

Local Items.

Read M. Brink's ad.

Lincoln's Birthday next Sunday.

February Court starts next Monday.

Saint Valentine's day occurs next Tuesday.

Oysters at Boudman's, Sonestown, Pa.

F. M. Crossley spent Friday night in Dushore.

A. P. Rouse of New Albany was in town Saturday.

Anthony Walsh of Dushore visited Laporte friends Sunday.

E. J. Mullen, Esq., transacted business in Bernice Monday.

A. P. Shoemaker of Estella transacted business in Laporte Tuesday.

F. C. Bird of Overton made a business trip to this place Monday.

Harry L. Keller of Mildred was a business man in this place Tuesday.

L. C. Bender of New Albany was a business man in Laporte Monday.

A tax appeal was held in the office of the County Commissioners on Monday.

You can get a warm meal at Boudman's "Sonestown Hotel" at any hour of the day.

Revival meetings in charge of pastor Rev. D. L. Dixon are being held in the M. E. Church.

G. C. Featherby and son Oscar of Hillsgrove came to Laporte Monday on business, returning Tuesday.

J. H. Dieffenbach of Colley and Edw. Huffmaster of Dushore were business men in the County Seat Monday.

Information is received that at least five new cottages will be erected on the banks of Lake Mokoma as soon as the weather will permit to breaking the ground and making preparations.

I will be at Hotel Bernard Court week. Anyone having trouble with their eyes or subject to headaches, can be relieved by the use of proper glasses. Sick and serious headaches and pains in the back of head are caused by eye strain. Shur-on eye glasses a specialty. Eyes tested free. Glasses furnished from \$2.00 upward. Dr. J. R. Williams, Laporte, Pa.

Hon. Edgar R. Kiess, proprietor of the Forest Inn at Eagles Mere considers an automobile a very fair substitute for an ice boat. On Friday he drove his car over the lake at that place at a lively pace. The ice on the lake is about 22 inches thick and as clear as a crystal, but not very much of it is being harvested. In previous years large quantities of ice were shipped to various cities but only the houses of the hotels and a few cottages are being supplied this season.

There is one thing we cannot figure out. On Tuesday last, the day set for Bro. Groundhog to make his first appearance and at the same time to decide the opening day for spring hats and spring weather, Laporte was enveloped in a heavy fog so dense that not a sign of a shadow could be cast by an elephant. At the same time in the same county not very far distant the sun peeped through the clouds fiercely enough to make Mr. Woodchuck beat a hasty retreat to his winter home. Now according to popular augury the immediate country is booked for winter long after the Laportians are parading in Summer neckties and ice cream. If this is played on us by old Sol as a token of his appreciation for our endeavor to make Laporte an ideal summer resort we thank his royal shinesship. Anyhow it looks as though good things come to those who advertise.

L. M. Davis of Towanda was a business man in Laporte Thursday.

Ira Mead of Tunkhannock, spent Friday with T. J. Keeler and family.

J. W. Buck of Sonestown transacted business in the county seat Monday.

Rev. I. H. Fisher of Cherryville N. J., formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this place, was in town Tuesday enroute to Eagles Mere where he will conduct a series of revival meetings.

We have been forced to leave our department of news of "by-gone days" for a couple of weeks but hope to resume its publication at an early date. Favorable comment proves that this department meets with the proper appreciation.

D. M. Turner has been reappointed postmaster of Towanda, there being no opposing candidate. This is Mr. Turner's fourth term as postmaster, and if he shall serve out the term of his new commission he will have the honorable and unique distinction of being postmaster of Towanda for a longer period than any person who has ever held the office.

Vernon Hull, President of the Sullivan County Sunday School Association is holding a series of Sunday School Conventions. He is assisted by Miss Martha Robinson and Rev. Geo. Dowie, State workers. The meeting in Laporte was held Thursday and consisted of two sessions. Today (Friday) the workers go to Nordmont where the last of the series is to be held.

SHUNK.

The ground-hog succeeded in seeing his shadow and had no sooner returned indoors than a snow storm proclaimed his disappearance.

The revival meetings that have been conducted here for the past three weeks by the Sisters Eckroid, have wrought much good in our town and the surrounding country. Rev. Kamble says: "It is not so much the beginning as the end;" but we are convinced by the happy outlook that the end will be gained in that Happy Home beyond the mortal sphere.

Amon Herrer and wife of East Point and Miss Emily Porter of Canton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Porter this week.

Mrs. Blanche Jenkins returned to the Williamsport hospital Saturday.

Arthur Fitzwater called on friends in town Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Smith started for Corning Monday where she will spend some time with relatives.

Chester Cook, who has been spending the winter with his sister, Mrs. G. E. Wilcox, returned to his home near Philadelphia Saturday.

Joseph Frey of Corning is visiting friends in town.

NORDMONT.

Mrs. Geo. Fiester spent Wednesday shopping in Williamsport.

Mrs. W. B. Snider and daughter Dollie were Hughesville shoppers Saturday.

Freas Hess who is attending high school at Sonestown, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Misses Edith Basley and Bertha Hazen of Sonestown, spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Bert Hazen, wife and son Melross spent Sunday with friends in Sonestown.

Those who attended church at Laporte Sunday evening from here were: Harry Hunter, Bert Snyder, Lloyd Speary and Shedrick Hess.

Rev. H. L. Jarrett of Selins Grove spent part of last week with W. B. Snider and family.

James Gansel of Williamsport was a business caller here Tuesday evening.

SONESTOWN.

The Aid Society of the M. E. church held their business meeting at the home of E. J. Lockwood Wednesday evening.

George Kester of Overton called on friends here last week.

Blanch Houseknecht left Saturday for Pittsburg where she expects to remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hazen and son, visited relatives here over Sunday.

Rev. Hertz was a Williamsport visitor Friday.

Jacob Simmons was a Hughesville visitor Saturday.

Miss Smith, who has been visiting friends here returned to her home near Muncy Saturday.

Andrew Edgar was a Williamsport visitor Saturday.

Linda Boatman, Opal Watson, Ada Simmons and Eureka Boatman took supper with H. C. Boatman and family Friday evening.

The Aid Society of the Evangelical church, met at the home of George Rea Sr., Friday evening.

Kathryn Brucks of Muncy spent Friday in town.

Collins Hazen visited friends at Muncy Valley Friday.

Harry Buck took supper with H. C. Boatman Friday evening.

Burros Dewald of Williamsport visited his parents here last week.

A number from this place attended the social at Muncy Valley Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dunham of Eagles Mere are visiting relatives here.

Ada Simmons, Eureka Boatman, Opal Watson, Beatrice Williamson, Guy Houseknecht, Walter Hazen and Harry Buck called on friends at Muncy Valley Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Boatman visited friends near Tivola last week.

M. D. Phillips of North Mountain was a caller here Tuesday.

Orpha Armes, Mildred Buck and Rush Armes called on Muncy Valley friends Sunday.

ESTELLA.

There will be no more winter in this vicinity for Dell Brown has captured the coon that was out to see his shadow.

Mrs. Eva More is still on the sick list. Dr. Bradford is in attendance.

A surprise party was held at the home of E. Jennings on Saturday night in honor of their son, Leroy, on the occasion of his twenty-first birthday. The Senior class of the Estella high school were the guests.

Marie Rogers spent Thursday evening with her friend Grace Wheatley.

C. B. Wheatley and wife called at W. J. More's Sunday.

Fred Williams, who has been ill with mumps is slightly improved.

Allen Williams, who has been spending some time in Canton returned home Sunday.

G. E. Wilcox who has been attending to his duties as Auditor at the county seat returned home last week.

Mrs. Joseph Haegland and children of Scranton are visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell.

Chas. Foster and wife of Wheelerville called on friends in town Sunday.

Chas. Brown and wife are visiting friends in Virginia.

The oyster supper held here Saturday evening netted about eighteen dollars.

Purchased Clothing Store.
Irvin Martin has purchased the clothing store and good will of John L. Strevy of Lopez. Irvin has been accustomed to cutting meat, and we warn the people of Lopez to watch out lest in a moment of absent mindedness he does not carve a few roasts from their mortal bodies to make them fit his clothes better.—New Albany Mirror.

Liquor License Notices.

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for License have been filed in my office and the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Sullivan County, Penn'a., on Monday the 13th day of February, 1911, at two o'clock, P. M.:

CHERRY TWP.
Cherry Mills.

John E. Gross, tavern license, Dushore.

Leonard Hillbert, wholesale license, Mildred.

Peter Boll, tavern license, Lopez.

Frank F. Schaad, distillers license, Lopez.

James J. Connor, tavern license, Lopez.

Joseph A. Helsenman, tavern license, Lopez.

John Daly, tavern license, Lopez.

Louis Gatta, restaurant license, Lopez.

John Touhey, restaurant license, Lopez.

Harry L. Keller, tavern license, Lopez.

Lewis Schwartz, wholesale license, Lopez.

Francis J. Sack, restaurant license, Lopez.

Frank Teitelbaum, wholesale license, Lopez.

Murray.
William Haley, tavern license, Satterfield.

Patrick McGee, restaurant license, Colley.

George Allen, tavern license, Lopez.

James P. McGee, restaurant license, Lopez.

Steve Halabuk, tavern license, Lopez.

Joseph Hubenak, restaurant license, Lopez.

Abe Goodman, wholesale license, Lopez.

Anthony Kouse, tavern license, Lopez.

Samuel Yarosh, restaurant license, Lopez.

John Slovinski, tavern license, Lopez.

DAVIDSON TWP.
Sonestown.

Harry Basley, tavern license, Sonestown.

Smith Boudman, tavern license, Sonestown.

Brady Houseknecht, tavern license, Muncy Valley.

Ellery T. Phillips, tavern license, Muncy Valley.

J. William Moran, restaurant license, Muncy Valley.

Emmons.
Michael J. Devaney, tavern license, Dushore Borough.

John D. Lane, tavern license, Hillsgrove.

Elizabeth Carmody, restaurant license, Hillsgrove.

Margaret Connor, restaurant license, Hillsgrove.

Robert McGehee, restaurant license, Hillsgrove.

Philip E. Grace, tavern license, Hillsgrove.

Patrick J. Finan, tavern license, Hillsgrove.

B. F. Saxon, restaurant license, Hillsgrove.

Joseph Max Teitelbaum, wholesale license, Hillsgrove.

HILLSGROVE TWP.
Hillsgrove.

Jacob Caseman, tavern license, Hillsgrove.

EAGLES MERE BOROUGH.
William L. Parmeter, tavern license, Laporte Borough.

R. W. Carpenter, tavern license, Laporte Borough.

John Hassen, Jr., tavern license, Laporte Borough.

LAPORTE TWP.
Nordmont.

Geo. M. Fiester, tavern license, Nordmont.

SHREWSBURY TOWNSHIP.
Eaglesmere.

J. H. Stackhouse, tavern license, Eaglesmere.

Register's Notices.

Notice is hereby given that the following Accounts of Executors, Administrators, etc. have been filed in my office:

First and final account of Oscar H. Lora and Oliver W. Heiber, Executors of the last will and testament of Frank D. Heiber, late of Cherry Township, Deceased.

First and Final Account of Ernest E. Morris, Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Morris, late of LaPorte Township, Deceased.

Second and Partial Account of W. W. Jackson and Blanche W. Sturdevant, Executors of the last will and testament of Bernice W. Jackson, late of Dushore Borough, Deceased.

And the same will be presented to the Orphans Court of Sullivan County, to be held at Laporte, Pennsylvania, on the thirteenth day of February A. D. 1911, at 3 o'clock p. m., for confirmation and allowance, and they shall then be confirmed Ni. Si.; and unless Exceptions are filed within ten days thereafter, confirmation absolute will be entered thereon.

ALBERT F. HEESS, Register of Wills, Register's Office, Laporte, Pa. January 14, 1911.

Prothonotary's Notice.
Notice is hereby given that the Second and Partial Account of W. W. Jackson and Blanche W. Sturdevant, Trustees of the Devises of George D. Jackson, late of Dushore Borough, Deceased, has been filed in my office.

And the same will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, to be held at LaPorte, Penna., on the thirteenth day of February, A. D. 1911, at 3 o'clock, P. M., for confirmation and allowance, and it shall then be confirmed Ni. Si.; and confirmation absolute ten days thereafter shall be entered by the Prothonotary of course, unless exceptions in writing are previously filed, as provided by Rule 1 of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County.

ALBERT F. HEESS, Prothonotary, Prothonotary's Office, LaPorte, Pa., January 14, 1911.

Philip Peterman of Nordmont was a business caller in this place Tuesday.

We extended to the Jurors for February Court an invitation to call at our office while in Laporte. We are acquainted with some of the gentlemen and wish to get acquainted with the rest. Please consider it your privilege to come in and look our shop over.

Jury List

List of persons, together with their occupation and place of residence, drawn as Jurors for February Term, commencing Monday, Feb. 13, 1911. GRAND JURY.

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Bowman, Charles	Farmer	Colley
Buck, William Jr.	Laborer	Bernice
Barrett, Bowman T.	Blacksmith	Hillsgrove
Brackman, Chas. J.	Farmer	Fox
Belulich, Rollo	Farmer	Eikland
Collins, Scott	Mason	Forks
Dunn, William Sr.	Farmer	Cherry
Drake, Smith	Laborer	Lopez
DeWalt, Irvin	Farmer	Laporte Twp
Fitzpatrick, John	Laborer	Laporte Boro
Houseknecht Thos.	Laborer	Davidson
Houseknecht John	Laborer	Davidson
Little, Christian T.	Laborer	Shrewsbury
Litzelswope, Joseph	Farmer	Cherry
Martin, Bayard T.	Clerk	Dushore
Miner, Joseph	Farmer	Cherry
Miner, Arthur	Clerk	Bernice
Poye, Deemer	Farmer	Cherry
Potter, E. C.	Painter	Laporte
Peterman, Minard	Farmer	Laporte Twp
Sweeney, Owen	Farmer	Cherry
Whipple, P. S.	Farmer	Fox
Williams, Morris	Farmer	Fox
Wood, Leonard	Miner	Bernice

TRAVERSE ANN PETIT JURY.

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Boland John	Farmer	Bernice
Bennett, Richard W.	Miner	Shrewsbury
Boyd, Frank R.	Laborer	Dushore
Brey, Frank	Photographer	Hillsgrove
Buck, John W.	Mer. hant	Davidson
Brown, S. K.	Laborer	Ricketts
Baumunk, Walter	Farmer	Eikland
Brown, Alsbury	Farmer	Fox
Buck, Frank W.	Justice of Peace	Davidson
Bennett, Boyd P.	Farmer	Mt. Vernon
Baumunk, Charles	Farmer	Eikland
Collins, William	Carpenter	Bernice
Converse, John A.	Engineer	Davidson
Cahill, John A.	Laborer	Lopez
Cox, Charles	Farmer	Davidson
Craft, Grover	Farmer	Mt. Vernon
Decker, Floyd	Laborer	Fox
Drugan, James	Farmer	Cherry
Emig, Philip	Farmer	Ringdale
Finan Francis	Laborer	Lopez
Glockner, Ant'y S.	Farmer	Eikland
Gorman, George	Farmer	LaPorte Twp
Gessler, George Jr.	Book-keeper	Hillsgrove
Harrison Mark	Laborer	Hillsgrove
Horn, M. D.	Farmer	Davidson
Harney, John	Miner	Bernice
Hoffa, J. S.	Merchant	Dushore
King, Ralph	Blacksmith	Davidson
Kinsley, Howard	Farmer	Cherry
Lovelace, John	Laborer	LaPorte Boro
Little, Isaac N.	Farmer	Forks
Lane, John	Hotel-keeper	Dushore
Lorah, Daniel H.	Retired	Davidson
Meyers, Jacob	Farmer	Shrewsbury
Maguire, Charles	Farmer	Eikland
Moran, J. W.	Hotel-keeper	Davidson
McCarthy, Orrin H.	Farmer	Eikland
Molyneux, Oscar N.	Farmer	Forks
Murray, James	Farmer	Ringdale
Mosteller Jefferson	Farmer	Laporte Twp
Rightmire, Samuel	Carpenter	Eaglesmere
Richard, J. S.	Farmer	Davidson
Schaad, F. F.	Distiller	Bernice
Shaffer, Joseph Sr.	Farmer	Laporte Twp
Steinback, S. J.	Laborer	Ricketts
Schock, E. M.	Laborer	Ricketts
Speaker, Lyman B.	Farmer	Hillsgrove
Vincent, Fred	Appraiftr	Dushore

A Classified Ad will sell it.

Short Talks on Advertising

By Charles Austin Bates.

The first insertion of an advertisement very seldom pays. That is to say—if you have never advertised before in a certain paper it will take some little time for its readers to get acquainted with you, and until they do, don't expect much return. There are occasional exceptions, of course, but they are few and far between. It is the systematic, persistent effort that pays in advertising as in everything else. In taking medicine the regularity of the dose is almost as important as the drug itself.

For that reason the columns of the newspaper offer the very best medium for business announcements. For that reason, programs and wall hangers and schemes of all sorts, from an industrial write-up of the town to a picture card, are never effective. It may be well enough to indulge in a pretty novelty occasionally, if you are using all the space you need in the papers.

I have been a publisher of programs and of other "schemes"—I have advertised in them, and in my whole experience on both sides of the fence, I have never heard or known of a single advertisement in a medium (?) of that kind that paid.

The local newspaper goes into the house bristling with intelligence, brimful of the news of the world, sparkling with the daily doings of the community. If its advertisers are awake to their opportunities it contains business news of value to every reader, for it pays to read advertisements. Advertisements are becoming more truthful every day. Business men know that their news must be true, or it will fail—they remember the story of the boy and the wolf. I think it is safe to say that any woman who makes a business of reading business news—ads.—will increase the buying power of her husband's dollars as much as twenty-five per cent. I am not sure but that the percentage is even greater at my house.



Remember the story of the boy and the wolf.

Eagles Mere Railroad In Receiver's Hands.

SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS HELD IN WILLIAMSPORT.

Before Judge Ormerod Monday afternoon appeared Messrs. Candor and Munson, representing the West Philadelphia Title and Trust company and asking that a receiver be appointed for the Eagles Mere Railroad company. The Railroad had been ordered sold by the attorney-general in order to pay back taxes but it is believed that the execution of the writs will be stayed if speedy action toward making a settlement is made. Attorneys for the plaintiffs asked for a receiver in order that certain sums of money can be collected from the Williamsport and North Branch Railroad company, which it is claimed owes the Eagles Mere company for rentals, etc. Judge Ormerod after hearing the statements of counsel made an order appointing H. Loussat Geyelin, receiver of the road.

The officials of the Williamsport and North Branch Railroad Company state that the W. & N. B. is not in default for rental, claiming that the money had been paid when due and used for other indebtedness by the Eagles Mere Railroad Company.

The bond of H. Loussat Geyelin receiver, was filed Wednesday. The receiver will at once begin action against the Williamsport and North Branch Railroad company to recover back rentals for the road, under the lease which exists. When this is done a stay will be asked for in the matter of the executions issued by the state for taxes. The receiver does not take possession of the road which is held by the North Branch line under the lease.

William Y. Warner.

William Y. Warner, Proprietor of the Crestmont Inn at Eagles Mere, died very suddenly in Philadelphia on Friday of last week. Mr. Warner was in Eagles Mere on Wednesday preceding his death looking over his property and at that time seemed to be in excellent health. A sudden attack of heart disease caused his death. He was well known to many of the people of this place.



"The local newspaper goes into the home bristling with intelligence."