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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—ALEXANDER C. WHITE. Member of Senate—J. G. HALL. Assembly—PETER HUBBY.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

FOREST LODGE No. 269. I. O. of O. F. MEETS every Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Partridge's Hall.

FOREST LODGE, No. 184, A. O. U. W. Meets every Friday Evening in Odd Fellows' Hall, Tionesta.

CAPE GEORGE STOW POST. No. 274, G. A. R. Meets on the first Wednesday in each month, in Odd Fellows Hall, Tionesta.

AGNEW & CLARK. ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Office in Court House.

T. J. VAN GIESEN. ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR AT LAW. Edinburg, (Knox P. O.), Clarion County, Pa.

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LAWRENCE HOUSE, Tionesta, Pa. L. C. Jackson, Proprietor. This house is centrally located. Everything new and well furnished.

CENTRAL HOUSE, Tionesta, Pa. O. C. Brownell, Proprietor. This is a new house, and has just been fitted up for the accommodation of the public.

CENTRAL HOUSE, OIL CITY, PA. W. H. ROTH, Proprietor. The largest, best located and furnished house in the City. Near Union Depot.

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.

W. C. COBURN, M. D., PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. Has over fifteen years experience in the practice of his profession, having graduated in 1870 and honorably May 16, 1885.

DELIVERY. DR. J. W. MORROW. Having purchased the materials, etc., 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.

MAY, PARK & CO., BANKERS! Corner of Elm & Walnut Sts., Tionesta. Bank of Discount and Deposit. Interest allowed on Time Deposits.

LORENZO FULTON, Manufacturer of and Dealer in HARNESS, COLLARS, BRIDLES, And all kinds of HORSE FURNISHING GOODS.

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JAS. T. BRENNAN,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

TIONESTA, PA.

LANDS BOUGHT AND SOLD

ON COMMISSION

I have now for sale—79 Acres of Warrant 0167, Kingsley twp.; 350 Acres of 0189, and 120 Acres of 0214, in same township. 1600 acres, Warren 2809, Tionesta twp.; 143 acres known as "Lilly Farm," Allegheny Township, Venango Co.; 70 acres near Enterprise, Warren Co. Also vacant lots in Tionesta Boro, and one small farm in Tionesta Township.

Condensed Time Table Tionesta Station.

Table with columns for NORTH and SOUTH, listing train numbers and times.

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

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Regular monthly meeting of Stow Post, G. A. R., this evening.

Mr. Jerry Cray, of the extensive firm of Horton, Cray & Co., Sheffield, was in town one day last week on business.

Although our streets are entirely bare, the sleighing in the country is said to be still much ahead of the wagoning.

Carl Coburn keeps the most delicious sweet cider that's sold in town. Only 25-cents a gallon. 'Most as cheap as water.

March came in about "alf an' alf" this year. It was cold and crisp while old Sol. shone as brightly as on a summer's day.

Candidates are budding. We this week have the announcement of County Surveyor Waittekin as a candidate for re-election.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon of Elkhart, Ind., are the guests of S. H. Haslet's family, having arrived on Tuesday of last week.

Martin Reese is lying at the point of death at his home in Tionesta township. Little hope is entertained of the old gentleman's recovery.

Monday was swearing-in day for the new borough and township officers, except school directors, who enter upon their duties on the second Monday of June.

Supt. Hillard has been considerably under the weather for the past two weeks, so much so, in fact, he could not make his usual rounds of the schools.

A partial eclipse of the sun is booked for Friday next. It will occur at the very edge of evening, and may be visible in this neck. Better look for it if the sun is shining.

A lonely tramp took shelter with Sheriff Agnew last Saturday night. Twenty-one enjoyed the hospitality of the Oil City cooler the night previous, and this was doubtless one that got away.

The Florida Glide Waltz, by Will L. Thompson, is one of the most beautiful pieces of music for piano or organ, ever published. Any music dealer will mail it to you on receipt of price, 50 cents.

Mr. Will H. May of Louisville, Ky., spent the greater part of last week in this place with his mother, Mrs. H. H. May. He is always a welcome visitor among his many old friends of Tionesta.

The Venango Spectator has risen from its ashes a brighter and handsomer paper than ever. It came out last week in an entire new dress from top to bottom. We hope it may never be called upon to go through another blaze.

February manifested some disposition to close its brief and unsatisfactory starring engagement with a display of the meanest weather of the season. The little month, conscious of its smallness, tried to be the most disagreeable also.

The grocer who sells an empty oil barrel without first having erased the brand of the inspector is liable to a fine of \$50. The object of the law is to prevent oil dealers from refilling the barrel with an inferior quality of oil and selling it as a superior article.—Ex.

The creek has frozen over again at the mouth, and if this howling, blizzard weather continues much longer the Allegheny will have another chance to swallow up the inhabitants along its banks before the lion marches out with the lamb.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the M. E. Church commencing on Friday evening of this week, and continuing over Sabbath. Rev. J. M. Bray, Presiding Elder, will be present during the entire meeting. A general and cordial invitation is extended.

Crows, robins, blue birds, etc., all harbingers of spring, have been noticeable in this section in the past ten days, but from the looks of things just now it is going to take a heavier strike than any of these are able to strike to bust the backbone of Winter.

Considerable of the machinery to be used in the stove and barrel enterprise of John Cobb & Co., has arrived at the depot. It is the intention to begin the erection of the buildings soon as the weather will permit. The firm is already advertising for bolts, and offer good prices. See notice elsewhere in this issue.

It is a very common occurrence for persons when the oil gets low in the bowl of the lamp and the flame dies down for lack of oil to feed, to shake the lamp to saturate the wick instead of replenishing the oil. Mrs. Hannah Oberly did that in Wheeling recently and an explosion resulted, burning her so badly that she died. Let it be a warning to all lamp shakers.

It is authoritatively stated that a tannery will be built on or near the site of the former Extract Works, at Kellettville, this county. W. W. Kellett & Co., of Boston, are the projectors, and we understand work will begin as soon as spring opens up. The works will be on an extensive scale with a large capacity for turning out leather. The erection of a tannery at Hickory is a settled fact.

Up in Jefferson county, at the last term of court, it was found that there was not a single bill for the grand jury to act on, and that the jail had not a single occupant. This is something that has never occurred in any county in the State. Verily Jefferson is the good, good county.—Ex.

That's nothing to crow over. The same thing has happened in Forest county more than a dozen times, and was the case no later than last December term.

Fatal Accident. An accident occurred at Russell's Mills, Kingsley township, on Monday afternoon of this week, by which Jacob Harkins, whose home is in the McCloskey Settlement, Clarion county, was instantly killed. In company with two brothers and some other men, he was cutting logs in the woods. A tree which was being felled, dropped in the opposite direction from which the men expected it to, striking Harkins on the head, crushing him to the ground, breaking both legs, one arm and scattering his brains on the snow. When picked up life was extinct. He was taken to the place where the mother of the young men keeps house for them, and afterward removed to his home for burial. He was a single man, aged about 26 years, and bore a good reputation for industry and honesty.

Fire Nipped in The Bud. What would surely have proven a destructive conflagration was nipped in the bud by the prompt action of the fire boys and the application of the fire extinguisher. About four o'clock Monday afternoon the roof of the old Universalist church caught fire and had gained considerable headway before being discovered. The "Champion" was quickly wheeled into service, however, and in less than one minute after the stream struck the blaze the fire was gone. There was no ladder to be had, and the only way to get on the roof was to climb a tree standing near and jump; this was done by Rob. Haslet, and the hose passed to him. It would have taken at least 15 minutes to have procured a ladder and thrown water on with buckets which would have been too late. The strong wind blowing directly south would have carried the flames to the adjoining building, and then to have saved Wilbur Grove's elegant residence would have been next to impossible under the circumstances. As it was a hole about five feet square was burned in the church roof, from which it can be judged what a fine start the fire had. Score another victory for the "soda fountain."

Death of Robert Hyner, a Former Tionesta Citizen.

A Trenton, N. J., dispatch, under date of Feb. 24, gives the interesting details of the death of Mr. Robert Hyner, over twenty years ago a resident of this place. The elder class of our citizens will remember Mr. Hyner and family well, having occupied a house near the east end of the river bridge. At that time Mr. H. owned a farm on Pitchole which was too poor to afford him a comfortable living. When the great Pitchole excitement broke out Mr. Hyner sold his farm for an immense sum of money and moved to Erie county, where he remained several years, and afterwards moved to Vineland, N. J. His sudden rise in wealth did not overcome him, and he was shrewd enough to retain the bulk of it after doing well by his sons. Following is the dispatch, which will recall to the minds of those best acquainted with him some of his peculiarities:

An old and substantial resident of Vineland, named Robert Hyner, died recently and it was supposed he left several thousand dollars. The relatives made an examination of his effects for a will, but failed to find such a document. There was no evidence of wealth, and his heirs were greatly perplexed. They finally requested Judge Doughty to make a thorough search of his house, on West Boulevard, near Walnut street, which he did yesterday. The result was a great surprise to the relatives. In an old valise in the closet were found cash and securities to the amount of \$31,500. There was \$11,000 in gold, \$13,000 in registered government, \$7,500 in coupon bonds. Judge Doughty at once deposited the "find" in the Vineland bank. There were also found deeds for property in Illinois valued at \$20,000. There are six heirs to the estate, a wife and five children.

Court Minutes. Salmon Creek Lumber Co. vs. W. A. Dusenbury, verdict for the plaintiff. Peter Berry et al vs. L. F. Watson et al, continued.

Mary E. Wareham vs. B. N. Y. & P. R. R. Co., continued. Dale & Lawrence vs. J. M. Haslet, verdict for plaintiff for \$107.50. Landers vs. Dithridge, continued. O. W. Proper vs. G. J. Lacy et al, withdrawn before term. Aaron Brockway vs. Stoner Bros., consult.

W. A. Eagles vs. Samuel Clark, settled. Robinson & Bonner vs. Park Copeland, verdict for defendant for 25 cents. CHALLENGE OF THE ARRAY OF JURORS AT FEBRUARY TERM OF COURT.

In the libel case against J. M. Kepler a very fine point was sprung to secure the quashing of the indictment. The law requires the jury wheel to be filled by the Jury Commissioners, and Jurors to be drawn before each term by the Sheriff and Jury Commissioners, also that the jury wheel remain in custody of the Jury Commissioners, and the key with the Sheriff. The fact that the Sheriff assists in drawing a jury and does not assist in filling the wheel is a very close distinction. The Jury Commissioners having no office, the wheel has always remained in the Sheriff's office. Because the Sheriff assisted to fill the wheel in January and it was left in his office, the indictment against Kepler was quashed. The other reasons set out in his affidavit having no weight in it. The fact that the jury wheel was so filled and left in the Sheriff's office was no bar to any case being tried where parties were willing to go to trial, and the civil cases were tried where the parties were ready for trial.

The Sheriff has assisted in filling the jury wheel, and it has remained in the Sheriff's office ever since the Court House was built, and it is not strange that, following in the footsteps of their predecessors, the error was made. Kepler was bound over for his appearance at May term.

Argument term fixed for March 18, at 2 o'clock p. m.

WANTED—STAVE BOLTS. We will pay the following prices for Bolts, delivered at our Stave Mill, below the Depot:

For 20 inch Bolts, \$3.25 per cord. For 24 inch Bolts, \$4.50 per cord. For 26 inch Bolts, \$4.50 per cord. For 30 inch Bolts, \$5.00 per cord. Cash on delivery. Must be good, sound timber, free from worms, rot and knots. JOHN COBB & CO.

Kellettville Items.

Being a young man of more time than capital, thought I might as well employ it in sending you a few items, as, like the noted woodchuck, K. is arising itself from its long sleep, and Phoenix like, will rise from its ashes. Mr. W. W. Kellet of Boston, with an experienced tannery man has been looking over the lay hers and has decided to build a large tannery, work to begin in a short time. The gentleman who is to have full control of its business made a good impression while here, and we welcome him to our midst.

Mrs. J. B. Haggerty of Nebraska has been spending a few weeks visiting her mother and sisters who live here. James is staying at Newtown getting ready to raft the lumber as he is Jobber for Wheeler & Dusenbury of that place.

Judge Aaner returned from Court Monday looking hale and hearty, in fact he is the youngest appearing Judge on the bench, if not the youngest in years.

A dance at John Matha's gave the young folks a chance to keep awake last evening. Your correspondent had a sore toe so couldn't go.

The Salmon Creek Mills start up to-day; this will be good news to those living at the mill, many of the men have had to work away from home all winter.

We are to have a wedding before long, so the boys can get ready for a old fashioned serenade.

No preaching for three weeks; this is quite a disappointment as the Rev. Small is a great favorite with all here and the service will be missed.

Miss Mary Thompson of Nebraska is visiting friends in this place. Mr. Jacob Wolf of Minister is the happy father of another olive branch, which makes 14 that "kind Heaven to him has sent." EZEKIEL. March 2, 1886.

Oil Notes. In its oil report for the month of February the Blizard has the following relative to the operations in the Cooper and Balltown districts, this county:

Operations are very quiet in the Cooper district. The attempt to convert the old Adams & Storey duster in the southwestern part of lot 338, into a producing well was a flat failure. The well had been filling up with oil for months and made an occasional light flow. The effect of a heavy shot was to dissipate all the oil that the well contained, and with it vanish all the hopes of the resurrectionists. Magee & King drilled a duster on lot 358 north of the old Barnes gasser. The Anchor Oil Co. started up their well on lot 401 which was drilled 1200 feet and found dry in the second sand and it is now pronounced no good. Fertig & McKinney got another small well in the second sand near Foxburg, and Emery & Schuyler have abandoned a test well on the eastern side of lot 438 after sinking it over 2,500 feet. Miller & Co. are drilling on lot 756, west of the Herrick lands in an attempt to widen out the second sand territory of the Cooper tract.

At Balltown May, Kelly & Grandin have completed a couple of twenty five barrel producers on lot 5215, which look as if the limits of the belt were very close at hand in this direction. On the northeast Clark is credited with two more good wells, while the Balltown and Dutch oil companies complete two of smaller productive calibre. James Welsh is at work again on 5214, making a fourth attempt to discover the prolongation of the Balltown field.

Forest County's Insane. WARREN, Pa., Feb. 23, 1886. County Commissioners of Forest County, Gentlemen:—

The condition of the several patients under your charge in this Hospital is as follows:

John Clary is not so much excited now as he frequently is, but his mind is very much deranged.

Sarah Shoupe is quiet but rather sullen and surly.

Wm. Barnhart is quiet but easily excited and his mind very much disturbed.

Isaac Reed is at this time near the end of one of his periods of excitement.

Samuel Hawthorne is very quiet but rather dull for the greater part of the time.

Andrew D. Saltgiver is very quiet

but has a disposition to tease and annoy those about him who are younger than himself.

Olive Noble is very pleasant but is much disturbed when she has the fits.

Peter Gaehter is in better bodily condition but he is very much disturbed in mind and has a great many odd movements to go through each day. Respectfully Yours, JOHN CURWEY.

List of Patents.

List of Patents granted by the U. S. Patent Office, to citizens of Pennsylvania, for the week ending Thursday, February 25th, 1886, reported expressly for the FOREST REPUBLICAN, through the Patent Law Office of Shipley Brothers, 607 7th St. N. W. opposite the U. S. Patent Office, Washington, D. C.:

C. T. Bellamy, Prompton, follower for packing barrels; N. F. Burnham, York, steam engine (3 patents); W. L. Closs, Reading, ironing board; A. J. Day, Pittsburgh, attachment for rod rolling mills; L. W. Free, Cheney, clamp; M. S. Freeman, Norristown, axle nut; G. Hill Admr. Sunbury, rheostat for incandescent electric lights; J. Jordann, Bridgeport, composition for sizing paper; W. F. Mattes, Scranton, pump; F. Penneck, Kennet Square, road grader; G. Ridgeway, Towanda, blacking box; D. C. Ripley, Pittsburgh, shaping furnace; W. Rottloff, Pittsburgh, blast furnace appliance; J. E. Shaw, Williamsport, machine for bundling kindling-wood; S. Strunz, Pittsburgh, fluid pressure regulator; J. T. Wilson, Pittsburgh, car coupling; G. W. Fry, Beaver, table vessel (design).

"Quincy troubled me for twenty years. Since I started using Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, have not had an attack. The Oil cures sore throat at once." Mrs. Letta Conrad, Standish, Mich.

"Don't be fooled into buying a cheap sifter. Examine and demand the genuine "Hunter's" and you will get the best.

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the business partnership existing between the undersigned and P. V. Mercillott, 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, 1886.

MARRIED.

WALLACE-MCKENZIE—At the M. E. Parsonage, Tionesta, Pa., March 2, 1886, by Rev. F. M. Small, Mr. J. C. Wallace, of Mercer county, and Miss Jennie McKenzie, of Nebraska Forest county, Pa.

TIONESTA MARKETS.

CORRECTED EVERY TUESDAY, BY RELIABLE DEALERS.

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

Flour \$ barrel choice - 4.00@7.00. Flour \$ sack - 1.00@1.75. Corn Meal, 100 lbs - 1.25@1.40.

Chop feed, pure grain - 1.25. Corn, Shelled - 70. Beans \$ bushel - 1.50@3.00. Ham, sugar cured - 12 1/2.

Breakfast Bacon, sugar cured - 12. Shoulders - 9. Whitefish, half-barrels - 8.50. Lake herring half-barrels - 5.50.

Sugar - 6 1/2 @ 9. Syrup - 50@75. N. O. Molasses new - 75. Roast Rio Coffee - 15. Rio Coffee - 12 1/2 @ 16.

Java Coffee - 25@70. Tea - 20@25. Butter - 22@25. Rice - 8@10. Eggs, fresh - 20. Salt best lake - 1.25.

Lard - 12 1/2. Iron, common bar - 2.50. Nails, 10d, \$ keg - 3.00. Potatoes - @60. Lime \$ bbl. - 1.25. Dried Apples sliced per lb - 10. Dried Beef - 18. Dried Peaches per lb - 19. Dried Peaches pared per lb - 15.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

A strictly vegetable preparation, composed of a choice and skillful combination of Nature's best remedies. The discoverer does not claim it a cure for all the ills, but boldly warrants it cures every form of disease arising from a torpid liver, impure blood, disordered kidneys, and where there is a broken down condition of the System, requiring a prompt and permanent tonic, it never fails to restore the sufferer. Such is BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. Sold by all druggists, who are authorized by the manufacturers to refund the price to any purchaser who is not benefited by their use.

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