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 ALBERT F. HEENS, of Dushore.
 For Sheriff
 HUDSON BROWN, of Shunk.

Writing on "Charities and Com-
 munities," Caroline Bartlett Crane gives
 an account of what has been done by
 the Women's Civic Improvement
 League in Kalamazoo, Mich., a city of
 22,000 population, to prove that it does
 not cost too much to have clean streets,
 says the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"We studied the matter of street
 cleaning as well as we could, and then
 we asked for and received permission
 from the city council to take charge of
 six blocks of the main business street
 for three months. Then we introduced
 the Waring system, the salient fea-
 tures of which are:

- "First.—Sweeping the pavements by
 hand with push brooms and collecting the
 dirt into piles.
- "Second.—Immediately taking up each
 pile of dirt and depositing it, with the
 help of a small hand broom and shovel,
 into a bag suspended upon a two wheeled
 bag carrier, which the sweeper pushes
 about with him.
- "Third.—Tying the bags when filled and
 depositing them in convenient places in
 alleys or along the street, to be removed
 by wagon.
- "Fourth.—The 'orderly' or 'patrol'
 system, by which each man is given a
 definite portion of the street to keep clean
 and is held responsible for this portion.
- "Fifth.—A white uniform (of at least
 white coat and hat or helmet) and a wa-
 ter-proof outfit for rainy days.
- "Sixth.—Flushing the streets at stated
 intervals—once a week—in the absence of
 drenching rains.

"We secured carts, brooms, uniforms
 for the men, and we made three neat
 galvanized iron street cans, aluminum
 painted and inscribed, 'For Waste Pa-
 per, Fruit Skins, etc.' We also succeed-
 ed in getting the council to pass an
 anti-spitting ordinance. We took pho-
 tographs of all the filthy downtown
 alleys and of the hideous refuse dumps
 which disfigured our naturally beauti-
 ful river banks.

"On the appointed day we began all
 along the line at once. The men be-
 gan to sweep the pavement, and after
 they found it the fire department came
 out at 3 o'clock in the morning with
 some secondhand hose and flushed the
 streets under the direction of the chair-
 man of the women's committee. Dif-
 ferent ways of flushing were tried on
 successive mornings until the right
 way was found—flushing without noz-
 zle from the middle of the street each
 way and either bagging the storm
 sewer entrances or stationing men
 with hoses to keep the coarser dirt from
 entering. Of course the best way to
 flush is with a patent street flushing
 machine which works with compressed
 air and which can be charged with
 air as well as water at any street
 hydrant.

"Our very attractive cans were
 placed at intervals on poles along the
 streets, and boys from our Junior
 league distributed thousands of little
 dodgers like this:

"PLEASE!
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 League has undertaken to keep Main
 street clean. We ask YOU to help us.
 Please do not throw anything—paper,
 fruit skins, peanut shells or other litter—
 in the street. Put it in the waste paper
 can at the corner. And, gentlemen, please
 do not spit on the sidewalks or in the
 gratings or anywhere but in the gutter.
 "Now, please don't throw this in the
 street!"

"Our alley pictures were sent to the
 tenants or the owners, sometimes to
 the health officer, with the result that
 the alleys were cleaned up like magic
 and have been kept fairly clean ever
 since.

COURT PROCLAMATION.
 WIREBA, HOS, CHAS. F. TERRY, President
 Judge, Honorable Henry Richlin and E. C. K-
 Klinka, Assoc. Judges of the Courts of Over-
 and General Jail Delivery, Quarter
 sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, Com-
 mon Pleas for the County of Sullivan, have issued
 their precept, bearing date the 27 day of May
 1907, to me directed, for holding the several
 courts in the Borough of Laporte on Monday the
 10 day of Sept 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.
 Therefore notice is hereby given to the Coroner,
 Justices of the Peace and Constables within the
 county, that they be then and there in their
 proper person at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, with their
 rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and
 other remembrances to those things to which
 their offices appertain to be done. And to those
 who are bound by their recognizances to prosecute
 against prisoners who are or shall be in the jail of
 the said county of Sullivan, are hereby notified to
 be then and there to prosecute against them as
 will be just.

BANK W. BUCK, Sheriff.
 Sheriff's Office, Laporte Pa., Aug 12, 1907.

Trial List, September Term 1907.
 Return day, Sep. 16, 1907, at 2 o'clock, p. m.
 1. W. W. Jackson, Admr. d. b. n. e. t.
 a. of George D. Jackson decd. vs John D
 Utz and Rush J. Thomson, executors of
 last will and testament of John Utz decd.
 No. 6, Sept. T. 1905. Assumpsit. Plea,
 non assumpsit.
 Mullen, Walsh. Thomson.

2. Joseph Fisher vs Harriet Steinback
 and Riley Steinback. No. 25, December
 term, 1905. Ejectment. Plea, not guilty.
 Inghams. Mullen.

3. J. W. Bates vs E. G. Trexler, H. C.
 Trexler, and J. H. Turrell; trading as the
 Trexler & Turrell Lumber Co. Trespass.
 No. 46, Sep. T. 1906. Plea, not guilty.
 Scanton, Bradley. Thomson, Mullen.

4. Charles Bishop vs Lewis Catta,
 No. 3, Dec. term 1906.
 Defendants appeal. Plea, Not guilty.
 W. H. Hill. Scouten, Bradley.
 5. A. R. Chilson vs Isaac Little. No. 2,
 May term, 1907. Trespass. Plea,
 not guilty.
 Scouten. Bradley, Heess.
 THOS. E. KENNEDY, Proth.
 Proth. office, Laporte Pa., Aug. 8, 1907.

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PART-
 NERSHIP.**
 Notice is hereby given that the part-
 nership heretofore existing between J. G.
 Cott and Henry Krause, who were en-
 gaged in the butchering business in La-
 porte, Pa., was on May 29, 1907 dissolv-
 ed by mutual agreement. All persons
 having any claim or claims against said
 partnership will please present said claim
 for payment to either of the undersigned,
 and those indebted to said partnership
 will make payment to either
 J. G. COTT,
 Forksville, Pa., R. F. D. No. 2,
 or to HENRY KRAUSE, Laporte.

Notice.
 Estate of Richard Swingle late of Fox
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 administration upon the estate of said
 decedent have been granted to the under-
 signed. All persons indebted to said Es-
 tate are requested to make payment and
 those having claims or demands against
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 lay to
 JOHN SWINGLE, Admr.
 Shunk, Sullivan County, Pa.
 A. J. BRADLEY, Attorney.
 July 29, 1907.

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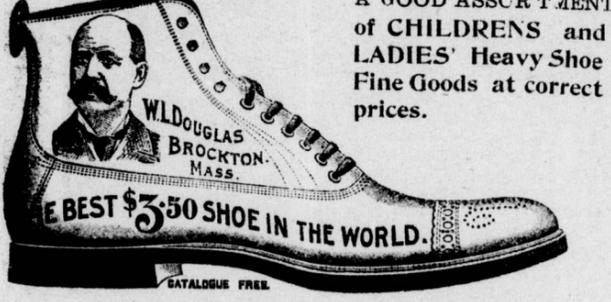
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