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ALEXANDER HADDER, President.

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Ira B. Cass, Oct. 24, 1895.

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By order of the board, Nov. 7, 1895. Ira B. Cass, Sec.

Correspondence.

Correspondents are particularly requested to send in all news intended for publication not later than Wednesday in each week to insure insertion.

MATAMORAS.

(Special Correspondence to the Press.)
MATAMORAS, Aug. 19.—Some contemptible being has been amusing himself by sprinkling street tacks on the Barrett Bridge and crosses near that point. As a result several wheels have had their tires badly punctured. One wheel we saw with six compass tacks sticking in its tire. If any person is caught by whommen doing such an act he'll get a severe thrashing if not something worse.

Last Saturday several ladies from the lower part of the village picniced at Raymondkill. They thoroughly enjoyed the day.

Mr. Cos Van Sickle our respected road commissioner is entertaining his daughter with her daughter and child. Four generations are at present under the family roof an uncommon occurrence. Mr. Van Sickle's daughter and family live in Pleasanton.

Rev. Mr. Weiland left town Tuesday for Maplewood, Pa. He will spend a few days there tempting the flimsy tribe while visiting an old friend. Later he goes to Hazelton his old home making his parents a visit. Mr. Weiland has been a hard worker the past two years. He had but one Sunday vacation last year and this one will be the first this year. He needs the rest and when he returns to us the latter part of next week we hope to see him feeling much better for the short recreation.

Miss Grace Seybold who has been spending some time at Otaville visiting, returned last Saturday. She informs us as having a most excellent time.

On Thursday night Aug. 30 (weather permitting) the Legion of Honor, of Matamoras will have a dance and supper at Frick's Grove. Stages will leave the Delaware Home Port Jervis at 6:30, and will after the first trip make half hour trips between the grove and Milltown.

Mr. Geo. A. Hill and family have closed their home and are making a visit in Ohio. "Alek" Brink and Jerry Van Gordon visited the "Joker's Club" camping at Twin Lakes, last Sunday. Warren Kinkle and Maddy Blinhardt also spent the day with them.

The Sunday School of the Epworth Church held its annual picnic at Frick's Grove Wednesday, August 16, the day was fine for a picnic, the grove in most excel-

lence through here Friday mad as a hornet, because the pride for some reason could take no part in the races at Columbia Park.

Jas. A. Rundle and Jacob Ramage will have to attend the September term of court at Newton as traverse jurors.

The latest arrivals at the Riverside house are: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, Wm. A. Loefer, Mr. Cates and the Misses Mary and Charlotte Kane all of New York.

The Springdale numbers among its latest arrivals: Ex-Alderman P. de Lacy and wife, Robert de Lacy, Miss Fanny Brennan and the Misses Lucy and Nellie Jewrett also of New York.

Miss Carrie Gebhardt, of Port Jervis and Miss Katie Cramer, of New York are visiting Helmehardt & Bro.

Mr. Robert Armstrong is slightly improving under the treatment of Dr. Potts, of Port Jervis.

Miss Mary Jane Preston is going to leave this town Sept. 1 and remove near Unionville where she has secured a school.

It is still warm enough, it looks like rain and no doubt by Xmas the weather will be cold enough.

LAYTON.

(Special Correspondence to the Press.)
LAYTON, Aug. 18.—Mr. Adin B. Van Sickle and family it is reported are about to move temporarily into the tenant house of E. A. Ely near Branchville. Mr. Van Sickle will in connection with Mr. Ely operate an improved elder making plant during the elder making season.

The annual Pot Pie supper and Festival for the benefit of the M. V. B. Warner will be held at Tuttle's Corner Thursday evening Aug. 27. These suppers are always enjoyable and well attended. The best of order will be observed and all for a good time and get it too. The big tent will be up, and the big moon shining. Come and get a good supper.

Ye'as, Samvel gets out a very nice tie, but no better than Sam Garrison does. But neither of them can cut a steak from neck, or rump to compare with "E. B." and sell it for portebone or sirloin. You pay the price all the same.

The Free Silver Club of Sandyston met Saturday night as advertised. The attendance was large and enthusiastic. In the absence of the regular speaker, James B. Fuller and Warren A. Van Sickle made addresses. The issues of the campaign were ably handled, and many apt illustrations of the hardships produced among the agriculturists by the appreciation of money under a gold standard were presented. It is somewhat surprising to note how thoroughly our people are read up on the silver question. They are indeed very much in earnest. The club still adds to its numbers. Next meeting at Layton when interesting addresses will be delivered by gentlemen from Middletown, N. Y.

Ed Smith who had his leg injured by a falling tree will raffle off his bicycle. Tickets for sale now.

The Board of Education has decided to build a new school house at Hainesville. A committee consisting of J. W. Johnson, Benj. B. Hursh and Nelson L. Debus were instructed to select a site, and determine style, and cost of a sufficiently good, modern, up-to-date school house. The old building has proved entirely inadequate in seating capacity, and as there is not ground room for an addition on the present site, to build new and on another location is a necessity. There is now a splendid opportunity here to build high enough to have a public hall above the school room. The additional cost could, I am sure, be met by private subscriptions. It would show a progressive spirit, and result in many ways to the advantage of the community.

The nine year old son of Elmer Roe fell from a tree last Thursday, breaking both arms near the wrists. The little fellow stood the setting like a soldier.

Last week a family living near Tuttle's Corner, by the name of Campbells, killed a rattler near the house, and also a pit-bull in the house. Andrew Cason, a neighbor living near the same place, killed a rattler having club rattles. They seem to be getting a little thinning out in that vicinity.

S. F. Ryman a former resident of this place has successfully taken the gold cure, and is now canvassing for the institution. It is currently reported that he has induced our freeholder to take the cure in the near future. If so, "Dick" has accomplished a great good, and the Township should vote him a medal in grateful remembrance of his efforts to purify its representative, and make him worthy of the respect of his constituents. Good bye the old life; all hail the new.

Geo. E. Hursh recently sold to John Smith about 28 acres of cleared land, on which Mr. Smith will build a house during the fall, and winter. Consideration \$350. Possession given October 1st.

The sale of the property of the Flatbrook Valley Club netted \$41.35. (The road to the park reverted to W. G. Hursh after the ninth day of August. The entrance having passed from the control of the club, they therefore disbanded, and Brookside Park" is permanently closed.

The Picnic at Lake Grinnell last week was not as largely attended as formerly. The day was fine, and nothing else going on to interfere, so that it is difficult to find any other reason for the slim attendance than that generally given, "of hard times."

Last year during the F. M. & T. picnic at Culver's Lake the supply of soft drinks ran out and thirsty people begged the only well on the grounds only to find it dry, or at least if there was water in it they could not get it. It is since told that it was "choked," whatever that may mean in the interests of the soft drink stands. People who suffered from thirst then, will probably take plenty of lemonade, or other cooling drinks with them this time.

Mr. Jason Young of Hainesville has gone to Freeport, Illinois, Mr. Young owns a fine farm there, but has retired and makes his home with his sister at Hainesville. His trip is to look after his interests west, as well as for pleasure.

PAUPAC.

(Special Correspondence to the Press.)
PAUPAC, Aug. 19.—Samuel Edgar and wife of Scranton spent Saturday and Sunday at the Kibble House, returning home Monday and taking with them their little son and daughter who have been spending the summer here.

Mr. Metzger of New York joined the boarders at the Kibble House Saturday. On Thursday last R. W. Hardenburgh rode his wheel to Hawley. On his way home, went by the way of the Big Pond.

Mr. Florence Killam of Troy N. Y., came home on Monday to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. George Killam. Messrs E. B. and Arthur Pellett returned to Pottersboro on Wednesday morning. Miss Frances Pellett accompanied

him as far as Port Jervis where she stopped off to visit her relatives, near Hainesville, N. J.

The shower on Sunday afternoon was very severe, but no damage done here. Our minister the Rev. J. G. Raymond is seriously ill with rheumatism.

Mr. M. Killam is on the sick list, but we think not serious. A BRADER.

(FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.)
PAUPAC, Aug. 19.—Messrs George and Edward Schardt, of Hawley rode out from Fairview on their bicycles.

Messrs. Edward Pollett and Frank Killam met with great success on their fishing expedition to Lackawanna Pond. Among the number of bass caught were two weighing four and a half pounds each.

Paupac's young folks are looking forward with pleasure to the barn party to be held at the Kibble House sometime during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmott Crowl are visiting in Port Jervis. Mc KINLEY

LEDGEDALE.

(Special Correspondence to the Press.)
LEDGEDALE, Aug. 17.—Two strangers were through this section last Friday selling a patent churn-dasher.

Last Monday night James Simons and wife started for Pleasant Mount to visit their daughter, Mrs. F. Giles. As the weather had been so very warm they concluded to travel by night and left about midnight.

Mrs. Samuel Bold and son, of Luzerne, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Foulkrod, her parents, living on Pike county side.

Mrs. Patrick O'Connor, who has been very sick is some better but is far from well.

Lizzie Gilpin granddaughter of Thomas Simons, is visiting relatives to Greene township. WATSON COUNTY.

(Social Event.)
FRITCHBURG, Pa., Aug. 17.—The Pine Ridge M. E. Church will hold a harvest home at the church on Wednesday afternoon and evening Aug. 29th, if stormy the next day. All are invited. X.

Ripans Tabules cure indigestion. Ripans Tabules; gentle cathartic. Ripans Tabules cure constipation.

(Note About Roads.)
(Special Correspondence to the Press.)
MAST HOPK, Pa., Aug. 17, 1896.

EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—While the subject of good wagon roads is being agitated in your paper I would like to make a few observations for publication. The fact that many of our public highways are going into ruin is beyond dispute and this in regions of this State where they are very much needed as in Pike county, but the means and ways of arresting this decay seems yet an unsettled question. Since the old turnpike roads have been given up to the public and their corporations been dissolved and well kept highways of this kind have been the exception and not the rule. The cause of this is plain and the chief one is the lack of competent management and very likely under the present regime sufficient funds. The call in your article on roads in the issue of July 31 last for the protection of wagon roads against abuse has the right ring and should be the first step for the betterment of these great public conveniences. What is the use as is remarked in the article of expending either public or private time or money if the results are to be unimproved highways thereafter. The plan of protection suggested may not be the best that can be devised but the idea is right notwithstanding it may inconvenience some people sometimes, but in the main would be for the general good of the community. That there should be a law to prevent the drawing of heavy wagons or trucks, loaded or light, with chained wheels over the public roads is too plain for argument, anyone who has seen the hard and soft roads in a short time made nearly impassable. This abuse should be followed by a heavy penalty. The appointment of roadmasters, instead of having them elected by ballot, by some competent authority I feel convinced would be another step as we might expect them to be better fitted to perform the duties of the office, to hold it longer and become acquainted with a system of repairing which makes their work more durable. In concluding, let me earnestly urge that all the public roads be protected from abuse and that the roadmasters in the district be given power to do this.

GOOD ROADS.

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(Facts Against Convictions.)
From the New York World.

Mr. Bryan insists that "the market makes the price." But Markoe was compelled to abandon free coinage under the stress of a persistent decline all over the world in the price of silver. Our neighboring Republic of Mexico coins dollars containing more silver than do ours, that can be brought for 63 cents.

From 1878 to 1890 under the Bland-Allison act, and from 1890 to 1893 under the Sherman act, the United States bought and coined or stored silver bullion aggregating in coinage value nearly \$600,000,000. This was substantially the entire product of our mines not needed for export or for the arts. The dollars coined were legal tender, just as good as could be issued under free coinage. And yet the price of fine silver fell from \$1.50 in 1877 to 63 cents in 1894. Never once during all the years of its existence did the ratio of 16 to 1 produce parity of value—never once did it give us concurrent circulation of gold and silver.

How much weight can be given to Mr. Bryan's "conviction" against these facts?

(Corn Lowest on Record.)
Last week witnessed the lowest sales of corn ever recorded in this country, with contracts entered to deliver No. 2 mixed in Chicago next month at 24 1/2 cents. The prospect of an enormous crop has inclined growers to sell the vast quantities which were cribbed last fall in hopes of better prices, which have not been realized. With free silver at the present rates the farmer would get about 12 cents per bushel for corn.

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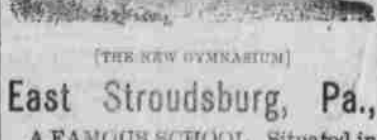
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- Childrens Solar Tips, 8 1-2 to 10 1-2, 90 cts.
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