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## \$24,000—\$44,000 Which Do You Prefer ?

The average man earns about \$1,100 a year. He works 40 years and earns a total of \$44,000 in a life time. The average day laborer gets \$2,000 a day or \$600 for a year of 300 days. He earns \$24,000 in a life time. The difference between \$44,000 and \$24,000 is \$20,000. This is the minimum value of a practical education in dollars and cents. The increased self-respect cannot be measured in money. Why not stop plugging away at a small salary when the International Correspondence Schools, of Scranton, Pa., can give you an education that will make high-salaried man of you? No matter what line of work you care to follow, this great educational institution can prepare you in your spare time and at a small cost to secure a good-paying position. Our local Representative will show you how you can triple your earning capacity. Look him up today. He is

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### Primary Election Candidates.

The following named candidates for the spring primary election have been duly filed in the Commissioners' office:

Democratic ticket—Thos. F. Kernan, District Attorney; Owen Devanney, Jury Com.; John H. Yonkin, Harry McLaughlin, State Delegate.

Republican ticket—F. W. Meylert, District Attorney; Charles D. Voorhees, Coroner; A. T. Wilcox, Lawrence Lavelle, Jury Com.; J. W. Rogers, State Delegate; Samuel Galough, Alternate. Wm. P. Shoemaker, Chairman County Committee; F. H. Ingham, Secretary of Committee; Charles L. Wing, Treas. of Committee.

Following are names of candidates for Republican committee-men:

John Campbell, Forksville; Harry Gould, Lopez; Harry Miller, Jamison City; Frank R. Barnes, Elkland; Richard W. Bennett, E. V. Ingham, Eagles Mere; F. H. Ingham, Laporte, C. M. Yonkin, Dushore; M. W. Reeser, Colley; J. H. Hauser, Ricketts; George W. Lawrenson, Muncy Valley; D. H. Loral, Sonestown; James Spence Mildred; John Hileman, Jr., Dushore; George Gorman, Nordmont; Wm. Kernan, Ringdale; Oliver H. Bird, Forks; A. F. Heess, Laporte.

Barnum and Bailey Great Show to Exhibit at Williamsport Thursday, June 10.

Never since the beginning of time has an amusement enterprise so tremendous in size been organized as this one. Its magnitude is almost beyond belief. All America, together with every foreign country, has been scoured from end to end by agents of this big show in search of novelties and the result is a performance brim full of sensational acts new to the circus world. In the big Barnum and Bailey show are nearly 400 arena stars, most of whom are seen now for the first time. A new sensation will be seen at every performance in "Jupiter, the balloon horse." This remarkable animal with its fearless rider ascends to the dome of the circus tent in a balloon and descends to the ground in a shower of fireworks. Nearly 1000 animal wonders are to be found in the big 108 cage menagerie. 8 herds of elephants, including one herd that actually plays upon musical instruments in time and tune. A group of giant giraffes, monster trained hippopotamus, only living by-horn-rhinoceros and hundreds of other strange beasts. Barnum and Bailey's big, new, free street parade is the most gorgeous processional display ever attempted in the history of circus business. Its tremendous size and wonderful length can only be believed in the actual seeing. It is natural to expect this big circus to lead all others in quality and quantity of its street spectacle as in other departments of the big show, yet never in its splendid history of nearly a half a century has it displayed such extravagance as is shown this year.

John F. Williams, departed this life May 16, 1909.

Mr. Williams was born in Gillett Pa., in 1841, removing to Fox Township about 1861 where he has lived ever since a good honest upright life. After a short illness the summons came to him to give up this world and all things that fade away.

He is survived by one son and one sister besides other near friends. His wife and daughter preceded him several years ago. Jessie B. Porter Leroy, Pa. officiated at the funeral service. Interment was made in the West Hill Cemetery.

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## EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT

### LAKE MOKOMA COMPANY STARTING ACTIVITIES.

### Two Pavilions and Sixty Bath Houses to Be Erected.

A directors' meeting of the Lake Mokoma Company was held at Laporte Tuesday and Wednesday, attended by the following named officers: President, Chas. J. Pennock; Secretary, Edward S. Phillips; Thomas Rakestraw, J. B. Swayne, C. E. Cox, F. W. Meylert, W. C. Mason.

Considerable time was spent in going over the entire property making close inspection and deciding on improvements and the methods to be employed in executing the work.

It was decided to immediately commence the erection of two new pavilions. One to be located on the picnic grounds to be used for refreshment accommodation, the size of which will be 40x40 and constructed along modern plans, combining both attractiveness and convenience. This stand will be conducted by Mr. F. H. Farrell who has secured the concession to supply the hungry and thirsty throngs who visit these grounds, which gives assurance that this important feature will be properly handled. This pavilion will be open continuously throughout the entire season.

The other pavilion, 36x36, will be erected along the lake beach in which offices will be provided and also a confectionery stand. Sixty bath houses will be erected and three dozen row boats added to the present large equipment.

The grounds from a lake front, along bathing beach, back to the picnic grounds will be graded and set with shrubbery and shade giving trees, affording in time a cool, delightful shade over the entire grounds used exclusively for excursion purposes.

The upper portion of lake will be entirely cleared of logs and stumps which have heretofore prevented the use of the prettiest part of the lake for rowing. Here the thrifty growth of wood-lands meet the water edge with its inviting shade extending far out from shore, yielding assent to give charm and recreation to those seeking such rowing delights.

Provision has been made to supply the picnic grounds with various amusements such as a merry-go-round, shooting gallery, bowling, mechanical swings, etc., and a full line of amusement devices for the children.

Mr. S. D. Townsend, Gen. Mgr. of the W. & N. B. spent Wednesday with the directors talking over the various questions of transportation and co-operative plans essential to rapid and permanent development. The sand house and coal house along the railroad track adjacent to the excursion grounds will be removed and along this portion of the track between the rails plank will be laid and on either side filled with trap rock, giving this part of the grounds an attractive appearance to harmonize with the whole. Mr. W. R. Mason represents the W. & N. B. this season as summer excursion agent.

Control of the Mountain House, the Lake View Cottage have been secured by the Company, and in connection with the Mokoma Cottage will be opened under one management for the entertainment of summer guests. The end of the approaching season is sure to reveal marked advancement and prove beyond any doubt the opening of a new era for Laporte.

### COURT NOTES.

W. W. Jackson, et. al., Trustees, et. al., vs. Rush J. Thomson, No. 45 September term, 1909 Motion granted and Plaintiff's are given leave to file amended statement.

In Re: Estate of John Connor, deceased. The appointment of J. G. Scouton, Esq., as Auditor to pass upon exceptions is continued to next term.

In Re: Estate of Ellis swank, Deceased. Upon petition of Emma Shoemaker, Admrx. the Court orders that the Real Estate of decedent be sold. Bond to be filed in the sum of \$500.

In Re: Estate of Francis W. Gallagher, Deceased. Upon the Petition of Thresa Gallagher, Admrx., the Court decrees that she sell the Real Estate at Orphans Court sale, and that she give Bond in the sum of \$10,000.

John W. McMahon (use) vs. Mary Harney et. al., No. 3 May Term, 1903. Upon Petition of Sheriff, the Court directs that the Sheriff be permitted to withdraw his return and make return under the Lien Creditors Act.

John W. McMahon (use) vs. Joseph P. Harney, et. al., No. 92 May Term, 1904. Same order.

Clara A. Pond vs. Daniel A. Pond, No. 1 September Term, 1909. Subpoena in divorce awarded.

In Re: Guardian of Mary Mohr a child of Charles Mohr, Decd. The Court appoints Catherine Chilson as Guardian, and directs that she give Bond in the sum of \$100.

In Re: Guardian of Lewis Mohr, a minor Child of Charles Mohr, Deceased The Court appoints Catharine Chilson as Guardian, and directs that she give Bond in the sum of \$100

In Re: Estate of David Mark, Deceased. Upon the petition of Mary E. Mark and David Temple, Administrators expose the Real Estate of decedent in Davidson Township to public sale.

Upon Petition the Board of Supervisors of Cherry Township are authorized to levy and collect an Additional Road Tax of ten mills on the dollar of the adjusted valuation, for the year 1909.

Upon petition of the Board of Supervisors of Fox Township are authorized to Levy and collect an Additional Road Tax of ten mills on the dollar of the last adjusted valuation, for the year 1909.

In Re: Satisfaction of Mortgage given by Alfred Cole and Hester Cole to Maria J. Heafley, Executrix, No. 5 September Term, 1909. The Court directs the Sheriff to give notice according to law to the Legal representatives of Mortgagee.

In Re: Partion of Estate of James Kane, Deceased, No. 1 September Term, 1909, in Partition.

Inquest in partition awarded as prayed for.

In Re: Rule to Satisfy Mortgage of Muncy Creek Improvement Co., to Huling, Sankey and Huling. It is ordered and decreed that the lands subject to the Lien of Said Mortgage shall be released and discharged therefrom, and that a copy of the Petition and Decree be entered of Record in the Recorder's Office of Sullivan County.

In Re: Rule to Satisfy Mortgage of L. G. and Ida Huling to H. H. Cummin (use), No. 79 May Term, 1909.

The Court grants a rule on Edward D. Wood, Acting executor, to commence proper legal proceedings to enforce payment of the claim within 30 days from entry of rule.

Commonwealth vs. Joseph Boeniskey, No. 11 May Sessions, 1909.

Defendant pleads "Guilty" to Malicious mischief, and is sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of \$10.00 and to undergo a term of 30 days imprisonment in the County Jail.

Commonwealth vs. Peter Stiney, No. 9 May Sessions, 1909. The defendant having pleaded "Guilty" is sentenced to imprisonment in the Pennsylvania Industrial Reformatory at Huntingdon, Pa.

Commonwealth vs. John Runiskey, No. 10 May Sessions, 1909. Charge,—Threats to kill etc. Nolle Prosequi entered by leave of Court.

Commonwealth vs. Wilson Hoffa, No. 7 February Sessions 1909. Charge,—Assault and Battery. Nolle Prosequi entered by leave of Court. Cost to be paid by defendant.

Commonwealth vs. Jacob Case-man, No. 8 February Sessions, 1909. Charge,—Violation of Liquor Laws. Nolle Prosequi entered by leave of Court upon payment of defendant.

Commonwealth vs. Adam Grigo, No. 12 may Sessions, 1909. Grand Jury find "True Bill". Defendant tried for "Assault and Battery" and found "Not Guilty;" Costs to be equally divided between Defendant and Prosecutor, Alec Sanusky.

Commonwealth vs. William J. Steinback, No. 8 May Sessions 1909. Charge,—Larceny from the Person. Grand Jury find "Not a true Bill."

In Discharge of Charles Baumunk as Guardian of Samuel S. Norton. Charles Baumunk is discharged as Guardian and sureties released.

In Re: petition of the Supervisors of Forks Township for a County Bridge over Little Loyal Sock Creek near Shrimps. No. 4 December Session 1908. After hearing testimony, the Grand Jury Report that the Bridge is not too expensive to be borne by Forks Township and do not recommend that same be built and maintained by the County of Sullivan.

John W. McMahon (use) vs. Mary et. al. May 17, 1909. Sheriff's Return read in open Court May 19, 1909, Confirmed absolute]

In Re: Return of sale of Real Estate of L. M. Barth, Deceased. Return of sale Confirmed Absolutely by the Court.

In the Matter of Naturalization, of Aliens. The time for hearing and final action on Petitions for Naturalization, is changed to the second days of May and September Terms at 1 o'clock P. M.

John S. Hoffa vs. C. W. Wilhelm, No. 9 December Term, Term, 1905. In the Court Judgment is directed for the Plaintiff. Amount to be ascertained by the Prothonotary.

Sullivan County vs. Charles Griffith Estate. No. 66 February Term 1909. In open Court Judgment is directed to be entered against the defendant for want of a plea. Amount to be ascertained by the Prothonotary.

William L. Woobruff vs. Walter B. Gunton, No. 68 May Term, 1903. Assumpst. Case tried. May 18, 1909, Jury render a Verdict against the Defendant and in favor of the Plaintiff for the sum of \$7,102.85

George H. Brackman vs. Lewis Wilber, No. 61 May Term, 1908. Trespass. Case tried. May 20, 1909. Jury render a verdict for Plaintiff for the sum of \$339.00.

George H. Brackman vs. Ellen R. Brown and C. B. Brown, No. 62 May Term, 1908. Trespass. Jury called and sworn. By agreement of the parties and direction of the Court, the Jury render a Verdict in favor of the Plaintiff for the sum of \$200

George W. Hoover vs. W. J. McCartney, No. 6 December Term, 1908. Replevin. May 23, 1909, the Jury render a Verdict in favor of the Defendant for the sum of \$130, 49.

Anna M. Bedford and vs. Samuel Bedford, No. December Term, 1909. In Divorce. Frank Lusch Esq., is appointed Commissioner to take Testimony.

In Re: Road from William Sherwood's to Watson Speary's in Davidson Township. No. 5 Sept. Sessions, 1908.

By Agreement, exceptions sustained and report set aside. Victoria E. Avery vs. Matilda B. Finnegan, No. 17 Sept. Term, 1907. Sheriff's interpleader. By Agreement, Rule discharged and Sheriff permitted to proceed with his Levy.

The following accounts were Confirmed Ni. Si: First and Partial Account of Otto Behr, Executor of the estate of Ernestina Seeman, deceased.

First final Account of Grant U. Porter, Administrator of the Estate of Sophrona Porter, Deceased. Also the following Widow's Appraisements were approved.