

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

President Judge—L. D. WETMORE. Associate Judges—ANDREW COOK, JOS. G. DALE. Sheriff—T. J. VAN GIBSEN.

Time of Trains

AT TIONESTA STATION, on and after Dec. 6, 1875: SOUTH. Train 22 - 9:24 a. m. 3:42 p. m.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

A few loads of coal will be taken on subscription at this office. A revival is now being conducted at the M. E. Church by Rev. Wilder.

J. WEAVER & CO.

In the Forest Press of the 27th ult., appears a communication from J. Weaver & Co., Advertising Agents, Pittsburgh, Pa., characterizing our charges against their firm as "lying and slanderous," and a "cowardly attack" on their reputation.

The reasons we do not at present sue, are these. In all human probability we would have to make at least two trips to Pittsburgh. The fare would amount to about \$20. Suppose we pay a lawyer \$10 to prosecute our claim.

Now Messrs. Weaver & Co., we have a proposition to make to you, and if you want to sustain that blessed "reputation" of yours, you will close in with our offer at once, and not perjure yourselves more by writing false communications to papers in this section.

Roll of Honor.

Report of Tionesta Schools, for the month ending, Dec. 6, 1875: Room No. 1, O. J. Gunning, teacher. Number enrolled, 58. Names of pupils neither absent nor tardy during month: Chas. Davis, Geo. Brooks, Alex. Dale, Emma Davis, Linnie Grove, Annie Pease, Maria Swales.

"Eddie" Simmons was brought back to Oil City, on Monday by Detective Thos. Furlong, who captured him in California, living on the money for which he had bartered reputation, honor and a happy home.

The roads continue bad, miserable. Consequently coal is scarce and high. That little load we got about a week ago, is getting smaller by degrees, and beautifully less. Hope we'll have some good roads soon.

Through the intercession of John H. Whittaker, Esq., of the Venango Spectator, we were, on Wednesday last, admitted to the exhibition of the Venango County Poultry Association.

A business trip found us in Stoneboro one day last week, and while there we were taken in hand by Alex. Bonner, of the firm of J. & A. Bonner & Co., who led us around, and showed us all the sights.

C. W. Grant, of Oil City, (Reynolds & Hukill's Block,) keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of the latest Foreign and Domestic goods for the manufacture of gentlemen's clothing.

On Monday, some chap whose name we did not hear, came down from Dutch Hill, saying that he had seen a bear cross the road, somewhere on the hill.

Two tramps were supplied with supper lodging and breakfast at the jail on Monday evening and Tuesday morning. Sheriff Van Giesen informs us that he has fed a lodged five tramps this season, and some have found lodgment at the hotels.

Western Correspondence.

LONE ROCK, RICHLAND CO., WIS., Dec. 3, 1875. ED. REPUBLICAN:—We are once more enjoying cool weather, for "Old Winter" is on hand promptly to claim his share of the season.

One of my neighbors has been threshing for the last six days and has not more than half finished yet. The Separator generally used here is the J. I. Case, of Racine, and is considered the best now in use.

Election is over and the Republicans have elected their Governor. The Grange element in this State supported the Reform candidate at the late election but failed to elect their man.

Heavy shipments of hogs and cattle are made from here to Eastern markets. Some days ten car loads of hogs are forwarded from this station, as this Railroad, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, is the principal road from Minnesota, via Iowa, to Chicago.

Quite a number of farmers from the "hopper" districts west of here have returned to this locality to winter; they think of trying the grasshoppers another season.

for the winter and I think this State is as far advanced in its free school system as any other State in the Union. Our State pays each school district fifty cents per scholar reported, over the age of four and under twenty years.

At the present writing the wind howls over the prairies indicating what we call here a "blizzard," something not known in the eastern States.

We have some snow here, and hunters are making the deer suffer at present, and "Lo," the poor Indian, comes in for his share of the game; but the white and red hunters do not agree well as to both hunting in the same locality, consequently there is some trouble occasionally, and poor "Lo" has to "git."

Mrs. Butler has just received a new stock of Millinery Goods, consisting of Hats, Frames, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Velvets &c., &c., in the building north of Lawrence House.

MONEY.

We will pay cash on delivery at our mill in Tionesta, for white oak stave and heading bolts at the following prices:

Stave bolts, 35 inches long, per cord of 8 ft. by 4 ft., \$4.50. Heading bolts 22 inches long, per cord of 8 ft. by 4 ft., \$4.00.

A fresh lot of Jamestown Cassimeres, just received. Do not fail to call and see them, at Robinson & Bonner's.

Stoves and stoveware at Freeman & Corbet's.

Robinson & Bonner have full line of stoves and stove pipe.

Fresh buckwheat flour at Robinson & Bonner's.

MARRIED.

RIDDLE—THOMPSON.—At the residence of the bride, in Delant, Chautauque Co., N. Y., Nov. 25th, 1875, Mr. E. O. Riddle, formerly of Tionesta, and Miss Ella M. Thompson.

GROVE—HUNTER.—At the residence of the bride, Dec. 25, by Rev. A. J. Merchant, of Tidoute, Mr. W. A. Grove and Miss Jennie Hunter, both of Tionesta.

HILL—COPELAND.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Nov. 30, 1875, by Rev. J. Abbott, of Fagundus, Mr. Perry C. Hill and Miss Lydia M. Copeland, both of Hickory Twp.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Flour, Buckwheat flour, Corn Meal, Chop feed, Rye, Oats, Corn, Beans, Ham, Sugar, Syrup, N. O. Molasses, Roast Rio Coffee, Rio Coffee, Java Coffee, Tea, Butter, Rice, Eggs, Salt, Lard, Iron, Nails, Lime, Potatoes.

JOE WORK neatly executed at this office at reasonable rates.

Trial List for December Term, 1875.

- 1. Shriver & Sawyer vs Geo. S. Hunter. 2. Elijah C. Parker vs Joshua R. Jones. 3. Samuel Duff vs J. W. Guthrie. 4. George Harnard vs Joseph Cook.

Estate Notice.

Estate of Doctor J. Winans late of Tionesta Borough, 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 J. W. H. REISINGER, Administrator.

Petition.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition will be presented at the next session of the Legislature for a law relating to the Commissioners of the Big Level State Road long enough to collect present taxes, pay up indebtedness, and settle up accounts. For the Commissioners, W. S. OVIATT.

GOVERNMENT LAND SALE.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. Office of the Solicitor of the Treasury, Washington, D. C., Nov. 17, 1875.

Public sale, of farms and oil lands near Tionesta, Forest County, Pennsylvania, by Bluford Wilson, solicitor of the Treasury, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury.

The following described property lying in Forest and Venango counties near Tionesta, will be offered at public sale to the highest bidder at Agnew's Hotel in the town of Tionesta, on Saturday the 26th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, viz:

Tract No. 1. The original Holman Farm, containing 401 acres.

Tract No. 2. 517 acres, made up of three pieces, one of 391 acres, one of 81 acres and the other of 45 acres, adjoining. These tracts bound on the Allegheny River at Holman's Flats, and are situated about three miles from Tionesta.

Tract No. 3. 437 acres, situated near the mouth of West Hickory Creek, on the Allegheny River, five miles above Tionesta, and consists of bottom and hill land. There are two houses and good out buildings on this tract.

These tracts are considered valuable oil lands, and it is thought that, upon being properly tested, will be remunerative. They were taken by the United States for debt. The title is believed to be undisputed, and can be examined by bidders for themselves before the day of sale.

The highest bidder for each tract when the same is struck off to him as the purchaser, will be required to sign his name to a certificate setting forth that he is such purchaser and agreeing to comply with the conditions of sale, and will also be required to pay to the agent of the government attending the sale, the sum of \$200.00, which will be forfeited if he shall fail to make the payment and deliver the security according to the conditions.

Payments will be made as follows: One-half of the purchase money, less the \$200.00 paid on the day of sale, shall be paid on delivery of the deed conveying the tract, the remaining half to be paid in one year from the day of sale with interest at six per cent, for which deferred payment the purchaser shall give his bond secured by first mortgage on the premises sold.

An agent of the government will attend at the postoffice at Oil City, on Wednesday, March 1st, 1876, and where each purchaser will be required to pay to him one-half of the purchase money, less the \$200.00 already paid, and deliver to him the proper securities for the remaining half, and to receive a conveyance executed by the solicitor of the Treasury, of all the right and title of the United States of, in, and to the tract sold to him. BLUFORD WILSON, Solicitor of the Treasury.

Approved, B. H. BRISTOW, Secretary of the Treasury.

For further information in regard to the above described lands, apply to J. B. Agnew, Attorney-at-Law, Tionesta, Pa.

Register's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties concerned that the following final accounts have been examined and filed in my office and will be presented for confirmation, at the next regular Orphan's Court of Forest County, on the Fourth Monday of December, A. D. 1875. The said accounts being as follows: 1. Final account of Wm. Young Siggins, Executor of the last will and testament of N. H. Siggins, late of Harmony Twp., in said County, deceased.

2. Final account of James Flynn and Margaret Flynn, Administrators of the estate of Christopher Flynn, late of said County, deceased.

3. Account of John H. Kuhns, Administrator of C. Kuhns, deceased.

F. M. CLARK, Register. Register's Office, Tionesta, Pa., November 30th, 1875.

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Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, which are so prevalent in the valleys of our great rivers throughout the United States, especially those of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, Tennessee, Cumberland, Arkansas, Red, Colorado, Brazos, Rio Grande, Pearl, Alabama, Mobile, Savannah, Roanoke, James, and many others, with their vast tributaries, throughout our entire country during the Summer and Autumn, and remarkably so during seasons of unusual heat and dryness, are invariably accompanied by extensive derangements of the stomach and liver, and other abdominal viscera.

In their treatment, a purgative, exerting a powerful influence upon these various organs, is essentially necessary. There is no cathartic for the purpose equal to Dr. J. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, as they will speedily remove the dark, colored vicid matter with which the bowels are loaded, at the same time stimulating the secretions of the liver, and generally restoring the healthy functions of the digestive organs.

Fortify the body against disease by purifying all its fluids with VINEGAR BITTERS. No epidemic can take hold of a system thus fore-armed.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the region of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offspring of Dyspepsia. One bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

Serofula, or King's Evil, White Swellings, Ulcers, Erysipelas, Swelled Neck, Gout, Serofulous Inflammations, Involuntary Emissions, Mercurial Affections, Old Sores, Eruptions of the Skin, Sore Eyes, &c. In these, as in all other constitutional diseases, WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS has shown their great curative powers in the most obstinate and intractable cases.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have no equal. Such Diseases are caused by Vitiating Blood.

Mechanical Diseases.—Persons engaged in Paints and Minerals, such as Plumbers, Type-setters, Gold-beaters, and Miners, as they advance in life, are subject to paralysis of the Bowels. To guard against this, take a dose of WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS occasionally.

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