

Republican State Ticket.

For Governor, General JAMES A. BEAVER, of Centre county.

For Lieut.-Governor, Senator WILLIAM T. DAVIES, of Bradford county.

For Judge of the Supreme Court, WILLIAM HENRY RAWLE, of Philadelphia.

For Secretary of Internal Affairs, Senator JOHN M. GREER, of Butler county.

For Congressman-at-Large, MARIOTT BROSTUS, of Lancaster county.

Republican County Ticket.

For Congress, HARRY WHITE, of Indiana county.

For State Senate, MILES W. TATE, Esq., of Forest County.

For Assembly, E. L. DAVIS.

For District Attorney, T. J. VAN GIESEN.

For County Commissioner, H. O. DAVIS.

Republican Senatorial Conference.

The meeting of the Conference of this, the 38th Senatorial District, was held in Tionesta, Oct. 24, 1882, at 4 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the State Senate.

Forest county presented the name of Miles W. Tate Esq., as her candidate. The delegates from the other counties of the district, not being able to be present, but having telegraphed instructions concurring in said nomination, Miles W. Tate Esq. was thereupon unanimously nominated as the Republican candidate for the 38th Senatorial District.

Of our candidate, Mr. Tate, but a short sketch is necessary: A native of Clearfield county, he was there admitted to the bar in 1866, having been a student of the late Hon. H. B. Swoope. In 1868 he located in Tionesta, Forest county, where he has since resided, and devoting himself exclusively to his chosen profession, has attained therein a more than local reputation. A gentleman of unquestioned ability, a fine orator, of broad culture, and always a staunch Republican, he is in every way qualified for the responsible position of State Senator. There is no doubt but that he can make it warm for Mr. Hall, and if elected will be a representative of whom the Republicans of his county and district will not be ashamed.

OUR CANDIDATES.

Pennsylvania's great election will take place one week from next Tuesday. Although in this county the canvass has thus far been very quiet it is beginning to liven up and for the remaining few days politics will doubtless be all the rage. Throughout the State it has been very active, and the Republicans have been vigorous and hard at work, and to-day the outlook for carrying the ticket through by an old-time majority is very bright and promising. While this is the case it will not do for us to let the matter lag in our own little county, but we must be up and doing for the time is short, and may not be made while the sun shines. Before going any further let us take a glance at our admirable ticket.

GENERAL JAMES A. BEAVER, our gallant standard-bearer, it is needless to say, is by far the most competent man for the high office of Governor in the field. No man in the least disposed to be fair, and who knows the several candidates, but that knows this to be case, and will acknowledge it if put to a test. The only objection ever raised against him is that he was nominated by the "bosses." This is as absurd as it is false. Is there an intelligent man in Forest county to-day of any party who believes that General Beaver was not the choice of four-fifths of the Republican party in Pennsylvania? If there is let him look up the evidence and be convinced differently. Let him take the leading papers, which voice the sentiment of the people, prior to the May convention and there he will find how the people felt on the subject. When a candidate is unanimously nominated by acclamation by such men as had a voice in that convention it don't look much like bossism, does it, now, cau-

didly? We think not. Then, should a man be defeated who will without doubt make the most brilliant Governor Pennsylvania has ever had, simply to spite or bestow a kick on some other man? Not any; we have too much faith in the integrity of the Republicans to believe they would commit such a senseless blunder.

As with General Beaver so it is with the balance of the State ticket. Every candidate on the ticket is a gentleman in every sense that the term implies, and are all eminently fitted for the high positions to which they aspire; they came as honestly by their nominations as any candidates ever did who were nominated by a convention of representative men. They are entitled to the support of every true Republican, and so far as Forest county is concerned we are sure they will get it.

GENERAL HARRY WHITE. is our nominee for Congress. He needs no introduction to the voters of Forest county. A statesman in the true sense of the word, a gentleman in every way, and a man, as all know, of great ability, he has been slandered, berated and lied about by opposition papers until one might think him the worst mortal on earth. Not so, however, but on the contrary he is a man who has been in public life for nearly twenty years, and during that time not a flaw can be picked in his record. He has ever stood up manfully and defended the interests of the laboring man, and has always fought those issues which might tend in the least toward the oppression of the poor man. To prove this one needs only to look at his record while in the State Senate. The editors of opposition sheets continue to howl themselves hoarse over the River and Harbor bill (for the passage of which their parties are as much and more to blame as the Republican) when discretion and decency would seem to suggest silence. Mosgrove, the creature of coalition, failed to put himself on record on this matter, and by his absence assisted to pass it over the President's veto, and yet there are some who seem to think General White responsible for Mosgrove's failures. General White favored the position of President Arthur on this bill, as he has declared in his public speeches, and editors who assert otherwise only display their ignorance or utterly disregard the facts.

A few of the would-be bosses of the Greenback and Democratic parties nominated a man by the name of Patton from Indiana county against General White, not because he possessed a solitary grain of fitness or capability for the position, but because his mother had a bar! and was willing to bust it in his behalf. Consistent Democrat or Greenbacker of Forest county, will you allow a few self-appointed bosses to dictate to you in this manner? We hope not.

(Of our candidate for State Senator Miles W. Tate, Esq., we speak elsewhere. He was nominated yesterday, and we have reason to believe the choice will be entirely satisfactory to the voters of this as well as the other counties of the district.)

HON. E. L. DAVIS was unanimously renominated for the office of Assembly by the Republicans of Forest county last spring. Why? Simply because he acquitted himself nobly while in the Legislature, and made a record which is a credit to himself and to the county which he so ably represented; because if re-elected he will do still better, and carry still more influence with him. A new member is at a disadvantage, generally, and when sent back the second time his chances to serve his constituents and look after their interests are far better; hence it is a benefit to any county to give a member a second term if he has done well the first. This no one will deny. Mr. Davis' demeanor in the Legislature and since has been such as to win for him the esteem and friendship of many on the opposite side of the political fence, who opposed him before, and who will this time support him. This certainly speaks well for him. He ought to be returned by a hundred and fifty majority, and we don't believe it will fall much, if any, short of that.

T. J. VAN GIESEN, Esq., for the office of District Attorney, is a gentleman whom nearly every Republican in the county knows and respects. He served one term as Sheriff, and in that position proved himself an efficient officer. He is possessed of the necessary qualifications to fill the office to which he now aspires acceptably, and as a rising lawyer the experi-

ence and advantage to be gained by a term as District Attorney would be of lasting benefit to him, and in bestowing this favor upon him the citizens would help one who is anxious and ready to help himself. The Greenbackers of our county, who have no candidate of their own, could not do a more graceful act than give Mr. Van Giesen a lift, and thus make his election doubly sure. Let the Republicans stick to him to a man, and with the assistance to be gained outside the party we are satisfied he will be elected by a good majority.

MR. HENRY O. DAVIS is the Republican nominee for Jury Commissioner, and a first-class nomination it is, too. If every voter in Forest county knew Mr. Davis as well as do the people of Tionesta his election might be counted on by an overwhelming majority. For honesty and square manhood he is second to none of our citizens. He will do his whole duty under any and all circumstances, and that is the kind of man we want to fill our offices. Vote for Mr. Davis and you will never regret it.

This completes the ticket. Let us elect it by a rousing majority. Let us all work together, Republicans, from now until the polls close on the 7th of November, and victory will be ours. Close up the ranks and go to work in earnest.

CHAIRMAN HENSEL of the Democratic State Committee, is making a tour of the State exhibiting his man Pattison to the voters about the same as a fond father exhibits his chubby urchin at a baby show. He has a little speech which he delivers whenever occasion demands, and then they go on to the next station.

THE Republicans of this county are becoming aroused, and will roll up their usual majority on the 7th of November. There is no disaffection among Forest county Republicans, but on the contrary the party is united to a man. The outlook for the Republicans in the State grows better every hour, and the election of the whole Republican ticket is being conceded by the Democrats. Work from now on, and our victory will be a grand one.

ONE of our exchanges strikes the nail square on the head in the following language, which is absolutely true: J. D. Patton is a candidate for Congress, not because he has any fitness for the position, but simply because he has a mother who is immensely wealthy, and who is anxious for the promotion of an only son, and is willing to scatter the ducats to advance his chances. Simply this and nothing more.

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Proclamation of General Election.

Whereas, in and by an act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled 'An Act to regulate the Elections of the Commonwealth,' passed the 24th day of July, A. D., 1869, it is made the duty of the Sheriff of every county within this Commonwealth to give public notice of the General Elections, and in such to enumerate: 1st. The officers to be elected. 2d. Designate the place at which the election is to be held.

Tuesday, November 7, 1882. between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. at the several Election Districts.

In Barnett township at Jacob Maze's Carpenter shop. In Green township at the house of L. Arner.

In Howe township at Brookston, in Brookston Library Hall. In Jenks township at the court house in Marion.

In Harmony township at Allender school school house. In Hickory township at Hickory House.

In Kingsley township at Newtown School House. In Tionesta township at Court House in Tionesta borough.

In Tionesta borough at Court House in said borough. At which time and places the qualified electors will elect by ballot: One person for Governor of Pennsylvania.

One person for Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania. One person for Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

One person for Secretary of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania. One person for Congressman at Large for the State of Pennsylvania.

One person for member of Congress for the 25th district of Pennsylvania. One person for State Senator for the 38th district of Pennsylvania.

One person for Assembly for Forest County. One person for District Attorney for Forest County.

One person for Jury Commissioner for Forest County. The act of Assembly entitled 'An act relating to the elections of this Commonwealth,' passed July 2, 1819, provides as follows, viz: 'In case the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for inspector shall not attend on the day of any election, then the person who shall have received the second highest number of votes for Judge at the next preceding election shall act as inspector in his place.

And in case the person who shall have received the highest number of votes for inspector shall not attend, the person elected Judge shall appoint an inspector in his place, and in case the person elected Judge shall not attend, then the inspector who received the highest number of votes shall appoint a Judge in his place; and if any vacancy shall continue in the board for the space of one hour after the time fixed by law for the opening of the election, the qualified voters of the township, ward or district for which such officer shall have been elected, present at the place of election shall elect one of their number to fill such vacancy.

I also give official notice to the electors of Forest county, that by an act entitled 'An Act further supplemental to the act relating to the election of this Commonwealth,' approved Jan. 30, 1874: SEC. 9. All the elections by the citizens shall be by ballot; every ballot voted shall be numbered in the order in which it shall be received, and the number recorded by the clerks on the list of voters opposite the name of the elector from whom received. And any voter voting two or more tickets the several tickets so voted shall each be numbered with the number corresponding with the number to the name of the voter. Any elector may write his name upon his ticket, or cause the same to be written thereon, and attested by a citizen of the district. In addition to the oath now prescribed by law to be taken and subscribed by election officers, they shall severally be sworn or affirmed not to disclose how any elector shall have voted, unless required to do so as witnesses in a judicial proceeding. All judges, inspectors, clerks and overseers of every election held under this act, shall, before entering upon their duties, be duly sworn or affirmed in the presence of each other. The judges shall be sworn by the minority inspector, if there shall be such minority inspector, if not, then by a justice of the peace or alderman, and the inspectors and clerks shall be sworn by the judge. Certificates of such swearing or affirming shall be duly made out and signed by the officers so sworn, and attested by the officer who administered

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the oath. If any judge or minority inspector refuses or fails to swear the officers of election in the manner required by this act, or if any officer of election shall act without being duly sworn, or if any officer of election shall certify that any officer was sworn when he was not, it shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and upon conviction, the officer so offending shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding one year, or both, in the discretion of the court.

SEC. 11. It shall be lawful for any qualified citizen of the district, notwithstanding the name of the proposed voter is contained on the list of resident taxables, to challenge the vote of such person, whereupon the proof of the right of suffrage shall be as now required by law, shall be publicly made and acted upon by the election board and the vote admitted or rejected, according to the evidence. Every person claiming to be a naturalized citizen shall be required to produce his naturalization certificate at the election before voting, except where he has been for five years continuously a voter in the district in which he offers to vote; and on the vote of such person being received, it shall be the duty of the election officers to write or stamp on such certificate the word 'voted,' with the day, month and year; and if any election officer or officers shall receive a second vote on the same day, by virtue of some certificate, except where the same are entitled to vote because of the naturalization of their fathers, they and the person who shall offer such second vote, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, shall be fined or imprisoned, or both, at the discretion of the court; but the fine shall not exceed five hundred dollars in each case, nor the imprisonment one year. The like punishment shall be inflicted on conviction on the officers of election who shall neglect or refuse to make or cause to be made the endorsement required aforesaid on said naturalization certificate.

SEC. 12. If any election officer shall refuse or neglect to require such proof of the right of suffrage as is prescribed by this law, or laws to which this is a supplement, from any person offering to vote whose name is not on this list of assessed voters, or whose right to vote without requiring such proof, every person so offending shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be sentenced for every such offense, to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or to undergo an imprisonment of not more than one year, or both, at the discretion of the court.

I also make known the following provisions of the new Constitution of Pennsylvania:

ARTICLE VIII. SUFFRAGE AND ELECTION.

SEC. 1. Every male citizen twenty or more years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections.

First.—He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second.—He shall have resided in the State one year, (or, if having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the State he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months,) immediately preceding the election.

Third.—He shall have resided in the election district where he offers to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth.—If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid within two years a State or county tax which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before election.

SEC. 2. The General election shall be held annually on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November, but the General Assembly may, by law, fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto.

I also give official notice of the following provisions of an act approved the 30th of March, 1882, entitled 'An act regulating the manner of voting at all the elections of this Commonwealth.'

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the qualified voters of the several counties of this Commonwealth, at all general, township, borough and ward elections, shall severally hereafter authorized and required to vote by tickets printed or written, or partly printed and partly written, severally classified as follows: One ticket shall embrace the names of all judges of courts voted for and shall be labeled 'Judiciary'; one ticket shall embrace the names of all the State officers voted for and be labeled 'State'; one ticket shall embrace the names of all the county officers voted for, including office of Senator and member of Assembly, if voted for, and member of Congress, if voted for, and be labeled 'County'; one ticket shall embrace the names of all the township officers voted for, and be labeled 'Township'; one ticket shall embrace the names of all the borough officers voted for, and be labeled 'Borough'; and each class shall be deposited in separate ballot boxes.

Notice is hereby given that any person excepting Justices of the Peace who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the United States, or this State, or any city or incorporated district, whether commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under any authority, executive or judicial 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, or of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district, by law incapable of holding, or exercising at the time, the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election in this Commonwealth, and that no inspector, judge or other officer of such election shall be eligible to be then voted for.

The Judges of the aforesaid districts shall representatively take charge of the certificates of return of the election of their respective districts, and produce them at the Prothonotary's office in the Borough of Tionesta, as follows: 'All judges living within twelve miles of the Prothonotary's office, or within twenty-four miles if their residence be in a town, village or city upon the line of a railroad leading to the county seat, shall before two o'clock p. m., on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER SEVENTEEN, 1882, at all other judges shall before twelve o'clock, on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER NINTH, 1882, deliver said returns, together with the return sheets, to the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest county, which said return shall be filed, and the day and hour of filing marked thereon, and shall be preserved by the Prothonotary for public inspection. Given under my hand at my office in Tionesta, Pa., this 19th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and in the one hundred and seventh year of the Independence of the United States, C. W. CLARK, Sheriff.

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