor, to be an Inspector of Mechanical work on the Erie Extension of the State Works, with a salary of \$1094 a year.

S. Humes Porter, nephew of the Governor, to be Deputy Attorney General for the Mayor's Court of the City of Lancaster, with perquisites to the amount of about 6 or 7 hundred dollars a year.

Wallace Brooke, nephew of the Governor, to be Solicitor of the United States Bank, with a salary of \$2,000.

Wallace Brooke, nephew of the Governor, to be a Trustee of the Pennsylvania Insane Asylum. Salary not known.

James M. Porter, brother of the Governor, to be president of the 12th Judicial District, with a salary of \$2,000 a year.

James M. Porter, brother of the Governor, to be Counsel in the Case of the Commonwealth vs. Darlington and Collins, with an illegal fee of \$1000.

Freeman, Tax-payers and Voters of Pennsylvania, look to this! If David R. Porter has been too lavish to his family connexions during his first Term, to what lengths will he not go in enriching them should he be re-elected.

To the Colliers of Schuylkill County! We confidently appeal to you for your suffrages in favor of Honest John Banks and George N. Eckert.

Most of you know from experience, that coal can be mined in Great Britain cheaper than it can be in this country; and notwithstanding a distance of several thousand miles, it can be brought to New York and Boston at a less price than we can send it there, owing to the high freights and high tolls on our canals.

Suppose, for one instant, the present duty of 6 cents a bushel on imported foreign coal was removed. Would not your condition be most lamentable! The only way we could then compete successfully with the foreign collier in our market would be, to reduce the price of wages.

Look out.—Be careful and examine your tickets well. Read every name on the ballots you deposit. Beware of counterfeiters. Those who are in favor of a deranged currency, hard times, and low wages, vote for Straub! He will not disappoint you.

PENNSYLVANIA, "THE PROP AND BULWARK OF THE NATION!"

The Beacon Fires of Liberty are lighted on the Iron Hills of the Keystone. Let the voice of the Democracy now be heard! Remember, fellow citizens, that on Tuesday next, the 12th of October, the enemy is to be met and conquered. We can, we must, we WILL! Give them a regular Tippecanoe defeat!

Now, Boys, for SCHUYLKILL COUNTY! O. K. OLL KOME!

Let us give the long pull, the strong pull, and the pull altogether. On your banners let the names be inscribed of HONEST JOHN BANKS, AND GEORGE N. ECKERT,

The warm, strong, and long tried friends of the Farmer, Mechanic, and Workingman. The advocate of HIGH WAGES AND HIGH PRICES,

and opposed to the Locofoco Sub-treasury scheme of reducing the wages of labor to NINE CENTS A DAY.

Rally, Freeman, Rally, Rally from every hill—rally from every vale—rally from your workshops—rally from your fields—rally from your firesides. Old men rally! Young men rally!

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY, must form in the great Procession of Democratic Republican Counties who are on their march to CERTAIN VICTORY.

Table listing counties and their respective votes for Banks' majority. Includes Lancaster (5000), Allegheny (4000), Erie (2000), Huntington (2000), Adams (1000), Beaver (1500), Bedford (800), Butler (250), Bucks (500), Chester (1500), Cumberland (250), Dauphin (1100), Franklin (700), Indiana (750), Lebanon (1000), Lehigh (250), Mercer (150), Philadelphia City (3000), Somerset (1800), Union (750), Washington (500).

Such is the Procession of Democratic counties, which with the Old Tippecanoe Banner streaming at the head of the column, will conduct

HONEST JOHN BANKS, OF Old Berks,

in triumph to Harrisburg. Come on, Democrats of Schuylkill county! Come on! All you who are going for

BANKS AND ECKERT! WE MUST PUT THEM THROUGH BY DAYLIGHT!

Porter is already aware of the defeat that awaits him; and his friends and favorites are making preparations for an ignominious flight. The people can no longer be outraged and insulted with impunity.

WORKINGMEN,

Can you gain by the re-election of David R. Porter? His doctrine as put forth and enforced by his party friends is, that wages in this country is too high; that laborers are too well paid, that prices should be reduced to an equality with prices in those countries, where, by hard labor, men earn from FIVE TO NINE CENTS a day.

MECHANICS,

If power be continued in the hands that now wield it, what are your prospects—a deranged currency, prostrate credit, a wreck of all healthful enterprise, and a want of proper protection against the pauper labor of Europe.

FARMERS,

Do you wish your substance eat up by the TAX GATHERERS! Re-elect David R. Porter and such will be the case.

TO THE POLLS, FELLOW DEMOCRATS!

Argument cannot now affect the result of the pending contest. Every elector has doubtless made up his mind on which side, if he votes at all, to cast his suffrage. Action is now the word, fellow Democrats!

BANKS AND ECKERT,

is a heavier blow at despotism and corruption than any that your right hands could inflict. Crush the enemies of your liberty through the Ballot Boxes.

TO THE POLLS! ALL WHO ARE IN FAVOR OF BANKS AND ECKERT,

And deposit your ballots for those tried friends of the People. Elect those men, and you elect the PEOPLE'S CANDIDATES,

The friends of American Industry and a Protective Tariff, who are pledged to Economy, Retrenchment, and Reform in every department of the State Government.