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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lammers, Ad. Penny, Ry. Ad. Hopkins, Local. Wm. B. James, Ad. The McCuen Co., Ad. Oil City Trust Co., Ad. Tionesta Hardware, Ad. Clarion Normal, Local. Smart & Silberberg, Ad. Edinboro Normal, Local. Monarch Clothing Co., Ad. Meadville Commercial College, Ad.

Oil market closed at \$1.58. You can get it at Hopkins' store. All summer goods at half price and some much below at Hopkins' store. Dogs killed and maimed six of Will Clark's line head of sheep at his farm on Hunter Run, three miles from Tionesta, last Friday night.

Edinboro students are trained to self exertion, self control, self reliance. Fall term begins September 11th. John F. Bigler, Principal. Tionesta's second ball team, known to fame as the Yanigans, will go to Pleasantville for a game with the second team there tomorrow.

A flag stone walk is being laid over the Council Run culvert this week by Daniel Walters. It will be a big improvement over the old board walk. Blackberries are very wholesome. Do not be afraid of them. Eat all you want of them.—Ex. And the surgeon will remove your vermiform appendix later on.

Frank McKenzie, who is working the Fitzgerald farm down the river for Edward Gerow, killed a big rattlesnake and a copperhead snake on the place last Saturday.

At the rate all warm weather goods are selling at the Hopkins store these days it would pay you to lay in a stock for next summer if you have no use for them this season.

There will be no preaching in the M. E. church at this place next Sabbath, Rev. Mr. Calloun, the pastor, being in attendance at the Cherry Run camp meeting for the week.

Following is the list of letters lying unclaimed for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for week ending August 5, 1906: Rachel Wabs, Mrs. Jennie Toby (1 card), Mr. Fred Bailey, D. S. Knox, P. M.

If you ever expect to wear one of the famous Wooltex skirts now is the time to secure the garment. They are selling at about half price at Hopkins' store, and the stock won't last long at the price asked.

Free tuition to prospective teachers at the Clarion State Normal School, Clarion, Pa. Splendid equipment. Strong faculty. Thorough instruction. Get catalogue and other illustrated matter by writing to the Principal, J. George Becht.

The conferees in the Warren-Yenango Senatorial district are deadlocked, having held several meetings without results. The candidates are Hon. E. W. Parrshall, of Warren, and General Willis J. Hulings, of Oil City.

The Chautauque excursion last Saturday was liberally patronized from Tionesta and vicinity, 134 tickets being sold here and 37 at West Hickory. The day was an ideal one for an outing and all report a splendid time.

If the chorns girls would wear longer skirts there would not be such a large surplus of raw cotton.—Punky Spirit. Br'er Smith speaks with the air of one acquainted with his subject and who knows what he is talking about.

It is a pleasure for us to chronicle the news to his many friends that H. S. Brockway, Esq., who has been sick for so long with the fever, is now able to sit up, and if he has no backet will be around in a very short time.—Marienville Express.

James T. Bronnan Esq., of Warren, was last week nominated by the Prohibitionists of Venango and Warren counties as their candidate for state Senator in the 48th district. There is some talk that the Democrats of the district will endorse Mr. Bronnan.

The Derrick's oil report for July shows 726 new wells completed and 78 new rigs and drilling wells. This is a decrease of six in completed work and a decrease of 13 in new work in the Pennsylvania fields. A gain of 867 barrels in new production was also noted.

The Free Methodist camp-meeting drew heavily from Tionesta last Sunday, about all the available rigs in town being pressed into service to convey visitors to the beautiful grove at Pleasantville. Upward of 80 tents encircle the large auditorium, and all of them are occupied, or will be before the meeting is over. Excellent order prevails and all seem to be enjoying themselves.

Gilbert, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Killmer, of this place, slightly fractured the bone in his right arm between the wrist and elbow by a fall Tuesday evening of last week. The injury is more painful than serious. Dr. Bovard rendered the necessary surgical aid.

The two ball games scheduled to be played here Thursday and Friday of this week by Bruin, were cancelled by that team because they could secure no other games in this vicinity at the present time. We hope to have them later. Manager Landers is endeavoring to arrange a game here next Saturday.

The REPUBLICAN acknowledges with many thanks the receipt of an invitation from the St. Marys Gazette to be present and participate in the pleasures of "Old Home Week," from August 11th to 18th, in that thriving little city. Extensive preparations are making to show the old home-comers a good time while they tarry in the town.

The "Tionesta Hardware," Samuel S. Sigworth, proprietor, is a new advertiser in the REPUBLICAN this week, to which special attention is called. Read these advertisements carefully, and when you find yourself in need of anything in that line, the new establishment will appreciate your patronage and make special efforts to please you.

Michael Mann, who had begun work at the Grandin mill at Eagle Rock the day previous, was taken to the Oil City hospital last Thursday for surgical treatment for injuries received by falling off a car of tan bark. He has since recovered sufficiently to be able to go to work again. He is minus one leg at the knee, and was in Tionesta a day or two before going to Eagle Rock, where he found employment.

The Washington Post says that Prof. Wiley, Chief Chemist of the Department of Agriculture, recently went into a store to buy a fountain pen. While the young man was waiting on him, the famous scientist was writing the words "tempus fugit," in an endeavor to select a pen to his liking. "If you should buy one and it does not suit you, Mr. Fugit," said the obliging clerk, "you can bring it back and get another."

The editor of the Tionesta REPUBLICAN laments that the blackberry crop in that county is doomed, dried up, as it were, on the bushes, for want of rain. If the REPUBLICAN's editor will drive over into Jefferson county he can get his wants in the blackberry line fully supplied, with moderate exertion, as the crop in this section was never more abundant, the berries being exceptionally large and delicious.—Brookville Republican.

The Odd Fellows of Western Pennsylvania will hold their annual outing at Wayside Inn, the home for aged and infirm members of the order at Grove City, on Thursday, August 23. The affair this year will take the form of a harvest home and donation. There will be prize exhibits of stock, poultry, fruit, vegetables and grain; music, dancing, singing and amusements of all kinds will be provided, and the Daughters of Rebekah will serve all kinds of refreshments.

According to the ruling of a justice of the peace in Allegheny, Sunday work by oil well pumpers is a necessity. The decision was rendered a few days ago in the cases of five pumpers arrested for violating the Sunday observance law. The defendants showed it was necessary to pump their wells on Sunday in order to keep the salt water down, and on this proof their discharge was based. The decision is considered an important one by the oil men, as it is believed it will stop the prosecutions which have been general.

The Erie Dispatch states that the Union Telephone company is to be one of the component parts of a gigantic combine of the independent telephone companies of the state. In it will be included 800,000 phones, throughout the state, and extensions to every hamlet and cross road will be made. It is intended to spend \$5,000,000 for this purpose and to make the line as complete as that of the Bell company in Pennsylvania. A charter has been applied for in Snyder county and a hearing on the application will be held August 12.

One of the interesting annual features of this year at Chautauque, New York, is the question box, which this year will be conducted as usual by Dr. J. M. Buckley of the Christian Advocate on the evening of Friday, August 17th. Dr. Buckley's wide fund of information and ready command of retort when faced by surprising or perplexing questions make the program of questioning and answering one of great interest. Following upon this hour the Illuminated Fleet will appear on the lake shore, the usual competition for prizes for steamers, launches and sailboats, and row-boats taking place as in former years.

Elisha Hollister, who resides at the mouth of Little Tionesta Creek and works on the Newton & Fisher saw mill at that place, suffered the loss of part of the second finger of his right hand Wednesday morning last. He was handling heavy timber and got the finger caught under a heavy stick, pinching it off just in front of the first joint. Mr. Hollister exhibited clear grit in connection with the accident. The injured finger was hanging by a few shreds of flesh, when he took his pocket knife and cut it off. He then treated it with home remedies, bandaged it and went back to his work without consulting a surgeon.

B. A. Jones, now of Topeka, Indiana, but in his boyhood a resident of what was then Venango and now Forest county, was a visitor in Tionesta Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Jones was here on the mission to find the grave of his mother, Mrs. Carleton Jones, who died June 29, 1861. The family resided at the Culbertson mill, on Fork Run, in Kingsley township, long since gone the way of all lumber camps. The death of Mrs. Jones occurred there and the remains were interred in the Whig Hill cemetery, which is located near the home of G. S. Hindman. Shortly after this the family went west and this is Mr. Jones' first visit here since that time. He had a distinct recollection of the cemetery but not of grave, which had never been marked, and it was only through the excellent memory of Mrs. Hindman, who was present at the funeral, that he was able to find the last resting place of his mother.

It is the intention of Mr. Jones and his brother to have a monument placed at the grave or to have the body removed to some other cemetery.

John Metzgar, of East Hickory, came down last Thursday and had the index finger of his right hand amputated back of the second joint. Dr. Dunn performing the operation. John got mixed up with the "hog" in the Endeavor mill, a bad piece of machinery to get too familiar with.

A. R. Hillard, our popular "Man on the Road," has accepted a position in the Portland tannery and commenced work there last week. This gives him a chance to run up to this city often and visit his many friends here. To show that he still has the old love for Ridgway he took the first opportunity, which presented itself Sunday, to make us a pleasant call.—Ridgway Advocate.

One who claims to possess accurate knowledge on the subject, says: Milk is more nearly a complete food than any other substance, yet the kind of milk required at different ages differs greatly. A child needs "whole" milk, rich and creamy. The earth's salts in it build up his bones and supply energy for his incessant activity. The sale of skim milk is properly forbidden in cities, because children there use it most; but for persons of fifty or over skimmed milk is actually better.

People should take pains to be agreeable, says the philosophical editor of the Punxsutawney Spirit. Ill temper is a habit, and a very unpleasant one. There is a great deal of snarling and sulking in families and between husbands and wives that could be avoided if all would study to please instead of trying to dig up things to grumble and find fault about. It is an old saying that "nobody was ever scolded into virtue." Gentle reproaches are always more effective than "grievous words," which "stir up anger," and the "soft answer, which turneth away wrath," is always an evidence of culture and good common sense.

Mrs. Benjamin Fogle died at the family home at Neilltown, Forest county, Thursday night, Aug. 24, at 11 o'clock, of infirmities incident to age. She was born 28 years ago in Rockland township, Venango county, and had lived the greater portion of her life at Neilltown, where the family is prominent and well known. She is survived by several children, including four sons, B. S. of Neilltown, Jean of Pineville, W. S. of Pleasantville, and Simon of Jamestown, N. Y. Her funeral services were held at the family residence at Neilltown Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Knapp, pastor of the United Brethren church of Pleasantville, officiating.

The ladies of the County W. C. T. U. held their annual picnic on the beautiful island at Nebraska last Thursday, and according to all reports enjoyed a royal outing, though the attendance of members from remote parts of the county was not what those present could have wished for. The viands were abundant, wholesome and very "toothsome," and it goes without saying that the appetites were of a character to appreciate and enjoy the "layout." The pleasant occasion was brought to a close in time to allow all to reach home at a seasonable hour and feeling that they had been well repaid for the effort made in preparing for and attending the picnic.

It is said State Zoologist Surface is preparing to send to each county in the state a collection of snakes found in Pennsylvania, with a chart, showing the food of the various serpents, the ramifications of the snake family and the geographical situation of the various species. The snakes will be used for educational purposes, so that the teachers and pupils may be able to recognize the varieties from their appearance and know whether they are poisonous or not. This is very important, and it is hoped Mr. Surface will rush along his snake exhibit into every county where an anxious populace may study and learn about them. Snakes are such a menace to human life, about one person in forty million dying every year from their venomous bites.

The Pennsylvania railroad has announced that on and after September 1st, on its lines east of Erie in this state, it will place on sale 1000-mile tickets, or mileage books at a flat price of \$20, taking off the \$10 deposit which heretofore practically barred those in ordinary circumstances from using these books. These mileage tickets will be transferable, making them good for transportation in the hands of any one. In addition the company will reduce the rate of regular fares from 3/4 and 3 cents to 2/4 cents a mile, but this reduction will not go into effect until some later period, owing to the time required for readjustment of all through fares. It is said the Reading railroad will follow the example of the Pennsylvania in this particular. Evidently the railroads have sat up and taken notice, knowing that the next legislature would do the business for them.

H. W. Rathbun, who presides over the "Merely Incidental" column of the Oil City Titmouse, and whose pleasing humor each evening seems to lengthen out and scatter sunshine in the homes of the readers of that ever spicy and popular journal, figured as honor guest at a pleasant function that was pulled off on the bosom of the stately Allegheny near Dawson station last Thursday. The party, all told, (or all lied, as the occasion demanded) consisted of seven or eight fishermen,—and John Bush, and a fall fisherman, and was consumed in the pleasurable pursuit of tempting the wary bass to take the frog. Mr. Bush was engaged a part of the time in locating a bee-tree, which he succeeded in doing to a nicety, but he still found time to give some valuable instruction as to how you ought to "bat" your hook, and then sit quiet while waiting for a "strike." In this way the party succeeded in "capturing" as fine a string of bass as ever struck the bait. "Commanders" Rathbun (so called because of his keen discernment of a successfully planned marine maneuver) being the aptest pupil naturally and easily captured first prize. We have been asked to give the line-up of the bunch, which we reluctantly do. There was Scowden, right tackle; Smearbaugh, left tackle; Davis, right guard; Kelly, left guard; Rathbun, half back; Weaver, full back; Wenk, way back; Bush, the main guy; and Agnew, center rush. It was a strong team and won out easily in the determination to have a good time, a great outing and successful haul of fun, fish and frogs.

It is hard on profits but fun to see the Straw Hats go at half price. All new this year. Did you get one? Hopkins' Store.

PERSONAL.

Miss Merle Dunn is visiting relatives in Cooperstown, Pa.

Miss Edna Corsh is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank S. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Kelly spent the Sabbath at Allegheny Springs.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. L. McCrea, of Eagle Rock, July 31st, a daughter.

Born, last evening, to Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Hunter, of the West Side, a son.

Misses Martha and Nannie Morrow, of Tidoute, are guests of Mrs. J. E. Wenk.

Chris. Miller came home from Clarion Saturday to spend a few days with his family.

Archie Davis came down from the Keller farm at Pigeon last Thursday for a visit at home.

John Jamieson came home from Meadville last Saturday and will remain for some time.

Mrs. Isaac McCoy returned home Saturday from an extended visit with her parents at Kintzua.

Miss Kathleen Joyce is home from Buffalo, N. Y., to spend a short vacation with her parents.

Misses Lizzie Randall and Mary Morgan went to Chautauque last Thursday for a week's outing.

Mrs. Sallie Jackson, of Warren, is a visiting her daughters, Mrs. L. J. Hopkins and Mrs. J. F. Proper.

Mrs. W. H. H. Dotterer, of Kellettville, Forest county, is visiting old-time friends in this vicinity.—Emblem News.

Mrs. Bertha Gaston and daughter Miss Dora, of Alliance, Ohio, are guests for a few weeks at the home of J. D. W. Reck.

Misses Earla and Anna Sigworth, of Lineville, Clarion county, are guests of Misses Cornelia and Mary Everett this week.

Mrs. Sterner and two children, of Derry, Westmoreland county, have been guests of Mrs. T. F. Ritchey during the past week.

Mrs. Harvey G. Kiser came up from Wilkensburg, Pa., last Thursday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Randall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Joyce and son, of Franklin, Pa., were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Joyce, over Sunday.

Miss Winifred Edgar, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry O'Hara, returned to her home at Barberton, Ohio, Thursday last.

Mrs. Edward H. Hollingshead, of Bradford, Pa., accompanied by her little daughter, Frances, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. A. Pease.

Mr. and Mrs. George Birtell and two children, and Miss Lizzie Greenslade, of Shippensburg, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morgan.

Lester Holeman came home from Erie Monday evening for a two weeks' rest and recuperation, having been a little "out of sorts" for some time back.

Mrs. H. B. Feit is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Sarah Hilbert, her sister, Mrs. Wm. Bone, and niece, Miss Hazel Bone, all of Bradford, Pa., for a few weeks.

Mr. Hershfield, of the Monarch Clothing Co., Oil City, left Monday for a visit to New York and Atlantic City, where Mrs. Hershfield is spending a few weeks.

Miss Gertrude Merriam Hill, of Tionesta, and Miss Luin Merriam Crouch, of East Hickory, returned last Wednesday from a month's visit with relatives at Amsterdam, N. Y.

E. E. Norton and W. P. Crouch, of East Hickory, and I. J. Kerr and George Wilson, of Tionesta, were among those registered Sunday at the Mansion house.

Titusville Herald.

G. W. Robinson and daughter, Miss Martha A. Robinson, left Tuesday to attend the National G. A. R. Encampment at Minneapolis, Minn. They go by the lake route to Duluth.

Mrs. R. Rudolph has just returned to her home at Newtown Mills from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Pittsburgh. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Miss Emma, of Oil City.

Mrs. J. W. Gardner, Miss Emily Sively, Mrs. Lucy Dimond and Miss Lily Dimond, of Sively, Pa., and Mrs. McIntyre, of Philadelphia, Pa., were guests at J. H. Fones' last Thursday.

Misses Lillian and Patience McCrea, who were visiting friends in Tionesta and vicinity, were called to their home in Orangeville, Ohio, last Thursday evening by the sudden illness of their mother.

Mrs. Christina Osgood, whose illness at the home of her son, Edward, at East Hickory, was noted last week, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Sunday last, but this morning was reported somewhat improved.

George Carson came home Saturday from East Brady, Pa., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carson. For a week previous to his coming he had been seriously ill with something in the nature of poisoning, but he is improving now and able to be about town.

E. A. Yetter, secretary of the Forest Chemical plants at Barnes and Lynch, this county, was a guest of the editor's family over the Sabbath, and on his return home Monday took his little daughter, Madeline, with him, who has been with her aunt for the past three months.

On Friday evening, July 27th, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Coe entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Coe, a bride and groom of recent date. The house was beautifully and tastefully decorated in ferns and nasturtiums, the color scheme for the evening being green and yellow. After a very pleasant evening spent in playing progressive forty-two a delightful luncheon was served, at which covers were laid for thirty-six. The guests left at a late hour, wishing the bride and groom much joy and happiness throughout their married life.—Pleasantville cor. Titusville Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hastings, of Pittsburgh, Pa., were at the Central House last Thursday night on their way for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Brown, at Mayburg, Pa. They came up in their automobile and shortly before their arrival here had rather a disagreeable experience in an accident. In coming up the hill at Pithole their chauffeur changed from the high to the low speed and as he did so the ponderous machine backed into the ditch and upset. They were thrown under the machine, but fortunately, aside from a few minor bruises, were not seriously injured. Some drillers nearby helped to right the machine, which was not much damaged. After a few repairs here Friday morning they went on to their destination.

Base Ball.

FRANKLIN 3, TIONESTA 2. The Tionesta team went to Franklin last Friday for a game with the Manifolds, about the fastest team in this part of the state and who have a record this season of winning 21 out of 28 games. The Evening News, under the caption "Tionesta Was Lively and Came Near Taking the Game from the Manifolds," gives the following good account of the game:

"Right lucky was the Manifold club to win the game against Tionesta last evening, for 'Midge' Bankhead, who, by the way, has been pitching ball for the past 15 years or more, had them chopping at a little drop he was throwing in a way that was wonderful to behold. He is little; but my, how he can pitch, and it was only by the greatest luck in the world did we chase three men around the bases in the second inning and tie up the game then and there, for we made but two hits off him after that. To be sure, their outfield was unusually fast and Foreman especially pulled down a couple that looked like safe ones, and on the last one he threw to second in time to double up a runner who was legging it for home. Jones was sick and Will Hoffman went in the box. He was touched up for eight singles, three of them in the third inning. Quinn again played great ball, notwithstanding the fact that he was spiked on the hand in the first inning in such a manner that it interfered with his playing. He made several sensational catches and on one of them doubled a man at first. The Manifold began scoring in the first and it looked as though they had an easy proposition in Bankhead, but after he got warmed up he settled down and fooled them all. McMahon singled, was sent to second on a dump by Meehan and scored on a double to right by Landvoigt. In the second they made enough runs to win. McLane coaxed a pass out of Bankhead and went to second on an error by Haslet. He took third on a passed ball, but Hoffman was asleep and hung to first. However, he at once stole second, Roche fanned and Brennan singled, scoring McLane and sending Hoffman to third. McMahon hit to third and Hoffman tried to score, but was an easy out. Meehan doubled to right, sending Brennan and McMahon over the bag. Tionesta scored their first in the third. Lawrence and Haslet singled and were advanced a base on Arner's out at first. A single by Hagerty put Lawrence over with a tally. The sixth brought them their other run. Hagerty couldn't see the ball and went to the bench on strikes. Stroup singled and was caught trying to capture Meehan's stronghold. Bankhead singled and Foreman walked. H. Bankhead was safe on Meehan's fumble and wide throw and a single by Weaver sent J. Bankhead home." The score:

Table with columns: MAXFIELD, ARNER, HOPKINS, POPE, E. TIONESTA, ARNER, HOPKINS, POPE, E. Manifold, Tionesta.

Summary.—Earned runs, Manifold 2, Tionesta 1; two-base hits, Meehan, Landvoigt, sacrifice hit, Meehan; stolen bases, W. Hoffman, J. Hoffman, Brennan, Lawrence; struck out, by Hoffman 8, by Bankhead 7 base on balls, off Hoffman 5, off Bankhead 2; double plays, Quinn and Brennan, Foreman and Weaver; hit by pitched ball, McLane; passed ball, Lawrence; left on bases, Manifold 5, Tionesta 12. Umpire—Alexander. Time, 1:25.

A Very Distressing Accident.

One of the most distressing accidents that we have been called upon to chronicle for a long time happened at Grandin station, a short distance below Eagle Rock, on the P. R. R., Saturday morning, resulting in the maiming of Fred Alger, the little son of Mrs. Frank Morse, aged two and a half years. Both hands and one foot were so badly crushed that amputation was necessary. The child is at the Oil City hospital with good prospects for recovery from the cruel shock.

Frank Morse, stepfather of the little cripple, is employed at the Grandin mill and his wife works at the Knight boarding house as cook. The child was as one of the Knight family and the pet of the lumbering community. On Saturday the little fellow started to visit a daughter of Mrs. Knight's and passed around a car that was standing in the yard. The trainmen did not see him and the car was moved, running him down. The accident was reported to the P. R. R. offices at Oil City and instructions were given to take the child without stop to Tionesta on train No. 349, which was doing some shifting. Arriving here Dr. Bovard, one of the surgeons of the company, dressed the injuries and took the little patient to the Oil City hospital on the 11:01 passenger train. At the hospital both of the hands of the boy were amputated at the wrist and the greater portion of the right foot was taken off by Dr. Bovard, assisted by Dr. J. C. Wilkins. The maimed morsel of humanity was very sick on Saturday night, but on Sunday seemed to have recovered from the effects of the shock and gave promise of living. No accident in years, locally, has aroused more sympathy for the victim and family connections.

Fire at Mayburg.

On Thursday night last, at midnight, the quietness of our town was abruptly broken by the cry of fire. The boiler house which furnishes the steam power for the entire lumbering plant was enveloped in flames, which had gained such headway that when discovered it was impossible to force an entrance into the burning building to blow the whistle to give the alarm. But owing to the most excellent facilities for fighting fire which are always kept in first class condition, and the strenuous efforts put forth by the parties operating them, the fire was soon brought under subjection. But it was a very close call, for in a few moments more the entire plant would have been a mass of flames beyond control. The loss is probably five or six hundred dollars.

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