COUNTY NEWS: DITTS OF ADJUST NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

DUSHORE.

Fine growing weather.

Rev. P. H. Hover was called to his parents home near Philadelphia, one day last week owing to the critical condition of his father. The aged gentleman met with an accident several weeks ago and was fatally injured. Mrs. Hoover started to join her husband Tuesday.

The gasoline motor now being put in the foundry and machine shops is nearly ready for operation. Its a nice piece of machinery.

J. H. Lepset of Portland Mills Pa., formerly superintendent of the Standard kindling wood factory at Lopez, and H. M. Kellog of the latter place were in town Friday.

Some eight or ten of the Adriance reapers and binders were delivered to farmers from the cars at this place Saturday. Another car load of the Adriance machinery is expected within a few days.

Of the death claims paid by M. A. Scurman, agent of the Penn Mutial Life Ins. Co., your correspondent mentioned as one of them that of Louis M. Fasset of Forkston while the compositor made it Louis M. Fawcett of Forksville. If there be such a man at Forksville, we wish to congratulate him that he is not numbered with those who have

A number of Elkland farmers were in town Saturday. Among them were: Edward D. Norton, Thos. McCarty, Clarence Hart, Speaker Osler and Freas Hess.

Entertainment by parochial school Friday and Saturday evenings.

NORDMONT.

Mr. O. J. Sherman, who is employed by W. B. Snyder, was in

town Sunday.

Arthur Miner, the hustling clerk of the Lykens Collery, Bernice, was though every house on the street calling on the Nordmont boys (?!) Sunday.

The festival held Saturday eve ning was not as successful as was expected, owing to the inclement weather.

Miss Alma Horn entertained her cousin, Miss Myrtle Edgar of Sonestown, this week.

The young men who have been the county seat, say they have now succeeded and will not need to go again.

It is rumored that the wedding bells will soon ring again.

Messrs. Wieland & Kessler tran sacted business in Towarda Monday and Tuesday.

The Children's exercises held in the M. E. Church Sunday evening was largely attended.

Mr. H. Ray Lewis of this place is now employed at Cress Mont Inn. Eagles Mere.

Mr. Chas. Shultz has moved from the Russel farm to this place.

Miss Alice Pennington, one of our accomplished young ladies, has returned from Freeburg, having completed a six weeks course in music. Mr. Robert Hess the hustling in-

surance agent from Muncy Valley was in town Monday.

Station Agent Arnold spent Sunday with his parents in Picture Rocks.

Rev. S. B. Bidlack will preach next Sabbath afternoon at 3 o'clock in the grove that joins the M. E. J. P. Miller on Friday last.
Church. Public invited to attend.
Mrs. A. P. Starr and de Church. Public invited to attend.

Our genial clerk Mr. Scott Wieland spent a very enjoyable evening on the hill.

Mrs. A. P. Starr and daughters, Elda and Eva visited the former's parents at Clarkstown over Sunday.

Brady Bartlow and wife visited visited Mrs. Bartlow's parents Sun-

J. C. Botsford and wife, and Mrs. Jane Mosteller visited the former's son in Sayre the past week. Harry Speary and James Laird who are employed at Emmons, were home over Sunday.

Mr. John Hanley of Ricketts visited with friends in town last week

Samuel Hunter transacted business in Laporte on Monday. Some of our lovers of sport spent Friday at Lopez Pond fishing. They returned with the usual fisherman's

Quite a number of our people patronized the moving picture show in Hughesville Friday night.

Lewis Lake of Scranton has accept ed a position with the Sutton-Peck Chemical Co.

Mrs. Duane Latourette will leave on Friday for Buffalo, where she will visit her sister.

Miss Martha Brundage has returned from Williamsport where she has been attending school.

Clarence M. Hess is soliciting for the News Item in this section. Now everybody subscribe.

ESTELLA.

Weslevan quarterly meeting was held at Lincoln Falls Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Loie Baldwin of Forksville, called on Mrs. J. E. Brown, Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Little and son, Ward Brown, of Hillsgrove, called on friends at Estella, Saturday and Sunday.

John Gaunt and his two little girls were called to Hughesville, by the death of his father who was buried at that place on Thursday last.

During a heavy thunderstorm Friday evening lightning struck the cave house of J. M. Osler, splintering it somewhat, but no serious damage was done.

W. E. Wheatley is busy putting in substantial stone butments and building the bridge that spans Kings creek at W. T. More's.

Miss Hazel McBride is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Plotts.

Misses Grace and Lilly Wheatley are taking music lessons of Miss Everitt, who is stopping at Mrs. N. K. Woodward's at Lincoln Falls. They say there are lots of Strawberries over at Squire Birds. Say, I wonder if he would let "a feller go a berryin" up there. It is said he picked more than a hundred quarts last week. They are tame ones so I think we might get nigh enough to capture a few of the largest ones.

Mrs. Wm. More lost a pair of gold glasses on the road leading from Lincoln Falls to Estella, on Thursday last. If any one should find ceived by the owner.

MUNCY VALLEY.

On Tuesday fire broke out in the house occupied by Joe Nemits on Water street. The blowing of the fire whistle aroused the entire neighborhood, and it looked for a time as would be destroyed. But with Gen. Bigger managing the engine and Harvey Johnson the nozzle of the Muncy Valley fire apparatus the conflagration was prevented.

While strolling through the pasture fields near Muncy Valley, the writer observed two very beautiful colts, one and two years old respectively. They are thoroughbreed, trying to find the shortest route to dark irongreys, and perfect matches. Upon inquiry we learned that they belong to Alvin P. Miller, the popular foreman of the tannery. Ere long Mr. Miller will be driving one of the finest teams in Sullivan Co.

Miss Myrtle Miller of Williamsport who has been nursing Thos. S. Simmons, returned to that place Saturday. Mr. Simmons is recovering from his serious illness and will soon be out among his friends again. He was operated upon for bowel trouble by Dr. Nutt, and for a time the doctors had dispaired in saving his life, but a good constitution to draw upon saved his life.

Harry Sypher of Picture Rocks. was in town one day last week.

John Miller of Sonestown visited his brother at this place Saturday.

James Long who is working at Eagles Mere spent Sunday with his family at this

mily at this place. Howard Ritter of Lairdsville transacted business at this place Wednes

Miss Edna Taylor of Strawbridge spent a few hours in town Saturday.
Mrs. H. A. Knipe and son Fred, of Hughesville, visited the family of

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Statement of Davidson Twp.

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By work done on back tax. By 189 days work at \$1.50.... 1462 44 1462 44 . C. Steck, Overseer of Poor, in account with vidson Twp. for the year ending March 10, 1902 24 79 502 03

material furnished.

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To ant due Twp, from last audit 39 55 Received from County Treasurer 548 50 do Wm. Robbins.... 80 00 do Oscar Lewis, Collector in year 1901.... 61 22 during 1899 and not settled at previous audit, the receipts not having been produced to auditors 142 76 For year 1900.... 121 80 By receipts....

nt. paid J. C. Steck in year 1900 Amount due Twp. to balance. 993 83 993 83 Wm. Robbins, Overseer of Poor, in account with Davidson Twp. for the year ending March 10,1902

By receipts..... By 12 days service at \$1.50..... Amount due Township...... Oscar Lewis, Collector, in account with on Twp. for the year ending March 10, 190

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To amt. of school duplicate.....
Due from last settlement....
By amt. paid M. D. Horn...
Exonerations. Rebate due from year 1900. Amt. due Twp. to balance. 2028 33 2028 33 M. D. Horn, School Treasurer, in account with Davidson Twp. for the year ending June 2, 1902.

Commission. Amt. due M. D.Horn, to balance 479 69

We the undersigned auditors of Davidson Twp, do hereby certify that we did audit and adjust the said several accounts correctly to the best of our knowledge, information and belief, as the same appears audited and herein set forth.

In testimony wsereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 3d day of June, 1902.

FRANK MAN MAN PROPERTY.

FRANK MAGARGEL, M. D. SWEENEY, R. S. STARR. Attest; C, A. STARR, Town Clerk.

CONDENSED REPORT of the condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Dushore, Pa. At close of business, April 30 1902

RESOURCES:

LIABILITIES.

Capital. 50,000 00 lus and Undivided Profits. \$ 339,666 2

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.

M. D. SWARTS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th
day of May 1902.
JOHN H. CRONIN, Notary Public.
My commission expires February 27, 1905.
Correct—Affact.

Correct—Attest:
A.WALSH.
E.G. SYLVARIA.
JNO. D. REESER,

3000 bushels of lime at Reeder's Lime House, one and one half mile below Laporte.



Statement of Laporte Twp.

| Geo. Karge in account with Laporte Twp. as Collector of Special Road Tax for the year ending June 2nd, 1962. | To balance due from settlement '01 \$ 87 32 By receipts filed on same. | 55 63 To amt of duplicate. | 609 19 14 07 Per Commission on returns. | 100 Commission on returns is xix days. | 375 00 Rebate on same. | 18 75 Collector's Commission. | 12 5 75 | Collector's Commission..... Collected on face duplicate 144 31 696 51

Balance due from settlement of 1901 31 15
By exonerations allowed. 203 85
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Commission on returns.
Amt. collected within sixty days
By rebate on same. 205 85
Collected on face duplicate. 205 85
Ballance in collector's hands. 205 85 67 48 235 00 235 00 2 28 Land returns.
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Collected within sixty days, less rerebate and commission.
Rebate on same
Commission on above
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Collected on fee duplicate.
Commission on same.
Salance in collector's hands. 568 56

To amount of duplicate.. Exonerations..... Exonerations...
Returns...
Commission on returns...
Collected within sixty days, less rebate and commission
Rebate on above ...
Collector's commission
Collected on face duplicate ...
Commission on above ...
Collected, 5 per cent added... 211 40 211 40

supplies.....all other purposes and sundry Amt. in treasurer's hands....

2296 21 2296 21 We the undersigned auditors and town cle do hereby certify that the foregoing statemes true and correct to the best of our knowled and belief.

H. M. FIESTER, ERNEST H. BOTSFORD, LYMAN HARVEY, Attest: E. C. PETERS, Clerk.

Statement of Laporte Borough School Account.

John W. Flynn Treasurer of School Funds the school year ending June 2, 1902. Red'd from State appropriation \$487.62 L. R. Gavitt, Treas, Laporte Twp. 51.48 Wm. P. Shoemaker, collector 434.51 Balance due J. W. Flynn.
Amt. due J. W. Flynn, 1rst audit
Orders redeemed....
Commission 2 per cent on 1045 07

1173 88 BUILDING FUND. Received from Wm. P. Orders redeemed...... Bonds Nos. 10 and 12. Bond coupons 2 of Commission 2 per et et ission 2 per ct. on 407 38 e in hands of Treasurer 436 49 436 49

MUSICAL FUND.

Amt. of musical fund ... \$108 83

Wm. P. Shoemaker Collector of School Tax the year ending June 2, 1902.

By amount of duplicate... \$680 73

Aut. due Wm. P. Shoemaker

By Treasurer's receipts... 43

5 per cent rebate on \$157.37 ... 2

3 per cent commission on 331.51 ... 1

By Treasurer's receipts... 12

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Exonerations... 3

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By Treasurer's receipts...... 5 per cent commission on same By land returus Exonerations 464 30 464 30

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200 00 200 00 MUSICAL FUNDS. Balance in hands of Treasurer We the undersigned auditors of Laporte Boro do certify that we have carefully examined the docounts of the several officers, collectors and treasurer, for the fiscal year 1901 and find them correct as set forth in the foregoing statement.

Witness our hands and seals this 2nd day of June, A. D., 1902. CHAS, COLEMAN, Borough LEO WREDE, Auditors

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of James Stull, late of Fox twp.

deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to

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"Wait," she said, picking a book off the library table, "let me see what 'First Aid to the Injured' says to do in such a case as yours."-Chicago Rec ord-Herald.

Ready to Yield.
"I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for diles and found it a certain cure," says S. R. Meredith, Willow Grove. Del. Operations unnecessary to cure piles. They always yield to DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve. Cures skin diseases, all

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Insured of Course Or if not you are expecting to get it in-Or if not you are expecting to get it insured. In that case one of the questions you are trying to solve is: Where shall I insure? Which is the best company? These are perplexing questions, and perhaps the more you read and hear the differing claims of different companies and their agents, the more bewildered and uncertain you become. Now, in a matter in which you may have little knowledge or experience, why not accept the knowledge or experience, why not accept the knowledge and ence, why not accept the knowledge and experience of your friends and neighbors who have a great deal of both? Here, as elsewhere, experience is the best teacher and the surest guide.

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Interesting to Asthma Sureers.

Daniel Bante of Otterville, lowe, writes "I have had asthma for three or four years and have tried about all the cough and asthma cures in the market and have B. R. R. with our own cars, giving purchaser ample time to unload.

All correspondency will receive prompt attention. Address,

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CHOICE MISCELLANY

Nicknackitorian.

London shopkeepers' slang is a dialect in itself and one that is always changing. What, then, is a "nicknackitorian?" We know not the word today; but, looking recently through some old law cases dating about a hundred years back, I was puzzled to find it ap-

Warning.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not'use. Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases.

For sale by C. D. Voorhees, Sonestown, and James McFarlane, Laporte.

On the first indication of kidney trouble stop it by taking Foley's Kidney Cure.

plied in all good faith to describe a plaintiff in the sheriff's court. On further search it turned out to be a piece of forgotten Cockney slang for a dealer in bric-a-brac. The evidence showed that this plaintiff kept a sort of old curiosity shop, in which he dispensed 'mummies, poisoned arrows, the head of King Arthur's spear and a genuine

Ten Years in Bed.
R. A. Gray, J. P., Oakville, Ind., writes "For ten years I was confined to my bed with disease of my kidneys. It was so severe that I could not move part of the time. I consulted the very best medical skill available, but could get no reliet until Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me. It has been a Godsend to me."

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Chronic bronchial trouble and summer coughs can be quickly relieved and cured by Foley's Honey and Tar.

manuscript of the first play acted by Thespis and his company in a wagon! The defendant, a woman, had actually bought and paid for some of these rarities, but she died after having commissloned the embalming of an orang-outang to add to her collection, and for this her executors refused to pay. Counsel for the defense poured contempt on the mummy of the orang-

A Real Friend.

A Real Friend.
"I suffered from dyspepsia and indigestion for fifteen years," says W. T. Sturdevant of Merry Oaks, N. C. "After I had tried many doctors and medicines to no avail one of my friends persuaided me to try Kodol. It Gave immediate relief. I car eat almost anything I want now and my digestion is good. I cheerfully recommend Kodol." Don't try to cure stomach mend Kodol." my digestion is good. I cheerfully recommend Kodol." Don't try to cure stomach trouble by dieting, That only further weakens the system. You need wholesome, strengthing tood. Kodol enables you to assimilate what you eat by digesting it without the stomach's aid.

outang and called it a "stuffed monkey." But the "nicknackitorian" won his case. His profession was more taking than his name.-Manchester Guard-

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serious illness may follow such symptoms. DeWitt's Little Early Risers remove all danger by stimulating the liver, opening the bowels and cleansing the system of impurities. Safe pills. Never gripe.

"I have taken DeWitt's Little Early Risers for torpid liver every spring for years," writes R. M. Everly, Moundsville W. Va. "They do me more good than W. Va. "They do me more good than anything I have ever tried."

mail in Alaska by dog sleds. The sucroute lies between Eagle and Valdez, a distance of 414 miles. He makes two trips a month and receives nearly 500 a trip, or \$35,000 a year. Only 300 pounds are carried per trip, and this is usually made up of letters—few news-

Was Wasting Away. Was Wasting Away.

The following letter from Robert R,
Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I
have been troubled with kidney disease
for the last five years. I lost flesh and
never telt well and doctored with leading
physicians and tried all rem dies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's
Kidney Cure and less than two bottles
comsletely cured me and I am now sound
and well."

papers. Postoffice department officials say that the sum paid to Fish is very reasonable when it is considered that he makes the trip by dog sled and that he has the most dangerous route of any mail carrier in the world. He has several times been given up for dead by residents of Valdez and Eagle, but so far he has always managed to reach the end of his journey, although sometimes overdue and occasionally

Interesting to Asthma Sufferers. and astima cires in the market and have received treatment from physicians in New York and other cities, but got very little benefit until 1 tried Faley's Honey and Tar which gave me immediate relief and I will never be without it in my house. I sincerely recommend it to all." For sale by C. D. Voorhees, Sonestown, and James McFaalane, Laporte.

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