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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1892.

For State Senator.

FOR STATE SENATE:

J. G. MITCHELL,

OF PERRY TOWNSHIP,

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 15, 1892.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

W. J. MCKNIGHT,

OF BROOKVILLE, PA.

Born, raised and lived in the county. A taxpayer, acquainted and identified with your interests. Served in the Senate from 1889 until 1891. A candidate for re-nomination now as Senator, and for a second term at the Republican primary of Jefferson county, Pa., June 15, 1892. A Republican campaigner, worker and voter for thirty-five years.

Labor supports the State. The State should protect labor. The importation of contract labor stopped. Jefferson county to be given 150 members in the Legislature. School books to be furnished free by the State to all the schools. The insane to be classified and the expense of their support paid by the State. Free schools in fact—School tax abolished, schools to be maintained and supported by the State. Honesty and economy with the people's money. Justice to the soldier, his widow and his orphan.

If this is your platform vote for me June 15, 1892.

For Assembly.

FOR ASSEMBLY:

WILLIAM O. SMITH,

OF PUNXSUTAWNEY BOROUGH,

Subject to action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 15, 1892.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

JOHN W. PHILLIPPI,

OF WINSLOW TOWNSHIP,

Subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Jefferson county at the ensuing primary election.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

JAMES E. LONG,

OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH,

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 15.

Wm. C. Bond, of Washington township, announced himself last week as a candidate seeking the nomination for Congress. Mr. Bond is a young man well known in political circles, having been an active politician for a number of years. The candidates are all in the field now. Mr. Bond is a little late in making his announcement but will, no doubt, make amends for it in active work before the primaries.

The thought of Congress adjourning on July 1st, has been abandoned and it is extremely doubtful whether that body will be through in time to adjourn on the 1st of August, as there will be little or nothing of importance done by Congress during this month, on account of the Republican Senators and Representatives who will attend the convention at Minneapolis and the Democrats who will go to Chicago.

Charles Cleary, the young man who murdered a policeman at Renovo on the 14th of March, 1889, whose case has since been pending in the Clinton county courts, was sentenced to be executed at Lock Haven on the 9th of June. The Pardon Board recommended a commutation to imprisonment for life, had it not been for this the young man would have paid the penalty of taking life by giving up his own on the scaffold.

Last week the Punxsutawney Spirit celebrated its twentieth birthday anniversary. The large circulation of this excellent paper is sufficient evidence that the people appreciate the newsy weekly visitor. This is none of your "spook" spirits, but a tangible one. It asserts itself in a plain and forcible manner. The editor, Hon. W. O. Smith, is just now so impressed with the thought that "a office would suit him," that he does not devote his usual time in the editorial chair. Perhaps he will have more time for newspaper work after the primaries of June.

The hold which Senator Quay has on the Republican party in Pennsylvania is growing more and more evident. His defeat of Dalzell in the Allegheny primaries was a severe one. Whether his work is good or bad, whether his place is earned or not, whether it is just or unjust that the Republican party be under his thumb in this State, it is certain that Quay is "the boss." The party evidently feels that it can not exist without Quay, or perhaps Quay is the party. It is sometimes well to know what the party is which asks your support. Quay recently wrote an article for the North American Review as to whether men or principles should be considered in political actions. The Pennsylvania Republicans are writing out their views on this same subject in the primaries now being held. Mean while the man, who is inclined to be independent, is an interested reader of the story.

This is the month when the rose buds bloom and political aspirations—for the fellow that gets left—are nipped in the bud. The first great strain upon the politicians' nerves, and pocket book, is the endeavor to get the nomination and if this goal is obtained then comes the anxiety and labor for the results of the general election. Often the best men are "laid on the shelf" because they do not make obsequence to the "party bosses," and the people follow the mandates of the assumed "party bosses." Those who achieve most in this broad land of ours are not always accounted greatest by the people whose collective judgment make up public opinion. Many a politician whose life is given up to trickery and whose days and nights are spent in scheming, receives more praise than the most unostentatious individual whose honest work and genius make possible for mankind achievements impossible before. In the old days of kingly rule, when "the divine right" passed unquestioned, and the voice of the people was but an indistinct murmur that rarely reached so high as to disturb a throne, the popular hero, the great man, was the ruler, the master whose bidding was imperative, whose right was tradition, and whose authority was that given by might. But with the spread of Republican ideas, with the growth of the belief that it is the people who are masters, the world's ideal has been changing. And to-day the man who serves society most and best, not he who commands best or he who bleeds the public most, should be, and is, more highly esteemed than ever before in history. The first place to select a good man for a public office is at the primaries. The primaries are looked upon too lightly by a large portion of voters. Do not have the best men knocked out at the primaries and then support any man your party may nominate. Assert your right to say who shall be the nominees.

The present week is the old soldier's week. Memorial Sunday and Decoration Day are occasions of the greatest and most sacred interest to all patriotic citizens. May the day be far distant when the last of the G. A. R. shall have passed out "for the last Review." These veterans are "dropping from the ranks one by one," they are marching now with sadly thinned ranks, soon the long tramp will be over and they will all be crowned "on the heights of time." All honor to the veterans! May the time never come, so long as one of these shall live among us, when the old soldier shall not be treated with reverence. May the rising generation be taught the meaning of their noble deeds. Ah! if in coming times some giant evil arise And truth shall falter and pale, Their's will be the names to conjure with, God send their like again.

Character Sketch.

The pen is mightier than the sword only when one knows how to wield it. Some people grasp the pen with the vise-like grip of a candidate and getting their left elbow down on the table and their head on the left shoulder so as to get a sort of a cross-eyed squint they laboriously proceed to trace out hieroglyphics that are sort of a cross between ancient Greek manuscript and Chinese autographs. The following sample was picked out of a miscellaneous pile of correspondence received by Dr. J. S. McCright and is from a verdant hayseed residing beyond the Punxsutawney precincts:

"Doctor J. S. McCright Dear sir I noticed in the Paper that you maid Artfishel teeth without plates I did not know whether you made the uper teeth with out Plates or not I want to get my old teeth out and get new ones and if you can make the uper ones with out plates and as good as the others and stay as tite I think that I will imploye you to make them pleas Write let me know and whot Prise I have not got my old ones out yet."

Double Track.

[Ridgway Democrat.] There is a rumor, apparently reliable, and certainly plausible, that the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg railway, now that it has joined fortunes with the Reading and New York Central railroads, will be double tracked its entire length the coming summer in order to give greater facilities to an increase to business to be gained by the alliance. With the extension of the Beech Creek road and the erection of a road from DuBois to Clearfield, it will open up to the B., R. & P. railway a larger coal tonnage than it now has.

Grand Army Thanks.

HEAD'S JOHN C CONSER POST 192 G. A. R. REYNOLDSVILLE, Pa., May 30, 1892. The G. A. R. hereby return their sincere thanks to the ministers, choirs, bands, civic orders and everybody who assisted them in their Memorial Services, also a special vote of thanks to the W. R. C. for the excellent dinner served in the G. A. R. Dining Room upon our return from the cemetery. May the choicest blessings of heaven be yours in time and eternity. G. A. R.

All kinds of fine pickled goods can be found at McKee & Warnick's. No stale goods, prices are low.

FOR SALE—155 acres of timber in Washington township.

ALLEN BURTOP.

New tomatoes at McKee & Warnick's Saturday.

Sandy Valley.

The wet weather has retarded the planting of corn, but the farmers are yet hopeful.

The Christian Endeavor holds its sessions every Sabbath evening at 7:30 o'clock. It is a union affair.

The Sandy Valley cornet band will hold a festival at this place on July 4th, in the afternoon and evening.

The O. U. A. M. displayed their flag in front of their hall on Decoration Day in memory of the defenders of our country.

Rev. J. C. McIntire will preach to the Sandy Valley O. U. A. M. on Sunday, June 12th, at 3:00 p. m. All the sister Councils are cordially invited to attend.

A number of the members of the Guiding Star lodge of Reynoldsville gave Mrs. W. T. Cox a surprise one evening last week. They spent a very pleasant evening and returned home on the 9 p. m. train.

On Saturday, May 28, 1892, the friends of Mr. Robert Waite, to the number of sixty, went and took possession of his new farm house and began running things to suit themselves. When Mr. Waite came in they told him they did not mean to do him any harm, but were there as a gentle reminder to him that this was the day that marked the fifty-seventh mile stone in life's journey for him and that they were desirous that it should be a pleasant epoch for him. On arrival of the noon hour the ladies quickly prepared a splendid repast and those present supplied their wants with the good things provided. After dinner the guests gathered in the sitting room and gave out-factory evidence to Mr. Waite that they had not been neglectful in the matter of pretty presents as tokens of esteem which his neighbors had for him. The presents were many and useful. Mr. Waite thanked his friends with a few well chosen remarks. All returned to their homes feeling that they had spent a pleasant day. In the evening one hundred young people paid their respects to Mr. Waite and report having had a jolly time. The Sandy Valley band was present and played several selections. Thus ended a pleasant day for all who participated in the celebration.

"Washburns Best," is the name of the best flour on the market. Try a sack of it and be convinced.—McKee & Warnick, The Grocers, Cor. 5th. and Main Street.

Mrs. A. E. Hetherington, the new millinery, carries a first-class line of goods. Everything of the latest styles. She handles fancy goods, gloves, corsets, &c. Located in the Broadhead building, Main street.—tf.

STATE SENATORIAL QUESTION.

What the Indiana Papers Say of Capt. James G. Mitchell.

A welcome visitor to our town last week was Capt. James G. Mitenell, of Perryville, Jefferson county. He is an extremely companionable gentleman and a thorough business man. Although he was not here "fence building" yet it is known that the Captain is a candidate for State Senate in this district. He is competent for the honorable position—and without disparagement to the aspirations of candidates presented for the place by Indiana county—we may freely say that if Mr. Mitchell secures the nomination, this county will give him an old fashioned popular majority. He has kept himself from the contentions that have invoked a degree of hostility between the working forces in the several counties of the district.—Indiana Progress, March 16, '92.

Captain J.G. Mitchell, of Perryville, Jefferson county, while returning from a business trip to the east, stopped off here a day or two. The Captain is a candidate for Senator in Jefferson county. Indiana county will urge the selection of the candidate who secures the nomination in this county on the 9th of April; but should Captain Mitchell secure the endorsement of his own county and the district nomination, he will doubtless get the solid Republican vote of this county. He has been fortunate in keeping out of the Senatorial complications and would not be handicapped, besides he is a clever fellow and would make an efficient Senator.—Indiana Messenger, March 16, '92.

"Jim" Mitchell, of Perryville, a prominent merchant and a candidate for the Republican nomination for Senator in Jefferson county, and a whole-souled, genial gentleman besides, was here on Saturday and remained over Sunday. If we must have a Republican Senator give us Mitchell, and plenty of of him too.—Indiana Democrat, March 9, 1892.

The Convention of the miners' and farmers' organizations which was held in Reynoldsville on the 4th of March, 1892, unanimously endorsed Mr. Mitchell.

New potatoes at McKee & Warnick's Saturday.

Caution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have purchased a red cow, six years old, from Jas. Henderson of Sandy Valley, and have left same in his care, and all persons are notified not to meddle with her in any way. M. DILLMON. Reynoldsville, Pa., May 23, '92.

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Election Notice.

NOTICE to the electors of the school district of the borough of Reynoldsville. WHEREAS, The school directors of the School District of the said Borough on the 21st day of May, 1892, by a resolution, voted to increase the indebtedness of the said School District. You will, therefore, take notice that an election will be held at the Burns House, the place of holding the General Election of the said Borough of Reynoldsville on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1892, for the purpose of attaining the assent of the electors of the said Borough for an increase of indebtedness. That the assessed valuation of the said Borough for school purposes is \$92,387. That the amount of existing indebtedness of said School District is \$1,000. That the amount and percentage of the proposed increase is seven per cent. That the purpose for which the indebtedness is to be increased is the building of a new school house in said School District. D. WHEELER, President. DR. J. B. NEALE, Secretary.

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Of natural Balbriggan underwear for \$1.25 per suit. You will not buy less than four or five suits if you see them. Other dealers will charge you \$2.00 a suit for the same quality.

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20 dozen of crush fur hats

75 cents, \$1.00, \$1.25 and

\$2.00.

10 dozen of chief stiff fur

derbys at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25,

\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$ 4.00.

In summer coats and coats and vests we have anything you heart desires from a 35 cent coat to a \$10.00 coat and vest.

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