

Our Washington Letter.

Special to the REPUBLICAN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2, '78.

No explanation accounts for the otherwise inexplicable relapse suffered by nearly every one of our great industrial and commercial interests after the convening of the 45th Congress in extra session last October, except the general distrust entertained of its ability to successfully cope with the grave problems confronting it and requiring wisdom to solve.

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Western Correspondence. LONE ROCK, RICHLAND CO., WIS., Jan. 31, 1878. ED. REPUBLICAN:—As the weather at present is pleasant and has been during the season, the prospect is good for an early spring. We have no snow and the ground has been bare since last November. The farmers plowed and sowed wheat during the last week in December. In fact this has been one of the most peculiar winters on record, and the predictions of our oldest settlers have proved false in every instance.

Times are rather dull here at present owing to the low price of produce and the scarcity of money. The markets here at present are as follows: wheat, 85 cts.; Rye 40 cts.; corn 25 cts.; oats 15 cts. per bushel, and other produce in proportion.

The passage of the Matthews silver resolution after the waste of many valuable weeks on a matter that only amounts to an expression of opinion, has elated the advocates of the Blain bill and depressed its opponents. Despite assurances telegraphed hence from time to time that the measure was steadily losing strength, and of the "Metropolitan" press to the same effect, it appears that precisely the reverse was true; and the remonetization of silver seems now assured, even against a Presidential veto which is not at all certain,—not probable, indeed, many think.

The Whiskey Ring suffered a severe defeat on Thursday in the House, as the Southern Pacific ring did on Tuesday. The initiatory step to a reduction of the tax on this Democratic beverage was, as charged, generally believed, attempted under cover of a bill to extend the time for withdrawal of whiskey in bond to July 1, 1878.

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Respectfully yours, N. B. HOOD. PROCLAMATION. WHEREAS, The Hon. L. D. Wetmore, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for the county of Forest, has issued his precept for holding a Court of Common Pleas Quarter Sessions, &c., at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the fourth Monday of Feb. next, being the 25th day of Feb. 1878. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of said county, that they be then and there in their proper persons at an o'clock, A. M., of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and to those who are bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they be then and there present to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal A. D. 1878.

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but even that has thrown the lobbies present here in full force, into the greatest consternation. But, notwithstanding this formal commitment of members by their own votes to an opposition to which they were already pledged by party conventions, those opposed to the steals engineered through Congress almost every session, should understand that adroit managers, supplied with funds to bribe their way into the Treasury vaults, are here.

The vote of the other day excluding all from the floor of the House not privileged to go there, was also a heavy blow to the lobby. Even ex-Members are now required to register their names and to affix that they have no interest in pending claims, before admittance.

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E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron. E. F. Kunkel's celebrated Bitter Wine of Iron will effectually cure Liver complaint, jaundice, dyspepsia, chronic or nervous debility, chronic diarrhoea, disease of the kidneys and all diseases arising from a disordered liver, stomach or intestines, such as constipation, flatulence, inward piles, fullness of blood, the head, acidity of the stomach, nausea, heartburn, disgust for food, fullness or weight in the stomach, sore eructations, sinking or fluttering at the pit of the stomach, swimming of the head, hurried or difficult breathing, fluttering at the heart, choking or suffocating sensation when in a lying posture, dimness of vision, dots or webs before the sight, dull pain in the head, deficiency of perspiration, yellowness of the skin and eyes, pain in the side, back, head, chest, limbs, etc., sudden flushes of heat, burning in the flesh, constant imaginations of evil and great depression of spirits. Price \$1 per bottle. Beware of counterfeits. Do not let your druggist palm off some other preparation on you, he may say it is as good, but ask for Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron. Take no other. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron is not sold in bulk—only in \$1 bottles. E. F. Kunkel, Proprietor, No. 259 North Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by all druggists.

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E. F. Kunkel's Lustral & E. F. Kunkel's Shampoo for the Hair. The best and cheapest Hair Dressing and Hair Cleaner in the world. They remove dandruff, allay irritation, soothe and cool the heated scalp, prevent the hair from falling off, and promote the growth in a very short time. They preserve and beautify the Hair, and render it soft and glossy. They impart a brilliancy and a silky appearance to braid and wavy Hair, and, as a hair dressing, they are unrivaled; eradicate dandruff and prevent baldness. The shampoo cleans the Hair, removes grease, scurf, itching, eruption. Cures headache produced by heat and fatigue. Kunkel's Shampoo and Lustral restore Hair to a natural and glossy color, remove faded, dry, harsh and wiry Hair. Price per bottle \$1. Ask your druggist for them, or send to E. F. Kunkel, Proprietor, No. 259 North Ninth Street Philadelphia, Pa. 18-6m

PUBLIC VENDUE, At the store in Tionesta, lately occupied by the SUPERIOR LUMBER CO. A large quantity of personal property, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, Dress Goods, Calicoes, Chinaware, Woodens, Teas, Coffees, Muslins, Tinware, Glassware, Syrups, School Books, Stationery, Drugs and Medicines, and a general assortment of goods of every description. The entire stock of goods in said store, one Safe, Desk, &c. &c. To be sold for cash to the highest and best bidder. Sale to commence MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1878, at 7 o'clock P. M., and continue from day to day until the entire stock is sold. A. H. EUWER, Assignee. A. J. PENTACOST, Auctioneer.

SHERRIFF'S SALE. BY VIRTUE of a writ of Vendit. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in the borough of Tionesta, on MONDAY, FEB. 25, A. D., 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described real estate, to-wit:

A. Kinordinger vs. A. Weller, Vendit. Ex. No. 18, Feb. Term, 1878.—Lotly & Agnew.—A certain piece or parcel of land situated in Tionesta Borough, Forest County Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on the west side of Race Street, now Vine Street at south side of land formerly owned by Wm. Lawrence, thence south 87 1/2° east 121 feet and 4 inches to a post on the line of the old Grave Yard, thence northwest along said grave yard 85 feet and ten inches to a post, thence north 87 1/2° east 121 feet and 4 inches to a post on Vine Street, thence south 90° east 83 feet and 10 inches to the place of beginning; containing one-fourth acre more or less, on which is erected a story frame dwelling house, about — feet. Taken in execution and to sold as the property of Andrew Weller at the suit of A. Kinordinger. Terms cash. JUSTIS SHAWKEY, Sheriff Sheriff's Office, Tionesta, Pa., Feb. 1, 1878.

NOTICE. LIST OF RETAILERS of Goods, Merchandise, Liquors, &c., in the County of Forest, State of Pennsylvania. Feb. A. D. 1878.

Table listing retailers in Tionesta Boro., Harmony Twp., Hickory Twp., Green Twp., Kingsley Twp., and Barnett Twp. with names and addresses.

Brooks & Co., 14. Appeals will be held in the office of the County Treasurer, in Tionesta, on Saturday, the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1878. JAMES SWAILLINS, Mercantile Appraiser, 44 3t

License Applications. THE following named persons have filed their petitions for License and the same will be presented to our Court of Quarter Sessions of Feb. Term, 1878: Wm. Toy, Hotel, Fagundas. L. Agnew, Hotel, Tionesta Boro. George B. Noxon, Hotel, Fagundas. Feb. 4, 1878. D. W. CLARK, Clerk.

ADVERTISERS send 25 cents to Geo. P. Rowell & Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y., for their Eighty-page Pamphlet, showing cost of advertising. 13 4t

TRIAL LIST, FEB. TERM, 1878.

Table listing trial cases including Samuel C. Slou vs. J. F. Overlander, David Beatty vs. Jno. Fitzmorris et al., Selden Whitman vs. J. W. H. Reisinger et al., The Superior Lumber Co. vs. T. J. Van Gieson et al., J. H. Derickson & Co. vs. Philotas Thompson et al., Wm. Jones for use vs. Harmony Township, Wm. Richardson vs. Harmony Township, Catherine Doherty vs. Harmony Township, Wm. Haslet vs. Jas. Conley, Geo. Morgan vs. J. G. Root, Jas. Carl vs. J. F. Overlander, H. A. Nushurtz & Co. vs. Freeman & Corbet, Catherine Noble et al. vs. P. Day et al., J. B. Agnew for use vs. S. H. Haslet, John D. Hunt vs. The County of Forest, Joanna B. Still Widow et al. vs. S. H. Haslet et al., J. D. Ainger Trustee vs. Joshua Douglass et al Terra Tenants, A. Bean vs. W. Howe et al, Achre, Wick & Co. vs. J. G. Dale.

D. W. CLARK, Prothonotary. Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 14, 1878.

Prof. Christ. Monday, TEACHER of Vocal and Instrumental Music, will give lessons on the Piano, Organ and Violin. Terms reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. Present residence with Mr. Frank Monday, at Tionesta Station. 39t

BOOTS AND SHOES! H. H. EVANS has just opened a large and well-selected stock of Boots and Shoes, at prices LOWER THAN EVER! and cordially invites persons from surrounding towns and country when visiting Tidouste to call and Examine his Stock before purchasing elsewhere. "Burt" and also "Gray Bros" Fine French Kid Shoes for Ladies wear a specialty. Remember the place, GIRARD BLOCK, TIDOUSTE, PA. 39 3m H. H. EVANS.

Allegheny Valley Rail Road. Pittsburgh, Titusville & Buffalo Railway, and Buffalo, Corry & Pittsburgh Railroad.

Table showing train schedules for Allegheny Valley Rail Road, including stations like Pittsburgh, Titusville, Buffalo, Corry, Mayville, Buffalo, Oil City, Oleopolis, Eagle Rock, Tionesta, Tidouste, Irvinette.

ON AND AFTER Sunday, Dec. 10, 1877, trains will run as follows: STATIONS. Northward, Southward.

Trains run by Philadelphia Time. DAVID McCARGO, Gen'l Supt. MORTON HALL, Gen'l Passenger & Ticket Agent.

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Frank Robbins, PHOTOGRAPHER, (SUCCESSOR TO DREMLING.) Pictures in every style of the art. Views of the oil regions for sale or taken to order. CENTRE STREET, near R. K. crossing, Sycamore Street near Union Depot, Oil City, Pa. 20-1f

AUDITORS' REPORT for THE YEAR 1877.

Table showing Auditor's Report for the year ending December 31st, 1877. S. J. SETLEY, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the Funds of said County for the year ending December 31st, 1877.

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Table showing Auditor's Report for the year ending December 31st, 1877. FOREST COUNTY, ss. We the undersigned Auditors of Forest County, do hereby certify that we met at the Commissioners' Office in said County, according to law, and did audit and adjust the several accounts of the Treasurer, Sheriff, Prothonotary and County Commissioners for the year ending December 31st, 1877, and find them as set forth in the foregoing report. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this thirtieth day of January, A. D. 1878.

EXPENDITURES of Forest County for the year ending December 31st, 1877.

Table showing Expenditures of Forest County for the year ending December 31st, 1877, including items like County Commissioners' Clerk, Auditor and Clerk, Counsel fees, Cat and Fox bounties, Jury fees, Jury Commissioners, Assessors, Printing, Constables, Court Clerk, Road View, Fuel and Lights, Elections, Common wealth costs, Books, Stationery, &c., Registry, Repairs on Court House, Western Pa. Hospital, Sheriff's fees.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT of Forest County for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1877. INDEBTEDNESS. ASSETS.

Table showing Financial Statement of Forest County for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1877, including items like County Bonds, Bridge Bonds, County orders outstanding, County Commissioners, By Balance transferred to Wm. Lawrence on County account, Balance due by S. J. Setley, Seated Lands returned, Due by estate of Fred. Glassner, Due by Green Township, Due by Harmony Township, Due by Kingsley Township, Jury fees due by Shif Shawkey, Surplus money rec'd on bonds and transferred to Wm. Lawrence.

FOREST COUNTY, ss. Pursuant to law, we the undersigned Commissioners of Forest County publish the foregoing exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of Forest County for the year ending December 31st, 1877. Witness our hands this 30th day of January, A. D. 1878.

ELI BERLIN, ISAAC LONG, } County Commissioners. JOHN RECK, }

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