The Forest Republican.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAR. 9, 1881.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—S. J. Wolcott.
Councilmen—North Ward, T. J. Van Gieson, T. B. Cobb, Jno. A. Hart; South Ward, G. W. Robinson, S. H. Haslet, Eli Holeman.
Justices of the Peace—J. T. Brennan, D. S. Cox.
Constable—James Walters.
School Directors—J. Shawkey, R. J. [illegible], J. P. Dunn, A. H. Kelly, J. T. [illegible], A. H. Partridge.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—Hardy White.
Assembly—K. L. Jones.
President Judge—W. D. Brown.
Associate Judges—John Reed, C. A. Hill.
Treasurer—M. S. Fleeman.
Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c.—Jewis Shawkey.
Sheriff—H. [illegible] Hamilton.
Commissioners—Eli Geeslin, Isaac Lobaugh, W. Dunham.
County Superintendent—H. S. Bingham.
District Attorney—S. D. Irwin.
Jury Commissioners—C. H. Church, Peter Youngs.
County Surveyor—F. E. Whittekin.
Coroner—C. H. Church.
County Auditors—Nicholas Thompson, D. P. Coffeenny, F. C. Lacy.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE No. 369, I. O. of O. F.

MEETS every Saturday evening, at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Partridge's Hall.

J. R. FOXEN, N. G.
G. W. S. WYER, Secy. 27-tf.

W. L. Davis,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Tionesta, Pa. Collections made in this and adjoining counties. 40-tf

MILES W. TATE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

[illegible] Street, TIONESTA, PA.

F. RITCHEY,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Tionesta, Forest County Pa.

J. B. AGNEW.

ATTORNEY - AT - LAW,

TIONESTA, PA.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS!

[illegible] been admitted to practice as an attorney in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or [illegible] who were injured in the late war, or obtain pensions to which they may be entitled, by calling on or addressing me at Tionesta, Pa. Also, claims for arrearages of pay and bounty will receive prompt attention.

[illegible] over four years a soldier in the war, and having for a number of years been engaged in the prosecution of soldiers' claims, my experience will assure the prosecution of claims in the shortest possible time. J. B. AGNEW.

Lawrence House,

TIONESTA, PENN'A, WM. LAWRENCE, PROPRIETOR. This house is centrally located. Everything new and all 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. T. C. JACKSON, 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. 1y

W. C. COBURN, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

Has had over fifteen years experience in the practice of his profession, having graduated *legally* and honorably May 10, 1865. Office and Residence in Forest House, opposite the Court House, Tionesta, Pa. Aug. 25-1880

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.

DR. E. L. STEADMAN,

SURGEON DENTIST.

Dental room in Dr. Blaine's office, next door to Central House, Tionesta, Pa. All work warranted, and at reasonable prices.

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Corner of Elm & Walnut Sts. Tionesta.

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Collections made on all the Principal points of the U. S.

Collections solicited. 18-1y.

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M. CARPENTER, - - - Proprietor.

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CHARLES RAISIG,

PRACTICAL

CARRIAGE AND WAGON MAKER.

In rear of Blum's Blacksmith shop,

ELM ST., - - TIONESTA, PA

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
Train 9....	7:23 am	Train 18....	10:55 am
Train 11....	11:32 am	Train 10....	1:34 pm
Train 13....	5:03 pm	Train 16....	7:49 pm
Train 15....	8:01 pm		

Train 9 (Mail) and Train 18 South carry the mail.

—M. E. Sabbath School at 10 a. m., F. M. Sabbath School at 11 a. m., Presbyterian Sabbath School at 3 p. m.

—Mr. John A. Leonard, of Chicago, was in town a few days during the week, the guest of Mr. May's family.

—Ben Hogan, the notorious pugilist, saloon keeper, &c., was shot and killed in a saloon in Arizona, on February 20th.

—All new borough and township officers were sworn in on Monday, except school directors, who are not qualified until June.

—The engineer corps engaged on the survey of the Tionesta Creek railroad, positively aver that the snow in many places along the route is over five feet deep. They were obliged to suspend operations for a while on this account.

—The Congregation of the Presbyterian Church are requested to meet at the church on Sunday afternoon to make out a call for the Rev. Mr. Hickling, and complete other arrangements for regular services.

—Rev. W. W. Browne, of East Hickory, wishes to return many heartfelt thanks to the kind friends and donors, who presented him with a horse to replace the one which he recently lost. He considers himself under lasting obligations to those friends.

—By reference to the proper place it will be seen that Mr. N. F. Williams, of Harmony township, is this week announced as a candidate for County Superintendent. Others, expecting to be candidates, should hand in their names with the proper accompaniments forthwith.

—The F. M. District Quarterly Meeting will be held at East Hickory commencing on Thursday evening, March 10, and lasting over Sunday. Rev. Hawkins, Presiding Elder, will officiate. The opening sermon on Thursday evening will be delivered by Rev. Barnhart. A general invitation is extended.

—Rev. J. A. Yount wishes to express thanks to his many friends for favors received during the year, and extends his best wishes to his friends, and also to his successor if he is not permitted to return again from conference. Gillespie Bros. not only made the preacher feel happy, but Samuel Einstein, also.

—Mr. H. A. Adams has purchased of Mr. E. E. Clapp the property which was recently advertised in our paper, situate on Helen St. The location is a very pleasant and desirable one and with a few improvements will be one of the best in town. We suppose Mr. A. will occupy the place after the first of April.

—We were in error last week in stating that Mrs. Wilcox, of Harmony township, had died from the effects of severe burns received from the explosion of an oil can. We misunderstood the doctor who informed us that her condition was very critical and he had little hopes of her recovery. Her physician, Dr. Coburn, says she is much better, and now considers her out of danger, which we are pleased to learn.

—The new Town Council met on Monday evening to organize. Burgess S. J. Wolcott occupid the chair. The following committees were appointed by the Burgess: Sidewalks, G. W. Robinson, T. J. VanGiesen; Streets, T. B. Cobb, S. H. Haslet; Finances, Eli Holeman. John A. Hart, one of the Councilmen-elect was not present at the meeting. J. T. Brennan, Esq., was re-appointed Secretary for the ensuing year.

—Mr. Lawrence vacated the Lawrence House on Monday and moved to the Dithridge place, over the creek, which he purchased a short time ago. The hotel will be controlled by Wm. Smearbaugh, who will exert his best energies to conduct a first-class house in every particular. His long experience in the hotel business will amply fit him for the position and we have no doubt he will succeed admirably. Mr. S. respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage, and promises his guests the best of attention and comfort. A good livery will be run in connection with the Hotel, and rigs may be had at all times.

—Prothonotary Shawkey asks us to say that all persons having fees as witnesses or officers in case of Forest County vs. Harmony Twp., tried Sept. Term, 1877, can have the same by calling at his office. Also, fees in case of Commonwealth against Hepler and Whitman, and Com'l'th vs. David G. Hunter, tried Feb. Tr., 1881.

—Report of Jamieson's school for month ending March 4th. Names of those who were neither tardy nor absent during the month: Maggie, Kate, and Willie Mack, Willie and Gussie Johnston, George and Oscar Lawson, Charlie and Emil Anderson. Number enrolled 16. Average attendance during month 13.

ALWILDA ADAMS, Teacher.

—We learn with regret by the following item from the Polk Co. (Minn.) *Journal*, of a painful accident to friend Dunn, and hope he may soon recover: "Bro. W. R. Dunn, of the *Chronicle*, met with a severe and painful accident on Tuesday. He stepped upon a large stick of stove wood, which, rolling pitched him headlong upon the office floor dislocating his left shoulder. Dr. Van Dyke was called who soon put the shoulder in shipshape and he is now doing nicely."

—Ex-Constable Swailes, who was defeated at the late election for reelection to that office, has entered a contest against his successful opponent Mr. Jas. Waltere, on the ground that he is not a citizen. Judge Brown at the late session of court decided that if Mr. Walters was sworn in according to law his official acts would be regarded as legal and he was accordingly qualified on Monday. We are not fully posted as to the merits of the case, but this we do know, it is putting the borough to a great deal of expense for a very small matter.

—Morris, the Tailor, of Oil City, wishes to call the attention of the citizens of this place and vicinity to the fact that he has just received his spring stock of goods, and is now prepared to make up suits in the very best and latest styles, at from 20 to 30 per cent. cheaper than any other tailor in the country, always guaranteeing as good a fit as can be had anywhere. His stock comprises all the latest and nobbiest patterns out, and is so vast and varied that none can help be suited who may call on him. He invites an inspection of goods before purchasing elsewhere. 2t

—The man St. Charles, who was found guilty of the charge of burglary at last court, was sentenced to pay a fine of five hundred dollars, costs of prosecution, and undergo imprisonment in separate and solitary confinement in the Western Penitentiary of four years and one month at labor. Sheriff Randall started with the prisoner on Wednesday evening, and lodged him safely at Allegheny on Thursday. The prisoner confessed to his counsel that he had been here on the night of the robbery, and that he was placed on watch while the others of the gang did the burglarizing. He also stated that the explosions could have been heard fully a mile, and that while the thieves were at work several people passed up and down the street near the bank. All efforts to induce him to divulge the names of his "pals" proved futile. This, we suppose, is what they call "honor among thieves."

—County Surveyor Whittekin arrived in town on the 10:55 down train Friday with his corps. He was compelled to suspend operations on account of the deep snow, and the distance he had to travel to his boarding places. As we stated some time since the survey was pushed up as far as Nebraska and then the corps was transferred to Sheffield where they commenced the survey down the creek and got as far as the mouth of Big Minister Creek, above Balltown, when they were compelled to stop short as above stated. The line from what we can learn is a pretty good one with good grade and light work. There will be—if we are allowed to judge from our knowledge of the county—some pretty heavy curves as the upper Tionesta is very crooked. We have no notes to give any data from and we suppose Mr. Whittekin thinks that his notes are for the employers first and the public afterward. All right; give them to us whenever you are at liberty to do so. More anon.

—Fresh Tub Oysters on Thursday at Wm. Smearbaugh & Co. 1t.

—Clover and Timothy Seed at Robinson & Bonner. 3t.

The Coroner's Inquest.

On Friday morning last the Coroner's jury impaneled to inquire into the cause of the late railroad accident at President, met at the office of Capt. Knox to take testimony in the matter. Quite a number of witnesses were examined, principally officials of the company, and a large amount of testimony taken. Our space is inadequate to accommodate it in full, and to publish extracts would hardly do justice to the case, hence we omit it. When the testimony was all in the jury, after considerable deliberation, arrived at the following verdict:

INQUISITION

Indented and taken at Tionesta, Pa., in the County of Forest, on the fifth day of March, A. D. 1881, before Wm. C. Coburn, M. D., Coroner of the County aforesaid, upon the view of the body of Alice C. Babcock, then and there lying dead; upon the oaths of Samuel H. Haslet, George W. Robininson, Silas J. Wolcott, Albert H. Partridge, George W. Sawyer, Nelson Cole, six good and lawful men of said County aforesaid, who being duly sworn and charged on the part of the Commonwealth to inqure when, where, how and after what manner the said Alice C. Babcock, came to her death, do say upon their oaths that Mrs. Alice C. Babcock came to her death February 23d, 1881, at Tionesta, Penn'a, by scalds received on Feb. 22nd, in a collision between mail train, No. 9, going north, and a special train going north on the River Division of the Buffalo, Pittsburgh & Western R. R., in President twp., Venango Co., Pa. The cause of the collision seems to have been partly by a mismanagement or want of discipline of the B. P. & W. R. R. at Oil City, on that day, by not having the special train ready at the time it should have been; and more particularly by the officials of the special train in carelessly running too close on the time of the regular train, No. 9, on which the deceased was a passenger.

In witness whereof, as well the aforesaid Coroner as the aforesaid Jurors, have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals at Tionesta, Pa., this 5th day of March, A. D. 1881.

WM. C. COBURN, M. D., Coroner [L.S]
S. H. HASLET, [L.S.]
GEO. W. ROBINSON, [L.S.]
S. J. WOLCOTT, [L.S.]
A. H. PARTRIDGE, [L.S.]
G. W. SAWYER, [L.S.]
NELSON COLE, [L.S.]

As the matter will doubtless come before the courts, and as the inquest is regarded more as a preliminary hearing, we deem it our duty to refrain from commenting on the merits of the case.

Tidioute Tidings.

Several from Tionesta took in Prof. Smith's concert.

Caw! caw! caw! there was trouble in the crow's nest Saturday night.

John Siggins has received the first lot of new Spring styles of print in town.

The "boys" are going to reorganize the Hunter Hose Co. They will occupy rooms in Bucks brick block.

The population of West Hickory was increased one by the appearance of a baby girl at W. P. Siggins' Sunday morning.

Miss Linnie Grove, Park Grove and Walt. Adams from Tionesta, visited their Tidioute friends during the week.

Inside of ten days about a dozen horses have died in Hickory township. The disease seems to be similar to lung fever.

O. H. Hunter & Son have removed their dry goods store from Buck's brick block to the building on the corner formerly occupied by L. Simon.

The Tionesta *Democrat* tried to give Mr. Van Every of Tidioute away badly. We happen to be personally acquainted with Mr. Van E., and know he was not playing off very much. Of course he did not have his ribs broken as was first supposed, for he could not have got around in the short time after it happened. If the author of the article, "Victimized," was knocked in the ribs as Mr. Van E. was he would not even now be around attending to his business. J.

Tidioute, Mar. 7, '81.

Thanks.

We beg leave to express to our friends and neighbors all, our deep gratitude and great thankfulness for their interest, kindness, and help manifested to us and our dead during our late sad affliction.

C. E. LANDERS,
MR. AND MRS. DEMUN.

—Ask your druggist for Prof. Guilmette's French Kidney Pad, and take no other. 1t.

Proposed New District.

It has been the talk for some time by certain of the citizens of Jefferson and Forest counties to form a new Judicial District composed of the two counties. Jefferson is now joined with Clarion, but the latter's increased population entitles it to become a separate district, so that Jefferson will have to be joined to some other county. This being the case her citizens have been casting about with a view to ascertaining which of the adjoining counties would suit them best, and have come to the conclusion that Forest would be their choice by a large majority, and they are very anxious to be joined with us. The feeling of the citizens of our county cannot be told at present, but as petitions on both sides are out, we suppose it can be approximated before long. That the southeastern portion of the county, or Jenks and Barnett townships, would be suited with this arrangement there is no doubt, as many of their leading citizens have already expressed themselves to that effect. The other parts of the county have not all been heard from, but from what we can learn they rather prefer to stay where they are—with Warren and Elk counties. Should Forest be cut off from the latter two counties, which might be the case, we believe she would vote to be joined to Jefferson. The main objection, we believe, is the distance between the county seats of Jefferson and Forest, and the inconvenience in traveling between the two places. This would make little difference except when necessary to transact business before the Judge in Chambers, which could be obviated by exacting a pledge from the candidates, whoever they might be, to come or go to either county seat when notified by telegram. A strong argument in favor of the annexation is that it would place Forest in a position where she could dictate terms, there not being so great a difference in the size and population of the two counties. We hope our citizens will consider this matter, and endeavor to arrive at some definite conclusion as to which would suit them best; in the meantime we hope, and have reason to expect that whatever is done will be gracefully accepted by all as for the best interests of our county.

The Younger Brothers and Frank and Jessie James.

The Historical Publishing Co., of St. Louis, Mo., has just issued a complete history of the noted Younger Brothers, and Frank and Jesse James, bringing the events in the lives of these airy gentleman of the highway down to the present time. It is a volume of 400 pages, containing more than 40 illustrations, and printed and bound in good style. Mr. J. W. Buel, the author, has been engaged during the last three years in collecting and preparing his materials, and recently visited the Youngers in the Minnesota penitentiary for the purpose of verifying certain portions of his work. It is said to be of the most exciting and thrilling character, and its selling qualities are indicated by the fact that more than 10,000 copies were ordered in advance of publication. See advertisement elsewhere.

A CROSS BABY.—Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a bachelor as stopping for one night at the house of a married friend and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross and crying babies need only Hop Bitters to make them well and smiling. Young man, remember this.—*Traveler.* 2t

CHERRY TREE TWP., Mar. 30, '80.
VENANGO COUNTY, PA.

I have been afflicted with Rheumatism more or less for the last thirty years, so much so in the leg that I would have to lie down to get ease and at one time I could not go to bed, but was compelled to sit up all night. This affliction continued for five months. I was solicited to use Wilson's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism, which made a perfect cure. I found it to act with a certainty, and giving relief immediately. I used but one bottle and have not been afflicted since. T. P. WILSON.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 30th day of March, A. D. 1881.

J. D. B. CLARK,
1t Justice of the Peace.

FEES OF DOCTORS.—The fee of doctors is an item that many persons are interested in just at present. We believe the schedule for visits is $3.00, which would tax a man confined to his bed for a year, and in need of a daily visit, over $1,000 a year for medical attendance alone! And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the $1,000 and all the year's sickness.—*Post.* 2t

Overcoats! Overcoats!!

out their stock of overcoats at less than cost in order to make room for their spring stock of clothing, which has just arrived, and now being opened and placed upon their counters. Persons in need of an overcoat next winter will save money by making their purchases now. We would also ask our friends to see our stock of Men's, Boy's and Youth's clothing which is complete in every particular. 3t

—There is no use in drugging yourself to death, and buying all the vile medicines for internal use when you can be cured of fever and ague, bilious disorders, jaundice, dyspepsia, as well as all disorders and ailments of the liver, blood and stomach, by wearing one of Prof. Guilmette's French Liver Pads, which is a sure cure every time. If your druggist does not keep the pad, send $1.50 in a letter to French Pad Co., Toledo, O., and it will be sent you by mail. It is the only pad that is guaranteed to cure. Beware of counterfeits. 1t.

—For two years I suffered from calculous deposits. One bottle of Barosma removed the deposit, and I have enjoyed good health for three years.
J. H. CARR.

Prepared by E. K. Thompson, Titusville, Pa. 1t.

For Sale or Rent,

The Klinestiver house, situated near G. W. Bovard's residence, and at present occupied by Thos. Hussey. Terms reasonable and very easy. Inquire at this office.

MARRIED.

SPENCER—KIFFER.—On Friday, Mar. 4, 1881, at the residence of and by C. H. Church, J. P., East Hickory, Pa., Mr. James F. Spencer, and Miss Susie A. Kiffer, both of Beaver Valley, Forest Co., Pa.

DIED.

LANDERS.—At Neilltown, Pa., March 1st, 1881, at 9:30, a. m., of puerperal fever, Emma L., wife of C. E. Landers, daughter of David H. and Ann Demun, aged 25 years, 3 months, and 24 days.

Mrs. Landers was the only remaining child of Mr. and Mrs. Demun, they having lost three children previously, one of whom died during the past summer. Upon them, this sad affliction coming ere the sorrow for Freddie's death had lost its bitterness, the blow falls terribly. Her marriage with Mr. Landers was celebrated on the 11th of May last, but not having gone to housekeeping, her sickness and death occurred at her father's house. In speaking of her character we feel the truth of the words of Rev. McLaughlin, who, in the course of his remarks while conducting the funeral services, said, speaking to the parents, "You have lost a good daughter," and to her husband, "You have lost a good wife." Loved and respected by them while living, her death comes as a great sorrow to all who knew her.

During her illness which began on the Wednesday preceding her death, her sufferings were indescribable; yet she bore all patiently, without murmering, but on the contrary seeming fully to appreciate and reciprocate the care and anxiety of those who waited upon and cared for her. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, her body being laid to rest in the Neilltown churchyard; Rev McLaughlin, of Pleasantville, officiated. The large concourse which followed the remains to the grave attested full well to the estimation in which the deceased was held. The bereaved husband and parents have the full and heartfelt sympathy of all in this their very sorrowful affliction. ***

TIONESTA MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY TUESDAY, BY RELIABLE DEALERS.

Flour ℔ barrel choice	6.00@6.50
Flour ℔ sack, best	1.60
Corn Meal, 100 lbs	1.40
Chop feed, pure grain	1.20@1.30
Rye ℔ bushel	60
Oats New ℔ bushel	45@48
Corn, ear	30@35
Beans ℔ bushel	1.50@2.00
Ham, sugar cured	11
Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured	124
Shoulders	7@8
Whitefish, half-barrels	5.75
Lake herring half-barrels	3.75
Sugar	9@11
Syrup	75
N. O. Molasses new	50@75
Roast Rio Coffee	20@25
Rio Coffee,	18@22
Java Coffee	35
Tea	.25@90
Butter	25
Rice	08@10
Eggs, fresh	25
Salt best lake	1.75
Lard	12
Iron, common bar	3.75
Nails, 10d, ℔ keg	3.75
Potatoes	40@50
Lime ℔ bbl.	1.50
Dried Apples per ℔	5@7
Dried Beef	17@18
Dried Peaches per ℔	10
Dried Peaches parcel per ℔	15