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Republican Primaries and Convention.

In pursuance to a call the Republi-
 can Standing Committee for Sulli-
 van county, met at the Court House
 in Laporte, Pa., on Saturday, March
 17, and fixed the dates for holding
 primaries and convention for April
 14 and 16 respectively.

The duties of the convention will
 be the selection of delegate to state
 convention, naming of congressional
 conferees, selection of a county chair-
 man, naming a standing committee,
 nominating a county ticket and
 any other business that may properly
 come before the convention.

Should the convention deem it
 proper or expedient when convened
 to postpone any part of its work
 until such date as may be decided upon
 the convention may adjourn leaving
 until the second meeting such of its
 work as the convention may decide.

Following is a list of persons nam-
 ed to serve as vigilance committee
 in the several districts:

- Bernice.—J. H. Hillsman, John
 Harney, H. W. Johnson.
- Cherry.—R. R. Hunsinger, Robt.
 Kinshinka, E. W. Hoffmaster.
- Colley.—O. O. Barns, Royal Scou-
 ton, J. S. Mosier.
- Davidson.—G. W. Bigger, D. H.
 Lorah, Irvin Gower.
- Dushore.—M. A. Scureman, J. C.
 Cook, C. W. Hoffa.
- Eagles Mere.—E. V. Ingham, A.
 L. Moyer, Clarence Dunham.
- Elkland.—U. Bird, Albert Kay,
 O. H. McCarty.
- Forks.—Irvin Hnttenstine, Wm.
 Bird, Robert Molyneux.
- Forksville.—W. E. Miller, Artie
 Rogers, Frank Hannon.
- Fox.—J. H. Campbell, Wm. Shoemaker,
 R. S. Fanning.
- Hillsgrove.—J. A. Miller, C. W.
 Saddle, Elwood Labar.
- Jamison.—Geo. W. Lilley.
- Laporte Boro.—W. P. Shoemaker,
 Chas. L. Wing, Oscar Snyder.
- Laporte Twp.—Joseph Newman,
 Lyman Harvey, Rush Botsford.
- Lopez.—F. L. Campbell, Wm.
 Snyder, W. L. McCarty.
- Mt. Vernon.—Geo. Lawrenson,
 Wm. Edkin, Boyd Bennett.
- Ricketts.—Frank Kuntz, J. C.
 Miller, J. C. Cornell.
- Ringdale.—S. Mead, Geo. Tink-
 paugh.
- Shrewsbury.—R. W. Bennett,
 Nelson Bennett, Wm. Palmatier.

F. P. VINCENT, Chairman.

The Porto Rican question rests
 between two principles. One of
 these is in the interest of the island
 alone. The other is fundamental
 and affects the whole country now
 and hereafter. In the latter case—
 the constitutional power to levy du-
 ties on Porto Rican products—any
 departure from the right principle
 cannot be rectified. Not a single
 step once taken can be retraced.
 After the debate in the House
 the necessity for an interpretation of
 the constitution is paramount. The
 principle of freedom of trade, recom-
 mended by the President, has yielded
 only temporarily to the more im-
 portant principle that effects the
 Constitution.

When the state capitol burned a
 few years ago the Philadelphia pa-
 pers wanted the capitol changed to
 Philadelphia, and one of the strong
 arguments used was the comparative
 efficiency of the Philadelphia fire-
 department. Since that time the
 department must have deteriorated.
 In the recent fires down there it has
 required the united efforts of fire-
 fighters to save the cellars from the
 "raging elements".

The debate on the Quay case il-
 lustrates how many sides there may
 be to what once appeared a simple
 affair. On the one side Quay has all
 the virtues of Washington with a
 few of his own thrown in for the
 sake of originality. On the other
 hand he has no virtues, and all the
 separate vices that have distinguished
 the chief rogues of the last two
 hundred years. Probably the mid-
 dle ground is nearer the truth.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias
 issued out of the Court of Common Pleas
 of Sullivan County and to me directed and
 delivered there will be exposed to public
 sale at the Court House in Laporte, Pa.,
 on

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1900,
 at 10 o'clock a. m., the following describ-
 ed property, viz:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of
 land lying and being in the township of
 Forks, county of Sullivan and state of
 Pennsylvania, bounded and described as
 follows:

Beginning at a hemlock corner, the
 North-east corner of the tract, thence
 south about 23 degrees east 320 perches
 to a stone corner; thence south about 67
 degrees west 121 perches to a post for a
 corner; thence north about 23 degrees
 west 320 perches to a corner and thence
 north about 67 degrees east 121 perches
 to the place of beginning, containing
 about 239 acres and 17 perches of land
 more or less. About 40 acres improved
 the balance timbered. 1 Two-story
 framed house a framed barn, wagon shed
 and other outbuildings. Well watered
 and with a good orchard thereon.

Excepting and reserving from the above
 described tract of land the following lots
 bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stone corner, being the
 south-east corner of the Peter Crooks
 warrant and land now owned by A. C.
 Wilcox, thence by lands of David Moly-
 neux south 35 1/2 degrees west 183 rods
 to a post and stone corner; thence by land of
 grantor's north 50 degrees west 88 5-10
 rods to a post and stones corner on the
 lower edge of Lick Creek road; thence
 along said road by several bearings and
 distances viz: north 63 degrees east 13
 rods, north 74 1/2 degrees east 11 8-10 rods,
 north 69 degree east 15 2-10 rods, north
 73 degrees east 13 rods, north 66 degrees
 east 17 5-10 rods, north 55 1/2 degrees east
 24 6-10 rods, north 45 1/2 degrees east 37
 rods, north 39 1/2 degrees east 17 rods, north
 49 1/2 degrees east 25 5-10 rods, thence north
 45 degrees east 8 rods to the tract line
 and land of said Wilcox; thence south 56
 degrees east 21 4-10 rods to the place of
 beginning, containing 8 1/2 acres and one
 hundred and thirty-four perches neat
 measure be the same more or less.

Also one other lot or parcel of land in
 the same township, county and state.

Beginning at a stone the common cor-
 ner of the James Cross, Peter Cross, John
 Cross and James Cross warrant, thence
 by lands of Thomas Molyneux's heirs
 south 56 degrees east 95 rods to the pub-
 lic road leading from Millview to Eldred-
 ville; thence along said road by lands of
 grantors north 43 degrees west 34 rods to
 an angle; thence north 27 degrees west 10
 4-10 rods to an angle; thence north 42 1/2
 degrees west 14 rods; thence north 19 1/2
 degrees west 12 rods; thence north 13 1/2
 degrees west 29 rods; thence north 35 1/2
 degrees west 8 rods to an angle; thence north
 48 1/2 degrees west 14 rods to the corner of
 W. G. Bedford land on the township line;
 thence along said line by Bedford's land,
 south 33 1/2 degrees west 66 2-10 rods to the
 place of beginning, containing twenty-four
 acres and fifty-four perches, be the same
 more or less.

Both lots being a part of the James
 Crooks' warrant.

Seized, taken into execution and to be
 sold as the property of Frank Hannon
 at the suit of L. E. Hannon.

H. W. OSLER, Sheriff,
 Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., Feb. 14, 1900.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is
 hereby given that the under-
 signed, auditor appointed by the
 Orphans' Court of Sullivan county,
 at Laporte, Pa., March 1, 1900, to
 distribute the funds paid into court
 by the hands of the administrators,
 and amongst the heirs of Mary
 McCarty, deceased, as exhibited by
 their last and final account, will
 meet all persons interested at my
 office in the court house, in the Boro
 of Laporte, on Wednesday, April 4,
 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m.

WM. J. LAWRENCE, Auditor.

Weak Eyes.

Any person having weak eyes or
 suffering from headache, don't fail
 to come and see Prof. Budine and
 have your eyes tested and examined
 free of charge. Parents having
 children in school who cannot see
 well or have headache, bring them
 and have their eyes examined and
 see if the trouble comes from the
 eye. Remember Prof. Budine guar-
 antees to cure all such cases. Will
 be at Obert House, Dushore, Pa. March
 26, at Hotel Maine Laporte, Pa.
 March 27, at Forksville House,
 Forks, Pa. March 28, and 29,
 at Hillsgrove Hotel, Hillsgrove, Pa.
 March 30, and 31.

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 In effect Monday Dec. 11, 1899.

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