

# The Sunbury American.

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## PRIMARY ELECTION.

The Republican Union Voters of Northumberland County are requested to meet in the different Boroughs and Townships, on SATURDAY, the 16th of JULY, next, to elect Delegates to a County Convention which will meet in Sunbury, on Monday, July 16th, 1866, to nominate candidates for the County offices, to be elected in October next.

EMIL. WILVERT,  
Chairman of Standing Committee.  
SUNBURY, June 7th, 1866.

## Local Affairs.

**C&P Job Printing.**—Having received a large supply of NEW JOB TYPE, of various new styles, Posters, Handbills, Circulars, Cards, Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Labels, &c., can be printed in the latest and best styles, and on short notice.—Orders by mail promptly attended to.

**Good Intent Fire Company.**—A meeting of the Good Intent Fire Company will be held next Monday evening. The members are requested to attend.

E. WILVERT, President.

**cherries.**—We are indebted to Mrs. Wm. J. Greenough for some specimens of the finest cherries we have seen for years. Some of them measured over three inches in circumference. In no species of fruit, has there been so much improvement as in cherries, of late years.

**Soldiers' Orphans.**—A company of orphan boys, of soldiers who died in service, passed through this place on the 3d Inst., on their way to Philadelphia, to witness the great celebration of the 4th. These boys were from the school at Orangeville, Columbia county. A number of the lads were from this place and vicinity, and were as happy as only children can be, when greeted by their friends and relatives at the station.

**Quack Doctors.**—People should be cautious in dealing with traveling Doctors who profess to perform wonderful cures. Many, indeed nearly all of these, are impostors and humbugs. Some of them are quite illiterate. We have heard of a number of persons who have been victimized, by paying them in advance, as they are not often willing to wait for pay until the cure is performed.

**New Court House Bell.**—A fine new bell, intended for the new Court House, has just been received. It weighs about one thousand pounds. It was cast at the well-known foundry of E. A. and G. R. Meneely, of West Troy, N. Y., and bears the following inscription:

"Presented by the Hon. Simon Cameron to the citizens of Sunbury, July 1866."

**Empire Line.**—On Monday last, commenced running its freight over the Shamokin Valley road, by the route through Mt. Carmel, Quakake, &c., to New York. The first train consisted of 40 cars, each containing about 400 bushels of wheat and corn.

**Appointment.**—Dr. E. Francisius, of Milton, has been appointed a ticket agent on the Pennsylvania railroad, to be stationed at Harrisburg.

**Pavements.**—We observe that in the location of pavements, many of them are nearly level. The fall, or pitch, should be a half-inch to the foot. This, we are informed by Mr. Arns, is the established rule. So that a pavement, ten feet wide, should be five inches lower at the curb than against the wall. Some few of our citizens have put down composition pavements of coal tar, gravel, &c.

**Promoted.**—We learn by a Lebanon paper that Col. J. P. S. Goris, formerly of this place, but now a resident of Lebanon, has been brevetted a Brigadier General for meritorious services in the field during the late war.

The Colonel entered the service as Captain of Company "C" of this place, which was attached to the 17th Penn. Vet. Vol., and was subsequently promoted to the Colonelscy of the regiment.

**Benjamin Grifley and William Brumbaugh became the purchasers of the White Deer Woolen Factory, in Union county, for the sum of \$38,000, at the late public sale of the property.**

**New Bank Building.**—The brick work of this fine structure is completed. As the whole building is to be painted and sanded, the brick are laid flush without regard to joints, and are rabbed smooth. The style of architecture is unique, and when the building is completed it will be one of the most imposing, as well as the most convenient, in Northern Pennsylvania. The stabling, also, is well designed, and in good taste, and might pass off for a handsome dwelling, with wings attached, and a capacious entrance on the centre.

**Improvements in Northumberland.**—We are pleased to learn that a reliable company designating a large rolling mill in Northumberland. It will be located above the bridge, on the West Branch, and within the borough limits, the necessary ground having already been secured for that purpose. We are learn that it is proposed to establish a nail factory in that place, but do not know in what part of the town it will be built. We are glad to be able to notice this spirit of improvement manifested by our neighbors, and hope that the contemplated improvements will be speedily erected, as they will greatly add to the growth and business importance of the place.

**Northern Central Railway.**—The Wilkerson Bulletin, in speaking of this road, says at the Company designs extending its line of running to Rochester, passenger cars are being attached to the N. Y. Central trains between Elmira and Canandaigua. One train will leave Washington at 10 a.m., reach Elmira at 12 a.m., the next morning, turning, it arrives in Elmer at the usual hour, 5 p.m., and thence continues on to Baltimore and Washington. The second train will arrive at Elmer the same hour as now, about 11½ a.m., and then to Rochester without change of cars. Trains between Rochester and Canandaigua will be drawn by lines of the N. Y. Central road. By the above arrangement the Northern Central hope to increase their through passenger business between the 1st and Baltimore and Washington. Judging in their experience during the short time they have been running the Northern branch to Canada, gas, their expectation as to increased business profit will be abundantly realized.

**Incident.**—On Wednesday last, a man, whom we could not learn, was severely injured while trying to get on the rear car of the 10:40 train, in going over the crossing of the Northern Central Shamokin Valley roads, in Third street, his head being against a lamp post. He was severely bruised about the head and shoulders. It has been reported that the man was killed, a large sum was soon collected at the place.

**Death from Overheating.**—Two workmen in the Pennsylvania iron works, at Danbury, were seized with cramp on Tuesday week, caused by becoming overheated, and one of them, John Quinlan, an Irishman, died after a few hours. The other man suffered severely, but alive at last account.

**Democratic Nominations in Snyder Co.**—Democratic delegates assembled in convention in Court House in Middlebury, on Monday, the 1st ult., and nominated the following ticket:—Assembly—Hulus B. Hettick, of Monroe tp.; sheriff—Jacob Greenhill, of West Beaver tp.; commissioner—Iacob Longore, of Chapman tp.; auditor—J. A. Smith, of Middlebrook tp., and Wetas, of Beaver tp.

**Shamokin Items.**—The "Herald," of last week, says that the sale of lots advertised by Mr. Thomas Baumgardner, come off on Saturday last. There was a spirited competition, and the bidding was very lively. Fifty lots were sold, netting \$8000, leaving 105 lots yet to be sold.

Through the efforts of the postmaster at Shamokin, that place enjoys two through mails a day to and from Philadelphia. The first mail arrives at 12 o'clock M., and departs at 2 o'clock P. M. The second arrives at 6 o'clock P. M., and leaves next morning at eight o'clock.

Messrs. F. Fagley and Isaac Scott have commenced work on the foundation of handsome brick improvements, in the court district. Mr. Fagley intends erecting a two-story brick store-room, 25 ft front by 80 feet deep. Mr. Scott will be the mason, and 40 feet deep. Mr. Isaac May is engaged in building a fine brick dwelling on Shamokin street; as is likewise Mr. Henry, on the same street. Mr. Wm. Doty is putting the slate roof on a new brick flour and feed store-house, in front of the Brown Stone Front.

A cricket club has been organized in the place. It is called the "Shamokin Cricket Club." Its officers are, David Judge, President; James Booth, Treasurer; and D. W. Coder, Secretary.

A committee has been appointed to procure bats, &c., and these are to be used in the games, and examine at

the Two doors above Gen. Bright's Drug Store.

**New and fashionable summer suits, of the latest styles, are now manufactured at the tailoring establishment of J. E. Smek, in Fourth street, below Market. His goods comprise every variety of cassimere and linens to suit the tastes of all who may call on him.**

**Photographs.**—When we look back only a few years and see what has been done in that time to advance the science of taking correct and life-like pictures, we are astonished. Byerly, in Simpson's building, Market street, is acknowledged to have no superior in the State. His pictures are artistically finished. We advise all who want a present, truthful, faithful likeness of themselves or friends, to go to Byerly's Gallery.

**Immense Excavation.**—Our citizens will be greatly delighted by the news that S. Kronenberg sells his Clothing, Boots and Shoes, No. 519 Main street, Philadelphia, Westmunt, at 15 per cent, under cost. He is determined by all means to secure custom. Let everybody come and examine at

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**MARRIAGES.**

On Thursday, the 25th ult., by the Rev. S. W. Roigart, Mr. CHARLES W. MUSKROVE, of Northumberland, and Miss CECILE PEALE, of this place,

**SUNBURY MARKETS.**

Corrected Weekly for the "American."

Wheat Flour, extra family, per barrel, \$15.00  
do do do per cent, 7.50  
Rye Flour, per barrel, 10.00  
do per cent, 5.50  
Wheat, prime red, per bushel, 1.00  
Rye, do, do, do, 85  
Oats, do, do, do, 65  
Potatoes, do, do, do, 2.00  
Dried Peaches, pared, per pound, 30  
do, unpared, do, 30  
Dried Apples, do, 2.50  
Dried Cherries, (unpeeled), per bushel, 25  
Butter, per pound, 25  
Ghee, per dozen, 25  
Lard, do, do, do, 25  
Hams, do, do, do, 25  
Shoulders, do, do, do, 15  
Bacon, " front " do, do, do, 15  
Mutton, do, do, do, 18  
Chickens, per pair, 75

**Shamokin Coal Trade.**

SUNBURY, July 3, 1866.

TOM. C. COFF.

Sent for week ending July 30,

15.734 Cents

Per last report,

255.991 Cents

To same time last year,

151.574 12 Cents

Increase, 35.000 13

Special Notices.

**IRON STORE.**

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