

## LAKEVILLE.

Lakeville, Sept. 18.—Hildegard Lebekah Lodge, No. 359, of this place, will celebrate the 63rd anniversary of Rebekahs Saturday evening, Sept. 20th, in the P. O. S. of hall. Everybody is cordially invited at this service. After the ceremony the L. A. S. of this place will serve a chicken supper. The proceeds of same to be applied on pastor's salary.

The L. A. S. met with Rev. and Mrs. Treat Thursday last. Net proceeds \$5.10.

Mr. and Mrs. Goble attended the funeral of R. F. Post at Scranton on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Daniels returned on Sunday last after a week's vacation at Lanesboro as the guest of their daughter.

Spencer Kimble from Washington, D. C., is spending a week with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Daniels, Wilkesville, Pa., passed Sunday with friends and relatives at this place.

C. H. Pennell returned from Niagara Falls on Saturday last.

Samantha Williams returned to White Mills on Saturday after spending the summer with her grandparents here.

## LAKE COMO.

Lake Como, Sept. 18.—Floyd Phillips and wife of New York city, are visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Schenck are spending the week in Braman.

Inez Knapp entertained Miss Norma Kelley of Scranton, over Sunday.

Charles Sherwood, of Equinunk, spent Monday at Chas. Knapp's.

Mrs. H. R. Underwood returned to her home in Bloomfield Monday.

Miss Katherine Stevenson of Orson called on friends in town Monday.

A number attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Simpson at Preston Park Monday.

Mrs. Geo. C. Merriman is visiting in Scranton.

## WEST CHESTER CASE WAS IN COURT.

State Asks That Normal School Trustees be Restrained from Dismissing Phillips.

Trial of the injunction proceedings brought by the Attorney General's Department on behalf of the State and the State Board of Education to restrain trustees of the State Normal school from abrogating the contract of Dr. G. M. Phillips as principal was begun before Judge Kunkel and McCarrell Monday and took all day. The State contends that Dr. Phillips' contract is a valuable asset of the school which the State will take over under purchase of control of the stock this month, the majority of the trustees holding in answer that recent disclosures about the school show that Dr. Phillips should have known what was going on. The trustees voted 9 to 7 to demand the resignation of the principal, but he refuses to resign.

Deputy Attorney General J. E. B. Cunningham and J. F. E. Hause, West Chester, represented the State, together with State Superintendent N. C. Schaeffer, of the Department of Public Instruction, and Messrs. M. G. Brumbaugh, William Lauder and J. George Becht, of the State Board of Education. The trustees favorable to Dr. Phillips filed an answer admitting the statements of the state and setting forth that in their opinion his loss would injure the school. The trustees antagonistic to the principle are represented by Alexander Simpson, Jr., of Philadelphia, and Colonel A. M. Holding, of West Chester.

## GROWTH OF FOREIGN TRADE.

According to the detailed figures concerning the imports and exports of the United States for the month of July and the seven months ended with July, 1913, made public by the Department of Commerce, the United States foreign trade continues to grow. The aggregate trade in the seven months was \$2,316,144,612 and shows an increase of more than \$64,300,000 over the corresponding period of 1912. This total volume of foreign trade was divided into imports of \$1,018,871,475 and exports of \$1,327,273,137, showing a trade balance of \$308,401,662 in favor of the United States.

## ARE YOU A COMMUNITY BOOSTER?

So far as babies are concerned, you know what you think of your baby. You ought to feel that way about your town.

No one envies a hermit. No one will claim that that is the way to live. Voluntarily to withdraw one's self from society is insanity. Human happiness requires human companionship. It is hard to be happy alone.

If a man sacrifices happiness by withdrawing from his fellows he gains it the more he mingles with them. They are necessary to him—he to them.

The happiest family in a community is the family that participates in the affairs of the community. The happiest family is the one that has its neighbors and friends, and whose members are interested in the welfare of the town in which they live.

Unhappy indeed is the family each member of which is seeking his own happiness alone, begrudging the time or money that custom, if nothing else, compels him to bestow on those about him.

Unhappy the town whose families are endeavoring to find happiness within their own four walls, a family that is not concerned whether the town grows or dwindles, a family that would as soon buy abroad as at home, a family to whom a town is but a place in which to eat and sleep.

Don't be a hermit, either as an individual or as a family. Take an interest in those about you and in Honesdale, your home town.

Don't think less of your town because it is small. The biggest town in the world's history was Bethlehem.

## HELPING SCHOOL CHILDREN.

The State Department of Health has a big task on its hands in making a physical examination of the children in the country districts. Dr. Dixon well says that it is just as important that the country boy and girl be given healthful surroundings as the city boy and girl.

As a rule the country school and its environment are not nearly as sanitary as in the city. The average run of directors have no intimate knowledge of the conditions that cause typhoid fever and other epidemic diseases. In many instances outhouses and wells are located in close proximity, a direct invitation to typhoid. Country children are also handicapped with the same physical ailments. They struggle through their studies with defects of which the parents are entirely ignorant. It is the purpose of Dr. Dixon to place all students on an equal footing as far as it is possible to do so. In thousands of cases the defects are curable.

Adenoids can be removed, poor sight can be remedied, poor indigestion through bad teeth can be corrected, and in many other ways children can be helped to take full advantage of the instruction provided. This is the object of medical inspection. The authorities can go only half way. They cannot insist that the parents remedy the defects, nor can they have the defects remedied at the expense of the State if the parents object. The parents must do their part. If they are concerned over the future of their children they will follow up the reports of the inspectors by consulting expert advice.

## ASKS \$10,000 FOR INJURIES IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

George Schleiermacher, of Callicoon Center, has brought an action for \$10,000 damages against Wesley M. Dorner, of Hortonville, for personal injuries sustained in the accident resulting from the collision of Schleiermacher's team and Dorner's auto stage on the road between North Branch and Callicoon Center on the night of July 24th, 1912, when both rigs went over the highway embankment. Schleiermacher received injuries which laid him up in the hospital at Port Jervis for a long time, and which will disfigure him for life. Robert B. McGinn, of Jeffersonville, is the attorney for Schleiermacher, and John Jaeger, of Callicoon for Dorner.—Sullivan County Democrat.

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through the disguise, falls an easy prey to the schemers.

There is said to be rich fun in the conduct of the coterie who have been financing the Duke, their parts furnishing roles for a number of excellent comedians. Their "Money Talks" song is one of the big hits of the show. In the end they are all out-witted by the little rose girl who leads the Duke back into the good graces of his old uncle and the enjoyment of the estate.

There is a galaxy of pretty songs in "The Rose Maid," such as the "Moon Song" and "Roses Bloom for Lovers," that are hummed and whistled wherever the music is heard. The chorus is described as a rosebud garden of girls and they are all dancers of the gaily girl type. The two acts are elaborately staged, and the costumes are stylish in the extreme. "The Rose Maid" promises to afford one of the very finest treats of the season in this place.

## THAW MAY GO FREE

Fugitive Wins Big Fight in United States Court.

## JEROME ANGRY AT NEW MOVE

Latest Development Indicates Lack of Federal and State Harmony—Hearing Before Governor Felker Necessarily Goes Over Until Tuesday.

Littleton, N. H., Sept. 17.—Harry K. Thaw, newer freedom than he has ever been since the day he was placed in the Tombs for killing Stanford White, by a remarkable turn of the wheel of fortune, placed William Travers Jerome, deputy attorney general of New York, in a position where Jerome will have to prove that Thaw is sane before he can get him extradited from the state of New Hampshire. This situation resulted from an order by Judge Aldrich, in the United States district court, taken upon Thaw's habeas corpus proceeding, whereby he sought freedom from the clutches of the New Hampshire officials.

No day was set for the resumption of the hearing, Judge Aldrich saying that the delay would be "about a week." In the meantime Thaw will be under the guardianship of United States Marshal Nute and Sheriff Drew of Colebrook. A day for reopening the case will be selected by agreement between Thaw's counsel and the attorneys for New York state.

The court granted the postponement at the request of Thaw's counsel and against the protest of William Travers Jerome, who declared that the only purpose of the writ was to keep Thaw out of the hands of the New York state authorities in the event that Governor Felker orders the fugitive sent out of the state.

Judge Aldrich took the case seriously. He intimated that the question of Thaw's sanity and the right and wrong of his detention in Mattewan might properly be raised in the United States district court.

Jerome Gets Postponement. Jerome got into telephonic communication with Governor Felker and persuaded the governor to put off the hearing on the Thaw extradition warrant until next Tuesday. The hearing was to have been held today. It began to look as though there was anything but harmony between the state administration and the federal court.

While the court was giving the decision on the habeas corpus postponement, Thaw looked across the counsel table and smiled broadly at Jerome, who clearly was nettled at the turn the affair had taken and also by remarks made by Judge Aldrich when Jerome raised his contention that the habeas corpus writ was not sued out in good faith.

After Jerome had offered the affidavit of a New York newspaper man to show that Moses Grossman of Thaw's counsel had given the impression that the federal writ was desired only as a measure of delay, Judge Aldrich asked:

"Do you intend to raise this question formally? Unless you have a good case the question of good faith would better not be raised."

## Will Pass on Sanity.

Jerome then said he was willing to accept the statement of George F. Morris, one of the Thaw lawyers, that the writ was sought in good faith. Mr. Morris said that he and his colleagues carried the Thaw case to the federal court in order that every phase of the long contest might be properly reviewed, which, he said, had been impossible in state courts. The hearing on the writ, he said, would give opportunity to have a United States court pass finally on the question whether Thaw was rightly or wrongly confined in Mattewan.

The week's delay, said Morris, was asked because the argument would consume more than a day and Governor Felker had set today for the extradition hearing. Morris said also that the Thaw lawyers had been unable to get a copy of the New York requisition served on the governor.

## JUDGE THAYER ACCUSED.

Federal Official in Shanghai Charged With Shirking Duty.

Washington, Sept. 17. — Charges against Judge Rufus F. Thayer of the United States court at Shanghai, China, were laid before the house committee on expenditures by John F. Curtis.

Mr. Curtis charged that Judge Thayer left his court and spent much time in Canton, while prisoners were awaiting trial. He also charged that the expense accounts of the court were irregular.

Mr. Thayer is sixty-three years of age and was appointed by President Roosevelt. Ten years ago he married Miss Harriet I. Barnes of Albany.

## Tried For Wife Murder.

Springfield, O., Sept. 17. — Charged with the murder of his first wife, Florence Cavleer Smith, by poisoning, Dr. Arthur B. Smith was placed on trial for the second time. The first trial resulted in a failure of the jury to reach a verdict. Dr. Smith has been in jail since last November.

## COLD SPRING.

Cold Spring, Sept. 18.—Madeline McGary, of High Lake, was a caller here on Thursday.

Frank LeStrange had a bee drawing material for his new house Saturday.

A number from here attended the Grange dance at Girdland Tuesday evening.

Clare and Elva Yale recently purchased two calves at Beachlake.

Mrs. Ella C. Douglas entertained the Ladies' Aid Wednesday.

Harold Gager, of Girdland, was a caller here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holbert B. Monington and daughters, Ona and Laura, were High Lake visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gallagher, of Honesdale, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. LeStrange.

Clayton Yale, Sr., is quite ill at this writing. Dr. C. G. Corson of Rileyville, is attending him.

## SOUTH STERLING.

South Sterling, Sept. 17.—Mrs. C. E. Smith fell when going down cellar and broke her left wrist and sprained her right wrist.

C. W. Akers is very sick. His many friends hope for his recovery.

Geo. I. Barnes, Edgar Bates and Ruth Gilpin left for Perkiomen Seminary Monday morning, Sept. 15.

Edgar Robacker and wife and daughter Jay, of Beach Haven, are visiting their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Barnes, who has been visiting their daughter and son in Pittsburg, has returned home.

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