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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 guaranteed, by skilled workmen. Your orders appreciated.

RETTENBURY,
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.

Fabrics for Easter Dresses.

Whatever fabric you may favor—all Wool, Silk and
Wool, or fine Cotton, is here—so many weaves that we
can't attempt to describe them

Fine, all-wool batiste, either dark or We have just opened a new lot of
the new Pastel shades. It's a popular Serges with white ground and black
fabric for dressing gowns. They are checks and broken plaids, for
50, 65, 75c and \$1.00 **50 cents**

We show a handsome line of stylish and serviceable
materials for Jacket Suits—56 inch Grey Suiting for
\$1.00 a Yard

Silk Petticoats

We have received another lot of those
stylish Silk Taffeta Skirts. They come
in Old Rose, Reseda, Grey, Pink, Alice
Blue, Green, Light Blue, Cardinal, White
and Black. They are only 50c

Tailored Suits

Whatever your requirement as to style,
fit or cost, in a tailored suit or dressy
gown, our stock will meet it. Some hand-
some Easter gowns are being shown now

New Veilings

If you want a stylish Veil come and
see the new veilings. We have plenty of
the; correct styles and they don't cost
much.

New Dress Trimmings

Of all kinds for gowns, suits and waists
are here, so many kinds and different de-
signs that we can't mention them here.

White Goods

For waists or dresses we have a fine
variety to choose from—hardly a kind
you can think of isn't here from the plain
lawn to the fine, exquisite imported Swiss-
es. Will you take a little time and look
at them?

Knit Underwear

You will be wanting lighter weight knit
underwear soon. We have now ready all
the desirable kinds for men, women and
children. Whether you buy the least ex-
pensive or the very finest, you are assured
here that it will be right.

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AN ORDINANCE.

GRANTING PERMISSION TO THE
SULLIVAN COUNTY TELEPHONE
COMPANY, OF PENNSYLVANIA,
TO CONSTRUCT, OPERATE AND
MAINTAIN ITS LINE OF POLES,
WIRES AND FIXTURES UPON,
ALONG, UNDER AND OVER THE
STREETS AND PUBLIC HIGHWAYS
OF THE BOROUGH OF LAPORTE,
SULLIVAN COUNTY, PENNSYL-
VANIA.

BE IT ENACTED AND OR-
DAINED by the Town Council of the
Borough of Laporte, Sullivan County,
Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enact-
ed and ordained by the authority of
the same, that The Sullivan County
Telephone Company, of Pennsylvania
its successors or assigns, be and the
same are hereby granted the right,
privilege and authority to construct,
operate and maintain its lines of poles,
wires and fixtures upon, along, over
and under the streets, alleys and
public highways of the said Borough
of Laporte, upon the following terms
and conditions:

Section 1. All poles erected by the
said company shall be located under
the direction and supervision of the
Town Council, or a committee of the
said Council, and shall not be so
placed as to interfere with the ordi-
nary use of the said public highways,
obstruct entrances to gateways, or
driveways, impeded or interfere with
the flow of water in ditches or drains,
or unduly interfere with any shade
trees growing along the said high-
ways.

Section 2. Said Company shall be
subject at any and all times to any
and all general ordinances or resolu-
tions now in force or that may here-
after be passed regulating the use of
public highways or other public places
in said borough.

Section 3. Said Company shall
hold said Borough free and harmless
at any and all times from any and all
damages caused by the construction
or negligent operation or maintenance
of said lines in said Borough and shall
at all times save, protect and keep
said Borough harmless from any and
all actions for damages for any acci-
dent to persons or property by reason
of the use, occupation and enjoyment
of said highways as aforesaid.

Section 4. The permission hereby
granted shall not be construed as
precluding the Borough of Laporte
from granting similar permission and
rights to any other person, firm or
corporation.

Section 5. In case the said Com-
pany shall fail to erect poles and con-
struct a working telephone line with-
in a period of one year from the date
of the passage of this ordinance, all
rights and privileges granted herein
shall be declared forfeited. And if
the said Company shall fail to keep
and maintain a proper telephone pay
station or stations within the said
Borough, for the use of the said
telephone line by the public, then and
in that case all privileges and rights
herein granted shall cease and deter-
mine and be declared forfeited, and
the said poles, wire and fixtures may
be removed by said Town Council, its
agents or employees.

Section 6. All expense of the pub-
lication of this ordinance, as required
by law, shall be paid by The Sullivan
County Telephone Company aforesaid,
its successors or assigns.

Section 7. This ordinance shall take
effect and be in force from and after
the earliest period allowed by law.

The above ordinance was passed at
a regular meeting of the Town Coun-
cil of the Borough of Laporte, Pen-
sylvania, on Monday, April 2, 1906.
Approved April 2, 1906.

W. H. RANDALL,
Chief Burgess.
F. H. INGHAM, Secretary.

Administrators' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have
taken letters of Administration on the
estate of Frederick Arthur Bennett, late
of Shrewsbury township deceased. All
persons having claims against said de-
cedent will please present them duly
authenticated for payment, and all who
know themselves to be indebted to him
will please make payment to me.

BOYD P. BENNETT,
T. J. & F. H. Ingham, Attys. Admr.

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Sarah Whitmire, late of Dav-
idson Township, Sullivan county, Pa.
decd.

Notice is hereby given that letters of
administration c. t. a. upon the estate of
said decedent have been granted to the
undersigned. All persons indebted to
said estate are requested to make pay-
ment; and those having claims or de-
mands against the same will make them
known without delay.

JOHN W. PAXTON,
Administrator, c. t. a.
Austin, Pa., Jan., 29, 1906.

Send your raw furs and skins to
Lichtenstein Bros., and get the very
highest market prices for skins in
your vicinity. A first shipment will
convince you. Write for our new
price list., LICHTENSTEIN BROS.
113 River Street, Paterson, N. J.

State Factory Inspector Delaney
has inaugurated a campaign against
aldermen and justices of the peace
throughout Pennsylvania who vio-
late the factory law by issuing em-
ployment certificate to children not
legally entitled to be employed in
mills and factories. Deputy inspec-
tors have been instructed to bring suit
against all these offenders, and sev-
eral such prosecutions have been en-
tered within the past ten days. The
law requires that a child seeking em-
ployment be fourteen years of age
and must have certain specified edu-
cational and physical qualifications.

To vote next year, a person must
answer a great number of questions,
according to a blank form of the new
personal registration law received by
the county commissioners from the
department of internal affairs. The
law goes into effect at the February
election. Among the questions that
must be answered are the following:
—Full name, occupation, place of
residence, including the name of the
owner or lessee of the house, length
of residence in the state and election
district, time and place of last regis-
tration, if any; place of birth, date
of naturalization papers and before
what court they were obtained, date
of tax receipts, personal description,
including color, age, weight, and
height, and then his signature.

State Health Commissioner
Samuel G. Dixon will call upon bank
officials throughout Pennsylvania to
assist him in checking the spread of
disease by taking the precaution to
fumigate money before it passes out
of the bank's hands.

Dr. Dixon has found disease pro-
ducing germs in filthy paper money
in circulation and says that un-
doubtedly many cases of communi-
cable disease throughout the State
must be traceable to infected money.

He has prepared a circular letter
to be sent to every bank in the State
and believes it will not only prevent
infection but be of direct benefit to
the institution itself as a business
proposition. The letter is as follows:

"As the germs of disease are
found in money in circulation, the
Department of Health respectfully
suggests and requests that you co-
operate with it in the protection of
the health of our people by fumi-
gating all money received by your
bank before it is again put in cir-
culation. Such a precautionary
measure, I am confident, will avoid
many cases of sickness and death
in your community."

Governor Pennypacker signed,
the bill which fixes a penalty of \$10,
or ten days imprisonment "for
throwing waste paper, sweepings,
ashes, household waste, nails or
rubbish of any kind into the streets
of cities, boroughs or townships, or
for disturbing the contents of any
receptacle placed upon the street or
sidewalk for collection of such
sweepings." It is a law and should
be enforced.

It is reported that Postmaster
General Cortelyou will recommend
an additional yearly appropriation
of \$200 for rural mail carriers for
horses which their trips require.
The present pay \$720 will leave the
carrier about \$460 a year for his
labor, the balance being spent for
horsefeed and repairs on buggies.
For the kind of services the Post
Office Department expects, the pay
is deemed too small. The
deficit in the Postal service last
year may delay the new appropri-
ation, however.

"Where is the wandering boy to-
night?" If he is loafing on the
street corners, with a lot of other
young hoodlums, telling smutty
stories and making indecent remarks
about people that pass, he is well
launched on the road to ruin. The
home circle that is not attractive
enough to keep the boy there even-
ings lacks something.

A very unusual, but interesting in-
cident took place at the Wyoming
Conference, when a Polish Catholic
priest, the Rev. Joseph Davidowski,
who is at the head of the Polish
Catholic church at Plymouth, Pa.,
came upon the floor of the Conference
asked to be admitted to the Metho-
dist Episcopal church. He is an edu-
cated man but speaks broken Eng-
lish, and he explained that he and
about forty families in his parish were
dissatisfied with their religion and
that they wanted something better
and felt that the Methodists were
the ones to help them. They were
reading the New Testament, he ex-
plained, and believed it and loved it.

Bishop Goodsell was surprised and
somewhat nonplussed by the novel
situation, and told Rev. Davidowski
that he would have to think the
matter over.

"You are sure you want to join us?"
said the Bishop. The man replied
that he had had the matter in mind
for some time and was firm in his
conviction.

"Then let it be clearly understood,"
said Bishop Goodsell, "that you seek
us and not we you. Our church is
not a proselyting church."

After due deliberation it was de-
cided that the appeal could not be
ignored, and the members of the for-
mer Polish Catholic church at Ply-
mouth are now a part of the Metho-
dist denomination. The church
property does not necessarily go with
the congregation, but whatever dis-
position of it that is lawful, will be
made.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of Milan,
Bradford county, is in a peck of
trouble on account of a supper served
by the ladies several days ago. It
seems that there was a wreck on the
Lehigh Valley railroad, and a pass-
enger train was delayed thereby.
On the passenger train was Pure Food
Agent Simmers, who was on his way
to Milan, but he did not reach there
until it was past the supper hour at
the only hotel in town. He was
hungry and was anxious to secure a
substantial meal. Some one recom-
mended him to go to the church and
patronize the Ladies' Aid Society.
The pure food man went there and
enjoyed a hearty supper, but now
claims that the butter served to him
was nothing more than oleomargar-
ine, and he is about to arrest a
number of the members of the soci-
ety, as well as the grocer who sold it
to them.

A country paper up the state tells
of a justice of the peace who was
called upon to perform a marriage
ceremony. It was his first attempt
and he was at a loss to know how to
proceed, but rose to the occasion.
He commanded the happy couple to
stand and be sworn as follows: "Do
you solemnly swear that you will
obey the constitution of the United
States and the State of Pennsylvania
and to perform the duties of your
office to the best of your ability, so
help you God?" The couple nodded
assent and the justice continued:
"Then by the power in me vested by
the strong arm of the law, I pro-
nounce you man and wife, now and
forever, and you shall stand com-
mitted until the fine and costs are
paid, and may the Lord have mercy
upon your souls."

An eminent physician of Scranton,
in speaking of appendicitis, said that
there is absolutely no danger in an
operation, if it is made within the
first twenty-four hours; that it is the
safest operation surgeons are called
upon to make, if taken early. But
as a rule, there is a natural dread of
an operation in a family, and it is
usually put off from day to day until
too late. He says people should lis-
ten first of all to the family physician
and if he advises an operation, it
should be made; that physicians do
not gain credit or fame by perform-
ing operations that are not necessary
and that cannot be successful, but
only by successful ones, and that the
physician for this reason, if no other,
will advise honestly. He also says
that while there is an impression
abroad that doctors like to advise
operations for the sake of making
them, the reverse is true, and that
only where necessary, are they likely
to be advised.

BERNICE ITEMS.

R. A. Conklin, D. D. G. M. of
Laporte Lodge, installed the officers
of Bernice Lodge No. 962 Wednes-
day evening of last week.

Charles Sharp of Pittston is vis-
iting his parents on Sugar Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Daly were
calling on friends at Mildred Sun-
day.

R. E. Webber and Joel Saxon
were Dushore visitors Sunday.

Charles Sick of Cherry Mills, called
on John Schaad Sr. on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. McGee of Mildred, who
has been quite sick for the past six
weeks is improving.

Mrs. Robert Ramsay of Mildred,
who has been in poor health for
some time on advice of Drs. Christ-
ian and Campbell was sent to the
Williamsport Hospital Wednesday.

The school directors were at this
place looking for a site for the new
school house. It is reported that if
they can get the Connell company's
consent they will build opposite the
saw mill, the ground that we sug-
gested four weeks ago. We would
say that when they advertise for
bids they will not let friendship
have any influence with them, as it
is a costly lesson to the taxpayers
sometimes.

As was to be hoped and expected,
the big fire insurance companies,
domestic and foreign, stand ready
to meet the stupendous losses re-
sulting from the San Francisco dis-
aster. The companies are hard hit,
but they realize that in this, as in
other instances of great fire catas-
trophes, notably those of Baltimore,
Boston and Chicago, the thing to do
is to demonstrate the wisdom of the
public confidence in their ability
and willingness to pay. Surely it
is within reason to expect that
business enterprises organized for
the specific purpose of affording pro-
tection against money loss by fire
will be prepared to satisfy prompt-
ly the demands of emergencies. It
is understood that losses by earth-
quake were not provided against in
the policies written by New York
companies, the New York statutes
standing in the way, but as a result
of the destruction of San Francisco
property was wrought by fire the
total of uncompensated losses
will be comparatively small. It is
a great satisfaction to know that
the fire insurance companies will
contribute so substantially to the
relief of the stricken California
community.

The great issues that arise in our
national affairs completely over-
shadow minor questions connected
with the interests of organized labor.
The one great question, that of the
Protective Tariff, which is never
settled and is always present, in-
cludes in it all other questions re-
lating to labor. The great Republi-
can party stands for the Protective
Tariff. Its policy has built up the
magnificent industrial system of
this country and given opportuni-
ties for remunerative employment
to millions of wage-earners. As a
result of Republican policy the
nation is enjoying an industrial
prosperity that is the wonder and
envy of the rest of the world, and
America workingmen are earning
wages from 100 per cent. to 400 per
cent. higher than the workingmen
of any other country.

Independent labor action in pol-
itics could effect nothing in the way
of electing labor candidates, but it
could be a seriously disturbing fac-
tor in election, to possibly bring
about the election of a Democratic
Congress and President.

The labor leaders would the
realize too late the colossal blunder
they had made and the injury they
had inflicted on the cause of labor

Nearly 400 dozen eggs were fed to
patients at the Danville Asylum on
Easter. About 375 dozen the
patients had medium boiled for
breakfast, a few were decorated and
the remainder went into the various
dishes of Easter Day.