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IF YOU WISH to sell your Farm I will furnish a purchaser. If you want to buy a farm, town lot or business place, drop me a postal, or call at my office—I may have on my listing books just what you want. If you wish to dispose of your business, preparatory to change, consult me—let me explain the various propositions backed by a company of character and standing. I am the special representative in this section for the largest Co-operative Real Estate Association in America, with over 8,000 representative offices in the United States, Canada, Mexico and Cuba. Property listed at each of these offices. Remember this service costs you nothing until a deal is consummated—and then only a small commission. Name your wishes—I do the rest. No publicity. Correspondence confidential. Listing blanks and all information mailed you on application. M. F. DORIN, The Real Estate Man, 192 Spring street, Honesdale, Pa.

THE HONESDALE SCHOOL BOARD will sell the old McIntosh house at public auction Saturday, May 10, 1908, for cash. The house to remain until June 15th, and to be removed before July 15, 1908. By Order of School Board.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.—Bids are now open for making alterations to entrance and steps of St. John's R. C. church, Honesdale, Pa. All bids must be sent in sealed or before May 28, 1908. Plans and specifications can be seen at St. John's Parochial house. The right reserved to reject any or all bids. Address all mail matters to Rev. Thomas M. Hanley, Rector, Honesdale, Pa.

ROOMS TO RENT.—Apply at Brestein Brothers' Store.

BRAMAN has some splendid Native and Western horses for sale, all in excellent condition at Allen House Barn.

SPECIAL attention given to children at Charlesworth's Studio.

CLEVELAND Bay Horse, six years old, 16 hands and one-half inch high, fine looking, sore, right every way. Price \$200. Dr. Noble, Waymart.

\$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, 141 West street, Honesdale, 16 rooms, with all conveniences. Desirable for a boarding house or two families. Inquire on the premises of Mrs. E. G. Seccor, or of her attorney, A. T. Searle.

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

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 9, Honesdale, Pa.

FARM of 182 acres for sale. Good house, a barn that will accommodate 40 cows, shores and 100 tons of hay. Farm well watered. New chicken house that will accommodate 500 chickens. Large silo. No better farm in Wayne county. Situated one-half mile from village. Inquire at THE CITIZEN'S OFFICE.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Jacob Grossman, of Carley Brook, met with an accident on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Grossman is employed by Jacob Riefler and was loading stones on a wagon. In some manner he fell to the ground breaking a bone of the right leg. Dr. Neilson, of this place, gave the case attention.

The Marathon craze has struck Honesdale like other towns and cities in this part of the state. On Memorial Day a Marathon race will be held at this place. The number of prizes depends upon the number of contestants but it is proposed to give five prizes. The race will be run over a course which will be announced later, and will start at an hour which will not interfere with the parade of the G. A. R. Those who wish to enter must do so on or before May 25th. A number of young athletes have already consented to enter and each evening are in training for the coming race. Among those who expect to run are William Polt, William Welch, Daniel Faatz, and Joseph Barberl.

Attention—Veterans! Regular meeting of Capt. Ham Post, No. 198, this (Friday) evening. Preparations for Memorial Day.

Dr. A. C. Rothermel, Principal of the State Normal School at Kurtztown, Pa., will deliver one of his popular lectures, entitled "Training for Citizenship," at the meeting of the Wayne Teachers' Association, in the Seelyville Chapel, on May 7th, at 8 p. m. Admission free.

At a meeting of the directors of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank, on Monday, the following were elected for the ensuing year: President, M. E. Simons; Vice President, J. E. Tiffany. The directors are M. B. Allen, George C. Abraham, J. S. Brown, Oscar E. Bunnell, Wm. H. Dunn, W. M. Fowler, W. B. Guinnip, Fred. W. Kreitner, John E. Krantz, Jr., John Kuhbach, G. Wm. Sell, Fred. Stevens and John Weaver.

The following unclaimed letters remain at the post office for the week ending May 3d: Burton Simon and Floyd Montrison.

The Central Labor Union will hold a meeting in Hawley, on Saturday evening. Delegates from the locals of Honesdale will attend. On Sunday evening a special sermon on "Labor" will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Wm. H. Swift, in the Honesdale Presbyterian church.

Harry Pruemers will render violin solos at both the morning and evening services, at St. John's Lutheran church, on Sunday, May 9th.

The Philadelphia Star, under the head of "Pertinent Points in the Great Game of Politics," has the following: "Up in Wayne county there is a boom in readiness to start for, ex-Auditor General E. B. Hardenbergh for Governor. Those who are back of it declare that they mean business." Philadelphia politicians are a little bit worried over anything that is started up in Wayne. We are so high up that it is all down hill from here to Harrisburg. If anybody discovers this boom, and will let us know, we will help push it along.

We call attention to the advertisement in to-day's issue of the Honesdale Dime Bank. This bank began some time ago a "campaign of educating people to save" and judging by the big increase of deposits education benefits not only the pupils but the teacher. This phenomenal increase in deposits and number of depositors must be very encouraging to all connected with the bank whether directors, stockholders or depositors and especially so to the editor of the Independent whose knowledge of, and faith in advertising has been very prominent in securing the above results.

Just as we go to press information reaches us that Mrs. Eliza Peters, residing on Fifteenth street, had a stroke of paralysis. Dr. McConville is in attendance.

The Business Men's Association will meet on Friday evening. The association will hold their annual banquet on Tuesday evening.

The annual baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Father Jordan in St. John's Roman Catholic church on June 13th.

The High School is going to send Joseph Jacob to Syracuse, N. Y., to take part in a Declamation Contest to be held there May 13th, under the auspices of the University.

Andy Page, of Pond Eddy, who has large interests in stone quarries, purchased a pair of fine draft horses from Sheriff Braman.

The Irving Cliff Bottling Works Company have purchased from J. W. Kelz his soft drinks bottling concern. Consideration private. This company will push this new line and have added another distributing wagon and extended their route.

The certificate of incorporation of the Wayne County Pennsylvania Society of New York was recorded in the office of secretary of state at Albany, N. Y., Thursday, April 29th. The members of this society will hold their annual meeting Tuesday, May 11th, at Hotel Manhattan for the purpose of electing officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before the gathering. The names of the persons to be the directors of the corporation until its first annual meeting are as follows: Charles W. Hand, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Charles S. Penwarden, Brooklyn; W. W. Starbuck, Jersey City, N. J.; Edwin P. Kilroe and Joseph Seeman, New York.

If you do not see "Nell Gwynne" next week at the Lyric you will regret it. It is one of the plays you cannot afford to miss. See ad.

The Presbyterian church at Bethany is probably one of the oldest churches in Wayne county, having been erected in 1822.

An error in our Indian Orchard letter last week gave the wrong name of the man who is doing the carpenter work on Earl Ham's barn. Charles Budd is the man. We have installed a Linotype machine, the most marvelous invention of the age, but it cannot read the minds of our correspondents, and they must write very plain or there will be mistakes.

By all means go and see the "Iron Master" at the Lyric. It will repay you even if you have to drive ten miles to town and ten miles back. Prices are very reasonable. See ad.

David Garrick, the piece now being put on at the Lyric by the Gardner-Vincent Stock Co., is a farcical comedy and one in which Mr. Gardner starred in for three seasons with marked success. Most of the characters are typical and the scenes and situations are excruciatingly funny. Mr. Gardner is at his best as David Garrick and Miss Vincent is seen to advantage as Ingot and to those who enjoy good, clean, wholesome comedy, this bill will be a delight. As a special feature Miss Eleanor Caines will be seen for the first time outside of the large cities in her most successful specialty "The Dancing Dresden Doll." The powerful drama of French society life, "The Ironmaster" will be presented on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week, to be followed by the merry romantic comedy, "Nell Gwynne" on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday with a matinee on Saturday.

## OBITUARY.

Mrs. Josephine Bennett, a well-known resident of Dyberry, died at her home at that place Wednesday morning. On Tuesday Mrs. Bennett left her home to drive to Honesdale. On the way to this place she suffered a stroke of paralysis and was removed to her home. Deceased was sixty-one years of age. She is survived by the following children: Ralph, Bert, Maude, at home, and Amanda of Indian Orchard. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon, services being conducted at the home by Rev. Signor, of Bethany.

## PERSONAL.

Born, on Monday, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Doetsch, of 11th street, a son.

Patrick Merrick, of Pittston, a former principal of the Texas township high school, is spending a few days in town.

Michael Heumann, manager of the Harlem Casino, 124th street and 7th avenue, New York city, returned home yesterday, after a few days' visit with his cousin, John Heumann.

Mrs. Andrew Thompson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John T. Fuller, in Wilkes-Barre.

A. J. Miller, of Walden, N. Y., returned to his home yesterday, after visiting friends in town for a few days.

Miss Blanche Starnes, of Bethany, who has been visiting relatives in the West for the past ten weeks, is expected home to-day (Friday).

Mrs. Clarence M. Harris and son are visiting friends in New York city.

Wm. H. Stone and wife are visiting the latter's niece in Montclair, N. J.

Miss Mabel Rodman, of New York City, and Mrs. Clarke Sharpsteen, of Binghamton, attended the funeral of Mrs. Phoebe Sharpsteen on Thursday.

William Schoonover, of Scranton, was a visitor in town yesterday. Damon Knuppenburg, of Lake Carey, Pa., has been stopping for a few days at the Wayne Hotel.

Mrs. Alexander Correll, of Hawley, was a recent visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Baker.

State Highway Commissioner Hunter, of Scranton, was a visitor in town yesterday.

M. and Mrs. Charles Lord and daughter, Ruth, are spending a few days in Elmira, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Plum and family have removed from Hawley to Honesdale and have leased the building formerly known as the "Gale" on Court street.

Judge Vosburg, of Scranton, was a visitor here on Wednesday.

T. B. Clark, William Blakney and W. F. Snyder left on Wednesday for Port Jervis via the Erie Railroad, from which point they went by auto to Kingston, N. Y., and returned to Port Jervis in time to catch the night train home.

## "Polly of the Circus."

The majestic production "Polly of the Circus," with dainty and winsome Miss Fay Wallace in the title role, will be seen at the Lyric on Friday evening, May 28th. The story, telling of a pretty circus rider, by profession and heredity, compelled by an injury to remain in the home of a young country preacher until the prudently-riden yokels making up his congregation are aflame with narrow rage against the pair, and her subsequent flight back to the tents to make his lot easier, is one which grasps and retains the interest. The second scene in the play, which finds Polly in the parson's home, telling him of her circus life, and later when he reads to her from the Bible of Ruth's devotion of Naomi, the little girl's first glimpse of what the Book contains, reaches a point apart from the ordinary things of the stage. And then there is a happy and logical ending to it all, which the audience finds agreeable.

The cast includes such well known players as Miss Fay Wallace, Herbert Barrington, Edward Saxon, Walter V. Milton, Clint G. Ford, Carolyn Lee and Betty Huston. This attraction comes to Honesdale under the auspices of the Honesdale Realty Company.

## CHILD BURIED ALIVE.

Mother Was Afraid to Announce Birth to Her Father.

Tarrytown, N. Y., May 5.—Irene Conklin, 20 years old, this afternoon confessed to James F. Burns, overseer of the poor of the town of Greenburg, that her child had been buried alive by her mother. The girl said she was afraid of her father. The child was born yesterday morning. The mother took the baby boy, according to the girl, and buried it in the back yard. Coroner Squire was notified and he and Overseer of Poor Burns exhumed the body. An autopsy showed that it had been buried alive.

## Signboards in Japan.

From the island empire come these examples of "English as she is advertised":

"Tailor, native country; draper, milliner and ladies' outfitter; the ribbons, the laces, the veils, the feelings."  
"Hand-painting post-cards."  
"Extract of fowl kept."  
"Photographer executed."  
"Head hair cutter."  
"Writing for another done here."  
"Specialist for the disease of children."  
"Best perfuming waters, anti-flea, dealer of."

"Noties—Our tooth is a very important organ for business life and countenance, as you know; therefore, when it is attacked by disease or injury, artificial tooth is very useful. I am engaged to the dentist and I will make for your purpose."

Sparks—I wonder why it is a woman lets out everything you tell her?  
Sharks—My dear boy, a woman has only two views of a secret—either it is not worth keeping or it is too good to keep.

## USWICK AND LAKEVILLE.

MAY 3d.—We are having a heavy rain storm to-night. On Thursday of last week, April 29th, we had a snow storm; snow fell to the depth of eleven inches. At night we had thunder and lightning, hail and rain and the next morning there was plenty of ice on our trees and phone wires. When the lightning was most severe our phones snapped and cracked. We were very much alarmed thinking that they would burn out any minute, but our fears were not realized although it injured some of the phones and we cannot distinguish the rings so well now.

F. B. Pennell is recovering from the gripe.

Miss Jennie Crane has a severe cold. Mrs. David Engle, who has a heavy cold, was a little better on Sunday.

Frank Harris was a business caller at F. R. Olmsted's on Thursday. He has the most of his roads worked. His mother, Mrs. Caroline Harris, who has been in poor health for the past three weeks is now very ill with a severe attack of the gripe. Dr. White, of Ariel, is in attendance.

Mrs. J. S. Pennell, of Wilsonville, visited Mrs. John Mains at Uswick on Wednesday of last week.

George Heichelbeck, Jr., who has been working roads in the vicinity of Uswick was at work with a gang of men today. He was a pleasant caller at F. R. Olmsted's on Wednesday of last week. His wife was recently treated for gall stones at a hospital in Scranton and we are pleased to learn that her health is much improved. She spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Daniels after she returned to her home at Wilsonville on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Heichelbeck also spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Daniels. The box social at Lakeville was well attended on Wednesday evening of last week. Proceeds of the evening were between \$10 and \$11.

Mrs. Mary Groner is sojourning with her brother, William Seeger and wife of Lakeville.

Isaac B. Sandercock, surveyor of Honesdale, and a gentleman from Ariel, are expected at the home of William Seeger on Tuesday morning to survey the lines around his farm. He is preparing to build a wire line fence around his farm.

The Ladies' Aid have ordered a new carpet for the church. They hope to be able to induce some minister to fill our pulpit by placing a nice new carpet in the church. We regret that there has been no minister sent to our charge yet. Missionaries are being sent to all parts of the world, why not send one of them to our charge? We are doing the best we can in the absence of a pastor; we have an excellent Sunday school this season and we hope that more of the parents will attend thereby encouraging their children to come regularly.

R. W. Murphy, of Hawley, visited his mother, Mrs. E. Carr, of Lakeville, on Sunday. He is building a barn down near his lake between Uswick and Wilsonville. Arthur Crane is doing some carpenter work there.

Mrs. George Hazelton, of Arlington, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop, of Lakeville.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Locklin went to Honesdale today.

Our popular land agent, J. Schlepner, has just returned from a business trip to New York. Two gentlemen who want to buy farms came home with him; he showed them some of the Uswick farms that are for sale to-day.

Walter A. Sheeley, of Port Jervis, is the guest of his parents, W. D. Sheeley and wife at Lakeville.

Our popular merchant, A. Miller, of Lakeville, draws the reins over a fast driving horse recently purchased of A. McDonough, of Scranton.

Samuel Miller and brother, Morris visited their brother Hymen at Newfoundland on Sunday.

Miss Clara Schrader returned to her home at Ledgedale after a three weeks' sojourn with her sister, Mary, at Lakeville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sandercock, of Hoadleys, were welcome visitors at Mrs. A. Goble's and L. James's homes at Lakeville on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Byron Tuttle, of Wilsonville, was a guest of Mrs. L. James on Friday and Saturday last.

Christian Schrader, of Ledgedale, is building a new house on the foundation where his house recently burned.

"See here," said the tailor, as he headed the young man off, "do you cross the street every time you see me to keep from paying that bill you owe me?"  
"I should say not," replied the young man.  
"Then why do you do it?" asked the knight of the tape.  
"To keep you from asking for it," answered the other.

## TO KIDNAP GOVERNOR'S SON.

Plot by Convict Who Expected Pardon as Boy's Ransom.

Oakland, Cal., May 6.—A plot to kidnap the eight-year-old son of Governor Gillett was unearthed at San Quentin prison when it was found that J. B. Clifton, a notorious criminal, who is serving time for attempting the life of Detective Hodgins, had completed arrangements with a confederate on the outside to steal the boy and hold him for ransom.

## HYMENEAL.

Married, by the Rev. W. H. Hiller, of the M. E. church, Wednesday, May 5, 1908, Ford F. Dailey, of High Lake, and Lulu Rodenburg, of Lookout.

Fred Sneider and Miss Minnie M. Brown, both of Poyntelle, were married at the home of the bride on Wednesday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. G. Russell. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sneider left on the three o'clock train for Honesdale where they are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Schoonover.

Joseph Sonner, of Honesdale, and Miss Jennie Daniels, of White Mills, were united in marriage at St. Mary Magdalen's parochial residence, on Wednesday, May 5th, at 12:30 p. m. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wm. Dassel. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha Daniels, and Edward Sonner was best man. The groom is well known in Honesdale and vicinity, and the bride is one of White Mills' most prominent young ladies. Mr. and Mrs. Sonner left on the 2:50 p. m. Erie train, for a wedding trip to Port Jervis and other cities. Upon their return they will reside in Honesdale.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the Honesdale Improvement Association will be held in the Town Hall, on Monday afternoon, May 10th, at three o'clock.

Prof. Stevens, of Wyoming Seminary, at Kingston, will speak in the Presbyterian church, next Sunday morning.

As next Sunday is "Labor Sunday" in the Presbyterian church, there will be a service for workmen in that church in the evening, at 7:30. A special service has been prepared by the "Department of Church and Labor," which will be used. A cordial invitation is given to all workmen. Rev. Dr. W. H. Swift will speak.

Rev. A. L. Whittaker will hold service in the Presbyterian church of Waymart, Sunday, May 9th, at 3 p. m.

A class of adults will be baptized by Rev. A. L. Whittaker, in the White Mills church, on Monday evening, May 10th, at 7 p. m.

Rev. W. F. Hopp will hold services at White Mills, on Sunday, May 9th, at four o'clock.

Next Sunday morning Rev. W. H. Hiller will preach at the Methodist church a "Labor Sunday Sermon," subject, "The Workingman's Friends." In the evening Prof. Stephens will deliver a temperance address.

## "Singing School" at Lutheran Church

The "Singing School" a farce in two acts was given by the choir of St. John's Lutheran church before a large audience on Wednesday evening. The witty dialogues and humorous songs were very amusing and the players earned loud and liberal applause. The members of the "Singing School" were as follows:

Hi Waters	Louis Korb
Timothy Hay	Harry Pruemers
Welland Strong	Jacob Breithaupt
Al Falgar	Fred. Giehrer
Homer Gaines	G. Rippel
Cy Furr	John Carmichael
Cal Amity	John Kohl
Effa Vescent	Anna Rippel
Sophy Cushing	Anna Bergmann
Eva Green	Miss L. Carmichael
Vera Swift	Della Croll
Ima Kidd	Miss M. Roegner
Ura Kidd	Mrs. J. Kohl
Phyllis Tate	Mrs. J. Denhardt
Elvira Ketchum	Miss M. Eberhardt
William Haggerty as Prof. P. Percival Pippin was singing master of the Low Holler Choral Union and William Heft as Squire Grumps and Miss Cornelia Beetz as Mrs. Amanda Sneege were the committee on awards.	

The success of the play is due to the efforts of Miss Margaret Eberhardt, organist and instructor of the choir.

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