

Easter April 2d.
Winter is still with us.
Moving time is near at hand.
Subscribe for the REPUBLICAN.
The snow banks are still with us.
More snow on Tuesday. When will it cease?

St. Patrick's Day next Friday, March 17th.
Our exchanges quote many deaths from rheumatism.

David B. Hill defines it a mug-wump administration.
Mrs. Bivins of LaPorte, is reported on the sick list.
This winter seems to have an uncommonly stiff back bone.

Mrs. Ward, of Laporte, is visiting friends near Buffalo, N. Y.
Candidates for county offices, are beginning to come to the surface.

F. W. Gallagher has opened up his restaurant and is ready for business.
An oil well is being put down near Liberty, in Tioga county, this state.

Each person in this country sends on an average of forty-four letters every day.
The sun was out in full ray on Sunday, but the wind blew continuously.

The second Democratic President in 36 years was inaugurated on Saturday.
J. W. Ballard was transacting business at Scranton, the early part of this week.

A. J. Bradley of Sonestown, was transacting business in Williamsport, on Saturday.
Judge Sitzer as yet, has not filed his opinion in the Snider & Peterman license case.

So far as heard from, Sullivan county was very poorly represented at the inauguration.
Miss Maud Crossley of LaPorte, was visiting friends at Strawberry, Lycoming county, last week.

James McFarlane called to see our new engine one day last week. He complimented it very highly.
Chas. Lauer of LaPorte will leave for Philadelphia on Saturday, where he will visit friends for several days.

Do you suppose with that high silk hat on, he was taken for one of the cabinet or one of the jockey boys.
John Boyd left for Philadelphia, on Wednesday. Wallace Willis, of Williamsport, is now foreman of the REPUBLICAN office.

The Canton post office was robbed of stamps, cash and registered letters to the amount of \$600 on Monday night of last week.
There are about 100,000 federal offices to be emptied and filled. The latest census of office seekers foot up about 1,000,000.

John Paulhamus, Esq., while in town transacting business, called at the REPUBLICAN office and renewed his subscription, on Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Judge Ingham of LaPorte, attended the funeral of Mr. Ingham's sister, Mrs. Dr. Honet at Wyalusing, on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Donatell and Miss Ettinger, returned from their visit to New York city, on Saturday evening. They report a splendid time.
Sheriff Knapp of Wyoming county should reserve a place in the jail yard for Sullivan county guests, at the execution of Rosenweig and Blank.

The LaPorte post office went into Republican hands in July, 1889 hence, we can expect the "bird" to return to the political enemy about July 1893.
Our farmers say that the pheasants have been driven by the severe winter from the woods to apple orchards where they find food in the buds on the trees.

Mr. Fred E. Gleim, cashier of the West Branch Bank of Williamsport, fell while going from his house to the barn one day last week and sustained a broken rib.
The Local Institute for Western Sullivan has secured the services of Hon. Henry Houck of Harrisburg, Deputy Sup't. of Public Instruction, for an evening lecture, March 17, at Forksville. Mr. Houck is one of the most pleasing speakers in our whole state and to fail to hear him is to miss a fine evening's entertainment. We bespeak for Mr. Houck a crowded house and a delighted audience.

Two wood-alcohol factories are to be established near Canton. It is stated that they will consume 6,000 cords of wood annually.

Chauncey M. Dewey thinks Harrison will be the candidate of the republicans in 1896. If so, will Chauncey stay home from Europe and do some work during the campaign?

It is reported that Proctor & Hill have bought all the land on South Mountain formerly belonging to the Schrader land company, including the Carbon Run mines.—Canton Sentinel.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton C. Maben of LaPorte, left for Kanoza Lake, N. Y., on Thursday last in answer to a telegraph received by Mr. Maben stating that his mother was dangerously ill.

The musical convention convened at LaPorte on Tuesday, with a fair sized audience. Music will reign at the county seat the entire week and on Saturday evening the grand concert will take place.

The Marks murder has been made the subject of a novel designed to be sold to youthful readers for the sum of five cents. "Nick Carter" figures as the detective, and the title of the tale is "Tracked to Montreal."

It is rumored that Mr. Davidge of Jamison City, anticipates erecting a hub factory at LaPorte, on the completion of the W. & N. B. railroad. A better location for an enterprise of this kind would be hard to find.

We learn that ex-Post-Master, Walter Spencer is the only applicant seeking the appointment of the LaPorte post-office. Mr. Spencer made an excellent P. M. under Cleveland's administration in '84, and the people are pleased with the selection.

When young ladies ask for postage stamps they do not give the denomination. If they want one center, they simply say "without;" if two centers, "with." On the former, Columbus has no whiskers; on the latter he has. It is seldom they ask for one center.

The Blinn Advertiser, says that Will Blight of that city has become a "straight democrat." It will be remembered that Will ran for Sheriff of Chemung county on the Republican ticket recently. With this in mind one can hardly credit the statement of the Advertiser.

Big floods are prophesied by the knowing ones. While their predictions may come true, they are quite as liable not to be fulfilled. The snow may go off as quietly as it did after the blizzard of 1888. LaPorte situated as it is, on a mountain will be safe in either event.

Tom Reed was abused because the fifty-first congress was a billion-dollar congress. Mr. Crisp, the tammany speaker, has the honor of having presided over a billion-and-twenty-million-dollar congress. Democratic majorities of the Tammany variety always increase taxes!

There will be a meeting of the farmers and citizens of Sonestown and vicinity at Sonestown, Thursday evening March 16, for the purpose of organizing a Grange. There will be short addresses on the objects and principles of the Grange by Ulysses Bird, Master of Elkland Grange, No. 973, and M. R. Black County Deputy.

February, the shortest month in the year, has come and gone. There were not enough days in it for the moon to get full. Winter, by the calendar, has departed, and the spring quarter of the year has begun. We don't recommend this, however, as first-class weather for picnics in the woods, or advise anyone to put on his summer clothes.

LaPorte borough will receive \$360 license money this year. The amount increases almost yearly. This, however, is not gratifying to many of our citizens, but what's the use of complaining, the applicants would receive their license anyway, and a small amount of liquor money invested in improvements on our streets will do no harm. We are a firm believer in high license.

There will be but one case argued in the Supreme Court from Sullivan county at this session, which will convene in Philadelphia on Monday, viz: Hartzig vs. L. V. R. R. The attorneys in the case are: Scouten of Dushore for plaintiff and R. J. Thomas, Deputy of Dushore and W. T. Davies and Henry Stroeter both of Towanda, for defendant. The substance of the case is: Mrs. Hartzig while leaving a switch depot near Lopez, fell from a car which she was compelled to climb over and broke her arm, hence she seeks damages.

PRESIDENT HARRISON'S PAY.

The Outgoing Executive Closes His Account With Uncle Sam.
WASHINGTON, March 3.—A few days ago President Harrison received his last month's pay in the shape of a draft for \$4,166.67 issued on a warrant to the Treasurer, signed, as usual, by the Secretary of the Treasury, and sent over to the White House by messenger. To-day he received another draft for \$416.65, issued by the Treasury Department in the same way, representing his pay for service as President of the United States for the first three days of March and closing his account with the government.

According to the Treasury computation the Presidential salary of \$50,000 a year is at the rate of \$138.88 a day.

Artificial Maple Sugar.

Decotions or extracts of the wood or bark of trees are frequently used for flavoring syrups or sugars. Different extracts differ in taste. The hickory tree it is said yields an extract that will impart the flavor of the maple, and Daily's method of producing artificial maple syrup or sugar is as follows: Make an extract of hickory bark or wood by allowing water to percolate through the same. The bark or wood may be ground, or sawdust therefrom used. Hot water may be used, or the material boiled in water. The strength of the extract may be increased by increase of the quantity of the wood or bark. To one gallon of hot or boiling sugar syrup add say three table-spoonsful of the hickory extract. It is said the effect of the extract is to produce a flavor that renders the syrup indistinguishable from genuine maple sugar. If the syrup is boiled down, a sugar resembling maple sugar in taste is produced.—Scientific American.

A. J. ETTINGER, of LaPorte,

will sell his personal property at public sale, on THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1893.

THE ELK RUN HOUSE BURNED.

The Resort for Hunters Totally Destroyed—Partly Insured.
Sunday afternoon, about four o'clock the Elk Run House, situated about two miles above Central and owned by J. W. Perry was discovered to be on fire. The flames had already made such headway that, with the means on hand, it was impossible to extinguish them. The house was totally destroyed. By the timely help of some neighbors about one-third of the furniture was saved. Mr. Perry and daughter were at home when the fire was discovered. The rest of the family had gone to church. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is estimated at \$2000 insured in the Hartford and Firemen of Baltimore in the sum of \$1600. This Hotel was a resort for hunters and fishers and is well known to all sportsmen. Mr. Perry proposes to rebuild as soon as possible.—Bloomburg Sentinel.

HENRY TRIPP, of Shunk,

will sell his personal property at public sale, on FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1893.

Rosenweig Again Lays Plans for Escape.

Rosenweig has not, it seems, yet abandoned all hope of escape from jail. The Tunkanook correspondent of the Scranton Times, writing on Monday, said: Sheriff Knapp has deprived prisoner Rosenweig of all reading matter save the Bible. He made examination of the cell the other day and found that Rosenweig had been digging out the plaster at the foot of his bed and making a break for liberty. The walls are of solid masonry and it would require a force of masons with tools unmolested a full week to dig out there and even then they could not displace the stone without blasting. He might as well take another tack. Rev. Mr. Barson was a caller at the jail on Sunday and tried to reconcile the doomed man to his fate. He says that Blank seems to be greatly worried in mind while Rosenweig still thinks there is hope ahead.

President Harrison held his last public reception at the White House on Wednesday afternoon, March 2. It is estimated that 1500 people shook the hand of the retiring Chief Magistrate and half as many more failed to get into the East Room before he left it. This is an unusual number, and bespeaks the good will entertained for President Harrison, as ordinarily there are not more than from 200 to 300 in attendance on these occasions.

REJECTED ADVISE.

The Conductor's Efforts Set at Naught by a Country Girl.

From the Indianapolis Journal.
A conductor on one of the roads entering Indianapolis in giving his varied experience said:
"I remember one day that a large fine looking country girl got on my train at Pana, Ill., ticketed to Toledo, Ohio. I noticed at once that she was unfamiliar with travel, and as our train arrived then in the old depot, which was a very lonely place at that hour of night, and she would have to wait until seven o'clock for the train East, I thought I would caution her before leaving Indianapolis to be careful about making new acquaintances. When we reached the city suburbs, in passing through the car taking up tickets I leaned over and in as gentle and courteous a manner as I knew how I said to her: 'Lady, your train does not leave for Toledo until seven o'clock; it is now three o'clock. When the train stops in the depot go to the ladies' waiting room and remain in there. You will be perfectly safe there until your train is ready to leave. Don't listen to what any hack driver or hotel runner may say to you.'
"She gave me a very sarcastic look and snapped out:
"My pap told me when I started out to talk to any man, and I don't like your looks a bit, anyway."

OBITUARY.

Hon. George Jarvis Eldred, who died at his home at Mackeyville on Wednesday last week, was one of the representative men of Clinton county. He was a younger brother of Judge Charles D. Eldred, of Muncy, and was born at Eldredville, in what is now Sullivan county, Feb. 18, 1818. His ancestors were English. He settled in Clinton county in 1839, soon after its organization, and became a farmer. Twice he represented his county in the legislature—first in 1853, and secondly in 1879-80. In politics he was a Democrat. Early in life he united with the Presbyterian church, and for forty years he was superintendent of the Union Sabbath school near his home. Mr. Eldred was a great reader and profound thinker. He was married and leaves a widow and several children.
The deceased was a man of many amiable qualities, kind and affectionate, fair in all his dealings and one whose death will be sincerely mourned by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

The above obituary notice taken from the Muncy Lumberian, recalls to memory the untiring labors of his father, Edward J. Eldred, who for many years was the most efficient worker in promoting the educational interests of the territory, comprising the western part of our county.
Hon. George J. Eldred is remembered by our oldest citizens. His earliest religious associations was with the Baptists uniting with the Loyalsock church in 1839, and continuing his membership with that church until 1843, being associated in this connection with members of the Rogees, Brown, Hill and Bedford families.

It is President Cleveland now and ex-President Harrison. The former took the oath of office at Washington at noon on Saturday and is to be the chief executive of the country for another four years. The country will not go to the dogs on that account. Cleveland will not live up to the platform of the Democratic party adopted by the convention which nominated him. If he did the country would surely go to smash at a rapid rate. But Cleveland is not likely to prove so much of a tariff smasher as some of the free traders would like, and his administration is apt to be one of considerable merit. No one doubts that Cleveland means to do what is best for the country, and how that he is again President of the whole people every one should try to help him as much as possible. This advice is hardly necessary, however, as he will doubtless find plenty of people who want to take all of the offices and help him run the government without advertising for proposals to fill them. As we view the matter he should have all of the assistance he requires if he can get it from the Democrats; and Republican office holders should retire just as soon as their terms expire and make room for a portion of the Democrats who want their places. Cleveland has in a measure indicated that he is not of the opinion that Democrats are good enough for some of the offices, but this should not have any influence with Republicans who may be asked to continue in the offices they now hold after their terms expire. They should be ready to step down and out at the end of the time for which they were commissioned and make room for the Democrats who are likely to be so anxiously waiting.

Reports say that Southern vegetables will be very late.

Eugene Tripp of LaPorte, has taken the contract of erecting the building for the W. & N. B. R. R. over Loyalsock at Ringville. His brother, Henry Tripp of Shunk, it is said, will assist him.

John Gresham is the father of the new Cabinet in the matter of years. He is in his sixty-second year. J. Sterling Morton is however, a close second, as he is just turned 60. Hoke Smith, who is only 38, is the baby of the Cabinet. Carlisle is not far behind Gresham and Morton, while Lamont, Bissell, Herbert and Olney are all under 50. The average age of Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet is considerably under that of the Harrison Cabinet. Comparatively speaking, Mr. Cleveland has selected a Cabinet of young men. Hoke Smith is probably the youngest man to hold a Cabinet position since the day of Alexander Hamilton. The combined weight of the Cabinet, says a New York writer, is about 1,600 pounds, or an average of 200 pounds each. Mr. Cleveland will bring the total up to over 1,800 pounds, so the new Administration will commence business with nearly a ton of material as a foundation. It may be difficult to dislodge such heavy weights four years hence, but no doubt the Republican party will be equal to the task.

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Admission to the senior class next fall will be determined in all State Normal Schools, by the State Board of Examiners at the annual examination in June. Students who propose attending this examination will find it advantageous to enter this school for the spring term for preparation.
Spring term opens March 20. For catalogue showing requirements for admission, courses of study, expenses, etc., apply to S. H. Alpro, Ph. D., Principal, Mansfield, Pa.

Corporate Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the North Mountain Lumber Co. will apply by petition to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County on the 28th day of March 1893, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a decree of dissolution of the said corporation pursuant to the Acts of Assembly, in such cases made and provided. When all persons interested in said corporation as stock holders, creditors, or otherwise may appear and be heard.
SAMUEL WEAFFALL, Sec'y., March 1, 93.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of Vend. Ex. Real issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, and to me directed and delivered, there will be exposed at public sale at the Hotel Carroll in Dushore, Pa., on Saturday March 25, 1893, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described property, viz: All that lot or parcel of land in Fox township Sullivan county, Pa., described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a hemlock, being the south west corner and joining lands of Horatio Tompkins, thence north by lands of said Tompkins, Daniel Morgan and D. M. Ellis, 208 perches to an old cherry; thence east 69 and seven eighths perches to a post; thence south by lands of G. S. Hunter, 188 perches to a road; thence east by lands of G. S. Hunter, 22 1/2 perches to a stake; thence south by lands of W. H. Olds and Dighton Carey, 20 perches to a post; thence west by lands of Catherine Eck, 92 perches to the place of beginning; containing 92 acres and 14 perches, being part of the Daniel Broadhead tract. And having thereon erected, one log house, one log stable; a small young orchard growing thereon, well watered, and about 25 acres, more or less cleared.
Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Joseph Carey at the suit of Shaylor & Clark.
THOMAS MAHAFFEY, Sheriff, Sheriff's office, LaPorte, Pa., Feb. 27, '93.

Business Locals.

Insure your life in the Great Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Philadelphia, F. H. TOMLINSON, agent for Sullivan County.
FOR SALE:—One good 2 seated sleigh, 1 pr. light 2 horse bobsleds, 1 truck wagon one 1 horse sled. Inquire of J. W. Buck, at Bodine & Warm's store, Sonestown, Pa.

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MULES!
Buy your stock of F. H. TOMLINSON, Sonestown, Pa. All stock guaranteed as represented.
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.
For Sale or Rent,
The dwelling house now occupied by Amos Ettinger, possession given 1st of April also for rent the store room occupied by J. W. Carroll, possession given 1st of March.

WM. MEYLER,
J. W. Ballard the LaPorte blacksmith has in stock the "Never-slip" horse shoe. Give them a trial. They are the best.

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J. H. CAMPBELL & SON, Shunk, Pa.
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J. W. Carroll & Co.
H. W. HARRISON, Manager.

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

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