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Republican State Ticket.

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Republican County Ticket.

FOR SHERIFF,  
WILLIAM J. LAWRENCE,  
Of Dushore.  
FOR CORONER,  
DR. M. E. HERKMANN.

MR. EDITOR:—It seems to me that our Boro Fathers are neglecting to perform their duties in connection with our streets. Judging from the amount of money spent and the number of days worked it strikes me that the two main streets of our town ought to be in such a condition that a person can drive over them at the rate of four miles an hour without danger of breaking a wagon. Is it not the duty of the town council to attend to this matter? They of course appoint a road commissioner whose duty it is to oversee this work, but does their duty end with this appointment? I think not. They should see that the work is in the place, manner and at the time it ought to be done. Have they done that this year? Has the work been done in the most necessary places or in the best manner or at the proper time? Are the main streets of our Boro now in such a condition that we can point to them with pride? What are the present conditions of our main streets? Simply intolerable. Thorne and part of Muncy streets are still filled with uncovered stones, although there has been quite an amount of time and money expended on some of the less important streets. One street in fact, King street between Meyler and Cherry streets, has had money enough to have opened some of the streets that were petitioned for by a large number of citizens. Can't something be done?

SUPPLICANT.

The New Dog Law.

The new dog law, as passed by the last Legislature, provides that from and after its passage there shall be assessed, levied and collected annually in every township and borough of the Commonwealth from the owners of dogs a tax of fifty cents for every male dog, and one dollar for every female dog, the sum to be collected with the other township taxes. These sums shall be paid to the Treasurer of the Board of School Directors in the different districts and shall be kept separate by the Treasurer so that he will know how much has come into his hands from this source. The money shall constitute a fund from persons sustaining loss or damage to sheep by dogs may be paid for such a loss, along with the costs necessarily incurred in establishing their loss. The Assessors of every borough and township shall annually when making their other assessments, ascertain the number of dogs in their respected districts and the names of the owners and how many of each sex are owned or kept. The County Commissioners shall annually make a true return to the Board of School Directors of the number of dogs owned therein, together with the owners' names, and the School Directors shall cause the tax to be collected in the same manner as and along with the school tax. Persons who have sustained loss or damage to sheep may make complaint before any Justice of the Peace, and the latter shall notify the owner of the dog or dogs causing the loss and if the owner does not appear "as soon as practicable" and pay the loss caused by his dogs, the Justice shall notify the township Auditors to appraise the loss sustained by the claimant; they have power to summon witnesses and investigate the case thoroughly, and shall determine and report to the Justice the amount of the damage, if any. The report shall be signed by a majority of the Auditors. A section prescribes the manner in which the Justice shall then proceed in bringing the matter before the School Board. When the latter receives such notification and it ap-

pears a loss has been sustained, they shall file the amount of the approved claim with the Secretary of the Board, including the necessary costs incurred, to be paid out of the fund raised by the tax on dogs. If the owner of the dogs doing the damage is responsible, then the Treasurer of the Board shall immediately collect the damages and costs from him, and place the proceeds in the sheep fund. If it shall be found at the close of the sheep current year that the dog tax is not sufficient to pay for all losses incurred under the law, then the School Board shall pay a pro rata share to the several claimants; if the claims are sufficient, then the claim shall be paid in full.

TWO YEARS IN PRISON.

Mrs. Hamilton the Sullivan County Girl Convicted and Sentenced.

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Sept. 19.—The court did not open this morning for the continuation of the trial of Mrs. Eva Hamilton, for the atrocious assault upon the nurse, Mary Donnelly, until 10:45 o'clock. The delay was caused by the detention, through an accident of another train of the train, from Atlantic City, upon which were the judges, attorneys and others officially connected with the case. When the jurors had taken their seats Judge Reed said: "Sheriff, bring in the defendant." The Sheriff stated that the defendant, Mrs. Hamilton, begged to be excused from appearing on account of serious illness, and the Judge allowed the case to proceed. Then Captain Perry, counsel for the defence, began his argument. He said he hoped the jurors would frame their verdict according to the testimony independent of newspaper reports or other influences.

Prosecutor of Pleas Thompson called the case for the prosecution. He said both Hamilton and his wife repeatedly contradicted themselves while on the witness stand, and that their testimony was a tissue of falsehoods from beginning to end, that Mr. Hamilton's life would probably have been taken were it not for the timely entrance of Nurse Donnelly, and that Mrs. Hamilton was fortunate in not being on trial for murder instead of atrocious assault.

JUDGE REED'S CHARGE.

"Call the jury," was the peremptory request of Judge Reed when he resumed his seat at the opening of the afternoon session, and a few minutes later he began his charge. "The whole matter hinges on the plea of self-defence," he said, "that the blow was struck in self-defence but when a deadly weapon is used in self-defence it materially alters the case." He continued in this vein, dwelling on the fact that the knife thrust was a deadly one, and the only way in which the plea of the defence could possibly be tenable was that the blow was struck to save the defendant's life; that she was in imminent danger and had to deal the deadly blow to save her own life.

THE CLOSING SCENE.

The closing scenes were exceedingly dramatic and when word was sent to Evangeline Hamilton that the jury were out deliberating whether she was guilty or not, she excitedly paced the attic prison, and frequently looked out of her window upon the Court House where the jury were balloting.

It was precisely 3 o'clock when the jury announced that they had arrived at a verdict and fled into their respective seats. The Court room was crowded and the spectators whispered audibly, commenting upon the probable verdict, until called to order by the Court. At 15 minutes past three Sheriff Johnson led in the defendant. Mrs. Hamilton looked pale and fatigued, but walked with a firm demeanor through the narrow aisles and paid no attention to the scrutinizing gaze of the crowd, on both sides of her. When brought within the railing she sank wearily into a chair directly facing the jury. She nervously twisted her fingers, her hands being covered with pearl colored gloves.

A VERDICT OF GUILTY.

The Clerk of the Court called the jury and inquired: "Gentlemen have you agreed upon a verdict," to which Foreman Reeves responded in stentorian tones: "We have." By this time the court room had become silent, and when the foreman answered, "We find the defendant guilty as charged in the indictment, Mrs. Hamilton gave a perceptible start and lifted her head for the first time, turning towards her counsel with an appealing glance and then towards the members of the jury, who looked her in the face. Then her head sank upon her breast

but she uttered no comment. The condemned woman apparently had not a friend in the court room to offer her consolation, even her husband having gone away as if unwilling to remain and witness her distress.

TWO YEARS IN PRISON.

Judge Reed sternly said: "Evangeline Hamilton, stand up." The woman arose with an effort and faced the Judge, Counselor Perry standing beside her. "You have been convicted of a grave charge, that of atrocious assault upon Mary Ann Donnelly, the extreme penalty for which is ten years. But there are extenuating circumstances in this case, and the sentence I am about to impose should be considered lenient in case of conviction for atrocious assault. I sentence you to two years confinement in the State prison at Trenton."

Not by a movement or a look did the condemned woman betray any emotion. She stood in a listless attitude while Counselor Perry advised her to bear up and be of good cheer. She resumed her seat and conversed with several reporters who took advantage of the occasion to ply her with questions. Mrs. Hamilton condemned her husband's apparent desertion and made several remarks concerning his relationship with the nurse previous to the affray. She said the sentence was hard to bear. She looked pale but was not agitated. She entered the Sheriff's residence through the front door and proceeded to her attic prison, which had been furnished luxuriously by her infatuated husband when she was first incarcerated, and before the full exposure of her past career and deception practiced upon him had caused him to leave her to her fate.

Mrs. Hamilton will be taken to the State prison next Saturday morning in company with half a dozen criminals convicted at this term of court. She will have to serve a twenty month's term, providing she gets the usual allowance of two months per annum for good behavior. It is said Mrs. Hamilton repeatedly solicited an interview with her husband while he was here in order to explain some personal matters, but he declined to go near her.

To the Republican.

The fourth annual Convention of the S. S. Association of Sullivan county, was held at Forksville M. E. church Thursday Sept. 12th, afternoon and evening. On account of rain the attendance was very small. The reports of officers and delegates were very interesting and encouraging to S. S. workers. The election of officers resulted as follows: Pres. D. T. Huckell, Vice Pres., T. A. Boyle Rec. Sec'y., A. G. Little; Cor. Sec'y., Mrs. S. A. Snyder; Treas., A. A. Collins; Ex. Com., Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mrs. F. B. Gidewell, Mr. A. A. Collins. The Vice Pres of last year, (one for each township) were continued for this year. The following named persons were elected as delegates to the State S. S. Convention. to be held at Williamsport Pa., Oct. 8, 9, and 10th, 1889—Mr. Wm. Johnson, of Bernice, Mr. Wm. Meyler, LaPorte, Mrs. Wm. Hull, Hills Grove, Mr. U. Bird, Elkland, Mr. J. W. Rogers, of Forksville. In the evening entertaining addresses were delivered by Rev. H. Lounsbury and D. T. Huckell.

A. G. LITTLE, Sec'y.  
Forksville, Pa.

BETHEL CLIPPINGS.

The saw mill owned by Mr. Corcoran that was burnt last spring, has been rebuilt, and have commenced sawing.

Potatoes are a very poor crop in this section, farmers that is in this part who have raised a large amount will not have enough for their own use.

The friends of Frank May's surprised him a few days ago by bringing him flour meat and other necessary articles.

Mrs. Staub has removed to Virginia, with her son Lewis intending to make it her future home.

John Miller who went west last fall with E. M. Frost has returned again.

Mrs. John Prymire who has been sick all summer, is gradually improving.

Charley Fawcett looks unusually happy. The reason why a little girl has come to stay with him.

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In casting a vote for Lawrence you can rest assured that you are aiding a worthy and competent man for Sheriff. Make up your mind to support him.

Teachers' Examination.

The regular series of teachers' examinations for the several school districts of Sullivan county, will be held at the following places on the following dates. Davidson and Shrewsbury townships, at Muncy Valley Sept. 28th, LaPorte Sept. 30th—Cherry twp., and Dushore borough at Dushore Oct. 1—Hills Grove twp., at Hillsgrove, Oct. 5th—Forks twp., at Millview, Oct. 7th—Colley twp., at Colley, Oct. 9th—Fox twp., at Shunk, Oct. 11th—Elkland twp., at Estella, Oct. 21st.

The school directors are requested to attend the examination in their district.

Teachers must be examined in the district in which they expect to teach unless they procure a written permit to be examined in some other district, signed by at least three members of the Board of Directors of the district in which they expect to teach.

All examinations will commence promptly at 9 o'clock a. m.

M. R. BLACK,  
County Superintendent.  
Forksville Pa. Sept. 14th, 1889.

We heard a gentleman in the LaPorte Hotel on Wednesday offer to bet two to one that Lawrence would be elected Sheriff of Sullivan county. There were many bystanders by but none accepted the wager. This rejection was not caused by moral principle but from the fact that Mr. Lawrence's election is conceded by every unprejudiced voter in the county. Attend the fair next week and listen to the political conversation and convince yourself that we are right in our assertion.

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WM. SHOEMAKER, Administrator.  
Estella, Pa., Sept. 23, '89.

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