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OBITUARY.

Ellen B. Barrows.
Mrs. Ellen B. Barrows died at her home in New York City, on Tuesday, Nov. 15, after a very short illness. Pneumonia was the cause of death. She was about 85 years of age. She was well known in Laporte, having spent a number of summers here with her daughter Mrs. Ellery P. Ingham.

Mrs. Barrows resided for many years in the city of Philadelphia where her husband was in business up to the time of his death. It is a matter of history that during the war of the Rebellion there was maintained in Philadelphia, chiefly by the ladies of that city, what was called a "Soldiers' Refreshment Saloon", but which combined in reality, a hospital with a saloon. Soldiers passing through that city, going or coming, were entertained and if sick received hospital care and medical treatment entirely free of charges or expense. Mr. Barrows contributed largely to this enterprise, and Mrs. Barrows gave her whole time to it for nearly four years without any compensation whatever. In connection with her other duties she acted as Secretary of the Association, and retained the records, with many mementos of the war, up to the time of her death.

Mrs. Barrows had many friends in New York and Philadelphia and also in Massachusetts, where the homestead of the Barrows family has been kept up for several generations. Her friends in Laporte mourn sincerely and feel that in her death they have suffered a great loss.

The funeral services were held in Philadelphia and her remains were interred in Laurel Hill Cemetery by the side of the remains of her husband.

William B. Chamberlain.

William Braille Chamberlain, died at his home in this place on Friday morning, Nov. 18, at 4:25 o'clock, of Brights Disease, at the age of 45 years, 2 months and 5 days.

Mr. Chamberlain was born in Pennsylvania in 1865. He was a son of Uriah and Hannah Chamberlain. He had been ill for a long time with the disease which caused his death but was not in a critical condition until about three months ago, from which time he has gradually weakened until death came to release him from the pangs of his sufferings.

He is survived by a wife and five young children. Funeral services were held Sunday morning, Rev. D. L. Dixon of the M. E. church officiating. Interment was made in Mt. Ash Cemetery.

Mrs. George Taylor.

Mrs. George Taylor died at her home in Muncy Valley on Thursday, Nov. 17, at the age of 68 years and 2 months. Mrs. Taylor was born in Germany and came to this country with her parents in 1850. The family spent three years in New York and then settled in Sullivan county. Funeral services were held Saturday and interment was made at Muncy Valley.

John Brislin.

John Brislin, a highly respected citizen of Cherry Township, died Sunday morning at his home after a brief illness of heart trouble. He was 62 years of age. Deceased is survived by a wife and six children all at his home. He also has one brother, Hugh Brislin, of Cherry Township. The funeral was held at St. Basil's Church at Dushore on Wednesday at 9 o'clock.

Samuel Kostenbader.

Samuel Kostenbader, died at the home of his father-in-law, Wm. Ritter, on Tuesday at the age of 79 years. Dropsy was the cause of death. The remains were taken to his old home in New Columbia for interment.

Payment of Bounties.

Much speculation is rife and frequent inquiries are made by sportsmen and others as to why bounties are not paid by the County Commissioners for the killing of wild-cats, foxes and minks. This has been many times answered, but still the question is asked and with good reason, and I now submit the following explanation for the benefit of those who may be interested:

The Act of July 9, 1897, giving bounties for the destruction of wild-cats, foxes and minks, has been declared unconstitutional and void because of a defect in the title of the bill. The Act of April 11, 1910, was passed for the purpose of curing the defects in the former act but the Superior Court in the case of Bennett vs. Sullivan, 29 Superior Court 120, held that the correction was worse than the error, and of course the Act of 1897 was without force or effect, or as though it had been written upon water.

This left the slayer of these obnoxious animals without any compensation for his brave efforts to benefit the community at large until the legislature of 1907, came to the rescue by passing an almost similar act, but on a reasonably constitutional basis, providing for the payment of these bounties by the State, and made an appropriation of \$40,000.00 for that purpose.

After the passage of the latter act everything went well. The bounties were paid and there was no complaint. But trouble again arose. The legislature of 1909 must have had it in mind that the \$40,000.00 appropriated in 1907 was sufficient to have exterminated all the wild-cats, foxes and minks in the State and far beyond its borders, because it made no additional appropriation to enable the good work to be continued. Following the adjournment of the session of the legislature of that year the Commissioners of Sullivan County received a letter from the Auditor General, in relation to the payment of bounties, which is as follows:

To the County Commissioners, Laporte, Pa.,

Gentlemen: This is to advise you that the Legislature failed to make any appropriation for the payment of bounties on noxious animals for the two years beginning June, 1, 1908. It did make an appropriation of \$40,000.00 to pay the deficiency that already existed. Of this over \$27,000.00 is already due to the various Counties for the balance of the bills that were due up to August 14, 1908, at which time we distributed the balance of the former appropriation then in the treasury. From data on hand, we are convinced that the remaining \$13,000.00, will not be sufficient to reimburse the Counties for those bills which have already been paid but not presented to this department. We have, therefore, to request that you pay no more of these scalp bounties.

Yours truly,
T. A. Critchen,
Deputy Auditor General.

This, then, is the situation. This is why bounties are not paid. Is not this a good reason? We hope it will be understood. It is not an appreciable condition of affairs for the holders of many claims now on file in the office, and we are sensible of it, but we did not make the law. Trusting this explanation will cause you to be satisfied, if not contented, we are,

Yours very respectfully,
County Commissioners.
Laporte, Pa., Nov. 17, 1910.

Tener's Plurality

Official votes from the sixty-seven counties of Pennsylvania show that Governor-elect John K. Tener the Republican candidate, had a plurality of 33,484 over the Keystone candidate, William H. Berry. John M. Reynolds had a plurality of 122,016 over the Keystone candidate, D. Clarence Gibboney, and Henry Houck beat out his nearest rival, John J. Casey by 175,890 plurality.

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Register's Notices.

Notice is hereby given that the following Accounts of Executors, Administrators, etc. have been filed in my office:

First and Final Account of Cynthia McCarty, Executrix of the last will and testament of Samuel Battin, late of Fox Township, Deceased.

In the Estate of Michael J. McDonald, late of Cherry Township, Deceased. Inventory and Appraisal of Personal Property set apart to widow.

And the same will be presented to the Orphans Court of Sullivan County, to be held at Laporte, Pennsylvania, on the twelfth day of December A. D. 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m., for confirmation and allowance, and they shall then be confirmed N. Si.; and unless Exceptions are filed within ten days thereafter, confirmation absolute will be entered thereon.

ALBERT F. HEESS, Register of Wills.
Register's Office, Laporte, Pa.
November 12, 1910.

Jury List.

The following names were drawn from the proper Jury-wheel to serve as GRAND JURORS for December Term, 1910, by the Sheriff and Jury Commissioners of Sullivan County.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Bird Frank	Farmer	Forks
Boston Eli	Farmer	Davidson
Burkholder Sylvester	Laborer	Eagles Mere
Collins John	Miner	Lopez
Cole Asher	Farmer	Colley
Casselbury Frank	Farmer	Hillsgrove
Dunlap Benj.	Farmer	Hillsgrove
Edgar Andrew	Black-smith	Davidson
Fetherby G. C.	Farmer	Elkland
Harrington Maurice	Clerk	Dushore
Hess Harvey A.	Laborer	Laporte Twp
Jordan Henry	Laborer	Forks
Laird William	Farmer	Davidson
Messersmith P. L.	Farmer	Colley
Murray William	Farmer	Cherry
Pealer Daniel	Shoemaker	Lopez
Rightmire Allen	Farmer	Fox
Sizer Chas. A.	Merchant	Davidson
Singer Theodore	Engineer	Ricketts
Wiesbrod Edward	Farmer	Cherry
Weaver Nathan	Farmer	Cherry
Williams O. J.	Farmer	Fox
Weisbrod Coleman	Farmer	Cherry
Wilson William	Miner	Bernice

TRAVERSE AND PETIT JURORS

Name	Occupation	Residence
Andrews Charles	Laborer	Eagles Mere
Broschart George	Laborer	Dushore
Brislin John Sr	Farmer	Cherry
Bennett Monroe	Farmer	Davidson
Bahl Charles	Laborer	Dushore
Bry John	Farmer	Hillsgrove
Burk Dennis	Miner	Bernice
Cott Ira	Butcher	Dushore
Felton M. L.	Laborer	Lopez
Franks William	Miner	Lopez
Flynn Michael	Foreman	Laporte Twp
Gilligan Mike	Laborer	Lopez
Gould Harry	Laborer	Lopez
Gore Jessie	Teamster	Bernice
Harrison James	Farmer	Forks
Hazen Charles	Laborer	Davidson
Heaton Fred	Laborer	Laporte Twp
Hannon Patrick	Laborer	Bernice
Johnson Harrison	Laborer	Lopez
Jordan Mike	Farmer	Ringdale
Johnson G. A.	Merchant	Lopez
Kinsley Jacob	Farmer	Cherry
Lusch Frank	Coal Dealer	Dushore
Lamberson G. W. R.	Carpenter	Dushore
McNellan Eugene	Laborer	Laporte Twp
McCarthy Charles	Laborer	Eagles Mere
McHenry R. J.	Doctor	Dushore
Morris Archy	Farmer	Laporte Twp
McLaughlin H. P.	Clerk	Bernice
Moyer Lincoln	Laborer	Eagles Mere
McIntire Joseph	Laborer	Jamison City
Painter Charles	Laborer	Lopez
Prichard Wm. C.	Farmer	Colley
Phillips Harvey	Farmer	Davidson
Rine George	Farmer	Mt. Vernon
Rouse Mike	Farmer	Laporte Boro
Rouse Thomas	Farmer	Ringdale
Rogers G. A.	Merchant	Forks
Stahl Henry	Farmer	Cherry
Simmons Robert	Laborer	Davidson
Swaen Flo	Farmer	Fox
Shea James	Brakeman	Ricketts
Swank Peter G.	Laborer	Davidson
Starr J. C.	Laborer	Davidson
Lnyder J. Lyman	Merchant	Elkland
Sick Arthur	Farmer	Cherry
Williams Morris	Farmer	Fox
Yonkin Otis	Farmer	Cherry

Victor Lauer, who has spent the past few months with his aunt Mrs. John Smyth, leaves this week for his home in Joliet, Ill.

NOTICE OF TRANSFER.

Notice is hereby given that a Petition for the Transfer of a Retail Hotel License heretofore granted to Dennis Palmatier, in the Village of Muncy Valley, Davidson Township, Sullivan County, State of Pennsylvania, situate on the South side of the public road, on premises known as the "Mansion House," to ELLERY T. PHILLIPS, has this day been filed in my office, and the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Sullivan County, on Saturday, December 3, at nine o'clock a. m.

Clerk's Office, LaPorte, Pa.,
November 23, 1910.
ALBERT F. HEESS, Clerk.

Trial List, December Term, 1910.

Return Day, December 12, 1910.
—1—
Anna Kille vs. John Decker, No. 25 December Term, 1909; Ejectment. Plea—"Not Guilty." Thayer. Scouten.

—2—
Thomas D. Rouse vs. The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, No. 46 December Term, 1909. Trespass. Plea—"Not Guilty." Thomson. Scouten.

—3—
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." Mullen. Meylert.

—4—
William Landback vs. W. J. McCartney. No. 2 May Term, 1910. Defendant's Appeal. Plea—"Non-Assumpsit" and "Set-Off." Scouten. Mullen. Walsh.

—5—
William Landback, Jr., by his next friend, William Landback, vs. W. J. McCartney. No. 3 May Term, 1910. Defendant's Appeal. Plea—"Non-Assumpsit" and "Set-Off." Scouten. Mullen. Walsh.

—6—
Patrick Connor vs. Margaret Connor, Administratrix of John Connor, Deceased. No. 38 May Term, 1910. Assumpsit. Thayer. Walsh.

—7—
George B. Sellers vs. M. J. Devaney. No. 73 May Term, 1910. Defendant's Appeal. Plea—"Non-Assumpsit." Meylert. Scouten.

Prothonotary's Office,
Laporte, Penna.,
October 31, 1910.
ALBERT F. HEESS,
Prothonotary

Divorce Notice.

Hannah Hurst, vs. Thomas Hurst. No. 1 May Term, 1910.

To Thomas Hurst, respondent:
Whereas, your wife has filed a libel in divorce to No. 1 May Term, 1910, praying a divorce against you, now you are hereby notified and required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, on or before Monday, December 12th, A. D. 1910, to answer the complaint of said libellant. In default of such appearance you are liable to have a divorce granted against you.

JUDSON BROWN, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Laporte, Pa.,
November, 2, 1910.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, HON. CHAS. E. TERRY President Judge, Honorables Henry Richlin and R. C. R. Kalka, Assoc. Judges of the Court 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 31st day of Oct. 1910, to me directed, for holding the several courts in the Borough of Laporte, on Monday the 12 day of December, 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 recognition 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.

JUDSON BROWN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, LaPorte, Pa., Nov. 3, 1910.

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Oyster Shells	10.00	.60
Beef Scrap		3.00
Oats	per bu.	.45
Charcoal	50 lb sack	.60
Oyster Shells		.35
140 lb bag Salt coarse or fine		.55
56 lb bag Salt		.30
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