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 January 1, 1903.

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 Newly erected. Opposite Court
 House square. Steam heat, bath rooms,
 hot and cold water, reading and pool
 room, and barber shop; also good stabling
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 All matters left to the care of this office
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100 lbs. new corn meal,	1.15
" cracked corn,	1.15
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Same per ton	22.00
50 and 100 bushel lots, Oats,	.41
100 coarse bran,	1.15
Same per ton,	22.00
Corn, oats and barley chop	1.30
Same per ton	25.00
100 lbs oyster shells,	50
100 lbs flour middlings	1.50
100 lbs low grade flour	1.60
Chicken wheat	1.25
100 lbs new process Oil meal	1.65
Schumackers Patent	1.70
Best Spring Wheat	1.70
Luxury	1.60
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Our own, a blended flour	1.55
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Lump rock salt	75
140 lbs common fine salt	50

Buckwheat grain wanted.
 Veal calves and dressed poultry
 wanted every Wednesday.

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Buschhausen'

County Seal
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

Born, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stafford, on Sunday, January 15.

Miss Hannah McCarty of Williamsport, is visiting her parents here.

Monroe Speary of Nordmont, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Frank McDermott of Buffalo, is visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. Thomas Sheean.

Mrs. E. M. Dunham is visiting her niece, Mrs. J. W. Pierson, at Bloomfield, N. J.

The Laporte Tannery has closed temporarily on account of scarcity of hides.

Mr. John Flynn, superintendent for the Elk Tannery Co., is suffering from an attack of quinsy.

Mr. Scott Weiland has been appointed postmaster at Nordmont, his brother, A. P. Wieland, the former postmaster having moved to Sayre.

Prof. J. E. Reese Killgore of Dushore, has been appointed County Superintendent of Schools of Sullivan county to fill the unexpired term of Supt. M. R. Black, who recently resigned to take charge of a rural free delivery route at Forksville.

There are several cases of measles in the second ward, and among the little sufferers are the children of William Kennedy and five children in the home of Daniel McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lauer of Idaho, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. M. C. Lauer at this place. Mr. Lauer, who is operating an ore mine in the far west has prospects for a very successful career in the mining industry.

The stage route between Forksville and Dushore has been suspended and Rural Free Delivery substituted. This will be a great convenience to people along the lines, as their mail will now be brought to their houses. Postmasters Hannon and Scher will have something added to their labors, and Postmaster Hannon something to his profits. The western part of the county with its R. F. D. routes, and telephone lines, is right in town. Real estate ought to rise in value, and probably will.

W. B. Ritter, station agent at this place was taken very ill last Thursday night and does not seem to improve very rapidly. Being a sufferer with heart trouble, it is thought that his present illness was brought on by over exertion while performing his duties at the station. Mr. Sam Ritter of Muncy Valley is filling his father's place at the station.

Mrs. Harry Mutchler of Nordmont, was taken very ill while visiting relatives in Danville, last week. She caught a very severe cold which developed into a serious case of asthma and for a time her condition was critical, but at last reports she was somewhat improved.

A sleigh load of jolly women from Bernice and Mildred passed through Laporte, Wednesday of last week, on their way to Sonestown, where they tendered Mr. and Mrs. Basley of the Magargle hotel, a very enjoyable surprise. The party consisted of Mrs. Frank Meyer, Mrs. Claud Transue, Mrs. George Forest, Mrs. Joseph Helsman, Mrs. P. L. Merithew, Mrs. Charles Pflaum, Mrs. Frank Allen, Mrs. Lee Johnson, Mrs. Walter Wheatley, Mrs. Harris Collins.

William T. Mason, a lawyer and his family, consisting of wife and two children, Ellen, four years old, and Marion, six months, with a servant, Annie Wells, lost their lives in a fire which partly destroyed the brown stone building occupied by them in New York city.

The thirty-ninth annual State Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held at Reading, June 7, 8, and 9. The veterans of that city will leave nothing undone to make the soldiers welcome and the gathering a success. The encampment was held there twenty-five years ago.

Notwithstanding recent denials of the rumor that the S. & N. Y. railroad would extend its line from Grays Run to Newberry Junction, surveyors have commenced work on the proposed extension. The object of the extension is to have the road connect with the New York Central.

Discussion of new sources of State revenue has developed the fact that Legislation recommended by the State Department of Health will be introduced at this session of the Legislature levying a \$2 tax on all dogs within the State. The number of dogs would amount to upward of \$1,000,000, and it is proposed to divide this tax between the State and the locality, giving half to each.

The Sunday School of the Evangelical church at Sonestown will hold a supper and festival on Saturday, January 21, beginning at 4 p. m., for benefit of church. There will be chicken and waffle, and a cooked supper; also ice cream, cake, pie, sandwiches, boxes and confectionary; also music and entertainment. The public is cordially invited to attend. Supper will be held in store room recently vacated by C. A. Starr.

Henry Gower of Unityville, was taken to the Williamsport Hospital on Tuesday in a very serious condition, after having his right hand badly lacerated on a rip saw at a shingle mill. His condition is very critical, as he lost a large quantity of blood.

The uniform Democratic view of the postelection stir for tariff tinkering is expressed by the New York Times:

"All over the country we have the curious spectacle of the successful party concentrating its attention with great earnestness on the single question of how far and how fast it can go toward adopting the policy of the opposition."

This statement would possess more interest if it possessed more truth. Proof of the assertion that the Republican party is about to adopt as its own the identical policy which carried its opponents down to the worst defeat ever experienced by them is far from being so abundant or so palpable as the Times would make it appear. Proof of this intention is not to be found in the agitation that has been fomented since the election by a few ambitious Republican politicians and a few restless editors of Republican newspapers. The voice of these is not the voice of the people. There is no evidence whatever that the great producing interests, the business interests, the agricultural interests, the wage earning interests, are clamoring for tariff tinkering.

The New York Times and its brethren of the free trade Democratic press are mistaken in supposing that the Republican party since the election has picked out of the gutter of defeat the torn, soiled mantle of its willom adversary and has decided to wear the rotten rag of "tariff reform" as its chosen costume. No. The Republican party has not stolen the Democratic thunder and has no intention of stealing it. It is a bad sort of thunder, and the country has just said so. What the country wants to hear for another four years is the pleasing rumble of moving wheels and cogs, the cheerful hum of industry, the pleasant stir and buzz of prosperity. That kind of thunder the Republican party already has in abundance; that kind the country likes best. The Democratic thunder is of the wrong kind. Nobody will steal it. Nobody wants it.

NO REVISION WANTED.

Maine's Interest is in Having the Tariff Let Alone.

"On the whole," said Representative Llewellyn Powers of the Fourth Maine congressional district, "I think it will be better for Maine and Maine interests to let the tariff alone. Our state stands on the borders of Canada and New Brunswick, and without a protective tariff all kinds of industrial development would suffer greatly from Canadian competition. As the law stands today our industries are guarded fully and amply. Our farmers are safeguarded from Canadian competition by having moderate duties on nearly every article they raise. Our lumber and pulp and paper interests are protected, and in all history Maine has not been so thoroughly preserved from outside competition as it is today. And we are feeling the impulse of this protection in all parts of the state.

Maine was never so prosperous as it is today. Last year one farmer in Aroostook who had been offering to sell his farm for \$25,000 harvested and sold \$17,000 worth of potatoes from the fifty-five acres he had under cultivation, which sum, after deducting the cost of growing and harvesting the crop and paying taxes and insurance and the entire expense of conducting the farm, left a net profit of more than 25 per cent on the asking price of his holdings. This is not a solitary case. The county is full of similar instances. All Maine, in fact, is teeming with wealth. Our population and our valuation are gaining by bounds, and so long as the existing tariff rates are enforced we shall be swimming in riches."

Mr. Powers knows Aroostook thoroughly and knows what is good for the people. In return the voters of Aroostook are aware of Mr. Powers' sentiments and continue to stand by him with increasing majorities every time he comes up for election. Hence when we view the tariff question in any light it would seem that no revision at all will be the best for Maine.—Bangor News

The ladies of the M. E. Church of Laporte, will give an oyster supper at the home of Mr. J. C. Pomring at Nordmont, Friday evening. Sleds will be in waiting at T. J. Keeler's. First load will leave about 5 p. m.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, HON. CHAS. E. TERRY, President Judge, Honorables John D. Reser and Theo Meyer, Associate Judges of the Courts of Over and Term 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 25 day of Dec. 1904, to me directed, for holding the several courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 27 day Feb'y of 1905, 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.

FRANK W. BUCK, Sheriff.
 Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa. Jan. 17, 1905.

Trial List, February Term 1905.

- Return Day, Feb. 27, at 2 o'clock p. m.
- 1 James Jordan vs Howard Lyon, doing business as the Lyon Lumber Co. No. 49 Feb. term 1902. Debt. appeal. Plea, non-assumpsit. Bradley. Mullen.
 - 2 Lawrence D. Finan vs Thos. Cadden No. 42, Feb. term, 1903. Trespass. Plea, not guilty. Walsh.
 - 3 William L. Woodruff vs Walter B. Gunton, No. 68 May term, 1903. Assumpsit. Plea - non assumpsit. Mullen. Mercier.
 - 4 Caroline B. Lyon executrix of Edward Lyon, decd vs Hannah Breitmeier and George Breitmeier. No. 27, Sept. T. 1903. Ejectment. Plea - not guilty. Mullen. Bradley.
 - 5 Joseph Fisher vs Harriet N. Steinback, Riley Steinback. No. 4, Dec. term, 1903. Ejectment. Plea - not guilty. Ames. Mullen.
 - 6 William Remsnyder and Hannah Remsnyder vs J. T. Bradley. No. 1 September term, 1904. Debt. appeal. Plea, non assumpsit payment with leave etc. Bradley. Mullen.
 - 7 Moses Lewis vs Miriam Lewis, No. 1, Sept. term, 1904. Issue. Meylert. Ingham.
 - 8 F. C. Schanabacher vs the Township of For s, No. 5, Sept. T. 1904. Trespass. Plea not guilty. Meylert. Mullen.

THOS. E. KENNEDY, Proth'y.

For sale, a quantity of good hay.
 A. E. Tripp.

Notice.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Supervisor, subject to the will of the taxpayers of Laporte township.

GEORGE KARGE, Ringdale.

Wanted.—Teams to haul chemical wood by the cord.

A. E. TRIPP.

The Sullivan county Agricultural Society will meet to hold their annual meeting in the High School building at Forksville, Pa., on Saturday, February 11th, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. A full attendance is desired.

WATSON FAWCETT, Pres.
 ULYSSES BIRD, Sec'y.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In re Estate of John C. Bogart, late of Davidson Township, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

The Undersigned an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Sullivan County, to distribute the fund in the hands of H. P. Hall, administrator of the estate of the above named decedent, an appears in his final account, to and among those legally entitled thereto will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in LaPorte Pa., on Thursday, February 2, 1905, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims or be forever be debarred from coming in upon said fund.

F. W. Meylert, Auditor.

In Re. Petition of Dr. C. F. Wackenhuth Exr. of John H. Rothrock decd. to be discharged.

At the December term of the Orphans' Court of Sullivan County the petition of Dr. C. F. Wackenhuth was presented, setting forth that he had made a final settlement and distribution of the estate of Dr. John H. Rothrock decd. as appears of record; and praying to be discharged by the Court; and thereupon the Court granted a rule to show cause why he should not be discharged, returnable at next term and ordered that notice should be given to all persons interested by publication in one weekly newspaper for two weeks prior to the first day of February term.

Dr. C. F. Wackenhuth, Executor.
 Jan. 1, 1905.

WANTED.

Have you timber tract for sale? Any kind, light or heavy, hard or soft. I wish to buy. When you write give full particulars.

S. J. DRUMHELLER,
 Danielsville, Pa.

Transfer of License.

Notice is hereby given that an application for a transfer of license granted to J. P. Gorge, is in basement of meat market of A. L. Dyer at Lopez, to room in building of Lopez Real Estate Association in said place, and the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions on Monday Feb 27, 1904.

Thos. E. Kennedy, Cler.
 Cler's office, Laporte, Pa. Jan. 17, '04.

Campbell "The Merchant"
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HAVE JUST RECEIVED MY
FALL and WINTER STOCK of
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Mens' Boys and Youths' SUITS and OVERCOATS.
 SHOES for all; from the little tot to the old man. Also the well known Watsontown Lumbermans Shoes.

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 Up to date as well as Fresh
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 are now here for inspection.

Suits in black clay and unfinished worsteds and Thibets
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Overcoats in Genuine West of England Coverts.
 Hundreds of Exclusive Trousersing.

Boys and Childrens' Suits in all the new fabrics and
 makes.

Prices as well as variety are extraordinary. All new
 and up to date line of Gents Furnishings, Hats, Caps, etc.
 Also the only place in town where you can get the

"Walk Over" Shoe.

J. W. CARROLL'S,
 Hotel Carroll Block, DUSHORE, PA.

January Sale
Clothing at Big Reduction

In the newest Winter Fabrics.

Newest up-to-date materials offered at practical price
 reductions.

DRESS GOODS: Ladies' Blouse Jackets, fine woolen,
 any color—special at \$2.50 to \$3.00.
 Men's fine knit woolen jackets, \$2.75 to 3.50.

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 Lumbermens' Shirts and Drawers, Men's, Ladies' and
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Fresh stock of Dry Goods and Notions, Boys and
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