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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE

No. 369.

I. O. O. F.

MEETS every Friday evening, at 7
o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Par-
tridge's Hall.

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

E. L. Davis,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, Tionesta, Pa.
Collection made in this and adjoining
counties.

TATE & VAN GIESEN,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Tionesta, Pa.

J. B. AGNEW,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
TIONESTA, PA.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS!
I have been admitted to practice as an
Attorney in the Pension Office at Wash-
ington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or
sailors who were injured in the late war,

F. W. HAYS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, AND NOTARY
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Block, Seneca St., Oil City, Pa.

TIONESTA HOUSE,
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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Rev. A. O. Stone will preach in
the M. E. Church next Sunday eve-
ning.

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

—L. R. Freeman Esq., of Franklin,
dropped in on us a few moments yester-
day morning.

—Frank Robbins, the Oil City
Photographer, does excellent work, at
remarkably low prices. 3-1t.

—The first note of the "peep-frog"
was heard the other evening. It was
hailed with joy, for in the frog there
is "spring."

—We noticed the portly form of
Mr. S. S. Holbrook, of Cincinnati,
upon our street yesterday. He was
looking, and we believe, feeling well.

—Our Borough Auditors, Messrs.
J. T. Brennan, P. M. Clark and F. E.
Mabie, are at work settling up the
accounts of the borough for the year
1878.

—To-day is the anniversary of the
surrender of Lee. The event was duly
celebrated in this place, at the time,
and will be remembered by nearly
every citizen of Tionesta.

—Miss Minnie McCurdy, who has
been engaged teaching school in this
county during the winter, departed on
Monday for her home in Cooperstown,
Venango Co.

—The Edensburg Daily Herald has
suspended, hereafter a weekly will be
issued from that office. The poor
health of the editor is the principle
cause of this important change.

—A letter from Whig Hill reached
us this morning, and we are sorry to
say it was too late for insertion. Hope
our correspondents will try and get
their communications in a little earlier.

—A veritable worm Doctor was in
town last week, and from the amount
of slippery elm bark used by some of
the denizens of the town we judge some
of our people are a little "wormy."

—Prof. Walker has broken up
housekeeping and has shipped his
goods to Brookville, his former place
of abode. The Professor will leave
for that place with his family as soon
as his school closes.

—Prepare yourselves to digest the
usual amount of hard-boiled eggs next
Sunday. There will probably be no
lack of hen fruit, judging from the
amount we see adorning the counters
of our grocery stores.

—Ben. Caldwell, after wasting sev-
eral pounds of ammunition, killed a
loon in the river on Saturday which
weighed twenty pounds. Ben estimates
that the loon dodged about five
hundred balls before any took effect.

—Mr. H. H. Keeler is sojourning
among friends in this community for
a few weeks. Mr. K. is engaged in
business at Bradford. Being considera-
ble of a sportsman he proposes to angle
a few of the speckled beauties while
here.

—Miss S. A. Dale, has our thanks
for a very handsome bouquet of fresh
flowers, plucked from her own taste-
fully arranged arbor. Miss Dale is to
be congratulated on her success when
she can raise flowers so early as this
in the open air.

—Mr. Henderson, the barber, has
moved his family to town and occu-
pies the building opposite Prof. Brock-
way's late residence. Mr. H. is a
first-class barber, and we hope our citi-
zens will extend to him their patron-
age, and thus encourage him to stay.

—We understand that Mr. Pat.
Joyce has purchased the unfinished
building just above Mr. Richards' res-
idence, and will complete it as soon as
the weather will permit. Pat. is one
of our best citizens, and we are glad
to learn he has concluded to become
a property owner in our town.

—Mr. A. N. Squires, of Tidioute,
will be at the Central House, in Tio-
nosta, to-morrow, (Thursday), with a
large lot of samples from Wanamaker
& Co. Any one wanting a first-class
suit of clothes, neatly made to order,
should call on Mr. Squires. Satisfac-
tion guaranteed. 3-1t.

—Mr. R. M. Foreman, who is stop-
ping at Bradford, has been in town for
a day or two. Harvey's many friends
will be agreeably surprised to learn
of his having lately taken unto him-
self a wife, which important event
took place in January last. You and
yours have our heartiest congratula-
tions, Harvey, and may your journey
through life be ever pleasant and pros-
perous.

THE PROOF.

We did state last week that we
were through with the "National" "lifting,"
and that we would have no more to
say to him regarding his infamous
piece of Molly Maguirism; but we
didn't say that we couldn't have any
more to say. However, we would have
let it drop there, had he been smart
enough to have let well enough alone.
But when he becomes so utterly devoid
of all decency, honor, and common
manhood as to lie his very soul to per-
dition, as he has in his last issue, and
expect an honest man to keep his
mouth shut about it, he shows to the
public that he is a much bigger fool,
if possible, than liar. It is true what
we stated about his boy "letting the cat
out of the bag," however we merely
threw that out to bait him, and the
poor devil gulped it down like a
hungry hound. He thought that was
the only information we had of his
piece of deviltry, and as he could
whip the boy into submission, all he
had to do was to add more stain to his
character by villainously lying himself
out of it.

We might have overlooked all this
even, but when he challenges us and
defies us to prove our assertions correct,
there is but one alternative, and that
is to furnish the proof. We wish
simply to quote one little sentence,
which appears in his last article, and
let our readers and the public judge
for themselves who is the liar: "We
emphatically deny the truth of his
charges, and we have as yet found no
positive proof who did the dirty work."
And now we give him the proof which
he seems to be so anxious to have us
furnish, and how he is going to lie
himself out now is beyond our compre-
hension. Read the following:

TIONESTA PA., April 5, 1879.
ED. REPUBLICAN:—

There having been
considerable agitation among our citi-
zens, and particularly between the
newspapers of this place as to who did
the marking of people's buildings on
the night of March 19th 1879, and
having a full knowledge of the entire
affair, I wish to state that W. C. Co-
burn, editor of the "Forest National,"
made the "Coffin Cut," (which ap-
peared in his paper of March 21st
1879.) previous to the night on which
the marking was done; that two
shingles were made, coffin-shaped,
around which the marks were made
on the buildings; that W. C. Coburn
made one of the shingles; that he (Co-
burn) gave the young man whom he
has in his employ as printer, a list of
the buildings which he wanted marked
in the lower end of town, on the night
in question; that I put the marks on
Coburn's own office door, and calling
his attention to it, he pronounced it a
good job. And lastly, that W. C. Co-
burn had full knowledge of the entire
affair from beginning to end.

C. M. SHAWKEY.

It would be just like the illustrious
liar to now open his batteries on Mr.
Shawkey, but we would advise him
not to. He was warned by Mr. Shaw-
key not to deny the charge, but he did
not heed the warning, and so the
young man deemed it his duty to come
out and make a clean breast of the
matter, and he has shown his manhood
in doing so. If the worthy pill-peddler
knows when he is well off he will have
nothing to say about Mr. Shawkey's
course in this matter, as the young
man knows of certain other schemes
which he proposed to perpetrate on
the innocent people of Tionesta, pro-
vided this one worked to suit him.

Wonder if this stultified cur thinks
now that we have "not a particle of
proof to sustain our charges."

Dutch Hill Notes.

DUTCH HILL, April 5, 1879.
ED. REPUBLICAN:—

Again we have
sleighting, which make our farmers
hang their lower lips like a motherless
colt in a penny-royal pasture, as some
of them are about out of feed; if winter
hangs on much longer there will be
plenty of poor beef lying around.

We noticed a couple of T. D. Collins
teams pass over the hill moving
some of his men over to Fox creek.

By the way, we were over there about
a week ago and should judge by the
amount of snow there, that they could
take a sleigh ride the fourth of July.

We will try and let the readers of
your paper hear from this part of the
county quite often this summer, and
perhaps from other parts, as we expect
to travel as an agent, and of course
will see every body, and perhaps more.

JACK.

—If you want a perfect and hand-
somerly-finished picture, call on Frank
Robbins, when in Oil City. 3-1t.

Letter from Hon. N. P. Wheeler.

HARRISBURG PA., April 5, 1879.
ED. REPUBLICAN:—

It being represented
to me that some of our citizens are de-
sirous I should support the "Pittsburgh
Riot Bill," I have thought it might be
best to define my position, with some
of the reasons. The bill, in substance,
provides for the appointment of three
commissioners by the Governor to de-
termine and settle the amount of the
loss caused by the Railroad Riots of
1877 throughout the State, and appro-
priating \$4,000,000 for its payment.
Also, that any county made liable for
losses by riots should pay 25 per cent
of the losses. In our State, Philadel-
phia Co., in 1841 and Allegheny Co.,
in 1849, by petition of her principal
business citizens, which petitions are
still preserved, were made liable by
special law. In all other counties the
loss from riots failing to be recovered
from those destroying the property
would fall upon the individual losers.
Neither of these counties desire to have
the law repealed. In several States
counties are made liable for loss by
riots. In other States, cities and towns,
but never the State. The reason is
plain: Establish the precedent that
losses will be paid by the State and
there is no inducement for those living
where the riot occurs to attempt to
quell it in the beginning, when it can
generally be controlled. Make the
State liable and you place a premium
on crime, for no one would risk life or
limb to prevent the destruction of
property then. Now where does the
responsibility of these riot damages
rest? Judge Agnew, Representative
Fauce, and other eminent authority
claim the county of Allegheny is not
liable. It is more certain the State is
not. The destruction fell mainly upon
the R. R. Co. We are asked out of
sympathy for Allegheny county to
help the county a little, and the Penn'a
Rail Road Co., a great deal. This
same corporation, which had for years
so discriminated against Pittsburgh
when her trouble came she had
no friends there to help protect her
property.

I have opposed and do oppose estab-
lishing such a dangerous precedent,
and giving \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000
to a soulless corporation, which still
refuses to accept the provisions of the
New Constitution. When she does
accept these provisions, which would
require her to go far toward carrying
out the very anti-discrimination that
we so much need, it will then be ample
time to confess judgment in her favor.
In doing so I have believed that I was
truly representing the wishes of my
constituents.

N. P. WHEELER.

—The rafts which started from this
place last week, were caught in the
storm at Oil City, and were compelled
to tie up. After the storm had abated
the water had fallen so that it was im-
possible for them to get away. The
men have nearly all returned leaving
the rafts about twenty in number, tied
up in the eddy at that place. There
being about 300 raftsmen in Oil City
at one time, it gave the place quite
a lively appearance while they
staid.

—Miss Lilly Hilands, with whom
nearly all our Tionesta citizens are ac-
quainted, was married, April 2d, to
Mr. W. H. James, of Fredonia, N. Y.
Mr. James, we understand, is a very
estimable gentleman, and Miss Lilly's
many friends in this place will be
pleased to congratulate her, and hear
of her complete happiness in life. The
young couple expect to take up their
abode in the West shortly. May suc-
cess attend them.

—We might have known that the
Derrick, with its usual enterprise,
would come out with the first big
trout story of the season. Last week
it told a snake story which knocked
the noise out of anything that might
be said about snakes in the future, and
now it comes to the front with a well
it tells about a man having caught a
trout which measured twenty inches
in length, and weighed seven pounds!

That's all.

—The cheapest and best clothes,
made by Morris, in Oil City Pa., op-
posite P. O. 50tf.

Rev. Elliot preached his first

sermon here last Sunday, since his
removal to Sugar Grove. He called
upon us Monday morning, and says
his family is well pleased with their
new quarters, having become pleas-
antly settled in a nice home. He
reports Rev. Allen and family, for-
merly of this place, in good health and
spirits.

—Baldwin's Railway Guide and
Buffalo Business Index, is again
around, and as usual is replete with
interesting matter which is indispen-
sible to travelers in and around the
oil regions. We would about as soon
have the Guide as an accident insur-
ance ticket. W. S. Baldwin, Publish-
er, 15 Exchange St., Buffalo, N. Y.
Price 10 cents per copy.

NEW GOODS.

Just received by George W. Dith-
ridge, Lawrence building, the follow-
ing fresh and desirable goods: Small
pickles in bulk, Fine French mustard
at 10c and 15c, Horse Radish, Key-
stone Table Sauce, Cauliflower, Celery
Sauce, Mushroom Catsup, Tomato
Catsup, 15c and 20c, Piccalilli, Mixed
Pickles from 15c to 85c, dried Black-
berries 10c qt, 20 bbls crackers, Oys-
ter 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 15c
Quart, pint and half pint flasks,
night lamps 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 devo-
ted 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, Tit-
usville, Pa.

Sold by G. W. Boyard, Tionesta,
Pa. 2 2t.

—Large and Small Clover Seed
Timothy Seed, and Ladreth's Garden
Seeds at

52 3. ROBINSON & BONNER'S.

CAUTION.

All persons are cautioned against
Cutting Timber or otherwise trespass-
ing upon the following piece of land:
One hundred acres, Warrant No. 5129,
situated in Jenks Township, Forest
County Pa.

THE OWNER.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY TUESDAY,
By Robinson & Bonner, Dealers in
General Merchandise.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Flour, Corn Meal, Chop feed, Rye, Oats, Beans, Ham, Breakfast Bacon, Shoulders, Whitefish, Lake herring, Sugar, Syrup, N. O. Molasses, Roast Rio Coffee, Rio Coffee, Java Coffee, Tea, Butter, Rice, Eggs, Salt, Lard, Iron, Nails, Potatoes, Lime, Dried Apples, Dried Beef, Dried Peaches.

Always the Best.

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This Standard American Powder is used and endorsed by thousands of the very best
bakers throughout the country. Each can contains a small tin measure to use in and
to avoid any mistakes and is utterly impossible.

The BANNER is sold by Grocers in Quarters, Halves, Pounds and Five Pound Tins.