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MEETS every Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock

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PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE PROPER ASSESSMENT OF LANDS AND THE PAYMENT OF TAXES.

Church and Sabbath School.

Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:00 a. m.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Oil market closed yesterday 624.

Mrs. J. C. Conway of Titusville, is paying a visit to her sister Mrs. S. S. Canfield.

Mrs. B. W. May and Benjamin Jr., of Chicago, are here visiting Mrs. H. H. May.

Mrs. M. C. Myers, nee Nellie Walters, of Pittsburgh, is paying a visit to her parents.

Miss Gussie Campbell entertained a party of her young friends on Monday evening of this week.

Mrs. Dr. Morrow has been visiting relatives in Pleasantville and Titusville during the past week.

Will C. Allan was down from West Hickory Monday, and shook hands with lots of old friends.

Mrs. Mary Leard of Pittsburgh, is paying a visit to her parents of German Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kiser.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hopkins attended a surprise party given in honor of his mother's birthday, at Pleasantville last evening.

Mr. J. E. Stoughton, East Hickory's first class blacksmith, was a visitor to town last Wednesday, and gave the REPUBLICAN a pleasant call.

To-morrow morning the Niagara excursion train starts from here. There is likely to be a large attendance from this section, according to the talk.

The Brookville Republican has changed its make-up from a folio to a quarto, which, with the new head, so completely improved and altered its appearance that we scarcely recognized it.

We understand Tidoute and Tionesta are trying to get together once more, and will likely play here or there on Friday afternoon next. The game will be hotly contested if it comes off.

John W. Reed and James T. Maffett, both well known attorneys of the Clarion bar, are announced as candidates for the Republican nomination for President Judge in the Clarion Jefferson district.

Mrs. S. S. Hulings, accompanied by her nieces, Misses Vinnie and Delva Randall, are paying a two weeks' visit to relatives and friends in Sandy Lake, Conneautville, and other portions of Crawford county.

The Blizzard philosopher is of the opinion that "he who tells all his secrets to others, asking them at the same time to keep them, displays a lack of confidence in himself to do what he asks others to do for him."

Governor Pattison, on Monday, appointed Capt. Wm. W. Barr, of Clarion, to the President Judgeship of Clarion and Jefferson counties, in place of the late Judge Wilson. The appointment gives general satisfaction.

One of the greatest landmarks that the W. N. Y. & P. has ever had to contend with came down on the track near Dunn's Eddy, below Irvineton, last Friday. Passenger trains ran regularly, although somewhat delayed by making transfers, for two or three days. All is clear now.

What does the phrase "He isn't in it," come from? asks a subscriber. According to the best authorities it is attributed to Noah, who used the remark derisively in referring to some profane person who had criticised the building of the ark.—Toledo News

Although the "gag" is worn about as nearly threadbare as it is possible to get, we didn't suppose it was that old.

"Persons having visitors of whom they are not ashamed and who are welcome, are invited to send their names to this office." That's the arbitrary, tyrannical way in which the FOREST REPUBLICAN keeps its personal column booming. With such a notice staring one in the face, everybody entertaining a visitor must feel compelled to communicate with the REPUBLICAN or else prepare to bid good bye to the guest.—Franklin News

Well, not quite so bad as that, Bro. News. Fact is, however, when a fellow tries his best to keep a run of all the "personals," and then it ever now-and-then is hinted to him that he is partial, because he "didn't mention so-and-so's visit in his last issue," when he knew nothing of it, why it's little wonder he gets crusty sometimes; is it?

The county commissioners have notified the authorities of the several townships in which county bridges are erected, that they will hereafter be expected to keep up repairs on said bridges. This is in accordance with the late decision of the Supreme Court to that effect.

W. B. Heath, of Starr, this county, lays claim to the boss crop of rye in this neck 'o' woods. He sends in a few sample heads, which measure up well, one head measuring nearly six inches and being exceptionally well filled.

Miss Clara E. Irwin, of Jacksonville, Fla., the accomplished daughter of our old friend the late Richard L. Irwin of Pleasantville, is visiting her uncle, S. D. Irwin, Esq. She has resided at Jacksonville, for the past ten years with her mother, this being her first visit north since her removal to that city.

A queer little craft constructed at Salamanca for the "Butler Times Exploring Club," and bearing that inscription, was anchored to the lock-up last Sunday. The party consumed a week in running from Salamanca to Warren, and undoubtedly the Times will publish a glowing account of thrilling adventures with mud puppies, snakes, hop toads and other imaginary "varmints" seen by all who leave Salamanca under its "exhilarating" influences.—Warren Ledger

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Quite a number of our citizens are attending the campmeetings. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Metcalf have been at the Franklin meeting for several days. Mrs. Clara Metcalf and Mrs. Beatty will go to-day. Mrs. Beatty will go from there to her home at Ridgway.

Mrs. Boyd whom we mentioned as visiting at her father's last week, returned to her home at Waterford, Monday. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Etta Fogle.

Rev. A. D. Zahniser visited his father last week. A. Carson of near Pineville, is helping O. B. McIntyre with his harvesting.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hogg visited Mrs. Hogg's parents at Grand Valley recently. Rev. Shoup visited friends here last week.

Despite the frosts apples are quite plenty; the early varieties are now ready for table use, and the market, if there were any market.

Guy Hunter and E. S. Zahniser of Beaver Valley, called on friends of this place Saturday and Sabbath; they started for the F. M. campmeeting at Centreville, Monday.

U. S. Zahniser was home from Marienville over Sabbath. July 28.

CITIZEN.

East Hickory.

Derriok correspondence.] The Nicholson well on the Charles Albaugh farm, is down and dry.

Sutley Bros. finished a small producer on Poverty Hill last week.

A large attendance from this place went to the colored campmeeting on Sunday.

Scarlet fever is prevailing here, but the cases, as a rule, are very mild.

A daughter was born to Hobart Pettigrew and wife last Tuesday; also a son to William and Mrs. Taft on the same date.

John Metzger is night watchman at Wheeler & Dusenbury's mill.

The carriage ran away on the band mill on Friday and gave the settlers a close call for their lives.

The festival for the benefit of Rev. Dean over the river netted \$37.64.

L. D. Bowman, a student of Long Island College hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., returned home last week.

William Whitcomb, of Sheffield, is at home for a few days.

Bark is getting to peel hard in many places, and quite a number of jobs have stopped peeling.

The well drilled by the Forest Gas Co., about two miles above here on Hickory Creek, reached the sand Saturday and got a light flow of gas but no oil.

Quarterly meeting was held at the M. E. Church on Sunday, Rev. Torrey administering the sacrament.

Barnett Notes.

Miss Mattie Mazs is teaching a term of music at Redcliff.

William Hottel is building a new barn on his farm this summer.

A. W. Fitzgerald is the champion mower of Barnett.

Leslie Coon spent last Sabbath with friends at Redcliff.

The ice cream supper at the widow Body's on last Saturday evening was well attended, and all report a good time.

William Maze has opened a meat market on Main Street at Clarington, this summer. MCGINTY.

Coming Fairs.

Inter-State Exposition, Williams Grove, Aug. 24-29.

Farmers' Encampment Association, Mt. Gretna, Aug. 16-22.

Tarantum, Aug. 25-28.

New Castle, Aug. 25-28.

Washington, Aug. 31, Sept. 4.

Jamestown, N. Y., Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3.

Titusville, Sept. 1-4.

Du Bois, Sept. 1-3.

Butler, Sept. 7-11.

Edinboro, Sept. 8-11.

Randolph, Sept. 7-11.

Warren, 8-11.

Cochranston, Sept. 9-11.

Conneautville, Sept. 15-18.

Corry, Sept. 15-18.

Coudersport, Sept. 16-18.

Mercer, Sept. 15-17.

Clarion, Sept. 15-18.

Stoneboro, Sept. 29, Oct. 1.

Indiana, Sept. 30, Oct. 3.

NOTICE.

I now have my steam thrasher in No. 1 repair and am ready to do threshing. Give me a call. I guarantee good work.

J. G. BROMLEY, Stewart's Run, Pa.

For bargains in Furniture go to S. H. Haslet & Son's cheap furniture store.

BUCKLE'S ARSENIC SALVE.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Letter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Proper & Dunt.

Duhring's.

Your Tramp finds himself way down here on Spring Creek on the T. V. R. R. seven miles from Sheffield Junction but still in Forest county.

The saw mill of W. E. Brown & Co. is situated here, and has been for the past 5 years. The company manufacture hemlock and some hardwood.

By-the-way, it may be news to some of your readers, as it was to me, to learn that hemlock is now dignified with the name of hardwood, by the trade. At least so we have been told, and it is sad to think that anyone would deceive either an orphan or a tramp when there is no money in it.

They, the company, have cut a large amount so far and will probably do business for some time to come. Two miles below here is Wolf Run, a few years ago almost an oil field.

Parish's mill, built this summer, is at Wolf Run. The mill was placed there to cut lumber for W. H. Frost, he having bought a large timber tract there. The mill is now sawing lumber, having started up during the month.

The Wood Bros. of Sheffield, have a shingle mill just above Wolf Run, and are actively engaged in sawing. Just above here 1 mile, is Auguston, on the T. V. R. R. It is the one end of a corduroy road, and a shipping point for lumber and bark.

The corduroy road referred to runs over to the Enterprise Mills, now better known as Hunter Station, (on the U. P. L.) or Corduroy, the name of the post office. It is 4 miles from Auguston to Corduroy, most of the way over one of the best corduroy roads you ever saw. This road was built by Horton, Cray & Co., for the purpose of hauling bark.

Corduroy, or Hunter Station, is quite an oil field. It is in Elk county, in Highland township, and about 2 miles from the Forest county line.

What was formerly the Enterprise Lumber Co., is now Murray & Campbell. Messrs. Himes and Sibley, formerly of the Enterprise Co., have sold out their interests there, and will go into business in Florida. Murray & Campbell own two stores, one at Corduroy and one at Clark's Mills, 3 miles from Corduroy, and a mill at Corduroy. The mill was burned last spring, but has since been rebuilt and is now cutting out hemlock.

Clark's Mills is an oil town. About 40 families live there. It is built on the stoniest piece of ground there is in Elk county—as far as we know.

A sad accident occurred at Jamestown Mills, 2 miles from Corduroy, on Sunday last. Jamestown Mills is the name of what was a few years ago the site of a saw mill. There is no mill there now. A man by name of Miller living there has been engaged in bark peeling during the season. On the day mentioned he was killed; the accident occurring as follows, as nearly as we could learn: On Friday evening previous he had cut down a tree. On Saturday morning it was raining and he did not go to the woods. On Sunday morning, fearing that if the tree lay unpeeled until Monday that the bark would tighten on it, he and his son went to the woods intending to strip the tree and then go home again. Some time before this, probably 4 or 5 days, a tree had been cut and lodged against a maple. The tree Mr. Miller went to peel lay almost under the lodged tree. He told his son to watch the lodged tree while he worked. When he had gotten pretty well up toward the top of the tree he was peeling and almost directly under the one that was lodged, the lodged tree loosened and fell. The boy called out but Mr. Miller could not get away, and a limb on the lower side of the falling tree caught him, striking him on the back of the head passing on down the left side of the back, injured him so severely that in a few minutes after being carried home he died. Mr. Miller was a member of the K. of P. His funeral at Sheffield on the next day was conducted by the order. July 25.

NEW RULES CONDEMNED. Your committee on the Soldiers' Homes in various parts of the State, report as follows: That we hear with deep concern that our comrades, who are in these places, complain that they only receive twenty per cent. of their pension money, and that 80 per cent. of the same goes to the home. While hoping the report is not true, yet we have reason to fear that it is, from the reports in the press and other sources, that seem to your committee reliable.

Such a seizure of their pension money would denounce as an outrage, and contrary to the letter and spirit of our fraternal society, which maintains and upholds the three important principles of Fraternity, Charity and Loyalty; in its action would be oppressive to the soldier who fought to maintain the liberties of our country, and would have a direct tendency to deprive him of that which the Government give him as his right.

Thus treating him as a pauper instead of a patriot who faced death in defense of his native land.

While we as members of the Grand Army would give effective co-operation and sympathy in every good and salutary measure for the benefit of every soldier, we would denounce, decidedly, any restriction of his rights, or appropriation of his property, by any institution in the land under any pretense whatever. We would therefore protest against any measure that would deprive the veteran of a penny of his well earned pension.

Respectfully submitted, S. D. IRWIN, S. J. SETLEY, D. S. KNOX, Committee Post Post 274.

ON HER DEATH BED.

The Murder of a Man and Four Children Confessed by His Wife.

A startling story comes from one of the lumber camps at Kettle Creek, Potter county, the truth of which interested parties have started out to investigate. In April, 1889, the people of all that region were horrified by the news that Frank Hancock, a lumberman living at Blue Run, near the Tioga and Potter county line, had murdered four of his children and committed suicide by hanging himself in his house. The news was made known by Hancock's wife, who had been absent from home on the night of the tragedy. Her story was that she had gone home and found the four children lying dead, some in the house and some in the yard. They had been stabbed and frightfully mutilated with a big butcher knife. The eldest child was 11 years old. A fifth child, a babe, was asleep and uninjured in a pool of blood at the side of its murdered sisters. A note, apparently in the hand writing of her husband, was found in which he confessed the terrible crime, giving as his reason his desire to rid his wife of himself and the children because of her conduct.

A few days ago a messenger from the Kettle Creek Camp went to Coudersport, the county seat of Potter County, with the startling story that Mrs. Hancock had died in camp, and that before dying she had made a confession which not only acquitted her husband of the killing of the children and herself, but declared that she herself and two of her paramours whom she named, but whose names are not made public, murdered her husband and the children. The confession is to the effect that she had become alarmed at the threats her husband made against her because of her persistent unfaithfulness, and egged on by the two men, she resolved, with their aid, to put Hancock out of the way.

Mrs. Hancock succeeded in chloroforming her husband while he was asleep in bed, and the two men, who were waiting for the signal, entered the house, provided with a rope, and were hanging Hancock when the oldest child awoke, rose up in bed and seeing the strange men made an outcry. The mother herself seized a butcher knife and tried to frighten the child into silence, and failing, she stabbed it to death. The other four children, being awakened by the noise, were all butchered as the first had been, to silence them. The babe, being too young to be dangerous to the murderers, was not harmed. A new note then had to be written to include the murder of the children as well as the mother, and Mrs. Hancock wrote it surrounded by the victims of the terrible night's work. She and the two men then went away. The story is generally believed at Coudersport.

NEWS NOTES.

Samuel Whitmer, a well known resident of Edenburg, Clarion county, was killed by lightning in Kane, where he was working, on last Wednesday evening.

The Methodist church building at Girard, Pa., which was wrecked by lightning and recently rebuilt, was again totally demolished by lightning last week. Loss about \$2,000. Now, if that edifice had been a club house or a theatre—but let us not inquire into these mysteries.—Franklin News.

The late Judge Theo. S. Wilson was insured in the Equitable Life Insurance Company of New York. The General Agent, J. Loyd Shallenberger, has forwarded proofs of death, and a letter has been received from the New York office, saying a check for the full amount \$15,600 will be forwarded in a few days.—Clarion Democrat.

There is a reform badly needed in the railroad service. Instead of one conductor on passenger trains there should be two: one to conduct the train and punch tickets, the other to conduct the loafers and punch the heads of the two-legged things in the shape of men, who, when traveling, devote most of their time to insulting ladies who happen to be on the train without escorts.—Discard.

The farmers in the neighborhood of Hainesville, Sussex county, New Jersey, are very much alarmed at the prevalence of a disease that has broken out among their herds and has already caused the death of a number of cows. The State Inspector pronounces it tuberculosis and by his direction ten cows have been killed. There are grave apprehensions that the malady will spread.

A conference was held in Harrisburg Saturday between Dr. Z. X. Snyder and Dr. D. J. Waller, contestants for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction. Attorney General Howell was also present, and it was finally decided that Messrs. Waller and Snyder should deputize John Stewart, the present Deputy Superintendent, to sign the warrants, in order to avoid embarrassing school sections. This time-

ly action will result in the immediate payment of nearly \$2,000,000, due to common and normal schools, and normal graduates and under graduates.

Geo. R. Woodward, Sheriff of Elk county, is under arrest on a charge of bigamy. It is alleged that on June 22 he was married in Buffalo to Mrs. Taylor, of Ridgway, while his own wife, a most estimable lady, was still living and keeping house for him. He was taken to Buffalo on a requisition, to answer the charge, on the 21st inst., while his lawful wife has instituted proceedings for divorce.

A man named Vance, of Morristown, N. J., was bitten on the hand by a black spider about ten days ago. His hand began to swell within a day or two, and within a week he died in great agony. His arm had swollen to twice its natural size. Doubts have been expressed as to whether the death attributed to spider bites really result from that cause. It is an open question. If such death do occur, it is probable the patient's blood and system were in very bad condition.—Ez.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what all you. You should heed the warning, you are making the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at Proper & Dunt's Drugstore.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery never after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every free, or money refunded. Trial Bottles Free at Proper & Dunt