



BLOOMSBURG: Saturday Morning, Sept 2, 1865.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS. FOR AUDITOR GENERAL. COLONEL W. W. H. DAVIS, OF BUCKS COUNTY.

FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL. MAJOR JOHN P. LINTON, OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.

COUNTY NOMINATIONS. FOR ASSEMBLY: William H. Jacoby, of Bloomsburg.

FOR DIST. ATTORNEY: Milton M. Traugh, of Berwick.

FOR TREASURER: John J. Stiles, of Benton.

FOR COMMISSIONER: John F. Fowler, of Pine Twp.

FOR SURVEYOR: Isaac A. Dewitt, Greenwood Twp.

FOR AUDITOR: Leonard B. Rupert, of Bloomsburg.

FOR CORONER: William J. Ikeler, of Mt Pleasant.

Election October 10th, 1865.

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The Democratic State Convention has cordially responded to the popular feeling in favor of rewarding meritorious soldiers with the honors and emoluments of civil station, by nominating for the State offices to be filled at the October election, two of the bravest of the brave men that Pennsylvania sent into the Union army.

Col. DAVIS, our candidate for Auditor General, is the well known commander of the gallant old 104th Regiment, with him at its head, won imperishable renown in many a hard fought battle.

Major LINTON, our candidate for Surveyor General, was an officer of the same regiment—the 54th Pennsylvania—that his competitor on the Republican ticket, Col. Campbell, commanded, and is beloved by all the Pennsylvania boys of the Army of the Potomac, as the fighting man of his regiment.

With such candidates, placed upon a platform at once loyal, patriotic, conservative and constitutional, our success in October is already achieved.

Nob Mountain Meeting. The great meeting at the Nob Mountain commenced on Tuesday, Aug. 29th.

The sterling Democracy of Columbia Co. were present in large numbers, every town ship being represented by scores of Democratic citizens, many of whom had brought their families with them.

The attendees to-day was much larger than had been anticipated for the first day of such a meeting.

The assembly was called to order at 3 1/2 o'clock, p. m. by Hon. C. R. Buckalew, who suggested that the proceedings be opened with prayer.

Mr. Bauckalew, proposed the appointment of the following gentlemen, as managers of the meeting, to have charge of the exercises and preserve good order.

For the office of County Treasurer, the Convention nominated Mr. JOHN J. STILES of Benton, who was one of the FORTY FOUR Fort Mifflin victims.

For the office of County Surveyor, the Convention nominated Mr. JOHN P. LINTON, of Cambria county, who was one of the FORTY FOUR Fort Mifflin victims.

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The afternoon meeting was opened with a song written especially for the occasion, to the old air of "when this old hat was new."

Col. Wellington H. Ent, next addressed the returned soldiers present, on the position of the Democratic party, in regard to soldiers' voting.

The proceedings were again varied by a song composed for the meeting, which was styled "the Democratic Call."

Capt. Charles B. Brockway, followed in a speech which presented the various issues submitted to the people of Pennsylvania, at this time.

The choir of Mr. Fry of the Lutheran Church, at Bloomsburg, consisting of fifteen or twenty little girls dressed in red, white, and blue, next sang in fine style "Trump, Trump," which closed the afternoon meeting.

The evening meeting was commenced by the Derr family singing, "A Darky Ditty" to the air of "Do Floating Seem," which was composed for the occasion.

M. M. Traugh, Esq., of Berwick, and R. R. Little, Esq., of Tankhannock, Wyoming county, entertained the audience by speeches of great force and power.

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Democratic STATE NOMINATIONS.

The Democratic State Convention met in the Hall of the House of Representatives at Harrisburg, on Thursday, August 24th, 1865, at 2 o'clock, P. M., and was temporarily organized by electing Robert L. Johnson, of Cambria, President, and A. D. Boileau, of Philadelphia, Benjamin Whitman, of Erie, and D. H. Neiman, of Northampton, Secretaries.

Every county in the State was represented by a full delegation, and the feeling throughout was harmonious and enthusiastic.

After the appointment of a Committee on permanent organization, a short recess was taken. When the Convention re-assembled, the Committee reported the Hon. Richard Vaux, of Philadelphia, as permanent President; with one Vice President from each Senatorial District, and 29 Secretaries.

Mr. Vaux, on taking the Chair, spoke as follows: Gentlemen of the Convention:—The Democratic party of Pennsylvania, by her representatives, in conformity to the ancient usages of the party, is again assembled in State Convention.

Our fathers made this compact of federal unity under hardly less than an inspiration, and it cannot be altered by fanatics or destroyed by power.

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Resolved, That the rights guaranteed to us by the plainest words of the Constitution, are these:—Free press, freedom from arbitrary arrest and illegal imprisonment, trial by jury, the writ of habeas corpus, the perfect immunity of all persons not in the army or navy from any species of punishment for crime or pretended crime which is not the legal consequence of a legal conviction by an impartial jury, the absolute subordination of all military power to the civil authority, and the privilege of white citizens to vote at the State elections, according to the laws of the State.

Resolved, That we fully concur with President Johnson in the conviction expressed by him in 1860, and repeated several times since, that the Federal Government is sovereign within its proper sphere; that it acts not through or upon the States, but directly upon individuals; that the States could not abrogate the people the State ordinances of Secession were nullities, and, therefore, when the attempted revolution came to an end by the submission of the insurgents, the States were as much a part of the Union as they had been before.

Resolved, That the effort now making by certain persons to use the power of the General Government with a view to force negro suffrage on the States against the will of the people and contrary to existing laws, is not only a high crime against the Constitution, but a deliberate and wicked attempt to put the States of this Union (all of them more or less and some of them entirely) under the domination of negroes, to Africanize a large portion of the country, and degrade the white race, morally and socially as well as politically, to the low level of the black. We will not acknowledge the incapacity of our own race, to govern itself, nor surrender the destinies of the country into the hands of negroes, nor put ourselves under their guardianship, nor give up to them the political privileges which we inherited from our fathers, and we exhort our brethren in other States to take up the same attitude and maintain it firmly.

Resolved, That we will support President Johnson in every just effort he may make to place all the States in their proper positions, to give to them a fair representation in Congress, to save them from the curse of negro equality; he shall have our hearty approval when he inflicts legal punishment by means of legal tribunals upon rascals against the United States, and we will be with him in every measure which looks to the maintenance of the public credit. But our full approval of his administration can be founded only in the belief that he will execute the law, the whole law, and nothing but the law in all parts of the country; that he will not allow the military to interfere with State elections; that he will punish kidnapping and robbery through the legal authorities, whether committed by Federal officers or private citizens, and that he will suffer no person to be murdered by Military Commission, and upon these measures there can be no compromise; he that is not for us is against us.

Resolved, That in view of our enormous national debt, the great weight of our State taxes, and the local burdens imposed upon us in divers ways, economy and retrenchment become an important duty of all our representatives, and to this end the vast standing army now on foot ought to be disbanded, the navy should be reduced, and the corrupt and extravagant practices lately introduced into the Government should be totally abolished.

Resolved, That our revenue laws need to be carefully revised in such manner that while the public credit will be maintained and the national honor preserved, taxation will be equal and just.

Resolved, That the gallant soldiers of the Republic, who so nobly risked their lives in defense of the Union and the Constitution, merit and will receive the unyielding gratitude of the American people. Living, they shall live in our warmest affections, and dying their memories will be cherished for all time to come.

Resolved, That the noble manner in which the Democratic press of this Commonwealth have contended in the defense of the liberties of the nation and trials and difficulties almost unparalleled, is deserving of our great recognition, and should entitle it to the encouragement of every Constitution-loving citizen.

Resolved, That we reaffirm our adherence to the Monroe Doctrine. The resolutions were unanimously adopted, as read.

The Convention then proceeded to ballot for Auditor General, as follows:

W. W. H. Davis, Bucks, 27 55 86

Col. Frank Vansant, Bucks, 8 9

Isaac Sleeker, Union, 41 41 30

Wellington H. Ent, Columbia 11 8 7

Robert J. Hemphill, Phila., 18

W. Workman, Washington, 2

Wm. Hopkins, 13 19

S. T. Shugart, Centre, 5

Chas. D. Manly, Delaware, 5 9

The Convention then proceeded to ballot for Surveyor General, as follows:

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And the nomination of Mr. Linton was declared unanimous.

The President was authorized to appoint one person from each Senatorial District as a State Central Committee, and the Hon. W. A. Wallace, of Clearfield county, was chosen by the Convention Chairman of the State Committee.

A resolution, offered by Mr. Petrikoff, Lyeomington, was discussed, and finally passed, modified as follows:

Resolved, That we are in favor of equalizing the bounties paid to soldiers in 1861 and 1862 that they shall receive the same pay and bounty as the soldiers of 1863 and 1864, and that Congress should make an appropriation for this purpose.

The appointment of the State Central Committee was completed; and Committees were then appointed to notify the candidates of their nomination.

After spirited addresses by Judge Black and Mr. Vaux, the Convention adjourned sine die.

Dear Sir:—I have just received a letter from Fort Mifflin, to-day. It states that there are no prisoners now in Fort. Nineteen were sent to Fort Delaware. All the rest were released; that are in the Fort now are four; the Colonel Eastman, the Doctor, Steward, and Catherine Richard the Cook, and she is very poorly.

Benton, Aug. 26, 1865

THE following excellent ticket was nominated by the Schuylkill County Convention:

Assembly—Dr. Kennedy Robinson, John M. Crawford, Peter F. Collins.

District Attorney—James Ellis. Treasurer—Wm. B. Rudy. Com. on on — Benjamin Evert.

Surveyor—Geo. W. Mendenhall. Div. — Isaac Orwig. Coroner—Wm. G. Johnson.

Keckum Arr. s. ed. Young Keckum, the New York forger and d knaver, was arrested on Sunday evening in the upper part of the city. He had never left New York. The sum of \$18,000 in cash was found on his person.

MARRIAGES. On the 29th of August, 1865, by Jesse J. Carpenter, J. P., LEVI PIERCE, and Mrs. CATHERINE ANN CLIBER, all of Lycoming county, Pa.

DEATHS. In Jersey Shore, on Sunday morning, CHARLES HENRY, son of Frank R. and Lucy E. Snyder, aged 9 years and 7 days.

In Bloomsburg, on the 26th, inst., Mrs SARAH A. WIFE of E. M. Staley, aged 35 years, 9 months and 12 days.

New Advertisements. GEORGE C. BRANDAU, PHOTOGRAPHER, Skylight Picture Gallery. IN THE EXCHANGE BLOCK. BLOOMSBURG, PA.

JOHN DOLL, 502 MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA, IMPORTER OF German, French and English Toys, and Fancy Goods, Pipes, Cans, China Wares, &c.

Estray. Came to the premises of the undersigned residing in Exchange twp., near Berwick, on the 19th of June a gray mare, supposed to be about three years old, and white, and the owner is requested to come forth, prove property, pay charges, and take him away or will be disposed of according to law.

THE undersigned beg leave to inform last friends and the public that they keep on hand and offer for sale cheap, at the Midway Ferry, near the mouth of Jerseytown, Columbia county, Pa., all kinds of LEATHER!

Which they will sell at market prices, or exchange for Buck and Hides. Our Leather is the Gold Standard, and which will prove most durable and warrant the best wear. We will sell by the trade, prove property, pay charges, and take him away or will be disposed of according to law.

BLOOMSBURG ACADEMY. The next term of this Institution will begin on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10th, 1865. The regular prices of tuition range from \$3.50 to \$7.50 per term of eleven weeks; to be paid at or before the middle of the term.