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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

MEETS every Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, in the Lodge Room in Partridge's Hall. H. C. WHITTEKIN, N. G. SAWYER, Sec'y. TIONESTA LODGE No. 349, I. O. O. F.

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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.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

The compliments of the season to all our patrons and friends. Oil market closed yesterday 69. Opening this morning at 70c.

—Mr. John Krohn, of Kittanning, Pa., enjoyed a few days' hunt with former Tionesta friends last week, and bagged several pheasants and rabbits as a result of his skill with a shot gun.

—The poor sufferer that has been dosing himself with so-called Troches and thereby upset his stomach without curing the troublesome cough, should take our advice and use at once, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and get well.

—The editor of the REPUBLICAN was most kindly remembered by Mr. Lew Perry of East Hickory, on Christmas. The remembrance was in the shape of a rolling fat turkey, and was calumate Mr. Perry that it was heartily appreciated.

—The wonderful popularity attained by Hood's Calendar last year, will be repeated by Hood's Household Calendar-Almanac for 1887, just published. A happier combination of calendar and almanac, of beauty and utility, of art and advertising, has seldom been produced.

—The wife of Mr. John Casey, who lives a short distance above Dawson station, received a bad fracture of the left forearm by slipping on the ice one day last week. Dr. Siggins attended the patient and reduced the fracture leaving her as comfortable as possible under the circumstances.

—The Oil City Blizzard issued a mammoth Christmas number, which contained interesting personal reminiscences from 53 present and past oil region journalists. That number will doubtless be carefully preserved by all who received it.

—A. Y. Findlay, manager of Findlay's Insurance Agencies was in town last week. He has taken personal charge of the business in this section and the many patrons of his insurance business will receive prompt attention and all who have property to insure will find it to their interest to consult him.

—The bridge company is in luck. The ice stopped for the river just far enough down that teams cannot get to it, then it stopped just above the bridge, leaving a space of about 300 yards that will likely remain open all winter, if not longer, and knocks all calculations on an ice bridge, "galley-west."

—Tidioute's home talent minstrels gave an excellent performance at the skating rink here last Thursday evening. Owing to the short notice given, and the pitching of the admission a little high, the boys did not secure as good a house as the performance merited.

—Messrs. Henry and Thomas Brace have purchased the timber on Warrants 2833 and 2835, Tionesta township, known as the Curtin & Anderson tracts, and will put up a mill at the mouth of Little Tionesta, a very desirable site, and manufacture lumber there during the coming season.

—Ex-Representatives J. E. Agnew and E. L. Davis are in Harrisburg this week, drawn thither by the attractions usual to the organization of a fresh legislature.

—Mr. A. H. Dale, who recently set sail for the beautiful Island of Bermuda, arrived there safely on the 20th ult., as we notice by the Bermuda Colonist, sent us by Alex.

—Salvation Oil the celebrated American remedy for cuts, bruises, sprains, burns, scalds, chilblains, &c., can be had of all druggists. It kills pain. Price twenty-five cents a bottle.

—Monday night was the coldest yet, the thermometers in different parts of town registering from 12 to 15 degrees below zero, according to location. The gas supply was not affected by the snap.

—Mr. Chas. Raisig, who is now stationed at Wilkesburg, Pa., was up during the week to move his household goods to his new home and bid old friends good-bye. Tionesta's best wishes go with Charlie.

—The grandest musical entertainment ever given in Tionesta will be given at the Court House on Thursday evening by Prof. E. O. Excell of Chicago and Miss Belle McClintock of Meadville, assisted by Mrs. Gertrude Andrews of Meadville, dramatic reader, and by Miss Maude Davis of Tionesta, piano accompanist and soloist.

—The residence of H. Martio, at Meadville, was the scene of a large and pleasant gathering of relatives and friends on Christmas afternoon and eve, it being the occasion of the marriage of their daughter Wave May, to A. H. Lord, of the same place. Friends began to assemble about half past two p. m., and at half after three the ceremony was performed by Rev. Small, uncle of the groom, of Tionesta, Pa., assisted by Rev. Bell, the regular minister of Meadville.

—Mr. C. M. Shawkey has received instructions from Chairman Cooper, of the State Committee, to "invite all clerics" and organizations in this county to participate in the ceremonies attending the inauguration of Governor-elect Beaver, at Harrisburg, on the 18th inst. Excursion rates on all the principal railroads have been secured, which will not exceed one and a half cent per mile.

—The County Auditors with Mr. J. H. Dingman as clerk, are auditing the accounts of the several county officers this week. Mr. Fitzgerald has taken charge of the Treasurer's office for the next three years, and we are sure will conduct it in a very satisfactory manner. Billy Smearbaugh, who has held the office for the past three years, we feel safe in saying, retires with the best wishes of all who have had business to transact at that office.

—Mr. James Neal, a young man aged 25 years, of Brookston, Forest county, met with a peculiar accident on December 19th which, for a time seemed likely to prove fatal. He had been using a large pocket knife and in the act of closing the blade before replacing it in his pocket he pressed the back of the point of the blade against his thigh to spring the clasp to, when the sharp point penetrated the flesh, inflicting a deep and painful gash and severing a leader. The flow of blood was very copious and for a time it was feared that blood poisoning would result.

—Lovers of the beautiful in art and floriculture have in store a rich treat in the perusal of Vick's Floral Guide for the year 1887. Each succeeding year brings great improvement in this popular annual, and the present edition is far in advance of previous issues in beauty of exterior, number and elegance of floral and vegetable illustrations, and the large variety of subjects thoroughly and practically treated. To be had of Jas. Vick, Rochester, N. Y., for 25 cents.

—Mr. A. N. Heard of Bradford, Pa., general agent of Western Pennsylvania, for the National Accident Association of New York City, was in town recently in the interest of that Association. While here he wrote up several policies, and arranged with Mr. J. H. McPherson to act as agent in Forest and Venango counties.

INSTITUTE.

Up to Wednesday morning forty-eight teachers have been enrolled. The enrollment will be increased today. Prof. Excell of Chicago, has raised a boom in the music line. So far the music has been a prominent and pleasant feature of the Institute meetings.

Court Minutes.

When our last issue was put to press the December term of court was still in session. The following business was transacted: McCloskey and Reid vs. Ryder and Powell, verdict against J. H. Ryder for \$4,130.00.

Fagundus Facts.

Christmas and New Years have passed and were very much enjoyed, especially by the little folks. The entertainment was a success, and the tree rewarded the children abundantly, also some of the boys. We all wonder what you got? We mean, Professor Wilson.

The School Marm.

The following classical allusion seems suited to an occasion like the present, when our town is swarming with the lovely creature: Oh, School Marm! Thou who teachest the young ideas how to scold, and spank the ornate little small boy with a hand that taketh the trick!

As well as the handsome, and others are invited to call on G. W. Bovard, and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 50 cents and \$1.

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D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results.

MARRIED.

ROBERTSON-PAYNE—Dec. 27, 1886, at Bainbridge, N. Y., by Rev. Grunrond, Mr. John H. Robertson, and Miss Fannie M. Payne, both of Tylersburg, Pa.

Notice of Special Legislation.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an application will be made to the next session of the Legislature, of Pennsylvania, beginning on the first Tuesday of January A. D. 1887, for a special act of Assembly, appropriating money to aid a Normal School in the borough of Clarion, entitled "An act to aid the State Normal School of the 13th District of Pennsylvania."

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