

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—WM. C. ARNOLD. Member of Senate—WM. H. HYDE. Assembly—J. E. WINK.

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, L. 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, F. O. S. of A. 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 in each month, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 157, W. R. Meets first and third Wednesday evening of each month, in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta, Pa.

TIONESTA TENT, No. 164, 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 Judge, Office, cor. of 1st and Bridge Streets, Tionesta, Pa.

T. F. RITCHIEY, 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 Hotel Agnew, 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. Calls promptly responded to night or day. Residence opposite Hotel Agnew.

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.

CENTRAL HOUSE. C. F. WEAVER, Proprietor. Tionesta, Pa. This is the most centrally located hotel in the place, and has all 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 but recently been completed, and 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. EMERT, FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. Shop in Walnut building, Cor. Elm and Walnut streets, 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. ZAHNINGER, 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, etc., ordered for parties at the lowest possible figure. Will be found in the building next to Keeley Club Room.

L. ORENZO FULTON, Manufacturer of and Dealer in HARNESS, COLLARS, BRIDLES, And all kinds of HORSE FURNISHING GOODS. TIONESTA, PA.

Fred. Grettenberger GENERAL BLACKSMITH & MACHINIST. All work pertaining to Machinery, Engines, Oil Well Tools, Gas or Water Pumps and General Blacksmithing promptly done at Low Rates. Repairing all Machinery given special attention, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Shop in rear of and just west of the Shaw House, Tionesta, Pa. Your patronage solicited. FRED. GRETTEBERGER.

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

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TIONESTA, PENN'A.

Deeds, Bonds, Mortgages, Leases, Wills, Powers of Attorney, Articles of Agreement, and all other legal instruments of writing, drawn with accuracy and dispatch. Titles examined and "Briefs" 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 10:30 a. m. Teaching 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. E. Glass, Pastor. Services in the Presbyterian Church every Sabbath morning and evening. Rev. J. V. McAninch officiating.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

—Oil market, \$1.10. —Mrs. J. W. Green of Sugar Run, is visiting Tionesta friends.

—Ice cream by the gallon at \$1.00 for Memorial day, Kirchartz Bros. It —The band is practicing, and will give us some nice music for Memorial day.

—Gene Gorman and son Clyde, of East Hickory, were visiting Tionesta friends Saturday.

—Miss Agnes Normile, of Cleveland, Ohio, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Maude Brennan.

—Miss Daisy Strong, of Tidoute, is visiting her friend, Miss Effa Clark, for a few days.

—Joseph Stubler, of Oil City, is the guest of his brother-in-law, C. F. Weaver, at the Central House.

—E. A. Watson and J. Scott Bell, of Marienville, were business visitors to the county seat one day last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bruner of West Hickory were down to spend Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Canfield.

—Rev. Jas. T. Brennan is in Pittsburg as a delegate to the National Prohibition convention in session in that city this week.

—Hickory township is about to erect a township house, and will receive bids for doing the work, as per notice in this issue.

—W. C. T. U. will hold another of their popular parlor meetings on Tuesday evening, June 9th, at the home of W. G. Wyman.

—Mrs. Alice Vought represented Lenora Lodge, D. of R., of this place, at the State Grand Lodge meeting in Pittsburg last week.

—Mrs. Hazeltine, Conf. Sec. of the W. F. M. Society, will speak on Missions in the M. E. Church Monday evening, June 1st, at 8 o'clock.

—Farmers all know wool is cheap, and everyone knows wool must be cheap or Lanson could not sell all a wool suits at the price they are marked.

—Summer goods, trimmings, and everything that goes to make up the warm weather outfit. Very best at lowest figures. Lawrence & Smearbaugh.

—Bruce Clark, a graduate of the Tionesta station, has been ordered to go on duty at Brocton, one of the important stations of the W. N. Y. & P. road.

—Very few rattlesnakes have been killed hereabouts this year, but the season is young, and there is no use despairing till you see what August will develop.

—Mrs. S. S. Canfield returned home from Titusville on Saturday, after attending the funeral of her step-father, Mr. James Conley, who died on old age.

—Miss Florence Kiser will give a social at her home, German Hill, Saturday evening, May 30, for the benefit of the Lutheran Church. All are cordially invited.

—J. B. Cottle of Marienville was in attendance at court this week, and while in town called at the REPUBLICAN office and had his name placed on the subscription list.

—Dr. S. S. Towler, of Marienville, was here to-day on his way home from Harrisburg, where he has been attending the State Medical Convention. —Kane Republican.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morgan drove over from Grand Valley Monday and remained at home overnight. They expect to again take up their residence here after next week.

—Hardenburg & Erb have put in a gas engine to pump their well on the Hawthorne tract below Tronkeyville. They will start the drill in their No. 2 well the first of the week.

—The many friends of Mrs. J. F. Overlander will be greatly pleased to learn that she has taken a decided turn for the better within the past day or two, and there are good hopes of her ultimate recovery.

—The Children's Aid Society of Tionesta, at their last meeting, elected Mrs. Kate B. Craig delegate, with Mrs. C. A. Randall as alternate, to the State convention, which meets at Clearfield, Pa., June 4th.

—The telephone linemen are here this week stringing the wires and making connections. It is expected the exchange will be in operation and conversation going on among the subscribers within the next ten days.

—Dr. J. W. Morrow was elected at the recent meeting of the State medical association, as one of the Pennsylvania delegates to the meeting of the national association which takes place next year in Philadelphia.

—Rev. Wm. Richards delivered a very interesting and eloquent Memorial discourse at the Presbyterian church last Sabbath, which was listened to by a large congregation, a large part of which were veterans of the late war.

—Mr. Isaac Long of Newmansville passed through town Saturday on his return from Warren, whither he had been called by the serious illness of the late Justice Shawkey.

—The Cook, Haight & Agnew well, opposite the mouth of Fools Creek, Howe township, opened about ten days ago, is one of the finest yet struck in that territory, and is an indication that a very extensive field may be developed there this season.

—The many friends of Mrs. F. E. Metcalf, of Stewart Run, will be greatly pained to learn that she is lying very seriously ill at her home. It is sincerely hoped that her condition may take a turn for the better, and that she may soon be on a fair way to recovery.

—Dr. A. Preston Steels, of this city, will be married on Wednesday, June 3d, at Greenville, Pa., to Miss Eliza J. Paden, of that place. The groom, with his bride, will return here about June 20th and will make their home at Hotel Brunswick.

—The Oil City Bazaar was fourteen years old last week, and still shows no signs of having spent its youth, like some of its western namesakes. The Bazaar gathers strength and vigor with each succeeding year, and wherever it goes it is as welcome as the flowers of May.

—It is said that General Weyler has put a stop to the exportation of tobacco from Cuba. This being the case Havana cigars will be a rarity for a time, but as about everybody in these parts is content with a four-tober now-a-days, there will be little waiting over Weyler's embargo.

—Invitations are issued for the second annual reunion of the Siggins Family, to be held in Brokestraw Park, Irvineton, Wednesday, June 24th. Nearly three hundred of the relatives gathered there last year, the occasion of the first reunion, and a very delightful time was had. A much larger representation is expected this year.

—Mr. Murray Nash, of Watson Farm, this county, would like information concerning a bay mare which recently strayed away from his premises. She weighs about 1,100 pounds, is of a fine round build, had a little sore on back caused by harness, and favors the right hind foot for a little. Information leading to her return to the owner will be suitably rewarded. Address, Murray Nash, Watson Farm, Forest Co., Pa.

—Tidoute News: Rev. J. E. Hillard was up from East Hickory Tuesday.—Miss Ellen Clarke spent Sunday with Mrs. N. P. Wheeler at Hickory. Miss Mary Allinger and the twins Roy and Rex Wheeler, came up for the day Monday.—Rev. S. F. Marks and Jos. Martin were down at Wheeler & Dusenbury's mill Tuesday evening, and assisted in the organization of the new Presbyterian church there.

—There is scarcely a newspaper in the country but what has something to say about the cheapness of potatoes on the market. In fact they are a drug; cannot be disposed of at any price. It is a matter greatly to be regretted, as it will have a tendency to restrain farmers from planting the usual quantity this season, and the consequence will be that next spring they will be as correspondingly high as they are low in price this season. Farmers should plant the usual quantity as the yield may not be so prolific as it was last year.—McKean County Miner.

—The Kittanning Free Press is very much improved and enlarged, and has adopted the quarto style of make-up. The word "Union" has been dropped from the title of the paper and the name of the city, "Kittanning" substituted. It is pleasant to note this evidence of prosperity in our staunch old neighbor.

—Notice the ads. of Tionesta's new National Banks in this issue. There no reason why these two institutions should not have the liberal patronage of the people of Forest county, for they are both doing business on safe and honorable banking principles and will give their customers all the benefits consistent therewith. Patronize home institutions.

—Work on the new road above Tabba Run is progressing favorably, with a crew of about a dozen men, three teams being also kept busy most of the time. It is expected to have the lower end, about 100 rods, ready for travel this week, and as this is much the most difficult part of the road to build the upper section will be carried rapidly through to completion.

—Albert Fox, Esq., a brother of the late Charles J. Fox, of Foxcreek, this county, died at his home in Freeburg, N. Y., on Monday last week. When a young man, he was convinced that Spiritualism is true while attending the seances conducted by the Fox sisters in their home, and remained a strong advocate of that belief till his death. It may be interesting to note that his father was a ship builder, and built the boat used by Perry in his victory on Lake Erie.

—Next Saturday will be Memorial Day, when comrades and people will gather at the cemeteries to commemorate their love and esteem for the brave boys who wore the Union blue, and have since answered to the final roll-call. A complete program of the exercises of Stow Post is published this week and will be carried out to the letter. Business in the town will no doubt be practically suspended during the greater portion of the day, and there will doubtless be a large attendance at the ceremonies.

—The REPUBLICAN had a host of pleasant callers this week, among whom were the following: John M. Zoendel, Kingsley twp.; Constable Frank Williams of Clarington; H. Kiser, Jonathan Albaugh and R. L. Whittier, Hickory twp.; R. A. Covert and J. H. Robertson, the popular Republican nominees for Prothonotary, of Marienville; J. M. Dunkle and Alex Van Horne of Howe twp.; Judge McCray of Jenks; A. C. Beason and John Shaw of Kellettsville; S. M. Whitmer, West Hickory.

—The Forest County Agricultural Society met at the court house last evening, as per call of the President. A goodly number of farmers and others were present and the meeting was a success. Mr. J. Albaugh, Rec. Sec'y, was elected corresponding secretary also, and Mr. H. W. Ledeber, of Green, treasurer. A constitution was adopted and the roll book being prepared upward of thirty gentlemen enrolled themselves as members of the society. Several very interesting questions were discussed in a spirited manner, and it was 10:30 o'clock before the meeting adjourned. It was resolved that the society again meet on Tuesday evening of August court, to appoint by-laws and transact other business. The society is now in good working order, and it is hoped that by another year Forest county will be holding an agricultural fair that will be second to none in this section.

—The organization of a new Presbyterian church at Stowtown, was effected on Tuesday evening of last week, the committee consisting of Rev. J. V. McAninch of Tionesta, and Rev. Mr. Cornelius of Oil City, with Elders A. B. Kelly of Tionesta, and Geo. W. Parker of Oil City. Messrs. N. P. Wheeler and Geo. W. Warden were elected ruling elders of the new church, which has been named "The Presbyterian Church of Endeavor." It has a membership of twenty-eight, seven of whom were received by letter from the Tidoute Presbyterian church. This is a wonderful membership for a new church in a town of that size, and must certainly be very encouraging to the faithful workers who have been instrumental in bringing about the new organization. The young church hopes to secure the services of Rev. Mr. McAninch for a part of the time until a regular pastor can be installed.

—Forest County Veterans Association. Agreeable to the call of the President, D. S. Knox, the Executive Committee of this association met in S. D. Irwin's office on Monday evening of this week. The place of holding the first reunion was the first business of importance. Tionesta, Marienville and East Hickory bid for the honor. After a spirited, yet very friendly pull among the Committee, the prize was carried off in favor of Marienville, and Thursday, Aug. 23, was the time set for the first gathering of this meritorious organization. Marienville will heartily welcome her guests in that marked and patriotic spirit so well known to be of Marienville. We congratulate her on the honor she has won. Other minor business was transacted before adjourning. The organization is now a fact.

—Buy your clothing where you have the best assortment and can get the best, one price to all, and where everything is new, and guaranteed satisfactory. Miles & Armstrong, 11

Death of Justis Shawkey.

Justis Shawkey, died at Warren, Pa., Saturday, May 23, 1896 at 8 o'clock A. M., of a complication of diseases.

He was born September 15, 1837. Until within the last seven or eight years the most of his life was spent in Clarion and Forest counties, this State. At one time he resided at Shippen's, in the old part of this county, and ran and stocked the mill there for Edward Shippen Sr. This was in the early 60's. Afterward he was a resident of Clarion county for a short time, being engaged there in the lumber business. Then again he became a resident of Forest county, living at Clarington. From there he moved to the mouth of Maple Creek, a mile below, on the Clarion, where he had a job of stocking and running the Maple Creek sawmill for Frank L. & Co., the owners, of Pittsburg, Pa. After his contract had expired he engaged in farming for some time, and in 1875 was elected to the office of Sheriff of Forest county, and removed to Tionesta. In 1878 he was elected to the office of Prothonotary, Recorder, &c., and was re-elected to this office in 1881. He became a resident of Kellettsville not long after this, where he had a contract of stocking the Salmon Creek Lumber Mills, and where he engaged in the mercantile business for a time. Then he returned to Tionesta, and from here he went to Phillipsburg, Kansas, where he had purchased a farm previously, and engaged in farming there. In 1890 he came back to Tionesta and engaged in the hotel business in the Lawrence house in the borough. In 1893 he sold the property here and went to Warren, where he has since resided.

His health for some years past had not been good, and during the past year had been very poor. In March last he went to Mt. Clemens, Michigan, for treatment and came back after a six weeks' stay there, better in some ways, but much worse in other respects. From this time he failed very rapidly, and died as above stated.

There survive him his wife, Mrs. B. W. Shawkey, and the following children: C. M. Shawkey, of Cincinnati, O.; Mrs. J. E. Hillard of East Hickory; Ellis C. Minnie A. Harry P., Wilbur E., and Warren and Florence, the two younger—all of Warren, Pa.

His parents were of the Lutheran Church, and in that faith and its good system of morals he was brought up. To be brief and to put much in few words he was a man of character, moral and upright in his relations with all men, a good man, a good citizen, and an efficient and deservedly popular official when he held office. In his life-time he had had employment to work for him at various times a great many men, and one of the best evidences of his square dealing with men is the regard in which his employes always held him.

At the time of his death he was a member of the First M. E. Church of Warren, Pa., with which he had united some time since. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. M. Thornburn of Grace church, Warren, Pa., in absence of his pastor, Rev. Dr. Kummer. The body was buried in Oakland cemetery.

Court Minutes.

Court convened at 2 P. M., Monday, with Judge Noyes, and associates Nash and McCray on the bench. After the constables had made their returns, Judge Noyes charged the grand jury, of which John H. Robertson was made Foreman.

Up to the hour of making this report none of the criminal business had been finally disposed of excepting that of Commonwealth vs. Perry Salvisger, who plead guilty to the charge of adultery, and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100, costs of prosecution and undergo an imprisonment in the county jail of six months, to be computed from the date of his first incarceration, which was on March 11th, last.

The two first cases on the civil list, known as the Wat-rhouse cases, were continued.

Case of W. J. Knapp and W. I. Bachop vs. A. J. and M. S. Carnahan and J. B. Siggins was tried yesterday and verdict rendered for plaintiff for \$600, with points of law reserved by the court.

GRAND JURY'S REPORT.

The Grand Jury finished its business and was discharged shortly after-noon yesterday. Its report is as follows: The grand inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, inquiring for the County of Forest, in all matters relating to the same, do respectfully report: That they have acted upon four bills of indictment of which four were found true bills. We beg leave to further report: That we have visited and inspected the County buildings and find them in good repair. We recommend that the Commissioners furnish a table for each cell suitable for eating and writing upon; also a new pump and the well put in proper repair at the jail. Also that the stalls in the barn be repaired. We further report that the bridge at Kellettsville is unsafe. We also recommend that the road behind the depot be cleared of logs and ties which now obstruct the highway in Tionesta township.

We respectfully tender our thanks to the Honorable Judges and District Attorney for their courtesy and assistance rendered as during our deliberations. J. H. ROBERTSON, Foreman.

At Lanson's. We are selling lots of it because the people are just beginning to appreciate it. F. S. floor, \$1.05 per sack. It

Kellettsville.

W. S. Johnson and family departed on Saturday for their future home at Johnstown. Mr. Johnson, in company with Cecil Groce, of Marienville, purchased a 5,000 acre tract of hemlock and hardwood timber land, situated about 14 miles above Johnstown. They will peel 1,000 cords of bark this year and they are soon to erect a mill to manufacture their timber. Mr. Johnson and family will be greatly missed by their many friends in this vicinity.

Isaac Thornton was in town on business a few days last week.

The woods fire destroyed considerable of the plank road and burned two bridges for the Penn Tanning Co., on last Saturday at 2-mile; also the 2-mile dam for the Salmon Creek Lumber Co.

W. J. Collingwood has taken a job to peel 200 cords of bark that was burned over last week.

A. L. Weiler has purchased a new team of dappled grays.

The young people met at G. S. Copeland's on Friday evening and enjoyed themselves in dancing and other amusements.

Capt. James I. Rogers, of Ohio, the genial gentleman who acted as Second Captain on "An Ohio Trip," this spring, was circulating among his many friends the latter part of last week.

Miss Cora Catlin and Wm. Puffenburg were down from Cooper Tract on Saturday.

L. J. Catlin is home for a few days from Fool's Creek, where he is employed as driller for Capt. Haight.

Harry Smith has moved his family to Nebraska where he has secured steady employment with L. Cook.

E. E. Morrison, of the firm of Morrison Bros., of West Hickory, was in town a few days last week.

WILL WALKS.

A Chester girl has for five years chewed coffee as habitually as any man ever did tobacco.

Ex-United States Senator William A. Wallace, of Clearfield, died at 7:25 a. m., May 22, in New York city, where a short time ago he was taken with an illness which seemed to assume a fatal form at the start. The funeral took place at his home in Clearfield yesterday.

The Philadelphia & Erie Railroad is having a fast meat run east every Tuesday night. The meat is for export and the running time over the Western Division, ninety-six miles in length, is two hours and forty minutes. The train has from twelve to eighteen cars of meat.

The lecturer inquired dramatically: "Can any one in this room tell me of a perfect man?" There was a dead silence "Has any one," he continued, "heard of a perfect woman?" Then a patient-looking little woman in a black dress rose up at the back of the auditorium and answered: "There was one. I've often heard of her, but she's dead now. She was my husband's first wife."

As a W. N. Y. & P. freight train was proceeding on its way up the river, Friday, the engineer and fireman noticed a big fat black squirrel scamper up a telegraph pole, by the side of the track, and after the locomotive had passed the squirrel hopped down upon the top of one of the cars and deliberately trotted along back on the 100t-boards until the caboose was reached, when he jumped to the ground and went on his way rejoicing.

The state medical council has rescinded its rule, accepting licenses from the New York state board of medical examiners. Physicians and surgeons who come into Pennsylvania hereafter from New York to practice will be required to pass an examination before the state medical examining boards and the same as those from other states and graduates from medical and surgical colleges. The New York examiners refuse to accept the licenses issued by the Pennsylvania council and this is a retaliatory move on the part of the latter.

John Lynch, one of the old-time oil men of this section, took a party of 30 friends to Pithole yesterday. As the majority of the party had been employed on wells in or near Pithole, when it was one of the big towns in this neighborhood, there were many pleasant reminiscences exchanged. They ate luncheon on the site of the famous United States well, hunted snakes on some of the principal streets and picked flowers in places that were at one time covered with palatial hotels or business houses. It was not exactly a Rip Van Winkle party, but some of the party realized that they were not so young as they had been.—Derrick.

Forest fires, in connection with the high winds Sunday, did considerable damage and caused much trouble for the farmers in Triumph and Deerfield townships. Mrs. Benj. George's dwelling house in Triumph was burned with all its contents. Mrs. George was alone at home and we understand not a thing was saved, and the loss falls quite heavily on her. In Deerfield at the same time the barn of Mrs. Joe A. Thompson was burned, together with all her farming implements, consisting of a rake, mowing machine, wagon, carriage, etc. It was a complete loss. Both those buildings stood in fields away from the woods and were supposed to be safe, but the wind carried sparks to them and before help could be secured they were burned. Other farmers had hard work to save their property. On Triumph Hill Charles Peterson lost all his fences and some wood, and on Campbell Hill we are told J. W. Kearney lost his fences. The fire was finally gotten under control on Monday.—Tidoute News.

—Kepler Block, corner, is the cheapest place to buy goods. It

—Now as to shoes, we are just where we always were, at the head of the procession as to style, variety, quality and quantity. But we have "baits" to offer. Come yourself or send your child, the price is all the same, but its below all others when quality is considered. Lawrence & Smearbaugh. It

—New suits this week at Miles & Armstrong's. 20th Century Shoes. It

MARRIED.

MOORE—HEANLEY.—On May 12, 1896, by Rev. David Steele, Charles Moore of Clarington, Pa., and Miss Lydia P. Heasley of Tylerburg, Pa.

ENGSTROM—LINBURG.—At Pigeon, May 9th, by J. W. Black, J. P. Mr. Fred Engstrom and Miss Eva Linburg, both of Lynch, Forest county, Pa.

CERTIFICATE

Of the Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, Geo. M. Coffin, authorizing the Citizens' National Bank of Tionesta, to begin the business of Banking.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON MAY 11th, 1896.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence, presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the Citizens' National Bank of Tionesta, in the Borough of Tionesta, in the County of Forest, and State of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking.

NOW THEREFORE, I, GEO. M. COFFIN, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the Citizens' National Bank of Tionesta, in the Borough of Tionesta, in the County of Forest, and State of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking, as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Witness my hand and seal of office, this sixteenth day of May, 1896.

GEO. M. COFFIN, [SEAL] Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency. No. 5049.

CERTIFICATE

Of the Comptroller of the Currency, J. H. Eckels, authorizing the Forest County National Bank of Tionesta, to begin the business of Banking.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, APRIL 23th, 1896.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence, presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the Forest County National Bank of Tionesta, in the Borough of Tionesta, in the County of Forest, and State of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking.

NOW THEREFORE, I, JAMES H. ECKELS, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the Forest County National Bank of Tionesta, in the Borough of Tionesta, in the County of Forest, and State of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking, as provided in Section Fifty-one hundred and Sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Witness my hand and seal of office, this twenty-fifth day of April, 1896.

JAMES H. ECKELS, [SEAL] Comptroller of the Currency. No. 5038.

CHAS. M. WHITEMAN,

WEST-T