

THE REPUBLICAN.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3 1892.

Extra good sleighing.

Sunday was a perfect day.

Court one week from today.

Christmas three weeks from Sunday.

The forest presents a wintery appearance.

Congress convenes on Monday, December 5th.

The astronomers like the weather prophets, are not in it.

The forest was filled with deer hunters, on Tuesday.

J. W. Ballard our blacksmith is the busiest man in town.

The "Italic" man were plenty about our streets Monday. "Stormy no worky."

Our merchants are doing a lively business. Perhaps the best for years past.

Post office talk is heard in all towns little and big, and candidates are numerous.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Karns of Towanda, enjoyed Thanksgiving at home, LaPorte.

The fast horses were out Tuesday and the jingle of sleigh bells were common.

The LaPorte graded school will give an exhibition, on Friday evening, Dec. 9th.

Prof. F. W. Meyler and wife of Forksville, spent Thanksgiving with friends at LaPorte.

It is believed that the Williamsport and Binghamton railroad will be built in due season.

Hon. T. J. Ingham, was transacting business in Philadelphia, the latter part of last week.

B. G. Welch general manager of the W. & N. B. was doing business at LaPorte, Tuesday.

Atty. F. H. Ingham goes two to one that his bay is the fastest horse in town. Who bets on the gray?

It is very noticeable that the Benton Argus is the neatest printed paper that comes to our sanctum.

Lake McKoma is frozen over and afforded good skating the latter part of last week, so the boys and girls say.

The comet was white about here and struck us very tenderly. The only commotion it raised was, it brought out the snow shovel brigade.

J. W. Carroll, clothier of LaPorte, has a new ad in the REPUBLICAN this week and urges you to give him a call before going elsewhere. Read it.

Cleveland is the eighth President to secure a second term, the others were Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson, Lincoln and Grant.

The burning of Trexell & Terrill's saw mill at Lopez, on Friday night, must have made a fearful large fire as the blaze was plainly visible at LaPorte.

The post master and assistant at LaPorte, have no leisure hours now-a-days. They are looking over the boxes for letters addressed to Italic men and Huns.

A ten-foot snake has been seen at Seymour, Conn., but when the cider up that way gets harder the Connecticuters will probably see more of the snakes.

The printer will soon have a week vacation. It can't come too quickly for us. We want rest, the ups and downs of a printer we think, are more than any other calling.

It is pretty evident that if woman suffrage prevails in Utah after its admission it will be tolerably easy for the elders to control votes in blocks of five, or thereabout.

District Attorney Rielly of Williamsport wishes to know the names of persons who have been swindled by the Gold Brick scheme. He has located the rascals and needs evidence.

It is time now to quit the silly twaddle about the coming of a comet. The time was up Sunday night and instead of a comet it was a due of a big snow storm in this neck o' woods.

Dr. Waddell of Dushore, is seriously ill with typhoid fever, his recovery the latter part of last week was considered very doubtful. At this date, however, he is reported improving slightly. We can't afford to lose Doc. and our Dushore neighbors must pull him through. It would be hard to replace him as a physician and as Ben Crossley says, a citizen too.

Everybody should attend the school exhibition on Friday evening Dec. 9th. The proceeds will be applied toward purchasing a piano for the school building, hence we are concerned.

W. H. Brest Esq., of the firm of Ingham & Brest, of the 'Mere, made the REPUBLICAN a pleasant call on Monday. Will says he will remain at the 'Mere this winter, as long as he can content himself.

The officials of the W. & N. B. railroad are anxious that the road shall be completed to the Summit by the 1st of May '93, as the specifications call for and will use every effort possible in this direction.

Owing to the snow storm on Monday the workmen engaged on the railroad did not put in the day with pick and shovel, but spent the day about town and our landlords enjoyed a lively trade.

The ladies of LaPorte, are invited to assist in preparing for a Bazaar. Proceeds to aid in buying a piano, for the school hall. The workers will meet each Tuesday and Friday evening at the Mountain House.

Instead of ten days, as heretofore a postmaster is, by a new ruling of the department, authorized to hold unclaimed letters thirty days in the absence of specific instructions to the contrary from the writer.

R. W. Bennett of the 'Mere shot and killed two deer on Thanksgiving. One a fawn and the other a good sized doe. Mr. Bennett was in company with a party of hunters, the names of whom we have failed to learn.

The LaPorte graded school will give an entertainment on Friday evening Dec. 9th. Doors open at 7:45 P. M.

Admission:—Adults 25 cents, children 15 cents.

Proceeds to be applied toward purchasing a piano for the hall.

One hundred marriage licenses were issued in Chicago the day after that city went Democratic. It was enough to drive any man to desperate measures. The men evidently want help to make a living.

The principal purpose of an advertisement is to keep the name of the advertiser constantly before the people. The business man who recognizes this fact and utilizes it by placing his announcement in the REPUBLICAN will not be forgotten when the purchaser is on his rounds.

That woman who was elected a trial Justice in Wyoming, and who commenced her duties by committing her husband to jail for contempt of court, is only another instance of a woman's power to send a glance what her husband most needs for his comfort.

Read J. H. Campbell & Son's new ad, in this issue. People of Western Sullivan will find it interesting and to their advantage, as they are offering goods cheap. Your attention for one moment is all they ask to convince you that their store is the cheapest place to buy goods in that section of the county.

Some of the Democratic organs at present engaged in circulating the report that Senator Hill, of New York, proposes to resign, actually seem to believe it. Their constant repetition of the story may render it necessary for Mr. Hill to again remind them that he is a 'Democrat.'

Several accounts are given in our daily exchanges of people becoming insane over the expectation of the world coming to an end by a rap of the comet, which was to have appeared upon this earth in a crash, according to the quotations of our learned men, on Sunday evening. Such weak minded people ought not to read, they surely haven't sense enough to find the comet.

The Thanksgiving ball given by Hotel Kennedy on the evening of Nov. 23, was largely attended and a splendid time enjoyed by all present. The music was good and the repast which was served at 12:30 was excellent and compared favorably with any supper ever served at the county sent to a like gathering. The table of Hotel Kennedy is highly complimented at all times.

We unfortunately broke our press last week, hence the impression was most awful poor. This we could not help. We were all day working off the edition. Thanksgiving was truly a long day with us. Have had the breakage repaired and hope to do good work in the future. A cylinder printing press in some respects is very much like a saw mill. No end to machinery and break downs frequent.

The Binghamton Herald claims to have it strictly from the "inner circle" that President Cleveland proposes to reappoint all post masters who were removed by President Harrison before the expiration of their terms of office, providing they went out of office with clean hands. If this rumor be true Mr. Spencer will probably be reappointed at LaPorte.

The Bureau of Statistics at Washington shows that the number of immigrants arriving in this country during the month of October was 16,428, as compared with 54,182 for the same month last year. This is a big falling off, but the country could stand it even if the decrease should keep up and prove to be due to more permanent causes than the cholera scare.

Under the stimulating operation of the McKinley bill wages are being increased in many branches of industry, every day bringing word of an advance in one interest or another. How to smash the McKinley bill without turning the wage movement backward is a question which is just now causing a great deal of mental wear and tear to some of the ablest Democratic statesmen in this country.

Mr. Joe Been who was arrested for selling whiskey and beer on Cherry Flats recently, without a county license and the case heard before Charley Jackson, J. P. of Bernice, has skipped to quarters unknown. Jackson put his bail at \$50. This was considered very small by our attorneys and they laugh at the idea. We understand he made his bossman good before taking his departure.

Fastest Mile on a Railroad.

The fastest mile ever made was the record of engine 385, running on the Reading's New York Division between Philadelphia and Jersey City last Friday night. The locomotive made the splendid run of a mile in 37 seconds, and the next succeeding one in 38 seconds, surpassing all performances for one and two miles.

All signs indicate that it will be a hungry and thirsty army of office-seekers, and not a theory, that will confront Mr. Cleveland when he goes into the administering business at Washington next March. How to feed the famished host with the limited supply of provender at his disposal will be a problem which, if he successfully solves it, will entitle Mr. Cleveland to spell his brand of statesmanship with a large capital S.

Democratic joy over the recent victory has reached such high pressure in Indiana that some of the victors have taken to dancing on soldiers' graves, carrying away the tombstones and painting them red, and kindred means of expressing their enthusiasm. There hasn't been such rejoicing in the copperhead districts of the Hoosier State since the Union army was defeated at the first battle of Bull Run.

Whiskey and beer seems to be the principle subject in town now-a-days. Our landlords say the proprietors of the several commissaries along the line of railroad have no right to sell liquors without a county license, and threaten to arrest them. While on the other hand the proprietors of these establishments say our landlords are violating the law every day, and should they cause them to be arrested, they will retaliate and make lots of business for our courts. What will the harvest be?

The engineers engaged in running the line of the W. & N. B., are kept busy steering the way for grading; however, with no play hours or holidays they succeed very nicely and we understand that the engineer corps, two in all and the contractors get along pretty near harmoniously which is gratifying and a pleasure to all concerned. Occasionally a passionate word may drop from either, but all is made right in a few minutes and the work goes on. In work of this kind one could hardly expect all smiles.

Mike Fember, a foreigner of Lopez, got into bad hands Saturday night. He was in a drunken state and smashed in a window about midnight in the dwelling occupied by Fred Billings. Mr. Billings swore out a warrant before Esq. Jennings, on Sunday morning who bound him over to court. Constable Cangle brought the prisoner to LaPorte, Sunday noon and he now resides in cell No. 4. Tom thinks the numerous foreigners about Lopez are becoming too fresh and that this will afford them a good lesson.

As all letters to Mr. Cleveland must be prepaid, the prosperity of the Post Office Department is assured for several months to come.

The Bernice Minstrels played in Gary's hall Saturday evening. There was a good attendance and the entertainment was pronounced very good. The Bernice Cornet Band accompanied the boys and after serenading the town discoursed some choice music between the acts. —Du hore Gazette.

Two noted crooks succeeded in working the "gold brick" swindle upon a prominent resident of the City of Williamsport, to the sum of \$6,000, a few days ago. The name of the aforesaid "prominent resident" is being withheld in order that it may not become generally known who it is that has made such a consummate fool of himself. Suffice it to say that the "prominent resident" is old enough to have known better, that he is a resident of the eastern part of the city and that he is "shivering in his boots," as the saying is, for fear he will become known in the matter and the finger of sarcasm point him out as a fool.

Trexell & Terrill's large and one of the most complete saw mills in the county together with grist mill which is attached to the saw mill and owned by Trexell & Terrill, burned to the ground, on Friday evening last. There were also four car loads of grain in the building which was consumed in the flames. The sawed lumber about the mill was saved. The fire is supposed to have originated about the fire room and was noticed in the neighborhood of 5 P. M. Every effort was made to extinguish the flames but with no avail. The company has four or five millions of feet of lumber in logs at the mill yard and will proceed at once to rebuild. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

Bently Meeker's jewelry store at Dushore, was robbed on Friday night and between eight and nine hundred dollars in goods stolen together with forty or fifty dollars in cash. The robbers entered the front door by breaking the lock. The safe which contained the cash and many valuable watches, was blown open and made a total wreck. To deaden the explosion an over coat and a horse blanket was thrown over the safe. George Honnetter's confectionery store is in the adjoining room to Meeker's and a door leads into either. The burglars entered Honnetter's store through this passage and took from George's cash box 70 or 80 pennies. This is one of the boldest robbers committed in Sullivan county for some time and leaves Mr. Meeker almost penniless. It is said that unusual sounds were heard about the town during the night. As yet no clue of the robber or robbers has been learned. Fifty dollars reward is offered for their capture.

A charter was granted at the State Department, last Friday, to the Turbutville and Williamsport Railroad Company, capital \$300,000. This road will be thirty miles in length and will extend from Turbutville, Northumberland county, to Newberry junction, in Lycoming county, where it will connect with the Beech Creek Railroad, now controlled and operated by the Vanler-bilt system. At its eastern terminus at Turbutville, it connects with the Wilkes-Barre & Western Railroad in whose interest the new line is projected and will be virtually an extension of the line. This looks as though the line from Turbutville to Watsonstown, and the building of a bridge across the Susquehanna river at that place, would be abandoned.

During the past months merchants along the line of the Reading railroad from Harrisburg to Williamsport have had goods stolen while they were being transported on the cars. Among those who suffered loss in this way was T. J. Keeler of this place. Mr. Keeler was telephoned last week that the guilty parties had been captured at Williamsport and requested him to come down and identify his stolen property which consisted of dress goods, on Saturday. He complied with the request and identified the goods to be of the same pattern and quality as those taken from him. H. S. Williams, alias Jesse James who was one of the robbers arrested, made a confession and said there were several in the gang and that the goods stolen were secreted in buildings at Shamokin, Harrisburg and Williamsport. Detectives are making a search and it is presumed that they will find a large assortment of goods in the buildings designated by Jesse James.

Dr. Neott Passes Away.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Rev. Dr. John Witherspoon Scott, the venerable father-in-law of President Harrison, died this afternoon at ten minutes after four o'clock, at the age of 93 years. He died in the executive mansion, where he went with his daughter and son-in-law when they made it their home. Dr. Scott's illness was of short duration. He went to Indianapolis with the party that accompanied Mrs. Harrison's remains. He bore the fatigue of the trip very well, and returned in his usual health. On Saturday November 18 he caught cold and was compelled to go to bed and place himself under the doctor's care.

Killed by a Buck.

Albert Lewis, the millionaire lumber merchant and coal operator, has an extensive deer park at his Summer residence at Bear Lake, near Wilkes-Barre, and one big buck with magnificent antlers is king of the collection. Monday Michael Kane, the keeper, entered the inclosure to feed the animals when the big deer, in an angry mood, made a leap at the keeper and bucked him until he became exhausted and fell. The buck then rolled him along until he fell in the creek in the park. A boy called Augustus Garris, a bookkeeper, and the latter, who had a loaded rifle, fired and killed the animal. The injured man was removed to his home in a critical condition and will die.

Three Sentenced to Death.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 28.—Joseph and Angelo Zappa were called before the bar to-day. Judge Kennedy over ruled the motion for a new trial and both were sentenced to death by hanging. They were convicted of the murder of Frank Heim-stetter on July 4th.

George Strasser, who killed Joseph Brandell, last August, was then called and also sentenced to death by the court. Frank Garvin, was re-called and his sentence changed from nine years to eight years and nine months, in compliance with the law forbidding the release of prisoners for the penitentiary in winter months.

When Joseph and Angelo Zappa were taken to jail they became extremely violent. Angelo butted his head against the stone wall until the blood streamed from cuts, and then jumped from the cell range to the floor, twenty feet below, and is badly though not fatally hurt. Joseph also battered his head almost to a jelly against the bars of his cell door. They were removed to padded cells and a special watch placed on them. Joseph Zappa's wife, who was in the court room when her husband was sentenced, created a painful scene and had to be removed by the court officers. At 2 o'clock this afternoon Garvin was removed to the penitentiary.

The best cigar in town can be found at the barber shop.

My Friend "Money."

Original.

[Written for LaPorte REPUBLICAN.]

This world is a dreary place no doubt, To those who've no money or friends, To one who has always knocked about And to unlucky fortune bends;

A man who gets but three dollars a week Who must wear old clothes all the year, Who once had a mother kind and meek But who taught him his God to fear.

Chorus:—

Oh! Money, what a friend thou art To those that are disressed,

To ease the pain, to cheer the heart To purchase love or rest.

Oh tell me not, since tis abused, It causes man's down fall,

The man with wealth if rightly used Can purchase friends and all.

We have heard of cases day by day Of a starving man gone mad,

In some frantic spell he threw life away Just for want of a loaf of bread;

Of some woman fallen in deep disgrace, Who is living a life of shame,

For want of money her charms to grace She might have had unsullied fame.

Oh never cast down a wretched one, For 'know! Money will set it right,

If properly used a little sum To a dark soul will bri'g the light;

All that you have has been given you, So don't despise those that have none,

But use your money honest and true No regret have when life is done.

Geo. H. PARKER.

November 12, 1892.

Business Locals.

FOR SALE.

Live Republic paper in a progressive healthy village, on Long Island. Good reasons for selling. Good opening for right man. A dress Opportunity, care SULLIVAN REPUBLICAN.

Dynamite.

I have a quantity of Dynamite Caps, and Fuse for sale. Any one wishing to have stumps, rocks or boulders, removed from their land, can procure this explosive in any quantity from me. Can also furnish a man to handle the same, if the party so desire.

H. P. HALL, Sonestown, Pa.

Oct. 14, 6m.

The REPUBLICAN, only \$1.00 a year.

NOTICE

The people of Western Sullivan are hereby requested to give us their attention for just one moment—While we tell you that our stock of—

Fall and Winter Goods

Are now Complete and che per than ever. Our stock consists of Dry goods Groceries, Hats Caps, Boots, Rubber goods, Clothing of every description, Fur Medicines, Drugs and everything usually kept in a first class Store. And don't forget that for cash we give you—

10 per Cent Discount

On all the Goods. Give us a trial and We will convince you that We can save you money. No trouble to show—

Goods and Give Prices.

We don't want the Earth, only a share of your Patronage.

Yours Very Respectfully,

J. H. CAMPBELL & SON, Shunk, Pa.

Shunk, Pa., Sept. 2, 1892.

—FOR—

A Big Bargain,

Come and see us,

J. W. CARROLL & Co.

In our new branch store at Laporte.

We have on hand an excellent line of Goods furnishing goods of all kinds including suits (overcoats, Hats, Caps, Underwear, Boots and Shoes, Rubber goods, Furs and etc., at prices that defy competition.

CUSTOM WORK

PROMPTLY AND

Correctly done at our head quarters in HOTEL CARROLL BLOCK at Dushore, Pa. We respectfully invite YOU to call and see us and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

J. W. Carroll & Co.

H. W. HARRISON, Manager.

30 Days Clearing-Out Sale!

To make room for Fall Stock commencing on July 20, 1892.

I have a large stock of goods which will be sold at a great bargain. Will sell Shirts at wholesale prices. One dollar will buy a good pair of

MEN'S, BOYS', YOUTHS', LADIES' MISSES' OR CHILDREN'S SHOES.

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Wholesaler, Retailer, Manufacturer.

J. S. HARRINGTON,

DUSHORE, PA.

Leading Shoe Dealer and Manufacturer of Sullivan County.

A. B. MESSERSMITH, Manager, Lopez Store.

E. G. SYLVARA

DUSHORE, PA.

DEALER IN DRY GOODS, CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF

THE PRODUCE BUSINESS AND AT ALL TIMES PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH FOR WOOL, BUTTER AND EGGS.

E. G. SYLVARA.

TO THE PUBLIC!

I am prepared to meet any prices or quotations with a first class and well selected stock of

MEN'S, YOUTHS', BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

HATS, CAPS, AND GENTS FURNISHING GOODS TRUNKS, BAGS AND UMBRELLAS.

I also have full lines of Samples from two Merchant Tailoring Establishments, for Custom Work. Perfect fits guaranteed. Call and get prices. Yours Respectfully etc.,

F. P. VINCENT.

CRONIN'S NEW BLOCK, DUSHORE, PA.

LOYAL SOCK COAL.

Loyal Sock Coal, for sale at the Breaker of the State Line & Sullivan Railroad Co. at Bernice

\$3.00 PER TON.

The State Line & Sullivan R. R. Co. I. O. BLIGHT, Sup't.