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**County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.**

Mrs. J. T. Fairbairn who has been quite ill is improving.

Miss Lizzie McNellan visited her sister Mrs. Collins, at Dushore the early part of the week.

Charles Mead is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Warren Gritman, at Nordmont.

J. G. Cott of Lincoln Falls, transacted business in town Wednesday.

Leo Heim of Sayre, and sister, Miss Pearl of Monroeton, spent Wednesday with Laporte friends.

Mrs. J. L. Smyth is recovering from a quite severe illness.

The Mountain House is being repaired and made ready for occupancy.

Mrs. Joseph Carpenter and daughter Helen, spent a few days of this week with Mrs. Carpenter's daughter, Mrs. R. W. Mason.

Mr. Daniel McCarty, a former resident of this place, visited old friends here Wednesday.

E. J. Mullen Esq., made the Memorial address at Dushore, Monday.

The friends of Mr. A. J. Hackley, who has been ill since last November, were glad to see him among the veterans at the Memorial Day exercises. Mr. Hackley has so far recovered that he was able to accompany Rev. Jarrret on a short drive, and spend several hours in fishing.

The Lake Mokoma Company has leased the Mountain House for a term of three years. This week the Company began making the necessary repairs upon it. It will be furnished new throughout and opened June 25. The Mountain House, Mokoma cottage and Lakeview Cottage will be run together this season under the direction of the Company. The dining room for the cottages will be at the Mountain House. A competent manager for the cottages has been secured from near Philadelphia.

The stock for the First National Bank of Laporte is being rapidly taken. The subscription books have been open less than a week and over \$15,000 of the \$25,000 capital has been subscribed. Bank stock is regarded as about the most desirable form of investment and parties from all parts of the county are taking stock. June 22 has been fixed as the date for the meeting of the stockholders to organize the bank by election of directors and officers.

Work on the two large new pavilions at Lake Mokoma has been started. The one on the picnic grounds will be used mainly as a refreshment pavillion and the one at the beach front will be for the sale of bathing suits, confectionery, office and laundry.

William Stanley, of Nordmont, is in charge of a force of men cleaning the South end of the Lake and beautifying the shores. This part of the Lake will be made very attractive. The large timber comes to the water's edge at this end of the Lake.

The picnic ground is being put in first class condition. The W. and N. B. railroad company is moving the old sand house and coal sheds and will plank the track through the grounds where excursion trains stop.

All who are interested in having a celebration of Independence day in Laporte this year are requested to meet in the Court House on Saturday evening June fifth at half past 7:00 o'clock and take such steps as may be deemed expedient

T. J. Ingham.

Mildred Farrell of Dushore has been spending the past week with her sister Marcella, at this place.

George H. Wells, of Wyalusing, died at his home at that place on May 25, in his 87th year. The funeral was held on Saturday, and burial made at Towanda.

Pennsylvania is now well supplied with holidays. With the recent addition of Columbus day, the legal holidays in the Keystone state now number 12, being New Year's day, Lincoln's Birthday, spring election day, Washington's Birthday, Good Friday, Memorial day, Independence day, Labor day, Columbus day, fall election day, Thanksgiving and Christmas. This gives the working man and others the opportunity for a little relaxation on an average of once a month, and there seems no reason why the people will not be better off for it.

Fairs, theatrical shows, suppers and cake sales are announced from many churches on Sunday mornings, with little suspicion on the part of priest or people that such announcements are incongruous," he said.

"but we may lay down one principle as universally applicable. Nothing must be done in the parish house to endanger the morals of the young or the weak. Whatever way the parish may take to raise money it must be an honest way.

Nothing which even remotely borders on the realm of gambling or of betting must be tolerated.

"It will be a sad commentary on the churches methods if the young man who finds himself broken and disgraced on the race track or Stock Exchange can say that he got his first lessons in gambling in his boyhood at the church fair. We do not wish to see big ecclesiastical buildings created by the price of blood.

Polution of Streams.

Williamsport, like many other cities, is interested in the purity of streams. The problem of purifying sewerage so that it no longer transforms the rivers into which it is discharged into open sewers has been so far solved that these streams need no longer be disgusting to the sense and dangerous to the health of people living along them. The task of destroying the disease breeding bacteria in the sewage and once more making the rivers available for drinking water has not yet been worked out on a practical basis, but investigations recently made by the United States Geological Survey in cooperation with other authorities show that this end too, may be attained at a reasonable cost.

The essential agents of sewerage purification are provided and employed by nature, and sewage purification as practiced today is but the intensive application of these natural processes. The improvements that have been made have not involved the discovery or application of new principles, but have merely increased the working efficiency of the natural agencies.

It has not yet been decided upon whom the responsibility rests for keeping the rivers clean, but the consensus of competent opinion requires that if sewerage is discharged within the region of important shellfish beds or into a stream which is used as a source of domestic water supply without filtration, such sewerage shall at least be free from disease bearing germs.—Gazett and Bulletin

A Use For Poetry.
"Do you enjoy poetry?"
"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "It is a great conversational convenience. It enables people to quote instead of being stupidly original."—Washington Star.

"Tis only happiness can keep us young.—Blackwood.

Bills For Better Roads.
In the Iowa legislature two bills have been introduced in the interests of better roads. One provides for the doubling of the county road tax levy, for the development of the most important roads which radiate from the principal market town in each county. The other bill places a tax of \$5 of all automobiles under thirty horse power and \$10 on thirty horsepower and over, the proceeds to go into the state good roads fund.

The motor car of the farmers is influencing good roads in another way. The dealers are the most active good roads advocates in the state. One of the principal motor dealers, for instance, makes it a business to deliver a good roads lecture with every car. The dealers have been farmers, and they know the subject from the standpoint of both sides. Farmers get the idea at the very beginning, and they never go behind the new doctrine.—Kansas City Star.

National Master Bachelor's Warning to Those Who Would Benefit by the Grange Name in Enterprises Outside the Grange.

In his department in the National Grange Organ in a recent number National Master Bachelor remarks that as the grange is fast becoming an influential factor in social, educational and financial affairs and also in legislative affairs, both state and national, the fair name of our organization must be protected. There is and will continue to be, he says, great effort made by people with wares to sell and legislative matters to promote to in some way use the word grange in the name adopted to designate their business or scheme in order to deceive the people and draw support to the enterprises by causing them to be known as grange enterprises. There is absolutely no justification for this unless the grange or some committee appointed by the grange has absolute authority in the management.

To be more specific, we may say that an agricultural fair should not be known as a grange fair unless its management is in the hands of the grange or has been specifically indorsed by the grange having jurisdiction. A store should not be known as a grange store unless conducted by the grange or giving special rates to members of the grange through grange authority. A paper has no real authority for the use of the word grange in its title unless its policy is directed by the organization, but grange departments in papers designed for other fields do not come within this restriction, for they simply contain grange news and do not carry any policy or responsibility of the grange. The use of the word grange in the title of banks without a controlling interest in such banks being in the hands of directors chosen by the grange, whereby special privileges would be secured to members of the grange, is an unauthorized and improper use of the fair name of the grange.

Other instances might be cited in which wrong impressions are conveyed and the name of the grange placed in great jeopardy by the use of its name. In a word, the name of our organization should be restricted by action of the national grange to such enterprises as at least have their policies dictated and their affairs directed by members of the grange in some official capacity, for any other course in case of disaster would bring much odium upon us, even though we have no opportunity to prevent such disaster. We do not undertake to say that an agricultural fair, store, paper or bank using the name grange in its title should necessarily be financed by the organization, but we do most emphatically assert that the use of the name carries with it or should carry with it the authority to dictate the policy and direct its general management.

WANTED:—Trustworthy man or woman in each county to advertise, receive orders and manage business for New York Mail Order House. \$18.00 weekly; position permanent; no investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Spare time valuable. Enclose self addressed envelope for particulars. Address, Clark Co., Wholesale Department., 103 Park Ave., New York.

Estate of Jeremiah Edgar, late of Davidson Township, deceased.
Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned and all parties having claims against estate are rebusted to present the same without delay, for allowance.
ANDREW EDGAR, Administrator.
F. W. Meylert, Atty.

Proposals.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, at their office at Laporte, Pa., up to 1:30 p. m., Monday, June 7th, 1909, for the construction of a steel highway bridge over Mehoopany creek, near residence of John McCarroll, in Colley Township.

Proposals will be opened at 1:30 p. m., Monday, June 7th, 1909.
Each bidder as a guarantee of good faith shall deposit with the Commissioners' Clerk before 12:00 noon, Monday, June 7th, 1909, a certified check for Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

Plans and specifications governing the construction of this bridge are on file at the Commissioners' office at Laporte.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
F. M. CROSSLEY,
VALENTINE ROHE,
WM. H. ROGERS,
Commissioners.
THOS. E. KENNEDY, Clerk.

CONDENCED REPORT of the condition of The First National Bank at Dushore, in the State of Pennsylvania at close of business Apr. 28, 1909.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts.....\$179,094 53
U. S. Bonds and other securities.....254,975 00
Furniture.....900 00
Cash, Banks and U. S. Treasury.....80,780 54
Total.....\$495,660 49

LIABILITIES.
Capital.....\$50,000 00
Surplus and undivided profits.....45,686 20
Circulation.....48,100 00
Dividends unpaid.....00
Deposits.....351,874 29
Total.....\$195,660 49

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 1st day of May 1909. ALPHONSUS WALSH
My commission expires Feb'y 27, '09. Notary Public.
Correct Attest:
J. D. REESER,
E. G. SYLVANA,
SAMUEL COLE, } Directors.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
HUGHESVILLE, PA.**

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\$50,000**

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