

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

COUNTY.

Congress—A. WAYNE COOK. (Subject to decision of district conference.) Assembly—J. E. WENK. Prothonotary—JOHN H. ROBERTSON. Sheriff—FRANK P. WALKER. County Commissioners—W. M. COON, CHAS. M. WHITEMAN. Auditors—M. E. ABBOTT, J. R. CLARK. Jury Commissioner—J. B. CARPENTER.

Republican Primaries and County Convention.

The Return Judges of the Forest County Republican Primaries, held last Saturday, met in Convention at the Court House yesterday, at 2 p. m., and were called to order by acting Chairman Gus B. Evans, who appointed as secretaries of the meeting Leon Watson of Nebraska, and M. E. Abbott of Hickory. The roll was called, showing nearly every precinct represented by the properly accredited Judge, those not in attendance having transmitted their returns by the hands of one of the judges of his township, as per resolution by the County Committee Feb. 24th.

The returns were then opened and computed by the Chairman and Secretaries, resulting in the nomination of the following ticket, and the gentlemen named were declared duly nominated by the Chair:

Congress, A. Wayne Cook, of Barnett twp.

Assembly, J. E. Wenk, of Tionesta.

Prothonotary, John H. Robertson, of Jenks twp.

Sheriff, Frank F. Walker, of Green twp.

County Commissioners, W. M. Coon, of Barnett twp., and Chas. M. Whiteman, of Tionesta twp.

Auditors, M. E. Abbott, of Hickory twp., and J. R. Clark, of Tionesta.

Jury Commissioner, J. B. Carpenter, of Kingsley twp.

National Delegate, J. C. Campbell, of Jenks twp.

State Delegate, Geo. L. King, of Harmony twp.

The Bowmanville returns were sent by mail, but failed to arrive in time to be tabulated. The Chairman was empowered to add the vote of that precinct to the returns when received. They have been received and appear in the table published today.

On motion Mr. Cook, candidate for Congress, was accorded the courtesy of naming his own Conferees. The same courtesy was also extended to Mr. Campbell, candidate for National Delegate.

The election of a Chairman for the ensuing year being next in order, Mr. B. J. Day, of Kalletville, nominated Gus B. Evans, and he was unanimously chosen. Mr. Evans has during the past year very acceptably filled the place in the absence of the regular Chairman, and his election at this time is a graceful recognition of his services.

The business of the Convention was thus practically finished, and after all candidates present had returned thanks for the honors conferred the meeting adjourned. Throughout the proceedings were harmonious, and the canvass ended as it had begun, in good feeling and friendliness in the ranks. Of the ticket nominated we shall take pleasure in speaking later in the approaching campaign, sufficing it to say now that it is made up of loyal, steadfast Republicans, and one which will enlist the hearty and united support of the party in the fall.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the convention:

Resolved, That we, the Republicans of Forest County, in Convention met, hereby reaffirm our adherence to the principles of the Republican party as enunciated at the National Convention at Minneapolis in 1862.

We denounce the weak financial policy of the present Democratic administration in reducing the revenues of the Government below the running expenses, and in the issuing of bonds to keep up the reserve fund depleted by a reduction of revenues.

We heartily endorse the candidacy of Hon. Matthew Stanley Quay for the Presidency of the United States, and request our delegates from the 2nd district to use all honorable means for his nomination at the St. Louis Convention.

We hereby request our nominee for Assembly to support such legislation as will most successfully carry out the platform adopted at the Republican State Convention, Aug. 28, 1895, favoring reform.

We recommend to the Republicans of this, the 28th Congressional district, our candidate for Congress, A. Wayne Cook, as a man eminently qualified to represent them in Congress, and ask their hearty co-operation in securing his nomination.

Republican Primaries of Forest County, April 4, 1896—Official Vote.

Table with columns for Districts, Sheriff, Co. Comm'rs, Jy. Com., and various candidates with their respective vote counts.

NOTE.—For County Auditors, M. E. Abbott had 1089 votes; James R. Clark, 1098. For National Delegate, J. C. Campbell had 1133 votes, and for State delegate, Geo. L. King had 1111. None of these gentlemen had any opposition.

Warned in Time.

The Telegraph desires at this time to warn Republican district conferences at which Republican electors for the National ticket are elected to be very careful who are named for electors. The law says that no man connected with the United States Government in any position whatever is eligible for the position of Presidential elector, and is held to apply not only to those who hold appointive or salaried positions under the Federal Government, but also to National Bank officers and stockholders in National Banks. To be sure, the question as to the National Bank officers and stockholders has never been settled, yet there is an element of uncertainty in the matter which was considered so serious some years ago as to lead the Republican State Committee to request a National Bank director, who had been placed on the electoral ticket, to get off the ticket, and though he demurred, he was compelled to do so. It is this that the Telegraph desires to call to the attention of the Republicans of Pennsylvania at this time. County conventions are being held and electors will soon be chosen. It is better to be careful and best to be certain. A single electoral vote was very valuable in 1877, when the question of who should be President trembled in the balance.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

On Monday, at Washington, the House adopted the conference report on the Cuban resolutions by a vote of 244 to 27. By this action the House agreed to the Senate resolutions and disposed of the Cuban question for the present. These resolutions were as follows:

Resolved, That in the opinion of Congress, a condition of public war exists between the government of Spain and the government proclaiming, and for the time maintained by force of arms by the people of Cuba; and that the United States of America should maintain a strict neutrality between the contending powers according to each all the rights of belligerents in the ports and territory of the United States.

Resolved, Further, that the friendly office of the United States should be offered by the president to the Spanish government for the recognition of the independence of Cuba.

The statement of Mr. Kauffman, of the Kauffman Milling Company of St. Louis, one of the largest exporters of flour in the country, that the sales of that concern in Cuba and Porto Rico were \$3000 to \$4000 per month before the reciprocity treaties were made, and about \$25,000 per month during the time the treaties were in force, whereas since the repeal of the treaties they have fallen to from \$2000 to \$3000 per month, is a conclusive argument in favor of the party which established the reciprocity policy and will restore it as soon as possible.

PEOPLE who are bombarded with a 130-ton steel gun, with a range of fifteen miles, will at least have the satisfaction of knowing that each charge costs \$4750, and that the \$195,000 gun is useless after sixty shots. Peace societies should rejoice to know that war is more of a financial luxury than ever.

Notice.

The Prohibitionists of Forest county are requested to meet in Convention on Tuesday, the 21st day of April, at 7:30 o'clock, p. m., in the Court House, Tionesta, Pa., for the purpose of nominating county officers and to declare the choice of the Convention for Congress, and to elect delegates to the State Prohibition Convention, which meets in Philadelphia, on the 6th day of May, next, and to transact any other business that may come before the Convention. JAS. T. BRENNAN, Chairman, Tionesta, Pa., April 6, 1896.

When to go Fishing.

The following brief summary of the fish laws of this state may be interesting: Trout fishing is allowed only between April 15 and July 15. Penalty, ten dollars for each trout taken out of season. Black bass fishing is allowed only between May 30 and January 1. Penalty, ten dollars for each fish taken out of season. Rock bass same close season and penalty. Fishing with nets in the inland waters and set lines is prohibited. Penalty, \$100 with forfeiture of nets, boat, etc. Fish wires, fish baskets and dyke nets are prohibited. Penalty, fifty dollars for first offense and \$100 for second offense. The use of torpedoes, giant powder, nitro glycerine, dynamite, electricity, lime or any other poisonous or explosive substance for taking fish, is prohibited. Penalty, fifty dollars and imprisonment. The catching of black bass and wall-eyed pike under six inches in length, is unlawful, except in the Delaware river. Penalty, ten dollars for each fish. Fish Wardens, Constables or any officers of the State are authorized to arrest, without warrants, any person violating any of the fish laws. One-half of the penalty goes to the informer.

March Oil Report.

According to the Derrick's report, the new production was swelled in March by the Tyler county gushers, and several strikes of more than ordinary calibre in the McDonald and Cecil districts in Washington county. A number of wells in the Indian Creek field have been delayed in reaching the proper spot in the sand by the enormous gas pressure, or the March production would have shown a much heavier percentage of gain. Operators continue to complain of the roads, but new operations show a decided gain over those of the preceding month.

The March summing up for the fields producing Pennsylvania oil reveals the fact that 542 wells were completed, of which 142 were devoid of oil, while the production of the remainder amounted to 8,842 barrels. Compared with February there was a decrease of thirteen wells completed with an increase of 1,075 barrels in new production.

The new work under way at the close of March consisted of 448 rigs and 669 drilling wells, which was a decrease of three rigs and an increase of forty-eight wells drilling over February.

West Hickory.

J. K. Young has moved back to town from Jayhook, where he has been lumbering the past winter.

L. J. Paul, Superintendent of the Riverside stock farm, started Monday noon for Iowa, after more cattle.

W. G. Wilkins has repainted his drug store inside and put in incandescent gas lights.

Mr. Morse, of the firm of Teed & Morse, has returned home and they are advertising to sell their goods at auction commencing Saturday, April 11th.

Primaries passed off very quiet with quite a good vote. A straw vote was taken on choice of president and McKinley had 10, Quay 1, Reed 1.

Willis Pettigrew is preparing to move into the house lately vacated by W. S. Widrig. Mr. Widrig has moved into G. W. King's house near Dawson.

M. B. Hardenburg is having a large shed built for his mill.

Mr. Hoek of Titusville is in town visiting.

W. P. Siggins is pushing his building right along.

Snow Sutley has his house enclosed. It is going to be a very nice house. Glad to see it.

Scribbler.

School Directors' Convention.

To the School Directors of Forest County, GENTLEMEN:

In pursuance of the forty-third section of the act of May 8, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention, at the Court House in Tionesta, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the

FIRST TUESDAY IN MAY, 1896, being the fifth day of the month, and select, viva voce, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific requirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as County Superintendent, for the three succeeding years; and certify the result to the State Superintendent at Harrisburg, as required by the thirtieth and fortieth sections of said act.

AONES KERR, County Supt. of Forest County, Tionesta, Pa., April 7, 1896.

DAVID MINTZ, THE LEADER

IS ALWAYS ON DECK.

I AM BOUND TO LEAD in all kinds of Merchandise. My stock is still large in all departments, and as I want to make room for my spring and summer goods from now until further notice I will give

BARGAINS

IN MOST ANYTHING YOU WANT TO BUY IN MY STORE

FOR CASH,

AS CASH IS WHAT I NEED to keep things moving. So for Bargains, come to us, for Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, Carpets, Oil Cloth, Trunks and Valises, Cloaks and Capes, Blankets, Wall Paper, Crockery and Glassware, Furniture and most anything else at

DAVID MINTZ'S,

Red Front Stores, Marienville, Pa.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE paid for Hides, pelts, Calfskins, Wool & Ginseng.

It's all the same, a slight cold congested lungs or severe cough. One Minute Cough Cure banishes them. Health & Killmer.

A little pill, then a little pill. The pill is gone the ill has won. DeWitt's Little Early Risers the little pills that cure great ills. Health & Killmer.

Busy people have no time, and sensible people have no inclination to use a slow remedy. One Minute Cough Cure acts promptly and gives permanent results. Health & Killmer.

It is not a miracle. It won't cure everything, but it will cure piles. That's what DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will do, because it has done it in hundreds of cases. Health & Killmer.

Burns are absolutely painless when DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is promptly applied. This statement is true. A perfect remedy for skin diseases, chapped hands and lips, and never fails to cure piles. Health & Killmer.

Take a dose of DeWitt's Little Early Risers just for the good they will do you. These little pills are good for indigestion, good for headache, good for liver complaint, good for constipation. They are good. Health & Killmer.

It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cold or cough with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better result; better try it. Health & Killmer.

We might tell you more about One Minute Cough Cure, but you probably know that it cures a cough with it. Everyone who has used it. It is a perfect remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness. It is an especial favorite for children, being pleasant to take and quick in curing. Health & Killmer.

It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In many instances the attack may be prevented by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Health & Killmer.

An Admitt. This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheumatism which had crippled me up. After using three bottles I am completely cured. I can cheerfully recommend it.—Charles H. Wetzel, Sunbury, Pa.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10, 1894.—Walter Shipman, J. P. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by Health & Killmer.

Wanted.

To trade 6 wand-spring top buggies, 3 two-horse wagons, 4 spring wagons, 4 road-wagons, for almost any kind of lumber. Write me as to kind of lumber you have. Will trade the lot or as many as you may want.

A. REYNOLDS, Franklin, Pa.

During the winter of 1893, F. M. Martin, of Luzerne County, Pa., contracted a severe cold which left him with a cough. In speaking of how he cured it he says: "I used several kinds of cough syrups but I can honestly recommend a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which relieved me almost instantly, and in a short time brought almost a complete cure." When troubled with a cough or cold use this remedy and you will not find it necessary to try several kinds before you get relief. It has been in the market for over twenty years and constantly grows in favor and popularity. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by Health & Killmer.

FOR SALE OR WILL EXCHANGE FOR LUMBER.—A good stationary saw mill, recently refitted throughout, 50 H. P. boiler and engine, log turner, gang edger, fractional blocks rope feed, saw frame, inserted tooth saws, cut off, bull wheel, lathe mill, belts, lumber trucks; in short, a fully equipped mill that will be sold at a reasonable price. Have also a 30 H. P. Blandly, that will sell for cash or exchange for lumber.

MCCLELLAN & MELL, Kane, Pa.

OIL EXCHANGE RESTAURANT. Cor. Seneca and Centre Sts., Oil City, Pa. The Proprietor, Meals and Lunches served at all hours. Open day and night. When in the city look up the Exchange Restaurant, and get a good meal.

August Morck Jr. of the firm of MORCK BROS. OPTICIANS, Specialist in Errors of Refraction of the Eye. Examinations free of charge. WARREN, PENN.

License Applications.

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for license have been filed in my office and will be presented at April sessions of Court:

- 1. H. W. Pfaff, Forest House, Marienville, Jenks Township. 2. J. H. Powers, Keystone House, Marienville, Jenks Township. 3. D. D. Reid, Hotel Marion, Jenks Township. 4. L. Agnew, Hotel Agnew, Tionesta Borough. 5. C. F. Weaver, Central House, Tionesta Borough. 6. John S. Caldwell, Diagonal House, Byrontown, Jenks Township. Certified from the record, March 31, 1896. CALVIN M. ARNER, Clerk Q. S.

Corn Phosphate advertisement with image of a corn plant and text describing its benefits for crops.

LARRABEE'S RHEUMATIC LINIMENT advertisement with image of a bottle and text describing its uses for rheumatism and other ailments.

Good Money

To be made by you this season, by coming here for your spring and summer clothes.

Largest stock of fine woollens, ever held in the oil country, are now on our counters.

Exclusive patterns imported to our order. One suit in each piece.

Prices Stoop to Conquer.

We head the van as bargain givers, and always have.

Black and blue Scotch Black Suits to order, \$16.00 to \$21.00.

Fashionable Scotch Mixture Sack Suits to order, \$18.00, \$19.00, \$20.00 and \$22.00.

Black and blue Worsted for drossey Cutaway Suits, \$24.00 to \$28.00.

Trousers to order, \$5.00 to \$8.00.

THE McQUEEN CO. TAILORS, HATTERS, FURNISHERS AND SHIRT MAKERS.

MODERATE PRICE STORE. 27 and 29 Seneca and 12 Elm Sts., OIL CITY, PA.

THE OLD RELIABLE LIVERY STABLE, TIONESTA, - PENN.

S. S. CANFIELD, PROPRIETOR.

Good Stock, Good Carriages and Buggies to let upon the most reasonable terms. He will also

JOB TEAMING. All orders left at the Post Office will receive prompt attention.

Oldest manufacturers of breech-loading shot guns in America. The strongest shooting and best gun made. Ask your dealer for them, or send for catalogue. PARKER BROS., MAKERS, MERIDEN, CONN.

Daniel Webster

Once said to a young man who asked him if the legal profession was not overcrowded, "In all departments of life there is always room at the top."

This has become a noted maxim and to it we would humbly add: There is

Only One Way

To get there and that is "to sell the best goods for the least money." This we are doing. Give us a trial and we will prove the assertion.

New Shoes, New Styles, New Shirts, New Ties, New Collars, New Suits, New Hats.

Walk in and see us.

Miles & Armstrong

CHEAPEST STORE TO BUY GOOD GOODS.

Advertisement for Wall Paper featuring the text 'ALL THE LATEST PATTERNS' and 'WALL PAPER!' with decorative elements.

THE TIME OF THE YEAR HAS ARRIVED when the energetic housewife begins to think about cleaning house, and while she is casting her eyes about for new wall paper, etc., we wish to call her attention to our excellent assortment, which comprises all the latest designs in paper and borders. Come and look them over while the assortment is complete. We are positive that we can satisfy the most fastidious purchaser, because we have the most complete line ever exhibited in Tionesta. Come and see.

WE ARE ALSO HEADQUARTERS

FOR CHOICE DRUGS, MEDICINES, STATIONERY, GROCERIES, PROVISION, CONFECTIONERY, Etc. Come and examine goods and prices, and we'll do the rest.

HEATH & KILLMER, DRUGGISTS AND GROCERS, - TIONESTA, PA.

Lawrence & Smearbaugh,

DEALERS IN CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, HATS, CAPS, GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, STATIONERY, CANNED GOODS, CUTLERY, JEWELRY, TOBACCO, CIGARS.

BOOTS AND SHOES A SPECIALTY!

GOODS OF FIRST CLASS QUALITY IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

COUNTRY PRODUCE AND CASH

TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

THE PARKER GUN.

Oldest manufacturers of breech-loading shot guns in America. The strongest shooting and best gun made. Ask your dealer for them, or send for catalogue. PARKER BROS., MAKERS, MERIDEN, CONN.