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TONESTA LODGE No. 369, I. O. of O. F. MEETS every Friday evening, at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Partridge's Hall.

J. W. Walker, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Tionesta, Pa. Office at the Rural House, Will attend to business in the evenings and on Saturdays.

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ATTENTION SOLDIERS! I have been admitted to practice as an Attorney in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or sailors who were injured in the late war, can obtain pensions which they may be entitled to by calling on or addressing me at Tionesta, Pa.

F. W. Hays, ATTORNEY AT LAW, and Notary Public, Reynolds Hukill & Co.'s Block, Seneca St., Oil City, Pa.

TONESTA HOUSE, T. C. JACKSON, PROPRIETOR, Situate at the mouth of Tionesta Creek, Tionesta, Pa. Having thoroughly renovated and refitted this Hotel, Mr. Jackson guarantees to give perfect satisfaction.

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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Rev. Elliot will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, morning and evening.

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

Did you get April-fooled yesterday. Several rafts passed this place from above, yesterday.

Fruit tree agents have commenced to bud in this section.

The early gardner will soon take up the shovel and the hoe.

Mr. Beaver, father of Mrs. J. L. Craig, paid the family a visit last week.

A slight change has been made in the arrangement of the bar-room at the Lawrence House.

E. L. Davis Esq., has received his new commission as Notary Public, from Gov. Hoyt.

Argument Court convenes to-day. We believe nothing of special interest to the public will come up.

A few pleasant days and our fair sex may ramble through the forests in search of trailing arbutus.

J. T. Dale Esq., spent Sunday in town, being on his way to Bradford. He is fatter than ever.

Easter comes one week from next Sunday, the 13th inst. The hens are getting in their work in good shape.

Hon. N. P. Wheeler has our thanks for a very handsome copy of Small's Legislative Handbook for 1879.

We received a letter from Dutch Hill too late for last week's issue. The contents have become stale and this; hence we do not publish it.

It is lawful now to tell big trout stories. The man who comes around and tells us of having caught a four pound trout this season will meet his death.

There was considerable canoning going on last Saturday, along River street, a few innocent ducks furnishing the target. Not a feather was ruffled.

Geo. Albaugh let a large bolt drop on his foot, while sawing on the stove mill last Thursday night, in consequence of which he was off duty several days.

Mr. John Jones of Buck Mills, moved to town on Friday last, and occupies the Dawson house, back of the Fisher property. Glad to welcome all new-comers to town.

We have just received a new invoice of stationery, such as billheads, letterheads, envelopes, cards, etc., which we can furnish at very reasonable rates. Call and get prices.

Some of our Dutch Hill friends report having seen a flock of wild pigeons on Saturday last. Hope they may become as plenty as they were in the fall of '77; but that is hardly likely.

Messrs. Sloan & Chamberlain will commence a well shortly on the Mong place three miles up the river. Their machinery is already on the ground. Heavy oil is what they expect to get.

After the first of May there will be a reduction of 5 cents per pound tax on tobacco. This looks like a small amount, but it makes a difference of about ten millions in the revenue of the country.

The M. E. Sunday School held its annual election of officers last Sunday, with the following results: J. L. Craig Supt.; J. M. McKay, Assistant Supt.; Miss Clara Hunter, Sec'y and Treas.; Hermy Beaver, Librarian.

Township Auditors meet the 2nd Monday of April, for the purpose of auditing road and poor accounts. Borough Auditors meet on the same day for auditing borough accounts. The school fund must be audited on the first Monday in June.

R. B. Sinclair Esq., of Cleveland, Ohio, was in town on Monday, and called in to see us. Mr. Sinclair owns considerable land in this county, which accounts for his occasional visits here. He is a very entertaining and agreeable gentleman, and we hope he will call often.

The rains during the latter part of last week caused the creek and river to swell to a very fair rafting stage, and considerable lumber was run out. Yesterday six or eight "Allegheny's" pulled out for Pittsburgh and the lower market. Quite a large number of logs were also brought down and lodged in the booms at the mouth of the creek.

Selden Whitman's Paint Mine.

Following is an extract from a letter from Mr. John Frick of Philadelphia, to S. D. Irwin Esq., in regard to the paint mine on Selden Whitman's place:

"That mineral paint on Selden Whitman's place has been pronounced by Philadelphia chemists and paint manufacturers to be a good article; superior, in fact, to that found and mined in Lancaster and Chester counties, where they have to go down from 100 to 180 feet to reach the veins. This crops out of the hill; is free from sand and grit; is of two shades naturally, and some twelve to fifteen colors could be produced by washing and roasting. Prominent paint manufacturers in Philadelphia say they will give \$5 per ton here for it, the quality being as good as the raw material from mines in Lancaster. This shows it has an unquestionable market value. This ochre is remarkably fine; The trouble lies in the transportation. The R. R. and Express companies were applied to for special rates, but the terms were so liberal that it would take eighty per cent of the entire value of the ochre in Philadelphia to transport it there. On the other hand to put up the factory here for washing and roasting would cost from \$8,000 to \$10,000, and when manufactured is worth from \$16 to \$18 per ton ready for mixing as our informants state. Could this ochre be hauled in Pittsburgh it might be done to advantage for Western supply. As the quantity is said to be ample it may be an enterprise of the future that will remunerate some one."

The many friends of Rev. Elliot and family will regret to learn that they have moved to Sugar Grove, Pa., Mr. Elliot's other charge. Their object in moving was on account of Mrs. Elliot's health, which has been quite delicate for some time, and the river atmosphere has of late been very injurious to her. While Mr. Elliot will continue to preach here as usual, we will miss him very much in the social intercourse of every day life. We understand that an effort will be made to have him give his entire time to the Tionesta Charge, and if successful he will remove to this place. There is no reason why this arrangement can not be carried out, as it would require a very little more in the way of subscriptions to secure his services all the time, and we doubt if there is one who now subscribes to his salary, who would not add largely to his subscription to accomplish this. Let our Presbyterian brethren put forth their efforts, and we have no hesitancy in saying that they will be successful. It is not often country churches are able to get so able a minister as Rev. Elliot, and it would not do for the Tionesta church to lose his services.

The Calico party at Partridge's Hall last Thursday evening, was a most pleasurable affair. There was a goodly number present, and to say that all enjoyed themselves in putting it very mild. The costumes were very gay, but not more so than those who wore them. The dancing was kept up until about three o'clock in the morning, and the only drawback to the occasion was the absence of supper; however, this was in a measure overcome by the introduction of a large panfull of crackers, which together with the joke, were very much enjoyed. The Calico hop will long be remembered by those who participated, and will no doubt be repeated in the future.

Considerable moving and changing of residence took place yesterday, and is still going on to-day. Mr. Derickson moved into Mrs. Conner's house, while Mr. Adams has taken the Holeman house, vacated by the former gentleman. Mr. Craig has moved into Mrs. Thomas' house, formerly occupied by Rev. Elliot. We understand that Prof. Walker will vacate the Harlan house, which will be occupied by Z. T. Shriner.

The protracted effort at the M. E. Church was brought to a close last evening after a series of very successful meetings. Rev. Stone has labored zealously for over six weeks, and he can be happy in the consolation that through his untiring efforts many souls have been brought to a knowledge of Christ. May the young converts ever prove faithful, and at last reap the treasure which is laid up for them in Heaven.

The cheapest and best clothes, made by Morris, in Oil City Pa., opposite P. O. 50ff.

Yesterday Sheriff Randall sold 16,000 feet of square timber at 15 cents per cubic foot. That doesn't look much as though the price of lumber was down. We dare say however that had it been in Pittsburgh it could have been bought for 12 cents a foot.

The Odd Fellows of Tionesta Lodge, 369, held their semi-annual election on Friday night last, which resulted as follows: N. G., J. T. Brennan. V. G., D. W. Clark. Treas., N. S. Foreman. Ass't, Sec'y, J. D. Dawson. Trustee, Dr. J. E. Blaine. The above gentlemen will be installed next Friday evening.

The Derrick has the honor of coming to the front with the first snake story, and we don't see as there is any use of any one trying to beat it, although they have all summer to do it in. The story is that a Mr. Martin and son, while removing a large pile of stones on their farm, at Henry's Bend, found a den of fifty six rattlesnakes all coiled in a bunch, and all of which they succeeded in killing.

List of letters remaining in Tionesta P. O. April 2, 1879: Mrs. L. A. Belden, Harvey Conley 3 Henry Craig, W. Harry Campbell, E. L. DeWoody, Edwin Fritts, Miss Emma Hays, Morris Tucker 2, Geo. Tait, Miss Arvilla Painter, Joseph Stemetz. Persons calling for above please say "advertised." J. M. McKay, P. M. T. C. X C. S.

The editor of the National squirms and twists, and performs all manner of gyrations; but, alas! he's stuck. He has at last got himself into such a dirty, contemptible scrape that even his warmest supporters do not care to help him out. He spreads himself in a column article, but doesn't make a point; not even does he squarely deny the charge, although he tries it very hard. He dare not do it. If he thinks, as he says, that we have not "a particle of evidence to substantiate our charges," let him try it on. Let him come for us with all "the law and the Prophets." He says we "assume to describe," etc. We wish it distinctly understood that we assume nothing. We know it, and can prove what we charge. In speaking of our article last week, he says, "Baron Munchausen's extravagant tales can't hold a candle to it." Perhaps Byron Colburn's can, Doc. And again he says, "this worthy editor is so jealous that he is ready to manufacture horrible crimes and charge them against us;" We are aware that the crime is a horrible one, but it seems to have been none to horrible for you to perpetrate. Further on he manages to say, "if the REPUBLICAN thinks it can outstrip the National in the race for public favor by such windy and utterly false statements about us we pity it." Sir, we don't want the pity or sympathy of such a mortal as you. It would injure us all our days. If we were to undertake to outstrip you in the race for public favor, we would never resort to unfair means, for on that score you would beat old Lucifer himself.

He tries hard to make a point in saying that we contradicted ourself. It matters not how oft we contradicted ourself; we think we were plain enough to be understood, and that is all that was necessary. You can't crawl out of that little hole, although we know you are as slippery as an eel. Besides we did not contradict ourself, as any intelligent reader can see. "It is fortunate for the editor of the REPUBLICAN that he can fill his columns with slanderous insinuations against us, for if he had not this recourse it is hard to say what he could fill them with, as that sheet is generally filled with stale matter which is news to nobody." If an editor or any other person would report such insinuations, -aye, such horrible and contemptible crimes against us, -we would never stop to discuss the matter in a newspaper, but would show him a few points of law forthwith. As to the "stale of matter which is news to nobody," we leave our readers to compare the two papers, and judge for themselves. Again he says, "we don't know as it matters much, for we don't think his very limited issue reaches far enough to do anybody any harm." If you would stop sending your paper to every one who has refused it, there is not a particle of doubt but that 5 cents a week would pay the postage on your entire edition. He winds up his article advising us, like our predecessor, which is Mr. Dunn, to "go West," stating that "dead-beats stand a better chance out there." Why he should bring Mr. Dunn's name into the discussion, and allude to him as a "dead-beat," is something we can't fully comprehend, unless it is because he has not fully recovered from the severe "flogging" which he received from Mr. D. some time ago. You make no point in calling Mr. Dunn a dead-beat, for there is not a man in Forest county but knows that in morals, honesty, integrity, and in everything that goes to make a man, he stands as far above you as Abraham Lincoln did above Jeff Davis. And if you leave this country with as clear a record, and your debts as square as he did, you will surprise your many creditors so completely that they will be long recovering from the shock.

But the marking business sinks into nothingness when compared to a trick which he did the other day: Having heard that his little boy, Byron, had incidentally let the "cat out the bag," he called him up, and with a horse-whip gave the poor, innocent little fellow such an unmerciful whipping that he carries the stripes yet; and all because the boy had unconsciously told of his noble sire's dirty tricks.

We ask all honest, fair-thinking citizens to stop and reflect upon this whole affair, to think that we have a man in our midst who sets himself up as a doctor of medicine, an editor, -aye, who has aspired to the State Legislature, -and yet would stoop so low as to be guilty of a crime which, if prosecuted, would send him to Allegheny.

And now Doc., we are through with you, and don't propose to have any further discussion with you; having exposed your dirty piece of business, we feel that we have performed the duty we owe to our readers and the community, as an editor. You may now blow your horn as long as you like; you are guilty, and the people know it; and your long and windy articles, as you call them, will avail you nothing. You may assert over and over again that we have no brains, but that will not help your case. If we have no brains, the people will discover that without your telling them; besides no one would take your word for it anyway. And to our readers we would say: we sincerely crave your pardon for the space which we have given to the affair, which space we feel rightfully belongs to you; but we felt it our duty to expose this, as well as all other crimes and deviltry which may come under our notice, and thus rid our town of the stain and discredit which might have clung to it had we remained silent. Before closing however, Doc., as you have so kindly tendered us your advice, we feel it our duty as a gentleman to reciprocate, and so we will return the compliment: First, then, as you love your scalp, never go West, for we fear you will stretch hemp as sure as you do. They hang people out there for much less things than you have been guilty of. Secondly, give up your silly and bad habits, and turn your attention to the study of your profession; and lastly, pray earnestly to your maker and perhaps He will perform the miracle of making a decent man of you.

NEW GOODS, Just received by George W. Dithridge, Lawrence building, the following fresh and desirable goods: Small pickles in bulk, Fine French mustard at 10c and 15c, Horse Radish, Keystone Table Sauce, Celiflower, Celery Sauce, Mushroom Catsup, Tomato Catsup, 15c and 20c, Piccalilli, Mixed Pickles from 15c to 35c, dried Blackberries 10c qt, 20 bbls crackers, Oyster crackers 7c or 4 lbs 25c, Banner Baking Powder, Navy Beans, Royal Gem Syrup, Concentrated Lye, fresh Gunpowder and English Breakfast teas, Apple butter 10c lb, Currant and Grape jelly 10c Glass, Flour 4 kinds, Florence \$1.35 sack, Riverside, Red Ball and Magnolia, Hair brushes 25c to 50c, quart, pint and half pint flasks, nightlamps 20c each, Argand burners, white nest eggs 5c each, glass Shades for covering wax flowers - all sizes, Splints for picture frames 4 sizes,

Breakfast Bacon, Clear Bacon Sides, Hams, Shoulders, Lard, Mess Pork, Cooked Corn Beef. GEO. W. DITHRIDGE, Lawrence Building. -It always gives us pain to hear one cough on the street, in the house or at meetings of any kind. For this reason, as well as others, I have devoted time and study for years past to find a remedy that will alleviate and cure as far as possible, many of my fellows who are troubled with this grievous, wearing, tearing, wasting cough, and I think the Glycerole Cough Syrup reaches more cases of bad coughs and bronchial affections than any other remedy of its kind. Price 50 cts and \$1 per bottle. Prepared by E. K. Thompson, Titusville, Pa. Sold by G. W. Bovard, Tionesta, Pa. 2 ct.

GOODS FOR YOUNG AND OLD, Received by George W. Dithridge, for week ending March 29th: Jumping ropes 5c to 10c, Ash hoops from 5c to 20c, Iron hoops from 15c to 25c, Boys wheelbarrows, Tops 5c, Indestructible Doll heads 15c to \$1.25, Base Ball 20 to 45c, Bats 10 to 25c, Rubber balls 5 to 20c, Teething Rings, Checker Boards 10 to \$1.50, Checker men 15 to 25c, Playing Cards 25 to 40c, Toy books, Transparent Slates 10 to 20c, Sad Irons and Stands 5 to 20c, Pursees for silver 20 to 50c, Harmonicas from 5c to \$2.00, Jews Harps 5 to 25c, Violin Strings the very best 20c, 2500 Marbles plain and paneled Glass Agates 10 to 25c, Tiek watches 25c, Baskets 10 to 25c, Paints in boxes 10 to 75c.

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CAUTION, All persons are cautioned against Cutting Timber or otherwise trespassing upon the following piece of land: One hundred acres, Warrant No. 5129, situated in Jenks Township, Forest County Pa. 1 ct. THE OWNER.

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