

THE REPUBLICAN.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1894.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

STATE.
For Governor.
GEN. D. H. HASTINGS, Centre Co.
For Lieutenant Governor.
WALTER LYON, Allegheny County.
For Auditor General.
AMOS H. MYLIN, Lancaster County.

For Secretary of Internal Affairs.
GEN. JAMES W. LATTA, Philadelphia
For Congressman-at-Large.
GALUSHA A. GROW, Susquehanna Co.
GEORGE F. HUFF, Westmoreland Co.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For President Judge.
HON. E. M. DUNHAM.
(Subject to Conference).

For Member,
B. W. JENNINGS.
For District Attorney,
A. J. BRADLEY.
For Jury Commissioner,
Z. E. KILMER.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Pursuant to call the Republican County Convention convened in the Presbyterian church at Laporte on Tuesday afternoon.

C. H. Jennings of Lopez, was made chairman of the convention and Ulysses Bird of Estella and M. R. Black of Forksville, secretaries.

Credentials were presented as follows:

DELEGATES.
Bernice.—A. Wilmot, R. H. Guy, Thos. Schell, Geo. Bode, N. Cox, Cherry.—R. Hunsinger, W. H. Leonard, A. L. Cox, Barney Hunsinger, Joseph Sick, Colley.—Not represented.
Davidson.—T. S. Simmons, D. H. Lora, G. W. Biggar, J. P. Little, L. M. King.
Dushore Boro.—F. T. Maynard, F. Moody, F. P. Vincet, L. E. Wells, Samuel Cole.
Elkland.—J. J. Tevan, M. C. Mercier, Miles O. Barnes, U. Bird, H. W. Oeser, H. Kay, A. Baumock, H. E. Fawcett.
Forks.—E. R. Warburton, C. W. Bird, J. K. Bird.
Fox.—A. B. Kilmer, T. F. Kilmer, A. J. Battin, W. B. Albert, E. Miller.
Forksville Boro.—J. W. Rogers, M. R. Black.
Hills Grove.—W. L. Huffman, W. Hull, F. S. Darby, A. Lewis, A. A. Ludy.
Laporte Boro.—W. C. Mason, T. J. Ingham.
Laporte Twp.—I. T. Low, S. Mead, J. C. Pennington.
Lopez.—Chas. Schoeck, C. H. Jennings, A. L. Parrish, A. L. Dyer, L. R. Carrington, F. Buck.
Jamison City.—J. W. Harvey, T. E. Brown.
Shrewsbury.—E. V. Ingham, C. F. Cheney, R. W. Bennett, Geo. Danley.

The order of business proceeded as follows:

E. V. Ingham of Eagles Mere and F. P. Vincent of Dushore, were elected Congressional conferees.

E. M. Dunham was nominated for President Judge, with power to choose conferees.

J. W. Rogers and Samuel Cole of Dushore, were elected Senatorial conferees.

B. W. Jennings of Lopez, was unanimously nominated for Member.
Atty. A. J. Bradley of Laporte, was made the nominee for District Attorney.

Z. T. Kilmer of Shunk, was made the choice of the convention for Jury Commissioner.

On motion conferees are allowed to choose alternates if they so desire.

A resolution was passed that absent delegates at our future conventions shall not be represented by delegates present. Or in other words should your district be entitled to four delegates and only two are present at the convention, they shall not have the right to cast the vote of the two absentees. This is done to insure a full delegation.

Following is the Standing Committee:

Bernice.—Chas. Watson.
Cherry.—Henry Huffmaster.
Colley.—Lewis Ross.
Davidson.—T. S. Simmons.
Dushore.—F. P. Vincet.
Elkland.—M. O. Barnes.
Forks.—A. M. Warburton.
Fox.—W. Alberts.
Forksville Boro.—J. R. Fleming.
Hills Grove.—J. L. Christian.
Jamison City.—Frank Meyers.
Laporte Boro.—F. H. Ingham.
Laporte Twp.—J. C. Pennington.
Lopez.—C. H. Jennings.
Shrewsbury.—E. V. Ingham.

F. P. Vincent, Chairman.
On motion adjourned.

To the Republicans of Sullivan County.

Owing to the fact that two years have not elapsed since the date of my admission to practice as an attorney, and that in consequence thereof, I am not eligible to the office of District Attorney, I am compelled respectfully to decline the nomination for said office. Thanking all members of the convention for the kindness shown me and with best wishes for the welfare of the party that placed my name in nomination, I remain

Respectfully Yours,
A. J. BRADLEY.

A case of interest to parties maintaining public watering troughs was tried in the Blair county court recently. The plaintiff was Wm. Weyant, the Supervisor of Blair

township, and the Defendant was Thomas Patterson, a taxpayer in the same township. The suit was brought to recover two year's back road taxes amounting to \$10. The defense was that Mr. Patterson had erected and maintained in good repair a public watering trough along the township road, having pure clear water running into the same, and was easy of access, suitable for watering horses and cattle. The Defendant claimed that, under the provisions of the Act of April 28, 1876, he was entitled to the annual compensation of \$5, for the use of the trough and the failure of the township to pay the sum for two years squared the claim for taxes. Supervisor Weyant insisted that the trough had been maintained without his sanction and authority, and the law made the matter wholly discretionary with the Supervisors. Judge Bell also took this view of the case and directed a verdict in favor of the Plaintiff. This is the first reported case under the watering trough law and should serve for future cases of this kind.

IS ANYBODY MISSING?

"H. M." Sends a Note Down the River in a Whiskey Bottle.

There is either a suicide or a joker some place up the river. There is always deep interest and much mystery in a bottle found with a note in it, and if there is anybody missing let the river be dredged. The other day Edward Arbogast of Georgetown was rowing in the river at that place, when he discovered a tightly corked flask floating down the stream. With the idea it might contain a message from some departed spirit, he heaved to and landed the bottle in his boat. It was a whiskey bottle and the spirits had departed, but it contained a note written in pencil on a piece of pulp paper a little lighter in weight than a defunct wild cat life insurance blotter. The paper was written on both sides and the words are very distinct. It was torn in twain, was dirty and looked as if it had been in water. On the upper left hand corner are two hieroglyphics that look like figures. Following are the words:

"This last words I have to say if some friend will go to Muncy and tell L. W. Watts that he has killed me with his Licor to berry me. He will know me."
H. M."

Mr. Arbogast is of the opinion the note may be connected in some way with the mysterious death of Issachar Houseknecht, whose body was recently found in the river near Watsonstown. It will be remembered Houseknecht disappeared from his home near Muncy during the winter and his body was discovered by some boys about four months later. The supposition was that Houseknecht had been foully dealt with. The Lycoming county authorities thoroughly investigated the case and came to the conclusion that he was drunk and fell in the river. Here is a chance for the shrewd detective to work up a sensation and turn a few honest pennies by throwing suspicion on somebody that is probably guilty of nothing.—*Sunbury American.*

HAD ACCIDENT TUESDAY MORNING.

W. Kirk Betts Has His Foot Taken Off by a Train.

W. Kirk Betts, son of Cashier N. N. Betts of the First National Bank, met with a terrible accident at the Washington street depot Tuesday morning, which resulted in the loss of his right foot. Mr. Betts is bookkeeper for Mr. Howd of Ulster, and comes home every night, going up each morning on the 6:30 train. He was a little late on going to the train this morning, and when he reached the tracks the train was moving out. He started to run across the track to catch his train when he was struck by the W. & N. B. train which was just pulling in from the upper station. He was thrown under the engine and his right foot taken off just above the ankle. He was taken to his home where the injured member was attended by physicians and he is as comfortable as could be expected at this writing. Kirk is just in the beginning of life and he will have the sympathy of his many friends in his misfortune.—*Towanda Republican.*

ESTELLA ITEMS.

A nice shower passed over this place Monday evening. Crops are growing fine.

Ellis Brown and Charles Vargason are both building a new barn.

The creamery is running full time and is turning out some very fine butter.

In Estella town a maiden dwelt, Jus, turned off sweet sixteen, She is the finest girl that's out, And anything but green.

And Charley shaved his mustache off His mustache nice and brown, To make a mash on this fine girl, The belle of Estella town.

One Sunday night the moon shone bright, The weather being warm, He'd be, bear bait, to the Squire's gate Not thinking any harm.

He homeward waded then his way, But what was that he heard, Like something rushing through the brush He thought it was a BIRD.

And then from out a cloudless sky, Hailed stones as large as eggs, They pelted down upon his head And nearly broke his legs.

For this, he'd sacrificed his all, His mustache, nice and brown, He looked as innocent and young, As any in this town.

Come all young men of tender heart, Take this advice from me, Don't try to pass for sweet sixteen, When you are thirty-three.

JERE. KELLY'S COLUMN.

OUR COFFEE MILL

is one of the new inventions of great merit to the Housekeeper. Hold 1 pound of coffee and keeps it from loosing its strength, or wasting by spilling, mill warranted

Good grinder, only 75c.

WEATHER

is likely to be very hot this summer. Save your strength and save fuel by getting a good

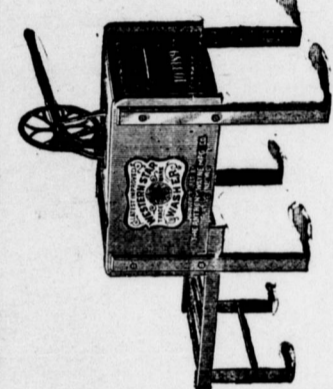
Coal Oil Stove.

Tubular Oil Stoves

are the best! Prices 90c, \$1.25, \$2.75, \$6.50.

2 Holer Griddle Pans, Ovens and all necessary attachments to cook for large family.

WE ARE now prepared to show you the handsomest and most complete assortment of Dry Goods and Notions in the county. Our stock of piece goods is complete, with the latest patterns—comprising both Domestic and Foreign Fabrics. We are satisfied we can furnish the most critical buyer, both as to



THIS IS ANOTHER LABOR SAVING MACHINE.

No work is so much to be dreaded as the wash tub. This machine will do the washing in half an hour and so easily that a child 10 years old often does it in our house as an amusement. Only \$3.00 former price \$9.00.

PHARAOH

King of Egypt, in the time of Moses was greatly afflicted with flies. His affliction would have been much less if he had Fly Netting to shield his person from this pest. This is

Headquarters

for Green Doors, Window Screens, Doors all complete \$1.00. Window Screens, 25c, to 35c. Screen Wire from 12 to 20c, per yard. Easily put up.

Cash paid for Farm Produce.

WALTER SPENCER & SON, Laporte, Pa.



If this hot weather makes you sweat and your clothes get wet, wring them out with this wringer and you will be as cool as a cucumber in August. Clothes wringer \$1.90 to \$2.50.

Fruit will be plenty this year—so will fruit jars, and fruit cans. Good glass Tumblers, 35 cents. Jelly Tumblers, 35 cents. White Glass Mason Fruit Jars, 60c to 90 cents per dozen.

RESTAURANT

MAIN ST. LAPORTE, PA. Oysters in every style and game in season. Choice wines, and cigars always in stock. Beer—beer in season. No pains will be spared in waiting on Customers.

F. W. Gallagher, Proprietor.

Mr. Streby of the Dushore Gazette makes the statement that B. W. Jennings the people's candidate for Member will leave the county sometime in the future just as other lumbermen have done. This is a poor argument to place before the voters. The Jennings Bros. are not near so likely to leave the county as Mr. Streby is. They own one of the largest saw mills in the county. They have recently purchased a large tract of land in the vicinity of Lopez involving many thousands of dollars. They have erected brick dwellings. They pay over six hundred dollars tax. Every move of the Jennings Bros. point to a long and a continual stay in Sullivan county. In this respect they differ materially from those of Sullivan county lumbermen who have left the county. Mr. Streby can't fool the people with this statement and he ought to know it.

Senator Hill is frank enough to admit that the legislation of the present Congress is of a kind that will prevent the election of any more Democratic Presidents. As a prophet the New Yorker is more of a success than a statesman.

N. Thompson Esq., general agent of the Baltimore building and loan association, is visiting our town with a view of establishing a branch to his association in this place.

President Carnot of France, was stabbed and killed by a young Italian in Lyons on June 25th.

1894! SPRING 1894!
WE ARE now prepared to show you the handsomest and most complete assortment of Dry Goods and Notions in the county. Our stock of piece goods is complete, with the latest patterns—comprising both Domestic and Foreign Fabrics. We are satisfied we can furnish the most critical buyer, both as to PRICE & MATERIAL.

A FEW PIECES of the well known Llama Cloth, for 10 cents per yard. WE HAVE added to our stock a complete line of Boots and Shoes, including the latest and nobbiest styles. Also a full line of Children's Misses and Ladies Fine Shoes. Having bought them for cash, we are enabled to sell them for the usual prices asked for old style and shelt worn goods.

Our Stock of Window Shades

is complete. Elegant patterns, patent spring roller—fine, 25 cents up. We have a full assortment of Floor and Table and Stair Oil Cloth. We have just received an addition to our

Wall paper

stock, ranging in price from 4 to 12 cents per roll, both gray white and black. We are receiving daily, new goods in our grocery department, consequently are offering you fresh goods at the lowest prices. Our standard for quality is of the highest.

Flour—90c. \$1.00 and \$1.25 per sack. IF YOU want Chop, Corn, Oats, Screenings, Bran or Rye. We can save you money. Seed Oats a specialty. Call and see us.

Cash paid for Farm Produce.

WALTER SPENCER & SON, Laporte, Pa.

Established April 1st, 1879. J. V. RETTENBURY, Watch : Maker : and : Jeweler, DUSHORE, PA. Dushore, Pa.

RESTAURANT MAIN ST. LAPORTE, PA. Oysters in every style and game in season. Choice wines, and cigars always in stock. Beer—beer in season. No pains will be spared in waiting on Customers.

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STATEMENT OF LAPORTE BOROUGH.

Annual statement of the financial condition of Laporte Borough for the year ending the 2nd Monday of March, 1894, as shown by the Auditor's Report, filed.

ROAD FUNDS.

James McFarlane, Treasurer, in account with Laporte Borough for the year 1893.	Dr.	
To amt in treasurer's hands at last report.	\$172 77	
Rec'd. of Walter Spencer former treasurer,	56 03	
Rec'd. of T. J. Keeler collector for 1892.	7 61	
Rec'd. of T. J. Keeler, collector for 1893.	226 75	
Ant rec'd. for Fish side walk	7 25	
Balance due treasurer,	8 16	
	\$478 59	

Amt. paid state treasurer for state tax.	51 45	
Paid Philip Karge for Inst. Treas. com. on \$469.21 at 2 per cent.	7 37	
Orders redeemed during year	9 38	
	460 39	
	\$478 59	

T. J. Keeler, collector, in account with Laporte Borough for the year 1893.	Dr.	
Amt of duplicate for 1893, By treasurers' receipt,	\$226 75	
Rebate allowed	12 32	
Commission,	7 39	
Balance due borough,	176 76	
	\$423 22	\$423 22

POOR FUNDS.	Dr.	
Charles Wrede and R. A. Conklin, Overseers of the Poor in account with Laporte Borough for 1893.		
		Dr.
Amt in hands of Overseer of the Poor as shown by last statement,		\$39 19

March 12, 1894, balance in hands of overseers.	\$39 19	
		Dr.
Order in favor of E. P. Ingham	\$13 00	
Resources in excess,	26 19	
	\$39 19	\$39 19

LIABILITIES.		
Liabilities and resources of Laporte Borough for the year ending 2nd Monday of March, 1894.		
		Dr.
		Dr.

NORTH.					
	5.	TRAINS.			
		25.	23.		
P.	A.	M.	A.	M.	
Williamsport	4:30	10:10	6:10		
Halls	5:05	10:30	6:37		
Hughesville	5:20	10:45	6:50		
Picture Rocks	5:28	10:40	6:57		
Glenn Mawr	5:42	11:03	7:07		
Munty Valley	5:58	11:18	7:20		
Senestown	6:05	11:24	7:25		
Nordmont	6:21	11:38	7:41		
Laporte	6:38	11:54	8:00		
Ringdale	6:55	12:10	8:15		
Satterfield	7:10	12:25	8:30		
Towanda	8:19	3:27	9:23		

SOUTH.				
	12.	8.	26.	24.

Williamsport	6:55	10:05	5:25	9:12
Halls	6:37	9:42	4:40	8:40
Hughesville	6:00	9:25	4:23	8:25
Picture Rocks	9:13	4:14	8:17	
Glenn Mawr	9:00	4:02	8:00	
Munty Valley	8:41	3:43	7:51	
Senestown	8:35	3:37	7:46	
Nordmont	8:00	3:20	7:32	
Laporte	8:00	3:02	7:13	
Ringdale	7:43	2:42	6:55	
Satterfield	7:33	2:30	6:30	
Towanda	6:30	1:28	4:58	

H. C. McORMICK, President.
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J. W. Ballard, MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN TOP & OPEN BUGGIES, FARM AND HEAVY LUMBER WAGONS.

FACTORY WEST MAIN STREET, LAPORTE, PA.

P. S. All kinds of repairing promptly and neatly done at reasonable prices.

Vicious Horses Shod in Martin Horse Shoeing Rack. J. W. BALLARD.

May 13, '92.

TRY TUBACH FOR FURNITURE. Dushore, Pa.

FRANK H. MOODY, DUSHORE, PA.

Plain and Ornamental Painter. Over Fifteen Years Experience in City and Country.

House and Sign Painting, Paper Hanging, Graining, Hardwood Finishing, Etc.

Charges Reasonable. May 23rd, 1894.

A. J. BRADLEY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, LAPORTE, PA. Office with Hon. E. M. Dunham.

Fresh Stock AT THE Tannery Store.

Having just returned from the City, where we purchased the usual supply of Dry Goods, Groceries &c., suitable for the season, we are prepared to sell the same at as reasonable prices as can be had in the county.

OUR STOCK OF GROCERIES

Are of the usual standard heretofore sold in our store, and as much of these goods are purchased at a less price than formerly, we are disposed to give our customers the benefit.

OUR BOOT AND SHOE

Department cannot be surpassed in either quality or variety—and the prices are less than ever offered before in this market. Spring Dress goods of the different varieties, at prices to suit the times.

James McFarlane, LAPORTE, PA.

WILLIAMSPORT AND NORTH BRANCH RAILROAD TIME TABLE. [In effect May 21, 1894.]

NORTH.					
	5.	TRAINS.			
		25.	23.		
P.	A.	M.	A.	M.	
Williamsport	4:30	10:10	6:10		
Halls	5:05	10:30	6:37		
Hughesville	5:20	10:45	6:50		
Picture Rocks	5:28	10:40	6:57		
Glenn Mawr	5:42	11:03	7:07		
Munty Valley	5:58	11:18	7:20		
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SAMUEL COLE, Dushore, Pa.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

Samuel Cole,

OF Dushore is headquarters for all kinds of hardware—Tools, pumps, stoves and ranges, household furniture, goods, paints, oils, and varnishes. Special inducements to builders. MANUFACTURER of copper, tin and sheet-iron ware, Roofing, spouting, Birch Oil DISTILLS etc., a specialty. Our prices are beyond all competition, and we invite your patronage.

CROWN ACME

The Best Burning Oil That Can Be Made from Petroleum.

It gives a brilliant light. It will not smoke the chimney. It will not char the wick.

It has a high fire test. It will not explode.