

Teachers' Annual Institute.

The Seventh Annual Institute of Forest county will be held at Tionesta, commencing on Monday, December 1st, 2 o'clock P. M., and closing on Friday evening Dec. 5th.

Assistant Deputy State Superintendent R. Curry will be with us during the greater part of the week.

Prof. W. N. Hull of Pittsburgh will be present during the entire session, and will give instruction in Elocution, Penmanship, Drawing, English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, and in other branches.

Teachers are requested to make all necessary arrangements to give full and prompt attendance. Let no ordinary circumstance keep you away, but come prepared to take part in the exercises.

The Committee on Permanent Certificates will be elected on Wednesday afternoon.

"Directors' Day" on Thursday, 4th. Examinations will be held at Tionesta on Saturday, and on Monday the 6th and 8th of December, commencing at 9 o'clock A. M.

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Oct. 24, 1873.

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ARRIVE. Mail Train, 1:30 a. m.; Fast Line, 12:12 a. m.; Well's accommodation No. 1, 6:20 a. m.; Rinton accommodation No. 1, 7:50 a. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 2, 8:55 a. m.; Cincinnati express, 9:30 a. m.; Johnston accommodation No. 1, 9:50 a. m.; Bradlock accommodation No. 1, 7:00 p. m.; Pittsburgh express 1:30 p. m. Pacific express 1:50 p. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 3, 2:35 p. m.; Homewood accommodation No. 1, 9:35 p. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 4, 5:30 p. m.; Brinton accommodation No. 2, 1:10 p. m.; Way Passenger 10:30 p. m.

DEPART. Southern express 5:20 a. m.; Pacific express 2:40 a. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 1, 6:30 a. m.; Mail Train 8:10 a. m.; Brinton's accommodation 1:20 p. m.; Bradlock's accommodation No. 1, 5:10 p. m.; Cincinnati express 12:35 p. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 2, 11:51 a. m.; Johnston accommodation 4:05 p. m.; Homewood accommodation No. 1, 8:50 p. m.; Philadelphia express 3:50 p. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 3, 3:05 p. m.; Wall's accommodation No. 4, 6:05 p. m.; Fast Line 7:40 p. m.; Wall's No. 5, 11:00 p. m.

The Church Trains leave Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:05 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:05 a. m. Returning leave Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:10 p. m.

Cincinnati express leaves daily. Southern express daily except Monday. All other Trains daily, except Sunday.

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A. J. CASSATT General Superintendent, Altoona Pa.

PITHOLE VALLEY R. Y.

ON AND AFTER Monday, June 5, 1871, Trains will run as follows:

TRAINS NORTHWARD. STATIONS. No. 2. No. 4. Oleopolis, 10:25 a. m. 3:30 p. m. Bennett, 10:58 " 3:28 " Woods, 10:59 " 3:18 " Prathers Mill, 10:24 " 2:59 " Pithole City, 11:06 " 2:59 "

TRAINS SOUTHWARD. STATIONS. No. 3. No. 5. Pithole City, 8:40 a. m. 1:20 p. m. Prathers Mill, 8:48 " 1:48 " Woods, 8:53 " 1:56 " Bennett, 9:02 " 2:02 " Oleopolis, 9:16 " 2:14 "

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SOUTHWARD TRAINS. STATIONS. 1st Class. 2d Class. 3d Class. 4th Class. 5th Class. 6th Class. 7th Class. 8th Class. 9th Class. 10th Class.

Corry, 8:20 a. m. 10:30 a. m. 12:30 p. m. 2:30 p. m. 4:30 p. m. 6:30 p. m. 8:30 p. m. 10:30 p. m. 12:30 a. m.

Sparksburg, 8:22 10:32 12:32 2:32 4:32 6:32 8:32 10:32 12:32

Glyndon, 8:24 10:34 12:34 2:34 4:34 6:34 8:34 10:34 12:34

Conrsville, 8:26 10:36 12:36 2:36 4:36 6:36 8:36 10:36 12:36

Troyonville, 8:28 10:38 12:38 2:38 4:38 6:38 8:38 10:38 12:38

Hydrotown, 8:30 10:40 12:40 2:40 4:40 6:40 8:40 10:40 12:40

Titusville, 8:32 10:42 12:42 2:42 4:42 6:42 8:42 10:42 12:42

Miller Farm, 8:34 10:44 12:44 2:44 4:44 6:44 8:44 10:44 12:44

Shaffer, 8:36 10:46 12:46 2:46 4:46 6:46 8:46 10:46 12:46

Pioneer, 8:38 10:48 12:48 2:48 4:48 6:48 8:48 10:48 12:48

Pet Centre, 8:40 10:50 12:50 2:50 4:50 6:50 8:50 10:50 12:50

Corry, 8:42 10:52 12:52 2:52 4:52 6:52 8:52 10:52 12:52

Sparksburg, 8:44 10:54 12:54 2:54 4:54 6:54 8:54 10:54 12:54

Glyndon, 8:46 10:56 12:56 2:56 4:56 6:56 8:56 10:56 12:56

Conrsville, 8:48 10:58 12:58 2:58 4:58 6:58 8:58 10:58 12:58

Troyonville, 8:50 11:00 1:00 3:00 5:00 7:00 9:00 11:00 1:00

Hydrotown, 8:52 11:02 1:02 3:02 5:02 7:02 9:02 11:02 1:02

Titusville, 8:54 11:04 1:04 3:04 5:04 7:04 9:04 11:04 1:04

Miller Farm, 8:56 11:0