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—Oil market closed at \$1.75.
—You can get it at Hopkins' store. If
—Money may not purchase love and happiness, but it will buy foreign titles.
—Don't forget that our stock of shoes always excels in quality, quantity, variety and price reasonableness. Hopkins.
—The subject of Rev. W. O. Calhoun's sermon at the M. E. church next Sabbath evening will be "A Courageous Christian."

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—Now be honest. How many did you catch and how long would you have to be in jail provided you got the full penalty for the under-sized ones you didn't throw back?

—A bill has just become a law of the State that provides for the removal by the court of township officers who neglect their duties, on complaint of twenty taxpayers.
—Henry Grubbs and family desire to publicly thank the friends and neighbors who were so kind to them in their late bereavement, the death of wife and mother.
—You can secure stock in the Wano Company at 10 cents per share; fully paid and non-assessable. The par value of the shares is \$1.00. Address, THE WANO COMPANY, Warren, Pa.

TOMATO PLANTS—Cabbage, cauliflower, celery, pepper and flower plants furnished in best varieties and any quantity. Mail orders promptly filled. C. A. Anderson, Tionesta, Pa.

—Among the patents issued within the past ten days by Uncle Sam is one to W. W. Siesman, of Oil City, for the invention of an oil well appliance known as a "connecting rod head."

—The hour for services at the Evangelical church, German Hill, has been changed to 7:30 in the evening, for the summer months, commencing Sunday, April 21st. A. F. RICHARDS, PASTOR.

—Isaac McCoy has purchased Harry Canfield's house, on Walnut street, and will take possession in a short time. The latter has moved his family to F. C. Proper's house, opposite the court house.

—It may not be long before you will receive a bill for subscription to the REPUBLICAN and have not paid, or even acknowledged receipt of same, we hope you will no longer treat the matter as a joke, but pay up. The joke may come in later.

—Through the kindness of Senator Penrose the REPUBLICAN office has a quantity of garden seeds for distribution among our gardeners. If you would like a package call early. They will be handed out as long as they last to first callers, free.

—The legislature has passed and the governor has signed an act authorizing the burgess and town council of a borough or incorporated town to annex adjacent territory upon the petition of a majority of the freehold owners resident therein.

—Following is the list of letters lying unclaimed for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for week ending April 17, 1907: Mr. Ed. Moore, Mr. E. Landers, Mr. W. A. Murphy (card), Normie Stahlman, Mae Anderson (card).

D. S. Knox, P. M.

—The New York state senate on Thursday reported favorably a bill to establish a marriage license system in that state similar to the law of Pennsylvania. This will mean the cutting off of a large source of revenue now contributed to James-town parsons by Pennsylvania matrimonial couples.

—The Pennsylvania railroad has ordered that all stations along its lines shall hereafter keep at least one cat about the premises to clean out the rats that destroy baggage and other goods deposited in the ware rooms, but we haven't noticed that the company has advertised for a supply of felines. They'd likely be forthcoming if the bait were dropped.

—It is often desired to separate postage stamps that are stuck together without destroying the gum. This can be done by dipping the stamps in water for a few seconds only, shaking off the excess of water and heating with a match as much as possible without burning. The heat expands the water between the stamps and separates them, so that they can be easily pulled apart and ready for use.

—Guest T. Nelson was killed at Sheffield Friday while engaged in his duties on the Tionesta Valley railroad. He was a brakeman and was engaged in aiding the switching of a caboose into the Sheffield roundhouse. While doing this one foot caught in a frog on the track and held him fast until he was run down by the train and killed. The body was badly mangled. A coroner's jury rendered a verdict of accidental death, exonerating from blame all members of the train crew. Nelson was aged about 25 years and is survived by his wife and two small children.

—The same company which drilled the well near the grist mill, across the river, last fall, are making preparations to put down a well on the Overlander lands on the point of the hill above the mill, where they do not expect to encounter the volume of fresh water which ruined the first well.

—The people of Gilfoyle are rejoicing over the prospects of a chemical plant. The Keeler Bros., of Kane, have purchased the timber tract known as the Miller plot, owned by Wagner & Wilson, and it is said some drilling for gas will be started at once. We trust that this is true. If it helps Gilfoyle it will surely help Marienville some.—Express.

—Almost every man talks in an important way about his mail. He has to go down town Sundays to get his mail; hates to leave town because he misses his mail, and all there is in it is a bill or two and circulars advertising a mining scheme. If he chances to be at home when he opens it, "hush," the mother will tell the children; "don't disturb your father while he is reading his mail."

—County Commissioner L. Agnew, Boro Councilmen Wm. Smearbaugh and J. W. Landers, and Township Supervisor, Wm. S. Clark, went to Warren yesterday to confer with State Highway Commissioner Hunter relative to road matters now in progress in this vicinity and to be inaugurated later on. A public meeting of the road supervisors of Warren county was held in Warren yesterday.

—Owing to a serious defect in the primary election law many voters who have changed their residences since last fall will have no opportunity to vote at the June primary. Those who moved from one district to another cannot vote and no provision is contained in the act for registration in the new district. This sort of wholesale disfranchisement should be remedied at once. The Legislature has no excuses for failing to do so.

—Stephen Emick, one of Harmony township's well known residents, is in danger of losing one of his legs. Some years ago Mr. Emick experienced severe trouble with his limb which left the member stiff at the knee joint. Of late his trouble has recurred and the bone has become diseased, causing him much suffering. His physicians believe his only chance of relief is the amputation of the diseased limb between the knee and hip.

—Don't judge a man by his clothes. God made one and the tailor made the other. Don't judge a man by his failure in life, for many a man fails because he is too honest to succeed. Don't judge a man by the house he lives in, for the lizard and the rat often inhabit the grander structures. When a man dies they who survive him ask what property there is left behind; the angel who bends over the dying man asks what good deeds he has sent before him.

—Fifty-three years ago this morning, or to be exact, April 17, 1854, this section woke up to find itself covered with a mantle of snow 20 to 24 inches in depth. Few people now living have a personal recollection of the strange event, but some there are who remember that huge timbers were hauled upon that snow. It lasted only about one day and the weather quickly turned thereafter to mildness and pleasant days. So says one who was on the spot at that time.

—A death of local news often leads to murmurs on the part of those who prize local gossip above all else, and it is not all the fault of the publisher. Any live publisher will not fail to give all the local news worthy of note, therefore when the local department is short you should not rail at the editor, but remember you might have committed suicide, got married, quarreled with your neighbor, stole chickens, let your team run away, or done a hundred other things to make a local item.

—A bill now before the legislature to require poisons to be placed in three-cornered bottles in one which is modeled after laws in a number of states in the union and is a practice which is followed by some manufacturing firms in this country and in France. It has the advantage of making such bottles distinctive so that persons may be able to recognize the contents by the sense of touch. It will also serve well to teach children to let such bottles severely alone, to say nothing of meeting many other ends.

—As March 25th was a day of sunshine, according to the old proverb, we will have an immense apple crop. With plenty of apples and apple butter to eat and cider to drink the entire winter our health is assured. Being inclined to accept the sunny side of this as well as all other coming events we live in hopes the prophecy will materialize, nevertheless, with the ground frozen hard enough to carry a heavily loaded wagon on the first day of the trout season it takes a heap of faith to keep us steady on the apple crop.

—A Woman's Christian Temperance Union was organized at Kellewille last Thursday evening, by Miss Jeannette Fuller, one of the Ohio state workers. Twenty-one members were enrolled, with a paid-up membership, which was most encouraging for the first meeting. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Ellen Catlin; vice-president, Mrs. Montgomery; recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mabel Henderson; treasurer, Mrs. Lilly Dotterer. The ladies are all much interested in the work of the Union, and rank with their sister Unions of the county in enthusiasm, if not in experience.

—The Tionesta Band of Mercy, organized in Rooms No. 1 and 2 of the public schools by Mrs. L. J. Hopkins, representing the Mercy department of the W. C. T. U., has a membership of fifty-six boys and girls. Their monthly meeting was held last Friday afternoon at 2:30, at which a very interesting programme was given. Recitations were given by Corinne Wyman, Gertrude Rhodes, Irene Morrison, Beulah Ambler, Neta Baumgardner, Fred Zover, Gilbert Kilmier, Willis Geist, Jack Bigony, and Richard Carson. Instrumental music was furnished by Glenna Weaver and Florence Maxwell, of Room No. 4. After the program of the executive committee, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. G. G. Gaston and Mrs. J. E. Wenk.

Whooping Cough.

I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family in cases of whooping cough, and want to tell you that it is the best medicine I have ever used.—W. F. Gaston, Pecos, Ga. This remedy is safe and sure. For sale by Dunn & Fulton.

—A freak gas well on Derrick hill, Irwin, Pa., is attracting throngs of the curious. Twenty years ago Irwin citizens put \$10,000 into a 3,000 foot hole and were ready to go deeper when the drill and attachments were lost in bottom. Three months' fishing failed to recover them and the well was abandoned. Recently the well broke loose. A column of water and dirt shot up 100 feet, and among the debris was part of the lost tools. After the upheaval the gas pressure was found to be strong, and when lighted the flame shoots up 40 feet.

—The question is often asked as to whether Harry Thaw can again be tried for murder in the first degree in view of the constitution of the United States, which says, "Nor shall any person be subject for the same offense to be twice put in jeopardy of life and limb." This applies only in the event of an acquittal. If Harry Thaw had been acquitted of the murder of Stanford White, he could not again be tried; that is, "twice placed in jeopardy of life and limb for the same offense." As long as the jurors continue to disagree District Attorney Jerome may continue to arraign Thaw for first degree murder.

—A base ball organization was formed in Marienville last week, and with the snow yet flying in the air Brother Pickens of the Express is claiming the championship of Forest, as well as several adjoining counties for their team. Here's wishing you all manner of success, neighbor, but these claims sometimes fade into mist at the approach of the fierce rays of the summer sun. With many of the best of our last year's team expecting to be absent from town, baseball matters in Tionesta do not loom up very bright for the coming season, but we're hoping to be represented on the diamond and to meet our neighbors in friendly rivalry.

—The eight members of the Tionesta school board were all ousted by Judge Thomas, of Meadville, Saturday, on proceedings instituted by the citizens of the city recently. The board had been deadlocked on the election of a president for several weeks and no business could be transacted, hence the action to have the whole bunch removed. The Judge named a complete new board. This is the second case on record in the state where such proceedings have been resorted to by the people of any city or the judge of any county in Pennsylvania, the other case being at Bellefonte some years ago. It is evident from this that school boards must do business or vacate.

—The Pennsylvania Live Stock Breeders' Association announces a list of cash prizes for a corn-growing contest, open to any boy or girl whose age will not exceed eighteen years on December 1st, 1907. The contest plot must be rectangular in form and contain 40 square rods, or one-fourth of an acre. Selection of land, seed, fertilizers and manner of cultivation are left to the contestant, but he must report on these and other matters, so that his methods may be useful to others. The prizes in the corn-growing contest range from thirty to five dollars. Full particulars, with suggestions on selection of seed, cultivation, etc., may be had by addressing Prof. J. T. Barron, State College, Pa., or E. S. Bayard, Sec'y, East End, Pittsburg, Pa. Write either of them at once for instructions.

—An exchange tells of a preacher who went to a newspaper man in this way: "You editors do not tell the truth. If you did you could not live; your newspapers would be a failure." The editor replied, "You are right, and the minister who will at all times and under any circumstances tell the whole truth about his members, alive or dead, will not occupy his pulpit more than one Sunday, and then he will find it necessary to leave town in a hurry. The press and the pulp go hand in hand with white-wash brushes and pleasant words, magnifying men and their virtues into big ones. The pulpit, the pen and the grave-stone are the great saint-making triumvirate." And the minister went away looking very thoughtful while the editor returned to his work and told of the unsurpassing beauty of a bride, who was as homely as a mud fence.

Licenses All Granted.

At court yesterday all of the four liquor licenses asked for were granted, there being no remonstrances against either of the applicants. They are as follows: George W. Buhl, Hotel Keystone, Marienville.
J. J. Young, New Marlen Hotel, Marienville.
Charles F. Weaver, Hotel Weaver, Tionesta.
G. E. and M. L. Gerow, Central House, Tionesta.

The Glorious Trout Season.

Editor Bowen, of the Blizzard, who often contracts the "fever" so that the narrow confines of the editorial sanctum can hold him no longer, opens the trout season in this true-to-nature fashion, speaking of the many excursions that will be or have already been made to the mountain streams:

But the true sportsman finds much pleasure in these excursions whether he gets any fish or not. He is sure to get an appetite, and he may possibly get one or two trout of the legal stature. The speckled beauties are all-of-a-sudden in their movements. When one decides that the hook is a good thing to take he goes after it. He doesn't waste any time. There is a flash like a streak of lightning. And then while that flash is flashing it's up to the man with the lifeline to get busy. When a trout is pleased with a bait he wants it quick. A free lunch is better than a hard chase after dinner, and one of the cardinal principles with a trout is that whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing quickly. There exists in the minds of many—both farmers and fishermen—the idea that when a "No Trespass" sign is displayed on land the fisherman is effectually barred from fishing in a stream which passes through this land. Whether the farmer likes it or not, this doesn't happen to be the case. "When I find land posted," said a well informed fisherman, "I generally make the acquaintance of the man who owns it. I talk to him, reason with him and sometimes give him tobacco or a present of a little something I carry on my hip, and generally get permission to fish. But if I find that a man simply won't allow me to fish I do the next best thing. I get down into the stream from a bridge over a public highway and then walk down the stream which is as much public property as is a road. The farmer or land owner can't order me out of the stream. He can keep me off the banks, but the river is as much mine as it is his. Some of them don't know this."

Boro Council Proceedings.

TIONESTA, PA., April 10, 1907.

Council met in pursuance to call of the President. Members present: William Smearbaugh, G. T. Anderson, J. T. Dale, and J. W. Landers. Absent: W. J. Campbell, E. W. Bowman and J. W. Jamieson. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Bond of J. C. Scofield, Treasurer, in the sum of \$5,000, with C. A. Randall and J. A. Adams, sureties, presented and ordered filed.

Moved by Dale, seconded by Landers, that a cash borough tax of five mills be levied. Carried.

Moved by Landers, seconded by Anderson, that a work road tax of three mills be levied. Carried.

The following bills were presented and approved by the Finance Committee: John G. Jamieson, Auditor, \$4.00; Clark Haegerty, Auditor, \$4.00; D. W. Brubaker, Auditor, \$4.00. Moved by Anderson, seconded by Landers, that the Secretary be directed to draw orders for the above bills. Carried.

Moved and seconded that the Council adjourn until the next regular meeting. Carried.

M. A. CAMPBELL, Secretary.

PERSONAL.

—Clifford Foreman went to Kittanning Monday for a visit with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vail, of West Hickory, were Tionesta visitors Monday.

—Congressman Wheeler, of Endeavor, was inquiring with Tionesta friends Saturday.

—Harry Mints, of Marienville, was a visitor in Tionesta Wednesday and Thursday last.

—Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Fenstermaker, of Tionesta township, April 13th, a daughter.

—Our old veteran friend Wm. Albaugh of East Hickory paid us a pleasant visit Friday afternoon.

—Silas Shriver went to Oil City the first of the week, where he will be employed as a decorator.

—Mrs. Albert H. Bates, of New York City, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis, a few days last week.

—Fred Davis and family are moving to Oil City today, where they expect to reside while he is employed on the railroad.

—Miss Florence Fulton came home Friday evening, having finished a very successful term of school at Driftwood, Pa., where she was the primary teacher.

—The REPUBLICAN acknowledges a very pleasant social call from former Lieutenant Governor Stone, of Warren, who was attending to legal matters at court here yesterday.

—Miss Georgia Watson returned to her studies at Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, Monday, having fully recovered from the attack of measles which she suffered two weeks ago.

—J. F. Proper and son Curtis returned from Rochester, Minnesota, last week, the latter having almost completely recovered from the operation performed at the Mayo hospital at that place.

—Miss Jeanette Fuller, of Austinburg, Ohio, was a guest of the Misses Randall Tuesday and Wednesday last week. Miss Fuller is connected with the W. C. T. U. of Pennsylvania as an organizer.

—Sammy Peer and Carl Swanders, two of Tionesta's best base ball players, and who are well known to Tionesta "fans," departed Monday for Clarksburg, W. Va., where they have signed for the season.

—Frank Joyce and Miss Margaret Billman, two of Tionesta's popular young people, were yesterday granted a license to wed by Clerk Geist. The couple went to Tidoute this morning, where they will be united in marriage by the Rev. A. H. Wiersbinski.

—A. B. Kelly attended the meeting of Clarion Presbytery at Big Run, Jefferson county, yesterday, as the delegate from the Tionesta church, whose official call for the services of Rev. H. A. Bailey he formally presented. The call was approved by Presbytery.

A Distinguished Guest.

The Derrick of Monday gives this account of a visit of Representative Wheeler to Oil City over last Sabbath:

Hon. Nelson P. Wheeler, congressman of the twenty-eighth district of Pennsylvania, was the special guest of honor Sunday evening at the second platform meeting of the series being conducted by the men's brotherhood of the Second Presbyterian church. In his introduction of the speaker, the Rev. S. A. Cornelius, pastor, paid a glowing tribute to Mr. Wheeler as a careful business man and thorough Christian; also recalling the remarkable revival of religion which took place in Congressmen Wheeler's home town of Endeavor several years ago and the prominent part taken in its propagation by the latter. The theme of Mr. Wheeler's instructive address was "Palestine." The large congregation, mostly men, followed the speaker's narration of his trip through the Holy Land, accomplished two years ago, with the closest attention. Many Biblical names became invested with new meaning, as the spots intimately connected with Old Testament story and the Saviour's journeys were interestingly depicted. The strange customs of the Oriental were also well described. In closing his address Mr. Wheeler praised the Syrian-American College of Beirut very highly, calling it "the brightest spot in the East." Excellent music was furnished by the church choir and a male quartette, the latter composed of W. H. Mills, Joseph Adams, D. K. James and E. L. Griffith.

Porkey Items.

We are having numerous changes of the weather at this writing.

Mrs. Frank Littlefield has been confined to her room during the past week with what proved to be the old-fashioned measles.

Word was received here of the very serious illness of the youngest child of John Jackson, now of Gusher, but a former resident of this place. We understand the child has kidney trouble.

Mrs. Robert Burdick visited friends at Kellewille a couple of days last week.

Mrs. Chester Downey bade farewell to friends of this place Thursday of last week and expects to depart this week for Calingo, California, where she will join her husband, who is engaged in the oil business at that place.

Mr. Fairweather was a business visitor to Kellewille Saturday.

Mrs. C. Y. Detar, of Kellewille, accompanied by her son and daughter, visited Mrs. H. E. Gillespie one day last week. Mrs. Gillespie forgot her one falling and the consequences were that the train had to be held for a few minutes that evening.

John Stover has moved his family from Sheriff to Minister.

A. L. Weller's mill has been shut down for some time on account of the proprietor of the boarding house having moved out. We understand that Mr. Nelson and family, of Minister, took charge on Monday and everything has resumed operations and is running full blast again.

H. E. Gillespie and wife, O. E. Fairweather and wife, and Miss Hepler attended church service at Mayburg Sunday evening.

Cured of Rheumatism.

Mr. Wm. Henry, of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumatism had disappeared and has not since returned." It troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale by Dunn & Fulton.

RECENT DEATHS.

MRS. CYNTHIA A. GRUBBS.

Cynthia A. (Johnston) Grubbs was born near Callery Junction, Butler county, Pa., October 26, 1843, and died at her home in Tionesta, Pa., April 12, 1907, being aged 63 years, five months and seventeen days at the time of her death. She was a daughter of John and Anna Johnston, early settlers of that part of Butler county. Mrs. Grubbs has not enjoyed good health for some months past, but her serious illness was of but a few days' duration, a stroke of paralysis, which affected her entire right side, causing her death at the time mentioned. She was united in marriage to Henry Grubbs, July 3, 1863, and for almost forty-four years they lived most happily together. She was the mother of eleven children, nine of whom with the father survive here and are left to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother, as follows: Anna Jeannette Moon, of Tionesta; Flora E. Lease, of Kellewille; Clarence J., of Butler, Pa.; John W., of Nebraska; Carrie E. Grubbs, of Marienville; Leroy E., of Muzette; Rachel J. Jones, of Newtow; Orta Allen Grubbs, of Nebraska, and Henry E., at home, all of whom were present at the funeral with the exception of one son, Orta Allen Grubbs, who is at present a patient in the hospital at Mercer, Pa. She is also survived by three brothers, Joseph, of Mars, Butler county, Pa., and James and S. C. Johnston, of Tionesta. She was a consistent member of the M. E. church, and at 2 p. m. Tuesday, Rev. W. O. Calhoun conducted funeral services in the church here, after which the body was laid to rest in Riverside cemetery.

WILLIS H. KERR.

Willis H. Kerr, whose death at his home in Tylersburg, Pa., on Wednesday morning last, April 10, 1907, was briefly mentioned in the REPUBLICAN, was born in Farmington township, Clarion county, July 28, 1849, his parents being George and Mary Kerr. Although not in good health for some months past, his last illness was of brief duration, he having been confined to his bed a little more than a week, and the immediate cause of death was uraemic poison. With the exception of about three years spent in the west, Clarion county had been his home from childhood. He learned the trade of stonemason, which he followed most of his life. A man of pleasing manner and quiet disposition Mr. Kerr was popular with all who knew him. He was twice elected a member of the board of county commissioners of his county, as a Republican, and had held about all the offices of trust in his township, filling each duty faithfully and efficiently. From youth he had been a faithful member of the Presbyterian church. About 27 years ago he was united in marriage with Miss Martha Young, daughter of our former citizen, Peter Young, of Green township. She survives him, as does also one daughter, Mrs. Alma Hoffman, of Tylersburg. Four sisters also survive: Mrs. Henry Downing, Seattle, Wash.; Miss Agnes Kerr, Petrolia, Butler county; Mrs. Martha Rathfon, Lickingsville, and Mrs. Robert Wray, North Hope, Butler county. This death has cast a gloom over the entire neighborhood of Mr. Kerr's home, where he was very highly esteemed by his fellow citizens, and doubtless few could be taken who would be as much missed.

The funeral services, conducted by Rev. J. F. Scherer, of Endeavor, were held Friday at 10 o'clock, the interment being in the cemetery at Tylersburg, in charge of Yokohama Lodge, No. 852, I. O. O. F., of which deceased was a member.

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Carpets, Oil Cloths, Rugs and Wall Paper.

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All widths, 1 yard, 1 1/2 yards, 2 yards and 2 yards wide

Ingrain Rugs.

Lowell's best All Wool Rugs, 9x12.
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Tionesta, Pa.

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