BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess.—K. C. Heath,
Councilmen.—Joseph Morgan, C. F.
Wesver, S. Fitzgerald, Wm. Smearbaugh, R. B. Crawford, L. D. Bowman,
J. T. Dale, W. F. Bium.
Justices of the Peace—C. A. Randall, S.
J. Setley.
Constable—S. S. Canfield,
Collector—F. P. Amsier.
School Directors—G. W. Holeman, L.
Agnew, W. A. Groye, Q. Jamieson, J. C.
Scowden, Patrick Joyce.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress-WM, C. ARNOLD. Member of Senate-WM, H. HYDE, Assembly-J. E. WENE.

Assembly—J. E. WENE.

President Judge—Charles H. Noves.

Associate Judges—Jos. A. Nash, A.

J. McCray.

Treasurer—James H. Fones.

Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c.

—John H. Robertson.

Sherif.—Frank P. Walker.

Commissioners—W. M. Coon, C. M.

Whiteman, Herman Blum.

County Superintendent—E. E. Stitzinger.

County Superintendent—E. E. STITZIN-GER, District Attorney—S. D. IRWIN. Jury Commissioners—J. B. CARPEN-TER, GEO. D. SHIELDS. County Surveyor—J. D. DAVIS. Coroner—DR. J. W. MORROW. County Auditors—M. E. ABBOTT, J. R. CLARK, R. J. FLYNN.

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

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 368, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building.

POREST 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. 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 3d Monday
evening in each month, in A. O. U. W.
Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 137; W. R. C., 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, and DISTRICT ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, in and Bridge Streets, Tionesta, Pa. Also agent for a number of reliable Fire Insurance Companies.

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Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a.
m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:90 a. m.
Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. R. A. Buzza.
Preaching in the F. M. Church every Sabbath evening at the usual hour: Rev.
F. W. McClelland, Pastor.
Services in the Presbyterian Church every Sabbath morning and evening.

every Sabbath morning and evening, Rev. J. V. McAninch officiating. The regular meetings of the W. C. T. U. are held at the headquarters on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each

LOCAL AND MISCELLA NEOUS.

-Oil market \$.65.

-You can get it at Hopkins' store. tf. -Prices cut one-half-on leather boots at Hopkins' store.

-Still lots of goods at Miles & Armstrong's. -Another lot of outing flannel wrap

pers just received at Robinson's. 1t. -New telephones have been placed in the Prothonotary's office, and at Heath & Killmer's drug and grocery store. -The interior of the storeroom of C.

M. Whiteman on the West Side has been brightened up by a coat of white paint. -We have no excuse to offer but to get what money we can out of broken

Armstrong's. -A lady's fascinator was picked up on | Emtenton News. the street and left at this effice, where the owner can have same by calling and identifying the garment.

-The Senior Y. P. S. C. E. of the Pres-Friday evening, Jan. 28.

-Tionesta's Anti-eigarette League will League is earnestly requested to be present. All others are cordially invited.

-Attention is directed to tue card of Dr. J. C. Dunn, who has located in Tionesta for the practice of his profession. Dr. Dunn comes among us well recommended by leading physicians known to evening, Jan. 19, 1898, of Mr. George W. our people.

-Always go to Amsler for anything in the line of vegetables or palatable eatables of any kind. You always get the best in the market, and know they are fresh. Cigars, tobaccos and confections in over-flowing quantities. 11

List of letters remaining uncalled for in Tionesta, Pa., post office, for the week ending Jan. 26, 1898: T. B. Clark, Mr. G. F. Eminger, Mr. J. V. Morey, James Wood, Mr. Seldon Whitton, Mrs. Matthew Cox. Mrs. Libith Rogant, (2). D. S. KNOX, P. M.

-Prof Lex N. Mitchell, Principal, has our thanks for a copy of the first annual catalogue of the Marienville, schools for cle, of which the bride was a prominent 1897-98. The pamphlet of 51 pages shows that place, and the enterprise of its school board. The makeup of the book reflects credit on the Express, which printed it.

-James Fredickson, Tionesta's fashing a nice run of custom since he moved month. The interment was in Church Elm street. Mr. Fredrickson always has the sympathy of all their neighbors in his work in elegant style and his prices to all who so kindly ministered to them are very moderate when quality of goods | during the sickness and after the death of and workmanship is considered.

-The lecture of Mrs. Mary E. Lease at moment the speaker's subject, "Signs of to all humanity in this section of country. All work pertaining to Machinery, Engines, Oil Well Tools, Gas or Water Fittings and General Blacksmithing promptings and General Blacksmithing prompting and General Blacksmithing prompting and General Blacksmithing prompting we are not sure but this was a mistake, and is one of the finest churches in the Machinery given special attention, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Shop in rear of and instruction in the seemed considerably disappointed at not approximately and apparently wonderfully interested, seemed considerably disappointed at not approximately approximately and apparently wonderfully interested. the Times," was changed to "Ireland, seemed considerably disappointed at not church throughout next week, beginning having heard "what they expected to," with a special service at 3 o'clock next

> -A few jackets and capes yet one-half price at Miles & Armstrong's. 14.

YOU AND YOUR PRIENDS.

-'Squire Isanc Jones of Fagundus was a pleasant caller yesterday. -Mrs. S. S. Canfield was a guest of

relatives in Titusville over Sunday. -J. R. Osgood was in Jamestown, N Y., an business a part of last week. -Miss L. C. Newkirk of Sandy Lake,

is a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Carson. -N. C. Parrish was down from Marienville Friday for a few hours on business. -Pat Hoy is home from the Ohio oil fields for a few days' visit with his fam-

-Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Gillespie of Kelletville were visitors to Oil City last Fri-

-Miss Daisy Strong of Tidioute spent a few days last week with Miss Effa

-James Grove of Kellettville, was a pleasant caller at the REPUBLICAN office Saturday.

-Free Methodist revival meetings are

going on at Newmansville under the ministration of Rev. F. W. McClelland. -Rev. R. A. Buzza is in Oil City this week assisting Rev. Dr. Ellis in holding a series of revival meetings in Trinity M.

-Miss Lucetta McElhoes, of Kelleysburg, Indiana county, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will G. Morrow at West Hickory, Pa.

-W. H. Baker, the nervey editor of the Ridgway Advocate has been appointed postmaster of his town, Good for "Billy." Serves him right. -- Mrs. J. Blose and son, Harry, re-

turned last Saturday from New Kensington, where they had been visiting Mr. Blose for about three weeks. -J. B. Allender of Cleveland, Ohio, has been in Tionesta the past week at the

somewhat better at last accounts. -General quarterly meeting of the Oil City district, Free Methodist church, will be held in Franklin beginning to-mor-

bedside of his aged mother, who was

row and lasting over the Sabbath. -Constable Frank Williams of Barsett had legal business at the county seat last Friday, and took occasion to hear Mrs. Lease's lecture in the evening. -Recorder Robertson issued a mar-

riage license on the 22d inst, to E. E. Kerr of Barnett township, this county, and Anna Elizabeth Cook, of Jefferson -Miss Eva Kiser returned to Wilkins

burg, Pa., last Friday, after a visit of several weeks with her mother, who accompanied her daughter as far as Oil City on

-Mrs. Wenk of German Hill mourus

the death of her esteemed uncle, Mr. John Hesselgesser, whose home was at Leisureville, Butler county. His death occurred on the 15th inst. -Prof. J. L. Smith of Smith's Business

College, Warren, Pa., was in town a few hours Monday looking over the field. He reports his school in a very prosperous condition at present, and gaining rapidly. -W. W. Kribbs, of Marienville, Pa.,

and Miss Elizabeth Thompson, teacher of elecution in Kee Mar College at Hagerstown, Md., were united in marriage on January 11. Mr. and Mrs. Kribbs stock. See bargain prices at Miles & stopped off here and spent Sunday with bis sister, Mrs. Carrol E. Crawford,-

-Margaret Cook, the aged mother of Mrs. Thomas Mays of this place, died last Sabbath morning at the home of her daughter, with whom she had made her byterian church will give a dime social | home for the past two years. Her age was illness she was most tenderly nursed by parts like the true soldiers which they meet in the Presbyterian church, this the devoted daughter and family, and her Wednesday eve. Every member of the last hours were peaceful. The remains were conveyed to her former home at Salina, Venaugo county, on Monday, where they were given burial by the side other

of her kindred, gone before. -One of the pleasant events of the sea son was the marriage, last Wednesday Arner of Rimersburg, Clarion county, Pa., and Miss Cora Elizabeth DeWalt. at the name of the bride's brother, J. W. DeWalt, Elm street, Rev. R. A. Buzza officiating. The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate friends of the contracting parties being present. The happy couple left on train 33 the same evening for their future home at Rimersburg. The bride is one of our most estimable young ladies and has a host of friends who join the REPUBLICAN in extending best wishes for a happy and prosperous future. A very pleasant prelude to the wedding was the gathering on Tuesday evening of about twenty of the young ladies of Queen Esther Cirmember, at the home of the bride's mothup well for the progress of the schools of er, Mrs. H. M. Zahniser, where they 'surprised" Miss DeWalt and Mr. Arner.

-Frances Leroy, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Rhodes of Hickory townionable merchant tailor, has been hav- ship, died on the 20th inst., aged one into his new and comfortable quarters on | Hill cemetery. The parents, who have a fine line of samples to select from, does their bereavement, wish to return thanks their beloved child.

-There is strong probability of an ice the court house last Friday evening was famine hereabouts next summer if the elattended by a fairly large and very ap- ements don't soon change front. The impreciative audience. The W. R. C., ported article even will not be forthcomthrough whose efforts our people had the ling, the weather in the lake regions havpleasure of hearing this gifted lady ora- ing thus far been too mild to make a ter, had very prettily decorated the ros- crop fit for harvesting. A general and trum with flags and bunting, making the complete failure in the lee crop would room look very cheerful. At the last entail no little discomfort and hardship

-The new Presbyterian church, of Enonally converse with her after the close day, Feb. 13. An invitation is extended to all to attend.

-Don't miss those chesp suits at Miles & Armstrong's.

A FRIGHTFUL EXPLOSION.

Jointer in a Shingle Mill Bursts, Scattering Flying Missiles in all Directions, and Probably Fatally Injuring

A frightful accident which may yet re sult fatally to one man occured at the lumbering town of Parrish, on the T. V. railroad, in Jenks township, shortly after the noon hour on Monday of this week. The accident happened in the shingle mill conducted by George Gifford, and was the result of the bursting, or flying to pieces, of the shingle jointer while running at a terrific speed. The mill has been running night and day, and two crows of five men each are employed. One crew had just come on and the other had not yet left the building, thus making ten men who were in the mill at the time. Work for the atternoon had not yet begun, although the machinery was inmotion when the explosion of the jointer took place, pieces of which struck the shingle saw bursting it into fragments, and in an instant the whole inside of the building was a mass of flying missiles.

A man by the name of James Daniels, one of the firemen, was struck on the forehead by a piece of the saw, erushing his skull and inflicting injuries which his physicians fear may prove fatal. Mr. Daniels was removed and taken to the Kane bospital. He is a married man and lives near Sugar Grove, Warren Co. Mr. Gifford, proprietor of the mill was

injured, though not seriously. John K. Young of Seybrook, Warren county, the other fireman, had one of his arms injured near the elbow, He went to his home shortly after the accident.

The wonder of those present and all who have viewed the wreck since, is that any escaped with their lives, as the whole inside of the mill seems to bave been torn to pieces.

Installation of Post and W. R.C.OMcers.

Last Wednesday evening was the oc easion of the annual joint installation of the newly elected officers of Capt. Geo. Stow Post, No. 274, G. A. R., and the auxiliary, W. R. C., No. 137. The installation ceremonies were held in A. O. U. W. hall, which is the regular meeting place of the Post and Corps, and about one hundred and fifty guests and mem-

bers were present. The installation ceremonies commenced at 8 o'clodk, the officers of the Corps being first installed, Mrs. Harriet J. Cumings of Tidioute acting as installing officer. Mrs. Cumings has had much experience in this line of work, and as the members of Corps 137 take great pride in their Corps-room work as well as their outside work, it goes without saying that the officers were installed without a hitch or drawback and were thoroughly enjoyed by all, and the spectators were profuse in their compliments to the ladies who took part in the exer-

After the installation of the Corps officers a short intermission was held and the time was taken up by singing by the choir, a solo by Rev. Buzza and a recitatation by Miss Kathleen Joyce, the populr teacher of the primary department of our borough schools and an elocutionist of considerable note, which were enjoyed by those present.

The assembleage was again called to order and the officers of the Post were installed by Capt, H. H. Cumings of Tidioute. It is unnecessary to give a description of this impressive ceremony as it is more or less familiar to all our readers. Suffice it to say that although it is over thirty-three years since any of those brave veterans bore arms in defense of old at the residence of Wm. Smearbaugh on | 76 years, and her death came as the result | glory, many of them still retain their of the infirmities of old age. During her military bearing and went through their

Then came the "chewing match," and in this part of the program all proved themselves thoroughly competent, and judging from the masterly manner in which each and every one performed his part it was clearly evident that they had done much rehearsing, and, as is frequently the case with actors, some "overdid themselves." It is unnecessary to go into details about this feature of the Hazelton. evening's entertainment, as all know the inevitable result of an occasion of this kind when it is superintended by the W.

After the elaborate banquet came the campfire, with speeches, music, songs and recitations. We would like to make personal mention of those taking part in the campfire, but space will not permit at this time. The annual installation and banquet of the Post and Corps is a rare treat, and is looked forward to with pleasure and expectancy by all who have been fortunate enough to receive an invitation to one of these delightful gatherings.

-Misa Gerirade Edmundson, of Chicago, is here in the interest of the University Association and World's Congress Extention, whose plans and objects she will explain to the people of Tionesta by calling at their homes or business places, with a view to establishing an Association Center here. The aim is to give people a higher education, or the advantages of a collegiate training at home, at a very nominal cost.

-Mrs. Mary Ellen Lease passed through the city ;to-day, en route to her home in New York from Tionests, where Rust is an enemy, and is hard to get rid she delivered a lecture Friday evening .-Blizzard, And now that Mrs. Lease has honored our town with a visit we must insist that hereafter brother editors spell her name Elizabeth, and not fall into the common error of cailing her Ellen. Also, as Farmer Dean emphatically put it when he introduced her, that she is of New York and not of Kansas. We hope our good-natured exchanges will please observe these data in the future.

-Just a bit of real sunshine and pleasare dropped into the office this morning. A thing of beauty is Vick's Garden and Floral Guide, with its cover of delicate tints, blue, pink and gold, and the Golden Day Lily and Daybreak Aster em-As has been said times without number.

As has been said times without number.

Sunday. On Saturday evening, Feb. 5, tone illustrations are as me may be can be to make by photography. One can be to preach to preach. The dedication will take place almost smell the fragrance from the control of the preach. The dedication will take place and the radishes and asparagus in other additions. No elegant and charming, giving her at all times the closest attention of her heavers. Her tribute to Ireland, the country of her torefathers, could scarcely be improved upon. Many embraced the opportunity given to shake hands and personally converse with her after the close of the communities and elections of the communities and elections of the continued ders. These services will be continued they have been in husiness, and next year will be their Golden Weiding anni-sonally converse with her after the close of the communities are versary, and it is their intention to give a handsome souvenir to each customer for 1898. If interested in good gardening write at once, simply monitoning this paper and receive a copy of this elegant seed catalogue free.

Township and Borough Cancuses.

The Republicans of the borough met at he court house Monday evening and placed the following ticket in nomina-

Council, Joseph Morgan, James D. Davis, 3 years, L. J. Hopkins, 1 year; school directors, Q. Jamieson, J. E. Wenk; auditor, P. M. Clark; assessor, H. E. Moody; judge of elections, J. Birteil; Inspector, J. R. Chadwick.

The Democrats of the borough placed the following ticket in nomination last evening: Conneil, J. C. Bowman, G. G. Gaston, H. II. Shoemaker; school directors, Mrs. L. D. Bowman, Mrs. T. F Ritchey; assessor, D. W. Clark; judge of elections, C. A. Hill; inspector, J. J. Landers; overseer of poor, F. R. Lanson auditor, R. L. Haslet.

TIONESTA TWP The Republicans of Tion sta townhip met at the township house last. Saturday and placed the following ticket in omination: Overseer of the poor, J. D. Wentworth; Auditor, W. S. Clark; chool directors. Fred Ledebur and Henry Blum; assessor, Jesse Carson; treasurer, Wm. Lawrence; road commisioner, Ferdinand Wenk; clerk, C, F Feit; judge of elections, Solomon Byers; inspector, Albert Thomson; justice of the peace, C. F. Feit; pathmasters, Henry Amberger, Francis Hooveler, Albert Thomson, C. C. Weingard, Wm, Shellhouse, Henry Sibble, Henry Smith, A. J. Shriver, Jacob Wagner, Jr. Wm. Mealy. GREEN TWP.

The Republican voters of Lower Green Cwp, met in the K. O. T. M. hall at Neraska, Pa., Saturday, Jan. 22, W. J. Gayley was elected chairman of the con vention, Geo. Klinestiver, Jr., and Arthur Weant appointed secretaries. Convention called to order by the chairman and the following resolution was offered by K. L. Haugh and seconded by Leon

Resolved, That all persons accepting a place on the ticket should support the whole ticket, and if they do not do so are not entitled to the support of the Republiean party.

Unanimously carried. The following ticket was then placed n nomination to be voted for at the spring election, Feb. 15: Judge of election, Chas. Klinestiver; inspector, E. E. Patterson: school directors, F. X. Kreitler, Ed. Kiser: road commissioner, T. D. Collins; overseer of the poor, Conrad Burhen; auditor, John Daubenspeek, 2 years, Geo. Klinestiver. Jr., 3 years; assessor, Clarence Carbangh; treasurer, G. W. Klepfer; clerk, Arthur Weans.

HICKORY TWP. The Republicans of Hickory township met at the township bouse at East Hickory, Saturday, Jan. 22, and placed the following ticket in nomination.

Road commissioner, N. P. Wheeler school directors; S. J. Wolcott, James Hunter; assessor, J. Albaugh; treasurer, G. W. Warden; clerk, M. E. Abbott justice of the peace, S. S. Whaley; overseer of the poor, J. Albaugh; judge of elections, Samuel Mervin; inspector, G. M. Taylor; auditor, C. R. Middleton,

The Republicans of Harmony township met at the Fogle Farm last Saturshsp met at the Fogle Farm last Satur
Men's all-wool pants \$1.25.
Children's knee pants all-wool, 38c.
Men's double-breasted frieze coats, were \$8.00—sale price, \$1.98. day and placed a ticket in the field. Following is a partial list of those nominated: Road commissioner, Amos Clinger; school directors, J K. Green, J. G. Bromley, W. J. Gormon; overseer of the poor, Geo. Paup; treasurer, F. E. Sutley; clerk, F. E. Metcalf.

NEWSY NOTES.

In Crawford county, during 1897, the dogs killed 730 sheep, valued at \$3,071,25. -Try your cash at Miles & Armstrong's. See what money will do. It. Arabella McCloskey, aged 14, of New Kensington, P., went to church Sunday

evening and has not been seen since. -A lot of men's wool underwear will be closed out at just half price at Robin-

One hundred men and boys will be given employment by the resumption of operations of the Ebervale Washery, near

-When you want boots or shoes, don't buy until you see Hopkins' bargain

During the past year 6,600 mon and women have committed suicide in the United States. Of this number only 1,414 were women -Selling goods direct from the factory

to the consumer is our excuse for our low prices. We aim to sell at lowest possible cash prices. Miles & Armstrong. 1 A Baltimore inventor asserts that he has discovered a process of making butter direct from the vegetables which constitute the usual food of cattle. Electric ity is the force employed.

Hon, J. C. Sibley has leased the Ashand Stock Farm, near Lexington, and will soon move his breeding and training establishments in Meadville and Frankin to Kentucky, Charles Marvin of Meadville, will have charge of the farm.

It your bicycle is stored up in a closet or apartment that is not perfectly dry, be sure that all the bright parts are protected with vaseline or heavy oil. Such precaution will avoid a lot of trouble when you want to resume riding in the spring.

David Ward, the lucky gold miner, who brought back the news of a rich find of gold on the American side of Alaska, and who says that the rush next spring will be far down the Yukon on the American side, spent three years prospecting in Alaska, and in that time only received seven letters from home. Since his return he has had more than that many thousands of letters from would-be argonauts in three months. He is now in Philadelphia, Pa., and tries to answer every inquery concerning the Far North, its perils, rigors of climate and wonderful riches. His practical experience makes his advice highly valuable, and anyone interested in Alaska should avail themselves of his knowledge by who says that the rush next spring will avail themseives of his knowledge by

Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., say "My child is worth millions to me; yet I would have lost her by croup had I not invested twenty-five cents in a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure." It cares coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles.

-You can get it at Hopkins' store. If

MARRIED.

VALKSTADT-MOORE At Warren, Pa., Jan. 25, 1898, by Rev. Jas. A. Mo-Cabe, H. A. Valkstadt of Marienville, Pa., and Mary A. Moore, of Leeper, Pa.

L.J.HOPKINS.

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BIG MARK DOWN

PRICE ON LEATHER GOODS AT HOPKINS' STORE. BOOTS AND SHOES.

We are going to close out a lot of Boots and Shoes at Prices that will

→ASTONISH THE MATIVES! →

If you are looking for bargains in Boots or Shoes. don't buy until you see our Bargain Counter. Your money will go just as far again as you expect it.

Too Many SHOES. Come and see. We must have room for new goods. We make the price sell them and give our customers the benefit. Come and see for yourself. No trouble to show goods.

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L.J.HOPKINS.

Stock Taking Sacrifice Sale.

Bank Account Too Small, Stock Too Large.

Overloaded with goods and no money. Our inventory tells the tale, and the . 12,500.00

TAILORING.

Scotch tweeds chiviots, plaids, stripes and checks, were \$24,00 to \$28.00—sale prices, \$15.00 to \$18,00.

Best Scotch worsteds, latest colorings and patterns, were \$28,00 to \$35.00—sale price, \$26,00 to \$33,00.

Trousers to order, \$5.00 to \$8,00. CHILDREN'S SUITS.

Men's jean pants, 48c. Men's jackets and overalls, 24c.

Outing flannel, 21c.

Men's colored half hose, 6c.

Boys'caps, 22c.

Stylish and well made, ages 3 to 8, were to \$4.98.
\$5.00 to \$8.00—sale price \$1.39 to \$4.98.
Boys' short pants suits, sizes 8 to 16, prices were \$4.00 to \$9.00—sale price, \$2.49

Stylish and well made, ages 3 to 8, were to \$4.98.
Boys' long pants suits, prices were \$4.67 to \$9.98, prices were \$4.00 to \$9.00—sale price, \$2.49

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