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News Items Contents.
The News Item has been enlarged it now contains 8 six column pages, just twice as large as formerly. It is the second paper in size and the neatest appearing paper in Sullivan County, we have enlarged on every feature but one, and that is the price, which still remains the same as usual, 75 cents per year.
Our location at the County Seat makes it convenient for us to obtain notes of public interest concerning the Sullivan County courts and reports of legal proceedings.
All important news of the county seat is published. This should be of interest to all in the county.
Our continued stories are receiving the highest commendation from high-grade fiction readers.
All the general foreign and domestic news is published weekly.
Our old soldier's column is greatly appreciated by the surviving veterans of the Civil War.
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For Congress.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Congressman of this, the Sixteenth Congressional District of Pennsylvania, subject to the decision of the Republican voters of the District. Your support is earnestly solicited.
Very respectfully,
I. CLINTON KLINE.
Sunbury, Pa., Feb. 20, 1912.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

HILLSGROVE.
Miss Permila Vough has returned to her home in Elkland after spending a few weeks in town.
Sid Green of Scranton is visiting his sister, Mrs. Edward Hoffman.
Mrs. Harriett Brown of Estella was in town Sunday.
Paul Galough and Mike Morrison have gone to Endicott where they have accepted positions.
William Gumble who has been suffering with LaGrippe is improving.
Alvin Lucas has returned to Endicott, N. Y., after spending a few months with his parents here.
Nattie Clark of Endicott and brother Charles of Jersey Shore are visiting their mother here.
Fred Bachle spent Sunday with parents at Proctor.
Frank Stickland of Masten spent Sunday at home.

EAGLES MERE.
George Smith is building a new barn.
Mr. Forney has moved from Shanersburg to his farm in Penn township.
A number of Mr. Jenkins lady friends were visiting him at his home last Thursday.
Brady Smith is making frequent visits to Bunker Hill.
Mrs. John Stevens was at Laporte Saturday.
E. L. Smith lost a horse recently.
Thomas Reeser has moved into his new house.
Clayton Bennett is preparing to move.
Work has been resumed on the golf links.
The Senior class play of the Eagles Mere High School was largely attended Saturday evening.

Killed by Cars.
William Bogart of Sonestown was killed at Columbia Cross Roads, near Elmira, at an early hour Tuesday morning. He met his death while walking on the tracks of the Northern Central railroad. The man's body was cut into at the hips and in spite of his terrible injury he remain conscious until a short time before his death.
A trackwalker found him lying to one side of the tracks while on the other side reposed his legs, which had been crushed from his body at the hips. Up to the time of his death he was able to converse in a low whisper. He was about 40 years of age. His body was brought to Sonestown for burial Wednesday evening.

County Seat
Local and Personal Events
Tersely Told.

Subscribe for the News Item.
\$1.98 shoes at Wolf Sock's.
Editor Streby of Dushore was in town Monday.
George Upman returned from Masten Monday.
Carl Biddle left for his home at Estella Monday.
John G. Scouton Esq., of Dushore was in town Thursday.
All kinds of produce accepted in payment for goods at Sock's.
W. S. Shannon, Chief Burgess of West Berwick was in town Thursday.
The County Commissioners held a meeting at the court house Monday.
Henry Stepp and daughter Eliza of Binghamton are spending a few days at Laporte.
County Solicitor, J. H. Cronin of Dushore was a business man in Laporte Monday.
Raymond Shaffer and Freddie Arms visited Mr. Shaffer's parents near Overton Sunday.
As we were about to set down in the lap of spring the weather man threw a snow ball at us.
Come to the Bake Sale next Saturday afternoon beginning at 2:30 o'clock at J. L. Smyth's store.
Misses Ione and Marjorie Mason, who are attending Normal at West Chester, are home for Spring vacation.
A number of young people from this place attended the senior class play at Eagles Mere Saturday evening.
Lost, between Laporte and Sonestown a gold pin with three pink stones. Finder please leave at this office.
Professors, Leahy, Miss Rogers and Miss Wrede attended the teachers' meeting at Sonestown Friday evening.
A. B. Kilmer of Wheelerville, one of the most prominent citizens of the west end was in town Tuesday. He reports business brisk at Wheelerville.
The stormy weather of last Friday made the penny social look like a two cent piece, therefore it was postponed and will be held at the home of G. S. Eddy this (Friday) evening.
The man who talks little but does much toward showing visitors the advantages possessed by his town and section is the man who really counts in the obtaining of enterprises and making cities out of villages.
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Distinguished Visitor.
Avery Clinton Sickles of Berwick, Pa., Republican candidate for delegate to the National Convention, was in town last week. Mr. Sickles is a Roosevelt man and says that if elected he will support Theodore Roosevelt for President. He visited Teddy at the office of the Outlook the fore part of the month and of this visit the following newspaper clippings say:
"Avery Clinton Sickles of Berwick, Pa., president of a traction line dropped to leave the prediction that the Roosevelt followers would send a solid delegation to the Pennsylvania state convention, assuring the election of Roosevelt delegates-at-large to Chicago.
"Our people favor the recall for all officials," said Mr. Sickles. "We favor the initiative and referendum. In short we want a representative government, and we believe that Theodore Roosevelt is the one man who stands for a representative government—a government for and by the people."
New York Tribune, March 6.
"Half a dozen visitors at the Roosevelt headquarters in the Metropolitan Tower brought cheering information yesterday regarding the strength of the Roosevelt movement. Avery Clinton Sickles, President of a street railway company at Berwick, Pa., was one of these. He told Chairman Duell that his state would send a solid Roosevelt delegation to the National Convention.
"The people of Pennsylvania believe in the 'Big Stick,'" said Mr. Sickles, "and in the man who does things. Our people are largely of the working classes and believe in action rather than in promises, and they are also believers in the people ruling the country—not the politicians. The courts must also be placed in the hands of the people. We want a representative government, and we believe that Theodore Roosevelt is the man who stands for it."
"Mr. Sickles added that the people Pennsylvania would have a Roosevelt primary ticket in the field from the highest office to be voted for in the state right down to the committeemen from the different districts."
New York Times, March 6, 1912.
At present Mr. Sickles is in New York City making arrangements for Mr. Roosevelt's visit to this Congressional District the first of April.

Roosevelt.
If Pennsylvania were alone to be considered, Taft, or any other Republican, could be elected; but it is the doubtful States that the weakness of Taft spells calamity for the Republican party. Every State that borders on Canada has a large large farmer vote, mostly Republican; and this vote has been alienated by the "free farm products" of the proposed Canadian Reciprocity bill, which the President thought of enough importance to call a special session of Congress to consider. The idea was Democratic not Republican. The Republican party believes in a protective tariff, and that the farmers are entitled to as much protection as the laborers and more than the manufacturers. It is not surprising that Republicans farmers resent an attempt to make them the first, and only, victims of a Republican free trade measure.
The Item wishes to see a Republican president elected in 1912. There is no use deceiving ourselves or playing the ostrich. The strong man today is Theodore Roosevelt. If nominated he will be elected.

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LATEST NEWS OF SONESTOWN.
Pete Stetler of Muncy was in town.
C. B. Vandine of Hughesville was in town week ago Wednesday.
E. H. Tiven, piano agent for D. S. Andrews & Co. of Williamsport was in town last Wednesday and Thursday.
Chas. Brown moved his home to York State last Monday.
Sherman Swank left Monday for York State where he will be engaged in poling hops and sowing peas.
Thomas Hunter who has dwelled in our mist for a year or more, moved to his father's farm at Fairmont Springs last Monday.
Wm. Reese, who has been employed in York State for the past three months, moved his family there Monday.

When you see a man coming up the street with his hat off and a little late, he is on his way to York State and don't exactly know the train time, but soon cools off when he learns he has plenty of time in which to make the train.
Grover Crist, who has been in New York City the past winter learning the barber trade has opened up a barber shop in the office of Bondman's Hotel, and visitors to the hotel will be well taken care of in that line. In fact Smith says, "They may be cleaned up proper if they don't watch out."
Bruce Rea Sr. was in town Monday and Tuesday.
Benjamin Wilson was a business man in Hughesville Monday.
Edward Taylor was a Williamsport visitor last Monday.
Mrs. John Watson and daughter Velma are on the sick list.
James Jordan of Shohola is suffering with a tumor on the back of his neck.
Last week a flock of wild geese alighted in Sonestown, and Bob Simmons and Smith Boudman gave chase to them, pursuing them over Bridge Street to Groundhog avenue, then down Rabbit Street to Main Street, by that time it was so dark that the feathery trail could no longer be followed.

Lucius Fritz of Muncy Valley was given a trial before Squire Buck for wife desertation and Thursday evening was lodged in the county bastille at Laporte, but was released on bail furnished by J. G. Scouton Esq., of Dushore.
Miss Mary Martin who has been employed as nurse in the home of Mrs. Flynn has returned to her home in Williamsport and was replaced by Miss Pineau of the same city.

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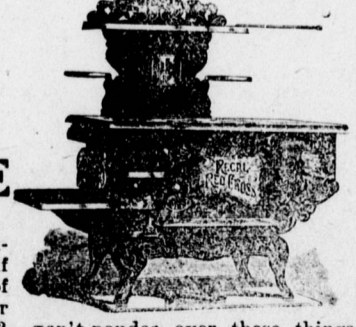
Corn Meal	29.00	1.50
Cracked Corn	29.00	1.50
Corn	29.00	1.50
Sacks each 6c with privilege of returning without expense to me.		
Schumacher Chop	32.00	1.65
Wheat Bran	32.00	1.65
Fancy White Midds.	33.00	1.70
Oil Meal	42.00	3.10
Gluten	34.50	1.75
Alfalfa Meal	29.00	1.50
Oyster Shells	10.00	.60
Brewers Grain	30.00	1.50
Choice Cottonseed Meal	33.00	1.70
Luxury Flour	sack	1.25
	per bbl.	4.90
Beef Scrap		3.00
Oats	per bu.	.60
Charcoal	50 lb sack	.60
Oyster Shells		.35
140 lb bag Salt coarse or fine		.50
100 lb bag Salt		.35
Buckwheat Flour		3.00
Schumacher Flour	sack	1.60
	per bbl.	6.20
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