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Grow is Elected by 150,000 Majority.

The verdict of this state as expressed at the polls on Tuesday is a glorious verdict against the Wilson bill. No free trade for old Pennsylvania. The people of this state are intelligent and know what is best for their own interest.

When Blatherskite of the Dushore Review states that the expenses of the county for 1893 were \$18,128 he takes the footings of the columns in the statement without regarding the items which make it up.

In the first place the item of \$1,500 "borrowed money" does not belong to the expense account. This money was used to pay expenses which are also in the expense account.

The purpose of this meeting is to fix the time of holding a convention and to transact other important business. A full attendance is desired. Following is the list of standing committee:

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Now looking over the remaining expenses and taking note of such as are not within the control of the Commissioners comparing them with the expenses of 1893 we find the expenses of 1893 increased in round numbers as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Court Reporter, Grand Jurors, Elections, Com'lth cost, Counsel, Traverse Jurors, County Bridges, Court Crier, Bounty, Establishing Co line, Costs of suits against the County, Inquisitions.

Total of increase \$ 2,386. All of these increased expenses were beyond the control of the Commissioners.

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Report of North school in Fox school district for the month ending February 14th, 1894. Number of pupils enrolled, 14; average daily attendance, 12; those present every day, Asa Baker, Otis and Orwell Porter; absent one day, Cora L. Payne and Lenora Morgan, CORA E. BATTIN, Teacher.

court house, and the additional work caused by the Baker ballot law. An itemized bill of the Com's were given the Auditors and accepted by them. It was sworn to as the law provides. If he thinks the Auditors were conniving with the Commissioners to pry the lid from the county treasury there is an opportunity for him to appeal.

Blatherskite dislikes the REPUBLICAN and that's all right, but why is he so unjust to D. W. Scanlin and S. K. McBride? The reason is apparent, they gave the Gazette more of the county printing than they did the Review. A penny going into the pocket of Streby looks as large as a cart wheel to Newell. His attacks on Scanlin and McBride will not injure them. Ask any man in Dushore or Cherry how Mr. Scanlin stands as an honest man and a good citizen and the answer will be, he stands among the best. The same will be said of S. K. McBride.

The friends of these gentlemen should resent the attack by discontinuing the Review.

MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE REPUBLICAN STANDING COMMITTEE FOR THE COUNTY OF SULLIVAN. LAPORTE, Pa., Feb. 20, 1894.

The members of the Republican standing committee will meet at the office of E. M. Dunham, in Laporte, on Saturday, March 17th, 1894, at 1 o'clock, p. m.

W. C. MASON, Chairman. NORRISTOWN, Feb. 18.—County Chairman Kane, who was away yesterday, was seen to-day in reference to the alleged agreement upon the part of William M. Singler for the renomination of Senator Markley.

Mr. Singler's proposition with regard to Senator Markley created a great deal of talk among the rank and file and as a rule they say they would not abide by it.

Ex-Representative Charles I. Baker stated this morning that he had been entirely ignored in the "peace-making" and he wished it distinctly understood that he expects to get the nomination for State Senator, and added, referring to Peacemaker Singler's overtures, "If an arrangement of that kind can be carried out then I think that no more conventions need be held by the Democratic party in this county. If Mr. Singler really makes the nomination there is no further use for such gatherings."

Bear in mind the lecture to be given in the M. E. church Friday evening March 24, by Hon. Henry Houck, Deputy State Supt. of Public Instruction. Make your plans to attend and let us see what Laporte can do with a high class lecture. Every seat should be filled. Mr. Houck will entertain you in such a pleasing manner that you will want to hear him again. The admission is twenty-five cents. Children under 15 years, fifteen cents.

George Craft of Mawr Glen, while doing business at the county seat, Wednesday, gave the REPUBLICAN a business call.

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JERE. KELLY'S ANNUAL COLUMN.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN once said "If you wish to know the value of a dollar, try to borrow one." If you wish to know how much a dollar will buy now, try our bargains for one month. Until the

1st of March

We will sell the following goods to reduce our Stock for less than ever before.

Western

Wash Machine for \$4.00 has sold for \$9.00. This is the best washer made. Good String Sleigh bells for \$1.00 was \$2.00. A good Tea Scale for 85c was \$1.25. Forty-five cent Pocket Knife for 25c. Iron Glue, the best sticking glue ever made; a 10c bottle for 5c. Fifty-cent Box Paper and Envelopes for 25c. Solid steel Spiders No. 8 for 25c.

Everybody

Is interested in the Weather, buy a Hick's Almanac the best authority on weather reports, we have them on our News Counter. Also daily papers; the Record, Press, Inquirer, Times, and Sun at Publishers prices. Will continue our Wall Paper sales, also 5c paper for 4c, 8c paper for 6c, 10c paper for 8c, 12c paper for 10c.

Window

Shades are still sold, 20c on Spring Rollers. Best Manila Rope, 1 1/2c per pound, all sizes. Steel Game Traps with chains 12 and 15 cents. Long Handle Steel Shovels @ 45c was 60c. Forty-six piece White Granite Tea Set \$2.75, was \$3.75. One hundred Dinner Plates @ 5c, was 8c. Knives and Forks all steel for 60c, worth 75c. Nickel Plate Table Spoons as nice as silver @ 45c per set. Tea Spoons to match @ 25c per set. One hundred Wood Butter Bowls 5 to 30c about one-half the usual price. One thousand square feet of building paper, only \$1.00 was \$1.25.

New stock

Will begin to arrive February 1st. Lamps of all kinds: Hanging lamps, \$2 50 to 1 50. Stand lamps, \$3 50 to 2 50. Hall lamps, \$3 50 to 2 50. Gold Band Dinner sets:

- 89 pieces, \$189. 100 pieces, \$9 50 to 13 75. 101 pieces, \$105 pieces.

New lot came in this week. Lounges and chairs will be sold at a large reduction until March 1st to make room for new stock.

Hardware department has many seasonal bargains

- Buck saws @ 50c, Steel spiders @ 25c, Blue enamel ware at half price, Pocket knives @ 5c, 10c, 25, 50c and \$1 00. Electric door bells, Ice saws, Ice tongs, Sleigh bells, Team bells, Boys' sleds and skates. Cross cut saws, five kinds. New blank books, writing paper and envelopes are needed as much as weekly and monthly time books.

Listen! This is a good time to market old iron, rags, lumber, butter, eggs, potatoes, straw, hay, chickens, turkeys, etc. We pay market price for them.

Jere. Kelly, HUGHESVILLE, PA.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPT & EXPENSES, OF THE COUNTY OF SULLIVAN FOR 1893.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes Jury Commissioners and clerk, County Auditor and clerk, Funded Light House, Prothonotary and Clerk of Courts, Auditing and Proth. Reg. and Rec., Constables, making returns to court, Assessing and Reg'g't, Janitor, Sundries, Interest on borrowed money, Elections on next animal, County Institute, Inquests, Sheriff's costs summoning jurors etc., Postage and Telegrams, Refunding accounts, Commonwealth Costs, County Crier, Grand Jurors, Asylum Bill Danville, Eastern Penitentiary bill for 1892, Stationery, Attending state Co. Con convention, Agricultural Society, Co. Commissioner's clerk salary '93, Co. Commissioners' counsel '93, County Bridge's building and rep'g, Conty on Suits, against county.

Financial condition of Sullivan County for year ending December 31 1893.

Table with 2 columns: LIABILITIES, RESOURCES. Includes Philip Kargo Co. Order at Int., Hent' Kargo, Mrs. Sarah Speaker, W. C. Mason, Ethlin Mason, R. M. Storn, Russel Karns Co. order at interest, First Nat. Bank of Dushore do, Co. orders outstanding, not at int., Amount due various taxa, by the Co. on acct. of verdict and judgment, No. 62 Feb. term 1891 obtained against Jacob Lorah ex-Treas., Amount of redemption money due to owners on dem and fr. in the county on acct. of Jacob Lorah ex-treas., Bal. due Co. Com. D. W. Scanlin, W. M. Cheney, Treas. Wm. Murray.

COUNTY ORDER ACCOUNT.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes Amount of County orders outstanding on Dec. 31 1892, Amount of County orders issued during 1893, Amount of interest on the 2 Paulhamus judgments not charged to "Interest acct." on ledger, Amount of County order issues not shown in above account of orders issued in 1893 to pay off the 2 above judgments and not charged in Borrowed Money acct. on ledger.

REDEMPTION FUND ACCOUNT.

Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes Amount of redemption money in the hands of the county treasurer as shown by the auditors' report for the year 1892, Amount of redemption money paid out to owners by the Co treasurer during 1893.

WILLIAM MURRAY COUNTY TREASURER.

Table with 2 columns: BOROUGHS AND TOWNSHIPS, Collectors. Includes Cherry, Colley, Davidson, Elkland, Forkville Boro., Forks, Fox, Hills Grove, LaPorte Boro., LaPorte, Shrewsbury.

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Table with 2 columns: Description, Amount. Includes To amount of Retailers License, To amount of Wholesale Liquor License, To amount of Distiller's License.

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