

Carlisle Herald.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 18, 1888.

PEOPLE'S NOMINATIONS.

STATE TICKET.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE: JOHN M. READ, of Philadelphia.

FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER: WILLIAM E. FRAZER, of Fayette Co.

COUNTY TICKET.

JOHN MCQUIDDY, of Shippensburg, ASSEMBLY.

ROBERT MC CARTNEY, of Carlisle, COMMISSIONER.

SOLOMON MOHLER, of Upper Allen, DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.

GEORGE D. CRAIGHEAD, South Middleton, ADDITION.

DAVIDSON ECKLES, of Carlisle.

THE TICKET.

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Colon and County Matters.

Meteorological Register for the Week Ending August 16th, 1888.

Table with columns: Date, Thermo., Rain, Remarks. Rows for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Weekly Mean.

DR. DUFFIELD'S ADDRESS, NOW READY FOR SUBSCRIBERS.

The admirable discourse entitled "ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO..."

delivered by the Rev. Geo. Duffield, D. D., during the Centennial Celebration of the First Presbyterian Church of Carlisle, is now ready for sale.

Price 25 cents per copy.

ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH!!

CELEBRATION AT CARLISLE.

On Monday evening, about 8 o'clock, P. M. the expected telegraphic dispatch from Queen Victoria to President Buchanan, passed over the wires.

As soon as the news was announced from the Telegraph Office, a number of public-spirited young men, set about getting up an impromptu celebration, in which they were ably assisted by the entire population.

At nine o'clock all the bells in town were rung a merry peal; bonfires were blazing in the streets; rockets were sent into the air, and the square filled with an enthusiastic crowd, sending up shouts after shouts for the success of the Atlantic Telegraph.

Shortly afterwards, the Band of the Victoria arrived in town, and taking a position on the square, led off with "Hail Columbia, followed by God save the Queen, Star Spangled Banner, and Yankee Doodle. The Engine and Hose Companies got up their apparatus, and forming a torch-light procession, paraded through the streets, preceded by the drum and fife.

The Washington Hotel was brilliantly illuminated, as were many private dwellings. For about two hours, every eye seemed intent on throwing light on the subject, or making a noise; even the steam whistle of Gardner's Foundry, was brought into requisition to increase the general din.

About eleven o'clock, the crowd in front of the Washington Hotel, called out Messrs. Tonn and Sharpe, who responded in congratulatory speeches, and by twelve, the people had dispersed to their homes, the lights were out and the town had resumed its wonted quiet.

The following is the message of the Queen to the President:—

Aug. 16th P. M. To Her Majesty the President of the U. S. Her Majesty desires to congratulate the President upon the successful completion of the great international work in which the Queen has taken the deepest interest.

The Queen is convinced that the President will join with her in fervently hoping that the electric cable which now connects Great Britain with the United States will prove an additional link between the nations whose friendship is founded upon their common interest and reciprocal esteem. The Queen has much pleasure in thus communicating with the President and in expressing her wishes for the prosperity of the United States.

VICTORIA, R. I.

To which the President sent the following reply:—

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16, 1888.

To Queen Victoria:

The President cordially reciprocates the congratulations of Her Majesty, the Queen, on the successful completion of the great international work, accomplished by the science, skill and indomitable energy of the two countries.

It is a triumph more glorious, because more useful, than was ever won by the conqueror on the field of battle.

May the Atlantic Telegraph Company, under the blessing of Heaven prove a bond of perpetual peace and friendship, between the kindred nations; and an instrument, destined by Divine Providence, to diffuse religion, civilization, liberty and law throughout the world. In this view, will not all the nations of Christendom spontaneously unite in the declaration, that it shall be forever neutral, and that its communications shall be held sacred in the places of their destination in the midst of hostilities.

JAMES BUCHANAN.

ACCIDENT.—On Friday last an accident occurred at the Pic-Nic of the German Reformed Sabbath School, which for a time interrupted the enjoyment of the day.

A gentleman and two ladies got into a buggy for a short ride from the grove, when the horse becoming frightened, ran off. Mr. Shearer was thrown from the buggy, and the ladies jumped out one of whom sprained her ankle and the other (Miss, Connelly) was severely injured about the hand and face. We are happy to learn that she is recovering. Mr. S. was also injured in the arm and shoulder. The injured persons were attended to by Dr. Kieffer, who was fortunately on the ground.

IMPROVEMENT.—The new building to be erected on the S. E. corner of the square by H. Inhof, promises to be one of the handsomest improvements in town. The house just torn down to make room for it, was an old landmark of the early history of the borough. It was built by a Col. Magaw, at an early period. When the army lay here during the "Whiskey Insurrection," it was occupied by Col. Ephraim Blaine, who had been Commissioner of Subsistence in the Revolutionary Army. Washington's Headquarters was in the adjoining house (now B. J. Kieffer's) during his stay there, he took his meals with Col. Blaine.

Mr. Inhof's house is to be a three story brick, ranging with the splendid brick building he put up last year, and when finished, will make one of the most commodious houses in the borough.

CUMBERLAND VALLEY RAILROAD.—The Mechanic's Gazette says: "The freight train on its way east from here, the other day, contained 89 cars. This is the largest train we noticed on the road for some time, and would go to show that business along the 'Cumberland Valley' was in flourishing condition."

AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

Our readers will observe that the Agricultural Fair of this county, will be held on the 18th, 19th and 20th of October next, and will be the most attractive, as yet held in this county.

During the past year, the society purchased from Mr. Robert Noble, an additional piece of land, which will give them an enclosure of nearly ten acres. Mr. George W. Shearer, the Treasurer of the society, is now superintending the fitting up of the grounds, for the Fall Meeting, and is making many judicious improvements.

The trial course, is very much enlarged, and is to be regularly graded, affording ample opportunity for testing the speed of horses.

About a hundred stalls for horses and the same number for horned cattle are being erected, sufficiently large, and well roofed to protect the animals from the sun and rain; commodious pens for sheep, hogs, &c., will be erected along the south and east sides of the grounds, while the "Mechanical Hall," and other buildings now occupying the tract, will be appropriated to the display of goods, fruits, domestic and agricultural products, as well as agricultural implements, that may require protection from the weather.

These annual fairs are so important to the agricultural and mechanical interests of the county, that every one should feel it his duty to contribute whatever may increase its reputation, or give additional interest to the exhibition.

Although called "agricultural meetings," these exhibitions are of equal importance to the mechanics, and as every facility is afforded for the display of goods of every description, mechanics and dealers will find it to their interest to avail themselves of the advantage of such a general advertisement, of their various lines of business.

The display of fruit this year, cannot be too good, owing to a failure of the crops, but vegetables are plenty, and we may expect to see some fine specimens. It is to be hoped also, that the "Housewife's Department," will be amply stored with many articles, useful and ornamental, which their taste and industry enables them so well to accomplish. Much depends on the ladies, and as they have ample time to prepare, we may look for a fine display of their handiwork.

PIC-NICS.

Pic-nics are, decidedly the order of the day. We have had an unusual number of them this season, and all have been admirably conducted. We are glad to see it. Entertainments of this nature are conducive to good in more ways than one.

We grow selfish unless brought together occasionally in such a manner as to forget for a while the cares of business, and in places where pleasure reigns supreme.

We have attended several of these parties this summer, but at none have we been so agreeably entertained as at the one on Friday last, gotten up by the Teachers and others connected with the German Reformed Sabbath School of this place. As near as we could judge, there were about three hundred persons present. The number was not so large as that of some of the previous parties of this season, but we doubt much if at any of them there was more real enjoyment. Every one seemed to be determined alike to please and to be pleased.

The Committee of Arrangements certainly deserve much credit for the manner in which every thing was conducted. The tables were well arranged, and were well filled with every thing that one could wish for; amusements were provided for young and old; nothing, in short, was neglected that could add to the enjoyment of the crowd. Except the unfortunate accident, nothing occurred to detract from the pleasure of the day. For awhile this quiet respite of our spirits, and we talked, and things went on as before. We must not forget to mention some of the music. A member of the Garrison Band was on the ground, and sang for us most beautifully. Perhaps it was because it was so unexpected, but we thought we had never heard anything so good. We were favored, too, with several duets by some of the ladies. Need we say they were listened to with unfeigned delight? The Carlisle Band were also on the ground, and played frequently during the day. We understand their services were tendered gratuitously, an act worthy of notice. The ladies appreciated this kindness and presented them a magnificent cake as a token of their regard. Dr. Kieffer made a very happy address on the part of the ladies, to which Maj. Rheem replied in behalf of the Band, in his usual felicitous manner. The presentation was quite a feature in the day's performance.

We were pleased with the party and stayed late. Indeed, some may have thought us a little sentimental ourselves, but we feel free to confess a great partiality for an evening in such a pleasant place as Kieffer's Grove, and are willing to acknowledge that the company was quite as agreeable as the place. We returned at 11.

"Till the moon unveiled her peerless light,
And o'er the dark her silver mantle threw."

THE HOUSE-SHOE DISTRICT.—The Congressional Conference representing the People's Party of the Seventeenth Congressional District, composed of the counties of Adams, Franklin, Fulton, Bedford and Juniata, met in Chambersburg on the 10th inst, and nominated Edward McPherson, Esq. of Adams county, as their candidate for Congress.

This is an excellent nomination. Mr. McPherson is one of the most fluent, clear-headed and practical of the day, and has always been a formidable opponent of Locofocoism, and we hope the people of the district will rebuke the vacillating course of the present mis-representative (Mr. Reilly) by giving Joe a triumphant majority.

SCHUYLKILL COUNTY.—The anti-Lecompton democrats of Schuykill county, have nominated Joseph W. Calk for Congress, and Michael Cochran for the State Senate. Mr. Calk is the man who was removed from the office of Postmaster by the Administration because he presided at a meeting which endorsed the doctrine that the majority shall rule.

How to PROMOTE HEALTH.—American mothers are doomed to early graves, in consequence of their sedentary, in-door employment. Every consideration of affection, duty, and the preservation of a healthy posterity, should prompt the heads of families, and others, to assist in averting results so disastrous to the well-being of society at large. Thousands of our wives have recently found ample leisure for healthily, outdoor exercise, by purchasing and using one of GROVER & BAKER'S Family Sewing Machines, by which they have been enabled to do all their sewing in a stronger and more beautiful style than they could have done by hand. The transition from the slavery of the needle to the joyous exercise of the largest liberty, has had the happiest effect upon the health and temper of the fair possessors of the GROVER & BAKER machine, and every woman who is practically familiar with their value, regards their gift with great favor, as the only Missionary Agent that is at all likely to emancipate the slaveholders from the slavery of the needle.