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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

-The committee appointed to organize a Lady's Missionary Society in this place, of which we made mention last week, will meet at the Presbyterian Church on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all the ladies of Tionesta to be present. Rev. T. D. Carnahan of Oil City will preach in the evening. Communiou services will be held at the church on Sunday morning. Also, the usual preaching in the evening.

-Rev. Mr. Stone has requested his church here to observe Thursday, of this week, as a day of Fasting and Prayer for the conversion of souls. exchanges answers, "My dear sir, the He invites all Christians to unite with them in this service. Exercises to begin in the M. E. Church at 10 o'clock All are invited.

M. E. Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m., and Presbyterian Sunday School at 3 o'clock p. m.

-The greenbackers are all deadin a horn. Why just hear them 'blow.'

-Mr. Bonner, of Stonebore, spent a few days in town the fore part of the

- Wolves are said to be so numerous in Clearfield county, that it's dangerous to be safe there.

-A few ducks have been seen in the river above here. It is not out of season to kill this game now.

-An Indiana county Greenback the first one see who was'nt crazy.

-The skating rinks at Tidioute and Warren are in a flourishing condition, and are netting the owners handsome

-The new Post Office on Dutch Hill, of which our old friend Wm. Heath is the worthy P. M. is called the Star P. O.

-Warren talks very strongly of building a railroad to Bradford. From the list of names at the head of the project we don't see how it can fail.

The skating on the Back Channel has been excellent for several days past, and has been improved by the "skative" portion of the community.

-The little lamb Marched in on the first inst., and has remained very quiet and peaceable since. Now let's see what Mr. Lion is going to do about

-A ladies kid glove was found and brought to this office. The owner can have it by calling and paying charges, which can be better agreed upon when we have learned her age.

-A sled-load of household goods, three men, two Newfoundland dogs and a pup passed through town on Sunday last; and the pup was the best looking one in the lot.

-A switch sufficient to accommodate about one car is being built below Dawson's station. We believe the company is going to take out some railroad timber at that place.

-The protracted effort at the M. E. Church is brightening up. Several have signified their intention to live better in the future by embracing the faith. May the good work go on.

-Charlie Bonner is instructing a class how to 'shoot" in German, and we understood they are progressing nicely. We expect to hear a great deal of German gibberish before long.

.-Mr. P. M. Clark has a very handsome gray fox, which was captured by Billy Wilson, about three miles up the creek. It is at the Rural House, and is well worth going there to see.

-The Iron City College whose advertisement appears in another column is the only institution in the United States exclusively devoted to the practical education of young men.

-Alexander Greenwood, the wonderful one-legged hurdle-rider, who Huntings circus, passed through last a success. week. He looked just like any ordinary person.

-A piece of iron fell striking Pat. the stave mill, one day last week, inflicting quite a severe cut, and givthe afternoon.

-We carnestly request our friends throughout the country to send the local news of their respective localities. Mr. W. R. Reck had moved to Stratname as a guarantee of good faith. I the hunt next fall.

-Mr. Doutt, is at present engaged painting and graining Mr. J. I. Range's Lacytown pond is going on at present, house, at Stewart's Run.

-Several interesting communications will be found in to-day's paper. Our correspondent at Harrisburg promises to favor us with regular letters' while the Legislature is in sess-

-Mr. Geo. Kribbs, father of the editor of the Clarion Democrat, died at his residence, in Beaver City, Clarion Co., on the 23d ult., at the advanced age of 74 years. He was a highly respected citizen.

-"Where shall we rest?" asks a religious weekly. To which one of our very best place to find rest and plenty of it is to become a clerk in a dry goods store that doesn't advertise."

-A calico party is talked of by some of our young folks. The last "hop" of this description was a very pleasant and enjoyable affair, and by all means don t let the matter drop, but let us have the "calico."

-Representative Wheeler has again placed us under obligations for a copy of the State Treasurer's Annual and Detailed Reports, for the year 1878. We have not had time to look it over yet, but will peruse it at our leisure.

-Petitions anywhere from thirty to forty feet long are daily pouring into Harrisburg praying the Legislature to revive the Local Option law, and it orator has gone crazy .- Ex. We have appears that the measure is gaining in popularity among the lawmakers.

> -Mr. W. A. Hilands, our newly elected Constable has been appointed deputy by Sheriff Randall. He has not been sworn in as Constable yet, but when he is we warn all evil-doers to stand aloof. Davy will give good

-The bill to restrict the immigration of Chinese into the United States, which Congress passed recently, was vetoed by the President on the 1st inst. "John" may now stay and "washee, washee, alle samee, Melican manee cheapee."

-Since winter set in we have hardly picked up a paper but that has had some account of coasting accidents. The winter is about over now, and we are glad to say we have not had a local of this kind to chroni-

-Morris, the Tailor in Oil City, has just received his spring stock of wollen goods, which he will make up cheaper than any Tailor in the Oil Regions. Come and leave your order for a suit. Opposite the Post Office, Sycamore St.

-The boilers of the new stave mill have been set in shape, and the other machinery is about all in order. The hum and buzz will soon enliven the monotony of our town. Over 500 cords of bolts which are on the ground will keep the mill running till late in

-By reference to another column it will be seen that the auditors of Harmony township, wishing to avoid any embarrassment that a neglect to publish might bring upon them, have sent in their report. Hope the other townships will be prompt about sending in their statements.

-Many of our subscribers were in during last week and paid their subscriptions a year in advance, and in doing so assured us of their sympathy thank you, gentleman, for these words of encouragement, and hope to prove ourselves worthy of your much appreciated patronage.

-The Bradford Era has swallowed the Breeze, and the whole concern has been bought by W. H. Longwell and F. H. Taylor, both of the Derrick. The Era will now have full sway in the northern oil fields, and with the energy and ability of the above genwas here last summer with Hilliard & tlemen at the helm it connot but prove

-Our subscribers will see, by conthey have been changed, and all from which time we will collect the subscriptions. Mr. Dunn will collect ing Pat, the headache for the rest of all up to that date. Those which were paid in advance have not been changed and will be filled out by us.

-It had hitherto escaped us that

-The work of taking the ice out of Mr. J. F. Overlander having the job. The lumbermen being fearful lest there should come a sudden flood and "cleau town, he discovered cousiderable smoke them out," are taking the method of averting it. The work is being done by torpedoes, which are shoved under the ice and touched off. This breaks it up fine, and while doing so, kills innumerable numbers of suckers. A gentleman informs us that after one of any assistance in the way of saving these blasts had been made t'ie creek goods. On his way to town a couple "was alive with dead fish," which supplied the whole neighborhood with a mess. Mr. Ittel, who has a large number of logs piled on the bank near Jug Handle, on the opposite side, says that gorge still remains there perfectly solid. He says if we don't have sufficient Mr. Mong's son, a boy about 14 years warm weather to melt or rot the ice old, Mrs. Mong and her sister having before a heavy rain comes, it will clean left a short time before, and were on the banks from that place to the mouth | their way to town. The boy succeedof the creek.

-The Foxburg & St. Petersburg Railroad Company has purchased the Emlenton, Shippenville & Clarion flue. road, and the roads will hereafter be run by the former company. We un derstand that the line will soon be extended through Forest county to Mc-Kean, \$50,000 of the \$100,000 required having been subscribed by Mrs. Mary Fox, and the remainder sented a degree of activity such as is sel will probably be taken by Philadelphia parties who are interested in oil and lumber lands lying between Clarion and McKean counties. If the project is put through, of which there is little doubt now, the road will probably run through the eastern portion of this county, which will be a great henefit and relief to the citizens in that section. Besides it will undoubtedly open up a new market in the Bradford oil regions for our lumber.

-This has been a most severe winter on small game in this section. there were a few flocks seen last fall, stroy the nests of pheasants the slaughter of our small game will be com-

new court house and jail will be neath the robes; and, moreover, were erected during the coming summer. propped up by means of hemlock bark We understand the commissioners and cullings of stave bolts, which they expect to visit Warren, Tionesta, Clarion and Brookville the early part of next month, for the purpose of taking observations of the public buildings located in those places, preparatory to agreeing on a plan for the the glimmer of the moon I could see proposed new public buildings for the robes neatly spread out and was Elk county.-Elk Democrat.

If you want a perfect model by which to build your court house, by all means come to Forest county. We think our public buildings lay over anything of the kind in seventeen erto concealed persons arose and as a

-The citizens of Whig Hill are going to have a new M. E. Church forthwith. Messrs, C. F. Gillespie and Eli Berlin let a contract to Mr. G. W. Sawyer, on Saturday last, who is to have it completed about the first of July. The building is to be situated in a grove, near Mr. Gillespie's and best wishes for our success. We house, which has heretofore been used for a pic-nic ground. A nice church has long been needed at that place, aud we congratulate our Whig Hill friends on the decided steps which they

have taken in the matter. -The Lawrence House has again charged hands, Mr. Lawrence having assumed the management. Capt. Knox, the retiring landlord, has made a good reputation, and will be missed by those who have stopped with him. The entire management of the hotel, and particularly the table has received many praises by its patrons within the sulting the labels on their papers that last year. Mr. Lawrence's reputation as a landlord, is fully established in Joyce on the head, while working on marked up to the first of January '79, this section, and he needs no recommendation from us.

-The following complimentary notice of our former citizen, Mr. Greaves, we take from the Warren simply according to the merits of the Mail:

Mr. Greaves has on exhibition at Wyman's the portrait of Mr. Logan's Interesting happings of all kinds will tanville, Clarion county, to take charge boy, who died last Summer. It is a be gladly received. It is immaterial of the extensive lumber mills of Ru-capital likeness. Mr. Logon and whether or not you feel competent to loffson & Co. We are very sorry to family are much pleased with it and write it up in proper shape, -send us lose so good a citizen as Mr. Reck, think Mr. Greaves deserving of much the facts, and we will "set 'em up" in but trust that he may do well in his praise for his skill in making such a proper manner. Always give us your new field. Wm., we will miss you in faithful picture under such difficulties. Of course it is very highly prized.

FIRE!

On Saturday about noon, as Mr. Chas, Hill was on his way home from issuing from a place where A. Mong's house stood. Urging his team, he was seon in sight, and was very much surprised to find that the house was nearly burned to the ground. He went down to the place, but was to late to render of hours previous, he saw nothing wrong about the premises, and there were no signs of fire. The house is situated about three miles up the river, on this side, and at the time of the fire there was no one at home except ed in saving nothing but a bureau and a few bed-clothes. It is thought the fire originated from a defective

NEILLTOWN.

NEILLTOWN, PA., Mar. 3, '79. ED. REPUBLICAN:-

On last Friday evening our usually quiet little town predom seen here. It was the evening of the regular meeting of our Debating Society, and as the sleighing was good visitors came in from all sections.

Scarcely had the sun gone below the horizon when a couple sleds containing members of both sexes of our sister society at Stewarts Run drove into town with flying streamers, and stopped at Maj. Woodcock's Hotel, of which the Major is the efficient and popular landlord.

An hour or so later the merry tinkling of bells was heard, and your cor-There has not been a day since about | respondent, on going to the door was the middle of December that the agreeably surprised at seeing two sledpheasants could get any food except loads of young folks from Tionesta. the buds of trees. Quails, of which Properly speaking they were not sledloads, for there were only two couples are probably all destroyed; either for besides the driver in each sled, whereas want of food, or by vermin, such as either sled would have held all with no doubt stiffered from the same cause, they had their reasons for coming so. Now if the forest fires are set agoing But most surprising of all to me, was in the right time next summer to de- the manner in which they drove into town. The first load evidently contained the pious, for they sat erect and sufficiently far apart to pertit the -It begins to look now as though a cold wind to sweep uninterrupted beundoubtedly slipped into their sled from the numerous piles on the road. The other - I almost refrain from making mention-but as a just correspondeut "truth" shall be my motto: By about to ask the driver where he had left his load, when a smothered voice asked: "Where are we now?" "Neilltown," cried the driver, There was a slight shaking of robes and four bithsecond one remarked, "Now where are we?" passed quickly into the hotel.

> At the proper time all repaired to the school house where the discussion was to take place. The meeting was called to order by Prof. J. E. Hillard. Mr. Bowman was elected President pro tem, when, after the appointing of three judges, the following question was read : "Resolved, that the warrior is more benefit to his country than the statesman." Considerable preliminary discussion then took place between the debaters who had been previously Java Coffee chosen, as to whether the question should be debated in its broadest sense or should have a definite limit; that is whether or not Webster's definitions for warrior and statesman should be accepted in their various divisions. It was finally decided to take it the broad way. The remarks on both sides | Lime 79 bbl. were to the point, showing on the part of some considerable preparation and study. The discussion lasted two honrs and I say with a feeling of pride that from beginning to end not a debater persisted in the use of acrimony.

The judges, Messrs, R. L. Haslet and Chas. Bonner of Tionesta, and - Lacy of Stewarts Run, decided argument, in favor of the negative.

Court Proceedings:

J. D. Ainger against Joshua Douglass et. al. Continued.

J. R. Jones vs. Frank Barr, The court order that the piaintiff pay costs within 20 days after being taxed by

Prothonotary. Edward Jones for use vs., John Peterson et, al; continued by consent of

Jacob Helm vs. Jacob Hood : set-

Calvin G. Hinkley vs. Warren S. Hutton et al. Jury called and sworn and case tried, but before verdict rendered plaintiff takes nonsnit.

County of Forest vs. A. J. Siggins ; Jury called and sworn and case continued at cost of plaintiff.

Ephriam Ruhlman vs. Jacob F. Overlander; plaintiff takes nonsuit. Adm'rs of Winaus estate vs. R. M. Carson; plaintiff takes non-suit.

Warren S. Hutton vs. Jacob M. Kepler; verdict for defendant for \$9.19. Case of Adm'rs of Winans estate vs. Joseph Harrison and continued at cost of defendant for the termi.

Jacob M. Kepler vs. Warren S. Hutton; continued.

Wesley Chambers vs. J. C. Welsch et. al; verdict for plaintiff for \$600.00. John McCarty et. al. vs. L. P. Davis; verdict for defendant.

James C. Welsch vs. H. S. Southard et. al ; lien struck off.

John Sharkey vs. It. S. Southard et. al; lien struck off.

Julius Berkman vs. D. W. Agnew et. al; continued.

ARGUMENT LIST.

Jacob M. Kepler vs. Mary Jane Kepler; Decree in divorce granted. Wm. McKee vs. J. H. Snyder. Plaintiff allows a credit of \$3.75; rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened, discharged.

In the matter of the estate of Paul Berlin deceased, time for sale enlarged to next term.

J. M. Kepler vs. A. O. Donovan; two cases; settled.

D. W. Agnew et. al. vs. S. H. Haslet, election case. It is ordered that the Co. Commissioners pay the costs foxes, cwls and hawks. Rabbits have every necessary comfort. Perhaps of both witness bills and serving sub-

L. Agnew for licerise, granted.

The vote for Road Commissioner in Jenks twp., having been a tie, two petitions were presented for the appointment of different persons. On metion of E. L. Davis Esq., the court appoint Thomas Nugent.

Court adjourned to the Wednesday before the first Monday of April next, being the second day of the month.

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