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

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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station.

Table with columns for NORTH and SOUTH, listing train numbers and times.

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

—The mud is getting muddier. —To-morrow will be St. Patrick's Day.

—The groundhog has been a success this year, sure.

—Miss Maude Davis is visiting friends and relatives in Franklin.

—Mr. Cornie Derickson, of Meadville, is visiting with his brother, J. H.

—Miss Florence Einstein, of Sheffield, is paying her Tionesta friends a visit.

—"Dick" Davis is at his old post of duty, and says "toll" for the bridge company.

—Oliver Proper was taken sick Sunday evening, and has been considerably under the weather since.

—The egg market is easy once more, and plenty of the fruit can be had at 15 cents per twelve pieces.

—Mrs. Dr. Wallace, and daughter, Miss Cora, of East Brady, were the guests of Mrs. Derickson last week.

—Mr. R. W. Myers, a former jeweler from this place, is here on a business visit. He is looking well, and is the same jovial "Reid" he use to be.

—Candidates for County Superintendent are just now placing themselves on as good terms with the school directors as possible. That's right.

—The Brookville Republican says that 500,000 tons of coal and 80,000,000 feet of lumber is about the size of Jefferson county's prosperity for the coming year.

—Sara Bernhart is billed for Titusville this evening. Seats are selling at from one to four dollars. It will hardly be necessary to run a special train from here to accommodate the crowd.

—Jack McCray, of Marienville, passed through town on his way to Titusville Monday. He has been kept pretty close to business for the past three months, and is now out for a few days recreation.

—Mr. N. G. Ball, of East Hickory, is lying very low and hardly expected to recover with "gravel." Mr. Ball is a most worthy man and citizen, and we should be grieved to learn of his disease terminating in his death.

—These bright, sunny days are excellent for catching coons and making maple sugar. Coon furs are in their prime now, and some of our hunters have bagged several of the short-tailed corn-thieves within the past week.

—Strawberries are selling in New York for seventy-five cents for a little basket full, supposed to hold a quart. When we eat strawberries we like them with sugar and cream, and as these latter articles are pretty high now, we don't think we'll take any.

—Mr. S. S. Holbrook, of Cincinnati, paid our town a business visit last week. He still feels an interest in the welfare of Forest county, notwithstanding he has disposed of his property here, and this feeling is reciprocated by his many friends in this section for his prosperity.

—The March number of Baldwin's Official Railway Guide is on hand with its usual freshness, and showing many marks of improvement on former issues. The Guide is rapidly placing itself in the lead of all competitors, owing to the perseverance and energy of its publisher, Mr. Baldwin.

—Judge Cook, who has for several weeks lain seriously ill in Pittsburgh, has nearly recovered, and expects to be home shortly. The loss Barnett township would sustain by the death of Judge Cook would be very great, and we are pleased to learn with his many friends that he has been spared. May he live to a ripe old age.

—If Venor and the ground-hog can make any kind of agreement about the weather rafting will soon commence, and we wish to call the attention of lumbermen to the fact that we have a tinner in our town who has a large supply of rafting stoves, tin dishes &c., on hand and sells them lower than the same have ever been sold heretofore. Call on Ed. Heibel and examine his stock.

—Our lumbermen are anxious for the spring floods to come. The ice in Tionesta creek is still solid above Newtown Mills.

—Owing to the destruction by fire of the Danville, (Pa.) Insane Asylum about 400 patients were placed in the new hospital at Warren during the past week.

—It seems that the Ben. Hogan we mentioned last week as having been killed in a saloon in Arizona, is not the Ben of pugilistic notoriety. He is now in New York carrying on his work as a revivalist, endeavoring to do good for the Lord, so he says.

—Bro. Carpenter has hung a new and attractive sign in front of his picture gallery. While others come and go, Mr. C. pursues the even tenor of his way, never allowing a little opposition to disturb him in the least. Now is the time to "secure the shadow ere the substance fades." Give him a call.

—Our new Coroner, Mr. C. H. Church, lifted his commission and was sworn in yesterday. The emoluments of the office are not very great, scarcely amounting to the commission fee, but Mr. Church felt that he owed it to the friends who honored him with such a large support last fall to take out his commission, and he accordingly did so.

—Mr. Calvin Arner and family are surely receiving their share of trouble. On Wednesday last their youngest child, Minnie, aged about eleven months died, which, coming so soon after Mr. Arner's misfortune, is sad indeed. The stricken parents, we hope, will take comfort and consolation from the fact that in their sorrow and affliction they have the sincerest sympathy of their many friends, and remember that "Whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth."

—Some times when we gaze out of the window and see the bright sun beating down on the surrounding hills we make up our mind that spring has come, and immediately throw open the stove door. When we turn around again, however, and look out and see the blustering, blinding snow we slam shut the door again and settle down to the conclusion that this sun of York is not making much headway on the winter of our discontent, in the way of transforming it into glorious summer, &c., &c.

—On Wednesday last a special car took Mr. John Hunter to his home in Millville, Erie County. He was accompanied by his brother, George, and other members of the family, Dr. Blaine going along to minister to his medical wants. The Doctor did not deem it advisable to make the trip, but Mr. Hunter was bent on going, and so the Railroad Company furnished a special car for his convenience. The trip was made in safety, and at last accounts Mr. H. was doing quite well.

—Elsewhere in this issue will be found the prospectus of the Harrisburg Weekly Telegraph, the most reliable paper published at the State Capitol. The Telegraph contains all the doings of the Legislature while in session, besides all other transactions of interest about Harrisburg, as well as the general news of the day. For citizens of this section who want all the news of the day done up in a concise and entertaining manner the Telegraph is the paper to take. Subscribe for it at once. Terms very low.

—The prohibitory law of Kansas does not seem to glide along as smoothly as it might after all, according to the Newton Republican: "The prosecutions commenced in the city of Topeka, against the saloons were either defeated or compromised on Tuesday last. So the saloons are to be kept open until May 2nd. In many parts of the State no attention is given to the law, and if the saloons are to be kept open in the Capitol of Kansas under the nose of Gov. St. John, why have them closed in Newton."

—The Czar of Russia was assassinated on Sunday last, by Nihilists. The Emperor was riding in his carriage when a bomb was thrown out exploding under the carriage. He alighted when a second bomb was thrown and exploded under his feet which mangled him terribly, from the effects of which he died in about two hours. Attempts have frequently been made to take his life, the first being as early as 1866. The Grand Duke Alexis, who it will be remembered made a tour of the United States, some years ago, will succeed his father as Emperor.

—Hark Wentworth reports the following singular case: He had set a trap for foxes and on Wednesday night last some kind of animal carried the first trap away leaving nothing but a part of the chain. Hark immediately planted another trap on the same bed, and on Monday morning last went out to take a look at the situation, and there found Reynard, who had evidently caught his foot in the first trap, carried it around for nearly a week and then came back and caught himself in the second trap, the jaws of which had caught in the spring of the first trap, and Mr. Fox was held secure.

—In a little over two weeks the trouting season will commence, and as usual a grand rush will be made on the neighboring streams for the little beauties. In this connection it might be well to state that the place to get your outfit for fishing is at Papa Baldwin's, Tidioute, who always keeps the best and most approved material in this line and sells it at a very small margin. If you cannot spare the time to go up, an order by mail will answer, as he understands what kind of tackle is best adapted for this section and will deal squarely with you. Give him a trial.

—The survey of the Salamanca & Irvineton Railroad has been completed as far as the State line, and the engineers have been engaged in the past week in making up near approximate estimate of the entire cost of building the same. We understand that the cost will be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$21,000 per mile. About twenty-five men are now at work near Kinzua on the above road. It will be pushed along as rapidly as possible, and it is confidently hoped that the road will be completed and trains running from Oil City to Salamanca by the first of September. This will shorten the distance from this place to Bradford about 18 miles, and owing to the low grade, not, we believe, to exceed 18 feet per mile, one engine can haul 30 to 35 cars from Oil City to Salamanca, while at the present time the N. Y. P. & O. Railroad can move but 15 to 18 cars. This will give this division a big "send off" in the freight business, and be remunerative to the enterprising B. P. & W. R. R. Co, which is just now on the "push."

Blue Jay No. 2.

Late news from the Blue Jay district, on Tionesta creek, are to the effect that the second well just completed, would be good for a hundred barrel gusher. Of course this report is exaggerated, at least we think so, but that a good well has been struck there is no doubt, and it is probable that it may go fifty or sixty barrels when properly torpedooed and tubed, which is pretty good for a starter. The sand is said to be first-class.

This well is situated about one mile from the first one, on a direct line north, in the direction of Sheffield, and is owned by Shultz & Co., of Warren. Should it pan out anything like as big as it is reported the reputation of that territory is made, and soon or late that section will witness active and lively operations.

Church Meeting.

At a meeting at the Presbyterian Church, pursuant to notice, A. B. Kelly was elected President, and S. D. Irwin, Sec'y.

G. G. Butterfield stated the object of the meeting to be for the purpose of engaging a minister, nominated Rev. J. Hickling, of Allegheny, Pa., and at the close of his remarks moved that a call be made to Mr. Hickling, which was seconded by C. A. Randall. Remarks favoring the motion for the call were made by Ritchey, Randall, Kelly and others. The vote was unanimous, and the Elders were instructed to make out the call and forward it to Presbytry. The call to be for one half the time, the other portion of the time to be devoted to the Churches of Tylersburg and Scotch Hill.

The Chair appointed a committee of three consisting of Robiusion, Randall and Irwin, to solicit subscriptions to pastor's salary.

Chas. Bonner was elected Treasurer, after which the congregation adjourned.

A. B. KELLY, Chairman. S. D. IRWIN, Sec'y. Tionesta, Mar. 13, 1881.

—Clover and Timothy Seed at Robinson & Bonner.

Notes from Mealy Settlement.

Feed is getting scarce, and as a consequence price is plentier.

J. A. Shriver will finish his house as soon as the right kind of weather prevails.

William Hepler has built unto himself a house during the winter; it is not quite finished yet.

Benj. Mealy will build as soon as the spring opens. Mr. Mealy locates his dwelling on his farm, a part of the Helm Tract, on the Tylersburg road.

Peter Wolf lost a valuable cow. He had turned a horse loose for the purpose of allowing it exercise; the horse viciously abused his privilege by kicking Mr. Wolf's cow so that she died from the injuries.

Peter Greer has hauled a boiler and engine to his mill on Hemlock, which he will set up and attach as part and parcel of mill, the intent being to add to the efficiency of the mill. Mr. Greer will economize in the use of fuel by using the water power when available, steam being used as a motor when water faileth.

Geo. Mealy has bought one half of the Sandrock Farm—50 acres—paying therefor the sum of \$550. About one third the land is cleared, and has on it a young orchard; the remaining part of the farm has been bought by a Mr. Cropp, of Pitch Pine, near Edenburg; the price paid was also \$500 we think.

Tionesta Twp., Mar. 15, '81. Tidioute Talk.

The "Daily family" is still increasing. There is good skating at the rink yet.

Gen. Harry Allen was in town this week.

Which will you have, snow or mud? We'll take mud for ours.

H. M. Parshall started this (Tuesday) morning for Bradford with his patent stop.

Miss Minnie Cristie came home this week Monday, after an extendid visit to Bradford.

Mr. Van Every is doing first rate, and is not living off the railroad company either.

The M. E. Church social will be held at the residence of Dr. Kemble next Tuesday evening.

Miss Hattie Clark and Miss Girtie Shugart, have returned home from visiting friends in Franklin and Emlenton.

A number of our people are going to move to Warren, Pa. The prospects are that Warren will be a lively town this Spring and Summer. One man intends to build ten houses for renting. Rent is high and houses are scarce.

Miss Stratton, the well known revivalist, who has been holding revival meetings in Fagundus, is meeting with good success. We learn she has twenty converts, and the good work is still going on. This week will probably close the meetings in Fagundus, from whence she will go to Warren.

Tidioute, Pa. Mar. 14, '81. The Literary Revolution—Change of Base.

This very remarkable enterprise continues to make such progress as to astonish its friends and astound its enemies. Its greatly increasing proportions have compelled the removal of its head-quarters from the Tribune Building to the very large and beautiful building, No. 764 Broadway, which is in the very midst of the "book district" of New York City, and therefore, of the publishing enterprise of the nation. This building, though six stories in height 25 feet front and 100 feet deep, is sufficient only for the offices and retail store of the Company. The manufacturing is carried on in several large buildings located in other parts of the city, though it is contemplated concentrating them soon in one immense factory to be erected.

The list of recent and early forthcoming publications are extremely interesting to all who enjoy what is choicest in literature. The Library Magazine is unique in both form and character and altogether delightful in the richness of its contents. Of the books announced, Green's larger "History of the English People," reduced from \$10 to \$1; Carlyle's "History of the French Revolution," reduced to 40 cents; Carlyle's "Heroes and Hero Worship," 25 cents, and the "Revised New Testament," which is promised to be manufactured with rapidity heretofore unheard of, will attract special attention. It is worth while for every one who has not already seen it, to send and get the illustrated pamphlet, "Book Making, and Type Setting by Steam," which will be sent free upon application. Address, the American Book Exchange, 764 Broadway, New York.

Michigan Letter.

PALO, IONIA CO., MICH., Mar. 7, 1881. ED. REPUBLICAN:—

Dear Sir:—Having been the happy recipient of your paper for a few weeks, I have renewed my acquaintance with some of my Tionesta friends. Since learning of the sad accident that befell Mr. Arner at Fork Rue, I have been anxious to hear of his welfare. He has my sincere sympathy in his severe affliction and my earnest wish for his speedy recovery.

I think of him as a lad as he was, when last I saw him at home with his sisters. I find my memory at fault while trying to place the members of Mr. Arner's family, although I have spent some happy hours with them. The girls will recollect the tunes we sang together in those days. I don't sing now. Mr. Lewis Arner and I tried to make our fortunes in the oil business on the Blood farm; I did not; I hope Lewis did better.

Your last paper brought sad news to me in the death of A. W. Heath. I can hardly realize that the child that Mrs. Heath used to bring in her arms to the old school house above Newtown, where we used to worship, had become a man, and has been taken away so suddenly. Having passed through a similar affliction, I can sympathize with the mother in her severe trial, and while she has the sympathy of the community, she will need the support which Jesus alone can give in this her great sorrow.

In looking over the past few years, how forcibly the fact is impressed upon us that we are passing away, and that here we have no continuing home. Our friends are passing over one by one, and soon it will be said of us, "they are gone." It is a pleasure to think of the home over there; where the inhabitants are never sick, and where death will never invade the family circle. Hoping to meet my Tionesta friends in that house made without hands, I remain, Yours truly,

J. C. PERCIVAL.

—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 noblest 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.

Overcoats! Overcoats!! Robinson & Bonner are closing 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.

It is next to suicide to live on pain and misery when there is a remedy for all who suffer with kidney and liver complaint, Barosma, Buchu, Backache, Liver and Kidney Cure for sale by druggists. Prepared by E. K. Thompson, Titusville, Pa.

CRAWFORD COUNTY, PA., CITY OF TITUSVILLE. There personally came Lena Weinberg, who being duly sworn according to law deposes and says: That she resides in the city of Titusville, No. 13 East Spring Street. That her son was afflicted with the Rheumatism so severely that he was bed-fast for eleven days and that he got immediate relief within twelve hours, from three doses of Wilson's Lightning Remedy & Rheumatism; and that the boy was attended during the time previous by one of the best doctors in the city without any avail.

Mrs. LENA WEINBERG. Sworn and subscribed before me this 12th day of April, 1880. J. B. D. CLARK, J. P.

For Sale or Rent, The Klinesliver house, situated on G. W. Bovard's residence, and present occupied by Thos. Hass. Terms reasonable and very easy. Inquire at this office.

A CROSS BABY.—Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a bache as stopping for one night at the home of a married friend and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross crying babies need only Hop Bitt to make them well and smiling. You man, remember this.—Traveler.