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### Business Cards.

**SONESTOWN FLAGGING Company,**  
Chas. F. Billamboz, Agents.  
D. H. Lorah.  
SONESTOWN PA.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
OF DUSHORE, PENNA.  
CAPITAL \$50,000.  
SURPLUS \$10,000.  
Does a General Banking Business.  
B. W. JENNINGS, President.  
M. D. SWARTZ, Cashier.

**GALLAGHER'S HOTEL AND RESTAURANT.**  
LAPORTE, PA.  
F. W. GALLAGHER, Prop.  
Warm meals and lunches at all hours.  
Oysters and game in season.  
Bar supplied with choicest liquors, wine and cigars.  
Good stable room provided.

**LAPORTE LIVERY AND BOARDING STABLES.**  
Connected with the Commercial Hotel. First-class Horses and Carriages.  
Rates reasonable.  
CHAS. COLEMAN, Prop.

**HOTEL MAINE**  
THOS. W. BEAHEM, Prop.  
LAPORTE, PA.  
This new hotel has been recently opened, newly furnished throughout and will be run for the special accommodation of the traveling public. The best stocked bar in the county. Rates are low.

**COMMERCIAL HOUSE.**  
THOS. E. KENNEDY, Prop.  
LAPORTE PA.  
This large and well appointed house is the most popular hostelry in this section.

**HOTEL PORTER.**  
Canton Street,  
SHUNK, PA.  
W. E. PORTER, Prop'r.

**CARROLL HOUSE,**  
D. KEEFE, Proprietor.  
DUSHORE, PA.  
One of the largest and best equipped hotels in this section of the state.  
Tables of the best. Rates 1.00 dollar per day. Large atbles.

### Professional Cards.

**T. J. & F. H. INGHAM,**  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.  
Legal business attended to in this and adjoining counties.  
LAPORTE, PA.

**E. J. MULLEN,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
LAPORTE, PA.  
Office in Court House Building.

**J. H. CRONIN,**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
NOTARY PUBLIC.  
OFFICE ON MAIN STREET.  
DUSHORE, PA.

**WM P. SHOEMAKER,**  
Attorney at Law.  
Office in County Building.  
LAPORTE, PA.  
Collections, conveyancing, the settlement of estates and other legal business will receive prompt attention.

**A. J. BRADLEY,**  
ATTORNEY AT-LAW,  
OFFICE IN COUNTY BUILDING  
NEAR COURT HOUSE.  
LAPORTE, PA.  
Monday of each week at Forksville.

**INGHAM & NEWITT,**  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,  
OFFICES 714-17 FRANKLIN BUILDING.  
133 So. 12th Street Philadelphia.  
Having retired from the office of United States Attorney and Assistant United States Attorney, will continue the general practice of law in the United States courts, and all the courts of the City and County of Philadelphia.

**HENRY T. DOWNS,**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,  
OFFICE IN PUBLIC BUILDING  
COURTY HOUSE SQUARE.  
LAPORTE, PA.

**BLACKSMITH AND WAGON SHOP**  
Just opened at the Laporte Tannery.  
Custom work solicited. All work guaranteed.  
O. W. BENNETT, Prop.

**To Cure Constipation Forever.**  
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. One or Two. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

**Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.**  
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

We have been  
**Cleaning House**  
For some time, but we are through at last. We are all fixed up in apple pie order for the  
**Holiday Trade**  
with the largest and best stock of goods we have ever had.  
Something for Everybody, come and look us over before purchasing. We think we can please the most critical buyer in Sullivan county.  
Respectfully Yours,  
**RETTENBURY,**  
DUSHORE, PA. **THE JEWELER.**

**Coles . . . FOR A GENERAL LINE OF HARDWARE**  
PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES and GLASS.  
SPECIAL inducements given on  
**STOVES and RANGES**  
and all kinds of HEATING STOVES  
for Wood or Coal, suitable for parlors, halls, churches, school houses, camps, etc. Attention to a line of Cheap air-tight wood heaters from \$3.00 to \$10.00. Also a line of coal heaters from \$2.50 up to \$35.00.  
My Special Bargain Sale is open on a line of heaters slightly damaged by water. Good as new, but they must be sold CHEAP If in need of a cheap heater, call early.  
My "Dockash" Ranges are without a question the finest in the market, made up of the best material and designed to be a handsome Range. Furnaces always the best on the market. In fact we are ready to heat the universe either in hot water, steam or air. Try us, we guarantee satisfaction.  
STOV REPAIRS AND REPAIRING.  
PLUMBING, STEAM FITTING AND SUPPLIES.  
MILL SUPPLIES.  
**Coles Hardware,**  
DUSHORE, PA.

**M.A. Rogers & Son.,**  
FORKSVILLE, PA.  
**Generously Reduced**

We grant you it is rather early in the season to talk of reductions, but there is to be a great showing of Holiday goods here--a showing that will surpass any previous season. When this store advertises it endeavors to recite the actual facts. When it's a strong story there's strong reason for it.  
We've got  
**ne line of Dress Goods**  
No use of going into detail about them--could only be done indifferently to the neglect of many features, but we want you to understand that we are offering a large variety of

**GENERAL MERCHANDISE**  
at remarkably low prices contrasted with goods of such sound, solid value.  
**All Kinds of Fine Flannels**  
A stock of such extent and variety that you are sure to find just the desired kind at a price to your advantage.  
**Highest Price Paid for Butter and Eggs.**

**Court Proceedings.**  
The regular December Term and Sessions of the several Courts of Sullivan county; convened at the Court House, Laporte, on Monday, December 12, at 2 o'clock p.m. Court opened in due form by court crier. Hon. E. M. Dunham, President Judge, and Hons. J. S. Line and Conrad Kraus Associate Justices on the bench.  
The grand jury was called and sworn; John G. Wright appointed foreman; Frank Buck appointed tip-stave to wait upon the grand jury.  
The several constables made their sworn returns in open court.  
The following matters were presented by the Register and were confirmed *N. S.*: Account of Executors of D. J. Brobst, decd.; Admr. of Peter C. Little, decd.; Admr. of Adam Messersmith, decd.; Guardian of Franklin Wilcox; Executors of Joseph Marshall, decd. Appraisal of widow's share, estate of M. A. Burns, decd.  
The report of inquest on body of J. T. Jackson, decd. was approved.  
Benj. L. Owen vs. Ida M. Owen, subpoena in divorce awarded.  
Davidson vs. Davidson, in divorce; W. J. Lawrence appointed commissioner.  
Comth. vs. Thos. Mahaffey, continued; Recog. entered.  
Comth. vs. G. F. Pierce; Nol. Pros.; on payment of costs.  
Comth. vs. Henry Hunsinger and Owen McCann, charge--assault and interfering with an officer. Grand jury find a true bill. Case tried, verdict, not guilty and prosecutor, F. C. Schanbacher to pay the costs. Rule granted to show cause why that part of the verdict imposing cost on Schanbacher should not be set aside, returnable at next term. Court direct said Schanbacher to enter recognizance in the sum of \$150 and approve of S. S. Rogers as his surty. Recognizance filed. *N. S.*  
Comth. vs. W. E. Miller, charge, assault and obstructing a police officer. Grand jury find a true bill. Case tried on both indictments. The court instructs jury that the Comth. cannot sustain the charge of "obstructing a police officer" and directs them to return a verdict of not guilty on that count. On the count of assault the jury find the defendant not guilty, and directs that defendant pay 2-3d and prosecutor, F. C. Schanbacher pay 1-3d of the cost.  
Berthalf vs. Berthalf, divorce. J. H. Lawrence Esq. appointed commissioner.  
James J. Ramsey, Chas. G. Pfeifer and Michael Brock, were duly admitted as citizens of the United States and sworn in open court.  
In the matter of the adoption of Clinton C. Steafather. It is ordered and decreed that Clinton C. Steafather shall assume the name of Lawrence and henceforth have all the rights of a child and heir of the petitioner, Clinton C. Lawrence.  
On petition, the Court appoint E. G. Rogers Guardian of Rue, Raymond, Robert, Daisy, Bessie and Francis Rogers, who are minor children of Rosalind Rogers, decd., and directs him to give bond in the sum of \$100 for each ward. Bonds filed, approved by the Court.  
On petition, Sadie Brown, Elsie Brown and Clarence Brown, minor children of Rose Brown, decd., were permitted to make choice of a guardian in open court, whereupon the petitioners chose their father, John W. Brown as their guardian, which choice was approved by the Court, and he was directed to enter bonds in the sum of \$100 for each ward. Bonds filed, approved by the Court.  
*In re:* State of real estate of Bernard M. Redding. Bond of guardian to sell the real estate of his wards presented and approved and the order of sale continued until next term.  
On petition and motion, Jacob Kinsley is discharged as guardian of Lloyd, Perceval and John L. Kinsley and bond cancelled and sureties discharged.  
On petition and motion Henry C. Pardoe is discharged as guardian of Clarence Hartt, and it is ordered

that his bonds be cancelled and sureties discharged.  
*In re:* Estate of Richard Green, a lunatic. Upon petition of committee it is ordered that upon confirmation of the final account of the committee Geo. W. Craft, be relieved or discharged from further action as committee of said lunatic. Account of committee filed.  
A. H. Zaner vs. J. C. Pennington and D. H. Lorah. The Court on petition and motion of counsel for defendants extend the time for filing an affidavit of defense for 20 days. Counsel for plaintiff excepts and at his request a bill is sealed.  
Jeremiah Stackhouse vs. The Lyon Lumber Co. On petition presented at chambers staying writ issued in this case and on motion of counsel for defendant in open court, a rule is granted to show cause why the FI Fa issued and all proceedings thereon, should not be stricken off at the cost of the plaintiff. All liens and levies to be preserved. Returnable at next term.  
E. M. Boyd vs. Wm. H. and L. Taylor. Leave granted to amend the amended declaration in this case, to which counsel for defendants except, and at their request an exception is noted and a bill is sealed.  
*In re:* Incorporation of the Boro. of Eagles Mere. On petition of citizens and on motion of counsel for petitioners the Court do order and decree that the said town of Eagles Mere be, and is hereby incorporated into a borough, in conformity with the prayer of the petitioners by the corporate name and title of the Boro. of Eagles Mere, and that the annual elections for said borough shall be held at Hotel Eagles Mere on the 3d Tuesday of February next, at the hours fixed by the Act of Assembly; the first election officers to be as follows: Judge of election, Alvlec Dunham; inspector, C. F. Cheney and Chas. A. Brink; and that E. S. Chase be appointed to give due notice of said election. By the Court.  
Fietta Heldt vs. Geo. F. Heldt. On hearing testimony in this case, a decree of divorce is granted on payment of costs.  
John Utz vs. John Obert; Sei Fas. Judgment in open court for want of an appearance and affidavit of defense.  
James McFarlane vs. Clarence Burleigh, defendant and John Hassen, garnishee. The Court direct judgment to be entered against the said John Hassen for the sum of \$12.79 with interest from Oct. 24, 1898 and costs.  
*In re:* Executor's account, estate of D. J. Brobst decd. Exceptions being filed to this account, John H. Cronin Esq. is appointed auditor to hear and dispose of same and make report.  
The court direct a venire to issue to the jury commissioners to place the names of 350 persons in the jury wheel to serve as jurors for the year 1899. Also direct that venires issue for 36 traverse, and 24 grand jurors be drawn to serve at the February term 1899.  
**TRIAL LIST.**  
A. C. Haverly vs. Benj. Kuykendall, Jr. Jury called and case on trial. Jury discharged and non suit ordered to be entered. Rule granted to show cause why non suit should not be stricken off. Mullen for Pff. Thomson and L. M. Hall for Deft.  
Cases certified and continued: Mitchell Young & Co. vs. A. J. Hackley, James McFarlane vs. W. C. Mason, Meritt Shaffer vs. Josephine Fitzpatrick, Martin Markle vs. E. V. Ingham, F. W. Lewis vs. J. W. Ballard. F. H. Tomlinson vs. Meyers & Taylor, discontinued. Allen vs. Hunsinger, two cases, continued.  
**ARGUMENT LIST.**  
Chas. Sick vs. Caroline Bahl; Bartley Whalen vs. Dushore Boro. certified and continued. Chery School District vs. F. Mittendorf et al. continued by agreement. Henry Hunsinger vs. the L. V. R. R. Co., rule absolute by consent. F. Mittendorf vs. The L. V. R. R. Co. continued. Overseers of Poor of Chery vs. Executors of James Fitzsimmons decd., continued and leave granted plaintiff to serve the rule on Defts. again.

*In re:* Estate of Ed. Sharp decd., rule for attachment, continued. Saddlemire vs. Jennings, Pff's. rule to strike off non suit; rule discharged. Holmes & Passage vs. John Obert, et al, continued by agreement. Magargel vs. Laporte twp., rule to file special narr; narr filed and rule discharged. J. W. Carroll vs. Mary Mittendorf, rule to strike off non Mrs., continued by agreement. Harriett Luther vs. John C. White, certiorari, continued by agreement and leave granted to J. W. Rogers, J.P., to file an amended transcript in this case in 30 days.  
And now December 14, 1898, at 5:30 p. m. the several courts of Sullivan county adjourned until Thursday, December 22, 1898, at 10 a. m.  
**MERRY WEDDING BELLS.**  
Ring Out the Union of Two Hearts in Joyous Conjugation.  
A very pretty wedding occurred at the residence of T. J. Keeler Sunday afternoon when Rev. E. R. Powell united in happy wedlock Mr. John Williams of Grover, and Mrs. Rose Dunlap of this place. The parlor was beautifully decorated for the occasion and a sumptuous wedding feast served to a number of invited guests. On Monday the happy couple left for their future home in Grover, Bradford Co., with the best wishes of their friends.  
**Bernice Echoes.**  
Mrs. Julius Vogel visited friends at Towanda last week.  
Mrs. Joel Saxon was calling on friends at Dushore last week.  
C. B. Watson was a business caller at Laporte one day last week.  
Mrs. A. L. Wilmot has been quite sick but is convalescing.  
A number of the young people went to Laporte Tuesday evening of last week for a sleigh ride. They report a good time.  
The following ladies were shopping in Dushore Tuesday and Wednesday: Mrs. R. H. Guy, Mrs. C. B. Newell, Mrs. Wm. Kast, Mrs. C. A. Brown and Miss Ella Cahill.  
Did you notice H. E. Watson's new storm door. It's a dandy.  
Revs. I. E. Spangler and A. D. Kepler of Dushore, were holding a series of revival meetings in the I. O. O. F. hall last week.  
James Ramsey and Chas. Piper were in Laporte last week.  
Mrs. G. E. Kirkendall is quite sick at this writing.  
Mr. Chas. Fick and Mrs. Stella Johnson of this place were united in the bonds of matrimony at Waverly, N. Y., Thursday, December 15. The happy couple returned home Saturday and received the hearty congratulation of their many friends and the IREM wishes them a long and happy life.  
The Company is putting up their usual supply of ice this year, and a number of men have been at work for the past week.  
The K. of L. will give a dance in their hall Monday evening, December 2d. Only 50c a couple.  
The S. L. & S. R. R. Company are putting in the largest stock of logs at their mill than they have for years. This looks as if they intended to do some business in the spring.  
Another sleighing party from here went to Laporte Thursday evening and took supper at Hotel Kennedy. They all had a good time especially the clerk and butcher. The next morning the butcher imagined he was still sleighriding and tried to kiss a dressed hog that hung on the rack, while the clerk asked a number of lady customers if they would dance the next set with him. But then, the boys were awfully sleepy.  
**Forksville.**  
Mrs. E. L. Studevant and Miss Hattie Rogers are on the sick list.  
Mr. Eush Rogers and Miss Gladys Schomo of Estella, were in town one day last week.  
Mr. John Collins visited friends at Bethel Sunday.  
The Sunday School will give a Christmas entertainment Saturday evening, December 24, in the M. E. church.  
Dr. J. E. Gamble made a business trip to Williamsport last Saturday.  
Miss Jennie Rogers who has been teaching at Bicketts returned home Friday to spend the holidays.  
Mrs. W. M. Cankins is visiting friends at Cowanesque.