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ELECT O'Shaughnessy RECORDER

ENDORSED BY:



Barbara Young, Recorder	Judith A. Myers, retired Recorder and State Senator
Sue Stine, Treasurer	Clarence E. "Gene" Hughes, retired Sheriff
Patrick Hartshorn, Sheriff	Robert "Bob" Jones, retired Treasurer and Mayor of the City of Danville
Dennis Gardner, Circuit Clerk	Robert "Bob" Fox, retired County Clerk
Chad D. Hays, State Representative	

Tom knows the meaning of hard work. He is a man of honesty and integrity and will work hard every day for us as Vermilion County Recorder. We want leaders who work for us, not themselves.

- Bill Black, Retired State Representative

Leadership, Integrity and Fiscal Common Sense
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Before casting your ballot today, consider the Founders

Because I believe this election is the most important in my lifetime, I was going to write a column about the importance of voting wisely. I was going to urge each of us to not be selfish and to vote for the good of the country, not the good of ourselves, to "ask not what your country can do for you - ask what you can do for your country."

I finally decided that instead of offering my thoughts, I would give you the thoughts of the people who suffered to give birth to this great nation.

Here, then, are our Founding Fathers:

"Let each citizen remember at the moment he is offer-

ing his vote that he is not making a present or a compliment to please an individual — or at least that he ought not so to do; but that he is executing one of the most solemn trusts in human society for which he is accountable to God and his country."

*Samuel Adams
 1781, Boston Gazette*

"Our tenet ever was...that Congress had not unlimited powers to provide for the general welfare, but were restrained to those specifically enumerated, and that, as it was never meant that they should provide for that wel-

See FOUNDERS on other side

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 Vote for

Todd Johnson

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Gary Weinard

Vermilion County Board District 1.
 Vote Republican
 on Tuesday, November 6

The PIT STOP at FAST LANES

Tuesday: Chicken/Beef & Noodles
Loaded Baked Potato Soup

Wednesday: Rib eye Sandwich, Turkey
Manhattan

Broccoli Cheese Soup

Thursday: Swiss Steak
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Saturday: Prime Rib & Rib eyes 4:30-8:30
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Saturday Night

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Founders continued from other side

fare but by the exercise of the enumerated powers, so it could not have been meant they should raise money for purposes which the enumeration did not place under their action; consequently, that the specification of powers is a limitation of the purposes for which they may raise money.

Thomas Jefferson, 1817
Letter to Albert Gallatin

"The only foundation of a free Constitution, is pure virtue, and if this cannot be inspired into our people, in a greater measure than they have it now, they may change their rulers, and the forms of government, but they will not obtain a lasting liberty."

John Adams, 1776
Letter to Zabdiel Adams

"The accumulation of all powers, legislative, executive, and judiciary, in the same hands, whether of one, a few, or many, and whether hereditary, self-appointed, or elective, may justly be pronounced the very definition of tyranny."

James Madison, 1788
Federalist No. 47

"These are the times that try men's souls. The summer soldier and the sunshine patriot will, in this crisis, shrink from the service of his country; but he that stands it now, deserves the love and thanks of man and woman."

Thomas Paine, 1776
The American Crisis No. 1

"I am for doing good to the poor, but I differ in opinion of the means. I think the best way of doing good to the poor, is not making them easy in poverty, but leading or driving them out of it. In my youth I traveled much, and I observed in different countries, that the more public provisions were made for the poor, the less they provided for themselves, and of course became poorer. And, on the contrary, the less was done for them, the more they did for themselves, and became richer."

Benjamin Franklin, 1766

On the Price of Corn and Management of the Poor

"[T]he only foundation for a useful education in a republic is to be laid in religion. Without this there can be no virtue, and without virtue there can be no liberty, and liberty is the object and life of all repub-

lican governments."

Benjamin Rush, 1806

On the Mode of Education Proper in a Republic

"Before a standing army can rule, the people must be disarmed; as they are in almost every kingdom of Europe. The supreme power in America cannot enforce unjust laws by the sword; because the whole body of the people are armed, and constitute a force superior to any band of regular troops that can be, on any pretence, raised in the United States."

Noah Webster, 1787

An Examination into the Leading Principles of the Federal Constitution

"What, sir, is the use of a militia? It is to prevent the establishment of a standing army, the bane of liberty. Whenever governments mean to invade the rights and liberties of the people, they always attempt to destroy the militia, in order to raise an army upon their ruins."

Elbridge Gerry 1789

Amendments to the Constitution

"Foreign influence is truly the Grecian horse to a republic. We cannot be too careful to exclude its influence."

Police News



Perry Carswell, 50, of Hoopeston, turned himself in to police at 11:47 p.m. Friday. Wanted on a Vermilion County warrant for failure to appear, he was released on bond with a new court date.

A 30-year-old Hoopeston woman reported at 1:34 a.m. Sunday that someone stole her jacket while she was in Blue Moon Saloon, 306 E. Main. The person then used the car keys in the jacket to steal her wallet from her vehicle.

Weather



Rain likely today. High 48. Tonight, chance of rain. Low 35. Tomorrow, mostly sunny. High 48, low 32.

For weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service, (217) 283-6221.

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Alexander Hamilton, 1793

No. 6, Pacificus

"A Constitution of Government once changed from Freedom, can never be restored. Liberty, once lost, is lost forever."

John Adams, 1775

Letter to Abigail Adams

Please consider what this country started as, then vote for the candidate you feel best follows what the founders envisioned for America.

Obituaries

LAYDEN - Tom Layden, of Hoopeston, died at 12:45 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 3, 2012, at his daughter's house in Fairplay, SC. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

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