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THE SCANLAN BONDS.

Evidence in Behalf of the Bondsmen Submitted Yesterday.

The examination of Tax Collector M. J. Scanlan in the proceedings instituted by his bondsmen to open the judgment entered by the Borough Council at the common sessions in Pottsville yesterday afternoon, John F. Whalen, Esq., the solicitor for the Taxpayers' Association, who is associated with M. M. Burke, Esq., in looking after the borough's interests, taking up the cross-examination of the witness.

At the morning examination Mr. Scanlan testified that all the payments he made from Jan. 15, 1896, to Jan. 8, 1898, amounting in the aggregate to \$21,825.50, were made as payments on the 1895 tax duplicate.

Mr. Whalen handed to Mr. Scanlan the Borough Auditors report for the fiscal year ending March 1898, and the witness said the report credited him with all the payments he referred to in his testimony. Mr. Whalen asked for the taking of the item for item and the witness said they were all duly credited in the report.

Mr. Scanlan admitted that the Auditors' report showed him with \$1,018.06 Mar. 1, 1897, and \$1,000 May 7, 1897, as payments on the 1896 duplicate, but said he had made the payments for the 1895 duplicate. He was asked when he got his 1895 duplicate and said it was in January, 1897. He denied that he appeared before the Finance Committee and talked about these amounts, but admitted that he allowed the sixty-day commission on the payments credited to the 1895 duplicate. He said he was not aware that the allowance had been made until the Auditors' report was published, or that the payments had been applied to the 1896 duplicate. He said he made no complaint or objection in regard to it, nor did he appear from the Auditors' statement.

Mr. Whalen then switched to another branch and asked Mr. Scanlan if he did not write a letter to Council under the date of Feb. 4, 1897. He replied that he did not.

"Didn't you write to this effect: 'I have always been in my understanding that all payments made by me into the borough treasury since the settlement made Nov. 7, 1895, by the Finance Committee, of my account of the duplicate of borough taxes for 1894 (the balance then found against me being \$25,940.93), shall be applied on account of my indebtedness on 1894 duplicate, and I have repeatedly directed the payments made by me from that time to be so credited; and the surplus thereof, after fully paying of the balance due on my 1894 duplicate, to be credited on account of my 1895 duplicate. I hereby affirm in writing and reiterate the verbal request and instructions thus heretofore made and given by me, and I fully approve of the application by Council of all the same paid in by me since December, 1895, and credited or to be credited on the 1894 and 1895 duplicates respectively, as herein above stated.'"

Witness said he did not write the letter, but he thought Mr. Straugh did. Witness did not know it was written until Mr. Straugh brought it to him and asked him to sign, and he did.

"Was not that letter that you admit signed prepared because the \$2,000 which you had asked to have applied to the 1894 duplicate was so applied, and there was some question about it afterwards?"

Mr. Scanlan said he did not know whether it was, or not.

"Don't you know that the credit of \$2,000 of Jan. 8, 1896, was applied or extended to the 1894 duplicate?"

"Yes, sir; I know it since I saw it published."

"Didn't you know it prior to that time?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did you ask to have it so applied?"

"No, sir. I told them to do it, and they and they could apply it where they liked."

"Then there was an agreement between you and Council, at least it was agreed by you that that application of the \$2,000 to the 1894 duplicate might be made?"

"No, sir. There was no agreement at all. You knew they were going to do that."

"Yes, sir; I was there when they did it."

"And they had your consent to do it?"

"Yes, sir."

"Was not the same true of the \$9,000, the \$1,018 and the \$1,000 that were credited to you on the 1895 duplicate, and the other items credited to it?"

Mr. Scanlan said he did not know anything about it and he was not present when it was done. That he had no recollection of their being any adjustment of his affairs by the finance committee, in which the \$9,000 item was taken into account. He recalled having met Messrs. T. J. James, Galie and others and going over the items of the 1895 duplicate, but not the 1896 duplicate, and the \$9,000 item was on the latter duplicate. Mr. Scanlan said he made his collections on the 1895 duplicate before he received it, and when asked if he had collected the bulk of the taxes for 1895 before he got the duplicate, replied "Yes, sir; I guess I did."

This admission is an important one, in view of the fact that the bondsmen set up, as one of their reasons for having the judgment opened, that the Borough Council did not give Mr. Scanlan a warrant to make collections on the 1895 duplicate.

In answer to a question re-direct examination by Mr. Wallinger, concerning the letter of Feb. 4, 1897, Mr. Scanlan said: "It was brought into the store. I was told about it and understood that a letter was to be written. It was brought in by one of the Councilmen, and he asked me if I understood what it was. I said 'yes' and he said 'will you sign it?' and I said 'yes,' and I signed the letter. The letter came from them getting another letter from another party. They wanted to put themselves on the safe side I suppose, and I signed it. The letter was brought to me by Mr. Straugh. He was chairman of the finance committee, I think."

Mr. Whalen then took up the subject of the letter and asked, "Well, you understood the points in that letter, and what it meant, didn't you?"

Mr. Scanlan replied, "I didn't read it, no, sir. I understood the Council got a letter, I got one myself from the Council, and I signed it in 1896. He objected to the money being transferred to the 1894 duplicate, and I understood that the School Board got one, too, and Mr. Straugh brought that letter to my store and asked me to sign it, and I did so without reading it or anything else. He gave me

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to understand what it meant, and I was satisfied.

Before leaving the witness stand Mr. Scanlan said he had another claim of about \$900 for additional expenditures for 1895, and that the claim was a legal and just one. He presented it to Council over a year and a half ago and no definite action has been taken on it.

Mr. Whalen stated that he wished to introduce some new evidence, but was not prepared to proceed. It was agreed that all parties meet in court next Monday and have the argument of the case postponed, and at the same time fix a date for the borough to introduce its evidence.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Michael Moran and His Wife Die at Mt. Carmel.

Michael Moran, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of Mt. Carmel, died at that place on Tuesday night, from pneumonia, and at 2:40 o'clock this morning his wife, Marian, a highly esteemed lady, expired. Mr. Moran was a uncle of the McDermott family of town. He was born in County Galway, Ireland, in 1815. Coming to America in 1835 he stopped in Philadelphia several months and then removed to Lancaster county where he remained one year. From thence he moved to Maryland, where he was employed by the U. S. Army. He was engaged in similar business in Indiana for a time, returning to Ireland and remaining there nine months. In 1838 he was married to Maria, a daughter of Bryan McDermott, of County Galway. Returning to America in 1838 he was employed by the U. S. Army in the mines for a time, subsequently engaging in the hotel business at Minersville. Eleven years later he removed to Ashland where he built the Union Hotel and conducted it for ten years. In 1844 he was elected Sheriff of Schuylkill county and filled that position with high distinction for three years. At the end of his term he resumed the hotel business for a period and then engaged in the coal trade which proved disastrous, but he again showed the indomitable spirit which had raised him to that honorable position in rally to the emergency and was again employed by the U. S. Army in the mines for a time. He was a member of the D. O. H., and the German order of Red Men. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon from the family residence, 138 East Coal street this morning, suffering from pneumonia. The deceased was well and favorably known to all his acquaintances in town, and his death is a great loss to the community. He is survived by a wife, Mrs. H. H. Moran, and three children—Thomas, H. Moran and Mrs. H. Gallagher, of Mt. Carmel, and Bernard Moran, of Philadelphia. There are also two step-children, born to Mr. Moran by a first husband, Mrs. H. Burke, of Mt. Carmel, and Mrs. Owen Cullihan, of Ashland. The funerals of the deceased will take place at 8:30 a. m. on Saturday. Requiem Mass will be celebrated in the Church of Our Lady, Mt. Carmel, at 10 o'clock on Saturday. The deceased is aunt of Mrs. Henry Roth, Mrs. J. M. Schaeffer and J. W. Moyer, of town.

John McLaughlin, of Lansford, who was admitted to the State Hospital at Hazleton last November for treatment for a fractured leg, died yesterday afternoon, the result of kidney trouble.

AN IMPETUOUS MERCHANT.

Arrested by Two Women on Charges of Assault.

Charles W. Newhouse, the North Main street grocer, is under bail for trial on charges of assault and battery made by Mrs. Catherine Joyce, an elderly woman, and Mrs. Winifred Shudrich, a younger woman. Both the prosecutors are women of respectability.

It is alleged that the women were customers at Newhouse's store and after they left it were followed by the grocer, stopped upon the street, and charged with theft. It is further alleged that Newhouse paid no attention to the protestations of innocence made by the women, but persisted in searching their clothing for the alleged missing articles. The missing articles were found upon the person of either woman and Newhouse allowed both to depart. The women went to Justice Shoemaker's office and entered the prosecutions.

Robert Hagenbuch attended the funeral of a relative at Bloomsburg to-day.

Mrs. Matt Mahey has left for Shamokin to join her husband, who is with the Myers & Lehigh river.

Joseph Reynolds, of McAdoo, is a guest of Robert Edwards' family, on South West street.

Mrs. P. J. Gallagher, of Wilkesbarre, was entertained at the residence of E. F. Hill, on North Main street, yesterday.

Wm. J. Pillingier, who suffered from the grippe the past week, is able to be about again.

Thomas McCann and Miss Mary Ann Murphy, of Mahanoy Place, were married at St. Mary's Catholic church yesterday morning by Father Hogan. Miss Annie Keenan acted as bridesmaid, while John Murphy was best man.

John Purcell and Miss Mary Gandy, two well known young people of Girardville, were married yesterday in St. Joseph's Catholic church.

A Runaway.
A team of horses owned by Samuel Davis, the grocer, and in charge of Henry Guise, ran away on East Coal street this afternoon. Guise was thrown from the wagon and had his face slightly lacerated. The wagon was badly damaged. The team was stopped on Main street.

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- 10 qt. Granite dish pans, were 25 cents, now 18 cents.
- Large Decorated Plates, were 10 cents, now 7 cents.
- One gallon glass oil can, were 35 cents, now 20 cents.
- Large Tin Wash basins, were 10 cents, now 5 cents.
- Towel Racks, were 10 cents, now 4 cents.
- Granite coffee pots, were 23 cents, now 15 cents.
- Large Galvanized buckets, were 15 cents, now 10 cents.
- Large Coal hods, were 15 cents, now 10 cents.
- Large Tin Dish Pan, were 15 cents, now 10 cents.
- And many other articles equally as cheap.

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Men's Winter Russets, leather lined, tripled sole, worth \$4.00; will be sold at \$2.00. Men's \$1.25 shoes for 99 cents. Ladies' shoes, 80 cents and upward. 1,500 hats, worth from \$1.25 to \$3.00; can be bought from 75 cents to \$1.25.

These prices will prevail at this sale only. Come and convince yourself.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

HAUSSMAN - At Shenandoah, Pa., on the 2nd inst., Christian Haussman, aged 32 years, Father will take place on Sunday, the 20th inst., at 2:00 p. m., services at the family residence, East Coal street. Interment in New Old Fellows' cemetery. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend. 2-11

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