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This Is the Place
To Buy Your Jewelry.

Nothing in Town to Compare With
the Quality that We are Giving
You for the Low Price Asked.

Quality and moderate prices makes a force that
irresistibly draws into our store the best patronage
of this section. Many years here in business, always
with a full line of goods above suspicion; chosen
with a care and judgment commensurate with its
desirability and adaptability to refine taste, makes
our store a safe place to invest.

Repair work done on short notice and guaran-
teed, by skilled workmen. Your orders appreciated.

RETTEBURY,
DUSHORE, PA. The Jeweler.

COLE'S
HARDWARE.

No Place Like this Place
For Reliable

STOVES and RANGES,
COAL OR WOOD.
HEATERS;

ONE OF WINTER'S GREAT DELIGHTS.

House Furnishing Goods, Tools of Every
Description, Guns and Ammunition.

Bargains that bring the buyer back.
Come and test the truth of our talk.

A lot of second hand stoves and ranges for sale cheap.
We can sell you in stoves anything from a fine Jewel Base
Burner to a low priced but satisfactory cook stove.

Hot Air, Steam and Hot Water Heating and
General Repairing, Roofing and Spouting.

Samuel Cole, Dushore, Pa.

The Shopbell Dry Good Co.,
313 Pine Street,
WILLIAMSPORT, PA.

In Best Possible Shape.

This store is in the best possible shape for Autumn
and Winter business. Every section fully fortified and
completely equipped with carefully chosen merchandise.

Blankets and Comfortables

If you'll take the time and trouble to
examine the following lot of good warm
bed coverings you'll be convinced of our
desire to give you the best at the lowest
possible price:

Grey Cotton Blankets, large sizes at
45c to \$1.20.

Grey Cotton and Wool Blankets at \$2.75
to 3.75. Colored Wool Blankets, ex-
tra qualities at \$4.00 to \$6.50.

White Cotton and Wool Blankets at
\$3.39 to \$4.00. Strictly All Wool Blan-
kets, full sizes, with bright borders, at
\$3.75 to \$8.50. Muncy Blankets in
gray, white, scarlet and fancy plaids.

Comfortables.

In a large variety of light and dark floral
effects and plain covering filled with pure
white cotton, at 1.00 to \$3.75

Outing Flannels and Flannelettes

We look upon these as special values and
there's no end to the styles to choose from.
Outing Flannels in fancy stripes and plain
colors at 6c to 10c. Flannelette in fancy
stripes, floral effects and persian designs
at 10c to 16c

Flannelette Wear

A big feature has the selling of these
Flannelette Garments grown to be—warm,
comfortable and no more expensive than
ordinary cotton underwear.

Men's Night Shirts in fancy stripe out-
ing, good, full sizes, at 50c and 75c

Boys' Night Shirts at 50c. Ladies'
Fancy Striped Flannelette Night Gowns,
some plain, others with fancy yokes, at
50c to \$1.25.

Misses Flannelette Night Gowns at
45c to 69c. Ladies' Flannelette Short
Skirts, three good qualities, at 25c, 39c
and 50c. Flannelette Skirt Patterns at
25c. All Wool Skirt Patterns in
fancy stripes at 75c to \$1.15.

THE SHOPBELL DRYGOOD CO.

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PENNA. REPUBLICANS CARRY
STATE BY 213,000.

OHIO GIVES 105,000 FOR REPUBLICAN
GOVERNOR. ELECTS HERRICK.

Phila. ROLLS UP 130,000
Plurality for Ticker.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN
NEW JERSEY.

MARYLAND GIVING
REPUBLICANS GAINS.

IOWA SHOWS BIG REPUB-
LICAN GAINS.

Tammau Elects Mayor in New
York City by 62,000 Plurality,

After a remarkable campaign, in which there was united against him
nearly all of the newspapers and practically every minister of religion in
the city, George B. McClellan was elected third Mayor of the Greater
New York over Seth Low, Fusionist, the present Mayor, by a plurality of
about 60,000.

Small Vote Out
in Sullivan
County.

Democrats Elect their Candi-
dates. The Prohibition Vote
Out in Full.

How the County Voted:

Bernice—State Treas. W. L. Math-
ews, R. 43; Joel G. Hill, D. 38.
District Atty. Wm. P. Shoemaker,
R. 42; W. Howard Hill, D. 43;
Coroner, John A. Campbell, R. 44;
Rush J. McHenry, 41; H. Irvin
Woodhead, P. 1. Jury Commis-
sioner, Fred W. Peale, R. 43; W.B.
Snider, D. 42; C. Snyder, P. 1

Cherry—State Treas. Mathews, 30;
Hill, 120. Dist. Atty. Shoemaker,
28; Hill 131. Coroner, Campbell, 30
McHenry, 127; Woodhead, —. Jury
Commissioner, Peale, 29; Snider, 125
Snyder, 1.

Colley—Treas. Mathews, 16; Hill, 20
Dist. Atty. Shoemaker, 14; Hill, 21.
Coroner, Campbell, 14; McHenry, 19
Woodhead, —. Jury Commissioner
Peale, 14; Snider, 20; Snyder, 1.

Dushore—Treas. Mathews, 50; Hill
82. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 39;
Hill, 112. Coroner, Campbell, 47;
McHenry, 98; Woodhead, 4. Jury
Com., Peale, 50; Snider, 87; Snyder,
3.

Davidson—Treas. Mathews, 49; Hill
76. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 54;
Hill, 81. Coroner, Campbell, 49;
McHenry, 79; Woodhead, 6. Jury
Com. Peale, 48; Snider, 79; Snyder,
4.

Eagles Mere, Treas. Mathews, 20;
Hill 14. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 24;
Hill, 16. Coroner, Campbell, 18;
McHenry, 19; Woodhead, 2. Jury
Com. Peale, 29; Snider, 11; Snyder,
1.

Elkland—Treas. Mathews, 65; Hill
46. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 62;
Hill, 50. Coroner, Campbell, 64; Mc-
Henry, 45; Woodhead 17; Jury Com-
Peale, 55; Snider 51; Snyder, 20.

Forks—Treas., Mathews, 19; Hill,
54. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 21; Hill,
56. Coroner, Campbell, 15; Mc-
Henry, 55; Woodhead, 16. Jury
Com., Peale, 15; Snider, 57; Snyder,
14.

Forksville—State Treas. Mathews,
17; Hill, 5. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker
19; Hill 14. Coroner, Campbell, 15,
McHenry, 5; Woodhead, 10. Jury
Commissioner, Peale, 15; Snider, 6;
Snyder, 10.

Fox—Treas., Mathews, 26; Hill 2.7
Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 23; Hill,
37. Coroner, Campbell, 23; Mc-
Henry, 29; Woodhead, 9. Jury

Com., Peale, 24; Snider, 31; Snyder,
9.

Hillsgrove—Treas., Mathews, 47;
Hill, 32. Dist. Atty. Shoemaker, 53
Hill, 25. Coroner, Campbell, 44
McHenry, 28; Woodhead, 4. Jury
Com., Peale, 45; Snider, 30; Snyder,
5.

Jamison City—Treas. Mathews, 6
Hill, 27. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker 1;
Hill, 34. Coroner, Campbell, 2;
McHenry, 30; Woodhead, . Jury
Com., Peale, 2; Snider, 31; Snyder,
der,

Laporte Boro—Treas., Mathews, 31
Hill 30. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker, 31;
Hill, 35. Coroner, Campbell, 30;
McHenry, 32; Woodhead, 6. Jury
Com., Peale, 29; Snider, 33; Snyder,
6.

Laporte Twp.—State Treas. Math-
ews, 21; Hill, 16. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker,
22; Hill, 18. Coroner, Campbell,
18; McHenry, 28; Woodhead, 2. Jury
Com., Peale, 17; Snider, 23
Snyder,

Lopez—State Treas., Mathews, 134;
Hill, 55. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker,
145; Hill, 49. Campbell, 137; Mc-
Henry, 55; Woodhead 5. Peale, 137;
Snider, 52; Snyder 7.

Mt. Vernon—State Treas., Math-
ews, 12; Hill, 11. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker,
11; Hill, 19. Coroner, Campbell,
10; McHenry, 17; Woodhead, 1.
Jury Com., Peale, 12; Snider, 16;
Snyder, 1.

Ringdale—State Treas., Mathews,
2; Hill, 13. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker,
2; Hill 14. Coroner, Campbell, 2;
McHenry, 12; Woodhead, 1. Jury
Com., Peale, 2; Snider, 13.

Ricketts—State Treas., Mathews,
22; Hill 11. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker,
21; Hill, 11. Coroner, Campbell, 21;
McHenry, 11; Woodhead, 1. Jury
Com., Peale, 21; Snider, 11; Snyder,
1.

Shrewsbury—State Treas., Math-
ews, 6; Hill, 6. Dist. Atty., Shoemaker,
11; Hill, 6. Coroner, Campbell,
7; McHenry, 6; Woodhead, 1. Jury
Com., Peale, 9; Snider, 6.

RICKETTS.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical
church gave a supper Friday
evening which was well attended.

Mr. Justice Johnson of Lopez, gave
an entertainment with his Victor
talking machine, Monday, which
was very interesting.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sykes,
a boy, Monday 2d.

Mrs. McKenzie of Philadelphia,
is visiting her niece, Mrs. Mintzer.

Election passed off very quietly.

Mr. B. W. Corson is back again
from the Sayre hospital.

The Lumber Company sold their
old engine No. 2 to parties in New
York.

The K. O. T. M. will give an
oyster supper, Tuesday, November
17th.

Mr. M. Body has returned from a
hunting trip to Maine.

SHUNK.

Dr. Crawford was a brief caller in
town Monday.

Mrs. Rosette Morgan has gone to
Campbellsville to work for William
Hart.

Arch Morgan occupies the house
vacated by his mother, so as to be
nearer his birch distillery this win-
ter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campbell spent
Wednesday in Towanda.

F. O. Spencer, station agent at
Wheelerville, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Esther Biddle of Hillsgrove,
spent Sunday with her sister Miss
Emma.

Leon Campbell is plastering his
house. Miles Sallada of Canton, is
doing the work.

The Seventh Day Adventist have
been holding a series of meetings for
the past week, conducted by two
very able ministers, Messrs. Under-
wood and Smith. The services were
well attended and proved very profit-
able, five young people having
taken that rite of baptism.

A fatal accident occurred at or
near Cold Spring Sunday on the S.
& N. Y. by which George Schriener
of this place, lost his life. Mr. Schriener
was working on the log train
and was standing on the ground be-
side the track engaged in picking up
a stake when without any warning,
a log rolled off the car striking him
across the back, instantly killing
him. He was a man of about 35
years of age, and leaves a wife and
seven children to mourn his loss.
The funeral was held Tuesday from
his late residence.

ESTELLA.

Gordon Warburton shot a large
black bear last Monday. It weighed
three hundred and fifty-one pounds.

The social at Estella last Saturday
evening was a very enjoyable affair.
The sewing circle netted the sum of
six dollars and ninety-five cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Benninger
and Mr. and Mrs. Shultz of New
Albany, visited at Homer Benninger
Saturday and Sunday.

Geo. Vargason is moving his fam-
ily to Willis Snider's camp.

MILDRED.

Moses Herst is very low at this
writing.

Miss Hannah Driscoll and Murry
Hannon who were quite sick last
week, are improving.

Uncle John Lang is able to walk
around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson, P.
J. Crowley and Squire Herst were
at Scranton last week on Mitchell
Day.

Thomas Fitzgerald is visiting
friends at this place. He was for-
merly employed by the State Line
& Sullivan Railroad as shipping
clerk. He is now located in Punx-
sautawney and we wish him success.

Miss Lizzie Driscoll left last week
for Sayre instead of New York, as
the Herald had it.

John P. Murphy presented his
wife with a parrot last week.

Gunton's mine is working every
day.

Dr. Campbell returned with his
bride Wednesday night and the boys
gave them a warm reception. We
join in wishing them success in their
marriage journey.

MURRAY HILL.

Hallow'een night caused many to
put new hinges on their gates.

Pat Collins had his wrist cut quite
badly in the mines last week.

Mrs. Baker of Laporte has return-
ed to Lopez for the winter.

Miss Tresa Welsh of Lopez was in
Mildred Tuesday.

Mr. F. Diplinger of Dushore was
here Monday.

Mr. John Hassen Sr. was at this
place on Sunday.

The new coal washer at this place
is nearly completed.

The mines are running every day
now.

THE GRANGE

Conducted by J. W. DARROW,
Press Correspondent New York State
Grange

AN IDEAL GRANGE HALL.

Its Size, General Plan and Equip-
ment Described.

[Special Correspondence.]

Since years of experience have de-
veloped the real home work of the
grange the up to date grange hall must
conform to the demands of such pro-
gress. For years it has been conceded
to be of benefit if the subordinate
grange had in its own name and con-
trol a place called "home." Because
of the grange confining its membership
to those chiefly interested in agricul-
tural pursuits this home naturally lo-
cates itself out in the country. That
it may represent the grange to the
passerby the surrounding grounds
should be ample for sheds for horses,
with a good variety of trees and a
lawn to accommodate gatherings of
people as occasion may require. The
entire outside premises should be kept
in an inviting condition.

As to the grange hall itself, the out-
side design should be in harmony with
the uses for which it is built, and this
suggests a harmonizing of both church
and schoolhouse architecture. To meet
all requirements the building should be
at least 24 by 60 feet on the ground,
with eighteen foot posts on the sides.
This will permit the lower part of the
building to be eight feet from floor to
ceiling and leave nine foot sides for
the upper room, which, with an arched
ceiling from a system of collar joists,
will give a good effect. The lower part
of the hall should be divided to accom-
modate hallway, entrance, kitchen,
stairway and a large assembly room,
which is also suitable for a banquet
hall, and, inasmuch as children under
fourteen years of age must now be pro-
vided for, this room becomes a very
proper place for them, and during the
lecturer's hour they can sit with their
parents in the grange. This large room
below, being warm and light, is very
convenient for all members in which
to hang their wraps on hook rails
around the outer walls. Still further,
this large lower room can be used for
all common entertainments, and espe-
cially is it suitable for this when it has
a platform or stage at one end, with
suitable scenery.

The upper story of the building
should be divided into stair landing,
anteroom, property closet, a nursery
and the grange hall proper. While the
lower rooms should have naked floors,
the stairway and all floors above
should be carpeted and the grange hall
should have finished and decorated
walls and be as well furnished as the
sitting room of a well to do farmer's
home. Annexes for libraries and court
scenes should also be provided. Such
a grange building will cost about \$1,000
to \$1,200.

A grange contemplating the building
of a hall or home of this kind can start
with the following subscription list:

"We, the undersigned members of
the grange, agree to give the
amounts of hand labor, team labor,
material and money set opposite our
respective names for the purpose of
building a grange hall at such place
and time and in accordance with such
plans as the grange may specify."

Such a subscription will give a start
which, in the hands of a good building
committee, can be made to go a long
way toward securing the desired ob-
ject. It is generally necessary to lend
a few hundred dollars to finish and
furnish, all of which can be paid off
with suppers and entertainments of
various kinds.

It will be noted that in planning the
rooms the children and babes are
provided for. This is to encourage the
mothers to go to the grange. The
children, woven into the lecturer's hour
programme, make the ideal entertain-
ment. Where the children are thus
well cared for the parents will become
interested. GEORGE B. HORTON.

Importance of the Grange.

The system of grange work is so
broad and so varied and so excellent in
its conception that it appeals to the
practical common sense, good judgment
and interest of all law abiding rural
citizens, and it has awakened the well
wishes of all classes of people through-
out our land. Its conception is grand,
its precepts pure, its teachings true, its
efforts high, its motives noble, and its
plans are wise. Such an organization
cannot fail in its endeavor, and it will
attract the best and noblest to its sup-
port. The grange is a character build-
er, a home maker, an educator and a
social benefactor. It is very closely
connected with the home, the church
and the school, the four forming one
vast intellectual chain which brings us
the richest fruits of our land.—Michi-
gan Patron.

Fundamental Law of Being.

Vicarious sacrifice is not only a great
truth of theology, but it is a funda-
mental law of being.—Rev. A. B. Kin-
solving, Episcopal, Brooklyn.