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CONDENSED REPORT of the condition of the First National Bank at Dushore, in the State of Pennsylvania at close of business Aug. 22nd, 1907.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$1,807,535.35
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,500.00
Stock securities	160,515.00
Furn. & Fix.	900.00
Due from Banks and approved Res. Agt.	75,398.59
Redeemable fund U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Spec. A. and Legal Tender notes	22,299.79
Total	\$1,939,468.93
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	\$50,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	32,401.82
Circulation	49,400.00
Dividends unpaid	24.00
Deposits	361,641.11
Total	\$1,939,468.93

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 28th day of Aug. 1907.
ALBERT F. FEES,
My commission expires Feb'y 27, '09, Notary Public.
Correct Attest:
J. D. REESER } Directors.
E. G. SYLVARA }
SAMUEL COLE }

County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

The Forksville Fair will be held October 1, 2, and 3.

Ernest W. Norton of Hills Grove, and Miss Anna G. Warburton of Leroy, were married September 14, at Leroy, Pa.

Mrs. W. H. Randall is spending a week with relatives in Williamsport.

A daughter was born to Associate Judge Richlin and wife, on Tuesday, September 17.

Miss Mable Spencer of Milton is spending a week's vacation with her mother and sister who recently returned from Williamsport.

Adam Moury of Ricketts has bought the McHenry House at Benton and has taken possession of the same. Mr. McHenry will devote his time to farming and the timber business.

Mrs. Joe Carpenter of English Center, who visited relatives at Bloomsburg and Berwick, came up to visit Laporte friends for a few days. On Tuesday she was joined by Mr. Carpenter and son Grant, who spent a few days here.

Mrs. H. H. Spencer has returned from Williamsport where she has been since her unfortunate accident of breaking her hip in April. She is now able to walk around the house with the aid of crutches. Miss Emma Spencer returned from the city with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rea of Nordmont transacted business at the Prothonotary's office last Thursday. Mr. Rea who for several years conducted a general store at Nordmont, has disposed of his stock of goods and sold his store building to the Grangers who will open a store there.

Mrs. E. E. Wrede and son Joe left Saturday morning for Green Island, Iowa, to visit the former's only sister who will shortly celebrate her golden wedding. This is only the second time in fifty years that the two sisters have seen each other.

Mr. Bert Umstead and Miss Maud Gansel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gansel of Laporte, were married last week at Williamsport, where they will their future home.

Mr. Lance Willits of Williamsport, and his bride (nee Hazel Gansel) visited the lady's parents Mr. and Mrs. James Gansel last week.

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 7 p. m.
This is the order of service at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday.

For Sale Cheap—Two good second hand wood stoves. Inquire at this office.

Another refutation of the oft repeated assertion that under present operating conditions the railroads are unable to make fair earnings is supplied by the monthly report made by the Reading company. This not only shows a handsome increase in net earnings for July over the corresponding month of 1906 but shows also that the net have kept pace with the gross earnings. The railway company, the Coal and Iron Company and the Reading company show net earnings \$1,811,100.55 against \$1,362,609.36 in July 1906, and a surplus for the month \$923,605.55 against \$477,131.64. What, if any effect this will have on commutation rates, which were raised because the cost of operation had so vastly increased that net earnings were sure to shrink, has not been learned.

The wonderful wireless telegraph must now share honors with the more marvelous wireless telephone, a device that makes it possible to talk through the air with nothing but the air to conduct the voice. Tests made at Pittsburg are said to demonstrate beyond doubt that a practical wireless telephone system has been perfected by Frederick Collins of South Bend, Ind., who has been well known in the scientific world for years. He says he

has his device perfected to talk 15 miles, but soon will make improvements that will make it possible to talk more than 100 miles. Collins has set up his appliances in two offices in Pittsburg and hundreds of people daily flock to these buildings to talk to friends at the other instrument, without the least connection except the air. As a result of a private demonstration of his invention in New York, Mr. Collins received an order to equip all of the Fall River line steamers with wireless phones.

For Sale.—Ten tons of timothy hay. Inquire of George Breitmire, Muncy Valley, Pa.

Notice.
The Laporte Twp. School Board will receive sealed bids for the erection of a school house at Laporte township. All bids to be in by September 24, 1907. Plans and specifications will be furnished by the undersigned secretary. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids filed.

WM. KERNAN, Secy.
Dushore, R. F. D. No. 2.

Notice.
All persons who desire to become charter members of Mt. Ash Cemetery Association of Laporte, are urged to examine the proposed charter at the office of F. W. Meylert, Esq., solicitor, not later than Saturday as application for the charter will be made to court Monday next. All who have friends interested in the cemetery should become stockholders.
By order Committee.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Hon. Chas. E. Terry, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, on the 16th day of September, 1907, for the charter of a corporation, to be called, "Mountain Ash Cemetery Association, of Laporte, Pa.," the character and object of which are to acquire title, possession and management of suitable grounds within the Borough of Laporte, Sullivan county, Pa., to be used for cemetery purposes; to improve and beautify the said grounds and to protect the same from desecration or intrusion; to lay out and sell suitable lots for interring therein the bodies of the dead; and further to have general care, control and management of the grounds and property of the cemetery association and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights and privileges of the Corporation Act of 1874 and its several supplements.

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HUMOR OF LONDON CABBIERS.

Some of Their Remarks When the Tip Is Not Forthcoming.

Some of the hansom fraternity of London have no sense of humor, but the majority are decidedly facetious, says London Tit-Bits. Here are some examples of witty and sarcastic "cabbyisms."

To appreciate them properly it must be understood that the fare has offered a single shilling in payment for a ride just within the two mile limit.

"Are you quite sure you can spare this?" remarks the cabby with a bump of humor. "D'ye think you'll be able to rub along on the other nineteen till next Friday? It's goin' the pace, y'know."

"If you'll take my tip, gov'nor," runs another form of gentle reproach, "you'll go and see an oculist. You 'alld this bus by mistake. You wants a red or green or yellow bus. Black ain't in your line at all."

"Thank yer, gov'nor," says another cabby, with apparent emotion; "thank yer, kindly. Yer offer is well meant, but I couldn't go for to do it." Saying which he makes a pretense of handing the shilling back to the astonished fare. "But I can't sell him, gov'nor, and that's a fact. Yer 'andsome hoffer'd make me rich for life, but I tell yer I can't sell 'im."

One cabby, who was an excellent actor, on receiving his shilling burst into tears and between his loud sobs jerked out: "I'm sorry you force it on me, gov'nor, I am really. The income tax people'll be down on me now."

An excellent "cabbyism" was perpetrated in the suburbs one night. As the fare let himself into the house he was regaled somewhat as follows: "Go in quietly, sir, in case the old woman wakes up and 'ears me drivin' away. She might stop the rest of yer pocket money for this extravagance."

A Bit of Superstition.

Superstition is by no means dead, even in ultra civilized England, says London Answers. One Sunday, a few months ago, an interesting proof of this fact was seen in the parish church of Sutcombe, in north Devon. A woman who suffered from epilepsy sat in the porch as the congregation came out from morning service, and thirty married men, who at her request had attended church, passed her one by one. As they passed each dropped a penny in her lap. The thirtieth took the pennies and gave the woman a half crown, which was to be made into a ring for her to wear. Vain superstition, you exclaim. Yet another woman, also a martyr to epileptic fits, who went through the same ceremony at the same place nineteen years ago has never since suffered.

MOSLEM ETIQUETTE.

Always Be in Good Humor and Talk Pleasant Things.

Here are some interesting Mussulman injunctions of conviviality, says the London Lancet. The honor of being served first belongs to the invited guest who is in the possession of any high title or who has in any way or sphere distinguished himself. If the host himself is the oldest in the company or has any high decoration of merit, he must first begin the meal without delay in order not to let the others unduly wait. It shows bad upbringing to be in a melancholy mood at table or to speak of disagreeable things or to engage in inappropriate discussions on matters of religious piety. Foremost of all, one must always be in good humor and talk of pleasant things, as did the prophet himself.

You must always help yourself from the side of the dish nearest to you and never try to find out the best bits, which ought to be left for other guests. If one of the invited has not much appetite, you must ask him up to three times with some kind chosen words to partake of the meals. A longer insistence would cause ennuil and would be most inappropriate. You must never stop eating before others, because in doing so you will embarrass them and cause them to finish quickly in imitating you.

Never eat gluttonously, but also never attempt to conceal your good appetite. Always eat little by little. Exaggerated compliments are always misplaced. The host's duty is to make his guests feel as comfortable as possible, encouraging the timid and shy. It is contrary to good taste to address and to fix the attention of a guest when he is eating. Even if the host is not accustomed to eat much he must always try not to finish before others. Should any dish be forbidden to him by his medical attendant he certainly must not partake of it, but must at the same time excuse himself before his guests.

It is absolutely necessary to avoid every movement or gesture which is apt to create disgust.

A GOOD LAWN.

The Best Way to Prepare the Ground and Sow the Seed.

A good lawn may be made either by laying sod or growing seed. If turf is used, the lawn is sometimes ready for use in less time than when seed is used, but practically the difference is very slight. Fewer lawns are made from turf every year. The turf or soil is nearly always obtained from a nearby field. It abounds in coarse grasses and pernicious weeds. The former may be got rid of after considerable trouble, but the latter rarely ever. Sod laid lawns are nearly always uneven, seamy and varied in color and texture. Their cost, too, is much in excess of seeding the lawn down.

A lawn produced from a mixture of good, new, re-cleaned seeds of the finer grasses and clovers is superior in quality and texture to the best sod obtainable. To obtain the best results from sowing, the ground should be carefully dug over—not too deep, six to eight inches will be enough—and nicely leveled off; then sow on broadcast a good fertilizer, 600 pounds to the acre, or about ten pounds to every 15 by 15 square feet. Rake this in and roll it or flatten it with the back of a spade; then sow seventy pounds of some good lawn seed to the acre, or one pound to every 15 by 15 feet. Sow half this quantity walking one way and half walking at right angles to it, so as to get even distribution. Do not sow in windy weather, and be sure to rake the seed in, and after sowing roll it well or beat it flat with the spade.

Those seeds that are deeply buried will not germinate, and those that are exposed will be scorched by the sun, blown or washed away or taken by the birds. Whenever necessary to sow in summer it is better to mix with rye or oats to protect the tender shoots from the hot sun.—Suburban Life.

The "Coney" of the Bible.

There is a queer little rock animal found in thousands in all parts of Cape Colony, South Africa, and called by the Dutch "daasje" (pronounced in English "dassie"). This little creature has many other names, such as the coney, daman, rock badger and rock rabbit. It is found also in Syria and is really the "coney" of the Bible, for one of the psalms contains this verse, "The high hills are a refuge for the wild goats and the rocks for the conies," while in the book of Proverbs we read, "The conies are but a feeble folk, yet make they their houses in the rocks." The South African daasje is a pretty gray, furry creature, merrily and sun loving, and when taken young makes a charming pet.—Amy Sutherland in St. Nicholas.

The Drawback.

Miss Victorine confides to the janitor's wife that her mistress, who is old and feeble, has promised to remember her in her will if she takes good care of her till she dies. The janitor's wife shrugs her shoulders.

"The worst of that is, my dear, that the better you take care of her the longer you'll have to wait for your legacy."—Paris Journal.

Both Out and In.

The Needy One—I say, old man, could you lend me a dollar for a day or two? The Other One—My dear fellow, the dollar I lend is out at present, and I've several names down for it when it comes back.—Harper's Weekly.

Impertinent.

"When I was coming home last night," said Miss Skeery, "I saw a man skulking along in the shadow. Oh, how I ran!" "And couldn't you catch him?" inquired her little brother innocently.—Cleveland Leader.

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