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REPUBLICAN NEWS ITEM,
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Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Friends
of Josiah Sullivan, a lawyer, who dis-
appeared from Rochester last month
and was supposed to have committed
suicide by jumping from a Fall River
boat, believe the severed body found a
few days ago off Greenport, L. I., is
that of the missing man.

Paris, Aug. 21.—The Figaro says that
the Government has resolved to take
no action of any sort against the anti-
Semites barricaded in the house in the
Rue de Chabrol. The police and mili-
tary watching the house will be with-
drawn and M. Guerin and his friends
will be left free to come out or stay
in, just as they please.

Albany, Aug. 21.—The Southfield
Beach Railroad Company, to be either
operated by steam or electricity, about
two miles in length, has been incor-
porated with the Secretary of State.
Its terminal are South Beach, in the
Fourth Ward of the borough of Rich-
mond, and Midland Beach, near Lin-
coln avenue, in the same borough, New
York City.

London, Aug. 21.—The Board of
Trade bankruptcy report for 1898
shows an increase of 256 in the number
of failures. Commenting upon the
Hooley failure, the report says: "Reck-
less and extravagant methods of pro-
motion converted a profit of £5,000,
000 into a loss of £89,300. Investors
are warned to distrust ornamental di-
rectors."

New York, Aug. 21.—Prices for all
meats for the consumers were raised
with a jump at a mass meeting of the
Retail Butchers' Association of this
city in Nos. 915-917 Eighth avenue.
These advanced prices take effect at
once, and must be paid equally by the
owner of a Fifth avenue home, who
sends butler or chef to market, and
by the meek and lowly fat dweller,
who receives his supply by way of the
dumbwaiter.

Lourenço Marques, Delagoa Bay,
Aug. 22.—The Government of the
South African Republic is making
strenuous efforts to persuade the local
Portuguese authorities to permit the
passing of ammunition. President Paul
Kruzer personally has wired a request
to that effect, stating that a modus
vivendi with Great Britain is assured.
Two thousand cases of arms are due
to arrive here to-day on the German
steamer Konig, from Hamburg.

New York, Aug. 22.—The Ward Line
steamship Vigilancia, which left the
foot of Wall street last Wednesday
afternoon with about fifty passengers,
bound for Havana, is forty-eight hours
overdue. No anxiety is expressed at
her agents' office in this city, they say-
ing that she undoubtedly encountered
some storm which has detained her.

New York, Aug. 22.—Joe Bernstein
of New York won almost as he pleased
from Solly Smith of California in their
fight in the Broadway Athletic Club.
Bernstein beat his adversary down to
unconsciousness in the thirteenth
round. All that was exciting and dra-
matic came in the twelfth and thir-
teenth rounds, and when John White,
the referee, counted off the ten sec-
onds the ring was surrounded by a
crowd that howled itself hoarse. Ber-
nstein showed himself the better man
throughout the entire fight.

New York Markets.

Grain.—Wheat, No. 2 red was quoted
at 77c. elevator and 79c. f. o. b.
aboard; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 51½c.
f. o. b. aboard. No. 2 corn closed 39c.
elevator, 39½c. delivered, and 41c. f.
o. b. aboard.
Oats, No. 2 oats closed 26½a27c.;
No. 3, 26c.; No. 2 white, 28½c.; No. 3
white, 27c.; track mixed, 26a28c.; track
white, 26a34c.; No. 2 white clips, 29c.
Rye, No. 1 Western, 60½c. f. o. b.
aboard; No. 2 Western, 60c.; spot, State
rye, 55c. f. o. b. New York, car lots.
Barley, Feeding, 37½a38c.; c. i. f.,
Pulford, molting, 48a55c., delivered,
New York.
Flour, Spring patents, \$3.85a4.10;
winter straight, \$3.35a3.45; winter
straights, \$3.35a3.45; winter patents,
\$3.60a3.90; spring clears, \$3.05a3.20;
extra No. 1 winter \$2.65a2.80.
Provisions.—Pork, mess, \$8.75a9.50;
family, \$11a12; short clear, \$10.25a
11.75; Beef steady; mess, \$9; family,
\$9.50a11; packet, \$9.25a10; extra India
mess, \$14a15.50. Beef hams quiet,
\$27. Dressed hogs steady; bacon,
6½c.; 180 lbs., 6½c.; 160 lbs., 6½c.;
pigs, 7½c.
Butter.—Creamery, western extras,
per lb., 21c.; do., firsts 20c.; do., thirds
to seconds, 17a19c.; State, extras 20½
a21c.; do., firsts, 19½a20c.; do., thirds
to seconds, 17a19c.
Cheese.—State, full cream, large,
colored or white, fancy, per lb., 9½c.;
co., good to prime, 9½a9½c.; do., com-
mon to fair, 8a9c.; do., small, colored,
fancy, 10c.; do., white, fancy, 9½c.
Eggs.—Jersey and nearby, fancy,
white, 20c.; do., average prime lines,
17a18c.; Western, firsts, loss off, 16½c.
Potatoes.—East end Long Island,
fancy, per bbl., \$1.90; do., fair to
prime, \$1.50a1.75; do., South Jersey,
fancy, per bbl., \$1.62a1.75; do., up-
river and Jersey, average lots, \$1.25a
1.50.

THE COUNTRY IN GENERAL

A Summary of Happenings at
Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS CONDENSED.

A Review of What Has Transpired
of Public Interest.

Havana, Aug. 19.—A republican
party is forming that proposes to make
General Gomez President of the Cuban
republic as soon as the American
authority is withdrawn.

London, Aug. 19.—By an explosion in
the Llest colliery in Glamorganshire,
Wales, eighteen persons were killed
and sixty others are still in danger.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—A despatch to the
"Tribune" from Belleville, Ill., says:
"The condition of Jehu Baker has
changed little. His fever has abated
somewhat, but he is weak and his
heart's action is faint. With the ex-
ception of one or two old friends, call-
ers are not permitted to see him."

Shiloh, Me., Aug. 19.—More than
5,000 people assembled in Durham, on
the Androscoggin River, to dedicate
the temple erected by Rev. F. W. San-
ford and his adherents, as the head-
quarters of believers in the Church of
the Living God. Work on this struc-
ture, which is one of the largest in the
state, was begun in March, and Mr.
Sanford and his followers hold that it
has been completed through a miracle,
claiming that unless the 200 builders
who have worked night and day for
the past twenty days, had been in-
spired with strength not their own,
they never could have finished the
work.

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 19.—For being
in the bedroom of a white girl, Tom
Keith, a negro, was hanged to a tree
and shot to pieces by a mob of infuri-
ated citizens. Keith was found in
the bedroom of the thirteen-year-old
daughter of T. B. Hawkins, Jr., a
farmer who lives about eight miles
from here. Keith was an old and
trusted farm hand, and when he pro-
tested that he was drunk and had
wandered in there accidentally Hawkins
let him go. The occurrence was soon
noised around the neighborhood and a
mob quickly organized. The negro
was caught, and his body, after the
lynching, was weighted with stones
and thrown into the Saluda River.

Warsaw, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Yesterday
was a great holiday for the farmers
of Western New York. Whole towns
were almost depopulated by the ex-
cursion trains to Silver Lake, where
the twenty-seventh annual picnic of
the Wyoming Co. Pioneers was held.
Gov. Roosevelt gave two addresses,
one at the Pioneer ground and one at
the auditorium. He was surrounded
on the platform by all the leading
politicians and editors of this section.
He arrived by special train.

Nyaack, N. Y., Aug. 21.—William W.
Blackwell, the negro prisoner who es-
caped from the Rockland County jail,
at New City, has not yet been caught.

Cape Town, Aug. 21.—Military con-
tingents are daily leaving here and
other cities for the Transvaal frontier,
and recruiting is actively proceeding.

Rockville, Md., Aug. 21.—Amistad
Taylor and John Alfred Brown were
hanged here for the murder of Louis
Rosenstein and his wife on May 13
last.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Governor
Roosevelt says that he will under no
circumstances accept a nomination for
vice-president. He says all his friends
are for Hobart.

Madrid, Aug. 21.—Drs. Mendoza and
Vicente, who were sent officially to
study the plague at Oporto, Portugal,
telegraph that the cases observed by
them are "very characteristically bubo-
nic."

Washington, Aug. 21.—The Navy De-
partment expects that Rear-Admiral
Howison, with the flagship Chicago,
will not arrive at New York in time
to participate in the welcome to Ad-
miral Dewey.

Wilton, Conn., Aug. 21.—The wire
mill of the Gilbert & Bennett Manu-
facturing Company, in Georgetown,
was totally destroyed by fire. The loss
is estimated at about \$40,000; partially
covered by insurance.

Leghorn, Aug. 21.—Admiral Dewey
has completely recovered from his re-
cent illness and received visits from
Mr. James A. Smith, the United States
Consul here, and members of the
American colony. Mr. Smith gave a
luncheon in the Admiral's honor.

Albany, Aug. 21.—The Syracuse
Rochester and Lake Ontario Telephone
Company, to operate in Syracuse,
Rochester, Oswego, Auburn, Geneva
and intermediate places, has been in-
corporated with the Secretary of State.
The capitalization is \$1,000,000.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—Lynching will be
made a capital offence if the will of
the National Afro-American conference
shall prevail. The conference passed
a resolution here calling for the en-
actment of a national law to that ef-
fect. Booker T. Washington is a
prominent mover in the matter.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The day
was pleasant and warm and the Presi-
dent and Mrs. McKinley went driving
as usual. The only caller of impor-
tance was Hon. Smith M. Weed, of
Plattsburg. The President reviewed
the Twenty-sixth Infantry at Platts-
burg Barracks, and Mrs. McKinley
presented the regiment with a hand-
some silk flag.

Gainesville, Ga., Aug. 21.—Taylor R.
Hamilton, a member of the mob that
lynched Silas Smith a few days ago,
has made a confession before the
grand jury, implicating a number of
prominent merchants of this county.
Hamilton acted the part of a pretended
prisoner in the hands of the mob which
thus got the sheriff to open the jail.

**Williamsport & North Branch Railroad
TIME TABLE.**
IN EFFECT MONDAY, JUNE 26, 1899.

NORTHWARD.										SOUTHWARD.									
P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	A.	M.	A.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.	P.	M.
10 24	5 25	4 26	2 15	10 23	8 65					7 50	9 45	12 00	4 05	4 45	10 15				
10 28	6 29	4 22	12 18	10 28	8 69					7 45	9 40	11 55	3 58	4 41	10 10				
10 35	5 40	4 22	2 20	10 40	8 20					7 55	9 52	11 44	3 48	4 32	9 50				
5 48	4 40	2 36	10 48	8 28						9 25	11 31	3 40	4 24	9 50					
5 51	4 44	2 38	10 52	8 31						9 20	11 31	3 35	4 22	9 46					
5 54	4 46	2 42	10 55	8 33						9 20	11 28	3 32	4 20	9 42					
6 02	4 53	2 48	11 04	8 38						9 13	11 22	3 25	4 14	9 37					
6 11	5 01	2 56	11 11	8 46						9 05	11 15	3 16	4 07	9 28					
6 15	5 06	3 00	11 16	8 50						8 58	11 09	3 11	4 02	9 24					
6 19	5 10	3 07	11 21	8 58						8 58	11 06	3 07	4 01	9 21					
6 25	5 16	3 15	11 30	9 10						8 52	11 00	3 00	3 55	9 15					
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5 48	12 08									8 21	2 25								
5 50	12 11									8 19	2 22								
6 07	12 20									8 05	2 07								
6 16	12 31									7 58	1 50								
6 20	12 45									7 55	1 55								

Connections with the Philadelphia Reading
at Harris, for all points north and south, and the
Fall Brook and Beech Creek railroads. At Satter-
field for all points on the Lehigh Valley railroad.
At Sonestown with Eagles Mere railroad.
* Daily except Sunday. † Flag stations. * Do
not stop.

CAPT. WILLIAM ASTOR CHARNER, Con-
gressman from New York, is the president
of THE NEW YORK STAR, which is away
a forsy dollar bicycle daily, as offered by
their advertisement in another column.
Hon. Amos Cummings, M. C., Col. Asa Bird
Gardner, District Attorney of New York,
ex-Governor Hogg of Texas, and Col. Fred.
Feigl of New York, are among the well
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College leading to degrees in Arts,
Philosophy and Science, Academy,
a preparatory school for young men
and boys.
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for young ladies.
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courses. For catalogue, address the
Registrar.

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A. T. ARMSTRONG,
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DEALER IN
Flour Feed and Groceries

- 13½ pounds of pure Lard for \$1.00
- Baking molasses, 25 to 50c.
- 8 pounds Rolled Oats for 25c.
- 7 pounds of Corn Starch for 25c.
- 7 pounds of Laundry Starch for 25c.
- 2 pounds of Rio Coffee for 25c.
- 8 bars of Lenox Soap for 25c.
- No. 1 mackerel per pound 8c.
- Best Sugar Coated Hams @ 11c per lb.
- Buckwheat Flour 25 pound sack 45c.
- Buckwheat Flour 100 pounds, \$1.80.
- Yellow Corn per 100 pounds 90c.
- Corn Meal or Cracked Corn 90c.
- Corn, Oats and Barley Chop 90c.
- Wheat Bran 200 pounds \$1.50.
- Flour middlings, 140 pound sack \$1.40.
- Flour middlings 200 pounds \$1.60.
- Flour per sack \$1.00.
- Winter Roller per sack \$1.00.
- Good Flour 90c.
- Rye Flour 25 pounds, 50c.
- Graham Flour 12½ pounds 30c.
- Common Fine Salt per barrel \$1.20.

New lot of muslins, gingham and
calicoes at J. W. Buck's Sonestown.

For shovels, hoes, grub-hoes, picks
axes, manure forks, garden rakes, etc.
go to John W. Buck, Sonestown.

G. A. Rogers
FORKSVILLE, PA.

(Successor to B.W. Fawcett.)
Watches, Jewellery,
Silverware, Etc.

Bicycle repairing. Bicycle sundries.
Fishing tackle, at lowest possible
Price.

For Sale, Twenty-five acres of hard
wood timber land adjoining the Boro, of
Laporte, also shop in the borough of La-
porte, suitable for a wagon shop which
could be easily converted into a residence,
one double-seated spring wagon. For
terms inquire of Mrs. John T. Brewster,
Laporte.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic, 10c or 25c.
If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure. makes weak
men strong, blood pure. 50c. All Druggists.
Beauty Is Blood Deep.
Clean blood means a clean skin. No
beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathar-
tic clean your blood and keep it clean, by
stirring up the lazy liver and driving all im-
purities from the body. Begin to-day to
banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads,
and that sickly bilious complexion by taking
Cascarets.—beauty for ten cents. All drug-
gists. satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

CONDENSED REPORT of the condition of the
FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Dushore, Pa.,
at close of business, April 5, 1899.

RESOURCES:
Loans and Discounts..... \$128,649 69
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation..... 12,500 00
Premium on United States Bonds..... 1,000 00
Stock Securities..... 15,450 00
Furniture..... 1,200 00
Due from Banks Approved reserve Agt. 102,132 37
Redemption Fund U. S. Treasurer..... 562 50
Specie and Legal Tender Notes..... 14,631 88
\$ 275,563 94

LIABILITIES:
Capital..... \$ 50,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits..... 14,031 33
Circulation..... 11,250 00
Dividends Unpaid..... 150 00
Deposits..... 108,782 61
\$ 275,563 94

State of Pennsylvania, County of Sullivan ss:
I, M. D. SWARTS, Cashier of the above named
bank, do solemnly swear that the above state-
ment is true to the best of my knowledge and be-
lief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th
day of July 1899.

JOHN H. CROMIN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
ALPHONSO W. WALSH,
P. CONNOR,
FISHER WELLS, } Directors.

**The Best Place in
Sullivan County to
Buy Your**

**HARDWARE is at
James
Cunningham,**

**JACKSON BLOCK,
DUSHORE, PA.**

I keep the best line of Hardware in the
County at prices to suit you. I give you
better goods for your money than you can
buy elsewhere. I can furnish handmade
tinware none better made in the U. S.,
at prices that will please you. Three
grades, cheap, medium and the best, all
ways in stock from which to make your
choice. Give me a trial on these goods.
A Car Load of Barb Wire
and nails just received and will be sold at
prices lower than can be bought at the
factory.
If you are going to paint your house or
barn write me for prices on paint.

A full line of garden tools and seeds on
hand. We can repair your tinware, pump
etc., put up your cave trough and spout-
ing, put on your tin and iron roofing, in-
stall for you Hot Air, Hot Water and
Steam Heaters. Will give you estimates
on the spot of same. If you think of buy-
ing a range call and look my stock over,
I have some of the finest ranges made.
A complete stock of Building Hardware
and iron work for wagons and buggies
also on hand. My stock of pumps con-
sists of every thing from 1.25 up. Double
and single acting, lift and force pumps
for deep or shallow wells. For the butter
makers I have butter ladders and bowls all
sizes and six different kinds of churns.
Chicken wire 2 feet to 6 feet at

**CUNNINGHAM'S HARDWARE
STORE, DUSHORE.**
Strawberry and vanilla cream at
Ritter's Ice Cream Parlor, Laporte.
One new moving machine, one
new hayrack, screen doors and win-
dows, poultry netting at J.W. Bucks,
Sonestown Pa.

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All answered at
VERNON

HULL'S
STORE,
HILLSGROVE.

New Stock of
**Spring and
Summer
Goods.**

Remember the Place,
Vernon Hull,
Hills Grove, Pa.

**Thursday Bargain
Day!**
AT HOFFMAN'S
Muncy Valley.

The last Thursday Bargain Day was everything
that could be expected. The day was perfect and a
goodly number of strange faces were seen in our Store
taking advantage of the low prices, on the following bar-
gains that will be offered each Thursday:

- POTTERS OIL CLOTH, 12c
- SUGAR, 5c.
- COFFEE, 10c.
- FLOUR, 85c.
- COTTON, 8c.
- WASHING GAS, 5c.
- BAKING POWDER, 15c.
with tumblers or water
pitchers.
- 10 CAKES SOAP, 25c.

These are only a few of the many bargains offered
each Thursday. Everybody welcomed; our store is cool
in warm weather, and warm in cold weather; you will
always be made comfortable at

Hoffman's Store.

JENNINGS BROS.

We keep in stock at our mills a
complete line of dressed lumber
in hemlock and hardwood.

MANUFACTURERS OF
Gang Sawn and Trimmed Lumber.
LOPEZ, PA.

SPECIALTIES
Hemlock Novelty or German Siding,
Hemlock Ceiling 7-8 or 3-8 stick,
Hemlock Flooring any width desired,
Hemlock Lath both 3 and 4 feet long,
Hardwood Flooring both Beech, Birch or Maple,
The same woods in 3-8 ceiling.
CORRESPONDENCY SOLICITED.



**In a Pretty
Pickle**
is the woman who must entertain
unexpected company—unless she
is well supplied with canned and
bottled groceries. If her pantry
shelves are nicely lined with our
famous brands of pickles, soups,
vegetables, canned meats and fish
and crackers she is completely
ready for any emergency. What shall we send you to-day?

**ON DRY GOODS WE ARE IN THE LEAD
WHY?** Because we carry the Largest and Best line in the county
Because we have only new and attractive patterns to show
Because you will find no old goods on our shelves.
We have just opened a new line of Gingham, Shirts, muslins etc.,
or the spring trade, which we would be pleased to have you inspect.

Perfectly Shaped
Footwear
for women and men. We have
a stock of women's shoes that is un-
equalled hereabouts. The shapes are
dainty, the leather fine, the workman-
ship exquisite, and the fit perfect.
Prices are right.

Cash Paid for Country Produce.
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Removed!

to my new store in the **GAREY BLOK**
where I will be pleased to meet all of my old pa-
trons and many new ones. We fit the young and
old of all nationalities and color with

**Boots, Shoes,
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Fine Assortment at Popular Prices.

Remember the Place,
**CALL ON US
GAREY'S BLOCK,
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