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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.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Oil market closed yesterday 55 1/2.

—Hon. J. B. Agnew is home from Washington for work week.

—Commissioner Egert is moving into his cozy new house this week.

—The summer vacation scholars are packing their grips for the return trip.

—Editor White of Tidoute was drafted to court here Monday, but got excused.

—J. S. Caldwell, Byromtown's hustling butcher, was attending court this week. Jack is as happy as ever.

—Harry Klinestiver, who has been on the REPUBLICAN's force for several years, has taken a "sit." on the Tidoute News.

—Mrs. Jas. H. Morrow of Dexter, Iowa, is paying a visit to the family of her brother-in-law, Dr. Morrow. She is accompanied by her daughter, Miss Emma.

—The squirrel season opens to-morrow, Sept. 1st. The shooting promises fairly good, a number of the frisky little fellow having been seen in different sections hereabout.

—The Warren Mail recently entered upon its 45th volume. Sound Republican, strict reliability, clean cut, able and always decent, the Mail is a welcome guest wherever it goes.

—The dedication to the lord's service of the addition recently built to the M. E. Church took place last Sabbath evening with appropriate services, Rev. Rumberger presiding.

—Our old friend John Walters, one of the solid Republicans of Jenks township, was in town this week and gave us a pleasant call. He is the same John wherever you find him.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wyman are entertaining Mr. W.'s mother, Mrs. J. D. Wyman of Meadville, and sisters, Mrs. J. N. Bart of Oswego, N. Y., and Miss H. Maud Wyman of Chatanooga, Tenn.

—Grove Bros. are drilling a well on the Kully farm, about two and a half miles up Tionesta creek from here. The REPUBLICAN ventures the prediction that they get oil. Kind o' feel it in our bones, you know.

—Broad A. Smith will commence camp meeting services, as announced, next Saturday evening. A good choir of singers will be present and make the grove fairly ring with their sweet melodies. Two services on Sunday.

—Scowden & Clark are getting in shape to rush up their new building, having all the timbers and lumber on the ground, and the foundation completed. It will make a nice improvement to their already convenient plant.

—The new school houses erected in Tionesta township this summer, the one on German Hill by Wm. Diekrager, and that at Hunter Station by Melchor Jaun, are about ready for the birch, and schools will open in them at the regular time.

—The Tionesta photograph gallery will be open only on Wednesdays until further notice. On these days Mr. Sires will give his personal attention to the work and make the sittings himself. No better guarantee of satisfaction could be asked.

—Superintendent Kerr has decided on December 19th as the date for the opening of the teachers' institute in this county. He will have a good corps of instructors and lecturers for the occasion, which is expected to be one of the best yet held in the county.

—A ball game is being arranged between Franklin and Tionesta to take place here on Saturday, Sept. 10th, the day of the re-union of the Keeley graduates. The Franklin team is a hummer, and as Tionesta will put in a good deal of time in practice and have a first class nine in the field, the best game of the season may be looked for.

—The Grand Army boys have received official intelligence to the effect that the fare for the round trip from this section to Washington on the occasion of the grand re-union, Sept. 20, will be \$9.00. This is not as low as was first expected it would be, but as it is considerably less than half regular fare, there seems little disposition to complain, and a goodly delegation will doubtless attend from this vicinity.

—We are requested to state that a meeting will be held at W. B. Heath's, Starr, on Saturday evening next for the purpose of organizing a Harrison and Reid club, and that all interested are requested to be present.

—Mrs. A. McCray is entertaining her uncle, Mr. E. K. Range, of Mill Village, who is making his annual visit to old friends here. Mr. R. cast first vote on the right side forty years ago and has continued it ever since, and will put in a solid one for Harrison this fall.

—Yesterday forenoon Court Crier James A. Scott, of Jenks township received a telegram conveying the sad and startling news of the death of his wife at their home near Marienville, which occurred on Tuesday morning. She had been sick for some time previous but no such sudden or serious result had been anticipated. Mr. Scott left for home at once and Daniel Black was sworn in as court crier for the balance of the week.

—A game of ball was played between the Juniors of Oil City and the Juniors of Tionesta, on the latter grounds last Wednesday afternoon, resulting in a score of 8 to 6 in favor of Oil City. The playing was poor on both sides, and the wonder is that the score was not larger. And such kicking, from start to finish, has scarcely ever been heard on the grounds before, but there wasn't any blood spilled, and so it don't matter much. The two teams are pretty evenly matched, and another game would as likely as not result the other way.

—Every line in the newspaper costs something. If it is for the benefit of an individual it should be paid for. If a grocer was asked to donate groceries to one abundantly able to pay for them he would refuse. The proprietor of a newspaper must pay for the free advertising if the beneficiary does not, and yet it is one of the hardest things to be learned by many that a newspaper has space in its columns to rent, and must rent to live. To give away or rent for anything less than living rates would be as certainly fatal as for a landlord to furnish house rent free.—Ex.

—Republican parties are talking very decidedly of putting in a system of water works for Tionesta. In fact the stock for such an enterprise is all spoken for and the funds pledged by those who can put up the stuff. The plan is to run the water in by gravity from Tubbs Run, and a more feasible way could scarcely be wished for. There is an abundance of the purest water to draw from with not more than three miles of pipeage necessary. The investment is a safe one and will yield its promoters a good interest on the money invested for all time to come. It is expected to have the water in before cold weather, and it can't come to soon to suit the most of us. Turn on the hose.

—Speaking of the railroad arrangements to attend the Washington re-union the Franklin News gives this information: The Grand Army men from this section will go to the National Encampment in Washington via the Nypans road. The route will be to Waverly, N. Y., on the Erie road; thence down the Lehigh Valley to Philadelphia, and thence via B. & O. road. It is now certain that about 60 to 75 people will go from Franklin. A sleeping coach will run from Oil City, another from Franklin, and a third from Meadville, and these, with day coaches, will be run as a solid train through to Washington, passengers having the option of returning via New York city. The train leaves on Saturday, Sept. 17.

—Hon. George F. Kribbs was re-nominated for Congress at Ridgway by the Democratic conference on Wednesday last. The conference at one time bid fair to end in a good sized row, and as it was, adjourned with a very bitter feeling on the part of most of its members. Two years ago, if "all men are not liars," the nomination was promised to Forest county, and under the system of nominating at that time this agreement would most likely have been carried out. But Clearfield and Centre came up with a squad of 22 delegates and insisted on their representation on the Orvis plan—one delegate for every 500 Democratic votes—which the other three counties kicked on. But by some hook or crook, known only to Democratic schemers, the Orvis plan was adopted, Clarion finally agreeing to it. Then the nomination of Mr. Kribbs was made, while one of the Centre delegates pretended to be quite wroth about it. Just by what kind of chicanery Clarion was brought into line does not seem to appear at this time, but that it should agree to a plan which virtually disfranchises Elk and Forest, the two counties which gave it the nomination two years ago, seems to an outsider like base ingratitude. Nevertheless, the nomination of Mr. Kribbs is by far the best that could have been made, excepting one of course, that of Dr. Siggins, Forest county's choice. But among them he is; the Republicans have only to select a good man and they'll elect him this fall.

—Rev. Rumberger preaches his farewell sermon in the M. E. church here next Sabbath evening. This will complete his fifth year of faithful ministerial work on this circuit, which is the limit prescribed by the laws of the church. During these five years Dr. Rumberger has labored earnestly and zealously in the upbuilding of the church and his efforts have been rewarded in a remarkable growth in the membership and general welfare of the two charges over which he has presided. His departure will be regretted not only by his entire flock, but by a very large circle of friends outside his regular congregation. Mrs. Rumberger will also be greatly missed by the ladies, and the church and other societies having for their aim the good of mankind, and in which she always took a leading part. Wherever the family is stationed in the future may their lines fall in pleasant places, is the general prayer of our community.

—What might have proved a most serious accident happily resulted otherwise at Hickory on last Sabbath afternoon. Frank P. Lindal, Miss Minnie Cropp and Cora Gathers, all of that vicinity, were on their way to the camp meeting at East Hickory, and Mr. Lindal was driving a spirited team of ponies belonging to J. W. Halliday. When near the W. N. Y. & P. railroad track, just above the west end of the river bridge, the ponies took fright and became unmanageable, backing the buggy with its occupants in such a manner as to come in contact with a passing freight running at a high rate of speed. They struck one of the cars about the middle of the train, killing one of the ponies instantly. The buggy was badly demolished and the occupants thrown out. Mr. Lindal and Miss Cropp were bruised and cut about the head considerably but not seriously, Miss Gathers escaped without much injury. One of the ponies also escaped injury. The escape of the entire party from instant death is almost miraculous.

Republican Committee Meeting.

The Republican County Committee met at the court house Monday evening pursuant to call of Chairman Ledebur, for the transaction of general business. A number of matters pertaining to the preliminary work of the campaign were laid before the Committee by the chairman and were promptly disposed of. Suggestions as to registration of voters were made, and all present seemed to be thoroughly impressed with the importance of looking after this matter, as well as all others that had for their aim the bringing out of the full vote in the fall. In fact each and every one seemed specially enthusiastic, and ready to discharge any duty laid on him.

Before the close of the meeting Congressional Conferees were appointed follows: Amos F. Ledebur, Geo. W. Osgood and A. W. Cook. They meet the conferees from the other counties of the district at Ridgway to-day, Wednesday, for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for Congress. No instructions were issued, the committee having no choice further than the naming of the best and strongest man, leaving that to their own judgment.

The Committee adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman.

Barnett Township.

The harvesting is all over for this season.

Clarington is on the improve, there are now three new buildings going up in town.

The Clarion River is quite full of boats, and if water don't soon come times will be quite dull around this part of the county.

Mr. A. M. Fitzgerald received quite a severe injury while wrestling. He threw his ankle off joint; he is improving now.

The gossips say there is going to be a couple of weddings in this vicinity in the near future.

W. J. Landis was visiting friends in Coleman a short time ago. Come again, Doc, you are always welcome.

There were two nicely conducted festivals at Greenwood the past week.

Willie Hotel is thinking of driving team for J. I. Fitzgerald the coming winter.

Grandmother Johnston has been quite sick for some time, but now is improving some.

Mr. David Lawhead bids his friends goodbye and starts for Armstrong county for the winter.

DEXTER.

School Examination.

As previously announced the Boro Schools will open on Sept. 6th. An examination will be held on Saturday, Sept. 3, at 9 a. m., for all who were not in school at the close of last term and who wish to be promoted at the beginning of the present year.

T. F. RITCHIEY, Sec'y of Board.

—For sale, a good property on Vine St., suitable for residence. Apply to P. M. Clark.

Grand Banquet.

The Woman's Relief Corps, No. 137 held a banquet at their Hall on Wednesday evening, August 24, in honor of their President, Mrs. C. C. Rumberger. It was a social event of the most pleasant character to all who participated. Like everything else which they have attempted it was an immense success, and will long be remembered. At an early hour in the evening, the members of the Corps, along with the G. A. R. boys, began to assemble in their large and commodious hall, and the baskets, packages, ice cream freezers, arriving in the ante-rooms, gave some prognostications of the good time coming. The hall was well filled with their husbands, and "the old vets." The evening was auspicious, the lamps shone brightly o'er fair women, and brave men. At the appointed hour, Mrs. Dr. Morrow, the newly elected President, took the stand, and announced in an appropriate manner, the object of the meeting. Mrs. Sue M. Sharpe, then in a very appreciative address, presented Mrs. Rumberger with a beautiful set of solid silver tea spoons, as a faint token of the esteem and love, which the sisters of the Corps bear toward their President, who is soon to leave them, reverting to the past efficiency of that worthy woman, as the presiding officer, since their organization. This appreciative and well timed address was listened to with intense interest by all present. Mrs. Rumberger responded, deeply affected by the proceedings, but as usual, was equal to the occasion. She spoke of the happy hours she had spent with the Corps, how they had aided her in relieving the distressed; how they had all worked together with unity of purpose, in works of charity. How she was rejoiced that success had crowned their efforts and rendered this the champion Corps of the State, as regards increase of members, and she believed in interest, in the noble work. They had been blessed by a good Providence in their humble efforts, and in a feeling manner stated her regrets that circumstances rendered it necessary that she should leave the kind friends and friendships she had found here, but that she would always remember them associated with her in the work. She eulogized the Stow Post, No. 274, G. A. R., and spoke of the unity and good understanding which had always existed between Stow Post and the Corps and wishing them all continued prosperity. Her remarks were listened to with profound attention, and made a deep impression on all. P. C., S. D. Irwin, was called upon for a few remarks. He spoke of the extraordinary progress which the Corps had made under the able and efficient administration of their able President, Mrs. Rumberger. That she combined in an eminent degree all the qualifications of an ideal presiding officer,—was energetic, sympathetic, able, and zealous, and the great prosperity of the Corps was in a large measure due to the exertions of this model officer, and that he knew he spoke the sentiments of all present when he said this, and that we all regret her removal from our midst and will always feel we have lost a good friend to our cause.

H. J. Fisher, Shipperville Post, being present, gave one of his characteristic off hand speeches, full of the sentiment of the hour, interspersed with humor and feeling. Chaplain Rhodes made a good stirring address, as he always does, and was listened to with great interest. Next came what all were looking forward to—the banquet,—and such a banquet as only these ladies could get up. It seemed as if the "home of plenty" had been turned upside down, or that the bottom had fell out of the market and the delicacies had lighted there, and nothing too good for the Relief Corps and the old soldiers. From the nature of things the Corps ladies well knew that the soldier, though he can stand pork and beans, infinitely preferred chicken, so this knowledge of army life had a direct tendency to reduce the number of chickens in this community, though it has left enough to crow the watches of the night and wake the people in the morning. The cakes and ice cream were also a marvel. The Relief Corps do not give any Duke Humphrey suppers. This was so abundantly proven as to convince the most skeptical. But it is impossible to give a vivid and accurate description of the bill of fare. After the festivities Comrade Fisher sang one of the old war songs, by request, entitled "Hard Tack," which carried the boys back to the sixties. By request, Mrs. Nora H. Siegel gave an excellent comic recitation entitled "The Jiner," a character sketch, which was well rendered and received.

Among the visitors, and members, of G. A. R. and Corps from out of town we note Comrades McVey and Fisher; B. M. Jones and wife and N. Went and wife, Nebraska; Mrs. M. Andrews and Mrs. Dr. Barber of Kellettsville; Judge Clark and Will with

their wives; H. W. Ledebur and wife Mrs. S. C. Whitmore, and Mrs. Stouthworth of Hickory; also D. Stokely and wife. In conclusion, can say that as an entertainment in every sense of the word it was excellent in every way, and has never been excelled in the history of the place, reflecting great credit on its projectors.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 137, of Tionesta, at their last meeting, August 17, 1892:

Whereas, Rev. C. C. Rumberger, Pastor of the M. E. Church, is about being sent to a new field of labor, it becomes necessary under the circumstances that our President, Mrs. Rumberger, leave us. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the membership of the Corps bear testimony to the zeal, integrity and ability of our beloved President, and regret that it becomes necessary for her to sever her connection with us.

Resolved, That we most cordially extend to her our sympathy and love, and commend her, for her integrity, energy, and labor in behalf of our Corps since its organization.

Resolved, That we commend her to those with whom she will come in contact in her new field of labor, as an earnest Christian worker, always cheerful, faithful and ready for every good word and work that might fall to her lot, and may the choicest blessings of Heaven go with her.

Resolved, That wherever her lot may be cast our prayers and love shall ever accompany her.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished her and that they be given publication.

MARY T. IRWIN, AUGUSTA F. KELLY, JENNIE E. AGNEW, Committee.

COURT NEWS.

The news from the court house at this writing is yet meagre. The business thus far transacted, outside the usual routine, may be summed up as follows:

Shriver and Brewster vs. Copeland and Zahniser, settled.

Whitehill and Watson vs. Johnson, continued.

Mayer et al vs. Cole, continued.

J. A. Proper vs. Berry et al. This case went to trial and had just gotten nicely under way when, on the introduction of evidence not anticipated, the plaintiff claimed a surprise, and the suit was continued.

Harris vs Clough, continued.

Cummings vs. Clough, verdict for plaintiff.

COMMONWEALTH CASES.

Com. vs. Milton Salzgiver, f. and b., not a true bill, county pay costs.

Same vs. Edward W. Mazo, f. and b., not a true bill, county pay costs.

Same vs. Frank Parson, f. and b., a true bill, Emma Colwell prosecutrix.

Same vs. Amos H. Walton, assault and battery, a true bill, Lydia L. Walton, prosecutrix.

Same vs. S. S. Long, malicious mischief, not a true bill and prosecutor, Josiah Work, pay costs.

Same vs. James Carson, larceny, a true bill, Mrs. M. Andrews prosecutrix.

CHOLERA'S RAVAGES.

The spread of Asiatic Cholera is becoming very alarming throughout most all of Europe. Hamburg, Germany, is infested with the awful plague, hundreds of cases having already appeared there and the hospitals are already overflowing. Deaths by the dozen are reported daily and new cases by the scores. Eight hundred cases or more have already been recorded, and over 200 deaths. England has also become infested, many cases having been discovered in the suburbs of London. Havre, France is also among the infected districts, and many deaths are daily reported from there. All the seaport towns are being quarantined and the greatest precautionary measures taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The United States government is moving rapidly in the matter, and hopes, by the strictest possible measures to keep the monster from landing on our shores. The disease has a full month of hot weather yet in which it may flourish, and the health authorities of every country are preparing to meet and prevent its progress if possible. Cleanliness on the part of every person and municipality is strictly enjoined as one of the best preventives.

NEWSY NOTES.

Sullivan and Jim Corbett will fight near New Orleans, Sept. 7th, if all arrangements can be perfected. Betting is up to one on John L.

Walter, aged nine years, son of Jas. Gilliland, of Conneaut township, Crawford county, died a few days ago from the effects of running a nail in his foot.

A petition is being circulated by the members of the National Guard now on duty at Homestead asking that they be relieved from duty on September 1.

President Harrison don't allow any monkeying by the boys on the other side, as is shown by the promptness with which he meets every attempt to tread on the toes of Uncle Sam. On the 30th inst. he issued a proclamation in which he sets forth that the Dominion of Canada has discriminated against the citizens of the United States in the use of the Welland Canal, and he therefore directs that from and after September 1, 1892, until further notice, a toll of 20 cents per ton be levied, collected and paid on all freight of whatever kind or description passing through the St. Mary's Falls Canal in transit to any part of the Dominion of Canada, whether carried in vessels of the United States or

of other nations and to that extent suspends from and after said date the right of free passage through said St. Mary's Falls Canal of any and all cargoes or portions of cargoes in transit to Canadian ports.

Jerry Benninghoff, of Greenville, Pa., of Co. K, 15th Regiment, was accidentally shot in camp on Wednesday morning by a revolver in the hands of one of his comrades, Ford Smith, in an adjoining tent. The ball went through the walls of both tents and struck Benninghoff, who was lying down, in the side. The wounded man ran out of the tent and fell dying just an hour after he was shot. He was 22 years of age and a most exemplary young man. He was the only son at home and his mother had pleaded with him not to join the Guard. Just before his death he said: "Ask mother to forgive me." The funeral services in the camp at Homestead were attended by Gen. Wiley and staff; all the officers of the 15th Regiment, and the entire 15th Regiment. Young Smith, who is 19 years of age, is stunned, horrified and inconsolable over the death of his friend.—Franklin News.

—The Edinboro State Normal School opens Sept. 5, 1892. No normal school has better facilities. A large library, beautiful surroundings, a good museum, qualified teachers, enthusiastic teachers, thorough instruction. These unexcelled advantages can be had during the fall term for only \$50. Martin G. Benedict, Principal.

The Groves Were God's First Temples.

There will be a colored camp-meeting in the Robinson Grove, at Tionesta, Pa., commencing September 3d, and continuing to the 11th, inclusive. A band of jubilee singers will be in attendance and render plantation melodies as sung before the war. Ample provision has been made in case of rain. On Sunday, the 11th, a wedding ceremony will be performed in the grove. The following ministers and speakers have been invited and are expected to be present: Mr. and Mrs. Broad Axe Smith, Rev. L. Williams, and others. No intoxicating liquors will be allowed on the grounds. There will be three services each Sunday and one each night of the week. A collection of 10 cents from each person and 10 cents from each vehicle will be taken at the gate to defray expenses. BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Adjourned Sale of Mill Property.

By virtue of an order of the Courts of Common Pleas of the counties of Forest and Elk