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Local Items.

F. M. Crossley made a trip to Sonestown Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Snyder of Bloomsburg was in town over Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Kernan of Laquin, is visiting at M. McNellan's.

For Sale—Cow for sale cheap. Joseph Carpenter, Laporte, Pa.

Thomas Carroll and M. J. Oniel of Dushore, were in the county seat over Sunday.

Eugene McNellan has gone to Waverly, to visit his brother Michael for a few days.

N. W. Peters, Philip Peterman and Wm. Stanley of Nordmont were in Laporte Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fenstermacher were the guests of friends at Muncy Valley Friday of last week.

Miss Dolly Crossley has returned to New York after visiting a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crossley.

J. L. Leahy of Overton, who will be Principal of the Laporte High School the coming term was in town Monday.

Misses Celia Donovan, Katherin Brady, Pearl and Mable Shaw of Muncy Valley, walked to this place last week Thursday.

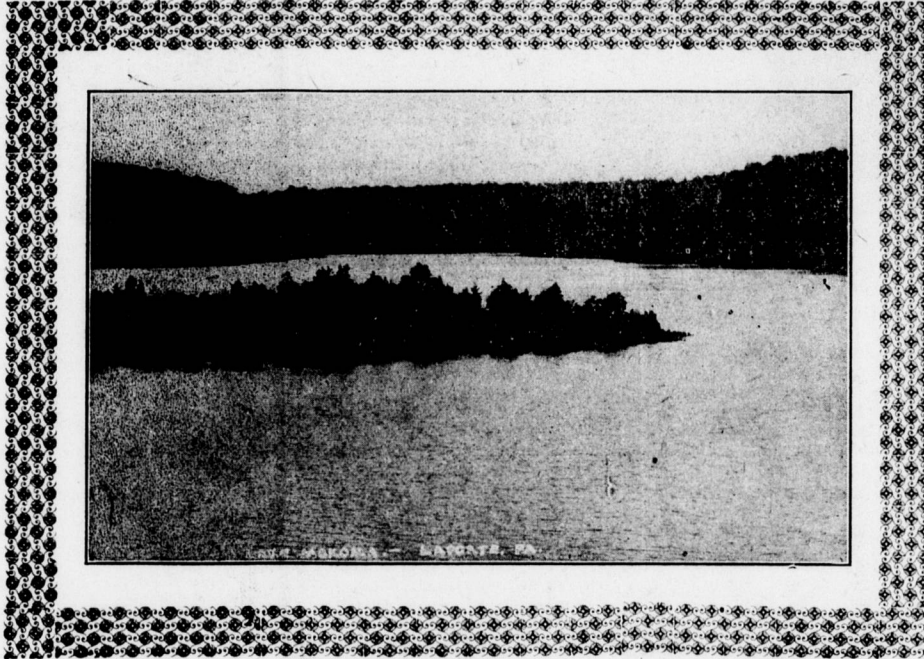
Buck Carpenter, star pitcher for the Bloomsburg team, champions of the Susquehanna League, visited his parents here over Sunday.

W. B. Ritter, our popular station agent and Democratic candidate for nomination of Associate Judge, accompanied by his wife attended a picnic at Overton Tuesday.

Mrs. Victor Hugo and three daughters from Philadelphia, and Margueritta Crossley of Laporte, are spending the week at the home of Mrs. Charles Hugo at Eldredsville.

G. W. Snyder, wife, son and two daughters of Elk Grove, are visiting at J. H. Knouse's. Mr. Snyder is the gentleman who discovered the headless body of a badly decomposed man in Mud pond a few weeks ago.

J. Walton Lysinger, one of the solid business men of Norristown, Pa., accompanied by wife and daughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ingham a few days last week. This was their first visit to Laporte and we are glad to say that they were well pleased with the town and Lake Mokoma, and before returning home they purchased a lot on prospect farm and will build a summer home which will be ready for use next summer.



Slate Makers.

We have information that a formal meeting of the Republican Slate makers was held at LaPorte on Thursday evening at the Court House. What was agreed upon we do not know, but it is rumored that the slate was rearranged, and a nearly new set of men agreed upon for the county offices whose names will be announced when it is proper for the public to be informed.

The News Item, under its new management is a Republican paper, but Independent, meaning we are not dependent on the bosses, big or little. We believe that candidates for local offices should be known long enough before the primaries to give voters an opportunity to make inquires, and fix upon their choice with care and deliberation. The people of Sullivan County are really more interested in who compose the next Board of Commissioners than they are what party controls it. The local Democrats are better favored than the Republicans in having ample time to canvass the merits of their candidates.

The News Item favors honest, clean, intelligent and able men for county offices, Republican preferred when they fill the requirements.

HILLSGROVE.

Mrs. Michael Morris is spending a few days at Ralston.

Charles Norton and family of Fox, visited the lady's mother, Mrs. Dutter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher of Reading are the guests of Raymond Jackson and family.

Miss Clara Gumble of Patterson, N. J., is spending sometime with her uncle, Wm. Gumble.

Dr. Mervine's practice has so greatly increased that he has employed an assistant who has come to stay and is called Ned Dewar Mervine. The Doctor wears a broad smile.

Mrs. Lawrence Lucas and son Paul are visiting the formers parents at Sonestown.

Professor D. M. Soper and family have moved to this place. He will be principal of the High School here the coming term.

Miss Edythe Speaker has been appointed teacher of the Bridgeview school.

Adam Brong, who has been at Rochester the past year is visiting at his old home here.

Mrs. Mae Brown and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jacob Caseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher enjoyed a days outing at Lincoln Falls Sunday.

Annual Illuminated Boat Carnival.

Above picture is a partial view of Beautiful Lake Mokoma where the Fourth Annual Illuminated Boat Carnival will be held on Saturday evening, August 19, commencing at eight o'clock sharp. Preparations for a fine Carnival are being made. There will be many beautiful decorated floats and boats and the lake will present a fairyland appearance, with its thousands of dazzling lights.

The prizes offered by Lake Mokoma Company are very beautiful. A silver loving cup is first prize for floats and a silver canoe the first prize for single boats and canoes. Small prizes all suitably engraved, are given for second prizes.

William M. Fleshhut.

William M. Fleshhut was born in Laporte October 9, 1859, and died at Sayre August 6, 1911, aged 51 years, 9 months and 27 days. The remains were brought to the home of his sister, Mrs. F. M. Crossley of this place, the funeral was held Wednesday, August 9, and the remains laid at rest in Mountain Ash cemetery, the burial place of his parents and three brothers.

After prayer at the house the funeral services were concluded at the M. E. church, Rev. Davidson officiating. The following pall bearers were old school chums of his: Ellery P. Ingham, Frank H. Ingham, Wm. M. Chenev, Wm. L. Stormont, Thomas Sheehan and Andrew Rose. Three sisters and one brother remain to mourn his loss. Mrs. F. M. Crossley, Mrs. W. W. Wheeler, Mrs. F. Croter and Charles Fleshhut.

New Editor at Laporte.

Bert M. VanDyke, for the past eighteen months editor of the Laporte News Item, has resigned his position, and John B. English of this place, has taken charge of the business. John has been until quite recently employed on the Mirror, so we know all about his qualities and qualifications. His worst fault is in being so young, but if people will be patient and give him a chance, he will remedy that. As a printer, he has good taste, is studious and observing, and while he would be able to make good almost anywhere now, experience will do much for him. As a writer he has a natural aptitude for the business and does exceedingly well for a person who has in the past had so few opportunities. Hurrah for John! Sucesu al la redaktoro.—New Albany Mirror.

Elkland Items.

Mrs. G. C. Bird and Miss Olive Plotts, who have been on the sick list, are gaining.

Wardner and Winifred Molyneux of East Forks, called at Watson Fawcett's Wednesday evening.

Bessie Rogers is spending a few days at Wyalusing.

Paul Tomordi has completed his three years in the U. S. cavalry, and is now at home.

Albert Kaye and Mrs. Elmer Bedford entertained their S. S. classes on Monday evening.

The McCarty reunion was held last Friday. About 125 were there and all report a very joyful time.

Taylor McCarty and wife of Wyalusing, attended the reunion Friday.

Mrs. Griffus' daughter of Scranton is visiting her mother.

A large party of young people were entertained by Misses Jessie and Bessie Rogers on Thursday evening.

Rev. S. F. Frazier of Bath, N. Y., has returned home after spending a few days in this community last week.

Mrs. U. Bird and son, LaRue, autoed to Towanda Monday.

L. J. Voorhees of Sonestown, passed through this vicinity on his auto car Sunday.

Revival meetings are now being held at Piatt by Rev. Wm. Frazier and the Echroid sisters. Many from all parts of the township are attending them.

Vide Mulnix and wife spent the Sabbath with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Surgess of Jersey City, formerly of this township, are the happy parents of a baby boy.

Harold and Grace Reid of Elmira are visiting at Elsworth Jennings'.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the nomination for the office of Sheriff of Sullivan County, subject to the Republican rules.

W. H. BIDDLE,
Feb. 24, 1911. Elkland Township.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the nomination for the office of Sheriff of Sullivan County, subject to the Rules of the Republican Party.

FRED W. SCHANBACHER,
March, 1, 1911. Forksville, Pa.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the nomination for the office of Commissioner of Sullivan County, subject to the rules of the Republican Party.

FRANK STRICKLAND,
March, 17, 1911. Hillsgrove, Pa.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of County Commissioner of Sullivan County, subject to Republican rules.

W. T. MORE,
June 26, 1911. Forksville, Pa.

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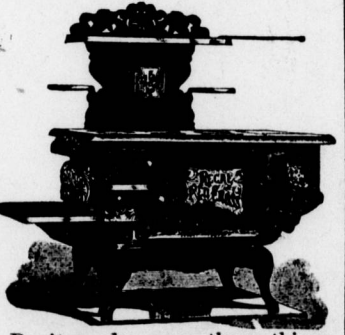
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F. L. Taylor, C. S. VanDyke and E. W. VanDyke of New Albany were business men in Laporte last Saturday.

Chicken Waffle Dinner at the Laporte Hotel, Sunday, August 20, 1911, between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m. Price 50 cents.

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