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REPUBLICAN NEWS ITEM,
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In the Senate Feb. 2 Mr. Allen, of Nebraska, renewed his criticisms of Secretary Gage and his dealings with New York banks. Mr. Daniels, of Virginia, delivered an extended speech on the pending financial measures. Daniel M. Ransdell, of Indiana, and Charles G. Bennett, of New York, were sworn in as Sergeant-at-Arms and Secretary of the Senate, respectively.

In the House the consideration of the Indian Appropriation bill was resumed Feb. 2, and Representative Sibley, of Pennsylvania, assailed his Democratic colleagues for their opposition to expansion, and received an impressive demonstration from the floor and galleries.

The Senate Committee on Commerce has practically decided upon a favorable report upon the bill creating a Department of Commerce.

The House Committee on Mileage has rejected the claim of Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah, for mileage in connection with his contest for a seat in the House. Mr. Roberts put in a claim for mileage from Salt Lake City to Washington, 2,597 miles and return, at the usual rate of 20 cents a mile each way, making a total of $1,038.80. Mr. Cooper, of Texas, moved that Roberts was entitled to mileage, but on a tie vote, 2 to 2, this motion failed. Chairman Barnham will report this action, which, he says, is equivalent to a rejection of the claim by the committee. As a result of suggestions in the committee, Mr. Barham will confer with the Speaker concerning the recognition of any member who may seek to secure for Mr. Roberts the $2,000 usually allowed in contested election cases. This, however, is not the committee action, but is due to a desire to afford opportunity to bring the matter before the House.

In the United States Senate Jan. 31 Senator Pettigrew sought to have read a resolution embodying a statement by Aguinaldo giving his version of an alleged recognition of the "Filipino republic" by Admiral Dewey. This led to a sensational debate, in which the actions of the South Dakota Senator were denounced as treason, and the statements of Aguinaldo branded as a tissue of falsehoods. Mr. Pettigrew insisted that Admiral Dewey had given recognition to the Filipinos by saluting their flag and cooperating with them in Subig Bay. Senator Hawley, in an excited manner, objected to having the statement of Aguinaldo read, because it was treason and would lend aid and comfort to the enemy. An angry colloquy was continued for some time between Pettigrew and several Senators in regard to the matter, when the point of order was raised that the statement could not be read because it was embraced in a resolution pending before the Senate providing for its printing, which was sustained by the presiding officer.

In the House Jan. 31 a variety of questions were discussed, including the Philippine policy, government of Puerto Rico and election methods and lynchings in the south.

House Election Committee No. 3 has decided the Wise-Young contested election case for the Second Virginia District in favor of the contestant, Mr. West.

The Senate Committee on Elections heard several witnesses Jan. 30 in the Clark bribery case, whose admissions destroy the force of their testimony. During the last three or four hearings the attorneys for the contestants, the syndicate of Montana citizens, have put on witnesses who have seemed to be not exactly in touch with the complainants. They swore a man named Black, who disproved a large part of their case, contradicting effectively a preceding witness who had testified in a bold and careless manner to several instances of bribery. One witness was pursued relentlessly for an hour to make him disclose the state of his bank account and tell how he got his money. He answered that he won a good deal of money at faro and poker. Senator Faulkner, counsel for Senator Clark, said he would make his side of the case as short as possible, and when he began should push things as hard as possible.

The attendance on the hearing is as crowded as ever, and Senator Clark is among the most interested of the spectators. The drift of opinion as to the effect of the testimony thus far is that Clark will not suffer from the testimony of men who admit, as one did, that there is no wrong in telling a lie to a rascal, or, as another did, in declaring that there was no wrong in telling a lie when everybody concerned knew that it was a falsehood. One witness, a clergyman, admitted that he had been charged with embezzlement, and had resigned his pastorate rather than stand trial. Thoughout the hearings there have been a strong dash of the rough, unscrupulous and gambling way of doing things. There are many onlookers who expect the committee will throw out the testimony of most of the witnesses, and that the case against Clark will fall by its own weight of consciousless audacity of iniquity.

In the House the bill for the reorganization of the Weather Bureau has been "side-tracked" by a test vote of 57 to 73, it being bitterly opposed by those who disapproved of the life tenure provision it made. The bill, however, remains the unfinished busi-

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County and to me directed and delivered there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Laporte, Pa., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1900,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, viz:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the township of Forks, county of Sullivan and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a hemlock corner, the North-east corner of the tract, thence south about 23 degrees east 320 perches to a stone corner; thence south about 67 degrees west 121 perches to a post for a corner; thence north about 23 degrees west 320 perches to a corner and thence north about 67 degrees east 121 perches to the place of beginning, containing about 239 acres and 17 perches of land more or less. About 40 acress improved the balance timbered. 1 Two-story framed house a framed barn, wagon shed and other outbuildings. Well watered and with a good orchard thereon.

Excepting and reserving from the above described tract of land the following lots bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stone corner, being the south-east corner of the Peter Crooks warrant and land now owned by A. C. Wilcox, thence by lands of David Molyneux south 35¼ degrees west 183 rods to a post and stone corner; thence by land of grantor's north 50¼ degrees west 88 5-10 rods to a post and stones corner on the lower edge of Lick Creek road; thence along said road by several bearings and distances viz: north 63 degrees east 13 rods, north 74½ degrees east 11 8-10 rods, north 69 degree east 15 2-10 rods, north 73 degrees east 13 rods, north 66 degrees east 17 5-10 rods, north 55½ degrees east 24 6.10 rods, north 45½ degrees east 37 rods, north 39½ degrees east 17 rods, north 49½ degrees east 25 5-10 rods, thence north 45 degrees east 8 rods to the tract line and land of said Wilcox; thence south 56 degrees east 21 4-10 rods to the place of beginning, containing fifty acres and one hundred and thirty-four perches neat measure be the same more or less.

Also one other lot or parcel of land in the same township, county and state.

Beginning at a stone the common corner of the James Cross, Peter Cross, John Cross and James Cross warrant, thence by lands of Thomas Molyneux's heirs south 56 degrees east 95 rods to the public road leading from Millview to Eldredsville; thence along said road by lands of grantors north 4½ degrees west 34 rods to angle; thence north 27 degrees west 10 4-10 rods to angle; thence north 42½ degrees west 14 rods; thence north 19½ degrees west 12 rods; thence north 13½ degrees west 29¼ rods; thence north 35½ degrees west 8 rods to angle; thence north 48½ degrees west 14 rods to the corner of W. G. Bedford land on the township line; thence along said line by Bedford's land, south 33¾ degrees west 66 2-10 rods to the place of beginning, containing twenty-four acres and fifty-four perches, be the same more or less.

Both lots being a part of the James Crook's warrant.

Lot No. 2.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the Borough of Forksville, County of Sullivan and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a post on Main street, at the corner of lot belonging to M. A. Rogers, thence along Main street south sixty-eight degrees, west seventy-three feet to Laporte alley; thence north sixty degrees, west two hundred and twelve feet to a post, in line of said M. A. Rogers land; thence along Rogers line north sixty degrees, east ninety-two feet to a post; thence along same south twenty-four and three-fourth degrees, east two hundred twenty-three and one half feet to the place of beginning, containing sixty-four and one fourth perches of land be the same more or less.

Said land being improved and having a large two story frame house and a large frame barn erected thereon and other out buildings, and being under a good state of cultivation.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Francis V. Hannon at the suit of Mary Whitely Snell.

H. W. OSLER, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., Jan. 23, 1900.

License Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for license have been filed in my office, and that the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Sullivan, Co. on Monday, the 19th day of February, at 2 o'clock p. m.

CHERRY TOWNSHIP.

Charles E. Jackson,	Tavern License,	Mildred,	Pa.
Frank F. Schaad,	Distillers	"	"
John C. Schaad,	Tavern	"	"
James Connor,	"	"	"
John Daley,	"	"	"
William Collins,	"	"	"
Patrick McGee,	"	"	Satterfield, Pa
Ernestina Seemann	"	"	Bernice, Pa.
John Gross	"	"	Cherry Mill,
Lenord Hilbert,	Wholesale	"	Dushore, Pa,
Manning Chilson,	Restaurant	"	Mildred, Pa.

COLLEY TOWNSHIP.

Henry McKibbins	Tavern	License,	Lopez, Pa,
Julia Jackson,	"	"	"
James McGee,	"	"	"
W. J. Barry,	"	"	GenogoLake.
William Allen,	"	"	Colley, Pa,
William E.Steafather,	Restaurant,	License,	Lopez.
John H. Yonkin,	"	"	"

DAVIDSON TOWNSHIP.

Cyrus B. Hess	Tavern License,	Emmons,	Pa.
James Moran,	"	"	Muncy Valley, Pa
George Myers,	"	"	"
Henry Middendorf,	"	"	"
Daniel H, Lorah,	"	"	Sonestown, Pa,
Ellis Swank,	"	"	"

DUSHORE BOROUHG.

William Oneil,	Wholesale License,	Dushore,	Pa.
Lawrence Finan,	"	"	"
Robert McGee,	Restaurant,	"	"
Margaret Connor	"	"	"
Patrick Daley,	"	"	"
Anthony Rouse,	Tavern	"	"
Michael Cummisky,	"	"	"
D. Keefe,	"	"	"

EAGLES MERE BOROUGH.

William VanBuskirk,	Tavern License,	Eagles M.	

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James N.Campbell,	Tavern License,	Forksville,	Pa,

HILLSGROVE TOWNSHIP.

George E, Walker,	Tavern License,	Hillsgrove,	Pa
James H. Keefe,	"	"	"

LAPORTE TOWNSHIP,

George M. Fiester,	Tavern License,	Nordmont,	Pa.

LAPORTE BOROUGH.

Thomas W. Beahen,	Tavern License,	Laporte,	Pa.
F. W. Gallagher,	"	"	"
Thomas E. Kennedy	"	"	"

W. J. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

Clerks office, Laporte, Pa., Jan. 29, 1900.

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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.
Fine 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.

Trial List, December Term, 1899.

Return day, Monday, Feb. 26, 1899, at 2 p.m.

1 Eugenia D. Weiner vs Laporte township School District, No. 49 May term 1897. Ejectment Plea, not guilty. Thompson. | Mullen.

2 Henry Middendorf vs John Walsh, No. 6 Sept, term 1899. Plea non-assumpsit payment with leave and set off.
Cronin. | Thomson and Mullen.

3 Lizzie Drabant vs H. W. Osler. No. 45 Sept. term 1869. Tresspass. Plea, not guilty. Mullen and Ingha

4 Joe Domnick vs Jas. McFarlane. No. 33 Dec. term 1899. Replevin. Plea, that the property described in writ is not the property of the plaintiff but the property of a third person. Mullen | Ingham.

WM. J. LAWRENCE, Proth.

Prothy's. office, Laporte, Pa, Jan 13, 1900.

STRAYED: From the owner's premises some weeks ago, 21 tame pigeons. Any information leading to the recovery of the same will be suitably rewarded.

F. H. INGHAM.

AUDITORS NOTICE—In re Estate of Balbina Billian Tubach, deceased; In Orphans Court of Sullivan County; The undersigned auditor appointed by said Court, to pass upon the exceptions filed to the account of Phillip Tubach Administrator etc. and to distribute the fund as shown by his account filed; will attend to the duties of his appointment on Friday, February 2, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. at his office in Dushore, Pa., when and where all persons interested in, or having claims upon said account must present them or be forever debarred from coming in upon the same. JOHN H. CRONIN, Auditor

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Northward.				Southward.		
p.m.	p. m.	a.m.		a,m	p.m.	p. m
4 15	12 55	10 20	Halls	9 45	12 00	4 00
4 18	f1 00	10 23	Pennsdale	9 41	11 57	f3 55
4 27	1 10	10 32	Hughesville	9 32	11 48	3 45
4 35	1 18	10 38	Picture Rocks	9 25	11 42	3 37
f4 39	f1 21	10 41	Lyons Mills	f9 22	.....	f3 34
f4 41	f1 24	10 43	Chamouni	9 20	11 37	f3 31
f4 48	1 32	10 48	Glen Mawr	9 14	11 32	3 23
f5 56	f 1 41	10 54	Strawbridge	f9 05	11 29	3 14
5 01	f 1 45	.....	Beech Glen	f9 01	..	3 10
5 05	1 49	11 00	Muncy Valley	8 58	11 20	3 06
5 11	1 55	11 05	Sonestown	8 52	11 15	3 00
5 26	.....	.....	Nordmont	8 37	.....	.....
5 43	.....	.....	Mokoma	8 21	.....	.....
5 45	.....	.....	LaPorte	8 19	.....	.....
f6 02	.....	.....	Ringdale	f8 05	.....	.....
6 15	.....	.....	Satterfield	7 55	.....	.....
p.m.				a.m.	a. m.	p. m.

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From Phila., New York and intermediate stations—leave Phila. 10.21 a. m. and 11.36 p.m; leave New York, via Phila. 7 30 a.m. 9.00 p.m.; leave New York via Tamaqua, 9 10 a.m. Arrive Halls, 6.34 a.m. and 5 21 p. m.

From Shamokin and intermediate stations—leaves Shamokin 8 10 a. m. Arrive Halls 9 49 a.m.

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