## 12:40 p. m. On the River Division 6, c. from Oil City to Irvineten, up the river is North; down the river, south.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

-The Odd Fellows' Lodge meets at 7 o'clock instead of 8 as published in the advertisement.

-Mr. Myers, the Jeweller, is moving into the building formerly occupied by the Tionesta Savings Bank.

-Remember that pext Tuesday is the time appointed for holding the election to decide the fate of the New

-Somebody has discovered a treethe "Encalyptus globasus"-which has property of dispelling malaria wherevar it is planted.

- Huge freight trains pass over the railroad every day, but what they carryis beyond our comprehension. Tank care make up a good portion of each

-Local Option did not de half a much good toward suppressing the traffic as the hard times have. It is now a rarity to see an inebriated individual on our etroets.

-Samuel Cantuel and Rolcob are looking out for some heavy contracts, by which they expect to realize much currency, which the same will be put where it will do the most good.

-Robinson & Bonner have precured a new eafe in which to deposit their county orders, book accounts and promises to pay. The safe is burglar proof and will stand any amount of fires, famines or pestilences.

-A certain Democratic candidate for office in Kentucky thus cogently hauling coal and supplies to and from sets forth his claims to consideration ; "Having served three and a half years in the Confederate army, I consider it sufficient evidence of my fealty to the snow will suffice to do the business tell by a glance at his general appearparty."

-Geo. Hunter is getting out some Simber to build a protection not tment on the other side of the river. That abutment was left from the wreck of the old bridge, and is not as perfect as the rest of the stone work. hence this extra precaution.

-The Proof Sheet, a monthly publication, issued by Collins & McLeester, hard times, it would give our town an of Philadelphia, comes to us with impetus which would cover our hills three parts, for September, October and November bound together. The with mammoth business establish-Proof Sheet is one of the best of its ments. By all means search for the class of publications.

- After this week our columns will be lightened of their stress of advertisements, and we shall present our esual amount of reading matter: Such times will come and must be expected. As 't is likely to pay us for our trouble subscribers don't.

-The Bowen-Beecher-Tilton scandal is still agitating Plymouth Church, the latest thing being charges preferred against Bowen. This Church reall authority in such cases made and was with the don when it was killed. provided, and there is no appeal from its decisi m. Woodhull & Claffin first set the ball in motion.

copy of The Fireside Friend, a weekly follows: The bill provides, first, for journal deveted to literature, entertain- the repeal of the present law; re-ening serial stories and short sketches, published at Chicago, by Waters & Co., five thousand dollars per annum; 100 Sixteenth St. Terms \$3 per and third, provides that back pay turned num, each subscriber receiving a copy of the Chromo "Cute."

-Election comes on the 16th iLst.; Court week on the 21st, Christmas on the 25th. After that comes New Years, and then, we hope better times will make their appearance. Oil will then rise; oil men will prosper; lumber will advance; lumbermen will rejoice, and business will brighten up amazingly. Then will the hearts of the people expand with pleasure and benevolence, and everybody will be comparstively happy.

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TIONESTA, PA., DECEMBER 10, 1873.

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-Supt. Robrer informs us that he has on band at the County Surveyor's office, Teachers' Report Books, and as we learn, was quite interesting. Supt. at said office.

in the Presbyterian church, on Thursday evening of last week, which was well attended, and gave satisfaction to all who attended. Some of his delinwith humor, interspersed with pathos. When he comes again he will be greet. been better supplied than any other ed by a full house.

-Capt. Knox has shut down his mill to wait until better times make their appearance. He finds no difficulty whatever in disposing of his lumber as fast as he makes it, but currency docsn't change hands with such alacrity as to make such sales desirable. He will probably start up again in the course of a month or two.

-Warren has contracted for a Silsby steam fire engine, to cost \$5,000. and are now agitating the subject of placing reservoirs at intervals through the town, to facilitate putting out fires on streets back some distance from the river. Our place is yet destitute of means with which to fight fire, if we except one or two old ladders, and a number of pails.

-The Forty third Congress is remarkable for three peculiarities: It is the largest legislative body that ever assembled in the capitol; It contains the greatest number of new members, and it has the strongest, representation of ex-Confederates. Let us hope it may also develop the equally important peculiarities of inflexible honesty, and strict attention to the peonle's business.

-Thus far, this has been a month to set Old Prob. to thinking. Nearly, the rain has descended more or less copiously. Such weather in December is rare, and but for the difficulty in than otherwise. The timber business

-Now that the legitimate business of this region is not proceeding with its usual velocity, why do not some of our ametuer geologists institute a silver mines which tradition says exist The more moist the air the higher hoist pointed at the decision. with palatial residences and our streets nity.

-A friend informs us that S. H. Haslet recently killed a doc with one hore on its head, and that hore was in the velvet. It is indeed a rarity to see a doc with horns on, but, we understand that this is the only case of a this time, we won't grumble if our deers horns being in the velvet in the winter, that peculiarity always being noticed in the spring, and at no other time. In addition to these peculiarities the deer had no tail! Such a freak of nature has never before transpired cently declared itself independent of in this or any other region. A fawn

-The salary bill is to bed forthwith repealed by Congress. It comes up in a report from the Special Committee -On Monday last we received a to-day. The points involved are as acts the old law, making the salary into the Treasury shall not be subject to be drawn out by those who turned it in; fourth, the bill is not retroactive, and takes effect only after its passage; fifth, there is nothing in the bill about back pay, or the money drawn under the present law since the 4th of March last. The bill further provides that the President's salary the repairing of fine Watches. shall be twenty-five thousand dollars ders by mail promptly attended to. per annum, after the expiration of 39-1y. Grant's present term of office.

very cheep at Robinson & Bonner's. | per's.

-The Teachers' Listitute, held last week was middling well attended, and, School Laws, just received. Teach. Rohrer had secured the services of ers can procure the same by calling Prof. Hull, of Pittsburgh, and Asst. State Supt. Curry, both of whom put -Prof. Hull gave an entertainment | forth their best endeavors to make the institute a success. Prof. Sloan, o the Pennsylvania School Journal, and Supt. Wood, of Clarion county, were also present, and helped materially to lations were said to be excellent, filled make the sessions interesting. As for as instructors go, this institute has since the new county was organized. Taken altogether, the institute was a success, and we look for much good to accrue from it.

-- When a Democratic Congressat Washington, speaks out against the back-pay grab, the rest charge him with having ratted to the Republicans. In their late caucus, because Mr. Holman, of Indian, wished to commit the party against the back-pay, Mr. Eldridge, of Wisconsin, called him the most arrant demagogue of the House. Mr. Holman, finding this reflection elinched by the caucus declaring his resolution out of order, withdrew from the room, one of the members remark. ing as he went, "You had better go and join the Republicans."

-Peterson's Magazine for January is already out, and a magnificent number it is! The principal steel engraving, "Good Morning, Mama," is one of the most beautiful we ever saw. It and its companion, "The Trailing Arbutus," which illustrates a story by Frank Lee Benedict, are alone worth the price of the number. The terms are two dollars a year, with great reductions to clubs, viz; 5 copies for \$8.00, or 8 copies for \$12 00, with both an extra copy and a superb premium engraving to the person getting up the club. Specimens are sent gratis to if not quite every day of this month those wishing to get up clubs. Ad- feeted, at all events .- Pittsburgh Gadross Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia,

-Few sections of the country are so favored as our vacinity. Here lives our place, would be rather pleasant unostentatiously a highly respected man, connected to old Prob. by close is in such a state that a very little ties of consanguinity. People can unce, the existing state of the atmosphere, -a walking barometer in fact. You see he wears woolen knit suspenders. When the air is damp they shrink and his pants are exalted, and when it is wet they aspire still higher. somewhere in Forest county? Should has his pants. Sometimes in warm those mines be discovered even in these | weather he can't be depended on because he perspires, but in cold weather he would be a blessing to any commu-

> -As we looked across the way which winds through our beautiful tion. A meeting of the Executive village, neatly paved with natures Committee appointed by the Constituown cement, we saw what we have tional Convention has been called to seen on so many occasions,-the old Presbyterian Church standing in soli- 8 o'clock. President Walker has been tude and almost neglected on its foundation, as we sat and gazed, stood and gazed, changed our position variously and gazed, we scratched our head and they have few churches and any quantity of missionaries of all sects. But in midst of a civilized land, a christian land, here we see any quantity of churches, neat and pretty but excepting Rev. Lusher, who holds services bi-weekly in the M. E. Church, through a sieve. not the consumptive ghost of a preach-

er. With what gusto, then do we sing, when the rare opportunity offers, that be used even full, according to printed old missionary hymn which stirs us up to deeds of charity, to enable the really valuable article from your gromissionary societies to send missiona- cer, send twenty-five cents by mail ries "to all the world to preach the gos- addressed to Banner Baking Powder, pel;" while at the same time our P. O. Lock Box, 317, Pittsburgh, Pa., churches are vacant and the dust and you will receive, postage paid, a gathers thickly o'er pews and pulpit, quarter pound package together with ouly to be disturbed by an annual a list of fifty valuable Recipes. teachers' institute or blind man's con-

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To the Republicans of Forest County.

The time for submitting the New Constitution to a vote of the people is fixed for Dec. 16, 1873. I heartily and cordially commend it to the favorable vote of our people. No party can claim the merit of its production. It is the triumph of the people of the Commonwealth through their best reresentatives of both parties, over political and public corruption.

I therefore earnestly urge our Committeemen in the respective precincts, to secure a full attendance at the polls, and our people generally to turn out and cast their vote as one man for the adoption of the New Con-

> MILES W. TATE, Chairman Republican Co. Com.

-The Cuban imbroglio seems to have its ebb and flow, with nearly as much regularity as the tides of the sea. At one time we are on the verge of war; at another, the difficulty is about adjusted, the "Virginius" is to be given up, and our relations with Spain made lovely. There is possibly an undercurrent to the affair, of which the public has but little knowledge. It is said that Secretary Fish and the Gladstone cabinet are maneuvering to gain their ends, the one by involving the other in war. England wants us to pull her chestnuts out of the fire, and we wish England to do the same for us. Which will succeed is the question. We would be gratified if the perplexity could be disposed of without the necessity for war; and while there is considerable war sentiment among the members of the Administration, we have every confidence that the several phases of the question will be carefully watched, and the interest of the country protected, by peaceful means if possible, but pro-

PHILADELPHIA, Dec, 5, '73. Special to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

The Supreme Court met at noon today, when Chief Justice Agnew delayered the opinion of the Court, that the ordinance submitting the Constitution to a vote of the people, so far as re-lates to the city of Philadelphia, is void. This takes the election out of the hands of the Commissioners ap-pointed by the Constitution to hold the election, and leaves it with the regular election board. All our good and law-abiding citizens feel disap-

A meeting of the citizens will be called at an early day to appoint vigilance committees to watch the ballot well known that the corruptionists intend importing from New York and other cities all the repeaters they can find, and vote down the new Constitumeet at the Lochiel House, in Harrisbug, to-morrow (Saturday) evening, at telegraphed for, and will be there.

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on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, A. D. 1873, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, to-wit:

real estate, to-wit:

Aaron P. Kline use of Chas. Erath, vs.
The Blue Creek Oil Companyof Philadelphia, Test. Ven. Ex., No. 15 Jan. Term, 1874, E. D. 289 Nov. Term, 1873.—All that certam piere or parcel of land situate in Hickory Township, Forest County, Fa. Bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Being section one, and west half of section two, of tract No. 5191, bounded on the north by section three, and east half of section two, owned by L. A. Wallenmeiber, bounded on the east by east half of said section two, and east line of tract No. 5191, bounded on the south by south line of tract No. 5191, bounded on the south by south line of tract No. 5191, and bounded on the west by west line of said tract No. 5191. Containing one hundred and tifty acres, more or less.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of The Blue Creek Oil Company of Phliadelphia, at the suit of Aaron P. Kline use of Chas. Erath.

ALSO, Hugh M. Bole vs. Andrew J. Maze, owner and contractor, Levira Fa., No. 26 Dec. Term, 1873, C. D. No. 27 Sept. Term, 1873.—All the defendant's right, fitle, interest and claim of, in and to the following described building and lot of ground, to-wit: The said building or mill structure is tocated at the mouth of Troutman Run, on the cast bank thereof, where it comples into the Clarion River, in the Township of on the cast bank thereof, where it comples into the Clarion River, in the Township of Barnett, in the County of Forest, and State of Pennsylvania, and more particularly described as follows: Bounded on the north by lands formerly belonging to Zook and Zents, on the east by land formerly known as the William Lowry farm, on the west by land of Cooks, and on the south by lands of William Henry and William Lowry. Contaming one hundred and fifty acres of land more or less. The said building is a frame building sixty feet in length by thirty feet in breadth and twenty-two feet in heighth, with engine 13x24 stroker complete, two boilers two flues cheh 39x22, breeching 30x40 drum stand pipe fire front and grate bars. Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Andrew J. Maze, owner and contractor, at the soit of Hugh M. Boie.

ALSO,

Dyer & Thompson vs. A. A. Hopkins into the Clarion River, in the Township of

ALSO,

Dyer & Thompson vs. A. A. Hopkins
Fl. Fa. No. 32 Dec. Term, 1873, C. D. No.
21 Dec. Term, 1873,—All defendant's right,
title, interest and claim in and to all that
certain piece or parcel of land situate in
Harmony township, Forest county, Pa.
Bounded on the north by the county line
and Fagundus, on the east by John Lamb
on the south by J. Fleming, and on the
west by Dunlap. Containing four handred and two agres, more or less. About
sixty agrees cleared with one large frame
house, three tenant houses, one saw mill house, three tenant houses, one saw mill and two large barns thereon erected, and a large orchard growing thereon. Sold to Harry Burt for sixty dollars, as the preperty of H. J. Gorman, at the suit of J. D.

Burt.
Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of A. A. Hopkins, at the suit of Dyer & Thompson. ALSO.

C. A. Rankin vs. A. J. Maze, Fl. Fa. No. 36 Occ. Term, 1873, C. D. No. 100 Sept. Term, 1873, — Wilson, and Jenks & Mason — All that tract of land situate in Barnett Township, Forest County, Pa. Bounded on the east by Edward Kerr, on the north by the Zents lands, on the west by lands of John Mays, and on the south by lands of William H. Lowrie. Containing three

William H. Lowrie. Containing three hundred acres, more or less. Being the same land deeded by J. B. Agnew, Sheriff of Forest county, Fa., to A. J. Mays by deed dated Sept. 28, 1889.

ALSO—All that certain tract of land situate in Barnett Township, Forest County, Pa. Bounded on the north by lands formerly belonging to Zook and Zents, on the east by land formerly known as the William Lowry farm, on the west by land of Cooks, and on the south by lands of of Cooks, and on the south by lands of William Henry and William Lowry. Con-taining one hundred and fifty acres of land more or less, with one frame saw mill, engine complete, and two boilers, two dwelling houses, two barns and other out buildings.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of A. J. Maze, at the suit of C. A. Rankin.

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