

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

President Judge—W. P. JENKS. Associate Judges—J. A. PROFER, ANDREW COOK. Sheriff—E. L. DAVIS.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

The County Commissioners meet today for the transaction of general business.

Collins' steam saw-mill is now running. They have a large stock of logs to saw the coming season.

The Fort Pitt Mills came near being burned up one day last week from fire in the wood. They were saved by hard labor.

The Elk Advocate names Col. C. B. Curtis, of Erie as a worthy candidate to succeed Mr. Seofield as a Congressman from this District.

James P. Stowell and wife started to Kalamazoo, Mich., on last Thursday. He is yet very feeble and goes home to stay with his father.

Al. Partridge wishes us to say to those who are indebted to the late firm of Knox & Co., that he is settling up the books, and wants to close them as quickly as possible, that he may attend to other business.

C. F. Gillespie, has been in town for the past week attending to his son, who has had a severe attack of brain fever, and who is now lying sick at Mrs. Riddle's. We believe he is improving slowly.

We learn from last week's Press, that Prof. A. C. Porter has purchased the material of that office, and will, on or about the 1st of June publish a 24-column paper from that office to be called the Independent Democrat. Prof. Porter has our best wishes.

Rev. Edwards and Mr. John Andrews, of Tidioute, delegates of the Y. M. C. A. of Tidioute, conducted the meeting of the organization here on Friday evening last. They are very much interested in the work and their meetings are always well attended.

On Sunday last Rev. Virtue preached the last sermon of the year for which he had been engaged in this place. Hereafter the Presbyterian Church will depend on supplies, furnished by the Clarion Presbytery, the first of which will be furnished on three weeks from next Sabbath. It is presumed that arrangements will be made for regular supplies soon.

The two Heckathorns, imprisoned in our county jail, to answer a charge of "assault and battery with intent to kill," escaped on Friday night of last week, under circumstances which indicate that they had help from the outside. The Sheriff is on their track, and we shouldn't be surprised if they were recaptured before this issue is generally circulated among our subscribers.

A meeting of the base-ballists of Tionesta was held in the Court House last evening, and an organization effected by the election of the following officers: President, J. T. Dale; Secretary, E. M. Hutton; Treasurer, J. E. Wank; Capt. 1st nine, H. W. Roberts. The name chosen by a vote of the majority of those present was the "White Pines." Several who belonged to the "Whooper-ups" last summer, are to play in this club this summer, and we shouldn't be surprised if some nice match games were played during the season.

Hon. W. P. Jenks, President Judge of the Clarion, Jefferson and Forest district, has been holding Court here during the week, in place of Judge Vincent, who was interested in some of the cases for trial. Judge Jenks has made a most favorable impression upon our bar and citizens, and we have heard many flattering remarks upon the manner in which he performed his duties. He is one of the clearest thinkers and most thorough lawyers in the State, and has an enviable reputation for integrity and high moral character.—Erie Observer.

DIED.

COBB.—In Tionesta, April 30th, 1872, of scarlet fever, John, son of T. B. and L. M. Cobb, aged 1 year, 10 months and 12 days.

Johnny was a bright little boy, just at the age when children are most interesting, and he will be sadly missed by all who were in the habit of seeing and enjoying his childish mirth.

The deceased was the daughter of William and Jane Siggins, both of honored and precious memory, and beside whom she now sleeps in the family burying-ground. Florence was a true, kind and brave girl. She delighted in making herself useful to others and her presence was esteemed a blessing and a joy in every circle in which she moved.

—The woods in various sections of this county have been on fire during the past week. The hills opposite this place presented a beautiful appearance on two or three evenings. Up about Minister, the fire had to be fought hard to prevent it burning up school houses, fences and other valuables.

—L. L. Hackett has been quite sick since Friday evening last, at which time he was taken very bad with cramps, and although he had the best of attention, it was feared that he could not live, but a naturally strong constitution prevailed, and he is now improving rapidly.

—The side-walks about town stand in need of repairs, and should be attended to at once. There are a number of places where a person could break a leg very easily, and then there would be a question of damages.

—Gardening has been commenced in earnest, and every available place for "Garden Sass" is being plowed or spaded up, and we may soon expect to see on our tables the first fruits in the shape of lettuce, onions &c. Its good exercise, raising vegetables, where a person cannot play base ball, or swing Indian clubs.

—Base ball is again attracting the attention of our young athletes, and every evening (Sunday excepted) they may be seen, deployed in the usual manner, pitching, catching, batting, running &c., as though they were paid according to the amount of muscle expended. We expect to see several exciting games here during the summer.

DROWNED.—On Wednesday last, April 17th, A. Lincoln, aged seven years, son of Hon. John Patton, of Curwensville, was drowned in the river, at that place, under the following circumstances: He and several other small boys had gone to the river and were playing and running around over some logs—which were lying immediately at the mouth of Anderson creek—when young Patton lost his balance and fell into the water, and was carried out into the stream, where he sank to rise no more.

—A large party of little girls of our place went fishing in a party yesterday afternoon. We did not hear how many fish they caught.

—We notice a sprinkling of straw hats and linen coats on our streets within the past few days. This with other symptoms, indicates spring.

—We noticed a few fine strings of trout coming into town during last week, and we believe they will be plenty during the season.

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—Judge Dale is stationed at Cambridge Boro., Crawford County, on the line of the Penn'a. Pat. R. R., for the purpose of securing the right of way from there to Erie.

—Jacob Truby, well-known to the lumbermen of this county as a good jobber, has leased the Widal Saw Mill at Emlenton, where he is manufacturing lumber in large quantities.

—Very little rain has fallen since the rise, and fears are entertained that we may have a spring drouth, which would be a bad job for all concerned in raising or consuming the products of the soil.

—We read of a man having frightened his little boy into imbecility by locking him in a dark room. We have heard of some who practice that way of punishing children about here, and publish this for their benefit.

Grove & Wolcott's well at White Oak is being put down rather slowly, on account of some bad luck or trouble experienced with the tools. Everything is right now, and the well is being put down rapidly.

Maj. Goodman, who is a great hunter and fisher, intends to start this week for the headwaters of the Tionesta, there to remain two or three months and commune with nature, catch fish and shoot wild cats. Success to his expedition.

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Teachers' Examinations.

The regular Spring Examinations of Teachers for Forest County, will be held as follows: Clarington, Monday, April 29. Nebraska, Tuesday, " 30. Newtown, Wednesday, May 1. East Hickory, Thursday, " 2. Neillsburg, Friday, " 3. Tionesta, Wednesday, " 8. Marienville, Saturday, " 11. Examinations commence at 9 o'clock A. M. Directors and friends of education, are respectfully invited to attend. S. F. ROHNER, Apr. 5, 1872. Co. Sup't.

To the School Directors of Forest County. GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the forty-third section of the act of 8th of May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention, at the Court House, in Tionesta, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1872, being the seventh day of the month, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and select *vice reges*, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific acquirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as County Superintendent, for the three succeeding years; determine the amount of compensation for the same; and certify the result to the State Superintendent, at Harrisburg, as required by the thirty-ninth and fortieth sections of said act. S. F. ROHNER, Co. Sup't, of Forest County. Marienville, April 5, 1872. 3 4t

Having procured the assistance of two good workmen in our Tailoring Department, we are able to turn out suits for men and boys with dispatch, and guarantee entire satisfaction. We always keep a first class stock of coatings, vestings, and cassimeres. All work guaranteed before leaving the shop. Where we sell once we have the assurance of selling again. 44t SUPERIOR LUMBER CO. STORE.

Almost everybody make a practice of repairing their houses this time of the year. Bolard Bros., Tidioute, have the best assortment in this section of the State. 2 4t

Bolard Bros. inform us that our citizens will save money by going to Tidioute to purchase Wall Paper. They have the largest assortment ever brought to Western Pennsylvania. 2 4

A nicely papered room is a pleasant place. Buy your Wall Paper at Bolard Bros', Drug Store, Grandin's Block, Tidioute, Pa. 2 4t

Advertising alone does not produce success. The thing which is advertised must have *intrinsic merit*, or else large advertising will eventually do it more harm than good. If you have anything which you know to be good, advertise it thoroughly, and you will be sure to succeed; if it is poor, don't praise it, for people will soon discover you are lying.

Such is the policy of the "Burlington Route," which runs to three great regions in the West: 1st, To Omaha, connecting with the great Pacific Roads. 2d, To Lincoln, the capital of Nebraska, and all that beautiful region south of the Platte, filled with R. lands and homesteads. 3d, To St. Joseph, Kansas City and all Kansas points.

The roads are splendidly built, have the best bridges, finest cars, the Miller platform and coupler, and the safety air brake (to prevent the loss of life that is every where else happening); Pullman's sleepers, Pullman dining cars, large and powerful engines (to make quick time and good connections), and are in a word the best equipped roads in the West. So that if you desire to go safely, surely, quickly and comfortably to any point in Southern Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, or on the Pacific Roads, sure be that you go "By Way of Burlington."

All who wish particular information, and a large map, showing *correctly* the Great West, and all its railroad connections, can obtain them, and any other knowledge, by addressing General Passenger Agent, B. & Mo. R. R., Burlington, Iowa.

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Winter caps selling at cost at the Superior Lumber Co. Store, every Saturday.

For coughs, bronchitis and consumption, in its early stages, nothing equals Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. 573

Ready made clothing and woollen goods of all kinds are specialties at our Clearance Sales, every Saturday. SUPERIOR LUMBER CO. STORE. 2-4t

Dress goods selling as low and compared with New York prices, at the Superior Lumber Co. Store.

Every Saturday is the day for cheap goods at the Superior Lumber Co. Store.

The public appreciating our liberal inducements for cash purchases is the reason we have such crowds and sell such piles of goods every Saturday. SUPERIOR LUMBER CO. STORE.

A full assortment of Notions received this day. Will be sold at very favorable prices. We sell Sewing Machines at the very lowest figures. 44t SUPERIOR LUMBER CO. STORE.

Owing to the shortness of the cotton crop and the great demand for cotton goods in the west, there is a material advance in all kinds of domestic, but we are selling at the old prices beside the great inducements we offer for buying goods every Saturday. SUPERIOR LUMBER CO. STORE.

Don't Hawk, Hawk, Spit, Spit, Blow, Blow, and disgust everybody with your Catarrh, and its offensive odor, when Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will speedily destroy all odor, arrest the discharge, and cure you.

FOR SALE.—To close an estate, two tracts of land of about 2000 acres, situated on Millstone Creek, Forest County. Heavily timbered, mainly hemlock, valuable for the bark, and supposed by good judges to be good oil territory. Map with particulars at this office.

New Advertisements. Catherine S. Reznar vs. Charles Reznar. In the Common Pleas of Forest County, Pa., No. 3, Dec. Term, 1871.

Position for Divorce.—Feb. 28, 1872, on motion of W. F. Mason, Esq., attorney for Libellant, W. P. Merrell, Esq., was appointed Commissioner to take testimony in above case. From the Record. J. B. AGNEW, Prothy.

I will attend to the duties of my appointment in above case at my office in Tionesta Borough, Forest Co., Pa., on Thursday the 16th day of May, A. D. 1872, between the hours of 9 o'clock, a. m. and 3 o'clock, p. m. W. P. MERRELL, Comm'r. Tionesta, April 23, 1872. 4-3t

Applications for License. The following persons have filed their petitions for license at May Term of Court 1872: Daniel Black, Hotel, Tionesta Borough. M. Ittel, Hotel, Tionesta Borough. Geo. W. Bovard, Wholesale Liquor, Tionesta Borough. J. B. AGNEW, Clerk.

PROCLAMATION. WHEREAS, The Honorable W. P. Jenks, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for the county of Forest, has issued his precept for holding a Court of Common Pleas Quarter Sessions, &c., at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the fourth Monday of May next, being the 27th day of May, 1872. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of said county, that they be then and there in their proper persons at ten o'clock, A. M., of said day, with their records, inquisitions examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and to those who bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal this 20th day of April, A. D. 1872. E. L. DAVIS, Sh'ff.

Trial List For May Term, 1872. Ford & Lacy vs. Thos. McCloskey, et al. Sarah Ann Ford, et al vs. Bernard McCloskey, et al.

Forest County, vs. Charles J. Fox, late Treasurer. Forest County, vs. John G. Brandon, late Treasurer. Commonwealth for use of Forest County, vs. John W. Miller, et al.

M. Anna Lamb vs. Benjamin May, et al. Helen S. Thomas vs. Benjamin May et al. K. L. Ball vs. James Painter. Evaline Coon, et al, heirs of William Armstrong deceased, vs. C. J. Fox.

P. T. Lusk, vs. Wm. R. Coon. Solomon Zents, vs. John B. Legnard. Charles Leiper, vs. Warren & Franklin R. R. Co.

John Goll vs. Matthew B. Farris. H. H. May, vs. J. T. Fhisner, et al. H. H. May, vs. John Miller, et al. Ada Hunter, vs. G. Gilman. R. E. Scott, vs. R. O. Carson.

Hill, Fox & Co. for use vs. Geo. S. Hunter. James A. Lewis and his wife, Susan T. Lewis, vs. R. G. Stephenson. Geo. S. Hunter vs. Seldon Whitman. Bette Paul, vs. Alexander McAndrew et al.

Walter Dawson vs. O. C. & A. R. R. Co. Lloyd & Son, vs. C. J. Helbig. James Parshall et al, vs. Daniel Clark. James Parshall et al, vs. Daniel Clark.

April 15, 1872. Prothonotary.

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BOLARD BROS., at the Europa Drug Store, Tidioute, Pa., just received a new and very extensive stock of

WALL PAPER, of all styles and prices, which they will dispose of at the lowest possible rates consistent with the expenses connected with the trade.

They also have on hand a large stock of DRUGS & MEDICINES PAINTS & OILS WINDOW GLASS SASH & DOORS PLASTER OF PARIS WATER LIME CEMENT &c., &c. Remember the Place GRANDIN'S NEW BLOCK, TIDIOUTE PA. 2-4t

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Estate Notice. ESTATE OF CONRAD LEDARUR, late of Hickory Township, Forest County, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. And those having legal claims against the same, will present them without delay in proper order for settlement, to D. S. KNOX, Executor. JOSIAH WINANS, 43-6t

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BOOTS AND SHOES, LATEST STYLES, of all kinds, READY-MADE CLOTHING, as cheap as can be bought in Pa.

New Infantry Soldier Coats at \$2. Valises, Carpet Sacks, Satchels, Trunks, &c., always on hand. Carpets, Brussels, Ingrain, Hemp, and all kinds. WALL PAPER, CURTAINS & C., FOR SALE CHEAP. I. HILBRONNER & CO. 40-4t

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where you can always find a large assortment of the best Teas at New York prices. A large assortment of Groceries and Provisions, unequalled in quality and cheapness by any other store in Warren county, always on hand. The people of Forest county will save money by purchasing their supplies at this place. Best brands of

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S. C. CLARK, TIDIOUTE, PA. WATCH MAKER & JEWELER, And Dealer in WATCHES, JEWELRY, AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. Repairing done in a workmanlike manner and warranted to give satisfaction. 4 1y

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