

THE FOREST REPUBLICAN.

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The President is said to be alarmed over the general situation. Queer, isn't it?

SENATOR JONES sees the hundred million bond issue of the Administration and would go it five better.

FIRST comes the resignation of the President of France, the President of Argentina follows suit. Wonder who the third will be.

THE surplus worried the Democrats and they got rid of it. The gold reserve distressed them and it is on the wane. Some things are accommodating and yet the party is not happy.

It becomes more apparent day after day that the "wicked Republicans" will have to be again called upon to save the country. What a short time ago it was that the Democrats were howling "Turn the rascals out!"

BURNS, the English labor leader, is dead stuck on himself and his people, for he claims there is no country in existence that needs the Englishman's help as bad as the United States. If he comes back with these sentiments it is probable he will get a dose of soiled eggs from the hands of the men whom he would come to assist, as every true American has an idea that this country can get along very well with out any assistance from England or her labor agitators. -Kane Republican.

THE NEW FRANKING PRIVILEGE.

It is a misnomer to say that this Congress has restored the old franking privilege. This permitted a Congressman to transmit any mail matter under his signature, a privilege grossly abused.

The clause in the Government printing act just passed, which is being widely said to have restored the "old franking privilege," only gives Congressmen the privilege of sending letters free, and only these on official business. The clause of the act which does this is as follows: -

The Vice President, members and members-elect of and delegates and delegates-elect to Congress shall have the privilege of sending through the mails, and under their frank, any mail matter to any Government official or to any person correspondence not exceeding one ounce in weight, upon official or departmental business.

This limits the privilege to letters and to letters of one-rate postage. A heavier letter will need a stamp. When the franking privilege was abolished official stamps were provided for the departments. These proved cumbersome and were abolished, a "penalty" envelope in use in England being substituted. This has been abused, but not as much as the old frank. Congressmen have never had this privilege. Next it was provided that Government documents should go free under a Congressman's frank. This has been in operation some sixteen years. Lastly comes the change which makes Congressmen's letters free.

Democratic papers which are always attacking "extravagance" and supporting a party which perpetrates the worst extravagancies known in our appropriations, will find this extension of the franking privilege hard to defend. Sensible people will remember that a Congressman's letter postage is nearly all caused by his official position, and that it costs a Congressman easily \$10 a week if he keeps up with his mail. -Phila. Press.

DOINGS AT HARRISBURG.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 29, 1895. Four hundred and eighty-three bills read in place in the House, about 200 in the Senate, upward of 160 reported from committees in the House, six House bills passed finally, and sent to the Senate, and four times that number already sent over to the House from the Senate, asking for concurrence, will give some idea of what has been and is being done thus far in legislative matters. On Friday morning the House calendar of bills on first reading was disposed of in eighteen minutes, seventy-seven bills having been put through the hopper. This remarkable record was made with the Hon. John H. Pow in the chair. Bills on first reading are never opposed, hence it is possible to make time and transact a large amount of business when the first reading calendar is on.

Up to this date there has been little or no notice in the ordinary routine of proceedings, although on one or two occasions in the House they have verged very close to the brink. Notably when the bill for the repeal of the act prohibiting the consolidation

of competing pipe lines came up Thursday on second reading. The bill was finally re-committed to the committee on corporations, where it is expected both sides will be given a hearing. Another little breeze was raised in the House on the same day upon the question of adoption of a Senate resolution to investigate the hospital for the insane at Norristown. Mr. Cochran of Armstrong moved to amend by including the hospital at North Warren, and on this amendment some rather pithy remarks were made by a number of the members. Mr. Cochran brought up the charge presented by one W. L. Peart of Kittanning, nearly three years ago, to the Governor, to sustain his argument on the adoption of the amendment. This brought the venerable George V. Lawrence to his feet in defense of the management of the Warren hospital, and he stated what every one in the Northwest, who has ever taken the trouble to investigate, is fully aware of, namely: That the Warren hospital is one of the finest and very best managed institutions of the kind in the State of Pennsylvania. The resolution was referred to the committee.

The House had a call from the well-known Solomon O'Bail and his interpreter, Andrew Johns, of the Salamanca reservation, during the past week. Mr. O'Bail was here in the interest of his people, the dependents of the noted Chief Cornplanter, and to learn if the legislature could not restore to them 300 acres of land in Venango county, which Cornplanter had sold long years ago, and got worthless scrip for, the said 300 acres being the land on which Oil City is now built. Nothing could be done, as the matter is one which the courts must adjudicate. Mr. O'Bail was not allowed to go home penniless, however, the hat having been passed around among the members and a purse of over \$40 raised to see him safely back to his wigwam. Had he been presented with a deed in fee simple to the "Hub" he could not have shown greater gratitude than when he pocketed the purse.

Among the important bills that passed the House second reading this week was one to regulate the standard weight of a bushel of onions. Another one is a bill amending "an act to protect fruit gardens, growing crops, grass, etc.," so as to include berries and nuts. If these important matters are once disposed of it is possible the sessions will be ready to adjourn sine die.

A bill has been introduced allowing the voters of townships to vote for or against the authorizing of the respective road commissioners to appropriate money toward the building of sidewalks along the public thoroughfares of townships. The bill, as the title implies leaves it to the option of the voters in the townships.

Two bills for the compulsory attendance at school of children between the ages of 8 and 16 years, have been introduced, one by Mr. Seyfert, of Lancaster, the other by Mr. Farr of Lackawanna. Both are consecutive and apparently fair in their provisions, though the former's measure provides for more stringent penalties, the fines running as high as \$20 and imprisonment of 30 days for second and subsequent violations of the provisions of the act. Mr. Farr's bill makes the maximum fine \$5, and provides for no imprisonment. In these particulars the latter bill seems to be the more popular. As to which will develop the most strength when once before the House for discussion cannot be told as yet.

NEWSY NOTES.

It is claimed that Lake Erie produces more fish to the square mile than any other body of water on the globe.

The school directors of Bradford have made the discovery that they have been paying \$5.00 a gross for lead pencils that cost the Pittsburgh schools only 60 cents.

Celebration on Lake Chautauque has what is claimed to be the largest skating rink in the United States. The floor space is 120x190 feet. The galleries will comfortably seat 8,400 persons.

The full House Committee on Naval Affairs has received the report of the sub-committee, and approved of it. It provides for three battle-ships, 12 torpedo boats and an addition of 2,000 men to the navy.

A freight train ran into a sleighing party near Sunbury, Pa., last Friday morning, killing two persons and wounding a dozen others. The noise of the sleigh bells prevented the driver from hearing the approach of the engine.

Hon. Frank S. Johnson of Bradford, familiarly known throughout the oil country as "Judge" Johnson, died at his home in Bradford Thursday morning, January 24. He was in his fifty-fifth year. The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Deceased represented McKean county in the State Legislature in 1877-88, and was President of the Bradford Star Publishing Company at the time of his death.

Robert Gohlbrauth of Indiana county displayed a wonderful amount of nerve a few days ago by amputating his own foot. In falling from a wagon about three years ago he sustained injuries to his left leg and since that time has been constantly under the care of a physician. The injury developed into a pulsating tumor, finally resulting in gangrene. His physician had several times advised amputation, but the old gentleman would not listen to it, but he finally changed his mind and did the job himself with a razor. Mr. Gohlbrauth is 76 years of age, but is apparently none the worse for the ghastly act.

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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 of the Peace, Orphans' Court, Over and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the Fourth day of February, 1895, being the 25th day of February, 1895. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of said county, that they be then and there in their proper persons at ten o'clock A. M., of said day with their records, inquisitions, examination, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and to those who are bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they may be then and there to appear against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal this 28th day of January, A. D. 1895.

JOHN T. CARSON, [L.S.] Sheriff.

Appeal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Forest County will be at the following places at the time designated for the purpose of holding appeals for the Triennial Term, 1895, to-wit: Harmony Township, Fogie Farm, Monday, Feb. 4, 1895. Hickory Township, East Hickory, Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1895. Kingsley Township, Kellebville, Thursday, Feb. 7, 1895. Howe Township, Balltown, Friday, Feb. 8, 1895; Watson Farm, Saturday, Feb. 9, 1895. Jenks Township, Byrontown, Monday, Feb. 11, 1895; Marienville, Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895. Barnett Township, Clarrington, Wednesday, Feb. 13, 1895. Green Township, Nebraska, Thursday, Feb. 14, 1895. Tionesta Township, Court House, Friday, Feb. 15, 1895. Tionesta Borough, Court House, Saturday, Feb. 16, 1895. W. A. CONNELLY, PETER YOUNG, W. M. COON, Commissioners of Forest County. Attest, J. T. DALE, Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to sale by public vendue or outcry, at the Court House, in the Borough of Tionesta, Pa., on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, A. D. 1895, at 10 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

M. MANDEVILLE, R. M. WHITNEY vs. MARIE R. WHITE and DAVID E. WHITE, Levari Facias, No. 22, February Term, 1895. O'Bail and Thompson Plaintiff's attorneys. All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Marienville, Jenks Township, Forest County, Penn'a, and being what is known and numbered as lot No. 6, in E. Bevier's section property as surveyed and laid out by James B. Caldwell, Civil Engineer, August and September 1888, as respects to the plot which appears and described as follows: Commencing at the north-east corner of the lot being at south-west corner of Bevier Street and Earl's Alley, Forest County, Pa., and 4-10 feet to Harlan Alley, thence east along Harlan Alley one hundred and twenty feet to Bevier Street, the place of beginning at. Lot fronting 58 4-10 feet to Bevier Street and running back 120 feet to Harlan Alley. This lot is a part of a large tract of land heretofore conveyed to E. Bevier by Roberts J. Blood and K. L. Blood, her husband, by deed dated September 14, 1885. Recorded in Deed Book No. 17, page 610, part of subdivision No. 7, of Warrant No. 3169. Improvements consist of a large two story frame house and out building, the whole of said premises being improved, fenced, &c.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Marie R. White and David E. White at the suit of M. Mandeville and R. M. Whitney. TERMS OF SALE.-The following must be strictly complied with when the property is struck down: 1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditors become the purchaser, the costs on the writ must be paid, and a list of liens including mortgage searches on the property sold, together with such lien creditor's receipt for the amount of the proceeds of the sale or such portion thereof as he may claim, must be furnished the Sheriff. 2. All bids must be paid in full. 3. All sales not settled immediately will be continued until 12 o'clock p. m., of the next day, at which time all property not settled for will again be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom first sold. See Purdon's Digest, Ninth Edition, page 45 and Smith's Forms, page 824. JOHN T. CARSON, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 29, 1895.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF JAMES-OWEN, N. Y., vs. ANNA B. SCHOFIELD and CARL W. SCHOFIELD. Delevi Facias, No. 133, Feb. Term, 1895. Samuel Gramblin, Attorney.

All that tract or parcel of land situate in the Township of Harmony, in the County of Forest and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows: Bounded on the north by the Germania road, on the east by E. Howland, and on the south and west by land of Mc Coy, containing forty acres of land, be the same more or less, being the same premises conveyed to William E. Clark and Mary Clark, his wife, by deed dated December 4, 1890, from Henry Smith and H. A. Smith, his wife and recorded in the recorder's office of Forest County, in deed book 21, page 219, together with all and singular the buildings, &c.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Anna B. Schofield and Carl W. Schofield, defendants, Tidal Oil Co., Terra Tenasis, at the suit of the First National Bank of Jamestown, N. Y. TERMS OF SALE.-The following must be strictly complied with when the property is struck down: 1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditors become the purchaser, the costs on the writ must be paid, and a list of liens including mortgage searches on the property sold, together with such lien creditor's receipt for the amount of the proceeds of the sale or such portion thereof as he may claim, must be furnished the Sheriff. 2. All bids must be paid in full. 3. All sales not settled immediately will be continued until 12 o'clock p. m., of the next day, at which time all property not settled for will again be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom first sold. See Purdon's Digest, Ninth Edition, page 45 and Smith's Forms, page 324. JOHN T. CARSON, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 29, 1895.

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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, commencing on the Fourth Monday of February, 1895, for confirmation: 1. First and final account of S. J. Wellcott, Administrator of Thomas Pownell, deceased. 2. First and final account of T. L. Pownell, late of Hickory Township, deceased. 3. First and final account of Eli Berlin and David L. Beck, Executors of the last will and testament of Catharine Beck, late of Kingsley Township, deceased.

Attest, CALVIN M. ARNER, Register, and Clerk of Orphans Court, Tionesta, Pa., January 29, 1895.

Notice.

In the matter of the construction of sewer in Borough of Tionesta and collecting expenses thereof from property owners. No. 10, February Term, 1895, Common Pleas of Forest County. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned viewers in above stated case have completed their duties, made report of their findings and filed same in said Court, Jan. 28, 1895, and unless exceptions are filed thereto within thirty days from date of filing, the said report will be confirmed absolutely.

The following is the schedule showing the amount of benefits assessed and to be paid by the respective property owners along the line of sewer as benefited hereby: F. R. Linton \$23.00, T. F. Ritchey \$22.00, Ed. Holman \$10.00, Geo. Raab \$10.00, P. M. Clark \$24.00, Herman & Siggins \$12.00, Hattie Reilly \$6.00, G. G. Siskies \$2.00, J. D. Davis \$11.00, Chas. Bomer \$3.00, W. L. Hunter \$7.00, J. H. Fones \$11.00, M. E. Parsonage \$11.00, Mrs. R. B. Crawford \$11.00, A. M. Dent \$15.00, Mrs. C. A. Craig \$17.00, W. A. Grove 2 lots \$25.00, E. S. Hunter \$20.00, L. V. Bignay \$15.00, Universalist Church \$12.00, C. M. Arner \$12.00, W. W. Grove \$15.00, H. G. Davis heirs 2 lots, J. M. Repler \$23.00, Flora Walters & Co. \$10.00, F. C. Proper \$15.00, A. Carson \$8.00, G. G. Siskies \$2.00, 2 lots \$25.00, Hunter & Canfield \$5.00, J. A. Dawson \$12.00, G. A. Hill \$7.00, P. C. Hill \$7.00. Total \$450.00.

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