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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—JAS. MOSBROVE. Assembly—E. L. DAVIS. President Judge—W. D. BROCK. Associate Judges—JOHN RROWN, C. A. HILL.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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

MILES W. TATE, ATTORNEY AT LAW, TIONESTA, PA.

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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.

Rev. Hill will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Court week. Honey suckles are blooming. Quite a cold snap since Sunday. Fires didn't go bad.

Miss Copeland's school closes tomorrow. The others will last a week or ten days yet.

Miss Flora Haslet is visiting friends and relatives in Cooperstown, Venango county.

T. P. Ray, Esq., one of Meadville's prominent lawyers, attended court this week.

Mrs. Ed. Heibel, wife of our popular hardware dealer, is visiting her old home in Corry.

Geo. Holeman, accompanied by his wife, of Pleasantville, visited his father's family during the week.

Misses Eva Grove and Emma Ben, and Mr. Doran Ross, of Edenburg, visited at Mr. Joseph Grove's on Sunday last.

Mr. J. J. Parsons, of Jenks township, is to-day announced as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

During the greater part of last week mercury beat oil about 10 cents. Oil was only up to 80, while mercury stood at 90 most all week.

Prof. H. S. Brockway, of Tionesta, is to-day announced as a candidate for the nomination of Prothonotary, &c., subject to Republican usages.

Messrs. Albert and Wilbur Grove and John Hart returned home from the Bradford diggings last week. They are all looking well and happy.

Geo. J. Lacy, of Galena Mills, is the happiest man in Green township. It's a bouncing boy, and will make music for George for some time to come.

Mr. Geo. W. Osgood, of Kingsley township, is to-day announced as a candidate for the nomination of County Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

The Greenbackers of this county appointed Saturday, June 25, as the day for holding their primaries. The Democrats did not appoint a day but agreed to leave the matter with their chairman.

The Woman's Temperance Society will have a meeting in the M. E. Church on Tuesday, May 24. It is hoped that a good attendance will be had, as business of importance will come before the meeting.

Some kind of decked or cabin boat anchored above the river bridge Monday. We didn't learn what her cargo was. We suppose she is a friendly vessel and will be allowed to remain as long as she cares to.

Mr. Seldon May, of Norristown, Pa., brother of Mr. H. H. May and Mrs. Col. Thomas, is visiting his many old friends here at present. He is looking well, and evidently enjoying good health.

Col. Reisinger, of Meadville, attended court this week. Besides being one of the best newspaper men in the State, the Colonel beats 'em all catching trout. When a trout sees him it just flops over and gives up the ghost.

Mr. R. L. Huddleson has taken the contract of getting out a large number of railroad ties for Messrs. Derickson & Co., on Hunter Run, and has secured the services of Sim Cogan and John Noble to help him. What Bob don't know about making ties ain't worth knowing, and we predict he'll make a good speck on this job.

Last Wednesday W. C. Wilson, the Buckeye Blacksmith, whom we noticed last week having been married recently to Miss Maggie Holliday, was arrested at the instance of a woman claiming to be his wife. The same woman had [him arrested some two years ago in Venango county on a similar charge, but he was released after having a hearing. Mr. Wilson was held in the sum of \$600 bail to appear before Esq. Knox June 6th. The bail was promptly obtained.

Mr. L. Agnew, of Oil Creek Lake, has chartered the little steamer "Pearl" and is having her fitted up in No. 1 shape. Persons who contemplate excursions to this new and famous resort can make all arrangements by writing to Mr. Agnew—Corry Herald.

Clarion county Democrats are patriotic chaps, evidently. Over forty of them are announced as willing to serve the public in one capacity or another. Armstrong county Republicans are not far behind, however; nearly thirty of them are ready to be slaughtered.

Wheat and rye are looking splendid. Newly-sown oats are shooting up rapidly, and all kinds of farm produce bids fair to be abundant. The weather at this writing, however, looks a little as though we might have a frost, which will prove a serious damage to vegetation.

T. W. West, formerly of the Clarion Jacksonian, recently purchased the material of the late Emlenton Register, and will soon start a new paper in that place. Mr. W. is an old and experienced newspaper man and will doubtless make a success of the venture; we hope he will.

Attention is directed to the card of J. W. Morrow, M. D., which appears in to-day's paper. For the present the Doctor will have his office opposite the Lawrence House where he will be found at all business hours when not professionally absent. His boarding place is at the Rural House.

Representative Davis will please accept our thanks for a copy of the report of the special committee on the Attorney General's legislative salary opinion. It is a pleasure to know that Mr. Davis is fast gaining a reputation in the Legislature which is an honor to himself and a credit to the county. In debate he is ready and quick, and has gained many points which older members might feel proud over.

Baldwin's Official Railway Guide for May is certainly the best number yet published. In addition to its many other attractive features it contains a splendid railroad map of the New England and Middle States, including Ohio and Michigan, and part of Canada. This map alone is worth a whole year's subscription. Send 10 cents for a specimen copy to W. S. Baldwin, 42 Exchange St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. J. W. Morrow, of Armstrong county, Pa., is here looking over the field with a view to locating permanently. It is his intention to fit up an office and remain until he can get a suitable residence before bringing his family. Dr. Morrow comes well recommended as a physician and an upright, christian gentleman, and will doubtless have a good practice here, as our present physicians have, the greater part of our time, more than they can attend to.

The June number of Ballou's Illustrated Magazine is issued, and contains a seasonable and well-written illustrated article on Ireland, past and present. It should have an extensive reading. The thrilling Indian story of "The Crimson Trail" is finished, after killing off all the bad redskins and white scots. The magazine has a piece of music that is worth more than the price, and such an assortment of stories and sketches as no other publication in this country can produce, and its amusing department is just immense. Published by Thomas & Talbot, 23 Hawley Street, Boston, Mass., at only \$1.50 per annum.

We are in receipt of the May number of the "Saalfeld Ten Cent Library," published by R. A. Saalfeld, 839 Broadway, New York, the first number of which a few weeks ago we took great pleasure in commending to all lovers of music and presaged an immense success to the enterprising publishers. With the present number, just received, they have anticipated the wishes of the people, and have included a Lancers and Olivette, which has had a long run in London and is all the rage in New York; together with a beautiful set of Waltzes, the "Amatori," a charming song of Danks, "When first I saw my Darling's Face," and another piece. Catalogues mailed on receipt of a three cent stamp by the publisher.

As good as the best; as cheap as the cheapest—the "New Process Flour." Try one sack. Wm. Smearbaugh & Co.

A very interesting and instructive letter from our friend, Robert C. Shriver, of Kansas, will be found in this issue. He is evidently much in love with his new home, and thinks it the farmer's Paradise. We hope he will favor us with a letter frequently, as we are sure the many friends of himself and his excellent lady will be pleased to hear from them often.

A charter was granted by the Legislature on Thursday last to the Tionesta Railroad Co. Mr. D. W. Clark, Real Estate Agent of our place, has been appointed agent to secure the right of way for the road. We sincerely hope our citizens will take a right view of this matter, and see the advantages which they as individuals, as well as the county generally, will receive by the building of the road. There are large amounts of hemlock bark being burned every year by those clearing land, which could be sold and net a large profit to the parties clearing had they a means of conveying the same to market. And there are also large quantities of wood of all kinds, which now are comparatively worthless, which would bring a price sufficient to pay for the labor of cutting as well as pay for the timber, but which now are being burned merely to get rid of it. Turn in all, and if you can do nothing more, show to the world you are in favor of improvements.

Fagundus Fancies.

FAGUNDUS, PA., May 16, 1881.

The gentle showers come down; the fields look fresh and green; the trees are putting on their emerald robes; the joyousness of the birds bubbles forth in song. On every hill side is heard the tinkling of the cow-bell, keeping time to the motions of the wearer. All that is lacking to make spring complete is "the voice of the turtle." The farming part of the community is busy. All the available cleared patches of ground are being utilized.

Yesterday morning the Sabbath school bells sent their glad peals ringing through dale and dell; and responsive to the call a numerous group of young and old gathered at the church. The school was called to order by the Superintendent-elect, Mr. Hays Gillespie, and an organization was effected. The Vice-Superintendent, Mr. Geo. Scott, was very busy and showed himself a good organizer. The school promises to be very interesting.

The schools are all in successful operation. Miss Myers has been retained at the Poverty Hill school, and Mr. Williams at Berrytown; Miss Cox is in charge of the Fleming Hill school, and Mr. Thompson of the Fagundus school.

Singing school under the direction of Mr. J. F. Griffin is held on every Friday evening; A new term is just opening and more would do well to avail themselves of his excellent instruction.

Since our last communication Mr. L. M. Griffith moved with his family to Stoneham. We learn with regret that Mr. Griffith has been the victim of quite a serious accident.

Mr. Peter Berry is operating at Balltown. Mr. R. W. Pim is there rig-building. Robert can build a neat rig and do it expeditiously.

Miss Anna Maidens, one of our most esteemed young ladies, has gone to Lockport, N. Y., to visit her mother. R. B. Swalley is at present at Stoneham or vicinity.

Yours truly, JIM.

A Handsome Paper.

The Illustrated Scientific News for May is before us, looking handsomer, if possible, than any of the preceding issues. Since its change of publishers last January, this magazine has improved with each succeeding number. The present issue of the Illustrated Scientific News is overflowing with handsome engravings and interesting and instructive matter.

Among the various subjects illustrated in this issue is a superb specimen of cut glass ware; an exhaustive article on asphaltum and its use in streets and pavements; a new and ingenious hand-car, shown in operation; a new steel steamer for use in shallow rivers; the new jobert telescope, and an interesting paper on physics without apparatus, also fully illustrated.

Every number contains thirty-two pages full of engravings of novelties in science and the useful arts. To be had of all news dealers, or by mail of the publishers, Munn & Co., 37 Park Row, New York, at \$1.50 per annum; single copies 15 cents.

May Court Minutes.

Court convened Monday, at 2 o'clock p. m., with Judge Wm. D. Brown, and Associates Reck and Hill on the Bench. The following business was disposed of up to Tuesday evening:

F. H. Ellsworth vs. Frank Garvey; continued at cost of plaintiff.

J. A. Neill vs. Byron Landers; continued at cost of plaintiff.

Etta M. Wood vs. E. Fred Wood; case in divorce; Divorce decreed.

Partridge vs. G. K. M. Crawford and Patrick Powers; Garnishee; judgment against the Garnishee.

Commonwealth vs. Road Comr's of Tionesta twp.; continued, and defendants held in the sum of \$200 for their appearance at next term.

Three cases of Com. vs. Road Comr's of Howe twp.; continued to next term, and defendants held in their own recognizance in \$300.

License petitions of Wm. Smearbaugh and Jno. Woodcock granted, and petition of Edward Reid, of Foxburg, continued to argument term.

Case of E. R. Rose vs. Road Comr's of Howe twp.; continued at cost of plaintiffs.

Moyer vs. Haslet & Blaine on trial. On motion of M. W. Tate, Esq., T. P. Ray Esq., of Meadville, was admitted to practice law in the courts of Forest county. On motion of T. F. Ritchey, Esq., Frank Teed, Esq., of Cassadaga, N. Y., was also admitted.

KANSAS LETTER.

MCPHERSON CO., KAN., May 11, '81.

Dear Sir:—With eagerness do we look for the coming of your paper; how earnestly we peruse its columns, fraught with so much interest to us, as it brings to us tidings of our native home.

We notice in your late issue that Prof. J. E. Hillard has been elected Superintendent of the schools of your county; we feel gratified to learn this, and think the directors of Forest County have chosen well. We feel confident that the cause of Education will prosper under his superintendency. Education in this county, and indeed throughout the State, is advancing. A high standard of Education is sustained. McPherson Centre, the County seat of this County, (unlike Tionesta,) has voted to build a new school house, the present one being too small to accommodate its rapidly increasing population. A large opera house is about being completed here. McPherson also holds its annual Fairs. The population of this county is steadily increasing. The Government land (fit for agriculture) has all been taken up. The school lands—selling for about \$3 per acre, allowing 20 years for payment, (if desired), interest seven per cent.—are nearly all occupied. The Railroad lands, for sale on shorter time with greater rate of interest, are also being rapidly settled upon.

This county, known in history as a treeless region, except along its streams, we look forward to the time, (not for distant, we hope) when it will be known as the land of beautiful groves, if not of forests. The majority of the farmers are planting large groves on their farms to beautify them, as well as to protect them from storm. Passing through the country you will find many 40-acre groves; trees of most all kinds grow very rapidly. You will find many young orchards interspersed with and surrounded with cottonwood trees, to protect them from the high winds. Fruit, (except peaches) in this part of the State is very scarce. The wheat crop looks quite good notwithstanding the injury it sustained from the severe freeze about the first of April, and it is hoped if nothing befalls it, that there will be quite a good crop. We have had no frost since about the 14th of April. Farmers have about finished planting corn. The recent rains have kept them from planting earlier. We have had but very little windy weather this spring until now it is quite breezy; neither have we had any very severe storms since we came here. A little north of here a severe hail storm passed through recently doing some damage.

This County is represented by several of Forest County's former citizens. Stephen Norris, and J. Y. Parker and families, formerly from Stewart's Run, are enterprising farmers, owning a large amount of lands, and notwithstanding the losses sustained during the grasshopper season, and at other

times, are doing well. They are examples of what energetic citizens can do in Kansas. Thomas Dawson, of Forest county, has also been for many years a resident of this county. Miss Lou Range, of Stewart's Run, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Y. Parker, for some time. John Thompson, Jr., of the same place, who has been a citizen of this county for some time, started for New Mexico last week. Will Clark and wife, of Hunter Run, are also here and well pleased with the country; and as for me, give me Kansas in preference to old Forest for farming. While it has its disadvantages, it has many advantages, which far surmount its disadvantages. All farming is done by machinery. Of course it takes money to buy this, but judicious farmers clear enough to pay for this; it may be not in one year, but in a short time; and then you have the easy way instead of the old drudge way of farming.

Hoping my letter will prove interesting to a few of your readers, I remain, Yours Respectfully, R. C. SHRIVER.

TAYLOR CAKE—Take one-half pound butter, one-half pound brown sugar, one-half pint of warm water, one pint of molasses, two eggs well beaten, one tablespoonful ginger, one tablespoonful pure ground cinnamon, one tablespoonful pure ground cloves, two pounds of flour, with two measures Banner Baking Powder in it; drop in greased pans in an oven.

Walters Bros. have refitted and renovated their meat market and will hereafter keep on hand constantly a good supply of the best of meats. They ask a continuance of the generous patronage heretofore given them, and promise their customers first-class goods at the lowest prices. 2t.

THE GREAT BLESSING.—A simple, pure, harmless remedy, that cures every time, and prevents disease by keeping the blood pure, stomach regular, kidneys and liver active, is the greatest blessing ever conferred upon man. Hop Bitters is that remedy, and its proprietors are being blessed by thousands who have been saved or cured by it. Will you try it? See another column.—Eagle.

MARRIED.

EMERT—EISERT.—At Tylerburg, Pa., May 10, 1881, by Clinton Smith, J. P., Mr. Jas. Emert and Miss Dorcas Eisert, both of Tionesta township, Forest county.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY TUESDAY, BY RELIABLE DEALERS.

Table listing market prices for various goods like Flour, Corn, Pork, etc.

J. W. MORROW, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. Laid of Armstrong county, having located in Tionesta is prepared to attend all professional calls promptly and at all hours. For the present will have his office opposite the Lawrence House. may-18 81.

I. LORENZO FULTON,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

HARNESS, COLLARS, BRIDLES,

And all kinds of

HORSE FURNISHING GOODS.

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License Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Petition of Edward Reid, for Hotel License in the "Fox House," Foxburg, has been filed in my office and will be presented at next term of Court. Attest JUSTIS SHAWKEY, Tionesta, Pa., April 19, 1881. Clerk.



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CHARLES RAISIG,

PRACTICAL

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In rear of Blum's Blacksmith shop, ELM ST., TIONESTA, PA.