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W. M. LAWRENCE, PROPRIETOR. This house has just been opened to the public and the furniture and fittings are all new.

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FOREST HOUSE, D. BLACK PROPRIETOR. Opposite Court House, Tionesta, Pa.

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IN HIS STORE WILL BE FOUND A full assortment of Medicines, Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, Stationery, Glass, Paints, Oils, Cutlery, and Groceries.

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COLLECTIONS made on all the Principal points of the U. S.

TIONESTA SAVINGS BANK, Tionesta, Forest Co., Pa.

This Bank transacts a General Banking, Collecting and Exchange Business.

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A portion of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL CONFECTIONERS. STORE: No. 3 South Seneca Street.

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New Boarding House. MRS. S. S. HULINGS has built a large addition to her house.

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BOOKS, STATIONERY, FANCY GOODS, TWINES, TOYS, INKS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Books, Newspapers and Magazines MAILED TO ANY ADDRESS.

NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE IN TIONESTA.

GEO. W. BOVARD & CO. HAVE just brought on a complete and carefully selected stock of FLOUR, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, and everything necessary to the complete stock of a first-class Grocery House.

TEAS, SUGARS, COFFEES, SYRUPS, FRUITS, SPICES, HAMS, LARD, AND PROVISIONS OF ALL KINDS.

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COMBAT AMONGST THE ANCIENT FRANKS.

During the eleventh century the means of justice among the Franks, was a combat between the accuser and the accused.

The man was to stand in a pit, nearly up to his waist, and be armed with a club, hardened at the fire.

Whenever a woman undertook "wager of battle," she did so at the peril of her life.

Although the "Judgment of God" or ordeal, was discarded in 1250, Judicial Combat was nevertheless retained.

Wager of battle was used in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries in the case of nobles who defied the laws of court.

Only the seconds were allowed to speak. The combat began at a given signal.

Every combatant had four seconds, one advocate, one marshal of arms, one trainer (who instructed in the mode of fighting).

The dress usually consisting of close-fitting trousers, jacket and hood, fastened with a leather strap.

Some time since a young minister, wishing to impress his Sabbath-school with the dignity of life by reference to the fact that men had souls.

Portland, Oregon, is rapidly improving. A local paper says that "long strings of teams loaded with whisky can be seen from our door.

A sea captain just arrived in San Francisco from New Orleans, exhibits an Irish setter dog, to whom he accredits one of the most remarkable exploits in canine intelligence.

The dog was the property of the first mate, and was early noted for extraordinary sagacity.

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"No, Bishop, I can't do that. 'Woe unto him that putteth the bottle to his neighbor's lips.'"

"Well, John, did you ever see Mr. G— the worse for drink?"

"Well, I wot no; I've money a time seen him the better o't, but I never saw him the waur o't."

"But did you ever see him drunk?"

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NINE BRAVE MEN.

A special correspondent of the Baltimore American, in a letter from Port Deposit dated 22d January, gives the particulars of the rescue of the Roberts family from their perilous situation on Kerr's Island.

In my description of yesterday I gave an account of the situation of W. W. Roberts and family.

Towards evening, however, information of their peril was received at Havre-de-Grace, and a great interest for their relief was discussed.

Two eighteen-foot boats, together with an adequate supply of ice hooks, grapnels and rope were hauled along the shore to a place opposite the island.

Renewing their labors, after severe toil they succeeded in getting back to the shore again, landing at Lapidum on the west side of the river.

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A SHOWING OF SEALDORM.

A glimpse at Alaska, as given by a correspondent of the Alaska Herald, is well worth showing.

There is a very stringent law against the importation of intoxicating liquors, and the alertness of revenue officers generally ruins the prospects of smugglers.

The newspapers of civilization read there like the legend of "Jack the Giant Killer." The territory, in a general sense, being under military rule.

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There are now in circulation two sets of counterfeit five dollar United States notes.

A hop in your walk is a halt, but a dance upon nothing is a halter.

Among other things that Wells & Fargo's firm is not responsible for as carriers is one couched in the following language in their regulations:

A garter was pumped up at the Court House well at Bloomington, Ill., last Saturday.

A certain little damsel having been aggravated beyond endurance by her brother, plumped down upon her knees and cried: "O Lord! bless my brother Tom. He lies, he steals, he swears; all boys do; us girls don't. Amen."

Major Zeb Crummett in his lecture, "New Fangled Notions," says—"It requires more brains to run a popular local newspaper than is usually carried into the White House under the hat of the President of the United States."

O, the snow, the beautiful snow; such a hunky thing you know; bluing your nose and chilling your toes; as whirling along streets it goes.

Another, in the delicate, pungent Western style: "Ten million dollars is the sum that S. N. Pike was unable to take with him.

The Jacksonville Journal states that a blooming, blushing school-girl called at that office the other day and inquired for "papers for a week back."

A ragged newsboy paid a delicate compliment to a pretty young lady who bought a paper of him.

There is only one paper in Illinois that did not thrill the world with the announcement that "the old year is dead," and that one said, "To-morrow the old year dies."

Americans read more newspapers than any other people, but do not read more books.

When a new town is started on the plains, Chicago drummers camp out and wait for the new stores to be completed.

A country paper in Minnesota wants to know who swindled the Indians out of "such an infernal cold country as Minnesota is, and who deluded the white people into it."

The silicate of soda mixed with zinc white makes a very good paint, and can be used for rendering fire-proof wood, paper, linen, etc.

It is considered cool to take a man's hat with his name written in it, simply because you want his autograph.

The Augusta Herald has for its motto a prominent line as follows: "Two Almighty Dollars a Year."

Why do honest ducks dip their heads under water? To liquidate their little bills.

When is a newspaper the sharpest? When it's field.

The most likely thing to become a woman? Why, a little girl.

A San Francisco firm advertises for skulls of deceased Indians.