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## FOR COUNTY TREASURER JOSEPH A. HELSMAN.

On next Tuesday the voters of Sullivan County will be called upon to elect a Treasurer for Sullivan county. For this important office Joseph A. Helsman of Bernice is a candidate. Mr. Helsman is so well known throughout the county by reason of his residence of over forty years here, that he needs no introduction to the voters. Probably half of them know him personally and to become acquainted with is to regard him in high esteem ever afterwards.

"Joe" has never been a candidate for a county office before, but he has made a thorough, though quiet canvass. It has always been a gentlemanly canvass. He has indulged in no abuse of other candidates nor permitted others to do it in his behalf. He has been fair and courteous to the other candidates. This is characteristic of the man.

All indications point to Mr. Helsman's election by a large majority. His large acquaintance, popularity and fitness for the office are his great elements of strength. The people generally recognize in him a man very desirable for the position and they will rally to his support next Tuesday, regardless of political affiliations. If the funds of Sullivan county are handled by Mr. Helsman during the next four years, they will be in safe hands. **VOTE FOR HELSMAN.**

IRVIN HOTTENSTEIN X

**Jury List For December Court.**  
List of persons with their occupation and Place of residence drawn as Traverse and Petit Jurors for December Term, at Sessions, beginning Monday, December 11, 1911.

TRAVERSE AND PETIT JURORS.		
NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Allen William	Farmer	Colley
Bahr William D.	Farmer	Cherry
Bartholomew Harrison	Laborer	Ricketts
Ray William	Farmer	Davidson
Bennett Monroe	Farmer	Davidson
Benjamin John D.	Dentist	Dushore
Ann Boyd	Laborer	Davidson
Cook William	Miner	Bernice
Covey Steve	Teamster	Dushore
Dempsy Edward	Blacksmith	Lopez
Donovan Michael	Miner	Bernice
Eberlin Willard	Laborer	Ricketts
Fritchey Reed G.	Lumberman	Lopez
Cott Robert	Miner	Lopez
Galtney Thomas H.	Miner	Lopez
Hess John W.	Farmer	Elkland
Hazen Charles	Laborer	Davidson
Hay Archibald	Miner	Bernice
Hugo Albert G.	Farmer	Elkland
Herst Frank	Miner	Bernice
Karl Thomas Jr.	Miner	Lopez
Kaminsky Frank Jr.	Miner	Bernice
Kinsley John	Laborer	Lopez
Kashner Hurley	Laborer	Jamison City
Lavelle Thomas	Farmer	Cherry
Lambert Leo	Laborer	Forks
Lockwood H. D.	Foreman	Davidson
Lynch M. L.	Laborer	Lopez
Laurenson Geo. W.	Farmer	Mt. Vernon
McDonald William	Laborer	Davidson
McCarthy Frank H.	Farmer	Elkland
Porter Orwell	Farmer	Fox
Palbin Michael	Farmer	Forks
Green William E.	Farmer	Fox
Pardee Carl H.	Farmer	Elkland
Painton Monroe	Farmer	Davidson
Quinn Peter	Miner	Bernice
Robbins William	Farmer	Davidson
Rogers Dean H.	Farmer	Elkland
Reinholt Barney	Farmer	Forks
Richters Abelino	Farmer	Forks
Spence James	Miner	Bernice
Secules C. J.	Agent	Davidson
Sayman Levi	Farmer	Forks
Snider Geo. W.	Farmer	Davidson
Sayman Emanuel	Farmer	Forks
Teavan J. J.	Farmer	Elkland
Wenzel Leroy	Farmer	Cherry
GRAND JURORS.		
Abbot Milton	Laborer	Ricketts
Brown Reuben	Farmer	Fox
Caddow Harry	Farmer	Lopez
Ralley Fred	Farmer	Elkland
Christman John	Farmer	Davidson
Chapman John H.	Farmer	Elkland
Dyer Albert L.	Lumberman	Lopez
Farrell John F.	Carpenter	Dushore
Green Reno	Farmer	Hillsroce
Gloesker Philip	Farmer	Forks
Kester Charles	Farmer	Cherry
Kraus Fred C.	Farmer	Cherry
Keating James	Farmer	Cherry
Kast Frank	Farmer	Cherry
Laird William	Farmer	Davidson
Meyers Bert	Farmer	Fox
Phillips John	Farmer	Davidson
Farrish Charles V.	Farmer	Fox
Robe William	Farmer	Cherry
Sick Joseph	Farmer	Cherry
Snyder Geo. W.	Agent	Forks
Strickland Frank	Laborer	Hillsroce
Taylor G. S.	Laborer	Mt. Vernon
Whalen Bartley	Laborer	Cherry

## LOCAL NEWS

### COUNTY SEAT NEWS TOLD IN BREEZY PARAGRAPHS.

Election next Tuesday.  
Laporte was visited by a small snow storm Thursday.  
Vote for Irvin Hottenstein for County Commissioner.  
Henry and Grant Carpenter are working at Eagles Mere.  
Harvey Taylor of Muncy Valley was in the county seat Friday.  
Mabel Moran spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Mildred.  
Ellery P. Ingham returned to New York City Tuesday evening.  
Max Mamolen of Jersey Shore was a business man in town Monday.

WEATHER FORECAST BY ZETTA.  
Cloudy and cold with light snow fall Sunday.

John Schaad of Bernice, Republican County Chairman, was in town last Saturday.

John B. English and C. C. Duffield visited the former's parents at New Albany over Sunday.

Those who have thus far taken advantage of our Big Bargain, will receive their envelopes in a couple weeks.

The Ladies of the V. I. S. will sew one day every week from 2 to 5 o'clock instead of 3 to 5 as stated last week.

Miss Lottie Speary, who has been in Laporte the past summer, left for her home near Nordmont Saturday evening.

Prof. Leahy, Miss Wrede and Miss Rogers attended the Teachers' Meeting at Bernice Friday night and Saturday.

Next week election will be over and then we will have more space for local news. Would be glad to have our readers furnish us a big bunch of items for the next issue.

The Ladies of the V. I. S. held a social at the home of Mrs. A. H. Buschhausen Monday evening, which was largely attended and proved a financial and social success.

Boys and girls earn money selling our Geographical Encyclopedias. No capital required. Your address and 25 cents for sample. K. S. Riston & Co., 1344 E. 63rd St. Chicago.

John Hassen Jr., is improving his hotel property by building a small wash house. He will install a power washing machine and clothes will be cleaned at Hotel Bernard in an up-to-date fashion.

The Village Improvement Society will hold a bake sale at John L. Smyth's store on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, consisting of pastry and home-made candies. The patronage of the public is solicited.

Miss Julia Walsh, who has been spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Buschhausen, left Thursday for her home at Coveytown. She was accompanied by Miss Frances Moran, who will spend a few days at her home.

At a meeting of the Senior class of the Laporte High School the following officers were elected: President, Mabel Moran; Secretary, Olive Keeler; Treasurer, Esther Vaughn. Other members of the class are Freda Armes, Fay Hess and Hattie Traugh.

We are a trifle late this week and this is the reason: Our old gasolene granny, commonly called an engine, balked on us without just cause or provocation. We offered it all kinds of inducements if it would only run, but the obstinate old thing just simply refused to run until it got good and ready. We've arrived at the conclusion that a gasolene engine is descended from a mule, it having all of the disagreeable traits, habits and tricks of said animal, but like darwin's theory of man there is a missing link.

## LATEST NEWS OF SONESTOWN.

Otto Long is driving team for J. S. Richart.  
George Weaver is cutting logs for Benjamin Wilson at Nordmont.  
Charles Simmons was a business man in Hughesville Monday afternoon.  
Smith Boudman visited his daughter at Sones' camp on Kettle Creek Monday.  
James Sones is building a new barn in place of the one destroyed by fire last May.  
William Robbins is busy thrashing in this vicinity, and when done intends to cut wood.  
D. H. Lorah is putting the finishing touches with paint on his new barn just completed.  
Clyde Sheets, our Drayman had to make his wagon box about two feet longer—it was a little son.  
A. T. Armstrong has started his saw mill with Martin Shoemaker as sawyer, and is turning out a nice lot of lumber.  
John Converse and Asher Christian are making repairs at the pin factory, which will run at least 5 years yet, with a larger stock this year than ever before.

James Williamson, who formerly held a position at the heading factory, has resigned and accepted a position with the P. R. R. Co., at New Berry and is moving his family to that place.

George Kiess Sr., who makes his home with Smith Boudman, is visiting his sons Christopher and Harry. The former of West Virginia, the latter at McKeesport, Pa. He expects to return Friday, Nov. 30.

Harry Basley and wife, Robert Simmons and wife, and L. K. Fries and wife with J. W. Laird as coachman, spent a few days hunting on the Loyal Sock, making their headquarters at the Sonestown Rod and Gun Club House, which is well equipped for winter quarters.

### Mrs. Harriet K. Bird.

The death of Harriet K. Bird, wife of George C. Bird of Estella, occurred Oct 27. Mrs. Bird has been in feeble health for several months and her death was not unexpected. She was in her 76th year and had lived in Elkland township her entire life. She was married 56 years ago and her husband survives her. Mrs. Bird was a woman who was highly respected by reason of her many excellent traits of character. She was a devoted wife and mother and her death will be keenly felt by all of the members of her family. Her hospitality and kindness were known and appreciated by an unusually large circle of friends and acquaintances and she will be greatly missed in the community where she has so long resided.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Bird is survived by five children as follows: Ulysses of Arena, N. Y.; Mrs. W. E. Miller of Haytville, Pa.; Mrs. C. M. Clarke of Vilas, Pa.; Mrs. G. W. Birdsall of Estella; Mrs. J. P. Rogers of Estella. Another daughter, Mrs. R. B. Plotts died about three years ago, she leaves twenty-three grandchildren, twelve great-grandchildren and one brother, Albert Kaye of Elkland township.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Interment in the cemetery at Estella.

For County Commissioner.  
Willis B. Snider of Davidson township, is the popular Democratic candidate for County Commissioner. Mr. Snider has all of the qualifications necessary to enable him to fill the office with honor to himself and with benefit to the County. While he is not a Republican, we must all acknowledge that he is a gentleman and a man of ability, then again in selecting our County officers we should not lay so much stress upon the political party to which a candidate belongs, but we should ask ourselves this question: "Is this man qualified to perform the duties of said office if elected?" Political Advertisement.

Rabbits are plentiful around this section this year and are being killed by the dozen.

### The Great Hunter?

A young man from Laporte carrying a rifle was out in the wilds near Celestia Thursday, evidently with the intention of killing something. He was standing there with that Teddyistic look, and imagined that all the game animals for miles around would be seeking a secluded spot if they knew he was there. A rabbit that happened to be passing by came under the great hunter's eagle eye, quickly he brought his rifle to his shoulder and fired, the poor rabbit jumped up in the air, came down on his back and lay there. With the air of a conqueror he stepped forward to bag the game, when all of a sudden the little fellow jumped up and hopped away stopping only long enough to say --stung. Now I reckon the editor will have to hunt his hole.

Hollowe'en is over and the town still remains on the mountain top. Not much damage was done, but a few sneaky, disreputable tricks were indulged in.

Lost—On Main St., a silver stick pin. Design, a large fly with rhinestone head. Finder will receive suitable reward. Mrs. E. L. Barrows, Laporte, Pa.

### Trial List, December Term, 1911.

Return Day, December 11, 1911.

- 1.—G. W. Bigger vs. John Manuel, No. 49 May Term 1911. Framed Issue. Plea—"Non-Assumpsit" &c. Scouton. Mullen.
- 2.—J. G. Cott vs. Lee Rosenerants and John Rosenerants, Defendants, and the Nordmont Chemical Company, Garnishee. No. 56 December Term, 1909. Attachment Execution. Plea—"Nulla Bona." Mullen. Scouton. Meylert.
- 3.—C. D. Hoed by his next friend, Emma C. Hood vs. Connell Anthracite Mining Company. No. 9 May Term, 1911. Plea—"Not Guilty." Scouton. McCormick. Mullen.
- 4.—William T. Fairchild vs. Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. No. 68 May Term, 1910. Trespass. Plea—"Not Guilty." Scouton. Thomson.
- 5.—D. E. Diellenbach vs. Cora Glover and Fred J. Glover. No. 1 February Term, 1911. Defendants' Appeal. Plea—"Not Guilty." Mullen.
- 6.—A. T. Mulnix vs. Seth P. Shoemaker and Wm. T. More. No. 16 February Term, 1911. Framed Issue. Plea—"Payment." Scouton.
- 7.—Alice M. Putnam, a. d. b. n. e. t. a. of Luman Putnam, Deceased, Assignee of N. N. Betts, Executor and Trustee of Mrs. H. Charlotte Ward, vs. C. F. Hunsinger and Lizzie (or Elizabeth) Allen and James P. Allen, her husband. No. 31 February Term, 1911. Scire Facias Sur Mortgage. Plea—"That Mortgage is not a lien upon land &c." Thomson. Scouton.
- 8.—Lussatt Heyelin vs. Wm. J. Lawrence, Charles T. Lawrence and O. H. Lawrence. No. 8 May Term, 1911. Framed Issue. Meylert. Mullen.
- 9.—The Township of Cherry, to the use of the Treasurer of Sullivan County, for Cherry Township School District vs. Fred Frieder. No. 25 May Term, 1911. Defendant's Appeal. Walsh. Mullen.
- 10.—H. J. Schaad, a Taxpayer of the Township of Cherry vs. Thomas W. Gahan, Frank Huffmaster and Henry Tauschner, Supervisors of the Township of Cherry. No. 66 May Term, 1911. Appeal from Township Audit. Scouton. Mullen.

Prothonotary's Office,  
Laporte Penn'a.,  
October 30, 1911.  
ALBERT F. HEISS, Prot'y.

R. W. Carpenter building a small addition to his hotel, which will add to the many conveniences of the Laporte Hotel.

Irvin Hottenstein, candidate for County Commissioner was in town today (Friday). Don't fail to give Irvin a vote next Tuesday.

A New York man is seeking heart balm from a lady who taught him the "eye kiss." He evidently found her an optical delusion.

**REPUBLICAN TICKET.**  
*Prothonotary.*  
Albert F. Heess.  
*Treasurer.*  
Joseph A. Helsman.  
*Commissioners.*  
Joseph Sick,  
Irvin Hottenstein.  
*Sheriff.*  
Lloyd McCarty.  
*Associate Judge.*  
Anthony B. Kilmer.  
James P. Miller.  
*Auditor.*  
Oliver S. Bender.  
Thomas R. Crimmins.  
*Croner.*  
C. M. Bradford, M. D.

**NOTICE.**  
In Re: Estate of Charles A. Vargason late of Elkland township, deceased.  
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Charles A. Vargason, late of Elkland Township, deceased, notice is hereby given to all parties indebted to said estate to make payment to the undersigned; and all parties having claims against the said decedent, will present the same without delay for payment.  
Estella, Pa. C. B. Jennings,  
October 23, 1911. Administrator.  
Meylert, Attorney.

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