The Forest Republican.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 10, 1877.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—G. W. ROBINSON.
Councilmen—P. D. Thomas, S. J. Setley Wm. Richards, D. S. Knox, A. B. Kelly, C. A. Randall.
Justices of the Peace—D. S. Knox, C. A. Randall.
Constable—H. Swaggart
School Directors—H. H. May, H. O. Davis, G. W. Robinson, T. J. Van Giesen, D. W. Clark, W. R. Dunn.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

President Judge—L. D. WETMORE.
Associate Judges—JOS. G. DALE, EDWARD KERR.
Treasurer—S. J. SETLEY.
Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c.—J. W. CLARK.
Sheriff—JUSTIS SHAWKEY.
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. ZUENDELL.
Member of Congress—HARRY WHITE.
Assembly—J. B. AGNEW.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Rev. Allen will preach the first sermon on his second year in M. E. Church next Sunday evening. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.

—The Fair at Conneautville was a complete success. We were there and "took it all in."

—G. W. Robinson is putting in a cistern to catch the water from his house. Pat. Joyce has the job.

—The Duplicate for School Tax is now in the hands of the Collector, Mr. Kopman. So get your change ready.

—The coal miners of Scranton have decided on a six month's strike. From here it looks as if they were voluntarily starving themselves.

—The chestnut crop is a little "off" about here this season. A few have been brought in for sale, and, we believe, were sold at fair prices.

—C. E. McCray has moved into that part of the Acomb building recently vacated by Murphy and Swales. The Dr. Powell house is now vacant.

—W. J. Roberts is busily engaged plastering his new house. Work has been dragging there for a while past, but the building will doubtless be completed right along now.

—We publish the election proclamation this week. It would be well for all election officers to peruse it carefully, as well as the election laws in full, so that there will be no flaws in our next count.

—Mr. Dithridge is putting some additions and repairs on the little house into which he was forced last spring by the burning of his beautiful residence. He is making the place look quite cosy.

—Mr. J. T. Brennan, Commissioners' Clerk, is constantly making improvements about his property, and without flattery we can say that he has one of the neatest little places in town.

—We are having some genuine fall weather just now—cold, damp and disagreeable. If it weren't for the locks of the thing, we would get off that old remark about "the melancholy days."

—Fred. Kopman fell down stairs at Brush's house, a day or two ago, and received several severe bruises about the head. He is "on deck," however, and will be able to handle a tax duplicate with his usual grace.

—From other sections in Pennsylvania we hear of large colonies going to the West to take up lands and grow up with the country. We hear of no emigration in that direction from this county. When a man emigrates from here, he generally points for Elk City or Bradford, or some other good oil territory.

—Attention is called to the new advertisement of Derickson & Co., which appears in our columns to-day. These gentlemen have worked up a good trade about here, have a good stock of goods and invite an inspection of their stock and prices. They will be found in Haslet's store building, opposite the Rural House.

—And now C. F. Gillespie comes to to the front with a Hubbard squash which was raised on his wife's farm in Kingsley township. Said squash weighs fifty-three pounds, and measures four feet eight inches in circumference. If there has been a larger squash raised in Forest county we would be glad to hear of it, and give it a good notice.

Forest County Oil News.

The Woods Heirs' well is down 700 feet and progressing rapidly. We shall probably have something definite from it by our next issue. On this well, in the 24 hours ending last Thursday evening, Messrs. Magee, King & Co., the contractors, made 120 feet, 75 feet of which was made in 12 hours. We call this fast drilling, and would be glad to hear from anybody that beats it.

From the Palmer well on Bear Creek we can hear nothing, except that drilling has not yet commenced.

The Fink well, at Red Hot is being pushed down rapidly. It is probably down 700 feet by this time.

The Berry well at Balltown is probing for the earth's bowels, and will probably be down in a couple of weeks.

A rumor is rife that the well put down at Balltown last fall and closed up directly after, is a good pumper, having been pumped a short time last week. How much truth there is in the report time will demonstrate.

On the Kepler farm, in Harmony township, things are somewhat cloudy, in that the Copeland well has never got to pumping regularly yet. It is estimated, however at from 15 to 25 barrels.

The McLaughlin well, on the same farm, is down over seven hundred feet. It will be due this week, and we will probably have a full account of its performances for our next issue.

The well at Cooksburg, put down by Judge Cook has oil, and we believe, in paying quantities. We have no certian information in regard to this well, but will probably have a full account of it next week.

Mr. Keeler, agent for Mr. Cornwell, is putting up a rig on the Lomire place on Dutch Hill, and the well will be put down as rapidly as practicable.

—Somebody has for nearly a year past, and we know not how long previously, been stealing coal from the coal house belonging to the school. Since last spring, when school closed, there has been between two and three tons of coal taken from the coal house. The building was fixed up strong and tight last fall, and good locks put on the doors, but these offered no impediment, apparently, to the thieves. There will be a grist of these petty thieves ground through our courts some of these days, and then perhaps there will be some security for portable property hereabouts.

—Mr. Fink, who is putting down the well at Red Hot, has passed through all the vicissitudes of an oil operator, and is now in a position to take the world easy. He put down the first well at Parkers, for other parties. He also put down the first well at Foxburg, in which he held an interest. He bought what is known as the Jerusalem Farm, in the Clarion District, put down a well which paid for itself in twelve days, beside leaving him an overplus of $800.00, and then sold out for $66.000. That's how he is situated. Now he's developing territory which joins Forest. So look out for developments.

—The extra session of Congress convenes on Monday next. The Clerk of the House, Mr. Adams, has figured out a majority of twelve for the Democracy. This is done by omitting to place on the rolls Representatives from the following districts: 1st and 4th California, 2d Florida, 3d, 4th and 5th Louisiana and the Representative from Colorado. A Washington correspondent declares the action of Clerk Adams so glaringly partizan and unwarranted that many doubt whether even a Democratic Congress will permit a functionary of its own making to thus usurp its authority.

—Dr. Coburn has several cases of diphtheria to attend to at present. Three of Welsh Grove's family, at mouth of Little Hickory, have had it, and three more are down with it now. These children of John Huddleson, near Grove's, have it, one of whom it is thought cannot recover.

—The fair at Cochranton, comes off this week commencing, to-day. If the weather is good for the next two days, a good exhibition may be expected. Any of our people who want to see good stock can see it there, for there's where they pay attention to those things. Cochranton is on the Franklin Branch of the A. & G. W. R. R., about fifteen miles above Franklin.

—In last week's *Press* appeared a long article in regard to the escape of Varner and Sanford from the jail. Said article reflected somewhat on Sheriff Shawkey, and intimated that the rewards offered were insufficient, and that $500 would have been likely to have brought the prisoners. Varner was in for 30 days and Sanford for 40 days; the former for assault and battery and the latter for malicious mischief. $500 reward would seem to us a large enough reward for a burglar, a highwayman, or even a murderer. In our estimation the rewards offered were ample considering the length of the term of imprisonment to which the sprisoners were entenced. But in the article alluded to mention was made of one Mr. Hutton, who was in town at the time the prisoners escaped, and in a manner which would naturally tend to throw suspicion upon Hutton as the outside party who effected the release of the prisoners. Mr. Hutton was at Bradford when the *Press* containing the article come out, but put in an appearance yesterday, and this morning put a warrant in the hands of Sheriff Shawkey for the arrest of Conver, on a charge of libel. Conver was arraigned before Esq. Randall, where he waived a hearing, and gave bail in $300 for his appearance at Court. Hutton was held in $100 for the prosecution of the case. Mr. Hutton informs us that he proposes to bring civil suit against Mr. Conver for damages; and moreover says that his character is open for inspection; and further, that Conver's statements in regard to him are false throughout.

—Jas. Huddleson killed a fine four-pronged buck on Thursday evening last, with Jas. Swailes' little old breech-loading Wesson rifle, so we are told. On Saturday Jacob Guyton, of Bear Creek killed a fine deer, the saddles of which weighed upward of seventy pounds, and were purchased by John Reck, who dealt the same out to our people for a trifling consideration. It seems to us that venison tastes better and better every year.

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—The Pittsburgh *Commercial-Gazette* proposes a smooth way, indeed, we might say a greasy way out of the riot troubles. It says "We believe that now the oil trade can stand a State tax, and that the State should tax oil and pay our riot losses." That is about as cool a proposition as we ever heard of. Why not put a State tax on coal? on grain? on fruit? on lumber? in fact why not tax everything but Pittsburgh manufactories to pay Pittsburgh's and Allegheny county's losses? We don't consider the point well taken.

—It appears that the campaign is ended for the season between Russia and Turkey, and that both will go into winter quarters at once. Thus far Turkey has had the best of the conflict, and it is reported that the Russians have lost 50,000 men during the campaign. During the cessation of active hostilities it is altogether probable that the other powers of Europe will endeavor to fix up a peace between the two nations.

—Mr. J. Q. Sweeney, who has been teaching in Clarington for some months, proposes to close with a grand exhibition, to be given in Clarington Church on Saturday evening, Oct. 20. The entertainment will consist of a good selection of declamations, dialogues, recitations, essays, music, etc. The admission price is fixed at 25 and 15 cents, which is cheap enough. We hope that the exhibition will be well patronized.

—At a meeting of the School Board on Monday evening last, Mr. Geo. W. Robinson handed in his resignation as a School Director, and A. B. Kelly, Esq., was chosen by the board to serve until the next spring election. Fred. Kopman was made collector of the taxes for 1877.

—Chestnuts, what few there are, are being gathered in lively. Sunday was improved by a great many in that direction, and yet not an accident occurred to furnish us an item.

A Card.

Having been interrogated on the subject, I wish to state that I am no relation to the Huttons of Houtzdale, Pa. Also that I am not a brother-in-law of Jacob Kepler of this place. It has been insinuated by the *Forest Press* that I have assisted prisoners to escape from the Tionesta jail, and also that I am guilty of other crimes, and I make this statement that the reputation of others may not suffer on account of the similarity of names. My ancestors were Quakers of Philadelphia.

JOHN HUTTON.

—On Friday last, Messrs. Cram & Co., struck the sand in a well on the Joseph Wood farm, Beaver township, and when a few feet in the rock on Saturday it commenced to flow. In a short time two 20 barrel tanks were filled, and the oil running away. Other tankage was procured as soon as possible, and the pipe line made connection. It flowed at the rate of 600 barrels a day without being tubed. A large amount of oil ran to waste, but again Monday morning 600 barrels of oil had been put into the pipe line. On Wednesday the well was still flowing at the rate of between 200 and 300 barrels a day.—*Clarion Democrat.*

—M. Ittle jr. has built a substantial looking barn for his new span of horses recently purchased, which said team is engaged in hauling rails from depot to Nebraska for Collins' narrow-gauge road. And while we are telling the "general particulars" of the matter, we may as well state that we have it from pretty good authority that Mr. Collins has purchased Mr. Holbrook's interest, and is now sole owner of the entire Lacytown property.

—Following are the officers to be installed at next meeting of Tionesta Lodge I. O. O. F.:

N. G., Wm. Y. Siggins.
V. G., J. E. Blaine.
Sec'y, G. W. Sawyer.
Ass't Sec'y, C. E. McCray.
Treasurer, M. Einstein.
Trustee, J. G. Dale.
D. D. G. M., A. B. Kelly.

—The Ohio election occurred yesterday, and from the Associated press dispatches in to-day's *Derrick*, it looks as if the State had gone Democratic. There was a light vote out and the Workingmen's ticket developed unexpected strength.

$75 REWARD!

BROKE JAIL.

I will give $50 reward for the arrest and return of Samuel A. Varner, who broke jail on the night of Oct. 1, 1877.

Also, $25 for the arrest and return of Frank Sanford, who also escaped the same night.

JUSTIS SHAWKEY, Sheriff.
Tionesta, Pa., Oct. 2, 1877.

—New Buckwheat flour at Robinson & Bonner's. 26 4t

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Marienville, October 3.
Clarington, October 5.
Tionesta, October 13.
Neillsburg, October 12.
West Hickory, October 15.
Newtown Mills, October 17.
Nebraska, October 19.

The examinations will be partly oral, and Directors are invited to be present, as it will give an opportunity for them to judge of the qualifications of teachers. Teachers are requested to be present promptly at 9 o'clock A. M. No applicants admitted after that hour.

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Oats New ℔ bushel	38@40
Corn, shelled	85
Beans ℔ bushel	2.00@3.00
Ham, sugar cured	14
Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured	13
Shoulders	10
Whitefish, half-barrels	6.00
Lake herring half-barrels	3.75
Sugar	10@12½
Syrup	75@1.00
N. O. Molasses	75@90
Roast Rio Coffee	25@32
Rio Coffee,	25@28
Java Coffee	35
Tea	45@1.00
Butter	18@20
Rice	10
Eggs, fresh	14
Salt	1.90@2.00
Lard	12@15
Iron, common bar	3.00
Nails, 10d, ℔ keg	3.50
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SAMUEL CLARK, Administrator,
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