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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.
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 Tionesta, June 24, 1879.

SUBSCRIBE for the Forest Republican It will pay.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Rev. Elliot will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, morning and evening.
 Free Methodist preaching in the Universalist Church next Sunday evening.

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

—The County Commissioners are in session to-day.

—S. D. Irwin, Esq., is digging a water well on his premises.

—Jim Sillwood, the barber, was in town the other day. He's the same old Jim.

—Mr. J. T. Dale left for Troutman yesterday, but whether to stay long or not he could not say.

—Nothing of general interest to our readers was transacted at the adjourned court held here last Friday.

—Sheriff Randall publishes quite a "card" in our paper this week. It commences: "By virtue" &c.

—If you are not Registered, see to it at once that your name is on the list. To-morrow is the last day.

—Margaret Hans, aged 84 years, and partially deaf, was killed by a switch engine at St. Marys last week.

—The Tylersburg boys scooped the Clarion base ballists on Saturday last, to the tune of 10 to 4. Good game, that.

—You can now kill squirrels,—that is to say, it is lawful now to kill squirrels,—if you can find the squirrels.

—Genesse Valley Clawson Seed Wheat for sale at Oiltown. Samples of this wheat can be seen at the Bank, Tionesta, Pa. 23 St.

—A rousing camp meeting is in progress in South Oil City at present. Large numbers of people have been attending.

—Mr. A. Holman, of the popular firm of Holman & Hopkins, Pleasantville, dropped in to see us one day last week.

—This being September, or a month with an "r" in it, why of course oysters "r" in season. For our part we'll wait awhile before indulging our appetite.

—Last Thursday afternoon from two o'clock till a quarter after, the croquet ground opposite our office was entirely unoccupied! Boys don't let that happen again.

—The Wesleyan Methodist congregation of Stewart's Run held a grove meeting last Sabbath, which we understand was quite well attended and enjoyed by all who were present.

—Mr. Wm. Helm of Tidioute paid us a pleasant call yesterday morning. Mr. H. is largely interested in Forest County lands, and is obliged to come down and "see about 'em" occasionally.

—Miss Maggie Cogan, who has been spending her vacation in Tionesta, returned to her school at Indus, Pa., on Monday morning. The Fall term of this school begins on the 8th inst.

—A sort of "Prairie Schooner" passed through town this morning, and from the appearance of heads peeping out from under the canvas we were led to believe that the old woman who lived in the shoe was moving.

—Some States have the open season for all kinds of game to commence with September 1st, and close with January 1st. Pennsylvania could not do a more sensible thing.—*Clearfield Journal.* That's so.

—The drill was started in Geo. Hunter's new well last Saturday noon, and with no accidents the well will be finished in about 10 days. Geo. expects to strike heavy oil between 200 and 300 feet.

—"Hark" Wentworth is still making improvements on his new farm on the Tylersburg road. He is now "kicking" down a water well, on the old spring-pole fashion. Nothing short of water or China will stop him.

—The iron for lining the prisoners' cells has arrived and is being put on. When the work is finished and the prisoners are properly caged therein it will doubtless effectually check their persistent efforts to burn their way out.

—A wrestling match came off between Geo. Kerr, catcher of the Tylersburg B. B. C., and Gus Hiding-ers of Lacy's Mills, last Saturday, for \$20 a side. We are informed Kerr won three falls out of five. They wrestled "side-hold."

—For awhile back we have had numerous calls from townships collectors for blank tax receipts. We have just printed a lot of these receipts, and all who need them can call at our office, or send by mail if it is not convenient to call.

—The closing exercises of Reid Institute took place on the 28 and 29th ult. This Institute, situated at Reidsburg, Clarion County, Pa., is becoming very popular as an institution of learning under the management of Prof. Jno. B. Solomon.

—Our borough is just now in a sad state of affairs. The town council undertook to meet Monday evening but their efforts were in vain, only 3 members besides the burgess being present, which did not constitute a quorum. They may "make the rifle" yet if they persevere.

—One of the pleasantest little parties of the season took place at the Central House last Saturday night. About 40 of the little folks were present, and for real solid, unalloyed pleasure it took the lead of anything of the kind that has taken place for a long time in town.

—Mr. Jay W. Wafel, of Cleveland, Ohio, has been in town for some time past, taking orders for a new style of portraits painted in oil. He has taken a large number of orders and as he guarantees satisfaction or no pay we don't see how parties can lose anything by giving him their work. His samples are very fine.

—The new two cent postal card will soon be in general circulation. It has two stamps—one at each end and space for two messages. The sender writes his message on one half, the return correspondent his answer on the other. In a great many departments of business the new card will no doubt come in very handily.

—We publish elsewhere in this issue a communication correcting some of our statements regarding that Lickingville affair published last week. It seems we were misinformed on one or two points in the premises, and we cheerfully give room for corrections. If we made any misstatements, we'll take 'em all back.

—Mr. A. B. Kelly has discovered a vein of limestone near Oldtown of about 3 feet in thickness. The outcropping, or tail, is a very fair specimen of limestone for a fertilizer, and from an old experienced miner we learn that the vein will be much better as it goes into the hill. Mr. Kelly intends to have it thoroughly opened and tested at once. The value of a good limestone quarry in this locality could hardly be appreciated, as all farmers agree that with lime our lands are as good for farming purposes as any in the State.

—Professor Ashburner and his assistant, Prof. Shafer, on the State Geological survey visited this locality last week, getting specimens of rock and also taking the elevations of our hills. They were more particularly engaged to look for coal, but have not much faith in our county ever producing much commercial coal. The hill back of Hunter's mill was found to be 540 feet higher than the R. R. track. The spring on Dutch Hill road was 315 feet higher; Summit of hill on Proper farm 560; At Kisers, 595 feet, and W. B. Heath's was 680. Tubbs run hill on the Cropp road was 610 feet.

—This season has been very prolific of mineral springs and summer resorts, and the number of new discoveries in this line ought to inspire new hope in the soul of the invalid or pleasure-seeker. There is hardly a town within a radius of 50 miles of us but has a mineral spring possessing wonderful medicinal properties, and is blown shy-high by the citizens and newspapers. This being the case there is no good reason why Tionesta should not come in for her share of the fun; we have the spring good enough, if we only had the enterprise to develop it. It is situated about a half mile up the Dutch Hill road, just above the watering trough, and is very strongly impregnated with iron; so strong, in fact, that a small draught of it would make an invalid feel entirely different, whatever that may be. Now let some enterprising genius gobble up the ground surrounding this fountain of youth, fence it in, establish a line of hacks (wheelbarrows will answer) from the depot and principle hotels, and develop a resort as is a resort. The undertaking would doubtless prove remunerative to the undertaker.

—Two weeks ago we noticed the marriage of Miss Nellie Brett to Mr. Will Page, of Olean, N. Y., at the Kent House, Chautauqua Lake. We now learn from the Olean Times that it is not the case, the report having been started from the fact of the couple having accompanied a party from Olean to Chautauqua on a pleasure trip, and the Bradford Era having been informed by some one that the event had taken place published it as a fact. Other papers copied the item, and we found it in the Titusville Herald.

—Five prisoners, namely R. H. Henderson, John Sheridan, Frank Sherwood, Geo. Warden and Chas. Russell, escaped from the Meadville jail on Tuesday evening of last week. The escape was made by taking a stone from the wall of the building and swinging to the ground by a rope made from bed clothing. This is only one among many escapes that have been effected in the same way, and the consequence is the jail is severely condemned by the citizens.

—Our borough schools opened on Monday with a very large attendance, the largest, in fact, for several years, there being upward of a hundred scholars. The outlook for a successful term is very good, the teachers all being experienced hands at the business, and will do their best to merit the praise of our citizens. It is to be hoped the parents and directors will visit the schools often, and thereby encourage and assist the teachers in their work.

—In the Howe murder case which was to be tried at Franklin last week, the prisoner Robinson Howe, was released on bail, and the case was continued until the November term. Jake Saltgivar, who was arrested with Howe on the charge of murder, but was afterwards discharged and held as a witness, returned to his home about two miles from this place last week. He thinks Howe will be cleared.

—"Observer" writes us a good letter from Marienville, but fails to sign his real name. Great Guns! Observer, why under the sun didn't you put down your autograph. We should have gladly inserted your epistle, as its so seldom we hear from your section, but it's no use; we must know who you are. Write again, but sign your name, not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

—The new tin roof of the Court House was completed, painting and all, last Saturday. Messrs. Jamieson & Pickett, of Warren were the contractors, and competent judges pronounce the job a first-class one. It is substantial as well as ornamental, and will undoubtedly last as long as the building itself, if treated to an occasional coat of paint.

Heavy Oil in Forest County.

The Foxburg Gazette has this to say in regard to Forest County:

From best information had, the well struck at Balltown, on Tionesta Creek, a few weeks since, is yielding from four to five barrels per day. This amount would look insignificant were it not associated with the fact that the oil produced is so heavy as to be the heaviest lubricating oil ever struck in the Pennsylvania oil field. It is said to be equal in value to the Mecca, Ohio, oil, which sells readily at from nine to ten dollars per barrel.

The benefits that would ensue to Forest county from the development of an extensive field of this kind of oil is great. By means of it an extension of the Foxburg, St. Petersburg & Clarion railroad could be built, and that section of country be opened up so as to secure for its coal, timber and other products a good market.

The property owners of that portion of the county can well afford to adopt liberal measures, to insure the development of its valuable resources. And this once accomplished their lands, since the beginning only a source of expense, can be made to yield a golden shower that will enrich all connected with them.

We think this will be done very soon. If it is Foxburg is the natural and only feasible outlet for the products of that section. Capital here has indicated its willingness to aid in bringing this about, by making a survey and locating an excellent route for a railway that will furnish all needed means of transportation. This once completed the benefits of a large trade will follow. Agitate the matter.

—For Boots and Shoes go to Robinson & Bonner's. Men's strong shoes at \$1.25 to \$1.75; Men's good boots from \$2.25 to \$4.00. Ladies, Misses and Children's proportionately low.

LICKINGVILLE.

ED. FOREST REPUBLICAN:—In regard to the affair published in your issue of last week headed "War in the Camp," you published some misstatements, unintentional on your part, I hope. First, as to using a birch, I never have and will not unless the case be extremely urgent; I am not an advocate of birch oil. Next, you say "McCracken had one of the fair sex hanging to his arm and snuggled close to his vest pattern;" he brought one of the fair sex, seated her, and for some reason unknown, left her "alone in her glory," like the "last rose of summer," and did not appear on the scene until the crowd were about to disperse, he and a friend appeared to take charge of the aforesaid fair sex.

Some of the friendly hands that rescued McCracken have said since had they understood the case they would have left him to his fate, which would have been a mild dislocation of the necktie. There was no revolver in the case at all, though McCracken knew he richly deserved to have the light of Lickingville to shine through him; and if proper justice had been meted to him four or five years ago he might have languished in a ward of the State boarding house, admitting his own statements to be true, and previous to making the acquaintance of the lady in question and unknown to her until recently. Again, the lady's camoufeting outfit was not in the least disarranged, as persons at the hotel can say where she presented herself a few minutes later "cool as a cucumber," and it is good for three years wear should it not receive a more serious encounter.

As McCracken is too poor to purchase a bullet-proof suit, unless he sells his buggy, he had better stay at home with his mother or the Drs. may go to mining lead on his premises.

I. L. D.
 Barnett Notes.

Our good people are enjoying their usual health, and pursuing the even tenor of their ways as of yore.

Business is dull; the Clarion very low. Blackberries have been quite plenty, and as a consequence we have been visited by those who, less fortunate than we, have not our luscious fruit at home; by those who having generated a superabundance of small and other talk found the hemlocks, as they thought, a convenient place to exercise their labial, lingual, and facial muscles; by those who, delighting in the liquid blackberry, came that they might distill and obtain it in its purity; but they have gone and nothing remains to tell of them but a bark shanty here and there, and a new song or by-word in the mouths of our youth which is their only legacy.

Crops, generally, are good and the acreage large for our part of the County.

Those Knights of the Road, our Township Commissioners, let the building of a piece of new road at the mouth of Coleman to Messrs. Thompson and Darr, who are making a good job of the same and for less money than the Township could have done it.

Our Guardians of the cause of Education met on last Saturday for the purpose of electing teachers for our schools. We learned that only three were elected, there being no applicants for the other schools.

The good people of Clarion town held a two-day's meeting at that place on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 13 and 14. All who can attend are cordially invited to be present.

We are sorry to write that J. B. Pearsall's children are sick with diphtheria and at last accounts were in a critical condition. Mr. Pearsall and wife had been on a visit to the Great West, and Mrs. Pearsall returned to Richardsville where she was visiting some relatives when their children contracted diphtheria. Mr. Pearsall had remained "out west" when his wife returned. He was telegraphed when his children were taken sick.

W. J. Armstrong has cheered us with his presence among us for some time. He will soon return to Meadville again. We are sorry to lose him but no doubt our loss will be his gain.

By THE WAY.

—The invalid finds in "Dr. Lindsey's Blood Searcher" nature's great restorer. It is wonderful. For sale by G. W. Bovard. 24 2t.

—My child, four years old, was taken with convulsions, straightening out of the limbs, and seemed to be lifeless. I gave some of E. K. Thompson's Sweet Worm Powder and she was relieved at once. Druggists sell it at 25 cents a bottle. For sale by G. W. Bovard. 24 2t.

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NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that John H. Munsch, Executor of the Estate of Henry Keller, deceased, has filed in the Register's Office of Forest county his partial account as executor of said decedent.

Also, Matthew Borizer, Guardian of Susan J. Robb, minor child of Jonathan Robb deceased, has filed in the Office of the Clerk of Orphans Court of said county, his partial account as guardian of said minor; both of which accounts will be presented to the respective Courts for confirmation and allowance on the 4th Monday of September next.

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 Tionesta, Aug. 27, 1879.
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7:00 A.M. Daily, (has through Pullman Palace Drawing-Room Car) arriving at Mayville 10:45 a. m.; Point Chautauqua, 4:45 p. m.; Fair Point, 6:30 p. m.; Buffalo, 7:15 p. m.

10:40 A.M. Daily, except Sunday, 3:30 p. m.; Point Chautauqua, 4:45 p. m.; Fair Point, 6:30 p. m.; Buffalo, 7:15 p. m.

2:25 P.M. Daily, except Sunday, (has through coach and Pullman Palace Drawing-Room Car) arriving at Mayville 5:30 p. m.; Point Chautauqua, 6:10 p. m.; Fair Point, 6:55 p. m.; Buffalo 8:30 p. m.

4:20 P.M. Saturday only, arrive at Mayville 7:45 a. m. (Monday only), 2:00 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 6:25 p. m., Daily.

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