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**WANTED.**—A laundress at Hotel Wayne.

**FOR SALE.**—Two lots on Church street, each 30 x 100 feet. Price \$1500 per lot. H. Z. Russell, Homer Greene.

**FOR SALE OR RENT.**—The dwelling house at 1019 Court street. Enquire of C. T. Bentley.

**\$50.00 REWARD.**—You can make even more than this on your goods by getting me to do your selling. Write for date. A. O. Blake, Auctioneer, Bethany.

**FOR SALE.**—A house and lot, 1314 West street, Honesdale. 16 rooms, with all conveniences. Desirable for a boarding house, or two families. Inquire on the premises of Mrs. E. G. Secor, or of her attorney, A. T. Searle.

**AUCTION.**—Next consignment sale at Brannan's livery, Friday, March 12th, at one o'clock p. m. Horses, cows—anything you wish to sell. A. O. Blake, Auctioneer. B. F. Blake, Clerk.

**WANTED.**—An efficient local reporter for Honesdale and vicinity. Call at CITIZEN office.

**WANTED.**—In every Hamlet, Village, and Township, energetic people who will use their spare time for good pay. Drawer 5, Honesdale, Pa. If

**FOR SALE.**—The well-known Murray farm situated in Cherry Ridge township, two and one-half miles from Honesdale. Same distance from Honesdale's Station on the Erie & Wyoming railroad. This farm consists of 200 acres, admirably adapted for stock or dairy purposes, usual cuts over one hundred tons of hay, besides a large acreage of other crops. Seven large barns; granery, ice house, silo and three dwelling houses. There is about \$2,000 worth of hardwood lumber in the trees. Stables with cement floors for 40 cows. Will sell for one-third cash, balance on easy payments, or will exchange for town property. Murray Co., Honesdale, Pa.

**FARM of 100 acres.** 20 cows and tools if desired. Easy drive to Honesdale. Call at this office for information.

**SCHOOL TEACHERS.**—If you have a few hours each day that you can spare from your work we will show you how to increase your earnings. Drawer 5 Honesdale Pa.

**FOR SALE.**—Ray house, on East Extension street. Large lot with sixty feet front. M. E. Simons.

**HELP WANTED.**—All kinds—now. Address—Employment Bureau, 15 Clements St., Liberty, N. Y.

**FARM of 120 acres for sale.** Good house, a barn that will accommodate 40 cows, 30 horses and 100 tons of hay. Farm well watered. New chicken house that will accommodate 200 chickens. Large silo. No better farm in Wayne county. Situated one-half mile from village. Inquire at THE CITIZEN office.

### LOCAL MENTION.

The general offices of the Consolidated Telephone Companies of Pennsylvania will be removed from the Allentown Bank Building, Allentown, Pa., and on and after Saturday morning, March 13th, 1909, all communications should be addressed to the Consolidated Telephone Companies of Pa., Federal Square, Harrisburg, Pa.

—Olive Logan, once well-known as an author and lecturer, who gave one of her famous readings here in the days of the Honesdale Literary Institute back in the '50s, and was rescued from penury in New York several years ago by Lady Cook (Tennessee Clafin), is now an inmate of a pauper lunatic asylum at Banded, England. She was removed from a Kensington boarding house a month ago on complaint of the landlady to the authorities that she was suffering from delusions and that she was a nuisance.

—As a result of several preliminary contests held by the pupils of the Honesdale High School for the purpose of selecting representatives for the Dunmore-Carbondale-Honesdale Literary Contest, the following have been chosen: Declaration, Joseph Jacobs, Albert Krantz and Fred Osborne. Recitation, Lillian Barbieri, Matilda Kreiter and Beatrice Rehbein. The final preliminary contest will be at the Lyric, Thursday evening, April 1st, at which time one from each of the above lists will be selected, also an essayist. We trust that Honesdale will at least do as well as last year.

—The Friday date which was to be filled out of town by the Lyric Animated Picture and Vaudeville Show, has been canceled by the management of the company and will be given over to the Lyric on that date. This move was made on the part of the manager on account of the unlooked for popularity which this week's bill has won from our townspeople. Among the most attractive features of this week's program are Martin and Fabrin, a pair of nimble-toed dancing and well-voiced singing artists, who keep the audience in a continuous roar of applause. A children's matinee has been arranged for Saturday afternoon, on which occasion any child under 14 years of age will be entitled to any seat in the house for ten cents. Afternoon and evening performances will be given on Friday and Saturday at 2:30, 7:00 and 9:00 P. M.

—The Scranton Times in its "Personal and Pertinent" department thus refers to the new book which our townsman Homer Greene has given to the reading public:

"Homer Greene's latest story in the Youth's Home Companion, entitled 'A Lincoln's Concert,' and run through eleven numbers of the publication, which reaches the remotest corners of this country, with probably more readers between the ages of ten and twenty than any other, is a narrative that evidently must have had as the germ from which it grew some incident of the Civil War. It shows in its unfolding a clear mental and sympathetic grasp of the character of the great president and the influence he exerted over all with whom he came personally in contact; and it is a story to deepen patriotism in the hearts of its young readers. Mr. Greene's style continues to be as vividly direct and clear as ever."

—Mayor Kubbach held his first court on Wednesday last. Horace Maloy, of East Honesdale, pleaded guilty to the charge of having been drunk and disorderly, and was discharged on payment of \$3.50, fine and costs, and a reprimand from his Honor.

—Our offer of prizes for essays on "The best way to decorate the new high school grounds," is open for the scholars in all grades, and not alone for high school scholars. We have changed the date to April 15, in order that the younger scholars, who may have thought they were not eligible may have a longer time to prepare their essays.

—The Hawley town council has passed the ordinance granting a franchise in that borough for the Lackawaxen Valley Railroad, the proposed trolley line to be built from that place to this. The ordinance, which has been approved by the burgess, is identical with the Honesdale franchise, with only such modifications as relate to the streets upon which the rails are to be laid.

—Dr. A. B. Stevens, who, with his wife and daughter, has just returned from a trip to Bermuda, has removed from South Canaan to Scranton, where he will continue the practice of his profession as physician and surgeon. The doctor brought with him, on his return from Bermuda, a native colored man to whom he will give employment. Among others from Scranton and nearby places who were visiting the island while Dr. Stevens and family were there, were E. J. Lynett and wife, John A. Jones and sister, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Storrs, (the latter formerly Miss Nan Kingsbury), Miss Clark, Mr. and Mrs. David Boies, Charles P. Savage, J. T. Fear, Frank P. Swartz, and N. Bennett, secretary of the Wilkes-Barre Board of Trade.

—Some of our older readers, especially of the Democratic persuasion, will be interested in the announcement of the death at Lewisburg last week of Mrs. Katharine Dill, widow of Andrew H. Dill, State Senator and United States Marshal years ago. Mrs. Dill was a daughter of the late Eli Slifer, who was secretary of the Commonwealth under Governor Andrew G. Curtin. Her husband, Andrew H. Dill, was one of the most influential Democrats in Pennsylvania, having served as State Senator from the Union, Snyder, Northumberland district, and been the Democratic candidate for Governor against Henry M. Hoyt, in 1878, when he came to Honesdale and made a ringing speech. This county, on that occasion, however, gave the Republican candidate for Congress, Edward Overton, Jr., nearly 1,000 majority.

—The New York Journal says we are gradually drifting back to the old days of stock companies popular in the time of the elder Booth, McCullough and Salvini. In all of the larger cities we find one or more stock theatres permanently located and from these theatres issue the best plays which the public are receiving today. With the growing popularity of the stock idea becoming so evident, the Chicago Stock Co., which was originally located in one of the leading theatres of the western metropolis, was placed on tour this year and will be seen in the leading cities between Chicago and New York. Manager Dietrich has secured a week's engagement of the company for next week, and from the list of plays which they are presenting and the general prospectus sent out by the promoters from the Chicago office, we are given to believe that theatre-goers have a real treat in store. The opening play for Monday evening, March 15th, will be "The Dairy Farm," a beautiful rural drama by Eleanor Merron. Every play during the week will be staged complete.

### PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Coe Durland will entertain a number of friends at a "Thimble Tea," this (Friday) afternoon, at her home on North Main street.

—Mrs. Ann Delexenne, of East street, will celebrate her 93d birthday on Thursday next.

—Dr. Asa R. Dimock and Francis A. Dimock, of New York, came up the Erie on Saturday last, for a brief stay, the former to visit his sisters, in Waymart, and the latter his parents in this place.

—Mrs. C. J. Gillespie and Miss Louise M. Keefer are packing their household goods, preparatory to their removal to Scranton, in about a fortnight. Their many friends in the church, the Golf Club and the social circle in which they were popular and active workers, are loth to have them leave our town, and they will be greatly missed.

—Dr. Dwight Reed received the congratulations of his friends on Monday last, March 8th, the occasion being his eighty-fifth birthday.

—Mrs. Barbara Reif is suffering from a sprained ankle at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Mener, 1006 Church street.

—Mrs. E. B. Wood will change her residence from Church to 12th street, on the 1st of April.

—Mrs. C. A. Pellett, of Paupack, spent part of last week with E. B. Hardenberg and family at Honesdale.

—Mrs. Helen Mills, who has been enjoying a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Holmes, of Upper Main street, returned to her home in Brookline, Mass., on Thursday morning.

—James Burke, of Carbondale, spent Thursday in town.

—H. C. Jackson, of Tyler Hill, is attending court.

—Mrs. Fred. Wood was a visitor in Scranton this week.

—Miss Helene Bishop is the guest of relatives in Hawley.

—Grant Hawley and J. A. Hill, of Lookout, are Honesdale visitors.

—C. S. Lowery, State game warden was a business caller in Honesdale this week.

—C. H. Dorfinger is spending a few days in New York city and is stopping at the Wolcott.

—Mrs. J. D. Weston went to New York city on Wednesday and expects to return on Friday.

—Frank Hoeflein, of Pittsburg, is spending a few days at the home of his parents on River street.

—Charles Seitz has returned to his home in Port Jervis, after a few days visit at the home of his parents at this place.

—Mrs. Leopold Fuerth is spending a few days with her daughter, Miss Sadie, who recently underwent an operation in a Scranton hospital.

—Miss Bessie Lawyer returned yesterday from Scranton, after undergoing a very successful operation, which will remove the lameness which she has been long affected with.

—Dr. W. A. Spencer and George M. Patterson, of Carbondale, were in Honesdale last week in attendance at a meeting of the Wayne Hunting and Fishing club, of which they are members.

—W. E. Perham and Geo. E. Moase, of Pleasant Mt., Geo. Lord and Joseph Layton, of Manchester, Justice William H. Davis, of Winwood, James Hoag, J. P. of Autumn Leaves, Peter Randall, of Hancock, N. Y., and Ezra Wagner, of South Canaan, have been among CITIZEN callers within a few days past.

—Born, Tuesday, March 9, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Jenkins, of 319 Eleventh street, Honesdale, a son.

—John N. C. Bader, the well-known clothier, is confined to his home by a serious illness.

—Miss Verna L. Skinner and Albert J. Opie were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister in South Canaan, on Wednesday morning last, March 10, 1909. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. F. Hall, pastor of the First M. E. church of Carbondale. After the wedding the happy couple left on a fortnight's honeymoon trip, and will reside in Carbondale after their return.

### OBITUARY.

Miss Mary Sweiger died on Wednesday, March 10, 1909, in St. Mark's Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., of scarlet fever and diphtheria, after an illness of three days. She was 21 years of age, and is survived by one sister, Miss Millie, of Honesdale, and two brothers, Fred, and Robert, of Port Jervis. She was studying to be a trained nurse, having entered St. Mark's hospital last fall. She had received her nurse's cap, and had been assigned to the surgeons' ward. The body was taken to Port Jervis for interment, the funeral being held this, Friday morning.

Peter Balles died at his home on Green street, Wednesday afternoon, March 10, 1909, after a four months' illness. Deceased was seventy-six years of age. He was born in Bremen, Germany, and came to this country about sixty years ago, residing in Honesdale most of the time. Mr. Balles was highly respected by all who knew him. For thirty-seven years he was employed by the Torrey family, by whom he was held in great regard. Besides his wife he is survived by six daughters: Mrs. Conrad West, Mrs. Joseph Polt, Mrs. John Sonner, Mrs. Peter Herzog, of Honesdale; Mrs. Wm. Hull, of Carbondale, and Mrs. Thomas Nugent, of New York; also three sons: Peter, of Pittsburg; William, of Elmira, and Charles, of Honesdale. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at nine o'clock.

### Local Option Defeated.

In the House at Harrisburg, on Tuesday evening last, after long debate, the local option bill was defeated by a vote of 137 to 66. The temperance people made a strong fight, and they are not likely to sit back and fold their hands. The fact that the saloon has been abolished in two-thirds of the nation, that 1,836,895 square miles of the United States are under local option legislation, will make Pennsylvania prohibitionists all the more determined to carry on the battle to put the Keystone State under the white banner. Nine States are under license laws; 26 States are wholly or partially under local option legislation, and the balance prohibition.

### AT THE LYRIC.

Manager Dietrich announces that he has secured the "Chicago stock" company for a week's engagement at the Lyric, starting this coming Monday. This is one of the biggest companies of its kind on the road and is presenting all metropolitan productions, plays which have never been presented at less than \$1.50 prices. The company consists of twenty five acting people and carries a sixty foot ear of stage equipments. The opening play announced for Monday evening, will be Eleanor Merron's beautiful story of country life, the "Dairy Farm".

### March Term of Court.

The regular March term of our county courts opened on Monday afternoon last, with Hon. George S. Purdy on the bench, and all other officers, with Arthur L. Head, of Towanda, the official stenographer, in attendance. The list of jurors was called, and with three exceptions all answered to their names. J. A. Robinson, of Honesdale, and Fred. Robinson, of Lebanon, were excused. The following licenses were granted:

**HOTELS.**  
Clinton—H. T. O'Neill.  
Dreyer—H. B. Smith, H. E. Robacker, Chas. F. Wert.  
Dyberry—Asa K. Kimble, M. K. Kimble, Wm. F. Dodson.  
Hawley—Christian Lehman, Martin Reader, August H. Frank, George Kohlman, F. J. Hughes, Charles B. Woods, Jacob Heiss.  
Honesdale—Lucy Brandon, T. F. Flynn, Jno. H. Weaver, W. E. Martin & J. L. Carlin, C. J. Weaver.  
Lake—John Schadt.  
Lehigh—C. W. Garagan.  
Manchester—Wm. F. G. Emerich, William A. Bleck, J. W. Flynn.  
Mount Pleasant—J. W. Bunnell, Francis J. O'Neill.  
Preston—Michael Lettinger, P. F. Madigan, S. C. Sillabee, W. J. Healy.  
Salom—H. F. Nicholson, Ralph Foot.  
Starucca—John Woodmansee.  
Texas—Thomas Gill, Frederick Frank, James Mundy, Mary Meyer, Frank Mang, Charles H. Murphy, George Meyer, John C. Smith, Victor E. Messler, J. Monroe Austin.  
Waymart—Ferdinand J. Crockenberg.

**RESTAURANTS.**  
Clinton—John Opka.  
Hawley—Mary Deitzer, Mary Mayer, Louis Geisler.  
Honesdale—Christopher Lowe, Henry Buerkert, John H. Heumann, Fred. J. Gelbert, A. F. Volt, Benjamin Loris, Jr., Albert E. Taubner, Lawrence J. Weniger, T. D. O'Connell, Herman Meyer, W. B. Roadknight, Joseph Ackerman, J. H. Schlessler, Palmyra—Peter F. Schmitt.  
Texas—Chris. J. Hook, Jacob Beck.

**WHOLESALE LIQUOR.**  
Hawley—Patrick H. Kearney.  
Honesdale—Michael Galvin, Paul McGarrigan, Leopold Fuerth.

**BOTTLERS.**  
Palmyra—Luke P. Richardson.  
Texas—F. W. Michael & F. A. Reitnauer, Wm. Meimyer.

**BREWERY.**  
Texas—Pennsylvania Brewing Co.

Two of the foregoing list of hotel licenses are new—one granted to C. J. Weaver, who will occupy the former Coyne House, recently purchased by him, and now undergoing a thorough renovation, in April; and the other to John A. Schadt, for the Lake House, Ariel.

A number of applications against which remonstrances were filed, were laid over until Monday next for hearings.

The first criminal case called for trial was that of the Commonwealth v. Mervin Taft, the defendant being charged by James Peters with assault and battery, with attempt to kill. On the night of Jan. 29th, last, Peters and Mervin were in the hotel of Frank O'Neill, in Pleasant Mount, where they had a wordy quarrel, but did not come to blows. Later in the evening both men started for their homes, Taft being accompanied by his son. When near Tiffany's store, the quarrel was resumed, and Peters received a stab wound near the heart. Taft was arrested the next day and committed by Justice J. E. Tiffany to the county jail to await trial. A number of witnesses were sworn for the prosecution, the testimony tending to show that Taft had renewed the quarrel in the street with the intention of using his knife in case he found himself worsted. The defense attempted to show by the evidence given by Taft and others that Peters had been the aggressor both at the hotel and in the street, had knocked Taft down twice, and threatened to kill him, and that if any cutting was done, which was denied, it was in self-defense. The jury, however, took a different view of the matter, and found Taft guilty.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Thomas Quinney was tried on Wednesday. Mr. Quinney was charged by Joseph Ackerman with the larceny of a dog, of which defendant claimed the ownership. Mr. Ackerman said the dog came to his place of business some time ago, and that after it had been in his possession several months Quinney came to Ackerman's restaurant and took the animal away. Quinney was afterward arrested on the charge of larceny. Before the court heard all the evidence of the defense Judge Purdy took charge of the case and told the jury that the evidence was not sufficient to hold Mr. Quinney for larceny. The jury consequently returned a verdict of not guilty; the prosecutor to pay the costs.

Wm. Smale was found not guilty of larceny of a wagon, Charles Stegner, prosecutor. This was a new trial granted to Smale, after conviction at last term, and Stegner failing to produce his witnesses, the verdict was reversed.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The White Ribboners will meet with Mrs. A. J. Rehbein, Tuesday afternoon, March 16th, at 3 o'clock. All friends are invited.

The Rev. James Porter Ware, of Drifton, Pa., former Rector of Grace church, will be the special Lenten preacher at Grace Episcopal church, Friday, at 7:30 P. M. Other services in Lent are as follows:

Tuesdays, 4:15 P. M.—Children's service and address on the Parables.  
Wednesdays, 7:30 P. M.—Litany and address, followed by study in the Acts of the Apostles.  
Thursdays, 4:15 P. M.—Penitential office and address.

Rev. A. J. Whittaker will hold service in the Indian Orchard school house, Sunday, March 14th, at 2:30 P. M.

Next Sunday, at 4 P. M., Dr. W. F. Hopp will conduct Lutheran services at the White Mills chapel. The Lutheran vesper services will be sung by the White Mills choir.

THE CITIZEN Has made arrangements for  
**A FIVE MILE FOOT RACE**  
AFTER THE  
**MARATHON PLAN**  
WHICH WILL TAKE PLACE ON  
**Decoration Day MAY 30**  
**5 Handsome Gold and Silver Medals will be Awarded the Winners!**  
**ENTRANCE FREE**  
To all competitors living in the county, exclusive of professionals; entries to be made at any time prior to April 15th.  
ALL CONTESTANTS will be required to submit to a physical examination by competent physicians, to insure proper endurance condition for race.  
FURTHER DETAILS, including instructions for proper training, will appear in succeeding issues of THE CITIZEN.

### The NEW SPRING SUITS at MENNER & CO'S Store



Are the best in the market, and made by the most up-to-date makers.  
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### Methodist Church THIS WEEK

### SERMON TOPICS :

Tuesday—"The Troubler."

Wednesday—"Slave or Freeman."

Thursday—"Honesdale Suicide Clubs"

Friday—"Quests."

7:30 Each Evening. Chorus Choir.

**LYRIC THEATRE!**  
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**MONDAY WEDNESDAY SATURDAY MARCH 10th 11th 13th**  
Afternoons at 2:30  
Evenings at 7:30 to 10:30  
Vaudeville & Animated Pictures  
**A COMPLETE CHANGE!**  
ALL NEW ACTS!  
PICTURES AND SONGS  
Changed on each of the above dates.  
PRICES: ENTIRE BALCONY, 10c  
MAIN FLOOR, 20c

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### Notice of Incorporation.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on Friday, April 3, 1909, by William H. Krantz, L. Fred. Krantz, Oscar E. Rummelshaus, and L. O. Grambs, 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, HONESDALE FOOTWEAR COMPANY, the character and object of which is to manufacture, buy and sell boots, shoes and rubbers, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.  
A. T. SEARLE, Solicitor.  
Honesdale, Pa., March 8, 1909.

**SPECIAL SALE FOR SATURDAY, MARCH 13th ONLY!**  
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