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GEORGE H. McCARTY, Lessee.
July 1, 1897.

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H. STUDENDOFF,
April 27, 1897.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the southern half of the tract of land known as the William Denny, No. 93, in Shohola township, for hunting, fishing, or, any other purpose, also trespassing on Sawkill pond in Dingman township; or, fishing in it is forbidden under penalty of the law.
M. CLEILAND MILNOR,
Apr15 4m Attorney for owner.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the property of the Forest Lake Association in Lackawaxen township, Pike county, Pa. for the purpose of hunting and fishing, or any other purpose is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.
ALEXANDER HADDEN,
Nov. 22, 1895. President.

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Oct. 24, 1895.

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CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondents are particularly requested to send in all news intended for publication not later than Wednesday in each week to insure insertion.

LAYTON.

The township committee will be in session on Saturday Feb. 5, at the hotel of H. E. Montross, for the purpose of auditing and paying bills, to estimate the amount of road money necessary for the coming year, to make out the financial statement and arrange for its publication.

Clyde W. Deming "Ambassador of Christ, and watchman on the tower" was visiting among his adherents in Sandyston last week. We did not learn whether the Dominie tapped the maples for a drink of buttermilk or not. It is a trifle early perhaps to get a good flow.

We note that the Hudson River telephone company is charging a ten cent rate for messages between Newton and Sparta.

Relating to the Kentucky Legislature making the marriage of first cousins unlawful, and declaring those already entered into as incestuous, I wished to say "that I wonder what that Legislature would call it where a man marries a stepdaughter, as one did in this town." If that compositor don't keep a sharp eye on copy this time, we beg to gently intimate H will be after them with a sharp stick or a sand bag.

One of the boys in the Centreville school got into a scrimmage last week and two or three others set on him with an evident intention to spoil his beauty. It is said beauty is only skin deep, if so, the boys played havoc with it for they clawed a good share of the cuticle from the youngsters face. The victim was a sight to behold, but is getting better.

We note in the Wantage Recorder that one of the Board of Education visited the Hainesville school last Friday, and that this is the first member of the board to visit any school in the town, and the term more than half gone. Our school in the town would probably have been benefited by their frequent presence, although the rest of them are doing very well and cannot be said to have suffered materially by the omission.

Mr. John Warner of Fredon, who has suffered from general debility for a couple of years past, died last Saturday, and the interment in the cemetery at Layton took place on Monday afternoon.

The proposed new game laws will provide for a short, but even open season for all game, and establish a boundary with a slight change of dates for the northern and southern portions of the State.

The Centreville school is attracting quite a bit of attention abroad as well as at home. Fighting, swearing and immoral language, as well as actions, seems to be prevalent and unchecked. It cannot be that the parents desire their children to grow to man and womanhood under such influences, and we wonder if they realize what the continuation of such training will produce in the man and woman of the coming generation. No! we cannot even believe that any parent is even willing that their children run wild, in fact we know that most of them are the best of children when under home influences. If then these evils flow from school association as it is admitted most of them do, then the future man and woman can be improved by drastic measures in the school.

Andrew Caton and Mrs. Susie Myers have moved into the Rutan house, near the parsonage, at Hainesville.

Married at the home of the bride's parents in Hampton township, on Wednesday, Jan. 26th, Morgan D. Hughes, M. D., of Layton, and Miss Margaret Wykoff, of Myrtle Grove. We tender congratulations, and wish for them a prosperous and happy life The happy couple took possession of their future home at Layton and commenced housekeeping the same day.

Those who have a desire to keep in touch with the good roads movement in New Jersey should write to Henry I Budd, State Commissioner of Public Roads, for his 4th annual report. They will be furnished free as long as the supply lasts, and are a veritable text book on good roads and how to make them.

Everything indicates a popular, and much lower rate for 'phones in the near future. Mainly caused by the brisk competition.

The Western Electrician records the fact that a southern Telephone company has made sweeping reductions on the yearly rental of 'Phones. For phones on a two or three party wire a 20 % reduction is made. On a four or five party wire a 40% reduction, and business phones on central connections are considerably reduced also. We commend the reductions on two to five party wires to the consideration of our local companies.

Invitations are out for a dance and oyster supper to night (Friday) at the Normanock Inn. Mrs. Mame Hornbeck assisted by her mother, Mrs Briscoe will give her guests every attention and endeavor to make it one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. The music will be of the best.

Wash Depue is making a decided improvement in the inside arrangement of his store. The change of counters will add much to the convenience of the store room.

It is going the rounds that Senator Martin has introduced a bill in the New Jersey Legislature to permit hogs to run at large It does not appear that the Senator specified whether it was the two, or four legged kind. Perhaps that is where the joke comes in. For the latter the present law is good enough, and for the former a bill to restrain from running at large would be in order.

Edward Snook, while chopping in the woods last week felled a tree which lodged. In cutting off a large limb that was pressing heavily against a whitoak sapling, the limb suddenly gave way, and was thrown with great force by the sapling against Mr. Snook's legs. The knee joint was wrenched, some of the tendons at the knee torn loose, and the flesh below the knee badly bruised. The injuries are much more serious than a simple fracture would have been. Doctor Hughes is in attendance, and it is hoped will be able to pull his patient through with a sound limb.

H. E. Montross has rented his tenement house and shops to Morf. Ryman, of Milford. Morf. is an all-round worker in wood and iron and we bespeak for him a fair share of the public patronage.

Gus Grau, Clyde Stoll and B. D. Hursh were out on their wheels for a spin last Sunday and report a good but rather airy run. Ben has an electric bell on his wheel, designed by himself. It is a hummer and the only one I have yet seen. H

MATAMORAS.

Millott's Hotel changes hands about April 1st. Mr. I. J. Van Sickle of Unionville, N. J., will take possession.

Our Post office is a model, and Miss Irene Kimble makes a very efficient Deputy Post Mistress. Post Master Langton is trying to secure a morning mail to be delivered from the Port Jervis Post Office, by that means, we would have three mails a day, as our village is growing it stands to reason the people should be accommodated with mail service.

A meeting of the Young People's Union which is composed of the Christian Endeavor societies of Matamoras and Port Jervis, was held in the Presbyterian Chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Wiegand addressed the societies on "The failures of life and their causes.

The Matamoras singing class under the directions of Prof. Blizzard was to have visited the Tri States class on Thursday evening, but owing to the unpleasant weather we think it was postponed. A very pleasing programe was to have been rendered.

The following pupils from the Matamoras School went to the Port Jervis academy last week to try Regents Examination in Geography: Willie Sampson, Angela Orce, Cora Billman, Harry Clauson, Frank Seybolt, Frank Washer, Eugene Cockran, Charles Snyder, Ica Van Gorvort, and in spelling, Mel'e Sampson, Angela Orce, Cora Billman, Harry Clauson, Frank Seybolt, Eugene Cockran, Charles Snyder, Frank Washer.

The ladies connected with the Christian Endeavor Society of Epworth Church gave a New England supper at the church last Friday evening. The tables were arranged very nicely for the occasion, and everything in the way of good eating was served to their friends, and quite a number availed themselves of the opportunity of getting a good supper for 25 cents. The following ladies had the supper in charge: Miss Katie Wall, Carrie Lilly, Alice Quick, Lulu Billman, Edith Snyder and Stella Adams. The proceeds amounted to ten dollars.

Miss Cora Snyder, daughter of Engineer Charles Snyder, of Matamoras, left town on Monday for Blackwell Island to attend the training school with the intention of being trained nurse. Miss Cora's many friends in Matamoras regret to hear of her departure, but wish that she may meet with excellent success in this praiseworthy profession. S.

GREELEY.

February opened with what can be safely termed a blizzard and a very rough one. All the snow which fell Monday turned over on Tuesday and looked for different quarters, and a good share piled up in the highways leaving some work for the supervisors to open them. Notwithstanding the severity of the day Tuesday W. V. Burcher kept his men on the lake all day cutting ice and drawing to fill Dodgetown ice house. It will take about two days to complete the job.

Fred Holbert passed this place Sunday on his way to Glen Eyre where he is doing a lumber job and hauling flag stone. He has quite a force of men and teams working for him at that place.

Dr. Howard and Johnny Smith made a pleasant call at Hartwell's on Sunday.

Miss Ella Westfall closed her term of school Saturday last at Burchers.

Miss Anna Remsen will close her school at Greeley with an entertainment in the evening. We all wish her success in her undertaking.

The young man who took the school teachers and Greeley girls for a sleighride last Thursday night hardly done the fair thing when he got them some miles from home he left them in the road to walk back or go on foot to their homes.

John Rosencrance went to Lord's Valley last Sunday to give the teachers a sleighride before they left for good.

John Cowgill died at his home near Rowlands last Thursday quite suddenly. He was only sick a few days. He leaves a large family to mourn his loss. The funeral was preached at Westfall Church on Sunday by the Rev. Mr. Hanton of the M. E. Church of which the deceased was a member. Interment in Westfall cemetery.

Well, as the sun rose very bright Wednesday morning old bruin and the woodchuck will go back to their winter quarters to remain six weeks longer. So winter will be as long as it has been as the old saying it is only half gone.

The annual masquerade ball will be held Sunday night Feb. 6th at the Greeley Club House. DAISY BELL.

MONTAGUE.

MONTAGUE, Jan. 30, 1898.

Again we hear the jingle of the sleighbells.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cooper visited Branchville friends last week.

Mrs. Virginia McCarty will leave Tuesday for a two weeks' visit to her daughter, Mrs. Emma Worden, who resides near Paterson.

The committee of the township of Montague will meet at the Brick House on Monday, Feb 7th to prepare their annual statement, etc.

Why kick a person when they are down. Is one misfortune not enough but must slanderous tongues wag and make matters worse?

New Jersey has a new Acting Governor. The Legislative cranks are at their old tricks again changing fish and game laws. Knock ninety per cent. of the present laws into a cocked hat and the makers of them after the hat farmers would be better off.

The L. A. S. of the Reformed Church will give an oyster supper at the Riverside House on Wednesday evening, Feb. 9th. If stormy next fair evening.

The Board of Education of this town meets at School House No. 1 (River) on Friday, Feb. 4th, in the afternoon at two o'clock.

Mrs. John Wood, Jr., of Matamoras, spent last week among relatives in this town.

Moses Schaffer, of Dingmans, Pa., visited his sister, Mrs. Ellen Vanoy several days last week,

Benj. Vanoy and John Hissam, of Milford, called on their old friend, John Vanoy, last Thursday.

L. A. Marthias has a good swell body sleigh, and E. Stidd a good pair of light bob-sleds for sale.

Mrs. E. Stidd is ill in Port Jervis. She is in the care of Dr. E. B. Lambert.

Mercury stood below zero this morning, so those who have to fill an ice house need not be discouraged.

On Thursday, Feb. 17th the L. A. S. will meet at the residence of Randle Sayre. This will be an anniversary meeting. New officers will be elected and the treasurer will make her annual report will be given to the PRESS.

Jacob Morris, one of Sandyston's progressive farmers, for sometime past, has been busy drawing lumber from Port Jervis for the erection of a new farm house when spring opens. DICK.

KIMBLES.

Cornelius Perry, aged about 40 years, died Dec. 23d at his home on the old Milford turnpike. The funeral was held in our school house, interment in the cemetery here, Rev. R. B. Hanton, of Rowlands, officiating. Deceased leaves a family.

Daniel Williams, aged 74 years, died at his son, Elwood's, last Friday. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Joseph Kimble, of this place, and one son, Elwood, with whom he made his home since the death of his wife about seven years ago. Funeral at the house, interment in our cemetery, Rev. R. B. Hanton officiating.

Mrs. Addie Snyder, of Port Jervis, and her two sons, visited W. K. Rutan last week.

Philip Krouse, Sr., Philip Krouse, Jr. and James Harrison took a trip to Scranton recently.

Our Christian Endeavor has closed their meetings till April 1st.

Have you examined Brown & Armstrong's new goods.

In Aid of Cuba.

The Citizens' Permanent Relief Committee of Philadelphia by request of the President of the United States is charged with the duty of collecting funds for the relief of the frightful suffering in the Island of Cuba. A shocking condition exists there, terrible suffering from want, sickness, loss of property, and in many instances the death of heads of families. All this is the natural result of "war," and to relieve from it the committee has been called to work. It will help all alike irrespective of creed or nationality, and all money and supplies contributed will be carefully distributed. Money may be sent to Drexel & Co., or Hon. Chas. F. Warwick, 910 Betz Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Frederickstown, Mo., was troubled with chronic diarrhoea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its continued use cured him. For sale by Druggist & Generals Merchant in Pike county.

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Ancient Local History.

The Register's ancient local history says May 1, 1855, proposals received for rebuilding the bridge at Dingmans.

May 5th, 7,000 bushels of wheat sold at Milwaukee at $1.85 the highest price ever obtained in the west.

May 7th, rafts to the amount of at least $80,000 were tied up in the eddy a mile above Easton, and it is estimated that the value of the lumber floated down the Delaware during the spring exceeded one million dollars.

10 Complaint was being made of the fishy taste of Passaic water at Jersey City. One of the water commissioners gave as a reason that the body of an Irishman had been found in the reservoir at Bergen, just after Lent.

May 25th, H. Seeley Hannahs, of Dingmans, Pa., desired to go to Kansas to try his fortune and wished to take a party of Sussex and Warren people with him.

June 1st, woodshed of Erie railroad at Port Jervis burned by incendiary, loss $20,000. The shed was 400 feet long, 40 feet wide and filled with wood.

July, mowing machines were being introduced quite generally. Price $120.

August 4th, a heavy thunder storm with violent wind doing damage to corn and oats. Barn of Wm. Clark in Sandyston burned by lightning.

August 18th, a light frost in Sussex county but at Bushkill it killed the pumpkin vines.

August 20th, Tavern House of Samuel Dimmick in Milford destroyed by fire Most of the furniture saved by citizens. Insured in the Sussex Mutual for $3,000.

August 28th, corner stone laid for Presbyterian Church at Oxford, Warren county, N, J., Rev. F. Knighton read an historical sketch, claiming it to be the oldest congregation and organized church of any denomination in Sussex or Warren counties, dating from 1743. This was an error, as the Dutch Reformed Society of Montague was formed in 1742, and existed in Walpack prior to that date.

Sept. 20th, corner stone of new R. P. Dutch Church of Minisink, in Sandyston township, laid by Rev. D. A. Jones.

Oct. 26th, Eclectic Hall of Milford, Pa., was in charge of Ira B. Newman and the motto was: "Palmam, qui meruit, ferat."

Brown & Armstrong are selling 75 cent underwear for 50cents.

Telephone Felicities.

The jokes of telephone transmission are innumerable. The humorous as well as provoking features of the service are of daily recurrence, and generally most amusing to those who are not directly concerned. One day two parties quite distant wished to converse upon business matters, as previously agreed. They succeeded in ringing up all right, but then the circus commenced. They hello'ed and jabbered at each other without being able to make the other hear intelligibly. This continued until both were getting a little vexed when some one about mid way of the line was heard to say very plainly; Say! hold on there, I'll give it to him straight, and he did. It was a perfect relay, or transfer and the two principals got all the knowledge they were after through the third party. This sort of thing happens quite often and there are no extra charges for this extra service. Some of the incidences of telephonic service are humorous if you have time to enjoy them, but sometimes when in a hurry the humor of the thing is not quite so apparent. It sometimes reminds one, in its circumlocution, of the gentleman on shipboard who went to the lavatory and found there was no soap. He called the Captains attention to the deficiency and the formula necessary to obtain the soap was something like this. Captain; Steward get the gentleman some oap. Steward: Cook get the gentleman some soap. Cook see here boy, take de gentman some soap. The gentleman got the soa
H.

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" 606, Sunday Only	7.45	"
" 38, Daily Except Sunday	10.11	"
" 6, Daily Way Train	12.15	P. M.
" 30, " " "	3.30	"
" 2, Daily Express	4.25	"
" 620, Sunday Only	4.30	"
" 8, Daily Express	5.20	"
" 18, Sunday only	5.35	"
" 22, Daily Except Sunday	6.45	"
" 14, Daily	10.00	"

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" 17, Daily Milk Train	8.05	"
" 1, Daily Express	11.33	"
" 11, Daily Except Sunday	12.10	P. M.
" 5, Daily Express	5.00	"
" 27, Daily Except Sunday	6.27	"
" 7, Daily Express	10.15	"

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