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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS

-Rev. Elliot will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday next morning and evening. Sunday School at 3:00 p. m.

-Second Quarterly Meeting will be held at the M. E. Church in this place, on Saturday evening, March 31st, and Bunday morning and evening, April 1st. Rev. A. J. Merchant, of Tidioute, will conduct the services.

-The pay of the laborers on the Railroad has been raised to \$1.10 per day. Small favors are thankfully re-

-"Rafting in" is now occupying the minds and hands of our up-creek lumbermen. There will be a larger run this year than usual.

-Mr. J. B. Leguard, of Waukegau, Ill., is in town on a visit. He was formerly a resident here, and is a sen in-law of Mr. H. H. May.

-Wm. Richards has lumber on the ground for improvements on his house, which he will probably make this season. If he carries out his plans he will have a good house.

-Fred. Douglass has been appointed and confirmed Marshall of the District of Columbia. So far as we have observed the appointment gives general satisfaction.

-A new paper to be called the Register is to be published at Emlenton by Mesurs. Needle & Crowley, the first issue to appear next Friday.

-A few of the first run of suckers have already been taken by some of our ambitious fishermen. The most of them, however, object to fishing with overcoats and mittens on.

-The wrecker was up again on Sunday pulling up the cars which had been left off the track from the wreck of a week before. Those men on the wrecking-car will break the Sabbath yet if they don't look sharp.

-Crus Bradbury has purchased the Porter property, adjoining Smith Foreman's, and is fixing it up in comfertable shape to live in. A little plaster and paint will make it all right.

-Those of our young men who are not learning short-hand or telegraph eperating, are up the creek rafting in lumber, all except a few who are mill, or going to school.

the new paper.

deut was discovered to be on fire, save it. We believe the furniture was saved. The house belonged to Mr. E. E. Clapp, and the next morning a new one was commenced on the same place. The house was the one for-Willing.

-We are informed that some of Meadville, Pa. "Murphy's Gang," propose coming up to Tionesta to start up a temperance revival here. There has been a vast along about the same time we're afraid him overflowing with good things, work done by these men in Oil City it will be bad for the Murphys. and elsewhere throughout this portion fore they commence.

THE ELECTION CONTEST.

HON, J. B. AGREW SEATED.

The following in regard to the contest which has so long agitated the pub'ic mind in Forest County, is taken from the Harrisburg Telegraph of Fri-

In the case of J. B. Agnew, contest-ing the right of S. H. Huslet, of Forest county, to a seat in the House of Representatives, the Committee on Elections decided last evening to report in favor of giving the seat to the contestant, Mr. Agnew. Mr. Haslet was returned as elected by four majority. His election was contested in the county court on the ground-of palpable mistake, or fraud, in the count But the court sustained the respondent's answer by excluding from the count Barnett township, which had given Aguew fifty majority, on the ground that the election had not been held at the place designated by the proper authorities, although the voters cast their ballots at the house named in the Sheriff's proclamation, and which had been the undisputed polling place for twenty years or more. Notwithstanding these facts the court disfranchises the people of this township on the plea that the law must be rigidly followed. Mr. Agnew appeal ed to the Legislature and the election committee, having admitted the district excluded by the court, recounted the boxes from three townships in which errors sufficient to change Mr. Haslet's majority of four to nineteen majority for Agnew were discovered. On these facts the committee have asked the House to seat Mr. Agnew, which will undoubtedly be done.

The Pittsburgh Gazette-Commercial, some days since, speaking of the threwing out of the vote of Barnett town ship, called attention to a decision of the Supreme Court, which was to the effect that the vote of no township could be thrown out on other grounds than fraud, and we presume that upon this basis the decision of our court was overruled by the committee. But the turning of the tide, it appears, was due to Tionesta township, in which, in the count which took place in Harrisburg, instead of Agnew having two of a majority, he had 20. Now this looks like a clear case of fraud somewhere, and the fraud is located by different persons in different places. Having to rely entirely on hearsay evidence, we are not prepared to express an opinion, but the fraud, it is admitted on all sides, must have been intentional, wherever or by whoever it was perpetrated. Those of the Tionesta township election board who have been interviewed, unqualifiedly assert that no such mistake occurred in their count, and some even go so far as to to believe that the Tionesta township diphtheria. election board, or any member of it knowingly made a false count, and it is simply preposterous to assert that votes could be changed by a committee composed of members of both parties. We, in common with every voter in Forest County, would like to see this matter probed to the bottom, and if there has been an intentional There is not a vast amount of sugarfraud committed anywhere or by anybody, let the guilty party or parties suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

Mt. L. Agnew showed us a telegram in the county. from Hon. J. B. Agnew, starday, none and charity for all, suppose we now let up on the contest for awhile.

-We have received from Mr. A. studying law, working in the stave McLaren, Importer and Breeder of Games and Game Bantams, his circu--A Sunday morning paper is being lars and price list for 1876-7. His established at Oil City, and the first specialty is game fowls, although he number will appear April 8th. The deals in all other fancy breeds. From name of the paper is to be the Sunday his circulars we learn that on 131 Morning Call. We are not informed | coops shown at exhibitions in Pennsylto a certainty, but presume that Mr. | vania, New York and Chicago, during Taylor, late of the Derrick, will edit the past year, he has been awarded 82 first premiums, 36 second, 6 thirm and -On Tuesday 13th inst., the house 31 special premiums. His Black occupied by HenryMcNanny at Presi- Breasted Red Game received the highest award at the Centennial. His and before help arrived it had gained poultry yards are within one minute's such headway that it was imposible to walk of the Depot, and he will take pleasure in showing them to those wishing to purchase. The price per dozen for differest varieties of egg for hatching, is \$3 to \$5. We will mke pleasure in showing his circulars to merly owned and occupied by Jacob those who are interested in fine breeds of fowls. Mr. McLaren's address is

of the State. The pledge we publish | very deceiving. People come to town | bot, 23 Hawley Street, Boston, at only ed last week. Due notice of the in the morning in sleds and have to \$1.50 per annum, postpaid, the cheapmeetiags will probably be given be- haul them home in the afternoon on est magazine in the country, or 15 bare ground.

-Wm, Cole, a half-witted fellow hill, shot himself in the palm of the Sherman to the Secretaryship of the left hand with a single-barreled pistol, Treasury. on Saturday last. He didn't know it was loaded, of course. Dr. Coburn extracted the ball on Sunday. He showed it to us on Monday. It looks like anything else than a bullet, being a shapless mass of lead. This Cole is the same chap that was bitten by a rattlesnake a few years ago, and recovered by the free use of whiskey. in the course of a few weeks, as the Dr. believes no bones were broken.

-Sheriff Shawkey's wife and oldest in May. son are reported ill with diphtheria. Whether their illness is severe or not we are not informed. In the country around us we hear of several cases, burg. I met in the latter place, a few G. W. Zents, and all his children have days ago, Wm. Widmer, who has been been prostrated with this disease, but running a lumber yard there during Lynx or Fisher Fox, or Catamount. lin's children, of Whig Hill are down old stock and started for Tionesta, to with it. Rev. Elliot's children are buy up lumber to supply the spring 4t out of dauger.

-Oh! the long and cruel winter! Oh! the dreadful hard coal famine! From personal observation we are led to believe that every one of those persons who have any hard coal have just about enough to see them through. It's tough to get out of hard coal about the Ides of March, because it is almost utterly impossible to borrow at that time of the year.

-Local option was virtually defeated in the House last week. To consider the bill a special session became necessary. This was defeated by a test vote of 80 year to 96 nays. Of the yeas sixty-eight were Republicans and twelve Democrats; and of the nays thirty-nine were Republicans and fifty-seven Democrats. Absent or not voting twenty-five.

-Recollect the supposent the Court House, to be given on Friday evening next, by the ladies of the M. E. Church. The money made on this occasion is to be devoted to paying off the debt ou the church organ. Admittance and supper 25 cts.

-Easter Sunday happens on the 1st day of April, which will interfere terribly with some pet games the boys have put up on one another for "All Fools' Day." Speaking of Easter reminds us that eggs are yet 20 cts. per

-The Commissioners are in session, one man short, Mr. Berlin not beintimate that the votes were changed ing able to put in an appearance yet at Harrisburg. We are not prepared on account of his slow recovery from

> -- Up to last Friday, Chas. McUray, who is rafting and running Clapp's lumber, had 800,000 feet rafted in, and had as much more to raft. This lumber was made at the "Red Hot" Mills, formerly owned by Cobbs.

> -We have been having a little, very little sugar weather this month. producing territory in this county. A little maple sugar is made in Jenks township, but we believe nowhere else

-Geo. Hunter will put up a buildwhich said the latter had been seated ing near the depot soon for the Staand sworn in. With malice toward tion Agent, Mr. Craig, to occupy as a dwelling. Such an arrangement would save Mr. Craig a good deal of toll.

> -The bill appropriating \$120,000 for the State Hospital at this place, passed the Senate finally last week without opposition and will be concurred in by the House. The meddling State Board of Charities opposed it at first, but we understand it is now satisfactory to all parties. This will enable the Superintendent to put most of the building under cover the ensuing season and thus begin to utilize the expenditures already made by the State. - Warren Mail.

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-Stanley Matthews was elected U. who makes periodical visits to Tio- S. Sonator by the Ohio Legislature nesta, and who lives across the river last week, to fill the vacancy occasfrom President, about a mile over the lioned by the appointment of Senator

Elk City Correspondence.

ELK CITY, PA., Mar. 19, 1876. MR. EDITOR :- Winter still lingers in the lap of spring, and the sudden changes of the weather make colds a prevailing complaint; yet the old proverb that "it's an ill wind that ley dealing out cough medicines, as House. busy as a bee and as happy as a lark

Business is beginning to brighten up a little. House building is going on quite lively, both here and at Edenare all well now. Four of Jacob Ber- the past winter. He has sold out his

T. J. McGill has built a new house here and taken possession of it. The Tate & Co. oil rig looms up on the Sloan farm, but no signs of drilling yet; hope they may get a spouter. Your Representative (ex) put in an appearance here a short time ago; suppose he was looking after his oil interest. James Riddle was around the fore part of last week, -perhaps looking for some one. Mr. Brooks, formerly of Tionesta, is now keeping By Robinson & Bonner, Dealers in achelor's hall, in Edenburg, his better half having gone to Ohio on a visit to friends. His business is leasing and locating oil wells.

The tools are still sticking in the Lamb well. Two new wells near Mongtown, about two weeks down, are pumping 15 and 25 barrels respect-

Oil is on the rise, and all feel jubi-Yours, KISER. lant.

NOTICE.

U. S. Internal Revenue Special Taxes .- May 1, 1877, to April 30, 1878.

The revised statutes of the U. S. Sections 3232, 3237, 3238, and 3239, requires every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a Special Tax, to procure and place conspicuoutly in his establishment or place of business a Stamp denoting the payment of said Special Tax for the Special Tax Year beginning May 1, 1877, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1877. The taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above quoted are the following

Recuners	200 00
Detlers, retail liquor	25 00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100 00
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Dealers in maft liquors, retail	
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25 00
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And on sales of over \$1,000, fifty	1000000
cents for every dollar in excess	
of \$3000.	
Manufacturers of stills	\$ 00
And for each still manufactured.	50 00
And for each worm manufactured	
Manufacturors of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of eigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class-more than two horses or other animals Peddlers of tobacco, second class—	50 00
Reddlers of tobacco, second class-	
two horses or other animals	25 00
Peddies of tobacco, third class-	
- bne how ther animal	15 00
Peddlers of fourth class-	

Brewers of ieas than 500 barrels..... Brewers of 500 barrels or more...... Any person, se liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penal-ties. Person firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above any of the Special Taxes named above Marbie op Tables, must apply to James C. Brown, Col-Kitchen Furniture, lector of Internal Revenue at Greenville, Pa., and pay for and procure the Special-Tax Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1877, and without further notice.

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GREEN B. RAUM, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Office of Internal Revenue, Washington,

D. C., January 23, 1877. N. B .- All money should be transmitted by Express, charges paid, in exchange, by registered letter, or P. O. order. Individual checks will not be received, and all currency forwarded in letters not registered will be at the risk of the tax payer. Prompt payments will save costs and penalty. JAMES C. BROWN,

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Oats & bushel	30	140			58	10.5e
Corn, ears	+				- 40	(dul
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Breakfast Baco	m, st	igar	cure	d -		14
Shoulders	*	*	*			10
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