

# Miner's Journal.

POTTSVILLE, PA.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1860.

## THE CONFLICT OF 1860.

*OF ONE SIDE.*  
Unionists, Free Men, Free Lands,  
and the Domestic Free Labor;  
*OR THE OTHER.*  
Confederates, Free Trade and  
Bastard Democracy, Free and  
Dishonorable Freedom.

FOR PRESIDENT:  
BRAHAM LINCOLN,  
OF ILLINOIS.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:  
HANNIBAL HAMLIN,  
OF MAINE.

FOR GOVERNOR:  
ANDREW G. CURTIN.

### PEOPLES' COUNTY TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS:

JAMES H. CAMPBELL.

LEGISLATURE:

DANIEL HUGHES, of Shamokin;

LIN BARTHOLOMEW, of Pottsville;

PROTHONOTARY:

CHARLES FRAYLING, of Pottsville;

BENJAMIN F. GRIFFITH, of Ashland;

REGISTRAR:

JOSPEH BOWEN, of Mifflinville;

CLERK OF THE SESSIONS:

JOHN H. REED, of St. Clair;

COMMISSIONER:

D. B. ALTHOUSE, of Freeland;

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR:

WM. LEECH, of Freeland;

AUDITOR:

FREDERICK H. HALL, of West Branch.

**Are You Assessed?**—  
Witness to it in time—the 26th of September is the last day; if you desire to vote for the Governor's election on the 9th of October, which is ten days before the election, you cannot find the Assessor, Mr. Saylors, and your names to the Hon. Robert M. Kline, who will see that the names are en- tries on the Assessors' list.

**No Doubt of It.**—  
As doubt, have been expressed, of Carl Schurz and Col. Curtin coming here to speak, we are authorized to state that they will be here positively, and address the People, on SATURDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 22d. Do not neglect to come, in consequence of sports circulated for the express purpose of keeping you away.

**Those Dreadful Wide-Awakes.**—  
Hon. F. W. Hughes says in his speech at the Lincoln Club is organized among their purposes, to seize the ballot-boxes, or around, at the approaching elections. Not so bad, Uncle Hughes. But they will be more than according to law, and in the name of Lincoln votes; "That's so!"

**The PICTON RAIL SPLITTER.**—This is the title of a capital sheet published for general circulation by Charles Leib, Esq., of Picton. It contains a large number of illustrations, and a mass of valuable information for this campaign. We commend to the notice of our Schuylkill County friends. Single copies are sold at five cents, and one hundred for four dollars.

**Hon. WILLIAM H. SEWARD** is fulfilling engagements in the West, to address the People on the political issues of the day. He has met everywhere with enthusiasm and interest. Indeed a perfect ovation awaited him every point. At Detroit he made a formal address to many thousands of people, signified by all that moderation, terseness, and statesmanship characteristic of Mr. Seward. It is published on our First Page to- day.

**What Johnson Approves.**

**MECHANICS AND WORKMEN READ.**—Herschel V. Johnson, the Douglas candidate for Vice President, thinks capital should be invested in laborers. The following advertisement, which is taken from a Savannah, Georgia, paper, is what the Popular Sovereignty candidates for Vice President would introduce into Pennsylvania.

MECHANICS AND WORKERS.—  
TWO EXCELLENT CARPENTERS, one black and one white, excellent carpenters, bold and healthy, of quiet and peaceful dispositions, and several years quiet service. Persons in want of mechanics, are invited to call and examine them; as they are now in Philadelphia, and are sold on the block.

It is my wonder that the young men of the country, who by the Free Trade policy of Democracy, have been kept out of business, are rallying in such numbers, around a standard of Freedom and Protection? If we wish to see how domestic industry is depressed and impoverished, glace at the following brief comparison of the consumption of foreign goods under Protection and Free trade:

1. All the foreign goods are imported  
under Protection, to the amount of \$100,  
000,000 per year. The Protectionists assert  
that they cannot supply. The Protectionists  
will furnish all the foreign goods to the amount  
of \$100,000,000 per year.

2. The amount of foreign goods imported  
under Free Trade, is \$100,000,000 per year.

3. Under Protection, we import  
\$45,000,000 per year.

4. Under Free Trade, we import  
\$15,000,000 per year.

5. Is not astounding? Under Protection,  
we have employment; wages are good; there  
is plenty of money to carry on improvements;

Under Free Trade, out of the country goes our

1. In come foreign goods; our working-

men are thrown out of employment; or are

compelled to work at low wages; we are

forced to wear our old clothes on all occasions;

our children in rags; our parents in rags;

neglected as far as education is concerned,

and they must go out to work, to help support

the family; young men can't afford to marry;

because they are not in business. We might

bargain on their topic, ad infinitum; but it

is shown clearly enough, by the above short statement, that under Free Trade, the consumption of foreign goods, per head, is increased; our domestic production thus dimished, and every class pitched to support foreign workshops. This is why young and old, in all classes, should combine to abolish the ruinous system of Free Trade. Figure it out, if it should be done.

**TO OPERATORS, BUSINESS MEN, &c.**—Carl Schurz, the great German orator; Andrew G. Curtin, the People's candidate for Governor, and other distinguished friends of Freedom and Protection, will speak on Saturday next. It should be a general holiday to the workmen of the County, so that many of them would desire to hear some of the ablest speakers of the campaign. We hope that this suggestion will generally be acted upon.

We desire in the name of the workingmen of this Region to express acknowledgments to Mr. McClure, Chairman of the People's Committee, for the prompt manner in which the appointments of Messrs. Schurz and Curtin were changed in favor of this County.

On Saturday all can have an opportunity of hearing them, while Thursday will have broken up a week, causing inconvenience.

Now that all has been arranged so satisfactorily, let our People give to Carl Schurz and Andrew G. Curtin a reception on Sunday next, which they will remember to the latest hour of their lives, while the Free State Democracy will stand appalled at the spectacle of the People aroused in their majority, to crush misrule, extravagance and dissipation.

With these objects in view, I have given the subject much thought. I am not too anxious to differ greatly from any of the plans or processes now in use, in simplicity, cheapness and

general availability; not in the combination of the material and the mechanical construction and operation of the machinery. The Coal is the material, and the machinery is the Apparatus.

It goes through all the manipulation—grinding, heating, coking, and preserving without being reduced; and is however adapted for use as fuel, as solid block almost equal to the natural Lump. The Coal requires three modes of combustion to be produced; the first is to be used as fuel, the second as gas, and the third, as vapor.

The cost of the raw material, we have before us, would not exceed \$2.50 for Bituminous coal, and \$2 for Anthracite—therefore the cost of gas produced would be a trifle less. The price of gas produced is not yet ascertained, but it will be pleased to consider this when we come to police trials as the Vermont and Maine elections. Before the Maine election they actually boasted that the Democracy would carry that State.

Hail! Hail! Good job!

**Business Prospects.**—After the elections are over, and Curtin elected Governor, and Lincoln and Hamlin President and Vice President, which is as certain to occur as that October 1st and November will arrive, if that is the case, the Morrill Protective Tariff Bill, we fully believe, will be secured to the people next winter—then all kinds of business will revive and become prosperous and profitable again—and we will suggest a couple of projects which we think will be of great service to the community in building up both business and population. Without protection to American Industry, it is utterly impossible for the country or business to flourish as it formerly did under the protective policy, and there is but little inducements for investments of any kind.

Our spirited contemporary, the Harrington Telegraph, thus tells about "it" that would not do.

Shortly after the arrival of Judge Douglas Friday last, two of the prominent committee men attempted to dictate the speech for the evening to the Judge, urging him to advise the faithful to vote for H. F. Duer, for Governor, and assuring him at the same time that Gen. Cameron had his support to accomplish the election of Foster. These gentlemen, however, discovered that some had been appointed to the trial before him, and then a trial was to be held, and that they were not to be held before the trial. The Judge, however, overruled the false representations made to him, and that it might cross his mind that they were not true. The Judge did not make the desired appeal in his speech, but expressed himself openly that Foster must be elected. His position was well known to the public, and he might be the man to whom he might be able to accomplish the election of Foster. 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