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TUESDAY MORNING & FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

CHARLES H. HARRIS' HIGH SCHOOL, MURPHYSBORO, PENNSYLVANIA, ON MONDAY eveng., 20th inst.

JESSE S. MARSH & CO., have Thursday, at 10 A.M., Testimonials of their new-improved Academic Report.

G. D. DODD, TOWNE, has a large and very good Acid, Super Saturday and Monday next, 21st & 22d.

MONEY BOUND--sell at this Office.

SILVER, GALTIS, SHARER & CO., just published--"A General Manual of Law for using in the Commonwealth of BUCKEYE--a short practical manual very concisely arranged for the use of students."

CANDIDATES' CARDS omitted today, & reprinted on next.

The following gentlemen reside in the principal towns in our State in the Name of the Union--on Wednesday, August 1:

President Judge, J. F. Lyon.

Associate Judge, J. W. Snyder, James Marshall, James Sharp, Robert C. Carter.

Senators, J. M. Morris, Robert H. Land,

Senators, W. H. Davis.

Representatives, J. W. Moore, Jacob M. Miller, W. Chambers, Richard V. B. Lincoln, John B. Johnson.

Senators, J. F. Lyon, Eliza S. Scott, A. M. Lovell, John C. Connelly, the Honorable J. Wm. Keeler, George K. Steele, Asa Green, John M. Pendleton, D. C. Connelly, C. C. Edwards, Wm. H. Davis.

Representatives, John Neely, James Price, George S. French, Michael Bryan, Jesse M. Vining.

Senators, John A. Mervin, Peter Birchard, James Davis, P. L. Davis.

Senators, Dr. William Bassett.

Representatives for Senate--Charles T. Ross, C. D. C.

C. D. C. M. --Alas! is the lot of candidates prepared for the consideration of the citizens of the Commonwealth in this country. We suppose the best is pretty much as bad as number 34, at Sumter, 3d of August--the day of the Primary election.

The names are somewhat familiar, and a certain large number of our best and most respected citizens in the varied walks of life. They are mostly, if not all, generally known--men capable and worthy of all respect--and to many of them, we believe they will be a very welcome addition to the Commonwealth.

Each candidate has his own peculiar record, and based claims for support, we must have strong hopes, and make every effort for success. We respect and acknowledge the individual merits of each--but very many of us would be glad to do better still of all of them.

No one knows who may be successful with *successful* offices, unless--but we are confident that this man or that man is not.

Very naturally, every one secures the support he can--but, after all, the decision rests with 120,000 or 130,000 independent men, who will disclaim us as dead beat.

Of course, many will not be the first in the returns. We know not who they will be, but hope no one on the list, after entering into a canvass, will irritate the sentiments, and, upon defeat at the ballot, make war upon the press--will. As consequence in the course of action to which we will submit our claims, is the true way and honor.

In a remark need not be repeated that such Officer should be selected with care, as less important in their place. Choose best, worthy men, who will be benefited and not injured by an election, and who will be true to the party and the country.

**Declinations.**

In my reply of the 4th inst., in answer to a request of the members of the Bar of this county, I consented to allow the use of my name in connection with the office of President Judge of this Judicial District. I have since found that it is impossible for me to make the arrangements necessary for the time. I did not, however, let go of the office, but am willing to submit his name to a responsible nation. He is known through the old country for his industry, his mystery of the law, and his unusual integrity. Public and private engagements during this and next Commencement week, would prevent his calling upon the people for their votes, even if the nature of the office permits of such a course--but Tickets with his name will be found at the polls, for those who favor his election.

**For Next week, and week after--** Commencement Week, and Teachers' State Association--will tax the hospitality of our citizens to the utmost, but we trust not in vain. As the latter may never come here again, a little extra effort will help all through easily. To this end, we commend the plausibility of the Editor of the *Mail*, who, speaking of the recent Methodist Conference at Warren, says:

"Let us venture a word of advice to the good dame who feuds them. Don't make a great fuss over your guests. Preachers are no better than printers--physically, we mean. Many people spoil their hospitality by its stiffness--by overdoing it. Job. We have a "pedagogic" and know all about boarding round." Nothing is so annoying to a guest as the appearance of turning the house topsy-turvy to feed him and sleep him. Make him comfortable, by your cheerful, real, home-like hospitality; not positively uncomfortable, by a display of luxury and sweetmeats which no healthy Christian ought to touch. At least, this is our notion. If you don't like it, you needn't read it."

**Gen. Washington deputates state that** great care is now being taken, to weed out of the army incompetent Officers--those who have proved to be so. We heard, weeks ago, that there were drunken, unqualified Colonels at the heads of Regiments, under whom no man would dare to be led into battle. The Massassas and other failures all have their uses in ascertaining our defects.

**For** "Thankful to my friends for their unfeigned support, I would respectfully announce that I am not a candidate for the Assembly, believing that the country districts are entitled to the candidate of this time if they wish it." C. C. SHORTLEY.

JUDGE BEAVER declines the use of his name for Senator--is in the field for the Assembly only.

JUDGE WITMER says he is not a candidate for Assembly--nevertheless, he has many friends who think he and Snyder are entitled to the office.

Mr. RUM requests us to say that he is very grateful for the many favors he has received from his fellow citizens of this country, and with many thanks to all who recommended him for Senator, especially for making the canvas.

"Should any other person demand for office, decline to run, he would greatly vex the people by letting us make it public--say by next Monday noon--in order that they may know who are truly candidates, and thus select intelligently."

ROBERT H. LAIRD consents to run as a candidate for Senator, but has not time to do anything more than to see that Tinker's at the polls for such as choose to enter him without personal validation.

"W. W. OWEN," a letter from the

Editor, and T. G. O., next week.

Buster Roll of the "Slifer Guards."

Captain--Thomas Chamberlin.

1st Lieut.--John E. Wilson.

2d Lieut.--Charles D. Schaffer.

1st Surg.--Theodore H. McFadden.

2d Surg.--John S. Livingston.

3d Surg.--Henry J. Stebbins.

4th Surg.--William H. McColl.

1st Corp.--Thomas B. Foss.

2d Corp.--John Pabst.

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