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RESERVE FUND \$10,000
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A. J. BRADLEY,
Attorney-at-Law.
Office, corner of Main and Muncy Sts.
LAPORTE, PA.
Having opened an office at 1328 Arch St., Philadelphia, I shall still continue to practice in the several Courts of Sullivan County. When not in my office personally a competent person will be found in charge thereof. Bonds of various kinds furnished.

FRANCIS W. MEYLER,
Attorney-at-Law.
Office in Keeler's Block.
LAPORTE, Sullivan County, PA.

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THOMSON & HEESS,
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Long Distance Telephone.
January 1, 1903.

T. J. & F. H. INGHAM,
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Legal business attended to in this and adjoining counties.
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E. J. MULLEN,
Attorney-at-Law.
LAPORTE, PA.
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O. J. MOLYNEAUX, D.D.S.
Graduate University of Pennsylvania
NEW ALBANY, PA.
At Lopez, Pa., Wednesday and Thursday each week.

LAPORTE HOTEL.
F. W. GALLAGHER, Prop.
Newly erected. Opposite Court House square. Steam heat, bath rooms, hot and cold water, reading and pool room, and barber shop; also good stabling and livery.

M. Brink's
New Albany, Pa.

100 lbs. new corn meal	1.15
" cracked corn	1.15
" whole corn	1.15
Same per ton	22.00
Corn, oats and barley chop	1.20
Same per ton	23.00
100 coarse bran	1.05
Same per ton	20.75
100 lbs low grade flour	1.50
100 lbs flour middlings	1.35
100 lbs new process Oil meal	1.65
100 lbs oyster shells	.50
Lump rock salt	.75
140 lbs common fine salt	.50
280 lb barrel salt	1.20
Buckwheat grain wanted.	
100 lbs Glutton feed	1.30
Oats per bushel	.43
50 and 100 bushel lots, Oats	.42
Schumackers Patent	1.70
Best Spring Wheat	1.70
Our own, a blended flour	1.55
Extra, a pastry flour	1.30
Best Monroeton mills	1.55
Muncy and Rummerfield flour	1.60
Veal calves and dressed poultry wanted every Wednesday.	

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A Housewife's Delight,
A NICELY ARRANGED TABLE.

Buy your goods of us and get a set of this

Hand Painted China Free!

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AT
Buschhausen'

County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

On Good Friday the service will be in the evening.

Hon. John Line of Bernice was a County Seat visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Jane Mostellar of Nordmont is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Attorney E. J. Mullen was at Hughesville last Thursday.

Mrs. R. A. Conklin who has been quite ill with gastric fever the past week, is slightly improved.

Raymond Barbour and Miss Lettie Dutter both of Hills Grove, were married at the Reform parsonage in Dushore on Tuesday, April 4.

Mr. James MacFarlane was a Williamsport visitor Thursday of last week.

Mrs. William Lowe of near Sonestown, is caring for her aunt, Mrs. R. A. Conklin, since the latter's illness.

Mrs. James Gansel spent several days at Bernice recently.

The ladies of St. John's Guild will entertain the children of the choir, at the home of Miss Lauer, on Saturday afternoon, April 15, 1905, at two o'clock.

Palm Sunday will be appropriately observed in the Episcopal Church next Sunday afternoon, when the choir will sing Faure's celebrated Anthem "The Palms."

Mrs. H. P. Whitbeck returned to LaPorte last week from Virginia where she has been spending several months. Mr. Whitbeck will also return to town in a few weeks.

Mrs. Virginia Brewster and daughter Alice have returned from Philadelphia to spend the summer at their cottage on North Muncy Street.

Ex-Sheriff Cott and son Fred, of Lincoln Falls, were in town Monday. The former went from here to Dushore to see his brother, Ira Cott, who was reported as being quite ill.

Robert Taylor of Strawbridg, has purchased a fine yoke of oxen for work on his farm. They are six years old and weigh 2,000 pounds.

The poles of the North Mountain Telephone Co. are being placed in position under the direction of T. J. Shug of Muncy Valley.

Rev. P. F. Ripple, the new minister of the Methodist church preached an interesting sermon to an appreciative congregation last Sunday. Rev. Ripple is a student at Dickinson Seminary, and will be here only over Sundays, from now until June.

Sheriff and Mrs. Buck on Wednesday were summoned by telephone to Williamsport, to see their daughter, Mrs. Deitrick, whose illness we mentioned last week but was recovering from her dangerous illness of pneumonia when she was seized with an attack of rheumatism of the heart which has again rendered her condition extremely critical.

Later, The sad news was received this (Thursday) morning that Mrs. Deitrick died last night. The bereaved parents and sister have the sympathy of this community.

Mr. Joseph A. McIntire, formerly of Campbellsville, and Miss Mabel Shaffer of Laporte township, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, on April 9th, by Rev. J. O. Bigggs of Sonestown. The News Item joins in congratulations.

A glimmering little Star made its appearance in our sanctum last week. It is a newsy paper of four pages 11 by 15 inches in size, published at Shunk, by C. L. Woodward and son. Since the railroad has passed so near her door, Shunk has been offering inducements for a local newspaper in view of a purpose of reporting progress in industrial and those material and artistic advances that add to the prosperity and beauty of a village, of stimulating local pride in these affairs and of pointing out the wisest solution of problems that are peculiarly municipal. The Star is newsy and well edited, and we wish our new contemporary success.

The Colley township High School at Lopez, will hold commencement exercises on May 4, with a graduating class composed of three bright young ladies, who are the Misses Anna Cahill, Anna Finan and Teresa Walsh. Three hundred invitations to witness the graduating exercises have been sent to friends of the class.

F. P. Shug of Hughesville, has been elected president of the Muncy Valley Farmers, club, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Theodore A. Bank. The dates for the Hughesville fair have been set for September 19, 20, 21, and 22.

IEC CREAM now on sale at Funston's Cottage, South Muncy Street.

Trial List, May Term 1905.
Return Day, May 22, at 2 o'clock p. m.
No. 1. Davidson Twp. School District vs J. Wm. Moran, Geo. E. Taylor and James Moran. No. 63 December term 1905. Trespass; Plea, non-assumpsit, payment with leave etc and set off.
Walsh Mullen

1 James Jordan vs Howard Lyon, doing business as the Lyon Lumber Co. No. 49 Feb. term 1902. Def. appeal. Plea, non-assumpsit. Bradley. Mullen.

2 C. Elmer Bigger vs John G. Scouten, John Andrews and George Andrews. No. 66, Sept. term, 1902. Ejectment. Plea, not guilty. Mullen. Platt.

4 Geo. E. Brown and J. G. Co. vs Hiram W. Osler, J. M. Osler, Albert Kaye Geo. Down and C. M. Boyles. No. 78, September term 1902. Assumpsit; plea non-assumpsit no breach and covenants performed.
Mercur and Walsh. Mullen.

2 Lawrence D. Finan vs Thos. Cadden No. 42, Feb. term, 1903. Trespass.
Crouin. Walsh.
Proth's office, Laporte, Pa., April 10, 1905.

THOS. E. KENNEDY, Proth'y.

Trial List May Term, 1905, Second Week
Return Day, May 29, 1905, at 2 o'clock.

W. W. Jackson and Blanche W. Sturdevant trustees for the devisees of the Estate of Geo. D. Jackson deed and W. W. Jackson Adm'r, d. b. n. et. c. t. a. of the estate of Geo. D. Jackson deed vs Walter B. Gunton No. 51 Sept. term, 1901. Trespass; plea not guilty.
Mullen and Walsh | Mercur and Thomson

2 Isaac Bruner vs Geo. Corson, No. 48 May term, 1903. Trespass; plea, not guilty. Mullen | Shoemaker

3 William L. Woodruff vs Walter B. Gunton, No. 68 May term, 1903. Assumpsit. Plea—non assumpsit. Mullen. Mercur.

4 James Tompkins vs Chauncey B. Wheatley, No. 76, May term, 1903. Trespass; plea, not guilty.
Mullen | Thomson and Heess.

4 Caroline B. Lyon executrix of Edward Lyon, deed vs Hannah Breitmeyer and George Breitmeyer, No. 27, Sept. T. 1903. Ejectment. Plea—not guilty.
Mullen. Bradley

7 Eliza A. Hoagland vs Anna Pardoe Edson Pardoe and Silas McCarty, No. 69, Sept. Term, 1903. Trespass. Plea, not guilty.
Mullen. | Thomson & Heess.

7 F. H. Tomlin now to the use of Geo. W. Weaver vs John S. Richard, No. 72, September term, 1903; Issue.
Walsh Mullen

8 Wm Walliser vs Kate D. Walliser, No. 2, May term, 1904; 1st divorce.
Inghams Bradley

9 Moses Lewis vs Mariah Lewis, No. 1, Sept. term, 1904; In lunacy.
Meylert Inghams

8 F. C. Schanbacher vs the Township of For s. No. 5, Sept. T. 1904. Trespass. Plea not guilty.
Meylert. Mullen.

11 Chas Rodtka vs Gotlich Herzer, No. 37 December term, 1904; Ejectment; plea, not guilty.
Mullen Scouten

12 John H. May vs Geo H. Finan and wife, No. 4, Feb. term, 1905, Def. appeal; plea, non assumpsit payment with leave; Mullen | Shoemaker

Proth's office, Laporte, Pa., April 10, 1905,
THOS. E. KENNEDY, Proth.

Administratrix Notice.

In re estate of Asa Speary, deed late of Davidson Twp.
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.

MARY J. SPEARY, Admrx.
March 6, 1905. Nordmont, Pa.
E. J. MULLEN, Atty.

Wanted, a good fresh cow, about six years old, that gives rich milk, to be delivered about April 8. State price for cash, address,
Alice Brewster, LaPorte, Pa.

CONDENSED REPORT of the condition of The First National Bank at Dushore, in the State of Pennsylvania at close of business March 14th 1905.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$180,415.26
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	2,000.00
Stock securities	50,000.00
Furniture	500.00
Due from Banks and approved Res. Agt.	89,325.45
Redemption fund U. S. Treasury	2,500.00
Special and Legal Tender notes	27,920.00
Total	\$410,160.89
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	28,445.00
Circulation	48,000.00
Dividends unpaid	8.00
Deposits	281,607.89
Total	\$410,160.89

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 20th day of March, 1905. ALBERT F. HEESS, Notary Public.
My commission expires Feb. 27, '06. Notary Public.
Correct Attest:
E. G. SYLVANIA, }
J. O. D. REESER, } Directors.
S. D. STERIGERRE }

Laporte Borough Audit.

Thomas J. Ingham, Treasurer, in account with Laporte Borough:
Road Fund.
To amt. in Treas. hands, last audit 41.85
By amt. paid A. H. Buschhausen Treas. 41.85
Additional Road Fund.
To amt. in Treas. hands, last audit 75.96
By amt. paid A. H. Buschhausen Treas. 75.96
A. H. Buschhausen Treas. in account with Laporte Borough, Road Fund.
To amt. rec'd. T. J. Ingham Treas. 44.83
L. R. Gavitt, Co. Tel. liquor license 43.00
do do Land returns 43.00
A. E. Tripp Collector 1903 tax 61.89
do do 1904 tax 318.28
State Audit, general insurance 1.62
T. J. Keeler, sale lumber 12.70
W. B. Ritter 20.00
By amt. paid State Treas. tax on loan 2.50
Interest on order 76.21
one-half above order 300.00
orders redeemed 484.19
Treas. commission 15.26
By balance in Treas. hands 192.79
571.04 971.04

Additional Road Fund.
To Amt. rec'd. T. J. Ingham, Treas. 75.96
A. E. Tripp Col. 1903 tax 47.82
do do 1904 tax 136.25
By amt. paid one half order No 52 200.00
By Treas. commission 39.12
Balance in Treas. hands 240.13 240.13

Charles Landon and W. J. Higley, overseers of the year 1904, in account with Laporte Borough for:
To amt. rec'd. A. E. Tripp, Col. 23.27
do do do 34 tax 182.01
E. J. Keeler, et al. overpaid fee 2.00
By orders of relief paid 37.00
By amt. paid for keeping insane 75.36
C. L. Wing, order book 23.00
By services of overseers 10.00
J. T. Ingham, attorney and clerk 54.32
Balance in hands of overseers 207.28 207.28

R. A. Conklin, Collector, in account with Laporte Borough 1902.
Road Fund.
To amt. due R. A. Conklin last audit 41.00
By amt. paid Poor Tax 41.00
To amt. due last audit Poor Tax 2.86
By balance due 2.86
A. E. Tripp, Collector, in account with Laporte Borough for year 1904.
Road Tax.
To amt. due last audit 76.26
5 per cent. additional unpaid tax 3.26
By Treasurer's receipt 64.80
5 per cent. collection 3.11
Error in 1903 duplicate 1.00
Exonerations allowed 7.30
Balance due 79.92

Additional Road Tax.
To amt. due last audit 32.28
5 per cent. additional unpaid tax 1.30
By Treasurer's receipt 27.28
5 per cent. collection 1.46
Exonerations allowed 3.40
Balance due 1.00
Poor Tax.
To amt. due last audit 47.60
5 per cent. additional 1.17
By Treasurer's receipt 33.57
5 per cent. collection 1.21
Error in 1903 duplicate 20.61
Balance due 48.77 48.77

A. E. Tripp, Collector, in account with Laporte Borough for year 1904. Road Tax.
To amount of duplicate 421.45
By statement A. Conklin Collector 14.81
Treasurer's receipt 273.28
3 per cent. collection 8.41
Treasurer's receipt 41.81
5 per cent. collection 2.36
Land returns 19.06
Balance due 41.37 41.37
Additional Road Tax.
To amount of duplicate 421.45 421.45
By statement 5 per cent. on 127.18 6.36
Treasurer's receipt 117.20
3 per cent. collection 3.62
19.15
5 per cent. collection 1.01
Land returns 8.14
Balance due 26.21 26.21
Poor Tax
To amount of duplicate 230.57 8.19
Abatement of 5 per cent 169.73 156.40
Treasurer's receipt 156.40
3 per cent. collection 4.84
Treasurer's receipt 25.61
5 per cent. collection 1.25
5 per cent. collection 10.32
Balance due 22.96 22.96
290.57 290.57

Statement of resources and liabilities of Laporte Borough for the year 1904. Made March 13, 1905.
Borrowed indebtedness 400.00
Outstanding orders 105.45
Amt. due Treasurer, Road Fund 36.14
do do Add. 3.22
do A. E. Tripp, Col. 1903 63.37
do do 1904 Road Tax 32.01
do do 1904 27.17
Co. Treas. land returns 1904 45.05
Municipal lien, side walk account 113.41
Liabilities in excess of resources 565.45 565.45

Statement of resources and liabilities of Laporte Borough Poor District for year 1904.
Balance in hands of Overseers 54.32
Due from R. A. Conklin Collector 2.86
do A. E. Tripp Col. 1903 3.66
do do do 1904 22.96
Due from Co. Treas. land returns 10.92
Resources in excess of liabilities 94.32 94.32

Recapitulation of Borough expenses for year '04.
Orders redeemed 241.19
Interest bearing order No. 52 476.21
Tax on Loan 2.50
Work on streets 1904 136.63
do do 1904 10.00
Auditors 1903 12.00
do 1904 41.63
Refund to R. A. Conklin over paid tax 15.00
Filing tax lists 60.00
Borough Attorney 60.00
Police 1903 42.22
do 1904 25.00
Water troughs 15.00
Measuring streets 5.00
Interest bearing order No. 52 476.21
Tax on loan 2.50
Sundries 8.92
902.99 902.99

We, the undersigned Auditors, of the Borough of Laporte, Sullivan County, Pa., do hereby certify, that we met in pursuance of an Act of Assembly, at the office of the Elk Tanning Co. in said Borough, March 13th, 1905, and did proceed to audit, adjust and settle the several accounts of the Borough Overseers, and find the same correct as shown and set forth hereinbefore.
Witness our hands and seals this day.
J. H. GANSEL, }
J. G. CULVER, } Auditors.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, HON. CHAS. E. TERRY President Judge, Honorable John D. Rossier 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 25 day of Feb. 1905, to me directed, for holding the several courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 29 day May of 1905, 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 memoranda 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.

FOR SALE.—Light driving team, coming four. G. S. EDDY, Laporte, Pa.

WANTED.—Neat and experienced girls for kitchen and dining room work. Good wages. Address, Ricketts' Hotel, J. M. Zaner, Prop Ricketts, Pa.

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IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

New goods arriving daily. To make room for our Spring and Summer Clothing, I am, for the month of April having a SPECIAL CASH SALE of Winter clothing.

Will give you 20 per cent discount: Men's \$5.00 suits, \$4.00; Boys' \$4.00 suits, \$3.20; Children's \$1.50 suits, 1.20 A few Mens' Overcoats at \$2.40.

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Yours for Business,
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worth coming miles to see. Notwithstanding the fact that our styles are most exclusive and the materials the finest, prices are distinctly moderate.

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Has been added to our ever increasing stock, and it will pay you to examine this line before purchasing elsewhere.

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