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ACCOUNTS SOLICITED.

Trial List, February Term, 1912.
Return Day, February 12, 1912.

1.—C. D. Hood by his next friend, Emma C. Hood vs. Connell Anthracite Mining Company. No. 9 May Term, 1911. Plea—"Not Guilty."
Scouton. McCormick.

2.—William T. Fairchild vs. Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. No. 68 May Term, 1910. Trespass. Plea—"Not Guilty."
Scouton. Kaufman.

3.—A. T. Mulnix vs. Seth P. Shoemaker and Wm. T. More. No. 16 February Term, 1911. Framed Issue. Plea—"Payment."
Mullen. Scouton

4.—Alice M. Putnam, s. d. b. n. c. t. a of Luman Putnam, Deceased, Assignee of N. N. Betts, Executor and Trustee of Mrs. H. Charlotte Ward, vs. C. F. Hunsinger and Lizzie (or Elizabeth) Allen and James P. Allen, her husband. No. 31 February Term, 1911. Scire Facias Sur Mortgage. Plea—"That Mortgage is not a lien upon land &c."
Thomson. Scouton.

5.—The Township of Cherry, to the use of the Treasurer of Sullivan County, for Cherry Township School District vs. Fred Frieder. No. 25 May Term, 1911. Defendant's Appeal.
Walsh. Mullen

6.—H. J. Schand, a Taxpayer of the Township of Cherry vs. Thomas W. Galan, Frank Huffmaster and Henry Touchner, Supervisors of the Township of Cherry. No. 66 May Term, 1911 Appeal from Township Audit.
Mullen. Scouton.

ALBERT F. HEESS, Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's Office, LaPorte, Penn'a
January 1, 1912

Appeal Notice.
To the taxpayers of the several boroughs and townships of Sullivan county:

Take notice that the county commissioners will hold an appeal in their office at Laporte, Pa., February 14, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., to hear such as may feel themselves aggrieved by the late assessment and to make such charges as may seem to them just and proper.
CO. COMMISSIONERS.
Commissioners' Office, Dec. 30, 1911.

"DAFFODILS."

Contributed.

If Constable Keeler bought a pair of boxing gloves would Ned Tarbox?

If Ernest Botsford trapped Mink would Luther trap Martin?

If Joseph is little is Edward Small?

If 'Squire Gorman lost Cora would James Hunter?

If a farmer drank a gallon of cider would it make Julius Sick?

If George Fiester fell on the ice would Derrick raise him?

Register's Notices:

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

First and Final Account of Lee R. Gavitt and Margaret S. Fiester, Executors of the last will and testament of Harry M. Fiester, late of LaPorte Township Deceased.

And the same will be presented to the orphans Court of Sullivan County, to be held at LaPorte, Penna., on the Twelfth day of February A. D. 1912, at 3 o'clock P. M., for confirmation and allowance, and the same shall then be confirmed N. 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 15, 1912.

Jury List For February Court.

List of persons with their occupation and Place of residence drawn as Travese and Grand Jurors for February Term and sessions, beginning Monday, February 12, 1912.

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Edward Bahl	farmer	Forks
Daniel Belins	laborer	Ricketts
William Burges	farmer	Elkland
Harry Bigger	machinist	Ricketts
Lawrence Connor	farmer	Forks
Edward Frey	teacher	Fox
Jacob H. Fries	laborer	Laporte
Samuel Galougu	barber	Hills Grove
George Grimes	laborer	Ricketts
George Hartig	mill-man	Cherry
John Hiltman, Jr.	farmer	Dushore
James Lavelle	miner	Lopez
Thomas Lynott	miner	Lopez
Anthony Murray	bookkeeper	Lopez
William W. Oiler	machineman	Berneck
Andrew O'Malley	miner	Lopez
James H. Spence	miner	Berneck
Frederick Smither	farmer	Forks
Nathan Persun	surveyor	Dushore
Seth P. Shoemaker	farmer	Elkland
William Sergeant	farmer	Fox
Anthony Touchner	miner	Berneck
James Wheatley	miner	Berneck
John Wheatley	farmer	Davidson

TRAVERSE AND PETIT JURORS

William Cook	miner	Berneck
Peter P. Murray	merchant	Lopez
John Hughes	teacher	Dushore
Thomas B. Thompkins	farmer	Elkland
Edward L. Travelet	laborer	Jamison City
Charles Rohr	farmer	Forks
James Murphy	farmer	Cherry
Harry Miller	laborer	Jamison City
Lawrence Dunn	justice peace	Lopez
Andrew McDonald	miner	Berneck
Lewis Hatton	miner	Berneck
James Morgan	farmer	Fox
John Schand	coal operat'r	Berneck
Sylvanus E. Morgan	farmer	Forks
Wendell Sick	farmer	Cherry
John J. Murphy	farmer	Cherry
Chauncey Wheatley	farmer	Elkland
Samuel Darby	laborer	Hills Grove
Emmanuel Erie	farmer	Colley
James Waples	miner	Lopez
Charles Young	laborer	Jamison City
John Coyk	clerk	Dushore
Harris Collins	miner	Berneck
Maynard Phillips	farmer	Davidson
Otto Behr	farmer	Lopez
John L. Utz	drover	Dushore
Harry Gould	laborer	Lopez
Patrick Driscoll	blacksmith	Cherry
William L. Dyer	farmer	Forks
Thomas Booth	laborer	Shrewsbury
John C. Miller	sawyer	Ricketts
Floyd Ketchum	farmer	Fox
Chauncey Cunningham	plumber	Berneck
Ralph King	blacksmith	Davidson
William Kless	farmer	Davidson
John Farley	farmer	Cherry
Samuel McCarty	farmer	Elkland
Foster Meyers	laborer	Mt. Vernon
Maurice Dunn	teacher	Dushore
Walter Hazzen	farmer	Davidson
Frank Bahl	farmer	Forks
Charles Cox	farmer	Davidson
Henry Vogt	farmer	Elkland
Joseph McIntyre	laborer	Jamison City
Wilbur Fritz	laborer	Davidson

LOCAL NEWS

COUNTY SEAT NEWS TOLD IN BREEZY PARAGRAPHS.

J. W. Laird of Sonestown was a county seat caller Wednesday.

Willis B. Snider of Nordmont was a business man in town Wednesday.

Roy Jennings of Estella was repairing telephone lines in town Tuesday.

Dr. Sun Yet Sea is president of the United States of China if he can stay put.

The snow, the saow, the beautiful snow slipping and sliding wherever you go.

Morgan Gavitt of Sonestown transacted business in the county seat Wednesday.

Raymond Minner returned home from Hills Grove and Elkland Monday evening.

The V. I. S. will meet with Mrs. A. H. Buschhausen Monday evening Jan. 22, 1912.

W. B. Holcombe and Frances Harrington of Dushore were in Laporte Wednesday.

Charles Helsman, of Berwick, son of County Treasurer Helsman, was in Laporte last week.

Mrs. Wm. B. Chamberlain of Eagles Mere transacted business in the county seat Monday.

A newspaper reads: "Cold wave is general." most of us wish it were not more than a corporal.

Edward Walizer of Nordmont moved his family to the Stormont building at this place Wednesday.

F. C. Schannabacher after a week's illness is again driving the mail between Forksville and Laporte.

Henry Carpenter left for Philadelphia week ago Thursday where he has a position in the navy yard.

Clarence Harvey who has been in Laporte for the past six months returned to his home in Kennett Square last Saturday.

The Spring Primaries will be held April 13, 1912. The last day for filing petitions with the County Commissioners is March 13, 1912.

We have been informed that a summer hotel will really be built in Laporte. According to our information operations will begin about the first of March.

The Republican National Convention will meet in Chicago, June 18, and name the next president. The Democrats will meet in Baltimore on June 25, and give each other black eyes and incidently name an "also ran."

Lost, strayed or stolen—White and Tan English Beagle Hound, answers to the name of Teddy. White strip through middle of head, tan ears, two tan spots on one side. Suitable reward for return to owner or information as to his whereabouts. Harry Russell, Sonestown, Pa.

Next week we are going to start a new column in the News Item called Court House news in which we shall endeavor to give you all the important happenings at the Court House. We are also going to try and improve by giving you more local and county news. Send us in some items and receive our most humble thanks.

John W. Heaton Dead.

Frozen Body Found by Son upon Return Home.

John W. Heaton was born in England and died at his home about two miles from Laporte on the Eagles Mere road Jan. 12, 1912 at the age of 72 years, 3 months and 18 days.

His wife died about one year ago and since that time he has lived alone except when his son Fred was with him for short periods. About twilight on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 13, Fred who is employed in a lumber camp a short distance beyond Eagles Mere returned home, seeing no tracks about the house he thought that perhaps his father had gone to Laporte for couple days as he often did, the doors being locked Fred decided to climb in the window secure his overcoat and go to Laporte to find him, as he came through the window he stumbled against some object, lighting a match he was astonished to discover the lifeless body of his father lying on the floor at his feet and frozen stiff. It is thought that he arose from bed Friday morning dressed with the exceptions of putting on his shoes, and as he was about to start a fire in the stove was stricken with heart failure.

Mr. Heaton and family came to Celestia from Bridgeport, Conn., in 1894 as members of the colony of Peter E. Armstrong. He was a veteran of the Civil War.

One son and one daughter survive him, Fred G. Heaton and Mary G. Heaton. The funeral was held at the Methodist church in Laporte, last Wednesday, Rev. Davidson officiating. Interment in Mountain Ash cemetery. In next week's issue we will publish a picture of Mr. Heaton.

Sheriff's Sale.
By virtue of a writ of Fieri Farias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed and delivered, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Laporte, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, on Friday, February 9, 1912, at ten o'clock a. m., the following described property, to wit:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated in Davidson township, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, described as follows:

Situated on the outlet of Lewis Lake about one mile above the village of Sonestown and bounded on the North by lands of A. T. Armstrong, on the East by lands of A. T. Armstrong, on the South by lands of L. H. Buck and on the West by lands of G. Phillips. CONTAINING one acre of land, be the same more or less, and being the same premises which Peter Swank, this defendant, purchased from Byron Campbell by deed still unrecorded. Land all improved and having erected thereon a frame dwelling house, together with outbuildings. Situated along the public road and being a desirable property.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Peter Swank at the suit of C. A. Starr, J. G. COTT, Sheriff.

Mullen, Attorney.
Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa.,
Jan. 15, 1912.

We wish to speak a word of commendation for our present County Auditors, Oliver S. Bender, Thomas R. Crimmins, and D. F. McCarty. These men have just completed the Audit doing the work in about one half the time heretofore required.

Canning Air.

One week ago last Thursday, a short, chunky man with a red, curly mustache and wearing a Prince Albert coat of the Ichabod Crane pattern walked slowly through the streets of Laporte and sniffed the invigorating mountain air.

We noticed him several times acting in a very mysterious manner and were greatly mystified, but now the secret is out and we are going to put the public next. It seems that the gentleman in question was at one time a college professor of considerable renown, whose brain had become weakened by constantly endeavoring to invent an apparatus by which the invigorating mountain air of some high altitude could be stored up in winter time in small cans, about the size and shape of a milk can, shipped to the city and in the summer placed in the hot, sultry rooms of the metropolis, where it would be allowed to slowly escape from the can cooling the hot atmosphere and filling the room with this health giving air.

Someone, who had been in Laporte or lives here now informed him that the county seat of Sullivan county would be the proper place to get his air, so he made a trip to Laporte, scouted around a little and returned to New York City well pleased with our brand of air, where he will organize a stock company; and in all probability, the apparatus, cans and professor will arrive here in a week or so.

A Statement.

Following is a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Christmas exercises held in Laporte Sunday, December 24, 1911:

Amount Collected.
By Subscriptions \$23.60
Pail Sold to J. Minnier .10
Total 23.70

Expenditures.
Candy and Oranges \$17.04
Express 2.25
Drayage .25
Telephone .15
Nails .05
Total 21.34

Collections in excess of Expenditures, \$2.36.

The Christmas tree was furnished by Otis Rose and Lawrence Gumble.

Prominent Williamsport Men Die.

Joseph Wood Mussina, one of the most prominent Free Masons in Central Pennsylvania, died in Williamsport Monday morning, aged 77 years. Dr. L. D. Rank, aged 83, a practicing dentist for 56 years, and probably the oldest practitioner in the state, died at Williamsport Monday afternoon.

John Hassen Sr. is confined to his bed with an attack of rheumatism.

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PRICES For This Week

	ton	100 lb
Corn Meal	28.00	1.40
Cracked Corn	28.00	1.40
Corn	28.00	1.40
Sacks each 6c with privilege of returning without expense to me.		
Schumacher Chop	31.00	1.60
Wheat Bran	29.00	1.50
Fancy White Midds.	33.00	1.70
Oil Meal	42.00	2.20
Gluten	33.00	1.75
Alfalfa Meal	25.00	1.30
Oyster Shells	10.00	.60
Brewers Grain	28.00	1.40
Choice Cottonseed Meal		
Luxury Flour	sack	1.20
Beef Scrap	per bbl.	4.65
Oats	per bu.	.60
Charcoal	50 lb sack	.60
Oyster Shells		.35
140 lb bag Salt coarse or fine		.50
56 lb bag Salt		.25
Buckwheat Flour		3.00
Silumacher Flour	sack	1.60
	per bbl.	6.20
Spring Wheat (Marvel)		1.70
Veal Calves wanted on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Live fowls and chickens on Wednesday.		

M. BRINK, New Albany, Pa.

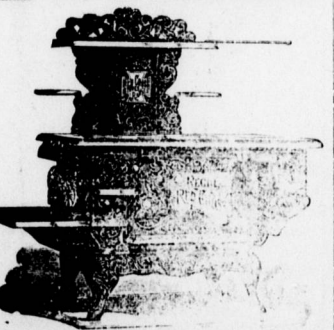
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