

Republican News Item.

THURSDAY, OCT. 3, 1901.

—Miss Josephine Colt of Wyalusing, is visiting Laporte friends.

—Mr. Robt. Stormont was transacting business in Towanda Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lauer of Scranton, visited in Laporte a few days last week.

—The office of Prothonotary will be well and ably filled with James C. Deininger as incumbent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Higley and daughter May, left Tuesday for Towanda where they will visit friends.

—Mr. O. J. Williams and wife of Shunk, were county seat visitors on Saturday.

—Miss Emma Davis of Philadelphia, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schrader.

—Scouten's man for Associate Judge was in town Monday, presumably looking after his fences.

—Miss Ora Davis of Taughannock Falls, N. Y., is visiting her uncle, Edward Schrader and family.

—Mrs. Fraley, mother of Wm. Fraley, and daughter of Scranton, are visiting at John V. Finkle.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Ingham, of Eagles Mere, spent several hours with Judge Ingham and family on Friday.

—Frank Otterbein returned to Laporte on Monday from Altoona, Pa., where he has spent the past few weeks.

—Miss Anna Bonci, who has been spending some time with her parents and friends at this place, has returned to Sayre.

—A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the M. E. Church at the above named place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—Mrs. Paul Tismer, after a three weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. Caroline Grimm, has returned to her home in New York City.

—Mrs. Allen Little of Estella, aged about 50 years, died on Wednesday of last week. Funeral was held on Saturday. Interment at Forksville cemetery.

"Faithfulness to Duty" is the theme to be discussed by the pastor of the M. E. Church, Thursday evening in the Devotional Services. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Mr. Wm. Loeb made a trip to Dushore early Wednesday morning. We presume it was on business, however it was rumored that a lady in that section was advertising for a husband, one who loved children.

—A social dance and supper will be given at Kennedy's Hall and the Commercial Hotel on Friday evening, October 18. A pleasant time is promised to all who attend.

—H. A. Kemp, the photographer, closed his gallery Tuesday noon for the purpose of spending a few days at his home in Benton. The doors of the gallery will be opened Saturday next, to resume the usual rush of business.

—Mrs. John D. Hogan and Mrs. Irwin, of LaCrosse, Wis., who have been visiting relatives in the eastern states for several months, arrived at Laporte Monday from Buffalo and will spend several days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Reeder.

—Mr. Fredrick Miller and daughter, Miss Charlotte, will leave their home Saturday to spend the winter in New York. Miss Charlotte has been a teacher in our public schools at this place three terms and has won a high reputation in that profession. She will be greatly missed in our literary circles and society in general.

—Scouten who sacrificed both D. F. McCarty and George Craft to get his man nominated for Associate Judge says "vote for the people's candidate. If he did not mention his man's name no one could doubt he meant John D. Reeser who was selected by the people by reason of his honesty, integrity and ability.

—The closing arguments in the State Line & Sullivan Coal Company's injunction case against the striking miners of Bernice, was heard Monday, by Judge Little of Bloomsburg. Attorneys Maxwell of Towanda, and E. J. Mullen of this place, represented the Coal Company. J. T. Lenahan and J. D. Shea, of Wilkesbarre, were employed to defend the miners. The case now stands on record as "argued C. A. V." This means that the Judge will ponder over it for a time and render a decision at some future day.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds, of Washington State, are the guests of T. J. Keeler and family.

In viewing the political field Boss Scouten but simply looks into a reflecting surface. Is it any wonder that he gets frantic over the condition and attains a savage ambition toward "machine" nominations and "bosses."

—Mr. Ernest Hegel, who for the past ten years was bookkeeper for the Union Tanning Co. at this place, tendered his resignation several weeks ago and has accepted a like position with M. B. Brown & Co., of New York City, who conduct a large printing establishment. Mrs. Hegel and daughter left Laporte last week for the city where they will make their future home, and where the best wishes of many friends follow.

—The new stove factory under course of erection at this place is now reaching that stage where every day make noticeable advancement. The engines have been placed and masonry beds and the boiler inclosed in an arch. The large, solid concrete kiln is complete and a substantial foundation ready for the buildings. The railroad switch was completed last week and lumber is arriving daily for the carpenters who will be at work in a few days.

—Boss Scouten seeing that it is his misfortune to be far from popular with his yellow paper through which he has continually attacked the character of honorable citizens, now seeks to class the News Item as "yellow" to drag it down to the level of the Herald. Having a sense of decorum which is beyond the comprehension of its assailant, the News Item has ever declined to follow Scouten's indecent examples. His refusal to allow the flag to float from his yellow journal building forms a fitting crown to a long list of enormities.

—The success of NELSON COX for Sheriff means an honest, trustworthy man to fill that very important office. He is eminently qualified for the place, for the very reason that the convention that nominated him did not have to select a candidate from three or four seeking the nomination. He was selected from the rank and file of the county for his merit and qualifications. Show your good patriotism by electing such men to office—those not seeking the office, but the office seeking the man. Get together gentlemen.

—An attachment was issued last week against John G. Scouten for contempt of court and a hearing was had before Judge Dunham on Tuesday. It seems that an injunction had been issued against Scouten to restrain him from building a barn close to the dwelling house of Lucas Steafather, in Lopez, and Steafather claimed that Scouten had violated the injunction by going on with the building after the injunction was issued. Scouten testified that he had not gone on with the building in the manner which Steafather complained. Judge Dunham refused to hold him for contempt. The equity case will be heard on Saturday. Steafather, in his paper book, claims that Scouten's barn will be within less than three feet from his house at the foundation, this would make the two roofs about connect.

—Scouten's Herald last week asks, "Do you want a clean man or a machine man for Associate Judge," and then has the audacity to add, "vote for James J. Walsh." Let the people of Sullivan county decide between the two candidates for Associate Judge as to which is the machine candidate. In this as everything else Scouten is inconsistent, and extremely so. In the same issue he says that John D. Reeser is not a Republican because he would not vote as Chairman Vincent wanted him to vote, and that Vincent is the machine, etc., etc.

The genuine machine candidate is J. J. Walsh, and Scouten is the "machine" by which he got his nomination. Why did Scouten give him the nomination over such representative men of Sullivan county as Ralph Litzelman and Anthony Rohy? Was it because he was a better qualified man? Was it because he has more ability to do the business? Was it because he had more honesty? Was it because he had more friends? Or was it because he was "Scouten's man."

St. John Protestant Episcopal church. 18th Sunday after Trinity. Color for altar and vestments, green. The Rev. Otho Brant, D. D. Rector, will preach at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Bible Knowledge."

There will be a P. O. S. of A. speech delivered in the E. V. church on Friday evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Laura Rea of Lopez, is the guest of relatives near town.

J. F. Hazzen and wife of Harrisburg, are expected home to visit their parents before many days.

The Junior League of the M. E. church will hold a fair in the near future.

Miss Ada Hall who has been visiting at Beaver Laka, returned home Sunday accompanied by her hostesses, Misses Clara McClintock and Maud Sones.

Andrew Edgar was a business man in Hughesville, last Saturday.

T. J. Keeler and daughter Miss Winnifred, were noticed in town on Saturday.

W. J. Laird and A. Edgar are trapping for bears.

Mr. T. Ellison went to North Mountain on Monday and purchased a cow.

Miss Myra Lowe of Watsontown, was the guest of relatives above town last week.

A birthday party was given Miss Alice Eddy on Monday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent by those present.

Walter Hazzen has returned from a summer at Eagles Mere.

Rally Sunday in M. E. church, Oct. 13. Everyone invited.

Nordmont.

Mrs. Irvin Green spent Wednesday at Hughesville as the guest of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Kessler spent Monday in Williamsport.

Mrs. Taylor Covert and son Francis of Williamsport, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Hess, a shot time ago.

Ernest Botsford left for Buffalo last Monday.

Miss Maud Laird spent last Wednesday with friends at Hughesville.

Mr. Bubb, of Williamsport, was the guest of Mr. Ray Kessler last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wieland left for Buffalo on Thursday. They will spend Sunday with friends at Syracuse.

Shunk.

Miss Katie Brown and Mrs. Mason have returned to their home in Virginia, after spending several weeks with relatives in this vicinity. Chas. Brown has returned to Potter county where he will resume work.

The faithful watch-dog belonging to W. R. Foster, died last week from the effects of poisoning.

B. E. Bohn and wife attended the Mansfield fair last week.

Isabelle Olden has returned to Philadelphia, after spending several weeks with friends in this vicinity.

Forden Manley and family of York State are visiting Mr. Manley's mother at this place.

Jesse Kilmer visited friends at Canton, last week.

The newspapers of our surrounding counties are publishing reports that Sullivan county has not enough teachers to open its schools this fall. The cause is due to the wrong course our School Boards are pursuing which will make us suffer in life later on. They are permitting our competent teachers with permanent State certificates and years of experience and learning, go out of the county and far away from home to teach school, much to the displeasure of the teachers, and are hiring boys to fill these vacancies because they can secure them for twenty-five dollars per month to open and close the school room and keep up fires. This poor management in school work should solicit from the taxpayers a little interest at least on their part in the educational work of their county. They ought to make greater demands from the School Boards. For the future welfare of our county depends entirely upon the character and abilities of our boys and girls who are now in the school room.

S. B. BIDLACK.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed, with the Secretary of Internal Affairs of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, an application for a warrant for thirty-two acres of land. Situated in Hills Grove Township, County of Sullivan, and bounded on the east by land of L. B. Speaker in warrant name of James Campbell, on the south by the Richard Rogers warrant owned by the Union Tanning Company, on the west by the Jacob Rush warrant owned by Aaron Lewis et al, and on the north by the Benjamin Rush warrant and the public road.

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The following resolutions were passed by a committee appointed by the Christian Sunday School upon the death of Mr. Harry A. Karns, who departed this life Sept. 21 1901:

WHEREAS, In view of the loss we have sustained by the death of our friend and class-mate, Mr. Harry A. Karns, and by the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, therefore be it

Resolved, That though he has crossed the Valley of Death and joined friends who have preceded him to that land where sickness, sorrow and death cannot enter, yet we would not murmur, for we know he has exchanged suffering for joy, and labor for reward. Let us seek to be ready as he when the Master calls.

Resolved, That we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased, on the dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to afflict, and commend them for consolation to Him who doeth all things for the best, and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

Resolved, That a copy of these heartfelt testimonials of our sympathy and sorrow be forwarded to the bereaved family, and that the same be published in the Benton ARGUS and Laporte News Item, and be engrossed upon the minutes of our Sunday School.

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G. A. R. Post, No. 436, Forksville.

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Great Commander above to muster from our ranks, comrade Watson Wright, to the grand army above where all shall meet their just reward. Therefore be it

Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to His will and realize that we must stand ready to receive marching orders. We unite in this tribute of respect to our comrade who ever faithfully performed his duties as a soldier.

Resolved, That our sympathy be extended to the family of our deceased comrade, and that these resolutions be spread on the records of our Post and a copy be sent to the family, comrades, and be published in the county papers.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that the undersigned has rented the Forksville grist mill and will be ready to grind by October 7, 1901. Having had twenty years experience I can assure first class service. Please give me a trial.

WILLIAM ALLEN.

Mr. G. A. Stillman, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes: "Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face to day is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such."

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