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Presidential Election Day-Tursday, Nov. 6th. FOR PRESIDENT, HON. ABRAHAM LINCOLN, OF ILLINOIS. FOR VICE PRESIDENT. HON. HANNIBAL HAMLIN. OF MAINE.

The people do not vote directly for the candi-dates for President and Vice President, but for Electors. The following is the Lincoln and Hamlin ELECTORAL TICKET. BLECTORS AT LARGE JAMES POLLOCK. TROMAS M. HOWE. DISTRICT ELECTORS. Edward C. Knight, | 13 Francis B. Penniman 2 Robert P. King. 14 Ulysses Mercur. 15 George Bressler,
16 A. B. Sharpe,
17 Daniel O. Gehr, 3 Henry Bumm. Robert M. Foust, Nathan Hilles, 5 John M. Broomall, 18 Samuel Calvin, James W. Fuller, 19 Edgar Cowan, Levi B. Smith. 20 William McKennan 9 Francis W. Christ. 21 John M. Kirkpatrick 10 David Mumma, Jr. 22 James Kerr. 23 Richard P. Roberts, 24 Henry Souther, 11 David Taggart. 12 Thomas R. Hull, 25 John Greer

REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING. The friends of Lincoln and Hamlin will hold

a Mass Meeting in CLEARFIELD BOROUGH,

heir efforts to abusing and misrepresenting in any public place. the Republican party, and not unirequently calling its adherents all manner of hard names. have had a working majority in this county Now they would assert that the Republican and have this year used every means both foul party wanted to set all the negroes free in the | and fair to increase their majority, still they Slave States, and let them come over into have utterly failed. Our gain on the State Pennsylvania. Then the sentiments of some ticket has been 40 votes more than theirs, and

however, be an almost endless task to enumerate all the means resorted to in the late politbefore the people.

They have failed in their purpose and will still more signally continue to fail. No party ever stood more firmly and secure on its principles and measures than the Republican. As their measures and principles have become known and understood, the party has gained strength till now almost every State in which men enjoy the liberty of free speech and a free press, has become overwhelmingly Republican. And so it will be. The more the issues of the day are understood the stronger will be the Republican Party. Its mission is onward, and its next work is to make Abraham Lincoln President.

THE VOTE IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY. By examining the election returns of Clearfield County of Oct. 1859 and Oct. 1860, we find some facts worth noting. The number of persons who voted in the county in 1859 was 2680, of which number about 100 did not vote upon the State Ticket. The number who vo- Sunday 21st, at 11 o'clock. A. M. ted this year (1860) is about 3800. This

makes an increase of about 1120 in the number of persons who attended at the polls and voted. The number of votes cast for the State ticket in 1859 was 2577; in 1860 it is 8795which is an increase of 1218 votes. The vote on the State Ticket is, perhaps, the proper test of party strength, because there, in nearly every instance, the vote is cast from party preferences. In 1859, the Democratic majority in this county, for Wright, Auditor General, was 319, and for Rowe, Surveyor General, was 333. We can call the average majority of the two 325. This year the majority on the State ticket, for Foster, is 285, which is a loss of 40 in majority to the Democrats, and a gain of that much to the Republi-

times that the Democratic party was favorable | turns as long as they could. The returns from (to a protective tariff, and that the protection Burnside and Guelich made them look very of American Industry could be as safely en- sober. Chest astonished them ; Decatur made trusted to their hands as to those of the Re- them fairly sick ; but the news from Huston publicans. Sometimes they would try to con- seemed to them perfectly stunning-so much vince their hearers that the Homestead Bill so, in fact, that many of them at once retired was a humbug; but generally they devoted and for a considerable time were not visible

It will be seen that although our opponents individual would be falsely represented as the our candidate for Congress, Gen. Patton, has doctrines of the Republican party. It would, actually carried the county by 64 majority. All thanks to the gallant Republicans of Clearfield oounty. Work on, and as you have ical canvass by Democratic speakers, big and done your full share in the election of Andrew little, to misrepresent the real political issues G. Curtin, as Governor and of Gen. Patton to Congrers, you will share still more in the honor of placing Abraham Lincoln in the Presidential chair.

> Noreworrny .- "The Democracy of Clearfield have achieved another splendid victory ; the County Ticket is triumphantly elected," was the remark of our neighbor, in his issue of Wednesday after the election. By referring to the official returns it will be seen that the Democracy did elect a County Commissioner and County Auditor.

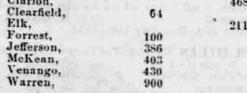
"AS AWFUL MISTAKE."-Some of our 'Democratic' friends made "an awful mistake" in the figures, when they calculated on 500 majority for Kerr, in this county ; notwithstanding that offer to bet "\$500 on Warren," by way of "whistling to keep up their courage."

By Divine permission the Rev. Samuel Miles will preach in the Baptist Church, in Clearfield, on Saturday evening, Oct. 20th, and on

64 Majority in Clearfield-1600 in the Dist. cratic-he has a majority of 64 !

THE WILD-CAT DISTRICT O.K.

PATTON ELECTED !!



Ohio O. K.

Only 3 Democrats elected to Congress. Ohio sure for Old Abe.

Lincoln will carry Indiana sure.



ED. A. IRVINS

COLUMN.

ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23d.

at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Speakers will be present to address the people.

Hon. A. G. CURTIN, the Governor elect, has promised, if he is in the State, to attend. COME ONE ! COME ALL 1! Let there be a general turn-out.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY VICTORIOUS.

Never was there a more decided victory than that just achieved by the Republican party. The contest was open and hard fought. Yet the victory is complete. The Republicans carry the States of Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania. Our majority in Indiana is about 15,000, and in Ohio about 20,000. In Pennsylvania Curtin's majority is about 33,-000. This makes the election of Abraham Lincoln morally certain. There is nothing in the range of probability that can defeat him. But it is equally gratifying to the Rupublicans of Clearfield county to know that all their candidates except those for County Commissioner and Auditor, have been triumphantly elected. Gen. Patton has a majority of of about 1600 in the District. Our candidates for the Legislature, Gordon and Lawrence, are both elected by majorities in the district estimated at between 200 and 400.

The next State Legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican. The Senate will stand about 25 Republicans to 8 Democrats, and the House of Representatives about 70 Republicans to about 30 Demoarats. This renders it certain that a Republican will be clected to the United States Senate the coming winter in place of Wm. Bigler.

We never knew a time in the history of the politics of this county when the Locofoco leaders resorted to meaner expedients to deceive the people and to defeat our candidates. the different election districts to circulate little petty slanders and falsehoods against him personally. This thing was done extensively, and by persons, too, of whom we expected better things. But it is past. Gen. Patton is Lawrence, Clearfield, New Washington, Lumelected in spite of their petty malice. We believe that on reflection many who were enthe part they acted, and, we trust, will endeain future.

One thing is certain, the mass of the voters us. We say to them work on ; the Republieven of the Democratic party are in favor of can party is right and is bound to prevail. the doctrines and measures of the Republican party. The Republicans are opposed to ship located in the woods. She has not a the extension of slavery, and are in favor of a great many votes but knows how to make them Protective Tariff and of the Homestead Bill; and they are opposed to the extravagance and corruption of the present National Administration, the squandering of the public money for political purposes, and plunging the country in debt to the amount of many millions every year. The Democratic party cannot hold their voters but by deception and falsehood, and by pretending to be in favor of the support of "Old Abe."

The average Republican vote on ticket was, in 1859,	the State 1126
Add, increase in 1860,	629
Total this year,	1755
The Democratic vote on the State	
In 1859	1451
Add, increase in 1860,	589
Total this year	2040

In the three townships of Beccaria, Guelich and Woodward, Curtin has a majority of 176 which is about 68 more than we had in the same territory last year. The Republicans there deserve great praise. Guelich is cur banner township, having given 120 votes for Curtin and only 12 for Foster.

Adams

Beaver

Bedford

Berks,

Bradford

Blair

Bucks

Butler

Carbon

Centre

Chester

Clarion

Clearfield

Columbia

Dauphin

Delaware

Fayette

Fulton

Greene

Indiana

Jefferson

Lancaster

Lawrence

Lebanon

Lehigh

Luzerne

McKean

Mercer

Mifflin

Monroe

Montour

Schuylkill

Susquehanua 1654

2700

800

330

Somerset

Snyder

Tioga

Perry

Pike

Montgomery

Lycoming

Huntingdon

Franklin

Elk

Erie

Cumberland

Clinton

Cambria

Allegheny

Armstrong

Burnside and Chest did well; the Republican majority being increased in them 69 votes over what it was last year. They have the men to do it.

In the townships where the Republicans have been greatly in the minority, the returns show that they have manfully come up to the performance of their duty. In Bell the Republican vote on the State ticket has been increased from 33 to 50; in Bradford from 32 to 62; in Brady from 33 to 72; in Graham from 12 to 27; in Morris from 24 to 62. We know from Abuse and falsehood were used by them near- these returns that the Republicans in those ly everywhere. Their venom was particularly districts were not asleep. Let them not be displayed against Gen. Patton. Just on the discouraged. They have the power of truth eve of the election individuals were found in and right on their side, and victory is sure to crown their persevering efforts.

Many thanks are also due to our triends in Bloom, Boggs, Covington, Ferguson, Girard, Jordan, Karthaus, Knox, Curwensville, Pike, ber City, Penn and Union. Some of them did exceedingly well last year and have contribugaged in this dirty work will feel ashamed of ted by their zealous services greatly to our present success. In nearly all of them our vor to maintain a higher degree of self respect vote has been largely increased in the face of a bitterly hostile and active majority against

> Fox is a bold and independent little towncount by putting the most of them in the right place. She gives Curtin 18 majority. Well done, Fox.

> Decatur last year gave 10 majority against the Republicans, but this year came in with 30 majority in their favor. All hail to Republican Decatur ; gloriously has she sustained Curtin, and still more gallantly will she come to the

Union measures which are really the measures of the But Huston did so well we were really sur-Venango Republican party, And this is just what the prised. Last year she gave a majority of 49 Democratic speakers did to the extent of their against us but now she comes in with a majoriability in this canvass. Sometimes they would ty of 43 in our favor. This was a change of pretend that the Democratic party was op- 92 in our favor from last year. posed to the extension of slavery. "Some- The Lecompton Democracy stood these re-

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.-Letters Testa-mentary on the Estate of Abram Reams, late of Lawrence township, Clearfield co., Pa, deceas-BOARDS, GRAIN, HIDES, sortment, for sale at Irvin's corner store. BEES-WAX, TALLOW, &C. cd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authen-ticated for settlement. We invite everybody to give us a call and **MUSTOMERS** are invited to call and examexamine our erticles, and we feel satisfied JOHN L. REAMS, Goshen tp. G. W. RHEEM, Clearfield bor. ine our goods, as we are satisfied that an exthat we can suit them in quality and prices. amination of goods and prices will induce October 10, 1860-6tp. Executors. MERRELL & BIGLER persons to buy. E. A. IRVIN. A LARGE stock of Men's and Boy's clothing, just received by REED, WEAVER & Co. Clearfield, Pa., Oct. 17, 1860. Curwensville, Pa., October 17, 1860.

Warren 800 66 for Curtin. 250 Wayne for Foster. Washington 320 for Curtin. " Wyoming 150 Wyoming 1348 Westmoreland 446 fsr Foster. 22 for Foster. 66 for Foster.

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