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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

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REGULAR TERMS OF COURT. Fourth Monday of February. Third Monday of May. Last Monday of August. Third Monday of November.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 309, 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. A. Meets every Saturday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st and 3d Wednesday evening in each month, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 127, W. R. C. Meets first and third Wednesday evening of each month, in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta, Pa.

TIONESTA TENT, No. 184, K. O. T. M. Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday evening in each month in A. O. U. W. Hall 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.

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.

L. D. BOWMAN, M. D., Physician & Surgeon. TIONESTA, PA. Office in building formerly occupied by Dr. Nason. Call promptly responded to, night or day.

HOTEL AGNEW, L. AGNEW, Proprietor. This hotel, formerly the Lawrence House, has undergone a complete change, and is now furnished with all the modern improvements. Heated and lighted throughout with natural gas, bathrooms, hot and cold water, etc. The comforts of guests never neglected.

CENTRAL HOUSE, C. F. WEAVER, 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. First class livery in connection.

FOREST HOTEL, West Hickory, Pa. Jacob Bender, Proprietor. This hotel has been recently 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.

N. E. HOLMES, PRACTICAL TINNER and sheet metal worker, and dealer in tin, copper, sheet iron and granite ware. Place of business opposite Lanson's iron building, Tionesta, Pa. Special attention is given to steel, iron and tin roofing and spouting and sanitary plumbing.

PHIL. EMERT, FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. Shop in Reek building next to Smear-saugh & 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.

J. F. ZARRINGER, PRACTICAL WATCH-MAKER and Jeweler of 25 years' experience, is prepared to do all work in his line on short notice and at reasonable prices. Always guarantees satisfaction. Watches, Jewelry, &c., ordered for parties at the lowest possible figure. Will be found in the building next to Keeley Club Room.

Fred. Grettenberger GENERAL BLACKSMITH & MACHINIST. All work pertaining to Machinery, Engines, Oil Well Tools, Gas or Water Filings and general Blacksmithing promptly done at Low Rates. Repairing Mill Machinery given special attention, and satisfaction guaranteed. Shop in rear of and just west of the Shaw House, Tidontia, Pa. Your patronage solicited.

S. H. HASLET & SONS, GENERAL MERCHANTS, Furniture Dealers, AND UNDERTAKERS. TIONESTA, PENN.

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Deeds, Bonds, Mortgages, Leases, Wills, Powers of Attorney, Articles of Agreement, and all other legal instruments of writing, drawn with accuracy and dispatch. Trusts examined and "Trusts" prepared. Ground rents, mortgages, and loans negotiated. Farms and wild lands, houses and lots for sale or rent. Registers of Property for sale or to let, open to the inspection of those interested. Particular attention paid to the collection of rents, interest, etc. Also to the proper assessment of lands and payment of taxes. Probating accounts, acknowledgment of deeds, and depositions taken.

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. W. W. Dale. Preaching in the F. M. Church every Sabbath evening at the usual hour. Rev. F. F. Shoup, Pastor. Services in the Presbyterian Church every Sabbath morning and evening. Rev. J. V. McAninch officiating.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Barnett is the place for bargains. I —Miss Iva Emert is visiting relatives in Tylersburg.

—Geo. Burkett of West Hickory was in town Saturday.

—J. R. Pettigrew of President was on our streets Monday.

—Don't go hungry. Ginger snaps 5c. per pound at Lanson's.

—Mrs. O'Brien of Irvineton is a guest of Mrs. L. J. Hopkins.

—Chas. F. Griffin of Balltown was in the county seat Monday.

—W. C. Allen of West Hickory was in town on business Saturday.

—Miss Kate Canfield visited friends at West Hickory over Sabbath.

—Mrs. J. H. Derickson is visiting relatives in East Brady this week.

—Men's felts with high two buckle rubbers \$2.15 at Lanson's.

—Jas. T. Brennan returned Monday evening from Washington, D. C.

—Ben Kelly has gone to Chicago, where he has several offers of situations.

—Miss Clara Young of Titusville is a guest of her friend, Miss Edie Clark.

—Pritner Agnew of North Clarendon was in town on business the past week.

—T. J. Fleming and W. S. Johnson of Kelleitville were in town over Sunday.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Zuck of Fox Creek, Sun day morning, a daughter.

—E. E. Amsler and J. C. Confer of Marienville were in the city over Sunday.

—Only a few more days and we will again be afflicted with the comic valentine.

—Edwin E. Clapp of President favored the REPUBLICAN office with a pleasant call Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Watson of Goulinza passed through town Monday on their return from Corry.

—Mrs. W. G. Wyman has been seriously ill for past few days but at last accounts was much better.

—Willis Kerr of Clarion, Commissioner of Clarion county, is a guest of his brother, Co. Supt. G. W. Kerr.

—The case of Jude Taylor in Venango county has been postponed until the next term of court, Monday, February 10.

—If in need of anything in the dress goods line, just bring your cash and see what you can get at Lanson's clearance sale.

—Barnett's closing out sale is still going on, but it will not last always. "Take time by the forelock" and secure a bargain, if you can.

—The County Commissioners started Monday on a tour of the county for the purpose of holding appeals for the triennial assessment of 1895.

—The absence of the name Auditor of W. L. Stroup from the Auditor's report of the county for 1894, was caused by the recent sickness and death in his family.

—Caldwell Overlander of Allegheny city, an engineer on the Ft. Wayne & Chicago railroad is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Overlander, of this place.

—The Jamieson, Dale & Co., well was drilled to the sand yesterday and will finish to-day. Grove Bros. will commence drilling on the Hunter run well in a day or two.

—Mrs. Lucy Shaner and Mrs. A. P. Dale of South Oil City, sister and sister-in-law, respectively, of Rev. W. W. Dale were guests at the M. E. parsonage during the past week.

—We regret to chronicle the serious illness of one of our oldest citizens, Mrs. John Stroup, of German Hill, who is lying very low with pneumonia. She was some better at last accounts.

—Last Sunday was known as Christian Endeavor day all over the United States as it was the 14th anniversary of the organization of the first C. E. society, at Portland, Me. The founder, Rev. F. E. Clark is still living.

—Prof. Alton Lindsey of Randolph, N. Y., will give an eloquent entertainment in the Court House on Saturday evening, Feb. 16, 1895, for the benefit of the Epworth League. Admission 15 and 25 cents. Everybody is invited.

—Hiram Steels died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Quackenbush in Titusville, early last Thursday morning, aged 75 years. He was the father of A. H. Steels of New York, who was at one time in the banking business in Tionesta.

—Don't forget Barnett's closing out sale.

—Two sacks of good warranted flour at Lanson's for \$1.50.

—Everything is down in price, especially shoes. Come in and look at the heavy shoes for children to wear without rubbers, at Lanson's.

—Will Craig has gone to Wolf Run to take charge of the W. N. Y. & P. Station at that place, as J. W. Green, the regular agent, is laid up with quinsy.

—It is wonderful to see the rush of people at Barnett's closing out sale. The goods are going rapidly and your chance for a bargain will be very small if you do not improve the opportunity immediately.

Sheriff Taylor of Chautauqua county, N. Y., claims to have a clue by which he will locate the perpetrator of the double murder at Busti, inside of fifteen days. Nobody charged with the crime has been arrested for several days.

—If the ground fog can be depended upon as a weather prophet we will have six weeks more of winter weather, for the ground fog or any other kind of fog that could not see his shadow last Saturday must have been very blind.

—Dr. J. A. Brown of Summerville was in Clarion last Friday trying to find a place for an insane man now in Jefferson county. After a little investigation it was found that Forest would have to shoulder the responsibility.—Clarion Jackonian.

—Soon after anti-toxine was introduced in this country the health department of Erie secured one dozen bottles and have since used it in all serious cases of diphtheria and not a death has occurred from that disease since the remedy was introduced.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jake Glering drove over from Tionesta, Tuesday afternoon and visited a couple of days with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Folwell. They were accompanied by their daughter, Miss Alice, who will remain with her sister in Pleasantville for a few days.—Pleasantville Record.

—As will be seen by the Auditor's report the liabilities of Forest county are only \$14,200.03, a decrease of \$6,673.46 from last year, which shows up very creditably beside Crawford county, as the commissioners of that county had to borrow over \$50,000 to defray running expenses last year.

—Editor Shick of the Clarion Jackonian was recently convicted of criminal libel and sentenced to pay a fine of \$100, which he refused to pay and he is now serving it out in the county jail, editing his paper from his cell. The Meadville Tribune says he ought to change the name of the paper to the Jugonian.

—February 12 is the anniversary of the birth of Lincoln and great preparations are being made throughout the country to celebrate the event. There is no man in history, for whom the American people have more love, than Father Abraham, and every loyal American should keep his name in patriotic remembrance.

—This is suggested as the right sort of problem in mental arithmetic for the text-books: "A boy 10 years of age has a little sister who weighs 16 pounds, and gets tired of holding her in five minutes. When he is twice as old, how long will it take him to get tired of holding some one else's sister who weighs 125 pounds?"—Ex.

—Elmer Dismore, for many years in the employ of Holeman & Hopkins here, but for the past twelve years a resident of Forest county, is spending a week with old friends and kindred in this neighborhood. This being his first visit here in a dozen years, he naturally finds many strange faces.—Pleasantville Record.

—Frank M. Stephenson of Oil City, the baritone singer who was so warmly received by our citizens during his late week, has gone to Duluth, Minn., to continue his vocal studies. Mr. Stephenson will never have any difficulty in drawing a house in Tionesta, even if he does not acquire any beneficial results from his studies in Duluth.

—Milton T. Siverly, one of the pioneers in the locality of Oil City, died recently at Davenport, Iowa, in his 90th year. He came to the farm on which Siverlyville now stands in 1820, removing from there to Forest county in 1834, and in 1843 went west and located in Iowa. He leaves five daughters, and is survived also by two brothers and two sisters.—Franklin News.

—W. A. Fisher, who for some time has been in the jewelry business in Tionesta has closed out his stock and left. Mr. Fisher had not made up his mind where he would locate next. But Tionesta is not to be without the usual number of jewelers as A. Carson, who was formerly located here has returned and will be ready for business in a few days, and we wish Gus the best of success.

—Indiana county boasts of having only two prisoners in the county jail. That's nothing. It has been so long since there has been a prisoner in the Forest county jail that the talk of erecting a new jail in the spring has all blown over and there is some talk of packing the present building full of ice. No use of a jail in a county which is populated with such law abiding citizens as there are in Forest county.

—It seems that we were a little "off" in our announcement last week that the Kane Republican was "going to become a daily," and have since been informed that the daily has been in existence for the past five months, and it was an enlargement of said daily that the publisher promised. We beg Brother Northrup to excuse our error but we won't take back anything we said regarding the good qualities of his paper or the town in which it is published, and after looking over his daily we again say "longlive the Republican—both daily and semi-weekly."

—This morning at 11 o'clock the steamer Friesland left New York for a 62-days cruise across the Atlantic and along the Mediterranean. Among the passengers were the five preachers, whom the readers of the Pittsburg Times elected by their votes as the most popular in Western Pennsylvania. The Times is doing a great deal of good in the way of advancing the education of our teachers and ministers, and is deserving of great commendation. The Times is one of the cheapest, newest, and most reliable dailies in Western Pennsylvania and those who do not take it will be good things for their next edit.

—The Borough dads certainly ought to enact some legislation, preventing coasting on Walnut street hills, as quite a number of narrow escapes from serious injury have occurred there of late, pedestrians are in constant danger. There is no lack of hills in this vicinity that are just as good for coasting as the one on Walnut street, and that are not located in the heart of the business portion of the town.

—If this morning is a sample of the six weeks weather predicted by Mr. Groundhog some of our citizens will wish to go to a warmer climate and the horrible pictures recently drawn of certain warm climates, by Evangelist Williams, will have lost all their terrors when a man gets up in the morning and finds his waterpipes frozen up. The mercury registered 24° below zero this morning.

—The tears trickle down the grand old face of Solomon O'Ball, as he sits lonely and thirsty in his dilapidated shack, on the Cattaraugus reservation, and reflects that twenty-one liquor licenses have just been granted to the squatters on his flats at the mouth of Oil Creek, Pa.—Franklin News. If the thirsty old relic had any thrift about him he would come down to the Flats, open a bank account in the right place, procure a license, get into the game and play ball with the rest of the Indians.—Blitzard.

—What might have been a very serious runaway occurred at Nebraska, this county Sunday. A team belonging to Adam Ikenburg became frightened and ran away and threw Mr. Ikenburg out, shaking him up quite severely, but not seriously. The team ran down the street and frightened a horse which Geo. Klinkstiver was holding in front of his residence. The horse, which belonged to Wm. Roberts of this place, threw Mr. Klinkstiver to the ground and followed the other team, and succeeded in smashing both sleighs to pieces, but fortunately doing no serious damage to anyone.

—According to the Derrick's report there was, during January, a decrease of forty-seven wells completed and 12 barrels in the new production. December completed forty-seven fewer wells than November and showed a decline of 1,540 in the production. In January 220 productive wells and seventy-six dry holes were completed in the eastern oil fields, and 258 productive wells and eighty-five dry holes in December. There were no extraordinary features developed in any of the fields and no territory has been discovered that promises an immediate and sudden increase of the production. The number of wells completed has hardly been sufficient to maintain the present output. There is still a very wide gap between the runs and the shipments.

Over 300 Lives Lost.

A dispatch from London under date of Jan. 30 says: The North German Lloyd steamer Elbe, Captain Von Gossel, from Bremen yesterday for New York, via Southampton, has been sunk in a collision with the British steamer Crathie, bound from Rotterdam for Aberdeen. The first intimation of the disaster came from Lowestoft, Suffolk, one of the chief English fish ports. When the Elbe left Bremen she had on board 324 persons, of whom 149 were officers and crew, 50 cabin passengers and 125 steerage passengers. As only the 21 rescued by the Wildflower and carried into Lowestoft are known to have been saved, the loss of life is placed at 303. A great deal of adverse comment is caused by the fact that of the 21 persons saved from the Elbe, 15 of them belonged to the ship's crew, and that the boat in which they saved themselves contained only one woman and no children. Even the solitary woman who was saved was not originally taken into the boat, but was picked up in the water after the boat had pushed away from the sinking ship, greatly against the wishes of the occupants of the boat. The owner, at Aberdeen, of the steamship Crathie, which ran into and sank the Elbe, has received a brief telegram from the captain, at Massius, stating that the Crathie's bow was terribly crushed by the impact of the vessel with the Elbe, and that the Crathie was in a sinking condition when she reached Massius. The captain was below at the time of the collision, the mate being in charge of the vessel. His own vessel was so severely damaged that its condition called for the undivided attention of the officers and the entire crew, all of whom had to bend their energies to saving their ship and their own lives. The list of passengers was made up of people from all over the world quite a large number being from the United States.

Kelleitville.

Henry Anderson has gone to Sheboygan, Wisconsin, where he has a job in a lannery.

B. J. Day and wife returned home Friday from a three week's stay with her parents at Shipperville.

Hurd & Davenport have commenced the erection of a new derriek on the upper end of the Minister flats.

Miss Cora Catlin is stopping for a short time in Tidontia.

Dan Walters of Tionesta visited with his daughter, Mrs. M. C. Myers a few days the latter part of last and the beginning of this week.

W. A. Kribbs and wife are visiting with Clarion county relatives.

A large number of Miss Tena Zuen-dell's friends met at her home on Saturday evening at Ross Run and left her a large number of presents.

M. C. Myers met with an accident on Sunday that was more laughable than serious. Mort was driving down the creek road to Tionesta, when his horse became frightened at an innocent little rabbit that jumped into the road just as the animal was starting into the narrow cut at Newtown. The horse made a few side lurches, upsetting the sleigh and throwing Mort down the steep embankment, a distance of ten or fifteen feet, where he landed in a snow drift, none the worse for the leap. The sleigh, a new Cortland, was slightly damaged. The horse kept the road and was caught by Jim Hillings at the watering place on jug handle hill, after running about four miles.

George Berlin was down from Lynchburg on Sunday.

George Arnold of Brookston was visiting his relatives in town on Sunday. George Whittan and wife were over to Hickory on Sunday.

Mr. Fred McNaughtan and wife were in Kelleitville visiting relatives, on Sunday.

Newmansville and Vicinity.

The snow drifts have been shoveled out around here enough to make pretty good sleighing.

Quite a number of our young people attended the revival meeting, which is going on at the Washington church, Sunday evening. Quarterly meeting will be held there over next Sabbath.

Prof. G. W. Kerr has been paying the schools around here a visit.

Mr. Clarence Carbaugh made a business trip to Marienville last week.

Mrs. Joseph Mealy expects to leave this week on a visit to her sister.

Messrs. Ab. Healy and Simon Mong were in town last week.

Mrs. Jas. Walters was compelled to consult a doctor because of trouble with her eyes.

Mrs. Jones, who has been on the sick list, is better.

Mr. Chas. Walters is reported to have had a run-away while coming down Hunter Run on the other side of the river from Tionesta. No serious injuries either to man or beast.

Martin Rhodes was in attendance at church here last Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Stitzinger spent Sabbath at Likenville.

Stewarts Run.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McIntyre were called to Bethel last Thursday to attend the funeral of their brother, Harry Kerr. David Copeland and wife of Meadville visited relatives here last week.

Stewarts Run.

Miss Annie Botsford has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Bert Thompson.

George and Emory Decker and wives of Whig Hill visited their sister, Mrs. Delia Metcalf, Saturday and Sunday.

F. E. Metcalf made a business trip to Titusville Tuesday.

James McIntyre has taken charge of the Shanburg lease, and is fitting it up to pump.

The extremely cold weather is making considerable trouble for the pumpers, who find pipes frozen somewhere nearly every morning.

J. M. Vanderlin and family, of Tionesta, visited relatives on the Run Saturday.

Michael Jones of Nectarine, Venango county, was at Mr. Walters' Saturday.

The meeting at the White church is still in progress. The church was filled to overflowing Saturday and Sunday evenings, people coming from Nettilton, Pitcho and surrounding country. Rev. Shoup preached an excellent sermon from Luke, xiv, 28.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that I am going out of the mercantile business in Tionesta and all accounts due me must be settled on or before Feb. 15, 1895, or said accounts will be left for collection.

R. BARNETT, Tionesta, Pa., Jan. 18, 1895.

Please Take Notice.

Lanson is selling everything in the line of Clothing from now until March 1st, at most any price to suit the purchaser. Please come in and compare quality with any one in town.

—We are not going out of business neither are we going to leave the town. Because our customers are satisfied, we are satisfied, and will make prices you never saw before. Come in early. Ledeber & Miles, if

—Buy goods where you can get the most for the money. Barnetts are closing out and that is the place to go, as the entire stock will be sold at prices which you cannot beat anywhere.

—We still have some underwear, gloves and mittens at "cut prices." Ledeber & Miles, if

—When you are in need of a first-class job of printing, just come to the REPUBLICAN office.

—Cash paid for all kinds of raw fur, hides and pelts, by Charles Russell, Tionesta.

—Go to Ledeber & Miles and buy suits and overcoats at better than street prices.

COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1894.

Table with 3 columns: Description, Amount, and Balance. Includes items like 'To balance last settlement', 'To taxed tax for 1894', 'To interest on bonds', etc.

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W. A. CONNELLY, County Commissioner, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1895. PETER YOUNGK, County Commissioner, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1895. W. M. COON, County Commissioner, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 7, 1895.