

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Six days, and summer will be gone.

The 5th. of Sept., is the last day for registration.

Miss Dora Clark of Elmira, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Edith Bruner of Muncy, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Rosa Miller, of Middletown, N. Y., is visiting friends in town.

Rev. S. F. Colt of Wysox, held services at Eagles Mere, on Sunday last.

Miss Anna Gately of Williamsport, is visiting D. Kennedy and family of LaPorte.

T. J. Jordan of Dushore, was transacting business in town on Saturday.

There is nothing more uncertain than a game of base ball, except the age of a woman.

Commissioner Hugo of Elkland, was doing business at the county seat, on Saturday.

Clinton Lloyd and wife of Williamsport, were guests of the Mountain House, last week.

Dr. S. F. Colt, and daughter Miss Susie of Wysox, were visiting friends in town during the week.

The newspaper is the bulletin board where every good business man posts his general orders.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Messenger, of LaPorte, were visiting friends in Columbia county, last week.

Mr. Jas. C. Sechler and Mr. Chas. Cruikshank, both of Danville, are summer guests of the LaPorte Hotel.

Mrs. G. H. Watkins and Mrs. M. J. Mason, both of Towanda, are guests of Judge Ingham, of this place.

Mrs. M. L. Dunham, mother of Atty. Dunham, who has been visiting friends in Milan, returned home on Friday last.

The painting of the Presbyterian church at this place was completed on Friday and presents a very creditable appearance.

The next great national celebration will be the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, October 12th, 1892.

A. A. Baker, an old veteran and family of LaPorte twp., left for Athens on Tuesday, and took in the soldiers re-union, at that place on Thursday.

Miss Katie Kennedy of LaPorte, who was taken seriously ill with cholera, on Tuesday evening of last week, is very much better at this writing.

Chief Deputy E. P. Ingham of Philadelphia, will visit LaPorte on the 16th of Sept., (court week) and will look after matters in which he is interested.

James Bowman Esq., a member of the Mokoma Land Company, of Muncy, spent several days in town last week and was a guest of the Mountain House.

Mr. James Carmody Sup't. of the L. V. extension at Lopez, and Miss Emma Deegan daughter of Jerry Deegan of Lopez, are to be married in the very near future.

John Hileman of Dushore, who contracted to repair the county bridge of the county Commissioners over Elk Creek, near Hills Grove, completed the same on Friday last.

The 5th day of Sept. is the last day for registration to secure you a vote on the 5th of next November. Republicans attend to this matter at once and see that you are properly registered.

Eugene Tripp of LaPorte is erecting a three story building at Jamison City. The first floor will be furnished by Mr. Tripp, with billiard and pool tables and the second will be used as a public hall.

The grading of the yard in front of the M. E. church on Friday last has decidedly improved the appearance of the entire surrounding of said building. Our citizens did not turn out in a very large number but those who did lend a helping hand did good work and are deserving of many compliments.

J. H. Cronin, F. H. Ingham and Nathan Persun, viewers on a road leading from the mouth of Mill Creek to Chas. Yonkin, were fulfilling their appointments on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Judge Ingham and her guests, Mrs. G. H. Watkins, Mrs. M. J. Mason, Miss Rosa Miller, Miss May Watkins and Miss Susie Colt, took a pleasure ride to Eagles Mere, on Monday.

Have you noticed our new sign? It is a dandy. Edwin C. Stanley of LaPorte, artist, did the work. For lettering or painting of any kind, give him a call, satisfaction always guaranteed.

Mr. Caleib O'Brien who is studying medicine at the Jefferson Medical College Philadelphia, and Mr. George Crossley, both of Benton, were guests of the LaPorte Hotel, on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. E. V. Ingham of Eagles Mere returned to Wysox with her father Rev. S. F. Colt, and her sister Miss Susie Colt, who have been visiting friends in Sullivan for a few days, on Tuesday last.

T. J. Keeler of LaPorte received the contract for building the new school house at this place for \$2925.00. The Directors met on Saturday and staked out the location of the building. It is to be built partly of brick.

The Dushore Review and Gazette are snarling at one another, should either turn his back to his opponent he would place himself in position for a warm reception providing the aggressor could see his way clear around the corner.

Mr. G. W. Bennett of Shrewsbury while engaged in cutting underbrush on his farm last week, fell on his axe and cut a severe gash on his head, a physician was called to bandage the wound and stop the flow of blood.

It appears that Jeff Davis' book, "The Rise and Fall of the Southern Confederacy," has proved to be an unprofitable speculation. The publishers did all they could for it, but the name of the author was a fatal drawback. Nobody cares for history written by a man who emerged from a great war in feminine attire.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the particulars of the murder at Tunkhannock on Aug. 12th, taken from the Tunkhannock Democrat. The REPUBLICAN as usual was the only paper published in Sullivan county that informed its readers of the tragedy last week when the news was fresh, to the people.

The announcement that no State fair will be held this year means that the Pennsylvania Agricultural Association is bankrupt. It is not particularly creditable to this great State that such is the fact, unless, as is hinted in some quarters, mismanagement and incompetency have brought about this untoward result.

Several infants of LaPorte township were sprinkled with wholly water and made members of the Wholly Catholic church at Dushore, on Sunday last. Among the number was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gallagher. Frank in honor of the occasion invited his many friends to dine with him on Sunday and spend the afternoon.

The Sullivan county Democratic standing committee met in the Court House on Saturday last, and resolved to hold their delegate election on Saturday Sept. 7th, and there County Convention on Tuesday following, Sept. 10th. At this date a lively time may be expected. The band will play "catch on to the tail of me coat" during the afternoon exercises.

Our borough gads are not much on finery and neatness, which fact is proven by the dilapidated fence around the public square. The president of this body is an old surveyor and has a correct eye. We would suggest that he take a glance over the structure and report at the next meeting of the condition of the same.

Manley Gilbert of Elkland twp., was arrested on Saturday Aug. 17th, for violating the fish law. Mr. C. B. Jennings of Elkland was the prosecutor. The case was tried before Esq. J. W. Rogers of Forksville, on Aug. 17th, and Mr. Gilbert was convicted of having in his possession 40 trout. Mr. Conrad Wedtlauffer went Mr. Gilbert's bail in the sum of \$300.

The Republicans of Sullivan county are getting quite anxious about the banner which was promised us by Ex-chairman Cooper last Fall, for the largest Republican gains of any county in the State. The business relations of Collector Cooper, is no doubt the cause of the delay.

The work of recounting the votes for Governor in West Virginia still goes on, and it can now be set down as a settled fact that Fleming the Democratic candidate, will be awarded the position; not so much because the preponderance of votes was in his favor, but because the exigencies of the Democratic party in the Panhandle State render it imperative necessary that they should have a man of their faith at the helm.

A championship skull race will take place on Lewis' Lake on Monday Aug. 26th, between Paul Hunker and John Y. Park both of Philadelphia. The contestants arrived at the 'Mere on Thursday with skulls and attracted much attention. A silver Pitcher will be awarded the winner by the guests of Hotel Eagles Mere. A dance will take place in the Rink in honor of the event during the evening to which all are invited.

The County Commissioners of the State will meet in third annual convention at Allentown on the 23d of September. The object of the convention is to ascertain the operation and construction of the general laws relating to counties; to advocate legislation more uniform; to prevent waste and mismanagement in the administration of public funds and generally to discuss the duties and obligations of public municipal officers. The purposes are important and no doubt the convention will be well attended.

It is rumored that Mr. Thorp, President of the Keystone Watch Case Company, of Philadelphia, will erect a ten thousand dollar Hotel on Mokoma Heights in the near future. Mr. Thorp is a capitalist of Philadelphia and expresses his willingness to invest ten thousand dollars in this enterprise providing he can secure a renter who will be willing to pay 6 per cent rent for money invested in the same which would amount to six hundred dollars rent per annum should he involve the amount spoken of above. Mr. Thorp will visit LaPorte next week and will then decide definitely as to what action he will take in the matter.

Miss Emma Monk, Miss Victoria Lusch and Miss Lizzie Donahoe, all of Dushore, were contestants for a gold watch at the Catholic picnic held at Dushore on Aug. 15th. The prize was to be given to the one who raised by subscription the largest amount of cash which was done by circulating memorandum books to their many friends throughout the county, persuading upon them to give something for old acquaintance, which plea proved quite successful. The result was as follows: Miss Monk, \$126.00, Miss Lusch \$86.00, Miss Donahoe \$166.00. Miss Donahoe was the successful candidate which fact we are pleased to note.

The Masquerade party given by the young people of town at the Mountain House on Friday evening last was a very pleasant affair. There were twenty or more young people masked, some presenting a very attractive appearance while others were adorned in satan's robe and their ghastly appearance were sufficient to frighten an old veteran. Among those who were attractively disguised, were: Miss LaPierre and Miss Shoemaker, summer guests of the Mountain House. They were dressed in white representing "two sisters." Mr. D. W. Garrigues of Philadelphia and a summer guest of Maplewood Cottage, was not so attractively adorned but played his part well and it was a mystery to many who the gentleman was. This suspense was continued until the party un-masked. At this stage of the game, it was remarkable to observe the change of countenances of the many young ladies who had mistook their prey. The party was pleasantly enjoyed by all present. Excellent music was furnished by R. J. McHenry of Dushore, which added very much to the evenings entertainment.

The evening mail from Nordmont, which arrives at 8:30 p. m. is a great convenience to the people of this vicinity.

It is rumored that John Utz Esq., of Dushore, will come out as an independent candidate for sheriff, should he be defeated for the nomination in the Democratic convention. Mr. Utz is a particular friend and a pretty good worker for the Republican party and we will insure him quite a number Republican votes, should he announce himself an independent candidate for the many favors shown the Republican party in the past.

Mr. F. P. Haussens, Mr. Harry Foster and two sisters, Miss Anna and Miss Emma Foster, city guests of Fairview cottage, took a pleasure ride to Eagles Mere on Thursday last. They drove Chas. Lauer's team with platform wagon. On their way to the 'Mere while turning out for a team to pass they unfortunately upset but fortunately no damage was done. On their return to LaPorte they met little Sailor Lawrence, son of Wm. Lawrence, at the blacksmith shop and requested him to get in and they would take him for a drive. They drove up Main and down Muncy Sts., to opposite of the Green home-stand and there while in the act of turning around upset the second time. The horses took fright and ran for several rods when one of the animals fell. The occupants were thrown out and all were quite seriously injured. Sailor was taken from underneath the ruins and carried home by Judge Ingham but never uttered a cry, thus proving himself a hero of the first water. The ladies were assisted into the residence of Chas. Landon who occupies the Green house where their injuries were cared for by the many citizens who assembled at the place of accident. The party recovered sufficient, however, to return to their city homes on Saturday. Sailor was confined to his bed for several days but is now entirely well and enjoying his usual out door sports. The accident was a frightful scene and was very carelessly done and proves without doubt that city people have but little knowledge of country driving. Our liverymen should furnish drivers on such occasions.

The picnic to Nordmont from along the line of the Reading R. R., on Saturday last was a decided success. There were ten coaches and one baggage car filled with sight-seers, numbering eight hundred. They picnicked in the grove a short distance above the Nordmont dam. We visited the grounds during the day and enjoyed the good music furnished by the Montgomery brass band. The party consisted of young and old and all seemed to enjoy the sport very much. They picnicked in small groups of from six to twenty persons consequently the grove was liberally covered with tables and all evidently enjoyed a good hearty meal. The farmers in the vicinity of Nordmont at the suggestion of General Manager, Welch, were on hand at the grove with lumber wagons ready to transport them to Lake Mokoma. A large number came up to view the lake and were very much pleased with the attractions. Among the number who visited LaPorte were a few roughs and while indulging in their chosen pastime became a trifle noisy and necessitated the Sheriff to quiet the disturbance by threatening the roudies that he would pull them in, and on one occasion took from his pocket a pair of iron bracelets and but for the pleas of one or two sober men in the crowd would have placed them in safe quarters for the night. On such occasions it is impossible to prevent a certain class which is visible in all localities and a disgrace to the same, from joining, and we imagine that a very large majority of those who comprised the excursion were disgusted with the actions of those who were filled to the brim and used disgraceful language and could they have had their say would have cooled them off in the deep waters of Lake Mokoma.

S. S. Simmons Post, G. A. R. Take notice: Members of this Post are requested and urged to be present at next Post meeting at LaPorte, on Aug. 31st, 1889. J. C. PENNINGTON, Com. Nordmont, Aug. 18th, 1889.

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