

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to section twenty-six of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Resolved (If the Senate concur), That the following amendment to section twenty-six of article five of the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:

That section 26 of Article V., which reads as follows: "Section 26. All laws relating to courts shall be general and of uniform operation, and the organization, jurisdiction, and powers of all courts of the same class or grade, so far as regulated by law, and the force and effect of the process and judgments of such courts, shall be uniform; and the General Assembly is hereby prohibited from creating other courts to exercise the powers vested by this Constitution in the Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas and Orphans' Courts," be amended so that the same shall read as follows:—

Section 26. All laws relating to courts shall be general and of uniform operation, and the organization, jurisdiction, and powers of all courts of the same class or grade, so far as regulated by law, and the force and effect of the process and judgments of such courts, shall be uniform; but, notwithstanding any provisions of this Constitution, the General Assembly shall have full power to establish new courts, from time to time, as the same may be needed in any city or county, and to prescribe the powers and jurisdiction thereof, and to increase the number of judges in any courts now existing or hereafter created, or to reorganize the same, or to vest in other courts the jurisdiction theretofore exercised by courts not of record, and to abolish the same wherever it may be deemed necessary for the orderly and efficient administration of justice.

A true copy of Resolution No. 1.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.
RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, so as to eliminate the requirement of payment of taxes as a qualification of the right to vote.

Resolved (If the House of Representatives concur), That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:

That section one of article eight be amended, by striking out the fourth numbered paragraph thereof, so that the said section shall read as follows:

Section 1. Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject however to such laws regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact.

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the State one year, or if, having previously been a qualified elector or natural-born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months, immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

A true copy of Resolution No. 2.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three.
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, so as to consolidate the courts of common pleas of Allegheny County.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section six of article five be amended, by striking out the said section, and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 6. In the county of Philadelphia all the jurisdiction and powers now vested in the district courts and courts of common pleas, subject to such changes as may be made by this Constitution or by law, shall be in Philadelphia vested in five distinct and separate courts of equal and co-ordinate jurisdiction, composed of three judges each. The said courts in Philadelphia shall be designated respectively as the court of common pleas number one, number two, number three, number four, and number five, but the number of said courts may be by law increased, from time to time, and shall be in like manner designated by successive numbers. The number of judges in any of said courts, or in any county where the establishment of an additional court may be authorized by law, may be increased, from time to time, and whenever such increase shall amount in the whole to three, such three judges shall compose a distinct and separate court as aforesaid, which shall be numbered as aforesaid. In Philadelphia all suits shall be instituted in the said courts of common pleas without designating the number of the said court, and the several courts shall distribute and apportion the business among them in such manner as shall be provided by rules of court, and each court, to which any suit shall be thus assigned, shall have exclusive jurisdiction thereof, subject to change of venue, as shall be provided by law.

In the county of Allegheny all the jurisdiction and powers now vested in the several numbered courts of common pleas shall be vested in one court of common pleas, composed of all the judges in commission in said courts. Such jurisdiction and powers shall extend to all proceedings at law and in equity which shall have been instituted in the several numbered courts, and shall be subject to such changes as may be made by law, and subject to change of venue as provided by law. The president judge of said court shall be selected as provided by law. The number of judges in said court may be by law increased from time to time. This amendment shall take effect on the first day of January succeeding its adoption.

A true copy of Resolution No. 3.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Four.
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section eight, article nine, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amendment to Article Nine, Section Eight.

Section 2. Amend section eight, article nine, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:—

"Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation," so as to read as follows:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation," so as to read as follows:—

Section 8. The debt of any county, city, borough, township, school district, or other municipality or incorporated district, except as herein provided, shall never exceed seven per centum upon the assessed value of the taxable property therein, nor shall any such municipality or district incur any new debt, or increase its indebtedness to an amount exceeding two per centum upon such assessed valuation, may be authorized by law to increase the same three per centum, in the aggregate, at any one time, upon such valuation, except that any debt or debts incurred by the city and county of Philadelphia for the construction and development of subways for transit purposes, or for the construction of wharves and docks, or the reclamation of and to be used in the construction of a system of wharves and docks, as public improvements, owned or to be owned by said city and county of Philadelphia, and which shall yield to the city and county of Philadelphia current net revenue in excess of the interest on said debt or debts and of the annual installments necessary for the cancellation of said debt or debts, may be excluded in ascertaining the power of the city and county of Philadelphia to become otherwise indebted: Provided, that a sinking fund for their cancellation shall be established and maintained.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 4.
ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Trustee's Sale in Bankruptcy.
In Re Estate of
W. J. McCartney } No. 1753 in
 } Bankruptcy.

By virtue of an order made by John W. Codding, Esq., Referee in Bankruptcy, on September 18, 1911, the undersigned Trustee of W. J. McCartney of Sonestown, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, bankrupt, will expose to sale at public vendue or outcry at the Court House in the Borough of Laporte, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, October 17, 1911 at one o'clock P. M., the following described real estate of said bankrupt, free and divested from all liens against same, viz:

Lot No. 1. Ten acres of land situated in Forks Township, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, being a part of the John Musser warrant, upon which is erected a large team sawmill with machinery and fixtures complete. Also all the hemlock and hardwood timber and bark standing and being upon the John Musser warrant in Forks Township, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania aforesaid, containing one hundred and forty six acres of and be the same more or less, with the right to remove same at any time within ten years from the date of purchase. Said property being purchased by the said W. J. McCartney from Lee R. Gavitt and others by deed dated February 2, 1907, which deed is still unrecorded. The coal, oil and other minerals under and upon said ten acres of land being reserved by the grantors in said deed.

Lot No. 2. All the hemlock and hardwood timber and bark standing, growing and being upon a tract of land situated in Forks Township, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, known as the Richard Peters warrant, containing one hundred and twelve acres of land be the same more or less, which timber and bark were purchased from E. M. Dunham of Sayre, Pa., who was at that time the owner of the Richard Peters warrant aforesaid, by a contract in writing dated May 1, 1906.

The two aforesaid lots of land adjoining each other and constituting one property. The timber upon said tracts amounting to about 2,000,000 feet of lumber. Some is located along the public road leading from Laporte to Forksville and about four miles from the Railroad and being a very desirable lumbering proposition. The timber upon said tracts being chiefly hardwood, consisting of beach, birch maple and other hardwoods with a sprinkling of hemlock and being of good quality.

Terms of sale. Fifty per cent of the purchase price on the striking down of the property and the balance on final confirmation by the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania. Security to be given by the purchaser to comply with the terms of sale.

A. H. Buschhausen, Trustee.
Laporte, Pa., October 2, 1911.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Prothonotary.

Albert F. Heess.

Treasurer.

Joseph A. Helsman.

Commissioners.

Joseph Sick.

Irvin Hottenstein.

Sheriff.

Lloyd McCarty.

Associate Judge.

Anthony B. Kilmer.

James P. Miller.

Auditor.

Oliver S. Bender.

Thomas R. Crimmins.

Coroner.

C. M. Bradford, M. D.

Above we give a list of the Republican candidates for the different offices to be filled at the general election which will be held Nov. 7, 1911. We believe that all will agree that these candidates are an exceptionally fine body of men.

Notice of Postponement.

The meeting of the Sullivan County Teachers' Association advertised to be held at Bernice Friday and Saturday of this week has, owing to a conflict of dates, been postponed until Friday and Saturday, October 27-28.

Bathing an Elephant.

The elephant's bath takes a week to carry out in detail; it requires the services of three men, and it costs \$300, the Philadelphia Record says. This treatment is necessary for a circus elephant, and if the animal is a valuable one the proprietor of the circus does not consider the money wasted. The first process consists in going over the immense body with the best soap procurable—150 pounds of soap are used—and the elephant's ears are especially carefully attended to. When the soaping and drying are completed the elephant is well sandpapered and after that rubbed all over with the purest Indian oil until the mouse gray skin is supple and glistening. This last finishing touch is the most expensive part of the whole bath, as \$150 has to be spent on the oil alone.

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Joseph A. Helsman.

Candidate for County Treasurer.

Joseph A. Helsman, the Republican nominee for County Treasurer is a good type of the thrifty German citizens of our County, who have done so much to aid its growth and development.

Mr. Helsman was born in Scranton fifty-five years ago. Nearly forty years of his life he has resided in Sullivan County and most of the time at Bernice. At present he is proprietor of the "Helsman House", one of the best hotels in this section. He began work for himself in the mines when a boy of eleven years and the success he has achieved is the result of his own effort and industry. As breaker boy and later as miner and "barn boss" he discharged every duty and was always a trusted employee. Mr. Helsman has been called to fill the office of school director, tax collector and township treasurer of Cherry township. In every instance he has discharged the office with credit to himself and the satisfaction of his constituents. He is regarded as one of the substantial, public-spirited citizens of the community in which he resides and his friends are legion.

Mr. Helsman was not opposed for the nomination. This fact shows clearly that he is regarded as entirely worthy and competent.

The office of County Treasurer requires a man of honesty and business ability. Mr. Helsman possesses both of these qualifications and if elected will give a clean, business-like administration.

A stone crusher is engaged in crushing stone near Hotel Bernard.

Laporte attended the Hughesville fair Thursday. Oh yes, it was there alright, half as big and twice as natural.

Mrs. Alvice Dunham died at her home in Eagles Mere at 10:45 a. m. Tuesday morning. She is survived by her husband and three sons.

Owing to the fact that it was absolutely necessary for some of the inhabitants of Laporte to attend the Hughesville fair, this edition is a trifle late, but—you will excuse us want you?

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Notice is hereby given, that the partnership lately subsisting between Elmer Bigger and Clarence E. Dunham of Eagles Mere, Pa., under the firm name of Bigger and Dunham, was dissolved on the first day of September, 1911, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by said Elmer Bigger and all demands on the partnership are to be presented to him for payment.
Eagles Mere, Pa., September 1, 1911.
CLARENCE E. DUNHAM,
C. E. BIGGER,

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Corn Meal	30.00	1.55	
Cracked Corn	30.00	1.55	
Corn	30.00	1.55	
[Sacks each 6c with privilege of returning without expense to me.]			
Schumacher Chop	30.00	1.55	
Wheat Bran	28.00	1.45	
Fancy White Midds.	31.00	1.60	
Oil Meal	39.00	2.00	
Gluten	29.00	1.50	
Alfalfa Meal	25.00	1.30	
Oyster Shells	10.00	.60	
Brewers Grain	27.00	1.40	
Choice Cottonseed Meal	32.00	1.70	
Luxury Flour	sack	1.20	
" "	per bbl.	4.65	
Beef Scrap		3.00	
Oats	per bu.	.55	
Charcoal	50 lb sack	.60	
Oyster Shells	" "	.35	
140 lb bag Salt coarse or fine		.50	
56 lb bag Salt		.25	
Buckwheat Flour		2.20	
Silumacher Flour	sack	1.50	
Muncy	" "	1.20	
" "	per bbl.	4.65	
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