

THE REPUBLICAN.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 1893.

Locals are scarce.

Spring fever is common.

Easter was a beautiful day.

Eclipse of the sun to-day Thursday.

Sunlight and darkness are of equal length.

The maple buds will soon begin to swell.

But few of our farmers are making maple sugar.

Bark peeling will soon be the order of the day.

Ice on lake Mokoma is said to be eight or ten inches thick.

The man with the organ grinder may be looked for any day.

John V. Finkle is erecting a new barn on his lot on Muncy street.

A. Weber, the watch repairer was up from Columbia county last week.

The Republican State Convention will meet in Harrisburg, on August 30th.

They are making preparations to plant gardens in the lower part of the county.

The election of County Superintendent of Schools occurs the first Tuesday of May.

James Miller, superintendent of the Muncy Valley tannery, was doing business in town Saturday.

Miss Dolla Crossley, of Columbia county, was visiting friends at Laporte the latter part of last week.

Prof. F. W. Meylert and wife, of Forksville, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at the county seat.

Spring seems to be a little sly in putting in an appearance, however, we occasionally have a pleasant day.

"Phil," the one hundred and seventy-five pound dog of James McFarlane, died of old age on Monday.

F. H. Tomlinson and Frank Margale, both of Sonestown, were doing business at the county seat Saturday.

U. S. Attorney E. P. Ingham and wife, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Laporte.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. George Fiester, of Laporte township, on Easter Sunday—twins. Two daughters.

E. J. Gaynor, Esq. presented the St. Patrick's church of Pottsville with a beautiful floral arch on Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Barrows and daughter Miss Olive, returned from Philadelphia last week where they have been visiting friends.

Will the People's party of Sullivan county nominate a full ticket this year? The P. of I's. ought to take a hand in this affair.

Read our business locals weekly. Something new inserted each week. You may find advertised therein just what you want on the farm.

The Elmira Gazette has recently placed four type setting machines in their office. The Gazette is owned and controlled by David B. Hill.

Rosenweig and Blank, the two murderers in the Tunkhannock jail, wept and cried bitterly when the death sentence was read to them last week.

It is rumored that B. F. Crossley, of Laporte, is likely to receive the appointment of mail clerk on the W. & N. B. Ben's many friends here wish him success.

Miss Ettinger, principal of the Laporte graded school, is confined to her room with sickness, hence school has been dismissed in her department this week.

The Lopez people request a new county bridge over Lopez creek at said place. They say the one in use is not safe and is not large enough to accommodate the public travel.

Frank Mynard finished sawing his stock of logs at the mill on Saturday and gave his men a free oyster supper at Gallagher's restaurant on Saturday evening. The boys all speak very highly of Frank.

W. B. Williams, who has served as assistant superintendent for James McFarlane & Co., at the Laporte tannery for some time, anticipates moving on his farm near Hancock, N. Y., the fore part of next week. Byron, his son, who is serving as an apprentice in J. W. Ballard's blacksmith shop will accompany his father and mother to Hancock.

Charles Landon is boss carpenter on the King trestling. He is employed by Mr. McGorvin and no doubt will make a good man for the place.

The "Hindoo Tea" will take place this Friday evening. It will be a curiosity in every sense of the word and you ought to attend. Price only 15 cents.

A number of our business men are advocating organizing a Building and Loan Association. This would show enterprise and our people should not hesitate to take the first step.

Politics should not be considered in the campaign of the County Superintendent. School Directors should vote for the very best man for the place, regardless of political promises. In short politics should not be considered.

J. W. Ballard, the blacksmith and wagon maker, of Laporte, has just completed a brand new meat wagon for Conrad Kraus, the butcher. It is a well put up vehicle in every particular. The painting done by John Guinner, is fine.

Eugene Tiipp, of Laporte, who took the contract of Mr. McGorvin to erect the trestling for the W. & N. B. R. R. over Loyal Sock at Ringville, has commenced the same and hopes to have it completed by the middle of May.

There was no moving about at Laporte on the 1st of April. With but few exceptions our people own the homes in which they live, hence, they have come to stay. There are as many as three families in one or two dwellings, and all residences are occupied except the brick mansion.

Justices of the Peace begin their terms on the first Monday in May. School Directors meet and organize on the first Monday in June. The Supervisors, Constable, Burgess, Borough and Township Auditors and Councilmen should enter upon their duties on the first Monday in March.

A petition to the town council requesting them to open up Muncy street to intersect with the long talked of road down Mill Creek and Loyalsock to Forksville, was circulated in our midst last week. R. A. Conklin circulated the petition and we understand the same will be handed the councilmen at their next meeting.

It is claimed that Louisiana has superseded South Carolina as the rice state, and is now raising one-half of the crop produced in the United States. The acreage devoted to it in that state is constantly increasing because it pays four or five times better than cotton, which has been grown in too large quantities to pay for the past two years.

The seventh annual commencement of the Forksville Graded School will be held in the M. E. church at that place, Wednesday evening, April 11. The class numbers seven, and is the largest class yet graduated. The following young ladies and gentlemen compose it: Gettie Lancaster, Blanche Collins, Dora Hannan, Ray Rogers, Nelson Tomkins, Edgar Schanbacher and Arthur Rogers.

A Hun at work on the railroad unfortunately got his leg broken by a rolling boulder on Saturday. The accident occurred in the rock cut near Jerusalem, and superintended by George Ferman. They were sloping at the time of the accident and the rock started from the top of the slope. The Hun was in the pit and saw the rock coming, but seemed to be paralyzed and could not move. Dr. Hill was summoned and informs us that the fellow is doing as well as could be expected.

A bloody battle between lumbermen occurred at Cowley's Run, five miles from Austin, Potter county, last week, Tuesday says the Wellsboro Gazette. Three brothers named Edwards had been left in charge of the camp and property of George Smith while he was away on a trip. Unknown to the Edwards' he had given the Reese Brothers, contractors, permission to cut certain timber from the property. The Reese Brothers appeared for the purpose of removing the timber, but first were after a rough and tumble fight, driven away by the Edwards' boys, Reese boys retired to another camp and reinforced with a dozen men armed with clubs and cant-hooks, returned and proceeded to take the lumber by force. A battle royal took place and lasted over an hour. All were badly damaged and one, Frank Edwards, had his skull fractured at the base of the brain and will die. Several of the men were captured and taken to the Coudersport jail. William Reese, who it is understood, struck Frank Edwards, is still at large.

SOLE LEATHER TRUST.

The Combination to be Formed With a Capital of \$75,000,000.

BOSTON, March 22.—The sole leather combination is to be a trust in the fullest sense of the word and will be prepared for business before the summer dull season arrives.

The capitalization to be made by the promoters to-day to make \$75,000,000 in view of the extra inducements which will have to be given to some tanners to get them to turn their business over to the trust.

Seventy-five per cent. of the hemlock bark property of the United States is now in the hands of the proposed trust. The greater part of it comes to them with the tanning plants of the men who are to enter the organization, but the rest has been acquired by one or two of the leaders.

This was the first step taken by the organizers of the trust, and would seem to be a blow aimed at the large packers, Armour, Swift, Hammond and Morris, who have a big monopoly in the hide business. The large packers have heretofore been able to occupy a strong position with the tanners as to the price of hides. The Eastern sole leather houses prominently identified with the combine are Thomas E. Proctor & Co., N. W. Rice & Co., Hoyt Brothers, Day, Wilcox & Co., Horton, Cary & Co., H. G. Lapham & Co. and Fayerweather & Ladew.

WILL PROBABLY FIND BONES.

Digging in Ross Park Likely to Reveal the Remains of the Dead.

Now that the work of excavation of the city hall foundation in Ross park will be commenced in the near future, observes Grit, it has been suggested that the digging will in all probability bring to light the bones of the bodies that were buried there when the plot was a graveyard.

Back in the late sixties all bodies were ordered removed from this plot of ground and relatives of those dead who were buried there had what remained of the bodies of their friends removed to other cemeteries. However, the work of transfer was far from complete, for years afterward human bones were dug from the earth at different points of the "park." When the excavation for the police office was made a number of skeletons were discovered, hence the belief that the extensive digging which will be required for the city hall foundation will reveal other long buried bones.

Council Proceedings.

APRIL 3, 1893.

The town council met at Ingham's office on Monday. Present—F. W. Gallagher, burgess; James McFarlane, T. J. Ingham, F. M. Crossley and Charles Wrede, of the old term council. The auditors report was examined and no mistakes observed. No further business being before the board. Adjourned.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE NEW COUNCIL.

A. Walsh, the newly elected burgess, was sworn in office, and also James McFarlane and R. M. Stormont, of the new board of council. T. J. Keeler being absent. R. M. Stormont was elected secretary of the board. F. M. Crossley was re-appointed chief of police. Robert Stormont was appointed supervisor of both first and second wards. A petition was presented the board requesting them to open up Muncy street to intersect with the recently viewed road down Mill Creek and Loyal Sock to Forksville. No action was taken upon this matter owing to the absence of a full board. Adjourned.

Arbor Days.

Gov. Pattison has designated April 15 and 29 as arbor days in a proclamation in which he recommends to the people the planting of trees and shrubbery in the public school grounds and along the public highways of the State. The Governor says that the introduction of "Arbor Day" in Pennsylvania has brought with it an increased activity in means and measures for the preservation of the forests of the State and the encouragement of tree planting.

Report of Muncy Valley school, first grade for school term ending March 30.

Those having the most perfect lessons were: Grace Strong, May Donovan, Hurley Bigger, Thomas Moran, Jennie Haws, Agnes Marks, Walter Phillips, Monroe Taylor, Willie Donovan, Myrtle Miller and Maurice Strong. Those attending most regularly and having the best percentage were: Walter Phillips, 100; May Donovan, 96; Grace Strong, 88; Hurley Bigger, 88; Thomas Moran, 92; Jennie Haws, 84; Agnes Marks, 90. I thank the patrons of the school for their help and kindness shown. M. P. GAVITT, teacher.

Blatherskite of the Dushore Review says we are robbing the County Treasury. Hal! hal! what a consummate idiot this man must be. Why, the editor of the REPUBLICAN is the only person who ever donated the county with a present the size of a \$97 bill. It was hard earned too, but we gave it without a murmur, other than stating the facts of the case. We can truthfully say that we have not received our just dues from the county, let alone robbing it, but had the matter been left to the voters of Sullivan county, we are assured that we would have received every cent of our bill—\$97 for printing the November tickets. Suppose that each citizen of Sullivan county would donate likewise, Blatherskite included, why the result would be the present economical board of county commissioners could erect a superfine court house. Of course we can't blame Blatherskite for resorting to lies and the like. He is being hit on all sides and the poor fellow must be out of sorts. Some people in his place would hate themselves to death, and we often wonder how he pulls through. For instance here is rumor—subscribers are discontinuing his paper, his job work is going elsewhere, the papers of the county are squeezing him to the wall, and the kids are calling him Blatherskite across the street. This is an unfortunate position to be in and for our part we are willing for Blatherskite to resort to most anything for relief.

The Supreme Court of this state in a late opinion say: "That if an engineer on a railroad engine in approaching a point where it is his duty to sound a whistle, as required by the statute, observes nearby on a highway a man struggling with a team of horses hitched to a wagon and can see from the surroundings that sounding a whistle will make the team unmanageable and greatly endanger the team and man, it is his duty to desist until the danger point is passed, or if necessary to stop the train, and if he does not but needlessly sounds the whistle and permits the team to escape causing them to run away, the company is liable for the injuries inflicted."

The novel charge of stealing a house and the furniture it contained, together with a sheep corral, a load of hay and other sundries, and carting the whole business away, was preferred against a man in Walla, Walla, Wash., the other day. He was formerly a resident of that town, and a year ago he took up a ranch adjoining a sheep farm in Yakima county. The owner of the farm alleges that during the absence of his men the accused tore down the house and the sheep corral and removed them together with the household furniture, a ton of hay and other things to his farm, on which he rebuilt the house, putting the furniture into it. The accused says it is a plot to get him out of the country, the sheepman wanting the water on his farm.

Dr. J. L. Liberman, the regular visiting oculist will again visit LaPorte at Karns Hotel, two days only, April 14 and 15. Forksville Hotel, one day only, April 17. All parties wishing to see me will find me at the above mentioned dates.

Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that John G. Wright and George C. Wright and Mary P. his wife all of the Borough of Forksville, Sullivan county Penn., by deed of voluntary assignment have assigned all the real and personal of the said John G. Wright and George C. Wright to Wm. C. Rogers of the same place in trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said John G. Wright and George C. Wright or either of them.

Assignee's Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

In pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, the undersigned, William C. Rogers, assignee for the benefit of the creditors of John G. Wright and George C. Wright, of the Borough of Forksville, Sullivan county, Pa., will expose to public sale, the assigned real estate at the Forksville House in the Borough of Forksville, Pa., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 1893, beginning at one o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, viz:

LOT NO. 1.—Beginning at a post on the southeast side of Bridge street, 45 feet from the corner of Bridge street and Laporte alley; thence south 30 degrees east, 200 feet to division line between Moses Rogers and Samuel Rogers; thence along said line 47 feet to a post; thence north 30 degrees west, 195 feet to a post on Bridge street; thence north 60 degrees east, 45 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 33 perches, more or less, being part of a large tract of land in the warrant name of Henry Coursey, and having thereon erected one two-story frame house suitable for dwelling house and store room combined, with out-buildings.

house and out-buildings, and a lot of fruit trees growing thereon.

LOT NO. 2.—Beginning at a post in the center of Laporte alley, 10 feet from the corner of lot No. 28 on plot of said town of Forksville; thence along said lot, south 60 degrees west 55 feet to a post; thence south 30 degrees east, 14 1/2 feet to a post; thence north 60 1/2 degrees east, 55 1/2 feet to a post; thence north 30 degrees west, 20 1/2 feet to the place of beginning. Containing three and one-half perches, being a part of a larger tract of land in the warrant name of Henry Coursey.

Also the right to bring the water to the grist mill located on the above described lot, along the following courses, viz: Beginning at a point in the south line of said lot, six perches from the southwest corner of the same, thence south 35 1/2 degrees east, 52 perches; thence north 52 1/2 degrees east 14 perches; thence north 69 degrees east 13 perches; thence north 80 degrees east, 10 and four-tenths perches; thence north 70 degrees east, 17 perches; and thence north 70 degrees east 7 perches to the Loyal Sock creek below the County Bridge.

TERMS OF SALE.—Twenty-five per cent to be paid down at the striking down of the property at the balance in nine months, with interest (security to be given by the purchaser that he will comply with the terms of sale).

WILLIAM C. ROGERS, Assignee for the benefit of the creditors of John G. Wright and George C. Wright. March 21, 1893.

Business Locals.

The latest Spring styles of soft and stiff hats at T. J. KEELER's at bottom prices.

T. J. KEELER has just received a new stock of ready made clothing latest styles and patterns. Call and see them if in need of a suit.

If you want a suit of clothes made to order, T. J. KEELER has 100 samples to select from and will take your measure and guarantee a good fit. Call and look them over.

Insure your life in the Great Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Philadelphia. F. H. TOMLINSON, agent for Sullivan County.

A four-can seventy-quart "Coooley Elevator Creamer" for sale or exchange for a cow. Creamer is almost as good as new and the best make in the market. Call on or address, A. H. MARR, Eagles Mere, Pa.

FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers the following personal property for sale, viz: One team of roan horses, weight about ten hundred pounds, six perches, one lumber wagon, one platform wagon, one buggy and both single and double harness.

SAP SPROUTS, pans and pails, first class tinware of every description, nickled coffee and tea pots, copper nickled teakettles, mammoth Rochester lamps. Also manufacturers of large sap pans, at COLE'S HARDWARE, Dushore Pa.

"Dockash" Ranges are the best. "Dockash" Ranges use less fuel than others. Try a "Dockash" Range—COLE'S HARDWARE sell them, Dushore, Pa.

COUGHING leads to consumption. Kemp's Balsam stops the coughs at once.

LANE'S Medicine moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

Parties desiring to rent Meylert & Co's. store room will apply for terms to Mr. Wm Meylert, Laporte, Pa.

HORSES! MULES!

Buy your stock of F. H. TOMLINSON, Sonestown, Pa. All stock guaranteed as represented.

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.

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

World's Fair Accommodations.

Many who would like to visit the World's Fair are not thoroughly acquainted with Chicago, and will not know where to go—and are pretty sure to pay two or three prices for a place to stay, and get into poor and often questionable quarters.

W. D. Boyce, the publisher of the Saturday Blade and Chicago Ledger, now issues a certificate to every annual subscriber of either of these papers, which entitles the subscriber to apply at the office of the Blade and Ledger, 115-117 Fifth Avenue, Chicago any hour of the day or night, week day or Sunday, during the World's Fair, and there be placed in the hands of an employee of the office, who will locate the subscriber in a good, private family or hotel, at whatever price said subscriber wishes to pay.

Hotels, boarding houses, "rooms to rent," etc., will be personally inspected to insure that no impositions are practiced. Subscriptions to either Blade or Ledger \$2.00 a year. It will be worth more than ten times this amount to have some responsible person to go to as soon as you arrive in Chicago. You also have the privilege of receiving your mail in care of the agency, and a place to write your letters home. Baggage and parcels will also be taken care of during your stay. A pamphlet describing the various matters which will interest prospective visitors to the World's Fair will be sent free on application.

If you expect to visit the World's Fair it will be very necessary for you to arrange for your stopping place before starting for Chicago, and what easier and cheaper could you do than to get a post on Bridge street for the Saturday Blade or Chicago Ledger?

For our assistance we shall charge nothing it will be absolutely free. Address The Publisher. W. D. BOYCE, 115-117 Fifth Avenue, Chicago.

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

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On all these 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.

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H. W. HARRISON, Manager.

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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 Shoes at wholesale prices. One dollar will buy a good pair of

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

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