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The residence of the subscriber on Hartford street, overlooking the "Sawkill Glen," with an acre and a half of lawn, well shaded, with carriage house three box stalls, ice house, two story laundry, etc., will be rented partly furnished for one or more years, on the 1st of July next. Apply to A. E. Lewis.

Notice.

Any person or persons in Milford desiring telephone connections will call on or address J. P. Van Etten, Conasaugh, Pa., or at this office.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given, that the limited partnership between Baxter B. Kipp, Horace E. Kipp and S. R. Hazelton under the firm of Hazelton & Kipp Lumber Company limited, was dissolved on the seventh day of July, 1896, so far as relates to the said Baxter B. Kipp, all debts due the said partnership are to be paid, and those due from the same discharged at Greentown, Pike county, Pa., where the business will be continued by the said Horace E. Kipp, S. R. Hazelton and Poston R. Cross under the firm of Hazelton & Kipp Lumber Company limited.

BAXTER B. KIPP, S. R. HAZELTON, HORACE E. KIPP.

July 8, 1896.—4t.

Fresh Kill of Linn For Sale.

George Cole has a fresh kill of linn now ready at his place in Montague, N. J.

Pine Hill Farm.

G. E. Hursch, proprietor. Rose comb white leghorns, eggs for hatching, broilers in season and dealer in poultry supplies, incubator, brooders, wire netting, roofing felt, etc., trees, plants and vines, furnished to order. Office at farm, Layton, N. J.

GRAND DEMOCRATIC RALLY

Held at Chucktown Last Saturday Night.

Chucktown Blazes with Patriotic Demos-tray—The Free Silver Ticket—Several of the Local Candidates and Other Things Enthusiastically Ratified.

Saturday last two mysterious packages enveloped in horse blankets and carefully guarded were conveyed to the residence of a well-known citizen of Dingman township for reasons which will be made apparent as this voracious narrative proceeds. These packages on arriving at their destination were tenderly removed and placed on ice. When the sun had veiled his face in the western mists, the chickens gone to roost, and tired nature was being wrapped in sweet repose, numbers of the sturdy yeomanry of classic Chucktown were seen wending their way to the home of "Dory." Anxious enquiry was made as to the health and propinquity of the blanket-enveloped bundles, and ample assurance given that they were peacefully reposing in the ice box, and were only awaiting the arrival of the orators before placing their contents on duty. It was suggested that some of the party go in search of the loved, but absent ones, but this met with disapproval, no advantages could be taken at this stage, and all proposed to keep an eye on their best friends. Soon, emerging from the fast closing gloom came a dignified and careful official of that township, Mr. Fisher, the constable, making his rounds to see that the law was carefully obeyed and guide boards were all up, attracted by the gathering he paused, and was promptly called on for a speech. Taking something to clear his throat he began by explaining that he had heard wafted on the evening breeze a whisper of free beer, that the siren voice accompanied by an overhelming instinct to perform his official duties strictly, had impelled his footsteps thither, and that the idea of having all one could lay to, free beer in short, was something for which any Democrat would be willing to die for with neatness and dispatch.

"Dory" now took the stump and explained to the thirsty crowd that the two silent friends were West-brook and Heller, and they were on tap. Cheers for those worthies and Democracy in general drowned for sometime his husky voice, but he resumed by saying, he had reluctantly consented to permit these gatherings in the interest of the noble cause of free silver, and all he asked the boys was that they would be careful not to trample his lawn, break down his shrubbery, or kill his cows, otherwise everything was hospitably placed at their disposal, and he suggested sampling W. This done footsteps were heard and the dignified "Piko" appeared. Satisfying himself amply that the contents of W. were not poisonous, he was appealed to for a speech. Rising with dignity he said it was somewhere stated that where the cags were there would the faithful be found gathered together, and while this was not the exact language of the original yet the appropriateness of the utterance was more than manifested by the fact. He then gave his reasons for supporting the ticket incidentally alluding to the obvious situation that at certain stages many things needed support, but he laid particular stress on the fact that the platform proposed to reform the Courts and in order to show the burning need for this it was only necessary to read his able article in the Gazette of April 8th. Cries of "come to the pint," led him to enter into an elaborate discussion of the gold and silver question, and inadvertently mentioning the Republicans as believing in the gold cure only, a voluntary shudder passed through the audience and spasmodic efforts were made to cling more closely to the peeled hemlocks. The subject was distasteful and he was invited to get down. He got, and

asked for refreshments. "Dory" now made the announcement that W. was dry but that H. was full and they would proceed to tap him. While this interesting process was being successfully consummated the orators of the evening Messrs Klorer and Hon. J. J. Hart accompanied by Presidential Post-master Gale put in an appearance. They stated that in taking an evening walk they had heard sounds, and being anxious to know from whence they proceeded, and by what occasional they had followed a natural impulse, which brought them to the spot. Cheers greeted these embodiments of official dignity, and visions of unlimited free beer dawned on the assembly. Mr. Klorer was invited to take the stump. Modestly he disclaimed oratorical powers, but said when it came to counting spokes by jokey he would not take a back seat for any Chucktown. He promised that if elected to the office of Associate Judge he would measure out justice for them with the same even hand he did a white oak butt. This touching similitude brought tears to the eyes of some of his auditors who had been there, and they hastily proceeded to drown their emotions in copious draughts of the contents of Heller while "Dory" who fondly clung to that gentlemen's wooden representative was seen to furively wipe the froth from his eyes several times.

Mr. William Holbert, who is at present a boarder with "Dory" rose after repeated calls and benignly glancing over the audience remarked that he was not very conversant with the gold and silver question, but he was a Dimmyocrat and had been voting that ticket, with casual interruptions occasioned by change of residence, for many years. He said stick to the ticket therein lies our only hope of free beer. Vociferous cheers greeted this axiom and Heller was again called in requisition. "Dory" now introduced the orator of the evening par excellence Hon. J. J. Hart. That gentleman conjured of a weight of honor and dignity resting upon him said, "Poets nascitur, non fit, so it may be said of me, I was born an orator, editor and member of Congress and not made so by any extraneous circumstances. I come before you on this auspicious and eventful occasion to congratulate you in the fact that you have such an eloquent representative. Ill health has prevented me from sooner displaying my wonderful magnetism as an orator, but now I purpose rising to the occasion. I was placed on the naval appropriations committee that I might secure a large appropriation for building a ship canal up the Shohola creek so that material could be easily transported to the site of the proposed national observatory to be located on the top of High Knob, a project dear to my heart, and which would likewise have been dear to the government had not the pesky Republicans refused consent. Think of the vast sums which could have been easily expended, and then think too what those sums would imply to the thirsty of this, my constituency." The thought of the deprivation caused the crowd to hastily hide their sorrowing countenances behind sundry tomato cans partially filled with the contents of Heller, and "Dory" who had been anxiously tapping on the wooden head of that gentleman, discovered an empty sound. The look of dismay on his countenance became contagious, and the speech of Mr. Hart floated on and out to the blue ethereal and into the star-gemmed space beyond unheeded.

"Dory" announced that the meetings might be held at his place if the conditions were kept and promised the candidates that if free beer enough was furnished he would raise the dimmycratic majority in Dingman 15 feet higher than it ever had been before. With three cheers for the local candidates, and a tiger for Brine and Swatson, and free silver this enthusiastic and characteristic assemblage of patriots adjourned to meet at the same place in one week provided the candidates placed the staff on tap.

A SOCIAL EVENT.

An Entertainment for the Benefit of the Milford Lyceum Association Last Thursday Evening, July 23.

One of the finest entertainments given in this town, celebrated for its amateurism in the musical and dramatic line, was that at the Crissman House last evening in aid of the Lyceum and Reading Room Association. The audience was large completely filling the spacious dining room and overflowing to the halls and parlors.

It would be invidious to mention special excellences when all so creditably acquitted themselves, but the cornet solos by Mrs. Whiting, the reading of the "Courtship of Myles Standish," by Mrs. Frank Crissman, and the vocal solos by E. P. Crissman were especially captivating. Following is the full programme:

- PART I. Piano Solo... Mrs. Rich. Mrs. Josephine Hensel, H. G. Williamson, John C. Willcox and Frank Cross. Quartette... Bertha Kleinhans, Mrs. Biddis, Mrs. Bessie, Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Williamson. Banjo and Song... Faley Baker. Cornet Solo... Tramp, Tramp, Tramp the Boys Are Marching, with variations. Mrs. Whiting.

- PART II. Piano Solo... "Air de Ballet," Miss Grey. Reading from "Courtship of Myles Standish," (1. Love and Friendship, Mrs. Frank Crissman. (2. The Lover's Brand, Mrs. Whiting. Whistling... Jacob Kleinhans Vocal Solo... E. P. Crissman. Banjo Accompaniment... J. J. Pollon Cornet Solo... Mrs. Whiting.

The president, Rev. Thos. Nichols, stated that during the past year the association had received a donation from Hon. Julio M. Foster of \$25 to keep the room open one day in the week during the winter. Also one from C. E. Frothingham, of New York, of \$25 which is still in the treasury. Frederick Beadel also made a handsome donation of books. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment which were obtained by passing the hat at the close amounted to \$58.

List of Unclaimed Letters. Unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Milford, Pike Co., Pa., for the month ending July 25, 1896:

- LADIES—Harriet R. McKim, Miss M. H. New, Miss Irene Cayo. GENTLEMEN—Prof. John Kloss, Will Lukens, J. D. Campbell. Persons claiming the above will please say "Advertised" and give date of this list. JAS. S. GALE, P. M.

Driving Part Association.

We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the races that are to take place at Port Jervis commencing on August 11th and continuing through the 12th, 13th and 14th.

The people of Port Jervis have been wide awake in securing for itself and the surrounding towns, an entertainment which will far surpass anything of its kind ever given in Orange county.

The business men of the place have organized themselves under the name of the Tri-States Driving Park Association and are one of the four tracks in the Orange county circuit.

This year over \$20,000 in prizes and purses is offered by the circuit. This has induced some of the fastest horses in this and adjoining States to be entered, and very fast time is expected.

It would be very hard to determine on which day would be the best racing, for there are three good races each day together with bicycle races and exhibitions of matched pairs and single drivers, which will bring to the track a number of handsome turnouts.

The bicycle races is a special feature which will be enjoyed by all. A number of well-known wheelmen have already entered, which gives the assurance of their being a success.

You can hardly afford to miss this rare opportunity for a day's pleasure. We will give further particulars in our next issue.

PERSONAL.

Judge Honck, of Lanran assisted in holding an adjourned term of Court Tuesday.

John C. Watson has moved in the house on Hartford street, next door above Findlays.

Ex-Sheriff Kossier, of Matamoras was in town this week lining up his friends for the coming primary.

Mrs. Anna L. Keller was in town last week looking after her farming interests in Dingman township.

Henry Dewitt, Esq., of Lackawaxen, candidate for Associate Judge was around hustling the boys this week.

George Salmon employed in the New York World is with his wife and son visiting Mr. Jacob Kleinhans family.

Hon. G. S. Purdy, Hon. F. P. Kimble and A. T. Searle, Esq., of Honesdale were in Milford Tuesday attending Court.

C. B. Staples, Esq., of the Monroe County bar attended court Tuesday on business connected with the Ottenheimer Estate.

Mary, daughter of Frederick Fabel of Stroudsburg was married at her home July 21, to Clayton Heckman, of Nazareth.

George Lawyer the representative of the Hale Dental Co., has removed his family to Milford, and will occupy a house on Water street.

Bessie Armstrong celebrated her ninth birthday last Saturday by giving a large party for her little friends, after which they were treated to a straw ride.

Melvin Dupue a former resident of Lehman, and now employed in the mailing department of the Philadelphia Postoffice is with his wife spending a two weeks vacation among friends.

Miss Elizabeth St. John, of Port Jervis and Fred Trosleben of Plainfield, N. J., were married last week at the residence of the brides father, Stephen St. John, by Rev. S. W. Mills D. D.

Moses C. Westbrook, of Blooming Grove visited his brother, Prothonotary Westbrook last Saturday. His wife who accompanied him remained here to attend her son, John C. Westbrook, Jr., who has been for several days quite indisposed.

A Card to the Public.

Owing to a large number of uninvited guests at the Bluff House ball on Friday evening, July 17, this announcement is made. These affairs are a series of hops given by the proprietors of the Bluff House, the Crissman House and the Sawkill House for their own guests solely. Others coming without a special invitation from the proprietors of these hotels will not be admitted.

E. N. BOURNQUE, EMILY CORNELIUS, FRANK CRISSMAN, July 28, 1896.

Historical Societies' Picnic.

The Minisink Valley Historical Society held its eighth semi-annual picnic at Cuddebackville on Wednesday, July 22. The day was stormy and the attendance small, but the ceremony of unveiling a monument erected to the memory of Benjamin Eaton, who one of Washington's body guards, and the addresses promised were delivered. John W. Lyon, Esq. made the one at the dedication of the monument, which was an eloquent and patriotic effort and Rev. Clark, of Goshen, delivered the regular address to the society. The cost of the monument and tablet was \$123. This meeting is held to commemorate the battle of Minisink which was fought on the hill opposite Lackawaxen in New York State, July 22, 1879, between the celebrated Indian Chief Brandt and his warriors, and a company in command of Colonel's Hathorn and Tusten.

Celery Plants for Sale.

5,000 choice celery plants for sale. Apply to or address John Schreiber, Conasaugh, Pa.

A Good Word For The Press.

Speaking of good local papers puts it into my mind that there is a Republican paper called the PIKE COUNTY PRESS, published over in Pike county, Pa. Last fall when it was started everybody said it would die in three months, but instead of dying it is very much alive and giving its contemporary, the Dispatch, its hands full. The editor of the Press is J. Hixon Van Etten, who is a lawyer, and what makes him a good editor is because he has red hair.—Cor. Register.

BRIEF MENTION.

Milford won a victory at base ball July 25 when the nine met at Dingmans a party of players at that place. The score was 12 to 10.

A fair and festival in aid of St. John's Church at Dingmans was held last Saturday evening at Halcyon Cottage, the summer home of Mrs. Doughty, near Conasaugh.

M. M. Cady, Esq., known to many in the town, and now a successful patent lawyer in Dubuque, Iowa is at Washington attending to several cases before the Patent office.

George Daumann who has been making a tour of the County in the interest of his candidacy for Treasurer, reports that he is solid with the masses and is promised much Republican aid.

Simon Barry, who died last week in Monroe county, left property valued from \$12,000 to \$20,000 which by his will will go to the Stroudsburg Methodist Church after the death of his wife and the payment of two small legacies.

The Conasaugh Spring House was the scene of much gaiety last Saturday the event being the first ball in the new room built especially for such occasions. A number from Milford attended, and several Port Jervisites participated.

A number of Milford young people were entertained by Misses Lila and Bessie Van Etten last Saturday evening. The amusement consisted in competing for prizes offered for a floral puzzle. The first being won by Mr. Harold Clearman and Miss Dorothy Forster and the second by Miss Helen Biddis.

The price of ten trip tickets between Stroudsburg and New York, for such occasions, will be held at the latter Hotel this Friday evening. The proprietors of these Houses give a notice in another column which may seem to some invidious, but a moments reflection only will satisfy right thinking people that it is in-trusion for any one to go uninvited, and intruders should not be over sensitive.

The Stroudsburg correspondent of the Philadelphia papers has got the wire again, and is now telegraphing back to the Ledger items which appeared in the Press several days ago. His news items are rich and racy and some of them have the merit of never having been heard of by any other living being. "News, old news, and such news as you never heard of."

A Horse Killed in a Runaway.

Mr. Thills, a boarder at the Bluff House while taking a friend, H. F. McCarty to the train Sunday met with a serious accident. When near the Pierce cottage on the Port Jervis road the horse became frightened and dashed away. He ran so violently into a large oak tree as to rupture a blood vessel from the effects of which he died soon after. The wagon was badly damaged and the occupants somewhat but not seriously injured.

Gold for Dentists.

A dentist in a good practice uses over \$500 worth of gold a year in filling teeth. Some prepare their own gold; others get it from the gold beaters, but the greater part obtain it from dental supply firms. This gold is put up in eight-ounce packages, packed in small glass phials, each containing a fraction of an ounce. The cylindrical pieces of gold in it are gold foil of a very soft and spongy kind. When dressed into a hollow tooth, one of these cylinders will not take up one-twentieth of the space it occupied in the bottle. About \$10,000,000 is now concealed in the mouths of the people in the world.

A Good Garden.

Last week while driving along one of the country roads of Pike, we stopped at the farm owned by Charles Ott in Delaware township, but rented and worked by John Schreiber. On apparently unproductive soil Mr. Schreiber has succeeded in making me of the finest gardens in the county. His lettuce heads in size and crispness surpass anything we have ever seen in that vegetable. This garden illustrates what care and perseverance will accomplish, even in unpromising places.

AMONG THE HOTELS.

A List of Guests Who Are Now Staying at the Various Hotels in this Place.

(Proprietors wishing a list of guests published, will please send them in not later than Wednesday evening.)

HOTEL FAVORITE. Chas. Struff, M. G. Cavall, Misses J. Bavoillet, T. de Thurlstrup and wife, J. B. Stout, Springfield, Ill.; P. C. Dougan, Philadelphia.

BLUFF HOUSE. W. J. Gould and wife, Jas. S. Gallagher, Frank E. O'Reilly, H. Montz, H. F. McCarthy, Miss M. Welty, Josephine Welty, H. M. Gray, Brooklyn; Mrs. J. A. Winsor, Harold M. Winsor, Mrs. M. J. Winsor, Westfield; Edw. B. Ansell, Henry F. Benton, Rochester; Mrs. J. Forsythe, New York.

SANDS HOUSE. Miss M. M. Steffens, Margaret G. Callahan, New York; Paul Heilmann, Gretchen Heilmann, Otto B. Heilmann, Staten Island; S. E. B. Wanzig, Brooklyn.

SAWKILL HOUSE. H. K. Duffas, Germantown; Russell Gilpin, H. S. Canby, Wilmington; J. F. Siserman, J. L. Crooks, A. B. Crooks, Newark; Josephine B. Costigan, C. A. Breen, jr., Miss A. E. Gray, Brooklyn.

DIMMICK HOUSE. Cuyler Van Vechten and wife, Staten Island; W. M. Burgoyne, New York; Sol Cuddeback, Cuddebackville; John W. Korns, Alda Thory, Bayonne; Robert H. Clark, Westtown; E. L. Lamblyer, Hackensack; Edwin Holt and wife, Boston; H. H. Mutchler and wife, D. H. Bush and wife, East Stroudsburg; Miss McCarmen, Trenton; Miss M. F. Mercer, Philadelphia.

CRISSMAN HOUSE. Wm. Hoppaugh, Springfield, N. J.; Wm. Hamlin Decker, Lewistown, Pa.; Frank Lord, wife and four children, Monclair, N. J.; Ralph Alton, Brooklyn; Frank Dunning, Warwick; D. D. Anderson, Dingmans; James Beck, jr. and wife, D. G. Wakeman, New York; R. C. Loech, Glen Ridge; P. K. Vonner, New York; L. G. Kirkman, Fort Jervis, F. L. Tuttle, Haverly; E. W. Roseaver, Morristown; J. Van Houten and wife, Paterson; A. Fountain and wife, Old Bridge; J. E. Salmon, Port Jervis; A. T. Searle, G. S. Purdy, F. P. Kimble, Honesdale; C. B. Staples and wife, Stroudsburg; Ella L. Fillmore, White Haven; Chas. M. Biddis, C. M. Biddis, jr., H. McIlvain Biddle, Henry C. Biddle, jr., E. J. Collins, Port Jervis.

County Court Notes. At an adjourned term of Court held Tuesday July 28, before Hon. G. S. Purdy and Associates Honck and Mitchell the following business was transacted:

Inquest on body of Clara Williamson filed and approved by the Court. Inspectors of county bridge across Dingman creek: Frank Schorr, Martin Hatten and William Gilmore appointed.

Naturalization of Giovanni Marro in open court. Oscar G. Rafferty vs. J. Ottenheimer. No. 2 March term 1896, July 28. Rule granted to show cause why judgment shall not be entered as prayed for. Rule returnable August 12.

Menotti vs. Menotti, divorce. Evidence filed and decree awarded. The treasurer acknowledged deeds for lands sold by him for taxes in arrears comprising eighteen tracts and about 8,000 acres known as the Shohola Falls property, situated in the Township of Blooming Grove, Shohola and Dingman to C. W. Bull, also to L. W. Armstrong four tracts situated in Shohola and Dingman, and to Sarah C. Westbrook for one tract in Porter.

Court adjourned to August 12 at 11 a. m.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Dingman. Geo. E. Horton, et. ux. to Cornelia M. Leidel, dated June 6, 6 1/2 acres, con. \$500 ent'd July 25.

Westfall. Eliza Jane Langdon to Oliver S. Knickerbrocker, dated April 23, 1/2 acre con. \$20 ent'd July 25.

Fair and Festival.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Congregation of Milford will hold the annual fair and festival in aid of the church on the lawn on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 5 and 6. A fine display of fancy articles will be offered for sale. Ice cream, cake, etc. All are cordially invited. COMMITTEE.

A Sum in Political Algebra.

Louisville "Courier-Journal" (Dem.) Here is a little problem whose solution the "Courier-Journal" would like to have—

X represents one thing. Y represents just the opposite. Yesterday X represented the principles of the Democratic party.

To-day Y represents the principles of the Democratic party.

What represents the principles of a man who was a Democrat yesterday because X represented his principles, but who says he is a Democrat to-day when Y represents the Democratic party's principles?