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### THE COUNTY CONVENTION HELD

Yesterday at Belmont—Messrs. Howard and Armstrong Nominated, as Predicted in the Intelligencer—The County Ticket Is a Good One, and will Receive the Support of the Full Party Strength—Mr. Anderson's Speech in Opening the Convention.

The Republican county convention of Belmont county held at Belmont yesterday, was a splendid gathering of the representative men of the party who placed in nomination a good ticket, the signal for a decisive victory for our friends over the river in their local contest. The two men selected as legislative candidates, Messrs. Charles J. Howard and E. B. Armstrong, are well fitted for the place and represent all the interests of that county and both are staunch supporters of President McKinley and his administration. The accommodations in the town of Belmont were hardly equal to the occasion and yet the people of that village did themselves proud in their efforts to take care of the crowd.

It was 11 o'clock, slow time, when John Pollack, chairman of the county committee, called the convention to order and announced James F. Anderson, esq., as chairman. Mr. Anderson assumed the chair and made a brief speech that was enthusiastically cheered. He said in part, after thanking the convention for the honor:

"We meet here to-day as representatives of a great party sent here to act for it in selecting a ticket to be voted for at the next state election. This is a work that requires deliberation and careful consideration if it is well done. To be selected by your party associates to do such work entrusted with the interest of your party, is an evidence that the people who sent you here have confidence in your intelligence, your integrity and your party loyalty. Selfishness, personal preferences, factional differences, have no place in such a convention as this. The best interests of the party and the people are the only matters to be considered in the discharge of your duty to-day."

**Last Year's Campaign.**  
"At the time of our party convention last year there was doubt and distrust as to the future. The opposition was noisy, aggressive, and hopeful. It combined all the dissatisfied elements into one party. Its appeal to the selfishness, the passions, the prejudice, the ignorance of voters, made it a dangerous one. It seemed as if our national honor, denounced law, condemned the courts for maintaining order. For a time the issues seemed doubtful; but the people in their might crushed this combination of Free Silver Republicans, Free Silver Democrats, Free Silver Prohibitionists and Populists. They declared in favor of the Republican party and its policies and to-day we may rejoice over the splendid victory of last November, in the nation, our state, our congressional district and our county of Belmont."

"No party has a prouder place in history than ours. What other party can point to such a record as ours has made? It began its life as the champion of human liberty, free labor, free press, free speech, free schools, free homesteads. In 1860, on a platform embodying these principles and under the leadership of its Sumners, Wilsons, Stevens, Chases, Wades, it elected that man, among the greatest and best that earth has known, Abraham Lincoln, President. The beaten slave-power decided to appeal from the decision of the people at the ballot box to the god of battles. It tore down our flag, seized the national property and passed secession ordinances, made war in our nation. The party that had begun its life as the champion of human liberty, now became the champion of the union, of law, of order. It accepted the challenge of the arrogant slave power and after more than four years of terrible war, the Union sentiment of the country won and under the apple tree at Appomattox the wicked rebellion collapsed, the leader of the rebel armies surrendered to that great American soldier and loyal Republican, General Grant. Jefferson Davis became a fugitive and his Confederacy a remembrance. The Union was restored and our starry flag was again caressed and fondled by every breeze that wandered over our broad land. All men under its folds were free men, and the Republican party had added many bright pages to its history. But another great work faced our party."

**The National Credit.**  
"The restoration of the normal credit, the rebuilding of the industrial interests of the country, providing for the widows and orphans of the soldiers and sailors who had died to preserve their country and the crippled veterans who still lived but needed help, was a great work and it was successfully accomplished. Now comes the attack, direct and bold, on the credit of the nation, on established industries, on law and order. Again the Republican party, loyal to all its principles and traditions, made itself another record on the page of history by electing that unswerving Republican, William McKinley, President. Again it had bravely fought and won. There are still some of the old guard who cast their ballots in November, 1856, for Fremont and Dayton. What a sense of pride they must feel when remembering that they have been life-long members in the party that delivered the death blow to human slavery—the party that crushed the armies of secession, restored the Union, gave our nation credit at home and abroad, gave to American labor a dignity and compensation that labor has in no other part of the world, and last preserved the national credit and kept our country in line with the progressive nations of the earth."

"Republicans, the past of your party is secure. It is a part of the world's history and it makes some of the brightest pages of that history. There is written to glow and burn while civilization lasts, some of the best things that man under the guidance of God, has done for man."

"The future is for you to make. There are questions of tariffs, of currency, of labor, of capital, of corporations and trusts, all of the greatest importance to the people. It is scarcely to be doubted that the Republican party will deal wisely with these complicated questions under the leadership of such men as Danford, Hanna, Foraker and McKinley."

W. W. Hanlon and E. L. McMillen were selected as secretaries. The convention endorsed L. C. Sedgwick, the Martin's Ferry editor, as the member of the state central committee from this congressional district, and the following committees were appointed:  
On resolutions—G. G. Sedgwick, of Pease; G. V. Brown, Richland; H. W. Burrows, Putney; A. H. Caldwell, of Washington; C. B. Worthington, Warren.

To select delegates to state convention—J. C. Gray, Pease; H. A. Lichtenberger, Putney; James T. Bentley, Richland; A. G. King, Wayne; and W. G. Hilton, Warren.

On credentials—Judd Fish, York; W. A. Merritt, Wheeling; W. H. Pogle, Sonant; R. T. Howell, Pease; John Vance, Plushing.

Rules and order of business—Orlando Cope, Colerain; Robert Simpson, Union; Samuel Perkins, Kirkwood; J. O. Porterfield, Smith; W. D. Strahl, Goshen.

Permanent organization—F. B. Archer, Putney; E. E. Scatterday, Smith;

John T. Troll, Richland; Charles H. Little, Warren; A. Y. Henderson, Colerain.

The convention then adjourned for dinner.

### In the Afternoon.

The various committees reported no contest, continued the temporary organization as the permanent, and the committee on resolutions handed to the secretary a brief series of resolutions, endorsing Governor Bushnell's state administration, and commending the high purpose of President McKinley and the course of Secretary Foraker and Hanna in supporting his administration and the following vigorous endorsement of Congressman Danford for continued service in the good work he is doing:

We recognize and heartily approve the high purpose and patriotic efforts of our representative in Congress, Hon. Lorenzo Danford, who, by his quick and faithful response to the demands of the times has labored so efficiently for those wise, economic policies of the Republican party which will protect the rights and promote the interests of our own people. His eminent abilities enabled him to maintain a position in the promotion of the interests of his constituency for the restoration of the duty on wool, thereby fostering sheep husbandry, not alone in this county of this congressional district, but throughout the United States, that is deserving of the hearty commendation of his constituents and commands the gratitude of farmers, the real representatives of that great agricultural interest.

His conspicuous position as the champion of the bill restricting immigration and his unalterable opposition to placing our working men in competition with any form of servile labor, whether in our own country or foreign lands, and his declared policy in favor of the provision by legislation necessary to establish this broad American policy meets with the patriotic response and enthusiastic approval of all American citizens; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Republicans of Belmont county in convention assembled bid him God speed, and pledge to him our earnest and active support for continued service in the good work he is doing in behalf of the great mass of people.

The committee reported delegates to the state convention to be held at Toledo as follows:

Silas Bailey, W. S. Mechem, Samuel Hilles, W. W. Hanlon, G. A. Colpitts, Henry M. Davies, J. B. McMechem, Frank Dinsmore, J. C. Heinlein, J. Ed. Trueman, Frank Allender, E. J. A. Drennen, M. Cowen, W. J. Kirkpatrick, and J. A. Greenfield, with the same number of alternates. Then came the time for presenting candidates.  
G. V. Solpitz, of Barnesville, in a great speech, presented Hon. Charles J. Howard and asked that the rules be suspended and he be accorded a renomination by acclamation and this carried without a dissenting vote. For his running mate a gentleman from Bridgeport named David Lewellyn and a communication from the Belmont Trades Council presenting him, was also read. J. C. Gray, of Martin's Ferry, presented Joseph Hilton, John T. Troll named Charles C. Carroll as an excellent young man, who had fairly won honors by valiant service, and Charles E. Timberlake presented E. B. Armstrong as an intelligent representative farmer, learned in the law, as well as a graduate of Delaware college, but a workman always. The first ballot stood:

Armstrong, 48; Carroll, 39; Lewellyn, 19; Hilton, 17. The second ballot resulted in the nomination of Mr. Armstrong and his selection was made unanimous.

For treasurer the names of John T. Hayes, of Wheeling township; James McGregor, of Mead township; W. C. Bergundthal, of Bellaire; E. F. Barnes, of Union township, and Joseph N. Carle, of Goshen township, were presented. There was a great contest for this place and Mr. Bergundthal was not nominated until the twenty-third ballot. The first ballot stood:  
Bergundthal, 24; Hayes, 32; Barnes, 31; McGregor, 18; Carle, 7. There was practically no change save that Mr. Bergundthal grew until the eighth ballot, when he led with 45 votes, Barnes 36, and Hayes 31. On the fifteenth ballot Bergundthal had 52 votes, Barnes 37, and Hayes 22, and on the twenty-third ballot Mr. Bergundthal was nominated with votes to spare and his selection was made unanimous.

For commissioner, J. C. Brown, of Colerain; V. A. Danford, of Wayne; J. A. Ault, of Smith; Bradley Smith, of Union; and William Koehnline, of Bridgeport, and A. Calvin Patton, of Richland, were named.

The final ballot for county commissioner resulted in the selection of Bradley Smith, of Bridgeport, as follows: Smith, 70; Brown, 29; Hawthorne, 11; Patton, 5; Ault, 2; Danford, 2.

Infirmary director—D. W. Barnes, 55; Laban Lodge, 55.  
County surveyor—John Bond, 86; H. J. Notorico, 27.

Coroner—Dr. A. C. Beethan, 80; Bell, 32.

The Republican county central committee organized by selecting Henry M. Davis, chairman, and Otto Giffen, secretary.

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### DIED.

ELLINGHAM—On Tuesday, June 8, 1897, at 3:15 o'clock a. m., Miss BESSIE ELLINGHAM.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 72 Sixteenth street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private at Mt. Wood Cemetery.

GILLESPIE—On Monday, June 7, 1897, at 8:15 a. m., MARY D. GILLESPIE, aged 61 years, 1 month and 25 days.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 196 Fourteenth street, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend. Interment at Peninsular Cemetery.

SHRIVER—At Terra Alta, W. Va., on Monday, June 7, 1897, HAMPDEN ZANE, only son of H. Z. and Azella B. Shriver, aged 24 years.

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