

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 18, 1879.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—N. S. FOREMAN.
Councilmen—J. B. Hood, F. E. Mable,
H. O. Davis, L. Agnew, M. Einstein,
T. S. Knox,
Justice of the Peace—J. T. Brennan,
T. S. Knox.
Constable—W. A. HILANDS.
School Directors—H. H. May, H. O. Davis,
D. W. Clark, W. R. Dunn, A. B. Kelly,
J. T. Brennan.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—HARRY WHITE.
Assembly—N. P. WHEELER.
President Judge—L. D. WETMORE.
Associate Judge—JOS. G. DALE, EDWARD KERR.
Treasurer—WM. LAWRENCE.
Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c.—BETH SHERK.
Sheriff—G. A. RANDALL.
Commissioners—ELI BERLIN, ISAAC LONG, H. W. LEBREKUN.
County Superintendent—H. S. BROCKWAY.
District Attorney—S. D. IRWIN.
Jury Commissioners—C. H. Church.
School Surveyor—T. D. COLLINS.
Covener—W. C. COVENS.
County Auditors—NICHOLAS THOMPSON, D. F. COPELAND, F. C. LACY.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE
No. 369,
I. O. O. F.
MEETS every Friday evening, at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Partridge's Hall.
T. J. VANGIESEN, N. G.
G. W. SAWYER, Sec'y.

E. L. Davis,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, Tionesta, Pa.
Collections made in this and adjoining counties. 46-ly

TATE & VAN GIESEN,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Elm Street, 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 Washington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or sailors who were injured in the late war, can obtain pensions to which they may be entitled, by calling on or addressing me at Tionesta, Pa. Also, claims for arrears of pay and bounty will receive prompt attention.
Having been over four years a soldier in the late war, and having for a number of years engaged in the prosecution of soldiers' claims, my experience will assure the collection of claims in the shortest possible time.
J. B. AGNEW, 411.

F. W. Hays,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and NOTARY PUBLIC, Reynolds Hill & Co.'s Block, Seneca St., Oil City, Pa. 39-ly

LAWRENCE HOUSE,
TIONESTA, PENN'A., WM. LAWRENCE, PROPRIETOR. This house is centrally located. Everything new and well furnished. Superior accommodations and strict attention given to guests. Vegetables and Fruits of all kinds served in their season. Sample room for Commercial Agents.

CENTRAL HOUSE,
BONNER & AGNEW BLOCK. L. AGNEW, PROPRIETOR. This is a new house, and has just been fitted up for the accommodation of the public. A portion of the patronage of the public is solicited. 46-ly

J. E. BLAINE, M. D.,
TIONESTA, PA.
OFFICE HOURS: 7 to 9 A. M., 7 to 9 P. M., Wednesdays and Saturdays from 11 A. M. to 3 P. M.

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SINGER MANUFACTURING CO.,

Branch Office at
Carson's Jewelry Store,
TIONESTA, PA.
Needles, Oil, and Sewing Machine attachments constantly on hand.
ap30 CHARLES RESNER, Manager.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Rev. A. O. Stone will preach in the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.
M. E. Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m., and Presbyterian Sunday School at 3 o'clock p. m.
—Morris, the Tailor, will be in town to-morrow.
—Wild strawberries are ripe, but as yet none have appeared in market.
—A horse belonging to Mr. S. S. Canfield died Sunday evening. Jas. Gear was driving the team.
—Who will be the first to get up an excursion to Chautauqua, Niagara, or some other favorite resort.
—Maj. Newton, visited a few days in town during the week, the guest of his son-in-law, Mr. Erickson.
—The Odd Fellows have recently placed a large and handsome clock in their hall. It was put up the Carson Bros. of this place.

—We received a very spicy letter from Stewart's Run, too late, we are sorry to say, for this issue, but it will keep until our next.
—Our base ballists are trying themselves up to give the Tylersburg boys a racket before long. A challenge will be sent in soon by the Tylersburgers.
—By reference to the proper place it will be seen that Mr. Wm. Tobey, of Kingsley township, is announced as a Democratic candidate for Associate Judge.

—Mr. Craig, father of our gentlemanly station agent, Mr. J. L. Craig, and of Mrs. D. W. Agnew, is visiting in town at present. Mr. C.'s step-daughter, a sister of Mr. Rob. Herman, accompanies him.
—Geo. Mathe raised a new barn, 40x48, on Dutch Hill, last Thursday. At the present rate it will not be long before all our Dutch Hill farmers will be supplied with substantial and commodious barns.

—Some of the boys visited Zip Guiton's rattle snake den last Sunday, but didn't have very good success, only capturing one snake. Zip thinks it's a mean trick to thus intrude on his private property.
—Rev. Elliot announced last Sunday that Communion Services would be held at the Presbyterian Church one week from next Sunday morning. Preparatory services the Saturday evening previous, at half past seven o'clock.

—Mrs. W. R. Dunn departs to-day for Fergus Falls, Minn., where she will rejoice her husband. Mrs. Dunn's many lady friends in this place will miss her very much, and wish her joy in her new far-off home. May she have a safe and pleasant journey.
—Don't forget the dance at the Lawrence House on the Fourth. McCray's band has been engaged, which is a sufficient guarantee that there will be nothing lacking in the musical line. The invitations will be out in a day or two.

—We wish to warn those parties who go bathing in the river, early in the evening, that they are in danger of being seen. While they may think themselves far enough away as to be invisible to the naked eye, yet some of the girls have spy-glasses.
—Will Smearbaugh succeeded in catching 87 trout out of Tubbs Run, one day last week, the best score we have heard of in this immediate vicinity for some time. Tubbs Run has probably yielded more trout in its time than any stream in the country of similar size.

—The fishing party which went up on Salmon last week, consisting of Hon. L. F. Watson, E. L. Davis and L. R. Freeman, Esqs., returned, after a three day's expedition, having caught, as they say, all the trout they could eat, and had hosts of fun,—say about two funs to one trout.
—Those who stopped and looked over into the water between the two middle piers of the river bridge, last Saturday afternoon saw a tempting sight. The bottom of the river was literally black with bass, salmon and suckers,—we never saw the like before in this river,—but they wouldn't bite.

—The Titosville Morning Herald celebrated its fifteenth birth-day last Monday morning by a neat new dress, which is very becoming. The Herald is rapidly growing in public favor, and its circulation is steadily increasing notwithstanding the hard times. May it live to celebrate its one-hundredth birth-day.

—During the week Mr. Wm. Felton brought to town a geological specimen, which attracted considerable attention. It was a fine specimen, being about 2 feet long, and 4 or 5 inches in diameter,—the same being a matter of geological interest. Being desirous to investigate, we called the attention of one of our geologists who pronounced it a petrification of the palm tree. The specimen in question, was a good one, as it represented that portion of the tree, where there was a lateral branch from the main trunk. Our informant says, the indentations all clearly mark the tree as defined by Dana, Slemmons and other eminent geologists, and that the same belongs to the carboniferous period, when this became fossilized. In Pinegrove township, Venango Co., about ten miles south of this place, many specimens of the fossil palm abound. The theory plainly is that at a warmer period the palm tree (the same as is found on the plains of Arabia to-day) flourished here, and that its record is in the petrifications we find to-day.

—We are sorry to state that the condition of our old citizen Daniel Huddleson, who has been suffering for several months with that loathsome disease known as "dry gangrene," is growing worse each day. He was taken down about the middle of February last, and has been a constant sufferer ever since. The disease broke out on his feet and has been gradually tending upward until it has reached his body, which is breaking out in different places. The flesh has been eaten off in many places about his feet and limbs until the bones are left bare. It is hard to imagine what the old gentleman must suffer, and nothing but death can relieve him.

—An itinerant rope-walker and trapeze-performer, calling himself Prof. LaVee,—but for all we know it might be Jones or Smith,—struck this place last Saturday. He stretched his rope across the street from the Lawrence House to Mr. Dithridge's store, and at 7 o'clock p. m., made his appearance. Quite a crowd had gathered to witness the performance. After throwing a few "flip-flaps" on the trapeze he announced that he would come down and take up his accustomed collection, after which he would perform the wonderful feat of walking both under and on top of the rope, which he did. Loops were arranged under the rope in which he caught his feet on which hooks were fastened to keep them from slipping out; in this way he worked himself across the street. The show was worth all that it cost any individual, as we believe none gave more than ten cents.

—Rev. A. O. Stone met with a severe accident at East Hickory last Sunday evening. While on his way home from the Church, the night being dark, he stepped off the bridge which spans Hickory creek in front of Bowman's store, falling a distance of about ten feet on the rocks below, causing a severe fracture of the left fore-arm. Dr. Blaine was called and reduced the fracture, and left the reverend gentleman in good spirits. He says his congregations will be obliged to put up with some single-handed sermons for a while.

—Charlie Hill informs us that oil operations will be commenced at his place, 3 miles up the river, within a week or ten days. Messrs. G. M. Kepler & Co., of Butler county, have obtained leases sufficient to justify them in giving the territory up there a thorough test, and they will proceed to do so at once. We believe they are to have the first well completed within six weeks, or thereabouts. Our readers will be kept posted regarding operations in that section.

—The citizens all along the line of the P. T. & B. R. R., from Irvinton around to Curry, and wherever Mr. C. J. Hepburn was known will sincerely regret to learn that he has tendered his resignation as General Superintendent of that road. Mr. Hepburn has been, during his long term of service, a most faithful, efficient and popular officer, and we hope he may be induced to remain with the road. The Company cannot well spare such an officer as Mr. Hepburn.

—Curling Irons and Hair Crimpers left in the shade by the U. S. Hair Curling Compound. This compound is a beautiful hair dressing and will curl the hair as soon as applied. Per package 50 cents, or a sample package 10 cents. Try a sample package and test its merits. But one sample package will be sent to the same person. Good clean 1 and 3 cent postage stamps taken. Sold only by the U. S. Compound Co., Box 43 Litchfield, Illinois.

—The new school board of this borough met on Monday evening last, and organized for the ensuing year. The first thing done was the election of C. A. Randall to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. R. Dunn. J. T. Brennan was elected President; D. W. Clark, Secretary, and A. B. Kelly, Treasurer. The levy for school purposes was put at 6 mills. It was decided to have 8 months of school, commencing on the first Monday of September. It was also decided to have three schools. This action on the part of the board will, without doubt, meet the approbation of our citizens. The schools last fall and winter were entirely too crowded.

Fourth of July.

We are requested to announce that there will be a meeting of the citizens of Tionesta at the office of E. L. Davis Esq., to-morrow (Thursday) evening, at half past seven o'clock, to consider the matter of a celebration on the coming Fourth of July. Neighboring towns generally are making great preparations for the celebration of the Fourth, and we see no reason why Tionesta should not. The expense is comparatively nothing, and by all working in unison a rousing time and successful celebration can be had. Let all our citizens be on hand to-morrow evening, and vote for an old-fashioned blow-out.

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—Jake Stitzinger tells us about a candidate coming out in his section, and calling at a neighbors and finding no one at the house, walked into a cornfield where he saw a man, as he supposed. Going up to him he briefly stated his business, at the same time taking from his pocket a bundle of tickets, which he hoped his friend would use, and do all he could for him. After talking about the crops, frosts, etc., for a short time, and finding his companion a little indisposed to converse with him, the candidate extended his hand to bid him good-day, when, lo! he had been wasting all this time on a well-designed scare-crow!

—There will be a glass ball shoot in Tionesta on the Fourth of July. Parties from Pleasantville will come over, bringing with them a trap and a supply of balls sufficient to last all day. The sport will be comparatively inexpensive, the balls costing but two cents each, and no doubt all our local shootists will take a hand, and we expect they will carry off some of the prizes.

—Mr. H. Morris, the popular Tailor, will be in Tionesta on June 19th, with a full line of new samples. All those in want of suits for the 4th of July will do well to wait. Goods made lower than any Tailor in the State, and satisfaction guaranteed. 12-2t.

Dutch Hill Notes.

DUTCH HILL, June 13, 1879.
W. B. Heath, having cleared about two acres of new ground this spring, will raise some buckwheat therefrom this fall.
Gertie, Emma and Otis Baskin are on a visit to friends in this section at present.
A party went fishing from here a day or two ago, but soon returned, having met with the usual fisherman's luck.
Pitching quoits is the favorite pastime here now.
Mr. E. E. Zuendell will teach the Church Hill school this summer.
The young folks had quite a nice dance at Mr. Lovel's last Tuesday night.
All the young ladies about here wish Mr. Geo. Osgood much joy in his newly wedded life. JACK.

OIL CITY, PA., June 11, 1879.
NOTICE—To all whom it may concern.—Mrs. Wilson, of Oil City, having left our employ, is no longer authorized to collect or receive money for the sale of Singer Sewing Machines. THE SINGER MANUF'G CO., per PERSE EVERELL Manager.

—The most noble and majestic of all created things under the sun is man; and why should he go bowed down with pain and grief a great sufferer when there is a never failing remedy. Barosma, Bucha, Backache, Liver and Kidney Cure has relieved thousands of sufferers from liver and kidney diseases; female weakness, gravel and diseases caused by derangement of the above named organs.
Compounded only by E. K. Thompson, wholesale druggist, Titosville Pa. For sale by dealers in medicines.
Sold by G. W. Bovard, Tionesta, Pa. 12 2t.

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The announcement that a new edition of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary has just been published, containing many new and valuable features, suggests the thought that buying a Dictionary is a good deal like buying an egg or watch: a bad one is not cheap at any price. Webster being the standard authority for the English language, he naturally has many imitators, but imitators are usually held at their true worth by the public,—who wants a wooden nutmeg, though it may look ever so much like the genuine article? The popularity of Webster is based upon this principle.
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Amid the clamor and clash of political and sectional strife and the excitement engendered thereby, we are apt to neglect matters often of the most momentous nature. New doctrines must be tested, sifted, and discarded or approved as the case may be, and men in the struggle for political aggrandizement lose sight of those educational interests upon which the perpetuity and enlightenment of the government depends, and which they by their carelessness render abortive. But neither Republicans, Democrats nor Greenbackers can afford to ruthlessly turn the disfavoring countenance upon the solid rock of education, upon which alone all permanent foundations must rest, and all doctrines, all platforms, should tend to solidify all strength, to the perfection of free government of the people and by the people. Our schools must not be neglected; our educational interests must be kept alive and bright. The Grecians, so long as they were guided by enlightenment, a love of truth, justice and morality, flourished; but when ignorance and Persian gold crept into the assemblies of Grecian law-makers, her fall was as astonishing as her rise. There is an astonishing similitude between the government to-day and the Grecian government when it first became a prey to venality and corruption. But let us not be discouraged if ominous signs darken our horizon; let us as teachers improve the talent that God has given us, that it may be said to each "Well done thou good and faithful servant." What we want is a thorough, earnest awakening upon the part of teachers and school officers,—an earnest effort to improve the children in the districts where we teach or have charge; inculcate a love and desire for learning; make the school hours interesting, by explaining and talking about the recitations and telling historical stories, and then you will not have to use the rod so often. Get the parents out if you can, which signifies a good deal, but can invent some way to keep the interest up, and by so doing you will faithfully even and merit the appellation of benefactors.

Notice.

is hereby given that the undersigned has bought the following property of George K. Braden, of Barnett Township, Forest County, Pa., and have left the same in his possession. I hereby forbid any person or persons interfering with the same: Two Brown Horses, 1 Bay Mare, 1 pair Bob-Sleds, 1 set harness, 1 Threshing Machine, 1 Sleigh, 1 Windmill, 1 Sewing Machine, 1 Cooking Stove and Cooking utensils, 3 Beds and bedding, 4 hogs. ABRAHAM R. BRADEN.

EDWARD REID,
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DAVID MILLER, Auditors.
Dated Brookston, Pa., April 14, 1879.

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Estate Notice.

Estate of Mary Dale, Deceased, late of Tionesta Township, Forest County, Pa. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having legal claims against the same will present them without delay in proper order for settlement to
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MARRIED.

BOWER-STITZINGER.—June 5th, 1879, at the Lutheran parsonage in Fryburg, Pa., by Rev. J. R. Bricker, Mr. John J. Bower, near Fryburg, and Miss Dorothy E. Stitzinger, of Tionesta township, Forest county.

Howe Twp. Auditors' Report.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS OF HOWE TOWNSHIP in account with M. M. Seybolt, Township Treasurer.
May 22, 1878, by cash from Co. Treasury in payment of County Order No. 1,000,000, \$39.05
May 22, '79, by Co. Order No. 1 to 89 inclusive, dated May 20, '78 received from Co. Comrs., 1,362.12
Aug. 17, '78, cash, tax of J. B. Allen 70
tax of Margaret Crawford 1.50
Aug. 23, '78, by cash from County Commissioners, 200.00
Jan. 23, '79, by cash from S. D. Irwin, Atty's Big Level Road, 1.00
Apr. 10, '79, by County order from Co. Commissioners, 100.00
1,803.88

CONTRA. \$1.00
To Road Orders paid, \$1,703.88
Apr. 14, to cash on hand, 1.00
\$1,704.88

Apr. 14, '79, by cash on hand, \$1.00

We, the undersigned Auditors of Howe Township, having examined the account of the Treasurer of Howe Township find the same to be correct.
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