BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Rurgess.—ELI HOLEMAN.
Connectmen.—North ward, H. M. Foreman, J. R. Clark, W. L. Klinestiver.
South ward, J. H. Fones, W. A. Eagles, Chas, Bonner. Justices of the Peace-J. T. Brennan,

D. S. Knox.
Constable—Pritner Agnew.
School Directors—G. W. Robinson, A.
B. Kelly, J. H. Dingman, D. S. Knox, J.
W. Motrow, E. L. Davis.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

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Associate Judges—Lewis Anner, Jno. A. PROPER

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District Attorney-P. M. CLARK. July Commissioners-H. O. DAVIS, DARIO WALTERS. County Surveyor-H. C. WHITTERIN. Coroner-Dr. J. W. Morrow. County Auditors-J. A. Scott, Thos. Coran, Guo. Zuandel.

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TIONESTA LODGE No. 369. I. O. of O. F MEETS every Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Partridge's Hall. G. W. KERR, N. G.

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I have now for sale-79 Acres of War rant 5197, Kingsley twp.; 390 Acres of 5186, and 136 Acres of 5214, in same township, 1000 acres, Warrant 2836, Tionesta twp.; 143 neres known as "Lilley Farm," Allegheny Township, Venango Co.; 70 acres near Enterprise, Warren Co. Also vacant lots in Tionesta Boro, and one small farm in Tionesta Township.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station.

NORTH. SOUTH. Train 28..... 7:37 am Train 63..... 10:55 am Train 62.... 7:52 am Train 29.... 1:18 pm Train 30.... 3:52 pm Train 31... 8:16 pm Train 28 North, and Train 29 South car-

Church and Sabbath School.

Preaching in M. E. Church every Sab-bath evening by Rev. Small. Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:00 a. m.

-Court next week.

-Next Monday will be Washington's birthday, and a legal holiday.

-The ice still remains in Tionesta creek above Newtown.

-The elections in this borough and township passed off quietly yesterday. -One little touch of groundhog weather makes a whole community

-The sleighing is pretty badly damaged hereabouts, but back on the hills it is said to be still fair to

-W. H. Roth of Oil City was in town last Friday, and visited the Morck & Beatty well on 5503, Green

-Mrs. T. J. VanGiesen, of Edenhurg, accompanied by her two youngest children, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sloan.

-Mr. B. F. Morris has sold the Warren Ledger to Messrs. D. D. and F. E. Reed. Mr. Morris is still editor of the paper.

-The revival meetings are still in progress at the M. E. Church and are well attended. Prayer meeting every afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

-Last Saturday was generally utilized as Valentine day, and the P. O. D. was somewhat enriched by the cancellation of numerous one cent stamps.

-The remains of James A. Mealy, who was killed at Marienville, were buried at his former home near Newmanville, on Friday of last week, Rev. Small conducting the services.

-Chas. Lawson, the gentlemen who was so frightfully mjured at Eagle Rock on 5th inst., is getting along quite well considering the nature and severity of his hurts, so his physicians

-The cold turn in the weather Monday night has made things "all solid" along the river flats, and the huge piles of ice are to be housedover and kept for use in the harvest field next summer.

Democrat speaks of having received elected: "a note from Paradise after he had gone to press." We hope the brother won't be obliged to make such an announcement "after he has gone hence."

-Hab. W. Roberts, who has charge of a large gang of men and oversees the carpenter work on the Buffalo Division of the B., N. Y. & P. R. R., stopped a few hours in town Monday. He had a force of men at work on the trestle at West Hickory.

-We learn from the Raton, New Mexico, Comet, that "B. F. Caldwell, who resigned his position recently in the Santa Fe shops, has been appointed general foreman of the Atlantic & Pacific shops at Albuquerque, and will enter upon his duties at once." We understand our old friend Benjamin has dropped into a position which brings him \$200 a month.

-Under the head of "Missing Links," the Harrisburg Telegraph informs us that the marriage of a girl of ten years and eight months to a man of thirty years is reported by good authority from Suwanes County, Pennsylvania. The girl's father is a minister, and the ceremony was performed by his consent. The "Missing Link," in this case is a map of Pennsylvania, showing thereon the location of Suwanee County .- Elk Advocate.

-Mr. W. Byrom, of Byrom's Mill's, Forest county, was in town yesterday for the first time for over three months, On the 2d, of last November his right leg was crushed between the knee and ankle, and he is just getting able to be around .- Clarion Rep. Gazette.

-Dr. Shamburg of West Hickory, Pa., lost his lemon and white setter dog, a pup of six months, answering to the name of "Fritz" The Dr. values the dog particularly on account of having been a present to him, and will give a suitable reward to the one returning him.

-Mr. Geo. F. Watson, of Hickory township, is likely to become a citizen of our town in the pear future. He has been negotiating with Mr. A. B Kelly for the purchase of his fine residence, and if successful will move here in the spring. All our people would welcome Mr. Watson and family to our borough. In the event of a sale Mr. Kelly would build a new mansion the coming summer.

-Peterson's Magazine for March is a beauty. The articles are all of the usual high character which distinguishes "Peterson." There is a charming steel engraving, "Dear Mamma"; a mammoth colored fashion plate; a colored pattern for Java canvas; and lar in that part of the town was floodnot less than fifty wood-cuts, illustrating fashions, embroidery-patterns, etc. The price is but two dollars a year, which places it within the reach of all. Now is a good time to get up clubs. Address Charles J. Peterson, 306 Chestuut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Borough and Township Elections.

A citizens cacus for the borough was held in the Universalist Church on L. Davis, and others. Most of these Monday evening, which was largely had potatoes, fruit and other eatables attended, more votes being cast in fact, in their cellars that were either badly than at the regular election yesterday: The interest was principally contered in the nomination of candidates for school director. The ticket as nominated was elected, and is as follows:

Burgess, John Reck. Councilmen,
I. J Hopkins,—North Ward
C A Randall,—South Ward
High Constable, S S Canfield Constable. S S Canfield. Tax Collector, C M Arner. Assessor, C M Arner. School Directors, W Clark. C M Shawkey. Overseers of the Poor, A B Kelly-2 years. Patrick Joyce-1 year. Auditors,
Auditors,
J F Proper,
T F Ritchey,
Judge of Elections,
G W Sawyer,
Inspector of Elections,
W Y Siggius,
R B Crawford R B Crawford.

IN TIONESTA TOWNSHIP The election was quite spirited, the offices of road commissioner and two school directors being the principle bone of contention. A rather singuler coincidence occurred in connection with the office of road commissioner: At a caucus of the citizens en Saturday the names of Wm. Hood and P. C. Blocher were presented; three ballots were taken and each resulted in a tie between the gentlemen. It was then agreed that both candidates be placed in the field and voted for at the election. This was done, and, strange to say, another tie resulted. -The editor of the Brookville Following is the township ticket as Constable,

> Philip Emert. Road Commissioner, P. C. Blocher. Tie Tax Collector, G. W. Zents. Overseers of the Poor, Henry Rhodes. Auditor, George Weant. Township Clerk, Charles Weingard. School Directors, Q. Jamieson, Henry Wolf. Inspectors of Election, Joseph Mong, George B. Armstrong. Judge of Election. J. H. Wentworth. Assessor, Philip Emert. Treasurer, William Lawrence.

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the business partnership existing between the undersigned and P. V. Mercilliott, as butchers, etc., has ceased to exist, and that from this date the undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted.

JAMES WALTON. Marienville, Forest Co., Pa., Feb. 1st,

FLOOD OF 1886.

The break-up of February 13th, 1886, will long be remembered by the inhabitants of Tionesta and vicinity as the severest since 1861. The nat. Cobb & Co., have arrangements comural flood of 1865 was much more se pleted for the erection of a mill on the vere generally, but not in this place, ground below the depot, where Derickand the water at that time was no son & Co's mill formerly stood. It is higher at this point, nor was it accom- the intention of the new firm to manpanied by ice; it came on more grad- ufacture all kinds of lumber, staves, ually, thus giving the people time to &c., from the timber of our surround-

river here on Saturday forenoon about length which they propose to manueleven o'clock, and had been running facture into kegs, firkius, barrels, etc., fully 20 minutes before any danger for use in various branches of trade. was apprehended, and the people A patent dry kiln will be erected with along the river front had come to the a capacity of several thousand staves, conclusion that the worst was over, and which will season lumber in 36 when the ice gorged in the main chan- bours, so that orders can be filled on nel at the head of Dustin island, half the shortest notice. The new deal a mile below town, thus forcing the will furnish employment to at least a entire body of floating ice through the score of men, besides giving those in channel between the head of Dustin this vicinity who have small lots of and foot of Hunter islands. Then the white oak and other timber a market water came rushing back, and before for their wares, at good prices and people had time to realize what was spot cash. In connection with this going on the whole flat or lower part plan the firm has given Mr. E. S. of the town was inundated, so that Hoyt a contract for manufacturing boats were easily floated over five-foot shingles on Hunter Run and he will fences. Ice was piled from 10 to 15 move his mill forthwith to that locafeet high along Front St. Every cel- tion. ed, and in many instances furniture floated around in the house in water two and three feet deep. As a consequence all sustained more or less loss, among whom are Jas. G. Carson, S. S. be done here and the profits reaped by Canfield, Mrs. Saul, Isaac Shimp, home talent, as it were, much of which Wm. Guiton, Ed. Sanner, J. R. Chad- will be spent and circulated among wick, Andrew Carr, J. H. Dingman, our citizens. We wish the new deal Mrs. Dr. Hunter and family, W. Y. abundant success, and hope it will Siggine, John Hart, Moses Hepler, E. damaged or ruined entirely.

AT EAST HICKORY

We learn a great deal of damage was done, the town being nearly all submerged. Several roads of the approach to the east end of the bridge rafting would incur some risk. were swept away. The railroad track over West Hickory flats was covered travel completely during the day. The ttains were ronning regularly on Monday, however.

FOUND AFLOAT.

The river bridge at this place stood the test like a major, although the icebreakers were badly chawed up.

One of the piers of the creek bridge was damaged somewhat, the ice having crowded it from below. It might be a good idea, if this performance is going to occur often, to put ice breakers on the lower side of the piers.

Lawrence, across the creek lost nearly all his fence, and many of his young fruit trees were ruined.

It was quite common to see a chicken coop floating around with the poultry perched on top and old chanticleer crowing lustily.

Many lost chickens, and some lost many. Charlie Hinton lost his entire vices last Sunday, on account of the flock of 28.

Canfield's pig struggled nobly for an hour among the floating ice cakes, when Shell and J. B. Muse came to the rescue. Jim. was the hero of the hour and received the plaudits of the anxious crowd.

This flood furnishes another event to date from.

Panther Rock Points.

The Sikes Brothers, of Balltown, are occupying the sawmill at this place as a tank shop.

Mrs. George Whitten is visiting friends at Minister this week.

Miss S. J. Keister of East Hickory, and Miss Belle Lewis of Reidsburg, Clarion county, are the guests of Miss Hattie Tobey this week.

Mr. Robert Harkisen has the job of cutting and delivering cordwood for the drilling wells on the Cook tract.

Pat. Normile is all smiles on account of the arrival of a brand new 9 lb. girl baby at his house.

Miss Mame Murphy and Miss Minnie Whitten are both on the sick list. We hear there is to be a wedding in the near future; for further information ask Jerry.

Curly Bangs of Kellettville takes a long walk for his health once a week, so he says, but we guess it is to see his girl; if the ice was out of the creek he could come home on a float. Feb. 13.

-All kinds Rubber Boots and Shoes at Wm. Smearbaugh & Co.

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A New Enterprise for Tionesta.

Tionesta is soon to a have a new enterprise that will prove a benefit in more ways than one, Messre. John ing country. They will make staves The ice commenced to move in the all the way from 14 to 30 inches in

Altogether this enterprise will be quite a boom for our town, as, instead of shipping the timber to other places to be manufactured into the different articles above referred to, it will all receive the encouragement of all.

Nebraska Notes.

The ice left the creek here yesterday without inflicting damage to property. Rafting-in will not begin for a week or ten days. If there is any substance in a groundhogs shadow, we are likely to have another freeze-over, therefore

St. Valentine's day was commemorated here by its usual influx of cariwith ice several feet high, stopping catures. "Some, with sentimental thought, invoked the muses; while others, with vicious rhyme intent, abuses." Such is life.

Mr. Everel Collins and Jake Klinestiver are home for a short visit to their parents, from Meadville, where they are attending college.

We congratulate the young folks on the pleasing addition to their society in the person of Albie Gilfillan, who will spend several months in the place. A few years ago when Albie left us, he was a mere boy; now he is a young man who has no thought of letting the grass grow under his feet. And he wears -oh, my !- a mustache!

Mr. Abe Clark has just returned from a weeks visit in Clarion Co.

Mrs. Frank Guiton of Fox Creek is quite ill.

We were deprived of the usual serbreak-up, the road being rendered impassable by ice. Feb. 15, '86.

List of Patents.

List of Patents granted by the U. S. Patent Office, to citizens of Pennsylvania, for the week ending Thursday, February 11th, 1886, reported expressly for the For-EST REPUBLICAN, through the Patent Law Offices of Duffy & Brashears, 607 7th St. N. W. opposite the U. S. Patent Office, Washington, D. C.:

N. Amon, Sandy Lake, weather strip; J. D. Bell, Pittsburgh, washing machine; S. Bissell, Pittsburgh, furnace; J. H. Brubaker, Shamokin, monument; C. F. Rush, Erie, hog scraping machine; A. G. Hoyt, Kingston, telegraphic code; J. L. Keily, Erie, boiler flue cleaner; B. Lauth, Howard, reducing old steel railway rails to plates; M. L. Metzger and A. Cooper, Harrisburg, gage for paper cutters; R. R. Ogden, Bradford, water wheel; G. J. Pilkington, Chester, apparatus for refining tallow and other lubricating oils; T. Poore, Scranton, furnace; same, fire box for boilers; W. W. Rosensteel, Pittsburg, coal tipple; T. F. Straub, Allegheny, clarifying beer and charging the same with carbonic acid gas.

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, The Hon. W. D. Brown, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for the county of Forest, has issued his precept for holding a Court of Common Pleas Quarter Sessions, &c., at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the Fourth Monday of Feb., being the 22d day of Feb., 1886. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justice of the Peace and Constablesof said county, that they be then and there in their proper persons at ten o'clock, A. M., of said day, with their records, inquisitions examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and to those who are bound in recognizance and to those who are bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they be then and there present to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal this 25th day of January, A. D. 1885. L. AGNEW, Sheriff.

Mercantile Appraiser's Notice.

Return of Mercantile Assessment of Forest County, Pa., for the year 1856: BARNETT TOWNSHIP.

Maple Creek Lumber Co., General merchandise.

J. B. Pearsall, general merchan-J. M. Pierce, groceries, 13 10 00 .14 7 00 .13 10 00 A. Cook, general merchandise ... GREEN TOWNSHIP. HARMONY TOWNSHIP.

J. B. Machesney, general mer-Dunn & Turner, general merchan-14 7 00 Kemble & Wheeler, patent medicines HICKORY TOWNSHIP. T. J. Bowman, general merchan-

Walter Crouch, general merchan-Wheeler & Dusenbery, general

Whitmore & Hall, 2 pilliard tables 40 00 HOWE TOWNSHIP. T. W. Corah, hotel. T. W. Corah, 2 billiard tables...... C. W. Hawks, general merehan-40 00 ...13 10 00 O. Hoyt, hotel,.... L. O. McLane, hardware... .14 7 00 Forest Tanning Co., general mer-chandise .12 12 50 Wagner, McClune & Co., general

merchandise.
W. E. Brown, groceries
Peter Mahoney, groceries
W. H. Frost, general merchandise ..14 7 00 ...14 7 00 ...13 10 00 JENKS TOWNSHIP.

.14 7 00 .44 7 00 40 00 KINGSLEY TOWNSHIP.

F. Gillespie, general merchandise.14 7 09 Boyard & Berlin, general merchan-.14 7 00 Wheeler, Dusenbury & Co., gen-J. C. Welch, general merchandisc.14

TIONESTA BOROUGH. S. H. Hasiet & Sons, general mer-G. W. Bovard, groceries..... .13 10 00 O. C. Brownell, hotel...... Charles Carlson, 3 billiard tables...

Isaac N. Cummings, general mer-..10 20 00 chandise H. J. Hopkins & Co., general mer-chandise 10 20 00 W. C. Coburn, patent medicines 4 5 00 J. T. Brennan, coal dealer

Appeals will be held at the County Commissioners' Office, Tionesta, Fa., on the 23d day of February, A. D. 1885, be-tween the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock, s. m. JAMES G. CARSON, Mercantile Appraise

Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 19, 1898. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERR

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Dyspepsia. GENTS:—I feel it my duty to say respecting Burdock Blood Bitters, that it is the best medicine I ever took. I suffered two or three years from stomach trembles two or three years from stomach treables and dyspepsia as well as from liver out kidney complaint. I was not able to attend to my business. My wife was affected in much the same way. We read of your Bitters in the papers and made up our minds that we would by them. The result is, my wife and I began to improve storage, and a more able to do more best work. and I am now able to do more hard w than before in ten years. It relieved any kidney troubles as well. We both wish you, the makers of it, Godspeed.
JOSEPH LANDON, Cheicos, St.

Appeal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Forest County will be at the following places, at the time designated, for the purpose of holding appeals for the triennial assessment for 1886:

Harmony township, Allender School House, Tuesday, February 9.

Hickory township, East Hickory, Wednesday, February 10.

Kingsley township, Newtown, Thursday, February 11.

Howe township, Balltown, Friday, February 12.

ruary 12. Howe township, Brookston, Monday, February 15. Jenks township, Marienville, Tuesday, February 16.
Barnett township, Clarington, Wednesday, February 17, Barnett township, Cooksburg, Thursday, February 18. Green township, Nebrasks, Saturday,

February 29.
Tionesta township, Commissioners' office, Tuesday, March 2.
Tionesta boro, Commissioners' office,
Wednesday, March 3.
J. R. CHADWICK,
OLIVER BIERLY,
W. D. SHIELDS,
County Commissioners.

J. T. BRENNAN, Clerk,

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