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REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET

For Congressman,
LOUIS E. ATKINSON,
(Subject to the decision of the district Conference.)

For Assembly,
AARON S. HELFRICH,
of Spring

Thursday, June 17, 1886.

Result of the Primary Election

The return Judges met in Seebold's Hall, Middleburgh, on Monday last, and after organization, Chairman Willis presiding, with Jas E. Rohrer, and I. I. Maubeck, Secretaries, the vote cast at the primary election on the 12th inst was counted, with the following result. Hon. Louis E. Atkinson for Congress 1465 votes. Assembly, Aaron S. Helfrich 803 votes; Jere Crouse 578 votes, Calvin M. Sanders, 199. Helfrich's majority over both 35, over Crouse 225, and over Sanders 613. Henry J. Ritter for Senatorial Delegate, received 1255 votes, and Daniel Bolender for Representative Delegate 1187. Henry Harding was appointed Cashier, and the return Judges of each District were paid $4, for holding the election. The papers in all the District's were sworn to, and no irregularities existed in any of the townships. The Chair appointed J. A. Lumbard, F. W. Wallis, and H. M. Ulsh, a Committee on resolutions. At the conclusion of the count the Chairman, declared the candidates having received the highest number of votes, the nominees of the Republican party of Snyder County.

The Committee on resolutions reported the following, which were unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS, We, members of the Republican Standing Committee, representing the several Districts of Snyder county, having met in convention to count the votes cast at the Primary Election held Saturday, June 12th inst., for the various offices to be filled by an election this fall, have attended to that duty, believing it appropriate to give expression to the following sentiments. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we pledge ourselves anew to the time honored principles of the Republican party, that we fully concur in and endorse the course of our Representatives in the Senate of the United States and the House of Representatives, and that upon all the leading questions of the day, we promise to stand by those of our public servants, who are carrying out true Republican principles.

Resolved, That in Hon. Louis E. Atkinson, our people have a faithful and efficient servant, and we pledge him our unqualified support, in the coming contest, if nominated by the Counties comprising our District.

Resolved, That in Aaron S. Helfrich, our standard bearer for Legislative honors, we have a gentleman of unblemished private and public character, a young man who has always faithfully discharged the duties of every station he has been called upon to fill and in him we recognize one of the "Boys in Blue" who carried a musket and knapsack during the war, and promise to give him our cordial and hearty support, knowing that he will be triumphantly elected.

Resolved, That Hon. L. E. Atkinson be allowed to select his own Conferees.

Resolved, That all resolutions instructing our Delegates to the State Convention, are hereby rescinded that they go instructed, and that they be requested to use their influence to secure the nomination of the strongest and best candidates for State officers.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Committee are due Chairman Willis, for the efficient and faithful manner in which he discharged his duties during the last campaign.

J. A. LUMBARD,
F. W. WALLACE,
H. M. ULSH.

At the call of the Committee, A. S. Helfrich, the nominee for Assembly arose and addressed the Convention, returning thanks to his fellow citizens who had conferred the honor upon him, and pledged himself if elected, to discharge the duties of his office to the best of his ability, faithfully and impartially. As he took his seat he was roundly applauded.

Upon motion it was resolved that the new Committee, meet on the 2d Saturday of August for organization. On motion the Committee adjourned.

Justice consists in doing no injury to man; decency in giving no offence; making a thousand discords [illegible] words about us; train glided into the [illegible] them.

CENTRE COUNTY'S NATURAL CURIOSITY.

MILLHEIM Centre Co., Pa.

ED POST:—As I have seen no communication in your paper from this, your native county, I thought a few items might find a place in your columns.

On Saturday, June 12, the writer in company with thirty citizens of Millheim, (consisting of ladies and gentlemen) took an excursion to the famous Penn Cave three miles North West of Spring Mills. We arrived at our destination at 10 o'clock, finding a lovely country, presenting a romantic appearance, with its surrounding mountains and beautiful streams of water and its variegated landscape. The Long Brothers, (who are the proprietors of the cave) have erected a grand hotel in close proximity to the cave. The building is a wooden structure three stories high, well finished, and displaying taste both in the erection and the furnishing. Not knowing wether they were at all times prepared to accommodate strangers and fearing starvation, every family was provided with boxes and baskets overflowing with the luxuries of the table. After we had our horses cared for and strolled about for a little while, our lady friends who accompanied us announced dinner, which, you know always mars the pleasures of a picnic, especially to the epicurean. We were divided during dinner into groups of several families and every thing moved on like a marriage bell with but one exception. It would be reasonable to think that on a pleasure trip like this, all would leave devices and deceptions at home, but such was not the case. One of the group with whom the writer dined, made himself very odious by calling the writer's attention to the lettering on the horse, and stealing his eggs and peaches, which he prized very highly. The writer does not wish Andy a great evil but does hope he will get a light touch of colic to teach him a lesson of honesty. After dinner we repaired to the cave to behold the wonders in the bowls of the earth. When all was in readiness, about twenty of our number entered the boat and were soon rowed by Mr. Long into the dark recesses of the earth; overwhelmed with wonder and surprise. As the group moved away from the mouth of the cave they commenced to sing that soul stirring hymn "Nearer my God to Thee," and as the boat moved onward the strains of music became fainter and fainter to those on the outside till all was lost in the dark cavern of the earth.

Every person who possibly can, should see this cave, because Dame Nature has fully displayed her mechanism and presented wonders to the human eye. Almost every thing conceivable to the human mind can be seen here, from the image of an angel, down to the image of a butterfly. In the main cave is the image of a hip roof overhanging the cave, which proves the perfection of the Master builder. Specimens of bananas, grapes, frogs and thousands of other objects can be seen on each side of the cave. We halted in the middle of the cave, when a number of us, guided by Mr. Long, entered the dry cave, which we penetrated for about one hundred and fifty feet. This is beautifully layed out in rooms and halls, partitioned by stylites which far exceed the ancient Egyptian architecture. The approach to the cave is gained by descending a long flight of stairs and is very romantic in appearance. The temperature of the cave compared with the temperature of the surface varies about forty degrees; persons entering should therefore be provided with heavy wraps. The cave is navigable twelve hundred and sixty feet, at an average depth of water of fifteen feet. This cave is the source or head waters of Penns Creek, which forms a junction with the Susquehanna river near Selinsgrove. I have only given a brief sketch of this wonderful freak of nature, but I will close lest I weary your readers. J. F. K.

BANNERVILLE NEWS

Some say the reporter of this place went fishing and did not return. But here he's back again.

Some farmers are talking of cutting grass next week. Grain looks very well, and potato bugs plenty.

John H. Goss hauled from the mountain on one load to Wagner station (tannery) over 2½ tons of bark with two horses.

Messers Long & Miller of Beaver Springs are engaged in finishing upper leather for E. A. Rothrock of this place.

The fruit crops at the West end look good.

We had several small rains last

W. J. Treaster returned home from Shamokin last week.

Mrs. Arbogast and Miss Stuck of Richfield are visiting their friends at this place.

As times are rather dull and news scarce, I would be pleased to have some one correspond with me and assist in gathering news for the Post. REP.

FROM SALEM

The election passed off quietly, though lots of work was done by the candidates, especially by the Helfrich men who worked like tigers for their man, and not without results.

Our town is improving. Fred Row and Elsworth Monery are both building new houses, and Wm. Stahl, also in this township is rebuilding his house.

Last Sunday our friend S. P. Row took his first pleasure ride for many years, and the cause is assigned to his having just purchased a brand new buggy. He hitched one of his spanking horses into it and he and his good wife visited relatives in Washington township—to the delight and satisfaction of children and friends.

The crops look splendid in Penn township, in general and in particular in those fields where the Pacific Guano has been used. This seems to be a boss article in either summer or winter crops and is rapidly grow into favor with our farmers. X

Grand Army Encampment and Reunion at Gettysburg.

The Grand army of the Republic, Department of Pennsylvania, will encamp on the battle-field of Gettysburg July 2d, and remain until the 7th. On the 2d and 3d of July the reunion of the Third Army Corps will be held on the same historic field. The encampment of the Grand Army will be largely attended, and the reunion will bring together veterans from every State in the Union. On the 2d interesting ceremonies incident to the dedication of monuments will be held, and on every day during the week something of interest to every old soldier will occur. Never since the memorable days of the battle has there assembled on this famous spot so notable and imposing a collection of veterans as will gather there during this week, and no better opportunity for visiting the battle ground in the company of those who were engaged in the great fight will ever be offered.

For the benefit of those who desire to be present the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its lines east of Pittsburg and Erie, on June 30th, July 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th, good to return until the 8th, inclusive, at one fare for the round trip.

The tenth census report on mortality estimates the mean annual increase in population of the United States due to excess of births over deaths at 878,522. Add to this the increase by immigration annually, and, if this country be spared the ravages of war or pestilence, it is easy to look forward to the time when it will be one of the most populous of the civilized world. In the light of this is revealed the necessity of firmly establishing school and church, institutions of charity and correction, and the principles of self-government now that opportunity for doing that is best. It is said that as nations grow older and larger the conditions of life in them become harder. That may be doubted, but in this country there ought not be any doubt that as population and aggregate wealth increase the enjoyment of life should increase also. The government was formed on the idea that such would be the case. If it should not be, it will not be the fault of the constitution under which we live.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

G. M. Shindel.

A West End man calls his wife Crystal, because she is always on the watch.

"I tell you, Husband, I want you to try it." I had suffered for years with a complaint the physicians called Gravel, and they had given up the attempt to help me. My wife heard of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and spoke as above. To please her I got a bottle. Used that and two or three or more, and presently the trouble vanished never to return. My wife had a sort of inspiration that time.—Washington Monroe, Catskill, [illegible]

GREAT AND SPECIAL BARGAINS

—ON—

GUNS, Revolvers, Fishing Tackle and Sportsmen's Material,

—AT—

J. B. Reed's, Sunbury, Penn'a.

These Guns are Special Bargains and will be sold at extremely low prices, as follows:

Gun No. 600. Marked Parker A Co. with patent button fire end, extension rib, bar locks, choke bore, top action, pistol grip, rebounding hammers, rubber butt, handsomely engraved, with beautiful stock. A per cet beauty and hard shooter. 7¼ to 10 lb, 10 or 12 gauge. Price $28.00.

Gun No. 1300. Lefaucheux, section, plain steel barrels, back action locks, chequered grip, fair quality. 10, 12, 16 gauge. Price $12.00.

All full sett of loading tools and one hundred paper shells included in the above prices with each and every gun.

I also carry a complete stock of the following guns: Parker, Colt and Manhattan Hammerless, Hartfastus & Richards, New Smith, Whipper Bros, W. M. Moore, W. Richards, Wm Chester and Colt Rifles, at $10.00. Single barrel Ind Guns $3.50 to $10.00.

Gun No. 1765. Top snap action, extension rib, bar locks, rebounding locks, pistol grip, patent fore end, engraved locks and mountings, best laminated steel barrels, walnut stock, nice [illegible] every round in gun. 7 to 10lb, 10, 12, 16, gauge. Prices $28.00.

Gun No. 1785. Twist barrels, top snap action, back action locks, engraved mountings hard walnut stock, rubber butt, patent fore end, top snap, back action locks, a good refit gun. 7¼ to 9¾lb, 10 and 12 gauge. Price $23.00.

Gun No. 585. Side snap action, back action locks, engraved, pistol grip, ornamental rubber butt plates, 7¼ to 9¾lb, 10, 12, 16 gauge. $15.00.

Gun No. 575. Side snap action, back action locks, engraved, pistol grip, fine steel barrels, chequered grip. 7¼ to 10lb, 10 and 12 gauge. Price $15.00.

Contractor for Plumbing and Steam Heaters for Dwellings and Public Buildings.

Strike in prices!

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As strikes are the order of the day I have inaugurated the movement in Snyder county—not for higher wages or less hours, but a STRIKE AT HIGH PRICES. Cash business has become the order of the day and the prices must correspond with the progress of the times. I have therefore prepared myself for the cash trade of the county by purchasing a large stock of GOOD GOODS which I have

MARKED DOWN

to the lowest possible margin in exchange for ready money. I keep no books, lose nothing on accounts and discount my bills, thus saving an average of at least fifteen per cent, which benefit I give to my purchasers. Come and see me and I will convince you of the advantages of this new departure.

A. S. HELFRICH,
Beaver Springs, Pennsylvania.

Is There Nothing New UNDER THE SUN.

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Well, come to our store and inspect

The Finest Assortment of Clothing

Ever displayed in this town, consisting of

Handsome Spring Overcoats

—AND—

Working, Business and Dress Suits

—FOR—

Men, Youths, Boys & Children,

—AND—

Entirely New and Latest Styles,

—WITH—

SUPERB NOVELTIES in Furnishing Goods, including Hats, Caps, Gloves, Neckwear, etc. Remember everything we sell is the best and Cheapest in the town, and THOSE WHO COME FIRST GET FIRST CHOICE.

DREIFUSS BROS.,
SELINSGROVE, PA.

TINWARE, STOVES, HOUSE-KEEPING GOODS, &c.

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I would respectfully inform the citizens of Snyder county, that I am now prepared to do all work in my line promptly and in the best workmanlike manner. My Stock of

COOK STOVES

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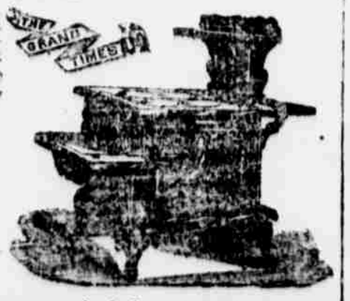
HEATERS



is simply immense, including all kinds of standard makes, guaranteed to give satisfaction. I make a specialty of

ROOFING AND SPOUTING

and cordially solicit the public patronage in this line. Stoves delivered and put up ready for use without extra charge to all purchasers residing within reasonable distance.

Thanking you for past favors and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am

Very Truly Yours,

D. T. RHOADS.

Personal Observation.

While at Selinsgrove last week we visited the Store of S. OPPENHEIMER and were perfectly astonished at the immensity o his NEW STOCK OF GOODS which fills his store FROM CELLAR TO GARRET, and is sold at Prices that surprise and delight purchasers. He announces his trade on the increase, notwithstanding the strong opposition.

Oppenheimer's Clothing House is among the established and indespensable institutions of Snyder Co., and square dealing entitles him to be called the "poor man's friend."

Merchant Tailoring!

HENRY MINK,

MIDDLEBURGH, PA.

—o—

Having had thirty years experience in the merchant tailoring business, I feel myself justified in asserting my ability to please the most fastidious tastes in clothing, and the testimony of those who have dealt with me will bear me out on this. Aside from this I have a large stock of

Ready-made Clothing

which has been selected with great care as to its excellence in goods and perfection in workmanship—also a full line of

Notions, Cassimers, Hosiery,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, &c., all of superior quality. I invite the patronage of the public—feeling assured that I can do them good. Prices down to suit the closest buyers.

SMOKE THE BEST CIGARS IN TOWN.

Store in Gill's building. Apr. 15, 3m.

New Store Opened at BEAVERTOWN, PA.

FRIEDMAN & GETZ, Proprietors.

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We desire to announce to the people of Beavertown in particular and the citizens of Snyder county in general, that we have opened a store here which we desire them to visit, and decide for themselves if in the following goods we cannot do better by them than any other house in the county. We keep

Clothing, Dry Goods,

Notions, Cutlery, Ladies, Underwear, Children's White Dresses, (ready made), Summer Shawls, new styles Jersies; Embroidery, Laces, Pure Turkey Red Table-cloths at 40 cts. per yard—warranted fast colors. Large Stock of Bed Quilts, Straw Hats from 6 cents up,

Jewelry, Watches, &c.

We consider it no trouble to show goods, and want you to come and PRICE OUR STOCK, so that you may know where to buy the goods you may want in the future.

Respectfully,
FREIDMAN & GETZ,
Beavertown, Pa.

BEAVERTOWN

Furniture Store.

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WILLIAM H. SEIT, Proprietor.

Extension Tables, - - -	$5.85
Chamber Suits, from	$20 to $35
Half doz. Chairs, from	$3.50 to $6
Lounges, from - - - - -	$5 up
Bedsteads, from - - - -	$4 up
Rocking Chairs, from - -	$1 up

all other goods correspondingly low. Persons in need of Furniture should not fail to give him a call.

W. H. SEIT.