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WE HAVE just received another car load of light wagons. Come in and see them. Over 100 styles to select from. Murray Co., Honesdale, Pa. 5713.

BIG BARGAIN—Ten-room dwelling with improvements, large garden, situate on Church street, Honesdale, Pa., near the residence of H. Z. Russell. Warren P. Schenck, Honesdale, Pa. 57eol2

FOR SALE—My residence on Wood avenue, house containing eight sleeping rooms, five living rooms, three sun parlors, billiard and bath rooms. Everything in first class condition. M. J. Kelly. 57tf.

BIDS FOR STEAM HEATING—The County Commissioners will receive bids for steam heating court house, jail and sheriff's house, elevated pipes, Spencer system preferable, no others barred. Bids to be on file in Commissioners' office not later than 10 a. m. Tuesday, August 2, 1910. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. Call at the office for further information. 5712

NEW POST CARDS of Honesdale. 21 copyrighted. Newcomes—Lion, the first steam locomotive run in America, North, Riverside and Central Parks, Main, Church, Court, Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh streets in which appear autos, new state bridge and Hotel Wayne, Carley Brook bridge, Union Station, Golf Club House, Park Lake and Dyberry river with boats, and Irving Cliff. All copyrighted by J. B. Nielsen. 54eol3

HARDER SILOS will pay for themselves each year. Every dairyman should have one. Come in and we will talk it over. Murray Co., Honesdale, Pa. 5713

TRUSTEE SALE—On Wednesday, July 20, at 3 p. m., of the goods of Manuel Jacobson, bankrupt, who conducted the Boston Store, consisting of Men's and Boys' suits, shoes, rubbers, hats, caps, shirts, underwear, white goods, notions, groceries, also show cases, mirrors, scales, coffee mill, cash register, and other articles. Terms, cash. BUEL DODGE, Trustee. 5513.

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KNIVES, GUARDS and Rake Teeth for all machines at Murray Co., Honesdale. 5314.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE—Residence of the late H. C. Hand, located at the corner of Church and Eleventh streets; 75 feet on Church street and 120 feet on Eleventh street, together with house and barn. For information concerning above property, address W. H. Stone, Court street, Honesdale, Pa. 43m2

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COVER your buildings with Congo Roofing. It is guaranteed for ten years. Murray Co., Honesdale, Pa.

LOCAL MENTION.

—If you know of an item or a piece of news, tell us about it. That's what we want. But a newspaper man sometimes experiences more difficulty in gathering news than one would imagine. This was the case when a reporter in a neighboring town, who a few days ago was sent to write up a fire in a residence, going to the door he inquired for the lady of the house. The maid said she was out. "Are any of the family at home?" inquired the scribe. "No, they are all out," was the reply. "Well, wasn't there a fire here last evening?" "Yes," said the hired girl, "but that's out, too."

—Strawberries are all in, but then, huckleberry pie is nothing to be sneezed at.

—The residence of M. J. Kelly is offered for sale. This house would make an ideal clubhouse or hospital.

—On W. J. McIntyre's lawn on Main street Thursday evening Miss Cora Budd's Sunday school class of the Methodist Sunday school held an ice cream sale and cleared \$18.70 for missions.

—Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer has at his disposal 1000 copies of the famous cook book published by the agricultural department of the government. Anyone having need of such a volume can have it if they will address a postal to the Congressman asking for it.

—Dairy and Food Commissioner James Foust has ordered an investigation into the ice cream cones sold in Pennsylvania, to ascertain if they contain any materials injurious to health. Samples are being taken in several cities.

—New York has a new automobile law in effect Aug. 1. A series of questions must be answered by owners of cars and applicants for a chauffeur's license, which are designed to identify the machine and its owners and to show that drivers are competent and experienced and that the car will be run with proper regard for the safety of patrons of the highways.

—George Graham has sold his place at Pleasant Mt. to R. W. Denio and in the fall will move to Honesdale. He for some years was in charge of the Grange, a large estate near Dundaff.

—Applicant has been made for a charter by J. D. Weston, E. C. Mumford, O. M. Spettigue and A. L. Bishop for the purpose of establishing an automobile line between Mast Hope and the Forest Lake clubhouse.

—The Pike County Press printing office has been moved from the Brown building in Milford to its new home on Ann street and the paper will be issued from that place. The Citizen wishes its interesting exchange continued excellence in its new home.

—A lawn social under the auspices of the Y. M. B. C. of the M. E. Sunday school will be held on Dr. Butler's lawn Thursday night. Ice cream and cake will be sold. Should the evening be stormy, the cream will be served on the porches of the neighbors. Music during the entire evening. A good time is assured.

—Congressman William S. Bennet, for whom a gubernatorial boom was formally launched a month ago, has engaged Albert S. Falck to manage a campaign to land the Republican nomination for him. Mr. Falck is supervisor of the census in the New York district and is a close personal and political friend of Mr. Bennet.

—W. A. Sluman, who gives much of his time to its affairs, is authority for the statement that the Fourth of July picnic held by Texas Hose company, No. 4, in Bellevue park, cleared \$108.50 to be exact. This will help pay off the mortgage on the company's house. The past two years \$1,000 has been spent by the company in this way.

—The state highway department, through its superintendent, Joseph W. Hunter, has agreed to pay three-fourths of the expense of oiling state roads before the roads are accepted by county commissions and supervisors, the township and county in which the road is located, paying one-eighth each. The cost of oiling roads is \$300 per mile.

—A case of smallpox was reported at Starrucca last week. The patient is Edward Hobbs, of Endicott, N. Y., a shoemaker, aged 24 years. He was visiting at the home of his father-in-law, Fred Stone, when stricken. The case is a mild one and it is thought that Hobbs contracted the disease before he went to Starrucca.

—The backwardness of the season is blamed for driving at least one summer hotel proprietor to the wall. Mark J. French, proprietor of the Ward house, Towanda, one of the best known hotels in this part of the state, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, saying the dull and late season forced him to it. French lists his liabilities at \$20,000 and his assets at \$12,000.

—Lehigh county farmers are alarmed about the ravages of a new kind of corn pest. It is somewhat like a cutworm, and some plants are damaged so badly that they will not yield. The time is a critical one, as the plants are not strong enough to withstand the ravages of the worm, and it is too late to replant corn. Samples of the worm have been sent to Professor Surface, the state zoologist, with requests for instructions how to destroy the pest.

—Former Editor Nelson J. Spencer, who was raised at Damascus and sowed and reaped in that part of Wayne county when he was a boy, went up there last week to help out in the family haying. He wishes now that he had stayed quietly in Honesdale. While pitching on the cart Mr. Spencer thrust a tine of a hayhook into his left hand. He came back to Honesdale with a sore hand and a bandage, but he went to work when he got here. The hand does not bother him a great deal.

—Seaman, Irwin and Breneman had a cave-in on the Dyberry state road just beyond the fair grounds Thursday that will set them back some, though the firm at once put all their men at that point and got the ditch boxed up and a pump started. The cave-in extended nearly 100 feet along the road and was caused by a thin streak of quicksand the contractors did not know about until the other day. The whole job is to be 9500 feet. Thirty-three hundred, or about 40 per cent, is down. It is still hard to get the needed help and the contractors are taking on every suitable man they can get. They would like 50, but the force seldom goes to 40. The meanest part of the job is the part they are on now.

—Folks down town in the business quarter may or may not know it, but there is a whole lot of naked bathing in the pools of the Dyberry, not far enough from the road for the swimmers to be wholly hidden from view by the trees; and, what is worse, a good many girls—yes, and young women, for that matter—hang around to see the boys on the banks as well as in the water. Four or five well-dressed damsels, evidently girls who were raised well and who doubtless know better than to act so, were timed Friday afternoon by a man who thought he would find out how long they could sit there and watch such a sight. They put in 40 minutes by the watch and were in excellent spirits all the time, though from their actions it could be guessed that they mistrusted they were being "watched" in one way if not in another. There were 26 boys in the water.

—Carbondale's uniformed Woodmen of the World will picnic at Lake Lodore Tuesday, Aug. 2, probably going down in a special train. —The Midnight Sons' dance proved a great success Friday evening. —On Saturday a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartnett.

—Hon. William Stiles Bennet arrived in town last night, and will remain here over Sunday with his family and relatives.—Port Jervis Gazette. Mrs. Bennet and the children will stay all summer. The Bennets left Washington July 1.

—Another change is due in Delaware and Hudson agencies. C. M. Miller goes back to Jermyn, L. Edwards goes to Mayfield, and Layton Jenkins goes back to the agency at Peckville. In the clerk line E. G. Miller, now at Peckville, goes to Jermyn.

—William Stewart of Atco died in the Deerpark sanitarium Friday of peritonitis after a short sickness. He was 18 years old. A private service was held in the chapel of C. I. Terwilliger & Son, and the interment was in Laurel Grove cemetery.

—Ten steel passenger coaches have been ordered from the Pullman company by the Lackawanna railroad. The order calls for delivery by October 1. Other roads have found the steel coach to have an advantage over the wooden car and the Lackawanna will make a test.

—The huckleberry season is under full sway and each day large quantities of the delicious blueberries are taken to the local markets by a big army of pickers. Those who are qualified to speak say the crop this year will be a fairly good one, although it will not be a bumper crop by any means.

—A committee in charge of Carbondale's Merchants' day at Lake Lodore is making elaborate preparations for the big outing, which will be held Wednesday, Aug. 3. Several athletic events are being arranged and some valuable prizes are to reward the winners. The merchants of Honesdale will join the Carbondale merchants this year.

—In this county the Republican insurgent movement has taken no hold, says a political writer in the Scranton Truth. John K. Tener is greatly admired in Lackawanna and his associates on the state ticket are recognized also as men of high character, who command the respect of the voters of the state. They will receive a large vote in this county.

—T. H. Leach, the nineteenth station agent for the Delaware & Hudson at Peckville in six months, has disappeared, and with his disappearance Auditors Brown and Conack of the Albany headquarters have been making an examination of the books. No official announcement of the result has yet been given, but an effort is being made to find Leach to give him a chance to clear himself of grave charges. Leach was formerly station agent for the Erie at Uniondale.

—That friend of everybody's, Harold D. Cooper, who has been employed in the Northern Electric station in Clark's Summit since the station was built, has accepted a position with the Consolidated Telephone company in Scranton and will leave his present employment the first of the coming month. Though his many friends dislike to lose him, they all wish him success in his new position and hope Glen Capwell, who has been hired to fill his place, will prove as jovial as Mr. Cooper did.

—A crazy woman claiming Scranton as her home showed up in Central park Friday night and proceeded to scare or disgust decent people by performing a skirt dance near the fountain. County Detective Nick Spencer, who was sent for, saw at once that the woman, who owned up to being 68 years old, was not mentally sound, so he locked her up over night and Saturday noon bought her a ticket to Scranton and put her on the 12.25 train, first notifying the conductor and brakeman as to the nature of their passenger's peculiarities. The woman made little fuss when it came time for the officer to put her on the train, but she was somewhat argumentative and disputatious when taken into custody. She told Mr. Spencer she wouldn't go to the coop except in the patrol wagon. He told her the Honesdale patrol was out of order and the trip to a cell was made on foot.

—At Williams' pond the bass fishing is going to be something immense just so soon as a few rains raise the water. The fish simply will not bite on hot, dusty days, and Honesdale fishermen who went out there Friday and Saturday came home with clean hooks and empty baskets. "But the fish, the big-mouthed bass, are there all right," said a South Main street expert who admitted he hung around the pond all day Friday without getting anything. "Many of them are big, running from four to seven pounds. Fish of that size are game and it takes a man of some strength to stay with them (the man talking is the big fellow who wanted to bet \$10,000 he could put Jack Johnson out of the place) when they weigh a matter of six pounds." He is going to Williams' pond just the minute the first good rain gets settled, and then he expects to have the bass out of the water, hand over hand and basket under basket, until he gets fish enough to give his friends a feast.

—The Archbald Hose company had an outing at Lake Lodore today.

—The Kaiz Underwear company will resume work on Monday after a two weeks' vacation.

—Rev. A. L. Whitaker will hold service in White Mills Sunday at 3 p. m.

—E. Deltzer has taken the agency for the Regal shoes for Wayne county.

—Advertised letters: William F. Heller, Dr. Harry V. Logan, Mrs. G. B. Wheeler.

—At Grace Episcopal church Sunday there will be services at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

—Ticket Agent Transue sold 169 tickets to White Mills Sunday. The ball game crowd was big.

—Poor Director Del Gaylord and Mrs. John Burcher took Mary Gibney to Danville asylum Saturday.

—Extra cars will be placed on the 12.25 train Friday to convey the Grace church parish picnic to Lake Lodore.

—Francis Murtha, driver for the Wells-Fargo express, has been indisposed the past few days. Walter Bailey has been substituting for him.

—Dr. B. Golden, "Optometrist" (Eye sight Specialist) of Carbondale will be at the Allen House, Honesdale, all day Thursday, at Parkview hotel, Hawley, all day Friday of this week.—Adv.

—Earl Mann sang a solo at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. The name of the selection was "Just for Today." Next Sunday Miss Tydvil Jones of Scranton will sing at both morning and evening services.

—John H. Weaver, John Kuhnback and J. Sam Brown went to Towanda Sunday and on Monday paid a visit to the Wayne Cut Glass company's shop, in which all three are interested and where there are at present 52 men at work.

—Ham post is taking good care of Adam Pride, the old soldier stricken blind 10 days ago. A comrade and a nurse are with Mr. Pride all the time. For the present, Judge Wilson, the commander of the post, says, Mr. Pride will not be sent to the soldiers' home.

—The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will hold an ice cream social the afternoon and evening of Friday next. Tables will be arranged in the chapel and on the lawn. This is a postponement of one day on account of the W. C. T. U. picnic Thursday.

—The excursion of the Moosic and Langcliff Presbyterian Sunday schools Thursday to Lake Lodore promises to be one of the largest ever run by the schools. Music will be furnished by a first-class band. The feature of the day will be a game of ball between Moosic and Avoca.

—Percy L. Cole, who has been negotiating for the drug store of F. W. Reichenbacher, did not take possession Monday, as reported, but he will today. Mr. Cole is a thorough pharmacist. He worked for C. C. Jadin 19 years and after he left that job he decided to take a rest. Mr. Reichenbacher has no particular plans for the present, but he, too, will recreate for a time.

—Former Sheriff Cortright and his auto were going to take Wayne Kimble, Mike Bregstein and John Crogan to the Stroudsburg Old Home week this morning, but the machine broke down just as the passengers were getting in in front of the Jadin building and had to be taken to the garage for repairs. An axle was found to be twisted. The Cortright-Kimble-Bregstein-Crogan party may get another axle and start for Stroudsburg before the day is over.

—For the benefit of those who abhor printers' ink as a prime factor to the advancement of their interests, we should state that Samson—the strong party—was the first man to advertise. He took two solid columns to demonstrate his strength, and several thousand people "tumbled" to the scheme. He brought down the house.

PERSONAL MENTION

Edmund Finnerty of Scranton was caller in town Saturday.

William Mathey of Scranton spent Sunday at his home here.

Lester Knapp of Scranton was a Honesdale visitor Sunday.

Morris Fox of Eagle Pass, Tex., is visiting Honesdale relatives.

Miss Margaret Reilly has returned from a week's visit in New York.

Mrs. William Spettigue of Honesdale is visiting her people in Jermyn.

Marcy Ely left Tuesday for Scranton for a brief visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ella Schwartz of Scranton spent Saturday with Honesdale relatives.

Harry G. Young of Scranton was a business caller in town the first of the week.

Walter Campbell of Scranton visited his parents at East Honesdale Sunday.

Miss Marie Judge of Franklin street, Carbondale, is spending a week at Waymart.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baker and daughter, Edna, returned this week from an outing at Elk Lake.

Benjamin H. Dittrich, who is summering at Laurel Lake, was in town on business Saturday.

Miss Agnes Havey returned from Scranton Friday evening, after a visit of several days.

Miss Olga Pohle has been in Archbald for a short visit.

Misses Kathryn and Verna Drake of Hawley were callers in town Saturday.

Percy Thomas of Scranton attended the dance at Lyric hall Friday evening.

Ray Brown is home from Lafayette college summer school to spend the vacation.

Park Schoonover of Jersey City, N. J., passed Saturday and Sunday with Honesdale relatives.

E. D. Ames of Dunmore was called to Hawley Friday by the death of his brother, W. C. Ames.

Manager E. B. Callaway of the Herald and Mrs. Callaway passed a restful Sunday at Dunmore.

Miss Eva Houck and Miss Anna Pohle are being entertained by Miss Eleanor Duffy of Carbondale.

William H. Kahn of Brooklyn, N. Y., was in town last week and made a trip to Scranton on legal business.

Miss Olive Reilly returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Brooklyn and Connecticut.

Misses Sadie Connelly and Louise Wolf left Monday morning for New York, where they will remain one week.

Samuel Freeman and family left Sunday for their home in New York after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Demer and Misses Vera and Rita Murray are spending two weeks with Cocheton relatives.

Miss Tydvil Jones of New York greatly pleased two large congregations at Grace church Sunday with her vocal solos.

Dr. H. E. Jones, E. G. Lloyd, H. B. Bush and M. D. Fretz have returned to Olyphant from a fishing trip to Lake Ariel.

J. W. Hause, the Citizen's correspondent at Dreher, was in Honesdale on Friday, motoring around among his many friends.

Misses Mame and Mollie Demer left Saturday on a two weeks' vacation. They will visit at Scranton, Binghamton and Lake Cayuga.

Florence Rief, who has charge of the ladies' and children's department in the Rief shoe store, is spending a few weeks at Asbury Park, N. J.

Solomon Jones of Lake Ariel, who has been visiting his son, Albert Jones, and wife on Avenue D, Matamoras, N. Y., the past week, has returned.

Giles Greene, who is spending the summer at Lake Ariel, and his friend, Mr. Rodenack, a classmate at Yale, passed the week's-end in the Maple City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Bushnell, two daughters, Edwina and Carolyn, of Tyler Hill, and son Clarence of Buffalo, N. Y., are at Magnolia, Mass.

Julius Freund, who has been employed in a Nevada gold mine, is home to spend the summer. While enroute East he witnessed the Jeffries-Johnson fight at Reno, Nev.

B. R. Geroy, D. F. Young, R. J. Stewart, J. C. Parker, C. S. Shaw and J. F. Nearing, all Liberty, N. Y., men, motored to Honesdale Sunday and ate supper at the Commercial.

Mrs. M. E. Dunning and granddaughter, Adelaide, left Saturday for Stroudsburg, where they will spend a month with the former's son, George Dunning. They were in time for Old Home week.

Miss Catherine Yates of Cornwall, N. Y., left for home Monday, after a brief visit with her school friend, Miss Dorothy Menner. Saturday evening Miss Menner entertained at the golf grounds in honor of Miss Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrickson, who came to Honesdale on their wedding trip July 1 and have been looking over Wayne county's scenery with a great deal of satisfaction, have returned to Brooklyn, N. Y., where the groom is an insurance man. Most of the time they stopped at the Commercial, Landlord Charles J. Weaver of that house being a distant relative of the bride.

Walter Whitney has returned from a business trip through New York state.

Mrs. Susie Budd of Peckville passed through Honesdale Monday on her way home from Beach Lake.

Daniel Coleman of Scranton is spending a two weeks' vacation at his home here.

Royal Reichenbacher returned Monday evening from a visit with relatives in New York.

Miss Marie Graham of Carbondale spent the early part of the week with Honesdale friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jermyn of Scranton spent the week-end at the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rollo G. Jermyn at Lake Ariel.

Miss Mary Siebecker of Scranton, who has been spending a week with her uncle, B. H. Dittrich, at Laurel Lake, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Penwarden, Mrs. Albert Bryant and Mrs. L. F. Whitting left today for a ten days' outing at Asbury Park, N. J.

OBITUARY.

WOODMANSEE—Horace Woodmansee died at his home in Lake Como, July 9, aged 78 years, 2 months, 9 days. Deceased was born in Preston township. His father, James Woodmansee, was a native of Rhode Island and a soldier of the Revolution, for which services he drew a pension. He was among the early settlers of Preston township. The subject of our sketch was a staunch Democrat and had been honored with most of the local offices in Preston, Buckingham and Starucca. He was an active member of Lake Como lodge, No. 865, I. O. O. F. Deceased is survived by two sons, Samuel B., of Lake Como and John of Starucca, and a married daughter, a resident of New York.

FARNHAM—Henry Gibson Farnham died at his home in Binghamton, N. Y., July 15, aged 68 years, 10 months. He was a son of Gen. Alexander H. Farnham, for many years prominent in the militia of this section of the state, and was born in Honesdale. He was a bright student and graduated with high honors from the Honesdale high school, under the principalship of John Proctor and Charles N. Todd. For a time he was employed in this borough, and then he became a resident of Binghamton, where he filled a number of important positions with great credit to himself. He never married. A few years ago he was stricken with paralysis, which incapacitated him for any further work. His body was brought to Honesdale Saturday evening and placed in the vault in Glen Dyberry. The interment was Sunday afternoon in the family plot, Rev. A. L. Whitaker officiating and only the immediate relatives being present.

KILLED A PORCUPINE.

MacTavish Climbed Tree With No Fear of Needles and Shook Animal Off.

Duncan MacTavish, senior and junior, John Matthews and Thomas Lewis went to ride Sunday. They journeyed to Bethany and came back over the Dyberry road. About a mile from home they spied a porcupine crossing the road ahead of them.

"I'll get him," said the elder Mr. MacTavish, and he got out of the buggy and started. The animal climbed a tree and the man with a club climbed right after the prickly fellow and tried to shake him to the ground, but the porcupine dropped to a lower limb. With a knife they cut the limb off, and then the animal was clubbed to death.

The animal was brought to Honesdale and exhibited to the friends of the three men Monday. It weighs about 25 pounds and is a hardlooking customer, with plenty of needles. Porcupines are rare in the Pennsylvania woods.

The porcupine may be stuffed and kept for a souvenir of the trip, but its future had not been decided upon yesterday.

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