

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

Burgess—K. C. Heath. Councilmen—Joseph Morgan, S. Fitzgerald, Wm. Smoot, J. T. Dale, W. F. Blum, Jas. D. Davis, L. J. Hopkins, Justice of the Peace—C. A. Randall, J. J. Sotley.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—Wm. C. Arnold. Member of Senate—Wm. H. Hyde. Assembly—J. E. Wenk. President Judge—W. M. Lindsey. Associate Judge—Jos. A. Nash, A. J. McCray.

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. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building.

FOREST LODGE, No. 184, A. O. U. W. Meets every Friday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

WASHINGTON CAMP, No. 420, P. O. S. 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. 157, W. R. C., meets first and third Wednesday evening of each month, in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta, Pa.

TIONESTA TENT, No. 194, 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.

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J. B. SIGGINS, M. D., Physician, Surgeon & Druggist, TIONESTA, PA.

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

DR. J. C. DUNN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office over Heath & Killmer's store, Tionesta, Pa. Professional calls promptly responded to at all hours of day or night. Residence—East side Elm St., 3d door above jail building.

HOTEL AGNEW, C. F. WEAVER, 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, H. W. HORNOR, 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 but recently been completed, is nicely furnished throughout, and offers the finest and most comfortable accommodations to guests and the traveling public. Rates reasonable.

PHIL. EMERT FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. Shop in Walters 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, &c., ordered for parties at the lowest possible figure. Will be found in the building next to Keeley Club Room.

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

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Table with 2 columns: Companies Represented, Assets. Includes National American, Royal, Hartford, Orient, Phill's Underwriters.

Titles examined and "Briefs" prepared. Farms, wild lands, houses and lots for sale or rent. Particular attention paid to the collection of rents, interest, &c.

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. R. A. Buzza.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Oil market \$1.15. Institute begins Monday. Attend. Fancy dishes at Heath & Killmer's.

Hopkins sells the clothing and shoes. Amster sells the fruits and vegetables. Hopkins sells the shoes and rubber goods.

Santa Claus headquarters at Heath & Killmer's. Ladies undershirts \$1.50 to \$2.50 at Miles & Armstrong's.

The third lot of storm coats in at Hopkins store this week. See the fancy line of silverware given for tickets at Miles & Armstrong's.

Coasting accidents are ripening fast and the harvest promises to be abundant. Don't miss the chance for a bargain in a cape or jacket at Hopkins' store next week.

Attend the teachers' institute next week, especially the evening entertainments. Heath & Killmer have the finest assortment of toys in town, and they are all new.

A good house and lot on Elm street for sale cheap. For particulars inquire of P. M. Clark. A total eclipse of the moon will occur Dec. 27. The eclipse begins at 5:57 and ends at 7:26 in the morning.

For Christmas dishes go to Heath & Killmer. Their assortment is the most beautiful ever shown in Tionesta. It will pay Hopkins better to sell those jackets at a very small profit than to pay express charges back on them.

The sleighing is just now elegant, and the activity which the "running" has infused into all kinds of business is pleasing to contemplate. Any lady who desires to save money and at the same time have a "strictly up to date" cape or jacket should call on Miles & Armstrong.

When looking for a Christmas present for your wife, daughter, sister or mother, don't fail to inspect the elegant stock of F. Walters & Co. A bargain in dress goods. Four late patterns, wool and silk mixed, good width, for 35c per yard, at Robinsons. These are regular 50 cent goods.

The Junior Epworth League will have a dinner social at the home of Mrs. Angus Carson on Friday evening, Dec. 9th. Refreshments will be served. All are invited. Christmas falling on Sunday this year the legal holiday will be observed on Monday. If you have a note to pay on the 25th of December it will fall due on the 26th.

WANTED.—Active agents to sell tea, coffee, spices and baking powder to families. Liberal commissions allowed. Apply to Grand Union Tea Co., 33 W. Long Ave., DuBois, Pa. If anybody gives you a five-dollar legal tender note of the vintage of 1880, you had better bite it to see if it is genuine, says an exchange. There is a dangerous counterfeit in circulation.

The Overlander Mill has changed hands and is now under the management of M. Hepler. There will always be some one at the mill to do grinding, and all work will be done quickly and first-class. Amster will have, as usual, the choicest lot of candies, nuts and fruits for the holiday trade, so hold your orders for him. In toys and other appropriate Xmas gifts he will have a fine line.

The full official vote on Congress in this district, as computed by the return judges, who had their second meeting in Clearfield last Friday, is as follows: Arnold, Rep., 14,209; Hall, Dem., 17,550; Rheem, Pro., 1898. Fresh, wholesome fruits and vegetables are always in order when they can be had. Amster keeps nothing else, and when you buy of him you will know they are all right. And he always makes the price right. List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Tionesta, Pa., post office, for the week ending December 7, 1898: Mr. J. Loyd Morris, Mr. H. W. Nair, J. G. Wright, A. Adelson, Mrs. Tillie Hunter. D. S. Knox, P. M.

One of the Pennsylvania editors emphasizes an appeal for money due him as follows: "Having remembered the Maine without difficulty, will you please try and remember that the year before last's subscription is about due."

Attention is directed to the new ad. of E. T. Hall, the well-known house furnisher of Titusville, in this issue. Mr. Hall invites visitors to the Queen City from this section to call and inspect his mammoth stock, and is sure he can please all comers. Miss Emma Lawrence was treated to an involuntary bath last Friday evening while enjoying the skating on the back channel. Fortunately no serious results came of the mishap, though she had a narrow escape from drowning, Harold Herman being obliged to plunge into the water up to his waist to make the rescue, and Harold stands 6-foot-4 in his socks at that.

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NEWS NOTES.

Japan is about to have built the most powerful battle-ship afloat. —Toys! Toys! Go to Heath & Killmer for toys. Pennsylvania has 26,910 coke ovens; of a total of 47,968 in the United States. —Santa Claus will open up his pack at Hopkins' store this week. Printers in Porto Rico, who earn from \$4 to \$7 a week, have struck for an advance of 50 per cent. Here's a chance for some speculator. The town of Glen Eyre, Pa., is advertised to be sold by the Sheriff. —If you desire something fine in jewelry for a Xmas present call on Miles & Armstrong, as new things are being shown. The popular rating of the war heroes, as shown in the naming of new post-offices, now stands as follows: Dewey 18, Sampson 5, Shafter and Sigsbee 4 each and Schley 3. —If you think of buying a jacket call at Hopkins' store. A. N. Carr, of Lyons, brought to the city, Wednesday, seven head of South-down sheep and shipped them to West Virginia. Mr. Carr received \$20 each for the sheep.—Meadville Gazette. —Hopkins sells the shoes and rubbers. Twelve Western members of Roosevelt's Rough Riders sailed last week for Cuba to prospect for gold. Most of them are old miners, and they say they saw unmistakable "indications" of gold bearing quartz on San Juan Hill. If they find anything worth while they will stake out claims. Pittsburg ranked thirteenth in population, in 1898, among the fifteen largest cities in the Union, and the advocates of a greater Pittsburg calculate that by consolidating with Allegheny the census of 1900 would show the "Steel City" to have half a million inhabitants, making it the sixth city in the United States in point of size. The lumber resources of Pennsylvania are fast passing away. There are said to remain only a few unbroken timber tracts in the Clearfield region, and next spring the last drive is expected to be made from the mouth of the Sinnema-honing, to consist of 30,000,000 feet of logs. In all 60,000,000 feet of timber will pass Lock Haven.—Clearfield Journal. —If you contemplate giving your beautiful friend a present buy one of those beautiful silk umbrellas at Miles & Armstrong. The Sheriffs in this State are interested to know to what extent they will lose business through the new bankruptcy law diminishing the number of voluntary assignment proceedings. Sheriff Lowry, of Allegheny county, has thus far lost but one execution since the bankruptcy law went into effect, although 56 petitions of voluntary bankruptcy have been filed with the United States Clerk for the Western District of Pennsylvania. —Another lot of ladies' and gent's mackintoshes at Hopkins' store. The annual report of the Postoffice Department shows not only a large increase in the volume of business handled, but also a great improvement in the efficiency of the machinery of handling it. Indeed, the department is now so efficient in the business of transporting the vast amount of second class matter that it is quite prepared to take up the question of a general postal-package service—such as has been tried with success all over Europe. —Heath & Killmer have an elegant display of toilet cases, toilet articles of all kinds and their line of perfumes can't be beat. Go and see. A western paper is responsible for the following: An Arizona rancher has posted the following on a cottonwood tree near his place: "My wife Sarah has left my ranch when I didn't do a thing too her and I want it distinctly understood that any man as takes her in and keeps for her on my account will get himself pumped so full of lead that some tenderfoot will locate him for a mineral claim. A word to the wise is sufficient and order work on fools." The Chester County Almshouse gives shelter to three interesting characters, viz.: A man who twenty-five years ago was worth \$200,000, but largely by reason of his generous nature he lost it all; Sallie Elbert, one of the last of the Lenape tribe of Indians that were numerous in Chester county years ago, and Rebecca Thomas, colored, said to be 103 years old, and who says she remembers seeing the town of Havre de Grace (Md.) burned by the British, as she stood on the porch of her master's house. Referring to the healthful and sensible fad of the ladies in the matter of warm and serviceable footwear, a New York fashion note says that the boys' departments of the shoe shops are thronged these days with women, all engaged in buying boys' boots for themselves. Fashion has driven them to it, it being decreed that women's footwear shall be of such a heavy, broad build that nothing short of boots originally made for men will satisfy them. So the fair shopper turns to boys' boots, men's being a trifle oversized. Lake Superior is in danger of losing its distinction of being the largest fresh water lake in the world. African explorers begin to think that Lake Victoria-Nyanza is larger. Superior covers 31,200 square miles, and Nyanza is credited with about 39,000; but recent explorations have discovered a hitherto unknown bay on its southern side which so increases its known area as to make it a question whether it is not larger than Superior. Fuller explanations and more careful surveys must be made, however, before a decision can be reached. The Bradford Era says: "A Quaker Bridge man killed a bear cub recently and sent it to Herrington's market yesterday. The animal weighs about 65 pounds. A Bradford man who was in the woods on Willow creek recently, says bears are numerous there and the hunters of that region are spending their time very profitably in trapping and shooting the animals. Mose Johnson, a Willow creek pioneer, has a big cave into which he lures the bears and then by building fires at the several outlets of the cavern, smokes them out and dispatches them with a rifle bullet. A number of Bradford men are hunting in the Willow creek woods, and will probably come home with a fine collection of bear stories."

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