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We wish all our friends, patrons everybody a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Frank Sanford and John Vandervort two Matamoras boys in jail here for stealing victuals from the house of Anna Miller were sent home by the Juvenile court last Monday.

John Wesley Trivolpiece of Palmers township departed this life Dec 16th in his forty-eighth year. He has made his home with his brother, Evi Trivolpiece for several years and has been an invalid for some time past. The funeral was held Dec 19th. Rev. Perkins conducted the services and interment made in Paupack cemetery.

H. L. Briscoe of Dingman's Ferry and his brother M. V. were in town Tuesday.

E. S. Wolfe visited friends in Aris this week.

Max Armstrong from Blair Hill and Lawrence Lewis and Stephen Palmer Jr from South Bethlehem are home for the holidays.

Wednesday evening Milford Lodge F. & A. M. elected the following officers for the ensuing masonic year: W. M., W. A. H. Mitchell; S. W., E. H. Klein; J. W., H. S. Angle; Sage, G. A. Swepensier; Treas., J. C. Westbrook Jr.; Trustees, C. W. Bull, J. H. Van Etten; Rep. to G. L. W. A. H. Mitchell.

The trial of Henry Brink for the murder of Cooperman Jan. 8th last, was held at Newburgh this week. The evidence was purely circumstantial tending to show that Brink, driving a white horse to a canopy wagon that evening, was not far behind the peddler. That he was in Port Jervis later spending considerable money, that there were blood spots on his boots and overcoat and that he had at his home a black jack. The jury acquitted Brink.

Thomas V. Cooper of Delaware county, called the "father of the house" was burned to death at his home in Media last Saturday night. Being unable to sleep he arose put on a house robe and lay down on a sofa to smoke. It is presumed that he either fell asleep or suffered a paralytic shock and the cigar set fire to the robe.

Some comment has been made about ice being taken from Wells dam because it is alleged a quantity of paper and other refuse is frozen in the stream above. This was taken from a house and thrown in the creek. The authorities probably could not prevent the ice being cut and harvested but if shown that it is for any reason unsanitary they could prevent its sale in the town.

A New York judge decides that poker is a game of science and not of chance. Neither is a game with loaded dice, a game of chance, it is purely a science that of skinning the come on.

Copenhagen scientists, to whom Dr. Cook submitted his data declare him a faker. We do not agree. He is either a fool or crazy.

An act passed last winter prohibiting its spitting in public places, but does anyone presume to say that it is observed? If people will spit on the sidewalk will they not on ice, and that may go on or in your food.

Dist Atty Geo R. Bull, E. C. Wood August-Mercier, and Harry Reed were at Blooming Grove part of this week picking fish. It is said they took 450 bait fish with them.

Madame L. Russell Garner, of the Laette Tarrytown will spend the holiday week in town.

Ben Mettler of N. Y. will be home today for a week vacation.

X. P. Huddy eq. and wife of East Orange and Besse Van Etten arrived today for a weeks visit in town.

Nearly fair and cold weather has prevailed for the past week.

The days have passed the shortest and now begin to lengthen! Hope the old rule about the cold beginning to strengthen will not prevail.

KIMBLE

Rev. C. F. Smalley of Hawley was in town last Friday.

Jennie Rowland visited Honesdale last week.

Otto Kimble passed thru town last Friday on his way to Hawley.

Raymond Emory of Port Jervis is visiting his grand parents Royal T. Decker.

Hesley Decker made a business trip to Port Jervis last week.

Raymond Decker of Bucknell University is spending his vacation here with his parents Frank Decker and wife.

Geo Cortright of Port Jervis called in town one day last week.

Mordecai Edwards of Hawley visited his sister Mrs. E. Malone Sunday.

Mrs. Louisa Miller of Honesdale visited her daughter Mrs. F. Cassell Saturday.

MANY A DAY IS SPOILED

By a cough which cannot be broken by ordinary remedies. But why not try a medicine that will cure any cough that any medicine can cure? That is Kemp's Balsam. It is recommended by doctors and nurses, and it costs only 25 cents at any druggist's or dealer's. Keep a bottle always in the house and you will always be prepared to treat a cold or cough before it causes any suffering at all.

To Our Friends And Patrons

We extend to you our most sincere wishes for a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a prosperous and HAPPY NEW YEAR to come.

As 1909 nears its end, we feel that we should properly extend our appreciation of the co-operation and encouragement which have been offered us this year, even more than ever before, by all the good friends in Milford and vicinity whom we have been able to serve.

I am respectfully yours, JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fitter of Feet

LICENSE TRANSFER

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Pike County on January 8, 1910 for the transfer of the retail liquor license of Floyd E. Bernas for a Hotel in Westfall Township to Rodrick C. Mackenzie.

John C. Westbrook Jr., Clerk December 23, 1909.

MAST HOPE

Mrs M. Lehman has gone to Chicago for 2 weeks and then will go to Los Angeles Cal. to spend the remainder of the winter. Her cottage will be occupied during her absence by General Hayes of New York city.

Mrs. Mary Mullery has gone to Port Jervis to spend the winter with Mrs. Will Harris.

James Seldon came to this place last week.

Edward McMahon and wife were guests of Mr. McMahons parents.

Miss Katy Glaab has been visiting her uncle Fred Shotts.

Albert Straubhan and wife are occupying rooms with C. A. Hankins in Mrs. Hulda Deterick's house.

Ethelbert Crawford has surveyors going over his mother's property at Tusten.

Edward Wisler who cut his leg when cutting sprags, is getting well.

T. J. McMahon spent Thursday with his parents.

Joseph McMahon has been transferred from the T. N. Tower to one on the branch at Lackawaxen

Edward Joyce is employed in a telephone office at Pocono.

Charles A. Dabrow is enjoying the holidays with his family at Newark Valley N. Y.

Miss Catherine Schott has closed her school at Fremont Centre for a two weeks holiday vacation which she will enjoy at home.

Miss Ida Hankins was home to spend Thanksgiving with her parents

Eachre parties are now enjoyed by young people in this vicinity. They met at different places, play games have light refreshments and a jolly time generally and return home pleased with the evenings entertainment

Mrs Bruffet passed her 79th birthday last month in Binghamton. The greater part of her life was spent in Tusten N. Y. No gray hairs adorn her head, she has her second eye sight and is as active as she was twenty years ago.

Chester Nearing and wife were entertained at W. H. Hankins part of last week.

The Gazette says: "P. R. Pickelle of this place has been granted a stay until March to prevent the German Court from probating any part of his father's will, who died suddenly in Barnvia last October aged 90 years. The estate is very large consisting of lands in Regensburg, Mr. Pickelle was formerly of Indiana but some years ago retired to Germany."

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THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE.

The Christmas eve, a snowy one A log fire, a barns within A happy group of children play And make a merry din Around the Christmas tree. The lights On branches burn. The toys Such never grin on trees before Grow tonight for girls and boys.

The tree a most prolific one Was made a load to bear Cakes, bon bon, gloves and shoes And other things quite rare. All the boughs are drooping low So heavy is the fruit, Twin girls are sitting on the floor Each dressed in a white suit.

And oh, the soldiers, drums and horns, The skates and sleds, dear me, So freely scattered all about And 'neath the Christmas tree, Such tooting and such shouting loud, Clapping, dancing, I believe We've the happiest tots to Christ in. This merry Christmas eve

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CHARTER NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, January 24th, 1910, by Leroy E. Kipp, Albert L. Cumbler, M. H. Linsley, A. H. Hanners, Wm. F. Poggenburg, George J. Cutler and Charles H. Morgan under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 22, 1874, and the various amendments thereto, for the charter of an inland corporation to be called Haska Realty Co. the character and object of which is purchase and sale of real estate and of holding, improving, leasing and selling real estate, and for those purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

JOHN A. RIPP, Solicitor. Dec. 22, 1909.

High Grade Foot-Wear For The Holidays

We have made ample provision for the approaching Holidays in everything pertaining to high grade footwear—Artics, Rubber Boots, and leggins for the little ones, Men's and boys' high top laced Boots in English grain leather, Tan and Black, and for father who has to do the hustling the Lan bertville snag proof Rubber Boots. In the finer grade of goods the La France shoes for Women at \$3.00 and \$3.50 and the Douglas and Crosset shoes for Men at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and 5.00. Slippers, well say We are just in it Men's Women's and children's from \$3.35 to 2.50

Now a word to the Ladies:—

Don't allow your husband or brother to walk around the house picking up carpet tacks with his bare feet and then blaming you for it when you can purchase tack proof slippers for them at the above prices.

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JOHNSON, FITTER OF FEET, Port Jervis, N. Y.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank of Milford in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Nov. 16, 1909.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES. Rows include Loans and discounts, U.S. Bonds, Bonds, securities, etc., Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, etc.

Total \$235,456.88 State of Pennsylvania, County of Pike, ss I, John C. Warner, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOHN C. WARNER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Nov. 1909. J. C. GRAMBERLAIN, Notary Public. Correct—Attest: A. D. BROWN, G. O. ARMSTRONG, W. A. H. MITCHELL, Directors.

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Output of Precious Metals. It is impossible to give an absolutely accurate statement of the gold and silver output of earth's mines. The European stock of precious metal before 1850, including the flow of wealth from Mexico and Peru, amounted to over \$500,000,000. There came the almost fabulous wealth of California and Australia. The greatest output of gold in California was in 1852, \$65,000,000, and in Australia in 1874, \$168,000,000.

\$100 Reward, \$100 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread-d disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any disease that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CRENEY & CO., Tol. O. Sold by all druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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