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County Seat Local and Personal Events Tersely Told.

License court next Monday. Judge Dunham is holding court at Born, on February 6, to Mr. and

Mrs. John Lovelace a daughter. Wm. J. Lawrence of Dushore was a Laporte business man on Wednes-

The members of the M. E. church will give a chicken and waffle supper at the home of Mrs. A. J. Hackley next Saturday evening.

Mercantile Appraiser W. H. Fanning of Shunk was at the county seat on official business on Wednes-

Mr. Wm. Sherwood of Sonestown, visited his daughter, Mrs. David Temple at this place on Thursday.

Mr. Jerry Stackhouse of Eagles Mere has purchased the Lorah Hotel property at Sonestown, and will take possession of the same this coming spring.

The rein Mutual is ably and successfully represented in this vicinity by M. A. SCUREMAN, District Agent, Rooms 19 & 20 Welles Building, Wilkes Barre, Pa.

There are four remonstrances filed at the county office remonstrating against license being granted to the applicants at Forksville, Shunk, and two at Muncy Valley, Messrs. Geo. Meyers and J. W. Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Higley and J. V. Finkle returned from New Orange, N. J. on Friday last after spending the last four or five months at that ... They report the winter as being severely cold down in Jersey, but no sleighing. Mr. Fink-le can now be found at his shop ready for business.

The Sullivan Review last week took occasion to inform its readers that the News Item had secured the printing of the election ballots, gave the price of our bid and numerated all the work done, in a manner that would indicate that our price was ridiculously low. With a modern equipment like that of this office the job was only a small affair. It seems to appear, however, to a back number establishment such as may be found in Dushore, to be a huge undertaking.

A large party of engineers who have been making a survey for the proposed Williamsport and Binghamtonrailroad stated that the work of construction would begin as soon as the engineers complete their work. What route they will cover from Loyalsockville to Williamsport is 2.00 only a matter of conjecture. Some predict that the road will be built to Montoursville and connection made there with the Reading railway. 1.10 Others scout this opinion. They ar gue that the new railroad will be a competitor of the W. & N. B. R. and it would not be good policy to be on friendly terms with the Reading. People in a position to know assert that when the new railroad is built, a spur will be constructed from the head of Loyalsock creek to Eagles Mere. This would make Eagles Mere more directly accessible from Williamsport and New York state.

> The Fifty-fifth Annual Report of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Phila.

The fifty- fifth annual report of The Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. invites the consideration not only of its many policy holders in this vicinity but also of the insuring public in general as well. This Company, organ ized in 1847, stands to-day in the very front rank of safe and sound inverted to the very front rank of safe and s stitutions. Beginning in a small way, its growth has been gradual along safe and conservative lines. The business done during the year 1902 ex-ceeded that done in any previous year, the total amount of insurance written

the total amount of insurance written being \$69,632,777, or over \$7,000,000 in excess of that of 1901.

The business of 1902 was the most sxceessful in the company's history, 29,729 men and women having been added to its list of policy holders. The total amount of insurance now held in the Penn Mutual reaches the sum of \$276,10015. The assets of held in the Penn Mutual reaches the sum of \$276,110,015. The assets of the Company now amount to \$54,682-956; liabilities, \$48,090,122; leaving a surplus of \$6,592,834. Since the organization of the Company there has been paid to policyholders the sum of \$67,762,394., a fact of itself which affords indisputable evidence of the beneficence of this institution.

The mortality record of the Company for 1902 is of especial interest. The provision for death losses during the year was \$3,834,655. The actual death losses were but \$2,602,945., or death losses were but \$2,002,945., or about 68 per cent of the amount for which provision was made. Therefore out of every One Hundred Dollars put aside for death losses, the Company saved \$32.00, a most remarkable record, and one that is unsurpassed to for it form Companies delive but by few, if any, Companies doing bus-

And again, the interest account

shows that the Company's securities are of the very best, as is evidenced by the remarkable fact that the overbue interest on mortgages was less than one-fiftieth of one per cent at the end of 1902. The Company earned and collected for interest during 1902 more than \$300,000. in excess of the reserve requirement,—an admirable record indeed.

The Old Penn Mutual is firmly established in public confidence; its success has been great, but it means to go on. The business of this State is very large and this result has been

to go on. The business of this State is very large and this result has been greatly aided by the business secured by Messrs. Bourne & Durham, of Nos. 405-414 Stephen Girard Building, Philadelphia, General Managers for N. E. & Central Pennsylvania. The Philadelphia, General Managers for N. E. & Central Pennsylvania. The year just closed was the most successful in the history of the Agency, there having been issued through their office a handsome increas over that done during the year previous, which exceeds three million in volume. The Agency is one of the largest of the Company having representatives The Agency is one of the largest of the Company, having representatives with offices in all the principal cities of N. E. & Central Pennsylvania, as well as a large and efficient corps of agents in Philadelphia, of whom both the Company and Messrs. Bourne & Durham are justly proud.

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We in Illinois confine the membership of our granges very closely to farmers. We admit schoolteachers farmers. We admit schoolteachers when they teach in the country and are closely connected with country life, but we have never been in the habit of taking in members who are not eligible in the strictest construction of the

I notice a great deal of difference in that matter in the different states where the national grange holds its sessions. In New England especially there are many admitted to member-ship who are in business and profes-sional life and not strictly farmers. This helps to make the national meetings interesting, as in each place we go we find a different variety of mem-

bers and in consequence a variety in the work that is done.

In one section of the country one department of work is made prominent and another in some other state. This is, of course, aside from the great general plan of the work of the Order.-Mrs. Martha Wilson.

The Grange as an Educator.

The yearbook of the department of agriculture speaks of the grange as a factor in agricultural education as follows: The second half of the nineteenth lows: The second half of the nineteenth century has witnessed a great awakening of the farmers of this country to their educational needs and opportunities. This has led to the broadening of the work and influence of the general agencies for their education. The state and local societies have been complete. and local societies have been supple-mented by great national organizations such as the Patrons of Husbandry, which, besides doing a great deal for the promotion of their general welfare, have done much to quicken the desire of multitudes of farmers for definite education in matters relating to their

The Opportunity Ours. State Master Ladd of Massachusetts said in his annual address that "at no time in our history has there been greater need of farmers organising. The day of successes by old methods has passed. New conditions and com-binations confront us on every hand, better methods and counter organizations are our only hope. If we succeed, it must be by our own efforts, and the grange has given us the opportunity."

Vermont added 1,000 new members the past year, Oregon 1,500, New York 6,000, Michigan 6,000, Massachusetts 1,000 and Maine 5,000. These are the largest in increase.

The national grange will probably meet in St. Louis at the world's fair in

The class at the Massachusetts Agricultural college is the largest in twenty

The grange is a strong advocate of the parcels post.

A live, flourishing subordinate grange that is living up to its possibilities is worth \$1,000 to any town.—Governor Bachelder, New Hampshire.

New England granges pay more attention to the ritualistic work of the order than those of other states. So one said who knows.

The grange teaches the farmer to

We atrive to make hanny homes.
"I want to know" is an expression we hear old women sometimes use. It is the essence of an inspiration which drives us to find out the truths of life for ourselves. The man or woman who really "wants to know" and makes those wants known is sure to learn. Our desire and search for knowledge necessarily begin in the darkness of ignorance.

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In Re: Estate of George Kunzman, late of Elkland Township, Sullivan Co. Pa., deceased.

Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

ADAM BAUMUNK, Admr.

Eddredsville, Pa.

A. J. BRADLDY, Atty.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

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WHEREAS, HON. E. M. DUNHAM, President Judge. Honorables John D. Reeser 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 20 day of Sept. 1901. to me directed, for holding the severa courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 23d day of Feb. 1902. at 20 clock p. m. Ormoney Corner of the Peace and Constables within the County, that they be then and there in their proper person at 20 clock p. m. of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions examinations and other rememberances to those things to which their offices appertain to be done. And to those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against prisoners who are or shall be in the lail of thesaid county of Sullivan, are hereby notified to the then and there to prosecute against them as will be just.

J. G. COTT, Sheriff.

J. G. COTT, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa., Oct. 52, 1902,

NOTICE is hereby given that an appeal will be held at the County Commissioners Office in Laporte, Pa. on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1903.

Peter J. Yonkin, Thomas W. Gahan, George W. Bigger, Attest: E. L. Sweeney, Clerk

Administrators Notice.

In Re Estate of J. M. Breitmeier, late of Davidson Township, Sullivan County Penna, deceased.
of Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters of Administration upon the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against the same will present them for payment. duly authenticated; and those indebted thereto, will please make payment to

payment to (Mre.) HANNAH BREITMEIER, At Muncy Valley, Pa.
A. J. BRADLEY, Atty.
Laporte, Pa., Jan. 1, 1903.

Trial List February Term 1903. No. 1. Davidson Township School District vs J. W. Moran, Geo. E. Taylor and Jas. Moran, No 63 Decembes term, 1898 Assumsit. Plea-Non assumsit, pay ment with leave etc.

Walsh. No. 2. Robert McMahon Jr. now to ase of John W. Carrol vs Robert McMahon and Eliza McMahon. No. 24. May term, 1900. Feigned issue. Plea-Non ssumsit, payment etc.

Mullen. No. 3. John S. Hoffa & Co. vs. Mary Maxwell Jackson, executrix of Geo. C. Jackson, deceased. No. 35. December term, 1900. Assumsit. Plea-Non assumsit payment with leave etc.

Mullen & Walsh No. 4. Mrs. Kate Mostellar vs Glem Peterman. No. 74 May term, 1902. Tress pass. Plea-not guilty. Bradley & Mullen. Inghams.

No. 5. Union Tanning Co. vs Isaacher Robbins, Zebulon S. Robbins and Freeman O. Robbins Co., partners doing business under the firm name or the Robbin Lumber Co., Chas. Jackson, Elisha Jacksrn and Eugene Wood. No. 3 Sept, term, 1902. Tresspass. Plea-not guilty. McCormick & Thomson

Inghams & O'Boyle No. 6. Ellis Swank and Emma Swank vs the W. & N. B. R. R. Co, lessees of the Eagles Mere R. R. Co. No. 8 Sept. term, 1902. Ejectment. Plea-not uil

McCormick & Thomson.

No. 7. C. Elmer Biggar vs John G. Scouteu, John Andrews and Geo. W. Andrews. No. 66 Sept. term. 1902. Eject ment. Plea—not guilty.

Mullen.

No. 8. Geo. E. Brown and J. C. t (use) vs H.W.Osler, J.M.Osler, Ablert Kay Geo. E. Brown and C. M. Boyles, No. 78 Sept. term, 1902. Scire facias sur recog-inazance. Plea—non assumsit. No breach and Covenants performed.

Mercer & Walsh. No. 9. Union Tanning Co. vs Isaacher Robbins, Zebulon S., Robbins and Freeman O. Robbins, trading and doing business as the Robbins Lumber Co., Wm. McCollough, W. F. VanSickler and Frank McHenry, No. 101 Sept. term, 1902. Tresspass. Plea—not guilty. McCormick & Thomson.

Inghams & O'Boyles.

No. 10. John Harney (use) vs Allen
Little, administrator of the estate of Rachel Little, deceased, and Allen Little.
No. 105 Sept. term, 1902. Sci fa sur
Mortg. Plea—payment with leave etc.
Walsh Thomson & Heess.
No. 11. H. J. Shaylor vs C. M. Speary.
No. 110 Sept. term, 1902. Plea—Non
assumsit with leave.
Walsh. Inghams & O'Boyles.

Prothonotary's Office, Laporte, Pa. January 12, 1903. THOS. E. KENNEDY, Prothono a v

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