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Forks ville fair next week. Is this our Indian summer? Sensational stories are afloat. Our candidates are growing in favor. Potatoes are a good yield in this vicinity. Decorations will be in order next Monday. The Hughesville fair is in session this week. There were only four days of court, last week. Will Rogers, Sundayed with friends in Laporte. Contest court October 15; special court October 21st. Several strangers on "bikes" passed through town, Sunday. Judge Dunham is holding argument court in Towanda, this week. The people of Sullivan county take kindly to our farmer candidate. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hugo of Dushore, Sundayed with friends in Laporte. A large number of our people are in attendance at the Hughesville fair this week. Our candidates can be found at the county fair next week. Give them a call. We have recently addressed bills to a large number of our delinquents. Please remit. The G. A. R. boys will meet at Laporte next Monday. Give them a royal reception. The engine of an express train consumes twelve gallons of water for each mile traveled. Montour county has only twelve post offices, the fewest number of any county in the State. Mrs. C. H. Jennings and little son of Lopez, are confined to their rooms with scarlet fever. The members of the New Albany cornet band have taken the temperance pledge for one year. The county fair, this year, promises to surpass anything of the kind ever before held in the county. There will be considerable driving over the new Forks ville road next week, going to and from the fair. The Sonestown base ball club should challenge the Bernice boys for a game at Laporte, in the near future. One dollar and ten cents is the excursion rate from Laporte to the Hughesville fair. Good only for one day. T. J. Keeler of Laporte, has an exhibition a 55 pound pumpkin, grown in his truck patch. Who can beat it? Hon. Russel Karns of Laporte, was looking at his farm crops in Columbia county, the early part of the week. Fawcett and Lawrence make a good ticket. Let every worker strive to make their majority as large as possible. Bernice and Sonestown base ball clubs should cross bats. Laporte would be the proper place for a meeting of this kind. The young people of town enjoyed a dance in the Ingham pavilion at Lake Mokoma, Friday evening. They report a good time. Mrs. A. M. Cheney of Laporte, left for Centermoreland, Wyoming county, Saturday, where she will visit her sister for several weeks. Election will occur on Nov. 5, hence you must pay a county or state tax on or before Oct. 5th, to enable you to vote at said election. It is estimated that 3,000 marriages are daily performed through the world. And yet old maids and bachelors are still very much in evidence. Each one of our neighboring counties have served the REPUBLICAN with a comp. to their annual fair. As yet we have not heard from our home society. The annual convention of the State county commissioners will convene in Meadville next week. County Commissioners, Farrell, Litzelman and Webster, with their clerk, J. E. Gallagher, will take part in said convention and will leave for said place, Monday.

The servants in a school for girls in Connecticut while cleaning up the rooms after school closed, discovered 3,678 wads of chewing gum stuck about in various places. Sheriff Mahaffey assisted by Ellis Swank of Muncy Valley, conveyed that man Wilson, of Bernice, who was convicted last week of assault with attempt to kill, to Cherry Hill, Wednesday. A Texas preacher threw a bible at a deacon who started to run away with the collection, and knocked him down the front steps of the church, breaking his leg in two places. Base Ball. Laporte vs Sonestown, at Laporte Saturday. Score, Sonestown 33, Laporte 24. This is the second game played between these clubs. Both games were won by the Sonestown boys. Base Ball Challenge. The Reserve ball club of Towanda wishes to challenge any team in Bradford, Sullivan or Lycoming counties, to a series of games for the championship. The county commissioners awarded James Brown of Bernice the contract of sinking a well in the court house yard for use of the county buildings, last week. James commenced work Monday and will descend about 40 feet. Atty. J. G. Scouten of Dushore, has sued the officials of the W. & N. B. R. R. The hearing will take place in Dushore on Saturday, at 2 p. m. The W. & N. B. officials are ignorant of any claim that Mr. Scouten may hold against them. The county commissioners awarded the contract for the erection of a new iron bridge over the Loyalsock at Ringdale, to the Horseheads Bridge Company, last week. The contract calls for the erection of the bridge by the 1st of December. The Lackawanna county jail has in it 147 prisoners, and there is no room for one more. One of these, says an exchange, it will be necessary to wall in the entire county for jail purposes, if the number of offenders continue to increase as it has for some time past. We are told that the attorneys of the county will petition the court to appoint a janitor for the county buildings. The reprimand by the recent Grand Jury, relative to the condition of the county buildings would lead one to believe that there should be a change in this direction. The Supreme Court now holds that damages for an injury upon a defective sidewalk or pavement may be collected from the property owner if he has been notified to repair the same and has neglected to do so. There are some side walks in Laporte that require attention. The council should act in such cases. A lunatic escaped the vigilance of the attendants at Danville's asylum a few days ago and climbed a tree, refused to come down. A well directed stream of water from the garden hose, finally induced the unfortunate man to descend, after which he was overpowered and a large butcher knife removed from his clothes. Lizzie Perkins, the West Virginia girl who disappeared at Wilkes Barre August 27, was found with a band of Gypsies at Plymouth Wednesday by Constable Kulp, Nanticoke, who restored her to her anxious brother. Lizzie wanted to go to Pittston and asked the Gypsy man to direct her. He put her on the Plymouth car and brought her to his camp. F. F. Drake of Tunkhannock, was nominated for District Attorney of Wyoming county at the Democratic convention held in said place on September 16th. The Republicans of Wyoming made no nomination for this office, hence Mr. Drake's election is sure. Frank was formerly of Laporte and his old friends here wish him every success. Mrs. A. A. Overholzer left for her Bangor home, Monday, where she and her husband will live a retired life. Mr. Overholzer has been engaged in taking care of his crops on his farm in Luzerne county for the past several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Overholzer are genuine hotel people and have given the best of satisfaction during their existence in the Laporte Hotel. As usual the REPUBLICAN takes the lead. We gave the list of votes thrown out, the result of the judicial contest, in our issue of September 13. The Dushore Gazette followed suit in their issue of September 19th, and took the same from the REPUBLICAN without giving us due credit. Those who were anxious about the doings of the contest and subscribed for the REPUBLICAN to this end, have not been disappointed.

Mrs. E. Kulp of Williamsport, is visiting her brother, Sheriff Mahaffey and family of this place. Between the teacher who tells him the earth is round and the preacher who tells him it will come to an end, the small boy is in doubt. Mrs. S. F. Colt and son, Master Fred, of Buffalo, who have been visiting friends in Laporte for the past few days, left for their home, Wednesday. Have the baby's picture taken. Kemp the photographer will show the little fellow on card board just as real as it can be made and his charges are reasonable. Henry Upman of Laporte, recently sunk a well in his yard and now claims to have the best water in town. Henry has got a very convenient and pretty home, and he is deserving of it, too. G. C. Jackson Esq., of Scranton, was transacting business in Laporte Wednesday. Mr. Jackson drove from Dushore and Judge Dunham accompanied him to the metropolis; Wednesday afternoon on his way to Towanda where he goes to hold argument court. The condition of our roads and sidewalks are about on a par. Our Burgess should take a stroll around the town and make a note of the condition of our thoroughfares and report the same at the next meeting of the Town Council. Perhaps this body has overlooked it. The telegraph operators in the employ of the Lehigh Valley are to be given an examination. Blanks containing over 200 questions have been sent to all the operators, and it is stated that the man who answers all of them correctly must be well up in the business. Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Mand Crossley, of Santa Monica, Cal., and formerly of Laporte, to Mr. Curtis J. Boyd. The ceremony will take place at the residence of Mrs. R. R. Tanner, a friend of Miss Mand's, on Wednesday evening Oct. 2d. The REPUBLICAN extends congratulations in advance. W. J. Higley of Laporte, formerly of Elkland twp. and an old neighbor of Henry E. Fawcett the people's candidate for Sheriff, speaks of Henry as being a good man, neighbor and citizen. Mr. Higley is a strong believer of Prohibition principles, but notwithstanding this, has many kind words for his old neighbor and friend. Those who know Mr. Fawcett best will give him their undivided support in this campaign. D. C. DeWitt, Esq., of Towanda, is one of the Democrats who is always ready to respond to his party's call, and whose services in national elections have been much sought—not only in Pennsylvania but in adjoining states. But when he asks for office or appointment at the hands of the Democratic party he is always gently stood aside. That was the situation at Williamsport at the recent convention, and the surprising thing is that Mr. DeWitt takes such treatment so good naturedly. Some time ago Sheriff Mahaffey was called upon to make sale of a quantity of personal property supposed to be the property of Geo. W. Reimsnyder. At the sale, however, Mrs. Elizabeth Reimsnyder claimed the goods and forbid the Sheriff to make the sale. The Sheriff secured the necessary bonds and proceeded to sell. Mrs. Reimsnyder has since taken exceptions to the procedure and brought the matter before arbitrators Wednesday. The hearing was held in the court house at 1 p. m. Sheriff Mahaffey is the defendant in the suit. His bondsman, is, of course, interested and will look after his side of the case. The arbitrators are: Hon. W. C. Rogers and J. W. Rogers of Forksville and Walter Spencer, Laporte. The attorneys are: Bradley for plaintiff and Scouten for defendant. Arbitrators awarded their verdict in favor of the defendant. May Erect Town Buildings. The last Legislature passed a law which is of interest to many townships in this county. It provides that the township commissioners may erect town buildings to be used for election purposes, and for the storage of road machinery and in which town meetings of all kinds may be held. For the erection of such buildings the law provides that money may be borrowed and bonds issued. If every township in the county had such a building it would be a great saving to tax payers. At present in most election districts the county has to pay rent for a voting place, and the towns rent for the storage of its road and other machinery. We believe the law is a good one and will be taken advantage of.

Election, November 5th. The supply of water in Laporte is extremely low. Co. Supt. F. W. Meylert is reported on the sick list. Kemp the photographer is busy looking after the babies. Mrs. Dr. Meylert of Wilkes Barre, is visiting friends in Laporte. The Bradford county fair is in session at Towanda, this week. Mrs. Wallace Woodruff of Williamsport is visiting with friends in town. Mrs. Helen Boice Hunsicker, of Philadelphia, is visiting with friends in Laporte. Harley Edkin is a first class railroad conductor. He is looking after the regular, now. Mrs. E. S. Chase and children of Eagles Mere, are visiting with friends in Wyalusing. Notice. I am prepared to fill orders for Lehigh Valley "Stove" and "Nut" coal at \$4.50 for 2000 lbs. delivered, or \$4.00 from the yard. JAMES McFARLANE, Laporte. Hunting season is close at hand. We are told that one of our citizens will devote a month in pursuit of birds for shipment and will capture them in snares. Were he to use a gun, we would wish him good luck, as the birds would then have a show for their lives. Any boy can set a trap. The Nordmont Hotel, Peterman Bros., proprietors, burned to the ground Monday afternoon. The fire kindled from the flue in the attic. The building cost \$2200 and was insured for \$1200. The furniture of which a good part was saved, was also insured. At this date the boys are undecided as to re-building. Ladies, have you seen the new dress goods at T. J. Keeler's. He can astonish you, both in quality and price. The "Prohibition Shoe Entertainment" will be given at the M. E. church at Forks ville on Thursday evening Oct. 3d, under the auspices of the Forksville W. C. T. U. Each part is taken by the best procurable talent, thereby giving an evening that will be both entertaining and instructive. Children under ten years, admitted free. Adults, ten cents. Come, everybody. By order of Com. Mackerel, lake herring, and meat at Bodine & Warn's, Sonestown Pa. Public Sale. J. T. Brady, a jobber of Jamison City, will dispose of his personal property consisting of a thousand and one items, on SATURDAY, OCT. 5, 1895, at his barn in Jamison. Among the advertised list are: Eight horses, seven wagons, one fine surrey, set of blacksmith tools, canthooks, picks, etc. Terms, all sums under \$5.00, cash; over \$5.00, three months credit. Remember the date—Saturday Oct. 5, 1895. MR. EDITOR: It was the writer's privilege to travel the new road from Forksville to Laporte last week. As your readers are no doubt aware this road is built along Loyal Sock and Mill Creek. The grade is therefore excellent as it follows very nearly the natural grade of these two streams. To residents of this county who have been compelled to travel the old road over the mountain via Eagles Mere to get from the western districts to the county seat, the opening up of this new thoroughfare is a cause for hearty congratulation and thanksgiving. The distance by the old road was fifteen miles. By the new road it is but nine. A trip over the old road involved the climbing of a mountain. By the new road the only ascent is the natural grade of the streams along which the road passes, and this ascent is so gradual that it is no hardship. The time required to travel the old road was about four hours. By the new road the trip can be made in less than half that time and with much less danger and fatigue. Altogether the opening of this road makes a new era in the history of Sullivan county, bringing together, as it does, the two sections of the county. The scenery along the route is wild and picturesque. We doubt if one can find in the State a road of this length having more natural beauty for the eye of the traveler. Mr. Chas. Williams, the contractor has done a good job of work. Considering the great difficulties that were in the way it is surprising how well the work has been done. Of course the road is new and it will be several years before it becomes smooth. The road commissioners of Forks township have not yet accepted their portion of the road from Mr. Williams but the difficulties between them will doubtless soon be adjusted and the road opened for public travel. The people generally are getting anxious to make use of this long-delayed thoroughfare.

Report of Grand Jury. The grand jury of last week reported as follows: We have acted upon eight bills of indictments of which seven were found true bills and one not a true bill. We beg leave further to report that we have visited and inspected the county buildings and find the water closets in a deplorable condition, and recommend that the county commissioners procure a proper supply of water immediately. We also find the sidewalks around the public square in an unsafe condition and order their repair at once. We also recommend the immediate repair of the iron fence. We further report water pipes from the roof are detrimental to the walls and grounds and recommend that these pipes be conducted to the tank or connected with the sewer. We strongly recommend that the county commissioners appoint a suitable person for janitor who shall take proper care of the county property. RUSSEL KARNs, Foreman. T. J. Keeler can fit your boy with a suit of clothes from \$1.25, up. Go to Bodine & Warn Sonestown Pa. for all kinds of general merchandise. Death-bed Marriage. BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 22.—At Chris Shaw's hotel, on North High Street, there was a sick-bed marriage to-day. The bride who is in the last stages of consumption, is Miss Rosa L. Shaw, daughter of the proprietor of the hotel. The groom, Charles Lee Moody, of 1011 East Hoffman Street, has been attentive to Miss Shaw for some time, and their engagement had been announced. Some weeks ago Miss Shaw became ill, and has since been wasting away, until now she is but a shadow of her former self. Mr. Moody has been assiduous in his attentions since her illness, and has spent most of his time at her bedside. It was the wish of both that they be married. Accordingly Rev. John D. Boland, of St. Vincent's Catholic church, was called in and the couple were married, Mr. Moody taking in his hand the hand of the bride, who was too feeble to move. Those who witnessed the marriage were Mrs. Emma McChell, Mrs. Emma Omelia, Miss Liza McEldon, Miss Emma J. Omelia and Miss Kattie McEldon. Mrs. Moody has not been able to leave her bedside since and may never do so again. T. J. Keeler can fit you out with Boys, Youths and Mens ready made clothing at bottom prices. Georgetown has a Real Ghost. WILKES BARRE, Sept. 22.—There has been a big scare at Georgetown, a suburb of this city, for the past few days, all on account of a mysterious something, which, for want of a better name, the residents call a ghost. Mothers are very careful about letting their children go near the place where the manifestations have occurred, and when the little ones have to pass it they are liberally sprinkled with holy water before venturing and hurry past with all speed. The place is at the corner of two streets and the ghost was first heard on Thursday night. It has not been seen, for there appears to be less nothingness to it than to the usually accepted idea of these unearthly beings. HERARD A WAILING. On Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. James Hennessey and John Edwards were sitting on their porches when they heard a peculiar wailing, at times quite distinct, and other times very low. They were startled. It seemed to be in the air around them and they could see nobody. It was some little time before some one suggested that it was a warning of death and those who heard it hurried into their houses. An hour later the wailings commenced again and Hennessey went out to investigate, but could see nothing, although the sound seemed just above his head. The next night James Woods, Patrick McCue, Patrick Golden and several others heard the sounds, but could see nothing, nor can they account for them in any way. At times it would sound like a man talking, although they could distinguish no words, but most of the time it resembled a low moaning or wailing. The people living near the place are thoroughly frightened and do not know what to do about the matter. They are convinced it is no trick, and sure it is something supernatural. MARTIN LANGAN'S SPIRIT. Close to the spot is the house of a man named Martin Langan, who died suddenly a week ago, and some think it is his spirit which has returned. They say he did not treat his family well and cannot rest easy, but this explanation does not satisfy them.

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