

THE FOREST REPUBLICAN.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1892.

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Burgess—C. R. Davis. Councilmen—Patrick Joyce, W. A. Grovo, W. A. Hills, S. H. Haslet, A. H. Dale, Joseph Morgan.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

WASHINGTON CAMP, No. 429, P. O. S. of A., meets every Saturday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Proper & Douth block.

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JAS. T. BRENNAN, REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND COLLECTING AGENCY, TIONESTA, PA.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE PROPER ASSESSMENT OF LANDS AND THE PAYMENT OF TAXES. ALSO TO THE PURCHASE AND SALE OF REAL ESTATE, AND TO THE RENTING AND MANAGEMENT OF THE SAME.

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. Rumberger.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—June the 1. —Now catch hard fish. —Oil market closed yesterday 55 1/2.

—Since Monday, what beautiful weather. —The Senior Class at the Clarion Normal numbers 99.

—To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scowden a daughter was born on Decoration Day. —Miss Artie Robinson is visiting friends in Reynoldsville, Jefferson county.

—Mrs. Jas Hesselgeser of Worthington, Armstrong county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Boyd. —Strawberries have reached this latitude in small consignments. They look very nice—to a country printer.

—James Cosgrove of Barrelet, who took in the Memorial exercises here Monday gave the REPUBLICAN a pleasant call. —Dentist Fisher will be at Andrew Weller's place, German Hill for one week after next Monday, prepared to do any work in his line.

—Found, a lady's purse, containing some change and other articles. The owner can have same by calling and proving property. —The case of the Tionesta Bridge Co. vs. the County, is up for trial at Warren this week. A fair sized delegation went up on the morning train yesterday as witnesses in the case.

—The borough council has posted notices to the effect that bids will be received until the 10th inst., for the erection of a lockup on the borough's lot. Plans and specifications to be seen at the council room. —Nebraska was largely represented at the memorial services in Tionesta Monday, sixty-eight persons having floated down on one of the large barges run out by Lyman Cook on that day. Their floral contributions were many and very beautiful.

—Another lad of Jerry Hepler, aged 9 years, had his right arm broken below the elbow yesterday by the kick of a horse. His other son, who broke his arm in two places about three weeks ago, by falling from a hay mow, is getting along nicely. —A member of Epworth League reports that their society decorated eighty-five graves, trimmed the arched entrance to Riverside Cemetery, killed five snakes and chopped the tail off the sixth, and still had time to take part in the other exercises of Memorial day.

—A man sometimes gets mixed up even when he's the most emphatic and intensely earnest. A Jamestown paper cites this instance: A gold-cure graduate, in praising its efficacy, declared: "The cure is a great thing. If a man would put \$50,000 here and a glass of beer there, I would take the \$50,000 and let the beer alone." —The West Chester Morning Republican has increased its size water-lily, adding a column to each page, making it the largest daily in Chester county, and by far the best. Commodore Fisher, the fat and handsome editor and manager, is a thorough newspaper man, with all the brains necessary to make his paper one of the leading in the State. Success to you, Jems.

—You have doubtless observed that the twelve-page Pittsburg Dispatch every morning contains from twice to three times as much of the latest important sporting news as any other paper between New York and Chicago. Every interesting game, no matter in what branch of athletics, whether among professionals, amateurs, schools, colleges or universities, is accurately and briskly reported in next morning's Dispatch. —Farmers wishing to purchase a Mower should remember that the Champion is the best and strongest Mower made. A boy can raise the cutter bar without leaving his seat, or throwing it out of gear, as it runs as well with bar up as when down. As it has a short pitman there is no danger of breaking or bending by running over low stumps or grubs. If you want the best buy the Champion of R. C. HEATH, Starr, Pa.

—The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the M. E. Church, Franklin district, will hold their eleventh annual convention at Tidoute, June 1st, 2d, and 3d. Mrs. C. C. Rumberger and Mrs. Eli Holeman will go as delegates from the Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church of this place. —Pete Gruber came up this morning armed with all his paraphernalia, which consists only of a small box, forked stick and rubber boots, to lift in a few more rattlesnakes, which are necessary to complete the suit of clothes he is having made in which to attend the World's Fair next year. He only lacks a few of the pelts. —The members of the Forest County Auxiliary Committee of the World's Columbian Exposition will meet at Mrs. A. B. Kelly's, Tionesta, Pa., on Thursday, June 3d, at 2 o'clock p. m. All ladies interested in World's Fair work are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. A. B. KELLY, President; Mrs. J. B. SIGGINS, Secretary.

—The new style of postal cards, for which the government has recently given an order for 24,000,000, is an original device and an experiment. The card will be doubled in the middle. One-half will be utilized by the sender, the other half for the answer, if the recipient sees fit to make one. The cards will be 5 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches in size, and will cost 2 cents each. —Mr. T. D. Collins returned from Omaha last Saturday, where he had been for the preceding three weeks as a lay delegate to the general conference of the M. E. Church. Mr. Collins will now devote much of his time to the building of the standard gauge railroad which is to connect the large lumbering plants at Nebraska and Golinza with the Wheeler & Dusenbury road at the mouth of Ross Run. The road will follow the east bank of Tionesta creek to near J. F. Overlander's place where it will cross to this side. Grading on the main line, from Wheeler & Dusenbury's mills at Stowtown to Kellettsville is well along, and before the summer is ended it is expected cars will be running.

—Mrs. Eliza H. Dean, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hardison, of this place, on Saturday morning last. Deceased had for a number of years been an invalid, suffering from partial paralysis, and since the death of her husband, Mr. Henry E. Dean, in October last, had made her home here with her sister's family, where she had received the tenderest care. On Monday previous to her death she accompanied other friends of the family to Titusville, to witness the marriage of her only brother, John J. Brooking. The effort was greater than she could bear, and on arrival home she began failing rapidly, until death ended her suffering in a peaceful sleep, not a struggle being apparent when she passed away. Mrs. Dean, whose age was 42 years, had lived an exemplary Christian life, and is attested by those who knew her, and death seemed a welcome messenger to her. She leaves, besides five sisters and a brother, a little daughter, Edna, aged about 12 years, to mourn the loss of a loving mother. Her remains were interred beside those of her husband in the cemetery at Cochranton, Pa., on last Sabbath.

—And now as to mowing machines! Scowden & Clark handle the D. S. Osborn machine, which, while not thoroughly known in this section, are still up with the best of them. They will guarantee them to be such, and will put them up with any machine on the market in all respects. To cap the climax they offer them for sale at \$45, which is far below the selling price of all others, thus saving customers the usual agent's commission and more too. All they ask is a trial of the machine, as each one is sold with a positive guarantee to give perfect satisfaction. They also handle the Thomas hay rake, which they sell for less money than anybody else will sell you a rake for. Come and see us; we are ready to stand over every claim we make.

A Great Story. "A Scarlet Letter," Nathaniel Hawthorne's most celebrated story, and one of the most famous in American literature, up to a few weeks ago cost, in cheapest cloth binding, \$1.00, or in paper, 50 cents. We have just received a very neat and thoroughly well made cloth-bound edition from John B. Alden, Publisher, New York, which he sells for 20 cents, plus 5 cents for postage, if by mail; the same in paper cover he sells for 10 cents, post-paid. His catalogue of choice books, over 100 pages, which he sends to any one for 2 cents postage, is a literary curiosity, which every book-buyer ought to have, of course. His publications are not sold by book-sellers, but only direct. Address, John B. Alden, Publisher, 57 Rose St., New York.

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

MEMORIAL DAY IN TIONESTA.

Decoration Day dawned clear and warm. Not a flaw was in it so far as weather was concerned, barrin' it was very warm. The bad, wet, cold weather so unfavorable to the promise of floral treasures had awakened some anxiety as to whether the bouquets and wreaths and posies needed for the proper observance of the day would be forthcoming. But such fears were groundless. Never were flowers more lavishly bestowed, never the decorations more beautiful than in the display witnessed Monday at Riverside Cemetery. At no time in the past was the sad memorial service entered into with more respect and sympathy by all classes than here on the Memorial Day just gone by. The attendance from the surrounding country was large and the interest manifested by these, generally, was sincere. The large cemetery had been in put fine condition and appeared to good advantage.

On Sunday previous two memorial services were held here in town. Rev. J. V. McAninch preached a memorial sermon in the morning at the Presbyterian Church, and in the evening Rev. C. C. Rumberger preached a memorial sermon in the M. E. Church. At the latter place the choir sang a memorial hymn composed and dedicated to the G. A. R. by Levi Gilbert, of the M. E. Church. On Monday at an early hour the business places were decorated with flags, and most of the private residences were similarly adorned. Some of these are worthy of special mention if we had space to accommodate our desires in this respect. The Keeley Institute, besides the ordinary decorations, displayed a large portrait of Keeley, and underneath the name "Keeley" done in a wreath of evergreen letters. The arch at the entrance to Riverside Cemetery was tastefully enveloped in wreaths of evergreen with flower garlands prettily disposed.

At 1:30 the Tionesta Camp of P. O. S. of A. in regalia, accompanied by the Kellettsville Camp, who had come down to participate in the exercises of the day, headed by the Tionesta Cornet Band issued from their headquarters in the Proper & Douth building and marched south to Partridge Hall where they joined Stow Post, G. A. R. headed by the Post Band, whose escort they then became. Next immediately following the Post members in the procession thus formed came the prettiest feature of the whole procession—40 young ladies, each armed with a flag and each in her prettiest gown adorned with her own pleasant face and carrying a handsome bouquet—a battalion of light armed infantry, so to speak, commanded by Capt. D. S. Knox, who, while he in days gone by might have commanded a more warlike brigade, certainly never led a handsomer one. Then came a column of Sunday School children carrying bouquets. Then followed the Woman's Relief Corps in carriages decked with flags and laden with wreaths and garlands of flowers. Then all the other good people, and a goodly number, too.

From Partridge Hall the procession moved south half a dozen blocks then counter-marching proceeded north up Elm street to the cemetery where the following order of exercises was observed: Roll call of the dead; prayer by Rev. Dean, of Hickory; decoration of the graves of the fallen, by members of the Post with appropriate sentiments; appropriate musical selections rendered at intervals; decoration of graves by children and citizens. After these exercises were done with all adjourned to the grove on the east side of the cemetery where seats and a speaker's stand had been erected. After a short prayer by Rev. Henry Rhodes, Rev. J. V. McAninch delivered a memorial address. Then Rev. B. F. Feitt of Brookville, was introduced and spoke. Comments on addresses delivered by such well-known speakers as Revs. McAninch and Feitt are unnecessary. Rev. Dean, Rev. Rumberger, Rev. Rhodes, and Benjamin May, Esq., occupied the stand with the speakers and added no little dignity and weight to the occasion. The procession moved away from the cemetery and the active observances of the day were over.

The day is one of sad memories to very many, and will be, on reflection, to all. Glorious is the land we live in, great the privileges we enjoy, bright the hope of our nation's future. But these have been saved for us and made sure at the cost of a sacrifice that is realized to us and others in oceans of tears, rivers of blood, and with privations and hardships and endurance words are powerless to tell fully and can portray only faintly. It is fitting we should willingly devote one day fully to a memorial sad in itself and out of which comes to us so much of peace and prosperity.

—The REPUBLICAN and the Philadelphia Weekly Press, the largest and best weekly in the State, for only \$1.75. Call and take advantage of this offer.

Base Ball.

The first game of the season was played on the Tionesta grounds on Monday afternoon, and resulted in a defeat for the home team, the Reno boys taking home the laurels with them. Game was begun at 4:15, and called at the end of the seventh inning on account of darkness. Tionesta made a spurt in the second inning piling up three runs, but this was their first and last. There was some good playing on both sides, and much that was not half so good and a great deal worse, particularly on the part of the home club. Kupler in the box did some remarkably fine work, striking out 15 of Reno's men, who are generally good hitters, but his support was not what it should have been. Ed. Matters, who caught for Tionesta, is a daisy, and his work behind the bat was admired by all. The Reno boys were in good form and played to win. They are a nice team and all work nicely together. Their battery, Manross and Harper, is much better than is generally picked up in the country, and they have reason to be proud of it. The attendance was large but was mostly on the outside of the fence. Following is the score:

Table with 4 columns: Team, R, H, E. Tionesta: 3, 10, 0. Reno: 2, 0, 1.

RENO. R. H. E. A. E. Hafner, c. 1 0 0 0 0. Harper, p. 1 0 0 0 0. Conroy, l. f. 2 1 0 0 0. Manross, d. r. f. 0 0 0 0 0. Corns, c. p. 1 1 1 1 1. Manross, c. f. 1 1 10 0 0. Bonnett, c. lb. 0 10 0 1 1. McDowell, 2b. 2 2 2 3 1. Bonnett, j. 3b. 1 0 0 1 2.

Tionesta. R. H. E. A. E. Hunter, l. f. 1 1 0 0 1. Kirshartz, 2b. 0 0 2 0 2. F. Hunter, 3b. 0 0 0 0 4. Matters, c. p. 0 2 16 1 2. Killmer, ss. 0 0 1 0 2. Joe, Landers, r. f. 0 1 0 0 0. Birchell, lb. 0 0 2 0 1. Beggs, s. 1 0 0 1 1. Kepler, p. 1 1 0 1 1.

Earned runs, Tionesta 0; Reno 0. Two-base hits, Harper, Conroy. Bases on balls, Manross 2; Kepler 3. Passed balls, Harper 1; Matters 1. Struck out, by Kepler 15; by Manross 6. Wild pitch, Kepler.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction, D. J. Waller, Jr., has addressed the following circular interrogatories to the School Directors of the State in a circular letter issued May 17:

What was the length of the annual school term in your district last year? Were your schools open seven, eight, nine or ten months, or were they closed by the action of your Board at the end of the minimum term of six months? If your Board made provision for only a minimum term of six months last year, or at any time since you have been a director, what was the motive that governed the majority of the members in taking such action?

Was the education of the children duly considered and emphasized as an imperative duty on the part of the Board and the District before deciding to close the schools at the end of a short term? What excuse was offered for closing the schools of your district at the end of a short term of six or six or seven months with a low tax rate for school purposes?

Do you favor a policy, on the plea of economy, that virtually deprives the children of school privileges half the year and places a barrier in their way to advancement and which prevents them from obtaining such an education as the public schools afford, or are you in favor of a progressive policy in the administration of the office of school director, a policy that will result in having good schools and longer school terms, and well qualified teachers honestly compensated for their services?

These are pertinent questions for your consideration in view of the fact that your voice and vote will determine the policy to be pursued by your Board in the operation of the schools of your district for the ensuing year. The State has generously increased the appropriation for the support of the public schools to five million dollars.

If all directors have a proper conception of the responsible duties which they are called upon to discharge and a due regard for the welfare of the children, and the Commonwealth, every boy and girl of legal school age in Pennsylvania will have the privilege of attending a good public school a continuous school term of not less than eight months during the school year beginning on the first Monday of June, 1892.

—D. S. Knox has been appointed agent for LeClare & Manning, Brighton, N. Y., growers of every variety of seeds, and is now ready to take orders for the spring delivery. This firm offers to the public choicest potatoes grown especially for seed, and guarantee every pound sent out by them. He has also taken the agency of the Standard Silverware Co., Boston, and can supply any article in that line at very lowest rates. Samples can be seen at the Postoffice. He wants a number of good live agents to canvass the county. Good commissions. Call or write for particulars.

Kellettsville.

About a week ago W. C. Wilson, our Buckeye Blacksmith, had the misfortune to step on a nail which ran clear through his foot, causing a very painful accident. He is better now, however.

A. H. Downing moved up from Newtown Mills on Decoration day, to his farm above town. That's right, Humphrey, come and be one of us.

James Carson was out coon-hunting recently. Jim says coons are rather scarce but if he had better tracking it would be great sport.

The dance in the new hall Friday evening was well attended despite the inclemency of the weather. Quite a snug sum was realized. The dance was given by the P. O. S. of A. Camp.

G. S. Damon, a Franklin agent, is in town selling washing machines. Sheriff Osgood has the contract of putting in the timber above the tannery, and delivering it to Pittsburg.

Harry Smith has gone down the river on the Tionesta Lumber Co.'s lumber. Two rafts belonging to the Tionesta Lumber Co., and one belonging to A. L. Weller, were run out of the creek Saturday. This makes a total of 35 for the T. L. Co. this spring.

About 30 members of Washington Camp, No. 636, went down to Tionesta today, to take part in the memorial services held there.

Mrs. M. Andrews went to Smethport Sunday morning where she will visit a day or two.

NEWS NOTES.

The Union City Times is about to open a voting school. The Army of the Potomac will reunite at Scranton, June 13 and 16.

The Era is a new paper which advocates the cremation of the dead. A corncob holder, made of silver, from which you can eat your corn without soiling your fingers, is the latest novelty. The ear of corn to put in the holder will also be a novelty unless the weather soon begins to reform.

Some of the bolts nowadays have hooks at the side for carrying untrusses when the hands are full of parcels. The little loops of silk cord that almost always adorn the handles slipped over the hook and the umbrella hangs easily and with a rather fascinating little swing that adds in some indefinable way to the grace of a pretty walk.

The Erie Times says Meadville men offer \$100,000 to have the Edinboro School moved to this place, and made an adjunct of Allegheny College. We don't know who the fellow is who is sneaking around trying to give \$100,000 away, before the rest of us get a chance, but we do know that it is a mean trick. The Edinboro School might be made part of the military department of Allegheny College, but they are entirely too touchy to be given charge of the cannon. We are a peaceable people and don't want so warlike an element.—Meadville Gazette.

NOTICE.

To Thresher, Saw-Mill and Shingle-Mill Men.

THRESHER-MEN—On any other Separator than the Huber, you have no right to, and can not, use our improved Chaffing Rack or our Patent Reverse Beater and Trailings Distributer. The Huber is the only Separator using one belt to operate the machine, which insures every part running at its proper speed.

The Farquhar Vibrator and Rake Separator is recommended as the best in use. We have several second-hand Masillon Separators in good order. Also several Champion and Springfield Separators with Clover Hullers. They are in good shape and will be sold at a sacrifice.

SAW-MILL MEN—know or will find the Improved Farquhar Saw-Mills, with Simultaneous Head Blocks and V friction feed, Patent dog and Patent set works, have few if any equals.

SHINGLE-MILL MEN—are all well aware that the new and improved Farquhar self feeding Shingle Machine is strong and durable and equal to any on the market.

The Ajax Engine and Cornish Boilers for Threshing, Saw Mills, Shingle Mills, or general use are warranted equal or superior to any in use. We have a full line of second hand mounted Boilers and Engines, 8 and 10 horse power, that will be sold cheap. Will be pleased to mail catalogues and quote prices on application.

JOHN A. MAOGER, 41. Clarion, Pa., General Agent.

Teachers' Examinations.

Examinations for teachers for 1892 will be held as follows: Brookton, Friday, July 1.

Clarion, Wednesday, July 6. Marienville, Thursday, July 7.

Nebraska, Saturday, July 9. Neiltown, Monday, July 11.

East Hickory, Tuesday, July 12. Tionesta, Wednesday, July 13.

Kellettsville, Thursday, July 14. Balltown, Friday, July 16.

1. Each applicant must write, for a specimen of his penmanship, the preamble to the Constitution of the United States, and enclose it in a self-addressed stamped envelope.

2. All written work must be done with pen and ink on foolscap paper.

3. All persons intending to teach must attend the examinations, as no certificates can be endorsed or renewed. All interested citizens are invited to be present. Examinations commence at 9 o'clock a. m.

G. W. KERR, Supt. Forest Co.

—English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused humps and blemishes from horses, blood spavins, curbs, splints, swellings, ring-bones, stiles, sprains, all swollen throats, coughs, etc. Save \$5 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most scientific liniment cure ever known. Sold by Proper & Douth, Drug Store, Tionesta, Pa. nov-18-91.

Better Than a \$1.00 Bottle of Blood Purifier.

Dr. W. H. Evans, the leading druggist of Sanford, Florida, says: "I always feel safe in recommending St. Patrick's Pills. I sell more of them than any other pills. I carry in stock." There are none better, and one dose of them will often do more good than a dollar bottle of any blood purifier in the market. For sale by Siggins & Fones, druggists.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and now on my third bottle and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made." Jessie Middlefield, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Trouble. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try R. Sample bottles free at Proper & Douth's Drug Store.

Absolutely the Best.

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