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OF DUSHORE, PENNA.
CAPITAL \$50,000
SURPLUS \$50,000

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First National Bank
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Pool Room, Confectionery, Tobacco and Cigars.
Opposite Hotel Bernard
LAPORTE, PA.

LaPorte Water Company Formed.
Elsewhere in this week's News
Item will be found notice of an application for a charter for the LaPorte Water Company.

This has been a long felt want in the town and with the summer cottage building now going on here is a necessity. The Water Company will acquire "Cold Spring" and the upper waters of "Doe Run" as a water supply.

The company has been organized with the following officers: President, C. J. Pennock; Vice President, W. C. Mason; Secretary, Albert F. Heess; Treasurer, Edward Ladley; Solicitor, F. W. Meylert; Engineer, W. C. Mason.

It is proposed to begin work as soon as the charter is obtained and it is expected that a water main will be laid down Muncy Street as far as Main Street yet this fall.

All of the property has been secured for stock and the money raised from the sale of bonds will be used exclusively in putting in the plant. For a short time every subscriber for a \$25 ten year 5 percent bond will be presented with a like amount of stock.

Package of Money Disappears.
A package containing \$2400, sent to Saybrook, Conn., by express to be used in paying off laborers employed on construction work at the approaches to the new bridge over the Connecticut river, has disappeared.

THE YOUNG MAN FROM WYOMING AT EAGLES MERE.

A SULLIVAN COUNTY NOVELETTE.
BY THOMAS J. INGHAM.

"He shoved the canoe into the water and said, 'Get in quick;' then he paddled it to the opposite shore. We landed in the woods, and father took me on his back, and we went through bushes and over rocks up to the top of a high mountain. There we struck a road, and found people that father and mother knew, and they seemed as badly off as we were. We waited until quite a company got together and then started on.

"I remember there was a two-wheeled cart loaded with ears of corn and potatoes which had been just taken out of the field. The man who was driving the oxen said there would be enough in that cart to keep the crowd from starving until we could get to the Delaware River. I do not remember having anything to eat for several days except parched corn and roasted potatoes. We slept in the woods; such awful woods! I remember a great swamp they called the Shades of Death. I walked a little, but most of the way father carried me.

"At last we found some friends in a log house in sight of a large river which they called the Delaware. We must have stayed there all winter; for I remember seeing the ice come on the river, and afterwards seeing it break up. Father did not stay long, and when I asked mother where he was, she said he had gone back to fight the Pennamites. "We must have stayed there all summer, for I remember there was a big cornfield with tassels on the corn, which I played with before we left. It was very warm weather when father came for us. He had a two-wheeled cart with one horse to pull it. In that they put some bed clothes, some provisions, some utensils to cook with, and I don't know what else. There was a place fixed for my sister and me to ride, but father and mother had to walk. I don't know whether we went back the same road we came or not, but I remember the dreadful woods we had to sleep in every night.

"After traveling in this slow, toilsome way for several days, we came to the top of a high mountain. It was a clear day, and we looked down into a great valley, with a beautiful river flowing through it. Near the middle of the valley, by the side of the river, was a little village.

"Father, lifting me up in his arms, said, 'Ellicott, do you know that place?' "I answered, 'Way down there is where they burned our house up.'

"'You're right, my boy,' said he, well pleased, 'and the name of it is Wyoming Valley.'

"'Where's the men that burnt our house?' I asked, frightened at the thought of meeting them again.

"'They're taken care of,' he replied, 'some of them have been killed and others captured.' Then he pointed to the village and added, 'There you see Wilkes-Barre, and just at the edge of the village close to the river you see two forts; that is where we did most of the fighting. When they came to our fort we made it too hot for them, and they had to retreat; we followed them up; they ran back into their own fort, but it was no use; we assaulted the fort and took them prisoners—all except Captain Ogden. He sneaked out and ran away.'

"'What did you do with them you got?' I asked. "We didn't hurt them much," he answered; 'we only took their arms from them and sent them over the mountain. Captain Stewart made every man promise on his word of honor not to come into the valley again.'

"'I'm sorry Captain Ogden was not killed,' said mother. 'I'm afraid he'll come again.'

"'I guess not,' replied father; 'he must be pretty sick of fighting the Yankees. We can go on our farm in safety now.'

"'The house is gone and we have no place to live,' said mother. "We can soon put up a log hut," he answered, 'and we shall have time to make ourselves comfortable before the winter sets in. Next spring we can plant corn and potatoes and make a good garden, so we shall soon raise our own living.'

"'If the Pennamites let us alone,' said mother, 'we shall do well enough.'

"We then went down the mountain and stopped at the fort where several families seemed to be encamping, and there was a great shaking of hands, and all talking of the victory over the Pennamites. We camped there with the rest.

CHAPTER SIX.
"The next thing I clearly recall is going into a new log house, and seeing them carry things in. There was only one room with a large fireplace at the end, and one little window by the side of the door. There was a ladder by the side of the chimney to the garret. The furniture consisted of a rough table, a few stools and two beds.

"Mother was very cheerful, and said she was glad to get home again. She remarked that the house was very well 'chinked and daubed' and would be warm for winter.

"I remember big fires in the fireplace when winter came, and the bright light made by the pine-knots, which was the only light they had to read or work by in the long winter evenings.

"When spring came, mother brought some roots from the river bank and planted them near the house, and they grew beautifully, so that in the summer they fairly hid the rough logs with their delicate green leaves and feathery blossoms. The farm work went on well, so that when winter came again I heard father say he had paid some of his debts and we should have plenty to live on.

"Several years passed and every year father improved the farm, and mother made it more homelike, and it seemed to me a very pleasant home indeed. During these years I learned to read. When I was six or seven years old father came from Wilkes-Barre one day, and as soon as he came in he said, 'Mother, it's settled; I'm going.'

"Tears sprang into her eyes and she said in tremulous tones, 'Oh, must you go?' "Yes,' he answered, 'I have enlisted. They say I am one of the best soldiers in the valley, and must lead a company. I can send my pay home to help you along, and you are a brave woman and can take care of the children.'

"Mother said no more, but I saw more than one tear trickle down her face and fall from her cheek.

"I said, 'Father, where are you going?' "He answered, 'I'm going to the war.'

"'What war?' I asked; 'is Ogden coming again?' "The war is with the British,' he answered, 'and we are fighting for our independence.'

"Will you go out of the valley?' I asked. "Oh, yes,' he replied, 'we are going a long distance to General Washington's army.'

"Not many days after that, mother, sister 'Cretia' (we called her 'Cretia, but her name was Lucretia) and I went with father over to Wilkes-Barre to see the soldiers start (Continued on page 3.)

Jury List.

Table with columns: Name, Occupation, Residence. Lists names like Albert E. Bennett, Arch Brown, John Clymer, etc.

TRAVELERS AND PETIT JURORS

Table with columns: Name, Occupation, Residence. Lists names like Frank Allen, Harvey Bond, F. A. Boyle, etc.

Trial List September Term, 1910.

Return Day, September 19, 1910.
Emma C. Hood vs. Connell Anthracite Mining Company, No. 50 February Term, 1909.
Trespass.
Plea—"Not Guilty."

Anna Kille vs John Decker, No. 23, December Term, 1909.
Ejectment.
Plea—"Not Guilty."

J. G. Cott vs. Lee Rosencrans and John Rosencrans, Defendants, and the Nordmont Chemical Company and the Luzerne Chemical Company, Garnishees, No. 56, December Term, 1909.
Attachment Execution.
Plea—"Nulla Bona."

Elmer E. Rinebold vs. Township of Cherry, No. 56 February Term, 1910.
Trespass.
Plea—"Not Guilty."

Patrick Connor vs. Margaret Connor, Administratrix of John Connor, Deceased, No. 38, May Term, 1910.
Assumpsit.
Thayer, Walsh.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.
Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, September 19, 1910, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "MOKOMA SPRING WATER COMPANY," the character and object of which is to supply water to the inhabitants of the Borough of LaPorte and the Township of LaPorte, County of Sullivan, State of Pennsylvania and for the purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

The proposed Charter is now on file in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, at Harrisburg, Pa.
F. W. MEYLERT, Solicitor

Camp Day Exercises.

The annual Camp Day entertainment of Camp Mokoma was held in the High School building on Wednesday evening and, as an entertainment for social and financial worth was an entire success. The remarkable talent manifested by these young men is highly commendable as is also the manner in which it has been developed by the masters of Camp.

Following an introduction by Heinz Walthers, an address of welcome was made by Head Master L. L. Ford, which was full of spicy and interesting remarks concerning Camp life. The Camp history, poem and prophesy, humorously written, were then read by members of Camp after which the presentation of humorously applicable presents to each member was made by Charles Kamsler.

The rendering of a laughable farce, "Box and Cox" by Heinz Walther, Alexis Rosenberg and Charles Kamsler, ended the entertainment. Songs and Camp cheers were freely mingled with the program. Nearly \$25 was taken in the silver collection for the V. I. S. and the school library fund.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by John Hughes Blackman, May Allen Blackman, John C. Hughes, Ellen T. Hughes and Frank E. Carter, to the Governor of Pennsylvania, on the 14th day of September, 1910, at 11:00 o'clock a. m., under the provisions of an act of Assembly, entitled "an act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th day of April, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter for an intended corporation to be called Stony Brook Lumber Company, the character and object of which is for the purpose of the manufacture of any article of commerce from wood and the buying and selling of such articles, and for such purpose of acquiring, possessing and enjoying all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities conferred by the general corporation act of April 29, A. D. 1874, and the supplements thereto, upon corporations of the class mentioned in the seventeenth clause of the second section of said act, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges by said act of Assembly and the supplements thereto conferred.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, HON. CHAS. E. TERRY, President Judge, Honorables Henry Richmond and R. C. R. Kiska, Assoc. Judges of the courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans Court and Common Pleas for the County of Sullivan, have issued their precept, bearing date the 9th day of July 1910, to me directed, for holding the several courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 19th day of September, 1910, 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 recognizance 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.

3 CENTS A LINE ADS.

WANTED—More ads for this column. Quick results.

FOR RENT—Brewster corner house; yearly lease to desirable tenant. Address, 1237 Tea St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

WANTED—A house-keeper in a Polish family. Polish woman or other good house-keeper. Inquire of Jacob Orlich, Hillsgrove, Pa.

AUTOMOBILES TO HIRE—by the day or week at reasonable rates. Bell phone No. 33-2 and 32-4. Murray Bros. Garage, A. W. Murray, Mgr., Murray, Pa. 10tu26

FOR SALE—Two improved and three unimproved lots 52 x 260 ft; in part or as whole; opposite Park Laporte, Pa. Address Alice Brewster Cassidy, 1237 Tea St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

FOR SALE MAUD—Trusty family mare for riding or driving anywhere. 9 yrs; 14 hands high; light dapple gray. MAX—Kind saddle horse; 4 years; 14 hands; dark dappled gray.

DICK—One of the Tony-Pony Line's best for riding or driving; 43 inches, 3 yrs; white and bay. Prices Attractive; Photographs. L. L. Ford, LaPorte, Pa.

M. BRINK'S

PRICES For This Week.

Table with columns: Item, Price. Lists items like Oil Meal, Gluten, Corn Meal, etc.

The Best place to buy goods

Is often asked by the prudent housewife. Money saving advantages are always being searched for. Lose no time in making a thorough examination of the New Line of Merchandise Now on

EXHIBITION

STEP IN AND ASK ABOUT THEM.

All answered at Vernon Hull's Large Store. HILLSGROVE, PA.

CHOICE GROCERIES.

Groceries, to be choice must be fresh. In order to sell fresh groceries we must keep them continually moving, buying and selling. That's just what we are doing. Therefore our groceries are fresh and choice in the true sense of the word. If you are not getting the best in the grocery line tell us and we will tell you the reason and how to overcome it.

Buschhausen's, LAPORTE, PA.

Chippewa Lime Kilns.

Lime furnished in car load lots, delivered at Right Prices. Your orders solicited. Kilns near Hughesville Penn'a.

M. E. Reeder, MUNCY, PA.

WANTED At once. Men to represent us, either locally or traveling. Now is the time to start. Money in the work for the right men. Apply at once and secure territory. ALLEN NURSERY CO., Rochester, N. Y.

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