

LOCAL DEPARTMENT

Dusty roads prevail. Daylight is shortening. The corn crop looks promising. The crops are suffering for rain. Eggs, like many people, are some times too fresh.

The summer visitor is becoming more numerous.

Artificial ice-making has raised the price of ammonia.

Miss Lizzie Downs who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

We have not had our usual proportion of rain this summer.

When the weather gets cooler the political fight will wax hotter.

Mr. Glen Hill of Williamsport, is visiting friends at LaPorte.

The summer styles will soon be placed among the back number.

Miss Mattie Wood of Danville, is visiting Miss Cora Karns, of this place.

Wm. Moyer's aunt, Miss Ella Aderhold of Salladasburg, is visiting him at Lake Mokoma.

John P. Kennedy of Lopez, spent several days in town with friends, the early part of this week.

County Treasurer, Lorah of Sonestown, was attending to official business at the county seat, on Saturday.

The local candidates are becoming a little more active as the time for holding the conventions approaches.

There are said to be twenty or more applications for the position of Chief-of-Police of Towanda borough.

Thursday, September 4th, is the last day of registering. Republicans see that your name appear on the list.

Sunday was a fearful warm day. The clouds had the appearance of rain but it all passed over without a sprinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nichols of Montrose, Susquehanna county, were visiting at William Meylert's last week.

R. S. Bowman, editor of the Berwick Independent, spent several days at LaPorte, the early part of this week.

Mr. James B. Werner A. B., Lay Reader, will conduct services in the school house at Davidson, on Thursday, Aug. 14th, at 8 p. m.

It is feared that the improvements going on in the Williamsport Court House, will not be completed in time to hold Sept. court therein.

Sullivan county Commissioners' Sale of seated and unseated lands, will take place in the Court House to-day (Friday) Aug. 8th, at 2 o'clock p. m.

A party of young ladies of Dushore, registered at Hotel Eagles-Mere, on Saturday last. They were among the spectators of the ball game.

Mr. Gould and daughter of the Mere, drove over to LaPorte and Lake Mokoma and took a look at the large trout in the box, on Monday last.

\$25 pays for a Life Scholarship in either the business or shorthand course in the old reliable Williamsport Commercial College & School of Shorthand.

Mrs. R. E. A. Dorr, Miss Ruth Dorr, Master Thorpe Dorr, Miss Louise Dannel, and Mrs. A. M. Spallen are new arrivals at the Mountain House.

John H. Green of LaPorte, will accompany his sister, Mrs. John T. Brewster home—Washington, D. C., on Wednesday next, where he will make it his permanent home.

Jeremiah Kelly and wife and two little children, of Hughesville, spent several days in town, the early part of this week. They put up at Fairview Cottage, on Cherry St.

St. John's church, LaPorte, Pa., Mr. James B. Werner A. B., Lay Reader: Services next Sunday at 10:30 in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening. All welcome.

MARRIED:—July 29th '90, at Rev. Geo. Culley's, Eagles Mere, by Rev. J. W. Crawford, Arthur Avery of the Mere to Miss Phoebe Rolles, of Newbury, Lycoming county.

For Young People.

Life Scholarship in either the business or shorthand course at the Williamsport Commercial College & School of Shorthand has been reduced to \$25.

We have not received the official report of the census enumeration of Sullivan county. The correct report of the population of our county will be interesting news to our people.

Prothy. Walsh, accompanied by Benj. F. Crossley, drove his new horse to Dushore, and spent the day, on Sunday. Alphonsus admires his horse very much and says he has a fast record.

The Non-Partisan W. C. T. U., will meet at Mrs. Wm. A. Mason's Aug. 14th and 28th. The social will meet at Mrs. T. J. Inghams Aug. 7th and 21st. All are cordially invited.

The postmaster general has decided that postmasters who fail to notify the publishers when the subscribers move away or fail to take papers from the postoffice, shall be responsible for their subscriptions.

A minstrel troupe composed of two negroes and one white man visited our town, on Saturday evening. The colored men played banjos and the other fellow turned summersaults and the like. A collection was next in order.

There was a large delegation of LaPorte people in attendance at the ball game, at the Mere, on Saturday. We noticed ten rigs in line and many preceded and more followed. They were all disappointed at the result.

The lecture given by Mrs. Olive Pond Amies of Scranton, who is Recording Secretary of the W. C. T. U., of Pennsylvania, on Thursday evening of last week, was well attended and much appreciated by her listeners.

Another hot wave has struck this latitude which, with the swarms of pesky flies, makes life almost intolerable. To live with any degree of comfort now, screen doors, darkened rooms and palm leaf fans are a great desideratum between meals.

The Eagles Mere Echo made its first appearance Saturday. It is a neat little four page paper weekly, and will be published during the season. It covers the field of news and gossip quite thoroughly, and will no doubt become very popular. —Gazette & Bulletin.

Miss Laura Boice returned from Pottsville, where she has been attending a summer school of methods for a couple of weeks. The many friends of Miss Boice will be pleased to learn that she has been elected principal of training department in the Normal School in Williamatic, Conn.

The Bernice base ball club will play two games of ball on their home ground, on Friday Aug. 15th. One with the Mere boys at 9:30 a. m., and one with Towanda in the afternoon. They will give a grand ball in the K. of L. hall in the evening. For further information see hand bill.

Persons given to the excessive use of ice water these hot days should take warning from the fate of Charles Snyder of Reading, who drank a pitcher of ice water on Sunday afternoon and was shortly afterward seized with a spasm, and his body is covered over with black spots.—Ex.

We have made arrangements to furnish our readers each week with the doings of Dushore. Elsewhere in this issue will be found the writings of our correspondent of the metropolis which compare favorably with the recent "other feller" who wrote for the REPUBLICAN and who made it quite interesting for a few residents of Dushore.

Miss Ida and Carrie Keeler of LaPorte, gave a party to their many friends, on Thursday evening last. Among the entertainments of the evening, was the drawing of a pig with eyes closed. A prize was offered to the person who framed the superior likeness of a pig and to the person who outlined the most hideous. The editor took first prize and Deputy Sheriff R. M. Stormont took the other. Elegant refreshments were served during the evening.

Vegetables and a new lot of groceries at the store of Mrs. M. C. Lauer.

Mr. John E. Gallagher of Sioux City and Miss Katie Kenredy of LaPorte, were married, on Wednesday last. A large number of LaPorte friends accompanied them to Dushore where the ceremonies were performed by Father Enright. The REPUBLICAN joins with their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous future. Mr. Gallagher and wife will leave for the West: the last of this week.

Miss Cora Karns invited her many friend of LaPorte to join in a game of progressive eucher at the LaPorte Hotel, on Tuesday evening. Twenty young people took part in the game. First and booby prizes were given. Russel Karns won the first gentleman's prize and Miss Alma Lauer the first lady's prize. After the game closed, 11:30 p. m., elegant refreshments were served. All enjoyed a grand good time.

We are told that the "Kids" of town have challenged the Dushore "Kids" for a game of ball to come off at LaPorte, on this (Thursday), and that Young America of the Metropolis have accepted the challenge and will appear at the county seat, on the appointed time and cross bats with our sluggers. Visitors will be highly entertained. No charges for admission.

Chas. Thorp of Celestia, while on his way home from LaPorte, on Saturday last found a large pocket-book containing in the neighborhood of 50. or \$75. Charley concluded it belonged to a party of Eagles Mere who had passed him on his way and when the stage came along bound for the Mere got on board. On reaching the summer resort he looked up the party and presented it to the owner, Mr. JOHN COPE, who gave him a reward of 35 cents, the price of one stage fair for his time and trouble. Charley walked home, and says it will be a cold day before he will again carry similar pick-ups to the Mere.

BASE BALL:—The first of a series of games of base ball between Bernice and Eagles Mere, was played at the latter place, on Saturday last. The result was: Eagles Mere 26 Bernice 14. There were but seven innings played when the Mere boys left the ground to take the steam boat down the tide. The Bernice boys made ten runs on the seventh inning and gave the Mere boys a goose egg. This was perhaps the cause of their great haste to make connections with the last train down the lake. Had the game been played out and the Bernice boys continued to knock the cover off the ball as in the 7th inning the Mere boys would have been sadly left. They were not slow to perceive this fact, and home they went.

We understand that the 2nd game between these clubs has been arranged to take place at Bernice, on the 15th of August.

"It looks very much as if the Lehigh Valley railroad is to be lawed out of its proposed entrance into the city," said a gentleman interested in railroad matters last evening. The Lehigh Valley is one of the most progressive railroads in the country and its entrance into Williamsport would mean increased prosperity for the city. Should the present litigation result in a defeat for the Lehigh Valley this city would be the loser to a serious extent. There is no doubt but that Williamsport is ready to welcome the Lehigh and the people hope that the two lines will come to an amicable settlement of their differences. There is room for three first-class railroads in this city.—Williamsport Sun.

New Postal Cards. New postal cards will make their appearance in a few days. There will be two kinds: The larger ones for business men and the smaller ones for ordinary use. The business cards will be double the size of those now in use and the other kind will be of the same size as those now in use. The two kinds will have a vignette of Gen. Grant in the upper right hand corner. The larger kind have the inscription "One Cent Postal Card" and the smaller "Postal Card, One Cent."

Ex-Representative Hoffa of Washingtonville Montour county, is a candidate for Senator in the twenty-fourth district, composed of Lycoming, Montour, Columbia and Sullivan counties. Josh Lull of Bernice is the only candidate of Sullivan so far as heard from, seeking the nomination.

Warm Weather Wisdom.

The following hints as to warm weather are thrown out by a city exchange: "As long as the hot weather is with us treat it as a friend which it really is, if you will only think of the good it accomplishes. Don't worry about the weather take it as it comes, and be thankful that it is not worse. It will be cooler before many moons, and then you will be sighing for just this kind of weather. Be temperate in your food as well as drink. Eat fresh vegetables and fruit as much as you deem proper, but see that they are not tainted. You may boil your water before drinking, and do not shock your stomach with great draughts of ice-cold water. The cooling effect of cold water is only temporary, while its after effects are often permanent. It is only a matter of habit, and water of normal temperature will quench the thirst and will not injure the health.

"Attire yourself in light, airy clothes, and avoid all superfluous clothing. Set style and fashion aside, and regard comfort and health only. Do not wear a white shirt with starched bosom and cuffs during the heat of day. The ladies should also avoid all superfluous dress."

A FOUL DEED.

A Woman Shot While Her Child was at her Breast.

In a little log cabin on the Cumberland County side of the North Mountain, eight miles Northeast of Mechanicsburg a terrible tragedy was enacted Wednesday morning. The principal actor now lies a corpse in a common pine coffin and his victim is at the point of death, with a great gashing gunshot wound in her left breast. In this lonely cabin lived Jeremiah Miller, his wife and nine children, the oldest 17 years of age, the youngest a two-months-old infant. The family was poor, and gained a livelihood by chopping pine, which the wife and elder children hauled about and sold in the valley towns. Mrs. Miller is a woman of fine form and rather pretty, which made her husband very jealous. Man and wife had many quarrels on this score, and at one time Miller vowed he would shoot the whole family. Tuesday Mrs. Miller was in the borough of Camp Hill with some pitch pine, and on her return a fierce quarrel raged. Her husband renewed the quarrel, blaming her for infidelity, and making all manner of accusations.

In a fit of wildest frenzy he picked up a double barreled muzzule loading gun and at a distance of only a few yards discharged a heavy load of buckshot into the left breast of his wife, who at the time was nursing her infant. Maddened by his terrible act, Miller rushed from the cabin to the front fence, which he leaned against, and pointed the muzzle of the gun to his stomach. By the aid of a twig he sent the remaining load of shot into his stomach and died instantly.

The tragedy was witnessed by the nine children, who scattered to spread the news of the father's awful deed. Though the shooting occurred at 9 o'clock no one appeared until noon. Undertaker Staffer, of Camp Hill, and Constable Burns, upon arriving, met a sight which sickened them.—Ex.

Base Ball at the Mere.

Eagles Mere, August 4th 1890. A game of base ball was played this morning on the lawn of the Hotel Allegheny between the 'Senior' and 'Junior' nines of the Hotel Allegheny, resulting in favor of the 'Juniors' by the following score.

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