

THE REPUBLICAN

LAPORTE, PA., DEC. 25th, 1891.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

The assessors are hustling. Court adjourned on Saturday. Our next issue will be dated Jan. 8th.

We shall not issue a paper next week.

This is sweet times for the little folks.

News is somewhat scarce this week.

Mrs. R. A. Conklin of LaPorte, is on the sick list.

Seven more days, and then farewell to old 1891.

Attend the school exhibition this Thursday evening.

The band will be in attendance at the school exhibition.

Old Father Time is now burning the last ember of 1891.

Call and see the pretty Christmas presents at T. J. Keeler's.

Chas. Hugo of Elkland, is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

There is plenty of time yet for all the cold weather needed.

We have been exceedingly busy in our job department, this week.

Atty. F. H. Ingham was shopping in Williamsport, on Tuesday.

Commence "even up" with the printer, on the 1st of the New Year.

We wish our many readers a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Reynolds & Bennett, butchers of Eagles Mere, are doing a good business.

The Teachers' Institute will convene in Dushore, on Monday Dec. 28th.

Russel Karns will give his 11th annual ball, on Thursday evening, Dec. 31, '91.

It is said that 5,000 people are suffering from the grip in Binghamton, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Karns of LaPorte, was shopping in Williamsport, on Tuesday.

Thos. B. Reed will no doubt make it lively for the Democratic Congress, this winter.

The teachers and scholars of the LaPorte school, are more than busy preparing for the exhibition.

Cunningham & Cole hardware merchants of Dushore, have a new ad in the REPUBLICAN, this week.

If men were half as wise in their actions as they are in their minds, the word "fool" would be out of use.

County Treasurer, Wm. Murray of Dushore, was attending to the duties of his office, at LaPorte, on Tuesday.

The considerate man will now clip his horse and commence growing a beard over his own precious face and throat.

The LaPorte Sunday school Christmas tree will take place in the I. E. church, on Christmas night. All are invited.

It takes three seconds for a message to go from one end of the Atlantic cable to the other—about 700 miles a second.

Prof. M. F. Albert and Miss Annie E. Ettinger, teachers of the LaPorte graded school, will attend the institute, next week.

There was excellent skating on Lake Mokoma the early part of this week, and our young people improved the opportunity.

The weather prophets predict a keen Christmas and judging from a present rainy weather—they are pretty apt to be correct.

JONES POST, G. A. R., ATTENTION. All members are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, Saturday, December 26th, as business of importance demands the attention of the Post.

JOHN W. ROGERS, Commander.

It would appear from last week's issue of the Review, that Newell is ill itching. Poor fellow he is to be pitied. Guess the lozengers proved unsuccessful. Newell thanks to us, we have a sure cure. I tell you we are giving your considerable thought. It is, to your mouth and strangle the miser to death.

Our exchanges report a great deal of sickness throughout the country.

Mrs. Stewart Chase and her two children, Georgie and Ettie, are spending Christmas with friends in Williamsport.

It is rumored that court guests coming from the North at next May term of court can ride to and from the county seat on the cars.

Bills addressed to a few of our delinquent subscribers, on Monday, summoned up something over five hundred dollars. Please remit.

Six dozen chairs, were purchased by the LaPorte school board, for the Institute room of the new school house, the early part of this week.

Our ambitious young men and lady readers should address the Lowell Business College, of Binghamton, and learn how good positions may be secured.

Stewart Chase and F. M. Crossley, were looking for the escaped convict, in the vicinity of Unityville, on Sunday night last, but failed to bag their man.

C. Peale proprietor of the Allegheny Hotel and Daniel Reynolds butcher, both of the 'Mere, were doing business at the county seat, on Monday.

The county auditors, Wright, Bird and Spencer, will commence the work of auditing the finances of the county, on the 1st Monday of the New Year.

Men who allow their wives to get up mornings and build the fire escape the job both here and hereafter. The devil attends to the fire business in the next world.

A. J. Bradley, who is studying law with Atty. E. M. Dunham, was watching the crooks and turns of the dealing out of justice in the Court House last week.

The South Carolina Legislature has passed a bill, and the Governor will doubtless sign it, prohibiting legislators, judges and other officials from accepting free passes from railroad companies.

We acknowledge receipt of an invitation to the twelfth annual reception of the Lin-ta Hose Co., No. 3, of Towanda, to take place, on Thursday evening, Dec. 31, '91 in Mercier Hall.

Alexander Bros. & Co., manufacturers of cigars tobacco etc., of Bloomsburg, are enjoying a good trade in this section. Our people can rely upon receiving good goods when ordered of this firm.

Obstinate jurymen, for a purpose better known by themselves, ought to be left out of the jury box. The actions of a couple jurymen last week, will long be remembered by those who know of the circumstances.

R. M. Stormont and James P. Walsh, both of LaPorte, rode the Patrons of Industry "Goat" at a meeting of said order held at Ringville, on Saturday evening last. The boys say, the "Goat" is very industrious.

On Wednesday the President appointed Gen. Goff, of West Virginia, to one of the vacant Federal Judgeships. Thursday Dec. 17th Hon. Stephen B. Elkins, of the same State, was appointed Secretary of War to succeed Proctor.

Prof. M. F. Albert, P. M., says he will keep the post office open all day Christmas providing he can get a friend to join in with him in a game of chess. Mr. A. and Judge Sittser passed several evenings last week defending the King.

There was about \$50.00 paid us on subscription, last week. We were too busy to keep a record of those who called and settled, hence we shall not publish a "guess" list, for fear we might omit the names of some of our friends. We extend thanks to all.

A farmer from Moreland township called at this office a few days ago, and after bragging about the pay of his successful tobacco crop, said I am a full blooded Democrat, but I am fully convinced that the McKinley bill has helped the farmer.—Muncy Luminary.

There are four thousand and two names on the pay roll of the Pennsylvania works at Steel on Saturday the semi-monthly pay roll was made out and \$85,000 will be distributed among the employees. This is the largest two weeks' pay at these works for more than a year.—Ee.

Spring election is fast approaching and our people should give the matter some thought. Good and impartial men should be selected from our long list of tax payers to fill these important offices.

Miss Emma Tropp of Newport, who has served as chief clerk in the LaPorte P. O., under the post-mastership of M. F. Albert for the past 18 months, left for her home on Friday. She was accompanied by her half sister, Miss Grace Newmer, who has, also, been serving as postmaster's clerk at the 'Mere.

The success of the school exhibition this Thursday evening, depends upon the attendance of the parents of the children. To encourage the pupils—there should be a full attendance. Let each family be well represented at the doings and help to encourage the teachers and children in their annual exhibitions.

Nincompoop Newell, of the Dushore Review, wrote up and published an article about the "injustice with which witnesses are treated in the Courts of Sullivan county," last week. It was the silliest article that could possibly appear in a newspaper and it afforded our Attornies much amusement.

Delinquent subscribers are responding to our call. We have taken in on an average of \$15. a day, on subscription since Monday and we are pleased to state that not a single individual has discontinued the paper. We appreciate the latter as well as the first, very much. The REPUBLICAN is by far the best and newest paper published in the county—and we hope to improve its appearance with brand new type in the near future.

Sheriff Utz of Sullivan county, has offered \$25. reward for the capture of Howard Fenstermaker, who broke from the Sullivan county jail about noon on Sunday Dec. 20, '91. Following is a description of the convict: Age about 25 years; height 5 ft. 5 inches; weight about 135 pounds; dark complexion; very dark curly hair, with short side whiskers and mustache. Had on a light suit of clothes, black slouch hat and light shoes, and wore a plain band ring on 3rd finger of left hand. Arrest and hold him, and telegraph me here at my expense. JOHN UTZ, Sheriff, LaPorte, Pa. Dec. 21, 91.

William Jewell of Hughesville met a fearful and fatal accident in the Hughesville furniture factory on Friday Dec. 11th. He was engaged at work on a cut-off circular saw. The gearing of the saw broke throwing it toward him. He sprang, but too late. The sharp teeth of the saw striking him in the abdomen which proved fatal on the following Saturday night. Mr. Jewell had many friends in this section, especially among our band boys and base ball players, who extend their sincere sympathy to the bereaved family of the unfortunate young man.

Howard Fenstermaker who was convicted of larceny last week and sentenced to 18 months in the Eastern Penitentiary escaped from the Sullivan county jail on Sunday last at 12 m. Warden Chase and family were absent from home at the time. Mr. Chase was calling on friends about three miles from town and the Mrs. was in attendance at Sunday school. The convict broke the padlock on the inner iron door with a stove poker and a piece of an old razor blade. The out side cell door was not fastened, hence, with this done he was given his freedom to the hall way. Both hall doors were locked, but by unfastening the bolt of the double front door he soon made his escape from the Court House. A man was seen coming out of the seat of justice by a young lady who is supposed to have been the convict and go out the back gate of the Yard and pass up Court street by the Presbyterian church, where he undoubtedly took to the woods back of the ball ground. Deputy Sheriff Downs of LaPorte and Ex-Commissioner Chas. Hugo of Elkland had been deputized by Sheriff Utz to take Fenstermaker to the Penitentiary. They had made arrangements to go on Monday. Mr. Hugo arrived in town about the time the prisoner was leaving.

A bushel of corn makes four gallons of whiskey, which retails at \$16; of this the farmer gets 40 cents, the railroad company \$1, the United States \$3.00, the manufacturer \$4, and the vender \$7, and the drinker—60 days and the delirium tremens.

One of our exchanges is responsible for the statement that a printer who "picked up" the trade, in making up the forms for the first time got a marriage and grocer's notice sandwiched as to read: "Mr. John Smith and Miss Ida Marks were united in the holy bonds of sauerkraut, which will be sold by the quart or barrel. Mr. Smith is an esteemed cod fish at twenty cents a pound, while the bride has many hams for sale at a shilling a pound. Rev. Brown officiating."

History of a Strange Crime.

In the issue of Pennsylvania Grit of January 3, 1892, there will commence the publication of one of the most interesting serial stories yet presented by that popular family paper. It is entitled "The Mormon's Daughter," and is written by that famous novelist, W. H. Moyes. It is a thrilling story of incident, mystery and sensation, and this is the original publication. Grit for 1892 will be better than ever. The great paper having recently moved to its palatial home has better facilities, and no expense will be spared to improve every department. The paper is sold by newsdealers and newsboys in nearly all parts of this state, and the publishers want agents in every town where it is not sold, to whom they offer liberal inducements. Address Grit Publishing Co., Williamsport, Pa.

ED. REPUBLICAN—By your last issue I am pained to learn of the death of Wm. Molyneux and while feeling inadequate to the undertaking yet in memory of an intimate friend for forty years feel that a more extended notice should be given in your paper.

In the death of Mr. Molyneux, one of the few links among our prominent business men that connected the entire history of our county, has been broken. Born and reared in this county, he, when a young man become well known among those interested in its improvement as well as our active workers in many of the organizations for the promotion of the well being of society. Inheriting from his ancestry a high type of manhood, during the long years of his business life he has fully sustained the characteristics of the family for strict integrity and high regard for advancement of public interests. Entrusted at an early age by his father in the care of an extensive business, and after his death associating himself with his brother Thomas, who, for years together conducted the varied business enterprises at Millview. The relation of the brothers being of that cordial and happy nature, that gave both confidence and pleasure to all who were in any way associated with them. Since the death of his brother Mr. Molyneux has personally carried on the entire business. Thorough and orderly in all his habits and possessing in a high degree the confidence of his townsmen, he was called upon and responded to public trusts from year to year retaining important positions long after the death of those who were early associated with him, and showing an unusual interest in younger men in the varied positions in which he become associated with them. For many years he was in almost constant attendance at our county courts, and probably no man outside of the profession better understood the legal decisions given in the different cases brought to trial in the county; his long experience made him one of our most useful men as a juror. Thirty-nine years ago he assisted in organizing our county agricultural society, and for many years served as treasurer. One of the first to aid in the organization of the Free Soil Party, he has always been a pronounced Republican. His time and means were freely given to carry forward all measures that he believed would benefit society. Fond indeed comes to remembrance the kindly interviews with this departed friend, and feelings of sympathy are awakened for those more immediately associated with him.

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