

THURSDAY, AUG. 15, 1901.

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County Seat Indices. AND GLANCES AT THE TIMES.

W. J. Lawrence has purchased a new rubber tired buggy, the first to be introduced in this section.

George Gorman of Nordmont, was shaking hands with friends at the county capitol on Tuesday.

Insurance Agent M. A. Scureman, of Dushore, was transacting business in town on Wednesday.

Mr. T. J. Keeler left on Tuesday for Buffalo, where he will enjoy several days at the Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gumble visited friends in Hills Grove over Sunday.

Miss Annie Wolverton of Shamokin, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Bradford.

Miss Jennie Keefe, of Athens, Pa., is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Elder of Bloomsburg, visited F. M. Crossley and family over Sunday.

Rev. J. C. Bradford of Lee, Mass., son of Rev. J. T. Bradford, arrived at Laporte on Tuesday to spend a part of his vacation with his father.

Rev. S. B. Bidlack has purchased a horse and carriage which will better enable him to attend to his several appointments in this section of the county.

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Farmer George Kiess of Davidson township may not be one of the kings of corn corners this fall but he has a large field of it growing on his farm that places him in the front rank of corn raisers in this section. Massive stalks measuring over ten and twelve feet high keeps right on growing as if it did not know it was an orphaned, out in Chicago. The field is an object of interest to farmers and admiration to its owner. It is believed that hatchets will be more serviceable when the time comes to put it in the shock.

Choir practice in the Episcopal Church, Thursday evening at 7:30. Mrs. B. F. Hill and daughter, Miss Orma, left for Philadelphia on Tuesday.

On account of the Sabbath School Convention held at Muncy Valley, The prayer meeting in the M. E. Church will be held on this Wednesday evening. Dr. Essler of Cook's Presbyterian Church, Toronto, Canada, will address the meeting. All are cordially invited to be present.

The following named persons have been chosen as delegates to represent the Laporte M. E. Sabbath School at the County Convention held at Muncy Valley on Thursday and Friday of this week: Mrs. F. L. Crossley, Mrs. Andrew Hackler, Mrs. DeWitt Layland, Miss Grace Lawrence, Miss Myrtle Bryan, Miss Harriet Grimm and Miss Josephine Fraley.

Work on the new stove factory under course of erection at this place has been rushed along at a rapid rate during the past two weeks. The sixty-foot double tunnel constructed wholly of concrete, to be used for steaming the wood before cut into staves, will be completed this week and the foundation for the factory laid. Carpenters will be at work by another week erecting the woodwork and the machinery will then begin to arrive. The benefits of this industry to Laporte as anticipated is already being felt. Foreign labor has not been shipped in to use the shovel and wheelbarrow as is usually the case but local labor is given the preference at reasonable wages.

Friends of Harry Mutchler, who is section boss on the rail road at Nordmont, say he was greatly elated several days ago when one of his former subordinates who graduated under him in spike driving, and who is now stationed further down the line in the same business, came up the road a few days ago showing evidence that he was a track inspector, which made Harry feel very proud of his former student's supposed promotion. Since learning that he was falsely impressed Harry will not talk on the matter.

Shunk.

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Family Reunion.

The second reunion of the Moses Rogers' family was held in the Fair Ground at Forksville, on Wednesday of last week.

About ten o'clock the family began to assemble and the time before dinner was spent in visiting. Dinner was served at one o'clock, in the dining hall which had been beautifully decorated by G. A. Rogers, with evergreen and bunting. At one end of the hall, hung large pictures of Moses and Jane Rogers, each surrounded by a deep frame of evergreen overhung with the red, white and blue, while bunting draped in abundance about the walls and ceiling, made most appropriate surroundings for the tables. Two long tables at each side with a shorter table in the centre of the room were tastefully arranged under the supervision of Josephine Stevens. They were decorated with flowers and filled with many dainty and appetizing viands. At the central table sat Zilpha Fleming, S. S. Rogers, M. A. Rogers, Isaac and J. W. Rogers, children of Moses Rogers, with their respective husband and wives.

After a most enjoyable dinner all present gathered in the Home Department building to listen to the addresses. All joined in singing "America," which made the building ring with music. The Pres., M. R. Black, gave the welcome address in a few well chosen words, adding thereto reminiscence of the year past, saying there had occurred three births, two marriages and one death in the family since the reunion of 1900.

J. R. Fleming's address on "What may come," was entertainingly given and in citing past facts on which to base his predictions for the future, he fully expects we will have no "old maids" left in the family by the time of the next reunion.

C. S. Rogers' subject, "Loyalty in the Family," fitly presented and beautifully illustrated by several jokes and the reading of a humorous poem entitled "At the Gate."

A half hour was spent in listening to "The Funniest things that occurred in the Old Home," given by the older people. These caused much hearty laughter and recalled pleasant memories.

At the business meeting, M. R. Black, was re-elected Pres. and the first Saturday in August fixed as a permanent date for holding the reunion. In consulting the family register we find the names of sixty-five persons enrolled at this meeting.

MARY F. SNYDER, Secy.

A Pleasant Surprise.

On August 9, 1901, a congenial gathering of friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mead as a surprise party to celebrate the 60th birthday of Mrs. Irene Roberts. Mrs. Roberts was completely surprised when her friends began to arrive, but seemed very happy over the affair. A fine dinner was served and heartily enjoyed by the guests. Ice cream and cake was included in the repast. After dinner the company adjourned to the large, cool parlor where general conversation and past reminiscence were indulged in until the supper hour, many anecdotes and humorous stories were given. After again partaking of dainty refreshments, all went back to the parlor and sang, "Nearer My God to Thee." An earnest prayer was then offered by Rev. T. J. Bradford, pastor of the Baptist Church, of Laporte, Pa. The guests then bade the family good bye and departed for their homes. This was a very pleasant event, and no doubt will be remembered for a long time by all those present. Mrs. Roberts was congratulated many times on her youthful and hearty appearance. May she have many years added to her life. The following named persons were present on this occasion: Rev. J. T. Bradford and wife, Miss Grace Bradford, Mrs. A. J. Hackley, Nelson Lawrenson, Misses Dora and Delia Upman, Mrs. J. N. Rosencrans, Miss Lena Rosencrans, Mrs. T. J. Keeler and daughter Miss Olive, Geo. Lawrenson. A FRIEND.

Miss Alice Brewster and Miss Veitch of Washington, D. C., sang finely two beautiful solos in the Episcopal Church, last Sunday.

St. John Protestant Episcopal Church, 11th Sunday after Trinity, At 11 a. m. Morning Prayer and sermon, subject, "Preaching Great Truths." At 7:30 p. m. Evening Prayer and sermon. At 2:30 p. m. Sunday School, subject, "The Gospel." Address by the Rector. Catechism. Beautiful solos will be sung at both services. Rev. Otho Brant, D. D. and Rev. James Cameron, D. D., of Jersey City will preach. All are most cordially invited.

YOUR MONEY BACK

Advertisement for a refrigerator. It features a large illustration of a refrigerator and text describing its features and price. The price is \$8.95, with freight prepaid. It is made of solid oak, nicely polished, measures 50 inches high, 34 inches long, 19 inches deep, and is lined with heavy zinc galvanized iron shelves. It is insulated with water-proof fibre felt. Its retail value is \$16.00 - \$7.00 saved in buying of the maker. The advertisement also mentions a free catalogue and a money-back guarantee.

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Ritter's Ice Cream Parlor open for the season, well prepared for public comforts in times of extreme heat. Special attention given to tea parties and weddings. Hoffnagle's Ice Cream has a distinct value and is a delicious treat. Sold fresh from the factory every Saturday evening. W. B. RITTER, Proprietor.

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In Re: Estate of Polly C. Steinback, late of Davidson Township, Sullivan Co., Pa., deceased.

To Addie E. Bushnell, Alice G. Noble, and Alva G. Noble, her husband, L. L. Steinback, Irene Hazzen, Nellie G. Robins and Taylor Robins, her husband, Bell Housknecht and Frank Housknecht her husband, and La Fayette D. Steinback heirs of said Polly C. Steinback and all others interested: You are hereby notified that the Orphans' Court of Sullivan County, Pa., has awarded an inquest to make partition and valuation of certain Real Estate of the said Polly C. Steinback deceased, consisting of a lot of land and dwelling house located thereon, in the village of Sonestown, Sullivan County, Pa. adjoining the Lorah Hotel.

And that said inquest will be held on the premises aforesaid on TUESDAY the 10th day of SEPTEMBER, 1901, at 2 o'clock a. m. when and where you may attend if you think proper.

H. W. OSLER, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., July 22, '01.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP: Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between John J. Webster and Wellington A. Rosencrans, of Laporte, Pa., under the firm name of "Laporte Lumber Company," was dissolved on the 21 day of August, 1901, by mutual consent. All debts owing to said partnership are to be received by John J. Webster and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.

JOHN J. WEBSTER, WELLINGTON A. ROSECRANS, A. J. BRADLEY, Atty.

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PARTNERSHIP under the provisions of the Act of General Assembly approved May 9, 1899, authorizing the formation of partnerships in which one or more, or all of the partners, may limit their liability for the debts of the partnership to the amount of the capital subscribed by such partner, or partners, respectively, and providing penalties for violation of its provisions.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned subscribers, John J. Webster and Wellington A. Rosencrans of Laporte Pa., did on the second day of August A. D. 1901, enter into and form a limited partnership the name of which is "The Laporte Lumber and Turned Wood Company Limited." The general purpose of said partnership is "The manufacturing of lumber, manufacturing turned goods or articles, novelties, etc. and purchasing material to be used in the manufacture thereof, and selling the products made therefrom."

The names of the partners are John J. Webster and Wellington A. Rosencrans. The amount of capital subscribed by each of said partners the 2d day of August, 1901, is as follows, viz: By John J. Webster there has been subscribed the sum of (\$3300.00) three thousand three hundred dollars. By Wellington A. Rosencrans there has been subscribed the sum of (\$1100.00) one thousand one hundred dollars.

All said capital has been paid in by said partners. The liability of each and all of said partners is limited in accordance with the provisions of the aforesaid Act of General Assembly, to wit Act of May 9, 1899, P. L. 261 to the following sums or amounts, viz: Liability of John J. Webster is limited to the sum of (\$3300) three thousand three hundred dollars. The liability of Wellington A. Rosencrans is limited to the sum of (1100.00) one thousand one hundred dollars. The duration or term for which said partnership has been formed is eight years from August 12, 1901, and ending August 12, 1909.

The Articles of Partnership have been left for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Sullivan County, at Laporte, Pa.

JOHN J. WEBSTER, WELLINGTON A. ROSECRANS, August 8, 1901.

Campbell, The MERCHANT, SHUNK, PA.

To the Ladies: Have just received my new Spring and Summer Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, and Furnishings consisting of Waists, Skirts and Suit Patterns, Underwear, Bonnets, Etc.

EVERY DEPARTMENT IS FULL OF NEW THINGS. The prices are right; call and inspect goods, I know we can please you in both quality and price. Don't forget that our Clothing Shoe and Wall Paper Departments are full of new goods.

To the Gentlemen: Have just received a car of Timothy, Clover, Red Top, Orchard Grass and Garden Seeds, and prices are very low.

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