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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 Tulle Petticoats. They come
in Old Rose, Resed, Grey, Pink, Alice
Blue, Green, Light Blue, Cardinal, White
and Black. They are only 50c

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.

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?

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 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.

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.

AN ORDINANCE.

Prohibiting cattle, horses, sheep
and swine from running at large in
the Borough of Laporte, Pennsylvania:
Providing penalties for the violation
of such ordinance, providing suitable
enclosures for the impounding of
said animals at the expense of said
borough, and providing for appoint-
ment of Pound Masters and the proper
enforcement of said ordinance.

Section 1. Be it enacted and ord-
ained by the Town Council of the
Borough of Laporte, Pennsylvania,
and it is hereby ordained and enacted
by the authority of the same, that it
shall hereafter be unlawful for the
owners, keeper or keepers of horses,
cattle, sheep or swine to permit said
animals or any of them, to run at large
upon the streets, alleys, lanes high-
ways or public places or upon private
property not owned, leased or control-
led by the owner, owners keeper or
keepers of such animals, within the
limits of the Borough of Laporte
Pennsylvania.

Section 2. The Town Council shall
provide a suitable lot, lots or enclos-
ures within the borough limits, for
the impounding of horses, cattle, sheep
or swine found running at large with-
in said borough limits. Said lots or
enclosures shall be properly fenced
and made secure for the purpose in-
tended, and the gates thereof shall be
provided with suitable locks and
fastenings, and all expense connected
with such pound shall be paid by the
Borough of Laporte.

Section 3. The Town Council shall
annually appoint two persons to act
as pound master, whose duty it shall
be to immediately impound all cattle,
horses, sheep or swine found running
at large within the Borough of Lap-
orte, and within twelve hours give
notice to the owner, owners or keeper
of said animal or animals that the
same have been impounded; or post
three notices in three of the most
public places within said borough
describing the animal or animals im-
pounded, and also that if the said
animal or animals so impounded is
not called for and all costs and expenses
paid within five days that the said
animals so impounded will be sold to
the highest and best bidder. Provid-
ing further that any owner or lessee
of real estate within said borough,
shall have the right to impound cat-
tle, horses, sheep and swine found
trespassing upon his or her premises,
in case the regularly appointed pound
master refuses so to do or cannot be
readily found to act in the premises.
And in order that this provision may
be readily enforced, it is hereby pro-
vided that one key to the lock or
fastening to the gate of such pound
shall be continually in charge of the
Secretary of the Town Council, who
shall immediately deliver it to any
person making application therefor
for the purpose of impounding ani-
mals as herein provided, with notice
to owners as hereinbefore provided.

Section 4. For each and every animal
impounded under the provisions of this
ordinance, the owner or owners, keeper
or keepers shall pay the sum of fifty cents
for each day or fraction of a day that
the same shall be impounded. All such
fines shall be collected by the poundmaster,
before the release of the animal or ani-
mals impounded, and shall be kept by
him in payment of his services.

Section 5. The poundmaster shall
have full and entire care, maintenance
and custody of animals impounded under
this ordinance and is hereby authorized
to provide feed if necessary for the im-
pounded animal or animals until the
owner thereof shall secure their release
by the payment of all fines and all ex-
penses incurred in their keeping. Provided
that after three days personal notice to
the owner or owners, keeper or keepers
of said animals, or five days notice by ad-
vertisements, such animal or animals may
be sold under direction of the town coun-
cil, and the proceeds of such sale, after
the payment of the poundmaster for his
services and all expenses incurred in con-
nection with the impounding, keeping
and sale of said animal or animals, shall
be paid to the owner or owners of said
animals if application be made therefor
within one year from the date of sale.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take
effect on the first day of June, A. D. 1906.

Section 7. All ordinances or parts of
ordinances inconsistent herewith are
hereby repealed.

JAMES MCFARLANE, Pres.

Approved May 8, 1906.

W. H. RANDALL, Burgess.

Attest: F. H. INGHAM, Secretary.

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Sarah Whitmore, 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.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever.

50c. Box. If C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Cheering words come from the big
trade and commercial agencies.
"Bradstreet's" in its current review
of the state of trade says that fuller
appreciation of the real extent of the
appalling disaster at San Francisco
has had a sobering effect upon the
entire country, but it is recognized
that the disturbance through unpre-
cedentedly hurtful, has been confined
to a comparatively small area of
country, and the rest of the nation,
contemplating as it does, prospects
of bountiful crops, and another year
of great prosperity, finds itself alike
willing and able to give freely of its
abundance to help the stricken city
and state. In the last analysis it is
felt that while the temporary effects
upon the, for instance, prices of se-
curities and commodities has been
depressing, it is likewise certain that
replacement on a scale hitherto un-
known will give employment to
within and without the section af-
fected and stimulate productive en-
ergies beyond measure.

Dun's Review says that devas-
tation on the Pacific coast and a
widened breach between anthracite
coal miners and operators were ad-
verse trade factors of grave local
significance, but the nation as a whole
is responsive to the favorable influ-
ence of good weather for spring busi-
ness, agriculture undertakings and
building operations—all of which
are on a scale never before approach-
ed.

There is a law in Pennsylvania
providing that councils have the
power to compel property owners to
lay pavements and make necessary
repairs. It might be well for our
council to take advantage of this law.
The law is as follows:

Section 1. Be it enacted, & That
all boroughs are hereby authorized
and empowered to direct and require
the grading, paving and repairing of
all sidewalks on the streets of the
borough, and the construction and
repairing of curbs and gutters at the
edge of the sidewalks by the owner
or owners of the lot or lots of ground
fronting thereon, in accordance with
the general borough regulations.

Section 2. On the refusal of the
owner or owners of the lot or lots, as
aforesaid, to comply with such re-
quirements and directions, the offi-
cers of the boroughs may cause the
grading, paving, repairing, curbing,
re-curbng, guttering and reguttering,
as aforesaid, to be done at the cost of
such owner or owners of the lot or
lots, and may collect the cost there-
of and ten per centum additional, to-
gether with all charges and expenses
from each owner or owners, and may
file a municipal lien therefore against
such lot or lots.

Some noteworthy contributions
have been made to the fund for the
relief of the San Francisco sufferers,
but the Pittsburg Press tells of the
greatest of all.

Comment has been widespread up-
on the fact that John D. Rockefeller,
worth anywhere from 500,000,000 to
\$1,000,000,000, sent his check for
\$100,000. Carnegie worth probably
\$400,000,000 also sent \$100,000. Out
in San Francisco ex-Mayer Phelan,
who inherited one of the greatest
fortunes of that modern metropolis,
donated 1,000,000, and deserved trib-
utes have been paid to his generosi-
ty. But the greatest liberality that
we have any knowledge of in con-
nection with the relief work, was
displayed in a humble and unex-
pected quarter. They passed the
hat for the sufferers in the Pittsburg
Newsboys' school the other evening
and the "gamins" so-called chipped
in to the tune of \$50. One hundred
thousand dollars apiece from Car-
negie and Rockefeller? Why it
isn't a circumstance compared with
the offering of these Pittsburg news-
ies. These great king-bee million-
aires didn't feel a penny lighter after
they had exhausted their generosity.
Before the ink on their checks was
dry, 2000,000 had rolled into their
vaults to take the place of the de-
parted \$100,000. But the "gamins"
like the widow whose mite Christ
talked about, took every penny out
of their own pockets, and there are
times when a penny looks bigger to
a gamin than a million-dollar check

does to Gates, the captain of the
Chicago squad of the Wall street
plungers. The mayor of San Fran-
cisco ought to send these Pittsburg
newsies an acknowledgement on
San Francisco's official letter paper.
Theirs is real heartfelt sympathy.

Uncle Sam's postal inspector, A.
R. Lucas of Williamsport, unravel-
ed a unique case at Shamokin last
week. Monday afternoon a fourteen-
year old messenger boy for the Sha-
mokin postoffice started out to deliv-
er two special delivery letters. An
hour later he returned to the office
and told that he had been waylaid
by two foreigners who took the let-
ters. After having spent all Tues-
day evening and Wednesday morn-
ing investigating the alleged robbery
and failing to find a single trace of
the robber, Postal Inspector Lucas
cross examined the youth who claim-
ed to have been held up, and after
some time succeeded in induc-
ing the boy to tell the truth
about the matter. The lad finally
confessed that he had lost the two
letters and fearing to tell the post-
master, he had decided to tell the
robbery story in an endeavor to cov-
er up his carelessness.

Probably the highest prices ever
paid for California cherries were
realized last Monday at a Philadel-
phia commission merchant's estab-
lishments, when a box of the fruit
was sold at auction for \$2,440.
The money was added to the Reli-
ef Fund for the earthquake suffer-
ers. The cherries were the first re-
ceived this season from California,
and a box of them was sold at
auction, each cherry being offered
for sale single. About five hun-
dred commission merchant's and
others attended the sale. The first
cherry sold for \$105 and the others
sold for amounts ranging from \$100
down to 50 cents.

A new punishment has been in-
troduced in the Lancaster police
court for juvenile delinquents. In-
stead of imposing fines on boys
brought before him for bad con-
duct, which in most cases have to
be paid by parents, Mayor McCus-
key, where the cases are not flag-
rant, compels the offender to read
aloud a chapter from the Bible. To
the average bad boy this would be
more of a punishment than a fine
would be, and the chances are that
the reading may turn him from his
evil path.

Eleven thousand immigrants,
many, no doubt, of the lowest
class and wholly undesirable as
citizens, arrived in this country in
the port of New York recently. It
is high time the immigration laws
of this country were made more
stringent, for at the present time we
are getting the scum of Europe and
with it many of the worst criminals
the continent produces. Put up
the bars against this class, for if
they are not good enough for Eu-
rope they are not good enough for
us.

As rural residents are experi-
menting the advantage of having
mail delivered at their doors
through the medium of free delivery
they should help to facilitate the
work of the rural carrier by having
boxes conveniently located so that
the carrier will not be called upon
to dismount to receive or deliver
mail from or to the boxes. If the
people desire to co-operate and help
themselves, it is up to them to see
that the carrier's work is helped
by good roads. They will be the
gainer by them.

The last will and testament of the
late Judge Robert R. Little has been
admitted to probate. It was made
on September 11, 1897. By its terms
all his estate, real and personal, goes
to his wife, Deborah T. Little.

There have been 200 miles of good
roads constructed under the Sprout
road law in this State, 200 miles
more will be made this year and ap-
plications are in to increase the num-
ber of miles to 1500. All but five of
the counties have applied for the
share of road money this year, as
well as for their shares of the main-
tenance fund of \$125,000. The der-
elict counties are Dauphin, Jeffers-
on, Juniata, Lebanon and Schuylkill and
unless they apply before May 1, their
shares will revert to the general
road fund, and will be added to the
sum set apart to be divided up
among the counties next year.

The postoffice department has de-
cided that children going to and
from school shall not be allowed to
get their parent's mail, so do not
blame the postmaster if your child-
ren are refused the mail. The
postoffice habit among children has
become a nuisance both to the pub-
lic and the postmaster, and the de-
partment has done wisely in mak-
ing this decision.

Next years session of the Cen-
tral Pennsylvania, Methodist
Episcopal conference will be held
in Tyrone, the five presiding elders
having decided unanimously to ac-
cept the invitation of the First
church of that place, which entertain-
ed the conference this year.
Tyrone Methodists will break all
records as conference hosts, enter-
taining the body two years in suc-
cession.

It has been discovered in Bran-
don Park at Williamsport, that an
insect resembling the "ladybug",
is devouring the San Jose scale,
displaying a voracious appetite for
that destructive insect. As the la-
dybug is entirely harmless so far as
fruit trees are concerned, it would
be a great scheme if enough of them
could be secured to exterminate the
ravaging San Jose pests, although
it might put the State official bug
hunters out of business

Under the new State Treasurer
Berry, all school appropriations by
the State will be paid on time.
This will be a reform. Heretofore
school boards at different places oc-
casionally have been compelled to
borrow money to pay expenses, al-
though there was plenty of money
in the State depositories.

At Tioga, Tioga county, on
Wednesday, Frederick Hughes, 86
years of age, passed away. He was
a son of Jephtha Hughes, who laid
out Hughesville, and was probably
the first child born in the town.
He was born in a log house stand-
ing on the lot where now the bank
building is located. In his early
days he moved to Mitchell's Run,
near Tioga, and became a very pros-
perous farmer.

Peter Reeder, one of Hughesville's
oldest and most substantial citizens,
died Monday morning, aged about
78 years. He was only in a short
time. Last week an operation was
resorted to. The deceased leaves a
wife and the following children:
Milton, Charles and Frank Reeder,
of Hughesville, Mrs. William Laird,
Mrs. Howard VanBuskirk, of Balti-
more; Robert K. Reeder, of Muncy,
and Henry Reeder.

Auditors' Notice.

In the Orphans' Court of Sullivan Co.
In re: Estate of Benjamin Thrasher decd.
Notice is hereby given that the undersig-
ned has been appointed by the Orphans'
Court of Sullivan County as Auditor to
pass upon exceptions filed to the account
of Hannah Thrasher Executrix of the
last will and testament of Benjamin
Thrasher decd., and to make distribution
of the fund found in the hands of said
accountant after disposing of the excep-
tions. A hearing will be given by the
said Auditor to all persons interested at
the office of Alphonsus Walsh Esq., in
Dushore on Thursday, the 12th day of
April 1906 at 10 o'clock a. m. at which
time all persons shall be required to make
their claims before said Auditor or be de-
barred from coming in upon said fund.
TIOS J. INGHAM, Auditor.

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