

LOCAL DEPARTMENT

The days are shortening. Dog days begun on the 17th. Quoit pitching is the order of the day.

The blackberry crop will be immense.

The sunny side has become the unpopular side.

The census enumerators will be paid off next month.

E. P. Ingham returned to Philadelphia, on Monday.

Green apples and cholera morbus now travel hand in hand.

Proth, Walsh, of LaPorte, Sundayed with friends at Dushore.

E. J. Flynn and Richard English of LaPorte, took a drive to Sonestown, on Sunday.

The young people of LaPorte, will enjoy a masquerade ball in the Hall, on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hatfield of Vernon, Wyoming county, are visiting friends in town.

Prof. F. W. Meylert is suffering with one of Job's "pass times" on the back of his neck.

The Social will be held at Mrs. Wm. A. Mason's, Thursday evening July 24th. All are cordially invited.

Thos. E. Kennedy accompanied by his sister, Miss Annie drove over to Dushore, on Sunday, and attended church.

F. P. Vincent and Frank Buck, both of Dushore, were calling on friends at the county seat, on Sunday.

Jealously of your neighbor's welfare is the foundation of much trouble, even in LaPorte this is quite noticeable.

It is evident that marriages is a partnership business, and it is just as evident that the woman is not the silent partner.

Wm. Loeb of LaPorte, left for Philadelphia, on Tuesday morning, where he has accepted a position as clerk in a store.

Mr. and Mrs. David Crossley of Benton, were visiting their son F. M. Crossley and family of this place, the early part of this week.

Mr. Charles Lauer and Miss Spallen of the Mountain House, drove over to Dushore, and attended early Mass, on Sunday last.

G. E. Donahoe, of the firm of Lawrence Bros. & Donahoe, of Dushore, was transacting business at the county seat, on Monday.

When you speak of Cleveland for President don't forget DEWEY. He is the man that will take the seat that Cleveland has his eye on, in 1892.

Russel Karns of LaPorte, who is seeking the Democratic nomination for Member, is repairing political fences in the Western part of the county, this week.

Mr. E. S. Hogan of Sugar Run, while on a business trip to Williamsport, Harrisburg and other inland cities, registered at Hotel Kennedy, on Thursday last.

Newell of the *Dushore Review* accused us of having a burnt head on returning from the city. Will Newell please inform us what he meant by the accusation?

The EaglesMere syndicate is grading a base ball ground at the head of the lake. When completed, the 'Mere boys, say, it will be one of the finest in the county.

Mr. D. W. Garrigues of Philadelphia, who is the owner of Mokoma Heights, south of LaPorte, is having the grounds of the same cleared off preparatory to erect a large Hotel.

MARRIED:—Arms—Mosteller. At the M. E. parsonage at Muncy Valley, on July 13th '90 by the Rev. J. F. Glass; Albert M. Arms of Sonestown to Miss Cora M. Mosteller of Muncy Valley.

We are informed that the EaglesMere B. B. C., is anxious for a game of ball. Why not challenge Bernice for a series of games? We have every reason to believe that the B boys will accommodate them. Bernice has done up Towanda this year and there isn't any doubt in their mind but that they can keep up their record with the 'Mere.

That moral advocate, the *Dushore Review*, has lost its grip in that direction. The father will hereafter read its columns before handing it to his child for perusal.

FOR SALE:—A tract of land, 400 acres, on Mill Creek, one mile west of LaPorte, known as the Hugh Roberts tract.

Write W. H. JENKINS, Gwynedd, Pa.

Remember the date of the Sullivan county Fair, Oct. 1, 2 and 3 and prepare for the occasion. Hoe your pumpkins and make them grow big to place among the exhibits. You may draw the premium.

There will be an excursion from along the line of the W. & N. B., to Nordmont, on Tuesday July 29th. The Hughesville band will accompany the excursion and enliven the exercises with choice music.

Russel Karns of LaPorte, took a drive down to Columbia county to look after his crops on his farm, last week. Russ reports crops, with the exception of oats, good in that country.

Mrs. Jerry McMurtrie and son John and Mrs. R. S. Bowman wife of editor Bowman of the *Berwick Independent*, accompanied by her two sons master Leroy and Clark, all of Berwick, are visiting friends in town.

Miss Olive Pond Amies Rec. Sec., of the W. C. T. U., of Pa., will speak in the M. E. church at LaPorte Thursday evening July 31st under the auspices of the LaPorte W. C. T. U. A collection will be taken. All are cordially invited to attend.

Several of the LaPorte boys, who are engaged at Jamison City, were home on a visit on Sunday. Among them were: J. W. Flynn, Frank McDermott and Chas. Landon. The boys report good times at the Lumber City.

We are informed that Prof. M. F. Albert of Watsonstown, has accepted the principalship of the LaPorte graded school. We predict that the LaPorte school under the supervision of Mr. Albert, will be one of the best in the county.

The quarrel in church matters by citizens of EaglesMere, has become quite world renown and is not very flattering to a portion of the church going people of that town. This is encouraging to the young. Should the breeze continue, we shall take the pains to disclose the facts to the public.

S. John Baptist's church, LaPorte, Sullivan county, Pa., Mr. James B. Werner, A. B. Lay Reader. Even song next Friday, S. James, the Apostle's Day, at 8 p. m. Services next Sunday at 10 o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening. All welcome to all the services.

Saturday was a trifle cool and our city guests, as is natural, on such occasions, complained. This puts us in mind of the complaint of last winter wherein the administration was held responsible for the small amount of snow. The same God is to blame for both. File your objections and forward them by the early Nordmont mail.

A Catholic Sunday school was organized in the school house in the 2nd ward on Sunday last. Miss Maie Spallen who is summering at LaPorte instituted the organization and was made Superintendent. Miss S. is receiving many compliments for her kind act. The attendance on Sunday was very satisfactory to Miss Spallen. The time of day fixed for holding the same is 4 p. m. All are invited.

The following Grand Officers of the Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Pennsylvania, made the Sullivan Encampment of LaPorte a visit, on Tuesday evening, viz: Ed C. Deans, Wellsboro; F. V. VanArtsdalen; Gladwyn; Jos. H. Mackey, Williamsport; David Craft, Wyalusing and Richard H. Graham and John S. Heiss, both of Philadelphia.

Owing to the fact that there was no bids offered by our people for work to be done in Mountain Ash cemetery as advertised by the committee in the *REPUBLICAN* last week, the committee has agreed to hire the work done by the day. This trifling matter has caused much hard feelings to exist in our town, which perhaps never will be healed, and for our part we shall be glad to record the completion of the work.

It is a fact, that when you find a man who is a perfect failure, you will find also a patient little woman who makes his excuses to the world. Observe and you will notice that this will prove true in nine cases out of ten.

This is the last issue of the *REPUBLICAN* in which will appear the premium list of the Sullivan county agricultural society. The *Gazette* will print the same four weeks after which the *Review* will follow suit the same number of insertions. The *Review* man thinks it will be bright and interesting news and will be most read while he is serving the Society. An 1880 almanac is live and interesting news to Newell if inserted in the *Review*. The public don't think so.

A little excitement was caused in town on Saturday by a runaway team. One of the horses belonged to Stewart Chase and the other to E. M. Dunham. Stew was hauling hay to Dunham's barn and while pitching some loose hay in the barn the horses started at full speed, the bay taking the lead. They ran up Court St. to Cherry out Cherry to Muncy, down Muncy to Main and out West Main to King, up King to Meylert, where they were caught. No damage was done.

People who watch nature closely have noticed during the last few days, since Thursday's storm, that the rich summer green of the tree foliage is already passing into the dull green, approaching the first rusty brown that always precedes the richer autumn coloring. Of course, this early fading is attributable to some local blight or injury, but the beauty is none the less striking, and, in fact, the general change toward an autumn brown and red is now noticeable. The summer is not yet over but this coloring in the trees and the clearer and cooler skies indicate that autumn is near.

Mr. Cleveland professes to feel very much aggrieved because people out in Indiana doubted his sincerity in writing a letter expressing his deep regret at not being able to attend the dedication of the Hendricks monument. The ex-President ought now to read an interview with the widow of Thomas A. Hendricks, in which she intimates that her husband's death was hastened by the mortification and embarrassment which he suffered as Vice-President from those who, when they got high office, forgot his exertions and sacrifices in their behalf. It is evident that Mrs. Hendricks has some very decided opinions about Mr. Cleveland's sincerity.

Chief of Police, Chas. Dimmick of Towanda, while in hot pursuit of a gang of tramps across the railroad bridge at the upper depot at said place on Saturday night, fell through a distance of thirty-five feet breaking his back causing his death in about fifteen minutes. The Chief of Police, was, at the time of the accident warning his assistance to be careful of the danger of falling and had scarcely uttered the words when he disappeared. His body struck the abutment with the above result. Deceased had hosts of friends in Towanda and wherever known who will mourn his untimely death for years to come and condemn the sneaking tramps of our country.

Newspaper purchasers certainly get the full worth of their money just now. Business is dull and a great many advertisers have seemingly reached the conclusion that during such seasons it does not pay to advertise, and in one sense they are perhaps right. Immediate beneficial results may not become apparent, but those who are that way of thinking are referred to the fact that the men who have built up the largest trade are those who have advertised all the year around. This is the season when buyers of newspapers have more leisure to read them than at any other, and consequently are more apt to con advertisements with increased interest. Retail dealers who are shrewd, and who have goods to sell that are staple and in general demand, are the ones who recognize the fact that true business policy suggests the constant keeping of themselves before the public.

There are over one thousand idle men in Danville, owing to the strike in the iron works. The stoppage was caused owing to a disagreement about wages, the employers not conceding the raise in the scale demanded by the workmen.

Dog Days.

July 17 marked the beginning of what is known as the "dog days," which precede and follow the helical rising of the star Sirius—the constellation of the Greater Dog. The extreme heat of this season of the year, although to us palpably the effect of the high position of the sun was connected by the ancients with the appearance of this star in the morning. They considered the dog star as raging, and gave the time the appellation of the Dog Days. The liability of dogs to rabies in consequence of the heat of the season was connected with the same star, though there was nothing but accident in the collusion, and they butchered these animals without mercy. The season lasts until August 28th—42 days. It is generally regarded as an unhealthy period of the year.

Canada Thistles.

There are many bad weeds, but the Canada thistle is the worst of all. There are many of them now growing in Sullivan county, and they should all be cut before going to seed. The following is an abstract from the laws of Pennsylvania on the subject: "It shall be the duty of land owners to prevent Canada thistles from going to seed, and the seed of the same from ripening. Penalty for neglect a fine of \$15, one half to the county treasurer and the other to the proceeding informer. Parties (i. e. neighbors) aggrieved may give five days notice, and on continued neglect it shall be lawful for the former to enter the premises and cut down the said thistles, or hire others to do so, and such aggrieved person so doing may sue and recover from the landholders \$2.00 per diem for so doing."

THREE BRAVE GIRLS.

They Swung from a Bridge While a Train Passed Above Them.

Pete Walters, a passenger engineer of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, had a horrifying as well as thrilling experience Sunday morning near Binghamton. He was running his train at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour, and when he entered the stretch just before reaching Binghamton Bridge he was horrified to see three blackberry girls on the structure. He reversed his engine, and then fainted. The fireman took charge of the throttle, and when the engine was within thirty yards of the girls one of them, with remarkable presence of mind, jumped to the side of the bridge, stretched forward flat on her face and swung herself clear of the track, hanging on to the end of the ties over the rushing waters beneath. In a moment the other girls followed her example, and just as the train swept by the last of the trio swung clear of the bridge, while, with amazement and horror plainly stamped on their countenances, the passengers and trainmen watched with anxiety the human forms swaying to and fro in mid-air. As soon as the train could be stopped the passengers and crew rushed back to the scene and rescued the brave girls from their terrible plight.—Ex.

Williamsport is overrun with toads, tens and hundreds of thousands of the little things, each about the size of a grain of corn, hopping all over the town and being crushed beneath the feet of pedestrians on the sidewalks. The frequently quoted "oldest inhabitant," says that nothing like it was ever known. Along the river the little toads fairly swarm, and there is scarcely a square foot of ground that contains less than a dozen. Men catch them for fish bait, and even the birds are gobbling them up for food. They are numerous all over the county, and their numbers can only be estimated by the millions.

LOST.

Near Hotel Kennedy in LaPorte, or, between there and EaglesMere, one large pocket book containing a \$200. note and other valuable papers any one finding the same will confer a favor by leaving at *REPUBLICAN* office or advising the owner. E. T. BROWN, Estella, July 23d, '90.

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