The Forest Republican.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1883.

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Councilmen—North ward, H. M. Foreman, C. M. Shawkey, A. M. Doutt; South ward, W. A. Eagles, J. H. Fones, A. H. Dale.
Justices of the Peace—J. T. Brennan, D. S. Knox.
Constable—James Swailes.
School Directors—G. W. Robinson, A. B. Kelly, J. H. Dingman, D. S. Knox, J. W. Morrow, H. S. Brockway.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—JAS. MOSGROVE.
Member of Senate—J. G. HALL.
Assembly—E. L. DAVIS.
President Judge—W. D. BROWN.
Associate Judges—JOHN RECK, C. A. HILL.
Treasurer—N. S. FOREMAN.
Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c.—JUSTIS SHAWKEY.
Sheriff.—C. W. CLARK.
Commissioners—H. W. LEDERUR, J. S. ANDERSON, H. A. ZUENDELL.
County Superintendent—J. E. HILLARD.
District Attorney—T. J. VANGIESEN.
Jury Commissioners—H. O. DAVIS, J. GREENAWALT.
County Surveyor—F. F. WHITTEKIN.
Coroner—C. H. CHURCH.
County Auditors—G. W. WARDEN, J. A. SCOTT, R. B. SWAILEY.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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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.

—There will be United Presbyterian services in the Presbyterian Church on Sabbath, Dec. 30, by Rev. J. M. Witherspoon.

—Rev. Hicks will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church next Sunday evening, at 7:30.

—Presbyterian Sabbath School at 12:30 p. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10 a. m.

—Next week being holiday week, no paper will be issued from this office. Our next issue will occur January 2, 1884. A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

—Fun at the Court House to-night.

—Miss Dollie Hood is again quite seriously ill.

—All the Holiday attractions seem to be at H. J. Hopkins & Co's. 1t

—Oil Market closed last night at $1.13. Opened this morning at $1.12⅞.

—Rev. O. B. Clark of Jamestown, N. Y. is shaking hands with old freinds here this week.

—Messrs Benjamin and Selden May, of Norristown, Pa., are with Tionesta friends this week.

—Conrad Sibble, of Dutch Hill, rejoices over the arrival at his domicile, last Thursday of an eleven pound boy.

—It looks now as though the coming Christmas would not be so green as it might be. The sleighing at this writing is quite fair.

—Mrs. Annie, wife of John Nellis, and daughter of Mrs. Noble of this place, died at her home near Parker, Pa., on Wednesday last.

—The famous Tennesseeans, spoken of in our last issue, are to be here on the 28th, and will sing in the evening in the Partridge Building first floor.

—By an appointment of Presbytery Rev. Hickling will preach at Marienville, next Sabbath, hence there will be no Presbyterian services in this place on that day.

—Postmaster Arner has moved into his new house in rear of the court house lot, and Billy Klinestiver, his deputy, has moved into the house just vacated by the P. M.

—In another column will be found a list of pensioners of this county. There are fifty-four in all, some of whom have since removed from the county, and some have recently died.

—Frank Walker has got his oyster saloon fairly under way and is prepared to set up a hot stew, or warm meal of any kind for that matter, on short notice, at all hours, and in good style. Give him a call.

—Don't forget the shooting match for turkeys, chickens, &c., at Prit. Agnew's place, 'tother end of the creek bridge, next Saturday. There'll will be lots of fat fowl there and a good time may be expected.

—The time table of the B., N. Y. & P. R. R. has been revised and will be found correct in our paper to-day. One can now take the morning train here, go to Olean, N. Y., and return the same evening, without change of cars.

—Col. Reisinger was in town yesterday and called at our office. He was feeling good to think that in a few days he was to step down and out of the printing business and take a good rest. Our best wishes attend him.

—While assisting to extinguish a a fire at Balltown last Thursday, County Surveyor-elect H. C. Whittekin slid off the roof of a shanty and dislocated his left arm at the elbow. He is able to be around by the aid of a sling although the injured member is still quite painful.

—The crew on John Osgoods timber job on Ross Run, consisting of P. Phelps, J. Kilmer, G. Niger, A. Fulmer, O. Jam and J. C. Venner, made in one day 2056 cubic feet of timber. We are not posted on what constitutes a days work for six men but it strikes us this is good.

—The beautiful Cantata entitled "Santa Claus," will be rendered by the Sunday Schools of this place at the Court House on Monday evening next. Rehearsals have been going on under the directions of Supts. Dingman and Ritchey for several evenings past, and our people can rest assured that the entertainment will be a very enjoyable one. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Representative Davis arrived at home from Harrisburg last Wednesday, and we are glad to know that he didn't act the demagogue by covering a lot of his lawfully earned money back into the Treasury for the sake of a little political buncombe. It was the show of Governor Pattison and his pets, and if they wanted to save the expense to the State they should have paid it themselves.

—The ball to take place on the 28th of this month under the auspices of Forest Lodge, A. O. U. W., of this place, promises to be the most gorgeous event of the season. Invitations have been issued and nearly all arrangements completed. The party will be a very respectable gathering, one to which any gentleman many bring his better half, or any young man his best girl, without the fear of mangling with any rough or disorderly element. The committee in charge will see that perfect order prevails and that every guest is pleasantly entertained. The supper will be one of the attractive features of the occasion, and to those who do not wish to dance it will be doubly attractive. But the most important will be the music, and when we state that Reig's famous orchestra, of Warren, Pa., five pieces, has been secured we think that will suffice to bring out the lovers of the dance. Altogether an enjoyable time may be expected by those who attend. The hall will be handsomely decorated.

The Institute.

As we go to press the Teachers' Institute is in session and to judge from the number of teachers in attendance and the interest manifested it will be one of the most profitable and successful sessions in every way that has yet been held. The organization took up most of the time Monday afternoon, but in the evening an immense crowd was attracted to the Court House to hear the lecture of Gen. Theron P. Keator advertised for that evening. The first feature of the program was the address of welcome delivered by Supt. Hillard and the response by Miss Nellis of President. Both were excellent and delivered in a clear and attractive manner. Miss Maud Davis rendered some very grand selections of music on the piano, that elicited the heartiest applause from the immense audience. Tionesta certainly has cause to be proud in the possession of so accomplished a pianist as Miss Davis. The lecturer of the evening was then introduced by the Supt. and for two hours he held the audience from the oldest to the youngest, in wrapt attention, while they traveled, in mind, around the world and saw the "Queer and curious Things which he had seen." There was perhaps not one in the vast assemblage who begrudged the quarter they had given for admittance. The knowledge there gained was worth five times the admission fee, and we know every body was well satisfied. Of the day session yesterday we have no report, but understand the exercises were quite interesting. Last evening another large crowd was royally entertained at the court house by Miss Exdell and Miss Davis in the musical line, and by Prof. Langley with a good lecture on reading.

Property Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have purchased from Samuel M. Cussins the following property viz: 1 yoke 3 year old steers, milk cow, 2 stoves and cooking utensils, 2 beds and bedding, 1 sewing machine, 20 bu. potatoes, and all his personal property, all of which I have left in his possession to be removed at my pleasure. All persons are hereby warned not to meddle with or remove the same.

SUSANAH CUSSINS,
Cooksburg, Forest Co., Pa., Oct. 5, 1883.

Another Land-Mark Gone.

Amza Purdy was born in Steuben county, N. Y., October 10, 1808. He came to Venango (now Forest) county with his father in 1826, the family settling at what is now known as Oldtown, Tionesta township, where they resided for several years. It was here where Amza made the acquaintance of Miss Lucy Phelps, then a young lady near his own age, to whom he was married in 1838. He has been a resident of the county ever since, excepting about a year and a half. About sixteen years ago he sold his farm at the mouth of Ross Run and moved to Chautauqua county, N. Y., and from thence he went to Kansas, where he remained one winter, and then returned to this county, bought a farm in Green township, and has resided there ever since, something like fifteen years.

Mr. Purdy had been rather a robust man until within the last year or two, when his health began to fail rapidly. He attended the last election, in November, which was about the last act of importance he was able to perform. For about four weeks he had been confined to his bed. Although suffering much during his confinement his last hours seemed very peaceful, and he passed away without a struggle at about two o'clock in the morning of Friday Dec. 14, 1883. His aged wife survives him.

Mr. Purdy has ever been one of our best citizens, and no more honorable, straight-forward, upwright man ever lived in our midst. He was highly respected by all who knew him, and particularly so by those who have known him the longest. He has truly "borne, without abuse, the grand old name of Gentleman."

The funeral occurred on Sabbath last, his remains being interred in the Evangelical Cemetery on Dutch Hill A large concourse of old friends and neighbors attended the last sad rites.

OIL NOTES.

Porcupine No. 15, started off about as was expected from its location. It is better than No. 14, but not as good as No. 12; it being located between these two wells. It had declined Saturday to about a 400 barrel rate, when it was drilled deeper, and its production increased. The latest news received last night was that it would make about 500 barrels in twenty-four hours.

Grandin No. 18, on 5,236 is due the early part of this week. This company's wells are usually due a day or two before they become opened, so that its exact date cannot be guessed at. The well is across Tionesta Creek, southwest from No. 17, and is in advance of developements in that direction. Its distance southwest from No. 17 is about 50 rods. The well should be a producer as it is located on a good line, and there would be no surprise if it made 300 or 400 barrels the first twenty-four hours, if it is drilled deep enough in the sand.

The Balltown production last Friday, was 3,962 barrels.

The Dutch Oil Co., No. 4, has been delayed by a crooked hole. It is 300 feet deep.

The Balltown Oil Company have a rig nearly completed for No. 8, and are drilling at No. 17, at a depth of 250 feet. As they will have to case in this well at a depth of about 800 feet, in order to shut off the salt water, its completion will be greatly delayed. The same company has a rig up for No. 16, but do not intend drilling it before next spring.

East Hickory Etchings.

The mild weather prophet has retired to a warmer clime, and Winter has briskly seated himself on his proper throne, though the snowy mantle he wears is not so thick and heavy as it was last year. No sleds running yet, so there is not much prospect of a hundred day's sleighing this season.

Although the approaching holidays are not so vividly foreshadowed in the country as in the cities and towns where show-windows vie with each other in brilliancy of color and variety of arrangement, yet even here we have a taste of the season of "good will to men." One of the Sunday schools anticipate to a pleasant evening for scolars and teachers.

The schools are closed for "Institute week," so nearly or quite a hundred scholars are turned loose. The boys to dream of trapping, hunting, and skating, the girls to plan little surprises for home friends, and the little ones, Ah! the little ones are the happy ones these days. What glorious visions of that dear old Santa Claus dance through thier busy brains? A little girl of my acquaintance was told that the gifts found in her stocking were placed there by loving friends, yet with the faith of childhood in the old legend she persisted, "I know there's a Santa Claus, and a Mrs. Santa Claus and he lives at the North Pole and has a big store full of toys." So it is hard for callow minds to separate the spirit of giving as typified by the good St. Nicholas, from the real flesh and blood old gentleman himself, with his white beard, jolly face, reindeers, sledge, and pack.

The mills, several of them at least in the neighborhood have shut down for a brief breathing spell.

Our genial merchant Mr. T. J. Bowman is doing a flourishing business, if crowded store and busy clerks are any sign.

We wish the good people of the vicinity would turn out *en masse* and build a sidewalk from the school house to the new bridge. There is now one completed from Mr. Wheeler's residence to Mr. Ed. Witherill's, almost to the school, from above, and if it only continued to the P. O. and thence to the bridge, what a boon to pedestrians it would be. But these "etchings" must be stopped, as you are so busy with Court proceedings and Teachers' Talks this week, outside items will lose their interest.

HICKORY

Dec. 17, 1883.

Court Minutes.

Minutes of the Court up to last night are as follows:

Helen S. Thomas vs. B. J. Reed, ex'r, verdict for plaintiff for $1,601.71.

S. T. May vs. Same, verdict for plaintiff, $1,296.

CASES CONTINUED.

Salmon Creek Lumber Co., vs. Dusenbury.
Blaine vs. Swaggart.
Range vs. Thomson.
Ford vs. Proper, two cases.
Dawson vs. Dale, plaintiff takes non-suit.
McLaughlin vs. McCloskey, settled.
Tucker vs. Shamburg, settled.
Thompson vs. Williams, settled.
Carpenter vs. Wheeler & Dusenbury, new trial refused.
McHenry vs. Stockwell, tried before law Judge in September and verdict for plaintiff.

CRIMINAL.

Cases of Commonwealth vs. John & Steven Bush tried. Jury brings in verdict of guilty of felonious shooting with intent to commit murder. Not yet sentenced.

Advertised Letters.

Remaining in Tionesta, Pa., P. O., Dec. 26, '83.

F. Emry.	Howard Flinn.
Miss Rosa Irwin.	Mr. Ray.
Jennie Williams.	G. W. Walker.

If not called for within 30 days will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

C. M. ARNER, P. M.

JURY LIST—SPECIAL TERM.

The following persons have been drawn to serve as Jurors for the special term of court appointed for the third Monday of January, 1884:

Geo Holeman	Tionesta Boro.
Otto Raisig	"
Geo W Albaugh	"
Wm Patterson	Barnett.
Hiram Irwin.	"
J C Knight	"
John Eck	"
S H Cook	"
S N Flowers	Green.
F C Lacy	"
Wm Harrison	"
John Dekrager	"
Joseph Knapp	"
A J Small	"
Lyman Cook	"
James Walton	"
Thos McCady	Harmony.
R M Herman	"
D F Copeland	"
Harvey Connelly	"
D H Bromley	"
W L Anderson	Hickory.
Joseph Mealy	"
J Lusher	"
N G Ball	"
Hiram Heath	"
McClure Dotson	Jenks.
Amos S Walton	"
E D Miller	Kingsley.
John Wilson	"
John Burrhenn	"
J M Haslet	"
Winfield Setley	"
Wm Puffenberger	"
David Platner	Tionesta.
Eli Strain	"
Lewis Wagner	"
C G Huff	"

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Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned, professionally or otherwise, will please call and settle by note, if they have not the cash to pay. I have a great deal standing on my books and must get them settled up at least once a year. Call between this and the first of January. J. M. BURKETT, M. D.

Clarington, Pa., Nov. 14, 1883.

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December 11, 1883. 2t.

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Settle your account with me by Jan. 1st, 1884, with cash or note, or pay costs after that date, sure. I mean "biz." JOHN RECK.

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MARRIED.

MORSE—RILEY—At the home of the bride's parents, in Forest County, Dec. 12, 1883, by Dr. W. L. Riley, assisted by Rev. F. M. Small, Mr. Alonzo Morse and Miss Anna M. Riley.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

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Flour ℔ barrel choice	4.75@7.00
Flour ℔ sack,	1.15@1.70
Corn Meal, 100 lbs	1.50@1.75
Chop feed, pure grain	1.40
Corn, Shelled	85
Beans ℔ bushel	1.50@3.00
Ham, sugar cured	16
Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured	15
Shoulders	11
Whitefish, half-barrels	8.50
Lake herring half-barrels	5.50
Sugar	9@11
Syrup	75
N. O. Molasses new	80
Roast Rio Coffee	16@24
Rio Coffee,	15@20
Java Coffee	28@30
Tea	20@90
Butter	30
Rice	8@10
Eggs, fresh	30
Salt best lake	1.50
Lard	12½
Iron, common bar	3.25
Nails, 10d, ℔ keg	3.75
Potatoes	45@50
Lime ℔ bbl.	1.50
Dried Apples sliced per ℔	11
Dried Beef	18
Dried Peaches per ℔	10
Dried Peaches pared per ℔	25

Court Proclamation.

At an adjourned term of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County held on November 1st, 1883, a special venire was ordered for the trial of Civil Cases in said Common Pleas Court, to meet on the Third Monday of January, A. D. 1884, at 2 o'clock P. M.

BY THE COURT.
Attest, JUSTIS SHAWKEY,
Prothonotary.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have this day been appointed Administrator of the Estate of L. W. Hotchkiss, late of Harmony Township, deceased, and all persons owing said Estate or having bills against the same will present same for settlement.

ELIZABETH A. HOTCHKISS.
Dec. 15, 1883. Perry, Forest Co., Pa.

NOTICE,

Is herby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Hickory Bridge Co. will be held at Hickory Station, Forest county, Pa., on the 8th day of January, 1884, for the purpose of submitting the question of the issuing of bonds, and to giving a mortgage to secure the same to raise money with which to provide for the indebtedness incurred or to be incurred in building said bridge.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
Attest ORION SIGGINS, Secretary.

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