

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Rates—County Treasurer, \$10. State Delegate, \$5. County Surveyor, \$5. Cash must accompany the order for announcement.

Primaries—Saturday, May 4, 1901.

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce CALVIN M. ARNER, of Tionesta, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce FREEMAN R. LANSON of Tionesta, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to Republican usages.

STATE DELEGATE.

We are authorized to announce ELMER L. SUTTON, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Delegate to the Republican State Convention.

INSTEAD OF INVESTING in free public libraries, Senator Clark has just bought another railroad.

GROVER CLEVELAND was 64 years of age on Tuesday. He is now the only living Ex-President of the United States.

KING EDWARD is so well satisfied with the results of his reign up to this time that he has already applied for an increase of salary.

We hear no boasts from Bryan or gains about how much more prosperous the people would have been had the boy orator been elected.

GERMAN nells have been worsted in the world's market by the American article, which only goes to show that the consumer knows a good thing when he sees it.

ACCORDING to President Hadley, the empire is only twenty-five years away. This leaves us a quarter of a century in which to perfect the Australian ballot system.

If Com Paul has succeeded in making the war so expensive as to force a change in the tariff policy of Great Britain he has done something quite as important as staggering humanity.

THE British commanders in the Transvaal are due for another cablegram announcing that the "Boers are again on the verge of surrender." They just captured another British supply train.

THERE is weighty proof of the fact that the Porto Rican tariff is not objectionable to the people of that island, for a commission is now at Washington working for a continuance of the system whereby owners of real estate are enabled to escape taxation.

It appears the insurgents have joined with the Democrats in the Legislature of this State to prevent any ballot reform measure from passing that has any real reform features attached. As a matter of fact the only ballot reform needed in this section is an act which will hang the whelp who tries to buy his way into office by offers of money, whiskey or any other "consideration." But the present-day "reformer" is not anxious for anything that would interfere so materially with his tactics.

A BILL which has passed one branch of the Pennsylvania legislature permits Sunday fishing. If this bill becomes a law there ought to be no hindrance to Sunday hunting, the opening of race courses, base ball grounds, beer saloons, etc., on the Sabbath day. Some people who pretend to think it awful to pass "ripper" bills are strong advocates of legislation favorable to Sabbath lawlessness, the permitting of pool selling and gambling at country fairs, etc. But that's different, you know.

LET us look back and consider what we would have been—what would have become of this country—if policies advocated by the Democratic party during the last thirty years had been adopted! The nation would have been dismembered. If that had been escaped, by favoring wild and chimerical financial policies we would have been bankrupt. If we had cast aside chances for territorial aggrandizement which came to us, not by our own seeking, but by force of circumstances we did not control, we should have failed to attain the position among the nations of the world that now is possessed. Look back and see where the adoption of Democratic policy would have led us. Look where we stand today.—Albany Journal.

THE insane King Otto, of Bavaria, having developed a wild, uncontrollable desire to kill off a few people each day, his attendants have adopted a plan whereby to humor him. The bloodthirsty King is placed at a window of the castle and given a gun loaded with blank cartridges. Peasants are hired to pass near the window and are instructed to fall as if shot when they hear the report of a gun. The King fires, the peasant falls and Otto goes wild with delight. In this way he disposes of fifteen or twenty peasants daily. The supposed victims are paid weekly wages. This is a realistic, but still harmless way of honoring the King's fancy, but if it should happen that a mistake be made some time, and a gun loaded with a stre-enough cartridge be given His Majesty, the joke, of course, would be on the peasant.—Hitzard.

AN important decision has just been handed down by the Supreme Court of this State. We refer to the case of the City of New Castle against F. W. Cutler. The question involved was the liability of the defendant for a fine under the city ordinance for selling groceries without a license. Mr. Cutler claimed that he was agent for an Ohio concern, denied the legality of the ordinance and raised a question of inter-state commerce law. The court of common pleas from which the case was carried, decided against Mr. Cutler, and the Superior Court reaffirmed the decision of the lower court. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court and the finding of the lower courts has been finally upheld. The effect of the decision will be to protect home dealers against itinerant agents from other States taking orders in towns where local dealers are protected by license ordinances.—Tionesta Herald.

The People Are With McKinley.

The President's policies are right and the people are with him. Fair-minded Democrats know that he is right and that they cannot consistently oppose him. For that reason they let go of Bryanism, but perhaps try to keep up an appearance that will not cut them off from the support of Democratic districts.

There has usually been a reaction after the strain of a presidential campaign so that after two years the President was confronted by a Congress from the opposing party. But the Congress elected in the middle of President McKinley's term, and again at the end of his first term, contains growing Republican majorities.

The spring elections everywhere this year show that McKinley policies have lost none of their popularity with the people. Strongly partisan Democrats may continue to carp, but fair Democrats are not trying to trip the President and increase the difficulties of his position. They know that he is right and do not seek to prevent him from going ahead.—Binghamton Republican.

Inaugural Epigrams.

By President McKinley:

The path of progress is seldom smooth. There are some national questions in the solution of which patriotism should exclude partisanship.

We will not leave the destinies of the loyal millions in the islands to the disloyal thousands.

The American people, entrenched in freedom at home, take their love for it with them wherever they go.

The prophets of evil were not the builders of the republic, nor in its crises since have they saved or served it.

Sectionalism has disappeared. Division on public questions can no longer be traced by the war maps of 1861.

Surely, after 125 years of achievement for mankind, we will not surrender our equality with other powers on matters fundamental and essential to nationality.

By Vice President Roosevelt:

Accordingly as we do well or ill, so shall mankind in the future be raised or cast down.

We belong to a young nation, already of giant strength, yet whose present strength is but a forecast of the power that is to come.

A great work lies ready to the hand of this generation; it should count itself happy, indeed, that it is given the privilege of doing such a work.

—There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Late Mrs. Church.

The following additional particulars of the late Mrs. Matilda Church, who died at her home on Church Hill on the 17th inst., have been handed us for publication:

For many years she had been afflicted with bronchitis and about three weeks previous to her death she was seized with the grippe. From the first of her sickness, those that waited upon her felt there was little hope of recovery; but she left a blessed testimony that she was not afraid to die, and during the early morning hours her spirit took its flight to return to the God who gave it. At her bedside were her son, S. E. Church of Church Hill, and her step-son, John C. Church of W. Va., Misses Kate and Margaret Dempsey of Franklin, Pa., neices of the deceased, and Miss Laura Church of Fertigs, Pa., a niece of the late Ira Church. She is survived by the following step-children: Mrs. J. H. Wentworth of Tionesta twp., Mrs. Jacob Shaffer, Mrs. Shellas Range and James Church of Hickory twp., Mrs. Joshua Hall of W. Va., and Hilton Church of New Matamoras, Ohio. Also a brother and sister, Albert Dempsey of Iowa, and Mrs. James Reynolds of Sibley, Iowa. Matilda (Dempsey) Church was born in Columbus Co., Ohio. She was the second daughter of Samuel Dempsey. On July 27 1865, she was married to the late Ira Church, being his second wife. Funeral services were held at her late home Tuesday morning last at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Stone of Youngsville, Pa. Her age was 71 years, 2 months and 29 days. Her remains were laid to rest beside her late husband in the cemetery on Church Hill.

The surviving relations desire to return thanks to the neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness during the illness and after the death of Mrs. Church.

Letter to N. G. Cole.

Nebraska, Pa.

Dear sir: You know your painter; we don't; we only know painters in general. There are two sorts, as there are two sorts of everybody else. One paints as well as he can; the other as poor as he can and get business.

The one who paints as well as he can is all the time learning; the other one knows it all now.

Josh Billings says "it's better not to know too much than to know so many things that ain't so." There are lots of things in paint that ain't so." Lead and oil is one of 'em.

Devote lead and zinc lasts twice as long; is better in every respect; is ready to dip the brush in; you can depend on the colors; no mystery; no uncertainty; costs no more; costs less.

We hope you employ Mr. Open-Mind Painter, and not Mr. Know-it-all now.

Yours truly, F. W. DEVON & Co. P. S.—James D. Davis sells our paint in your section.

Delinquent Tax Notice.

All persons owing taxes in Tionesta Borough for 1900 are hereby notified that the same must be paid before June 1st, 1901, after which date same will be collected as law directs.

S. J. SETLEY, Collector. March 15, 1901.

Cream of the News.

—Even a plain woman may turn many heads by going into church late.

—Cash prices on everything only at T. C. S.

—Nobly ought to be poor in March when there's so much change.

—All styles ladies' shirt waist ready to wear. Hopkins.

—It's funny that the girls who don't fancy work do fancy-work.

—Royal Worcester's straight front corsets at Heath & Feit's.

—Never laugh at a boy with a pug-nose. You don't know what may turn up.

—Still a whole lot of those wool challis shirt waist patterns left. No two alike. Hopkins.

—A man shows natural polish when his head is like a billiard ball.

—New goods in every department at Heath & Feit's.

—Even the professional strong man can't always raise a beard.

—Don't be deceived. "Queen Quality" shoes beat them all. T. C. S.

—We will soon have to take up the question of the shirt-waist man again.

—Nice new line of men's fancy shirts at Heath & Feit's.

—Blushes are not always as genuine as freckles.

—All grades of carpet at prices that bring your order. T. C. S.

—Live and learn—but some men seem to live a great deal more than they learn.

—When you are looking for shoes don't forget that the Douglas is the best. Hopkins sells them.

—See those ladies' suits at \$7.50 and \$10. They are worth more money. Tionesta Cash Store.

—Strangely enough whisky must first be drunk before it can intoxicate.

—Best line of shirts and ties—all up-to-date. T. C. S.

—There won't be a real spring until the snave hairs begin to produce.

—While we are busy talking dry goods, &c., you must not overlook the fact that we sell shoes too. Heath & Feit.

—Low prices make goods sell at Tionesta Cash Store.

—The average salary of school teachers in Pennsylvania for 1900 was \$41.92 a month, a decrease of six cents from the previous year.

—Don't listen to what others say, but come and see the goods and then you will be convinced that you save money by dealing at T. C. S.

—Michigan will have a splendid State building at the Pan-American.

—50 pair Ladies' and Misses shoes opened today. They are all the famous Richardson make. There is none better. Hopkins.

—The extensive and valuable resources of Louisiana will be exhibited at the Pan-American exposition.

—Large lines of light-weight underwear and hosiery at T. C. S.

—It isn't necessary for a girl to be an athlete to enable her to jump at an offer of marriage.

The Greatest in Western Pennsylvania.

The Pittsburg Dispatch during this year and century will continue to maintain its high position among leading newspapers of the country, and will, as it has been in the past, be the foremost paper in the Western Pennsylvania. The news of the world will be found in the Dispatch every morning; special correspondents and alliances with other papers providing the means to cover every news source in the universe.

The Sunday edition of the Dispatch is conceded to be the leader of its class in its line: With special articles by the foremost writers, illustrations that are appropriate and well executed, together with the latest ideas in typography, it is undoubtedly the journal for excellence. The large and rapidly increasing circulation is evidence that it is what it claims to be.

The Home Study Circle, which has been a feature of the daily Dispatch for several years, has been succeeded by the Current Topic Club. It is a worthy successor of the Home Study Circle and is the best feature of its kind in journalism of to-day. Leading men and women of letters, art, science and business will contribute to this department of the Dispatch, which will be more popular than was the Home Study Circle with its wealth of information.

In all departments the Dispatch is complete; nothing being left uncovered, and so popular is it that in thousands of homes to speak of newspapers is to think of The Dispatch.

License Applications.

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for license have been filed in my office and will be presented April 10, 1901, at the Court of Quarter Sessions of Forest County, Pa.:

- 1. J. H. Powers, Keystone Hotel, Marienville, Pa.
- 2. J. H. Fidler, Hotel Forest, Marienville, Pa.
- 3. James Aharah & F. R. Larimer, Marien House, Marienville, Pa.
- 4. J. S. Caldwell, Diagonal House, Byrontown, Pa.
- 5. L. E. Branch, Central Hotel, Clarion, Pa.
- 6. G. E. & M. L. Gerow, Central House, Tionesta Borough.
- 7. E. A. Weaver, Hotel Weaver, Tionesta Borough.

Certified from the record. J. H. ROBERTSON, Clerk. March 26, 1901.

HE HAS SORE THROAT And is Gargling With TONSILINE That's one way of using it. Take it, gargle, or spray. HE TONSILINE never fails, 25 and 50 cents. All druggists. The Tonsiline Company, Canton, Ohio.

Dr. Fenner's KIDNEY and Backache Cure. Unfailing in Female Weakness. Sold by all druggists.

Spring Goods!

- MATTINGS.
- LINOLEUM.
- OIL CLOTH.
- WHITE GOODS.
- GINGHAM.
- CALICOES.
- EMBROIDERIES.
- LACES, ETC.

Early Buyers Have the Advantage of First Selections.

ROBINSON.

Threshermen, Saw Mill Men, and users of

Boilers and Engines.

Special attention is called to the New Huber for 1901. Six to twelve horse power, one belt runs the entire machine, the tension on every pulley is just the same, one tightener is all that is required. Our claims are: the nearest perfect separator, the greatest capacity for saving the grain and the best cleaner for all kinds of grain.

THE DUST COLLECTOR

Is a great invention. Every thresherman should have it.

THE WIND STACKER

Another great invention deserves special mention. The stockmen are relieved of a life-killing job and the operator of the machine can crowd it to its utmost capacity. A stack built by wind blast will keep far better than any other way.

SAW MILLS.

Capacity, 5 to 25,000 feet lumber per day. Patent feed and backing devices gains 30 to 40 per cent.

BOILERS AND ENGINES.

Portable and stationary, all sizes and kinds suitable for saw mill men, threshmen and all kinds of heavy work.

SHINGLE MILLS, WOOD WORKING MACHINES OF ALL KINDS, SECOND-HAND BOILERS, ENGINES, HORSEPOWERS and THRESHING MACHINES at special low prices. Write for catalogue and prices.

JOHN A. MAGEE & SON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE & MACHINERY,

BUILDING MATERIAL, ETC.

CLARION, PENNA.

Our Reason for Advertising

is that we want to keep in touch with you. We have so many different classes of Wall paper, so many styles that we MUST tell you of them. We want to tell you of them as often as possible, so that you may familiarize yourself with our doings at this busy mart.

IMPORTED PAPERS FROM ENGLISH, FRENCH, GERMAN.

workshops. We have the clever "Art Nouveau" designs, which have captured the country. Art Nouveau was originated by an Austrian and perfected by the resourceful Frenchman.

Other papers, too, from eight dollars a roll to one cent a roll—a hundred thousand rolls of it. We'll pay your car fare both ways on a ten dollar purchase.

LACES, CARPETS, DRAPERIES.

GEORGE J. VEACH,

206-208 CENTRE ST., OIL CITY, PA.

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, Charles F. Fox, of Lynch, Forest County, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all his debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Pittsburgh, in said District, on the 10th day of April, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, Bruce Crain, of Lynch, Forest county, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all his debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Pittsburgh, in said District on the 30th day of April, 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.



We hold the hand that wins the public. Our INTERNATIONAL SUITS are perfect in every respect, and it would be well for you to study our hand before you play a losing game.

The International Tailoring Co., of New York and Chicago, cannot be beaten in Style, Fit, Workmanship, Quality or Price. Call on our dealer and see the hand for yourself.

HEATH & FEIT, Agents.

NO. 5038. A. WAYNE COOK, President. A. B. KELLY, Cashier. W. W. SMERBAUGH, Vice President.

FOREST COUNTY NATIONAL BANK, TIONESTA, PENNSYLVANIA.

CAPITAL STOCK, \$50,000.

Directors: A. Wayne Cook, G. W. Robinson, Wm. Smerbaugh, N. P. Wheeler, T. F. Ritchey, J. T. Dale, J. H. Kelly.

Collections remitted for on day of payment at low rates. We promise our customers all the benefits consistent with conservative banking. Interest paid on time deposits. Your patronage respectfully solicited.

New Arrivals.

We are daily receiving our new styles of Spring goods and we can truthfully say that same are superior to anything we ever had the pleasure to show heretofore. We are headquarters for all styles of

PATENT LEATHER AND IDEAL PATENT KIDS

in Oxfords as well as in high cut button and lace boots. We should be pleased to show you these goods at any time whether you wish to purchase at the time or not. You will find prices lower than same goods can be purchased elsewhere.

JOE LEVI,

Cor. Centre, Seneca, & Sycamore Sts. OIL CITY, PA. Phone 235.

Spring Tailoring.

The manager of our Tailoring Department, Mr. E. A. Burch, has returned from New York, laden with new ideas, new styles and all the latest fads in correct clothes for the coming spring and summer seasons. He has some surprises for our stylish young men that we think they will appreciate. Our selection of choice woolsens are now on our counters and you are invited to call and press yourself on the proper things in dress for the coming season.

THE McCUEN CO., 25 AND 29 SENeca ST., OIL CITY, PA.

Painting and Paper-hanging.

I have secured the agency for the celebrated KAYSER & ALLMAN wall paper and can show you samples and quote prices that will beat them all. I make a specialty of artistic house painting and inside finishing. If you've anything in my line let me know and I will call on you.

GEO. I. DAVIS, TIONESTA, PA.

Pennsylvania RAILROAD.

BUFFALO AND ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION. Taking effect, November 25, 1900. No. 30 Buffalo Express, daily except Sunday. 11:35 a. m. No. 32 Oil City and Pittsburgh Express, daily except Sunday. 7:30 p. m.

For Hickory, Tidionta, Warren, Kinzua, Bradford, Olean and the East: No. 31 Olean Express, daily except Sunday. 8:50 a. m. No. 33 Pittsburgh Express, daily except Sunday. 4:15 p. m.

For Time Tables and additional information consult Ticket Agent, J. B. HUTCHINSON, J. R. WOOD, General Manager, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

Fred. Grettenberger GENERAL

BLACKSMITH & MACHINIST.

All work pertaining to Machinery, Engines, Oil Well Tools, Gas or Water Fittings 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, Tidionta, Pa. Your patronage solicited. FRED. GRETTEMBERGER.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THIS PAPER.