

Election of Tax Collectors.

As the spring elections will soon be here a perusal of the following Act of Assembly will be of interest to voters:

The qualified electors of each borough and township in this Commonwealth shall, on the third Tuesday of February of each year hereafter, elect an officer to be styled Collector of taxes, whose term of office shall commence on the first Monday of April next after his election.

The Court of Quarter Sessions shall have power to fill, by appointment, all vacancies in the said office, within their respective counties. And, if any person elected to fill said office shall fail to give bond and qualify as hereinafter provided, on or before the fourth day of the term of said Court next ensuing his election the said Court shall declare his office vacant, and appoint a suitable person, resident in the proper borough or township, to fill the same.

OATH AND BOND.

The Collector of taxes shall, before he enters upon the duties of his office, take and subscribe an oath of office, and file the same in the office of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the proper county, and shall also enter into a bond to the Commonwealth, in double the probable amount of taxes that will come into his hands, with at least two sufficient sureties; said bond to be approved by the said Court or a Judge thereof in vacation, and in the office of the Clerk of the said Court.

The several county, borough, township, school, poor and other authorities now empowered, to levy taxes within the several boroughs and townships of this Commonwealth, shall, on or before the first day of August of each year after the first election of Collector of taxes under this act, issue their respective duplicates of taxes assessed to the Collector of taxes of their respective boroughs and townships with their warrants attached, directing and authorizing him to collect the same, but road taxes may be worked out as heretofore, provided, that such special and other road taxes as it may be lawful and necessary to collect in money, may, at the discretion of the Supervisors or Road Commissioners, be placed in the hands of the Collector of taxes with their warrant for collection by him; for which he shall receive five per centum of the amount collected by him or the same may be collected by the Supervisor or road Commissioners as heretofore. Provided, further, that the limitations in this act, as to time and requirements hereof relating to keeping an alphabetical list of persons charged with taxes, shall not apply to road taxes.

POWER OF THE COLLECTOR.

The Collector of taxes shall have all the power for collection of said taxes, during his term of office, heretofore vested in Collectors of county taxes under existing laws, and be subject to the same liabilities and penalties for neglect, or violation of the duties of his office.

The Collector of taxes shall provide an appropriate book, the cost of which shall be allowed to him in the settlement of his accounts, in which he shall enter in alphabetical order the names of all persons charged with taxes in the duplicates aforesaid, and showing the amount of such taxes charged against each person, which book shall be at all times open to the inspection of each taxpayer, and shall be delivered by the Collector of taxes at the expiration of his term to his successor in office.

Where any duplicates of taxes assessed is issued and delivered to the Collector of taxes, it shall be the duty of said Collector to give public notice as soon thereafter as can be conveniently done by at least ten written or printed notices to be posted in as many public places in different parts of the township or borough, that said duplicate has been issued and delivered to him; and all persons who shall within sixty days from the date of said notice make payment of any taxes charged against them in said duplicate, shall be entitled to a reduction of five per centum from the amount thereof; and all persons who shall fail to make payment of any taxes charged against them in said duplicate for six months after notice given as aforesaid, shall be charged five per centum additional on the taxes charged against them, which shall be added thereto by said Collector of taxes and collected by him.

SEAL HAVE REGULAR DAYS. The Collector of taxes shall, in person or by some person duly authorized by him in attendance for the purpose of receiving and receipting for taxes on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of each week, during the last two weeks of said sixty days between the hours of 2 o'clock and 6 o'clock in the afternoon, at his residence, or some other place in the proper township or borough, to be designated by him in the notice aforesaid.

The Collector of taxes shall collect the taxes charged in said duplicates and pay over the same to the respective Treasurers or authorities entitled thereto, after deducting his commission for the collection thereof, which is hereby fixed at two per centum on all taxes paid to him on which an abatement of five per centum is allowed, and at five per centum on all taxes afterward collected: Provided, that where the total amount of taxes charged on a duplicate is less than one thousand dollars, the said Collector shall receive three per centum on all taxes paid to him on which an abatement of five per centum is allowed.

Exonerations may be made by the authorities and in the same manner as heretofore. The accounts of Collectors of taxes shall be settled by township or borough Auditors of the proper township or borough, and he shall state a separate account for each different tax Collector by him; but Collectors of county and State taxes shall settle with the County Commissioners as heretofore.

Taxes charged upon unsettled lands shall not be collected by Collectors of taxes, but shall be certified and returned by the several authorities levying the same to the County Commissioners, to be collected as heretofore.

JOHN SHERMAN will go back to the U. S. Senate, thanks to a level-headed constituency. The Republican members of the Ohio Legislature met in caucus on the 7th inst., and unanimously nominated him, no other name being mentioned. The election takes place to-day, (Tuesday,) but owing to being a day early with our paper we are unable to give the vote.

January Meeting of Stow Post.

Post assembled Jan. 6, 1886. Adjutant and Quartermaster's reports for past month read; also General Orders Nos. 23 and 24, Dept. of Pa. The auditing committee made a report which was ordered filed and recorded.

A resolution signed by five members was read, to abolish the By-Law which provides for an assessment of \$1.00 on the death of a comrade, as the recent act of assembly passed on that subject renders the by law of no value. The Adjutant asked for further time to report on the organization of the Woman's Relief Corps, which was granted.

Installation of officers for the year 1886 being in order, installing officer D. S. Knox proceeded with his duties and installed the following officers:

- Commander, J. W. Morrow.
S. V. Com., G. W. Bovard.
J. V. Com., J. B. Eden.
Officer of the Day, S. S. Canfield.
Officer of the Guard, P. C. Blocher.
Quartermaster, S. C. Johnson.
Adjutant, S. D. Irwin.
Q. M. Sergt., L. Agnew.
Sergeant Major, J. Wilson.

Remarks on the good of the organization were made by various comrades. Some bean-bakes during the winter were talked of. The next regular meeting is on the first Wednesday in February.

List of Patents.

List of Patents granted by the U. S. Patent Office, to citizens of Pennsylvania, for the week ending, Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1886, reported expressly for the FOREST REPUBLICAN, through the Patent Law Offices of Duffy & Brashears, 607 7th St. N. W., opposite the U. S. Patent Office, Washington, D. C.:

D. W. Bickerstaff, Cochran, sheep feeding rack; F. L. Blair, Allegheny, applying cloth to insides; G. H. Brackman, Lake Run, wire stretcher; F. L. Campbell, West Elizabeth, incubator; W. S. Craft, Washington, guard or screen for fire places; E. Frey, G. F. Motter, and J. Reichley, York, steam boiler; E. Gardner, Allegheny, meat chopper; J. T. Hambay, Pittsburgh, switch and signal apparatus; C. Howard, Pittsburgh, snow plow (2 patents); R. F. McFeely, Erie, roller skate; W. E. Michael, Reading, window sash and frame; J. S. Miller, Lewistown, wrench; E. Penney, Waynesboro, incised gearing; W. H. Perry, Sharon, nail or spike (3 patents); T. Moore, Scranton, boiler furnace (2 patents); J. Royds, Chester, ladder; W. L. Rosensteel, Vanceport, coil tippie; W. Solt, sr., and W. D. Kline, lower Merion, thill coupling; W. A. Stadleman, Freeland, grate bar; W. Stanley, jr., Pittsburgh, system of electric lighting (2 patents); A. B. Tyson, Lansdale, horse boot; G. Westinghouse, jr., Pittsburgh, conveying and supplying gas; J. D. Zehring, and H. Z. Jones, Codocus, invalid bedstead.

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LEGAL NOTICE—SERVICE BY PUBLICATION.

(ORDER OF SERVICE.)

In the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County: Justis Shawkey now for use of David Hannah versus J. W. H. Reisinger and Edward D. McCreary Administrators and Olive Winans Administratrix of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, and Henrietta McCreary and Edward D. McCreary her husband, J. W. H. Reisinger, Guardian of Paul Reisinger and Louisa Reisinger minor children of Louisa E. Reisinger deceased, Thomas H. Mitchell, Guardian ad litem of Clarence Winans Mitchell minor child of Laura C. Mitchell deceased, Thomas H. Mitchell father of said Clarence Winans Mitchell, George W. Robinson, Guardian of Josephine Winans minor child of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, Heirs of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, and Olive Winans widow of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased. No. 7, February Term, 1885.

Now December 21, 1885, The Court is respectfully asked to direct notice of the writ issued in above case to be served by publication in the FOREST REPUBLICAN a weekly newspaper published at Tionesta, in three successive issues, the last insertion to be made at least ten days before the return day, upon J. W. H. Reisinger and E. D. McCreary administrators and Olive Winans administratrix of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, and Henrietta McCreary and Edward D. McCreary her husband, J. W. H. Reisinger guardian of Paul Reisinger and Louisa Reisinger minor children of Louisa E. Reisinger deceased, Thomas H. Mitchell father of Clarence Winans Mitchell minor child of Laura C. Mitchell deceased, Thomas H. Mitchell guardian ad litem of Clarence Winans Mitchell minor child of Laura C. Mitchell deceased. Miles W. Tate, Atty for Plff. Granted December 21, 1885.

PER CURIAM. Attest, C. M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary.

FOREST COUNTY, ss. In the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, GREETING:

Whereas, Justis Shawkey now for use of David Hannah, lately in our Court of Common Pleas, doth, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1885, have recovered Judgment against Administrators of Winans Estate for the sum of Fifteen Dollars and Fifteen cents, together with all costs as by the record and process therein manifestly appear. And Whereas, we have received information that, although Judgment as aforesaid is rendered, yet execution of the same still remains to be made. And Whereas the said Dr. Josiah Winans died seized of certain lands and tenements in his demise as of fee, as by the insinuation of the said Justis Shawkey now for use of David Hannah, we have received, and because we are willing that those things which our said Court and said Justis, doth, and our said Court, doth, rightly done, should be demanded by a due execution, &c. We command you that you by good and lawful men of your bailwick make known to the said J. W. H. Reisinger and E. D. McCreary administrators and Olive Winans administratrix of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, and to Henrietta McCreary and Edward D. McCreary her husband, J. W. H. Reisinger guardian of Paul Reisinger and Louisa Reisinger minor children of Louisa E. Reisinger deceased, Thomas H. Mitchell guardian ad litem of Clarence Winans Mitchell minor child of Laura C. Mitchell deceased, Thomas H. Mitchell father of said Clarence Winans Mitchell, George W. Robinson guardian of Josephine Winans minor child of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, Heirs of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, and Olive Winans widow of Dr. Josiah Winans deceased, that they be and appear before the Justices of our said Court of Common Pleas, at our said Court to be held at Tionesta in and for the said County of Forest, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1886, no Domin, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, to show if aught they know, or have to say, why the aforesaid Judgment should not be revived for the term of five years, and why the said Judgment and costs of the lands and tenements aforesaid ought not to be made and to the said Justis Shawkey now for use of David Hannah, rendered according to the provisions of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, and according to the form of said recovery, if to them it shall seem expedient; And further to hear and receive what our said Court shall consider in that behalf. And have you then and there the names of those by whom you shall so make known to them, and this writ.

WITNESS, Hon. William D. Brown, President of our said Court, at Tionesta, this twenty-first day of December, Anno Domini, 1885. [SEAL.] CURTIS M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary.

LEGAL NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, A. D. 1886, make application to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania for a charter of incorporation for the "People's Gas Company," the purpose of the intended corporation being the supplying of natural gas to the public, for heating and lighting purposes, in the counties of McKean, Elk, Fore 1, Warren, Venango, Crawford, Erie, and Adams, in this Commonwealth, and for the rights and privileges conferred by the act of assembly passed May 29, 1885, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of natural gas companies."

The office of the company will be located in Warren, Pa., and the names of the subscribers to the certificate of incorporation are W. A. Rankin, M. B. Dunham, O. W. Beatty, A. Hertz, Benjamin Nesmith, George N. Farmlose, S. V. Javis, H. A. Jameson and O. C. Allen, all of Warren, Pa. ALLEN & HIGGINS, Solicitors. Warren, Pa., Dec. 14, 1885.

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Table with columns: TOWNSHIP AND BOROUGH, Stated Land, Unstated Land, Horses & Stables, Oxen, Cows, Pressure Carriages, Carriages for hire, Express of Freight, Valuation of Trades, Judgments, etc., and Amount.

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Divorce Notice. In the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, No. 61 September Term, 1885, Mary E. Moon, by her next friend, S. C. Johnson, Libellant, vs. James L. Moon, Respondent. Alias Subpoena in Divorce. Forest County, ss.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:—Whereas, Mary E. Moon, by her next friend, S. C. Johnson, did on the tenth day of August, 1885, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for said County, praying for the causes therein set forth, that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you James L. Moon. We, therefore, command you, as we have before, the said James L. Moon, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Tionesta, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of Forest, on the third Monday of December next, to answer the petition or libel of the said Mary E. Moon, and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Mary E. Moon, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided. Herein fail not.

Witness the Hon. Wm. D. Brown, President of our said Court, at Tionesta, the 26th day of October, 1885. C. M. SHAWKEY, Prothonotary.

To James L. Moon, Respondent:—You are hereby notified to enter an appearance in above stated case on Monday, the 22d day of February, 1886. L. AGNEW, Sheriff. Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 2, 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners of Forest County, acting as a Board of Revision, will, on the 21st day of January, 1886, finally determine whether or any of the Valuations of the Assessors as returned above have been made above or below a just rate according to our understanding of the meaning and intention of the law.

J. R. CHADWICK, Board of OLIVER BYERLY, W. D. SEBELS, Board of Revision. Attest, J. T. BRENNAN, Clerk. Commissioners' Office, Jan. 4, 1886.

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