The Forest Republican.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JAN. 12, 1876.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—JOHN RECK.
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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

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Commissioners—ELI BERLIN, ISAAC LONG, JOHN RECK.
County Superintendent—H. S. BROCKWAY.
District Attorney—S. D. IRWIN.
Jury Commissioners—H. Z. TOWNER, LYMAN COOK.
County Surveyor—T. D. COLLINS.
Coroner—M. ITTEL, JR.
County Auditors—NICHOLAS THOMPSON, J. R. NEILL, H. A. ZUNDELL.
Member of Congress—GEO. A. JENKS.
Assembly—J. B. AGNEW.

Time of Trains

AT TIONESTA STATION, on and after Dec. 6, 1875:

SOUTH.	
Train 22	9:24 a. m.
" 54	3:42 p. m.
NORTH.	
Train 53	9:24 a. m.
" 21	3:42 p. m.

Train 22, south, and 21, north, are 1st class; the others are accommodation freights. These trains only are allowed to carry passengers.

On the River Division i. e. from Oil City to Irvineton, up the river is North; down the river, south.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Rev. Elliot will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday next, morning and evening. Sabbath School at 3 o'clock p. m.

—Hon. J. B. Agnew was at home during the late vacation of the Legislature.

—The days are lengthening—a fact which those who hire men by the day will be glad to know.

—The boys who rang in the new year at Warren, cracked the Presbyterian church bell. Too much muscle.

FOUND.—In Presbyterian Church, a few weeks ago, a Sleeve Button. The owner can have the same by calling at this office.

—We have heard several of our citizens express a desire to hear Dr. Eaton lecture again upon his travels in Palestine.

—There was not the usual amount of "swearing off" done on New Year's day that generally occurs, on account of the Centennial.

—Oysters are particularly in season just now, and the place to get a square dish of them is at the restaurant in the basement of the Lawrence House.

—Reports of the various officers of the State Government have reached us, and we are under obligations to the one who sent them, whoever he may be.

—The weather closed in on us again on Monday, and now we don't see fellows going around in their shirt-sleeves singing "December's as pleasant as May."

—Mosquitoes were singing around until Monday, but no one has heard any of their cheerful ditties since. This time we guess they will stay dead until spring.

—The Legislature met last week, heard the Governor's Message, and took a recess until yesterday. The solid work will doubtless commence immediately.

—More shooting matches are talked of. It has not been decided who is the best shot in town, but there are numbers who claim to be the champion poor shot.

—There's hardly a gate off its hinges in town; but just wait until next summer, and our hardware merchants will sell hinges enough to be able to attend the Centennial on the profits.

—A report was current a short time since that Capt. J. M. Clapp, of Tidioute had sold his entire production of oil in 1876 for $2.50 a barrel. The Titusville *Herald* denies the report.

—Two men were hanged in Pittsburgh last week for murder. The papers of that city are a little disposed to brag over the neat job the Sheriff [illegible] a residence on west side of Elm St., south of Mr. Woodington's. Tionesta is bound to grow, notwithstanding hard times and the low price of lumber.

—During our absence last week, a well-written communication from Lacytown came to our address. Our foreman supposing it to be a private letter, did not open it, and hence it did not appear in last week's paper. As the communication is descriptive of Christmas festivities, it is now a little too late to publish it. We would be pleased to hear from our Lacytown correspondent often, in regard to the local news of that place.

—They are having hot times in Congress at present. The Democracy headed by Randall and Cox want "general amnesty," and the Republicans want the same thing, except that they do not wish Jeff. Davis to be included. A great deal of wind is being wasted, and a great deal said that is not meant. It will take a two-thirds vote to pass the "general amnesty" bill, and the Democracy cannot raise that amount.

—It has been some time since we have heard anything in regard to the oil developments which were to go on the eastern part of this county. The parties having the business in charge will undoubtedly put it through in good shape, but just when, is one of those things that no fellow can find out. In all probability operations will commence as soon as spring opens.

—The committee of conference on unfinished business of the Legislature agreed that such business should not be considerd unless introduced anew. This disposes of that question without difficulty. The question of expediency seemed to have governed the committee, and the policy of starting afresh was regarded as sure to avoid danger, at all events.

—We hear that a Free Methodist lady preacher will commence a series Meetings in the Universalist church on Friday evening next. We do not know of any members of that particular denomination in this section, but there's no telling how much raw material there may be laying around loose.

P. S.—We hear that the lady preached last evening.

—A. B. Root is going to give us $10 if Grant is nominated for a third term. Now we have not taken much interest in the third term question heretofore, but this makes us a little anxious for his re-nomination. We suppose that Mr. Root expects an appointment, provided Grant is elected again, hence his "liberal" offer.

—The teacher and pupils of the Upper School are talking of closing the term with an exhibition. If a creditable performance can be gotten up without interfering with the studies of the pupils we venture to say that the citizens of Tionesta would be glad to see the exhibition.

—It has been concluded that Tweed is not, nor has not been, in Forest county, as the Titusville *Courier* stated a few weeks ago. It has also been concluded that the *Courier's* charges against President Grant didn't do the editor of that paper much good, and further, that nobody believes them.

—J. H. McLaughlin, the champion wrestler, had a match with W. C. Benjamin of Washington, at Detroit on the 4th inst., and as usual, came out victorious. Mac. is now champion wrestler of the world, and is about $7,000 better off than he was before the contest.

—It might be well to remark for the benefit of our fair readers that this is Leap Year, as well as Centennial. Now there are certain privileges accorded the ladies during this year, and if they don't take advantage of them they cannot say they hadn't fair warning. Young man,—Go West.

—The Governor's Message, which was submitted to the Legislature last week, is highly spoken of by the press, and members of both parties. It is too long for us to publish, but all can get it upon application to either the Senator or Representative from this county.

—The Clearfield *Journal* suggests that letters, papers, &c., written or printed during this year, be dated C. Y., for Centennial Year; and, in order to convince its readers that it looks well, the date line at the head of the local column is fixed accordingly. [illegible] given out as change in you [illegible] other places of business. Who knows but a specie basis has arrived? When it does arrive, nearly everybody will prefer paper money.

—A. Burdette Smith's *World of Fashion*, published at 914 Broadway, came to us last week, and is welcome to our sanctum. This magazine is devoted to Fine Arts and Polite Literature; and is published monthly at $3 a year, including premium.

—A "Leap Year" dance was given by the young ladies of town, at the Partridge Hall, on Saturday evening last. It was well attended, and thoroughly enjoyed. The young ladies footed the bills, which made the gentlemen grin.

—There being no professional barber in town now, Jas. Huling does the shaving for those who cannot do it themselves. His place of business in that line, at present, is at his home in the Acomb Building. He has no regular hours.

—During the recent "soft snap," Nature was thoroughly deceived. Grass commenced springing, buds swelled, and the sap run to such an extent that new maple sugar is now offered in some of the surrounding towns.

—The bear hunt long talked about, will come off the first good snow we have. Several of our townsmen will take part in the hunt, and it is probable that some strangers will be on hand, if they can hit the time when the start will be made.

—This morning we find just enough snow on the ground to encourage lumbermen to hope that we may have a run of sleighing soon. If such is the will of the people, we can stand it, as it invariably puts the price of coal down.

—We have received from Messrs. A. C. Bakewell & Co., 75 Wood St., Pittsburgh, a large and useful Calendar for 1876. B. & Co. conduct a prosperous business in printers supplies, and run a large paper warehouse.

—Skates and hand-sleds are of no account as yet this winter; but just wait, boys, we may have weather yet that will give you enough exercise in that direction to lay the foundation of a first-class pneumonia.

—Thomas H. Dudley bought the O. C. & A. R. R'y on the 29th ult., for for $100,000. We had no idea it would go so cheap, or we would have been on hand. Mr. Dudley bid the road in for the bondholders.

—The inauguration of Governor Hartranft is set down for next Tuesday, and the expense is limited to the amount at the last inauguration. If the weather should be mild, it will be a grand affair.

—Two little Italians, violinist and harper, made music for the good people of Tionesta one day last week. It is not usual for these little chaps to get so far from headquarters in the winter.

—Old man Allio, who was upward of one hundred years old, died last week, at his home near Tylersburg, about ten miles from this place. His wife, who celebrated her centennial last summer, survives him.

—Senator Conover, of Florida, introduced a resolution in Senate on Monday requesting the President to declare and mantain the strictest neutrality in regard to the affairs of Spain and Cuba.

—The February number of Ballou's Magazine is issued, and is full of good things as ever. There is a sea story, a continuation of M. Quad's great tale of "That Taylor Boy," and several domestic stories of absorbing interest, and these in connection with the illustrations and the poetry, go towards making up a magazine that can't be excelled in this country. Published by Thomes & Talbot, 23 Hawley St., Boston, and for sale at all the newsdealers in the country.

—The Osceola *Reveilee* records the fact that Messrs. McCauley & Luther, of Houtzdale, received an order by telegraph for thirty pieces of white pine timber 10x10 and fifty feet long, for the new Market street bridge, Philadelphia, and having no logs at their mills, called their employees together and going into the woods after night with lighted torches, chopped down the required number of trees, which they hauled to the mill, two miles distant, and sawed, and loaded on the cars before 9:55 the next morning—just seventeen hours after the order had been received.

—The lightest running Machine in the *world* is the Grover & Baker, at least Baldwin, of Tidioute says so, and he knows. 46 1y

Western Correspondence.

LONE ROCK, RICHLAND CO., WIS., Jan. 6, 1876.

ED. REPUBLICAN:—

As we continue to move and have our being out here in the Northwest, we think that we should be heard if not seen. We have been enjoying very nice weather here of late, in fact some of the farmers have been plowing as late as the 24th ult., but on the night of the 25th snow fell to the depth of three inches. Yet we have had some cool spells; for during two days in November the mercury dropped to 20° below zero.

The prevailing excitement here at present, is in regard to the petitions that are being sent to Washington from Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin, relative to the water communication between the Mississippi River and the Lakes, for after four years' labor, the improvement by the Wisconsin River proves to be nearly or quite a failure. Now the idea is rife for a canal, a distance of one hundred and fifteen miles. Should this great canal be opened it will prove one of the greatest National improvements of the age, for by this mode of transportation, we can ship our grain to Eastern markets for one-third less than we can ship at present by Rail to Chicago. Let the Eastern States throw their influence in favor of this cheap transportation route, for it will benefit all classes, and the laboring class will receive the largest share.

Markets here at present are as follows: Wheat, spring, 75c. per bushel; Corn, 30c.; Oats, 22c.; Rye 50c.; Potatoes, 20c.

The Wisconsin River, at this place, is now open with floating ice, and as our crossing is done by ferries the trade from the big prairies south of the river is done at other points more convenient.

I notice an article in a recent issue of your paper concerning "Old Abe," formerly the property of the Eighth Wis. Regiment, and now owned by our State. He is a "Historic Bird." "Abe" left the State in '61, with the above Regiment. He was caught in the northern part of the State and was only half grown when taken south; remained with the Regiment during the war; reinlisted in 1863. My Regiment was in the same Brigade with the 8th Wisconsin during the Summer and Fall campaign of '62. During the memorable battle of Corinth, on the 3d and 4th of Oct. 1862, Old Abe was carried at the front. During the heaviest engagement on the 2d day's fight the Eagle spread his wings and with piercing shrieks startled the enemy. While on a charge, he flew in a circle over the enemy during the fight, uttering the most fearful shrieks while his Regiment was engaged. When the enemy fell back Abe returned to his perch beside the Regimental Flag. Those are facts that I can vouch for, being an eye witness. I am told Abe still remembers his old comrades of the old 8th although some ten years have elapsed since he has seen them.

More anon, N. B. HOOD.

Wanted---Wild Cats.

We desire to purchase two dead wild cats, that have been caught in traps, and whose skins are not injured. We want them for a taxidermist, who wishes to skin the animals himself, preparatory to stuffing. A fair price will be paid if the animals are brought in soon. 37tf

FOR SALE.

The valuable and beautiful homestead formerly owned by Hon. Joseph G. Dale, and in which he now resides, is in my hands for sale at very low figures. Terms—one-third purchase money down, and the balance in one and two years. MILES W. TATE.
10tf.

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. Heading bolts must be made from timber at least 20 inches in diameter. Office at Lawrence [illegible]

—Fresh [illegible] received a new [illegible] Corbet have just received a new and [illegible] stock of books, suitable for holiday [illegible]ents. Look in and examine stock and [illegible] 36tf

Sewing Machine Needles.

Mrs. C. M. Heath has just received the largest and most complete assortment of sewing machine needles ever brought to town. She keeps the only sewing machine needles for sale in town. Her place of business is in the Acomb Building, up stairs.

—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. He keeps none but first-class goods, and employs the best cutter in the Oil Regions. Whatever you get there you can depend upon its being of the latest style, and first-class goods. His prices are reasonable for the superior kind of goods he keeps on hand. If you want poor clothing, you cannot be accommodated at his establishment. But if you want a No. 1 article, made in the latest style, Grant's is the place to go. Remember the place: Reynolds & Hukill's Block, Seneca St., Oil City, Pa. 35 2t

—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. She solicits a continuance of the patronage of the ladies of Tionesta and vicinity. 32 6

—Stoves and stoveware at Freeman & Corbet's. 28tf

—Those beautiful lots just north of Mrs. Henry's residence can be bought cheap, on long time, by applying to the editor of this paper. tf.

—Landlord and Tenant Leases, the most approved form, for sale at this office.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

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Chop feed	$1 65@2.00
Rye ℔ bushel	90@1.00
Oats ℔ bushel	40@45
Corn, ears	40@45
Beans ℔ bushel	2.00@3.00
Ham, sugar cured	17
Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured	16
Sugar	10@12½
Syrup	75@1.00
N. O. Molasses	1.00
Roast Rio Coffee No. 1	33
Rio Coffee, best	30
Java Coffee	37½
Tea	.50@1.25
Butter	30@32
Rice	10
Eggs, fresh	30
Salt	2.15@2.25
Lard	15@20
Iron, common bar	4.00
Nails, 10d, ℔ keg	4.25
Lime ℔ bbl.	2.00
Potatoes	35@40
Onions, ℔ bushel	1.00
Green apples ℔ bushel	1.00@1.75

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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, E. D. McCREARY, } Administrat'rs.
OLIVE WINANS, Administratrix.
or, MILES W. TATE, Attorney.
Tionesta, Pa., Nov. 10, 1875.—6t

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 Binford 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 Holeman 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 Holeman's Flats, and are situated about three miles from Tionesta. Much of the land is covered with excellent timber. The cleared part is good farm and bottom land. A number of good houses and barns are on each tract.

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 renumerative. 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 solicitor of the Treasury has no power to give warranty deeds, and will only sell and convey to the purchaser all the right and title of the United States.

The several tracts numbered 1, 2, and 3, will be sold separately.

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 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 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 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. BINFORD 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.

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