

THE AGITATOR.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 10, 1860.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT,

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

OF ILLINOIS.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

HANNIBAL HAMLIN,

OF MAINE.

- Electors at Large, Hon. James Pollock, Hon. Thomas M. Howe.

Presidential Election—November 6, 1860.

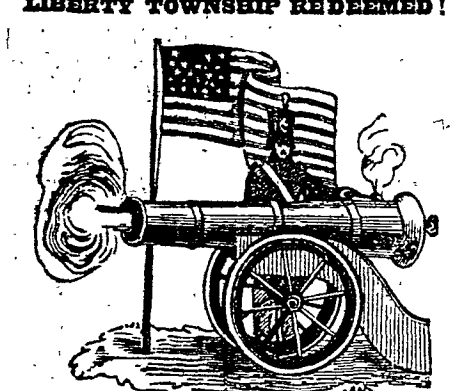
THE ELECTION OF YESTERDAY.

TIoga STILL THE BANNER COUNTY!

NEARLY 3000 MAJORITY FOR CURTIN!

700 BETTER FOR LINCOLN!

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP REDEEMED!



CURTIN ELECTED GOVERNOR!!



Let the Eagle Scream!

We give below the returns from all but one district in this county by which it will be seen that we have given Curtin from 2800 to 3000 majority, still sustaining, as we believe, our proud distinction as the Banner County of the State.

Table with 2 columns: District Name and Votes. Includes entries like Brookfield, Clymer, Charleston, etc.

Our whole County tickets were elected by majorities ranging from 2700 to 2800.

P. S.—Since the above was put in type, we have heard from Nelson which gives 20 majority for Curtin, making his majority in this county 2805.

From the State enough has been received to satisfy us of Curtin's election by a small majority. We give below dispatches received from our friend Dr. Pratt, the editor of the Corning Journal:

CORNING, N. Y., Wednesday Morning, October 10, 1860.

HUGH YOUNG, Esq.—Dear Sir: The returns are meagre. I give all that have come except townships which would make a long dispatch, without much information.

- Lebanon Co. 1200 Curtin. Dauphin " 1200 " Union " 800 "

Alliagany County—Returns from 38 Districts (including Pittsburg and Allegheny and adjoining Boros.) Curtin 4086, being a gain over vote of last year for Auditor of 2710 Rep.

- erie County, 2800 Curtin. Mifflin " 227 " Cambria Co. 800 Foster. York " 1300 "

Philadelphia has given between three and four thousand for Foster. The dispatch states that the returns are deemed favorable to the election of Curtin.

We have received the following by way of Troy: Schuylkill Co. 800 Curtin. Huntingdon " 700 " Lancaster " 5000 " Lycoming " 750 " in 17 towns. Blair " 760 "

All parties in Williamsport and Philadelphia give up the State to Curtin by 15,000 to 25,000.

POTTER COUNTY POLITICS.

Now that the State election is over, and the discussion of the subject cannot effect the result in any way, we have not the least objection in posting books with the Potter Journal on the representative question.

At the time of the last apportionment, Tioga and Potter were made to form one Representative District, with two members.

The people of Tioga have voted for and elected a Potter county man as one of the two members, although the population of the latter county is barely one-third that of the former.

The agreement—if such agreement was ever made—was made between them as politicians and not as representatives. The people, therefore, had nothing to do with it.

In 1859 the Tioga Convention re-nominated L. P. Williston, conceding to Potter county the right to nominate the other candidate.

Mr. Lewis Mann who had made a faithful and energetic member, and whose acts were entirely satisfactory to our people, was presented by that county for the second term.

The conference was appointed to be held at Wellsboro, but when the time came, the conferees from Potter county failed to make their appearance, and the Tioga conferees in view of that fact, and in view of the fact that Potter county had secured the nomination of the Senator for this District and would not be likely to claim the representatives, proceeded to nominate Mr. Isaac M. Bodine as the other candidate for the District.

Mr. Bodine's name was withdrawn and Mr. Mann was elected. Early last summer the Republicans of Potter county held their Convention, and nominated Mr. Mann for a third term on the first ballot, although it was very well understood that Mr. Ambrose Corey of Ulster, was the only prominent candidate before the people.

The party in Tioga acting upon this assumption, put in nomination Messrs. Strang and Elliott, and appointed six conferees to meet a proportionate number, according to the population, from Potter county.

For our part [the Journal] individually, and its managers collectively, we cannot support the nominees of Tioga, and therefore decline to place their names in the ticket at the head of our paper.

If men insidiously disregard our claims, we claim that we are under no obligation to regard their aspirations.

In the same issue, Mr. Mann's name was hauled down, and it was determined to defeat our ticket by "masterly inactivity."

When the time of the meeting of the Conference had arrived—ten days after the County Convention—the Potter conferees were found absent as usual.

The "claim put forward in regard to Mr. Bodine, is simply a falsehood, and every one of those six conferees knew they were assenting to a positive falsehood when they passed those resolutions."

The fact that six men of the character and standing in society of the conferees of Tioga county in the Legislative conference referred to, should meet together and deliberately resolve upon and publish a falsehood over their own signatures about a matter which concerned not one of them a particle, is only another evidence of the utter depravity of poor human nature.

In another article in the issue of the Journal in which Mr. Mann's name was withdrawn, it was stated as the intention of the Potter county leaders to determine upon some future action in regard to this question at a Mass Meeting to be held on Tuesday night of Court Week.

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These two important objects passed, we will now attend to those which did not attract such large crowds. Of the live stock, such as cattle, horses, &c., the numbers were quite limited—more so than they should have been.

There was a greater display of horses than of horned cattle. Some, in my judgment, were very fair—what through this section of the country might be called good, and some that their owners must have had strange ideas of excellence to bring them there; yet they all went to make up the number, which of course added to the interest.

The number of sheep on exhibition was also quite small; also that of swine. Our climate does not seem adapted to raising successfully the fine-wooled sheep, or else our farmers do not understand their business.

Of poultry, little need be said, as the display was very small. The awkward, ungainly shanghai, was there of course—a perfect greenhorn wherever he goes; and a man in these latter days is as green as Mr. Shanghai who raises them with the idea they are profitable layers.

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ple of that county have no confidence in its fairness, and because it neglects the local interests of the whole people and devotes itself to the political interests of a few.

TIoga CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

Agricultural Fairs are comparatively new, especially in Tioga County; and a report from an individual who has constituted himself a committee of the whole, may not be uninteresting and may be, perhaps, useful; at all events, I feel that I have formed my opinions, and can give them without that peculiar influence being exerted over me which is always felt by committees, and can take into consideration things of which they have no right to be cognizant.

After entering the gate, the first thing to attract the attention was a crowd of persons composed of men, women and children, but more especially young men.

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plod too heavy? If you have not thought of these things and figured them out, please do so if you wish to succeed. I regret that there was so small a display of farm implements.

The display of roots and other vegetables, fruit excepted, was not very large, yet the scarcity was quite well made up in quality. They certainly did credit to the soil and the skill that raised them. The display of fruit exceeded everything else on exhibition at the fair, not only as to quantity but quality.

In the department of household and domestic manufactures, there was a very creditable display, but the everlasting fancy bedquilt, like the shanghai, was there; and I was told—I vouch not for the truth of it—that there was one on exhibition that took a young lady three months to make, and when it was done, did not look half so well as some of the good warm wool coverlets on exhibition.

Of butter, cheese, &c., there was not a large amount on exhibition, yet it was all worthy. I took occasion, unasked, to try my judgment upon the butter. I made up my mind which I liked best, but as I saw no names on them, I do not know whether the committee and I agree.

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I do not blame the persons who rode, but the committees who award the premium. Give a premium to a boy who will hoe a hill of corn or potatoes the best, or build the best haystack, and you will do the "fair thing."

The address of Judge Culver at the close was very good. Yet I do believe that if the farmers who attend the fair would meet every night during its continuance and there discuss practical agricultural, it would be of far more benefit than all the speeches of celebrated men, unless the speakers are celebrated farmers. But this is not the popular belief, so I do not expect to see it acted upon.

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