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-Rev. A. O. Stone will preach in

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M. E. Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m., and Presbyterian Sunday School at 3 o'clock p. m. -The Brookville Graphic says: Dave Henderson is now out of employment, but he wants it distinctly understood that he won't marry. -Ex-Governor Hartranft has been nominated as Postmaster at Philadelsition as he has just vacated, but it

may pay better.

Minister Resident of Bolivia.

-Bradford, beside doing the boss oil business, aspires to be the county sent of McKean. The residents of Smethport, the present county seat, are somewhat alarmed at these aspira-

-A party of young ladies took s sleighride over to Stewart's Run on Saturday last, stopping at Mr. Range's, where they were cordially welcomed, feasted and sent on their way rejoic-

-Once in a while a tramp puts in an appearance in our place. They are accommodated with lodging in jail, and are instructed to make tracks, with the heels pointing toward Tio-

-St. Valentine's day occurs on Friday next, and many are waiting for that day to express anonymously their admiration or contempt of other parties. The P. O. Department of the U. S. will make money on that day.

-Too late for insertion in lect week's paper, we noticed that Mr. Taylor, of the Oil City Dorrick had taken unto himself a wife. May their

-About town things are rather quiet, but in the lumber woods we hear of several extensive jobs going forward in logs and square timber. If the snow lasts a week or two more we presume all these jobs will be success-

-Remember, all ye who love to "chase the glowing hours with flying feet," that a grand party will be given at the Lawrence House on Friday evening, 21st inst. McCray's celebrated string band will furnish the music. A greneral invitation is extended.

-A party of young folks from town started out on Saturday evening to attend the Quarterly Meeting at Whig Hill, but they either didn't start soon enough or drove too slow, as they didn't get there until the minister was pronouncing the benediction.

-By reference to the advertisement, it will be seen that the timber and oil lands of the Superior Lumber Co., will be sold by the assignee of is a good opportunity for somebody to accumulate some good property.

-Work is progressing on the new stave mill, and it will probably be ready for business in the course of a couple of weeks. Botts have come in even more numerous than usual, and the company has enough on hands to keep the mill running for some months.

-The spring elections occur next Tuesday, but there is as yet very little stir about them in this section. We suppose, of course, that many of our born politiciaus have a programme fixed for the occasion, but we are not informed as to who will be candidates fer the principal offices.

-Tramps seem to be getting searcer throughout the Union, but "pedestrians" male and female, are multiplying rapidly. This class of people aim at walking 5000 quarter miles in 5000 quarter hours. And if they happen to accomplish the feat, some money will change hands, but for every gainer there is a loser. If these pedestrians would "go west," and walk a quarter mile corn row with a hoe in their hands, every quarter hour between sourise and sunset, clearing out the weeds as they traveled, we could see some sense in their peculiar line of business. There will be big chances of this kind offered next summer.

Crystal Wedding.

The event of the season transpired last evening, on the occasion of the fifteenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Partridge. Friends to the number of one hundred or more gathered at their dwelling, bringing with them generally little souvenirs in the shape of glassware, and various articles having glass in some form about them. Some of the articles were tasteful and elegant, ars useful, and others laughable. Lack of space precludes our giving a phia. This is hardly as exalted a po- list of the presents. The party was the most pleasant one that has taken place in Tionesta for a number of -Hon. N. P. Wheeler has our years. The boys privately sent up to thanks for the Legislative Record, Fagundas, and had Messre. Toy and which comes regularly, a copy of the McCray come down with their little Times Almanac, and other interesting music boxes, and shortly after nine o'clock, they were stationed on top -Hou. S. Newton Pettis, at one of a counter in the Partridge store of this place in the practice of law, was included in by almost everybody; has been confirmed by the Senate as some of whom had never been seen to shake their feet to music before. This was kept up until word came that refreshments were to be served, when the store room was vacated in a hurry, and the parlors of the Partridge mansion crowded. The refreshments were excellent, varied and ample, and were heartily enjoyed by all. After supper the store room was quickly filled again, and the dancing resumed, and kept up until after 3 o'clock this morning. Those who did not take part in the dancing were interested spectators, or passed the evening in visiting and conversation. The affair was a grand success, and those who were there will carry happy recollections of the event in their memories for years to come. Ten years ago, we attended the wooden wedding of this couple, which was as fine an affair as this one. When their Silver wedding comes off, may we be there to see.

-The town is smiling a broad-gauge grin over a very naughty trick played by a rude juvenile on a staid legal gentleman of our place: It appears that the gentleman mentioned had bought two packages of coffee at happiness be like the circulation of Derickson & Co.'s store, and taking that paper-extensive and extended. them to his office laid them down until such time as he should go home. The rude juvenile, happening in, and being incited by some evil spirit, set to work to put up a job on the said legal luminary, and to this end, the gentleman being busy, he wrote something on two slips of paper, and partly opening the boxes, inserted in each a packages of coffee, and a slip of paper, which had been found in the box, containing the following alarming statement:

"CAUTION!

"This coffee is poisoned, sugar of lead having been spilled in it!"

The thought came like an inspiration to the lawyer that some conscientious employee of the firm that put up the coffee, had taken this means of saving the lives of those who were unfortunate enough to purchase the coffee. So taking the coffee and the slip that institution, on the 25th inst. This of paper he posted down to Derickson Co.'s store, and taking Mr. Dingman aside he laid bare the villainy of the Coffee Co., and the disinterested humanity of the employee, at the same exhibiting the slip of paper. Mr. Dingman promptly took the alarm, and was about to write a bloodthirsty letter to the firm of which he had purchased the coffee, when Mr. Smith, the agent of the firm stepped in. He was at once let into the diabolical secret, and was badly worried about the matter, promising to look the matter carefully up when he returned to the city. During the afternoon, however, the attorney again put in an appearance at the store, and informed Mr. Dingman that he guessed the paper was a canard, and that he had been the victim of a practical joke, at the same time exhibiting the slip found in the other package, which read about as follows:

"This is an interior article of coffee, intended only for employees and ".second-class tawyers."

The viother of the joke enjoys it as well as anybody else, but we would advise that depraved juvenile to keep his weather eye pasted, because the lawyer is breathing a mild sort of good health. vengeance, and is bound to be even

-For home-made Yarns and Flannels go to Robinson & Bonner's.

-The Mercantile Appraisers List is published this week. It shows the number of mercantile establishments, hotels and restaurants within our county limits, and gives the reader an idea of the business transacted by our Gillespie's, the horse, which being

-Capt. Boynton, the inventor of a life-saving apparatus, started down the river in his india-rubber uniform on Thursday morning last, and run the river through slush ice, to Pittsburgh, which point he reached on Sunday afternoon. He was enthusiastically congregation, but we were well enterreceived at Emlenton, Parker, Kit- tained by an able discourse from the tanning, Freeport, and other points Elder, which made up for the inconalong the route, and his journey was a triumphal march, or swim, from the time he started until he reached Pittsburgh. He is not much the worse for his cold ride.

-A petition praying for the legislation proposed by a notice published place, I carnestly request those knowin this paper, is in circulation, and is ing themselves indebted to me, either time associated with M. W. Tate Esq., room, and dancing commenced. This being numerously signed. All, or on subscription or book account, to nearly all our citizens are more or less interested in protecting not only small game, but domestic fowls as well, all of which is contemplated by due us, by consulting the label on his the petition. The petition has been paper. I can be found for two or sent to each township of the county, three weeks during business hours in and from indications we believe four- the REPUBLICAN office. fifths or more of our voters will sign it. Whether it can be incorporated into a law remains to be seen.

> -An Allegheny county Assembly man has introduced a bill laying a tax of \$1,000 on all oil wells commenced on or after the 1st inst., and 45-3t providing a penalty of \$100 per day for each day which elapses between the starting of the well and the payment of the tax. We would respect fully speak for quarters for this class of legislators in the new asylum at Warren. Such lunacy should be promptly looked after, and the lunaties strictly confined before they do semething or somebody some damage.

> > School Reports.

Report of Shriver School for the month ending Jan. 31, 1879:

Number of pupils engolled, 26 names of those who have not been absent a day, Tillie, Jennie and Reece Saltzgiver. Those who have missed but one day are Elmer, George and Belle Stitzinger. Names of those who have excelled in spelling: Lizzie Byers, Jimmy, George and Elmer Stitzinger, and Susie Robb.

EMMA W. SHRIVER, Teacher.

Report of the Huddleson School for the month ending February 3, 1879: Number of pupils enrolled, 30; avslip. The disciple of Blackstone car- erage attendance 18. Charlie Harried the coffee home at noon. During ger was present every day during the the afternoon his wife came down to mouth, Jacob and Addie Wagner, his office, carrying with her one of the and Mary, Charlie and Jacob Korb were absent but one day each. Mary Korb stood first in her spelling class the greatest number of times. Jimmie Mong, Jacob and Addie Wagner, Charlie, Jacob and Mary Korb, and Lazzie Mong received the most "credit marks' for good conduct and lessons.

DEBBIE WOODINGTON, Teacher.

Report of Germaa Hill School for month ending Eeb. 6, 1879:

Number enrolled 29; percentage of attendance 83. The following pupils were neither tardy nor absent during month: Fred. F. Zuendel, Ernest Zuendel, John M. Zuendel, Rob't C. Heath, Henry Brede, Vinnie Zuendel, Verna Heath, Vinnie Osgood, Annie Osgood, Carrie Ahlers.

R. Z. GILLESPIE, Teacher. Dutch Hill Notes.

Durch Hill, Feb. 5, 1879. ED. REPUBLICAN:-

All as happy here as if it was in mid summer, and as busy as we can possibly be since the Phrenologist, Prof. S. C. Snell, was in our midst reading our characters and trying to improve our heads to make them handsome, but whether we succeed or not is a question of time, for it will take some time for us to get acquainted with ourselves.

We are to lose one of our valuable neighbors, Mr. C. Brede's family, who is talking of leaving us to go to a better place. We are sorry to lose them, for if they go away they will be missed by all of us.

As it is almost spring we are all tooking around our farms, and thinking where we will plant our crops for future livelihood.

Our people generally are enjoying

We hear some talk among the candidates of our spring election, and we will try and send you full particulars as soon as 'tis over.

COMBTOUR,

Whig Hill Letter.

WHIG HILL, Feb. 11, '79.

Last Thursday as Geo. Klinestiver was coming down the hill by C. F. rather fractious, started and after running a short distance, upset the sleigh burying Mr. Klinestiver in the snow, much more frightened than hurt.

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