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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1911.

The opposition press is out with its bucket of mud, appealing to passions and prejudices in behalf of its candidates. Vote the Republican ticket.

### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

The County Commissioners are the finance committee of the county. For that office men of considerable business experience are needed. Their duties call them all over the county. They are not presumed to sit in the office to answer questions, in fact the office business is not one-tenth of their duties. They must inspect county bridges, have them painted and repaired when needed, let contracts for new bridges and see that non-resident poor are provided for and various other duties of like nature. This is an agricultural county and a majority of the board should be farmers.

John Male and Earl Rockwell, the Republican candidates, answer to these requirements. Both are farmers who know from experience what the Wayne county farmer has to contend with. Both have had experience in bridge building and repairing which gives them a knowledge of what such work is worth. Both are well acquainted with land values in this county, which will aid in adjusting appeal cases, which, by the way, the law specifies, must be held in the Commissioners' office.

The present board of commissioners have made an excellent record and Male and Rockwell are amply able to continue the work.

It is not safe for any Republican to give complimentary votes to the Democratic candidates. Vote for Male and Rockwell and make sure of two able men on the board.

When the present board of Commissioners came into office six years ago, succeeding a Democratic board, they found no money in the hands of the County Treasurer and a balance of \$14,300 against the county. That balance has been wiped out and there is to-day money enough on hand to pay two-thirds of the old court house notes. In the last three years the county has paid \$22,000 for good roads, has had two or three expensive murder trials, and new bridges are being passed by grand juries faster than they can be built.

The Herald proposes to elect a Democratic board of Commissioners who will make the assessment in violation of the law which provides that that duty shall be done by assessors elected in each township and borough. County Commissioners have absolutely no authority over any taxes except the county tax. They have no control over supervisors, overseers of the poor or school directors. These officers levy the road, the poor and the school taxes. All the Commissioners can do is to sit as a board of revision and adjust the inequalities that are brought to their attention or that they discover themselves. Vote for Male and Rockwell.

### COUNTY AUDITORS.

All auditors should be men of more than ordinary ability. The auditors are the accountants of the county, and should have a general knowledge of bookkeeping and figures. It is something of a task to audit the accounts of Wayne county as they should be. Taking the figures as furnished by the Commissioners and Treasurer and compiling the county statement is not auditing. The books and vouchers must be compared, the collectors' accounts examined and verified and many other items of like nature, which shows the kind of men we should elect as auditors.

Wm. Avery and Leroy Gilpin, Republican candidates for auditors, are able to fill these requirements. Give both of them a vote.

### WHAT IT COSTS FOR ROADS AND BRIDGES.

The people of Wayne county will, no doubt, be glad to know something about the improvements made by the present board of Commissioners in the last six years. While there has been no increase in the county tax levy except a half mill for the purpose of caring for non-resident poor, large amounts have been paid for roads and bridges.

In addition to what follows, about \$5,000 was paid in 1906 for bridge work done in the former administration. The present board has constructed twenty-three new bridges, all except two of which have been made of stone and concrete. Steel floor beams have been placed in 18 old bridges and concrete floors have been put on five old bridges. The total cost of bridge work in the last six years will average \$10,000 per year.

The new bridges built are as follows: Cherry Ridge, \$554.70; Sterling, \$615; Laurella, \$1428.50; near Tyler Hill, \$481; Tanners Falls, \$629; Hauensteine's, \$1109; South Canaan, \$1075; Winterdale, \$914; Maplewood, \$723; Gouldsboro, \$1397; Indian Orchard, \$840; Salem, \$846; Freethys, Texas, \$3050.25; Starrucca, \$927; Starlight, \$813.78; Damascus, \$2168.75; Palmyra, \$1930; Hollisterville, \$1148; White Mills, \$724; Lookout, \$620; Forest City, estimated \$7000, new guard wall Beach Lake, \$660.50; Prompton, \$399, a total of \$30,042.48. The figures given include the contract price and all extras for guard walls and fills.

The following bridges have concrete floors: Bunnelltown, Ledyard, Hauenstein, South Canaan, Creamton. In addition to this about \$17,000 has been expended in repairing old bridges, replanking, steel floor joist, repairing abutments, guard walls, etc.

State roads have added a large item to the expenses of the county. The cost to the county of these roads are as follows:

Seelyville	\$1468.00
Dyberry-Bethany	1060.54
Mt. Pleasant	1432.34
Leligh	5763.32
Dreher	5146.18
Dyberry	2891.50
Total	\$17,762.50

Then the county had to pay \$4,998 for the Hawley-Wilsonville turnpike in order to make it free from toll. Adding that item to the cost of state roads makes the sum \$22,747.52 which with the money paid for building and repairing bridges amounts to \$74,790 for roads and bridges in six years.

### SOME WHOLESOME ADVICE AND "DON'TS" FOR HUNTERS.

Be Game and Give the Game a Chance For Life—Great Danger.

With the huntingseason at hand it is well to give a little advice that may be a great help to all sportsmen. Read and then cut out and read again before you venture in the woods.

Keep the hammers of your gun lowered except in case of actual need.

If the muzzle is placed upon wet leaves or mud see that it is clear

before using. Remember that even a sheet of wet paper over the muzzle makes the explosion of a barrel. In passing a fence place the gun on the far side first with the hammers lowered; place the gun through first, muzzle pointing forward. Never drag it after you.

If hunters are in brush and you on the outside never fire until you have ascertained accurately the position of men concealed by the scrub.

Never use smokeless powder, ballistite or any such explosive in a muzzle loading gun; it means a sure blow up and possibly death or injury

to you or some other person. The power of these explosives exerted toward the first point where air is met, in case of a muzzle loader at the tube.

Do not use the higher explosive in a cheap gun of any make.

Never carry a loaded gun into a car or house. Be sure to remove the charges before so doing.

Allow no man to point a gun at you even if you are certain it is not loaded.

Never fire in the direction of cattle, no matter if they seem out of range. A cow is easily wounded or killed.

Allow no man to hunt in your party who carries intoxicants along and take none yourself while carrying a gun.

While standing always keep your hands off the muzzle of your gun.

Do not shoot a rabbit in its "squat" unless it is in a bad position. Be sportsmanlike and give the game a chance for its life. It is all right to get the first one for "meat," but after that give all a run for life at least.

Never shoot into a covey of quail if found on the ground. You can get enough when they rise if you are a fair shot.

If you shoot a rabbit being chased by the hound of another offer him the game. The chances are he will not accept and you will make a friend.

Ask permission of the farmer before entering upon a neat piece of hunting ground. A kind word to him may be of value to you. Be sure never to shoot near a barn and respect the pigeons you may see there.

Read these little hints carefully and bear in mind for your own and your companion's protection. —Reporter-Journal.

Vote for W. D. B. Ainey for Congressman.

### A GREAT JUDGE GONE.

That the late Justice Harlan was a great judge, despite a certain in-terest of feeling that at times, even on the bench, led him into a degree of overstatement, will be the general estimate of his long and distinguished judicial career. It was not the least of the public services of President Rutherford B. Hayes that in 1877, he made John Marshall Harlan of Kentucky an associate justice of the United States supreme court. That he never became chief justice must be credited mainly to the vicissitudes of politics and, in the later period, to advancing age.

Justice Harlan was a notable figure in American life in various ways. Of striking presence, marked individuality and unusual independence and fearlessness of thought, he was a commanding personality on the bench. He was also a churchman of influence, and occasional utterances on public affairs kept the people aware of his robustness of mind and sympathy with democratic ideals. Bred a whig of the Clay type, Justice Harlan carried into his work on the federal bench the fundamental conceptions of the constitution, which were conducive to a broad construction of that instrument. He was not a strict interpreter of the constitution, in the old manner of Calhoun and Taney. Rather did he belong to the school founded by Marshall and made illustrious by Webster.

Yet Justice Harlan was swayed by the deeper forces of his nature to break the bounds of any mere school of constitutional interpretation. It was his instinct to support the cause of liberty and popular rights. He hated injustice, tyranny and oppression in whatever guise. And with this key to his character as a man, it is not difficult to see the general consistency of all of his great judgments on the bench. In supporting the federal income tax in opposing the government's imperialistic contentions in the insular cases, and in his later insistence upon the strict enforcement of the antitrust law and his repugnance to "judicial lawmaking," there is discernible the man's fidelity to what he conceived to be the public welfare. If we call him a great democrat on the bench rather than distinctively and pre-eminently a profound jurist, the essence of our estimate, perhaps, becomes entirely clear.

Justice Harlan's ambition to surpass all records of continuous service on the Supreme Court bench was frustrated, yet his 33 years, 10 months and 25 days made a career that was inferior in duration only to those of Chief Justice Marshall and Justice Stephen J. Field. The death of Justice Harlan brings to President Taft the opportunity to nominate a fifth justice of the Supreme Court, in addition to his nomination of a chief justice. Few presidents have had such an opportunity to form the court's personnel; and that it is an opportunity which the President holds as sacred is well known.

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Vote for Hon. Alonzo T. Searle for President Judge.

### NORTHERN TIER KICKS ON BOSSES.

Fourteenth Congressional Democrats Do Not Like Outside Interference.

Towanda, Pa., Oct. 20.—Democrats who have harbored hopes of electing one of their political faith to serve out the unexpired term of Congressman George W. Kipp, who died last Summer, have put them on the shelf because of the disaffection due by interference with affairs by Democratic bosses. The strength of the Democrats in this district was always that of the late congressman and when his son-in-law and confidant was turned down in his aspirations to the seat it did not leave a very good taste in the mouths of the old time followers of Kipp.

But even then the campaign was proceeding very well until Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, by virtue of his connection with the Democratic congressional campaign committee, butted in. Palmer said it was a good place to try the proposed congressional district committee plan. Incidentally, the Committee Kelly carefully prepared the way for Palmer to make a speech in the district although up to date State Chairman

Guthrie is not announced as likely to appear in the district.

Some of the old line Democrats are inclined to sniff at the regularity of the nominee, Dr. O. H. Rockwell, who is suspected of being rather more Keystoner than Democrat. The fact that he is able to bring Berry and Henry C. Niles to the district rather supports this view, although the appearance of these two will hardly help Rockwell with the Democrats.

The election of Captain W. D. B. Ainey, of Montrose, the Republican nominee, is certain. He is not only a popular man but well known in the district and such men as State Treasurer C. F. Wright, Congressman C. C. Pratt and others are strongly supporting him.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

Vote for W. B. Leshar for Register and Recorder.

### EAST HAMLIN.

(Special to The Citizen.) East Hamlin, Pa., Oct. 24.

A surprise party was held at the home of E. D. Conklin in honor of the birthday anniversary of their son, LeRoy. Piano selections were rendered and games indulged in. Refreshments were served at a late hour. All report a good time.

Fred F. Chapman made a speedy trip to Shohola Glen.

Mrs. Carrie Ressegule and son, Earl, made a trip to Hawley Sunday to see her aunt who is not expected to live.

Ernest Chapman and Stewart Peet were callers on Rome Kellam Sunday last.

William Burns has returned to New York after spending the summer with his sister, Mrs. T. S. Bartleson.

Vote for Avery and Gilpin for County Auditors.

Vote for Thomas Y. Boyd for Sheriff.

### THOSE COURT HOUSE BOILERS.

The boilers at the court house are old and were installed when the building was erected, but as yet have not been condemned by inspectors.

A year ago the county commissioners employed a boiler inspector of 30 years' experience from Binghamton, N. Y., and he reported the boilers to be in safe condition. He recommended certain repairs which were made at that time.

On July 15, 1911, Edward Charlesworth of Honesdale inspected the boilers. His report was as follows:

Shell in bad condition.  
Tubes thin in boiler No. 1.  
Tub sheets good.  
Braces good.  
Safety valves good.  
Water gauges good.  
Steam gauges good.  
Allowed working pressure to square inch 15 pounds.  
Safety valve set at 15 pounds.

The report of the boiler inspectors are on file in the commissioners' office at the court house and anyone desiring to see them can do so.

The commissioners thought it prudent not to buy new boilers, if by making the necessary repairs the old ones would last a couple of years longer, owing to the fact that several bridges necessarily had to be built and the money was needed for this purpose.

Vote for Thomas Y. Boyd for Sheriff.

—The Citizen from now until January, only 25 cents.

### FOR COMMISSIONER

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JOHN MALE.

John Male, of Cherry Ridge, Republican nominee for the office of county commissioner, most respectfully solicits your vote at the coming election. 85e14.

Vote for M. E. Simons for District Attorney.

### Bronchitis Conquered

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Vote for W. W. Wood for Treasurer.

Vote for W. D. B. Ainey for Congressman.

Vote for Wallace J. Barnes for Prothonotary.

Vote for Hon. Alonzo T. Searle for President Judge.

Vote for Thomas Y. Boyd Sheriff.

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### CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF



T. Y. BOYD.

He would make an efficient sheriff for Wayne county. Put him in that office. Your vote will help do it.

Vote for Neville Holgate for county commissioner.

Frank C. Kimble, Democratic candidate for Sheriff, is favorably known throughout Wayne county. Remember him Nov. 7.

### For County Commissioner



EARL ROCKWELL,

ARIEL, PA. Farmer, Contractor and Concrete Builder.

Vote for Thomas Y. Boyd for Sheriff.

### Vote for W. B. Leshar for Register and Recorder.



W. B. Leshar, of Sterling, is well known in the county. He would make an ideal register and recorder the office to which he has been nominated upon the Republican ticket.

John Male, of Cherry Ridge, Republican candidate for county commissioner, is known throughout Wayne county. He most respectfully solicits your vote on November 7.

T. Y. Boyd, candidate for Sheriff on the Republican ticket, is well qualified for the office to which has been nominated.

Though past sixty years of age Neville Holgate has never before asked the voters of Wayne county for any office and he pledges himself, if elected Commissioner, to everything in his power to protect and serve the interests of the taxpayers of Wayne county.

Vote for E. E. Bunnell, Republican candidate for assessor of Township.

Vote for John Male for county commissioner.

Vote for Earl Rockwell, Ariel, County Commissioner.

Vote for F. C. Kimble for sheriff.

T. Y. Boyd, of Boyds Mills, is a candidate for the office of Sheriff. Vote for him.

For Register and Recorder—For Saunders—Democratic candidate.

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