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Same per ton 27.00  
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Same per ton 22.00  
Schumacher's best flour 1.30  
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140 lbs. common fine salt .60  
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Choice clover seed 8.25  
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Veal calves and dressed poultry  
wanted every Wednesday forenoon.  
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**County Seat**  
Local and Personal Events  
Tersely Told.

Mrs. David Mark was visiting in Muncy Valley Friday last.  
J. J. Teevan of Lincoln Falls, was a Laporte visitor on Thursday.  
R. J. Yothers of Chemung, Pa., was a Laporte visitor Tuesday.  
Mrs. T. J. Ingham is visiting with friends at Eagles Mere this week.  
Misses Mame and Pearl Heim are visiting friends in Athens this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Simon Breigher were shopping in Williamsport Thursday.  
William Kiess of Sonestown, was doing business at Laporte Wednesday.  
Charles B. Watson was transacting business and calling on friends at the county seat Friday last.  
Hon. T. J. Ingham is making plans for replacing the hot air furnace in his residence with a modern hot water heater.  
The Laporte Sunday Schools held a picnic at Mokoma Grove Wednesday. A pleasant time was enjoyed by a large number.  
Willis Snider, who is lumbering down the Sock, had the misfortune of losing a valuable horse last week. Cause of sickness not known.  
Mrs. Victor Hugo and children, accompanied by Miss Freda Crossley returned to the former's home in Philadelphia, Thursday morning.  
The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will hold its annual supper on the lawn in front of J. V. Finkle's residence, Wednesday Sept. 2.

Mrs. S. F. Colt and family have returned to their home in Lancaster, N. Y., after a pleasant summer vacation of several weeks at Laporte.  
A masquerade dance will be held at the Mokoma Pavilion on the evening of September 3. A merry time is promised to all participants.  
The case of Jas. Tomkins vs C. B. Wheatly, which was tried before arbitrators recently will be appealed and tried in court at next February term.  
Messrs. Samuel Vargason and C. B. Wheatley of Estella were transacting business at the county seat on Thursday.

O. W. Bennett has moved into the Clark residence on West Main street and has opened a blacksmith shop on the same premise, having remodeled the wagon shed suitable for that purpose.  
Susquehanna county farmers report the arrival of a new style of potato bug. The new one is said to be capable of giving the old one points on destructiveness and general cussedness.  
Hardware merchant, Samuel Cole, of Dushore, was in Laporte Tuesday taking measurements for the hot air heaters he will place in the residences of A. H. Buschhausen and Chas. L. Wing.  
A number of gardens in town have already been raided by cattle that pasture the county seat streets. The only thing left in their path of devastation was evidences that the change of food was relished.  
Herbert Keeler received a severe cut on his foot, the result of a fall causing his foot to strike against a carpet tack. Dr. Randall put two stitches in the wound when dressing it.  
Atty. A. J. Bradley, wife and daughter, and guest, Miss Grace Lawrence, drove to Dushore Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bradley's grandfather, John Dieffenbach.  
J. H. Gansel has been tendered a position with contractors Hains & Co., of Wilkes Barre, as foreman on bridge construction at a lucrative salary. He left for Wayne county on Friday to take charge of two large bridge abutment under course of erection.  
The people of Laporte should feel honored that one of their number, Ellery P. Ingham, was called upon to deliver a lecture on Astrology at Boston last week. It is to be hoped the lecture will be repeated at this place as it is an interesting subject although little read about.  
Elias Hartz of Reading, who has been foretelling the weather by reading the breast bone of the goose for many years says the weather we are having is the coldest he has ever experienced at this season of the year. He predicts early frosts and says that he would not be surprised if the corn crop would be seriously damaged.

Carrie Nation, the saloon "buster" has been relinked to her husband. Mr. Nation must be a man of great courage, nerve and endurance.

A judicial decision of great importance to all localities where telephone poles are standing was made by Judge Marr, recently. In the case of the Tamaqua borough against the Edison Electric Light Co., of that town, the borough is given the right to tax the company's poles, and this right cannot be waived, abridged or bargained away.

The Laporte graded schools will open next Monday with Prof. J. M. Strohl principal and Misses Jessie Wrede and Esther Dunn assistants, in charge of the same. The outlook for the coming year is very bright with the thoroughly competent corps of teachers, the latest and most approved books, together with a good library for reference, it seem that nothing but satisfactory results can be obtained.

Many of our readers will be interested in the following article which we copy from the Hughesville Mail:  
Rev. S. B. Biddack, pastor of the M. E. congregation at Mapleton, visited Essick Heights one day last week and the sojourners at this beautiful resort contributed \$32.60 toward the building fund of the pretty little church which is being erected at the base of the mountain. Other friends have recently contributed toward the furnishing of the house of worship, among the number being Dr. Ginner, of the Pennsylvania Medical Institute, Williamsport, who has given an order for a beautiful hardwood pulpit, while J. K. Rishel is having a handsome communion table made at the factory in this place, and will be ready by the time the building is finished.

**Resolutions.**  
WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from this life William C. Rogers, who for many years has been a faithful member of this school; and was for six years its able and efficient superintendent, and  
Whereas, It is the desire of the school to publicly bear testimony to the high Christian character and usefulness of the deceased and to express our deep sense of sorrow and regret for the loss we have sustained therefore be it  
Resolved, That while we bow in meekness to the will of Him who "Doeth all things well," we deeply deplore the untimely death of our late brother and shall ever cherish the recollection of our pleasant fellowship and association with him in this school.  
Resolved, That we, as a school, bear united testimony to his devotion, loyalty and usefulness in this department of Christian labor, and to the uplifting influence of his life and character.  
Resolved, That the heartfelt sympathy of this school be hereby extended to the bereaved family of our late brother.  
Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in full upon the minutes and copies be sent to the county papers for publication.

**Important Dates to Be Remembered.**  
Voters should bear in mind that the last day for registration is Wednesday, September 2, and the last day for paying taxes is Saturday, October 3d.  
**Trial List September Term 1903.**  
Return day, Sept. 22, 1903, at 2 p.m.  
Rider Eriession Engine Co. a corporation vs Henry Brown owner or reputed owner and W. McConnell contractor.  
1. No. 40 May term, 1901.  
Mechanics Lien. Plea, Non Assumpsit. Mullen | Fredricks & Inghams.  
James Jordan vs Howard Lyons doing business as the Lyon Lumber Co.  
2. No. 49 February term, 1902  
Defendant's appeal. Plea non assumpsit. Mullen.  
No. 3 C. Elmer Bigger vs J. G. Scouten, John Andrews and Geo. W. Anderson.  
No. 66, September term, 1902.  
Ejection, Plea not guilty. Piatt  
Mullen. |  
No. 4. Geo. F. Suber (use) vs The Pennsylvania Beneficial Association of Williamsport Pa. No. 64 Feb term 1903  
Def. appeal. Plea non assumpsit. Walsh. | Ritter.  
No. 4. John Marshall vs Frank Thall No. 2, May term, 1903.  
Defendant's appeal. Plea non assumpsit. Cronin. | Walsh.  
No. 5. Cherry township School District vs Gabriel Litzelman. No. 33 Sept. term, 1903. Defendants appeal. Plea non assumpsit. | Mullen & Thayer  
Walsh. | THOS. E. KENNEDY,  
Prothonotary.  
Prothonotary's Office, Laporte, Pa.  
August 8, 1903.

**For Sale.**—Seven year old bay horse weighing fourteen hundred pounds, at reasonable price. Apply to A. E. Botsford, Nordmont, Pa.

**Administrator's Notice.**  
In re: estate of William C. Rogers, late of Forksville, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania.  
Notice is hereby given that letters of administration have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the estate are requested to present the same without delay to  
Mrs. MARY W. ROGERS, Administratrix,  
Forksville, Pa.  
F. W. MEYLERT, Attorney.  
Laporte, Pa.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves's signature is on each box, 25c.  
St. John's Episcopal Church, Laporte, Pa.—Friday evening, Litany and choir practice. Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning Prayer and address at 11 a. m. Evening service 8 o'clock.  
Eugene A. Heim, Rector

**CONDENSED REPORT** of the condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Dushore, Pa. At close of business, June 9 1903.  
**RESOURCES:**  
Loans and Discounts.....\$260,947 77  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... 5,000 00  
Premium on U. S. Bonds..... 3,400 00  
Furniture..... 1,900 00  
Due from Banks Approved reserve A.G. 43,758 47  
Specie and Legal Tender Notes..... 21,616 29  
Redemption fund U. S. Treasury..... 25,000 00  
\$ 385,222 53  
**LIABILITIES:**  
Capital.....\$ 50,000 00  
Surplus and Undivided Profits..... 24,502 38  
Circulation..... 43,900 00  
Deposits..... 259,816 17  
Dividends unpaid..... 400  
\$ 385,222 53  
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 12th day of June 1903.  
J. H. THAYER, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
JNO. D. REESER } Directors.  
W. C. ROGERS }

**COURT PROCLAMATION.**  
WHEREAS, HON. E. M. DUNHAM, President Judge, Honorable John D. Reeser and Jacob Meyer, Associate Judges of the Courts of Over and Terminus 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 29 day of February 1903, to me directed, for holding the several courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 21st day of Sept. 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.  
Therefore, notice is hereby given to the Coroner 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 appertain 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 12, 1903.

**THE CENTRAL**  
**State Normal School,**  
**LOCK HAVEN, PA.**  
J. R. FLICKINGER, Principal.

**FALL TERM BEGINS,**  
September 7, 1903.  
The school year just completed has been most successful. Larger numbers, higher standards and more complete equipment, are the best evidences of prosperity.  
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**WILL PLACE OF SALE**  
**LARGE STOCK OF SUMME GOODS**  
**Greatly Reduced in Price.**

By this means room will be made for a Stock of Fall and Winter Goods which will be the largest ever brought to Western Sullivan. Large shipments of these new goods, over the Susquehanna & New York R. R. will soon commence to arrive at this store and the necessity for room is great. It will be cheaper to dispose of our Summer stock at a sacrifice than to increase the size of store room. Come early for first choice.  
Yrs for Business,  
**A. E. CAMPBELL.**

**Here's the News for Which**  
**Scores of Clothing Buyers Have**  
**Wanted.**  
**Our Semi-Annual Clearing Sale of Men's**  
**Boys' and Children's Clothing now on.**

Almost every conceivable fabric is in the lot. Black and Blue Chevots, Fancy Cassimers and Worsteds, unfinished Worsteds; black, gray and blue Serges; Overplaids and Fancy Mixtures. All suits full, half or quarter lined with silk, mohair, venetian and Italian cloth. The variety is big and a few of the prices are:

\$18 suits for \$12,	\$10 suits for \$7 50
\$16 " " \$10	9 " " 6 75
\$15 " " \$9	8 " " 5 00
\$12 " " \$8	7 50 " " 5 00

Men's, Boys' and Children's pants all reduced. Gents Furnishings and Hats at BARGAINS never before thought of. Full line of Walk-Over and Quaker City shoes.  
**J. W. CARROLL'S,**  
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**LAPORTE**  
**CLOTHING STORE.**  
**Sacrifice Sale of Summer**  
**Furnishing Goods.**

**Time is Getting Very Short**  
for advantages to be gained by improving the great opportunity offered at this store for seasonable goods away below cost. It is a great advantage to us to have ample room when Fall and Winter stock arrives, therefore the goods now on hand must go for just what they will bring. Delay means loss to you, come now.

**JACOB HERR,**  
DEALER IN  
**Clothing, Shoes and Ladies' Cloaks**  
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With each purchase we will issue coupons representing the amount of your purchase. When your coupons reach specified amounts you are entitled to your choice of several different designs.  
The shapes are the very latest patterns and have been designed to meet the taste of the most fastidious. It is only by our guarantee to use a large quantity of these lamps that we have been able to get them at a price that we can afford to give them to our cash customers.  
We earnestly invite you to call and inspect them, when we will cheerfully give you full information.  
Very respectfully,  
**M. DEVERTON,**  
Scouten's Block. DUSHORE, PA.