PROPOSEB AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMON-WEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OF REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL AS SEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND FUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURBUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

DE THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURBUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section twenty-six of article five of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the following amendment to section twenty-six of article five of the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section 26 of Article V., which reads as follows: "Section 23. All laws relating to courts shall be general and of uniform operation, and the organization, jurisdiction, and powers of all courts of the same class or grade, so far as regulated by law, and the force and effect of the process and judgments of such courts, shall be uniform; and the General Assembly is hereby prohibited from creating other courts to exercise the powers vested by this Constitution in the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas and Orphana Courts," be amended so that the same shall read as follows:—

Section 25. All laws relating to courts shall be general and of uniform operation, and the organization, jurisdiction, and powers of all courts of the same class or grade, so far as regulated by law, and the force and effect of the process and judgments of such courts, shall be uniform; but, notwithstanding any provisions of this Constitution, the General Assembly shall have full power to establish new courts, from time to time, as the same may be needed in any city or county, and to prescribe the powers and judsidiction thereof, and to increase the number of judges in any courts now existing or hereafter created, or to reorganize the same may be needed in any city or county the jurisdiction therefore exercised by yourts not of record, and to abolish the same wherever it may be deemed necessary for the orderly and efficient administration of justice.

A true copy of Resolution No. 1.

ROBERT McAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.
RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, so as to eliminate the requirement of payment of taxes as a qualification of the right to vote.

Resolved (if the House of Representatives concur). That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:
That section one of article eight be amended, by striking out the fourth numbered paragraph thereof, so that the said section shall read as follows:
Section 1. Every male citizen twentyone years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject however to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact.

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the State one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months), immediately preceding the election.

tion.

Third. He shall have resided in the Mection district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

A true copy of Resolution No. 2.

ROBERT MCAFEE,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, so as to consolidate the courts of common pleas of Allegheny County.

Section I. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section six of article five be amended, by striking out the said section, and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 6. In the county of Philadelphia all the jurisdiction and powers now vested in the district courts and courts of common pleas, subject to such changes as may be made by this Constitution or by law, shall be in Philadelphia vested in five distinct and separate courts of equal and co-ordinate jurisdiction, composed of three judges each. The said courts in Philadelphia shall be designated respectively as the court of common pleas number one, number two, number three, number four, and number five, but the number of said courts may be by law increased, from time to time, and shall be in like manner designated by successive numbers. The number of judges in any of said courts, or in any county where the establishment of an additional court may be authorized by law, may be increased, from time to time, and whenever such increases shall amount in the whole to three, such three judges shall compose a distinct and separate court and aforesaid. In Philadelphia all suits shall be instituted in the said courts of common pleas without designating the number of the said court, to when any suit shall be instituted in the said courts of common pleas without designating the number of the said court, and the several court shall distribute and apportion the business among them in such manner as shall be provided by law. In the county of Allegheny all the furnishiction and powers now vested in the several numbered courts, and shall be subject to such changes as may be made

Number Four.
A JOINT RESOLUTION
posing an amendment to section eight,
rticle nine, of the Constitution of Penn-

article nine, of the Constitution of Fennsylvania.
Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

Amendmeat to Article Nine, Section Eight.
Section 2. Amend section eight, article nine, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"Section 8. The debt of any county."

## COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Kate H. Thall vs. James J. Thall. n Divorce. Discontinued by leave of

Kate H. Thall vs. James K. Thall. n Divorce. Subpoena awarded. Asa H. Baker vs. Maude Baker. In vivorce. Albert F. Heess is appointed commissioner to take testimony in time. Divorce Decreed.

John W. Russell vs. Nellie A. Rus-ll. Frank Lush, Esq., is appointed mmissioner to take testimony.

Emma J. Wynn vs. Samuel A. Wynn n Divorce. Lawrence Dunn, Esq., is ppointed commissioner to take testi nony. In same, Divorce Decreed.

Harvey B. Kester vs. Juliette Kes r. In Divorce. Divorce Decreed.

Rebecca E. Earnest vs. Daniel L Earnest, In Divorce. Alias Subpoens

George W. Hayman vs. John Roth fieri Facias stayed and rule to open adgement awarded.

adgement awarded.

Minnie A. Barry vs. Thomas J. Barry.
Pluries Subpoena awarded.

In Re: Workingman's Protective Asociation of Mildred, Penna. Application for Charter. Hearing fixed for December 11, 1911 at 10 o'clock A. M. In Re: Appeal of H. J. Schaad, a ax payer of Cherry township from Auditor's Report. Issue awarded.

Edward W. Leahy (use) vs. Elizabeth armody. Fiert Facias stayed and rule o show cause why judgement should of be opened, granted.

In Re: Petition of John D. Reeser, Administrator of Amos Reeser, Deceased, o sell Real Estate. The Court Decrees a sale of the real estate and approves bond of the Administrator in the sum of \$2000

In Re: Petitions of James, Eugene, econard and Martin Rouse, minor hildren of Martin Rouse, deceased. The Court appoints William Powers as juardian of said minors and approves onds in the sum of \$200, each.

In Re: Estate of John Connor, de-eased. The appointment of E. J. Mul-en, Esq., as Auditor is continued to ext term.

In Re: Appointment of Deputy 'on-stable of Cherry township. The 'our tappoints Frank Rohe as Deputy Constable to attend the Cherry Town-ship E ection polls.

In Re: Appointment of Deputy Contable for Jamison City Precinct. The Court appoints Perry Crossley as Deputy Jonstable to attend the Jamison City Election Polls.

Commonwealth vs. Thomas Mahaffey

Commonwealth vs. Thomas Mahaffey, Jr. Charge—Nuisance. Grand Jury and a True Bill. Defendant pleads "Guilty" and sentence is suspended upon his entering into a Recognizance to keep the peace and to appear for sentence if called for.

Commonwealth vs. Emery Sones Charge, Maticious Mischief, Grand Jury find a True Bill Defendant tried. Jury find the Defendant "Not Guilty" the costs to be divided equally between Harry Rove, the prosecutor and Emery Sones, the Defendant,

Sones, the Defendant.

Commonwealth vs. John Cabara, Stanley Cabara and Paul Yavorski Charge, breaking seal and entering railroad ear. Larceny. Defendants plead "Guilty" and sentence is suspended, the Defendants entering into a Recognizance in the sum of \$100. each with Joe Yavorski and Jacob Cabara as Secureties, to appear for sentence if ealled for and to keep the peace towards the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company and its property.

Miss Willis F. Miller accompanies week with Mrs. Bivins at this place.

Miss Lizzie McNellen will open a Millinery parlor at her home Oct 2, and invites you to inspect a grand display of fall and winter Millinery.

September 19, 1911, the Grand Jury filed their report and are discharge with the thanks of the Court.

In Re: Estate of James Kane, late of Cherry township, deceased. In Partition. On motion of E. J. Mullen, for Petitioner, Judson Brown, Sheriff, is appointed Trustee and directed to make sale of the real estate.

real estate.

In Re: Estate of James Kane, late of Dushore Borough, deceased. In Partition. On motion of J. H.-Thayer, for petitioner, the Court in each case appoints Daniel W. Pealer Trustee, approves his bond, and directs that he sell the real estate at public sale.

In Re: Petition for the Incorporation of the Borough of Mildred. Application for Charter. The Court fixes Friday. December 15, 1911, at nine o'clock A. M.

September 18, 1911, at 3 o'clock P. M. the time fixed for same, the following accounts were confirmed Ni. Si

First and final account of James C. Caven, Administrator of the Estate of "Joe Attello" also known as "Peo Quer-ri", late of Cherry township, Deceased.

First and final account of Sylvester Brown, Executor of the estate of Charles Fuller, late of Fox townshrp, deceased. In Re: Coroner's laquest on the body of "Peo Querri". Bill of costs

approved. The following sales of real estate under order of the Orphans Court were abso-lutely confirmed by the Court:

In Re: Petition of Harry L. Keller, Administrator of the estate of Adam Morey, late of Cherry township, de-ceased.

In Re: Petition of Daniel L. Miller, Administrator of the estate of Rufus Oborsionor, late of Elkland township

J. G. Cott vs. The Nordmont Chemical Company, Garnishee. Attachment Execution. Jury called and sworn. Juror withdrawn by the Court and case continued at cost of the plaintiff,

Patrick Connor vs. Margaret Connor, Administratrix of John Connor, Deceased. Assumpsit. Case tried and Jury find Verdict for the Plain-tiff for the sum of \$450. tiff for the sum of \$450.70.

Caroline Brink vs. Curtis Stroup.
Defendant's Appeal. Jury find verdict for the Defendant, Curtis Stroup
James Thompson, sole surviving
executor of Josiah Jackson, Deceased. In Equity. Court fixes time for hearing on Tuesday, the 21st day of November. 1911, at the Court House in Laporte, at 10 o'clock A.M.

Edwin A. Carey vs. M. C. Ryman Replevin. Judgment directed to be entered for Plaintiff unless Defend-ant shall file an Affidavit of Defense on or before September 22, 1911.

on or before September 22, 1911.

In Re: Appointment of Viewers.
No. 5 December Term, 1911. Now
September 21, 1911, pursuant to the
provisions of the Act of June 23, 1911
the following named persons are appointed a Board of Viewers: Alphonsus Walsh, Esq., Dushore; J. H.
Thayer, Esq., Dushore; F. H. Ingham, Esq., Laporte; W. C. Mason,
Surveyor, Laporte; Nathan Persun,
Surveyor, Laporte; Nathan Persun,
Surveyor, Laporte; Nathan Persun,
Surveyor, Eagles Mere; Dennis E. Carroll, Dushore; P. W. Hunsinger,
Cherry Township; A. L. Plotts, Elkland Township. land Township.

Patrick Connor vs. Margaret Connor, Administratrix. The Court grants a rule to show cause why Judgment shall not be entered for Defendant non obstanto veredicto.

In Re: Appointment of Deputy
Constable for Ringdale Precinct.
The Court appoints James Murray
as Deputy Constable to attend the
polls at Ringdale Precinct at the
Primaries to be held September 30,
1911, and at the general election to
be held November 7, 1911.
Granville R. Tyson, vs. Many S.

Granville B. Tyson vs. Mary S. Tyson. Rule for Alimony and Council fees continued in order to take further testimony.

In Re: Petition of William Powers, Guardian for Martin, James, Leonard and Eugene Rouse, for sale of Real Estate. The Court decrees a public sale of the real estate upon filing an approved Bond in the sum of \$600.00.

table for Jamison City Precinct. The Court appoints Perry Crossley as Deputy Ionstable to attend the Jamison City Election Polls.

In Re: Appointment of Judge of Election to Jamison City Precinct. The Journal of Journal of Journal of Jamison City Precinct. The Journal of Journal

### Local Items.

The Misses Louise, and Agnes Upman and brother George visited their mother at Unityville Sunday.

Wm. Moran, son Leo and doughter Martha of Muney Val-ley visited his parents at this place Sunday.

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ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF LAPORTE BORO, SCHOOL DIS-TRICT FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 5, 1911.

T. J. Keeler, Col. in account with Laporte Boro. School District for year ending

	School Tax.	
	Dr.	Cr.
1910,		
To amount of duplicate	\$497.01	
To balance due at last audit	4.50	
By 5 per cent rebate on \$350.00 collec ed		17.50
By 5 per cent Com. on \$332.50 collected		16.62
Sept. 27, by Treasurer's receipts		328.00
Dec. 31. by Treasurer's receipts.,		114.05
Dec. 31, by Treasurer's receipts Dec. 31, by exonerations allowed Dec. 31, by Lands returned		11.00
Dec. 31, by Lands returned		19.96
Dec. 51, by 5 per cent for returning		1.00
June 5, 1911, to amount due T. J. Keeler, over pays	ment 6.62	
	508.13	508.13

T. J. Keeler Col. in account with Laporte Boro. School District for the year ending June 5, 1911.

	Dr.	Cr.
To amount of Duplicate	\$484.91	
To Balance due at last audit	6.18	
By 5 per cent rebate on \$350.00 collected		17.5
1910 By 5 per cent Com. on 332.50 collected		15.6
Sept. 27, by Treasurer's receipts		329.6
Sept. 24, by exonerations allowed		7.5
Dec. 3, by lands returned		19.9
1911 By 5 per cent for returning		1.0
March 20, by Treasurer's receipts		112.1
June 5, by Amt. due T. J. Keeler over payment	13.29	
	504.38	504.3

ending June 5, 1911. Dr.

1910 To Bal. in hands of Treasurer at last audit. \$48.55

Sept 23, amount received from Loporte Twp. High School tuiton
Sept. 23, to amount received from G. S. Eddy for hay. 2.00

Sept. 27, to amount received from T. J. Keeler, Col. school tax 442.05

To amount received from T. J. Keeler, Col. bldg. tax. 441.80

Oct. 6, to amount received from E. L. Sweeney, County Treasurer. 100.00

Oct. 19, to amount received from State Treasurer (Gen. appro'n). 381.35

Feb. to amount received from State, High School appro'n. 200.00

To amount received from J. C. Caven, Sec'y, tuitions. 31.50

To amount received from sale of bonds. 700.00

By orders redeemed.

By Treasurer's commission on amount paid out at 2 per cent

By Treasurer's commission on amount paid out at 2 per cent By balance in Treasurer's hands..... 2,428.75

RECEIPTS.

Balance in hands of Treasurer at last audit	\$ 48.55
Received from Collector	883.85
Received from Tuitions	113,00
Received from County Treas	100,00
Received from State appro'n	581.35
Received from sale of hay	2.00
Received from sale of bonds	700.00

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EXPENDITURES.	
Paid interest on bonds	30.0
Paid interest on bonds held by John Karge	41.8
'aid for repairs on building and fixtures	34.8
Paid for hauling and express	3.5
'aid for Secretaries salary and postage	26.0
'aid for Janitor's services	5.0
Paid for coal	65.0
Paid interest on notes, orders etc	101.4
aid for School supplies	30.1
'aid for Teachers services	1080.0
'aid back salary	40.0
'aid for diplomas	7.8
and Teachers attending County Institute	20.0
Paid Directors attending meeting and election	14.0
Paid note and interest, favor M. J. Phillips	285.9
Paid for printing	31.9
Paid interest on old bonds	12.7
Paid Treasurer's Commission	36.9
Paid for other expenses	17.7
Amount due from Treasurer	543.8
	\$2428.7

\$825-31 Amount due T. J. Keeler over payment..... Orders outstanding interest bearing......Orders outstanding favor Michael \$118.00....

\$ 2,671.92 Total Liabilities... \$2,671.92 825.31

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#### The Forksville Fair.

The Annual Fair of the Sullivan County Agricultural Society will be held on the grounds at Forksville on October 3, 4, and 5. It is expected that this fair will be far superior to that of any previous year, and a record breaking crowd is sure to be in attendance. A Brass Band will be present, and tickle the ears of music lovers. The merry-go-round will also be there as you will be aware of if you attend this fair.

On Wednerday, October 4, will be held the great athletic meet. Sullivan County boasts of its great athletes and there is sure to be some interesting exhibitions of the various sports.

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#### Notice. The cider press at Sonestown will

open Thursday, Sept. 7, 1911, and run Thursday and Friday of each week until Nov. 4, 1911, closing at noon on that day. John M. Converse

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ton 100 lb 29.50 1.50 Corn Meal Cracked Corn Corn 29.50 1.50 ¶Sacks each 6c with privilege of returning without expense to me. Schumacher Chop 30.00 1.55 Wheat Bran 28.00 Fancy White Midds. Oil Meal 31.00 39.00 29.00 1.50 Gluten Alfalfa Meal 25.00 Oyster Shells Brewers Grain 10.00 27.00 Choice Cottonseed Meal 32.00 Luxury Flour sack per bbl. Beef Scrap per bu. 50 lb sack Oats Charcoal

Oyster Shells "
140 lb bag Salt coarse or fine
56 lb bag Salt
Buckwheat Flour sack 1.50 Slhumacher Flour Muncy Muncy " 1.20 " per bbl. 4.65 Spring Wheat,,(Marvel) " 1.60 Veal Calves wanted on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Live fowls and chickens on Wednesday.

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