

COUNTY NEWS: BITTS OF BRIGHT NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

SHUNK.

The many little friends of Karleen Packard paid her a surprise visit on Wednesday afternoon July 30th from two until six o'clock, the occasion being her ninth birthday. From the noise and shouts of laughter in that direction it was very evident the young folks were enjoying themselves immensely, and when after supper they all departed for their homes wished for a party like that every day. Many little birthday tokens were received.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morgan returned Sunday from near Greenwood where they spent several days huckleberrying.

Mrs. R. M. Wheeler suffered a stroke of paralysis last week.

Hiram Stull returned to this place after an absence of nearly two years. Sheriff Cott was a business man in town one day last week.

Samuel Kilmer of Elkland made a business trip to town Wednesday. The haying bee of Mrs. Cora Stulls on Friday and Saturday was largely attended.

Henry Andrus drove up from Forksville Thursday last.

NORDMONT.

No, Nordmont is not dead, only sleeping.

Mrs. C. M. Books and son Stanley are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Ray Kessler at this place.

Miss Maud Laird gave a porch party last Friday evening in honor of Miss Finis of Berwick, who is being entertained by the Misses Pennington.

Mr. Frank Small has gone to Dushore to attend Teacher's Institute.

Mr. Harry Botsford of Dushore spent Sunday with his parents.

Weiland returned last Friday after spending a most enjoyable week camping near Harrisburg.

The following persons attended the Sells-Forpaugh show at Williamsport last week: Mrs. Wm. Anders, Miss Mina Gansel, Messrs. O. J. Sherman and Arthur Mosteflar.

Mrs. Duane Lataurette has returned after an extended visit with friends in Buffalo.

Misses Myrtle and Pearl Crossley of Benton, spent part of last week with relatives in town.

Rev. Biggs of Sonestown transacted business in town on Monday.

The Annual Convention of Sullivan County Sunday Schools will be held in the Baptist church at Laporte, Thursday and Friday, August 21st and 22nd. A new feature of the convention will be the daily conference by Hugh Cork of the State Organization. Mr. Cork requests that Sunday School workers send questions and problems pertaining to Sunday School work to Rev. S. B. Bidlack, Laporte, in advance of the conference.

HARRIET E. GRIMM,
Corresponding Secretary.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will hold its annual supper on the lawn at J. V. Finkle's residence, Friday evening August 15.

The date has been fixed one week earlier than usual on account of the Sunday School Convention the following week.

A Lawn Festival will be held by the ladies of St. John's Guild of La Porte, Pa., at the home of Mrs. Ellery P. Ingham on Tuesday evening Aug. 12, 1902.

Proceeds to be used toward purchasing a heater for St. John's Episcopal Church.

All are cordially invited.

By Order St. John's Guild.

Teachers' Examinations.
The teachers' examination for the several school districts of Sullivan County will be held as follows:
Colley, at Lopez, Tuesday, August 12.

Cherry, at Dushore, Wednesday, August 13.

Laporte Twp., Davidson, Shrewsbury and Eagles Mere, at Sonestown Wednesday, August 14.

Forks, Elkland and Hills Grove, at Forksville, Saturday, August 16.

Fox, at Shunk, Monday, August 18.

The directors of the different districts are requested to be present at the examination for their district. All examinations will commence at 9 o'clock a. m.

M. R. BLACK, Co. Supt.
Forksville, Pa., July 26, 1902.

May Trial List.

Return day, Monday Sept. 15th 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.
1. Robert McMahon, Jr. now to use of John W. Carroll vs Robert McMahon and Eliza McMahon. No. 34, May term, 1900. Feigned issue. Plea, non assumpsit, payment etc.
Mullen. | Cronin & Walsh.

2. Rider Erison Engine Co. a corporation vs Henry Brown owner or repudied owner and W. McConnell, contractor No. 40 May term, 1901. Mechanic's lien. Plea, non assumpsit etc.
Mullen. | Fredericks and Inghamst.

3. James Gordon vs Howard Lyons, doing business as the Lyon Lumber Co. No. 49, February term, 1902. Assumpsit. Plea, non assumpsit, payment set off, etc.
Bradley. | Mullen.

4. A. C. Anderson vs C. F. Wackenhuth, executor of John H. Rothrock, decd. No. 18, May term, 1902. Assumpsit. Plea non assumpsit, payment with leave, etc.
Bradley & Mullen. | Stevens & Ingham.

SECOND WEEK.

Return day, September, 22, 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m.

1. W. L. Woodruff vs W. W. Jackson et al. No. 62, September term, 1900. Ejectment. Plea, not guilty.
Mullen. | Walsh.

2. J. S. Hoffa & Co. vs W. Woodruff, Jackson Executor and Blanch Winifred Sturdevant Executrix of Bernice W. Jackson, deceased. No. 67, Sept. term, 1900. Assumpsit. Plea, non assumpsit, payment set off etc.
Cronin. | Maxwe, Mullen and Walsh.

3. W. W. Jackson et al vs Walter B. Gunton. No. 51, September term, 1901. Trespass. Plea, not guilty.
Mullen & Walsh. | Mercier | Thomson.

4. W. W. Jackson et al vs Walter B. Gunton. No. 52, Sept. term, 1901. Trespass. Plea, not guilty.
Mullen & Walsh. | Mercier & Thomson.

THOS. E. KENNEDY, Proth's office, Laporte, Pa., Aug. 14, 1902

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, HON. E. M. DUNHAM, President Judge, Honorable John D. Reiser and Jacob Meyer, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and general Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Common Pleas for the County of Sullivan, have issued their precept, bearing date the 26 day of May 1901 to me directed, for holding the several courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 15th day of Sept. 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m. Therefore notice is hereby given to the Corner Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper person at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions examinations and other remembrances to those things to which their offices pertain to be done. And to those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against prisoners who are or shall be in the jail of the said county of Sullivan, are hereby notified to be then and there to prosecute against them as will be just.

J. G. COTT, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa., Aug. 5, 1902.

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Everybody Says So. Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. to-day, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures colds, prevents pneumonia.

A MENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

A JOINT RESOLUTION
Proposing an amendment to section ten of article one of the Constitution, so that a discharge of a jury for failure to agree or other necessary causes shall not work an acquittal.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following be proposed as an amendment to the Constitution; that is to say, that section ten of article one, which reads as follows:

"No person shall, for any indictable offense, be proceeded against criminally by information, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the militia, when in actual service, in time of war or public danger, or by leave of the court for oppression or misdemeanor in office. No person shall, for the same offense, be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall private property be taken or applied to public use, without authority of law and without just compensation being first made or secured;" be amended so as to read as follows:

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A true copy of the Joint Resolution,
W. W. GRIEST,
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Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth.

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

Amendment.
Add at the end of section seven, article three, the following words: "Unless before it shall be introduced in the General Assembly, such proposed special or local laws shall have been first submitted to a popular vote, at a general or special election in the locality or localities to be effected by its operation, under an order of the court of common pleas of the respective county after hearing an application granted, and shall have been approved by a majority of the voters at such election: Provided, That no such election shall be held until the decree of court authorizing the same shall have been advertised for at least thirty (30) days in the locality or localities affected, in such manner as the court may direct."

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Mrs. Fred Korn of No. 175 Wells St., Wilkes Barre, Pa., says:—"I have been very nervous for a long time, suffering so much from persistent headaches and could not sleep well at night. I was so bad last spring that I had to have the doctor and again last fall. I was very poorly and seeing Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills recommended I got a box and used them I have had no headaches since and sleep well. They are an awfully good medicine. I also gave some to my little boy for nervousness and they did him so much good. I recommend them highly."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D. are on every package.

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Executor's Notice.

Estate of John H. Rothrock M. D., late of Sonestown, Sullivan County, Pa., dec'd. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary have been granted to the undersigned Executor. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the late John H. Rothrock M. D., of Sonestown, Pa., will please call and make payment; and those having claims against the estate will present them at once.
C. F. WACKENHUTH, M.D.,
Picture Rocks, Pa.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of E. L. Brundage late of Davidson 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
Mrs. LOUISA BRUNDAGE,
Administratrix, Nordmont, Pa.
MULLEN, Attorney, Laporte, Pa.

Administrators Notice.

Estate of John Bogart late of Davidson township, 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 payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to
H. P. HALL, Admr., Sonestown.
MULLEN, Attorney.

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CONDENSED REPORT of the condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Dushore, Pa.

At close of business, July 16 1902	
RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$197,076 05
U. S. Bonds and other securities	67,963 74
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,400 00
Real Estate Furniture and fixtures	2,018 15
Cash, banks and Trans. U. S.	73,244 43
	\$343,689 37
LIABILITIES:	
Capital	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	20,433 01
Circulation	50,000 00
Deposits	223,256 36
	\$343,689 37

State of Pennsylvania, County of Sullivan ss: I, M. D. Swarts, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. D. SWARTS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of July 1902.
JOHN H. CRONIN, Notary Public.
My commission expires February 27, 1905.

Correct—A. WALSH,
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The Fight Against Unrighteousness.

We must fight selfishness with unselfishness, hatred with love, covetousness with generosity, falsehood with truth, darkness with light. We must build up life on the positive side.—Rev. Dr. Polemas H. Swift, Methodist, Chicago.

His Sight Threatened.

"While picnicking last month my 11-year-old boy was poisoned by some weed or plant," says W. H. Bible, of Sioux City, Ia. "He rubbed the poison off his hands into his eyes and for awhile we were afraid he would lose his sight. Finally a neighbor recommended DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The first application helped him and in a few days he was as well as ever." For skin diseases, cuts, burns, scalds, wounds, insect bites, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is sure cure. Relieves piles at once. Beware of counterfeits.

The Purchase of Nobility.

It has been proved by 6,000 years of history that the only way to develop men, to quicken the greatness in them, to enlarge their minds and release the pent-up perfumes of loveliness, is to expose them to conflict, to trials, disappointments and anguish. These are the prices paid for nobility. No man inherits nobility; he purchases it with tears and anguish.—Rev. Dr. George C. Lorimer, Baptist, New York

Consumption Threatened.

"I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption," says C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill. "I tried a great many remedies and I was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me and I have not been bothered since."
For sale by C. D. Voorhees, Sonestown, and James McFarlane, Laporte, Pa.

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Many persons in this community are suffering from kidney complaint who could avoid fatal results by using Foley's Kidney Cure.
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The most endearing institution on earth is the church.—The Late Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage.

The Soul's Great Need.

Never did individual souls need the knowledge of Christ more than today.—Rev. Dr. Cadman, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

A Physician Healed.

Dr. George Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years I had been greatly bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I commenced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success."

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Men of spiritual vision are not visionary men. Spirituality is practical.—Rev. Dr. W. W. Landrum, Baptist, Atlanta, Ga.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

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Sacred Dignity of Marriage.

No teaching in our day and place is more needed than that which recalls and emphasizes the sacred dignity of the marriage state and the weighty responsibilities and tender, yet holy, duties and rewards it involves.—Rev. M. P. Smith, Catholic, San Francisco.

Foley's Kidney Cure.

Will cure Bright's Disease. Will cure Diabetes. Will cure Stone in Bladder. Will cure Kidney and Bladder Diseases. For sale by C. D. Voorhees, Sonestown, and James McFarlane, Laporte.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure all diseases arising from disordered kidneys or bladder.

A World of Your Own.

Once feel God's hand on your shoulder and you will forget the world and make a world of your own. What others enjoy will be nothing to you, and what you will find in your own pathway when you are in the right relation to him is sufficient for you.—George H. Hepworth, Congregationalist, New York.

To My Friends.

It is with joy I tell you what Kodol did for me. I was troubled with my stomach for several months. Upon being advised to use Kodol, I did so, and words cannot tell the good it has done me. A neighbor had dyspepsia so that he had tried most everything. I told him to use Kodol. Words of gratitude have come to me from him because I had recommended it.—Geo. W. Fry, Viola, Iowa. Health and strength, of mind and body, depend on the stomach, and normal activity of the digestive organs. Kodol, the great reconstructive tonic, cures all stomach and bowel troubles, indigestion, dyspepsia. Kodol digests any good food you eat. Take a dose after meals.

Duty Toward Children.

God intends two things for children—that they shall have his truth with the favorable introduction of parental commendation and elucidation, and, further, they shall have fullness of consideration and opportunity.—Rev. M. T. Haw, Methodist, St. Louis.