# The forest Republican.

### WEDNESDAY MORNING, APR. 6, 1881.

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### FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

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## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE No. 369, I. O. of O. F. MEETS every Saturday evening, at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Par-tridge's Hall.

J. H. FONE3, N. G. G. W. SAWYER, See'y. 27-1 27-tf.

E. L. Davis, A TTOBNEY AT LAW, Tionesta, Pa. Collections made in this and adjoining counties.

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T. F.RITCHEY,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Tionesta, Forest County Pa.

T. B. AGNEW. ORNEY - AT-LAW

## TIONESTA, PA.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS! Thave been admitted to practice as an Attorney in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or refers who were infured in the late way. can obtain pensions to which they may be entitled, by calling on or addressing meat Tiopesta, Pa. Also, claims for arreatages of may and bounty will receive prompt at-

Having been over faur years a soldier in than engineering the prosecution of soldisent claims, my exactioned will assure the collection of claims in the shortest pos-J. B. AGNEW. silipstime.

Lawrance House,

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

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rrain D. Frain 18. Prain 9 North, and Tealn 16 South carry

-M. E. Sabbath School at 10 a. m., F. M. Sabbath School at H a. m., Presbyterian Sabbath School at 3 p. m.

-Rev. Hill will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Studay evening.

-April 6th, and snowing likeeverything.

-Some fine, large ducks have been seen in the river below town.

-Hermie Beaver took good care o the "old maids" Monday evening.

-Mr. G. S. Allen has mo "ed into the house just vacated by Capt. Knox.

-Mr. Geo. Scott moved his family to the Bradford regions where he has become engaged.

-Clark Kepler departed for Meadville on Thursday last, where he will attend Allegheny College.

-Mrs. G. W. Boyard's brother, Mr. Archie Stewart, of Butler, has been visiting with the family for a week past

-The snow-fall on Wednesday last was the liveliest we have had this winter-six inches in a little over three bours.

April 4th. Write to R. T. Taylor, Beaver, Pa.

-Representative Davis will please accept thanks for a copy of Smull's perienced citizens the bill must be Legislative Hand-Book for 1881, and what is wanted in that line and ought other valuable documents.

-Gideon W. Palmer diel at his home in Gleaburn, Pa., Satarday, 26th in session last week and made the ult. He was the father of the present annual levy of county tax. They Attorney General of the State.

-Our lumbermen and jobbers are anxiously waiting for the next flood All are ready to start, and doubtless a clean sweep will be made when the freshet puts in its appearance.

-Jimmy Davis, who has for two months past been filling Charley's place at Harrisburg as one of the pages of the House, returned home last week, on account of poor health.

-Attention is directed to the card of County Surveyor Whittekin, in this

The mason for "speckled beauties" just possible that they are all frozen to death.

-Col, Reisinger, of the Meadville Republican, has purchased the Index. or Thez. as he once delighted to call it, and has consolidated the two. Col. Reisinger is one of the few who makes money in the newspaper business and will doubtless make a success of this last venture .

-The continuous lingering of winter in the lap of spring has caused quite a hard coal famine in town. Many stoves have been running steady for six months, with a fair prespect of a full month yet. The question which now agitates the average denizens is, Vennor we going to have our spring?

-The sleighing since Thursday has been nearly as good as any time during the winter. There is yet between three and four feet of snow in the pine forests. Should we have the usual April showers, our people may expect to see some high water, and it may be well enough for our lumbermen to be on their guard.

-At a recent meeting of the Venango County Agricultural Society we natica that a resolution was adopted endorsing and recommending the passage of House Bill No. 300, which is the Road Bill we recently called at--Normal class and low rates for tention to and invited an inspection of hoard and music, at Beaver College, by the citizens, and which was introducad by Representative Davis of this county. Judging from this and the opiuions expressed by some of our exto pass.

-The County Commissioners were levied a seven mill tax for county purpose, which is lower than it has ever been before; the bond tax was done away with entirely, and we believe it is the intention of the board to call in and pay off the bonds during the year. Forest county will have no debt, and will need only such taxes as are necessary to tun the affairs of the county, and the outlook is now that the people will have a good, long breathing spell.

-Frederick Hyren, "The Prophet," a peculiar character well known in this city, whose death occurred some years ago, could claim the honor, were he on earth, of correctly prophesving the death of the Czar. In one of his speeches from the band stand in Diamond Park some years ago he predicted the death of the Czar of all the Russias at the hands of assassins in 1881. Other personages, whose future was known to him by Divine revelation, will do well to look up to the Prophet's utterances .- Meadville Republican. -The "Legislative Hand-Book" classifies the pursuits of the members of the Legislature. Exactly one-half of the whole number of members of the Senate are lawyers and the others are divided up in various ways, there being four farmers and three each of doctors and editors. In the House there is no days vacation. such proportion of lawyers, the whole -Thomas Hassey, who purchased number being twenty-nine. The forty farmers outnumber the representatives of any other pursuit, the thirty-two and now occupies it. With very little merchants coming next and the lawbeautifying of the premises ha will yers after. There are a number of manufacturers, doctors, teachers and

-Hon. E. L. Davis came home from in fairly upon us, but where are the the Capitol on Friday evening last binuties 7 They will have a rest for a remaining over Sunday, and retime yet, and from present indications turning on Monday. He reports active 1122 am Train 10..... 1:84 pm no very great strings will be brought times at Harrisburg, and says that 1:04 pm Train 16..... 7:49 pm in before May or June, and it may be notwithstanding Attorney General Palmer's decision that the Legislature must work for nothing after the 100 days have expired, they will not

adjourn until several important reform bills are passed. Whatever may be the opinions outside, those in and about Harrisburg who have occasion to know whereof they speak, are of the firm belief that the Attorney General's decision was "brought on" by a desire to have the Legislature adjourn early and avoid the passage of these reform measures.

-We are informed by reliable parties that the extension of the Buffalo Pittsburgh & Western railroad from awarded, on the 28th ult., to the Tyler Construction Company, and that work will commence on the 15th inst. Should the company conclude to build the line from Brocton to Buffalo the B. P. & W. Ry., will assume proportions among the various Railway cor porations. With a branch from this point to Sheffield it would be among the most remunerative investments that could be made in this vicinity. It is to be hoped that the company will not delay their engineer any longer in completing the survey of the Tionesta Valley, as the Baltimore & Ohio Railway will "cook their goose" for them if they succeeded in heading off Mr. Whittekin, the engineer in charge, and get their line into Kane before he can to Sheffield.

# No New School House.

At the election last Saturday th project of erecting a new school building was voted down by a majority of eight, and as a consequence there will be no new building for a time at least. It may be that this was a wise decision ; we hope it was, but we can hardly bring ourself to believe that there is much prosperity in store for a town which will vote down a measure which seemed so plain to be for the best interests of the town, in the way of building it up and bringing immigration to our shores. However, we believe no one has the disposition to grumble at the result, and it may be that Tiouesta will be better able to stand the

# The Forest County Oil Field.

The so-called field is what is known the outside world as the Blue Jay well No. 2, and being manytimes asked concerning its exact locality we finished, except at Beaver Valley, are furnished the following description which, began somewhat later than by a party who has been on the ground usphil.

and made surveys in the immediate vicinity :

corner of tract 2,997, known as the helping hand to Brace, Allen & Co., Cooper tract, in Howe township, about 400 feet from Tionesta creek, and about 35 feet above the waters of said stream: A little to the north of it is a small stream known as Messenger's Run which enters the Tionesta from the west, one-half mile above the mouth of the Blue Jay, which enters

from the east side of the Tionesta and about 600 feet below Blue Jay No. 1. The well has been drilled to a Invincton to Salamanca is a fixed fact. depth of 1,284 feet, so said by our of We understand that the contract was the drillers. From Saturday roon until Sunday noon the well pot three and one-fourth inches in a 600 barrel tank or a little less than 15 barrels. The saud is the same as that at Stoneham and Clarendon. As it is situated only about one and one-half miles from to Forest County line it may be confidently expected to open up the territory from Stoneham to Foxes, and then continue on South taking in the whole central part of Forest County. Land has gone up to exhorbitant prices and none can be had for from less than \$75 to \$100 per acre, that is, in the immediate vicinity.

> The Derrick in its monthly report has the following facts concerning the oil business in Forest County for the month of March :

Depth. Fox, Horton & Kerberger. .20 Morek, Falconer & Shultz...rig bldg Hill & Fox.....rig bldg ...rig bla .180

Rigs up and building ... Wells drilling ..... Jooper, Green Bros. & Darling est ..... 15 Wells complefed. Production ... WEST HICKORY. New Shamburg, Dr. Shamburg. 2 rigs bdg 14 2 rigs bdg Hickory, 11 13

Total The Blue Jay well No. 2, in Forest county, has been the strike of greatest

interest to oilmen this month. It flowed so frequently and made such stitute, Beaver Pa., is the place to large flows that the most skeptical could not but believe that it was drawing its supply from a large deposit. Its average for the first few days after connection was made with the tank was 45 barrels a day. When it was turned into a new 600 barrel tank, a week ago yesterday, it was still O. H. Hunter & Son, "The new doing nearly 35 barrels. But the most trustworthy reports do not place its production to day at above 18 barrels. Oil was struck in this well at 1280 feet. This point corresponds with a formation which was drilled through in Blue Jay No. 1, in which gas was found, but no oil. In the latter well, the crude was struck nearly 200 feet deeper. To this latter sand, if it exists there, Blue Jay No. 2 has not been drilled, but it is drawing its oil from the same depth at which Blue Jay No. 1 found gas and no oil. The difference in the oil from the two wells also proves that it comes from district formations. The petroleum of Blue Jay No. 1, is 36 gravity ; of Blue Jay No. 2, 491 gravity, and the latter is a lighter color than the other. North and east of these two strikes, rigs are building, and more tests of that section will be made in a month or two. Dr. S. S. Towler writes from Marienville that the only operation in that vicinity is his own well, which is being deepened. The Doctor adds: "Everything calm enough here. Lots of spec-Shelby, Pulman & Hamilton's circus ulators, to put it mild, but 'grabs can't be made.' Sharks not wanted in Forest county."

## **Hickory Happenings**.

The weather presents a decidedly spring-like aspect and all seems gay. The schools of this township are all

. H. A. Smith, an old time resident Beaver, is crecting a house at Frog-The well is located on the southeast town with the intention of lending a in their new enterprise.

> Robert Stockton, who has for some time past been tending gates for Brace & Allen, has removed to Stowtown and taken charge of the mill, which was formally under the espionage of Charles Southworth, who, in connection with his brother, will supervise the manufacturing of lumber for Wheeler & Desenbury at Newtown Mills.

C. W. Albaugh has removed his worldly possessions to Albaugh Hill. Madam Gossip says his reasons for so doing were "that he might reposeunder the shadow of his father's wing -in peace, plenty and security, woth such time as that reducer of physical energies, Spring Fever, should take his departure for other climes.

While Beaver and Frogtown scem deserted and lifeless, Hickory, owing to the influx of raftsmen, is all life and hard work. The bulk of the work is rafting. Folks claiming to know whereof and whatof they speak, affirm that there is more lumber, timber, etc., to leave this port this spring than at any one time since its inception.

The time for the Annual Convention of Directors being not far distant, the common folks can see everywhere present candidates, while the directors who seem to be-especially on occasions of this kind-a favored class, not only sees a few intimate friends on short acquaintance, whose visage is all smirks and smiles, indicative of solicitude, condescention and expectancy, but feels as well the firm, ardent grasp of the right hand of fellowship, so full of meaning before the meetings of conventions and elections, but so easily dispensed with thereafter. He also has the unspeakable pleasure in scating himself in his easy chair, if he has one, and listening with bated breath and wrapt attention to marvels, and discrepancies revealed through the over ardent recital of certain biogra-ORIGINAL. phies.

-Beaver College and Musical Inlearn anything well, rapidly aud at moderate expense. Spring session opens April 4th, R. T. Taylor.

expense a year or two hance.

BLUE JAY DISTRICT. Farm. Operators.

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CHARLES RAISIG, PRACTICAL CARRIAGE AND WAGON MAKER. In rear of Blum's Blacksmith shop, ELM ST. - TIONESTA, PA lock.

issue. All work instrusted to Mr W., we can assure our friends, will receive prompt and careful attention. .- "Old Abe," the Wisconsin war,

eagle, died at the Capitol, in Madison, March 26th. All the State officials, keaded by the Governor, visited and viewed the resonants of this historical bird.

-The Tionesta creek froze over on Monday night at the mouth, and yesterday moruing was almost solid enough to bear the weight of a man. Pretty stiff freezing for the fourth day of April.

-The bars of this place were closed owing to the election on Saturday, from Friday night till Monday morning, something which has not happened within the recollection of the oldest inhabitant, we guess.

the house and lot lately occupied by Mrs. Jam, has given it an overhauling have a pleasant homestead.

-Mr. John Seiner, of Petroleum people of that sort. Centre, has purchased the Ittel property, at the lower end of town, and time. Mr. S. is well known to many of our people, and comes well recommended as a citizen.

-Mrs. H. H. Keeler, accompanied by her husband, of Bradford, and Mrs. Henry Cropp, of Pickwick, were a few days ago called home by the severe illness of their mother, Mrs. Sibble, of Dutch Hill. She is improving and is considered out of danger.

-Mr. Jas. K. Clark, of Barnett township, has purchased the property now occupied by Mr. Wolcott, on Water St., above the river bridge, and we are pleased to learn will move his family here in a short time and become a permanent resident in Tionesta.

the prospects of a good run of sleighing nying the virtues of the Hop plant, use instead of a spoon. this winter, and are making great and the proprietors of these Bitters preparations for stocking their mills, have shown great shrewdness and abilgetting in timber &c., &c. There's ity in compounding a Bitters, whose nothing like taking time by the fore- virtues are so palpable to every one's

-The following new officers of Tionesta Lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed will move his family here in a short at the regular meeting last Saturday evening :

> N. G., P. M. Clark. V. G., J. D. Dawson. Sec'y G. W. Sawyer. Ass't Sec'y, Eli Holeman. Warden, T. J. VanGiesen, I. G., W. Y. Siggins. R. S. N. G., J. H. Dingman. L. S. N. G., Jno. Osgood. R. S. V. G., S. H. Haslet. The remainder of officers being ab sent were not iustalled, but will be at next meeting.

papers, secular and religious. are having a large sale, and are supplanting -Our lumberman are jubilant over all other medicines. There is no daobservation .- Examiner and Chronicle. | Aug. 11, '80.

# Tidioute Talk.

Austin Wallace started last Wednesday for the Grandin Farm, Fargo, D. T.

O. D. Glenn will occupy the store formerly occupied by Louis Brennerholtz.

store," have moved their store back to Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cushing are down from Bradford to spend a few days in town.

The lecture by Mr. Oldham, Friday evening was good, bat was not very well attended.

Fred Monks and Wesley Kinnear are home from Meadville for a few

Mr Clark Benner returned home last Saturday from Arkansas, where he has spent the winter.

Miss Fanny Hazard and Miss Chapman, of Youngsville, were visiting triends in towa last week.

The Presbyterian social will be held at the residence of Maj. Curtis next Tuesday evening, April 12th. Everybody is cordially invited.

P. W. Ryan has closed out his meat market, and he, with his brother Matt., known as the Ryan Bro's., with George Marsh will soon start for St. Catharines, Canada, where they will meet

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with whom they are engaged.

Tidioute, April 4, 1881.

BANNER MUFFINS (Corn.)-Mix together one and a half pints corn meal, half pint wheat flour, half cup of powdered sugar, (if desired sweet,) one teasponful salt, two measures "Banner" Baking Powder, then rub in half tea-SHREWDNESS AND ABILITY .- Hop | cup cold lard ; stir into this three well Bitters so freely advertised in all the beaten eggs and one and a quarter to give us a call. All plows warranpints cold sweet milk. Bake in gem ted. 3t. ROBINSON & BONNER. pans in a quick oven. Each can of Banner Powder contains a measure to

> -Holeman & Hopkins have now for sale Clover and Timothy seed. 2t.

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## MARRIED.

CARPENTER-MILLER .- At the residence of the bride's parents in Byrom, N. Y., March 20th, 1881, by Rev. Mr. Martin, Justus B. Carpenter, of Newtown Mills, Pa., and Miss Jessie E. Miller.

The compliments and best wishes of the FOREST REPUBLICAN are cordially extended to Mr. Carpenter and his bet ter half. We hope they will set up housekeeping in Forest county, and that prosperity and happiness will be theirs through life.

### TIONESTA MARKETS.

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	Rye 7 bushel 60
1	Oats New P bushel + 45@48
1	Corn, car
ļ	Beans @ bushel 1.50@2.00
	Ham, sugar cured 11
	Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured 124
	Shoulders 7@8
1	Whitelish, half-barrels 5.75
l	Lake herring half-barrels 3.75
ļ	Sugar
	Syrup 75
1	N. O. Molasses new 50@75
	Roast Rio Coffee 20@25
	Rio Coffee, 18@22
	Java Coffee
	Tea
	Butter 24
	Rico 08601
	Eggs, fresh 1
	Salt best lab e 1.7
	Lard 1
	Iron, common bar 8.7
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