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HOUSE TO LET on lower Harford street, containing ten rooms. Now occupied by Mrs. Decker. For particulars inquire of JACOB MCCLARTY, Montague, N. J.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing on the premises of the undersigned in Dugman township near the Delaware bridge, for hunting, fishing, berrying or any other purpose whatever is forbidden under penalty of the law. Any person or persons disobeying this notice will be dealt with in the severest lawful manner. GEORGE H. MCCLARTY, Lessee. July 1, 1907.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing on the premises of the undersigned in Dugman township near the Delaware bridge, for hunting, fishing, berrying or for any other purpose whatever is forbidden under penalty of the law. Any person or persons disobeying this notice will be dealt with in such a manner as may be most effectual to prevent a repetition. H. STUBENSDORFF, April 27, 1907.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the premises of the Forest Lake Association in Lackawanna township, Pike county, Pa., for the purpose of hunting and fishing, or any other purpose, is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law. M. CLARK MILNER, Attorney for owner. April 15th

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing upon the premises of the Forest Lake Association in Lackawanna township, Pike county, Pa., for the purpose of hunting and fishing, or any other purpose, is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law. ALEXANDER HADDER, President. Nov. 22, 1906.

TRESPASS NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that trespassing on the premises of the undersigned, situated in Dugman township, for any purpose whatever is strictly forbidden, and all offenders will be promptly prosecuted. I. A. B. CASE, Oct. 24, 1905.

TOR SALE. A small farm located near Matamoras, known as the Hensel or Reinhardt place, containing 31 acres. Finely located, well watered. House and barn. Fruit of all kinds. Part improved. Title clear. For terms, price, etc., address Lock box G, Milford, Pa.

CORRESPONDENCE

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

LAYTON.

John J. Van Sickle is buying timber, which he will have sawed, and sent east by rail from Branchville station. Mrs. Diantha Lowy will be removed to the Morristown Asylum on Thursday of this week. Francis Layton sold five large walnut trees recently to Andrew Yetter for \$75. They will be rafted with others down the Delaware.

The post with the ornamental bird at the top, that has stood near the Hotel of H. E. Montross for many years, suddenly fell on Tuesday morning. It was much decayed at the bottom, but if M. Lawrence's horse hadn't pulled on it, there would have been no need that it should have departed from the perpendicular until Al. did likewise.

Joseph A. Schooley of Stillwater is on a brief tour among relations and friends in Sandyston this week.

The Sussex Telephone switch has been changed from the residence of Dr. Hughes to the Hotel of H. E. Montross.

Mr. Avery, the genial attaché of the Hudson River Telephone Co., is obtaining consent for his company from Newton via Layton to Port Jervis. His intention is that the people generally meet him with a decided show of interest, and very little difficulty is encountered in obtaining right of way. He will be working between Hainesville and Port Jervis this week. As a representative of a fair dealing company, and a gentleman, we bespeak for him a kindly reception by the people along this route.

The Town Committee met last Saturday at the hotel of H. E. Montross. The "Boss" threw his hard-earned victory to the winds, and refused to qualify. John E. Jager was thereupon appointed for one year. Mr. Jager was made Treasurer at a salary of \$10.00 a year. I believe this is the first time a Treasurer has received a salary in Sandyston.

The foundation is being laid for an addition to the residence of Dr. Hughes. It is the Doctor's intention to fit it up as an operating room. The present office will come into use as a reception, or ante-room.

Men, like water, usually gravitate to their level. So the "Boss" got to high water mark when he became Froehlicher, gravitated to Committee this year and next it will be Poormaster or Pound-keeper. Thus do people mark a man down to cost price when they want to get rid of him.

The horse sale of P. Rice Bros. at Branchville on Saturday called out a large attendance. They make the terms and conditions of sale very easy for purchasers, and have established a reputation for honorable dealing that gives them a sure market. The sale indicates a gradual rise in the price of horses, and that tendency is likely to continue for some time to come.

The roads have so far been fairly good throughout the valley considering the time of year, but the road through Culvers Gap has been, and is yet, simply execrable. The moving of loads was impossible, and traffic was almost suspended. The loss in a business sense of maintaining such roads is greater than the cost, would be to build a road that would be good all the year round. Most people have run in this old rut so long that it would take an earthquake to take them out of it.

The Trout season opens soon, and the streams are in fine shape. If the trout are only in them look out for some big yields on the opening day. Hope "Honest John" will give us a whopper on catching "sunkers" just for variety you know. At the sale of Tom Schoonover's personal property last Thursday it is remarkable that good prices were realized throughout.

Lester T. Smith has rented the Alton J. Reaser farm for the coming year, and will sub-let the dwelling to other parties.

N. H. Hopkins' men are getting out a big lot of fine telephone poles in Sandyston for use on the Hudson River line from Lafayette to Milford.

The Town Committee did some funny work on the road business last Saturday. It makes one tired to see a couple of men sit for an hour or two expiating how to vote to please somebody else, and spend half their time making combinations out on the stool, or out to the stool. If the angle swarms had as much back-bone there would still be no difficulty in stringing them on a hook.

The lands known as the Peter Drake place will be sold by the executor, on the premises at public auction, on April 25th at 10 o'clock A. M. B. F. Drake and Clinton Rosenkrans are laying the paint on the new stone at a great rate. The weather is fine for the work, and rapid progress is being made. When the grading is completed it will be the most imposing building in the village.

The church here has made an excellent showing the past year, as the pastor is reported as stating that there is a cash balance in the Sunday School treasury, the pastor and sexton's salaries paid up, and a surplus in hand for the next domain. Now let us go at it with a rush, and get those new stoves, put up the poles and sheds over them, fix up the fence a little, and paint the church. Then if there is any surplus let us have that cupola and bell.

MATAMORAS.

Rev. Father Tries, of St. Joseph's Church, Matamoras, left town early Monday morning for New York City.

Mr. A. C. Patterson, of Wilkes-Barre Pa., arrived in town Monday evening and is calling on his friends in Matamoras. Mr. Patterson had the contract for St. Joseph's Church, at Matamoras, and spent some time in our village during its erection. His friends are pleased to see him looking so well.

Mr. Oran Shay, who was injured short time ago, is slowly improving. Miss Nellie Langdon, who has been on an extended visit with friends in New York and Watwick, returned home Saturday evening.

A Variety Supper will be given at Epworth Church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society connected with the church. A programme will be rendered. Price of admission, 10 cents; supper 15 cents. A reduction will be made at the table for small children. A very pleasant time is assured all those who attend.

The funeral of Miss Zina Chan took place on Monday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Chan. Her schoolmates and friends assembled at 8:30 o'clock to pay their last respects to the memory of the deceased. The Rev. Mr. Curtis, of Epworth Church, made a prayer and the members of the choir sang some beautiful selections. This morning at nine o'clock her remains were taken to Ten-Mile River. Mr. Curtis and some of her schoolmates accompanying the mourners to the final resting place. Miss Zina will be sadly missed at her home and by her schoolmates. She always had a pleasant word for every one.

Miss Minnie Van Akin, a teacher in the Matamoras High School, who has been quite ill for the past few weeks, is now at her duties again this week. Mrs. C. Langten, taught her room during Miss Van Akin's illness.

Mr. Clarence Dalley, of our village, has been appointed through Congressman Kirkpatrick a student in the Naval School at Annapolis, Md. He leaves soon for that place.

A surprise party was given, on Friday evening, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Wiegand, the occasion being Mrs. Wiegand's birthday. At eight o'clock the door bell rang and the good natured pastor responded to the call, saying as he saw the crowd: "I object to so many gentlemen calling on my wife." A bouillabaisse supper was served, after which Mr. A. Marvin, acting in behalf of the company, presented the worthy pair with a set of silver knives and forks, an elegant cake basket, and a silver cup lined with gold for their little daughter, Marie. Mr. Wiegand said he doubted if he would ever have a people with whom he felt so much at home, and said there would always be a warm spot in his heart for the people at Matamoras.

Will Spieldel's new house is nearly completed and is a credit to the place. They expect to occupy it next week.

Mrs. Ketcham, who has had a severe attack of the grip, is improving slowly.

GREELEY.

John Rosenkrans left home and friends Tuesday for South Dakota, where he will make his home again. We wish him a pleasant journey.

Ernest Kleinert and Mr. Newman took a trip to the city last week and while there Mr. Newman took to himself a gay and happy bride. The lady was a widow with one little girl. They came to their future home near Glen Eyre, on Tuesday. Of course the young men gave them a send-off, but failed to make much noise.

E. Kleinert took a trip to Milford last Saturday over the old Turnpike road. This week the Auditors are settling township accounts at Howlands. I. H. Rosenkrans has spent this week so far with them, as he has some township business to settle.

The fine weather still continues and bluebirds and robins are here with their sweet music. If they don't have to go back it will be very remarkable.

W. V. Burcher's teams are hauling lumber from his mill to Shohola Falls, to build a barn for Mr. Garrett Hart. DASHY HELL.

DINGMANS FERRY.

I was in error last week, giving credit to Sweet for advising C. Looking over my file of the PRESS I see the credit belongs to E. P. U.

Ed. C. Binney, of Centre, had the misfortune to cut his knee with a broad-axe while making ties for Garrett Bradhead. We hope he will soon recover.

The hymn, "Shun Evil Companions," is in our school book, and its teachings too seldom regarded, now-a-days. The sentiment seems to pervade in Paupers to the credit of those thrifty people.

We congratulate the Press in its new devil. King Beebeeb could not have mirrored my items last week any better. He made E. P. U.'s Lazy John appear at one time as a thrifty peddler trying to earn his living.

School Report.

MILFORD GRADED SCHOOLS. INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT. Total attendance for February, 42; average attendance, 34; percentage of attendance, boys, 91; girls, 91. Boys present each day during the month: Willie Turner, Bert Quinn, John Palmer, Kenneth Steele, Joseph Lattinors, George Wagner. Girls present each day: Josie Boardlay, Florence Lattinors. Percentage in February, spelling examination, 100 words: GRADE 1—Nora Deagan, 103; Lilly Goult, 103; Bessie Armstrong, 100; Josie Boardlay, 100; Frank Gehrig, 90; Willie Turner, 95; George Jennings, 95; Ruth Dewitt, 95; Helen Hart, 95; Willie Steele, 95; Bessie Vandolina, 95; Florence Vandolina, 95; Florence VanCampen, 91. GRADE 4, Division A—Myrtle Ryder, 100; Irla Ryman, 100; Mabel Van Ethen, 100; Harold Armstrong, 100; Fred Wacker, 100; Arthur Smith, 99; Arthur McCarty, 99; Edna Lanchester, 99; Best Quinn, 97; Gouvy Emerson, 97; George Wagner, 97; Florence Lattinors, 97; Clyde Kipp, 97; Jno. Palmer, 97; Tom Steele, 96. GRADE 4, Division B—Pauline Frick, 100; Emmett Steele, 100; Sadie De Vere, 99; George Heller, 98; Emma Van Campen, 98; Joe Lattinors, 85; Nettie Newman, 78; Will Owens, 74. HAYARD NICHOLS, Teacher.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Report of the Primary Department of the Milford graded school for the month ending March 2: Whole number in attendance, boys, 31; girls, 26. Average attendance for month, boys, 29; girls, 22. Percentage of attendance, boys, 76; girls, 72. The pupils most nearly perfect in attendance during the month were: Lanny Steele, Ernest Kipp, Fred Kurtz, Michael Scott, Maxwell Armstrong, Tom Smith, Archie Steele, Helen Heller, Betty Unsouth, Frances Taylor, Pearl Quinn, Virginia Mott, Marie Chol, Bonnie Reaser. LILA H. VAN ETTER, TEACHER.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Under this head we will insert communications on current and political topics without being responsible for the sentiments expressed, and invite such discussion as may be proper and of general interest to the people.—EDITOR PRESS.

A Civil Request Deserves a Civil Answer.

Lignator's explanation of the origin of the phrase is correct. I was not quoting history, nor desiring to plagiarize, so I gave credit to Byron. Nor did I wish to bring in the Order of the Garter, as that had arisen in a noble sentiment; it did not suit my purpose, so I used the motto in its second sense. However, Byron in his time, by reason of his splendid talents, was admitted to court, and on one occasion, after having partaken of a dinner, and being flushed with wine, committed a great breach of etiquette, for which he was reproved, by using the words in a double meaning. Reluctantly I wrote the article in behalf of the children whose parents do not seem to exercise sufficient care to save them from mortification, and from being ostracized as if they were lepers. So not to give offence to such indifferent people, I used the quotation. If I have opportunity to procure a copy of Byron's biography in which the incident is recorded, I will leave it with the Press for Lignator's information. CESAR.

Hard Times Sashul.

TAKE NOTICE: That the young people's society of the Presbyterian Meathen' house at Milford are agreeing to have a sashul at Mrs. Frank Jordan's house Thursday night, March 21st. A w! peopies air ax! to cum, and bewar the following penaltites, wich will be strictly imposed! For Wimmus—No apers, 1c; hats wich flowers or feathers, 5c;; saerings (plate) 3c, earrings, (diamond) 5c;: wool dress, (old) 5c;: wool dress (new) 5c;: Fingr rings (gold) 1c;: finger rings (diamond) 5c;: Trimmid apers, 1c;: Bokay (Kor-salga) 5c;: No glasses, 1c;: Silk dress or waist, 5c;: ovenin' dress, 3c;:; Prizes, 2 cts.;: Fancy hair pins, 1c;:; cide Komos, 1c;: Borrowed articles, 10c;:; pluged tooth (wich gold) 1c;:; stek pins, 1c.; Gold chains, 5c;: prined shoes, 1c.; Bloomers, \$5.00. Gents—Waxt mustach 1 ct.;: segars in pocket 1 ct.;: Plug hat \$5.00;: Patent leather butes or shoes 5c.;: Bowled hed 10c.;:; ore three for a quarter, didd mustach 5c.;: full beard 5c.;: Blaked boots 1c.;: each Lay down Kollars 5c.;:; Karying Kane 5c.;:; Button hole Bokay 5c.;:; Blackie Suite 25c.;:; Borrowed Articles 10c.;:; Pluged teeth (Gold) 1c.;:; Necktie 1c.;:; skar! pins 2c.;:; Cuff buttons 5c.;:; Haze party in middils cts.;:; Biled shirts 5c.;:; Ekstray-Kolon on handkerchiev 1 "sent" telling secerts 5 for cts.;:; Flarlin 1c.;:; each time;:; Spooling 10 cts.;:; chowng guns, Wocents;:; everybody must eat wich left hand or pay one cent.

Register's Ancient History.

Under date of March and April, 1887, mention is made of the disappearance of a 16-year-old son of James Waddell, from a farm in Blooming Grove, and the arrest of two Irishmen who worked for him on suspicion of killing the boy. Motifark soon after made an alleged confession in which he said young Waddell had been shot by Ed Quirk. The remains were found as indicated and Quirk was arrested, but discharged at the hearing, and McGurk was remanded back to jail as the murderer.

March 10, the Country was excited over the recent decision in the Dred Scott case. A complainer, wonderful invention, was being introduced.

\$50,000,000 FOR DEFENCE.

The Money to Be Expended at the Discretion of the President.

Washington, D. C.—Congress stands ready to place the entire resources of the United States at the disposal of the President for the defence of the nation.

Thoroughly aroused as to the danger of further delay by the conference at the White House and by Secretary Alger's visit to the Speaker, a bill was passed through the House appropriating \$50,000,000 to be expended at the discretion of the President for the national defence.

This is the text of the defence bill, which was prepared in outline at the White House conference, and was introduced by Representative Cannon, of Illinois, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations:



REPRESENTATIVE CANNON, OF ILLINOIS.

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled, that there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the national defence, and for such and every purpose connected therewith, to be expended at the discretion of the President, and to remain available until June 30, 1899, \$50,000,000."

What might be called without exaggeration a tidal wave of patriotism surged over and through the House. Not a voice was raised in opposition, and not a vote was cast against the appropriation. There was cheering when, after the roll had been called, Speaker Reed announced the result of the vote as follows: Ayes, 511; nays, none.

Tried to Burn Deputy's House. New Haven, Conn.—An attempt was made to burn the house of Deputy Sheriff Willard at Watergen. Kerosene was poured upon the piazza and the torch applied. A cartridge with a short fuse attached was placed on the window sill, but the whole thing miscarried. The fire went out and the fuse did not ignite. Deputy Willard has been active in enforcing the Sunday laws, and this incendiary attempt is regarded as the revenge of some enemy.

The Thing

"AYER'S SARSAPARILLA has been a household companion in our family for years. I take it every Spring, beginning in April. It tones up my system, gives me an excellent appetite and I sleep like a top." R. R. WILDEY, Philadelphia, Pa.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF Real Estate!

The undersigned will sell the following real estate, of which Mary Martens, late of the Borough of Milford, in the County of Pike, died, seized, by Public Vendue or outcry. FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1908. At two o'clock in the afternoon, in the hall of the Court House, in the Borough of Milford, vis: Lots in said Borough, on Seventh Street, Nos. 797 and 771. Each lot 40 feet wide and 185 feet in depth. Terms made known on day of sale by WILLIAM MITCHELL, Executor of will, etc., of Mary Martens, dec. Milford, Mar. 8, '08.

L. A. W. REPAIR SHOP.

Bicycles. FOR SALE OR TO LET BY DAY OR WEEK. REPAIRING done by an experienced mechanic. SUNDRIES of all kinds on hand. Agent for the Celebrated Elmore, Barclay and Pyramid wheels. Headquarters of P. C. RUTAN, Broad St., Milfo d, Pa.

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\$15 Suits now . . . \$11
\$14 Ulsters now . . . \$10
\$9 \$6

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Port Jervis, N. Y.

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ERIE RAILROAD

TIME TABLE.

Corrected to Date. Solid Pullman trains to Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chautauque Lake, Cleveland, Chicago and Cincinnati. Tickets on sale at Port Jervis to all points in the West and Southwest at lower rates than via any other first-class line. THRU NOW LEAVE PORT JERVIS AS FOLLOWS.

	EASTWARD.	
No. 17, Daily Express	4:10 A.M.	
" 10, Daily Express	5:20 "	
" 16, Daily Except Sunday	6:30 "	
" 23, " "	7:45 "	
60, Sunday Only	10:11 "	
36, Daily Except Sunday	10:11 P.M.	
" 6, Daily Way Train	11:15 P.M.	
" 33, " "	4:30 "	
" 2, Daily Express	4:35 "	
63, Sunday Only	4:35 "	
" 8, Daily Express	5:20 "	
" 18, Sunday only	5:35 "	
22, Daily Except Sunday	6:45 "	
" 14, Daily	10:00 "	

	WESTWARD.	
No. 3, Daily Express	12:01 A.M.	
" 17, Daily Milk Train	9:00 "	
" 11, Daily Express	11:30 "	
" 11, Daily Except Sunday	12:10 P.M.	
" 5, Daily Express	5:00 "	
" 37, Daily Except Sunday	6:27 "	
" 7, Daily Express	10:15 "	

Trains leave Chambers street, New York for Port Jervis on week days at 4:59, 7:45, 9:04, 9:15, 10:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:00, 4:30, 4:50, 6:20, 7:30, 8:45 P. M. On Saturdays, 4:24, 7:43, 9:08, 9:19 A. M.; 12:30, 2:04, 7:50 and 8:15 P. M.

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NEW.....SPRING.....FOOTWEAR

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LADIES' FINE VICI KID SHOES, genuine hand-sewed in the latest loose lace or button, tan or black, B, C, D or E widths; MEN'S FINE WILLOW CALF SHOES, genuine hand-sewed, welted in the latest lasts, tan and black, in C, D, or E widths, worth \$4.00.

BOTH OF ABOVE FOR \$2.75. YOUNGSTERS.

The kind that don't wear out so easily, you will find here in every desirable and correct shape at satisfactory prices.

CHILDREN'S pure Dongola Kid Shoes, sizes 6 to 11½, for \$5.00. YOUTHS' shoes in satin calf, up to 13½, for \$9.00.

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Our January Trade for 1898 is nearly double that of 1897.

This gives us new courage and we will give the people of Milford and vicinity a larger stock and still lower prices.

In fact we expect to out things all loose this spring and make our prices the cheapest on earth. We have about 7 carloads of goods on the way. All new and up to date. Look out for us this spring.

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92 Pike street, Port Jervis, N. Y. New York Millinery Parlors. New Millinery. New Firm. Old Established Store. Beautiful artistic millinery in all the prevailing styles. BEST OF WORK AT SHORT NOTICE.

Also a complete line of Infant's wear. Give us a call and we will endeavor to please. SALLEY & ENNIS, 79 Pike Street, Port Jervis, N. Y.

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