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—Oil market closed at \$1.29.

—Oil and gas leases at this office.

—Lost, in Tionesta Tuesday, a gold bar pin. Finder please leave at this office.

—The new house of H. M. Foreman on Vine street is ready to be lathed and plastered.

—The new Washington M. E. church, located near Lickingville, was appropriately dedicated yesterday.

—Orders for out flowers for Memorial Day, left with James Haslet, will receive prompt and careful attention. It

—Let us fit you out in a new summer suit—men or boys—from the best stock you've ever seen in Tionesta. Hopkins.

—A number of pretty June weddings will happen hereabouts during the coming month, if reports can be relied upon.

—The palate beetle has already appeared and in unusual numbers on the young plants, so we are informed by "the man with the hoe."

—Fruits and vegetables are now at their best at the White Star Grocery. Call or phone when your appetite calls for a toothsome viand.

—Judge Irwin has had the veranda on the front of his house very materially extended, and other notable improvements made about his premises within the past few days.

—Rev. W. O. Calhoun will preach the Memorial Sermon to the veterans in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend this service.

—An ice cream and strawberry festival will be held in the Salmon Creek Lumber Co.'s new storehouse at Kelletville, Saturday evening, next. Proceeds for the benefit of the M. E. Sabbath school.

—The weather has not been the best that could be for straw hats, but the stock of these goods at Hopkins' could not well be improved upon. Better get yours while the assortment is best. It

—Following is the list of letters lying unclaimed for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for week ending May 24, '05. Granite and Marble Works, card; Peter E. Fiscus, card. D. S. Knox, P. M.

—Plumber H. E. McKinley now drives a new Orient buck-board automobile that seems to possess good speed, at least "Maek" gets the speed out of the machine when he throws the "throttle" wide open.

—The Clarion Democrat is informed that a well on the A. J. Bostaph farm between Crown and Vovinekel was drilled in a few days ago and filled up 800 feet in the hole. The developments up that way are turning out well.

—The trustees of the Odd Fellows have a desire that the cemetery shall look its best on Memorial Day and to that end request all lot owners to put their lots in order before that day. Everybody should find a pride in this work.

—Sheriff Noblit, accompanied by Constable R. O. Whitton, of Hickory township, left for Huntingdon Monday evening, having in charge the two young men, Fred Heath and Edward Snyder, who were sentenced to terms in the Reformatory at that place.

—Quarterly meeting services will be held in the Free Methodist church on Whig Hill, beginning Friday evening and continuing over the Sabbath. District Elder, Rev. J. S. McGeary will have charge and preach each evening, as well as Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

—A union service of the F. M., M. E. and Presbyterian churches of this place will be held in the M. E. church next Sabbath evening, to which everybody is cordially invited. Rev. D. C. Eberhart, assistant superintendent of the Anti-Slavery League of this State, will deliver the address.

—The Erie corps of engineers left Warren for Red House, the northern terminus of the new line Monday. They will be in Tidoute in two or three weeks, working from below Warren south.—Thursday's Warren Times says the Erie R. R. surveyors are now at Thompson's, headed for down the river.—Tidoute News.

—According to the figures of the Geological Survey, the petroleum production of the world in 1903 was 195,263,511 barrels, compared with 148,144,975 barrels in 1880, an increase of nearly 35 per cent. The gold production of the world in the same time increased from a valuation of \$106,435,800 to \$349,300,000 and silver from \$85,640,000 to \$83,000,000.

—Tuesday morning last at Meadville Albert J. Weatherbee, convicted of shooting Daniel P. Roberts with intent to kill, was sentenced by Judge Frank J. Thomas to spend three years and six months in solitary confinement at hard labor in the Western penitentiary. He received the sentence with the stolidity of expression that marked his conduct during the recent trial.

—"I am contented," said a Bradford philosopher yesterday. "I get enough work to keep me busy; enough good food to sustain me; I am able to pay my debts, and am not trying to get more than my share of money, honor or enjoyment. Troubles do not worry me. I meet them, and as soon as possible forget them." That man has a method which might with profit be followed by others, says the Bradford Era.

—There is a cap on the market which doubtless will be much in demand by embryo "Willies," declares a somewhat excited and much disgusted exchange. It is about the size of a breakfast pancake and has a visor resembling the small section of the rim crust of a pie. When worn properly it is plastered on the rear extension of the head and allows an opportunity to arrange the hair above the forehead in a lovely manner, damit.

—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, in session at Scranton last week, adjourned to meet in Pittsburgh next year. Ten thousand dollars was appropriated toward the entertainment of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, which assembles in Philadelphia next September. The question of voting \$5,000 toward erecting a monument in memory of Past Grand Sir James B. Nicholson was defeated. R. L. Haslet represented Tionesta lodge at this session.

—Tuesday, June 14, is the 127th anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the flag of the United States, and will be observed throughout the nation as Flag Day. The American Flag Association, in accordance with its annual custom, has issued a circular asking that the observance be made general and is making a special effort to interest the people throughout the country to the extent of a general display of the American flag on that day.

—John Carson, son of Jerry Carson, who lives near Salem, Venango county, was killed in a freight train collision at Struthers, near New Castle, on the B. & O. railroad, on Sunday last. He was a flagman on the road, and by some misunderstanding of orders his train pulled out upon the main track and the caboose, in which he was riding, was run into by another freight train. His body was brought home, and was buried near Newmansville today.

—A lad named Claud Edward Hayes disappeared from the home of John Weant, in Green township, about the 12th of May. When last seen he wore a lead colored hat and a suit of greenish clothes, knee pants, black stockings, and black shirt with blue and white stripes. Has black hair which he usually parts in the middle, is spare-faced and delicate looking. Information as to his whereabouts will be gladly received by his adopted father, John Weant, Nebraska, Pa.

—Thursday, June 1st, Mrs. Samuel Sigworth, at her premises, one mile north of Lickingville, will offer at public sale her entire stock of household goods, comprising about everything needful in a well-regulated, comfortable home. The house and lot will also be offered for sale. The house is a new 10-room cottage, newly painted, with an acre of ground and all needed outbuildings, together with a fine fruit and chestnut orchard. A splendid opportunity for anyone desirous of securing a pretty home.

—Severe frosts were reported from the hill districts Sunday morning, and it is believed about everything in the line of fruit has been killed. None of the seeded crops were sufficiently advanced to be seriously injured, although some of the oats fields are said to have been nipped, but will recover if no further trouble comes on. Some of the early gardens will have to be replanted. Down here in the valley the fog protected the gardens, which so far are doing only fairly well owing to the cold, sour weather.

—That the good don't always die young, as the old saw would have us believe, is clearly evidenced by the lively and versatile Oil City Blizard, which attained its 23rd birthday on Monday. In fact by his excellent goodness has the Blizard been kept alive and well, and a money maker for its enterprising proprietors, Messrs. Bowen & McKnight. Of all the good things in Oil City the Blizard is the best, and like some other "staples" has made that city famous, and long may it live to keep its town on the map.

—The Tionesta ball club will be living the strenuous life for the next few weeks, judging from the number of games they have scheduled with the fast teams of the surrounding towns. This, Wednesday morning, the team goes to Warren to play. Next Saturday at 2:30 the crack Oil Well Supply team of Siverly will meet our boys on the Tionesta grounds. This game will be the real article, and you don't want to miss it. On May 30 the Titusville team will be here for a game, and it will be a good one. Game called at 2:30. Saturday, June 10th, Tionesta plays the Tiona team at Sheffield.

—Lewis H. Smith, who died in New York city Wednesday morning, will be kindly remembered by hundreds of the old-time operators, who have followed up the business from Pitlohe and Petroleum Center to Bradford, Cherry Grove, Bailtown and Sistersville. "Lew" Smith was a bluff and hearty individual of enormous vitality and genial personality. He never forgot his friends and was always ready to meet an old-time acquaintance with a cordial handshake. Mr. Smith had witnessed the ups and downs of the oil industry for fully forty years and met rebuffs with the same dauntless courage with which he achieved success. He was of an inventive turn of mind and designed a number of practical devices in connection with drilling oil wells that proved successful and are still employed by modern oil well contractors.—Oil City Derrick.

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—George Zuendel, of Kelletville, is attending the Democratic State convention at Harrisburg this week, as the delegate from Forest county. The Democrats have one dead sure clinch on a State office this year, which makes their convention of a little more than ordinary importance. There are four Superior Court Judges to elect, and the Republicans can vote for only three candidates, thus giving the opposite party one sure winner.

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