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Having opened an office at 1328 Arch St., Philadelphia, I shall still continue to practice in the several Courts of Sullivan County. When not in my office personally a competent person will be found in charge thereof. Bonds of various kinds furnished.

FRANCIS W. MEYLERT,
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O. J. MOLYNEAUX, D.D.S.
Graduate University of Pennsylvania.
NEW ALBANY, PA.
At Lopez, Pa., Wednesday and Thursday
each week.

LAPORTE HOTEL.
F. W. GALLAGHER, Prop.
Newly erected. Opposite Court
House square. Steam heat, bath rooms,
hot and cold water, reading and pool
room, and barber shop; also good stabling
and livery.

**Chippewa
Lime Kilns.**
Lime furnished in car
load lots, delivered at
Right Prices.
Your orders solicited.
Kilns near Hughesville
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M. E. Reeder,
MUNCY, PA.

For a well Kept
Up-to-date
Stock of
General
Merchandise
For prices that are
Right
For courteous treatment
go to

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A MATTER OF HEALTH

**ROYAL
BAKING
POWDER**
Absolutely Pure
HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

**County Seat
Local and Personal Events
 tersely Told.**

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Has-
san, Sunday, Feb. 25, a daughter.

Edith Eddy of Glen Mawr, spent
Sunday with parents at this place.
Miss Jessie Wrede of Lopez
spent the latter part of last week
at her home in the second ward.

Ernest C. Brackman and Miss
Katie Gardner, both of Lopez,
were united in marriage at the M.
E. Church by the Rev. Thos. F.
Ripple, on Wednesday, February
28th.

Mr. A. E. Tripp of Wilkesbarre,
is spending a few days in town.

Miss Alice Betts of Towanda, is
being entertained by Miss Eliza
Shaut.

M. Frank Magargle of Sonestown,
has purchased the store building
adjoining the store of C. A. Starr,
at that place and has stocked the
same with gentlemen's furnishing
goods.

Mrs. H. H. Spencer and daughter
Emma have returned from Wilkes-
Barre where they spent several
months.

There are at the present time six-
teen patients at the Berwick hospi-
tal. The institution is certainly do-
ing a great good for the town and
the people are standing by the move
very nobly.

A New York medical authority
rises to remark that "if you get that
fired feeling eat a pound of candy."
He declares that it is a positive cure
for fatigue. At any rate, it is a pre-
scription that will appeal to a vast
number of people.

There will be services in St. Johns
Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and
7.30 p. m., Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Mrs. Frank McCann of Hills-
grove, died in terrible agony last
Saturday morning, the result of
taking carbolic acid instead of
cramp medicine. Mrs. McCann
was attacked with cramps early
Saturday morning and went down
stairs to take a dose of medicine.
A bottle of carbolic acid was on
the same shelf with the medicine,
and the woman in her haste to get
relief failed to notice that she had
the wrong bottle until after she
had drank of its contents. She
died fifteen minutes after taking
the fatal dose. Mrs. McCann was
34 years of age.

Robert R. Little, president judge
of the twenty-sixth judicial district
composed of Columbia and Montour
counties, died at his home at Blooms-
burg, Monday afternoon. Judge
Little was stricken while on the
bench during the February session of
court, his illness having taken a
serious turn on Saturday last, when
pneumonia developed. He grew
gradually worse and was uncon-
scious for 24 hours previous to his
death. He was born at Berwick, in
May, 1852. He studied law with
his father and was admitted to the
Columbia county bar in 1874.

Walter Albertson of Jamison City,
who was seriously injured several
weeks ago by the falling of logs from
a lumber train, died at his home
shortly before noon Friday. At the
time of the accident, he was not
expected to recover, but he has been
steadily convalescing, and for a week
previous to his death was able to sit
up. He took a sudden relapse and
passed away on Friday. He is sur-
vived by a wife and three young
children.

Dubois philanthropists have found
a new field for their work of charity
and have raised a fund to pay for the
treatment of unfortunates afflicted
with the alcoholic habit. The names
of those who submit to the treatment
will be kept absolutely secret. Several
ministers, physicians and edu-
cators are on the committee arrang-
ing for the redemption of the vic-
tims of drink.

The tobacco dealers of Maryland
are making strenuous opposition to
an anti-cigarette bill now before the
legislature of that state. If they
had carefully watched the experience
with laws against cigarets in some
of the states they would be wildly
concerned. We have an act here to
prevent the selling or giving of cig-
arets to minors, but it is not observ-
ed that it has any effect. The boys
get their cigarets and smoke them
just the same.

The Mikado a comic opera in two
acts given by home talent under the
direction of Miss Alice Brewster for
the benefit of St. John's Guild was
given in the Court House on Friday
evening and at the request of a
number was repeated on Monday
evening. The affair was a success
from start to finish. It was re-
marked by some who had seen this
opera in larger that our company of
amateurs would compare favorably
with many professional troops.
Their success is wonderful when one
considers that to many, perhaps the
majority, this was their first public
appearance.

Miss Bessie Wrede made an ideal
Mikado, Lytle F. Perry, an enthu-
siastic Nanki Poo, Robert Mason, a
rare Ko Ko, while Ernest Lauer, as
Pooh Bah won much applause. Jos.
Wrede as Pish Tush acted his his
part well as a Japanese nobleman.

The parts of the three sister-wards
of Ko Ko, Peep Bo, Yum Yum and
Pitti Sing were played respectively
by Miss Alma Lauer, Miss Eliza
Shaut and Miss Jessie Wrede. Three
better suited for their parts would
be hard to find, Yum Yum had a
more prominent part than the other
two and was all that even the en-
thusiastic Nanki Poo could desire.

Miss Alice Brewster as Katisha,
showed rare ability even for a pro-
fessional. By her singing and act-
ing she held the undivided attention
of the audience and won its enthu-
siastic applause.

The principle parts were well sup-
ported by the chorus consisting of
Ellery Crossley, Collins Stackhouse,
Carl Wrede, Ellery Carpenter, Zora
Carpenter, Ome Mason, Emma
Gallagher, Vinnie Eddy, Eva Stack-
house, Ayleen Perry, Mrs. F. W.
Meylert.

Mrs. E. M. Dunham presided at
the piano and from a musical point
of view did much to make the per-
formances a success. Great credit is
due to Miss Alice Brewster for her
untiring efforts in drilling the com-
pany of young people. She is to be
congratulated on her great success.

Dear Mr. Wing:
Will you kindly
permit me to use a little space in
the News Item.

Recently while attending a lecture
at John Hopkins University, by one
of the greatest naturalists of the
country, I was very much impressed
with what he said on the subject
"Necessity and value of trees." My
thoughts were diverted to the little
town Laporte and I again stood on
the front steps of St. Johns Episcopal
church, and saw before and about
me magnificent rows of Maple trees.
But unfortunately my picture was
spoiled, for at the base of each one
of these magnificent maple trees I
saw a bucket, pail, tin can or some
other receptacle used for the purpose
of receiving that which if the vital
factor to a tree's very existence.
And now that the season is near at
hand when the trees will be tapped
for their sap, would it not be well
for the council of the Borough of
Laporte to take some action toward
prohibiting the wholesale tapping
of some of the finest shade trees.
Let there be no procrastination, for
after the tree are bled it is too late to
remedy the evil resultant this sea-
son.

But some may say tapping does
no harm. I beg to differ. There is
a vast amount of ignorance on this
very subject among people who
should know better. A little bleed-
ing may do a man good, but period-
ical cutting of his arteries will weak-
en and eventually kill him. Sap is
to a tree what blood is to a person—
the life giving principle. It is rea-
sonable to suppose that a tree which
has been drained of that life giving
power will be weakened. In some
of its limbs there will be a deficient
circulation, hence the dead limbs at
the top of tapped trees.

Possibly it is presumptuous for a
non inhabitant to tell the council of
Laporte its duty, yet it is done out
of love for and in the interest of that
which is the principal attraction of
Laporte, namely—its shade trees.

Sincerely,
Rev. Eugene A. Heim,
Baltimore, Md.

As a preparation for a strike the
railroads are busy at present shushing
the output of coal from the various
collieries in both anthracite and bitu-
minous regions to the market and
storage places in order to have a
large supply on hand should a strike
be declared. Collieries are being
pushed to their utmost capacity.

It must be somewhat pleasing to
Governor Pennypacker to note that
papers that have heretofore spent
much mental effort and type in de-
riding him, are now joining in the
general praise that is given him for
having accomplished so much in
the way of reform legislation. Only
one measure out of the entire list of
reforms he proposed failed of passage
and that was the application of civil
service rules to State employes.

A square deal for everybody would
never have permitted the abuse to
which the Governor has been sub-
jected since he occupied the execu-
tive chair. That he was a misfit and
ill adapted to his position was evi-
dent soon after he took it, but that
he honestly endeavored to fill the
station rightly was also evident. It
was the political exigencies of the
ruling powers in politics that put
him there, but though his yoke gall-
ed, he wore it with as good a degree
of patience as could have been ex-
pected of him. Governor Pennypacker
has never yet had his due.—
New Age.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of writ of Fieri Facias issued
out of the Court of Common Pleas of Sul-
livan County, Pennsylvania, and to me
directed and delivered, there will be ex-
posed to the public sale at the Court
House in the Borough of Laporte Sullivan
County, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1906,
at 1 o'clock P.M. the following described
property to wit:

Lot No. 1: All that certain piece, parcel
or lot of land situated in Fox Town,
Sullivan County, Pennsylvania, and to me
directed and delivered, there will be ex-
posed to the public sale at the Court
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SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1906,
at 1 o'clock P.M. the following described
property to wit:

Lot No. 2: Another lot of land situ-
ated in same Township, County and State
described as follows:
BEGINNING at a post in the public
road; thence extending South 69 1/2 rods to
a post along the road; thence extending
East 8 rods to a post; thence extending
South 30 rods to a post; thence extending
East 90 1/2 rods to a post; thence extend-
ing North 99 1/2 rods to a beech tree, and
thence extending West 8 1/2 rods to the
place of beginning. Containing Fifty-one
acres more or less.

Lot No. 3: All that certain lot or par-
cel of land situate in Fox Township,
Sullivan County Pa., described as follows:
BEGINNING at a point in the center
of the public road, it being the Northwest
corner of land of Horace Dumond; thence
by land of said Horace Dumond, et al.,
South 41-2 degrees West 193 perches to
a stone corner, thence by land of Milo
Tripp North 85 1/2 degrees West 41.45
perches to a post; thence by land of the
said parties of the first part North 4 1/2
degrees East 193 rods to the center of the
aforesaid public road; thence along center
of said road South 85 1/2 degrees East
41.45 rods to the place of beginning
CONTAINING Fifty acres of land more
or less. Excepting and reserving there-
from 23 acres sold to M. J. Tripp, by
deed dated May 25, 1887, and recorded in
Sullivan County Deed Book No. 25, at
page 69, etc.

About one-half of the above described
two lots of land being improved and in
state of cultivation; balance unimproved
and having erected thereon one frame
dwelling house, one large barn and
other out-buildings, a large orchard, of
fruit trees thereon. The two lots being
used together as one farm.

Lot No. 4: All that certain lot or par-
cel of land situate in Fox Township,
Sullivan County Pa., described as follows:
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About Fifteen acres improved and under
cultivation, the balance unimproved.

Seized, taken in execution and to be
sold as the property of Benjamin Tripp
at the suit of Burke, Thomas & Co., now
to use of Henry Tripp.

FRANK W. BUCK, Sheriff-
Mullen, Attorney.
Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., Feb. 3, 1906

Notice.
Notice is hereby given that an appli-
cation will be made to the Governor of
the State of Pennsylvania on Monday,
March 12th 1906, under the Act of Assem-
bly of the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania entitled "An Act to provide for the
incorporation and regulation of certain
corporations," approved April 29th, 1874,
and the supplements thereto, for the
charter of an intended corporation to be
called "The Eagles Merc Company"
the character and object of
which is the buying, improving, selling
and leasing of real estate, and for these
purposes to have, possess and enjoy all
the rights, benefits and privileges of said
Act of Assembly and the supplements
thereto.

WILLIAM M. MEREDITH,
Solicitor.

A. E. CAMPBELL'S

MIDWINTER CLEARANCE SALE is Still On.
have a few of the odds and ends left, you can see them
on the **BARGAIN COUNTER.** During this sale I have
marked down a lot of goods from the general stock, that
are bargains you can not get elsewhere. Below we give
prices as far as space will permit.

Men's Heavy Winter Suits	was 5.00 now 3.75	was 6.00 now 4.50
" " " "	was 7.50 now 5.50	was 10.00 now 6.75
Boys " " "	was 12.00 now 7.75	was 5.00 now 3.75
" " " "	was 6.00 now 4.50	was 2.50 now 2.00
Childrens " " "	8 to 12 years 1.50	and 2.00 now 1.00
" Norfolk " " "	5 to 8 years 2.00	now 1.50
Lot Men's Fine Shoe	was 3 to 3.50 now 1.00	was 2.00 now 75c
" Ladies " " "	was 3.00 now 1.50	was 2.50 now 1.25
" Fur Top Slippers	was 1.50 now 1.00	
Childs Solar Tip Shoes	was 1.15 now 50c	
Lot Ladies Fleece Lined Underwear	was 50c now 39c	
" Childrens " " "	4 to 14 was 25c now 10c	
Ladies Flannelette Wrappers	was 1.00 now 79c	

A. E. CAMPBELL.
SHUNK, PA.

Fall Suits

for Men, Boys and Children
are now here for inspection.

Suits in black clay and unfinished worsteds and Tibets
Homespuns, French and English Flannels, and Scotch
Goods.

Boys and Childrens' Suits in all the new fabrics and
makes.

Prices as well as variety are extraordinary. All new
and up to date line of Gents Furnishings, Hats, Caps, etc.
Also the only place in town where you can get the

"Walk Over" Shoe.

J. W. CARROLL'S,
Hotel Carroll Block, DUSHORE, PA.

**JACOB HERR
Re-marking Sale,
Going Out of Business**

All our Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Gents
Furnishing Goods Etc., will be re marked from 20 to 30
per cent lower than actual cost of manufacture, regard-
less of price. This sale will eclipse anything ever before
attempted by any clothing store in Sullivan county.
\$7000 worth of goods must be sold by April 1st. I must
leave this town by April 1st. All I ask is to come and see

**Jacob Herr's Remarking Sale, at
LAPORTE, PA.**

One Hundred Dollars (\$100) reward, if any one sees me
doing business at Laporte after April 1st.

All I ask is to come and see
**Jacob Herr's Re-marking Sale,
LAPORTE, PA.**

**GENERAL STORE
Laporte Tannery.**

FULL AND COMPLETE STOCK ALWAYS FOUND HERE.
Just received a special purchase of "Riches" Flannels,
Lumbermens' Shirts and Drawers, Men's, Ladies' and
Childr. ns' Mitts, Gloves and Hosiery.

**There's Lots Here to Show You
From the City.**

Fresh stock of Dry Goods and Notions, Boys and
Men's Hats and Caps, full line of Snagproof Shoes and
Rubbers, Ladies', Gents' and Children's Goodyear Rub-
bers Woodsmen and Boys Shoes to suit all.
**Our Usual Quality of Groceries and Provisions
are Equal to the BEST.**

JAMES MCFARLANE.