

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR, JOHN F. HARRIS.

FOR TREASURER, HENRY RAWLE.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

FOR TREASURER, CHAS. McVEAN, St. Mary's.

FOR COMMISSIONER, W. H. OSTERHOUT, Ridgway.

FOR SURVEYOR, R. W. PETRIKIN, Benzette.

FOR AUDITOR, GEO. ROTHROCK, Benzette.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF UNSEATED LANDS IN ELK COUNTY.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed the 13th day of March A. D. 1815...

WARRANT AGAINST WARRANT OR OWNERS

5020 68 John Johnson et al.

BENZETTE TOWNSHIP.

John Hending Wm. Bell.

4883, 5124, 50, Geo. Ed. Weis.

Town lots on Ridgway street.

Nos. 107, 72, 68, 70, 82, 73, 106, 71, 80...

Town lots on Tabbot Street Nos. 31, 32.

Butler Street No. 3.

Bishop Street Nos. 117, 118, 109, 110, 119, 120, 115, 116, 123, 118, 112, 111, 125, 126, 124.

Half Road Street Nos. 63, 58, 46, 47, 48, 44, 45, 49, 54, 55, 59, 62, 60, 61, 49, 41, 42, 43, 20, 21.

FOX TOWNSHIP.

4272, 45, Owner Unknown.

4184, 330, Wm. Parker.

4890, 60, Owner Unknown.

4890, 387, " " " "

4271, 380, " " " "

4073, 69, Joseph Koch.

4174, 100, Moses Hyman.

HIGHLAND TOWNSHIP.

8762 1000, John Smith.

HORTON TOWNSHIP.

4379 25 1/2 Sub. Div. 15.

4771 3 of 107 T. S. Hyde.

4971 62 Sub. Div. No. 23 Kingsbury.

JAY TOWNSHIP.

4893 93, John Pachin.

4971 93, H. Hutchison.

JONES TOWNSHIP.

125 J. L. Brown.

3247 84 McKean & Elk Land & Lupt. Co.

RIDGWAY TOWNSHIP.

4908 101, Wm. B. Kennedy.

SPRING CREEK TOWNSHIP.

2789 347, " " " "

4561 100, Chas. Porterfield.

4561 100, N. E. Cor. Nelson Street W. Crow & Wessell.

4044 242, A. I. Wedlock Estate.

2502 230, Corbett & Newcomb.

4551 70, Seth. Clew.

4551 70, Thomas Struthers.

4369 25, W. C. Edwards.

ST. MARY'S BOROUGH.

Erin St. No. 40.

Shanrock St. No. 40.

Walburger St. Nos. 7, 67.

Benedict St. Nos. 10, 13, 15, 54.

John St. No. 68.

Maurice St. No. 1, 3, 7, 8, 1884 of 44.

Rupert St. Nos. 49, 65, 97, 107.

Patriek St. No. 63.

Louis St. Nos. 8, 12, 14, 15.

1 lot assessed to James Gass.

TERMS CASH.

GEO. ED. WEIS, Comm'r.

JULIUS JONES, Comm'r.

MICHAEL WEIDERT, Comm'r.

C. H. McCAULEY, Clerk.

of the Commonwealth," approved March 30, 1866.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives, &c., That the qualified voters of the several counties...

I also make known and give notice, as in and by the 15th section of aforesaid act, I am directed that every person except Justices of the Peace...

Also in the 4th section of the Act of Assembly, entitled "An act relating to elections and for other purposes," approved April 10th 1869...

I also make known the following: WHEREAS, The Fifteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States is as follows:

Section 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

Section 2. That Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States, on the thirty-first day of March 1870, passed an act entitled, "An act to enforce the right of citizens of the United States to vote in the several States of the Union, and for other purposes," the first and second sections of which are as follows:

Section 1. That all citizens of the United States who are or shall be otherwise qualified to vote at any election by the laws of any State, Territory, district, city, county, parish, township, school district, municipality, or other territorial subdivision shall be entitled and allowed to vote at all such elections, without distinction of color, race, or previous condition of servitude; any constitution, law, custom, usage, or regulation of any State or Territory, or by or under its authority, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Section 2. And be it further enacted, That in and by the said act, the constitution or laws of any State or Territory, any act, or shall be required to be done as a prerequisite or qualification for voting, and by such constitution or laws or persons or officers or shall be required to be done as a prerequisite or qualification for voting, and by such constitution or laws or persons or officers or shall be required to be done as a prerequisite or qualification for voting...

Section 3. That any person who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who claims the right to vote at said election, shall produce at least one qualified voter of the district as a witness to the residence of the claimant in the district in which he claims to be a voter for the period of at least two months immediately preceding said election, which witness shall be sworn or affirmed and subscribed in writing or partly written and partly printed affidavit, stating to the best of his knowledge and belief, when and where he was born; that he has been a citizen of the United States for one month, and of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania; that he has resided in the commonwealth one year, or, if formerly a qualified elector or a native born citizen thereof, and has removed therefrom and returned, that he has resided therein six months next preceding said election; that he has resided in the district in which he claims to be a voter for the period of at least two months immediately preceding said election; that he has not moved into the district for the purpose of voting therein; that he has, if twenty-two years of age or upwards, paid a state or county tax within two years, which was assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election. The said affidavit shall also state when and where the tax claimed to be paid by the affiant was assessed, and when and where and to whom paid; and the tax receipt therefor shall be produced for examination, unless the affiant shall state in his affidavit that it has been lost or destroyed, or that he never received any; and if a naturalized citizen, shall also state when, where and by what court he was naturalized, and shall also produce his certificate of naturalization for examination. But if the person so claiming the right to vote shall take and subscribe an affidavit that he is a native born citizen of the United States, if born elsewhere, shall state the fact in his affidavit, and shall produce evidence that he has been naturalized or that he is entitled to citizenship by reason of his father's naturalization, and shall further state in his affidavit, that he is, at the time of making the affidavit of the age of twenty-one and under twenty-two years; that he has been a citizen of the United States one month, and has resided in the state one year; or if a native born citizen of the state and removed therefrom and returned, that he has resided therein six months next preceding said election and in the election district immediately two months preceding such election. He shall be entitled to vote, although he shall not have paid taxes. The said affidavits of all persons making such claims, and the affidavits of the witnesses to their residence shall be preserved by the election board, and at the close of the election they shall be enclosed with the list of voters, tally list and other papers required by law to be filed by the return judge with the prothonotary, and shall remain on file therewith in the

prothonotary's office, subject to examination as other election papers are. If the election officers shall find that the applicant possesses all the legal qualifications of a voter he shall be permitted to vote, and his name shall be added to the list of taxables by the election officers, the word "tax," being added where the claimant claims to vote on tax, and the word "age," where he claims to vote on age; the same words being added by the clerks in each case, respectively, on the lists of persons voting at such election.

Section 11. It shall be lawful for any qualified citizen of the district notwithstanding the name of the proposed voter is contained on the list of resident taxables, to challenge the vote of such person, whereupon the same proof of the right of suffrage as is now required by law shall be publicly made and acted on by the election board, and the vote admitted or rejected, according to the evidence. Every person claiming to be a naturalized citizen shall be required to produce his naturalization certificate at the election before voting, except where he has been for five years consecutively a voter in the district in which he offers his vote; and on the vote of such person being received, it shall be the duty of the election officers to write or stamp on such certificate the word "voted," with the day, month and year; and if any election officer or officers shall receive a second vote on the same day, by virtue of the same certificate, excepting where sons are entitled to vote, because of the naturalization of their fathers, they and the person who shall offer such second vote, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined or imprisoned, or both, at the discretion of the court; but the fine shall not exceed five hundred dollars in each case, nor the imprisonment one year. The like punishment shall be inflicted, on conviction of the officers of election who shall neglect or refuse to make, or cause to be made the endorsement required as aforesaid on said naturalization certificate.

Section 17. The respective assessors, inspectors and judges of election shall each have the power to administer oaths to any person claiming the right to be assessed, or the right of suffrage, or in regard to any other matter or thing required to be done or required into by any of said officers under this act; and willful swearing by any person in relation to any matter or thing, concerning which they shall be lawfully interrogated by any of said officers or overseers, shall be perjury.

Section 19. Any person who shall, on the day of any election, visit a polling place in any election district at which he is not entitled to vote, and shall use any intimidation or violence for the purpose of preventing any officer of election from performing the duties required of him by law, or for the purpose of preventing any qualified voter of such district from exercising his right to vote, or from exercising his right to challenge any person offering to vote, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding two years, or both, at the discretion of the court.

Section 21. Any person who, on oath or affirmation, in or before any court in this state, or officer authorized to administer oaths, shall, to procure a certificate of naturalization for himself or any other person willfully depose, declare or affirm any matter to be fact, knowing the same to be false, or shall in like manner deny any matter to be fact, knowing the same to be true, shall be deemed guilty of perjury; and any certificate of naturalization issued in pursuance of any such deposition, declaration or affirmation, shall be null and void, and it shall be the duty of the court issuing the same, upon proof being made before it that it was fraudulently obtained, to take immediate measures for recalling the same for cancellation; and any person who shall vote or attempt to vote on any paper so obtained, or who shall in any way aid in, connive at, or have any agency whatever in the issue, circulation or use of any fraudulent naturalization certificate, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall undergo an imprisonment in the penitentiary for not more than two years and pay a fine of not more than one thousand dollars, for every such offense, or either or both, at the discretion of the court.

Pursuant to the provisions contained in the thirteenth section of the act last aforesaid, the judges of the aforesaid districts living within twelve miles of the prothonotary's office, or within twenty-four miles, if their residence be in a town, village or city upon the line of a railroad leading to the county seat shall, before two o'clock past meridian of the day after the election, and all other judges shall, before twelve o'clock meridian of the second day after election, deliver said return, together with return sheet, to the prothonotary of the court of common pleas of Elk county at Ridgway.

Given under my hand at Ridgway, the 4th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and of the independence of the United States the ninety-ninth.

DANIEL SCULL, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Ridgway, Pa. Oct. 7, 1874. } 324.

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