

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Following is the schedule time of mails leaving and arriving at LaPorte:

Leave for Nordmont,	6:45 a. m.
" " Dushore,	8:00 a. m.
" " Forksville,	8:00 a. m.
Arrive from Nordmont,	12:15 a. m.
Leave for Nordmont,	5:00 p. m.
Arrive from Dushore,	5:00 p. m.
" " Forksville,	5:00 p. m.
" " Nordmont,	8:30 p. m.

Winter is due.
Pay the printer.
Court next Monday.
Sunday was a fine day.
Potatoes are looming up in price.
Local news is very scarce this week.

Congress re-convened on Monday, Dec. 1st.
It sounds very flat—are you going west? *What.*

LaPorte will be headquarters for holiday goods.

Mansfield is to have a foundry and machine shop.

1890 will soon be numbered among the years of the past.

The Lehigh Valley railroad company has 13,627 employes.

Simon Rodis of LaPorte, moved to Jamison City, on Monday.

Settle for the REPUBLICAN while in attendance at court next week.

To be on the safe side, avoid a man's example and take his advice.

What a lively winter this would be should there prove to be lots of snow.

It is now in order for the merchants to advertise their holiday goods.

A scarcity of snow this winter will make lots of business for the Sheriff.

Prot'y. Walsh and Prof. M. F. Albert, both of LaPorte, Sundayed at Dushore.

Miss Ida Keeler of LaPorte, is buying Christmas goods in Philadelphia, this week.

Our Dushore correspondence gives the names of officers elect, of the Dushore bank.

It is not pleasing to the physician to say that he makes a dead sure thing of his business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. VanFleet of LaPorte, returned from a trip to New York, on Tuesday.

The Barclay mines in Bradford county, will close operation, the first of the New Year.

The days are growing shorter at both ends. Dec. 23 will be the shortest day of the year.

Mrs. J. J. Low of LaPorte twp., who has been ailing for some time past, is improving slowly.

The creditors of F. C. Bunnell & Co., of Tunkhannock, will be paid thirty cents on a dollar.

Hon. Russel Karns of LaPorte, has very much improved from his recent attack, of rheumatism.

Quite a number of our young men ventured on Lake Mokoma, on Saturday and enjoyed a skate.

Court convened in Towanda, on Monday. The Mann murder trial will be heard during the session.

Pennsylvania will be represented in the next Congress by eighteen Republicans and ten Democrats.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Karns of LaPorte, returned from their wedding tour on Wednesday of last week.

The city of Scranton has a population of 83,450. It now ranks fourth in size of cities in the State.

We shall expect you to settle your indebtedness to the REPUBLICAN while in attendance at court next week.

Rabbits are plenty in this section, and are being slaughtered by the dozen. Our nimrods all enjoy a rabbit hunt.

Deer are reported very scarce by our huntsmen. At least they say that they are unable to find their hiding place.

The lumbermen are making preparations to accomplish much work this winter and should there be a good fall of snow they are of the opinion that they will prosper and do well. We trust they will realize their anticipation.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. R. A. Conklin's Friday afternoon Dec. 5th, at 3 o'clock p. m.

LaPorte township, collector, Philip Karge, is making his rounds. In this capacity, he is not a very welcome caller.

We take the occasion this week to remind those of our subscribers who are in the arrears that they are at perfect liberty to pay up.

Chas. Sergeant removed from LaPorte, to Thornedale, Friday, where he is engaged at hauling bark &c., for James McFarlane & Co.

Joseph Newman express agent of Nordmont, was calling on friends at the county seat, on Sunday. Joe has many friends in this section.

Mrs. Hatfield Searls of New York, is holding a series of revival meetings in Canton. Already more than three hundred persons have signed the pledge.

Mrs. John McGee of Cherry, died of pneumonia, on Friday last, interment on Monday. Several friends of deceased of LaPorte, attended the funeral.

Superintendent S. A. Goodhue Esq., of the Jamison City tannery and J. W. Flynn assistant Supt., of the same, were calling on friends at LaPorte, on Sunday.

Mrs. Christopher Peale, Sr., of Eagles Mere, was calling on friends at the county seat, on Monday. Mrs. Peale has hosts of friends in LaPorte and vicinity.

When your grocer runs up coffee and tea "on account of the tariff," look him squarely in the eye, and buy of somebody else. There is no tariff on such articles.

Should the weather continue fair this week, the roads will be in excellent condition for guests who are obliged to visit the county seat to attend court; commencing on Monday next.

President Harrison's message which was read in Congress on Dec. 1st, is pronounced a very sound document by both Republicans and Democrats. It is too lengthy for us to give in our columns.

The Farmers' Alliance will cause trouble, not only in the Western States but East, politically. The farmers and K. of L. society united, will eventually carry the day in the very near future.

The Reporter Journal of Towanda has a new dress and is very haughty and proud. The paper mentioned is perhaps the best country weekly published in Northern Pennsylvania.

Prof. F. W. Meylert principal of the Forksville graded school, took a vacation on Monday and Tuesday of this week visiting with his brother Howard, who returned from the West on Monday.

There are 301,860 men employed in mining coal in the United States. Of these 163,000 work in Pennsylvania, showing that this State produces over one half of all the coal mined in the United States.

It is reported that a number of sporting guests who rusticate at the Mere during the summer seasons, will erect a costly club house at said place, in 1891. They will perhaps have a cellar under the structure.

With the Thanksgiving holiday the world of pleasure and fashion puts on its winter garb, which will be changed when Easter comes. Thanksgiving and Easter mark the seasons of the year, as Dame Fashion reckons them.

The suspension of the B. K. Jamison bank of Philadelphia, has caused quite a sensation in said city, as said institution was acknowledged extra good financially. Several of our very near friends had deposits in said bank.

The latest fad in the line of parties is an "observation party." A table is laden with miscellaneous assortment of articles. The guests are allowed to observe the same for a short time, and then are required to adjourn to another room and write as nearly complete a list as they can from memory. The prize winners, of course, are the ones with the most capable memories. The pastime has at least this to commend it, that it serves a practical purpose in training the memory.

The schedule time of the Forksville mail leaving LaPorte, will be changed on Monday the 8th, to 7 a. m. instead of 8 a. m. Take notice.

H. W. Meylert and wife of Susanville, Cal., arrived in town, on Monday. They were expected on Saturday but owing to disconnection of trains at Waverly, was detained in said city over Sunday, much to the disappointment of his people.

Thanksgiving passed off very quietly at the county seat. The party held in the Hall during the evening was well attended and those present enjoyed the pass time very much. Several couples of Jamison City, were present and spoke very favorable of our town and society.

Mr. A. M. Mason has resigned his position at Sweet & Co's. store and accepted the position as shipping clerk at Humphrey, Tracy & Co's. shoe factory, Towanda. Mr. Mason is an exemplary citizen and we regret to part with him. He will move his family to Towanda in about two weeks.—*Monroeton Enterprise.*

Will be married, Miss Cornelia T. Blight, daughter of Supt. I. O. Blight of Towanda to Mr. W. S. Blight, jr., of Philadelphia, on this Saturday Dec. 6th. The ceremonies will take place in the Presbyterian church in Towanda.

We would suggest that a few of our enterprising people get together at the new school house on this Saturday and hang the bell in the belfry. It is a necessity and the work which would require but a few minutes should be done. What do you say? Get there.

The sportsmen of LaPorte, viz: Rev. J. F. Glass, Atty. E. M. Dunham, Dr. W. B. Hill, T. J. Keller, J. W. Ballard and Chas. Messenger, were out gunning for deer on Tuesday. T. J. Keeler shot a fawn which was the first deer killed in this section. The party was very much elated over their good luck. Several other deer were seen by the party but were not close enough to draw bead. They will go out again sometime.

The ball given in the K. of L. Hall of Bernice by "Committee" on the night of Thanksgiving, was more than a success. Dushore and Lopez were represented in large numbers, for which they have the sincere thanks of "Committee." The supper was grand and was served under the auspices of the ladies of Bernice. The gross receipts of the evening was \$114.54, net receipts \$81.50. The music was good and everybody enjoyed themselves immensely.

The papers of the large cities are all right if you want them, but it is the local paper that advertises your business, your churches, your numerous societies, sympathizes with you in your afflictions and rejoices with you in your prosperity. In short it is the local paper that mentions the thousand and one items in which you are interested during the year, and which you do not find in the papers of the large cities.

Atty. F. H. Ingham while out gunning on Tuesday accompanied by his dog shot a very large catamount on the John Reynold's farm near the old Davidson road. The dog had pursued it for some little time and during the chase Frank shot at it four times, the last taking effect in the leg. The cat ran a short distance from where it was wounded and treed under a log when the dog not knowing the nature of the beast made a lunge for it and was fearfully cut about the head by the large and sharp claws of the cat. The dog made a retreat to the top of the log and awaited his masters coming. When Frank had advanced to within several feet of the beast he raised his head over the log growling and showing his teeth in an ugly manner. The hunter took aim with fine shot and excavated a hole in the animal's head as large as the muzzle of his gun. At this writing the valuable dog owned by the hero is in very poor health, having lost a considerable amount of blood in the fracas. It is more than likely that he will survive, however. The bounty on wild cats, is \$2.00.

Calanders of 1891 will soon be in demand.

The Albuquerque (N. M.) Morning Democrat of Nov. 13th, says: "Meylert Bruner captured a prize yesterday over a number of competitors, when he secured the temporary clerkship of the Fifth Judicial District, over which Judge Freeman is to preside. Mr. Bruner will have the obliging Charles Hunt to give him pointers on the conduct of the office before leaving for Socorro, where his office will be located."

A Deaf-Mute Wedding.

On Wednesday afternoon Nov. 26th, at 4 o'clock was solemnized the marriage of John P. Kennedy of LaPorte, Pa. and Miss Maria Cramer of Hastings, N. Y. The couple are deaf-mutes, and graduates of the central New York institution for deaf-mutes in this city. The ceremony was performed in St. Mary's Church by Rev. Father Smith, with Prof. Edward B. Nelson as interpreter, in the presence of a large number of pupils, officers of the institution and other friends. The bride was charming in a lavender colored dress and the groom bore himself well in the conventional black. The bridesmaid was a sister of the bride, and the groom's best man was Lewis Boyd of New Woodstock, N. Y. The happy couple left on the 6:24 train for a trip north, after which they will settle at LaPorte, Pa., where the groom is in business. The best wishes of a host of friends go with them. By the way these make thirteen former pupils of the Central New York Institution for Deaf-Mutes who have been married since Jan. 1 of the present year.—*Rome Sentinel.*

MR. EDITOR:—We have read considerable in your paper, (editorially or otherwise) about "side walks to the school house" for the children in the 1st Ward. Perhaps you are not aware that the borough council have overstepped their power by already accepting more road Bills, and granting orders for the same, than the amount which belongs to that part of the borough and would suggest that if "a majority of our people" are so anxious to have a sidewalk, they would not be the first party in the borough to do a little work on the roads at their own expense.

There is a certain class of people in our town who spend a good part of their time talking about their neighbors. Such people are a disgrace to a community.

SCHOOL DIRECTOR AND COUNCILMAN.

The majority of our town readers are knowing of the fact that new side walks constructed in LaPorte are built at the expense of property owners by which said walk passes; said property owners are also at the expense of keeping in repair said walks, hence no levy is made upon taxes collected by the borough for the building of side walks in either the 1st or 2nd Ward, of this city.

Should the council approve the construction of a walk to the new school house which is greatly needed and choose King St., for the site of the same the following individuals would be at the expense of building the same, viz: James Walsh, T. J. Keeler and Judge Ingham. Should they request one built from the 2nd Ward the expense would be wholly upon James McFarlane & Co., who own all lands by which said walk would run. This will satisfy all that a donation of work is not necessary as our correspondent suggests. The last paragraph given by our correspondent is true in every respect.—*Ed.*

INSURANCE NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Farmers' and Mechanics Home Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Sullivan county will be held at the office of the Company in the borough of Forksville, on Saturday the 3d day of January 1891, at ten o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of Directors and other officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

R. D. LANCASTER, Sec'y.
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