



Democrat and Sentinel

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 2, 1857.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET. FOR GOVERNOR, WILLIAM F. PACKER, LYCOMING COUNTY. FOR JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT, WILLIAM STRONG, OF BERES COUNTY, JAMES THOMPSON, OF BERES COUNTY.

COUNTY TICKET. FOR ASSEMBLY, G. N. SMITH. FOR REGISTER & RECORDER, MICHAEL HASSON. FOR TREASURER, GEORGE J. RODGERS. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, JOHN BEARER. FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR, DAVID O'HARRA. FOR ADDITOR, REES J. LLOYD.

COURT-WEEK. We have been informed by those who ought to know that our coming court promises to be unusually thorough, which we hope will be the means of bringing all our subscribers and advertisers to town with their 'pockets full of rocks'.

To Our Patrons. Having determined to turn our attention for sometime, to the collection of outstanding debts due the establishment, we have entered into an arrangement with CHARLES D. MURRAY, Esq., of this place, to assist us in the discharge of our editorial duties.

In assuming a portion of the labor of editing the 'Democrat & Sentinel,' I have only to say to its patrons, that I will always be found at my post, laboring faithfully, if not efficiently, in defense of the men and measures of the Democratic party. That it is now the only national party in the country, the only party that looks to the preservation of the Union, and the safety of the various parts of which it is composed, no candid man will deny.

EDITORIAL BREVITIES.—We refer our readers to a Prospectus in another column of a forthcoming work entitled 'Editorial Brevities.' The author is well and favorably known to the citizens of Cambria county as a writer of considerable merit.

GEORGE C. K. ZAHM, Esq. In our advertising columns will be found the card of the gentleman whose name heads this article, announcing to the 'Free and Independent voters of Cambria county,' that he is a candidate for the offices of Register, Recorder and Clerk of the Orphans' Court.

We would like George to explain who are the 'Independent voters,' to whom he is graciously pleased to address his card. They are certainly not Democrats, for they are too 'Independent' to allow themselves to be used as tools in carrying out the arrangements of a secret Know-Nothing convolve.

We understand George is not willing to be recognized as a Know-Nothing. If he is not, why has he taken his stand among them? Why is he contributing his utmost to assist them in bringing about the defeat of the entire Democratic ticket?

George pledges himself in the event of his election, to attend to the duties of the office promptly and satisfactorily. It is true he is a good business man, but still 'Sparta hath many a worthier son than he.'

A Volunteer Candidate for Assembly. That pure patriot and National Democrat (?) William Palmer, Esq., of Summerhill township, hath at length announced himself as a volunteer candidate for Assembly, in opposition to George N. Smith, the regular nominee of the Democratic party.

Well, the Squire's untiring efforts have been crowned by success, and we are 'exceeding glad' he is the man. He is at length fairly in the field for Assembly, at the earnest solicitation of sundry national Democrats, a new appellation certainly for Thugs and Black Republicans, and will now have the extreme pleasure of showing the people, what a run he can make when once fairly under headway.

Post Master McCague has received Harper, Graham and Godey's Magazines for September. They are all capital numbers. Persons who are in the habit of borrowing magazines can now have a chance of purchasing any one of the numbers at the Post Office, at 25 cents per copy.

DISORGANIZERS. Although the secret party which for a time spread terror over the land has passed away, the morbid appetite which it created remains and is spreading itself further than the know nothing ranks.

The first amendment relates to the public debt, and proposes the following salutary provisions: I. That the State Debt shall never exceed \$750,000, except in case of war, invasion, or insurrection, or for the purpose of redeeming the sinking debt.

The second amendment provides against the needless division of counties by prohibiting the erection of any new county containing less than 400 square miles, and requiring the expressed assent of the voters of the county, to authorize any division of such county.

The third amendment relates principally to Philadelphia, and propose to amend the first Article of the Constitution, by striking from its several sections the words which recognize the separate municipal existence of the city of Philadelphia.

The fourth amendment proposes a new section to the Constitution, in which the power of the Legislature to alter, revoke or repeal any charter of incorporation, (which of course it possesses, by virtue of its sovereignty, although some affect to dispute it) is expressly declared.

A Masonic Movement.—Purchase of Mount Vernon. We find the following announcement in the Richmond, (Va.) Dispatch, of the 8th: We understand that one or more of the Masonic Lodges of this city have originated a plan for the purchase of Mount Vernon.

IMPORTANT TO RAILROAD TRAVELLERS.—A court in Ohio has decided that the loss of a railway ticket falls upon the purchaser. It held that, the ticket being negotiable by delivery, any one picking up the lost ticket could ride upon it.

STAYED OR STOLEN.—From the Argosy, a steamer on the night of the 14th of August, TWO MILK COWS—one a brown cow, 8 or 10 years old, with a slit in each ear; the other a white and red cow, 14 or 15 years old, with a bull calf about 2 months old, same color, small red spots on each.

STOLEN.—FROM THE RESIDENCE OF Henry Allen, in Blair county, Penna., on Friday, August 21st, 1857, a GRAY MARE, about three years old, fourteen hands high, having a narrow rump and feet very much worn off, with no shoes on when taken—said mare belonging to Jacob Cordeas.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS. The proposed amendments to the Constitution of Pennsylvania are again published in the newspapers of the several counties. They are word for word, the same that were published last year; and having been agreed to by two successive Legislatures, the next step towards their adoption will be their submission to a vote of the people at the October election.

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PROF. WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE.—In our advertising columns it is to be found an advertisement of this popular restorative. We know nothing of its merits save what we read, but that is sufficient, particularly when we see such testimonials of its efficacy as the following, which we clip from the Ottawa Free Trader:

Having tried successively sundry highly recommended 'hair tonics' on my own hair, I have at last discovered the one which has restored my hair to its former luxuriance.

It is a most undoubted fact that Dr. Sanford's Invigorator, or Liver Remedy is one of the greatest discoveries made in medicine the past century. It has been a study of the Dr. during twenty years' practice to find what particular organ, when diseased, caused the greatest number of ills or pains, and his conclusion is, that the liver is the greatest regulator of the system and the most liable to disease.

Dr. Duponco's Golden Pills for Females. INFALLIBLE IN REMOVING STOPPAGES or irregularities of the menses. These Pills are nothing new, but have been used by the doctors for many years, both in France and America, with unparalleled success in every case.

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New Book in Press. THE UNDERIGNED has prepared and will soon issue from the press of W. S. Hays, Pittsburg, a volume of Miscellaneous Sketches and Familiar Descriptions, entitled

EDITORIAL BREVITIES. The most prominent feature of which will be a series of WESTERN NOTES, jotted down during a recent trip through Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

ESTATE OF EDWARD EVANS. THE ESTATE OF EDWARD EVANS, deceased, late of Elmsburg borough, Cambria county, Pa., notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate, as well as those having claims against the same, to call on the undersigned at his residence, E. J. WATERS, Executor.

Town Property for Sale. THE UNDERIGNED WILL DISPOSE OF his valuable property, situated on the Susquehanna & Elmsburg Plank Road, and adjoining the residence of Rev. David Jenkins.

Tavern Stand for Sale or Rent. THE UNDERIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE his Tavern Stand, situate in the borough of Loretto. The house is large and well adapted for business.

Young American Target Pistol. MANUFACTURED BY NEW HAVEN, CT. This Pistol is INTENDED AS THE forerunner of the ordinary pistol and is designed for young men and boys who wish to enjoy the exciting sport of firing at target.

NOTICE. A MEETING OF THE BONDHOLDERS of the North Western Railroad will be held at Miskelly's Hotel, in Blairville, on Tuesday, September 15th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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