The Forest Republican

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 1, 1883.

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—D. S. KNOX.
Councilmen—*Justices*, W. A. Grove, T. B. Cobb; *Clerk*, Geo. W. Barnhart; *Chief Bgr.*, E. Blum; *Chr. W. Property*.
Justices of the Peace—J. T. Brennan, D. S. Knox.
Constable—James Swallen.
School Directors—S. J. Wolcott, J. H. Dingman, Jas. A. B. Kelly, G. W. Robinson, Geo. Scott.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—J. B. MONROVE.
Member of Senate—J. C. HARE.
Assembly—E. L. DAVIS.
President Judge—W. D. BROWN.
Associate Judges—JOHN REITZ, C. A. HILL.
Treasurer—N. S. FOREMAN.
Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c.—JUSTUS SHAWKEY.
Sheriff—O. W. CLARK.
Commissioners—H. W. LEDEBUR, J. S. HENDERSON, H. A. ZUENDELL.
County Superintendent—J. E. HILLARD.
District Attorney—T. J. VANGIESEN.
Jury Commissioners—H. O. DAVIS, J. GREENAWALT.
County Surveyor—R. F. WHITTEKIN.
Coroner—C. H. CHURCH.
County Auditors—G. W. WARDEN, J. A. SCOTT, R. B. SWALLEN.

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.

Q. JAMIESON, N. G.
G. W. SAWYER, Sec'y. 27-tf.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274, G. A. R.
Meets on the first Wednesday in each month, in Odd Fellows Hall, Tionesta, Pa.
D. S. KNOX, Commander.

E. L. DAVIS,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Tionesta, Pa.
Collections made in this and adjoining counties.

MILES W. TATE,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Elm Street, Tionesta, Pa.

T. B. WITCHEY,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Tionesta, Forest County Pa.

J. B. AGNEW,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Tionesta, Pa.

ATTENTION SOLDIERS!

I have been admitted to practice as an Attorney in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C. All officers, soldiers, or sailors who were injured in the late war, can 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.

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. J. B. AGNEW.
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LAWRENCE HOUSE, Tionesta, Pa., Wm. Smearbaugh, Proprietor. This house is centrally located. Everything new and well furnished. Superior Accommodations and strict attention given to guests. Vegetables and Fruits of all kinds served in their season. Sample rooms for Commercial Agents.

CENTRAL HOUSE, Tionesta, Pa., T. G. 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. 46-1y.

NATIONAL HOTEL, Tidioute, Pa., W. D. Bucklin, Proprietor. A first-class hotel in all respects, and the pleasantest stopping place in town. Rates very reasonable. jan8-82.

M. E. COOK, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
Office at the Central House, Tionesta, Pa. All professional calls promptly attended to.

J. W. MORROW, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
Late of Armstrong county, having located in Tionesta is prepared to attend all professional calls promptly and at all hours. Office in Smearbaugh & Co.'s new building, up stairs. Office hours 7 to 8 A. M., and 11 to 12 M.; 2 to 3 and 6½ to 7½ P. M. Sundays, 9 to 10 A. M.; 2 to 3 and 6½ to 7½ P. M. Residence in Fisher House, on Market Street. may10-81

G. 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

DENTISTRY.
DR. J. W. MORROW.
Having purchased the materials &c., of Dr. Steadman, would respectfully announce that he will carry on the Dental business in Tionesta, and having had over six years successful experience, considers himself fully competent to give entire satisfaction. I shall always give my medical practice the preference. mar22-82.

F. F. WHITTEKIN, Sheffield, Pa. H. C. WHITTEKIN, Tionesta, Pa.
WHITTEKIN BROS.,
Civil Engineers and Surveyors.
Land and Railway Surveying a Specialty. Magnetic, Solar or Triangulation Surveying. Best of Instruments and work. Terms on application.

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Interest allowed on Time Deposits.
Collections made on all the Principal points of the U. S.
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C. M. Shawkey,
(Successor to Beatman & Shawkey,)
Real Estate Agent & Conveyancer,
(Office at Court House,)
TIONESTA, FOREST COUNTY, PA.
PARTICULAR ATTENTION given to Land Searches, Briefs, Payment of Taxes, Redemption of Lands, Purchase of Lands at Treasurer's Sale. Will draw deeds, mortgages, agreements, &c. All business entrusted to my care will receive prompt attention. Everything done satisfactorily and at reasonable rates. 11jan82

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station.

NORTH.		SOUTH.	
Train 15.....	7:48 am	Train 63.....	11:05 am
Train 18.....	8:10 am	Train 10.....	1:45 pm
Train 9.....	3:59 pm	Train 16.....	8:20 pm

Train 15 North, and Train 10 South carry the mail.

—Preaching in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning and evening, by Rev. Hickling.

—Rev. Hicks will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.

—Presbyterian Sabbath School at 3 p. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10 a. m.

—Mr. L. Agnew of Union City, stopped in town last night.

—Judging from the past two days, Winter's back bone is no slouch of a back bone yet.

—Snow is reported to be about fourteen to sixteen inches deep yet in the "big woods."

—Ida, four-year old daughter of Joseph Weekly, of Nebraska, Pa., died on Tuesday, Feb. 27.

—The young people of town enjoyed a very pleasant dancing party at Haslet's hall on Friday evening last.

—The Baldwin Locomotive works, of N. J. are turning out one locomotive per day for the Pennsylvania Railroad.

—Lumber rafting has commenced in earnest in this county, and some of the firms have already finished and are ready for a flood.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Agnew arrived in town on Wednesday evening last, having been called hither by the serious illness of Mr. McKay.

—Surveyor Whittekin with his daring gang of assistants arrived in the burg yesterday, having been on a cruise in the new oil fields of Forest county.

—An examination of the pupils of the German Hill school was held the other day by the Co. Supt. assisted by W. B. Heath, and the teacher, Miss Kiser.

—Last week the snow all disappeared and for a time the weather was quite spring like, but the little skift of snow on Sunday night and Monday has made tolerably good sleighing again.

—Kelletville (Salmon Creek) begins to look like itself again, the road from the mill has been opened and Uncle Billy's trucks are going again. A wire ferry plies between the banks of the late belligerent Tionesta—opposite the factory.

—A Methodist Episcopal Quarterly Meeting for Tionesta circuit will be held in the M. E. Church, at Whig Hill, on Saturday and Sunday, March 10 and 11, 1883, commencing Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. John Peate will be present and officiate.

—We are pleased to learn that Wm. S. Baldwin Esq., has been elected General Passenger Agent of the new consolidated Buffalo, N. Y. & Phila. R. R. The Company has shown its appreciation of worth and ability in the retention of Mr. Baldwin.

—By reports from different parts of the country we hear that our timber is being rapidly bought up and mills are everywhere being put up. We have any amount of timber row, but a few years will make it very valuable on account of scarcity elswhere.

—Our narrow gauge railroads are now making first class connections. You can leave Marienville at 9:45 a. m. and get to Tionesta, via. the P. B. & B. R. R, and the T. V. R. R. and connecting lines, at 1:45 p. m., with 20 minutes for dinner at Irvineton.

—A new commet has been discovered, which the thick-skulled professors tell us is located in the constellation of Pegasus, near the star Beta. It was very thoughtful in the gentleman to tell just where the new celestial visitor was located, else we might have ruined our eye sight looking for the blarsted thing. It might also be proper to state that it requires a telescope several feet long to see it.

—Nothing was done at court this week that is of interest to the general reader. Licences were granted to T. C. Jackson, Tionesta; and the following persons in Howe twp.: W. H. Crowell, retail, John Reagan, hotel, P. J. Donnelly, eating house.

—The Department Commander of the G. A. R. of Pa., has ordered Assistant Adjutant General O'Flaherty, of Oil City, to install Post No. 311, at Tidioute, to-morrow, Thursday, evening. Several of the comrades of Captain George Stow Post, of this place, have signified their intention to take part in the ceremonies.

—This has been Court week in Tionesta, but had it not been for the ringing of the bell one would scarcely have known it. There being but few cases on the civil list, and none whatever on the criminal calendar, the jurors were notified that their services would not be required. This argues well for the morals of our county, and is a source of pride to every good citizen in it.

—Messrs. Whitney & Mandeville are running their Marienville hub factory on full time, turning out about four hundred hubs per day; they have their works equipped in the most convenient manner and with the most approved machinery. The time will soon come when they will drag a birch log in at one end of the factory, run it through, and bring out a finished and painted wagon at the other.

—As will be seen by notices published elswhere in this issue, the mercantile firm of Holeman & Hopkins, in this place has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. A. Holeman retiring, and Messrs. Eli Holeman, L. J. Hopkins and F. R. Landson taking his place; the firm name will hereafter be H. J. Hopkins & Co. While we are sorry to have Mr. Holeman retire from business in this place, we are pleased to think that his place is taken by such pleasant, energetic, and enterprising gentlemen. By square dealing, reasonable prices, and keeping in stock such goods as the community want, the firm has gained a very extensive patronage, which we feel satisfied the new firm will continue to have in the future. They have our best wishes for abundant success.

A Notorious Character Killed.

George Coyle, for many years the terror of new oil region towns, and who is known all through oildom as the most notorious ruffian in the diggings has at last met his death, and as is the case, generally, with such characters, died with his boots on. Since the new town of Forest City, has sprung up on the Cooper tract, this county, Coyle has been making that his headquarters, and as of old has been a terror to the well disposed citizens. It seems that on Monday he took occasion to slap an inoffensive man, who had in no way molested him, in the face whereupon the man, whose name, at this writing we have not learned, picked up a heavy stick of wood and struck Coyle on the head, crushing his skull from which he died. Coroner Church, of East Hickory was telegraphed for, but whether he reached there in time to hold an inquest we do not konw. Coyle is said to have been powerful in stature but a coward by nature, and when he got hold of a person whom he could handle would beat him unmercifully; on many occasions, however, he met his match, and has several times been beaten within an inch of his life. What the outcome of the affair will be cannot be told at present, but that little attention will be paid to it is a natural conclusion.

P. S.—Since the above was in type we learned the following different account of Coyle's death: He was engaged in a *row* on Saturday night, during which he received a shot in the foot. On Sunday the doctor administered chloroform for the purpose of extracting the ball, and it is said he died foom the effects of the drug. This is perhaps the true story.

NOTICE.

The undersigned have engaged in the Mercantile Business in the Holeman & Hopkins Iron Building, Tionesta, Pa., with a large stock of General Merchandise, and we shall buy our goods for *cash* and sell the same for cash, being content with quick sales and small profits.

1t H. J. HOPKINS & Co.

—For good fresh Goods cheap go to HASLET & SONS. Feb. 1, '82.

OIL NOTES.

Quite a number of wells are nearly ready to come in on and near the Cooper tract, all of more or less importance to the trade.

The Grandin, Kelly & Welsh well at Balltown, warrant 5236, and about 500 feet from the Brush Camp gusher, was drilled into the sand yesterday, and commenced flowing at a lively rate. Last night it was reported good for 200 barrels.

Wolcott & Co., at their well on Sugar Run, are down between 200 and 300 feet, and are now delayed by a break down. The drilling is very hard.

J. W. Searls & Co.'s well on the Walters farm, warrant 3820, Green twp., this county, is ready for the drillers who will commence to day.

Hancock & Kennedy are putting their Whig Hill well deeper, in the hope of still finding the much coveted oil bearing rock.

The Vensel well near Marienville, Sub. 54, is down 900 feet and guarded. No one is allowed to enter the derrick. That will be the next locality for scouts.

Death of Isaac Siggins.

Isaac Siggins, whose serious illness we noted last week, died at his home, West Hickory, on Saturday night, Feb. 24th, 1883. Mr. Siggins, as nearly as we are able to learn, was born near where he died, in the year 1812, and at the time of his death was 70 years and 5 months of age. His sickness was only of about six weeks' duration. Thus has another of the old landmarks been swept away by the ruthless hand of Death. The familliar form of Uncle Isaac Siggins was well known to those who had occasion to travel past his place. He was an energetic man in his younger days, and by that energy he amassed quite a fortune which kept him in ease and comfort in old age. He had some peculiar characteristics in his make up, one of which was that he never married; yet withal he was one of the most highly esteemed and respected citizens of our county. He was ever at peace with his neighbors, by whom he will be greatly missed. He leaves one brother who lives near Pleasantville, and a large number of nephews and nieces, among whom we understand he divides his fortune equally, showing that he had no favorites, but loved them all. The funeral took place Monday, his remains being laid to rest beside other relatives in the family burial lot, near the old homestead. Quite a number of old friends from this place attended. *Requiscat in peace.*

Stewarts Run.

In casting an Argus eye view over the vicinity we miss "Mart," who has gone to Mercer.

Mr. Bromley is laid up with a sore foot. Wield the axe more carefully next time, William.

Our protracted efforts closed last week; several members were added to the fold.

Sickness prevails in many of our neighboring households.

Home from Bradford—Rob. McIntyre, with his new wife.

It is whispered about that we're to have a wedding in the near future.

Flourishing—our Literary. Neilltown was well represented the last evening.

Who killed Elliot's "dorg?"

Feb. 26, 1883. ARGUS.

FROM ANOTHER COR.

Mrs. W. C. Bromley has been confined to her room with Congestion of the Lungs, she is now better.

The school is small in number at present, many of the pupils being sick with colds.

A good literary society is in progress here; it meets in the school house.

Clarington Notes.

School has closed.

We had quite a revival here this winter, lasting for six weeks.

Sleighing is leaving fast with the hard rains.

Mrs. Pearsall has come home again and is getting well quite fast.

Some few of our boys have wasted a great deal of money sending valentines to the girls. Dont be so foolish, boys; save your money.

Tommie, youngest son of Philo Williams, has been quite ill with "lung fever" but is now quite well again.

Clarington, Feb. 22, 1883. U. S.

NEW TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Following is a list of the new township officers of Forest county, chosen at the late elections:

BARNETT.

Constable and Assessor, Philo Williams; Justice of the Peace, J. J. Greenwalt; Road Com., W. D. Shields; Overseers of the Poor, Archie Black, Jas. Ward; Auditor, Samuel Shields; School Directors, Peter Gadley, Edward Kerr; Treasurer, Jacob Maze; Clerk, John Barton.

JENKS.

Consable and Assessor, Aaron Brockway; Justice of the Peace, S. S. Towler; Road Com., Z. Himes; Overseers of the Poor, S. F. Rohrer; Jno. Sallade; Auditor, Jas. T. Rose; School Directors, S. S. Towler, Jas. Cole; Clerk, Jas. A. Scott; Treasurer, Jno. Sallade.

HARMONY.

Constable and Assessor, C. E. Landers; Road Com., Jno. A. Dawson; Overseers of the Poor, W. J. Gorman, R. O. Carson; Auditor, A. E. Krotzer; School Directors, H. M. Zahniser, D. H. Bromley; Clerk, Sye Neill; Treasurer, Jno. Woodcock.

GREEN.

Constable and Assessor, Wm. Blum; Road Com., Fred Ledebur; Overseer of the Poor, Peter Youngk; School Directors, Wm. Longstreth, Marcus Benninger; Clerk, E. T. Loudon; Treasurer, Peter Youngk.

HOWE.

Constable, P. A. Black; Assessor, A. P. Anderson; Road Com'rs, Anthony Deet, Frank Fox; Overseer of the Poor, A. P. Anderson; Auditors, Warren Bean, W. A. Haynes; School directors, A. P. Anderson, Edward Klabbtz; Clerk and Treasurer, A. P. Anderson.

KINGSLEY.

Constable and Assessor, Geo. S. Hindman; Justice of the Peace, Dr. E. W. Smith; Road Com., Siebert Burhenn; School Directors, Levi Pearson, Jonas Shunk; Overseer of the Poor, J. H. Zuendell; Clerk, B. H. Rice; Treasurer, W. A. Dusenbury.

TIDIOUTE.

Where, oh! where are all the signs of spring?

Mrs. S. H. Evans is visiting her parents in Gilman, Ill.

The results of the elections are very satisfactory—to the Republicans.

The Presbyterian Church will hold another social Tuesday evening, at the residence of A. Dunn.

Miss Eva Berney has returned from Smalley's Mills, and is now attending the High school.

Washington's birthday was observed only by the pupils of No 6, who gave a very pleasant entertainment in place of their usual rhetorical exercises. The quaint costumes added much to the success of the evening.

The new oil exchange has been fitted up and will be opened in a few days.

Miss Ella Wheeler is very sick at present.

Mrs Neal, a temperance lecturer, preached in the M. E. Church Sunday evening and will lecture in Girard Hall to-night. BOB.

Feb. 26, 1883.

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Holeman & Hopkins, in the Mercantile Business in Tionesta, Forest Co., Pa., has this day been Dissolved by mutual consent; Mr. A. Holman having sold his interest in the business to Messrs. Eli Holeman, L. J. Hopkins and F. R. Lanson, who, with Mr. H. J. Hopkins, will continue the business under the firm name of H. J. Hopkins & Co. We thank our friends and patrons for all favors we have receivd from them in the past and ask that they extend to the new firm the same liberal patronage.

HOLEMAN & HOPKINS.

Tionesta, Pa., March 1st, 1883.

NOTICE.

Mr. A. Holeman will settle the business of the late firm of Holeman & Hopkins, and all persons knowing themselves indebted to them will please call and settle the same. The books will be found in charge of Mr. F. R. Lanson, at the Store of H. J. HOPKINS & Co., Tionesta. 1t

—J. D. Gosh & Co., Danville, Pa., say: "We know of several persons who have been restored to health by Brown's Iron Bitters."

—New Process flour, $1.25 per sack, at Wm. Smearbaugh & Co.'s. 3t

An Instautaneous Light.

Such in a word is the unique apparatus on exhibition at the rooms of the Portable Electric Light Company, 22 Water Street. It occupies the space of only five square inches and weighs but five pounds, and can be carried with ease. The light, or more properly lighter, requires no extra power, wires or connections, and is so constructed that any part can be replaced at a very small cost. The chemicals are placed in a glass retort; a carbon and zinc apparatus, with a spiral platinum attachment, is then adjusted so as to form a battery, and the light is ready. The pressure on a little knob produces an electric current by which the spiral of platinum is heated to incandescence. The Portable Electric Light Company was recently incorporated with a capital of $100,000, under the laws of Massachusetts. Some of the prominent business men of the State are identified with this enterprise. In addition to its use as a lighter, the apparatus can be used in connection with a burglar-alarm and galvanic battery.

School Reports.

TIONESTA SCHOOLS—5TH MONTH.

Room No 1. J. H. Bell, Principal. Whole number in attendance during the month 26; Average attendance 20; per centage of attendance, males 60, females 83. Names of those who have not been absent one day:

Byron Coburn.	Eda Knox.
Willie Morrow.	Effie Clark.
Lizzie Randall.	Flora Walters.

Room No 2. H. M. L. Dithridge, Teacher. Number of pupils enrolled boys 21, girls 17; Average attendance during month boys 18, girls 14; per cent. of attendance boys 85, girls 82. Names of those not absent during the month.

Hartman Lawrence.	Wm. Kepler.
John Clark.	May Knox.
Forest Bovard.	Rachel Dithridge.

Room No. 3. Aggie Kerr, Teacher. No. of pupils enrolled during month 47; average attendance 43; per cent. 94. Names of those present every day during the month:

Wilbur Tate.	Eva Eagles.
Curtis Huddleson.	Minnie Landers.
Harry Davis.	Tillie Morrow.
Clyde Shriver.	Birdie Chadwick.
Percy Shoemaker.	Ella Albaugh.
Willie Shoemaker.	May Huling.
Bennie Kelly.	Adaline Huling.
Harry Saul.	Bessie Tate.
Frank Carr.	Hattie Saulsgiver.

Edward Dithridge

Report of Clarington School for the month ending Feb. 13, 1883, Rebie Braden, Teacher: Number of pupils enrolled during the month 31; average attendance 24; per cent. of attendance 78. During the month eleven of the pupils were present every day. We had a term of five months and the following pupils came every day during that time:

Robert Williams.	Rebecca Williams.
Frank Heasley.	Della Heasley.

WANTED,

A first class Wagon Maker. Good location and shop rent free. Address or apply to Wm. Blum, Tionesta, Pa.

MARRIED.

CONNELLY—BARR—At Allender Run, Monday, Feb. 5, 1883, by James F. Connelly, J. P., Mr. Harvey F. Connelly of Harmony twp., Forest Co. and Miss Sadie F. Barr, of McGraw Center, Warren Co., Pa.

BRADISH—OTTO—On Sunday evening, Feb. 25, 1883, at the residence of and by James F. Connelly, J. P., Mr. George Bradish, of Harmony twp., Forest Co., and Miss Nettie Otto, of Allegheny twp., Venango Co., Pa.

WINEGARD—WAGNER—At the residence of the bridegroom, on Sunday, Feb. 25, 1883, by Rev. J. J. Raisig, Mr. Chas. Winegard and Miss Mary Wagner, both of Tionesta twp., Forest county, Pa.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY TUESDAY, BY RELIABLE DEALERS.

Flour ℔ barrel choice	4.00@6.75
Flour ℔ sack,	1.15@1.65
Corn Meal, 100 lbs	1.50@1.60
Chop feed, pure grain	1.50
Corn, Shelled	85
Beans ℔ bushel	1.50@3.00
Ham, sugar cured	16
Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured	16
Shoulders	13
Whitefish, half-barrels	8.50
Lake herring half-barrels	5.50
Sugar	9@11
Syrup	75
N. O. Molasses new	80
Roast Rio Coffee	15@22
Rio Coffee,	12½@18
Java Coffee	28@30
Tea	20@90
Butter	28@30
Rice	8@10
Eggs, fresh	52
Salt best lake	1.50
Lard	16
Iron, common bar	3.75
Nails, 10d, ℔ keg	4.00
Potatoes	75
Lime ℔ bbl.	1.50
Dried Apples per ℔	10
Dried Beef	18
Dried Peaches per ℔	10
Dried Peaches pared per ℔	26