

CONTESTED ELECTION OF CURTIN VS. YOCUM.

PAPERS

IN THE CASE OF

ANDREW G. CURTIN VS. SETH H. YOCUM.

TWENTIETH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

MAY 22, 1879.—Ordered to be printed.

CENTRE COUNTY.

*Testimony of contestant taken in rebuttal.*

Depositions of witnesses produced, qualified, and examined before the undersigned, a notary public in and for the county of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, in pursuance of the notices hereto attached, at the court-house in the borough of Bellefonte, county and State aforesaid, beginning on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1879, and afterwards by adjournments as herein noted, and ending on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1879, in the matter of the contest between Hon. A. G. Curtin, and Seth H. Yocum, esq., for the right to a seat in the Forty-sixth Congress of the United States for the twentieth Congressional district of the State of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Centre, Clinton, Clearfield, Union, Mifflin, and Elk, on the part of the contestant in rebuttal.

MARCH 31ST, 1879.

Adam Hoy, esq., appears as counsel for contestant, and A. O. Furst and Jno. G. Love, esquires, as counsel for contestee; also, J. L. Spangler as counsel for contestant.

*Testimony of Thomas Murray.*

THOMAS MURRAY, being sworn and examined, deposes as follows :

Question. Where do you reside ?—Answer. In Boggs Township.

Q. Are you acquainted with Joseph Kilgore ?—A. Yes, sir; I do.

Q. How long have you known him ?—A. About fifteen years.

Q. Do you know A. Kohlbecker ?—A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where does he reside, and what business does he follow ?—A. He keeps Hotel in Boggs Township.

Q. Joseph Kilgore has testified that A. Colebecker gave him a quart of liquor to vote for Curtin. State what you know about that transaction.

(Counsel for contestee objects to the question, first, because it is improper in form and is suggestive to the witness.)