

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgesses—J. G. DALE, Chairman—W. P. Merrelllott, W. B. Harlan, P. D. Thomas, S. J. Wolcott, Geo. Boyard, T. R. Cobb. Justices of the Peace—W. P. Merrelllott, D. S. Knox. Constable—Geo. Hackett. School Directors—S. D. Irwin, M. W. Tate, H. O. Davis, D. S. Knox, S. J. Wolcott, L. L. Hackett.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

President Judge—W. P. JENKS. Assesses—JAMES THOMPSON. Coroner—JOSHUA WINANS. County Superintendent—S. F. ROHRER. District Attorney—W. M. CLARK, T. B. COBB, L. WARNER. Member of Congress 19th District—C. B. CURTIS. Assembly—J. B. LAWSON.

Time of Trains

At TIONESTA STATION, on and after Monday, November 4th, 1872:

Table with 3 columns: Train number, Direction, and Time. Includes routes SOUTHWARD and NORTHWARD with specific train numbers and departure times.

Passengers will have to understand that "Northward," in the table is down the river, and "Southward" is up the river. Trains 19 and 20 are mixed freight and accommodation; the others are passenger trains.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

S. J. Setley, Ex-Co. Treasurer, is at present living up about Oldtown, but makes periodical journeys to town, just to see how things are coming on.

Miss Davis' school closed on Saturday last, and Miss Mace's will close the first part of next week. Miss Davis has since taken a school in Hickory Twp.

Miles W. Tate, Esq., has had a short spell of sickness, occasioned by a bad cold. We are glad to see that he is again around, attending to business as usual.

Up to this time we believe no arrangement has been arrived at between Geo. Hunter and the Bridge contractors, Bell & Brokenridge. Hence, Forest county mourns.

Grove & Wolcott's well up Hunter's Run, was down 500 feet at last accounts, with good indications. They are drilling for a one hundred barrel well, and we hope they will get it.

Within a short time the county officer's have gotten neat gilt signs for their respective offices in the Court House. This is an improve on the old plan of having to enquire your way to each officer's room.

Burgess, Town Council, Constable, Assessors, Auditors, &c., we believe are all sworn in now, ready to discharge their duties in the best possible manner and at the least cost to the inhabitants of Tionesta.

The Odd Fellows' Lodge of Tionesta will hereafter meet on Friday evening of each week. The meetings have heretofore been held on Thursday evening, but by a vote of the members the night changed as above.

It will be seen by reference to another column, that Ex-Gov. Geary died very suddenly on Saturday morning last. His extensive services, both military and civil, will make his memory as lasting as his life has been useful.

Mr. Kepler's household goods are at the depot, and will be brought across the river as soon as convenient. His family will soon move here and he will then live at home, instead of boarding around among the scholars. We consider his residence an ornament to the upper end of town.

L. L. Hackett has clapboarded his house just below the mill, which gives it more of an appearance of permanency than it has heretofore had. We notice also that some improvements are going on about the mill, which will probably do a good business as soon as the spring opens.

In looking over the Legislative Journal, kindly sent us by Hon. David Maclay, we notice that Hon. J. B. Lawson recently presented petitions of citizens of Jefferson, Clarion, Forest and Elk counties, praying for the repeal of an act to incorporate the Clarion River navigation company, and that the said act be of none effect from Raught's will to the mouth of the Clarion river.

Rev. Reeser will preach in the M. E. Church in this place on Sabbath next, morning and evening.

We accidentally neglected to give the names of the School Directors chosen at last week's election, who were S. J. Wolcott and L. L. Hackett.

The Wooden Wedding at Lawrence's on Thursday evening last was well attended, and various appropriate presents were received by the host and hostess. Good music was on hand, and the "Weddingers" enjoyed themselves in the "mazy whirl" until a late hour, when they departed feeling that they had been well entertained.

We would call attention to the new advertisement of the Superior Lumber Co. Store, which appears today. It is very comprehensive, and embraces almost "everything that a family needs;" and we are assured that "the half has not been told." Give this Store a call and you will not come away empty.

The advertisement of E. A. Baldwin, Esq., of Tidouete, appears for the first time in our paper, this week. Mr. Baldwin is well known in our county as a superior gunsmith, and a gentleman whom it is a pleasure to meet. If you want good work, good guns, good fishing tackle, or, in fact anything in his line, you cannot do better than to call on him.

We understand that arrangements are being made to secure services in the Universalist Church every other Sabbath, and that operations will begin soon. Rev. O. B. Clark will be pastor of the organization. This church has been occupied by the Catholics for something over four years. We do not know whether both denominations are to occupy the church, but suppose not.

The river is closed at this point at present, the ice having stopped on Monday night, at some point below. The weather since has been hardly cold enough to freeze the ice solid. We are hoping for a night or two of cold weather, right along, and we will then have an ice bridge, which will do an immense sight of good. Several car loads of hard coal, hay, provisions &c., are at the depot now, waiting for a time when teams can cross.

We are under obligations to C. L. Hanna, Esq., formerly Superintendent of the West Hickory Oil Co., for late copies of the Denver, (Colorado) Tribune. Mr. Hanna is now visiting his parents in Greeley, Colorado, and we expect soon to have a communication from him, describing the country. Our readers, many of whom are acquainted with Mr. Hanna, will be glad to hear from him.

The new Town Council, with the exception of T. B. Cobb, Esq., who was absent, were sworn in on Saturday evening last by Esq. Krox. W. P. Merrelllott was elected Clerk of the Council, and S. J. Wolcott, Treasurer. J. R. Stroup was appointed Street Commissioner for the year. The place of meeting for the present is at Esq. Merrelllott's office. The first regular meeting will take place on Saturday evening next.

Mr. John Lowrie, a hotel-keeper of Titusville, died on Monday afternoon last from the effects of an overdose of morphine, given by Dr. Kephart, of that city. It was rumored afterward that the Physician was about to leave the city, and he was arrested at the instance of the Order of Red Men, to answer to a charge of manslaughter. From the testimony elicited we should judge the over-dose was given rather through ignorance than malice.

The Clarion Presbytery will meet at the Presbyterian Church at Clarion, on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 1873, at 7 o'clock P. M. Among other business to be brought before the meeting, is the application for Rev. J. S. Elder, to devote his whole time to the Church of Clarion, instead of dividing it between two churches as heretofore. Rev. Elder is very popular with the Clarion Church, and in fact everywhere he is known, and we think the church at that place is doing a wise thing to secure all of his time.

Job Printing.— Do you want postors? Do you want hand-bills? Do you want business cards? Do you want a neat bill head? Do you want a tasty letter head? Do you want a nice visiting card? If so, leave your orders at the Republican office where they will be executed in the neatest style and on most reasonable terms.

At the election held on the 3d inst., Forest county gave thirty-four majority "For License." There was not much canvassing done on the question, and a comparatively small vote was out. As several counties round us have voted "Against License," we will have the benefit, if there is any benefit in it, of having all the whisky that is for sale in this part of the State, for three years; that is, if the Legislature don't repeal the act. When the bridge is again in crossing shape, we expect to see a continuous string of teams crossing to this side to get their beverage. Great is whisky.

When you are in Meadville, just look around until you find the Jewelry Store of M. P. Jenks, and if you want anything in the line of Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, or precious Stones in any kind of setting, he will sell them to you on reasonable terms. His store is on the corner of Water and Chestnut Sts., Meadville, Pa. It

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TIMBER LANDS FOR SALE.

Over two thousand acres of fine Hemlock Timber Lands situated on Maple Creek, near Clarington, this county, are for sale at a bargain. Part of the lands are situated within four miles of Clarington, on the Clarion River, and would be a fine site for an extensive tannery and saw mills. Map and terms at this office.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Alias Vendit, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest county and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outery, at the Court House, in the borough of Tionesta, on

MONDAY, FEB. 24TH, 1873,

at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, to-wit: W. T. Neill and John Wilson vs. The West Hickory Mining Association, Ven. Ex. No. 29, Deb. Tr. 1873.—McAlister & Neill—All the right, title and interest of Defendants into the following tract of land to-wit: All that certain parcel of land being and in Tionesta township, Forest county, (formerly Venango), bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a white oak near the Hickorytown road, thence north 45° west 100 perches to a white oak, thence north 45° east 400 perches to a white oak, thence south 44° west to a black oak, thence south 28° east 120 perches to a black oak, thence south 28° west 30 perches to a black oak, thence north 45° west 50 perches to a black oak, thence north 45° west 400 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 256 acres of land, more or less.

Excepting reserving out of the above described tract the parcel of land being 7 1/2 acres bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock, and thence south 47° west 362 perches to a post, thence north 46° west 345 perches to a post, thence south 69° east 55 perches to place of beginning. The said parcel of land being known and designated on the map of said defendant as Tract No. 3. Excepting also one hundred acres off the west ends of Tracts Nos. 1 and 2 sold by defendants to Wm. Reed, by articles of agreement.

Also—All that certain messuage and being and in Tionesta township, Forest county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post and stones, thence north 89° west along line of land formerly belonging to Wm. Neill 53 perches to a white oak, thence north 1° east 74 perches to a post, thence north 1° west 130 perches to a white oak, thence north 89° west 120 perches to a black oak, thence south 1° west 127 perches to a red oak, thence south 89° east 120 7/10 perches to a pin oak, thence north 46° east 105 perches to a white oak, and thence by lands of John White to place of beginning. Containing 281 acres of land, more or less. Excepting a certain triangular tract or piece of land out of the above described tract, containing (4 and 35/100) four and thirty-five one-hundredths acres, and being taken from the southeastern corner of Tract No. 4, as designated on the map of said defendants, and known as "The Field," and being formerly conveyed by Neill and Wilson to S. Schilling and others.

Also—All that certain tract or parcel of land the message and improvements thereon erected, situate in township and county aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the line of land late of John Messers, thence by land late of Wm. Milford, north 74° west 122 perches to a white oak, thence south 16° west 65 perches to a post, thence north 67° east 92 perches to a white oak, thence 21° west 132 perches to a post, thence north 72° east 10 perches to a white oak, thence north 72° east 118 perches to a post, thence north 88° west by vacant land 96 perches to a white oak, thence south 2° west by vacant land 119 perches to a chestnut, thence north 88° west by land of H. Fogle 136 perches to a maple, thence 2° east 16 perches to a post, thence north 37° east 38 perches to a white oak, thence north 2° east 43 perches to a post, thence south 88° east 38 perches to a maple, thence 2° east by vacant land 198 perches to a white oak, thence south 88° west by vacant land 198 perches to a white oak, thence north 1° east 43 perches to a post, thence south 88° west by land of James H. Neill 131 perches to a chestnut, thence south 2° north by land of James McIntire 38 perches to a post, thence north 88° west 74 perches, thence south 2° west 154 perches, thence north 88° east 74 perches to a pin oak, thence by land of John Messers above mentioned 118 perches to a post, thence south 2° west 134 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 608 acres of land, more or less. Excepting out of the last mentioned tract 67 acres and 30 perches conveyed to F. Fogle. The land to be sold being part of the same premises which John W. Messers and wife, by deed dated January 6, 1855 conveyed to the plaintiffs, Neill & Wilson in said defendants by articles of agreement, dated Nov. 9, 1870.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of The West Hickory Mining Association, at the suit of W. T. Neill and John Wilson.

Terms cash. T. J. VAN GIENSEN, Tionesta, Feb. 1, 1873. Sheriff.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26, 1873, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, to-wit: William Warwick of use of A. W. Barry, now for use of John D. Scully, vs. The Banner Oil Company, alias Testimony vendit. Exponas, No. 61 March Term, 1873.—All the right, title, interest and claim of the defendant of, in and to all the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Tionesta township, Forest county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the south by lands Wm. Hunter, on the east by the Allegheny river, on the north by land formerly owned by McCalmonts, and on the west by land formerly owned by the Brooklyn Oil Company. Containing two hundred acres more or less, and which is more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows: All that certain tract or piece of land situate in Tionesta township, Venango county, (now Forest county,) Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a post near a white oak, thence north 45 degrees east 154 perches to a white oak, thence north 81 degrees east 60 perches to a post, thence south 21 degrees east 27 perches to a chestnut, thence by residue of tract 15 degrees west 83 perches to a white oak, thence by the same south 2 degrees west 60 perches to a post, thence by land of Wm. Hunter 15 degrees west 83 perches, thence by land of Wm. Hunter north 45 degrees west 117 perches to a post by a white oak the place of beginning. Containing 97 acres, more or less.

Also—All that certain other tract of land situate in Tionesta township aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, formerly a white walnut, on the west bank of the Allegheny River, thence by lands warranted in the name of Adam Oak north 43 degrees west 40 perches to a post, thence by lands of Mr. Boggs north 30 degrees east 154 perches to a post, thence by the same north 42 degrees west 12 perches to a post, thence north 25 degrees west 30 perches to a post, thence south 65 degrees west 30 perches to a post, thence north 43 degrees west 284 perches to a white oak, thence north 24 degrees east 404 perches to a white oak, thence south 43 degrees east 127 perches to a post, thence south 42 degrees west 16 perches to a post, thence south 43 degrees east thirty perches to a post, thence north

42 degrees east 95 perches, thence south 43 degrees east 297 perches to a post, thence south 11 degrees west 43 perches to a post, thence south 43 degrees east 18 perches to a chestnut tree on the river bank, thence south 11 degrees west 19 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 95 acres more or less.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of The Banner Oil Company, at the suit of A. W. Barry, now for use of John D. Scully. Terms cash. T. J. VAN GIENSEN, Feb. 1, 1873. Sheriff.

Notice of Appeals.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, FOREST CO., Feb. 1, 1873. NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners will be at their office, on Thursday, the 27th inst., for the purpose of hearing Appeals from the Assessments made for the year A. D. 1873.

By order of Co. Commissioners, 43-49 D. W. CLARK, Clerk.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, TIONESTA, FOREST CO., PA., JAN. 10TH, 1873. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until Tuesday the 19th of February for the purpose of furnishing and fitting up an Iron Bridge across the Tionesta Creek on the new standing said bridge to be 234 feet long, divided into three spans; the center span to be about 142 feet, and two spans of about 71 feet each. Builders to furnish their own plans and specifications.

The County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the County Commissioners D. W. CLARK, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Vendit, Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outery at the Court House, in the borough of Tionesta, on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12TH, 1873,

at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: The First National Bank of Clarion vs. James Painter, Ven. Ex. No. 12, Feb'y. Term, 1873.—Tate—All the defendants interest and claim of, in and to all that certain tract of land situate in Jenks Township, Forest County, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a post, running east fifty rods to a post, thence north 169° perches to a post, thence west 31 rods and six links to a post, thence 30 rods southwest to a post, thence south 138 rods to the place of beginning. Containing 48 1/2 acres strict measure, being part of Warrant No. 3189, with about 20 acres under improvement.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of James Painter at the suit of the First National Bank of Clarion.

Terms cash. T. J. VAN GIENSEN, Jan. 20, 1873. Sheriff.

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 Feb. next, being the 24th day of Feb., 1873. 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 returns, 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 of the said county, A. D. 1873. T. J. VAN GIENSEN, Sheriff.

TRIAL LIST FOR FEBRUARY TERM, 1873.

John A. Proper vs. Chas. Robson & Co. H. H. May vs. James T. Whisner et al. H. H. May vs. John Miller et al. Royal E. Scott vs. R. O. Carson. James E. Brown vs. Bennett Dobbs et al. F. H. Ellsworth et ux vs. J. H. Dilks. Daniel Black vs. The Overseers of the Poor of Tionesta Borough. Elizabeth Green vs. R. C. Scott et al. P. Munnig & Co. vs. Geo. S. Hunter. Charles Starrow vs. Eli Berlin and Wm. A. Dunsbury. Wm. Foreman for use vs. S. F. Hatch. E. L. Davis vs. Alexander Wallace et al. Margaret Malvin vs. Thomas Mac et ux. L. B. Hoffman vs. John Fagundus et al. T. Wingfield et al vs. John A. Proper. Bernard Mead vs. John Wilkins. Foster Farm Oil Co. vs. Oweston & Sowers. H. L. Hogan vs. Geo. Walters et al. Jan. 22, 1873.

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