Receipts and Expenditures of Montour County, Penn'a.

For the Year Ending January 7th A. D., 1907.

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		COUNTY TAX. STATE TAX.							ST	TATE TA	XX.		DOG TAX.							
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S. K. HOFFMAN, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH MONTOUR COUNTY.

DR. To Cash Received from the Following Sources.		CR.	By Disbursements as Follows:	
State Tax received for prior years Dog Tax received for 1906 Dog Tax received for 1906 Dog Tax received for prior years County Tax received in 1906 on unseated land and Collectors returns Commissioners of Northumberland County one-half Expenses on Riv- er Bridge and Ferry 1905 and 1906 Commissioners of Columbia county, one-half on Roaring Creek joint bridge. Reimbursement of State Tax for 1906 Reimbursement of Tax of Forest Fires 1905 and 1906 Commonwealth costs, fines and Jury Funds Ohn C. Peifer, sale of outbuilding Xuitting Mill, sale of letter press Dwego Bridge Co., for work done on Bridge Glias Maier, a loan Hotel Licenses for 1906, County's portion.	5402 46 1624.57 1847 75 4 37 313 44 175 67 42.91	classified account Amount paid Commo there was no orde Treasurer's commissi Two and one-half per Less County's portion ing been allowed	of expenditures	

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CLASSIFIED ACCOUNT OF EXPENDITURES.

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COURT EXPENSES AND COMMONWEALTH	COSTS.		FERRY EXPENSES.		30 75 5
Grand Jurors	421.74			10.00	
Traverse Jurors	1163.14		John A. Mowrey, et al, taking down cable	1,25-	19,00
Constables making quarterly returns and tipstaves	174 78				
George J Vauderslice, Court Stenographer	214 43		N. B. Nort'd Co. liable for one-half Expenditure	s on Ferr	y
W. B. Inville, Court Stenographer	125 56				
John Reppert, Janitor	216 00		govern mount propulations		
Rulph Kisner District Attorney (Woll Cases)	20 00		COURT HOUSE EXPENDITURES.		
Ralph Kisner, District Attorney, (Woll Cases)	400 00		100 di 1 11 1 1 1	950.07	
Thos. G. Vincent, Clerk of Court and Prothonotary	310 00		Stationary and blank books	250 91	
George Maiers, Sheriff	25 50		County printing and advertising		
Justices	87 30		Coal		
Constables	136 70		Gas		
Witnesses	197 78		Water Rent		
Meals and Lodging for Jurors Charles B Staples, Stenographer	2 10		Express, freight and postage.	23.04	
Commission to ascertain mental condition of Geo Arnold.	75.00-	4353.11			
			Telephone service	24 95	
GEORGE MAIERS, SHERIFF.	The Second State		A. M. Peters, ice		
Boarding Prisoners and Turnkey	468.80		Friendship Fire Company, sprinkling		
Drawing and notifying jurors	156 80		S. W. Arms, Painting Court House		
Washing for prisoners Conveying prisoners to E. S. Penitentiary	28 15				
Conveying prisoners to House of Refuge	49.92		J. H. Pohl, Balustrade		**************************************
Removing George Arnold from E. S. Penitentiary to Nor-	10.00		Joseph F. Lechner, Lead Sheeting on Balcony		
ristown Hospital	55.76		E. F. Colvin, Repairing Heater.		
Attending Court, 17 days at \$3 per day	51.00		Lavatory, Joseph F. Lechner, Plumber	181 92	
Reports to Boards of Public Charities	20.00—	1012.86	Lavatory R D Cornelison, Carpenter	129.24	
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, AUDITORS.	&C.		Lavatory, T L. Evans Sons, Cement Work		
Charles W. Cook, Yearly Salary			John Wallize, Gas Fixtures in Corridor	30.10	
George M. Leighow, Yearly Salary	500.00		Disinfectant		
George R Sechler, Vearly Salary	500.00		Trees, for Court House Lawn		
Horace C. Blue, Commissioners Clerk	600 00	10	General repairs and supplies		- :2228.98
Edward Sayre Gearhart, County Solicitor	268 21		deneral repairs and supplies	100.01	- , 2220.00
County Auditors and Clerk	76.40				
Jury Commissioners Traveling Expenses necessarily incurred by Commission-	85.76		JAIL EXPENDITURES.		
ers in discharge of official duties	87.79-	2618.16	Coal 241.70; Gas, 43.86	285 56	
			Water Rent		4
ELECTION EXPENSES.			Clothing and Bedding		11 11 11
Spring Election	499.09		Medical Attendance		
General Election Montour County Democrat for official and specimen ballots	510.65	20 T 10 T	General Repairs and Supplies Disinfectant		101 50
for Spring and General Election	50 00			7.75—	461.53
Election blanks and supplies	21.00		The state of the s		
Election blanks and supplies New Election Booth in West Hemlock Township	130.13-	1210.87	MISCELLANEOUS.		
ASSESSORS' PAY.		es 50 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	Redemption of County Bonds	2400 00	
	000 00		Interest on County Bonds	290 50	1
Annual Assessment Triennial Assessment	298.00		Short Loans and Discounts, and Interest on same	4901 67	1
Registry of Voters	322 50		State Tax on County Indebtedness, 1905 County Teachers Institute, 1905 and 1906	32.40	
Registry of School Children	128.00		County Teachers Institute, 1905 and 1906	254.66	1 1
State Tax Assessment	96.00-	1370, 50	School Directors Association	69 00	
	- 14		Support of Convicts in E. S. Penitentiary Support of Convicts in House of Refuge	342.67	4 .
BRIDGE AND ROAD EXPENSES.	010.00	110000	Support of lumates in State Hospital	53.10 456.25	4 4 4 4
Owego Bridge Company, 2 New Bridges	312.22		Forest Fires	15 38	
General Bridge Repairs	548 08		Thomas G. Vincent, Certifying Judgments etc.	39.60	* 114
Road Damages	75 00		William L. Sidler, Certifying Mortgages, etc. William L. Sidler, Recording Bonds	14.00	12
J. H. Cole, 2 New Bridges	4 6 98	1	William L. Sidler, Recording Bonds Burial of Soldiers	10.00	1
Road views and surveys	35.90-	1776 37	John H. Brugler. Plans and Specifications	200.00 50.00	
DANVILLE RIVER BRIDGE EXPENSE			Dues, County Commissioners Convention	5.00	
			Autopsy, James Jones	50.00	
Removing snow Ohris Hershey, painting notices	2.90		luquisition, Sundry Persons	29.86	
J. L. Frame. Putting up notices	11.50		Impoving Court House Lawn	74.48	
Painting railing	2 00	2 35	William V. Oglesby, Anditing Accounts of Pothonotery		
Cleaning bridge	7 00	- 8	Reigster and Recorder and Sheriff	25.00-	8606.57
Boards and notices	1.75	7	Total amount of orders issued in 1906		\$33684.95
Push brooms	1.00-	27.00	Total amount of orders' redering in 1998		1 1

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF MONTOUR COUNTY.

N. B. Nort'd Co. liable for one-half Expenditures on River Bridge.

To amount due Commiss oners for taxes on County indebtedness for 1906 22,80 To amount due Elias Maier 3000.00 To amount due Joseph Longenberger 100.00 To amount due Clara Longenberger 500.00	By outstanding County Tax 1906 \$1400.0
\$9350.00	\$9850.C

S. K HOFF I N, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SEVERAL DISTRICTS FOR TAXES ARISING FROM UNSEATED LANDS AND COLL CTORS RETURNS.

SEGICIS.			Freasurer's Commission of 5 per cent. on same.					Amou			easure Districts	r to the	Balance still due the Several Di tricts, including balance on hand from prior years.								
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We, the undersigned Commissioners of Montour County, Pa., do hereby certify that the foregoing statement of receipts and expenditures of said county for the year ending January 7th, A. J., 1907, is true and correct to the best of or knowledge and belief. In witness whereof we have hereunito set our hands and seal of office this 14th day of January, A. D., 1907.

CHARLES W. COOK, GROEN R. SECHLER, Of Montour County.

Total amount of orders redeemed in 1906

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF THE COUNTY OF MONTOUR:—We the undersigned Auditors of Montour County, State of Pennsylvania, after having been duly qualified according to the law, respectfully report that we have audited the accounts of the Treasurer and Coramissioners of said County, and that the foregoing is a true and correct; statement of the same, and find a balance due the sail County on the 7th, day of January A. D. 1997, by S. K. Hoffman, Treasurer, of One Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty Pollars and Fifty Nine & Cents (\$21.59).

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hand and seals this 14th day of January, 1997.

Attest : HORACE C. BLUE, CLERE,



HOW WATER ACTS.

Its Expansion and Contraction and

Water contracts as it falls from the normal boiling point, 212 degrees, until it reaches 39 degrees. Below that degree it expands, and at 32 degrees, the freezing point, it will expand enough to burst pipes and vessels hold-

When the pressure of the air is below normal, water boils at a lower temperature than 212 degrees. This is noticed before a rain, when the barometer shows by a falling mercury a decreased air pressure. This also explains why water boils away more rapidly, quickly or at a lower temperature in the mountains, where the pressure of the air is less than on the seacoast or in the valleys. If sugar or salt is added to water the temperature of the boiling point is raised a few degrees. As a rule, as water is heated it will hold a greater amount of a substance in solution. A familiar exception is the fact that ice water will dissolve twice as much lime as boiling water. At the other extreme boiling water will dissolve seventeen times as much saltpeter as will cold water. But water varies in its solvent powers regardless of heat. One pound of water will hold two pounds of sugar in solution, but only two ounces of common salt.

Frankincense.

Frankincense is the purest of all incense. It is a gum resin from an Arabian terebinth. To obtain this a deep Incision is made in the trunk and be low it a narrow strip of bark peeled off. When the exudation has hardened, the incision is deepened. In about three months the resin has acquired a sufficient degree of consistency. It is gathered in large quantities and packed in goatskins. It was formerly believed that the trees which yielded frankincense were infested by winged serpents, and the only way to be rid of them and to get at the treasure was by burning gum styrax, an odorifer-ous balsam of aromatic smell. Frankincense was forbidden to be used for embalming, as it was sacred to sacrificial purposes. The Israelites were strictly prohibited from comp it. Now it is used largely in Roman

The Lay of the Hen.

Investigation of the capacity of hens to lay eggs results in the discovery that the egg production of hens decrease considerably after the age of four years. Thus a hen lays at the age of one year about 20 eggs; at the age of two years, about 120; at the age of three years, about 135; at the age of four years, about 115; at the age of five years, about 80, and at the age of six years, about 60. These figures go to show that hens should never be kept in the poultry yard more than four years, for after the lapse of this time they do not yield a proper return on the food they consume.

Catholie and high church ceremonies.

HIS GREAT SERVICE.

An Illustration of the Generosity of

Dumas pere when manager of the Theatre Historique was continually studying the influence of the temperature on the sale of tickets-at least, he seemed to do so. In fact, this seeming interest in the showing of the thermometer was, like so many other acts of his, nothing but an expression of the proverbial kindness of his heart, One day Dumas happened to me

an old friend whom he had not seen for thirty years. "Where are you going to dine tonight?" he asked the friend. "Tonight I shall dine nowhere," was the answer

"Oh. no," said Dumas; "you are mistaken. You will dine with me." He led the friend into his house and gave him the upper place at his table. The poor man had not had such a dinne for a long time, and Dumas when retiring into his writing room after the coffee said, "It is a matter of course that I expect you tomorrow at the

The friend came the next day, and the day after this, and so on for ten years up to his death. One day, however told Dumas that as he was eating bread he did not earn this arrangement could not continue. "If I am not able honestly to earn my meals I shall not come again. Tell me in what way I can be of service to you." Dumas thought a moment; then he said: "You can do me a great favor. You may go to the new bridge every day and take the temperature by Chevalier's thermometer. The temperature, you must know, is of great mo ment in the matter of the sale of tickets. Could you do this?"

The poor fellow answered affirma tively and from that time on reported to Dumas every day, "At noon the thermometer showed so and so many degrees in the shade." And Dumas, who of course did not care in the least about the temperature, replied with the same regularity: "I am very much obliged. If you only knew what a service you are doing me!"-Harper's

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heir homes are," he continued. "Few ersons realize that the average lock s absolutely worthless for keeping out an experienced burglar. The ordinary loor lock is good for nothing but reainding casual business or social callrs that they must ring to be admitted. None of these ordinary 'door fastenrs, and that's the best you can call , will deter a burglar two whole lock, he inserts a pair of pinchpickable lock made. That's the oin lock used by the government. ill defy any expert. There are six ttie steel pins in the lock, which ave to be raised just a certain dis-

place as he turns it. burglar's tools made. Then I decided that honesty was the best policy, and

THE SHREW MOUSE.

Queer Superstitions About Harmless Little Animal.

The shrew, or shrew mouse, as it is commonly called, is found in nearly all, parts of the world. It is distinguished by an elongated, pointed muzzle, small eyes, plantigrade, six toed feet and glands that secrete a musky fluid. Altogether it closely resembles a mouse, but it is really not related to the mouse

When at home it is either under 8 pile of rubbish or in a hole which it has burrowed in the earth. It is nocturnal in its habits, but perfectly harmless, yet at one time it was much disliked and persecuted because it was thought to be a dangerous, mischievous animal. Among the Italians the notion was prevalent that the bite of a shrew was extremely poisonous. The French and the English believed that if a shrew ran over an animal's foot the animal felt great pain and eventually became paralyzed; hence if a horse, a cow or a goat became a little stiff in its limbs the foolish people at once declared it "shrew struck," and the poor

shrews had to suffer in consequence. Of course the "shrew struck" animal had to have something to cure it, so at Scranton at 8.25 p. m. and connecting them and a sh tree was selected, and a deep ar m. Philadelpela 10 a. m. and Buffalo 7a m. hole was bored into its trunk. Then a TRAINS ARRIVE AT DANVILLE shrew was captured, put alive into the hole, the hole was securely plugged, the hole was securely plugged, and the connects with trains leaving New Yor City

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America was \$7,200. "Lawyers nowadays, especially con poration lawyers, think nothing of earning a million a year. In the reign "Few persons know how insecure of Edward IV, a baronet entered in his diurnal, or diary:

tion that discovered America cost \$2,-

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"'Paid to Roger Fylpott, learned in the law, for his counsel, 3 shillings, with fourpence for his dinner.' "Ministers often make today \$20,000 or \$30,000 a year, yet John Knox only got \$220 a year, or \$4 a week, and that was a dollar more a week than Scottish

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"Small salaries, those," concluded the es. If there's no key in the lock, antiquary, "but we must remember on fits one to it. If there is a key | that in that epoch there were no trusts to inflate prices, and a dollar went a and in ten seconds has it opened. long way. In fact, a Christmas dinner extand me, I am speaking of the for a family of six would have cost in ienced burglar. The clumsy bur- John Knox's time: For the tarkey, 10 fir is the one who gets in trouble. cents; cranberry sauce, 2 cents; pota-ic'il fumble around with a lock until toes, 1 cent; turnips, 1 cent; celery, 1 body hears him. There is only cent; plum pudding, 2 cents; total, 17 cents, or less than 3 cents a head."

Friendship With Wild Life. If a fairy had ever offered to grant

ance to open it. Some of the pins are of wild animals" would surely have one-fourth of an inch long and some of them a half inch. If one of the pins first. If we seek opportunities to belacks even a hairbreadth of being friend wild creatures and take advanraised the proper distance, the lock tage of them, we shall often find, as I will not open. It baffles all the ex have done, that there is no lack of re sponse on the part of the animals. I This locksmith is so expert he can once walked up to a pine siskin, as he open the majority of safes by putting was feeding on the ground and picked his ear to the combination and listen- him up in my hand. He did not seem ing to how the tumblers elick into a bit alarmed, and when a few min-"I intended at one time to be a bur- his search for food within a few inches glar," this locksmith declares. "I had of my feet. On another occasion a yel it all planned out—even had a set of low throated vireo allowed me to lift her from her nest when I wished to count her eggs and nestled down com-I stuck to my trade."-Kansas City fortably on her treasures the moment I put her back. With a forefinger I once stroked the back of a red breasted nuthatch as he was busy feeding on a tree.-Ernest Harold Baynes in St. Nicholas.

Magistrate (to witness)-I understand that you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife? Witnesson can, what he s emel to be doing seemed to be doin' the

LACKAWANNA RAILROAD -BLOOMSBURG DIVISION Delaware Lackawanna and Western

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EASTWARD.

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10.19 a. m. weekly for Bloomsburg, Kingston Wilkes-Barre. Scranton and intermediate stations, arriving at Scranton at 12.35 p. m. and connecting the re with trains for New York City, Philadelphia and Buffalo.

2.11 weekly for Bloomsburg, Kingston, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and intermediate stations arriving at Scranton at 4.50 p. m.

5.43 p. m. daily for Bloomsburg, Espy, Plymouth, Kingston Wilkes-Barre, Pittston Scranton and intermediate stations arriving at Scranton and Intermediate stations arriving at Scranton at 2.50 p. m. and connecting there at Scranton at 2.50 p. New York City at 5.50

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an animal became inactive or a little numb in its limbs its owner hurried to the "shrew ash," cut a switch from it and switched the "shrew struck" beast. The smarting caused by the switching acturally made the helpless animal move about as much as it possibly could, and in a short time it was pronounced a good.

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