

Mails leave Laporte Post Office for W. & N. B. R. R., and arrives as follows: NORTH. SOUTH.

The N. Y. Weekly Tribune and Sullivan Republican for \$1.25 One Year \$1.25.

Sunday was a perfect day. Republican convention, next Tuesday.

Straw hats are becoming, this warm weather. Laporte will soon be the metropolis of the county.

The steam boat for Lake Mokoma has been ordered. Tuesday, the first day of May, was a beautiful day.

Ground has been broken for the new M. E. parsonage. Mrs. E. J. Flynn of Jamison City, is visiting friends in Laporte.

The high grade of the Laporte school, will close this Friday. Arbor Day, Friday April 27th, was not observed at Laporte.

It will be twenty years in July since Charlie Ross was abducted. The Satterfield depot was completed on Thursday of last week.

County Commissioner Gabriel Litzelman, was in town Tuesday. Sheriff Mahaffey edits a half column of the REPUBLICAN, this week.

D. C. Gritman of Nordmont, was doing business at the county seat, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crossley of Laporte, were calling on friends in Dushore, Sunday.

The season for a general house-cleaning is here, and the man knoweth not his home. James Walsh, road supervisor of Laporte borough, commenced work on our streets, Monday.

Washington now has the Commonwealth as Congress on its hands. A double affliction. Rev. J. W. Crawford of Danville, was calling on old friends in Laporte, the early part of the week.

The appearance of Mountain Ash cemetery at Laporte, will compare favorably with cemeteries of larger towns. The Y. W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss Fannie Meylert May 4. All are cordially invited to attend.

A. A. Baker of Laporte twp. caught 224 trout on Saturday. This is the largest catch of the season in this vicinity. John P. Kennedy of Jamison City is the proud father of a son. The Mrs. and baby are as well as could be expected.

Geo. W. Simmons and D. W. Darling, both of Sonestown, were among the visitors at the county seat, Tuesday. Mrs. William Lawrence of Canton and grand-mother to Will and Charley Lawrence, is visiting friends in Laporte.

Rev. Father Enright of Dushore, will hold services in the school house at Laporte, on this Sabbath, May 6th, at 10 a. m. T. J. Keeler, general merchant of Laporte, left for Philadelphia on Tuesday where he will purchase a new lot of goods.

The Laporte Building Association have staked out two dwellings on South Muncy street and work will commence on the same at once. The Bradford Star issued at Towanda, by C. F. Heverly, made its first appearance last week. It advocates the passage of the Wilson bill.

Brick laying was commenced on the Troy court house, Monday. Mr. Lawrence informs us that work is progressing right along on this building. Morgan Gavitt, Dept. Treasurer of Sullivan county, who has just recovered from an attack of the measles, was taken ill with the mumps on Monday.

The County Commissioners will meet at the Whirl's End bridge on this Thursday for the purpose of accepting or rejecting the grading of the approach to said structure, Patrick Sweeney contractor.

No Coxe army ever marched on Washington when the Republican party was in power. The only army that attempted it was driven back faster than it came.

The dispensary liquor law, of South Carolina, has been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, and two of the justices concurring and one dissenting.

Two cars on the Eagles Mere R. R., loaded with lumber, were thrown off the track on Monday morning. It is said, the track is not in proper repair. No person was injured in the mishap.

At Bethlehem, Pa., a man has been arrested on the novel charge of grave stealing. Too poor to purchase a cemetery lot he forced open the gate, dug a grave and buried his infant child.

When a man discovers an absolutely good thing he works it alone says the Susquehanna Journal; when in doubt about it he organizes a stock company and gets himself elected to a salaried office.

Sam Allen, the veteran engineer on the W. & N. B., who was laid off, owing to slackness of work for the past few weeks, resumed work on Monday. He is now looking after freight engine No. 3.

John P. Kennedy of Jamison City, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Miss Jessie Craner of Syracuse, N. Y., drove up from Jamison on Tuesday and attended the May Day party at Hotel Kennedy.

A new iron roof will be placed on the Laporte tannery leach house, and the building otherwise repaired. Work will commence on the same at once. After this work is completed, Supt. Flynn will have the dry house resingled.

James Connor of Nordmont, made the REPUBLICAN office a call, on Monday and renewed his subscription one year in advance. Jim says we are "dyed in the wool," but admires a man who isn't ashamed of his politics.

What has the Borough ever done to that fellow who threw that pile of rubbish along and in South Muncy street? He surely is a revengeful fellow. Our Town Council ought to look him up and present him with a brass ladle.

The St. Charles hotel in New Orleans, burned on Saturday night. Five lives were lost in the fire. The loss of property is estimated at \$500,000. This hotel was headquarters for the rebel generals during the recent war.

Who will receive the Sullivan County Democratic Sentorial Conferences? Three of our Democratic friends are in hot pursuit. Either, we are given to understand will make an active fight in conference for the nomination.

Summer resorts will soon open. The people of Eagles Mere hope to entertain a large gathering of city guests this season. We have every reason to believe that Lake Mokoma will soon be rated among the leading resorts of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Randall accompanied by his nephew, W. E. Randall, of Forksville, were doing business at the county seat, Monday. The doctor says there is considerable sickness in the vicinity of Forksville and that he is kept on the go a good part of the time.

The city having the greatest death rate in the world is Rheims, Germany, the proportion being 28 per thousand in each year. Dublin follows with 27 and New York with 26. In Minneapolis, Minn., relatively the fewest deaths occur—only nine per thousand.

The flag stone pavement recently laid in front of Judge Ingham's residence, is a fine piece of work and speaks a good word for Mr. Purcell who placed it. Those of our people who desire flagging of this sort cut and placed will do well to give Mr. Purcell a call.

Our Forksville correspondent would confer a favor on our people by writing a communication for the REPUBLICAN relating to the progress of work on the Loyal Sock road. We are anxious about this thoroughfare and would like to hear from it often.

The miners in the Bernice mines went out on a strike Tuesday. During the month of April their wages were reduced ten per cent. They now ask a ten per cent increase making their wages the same as they were at the commencement of the new year. I. O. Blight general superintendent of the mines, made Bernice a visit immediately on hearing of the movements of the men and it is more than likely that the matter will be settled this week.

World's Fair in the M. E. church at Laporte next Wednesday evening. Lime light views 20 feet square of the fair, will afford a pleasant evening. Admission 25c, children 15c. A part of the proceeds will be given to the church.

The case of C. S. Shultz vs. the Penderest Lumber Company, for damages, mention of which was made in our columns some time ago, was tried before arbitrators—Jos. C. Pennington, Russel Karns and Parvin Kile at Laporte, on Wednesday of last week. The arbitrators awarded their verdict in favor of the defendant.

The W. & N. B. R. R. has only been with us about one year and our town is increasing in size very materially. There will be more buildings erected at the county seat this summer than during any two years previous. Those who say that the railroad has not been a help to Laporte, don't know what they are talking about.

The May Day party at Hotel Kennedy was a pleasant success. John E. Gallagher manager, disposed of a large number of tickets and all expressed a good time. The repast consisted of a well spread table of all the good things of the season, in fact it was too expensive for the price charged. The best of order prevailed and the music was very good.

The committee on permanent certificates will meet in Laporte May 11 and 12th, to examine teachers for permanent certificates. All persons intending to take this examination should have the proper papers filled out before entering the examination.

MORGAN GAVITT, Pres. We fail to see how any manufactory can be situated to a better advantage than right here in Laporte. We have railroad facilities, lumber is close by and in fact we offer more inducements to manufacturing enterprises than any town in this section of the state. If you have an idea of erecting a furniture, close-pin or toy factory, call and investigate the lay of the land at Laporte.

Ambrose Farrell of Lopez, was consulting with a number of his Democratic friends at the county seat on Thursday last. Amby is among the Democratic prospective candidates for Member, this fall and we guess he will make the nomination without much trouble, but his election will be very uncertain. There are more Republicans in Sullivan county than they used to be.

The Sullivan county fair will be held at Forksville on October 3, 4, 5 and 6th. The last day will be devoted to the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the settlement of the county, under the auspices of the Sullivan County Centennial and Historical Society. Mr. William Meylert of Laporte has prepared a large amount of manuscript for this department and is taking an active part in the move.

The editor of the REPUBLICAN was complimented by parties of Hughesville and home people for the correct diagram of the recent wreck on the W. & N. B. R. R., published in our last week's issue. Atty. Crawford of Hughesville and who was an eye witness of the crash said the diagram and the account were correct in every instance. Kind words like these are appreciated by the editor.

On the sixth of November next a popular vote will be taken by the communities interested on the proposed consolidation of the cities of New York and Brooklyn and thirteen towns and villages. The aggregate population of the territory which it is proposed to take in is 1,164,053, which, added to that of New York, would give that city a population of 2,965,792, and make it second only to London in the number of its inhabitants among the cities of America and Europe. Its area would be 317 square miles.

Eva Mann, otherwise known as Evangeline L. Steele, whose suit for a share of Robert Ray Hamilton's estate has twice been decided against her, has brought another suit for dower right against the executors of the estate, Gilbert M. Speir, jr., and Edmund L. Baylies. This time she sues as Lydia E. Gaul, having made one more matrimonial venture. Judge O'Brien of the Supreme Court, has granted the executors leave to serve a supplemental answer to the complaint, setting forth as a defense that Lydia E. Gaul is none other than Evangeline Hamilton, otherwise Eva Mann, otherwise Evangeline L. Steele. Mrs. Gaul lives in West Twenty-third street, New York.

We are told by good authority that a Catholic church and parsonage to the same, will be erected at Laporte at once and that the Lawrence Bros. are now engaged in drawing the plans. The parish will consist of the following towns, viz: Eagles Mere, Sonestown, Muncy Valley, Lopez and Bernice. Rev. Father Enright will be the pastor and will superintend the construction of the buildings. Our people are all pleased that Father Enright has been appointed to serve the Parish. He is a good, energetic and enterprising man and will no doubt lend a helping hand to the building up of our town. He admires a church member regardless of creed. We all welcome Father Enright in our midst.

The site for the church has not as yet been decided upon, although a move was made in this direction by Father Enright and interested parties of Laporte, on Thursday of last week. Two locations were favorably spoken of by the committee. They were, the Dairy lots on West Cherry street and Friendly Hill, on Park street near A. J. Hackley's. The buildings will cost from six to eight thousand dollars.

We are pleased to be able to congratulate Mrs. Fries, of Laporte borough, widow of Jacob Fries, who died on Jan. 14th last, and who was an honorably discharged soldier from the late war, of the prompt acknowledgement of her claims for a pension for herself, as a soldier's widow, and for her five minor children, by the authorities at Washington. Attorney H. T. Downs, who took up and prosecuted this claim, only filed the final papers therein on the 9th of Feb. last, and on the 26th inst, he was notified by the Pension Bureau that the claim had been favorably acted upon and a pension granted thereon on the 14th inst. This was a most deserving claim, and the benefit of the pension will be of great moment to the widow and minor children. Mrs. Fries will henceforth draw, from Feb. 9th, 1894, \$18.00 per month from Uncle Sam's beneficiary fund for his old soldiers; this being \$8.00 per month for herself as a soldier's widow, and \$2.00 per month each for her five minor children.

A cow grazing along the railroad track near Lake Mokoma, was slightly struck by the passenger engine on Tuesday morning. Wouldn't it be advisable for our people to hire the services of a boy to keep the cattle off the track in the vicinity of Lake Mokoma? Surely if there is in't some provision made in this direction, we can expect a general slaughter of cattle along the railroad cuts in the vicinity of the lake, this summer.

LATER.—A move has been made to put in force the above suggestions. We, and others, think the proper way of raising the amount of cash necessary will be to assess so much per head on stock, hence the more stock you have the more you contribute. The directors of the Lake Mokoma Land Company met in Williamsport on Saturday last for the purpose of planning improvements at Lake Mokoma. The meeting was all harmony. The Williamsport parties concerned, conceding the fact that our people were in a more favorable position to know what improvements on the property will pay best for the Company. It was voted that a picnic ground on the south east borders of the lake shall be cleared at once and that a steam boat to cost twelve hundred dollars be placed on the lake on the opening of the season. Judge Ingham, Hon. E. M. Dunham and Hon. Russel Karns the Laporte directors, were given the authority of ordering the boat, and in accordance made the order of a Geneva party on Tuesday. The boat will be launched during the month of June. It will be put together on the beach of Lake Mokoma.

More Rail Road News. It is now reported that two through trains from Williamsport to Towanda and from Towanda to Williamsport will run over the W. & N. B. daily, the same to take effect on or about the 13th of this month. Conductor Knipe who is now conductor on the regular passenger over the W. & N. B., went to Shamokin on Tuesday for the purpose of being examined under the Philadelphia & Reading Rail Road system, and expects to take charge of one of the contemplated trains.

Ernest Hegel of Laporte, has recently had erected a beautiful white marble monument at the grave of his deceased wife in Mountain Ash cemetery. It was purchased of a Towanda firm, C. W. Champion, agent.

It looks like business about the new court house site now. The foundation is nearly half completed and lumber is being hauled on the ground in large quantities. Contractors, Johnson and Edwards who are laying the foundation are doing a good job, so we are told by competent judges, and all is harmony now, and the goose hangs high.

Business Locals. Just received at T. J. Keeler's store, a new lot of Morie silk, worth 75 cents per yard—Our price 50 cents.

A new lot of the latest styles of Dress goods just arrived at T. J. KEELER'S.

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A lot of \$3.00 ladies shoes will be sold for \$2.00 until the stock is exhausted at T. J. KEELER'S.

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Notions and Drygoods just received at T. J. KEELER'S, at bottom prices, also Mens Furnishing goods.

For barbed or plain fine wire, call at COLE'S Hardware, Dushore, Pa.

During these hard times everybody wishes to be economical. Buy a Gasoline Cooking Stove and save in fuel, time, trouble building fire etc. Call and inspect them at COLE'S Hardware, Dushore, Pa.

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Ladies shirt waists of all sizes at KEELER'S.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of F. F. issued of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County and to me directed and delivered, there will be exposed to public sale at the Laporte Hotel, Laporte, Pa., on SATURDAY, MAY 26th, 1894, At one o'clock p. m., the following described property, viz: All the right, title and interest of Wilson Crawley, in all that certain lot piece or parcel of land situated in Davidson township, Sullivan County, Pa., described as follows: Beginning at a soft maple corner (now stone heap) also a corner of James Stroup's and Robert Taylor's land, thence south 57 1/2 degrees east, 118 and six tenths perches; thence south 50 degrees west, 8 perches; thence south 52 degrees east, 22 perches to public road; thence along the same north 29 1/2 degrees east, 10 perches; thence south 57 1/2 degrees east, 44 and nine-tenths perches to a post and stones corner; thence north 35 degrees east, 46 and eight tenths perches to Clark Mostellar's land; thence south 59 degrees east, 63 and four-tenths perches to another corner of Mostellar's land; thence north 25 degrees west, 28 perches to another corner of said Mostellar's land; thence north 59 degrees west, 10 1/2 and six-tenths perches to a stone corner; and thence south 30 1/2 degrees west, 70 and six-tenths perches to the place of beginning; Containing 58 acres and 10 perches more or less; and being the same land contracted to Wilson Crawley by contract dated Aug. 13, 1893, and decided by Christian Swank and wife to Wilson Crawley and Elmer E. Crawley on April 1, 1887, by Deed recorded Nov. 7, 1887, in Deed Book No. 17, Page 596 etc. About 50 acres of above described land is cleared and under cultivation; balance in timber; and having erected thereon a framed barn dwelling house, a large framed bank barn and other outbuildings. Well watered, and with a fine young orchard of fruit trees growing thereon.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Wilson Crawley at the suit of C. H. Stroup, (deceased). THOMAS MAHAFFEY, Sheriff. DUNHAM, Atty. Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., April 24, '94.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of ALIAS F. F. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County, and to me directed and delivered, there will be exposed to public sale on the premises hereinafter described, on SATURDAY, MAY 26th, 1894, At 1:30 o'clock p. m., the following described property, viz: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated in the Borough of Laporte, Sullivan County, Penna., bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Main St., at the line between Lots 17 and 18 of the allotments of Laporte Borough, thence along Lot No. 17, belonging to Mrs. M. C. Lear, north 200 feet to Park Street, (formerly Strawberry Alley) thence along Park Street, east 156 feet to Maple St., thence along Maple St., south 260 feet to Main St., and thence along Main St., west 156 feet to the place of beginning; Containing 19,360 square feet, and being Lots Nos. 18, 19 and 20 of the allotments of the Borough of Laporte as laid out upon the plan or map of said Borough. Having thereon erected one large two-story framed building, known and occupied as "Hotel Kennedy," one large framed barn, and other outbuildings, a well of water and some fine fruit trees thereon.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Darby Kennedy at the suit of M. C. Welles. THOMAS MAHAFFEY, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., April 30, '94.

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