

CHAIRMAN—W. W. Smith, Patterson P. O. ...

The Republican County Committee met at W. W. Smith's hotel in Millintown, on Saturday, the 17th inst., in presence of a full house.

The Chairman, Mr. Smith called the Committee to order and announced the absence of the Secretary, Mr. Richard Doyle.

After a discussion of the time for holding the primary election, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, That the Primary Election of the Republican party in Juniata county be held at the several election districts, on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1876, between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that the Convention be held in the Court House, in Millintown, at 1 o'clock P. M., on MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1876.

G. W. SMITH, Chairman. H. A. STAMBAUGH, Secretary.

The following is the system under which the Primary Election will be held on September 25, 1876.

First. The candidates for the several offices shall have their names announced in one or more of the county papers at least four weeks previous to the primary meeting, stating the office, and subject to the action of the said primary meeting.

Second. The voters residing in the several election districts shall meet on Saturday, September 25, 1876, at the usual places of holding the spring election, at 2 o'clock P. M., and proceed to elect one person for Judge and two persons for clerks, who shall form a board to receive votes and determine who are the proper persons to vote, and shall have the polls open until 7 P. M. After the polls are opened the candidates announced as aforesaid shall be balloted for; the name of each person voting shall be written on a list at the time of voting, no person being allowed to vote more than once for each office.

Third. After the polls are closed the board shall proceed to count the votes for each candidate received, and make out the returns accordingly, to be certified to by the Judge and signed by the clerks.

Fourth. The returns of the clerks appointed by the Judge of the respective election districts shall meet at the Court House, in Millintown, on Monday, following the spring meeting, at 1 o'clock P. M., and count the returns and a list of the voters, and count the votes, and the person having the highest number of votes for any office shall be declared the regular nominee of the Republican party.

Fifth. If any two or more persons have an equal number of votes for the same office the judges shall proceed to ballot for its choice, the person having the highest number to be the nominee.

Sixth. The returns judges shall be competent to reject, by a majority, the returns from any election district where there is evidence of fraud, either in the returns, or otherwise, to the extent of the fraud committed.

Seventh. No person shall be permitted to vote twice.

The Charges of the Independent.

The Democrat and Register has ceased its note, and, without even a passing allusion, quite after the fashion of a porpoise in a storm, sinks out of sight and hearing.

The Independent yet presents a show of defense of the charges it made. Its last article, instead of supporting and proving its charges, is almost exclusively devoted to a personal tirade on the "Country Editor," and is as complete an indirect confession that its charges are not true as can well be presented.

A paper that makes a charge and does not sustain the charge, falls by its own weight into disrepute. The last effort of the Independent was a desperate struggle to get out of its unfortunate position. It shall be made to prove its charges.

First it charged that the Clerk of the County Commissioners receives eight hundred dollars per year, salary, and that the Board of County Commissioners intend to increase it to one thousand dollars. The public is interested in the declaration and is desirous of knowing how true it is, for the Commissioners have said in their last statement that the Clerk gets six hundred dollars. Certainly no respectable newspaper will publish a statement that declares that the published statement of the Board of Commissioners is not true, unless it knows that what it publishes is true. Under the head of "Commissioner's Office and Court House" the Commissioners say that the Clerk gets six hundred dollars per year as a salary. The Independent says the Clerk gets eight hundred dollars and is to have a thousand dollars the next year. There is a monstrous falsehood out here among those parties, and the coloring of the case is against the Independent, for last week it abandoned that charge and pounded the "Country Editor" for advising that if the charge is not true the Board of Commissioners should institute legal proceedings against it for libel. It calls that advice a defence of the flag. That is an advice we give to every slandered man and woman in

the community, no matter how humble. We say to all such, if you are vilified and abused, make the vilifiers prove their charges, or punish them by the law. That is what law in a great measure is for. It is not only to protect a man in the enjoyment of his property, but it is to protect him in his character. Scarcely a more serious charge could be brought against the Commissioners than that of publishing a false statement. Were we to publish such a charge legal proceedings might be expected to begin in less than 24 hours after the issue of the publication. If the Independent is correct, the Commissioners should be proceeded against immediately. If it has slandered that body, it should be made to retract, or answer for it in the courts. It is a grave thing to make such a charge if it is not true. It is due to the public that the Commissioners vindicate themselves, and vindicate the good name of the county from this charge. It is proper that the vindication be made before the Republican board comes in by election, in November.

The second charge of that paper was not against the Commissioners but against the "Country Editor," the writer of this article, and was that he had failed to publish articles for the good of the Republican party that had been written by Independent people and offered to him for publication. We have already, in a former issue, stated that one article from a writer on that paper was presented us for publication, and that we refused it on the ground that it was libelous and that there was no responsibility to support it, and offered \$50 for every article that is respectable and fit for publication that was calculated to help the Republican party, that was offered us and rejected. The Independent has not come forward to make good the charge and take the reward. It dropped the charge last week. We ask the highly exalted Christian gentleman of that party to come forward and make good the charge. The reward he can give to the Sabbath School that he trumpets has honored him so highly. Our check will be honored by either of the Banks in this place for that amount.

The third charge of that paper is also delirious against the "Country Editor," and is that a bargain and sale exists between him and some other man not mentioned in regard to the county printing. There is no truth in the charge, whatever. It is as clean a lie as the Devil ever persuaded a professed Christian to tell.

It is not the editor of the Independent who has been personally attacked. The charges just mentioned may be found in his paper and is conclusive evidence who the party is that has been personally assailed. We did say that the man who makes such charges and knows that he cannot sustain them, if a professed Christian, is a Pharisee. If that is a personal charge, we repeat it. We say that the man who makes such charges as above stated, knowing them to be untrue, or will not prove them to be true, if he can, when called to do so, and when offered a reward to produce the evidence, is a better Pharisee than Satan wishes him to be, and is doing more service for the kingdom of the lost than he is doing for the kingdom of the blessed. The man who does such things knowingly, cannot be washed clean by church or school.—The Independent gets down behind the church and Sabbath-school, and sends out a piteous whining cry of good standing there, instead of proving its charges. The church and the school cannot help that journal unless they can prove or make good its charges. We are the party who have been personally attacked, and we call on the church and the school that the Independent appeals to for whitewash in this case, to come forward and make these charges good if it can. Since the Independent goes within its fold for protection, we ask it to do justice by causing it to prove its charges, or take them back. We will give one hundred dollars to the Sabbath school that has dispensed its honors on the being that the Independent pointed out, if it proves the charges made in that paper. Our check will be honored by either of the Banks in this place for that amount.

Outside of the personal onslaught of last week, the Independent delivered itself on two questions. First, it censures us because we did not furnish it with proof slips of the Sheriff's Proclamation, and alleges that our conduct was not dignified and unbecoming as publishers. When we receive an advertisement for publication it is not our custom to give it to other publishers for publication unless we are authorized to do so by the parties who advertise. To our recollection we have never refused to give that office whatever we have been authorized to give it, either by private or public advertisement. We do not recollect that we were authorized to give the Independent the Sheriff's Proclamation last fall by either the Sheriff or Commissioners. By giving it without such an authorization we could have been held personally for the payment of whatever we would have given it for publication. We could name an editor who was compelled to pay upwards of one hundred dollars for having a friend's speech printed in a fellow printer's paper. He had not the remotest idea when he requested his brother journalist to print the speech that he would be asked to pay for it. Who of the Independent called on us for a copy of the advertisement in question we do not now recollect, neither is it material.

We could not with safety to ourselves have given it a copy for publication, for we had not been authorized to do so. If the Independent or Democrat and Register were to call to-day and ask for a copy of any of our advertisements for publication, we would not give it unless we knew that the advertisers so desired us to do. To say the least of the Independent's position on that point, it is silly.

The second question raised by the Independent, aside from its personal tirade, is something about a postmaster. In a conversation with a postmaster, who is getting a portion of his living from the office he holds under the National Republican party, whose principles and good men we have been denouncing from bitter assaults from such papers as the Independent—from assaults as the following, which was published in that paper last week:

"The county newspapers in Pennsylvania are filled with notices of short's sales. More minutely reading matter was never printed. It is the outcome and fruit of a radical policy which bears down remorselessly on rich and poor."

We did say that it is not the proper course for such officials to throw all of their patronage, or the greater part of it, if they have any, into Democratic journals, we added that in such cases were reported to headquarters they would most likely result in removal from office. In thus talking to the postmaster, we only related to him what was the fact or custom years ago, among all parties. Indeed such has been the custom time out of date, and is the custom to-day the world over, and will be the custom so long as government exists among men. It is a custom in every organization, in church and State, for officials of the respective organizations and even private people to give the bulk of their patronage to the man who are struggling on the outer walls and battling for the cause that they men profess to adhere to and enjoy office under. That may be told in church or Sabbath-school at any time when no other business engages the attention. That paper, under its remarks of espousal of the postmaster, outrages its own position, for at this time we know of no paper that works as perseveringly under the rule which it objects to, as the Independent. But more on this point by and by.

News Items.

C. E. Courtney ran a scull race last Saturday, some days since, a distance of three miles, in 13 minutes and 591 seconds.

The contents of the stomach of a woman in Raymond, N. H., was analyzed on the 25th and strychnine found in it. Mr. Magoon, the dead lady's husband, and a lady friend have been put under arrest, on the suspicion of having had something to do with the poisoning.

Judge Shipman, of New York, of the United States Circuit Court, on the 25th ult., confirmed the recent sale of the property and franchises of the Northern Pacific railroad company, and their purchase by the committee representing the bondholders. The company will now be reorganized by the issue of preferred stock to the holders of bonds.

At Scranton, Pa., on the 25th ult., Augustus and Edward Steinback and Jacob Singler, burglars, were arrested. They had in their possession a large quantity of stolen goods, which was identified by Mr. Wheelock, of Wyoming county, whose store had been robbed on the 16th ult., as belonging to him. The prisoners were held for trial.

Mr. Houghton, in Crawford county, Ind., who was concerned in the lynching of a man named Salgwin, about a year ago, made up his mind to turn State's evidence, and recently gave information to the prosecuting attorney against his comrades in the lynching affair. Last Sunday night a week Houghton was visited by about twenty-five disguised men, who gave him a terrible beating with hickory whips, mutilated his body in a dastardly manner. He recognized seven or eight of his former comrades, and efforts are being made to arrest them.

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While the surgeon was tying up one of the principal arteries the other was held by Mr. Bates, and in a short time the bleeding was stopped. A small portion of the bone yet remained in the socket, and the flesh was drawn over this and dressed. The injured man was then taken to his residence on Madison avenue, near the lower end of Woodvale.

Cotton mills, at Lawrence, Mass., resumed work in full force, last week. Twelve hundred and fifty people in the number that are employed in the mills that has resumed.

A Lebanon man, named Hoke, was arrested on the 21st of August for manufacturing cigars without having complied with the law.

A foot and mouth disease has broken out among cattle in England. It broke out in Dorsetshire, where there are twelve thousand animals down with it. The Summit Grove camp meeting closed last week after completing the conversion of one hundred people.

Buffalo has decreed that no married woman shall be a teacher in any of its public schools. Buffalo is a great relief. The sensation at Watch Hill, R. I., this season, is a remarkable lady swimmer, Miss Maria R. Audubon, granddaughter of the great naturalist, who was taught to swim by her father almost before she could walk, and who now ventures out to sea far beyond the most adventurous men in the place.

An old man and a little girl were arrested in Philadelphia, on the 21st ult., for passing counterfeit five cent pieces. Their method of operating was to enter a store and buy a piece of candy for a penny and pay it by handing a five cent piece from which they received four cents good money as change. Some fifty counterfeit five cent pieces were found in their possession.

Albert Molitor, a merchant of Roger City, Michigan, and Edward Sullivan, his book-keeper, were both shot, probably fatally, by an unknown assassin, on Monday night a week, while standing at a desk in Molitor's store.

The law making authority of Nevada passed a law taxing every gambling saloon \$1000. The gamblers carried the law up to the Supreme Court in a case, and expected to have the judicial body declare against it. The Court, however, did the opposite, by affirming the morality of the law.

Last week an attempt to steal money-order blanks from the Post-office Department at Washington was frustrated by the watchman of the building. It appears that repairs are being made to the building, and quite a number of workmen and vehicles are employed.—The thieves took advantage of this state of affairs and were loading a wagon when the watchman came up. The scamp escaped, but left their horse and wagon behind. These blanks are worth \$20 a thousand, and it is believed that the thieves had operated there before as some 100,000 of the orders are missing.

A cheese manufacturer in Central New York is said to have cleared \$11,000 this year. The wheat which the grasshoppers went through near Red Oak, Iowa, is going to be the best of all.

A thousand barrels of apples are daily sent East and West from Memphis. The Vicksburg Herald says: "The young man who raises a bale of cotton is doing more for Mississippi than the thousand men who whittle pine sticks and wonder when money will be easier."

Mr. Ross has been again disappointed. The child at Schuylers Falls, near Pittsburg, N. Y., supposed to be "Little Charlie," was not him, though the resemblance from the mouth up was said to be perfect.

A California postmaster sent \$25 in nickel currency to Treasurer New by mail, and put a three-cent stamp on the package. The postage due when the nickels reached the Treasury was \$9.45, which was deducted from the remittance and the balance returned by check.

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A \$100,000 fire has spread its ruin in Reynoldsville, Pa. A \$2,000,000 failure has overtaken a Baltimore sugar house. The Detroit, Michigan, Greenback Convention was a failure.

Excutors Notice. Estate of Thomas McCully, deceased. L. THOMAS McCully, late of Fayette township, deceased, having been granted the letters of administration on the estate of said estate as requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands are requested to make claim on the same without delay to W. H. McALISTER, Executor, Sept. 1, 1876.

Assignee's Sale! THE undersigned, Assignee of C. B. L. Bartley, will sell at public sale, at the Court House, in Millintown, Pa., the borough of Millintown, at 1 o'clock P. M., on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1876. The entire stock of Lumber, Sash, Doors, and Blinds on hand, consisting of 2,000 Feet of Hemlock Joists and Scantling, 2,000 Feet 1 1/2 inch Pine Boards, 19,000 Feet Pine Boards, 30,000 Feet Pine Flooring, 1,000 Feet Hemlock Boards, 30,000 Plastering Lath, and a lot of Sash, Shutters and Blinds, also A LUMBER HOUSE AND CARPENTER SHOP. Also, at the same time and place, will be offered for sale, a Two-Story Frame Building, brick case, situate on Bridge street, Millintown, built for a Store Room, and now occupied by Emil Schott, having a front of 18 feet on Bridge street and 50 feet in depth. The above building is in the best business location in the town, rents for \$250.00 per annum, and will no doubt afford a fine opportunity for profitable investment, as it is well located. Terms—Fifteen per cent. of purchase money to be paid down; thirty-five per cent. on the first day of January, 1876, and the balance April 1, 1876. JEREMIAH LYONS, Assignee of C. B. Bartley, Sept. 1, 1876.

Prothonotary Notice. THE first and partial account of Lewis Burchfield and Nelson A. Lukens, Assignees of Samuel Y. Shelby, has been filed in this office and will be presented to the Court for confirmation on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1876, at the Court House, in Millintown. PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE, Millintown, August 2, 1876. L. D. WALLIS, Prothonotary.

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Beaver into the hands of the Pennsylvania railroad company. We do not know what foundation there is for the report, but such a change would be an inestimable benefit to the town. Cash payments is the invariable rule of the Pennsylvania Company.

A well-executed counterfeit \$10 note of the First National Bank of Philadelphia is in circulation. Six were received by the National Bank Note Redemption Division, on Sunday last, in Philadelphia, from one New York bank.

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