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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building. FOREST LODGE, No. 184, A. O. U. W. Meets every Friday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta. WASHINGTON CAMP, No. 420, P. O. S. A. M. Meets every Saturday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta. CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening of each month, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Tionesta. CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 197, W. R. Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening of each month, in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta. BOARD OF EXAMINING SURGEONS for Forest County, meets on the third Wednesday of each month, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in Dr. Morrow's office, Tionesta, Pa. P. M. CLARK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, and DISTRICT ATTORNEY. Office, cor. of 1st and Bridge Streets, Tionesta, Pa. Also agent for a number of reliable Fire Insurance Companies. T. F. RITCHEY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Tionesta, Pa. DR. F. T. NASON, Physician, Surgeon & Druggist. TIONESTA, PA. Office on Elm Street. Calls attended to promptly day and night. J. B. SIGGINS, M. D., Physician, Surgeon & Druggist. TIONESTA, PA. J. W. MORROW, M. D., Physician, Surgeon & Dentist. Office and residence three doors north of Lawrence House, Tionesta. Professional calls promptly responded to at all hours. DR. PRESTON STEELE, Homoeopathic Physician & Surgeon. TIONESTA, PA. Office in the rooms formerly occupied by E. L. Davis. Calls made night or day. LAWRENCE HOUSE, L. AGNEW, Proprietor. Tionesta, Pa. Centrally located, greatly enlarged, newly furnished throughout, and complete in all its appointments. Sample rooms for Commercial Agents. Good Livery in connection. CENTRAL HOUSE, O. C. BROWNELL, Proprietor. Tionesta, Pa. This is the most centrally located hotel in the place, and has all the modern improvements. No pains will be spared to make it a pleasant stopping place for the traveling public. FOREST HOTEL, West Hickory, Pa. Jacob Bender, Proprietor. This hotel has but recently been completed, is nicely furnished throughout, and offers the finest and most comfortable accommodations to guests and the traveling public. Rates reasonable. MAY, PARK & CO., BANKERS.—Corner of Elm & Walnut Sts., Tionesta, Pa. Bank of Discount and Deposit. Interest allowed on Time Deposits. Collections made on all the principal points of the U. S. Collections solicited. PHIL EMMET, FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. Shop in Reek building next to Smear-Jaugh & Co.'s store. Is prepared to do all kinds of custom work from the finest to the coarsest and guarantees his work to give perfect satisfaction. Prompt attention given to mending, and prices reasonable. EVERYBODY reads The Pittsburg Dispatch for the reason that it contains more news, both general, special, and telegraphic; has more contributors and more special correspondence than any other newspaper between New York and Chicago. LORENZO FULTON, Manufacturer of and Dealer in HARNESS, COLLARS, BRIDLES, And all kinds of HORSE FURNISHING GOODS. TIONESTA, PA. The water line is progressing well. Starting from the top of Tietzworth hill it is completed to the court house, and covered to near that point. With the same progress as has been made during the past ten days the line ought to be ready to receive the water by September 1st, and in shape for making connections. As will be seen by our marriage notices the Chautauque excursion last Saturday was fraught with more pleasure for at least a quartette of Tionesta's young people than a mere visit to that delightful resort. The happy couples have the best wishes of all their friends for a long and prosperous life, and the REPUBLICAN hopes that the future of Frank and John and their better halves may be as bright and cheerful as the day upon which their hearts were joined.

Jan. T. Brennan, BROKER IN REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL INSURANCE.

Wild Lands for Sale. Farms for Sale. Houses & Lots for Sale. Houses for Rent.

Do you wish to sell or exchange Real Estate? or desire Insurance on your buildings or household furniture? Call on me. Church and Sabbath School. Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m., M. E. Sabbath School at 10:30 a. m., Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. Rankin. Preaching in the F. M. Church every Sabbath evening at the usual hour. Rev. A. T. Sager, Pastor. Services in the Presbyterian Church every Sabbath morning and evening. Rev. J. V. McAninch officiating.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Oil market closed yesterday 60 1/2. The trial list for August court is published this week. To Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Clark, of Hunter Run, a son was born on the 4th inst. Sheriff Osgood has some real estate for sale at the next term of court. See his ad. in this issue. Misses Pauline and Rosamond Merkle of Tidouite, visited with Miss Dora Blum during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jackson were down from Warren during the week as the guests of Tionesta friends. The Free Methodist camp meeting at Youngville, Warren county, begins to day, and continues till next Wednesday evening. After this week the Sires Photo Gallery, at Tionesta, will be open Saturday of each week, only. W. J. Bulger, operator. William E. Sherman of Clarion township and Miriam E. Shaffer of Forest county have taken out a license to wed in Clarion county. Mrs. J. E. Kirchartz and Mrs. James Hill, of Beaver Falls, mother and sister of Charles S. Kirchartz, are paying Charley and family a visit. Jas. D. Davis arrived in town last Thursday from Redlands California, where he has been for the past two months. He intends remaining till fall at least. Proper & Walters are putting up a good sized building on the north end of their corner lot, opposite Hopkins & Lanson's store. Tidouite parties have the contract. Rev. McAninch, expected to be with his congregation here two weeks ago, but has been detained at his mother's home in Kansas by sickness both of himself and his mother. Mrs. O. B. Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele, of Franklin, mother, brother and sister-in-law of Dr. Preston Steele, are late acquisitions our town, occupying a part of Mrs. Joseph Grove's residence. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Poffenburg, of Kellettville, and Mrs. H. Kiser and Miss Emma, of German Hill, are enjoying an overland ride to Pittsburg this week, where they will be the guests of friends for a fortnight. Mrs. E. D. Miller and family of Kellettville, wish to sincerely thank all friends who so kindly assisted them during the illness and after the death of husband and father. They will ever be held in kindly remembrance. No shower was ever more welcomed than that which came and cooled the air, laid the clouds of dust and freshened up vegetation at midnight last Saturday. 'Twas a blessing indeed, and made all nature smile once more. Revenue Collector Kearns has made a new arrangement of his sub-districts. The counties of Erie, Crawford, Lawrence and Mercer are put together and called the eighth division. Warren, Forest, Venango, and Clarion are the ninth division. The new dog law passed by the late legislature provides that the county commissioners may levy a tax on all male dogs of not more than \$2; a tax on all female dogs of not more than \$4. The basis upon which the tax is to be levied is the amount of damage done to sheep in all the townships. The commissioners are to foot up all the amounts reported to them by the authorities designated by the law during each year, and then make a levy proportionately, on each dog to pay the same, but levy not to exceed the above amount. The owners of dogs are liable for damage done by them, provided, after an investigation by the township authorities, they refuse to kill the dog or dogs which did the damage. Killing the dog will relieve him. Dogs under the age of four months are not to be taxed.

Blackberries are beginning to come in quite lively, and are commanding a fair price. The best are not ripe yet, but if Br'er Hicks will "predict" us a copious shower of rain about every third day from this on, there'll be oceans of 'em. Numerous berrying parties are being arranged. The serious illness of Rev. Dr. Elder last week created an alarm among his many friends in Clarion and round about. The announcement in the church Sunday morning that he was recovering was received with gladness, and in a few days Dr. Elder will be among his people again. —Jacksonian.

On Tuesday, August 1st, 1893, at his late home in Marienville, Pa., passed away perhaps the oldest citizen in point of age, in Forest county. On that morning, after an illness of about six weeks, Mr. Orrin Butterfield breathed his last. Mr. Butterfield was born in Jefferson county, N. Y., Aug. 24, 1806, and had he lived till the 24th of this month would have been 87 years of age. When yet a vigorous young man he moved to Jefferson county, Pa., and near the present town of Clarington settled upon a piece of land which he cleared into a fine farm, and which he continued to occupy until about four years ago when he moved to Marienville. By close attention to business thrift and energy he made a success of life, and had the pleasure of seeing all his children happily married and well-to-do before his end came. Mr. Butterfield was twice married. Five children, three boys and two girls, were the result of the first marriage, of whom two are now living, Charles Butterfield of Crown, Clarion county, and Mrs. W. B. Rust of Mercer county. His second wife was Miss Elizabeth Spencer, of York State, and she survives him. This union was blessed with three children, Mrs. A. Braden, of Clarington, Mrs. A. J. Wallace of Marienville, and Orrin D. Butterfield of near Clarington. All the children and a number of grand children were present at the funeral, which took place on Wednesday afternoon last, and the concourse of sympathizing friends was the largest ever witnessed in the town of Marienville.

Orrin Butterfield Deceased.

The tanning business is suffering from the present financial depression, as well as most all other manufacturing industries, and many of the sole leather tanners are running at only about one-half their capacity. —Ridgway Democrat. A Renova cow had not been giving any milk for three months, when one day it came upon a broken keg of beer that had fallen from a wagon. The cow drank of the beer, and since then has been giving 20 quarts a day—milk of, of course, at last a successful case of electrocution occurred in York State. It is reported from Salamanca, where a cow had her lead through a barbed wire fence. Lightning struck the fence some distance away, ran along the wire and electrocuted her. She never kicked. Tuesday morning of last week, nearly the entire stock of breeding fish in the State hatchery at Corry were found floating dead on the water. Over 100 of the oldest and most valued lake trout were picked up. There is little doubt that the fish were designedly poisoned. A new worm more destructive than the potato bug, is working great havoc among the potato plants in Lancaster county. Dr. S. E. Ober has examined the worms and finds they are the larvae of the "blister fly." It is a valuable keepake and is highly appreciated by the owner. —Brookville Republican. Among the failures reported to-day is one which will not occasion much regret. The big deal in pork which has held the price of that commodity at an incredible high figure for months has collapsed, accompanied by the announcement of the failure of the three leading houses concerned in it. Hereafter it may be possible for a man of ordinary means to occasionally banquet on a ham sandwich. —Blizzard. The Meadville Star says: "An epidemic is prevalent among the horses of Western Crawford and Erie Counties. Thomas McGuire, of Albion, last week lost two valuable stallions by the disease. At Shadeland a large number have been afflicted during the past week. The disease originates in the head and throat, and as yet, seems to baffle the skill of the best veterinarians. It is more prominent among the stallions." The present reaper and binder, which is now doing such excellent work in every wheat field, one would think, could hardly be improved upon, and, as all know, drops the sheaves the moment it has bound them, leaving the gathering of them afterwards to human hands, but now many of them have cunning attachments which carry the bound sheaves along until six of them—half the number of an ordinary shock—are bound, when they are all dumped on one spot, thereby expediting the work of gathering and shocking very materially. —E.

NEWSY NOTES.

Flirting is said to be at its height at Chautauque. The third national convention of the Keeley League is called to meet on the 12th of Sept. in Central Music Hall, Chicago. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company a few days ago paid its annual capital stock tax in Pennsylvania, \$700,302, to State Treasurer Morrison. Ex-Senator W. I. Nowell, insurance broker of Philadelphia, made the lowest bid for insuring the State Capitol and its contents and gets the contract at \$64,000. Reports from all the western half of Kansas, are that the corn has been so badly damaged by the hot winds that no amount of rain can now do it much good. Rev. W. H. Crawford, of Chicago, has been elected president of Allegheny College and has telegraphed his acceptance. He is a young man, aged 37 years, and is a graduate of Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. Rev. Dr. Peate, of Greenville, is now at work on a monster glass for a telescope which will compare favorably with any now in existence. When completed it will probably be mounted in an observatory in Allegheny College. Farmers and property owners should bear in mind that they are required by law to cut Canada thistles on their property before they go to seed; they are finable for the neglect, and the complainant is entitled to a part of the fine.

Chas. Russell, Tionesta, is agent for the celebrated Buffalo Razor, which is honed ready for immediate use, guaranteed in every respect, and removes whiskers without pain. Parties desiring these famous razors will find them at Russell's barber shop, 11.

WANTED.—A job of sawing for a portable mill. Would set for 500, 000. Write to or call on Gourley & Co., Carlisle, Mercer Co., Pa. 4t. Closing-out Sale of Summer Suits, regardless of cost, at Miles & Co.'s. —Miles & Co.'s. Men's Jean pants at 75 cents, at Miles & Co.'s. —Miles & Co.'s.

Excursion Tickets to Chicago, Account of the World's Fair.

The Erie Lines have placed on sale at all of its ticket offices Special Excursions to Chicago and return, and the agents will give all desired information to parties who intend going to the "Great Fair." The rates by the Erie will always be as low as the lowest. The trains of the Erie run direct to Chicago without change of cars. Pullman Palace sleeping cars start from Meadville daily, and berths can be secured in advance. If parties who intend visiting Chicago will notify me, I will give them all the detailed information regarding rates, time of trains and any other information they may desire regarding the trip, or if time will allow, I will call on them personally. F. A. BEATTY, Passenger Agent, Erie Lines, Oil City, Pa.

MARRIED.

MORGAN-SAMPSON.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Charles A. Alberson, in Jamestown, N. Y., August 1, 1893, Mr. Frank H. Morgan, and Miss May M. Sampson, both of Tionesta, Pa. HUNTER-MORGAN.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Charles A. Alberson, in Jamestown, N. Y., August 1, 1893, Mr. John G. Hunter, and Miss Sannie L. Morgan, both of Tionesta, Pa. DAVIS-KEPLER.—February 7th, 1893, at Dunkirk, N. Y., by Rev. S. M. Nickle, Mr. James D. Davis and Miss Nellie Kepler, both of Tionesta, Pa.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, The Hon. Charles H. Noyes, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for the County of Forest, has issued his precept for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Quarter Sessions, etc., at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the 1st Monday of August, being the 28th day of Aug., 1893. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of said county, that they be then and there in their respective places at ten o'clock A. M., of said day with their records, interrogations, examination, and other remembrances, to do those things which may be lawfully required to be done, and to those who are bound in recognition to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they may be taken and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal this 29th day of July, A. D. 1893. JOHN R. OSGOOD, [L.S.] Sheriff.

TRIAL LIST.

List of causes set down for trial in the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pennsylvania, to be held at Tionesta, on the Last Monday of August, 1893: J. A. Neill, Nancy Church, Julia N. Barry, and S. T. Neill for use of Neill's Church, vs. J. S. Terry and S. T. Neill, vs. B. F. Shamburg and H. W. Shamburg, Administrators of G. Shamburg, deceased, No. 28, September Term, 1892. J. W. Kahle, D. P. Kahle, J. C. Kahle, R. S. Gray, vs. Clara S. Blood, Executrix of the Estate of A. R. Blood, deceased, and J. S. Terry and S. T. Neill, a corporation under the laws of Pennsylvania, vs. Charles Leeper, terre tenants, No. 29, November Term, 1892. Seire Facias vs. Mortgage, No. 30. J. C. Welch vs. John A. Proper, No. 64 February Term, 1893. Summons in Assumpsit. A. & W. Kinch vs. John F. Proper, No. 25 November Term, 1892. Summons in Assumpsit. H. J. Mohrhead vs. John A. Waterhouse, Dr. J. D. Bennett, J. W. Attkins, Terre Tenants, No. 43, May Term, 1893. Seire Facias vs. Mortgage, No. 44. B. H. Brown vs. Mrs. Anna Fairbrother, and B. F. Houghton, No. 45, May Term, 1893. Summons in Assumpsit. T. James S. Henderson vs. Hickory Township, No. 46, February Term, 1893. Summons in Trespass. S. Selden Whitman vs. T. F. Ritchey, No. 62, May Term 1893. Appeal from J. P. 9. Mathew Cox vs. James C. Welsh, No. 17, May Term 1893. Appeal from J. P. Attest, CALVIN M. ARNER, Prothonotary. Tionesta, Pa., Aug. 1, 1893.

Confirmation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in my office and will be presented at the next term of court, to-wit: JAMES M. ARNER, Sheriff, for the first and final account of W. M. Lindsey, one of the Executors of the late will and testament of Helen S. Thomas, late of Tionesta, Pa., deceased. JAMES C. BOWMAN, Administrator of J. E. Berlin, late of Kingsley township deceased. Register and Clerk of Orphans Court, Tionesta, Pa., August 1, 1893.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pennsylvania, and directed to me, to be exposed to public sale or outcry, at the Court House, in the Borough of Tionesta, Pa., on MONDAY, AUGUST 28, A. D. 1893, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit: C. L. RECKNAGLE vs. JOHN SIGGINS vs. THE IRWIN PETROLEUM COMPANY, Fieri Facias, No. 25 August Term, 1893. All the right, title, interest, and claim of the defendant of, in and to all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in Harmony Township, Forest County, Pa., being part of tract No. 224, beginning at post in the line formerly of John Haines and distant 35 5/10 rods from north line of said tract, No. 224; thence south 47 5/10 rods to post, thence east parallel with north line of said tract 135 7/10 rods to post; thence north 47 5/10 rods to post, thence west 14 7/10 rods to place of beginning, containing 49 acres, more or less, being same land recorded in Venango County, Pa., Book II, page 691. Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of The Irwin Petroleum Company at the suit of C. L. Recknagle vs. John Siggins.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters do not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum, and other affections caused by impure Blood, will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cents, or \$1.00 per bottle at Siggins & Nason's drug store. It should be in Every Home. J. B. Wilson, 271 Clay St., Shippensburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cookport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try It. Free Trial Bottles at Siggins & Nason's Drug Store. Large bottles, 50c. and \$1.00 5.

Hotel Property for Sale or Rent.

The Forest Hotel, located in the bustling town of West Hickory, Pa., is for sale or rent. This hotel is practically new, nicely furnished, conveniently located, and enjoys a good patronage. Good stable, billiard room and barber shop connected with hotel property. Call on or address Mrs. Elmira Bender, West Hickory, Forest county, Pa. 3t.

FOR SALE.

A Six Horse Power Steam Threshing Machine, on easy terms. Machine can be seen at Wm. McCann's, near Newmansville, Clarion Co. For price and terms apply to JOHN A. MACGEE, Clarion, Pa. —Who's paper you reading?

Grand Low-Rate Excursion to the Thousand Islands.

Last of the season. The W. N. Y. & P. R. R., announces a grand low-rate excursion to Thousand Islands, and down the St. Lawrence, to leave Tionesta, Thursday, August 24th, at 8:40 a. m. The low rate of \$6 will be made for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning ten days. The excursion goes by W. N. Y. & P. R. R., to Rochester, thence via the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R., to Syracuse, thence via R. W. & O. R. R., to Clayton, and steamer from Clayton to Alexandria Bay, which is the grand centre of the Thousand Island District. Party will arrive at Alexandria Bay, Friday morning, in time for breakfast, from which point innumerable cheap excursions can be taken among the Islands. Special hotel rates have been secured for the party at all the best hotels, from \$1.50 per day, up to good cottage board can be had at \$1 per day. Special sleeping car and day coaches will be provided for the party, sleeping cars will be put on to Rochester to accommodate those who wish them. Berths should be secured in advance to insure space. Call on W. N. Y. & P. R. R. Agents, or write Mr. S. B. Newton, Excursion agent, Buffalo, for sleeping car berths or further information, at as early date as possible. These excursions have grown in popularity each year, and are considered a select party. Mr. Newton accompanies the party through to the Islands, and arranges all details for those who wish. Do not miss this grand low-rate excursion to one of America's grandest summer resorts. Kellettville. A. L. Weller has secured the contract of clearing and fencing the school house ground. The price for the job is \$40 and work must be completed by the last of August. Mrs. W. S. Johnson and children are visiting in New York. Before her return she will visit the World's Fair, where she will be joined by her husband. Mrs. M. Andrews returned a few days since from a two week's visit to the big fair. She reports everything as well worth going to see. Several families on the west side have been putting down water wells since the dry weather. Kellettville can only boast of one good spring of water, and several of our citizens are trying their luck in locating good water. We hope they will succeed. Mrs. Hattie T. Tompkins and friend, Miss Lafferty, both of Titusville, are visiting at Wm. Tobey's. H. E. Gillespie is putting in logs on the hill back of town. His merry "hoot" can be heard echoing on the surrounding hills, which reminds us that Ed. is at work. The Salmon Creek mill will run for a day or two, commencing on Monday. The water is so low as to make it quite difficult to run logs, thus causing considerable idleness around town. The Tannery has only been running, or tanning 1/4 the amount that was tanned in one week, thus causing considerable idleness around town. There are from 15 to 20 teams hauling bark to town, which makes quite a stir. Miss Kate Goenther is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. Weller. It is reported Mrs. Goenther will teach school in one of the rooms here the coming term. Mrs. Della Kribbs is on the sick list. Andrew Lawson was quite badly shaken up one day last week by falling off a load of bark. He is much better now, however. The young people in town are getting quite enthusiastic over base ball. A set only one game has been played with a visiting team, and we are sorry to say our nine came out second best.

Grand Low-Rate Excursion to the Thousand Islands.

The mail carrying between Titusville, Pleasantville, Tidouite and Enterprise is temporarily in the hands of W. B. Dutton again. The contractor, a western man, had sub-let the contract to a Mr. Milliner, or Mrs. Milliner, or both of Titusville. Mrs. Milliner carried the mail since July 1st, until about a week ago when they forfeited their bond and gave up the route. Mr. and Mrs. Milliner no doubt confidently expected when they took this contract that they were securing one of Uncle Sam's pie bakeries; but that running a mail route a distance of 40 miles each week day for a little less than \$1 a trip, can't be done, is only one of the many things that a person has to find out, who is foolish enough to attempt it. —Pleasantville Record.

The New Dog Law.

The new dog law passed by the late legislature provides that the county commissioners may levy a tax on all male dogs of not more than \$2; a tax on all female dogs of not more than \$4. The basis upon which the tax is to be levied is the amount of damage done to sheep in all the townships. The commissioners are to foot up all the amounts reported to them by the authorities designated by the law during each year, and then make a levy proportionately, on each dog to pay the same, but levy not to exceed the above amount. The owners of dogs are liable for damage done by them, provided, after an investigation by the township authorities, they refuse to kill the dog or dogs which did the damage. Killing the dog will relieve him. Dogs under the age of four months are not to be taxed.

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