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LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Joe Levi, Ad. Lammers, Ad. Hopkins, Local. Wm. H. James, Ad. Robinson & Son, Ad. The McCune Co., Ad. Rackett Store, Local. J. G. Bromley, Local. Oil City Trust Co., Ad. Franklin Trust Co., Ad. Smart & Silberberg, Ad. Pineale Medicine Co., Ad. F. W. Devoe & Co., Letter. Monarch Clothing Co., Ad. Forest County National Bank, Statement.

Oil market closed at \$1.78.

You can get it at Hopkins' store, if

Pineapples for canning, at the Rackett Store, next week.

Oil and gas leases, best form, for sale at this office.

Fruit Bon Bous only 10 cents a pound, at the Rackett Store.

FOR SALE.—Timber off a small tract, 1/2 mile from railroad. Inquire this office.

Nobby shoes and oxfords, black or tan, found here in great variety. Hopkins.

Supt. Morrison has decided to hold the next teachers' institute at Marienville, beginning October 5th.

Don't lose sight of the fact that the M. Wile Co. clothing leads all other brands, and that we are sole dealers in Tionesta, Hopkins.

The subject of Rev. W. O. Calhoun's sermon at the M. E. church next Sabbath evening at 7:45 o'clock, will be "Heirs of all the Ages."

There will be a meeting of the Tionesta High School Alumni at Miss Alice Agnew's, on Friday evening, May 29th, at 7:30 o'clock.

Fred A. Shaw of Tidouote was named by the recent Democratic State convention as the party's choice for Presidential Elector from this district.

Eggs from Partridge Wyandottes that won special, first and second prizes at Warren Poultry Show. \$3.00 per setting. J. G. Richards, Mayburg, Forest Co., Pa.

Handsome washable dress goods in endless variety at the Hopkins store. The lady who cannot get just what she wants in pretty dress material here is surely hard to please.

An old chair can be refinished and made to match other furniture by applying one coat of Campbell's Varnish Stain. Anyone can use it and do good work. Bovard's Pharmacy sells it.

Asa Barnes, who was so badly injured by falling off a board pile at Kellettville some weeks ago, is now suffering with a serious attack of appendicitis. His physicians hope to bring him through without an operation.

BUGGY SALE.—Friday and Saturday, May 29th and 30th, I will sell buggies at 10 per cent. discount from the regular price. These two days only. I have a car load. Come early and get your choice. J. G. Bromley, Tionesta, Pa.

Following is the list of letters lying uncalled for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for week ending May 27, 1908: Mrs. Merritte St. John, M. C. B. Anderson, Jan Hakowicz.

D. S. KNOX, P. M.

Memorial Day next Saturday. The full program as published in the REPUBLICAN last week will be fully carried out, and it is expected there will be a large attendance from out of town. Decorate your homes and places of business in honor of the dead heroes.

Owing to the fact that the teachers' institute will be held this year in Marienville and a desire has been expressed by a number of the citizens to have a concert course in Tionesta the coming fall and winter, all who are interested are invited to meet in the Council room on Friday evening at eight o'clock, to make arrangements for such a course as will be satisfactory to all concerned.

COMPLETELY VINDICATED.

Tionesta Citizens Exonerated From Wrong Doing in Bank Cases.

The case of Joseph W. Landers and William G. Wyman, citizens of Tionesta, charged with inciting, aiding and abetting Ernest W. Bowman, former assistant cashier of the Citizens National Bank in misappropriating the funds of that institution, was tried before Judge Young in the U. S. District court at Pittsburg last week, and elicited great interest in this community owing to the prominence and high standing of the gentlemen accused, and their prompt acquittal by the jury of all the charges, while not unexpected or surprising, was very gratifying to their large circle of friends, neighbors and acquaintances throughout this section of country.

E. W. Bowman pleaded guilty to the charge, and was the principal witness against Messrs. Landers and Wyman, and the prosecution, through assistant U. S. District Attorney Gibson, sought to corroborate Bowman's testimony by offering much documentary evidence in the form of deposit slips, checks and adding machine slips, and the indictment contained originally thirteen counts seven of which were eliminated before the trial had proceeded very far, leaving but six to be contested. These were effectually and promptly disproved by the defendants, Mr. Landers and Mr. Wyman, whose clean-cut evidence and straightforward explanation of every transaction was conclusive and convincing that no guilt whatever attached to them in their dealings with the bank. The jury evidently took this view of the case for their deliberations lasted only a short time.

The defense was very ably conducted by attorneys Ritzey & Carringer of Tionesta, Mr. Fish of Erie, and Hon. W. E. Rice of Warren, who closed the case in a masterful plea, upon which he was warmly congratulated on all sides, as was also Mr. Carringer who opened the case for the defense. A large array of the representative citizens of Tionesta and vicinity were present at the trial and testified unhesitatingly to the unimpeachable character for truth and integrity of Messrs. Landers and Wyman, a fact which impressed those in attendance at the trial very favorably.

Sentence has not yet been passed upon E. W. Bowman on the indictment to which he pleaded guilty.

The Pennsylvania Department of Health is undertaking a great work in attempting to limit the spread of consumption. This disease is very often curable but what is more important, is preventable. Being caused by a specific micro-organism, this infective agent must be destroyed if the disease is to be stamped out. The sufferer must understand that to recover, the sputum must be destroyed. If not destroyed they often reinfect themselves and infect others. Every particle of sputum must be collected and destroyed, most preferably by burning. The use of a spit cup is necessary. The use of rags or handkerchiefs must be condemned, paper napkins and socks being recommended when traveling. These are burned at convenient time. The above being true it is almost needless to mention that clothing, towels, handkerchiefs or other personal effects of the consumptive should not be used in common by others. The state now maintains a free tuberculosis dispensary in every county for those unable to pay for the proper treatment.

The Punsxutawney Spirit gives a correct diagnosis of the case when it says that the "ever glorious Fourth" which is celebrated in a rational way, the nation's birthday might be looked forward to with pleasure. But the mere bringing together of a mob on a hot day, to swelter on the dusty streets, to drink lemonade and eat peanuts, with a thousand fiendish kids torturing their ears drums and menacing your life with fire-crackers, is not particularly entrancing. To stand on the sidewalk and watch a parade with a brass band at the head and a file and drum corps bringing up the rear, and then traipse along to some temporary platform and stand around on your weary legs while somebody spouts commonplaces about the Constitution and the old flag, is not an ideal way of enjoying yourself. It is better to get up small parties and go to the woods for a little outing and picnic. Seek a spot where a cool spring gushes forth from the rocks, and the green boughs overhang a mossy log, and spend a day of rest and peace.

Frank McNeal, of Kane, President of the Forest Chemical Co., and the McNeal Gas Co., was very severely burned by an explosion of gasoline while on a business trip to Lawrenceville, Ill., on the 18th inst. His injuries, while severe, proved less serious than was at first thought, and he was able to return to his home on Saturday, but it will be some time before he is able to attend to business. When the accident happened he was out on a lease with a party, and an attempt was made to start a gas engine. The man starting the engine had a can of gasoline he was using for some purpose, and the gasoline caught fire. The man threw the can out of the door just as Mr. McNeal was entering, and the burning fluid set his clothes on fire and he was badly burned before those who were with him could tear off the burning clothes. The worst burns are on his left hand and arm. Mr. McNeal has a host of friends in Forest county, all of whom will be glad to learn that his recovery is assured.

The Ladies' World for June is the most attractive number of this periodical that we have yet seen, and there is small wonder at its popularity when so much that is good is offered for so little. There are three notable special articles in the number, one of them describing the Bryn Mawr family life at Fairview, and another the growing-up of Ethel Roosevelt, the young lady of the White House, while the third has some remarkable pictures showing the ways of a bird with its young. The fiction is usually good. The household departments of this publication seem to us more practical than those in any of the women's magazines, and no doubt they are thoroughly appreciated by the house-workers, who will also see a number of very pretty fashions for all members of the family, with good plain instructions in dressmaking. The make-up and illustrations throughout this number are excellent.—(New York: Fifty Cents a Year.)

Bees Laxative Cough Syrup for young and old is prompt relief for coughs, croup, hoarseness, whooping cough. Gently laxative. Guaranteed. Sold by J. R. Morgan.

PERSONAL.

—Ray Birtell was an Oil City visitor over Sunday.

—Miss Maude Canfield was home from the Clarion Normal over Sunday.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Silas J. Shriver of Tionesta, May 23d, a son.

—Rev. S. F. Marks of Tidouote was a guest of Rev. H. A. Bailey, Monday.

—Miss Gladys Joy of Kinzua is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Isaac McCoy.

—Miss Doris Kincaid of Oil City is visiting at the home of J. W. Jamieson.

—Charles Alexander of Cooperstown, Pa., is visiting at the home of his uncle, Dr. J. C. Dunn.

—Mrs. Sherrill Smith returned Saturday evening from a visit with her parents in Cuba, N. Y.

—Miss Catherine Corl of Tidouote was a guest of Mrs. A. A. Pease a few days the first of the week.

—N. E. Holmes, of Meadville, was shaking hands with Tionesta friends Thursday of last week.

—Miss E. M. Ellison of Colville, Washington, visited at the home of J. G. Bromley the first of the week.

—Mrs. George Siggins is spending a week or two with Mr. Siggins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Siggins, in Tidouote.

—Ula Miles spent a day or two of last week in town. He expects to be located at New Castle during the coming summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson came down from Kellettville in their auto and spent Monday and Tuesday with his parents.

—Chris Miller of the Central Hotel, J. R. Ault and W. G. Rodgers, all of Tylerburg, were visitors in town the first of the week.

—Mrs. W. P. Dechant and sons returned Sunday from their visit in Clarion, Mr. Dechant going over to bring their home.

—Mrs. J. H. Derickson entertained her sisters, Mrs. Neill of Bradford, and Mrs. Wallace of East Brady, several days of the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vogellacher of Lucinda, Miss Anna Stuber and Frank Stubler of Oil City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Weaver.

—Sam, Farmer and family of Tidouote are visiting relatives here. Sam is taking an enforced lay-off an account of a very sore hand, which he cut on a broken window glass.

—Mrs. George Klinefelter and daughter, Mrs. S. H. Secor and young son, Sanford K., of Nebraska, were guests of Mrs. J. E. Wenk and other Tionesta friends a few hours yesterday.

—Will D. Hunter arrived home from New York City Monday for an indefinite stay with his parents, having almost completely recovered from a severe attack of illness while in that city last winter.

—Hart and John Lawrence left Monday for Perry, N. Y., to begin the work of arranging their new stock of goods this week. Many friends here will wish the boys abundant success in their new home.

—Miss June Herman, a teacher in our public schools during the year, will leave Friday to visit relatives in Brookville before returning to her home in Tionesta for the summer vacation.—Clarion Democrat.

—W. J. Campbell and J. D. W. Reek, accompanied by their wives, left for Erie Monday where they will enjoy the festivities of the Knights Templar convalescence. The city has made provision for entertaining 5,000 visitors this week.

—Miss Ida Paup has been re-elected as a teacher in the Brookville schools. This will be Miss Paup's third year at that place and her unanimous re-election by the board of directors, is an evidence of her satisfactory work in the schools, which are classed among the best in the country.

—Gus B. Evans, private secretary to Congressman Wheeler, accompanied by Mrs. Evans, reached home at Edeavour Friday from their winter's sojourn at the National capital. They were joined on Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Shoemaker, and I. M. Fox in a trip to Erie, to be present at the annual Knights Templar convalescence this week.

—Mrs. Paul D. Schillinger, who has been visiting friends here, left Tuesday for her new home in Baltimore, Md., where her husband was called to the pastorate of a Lutheran church, and has already taken up the work. Mrs. Schillinger was accompanied as far as Pittsburg by her sister, Mrs. M. E. Abbott of East Hickory, who will spend a couple of weeks in that city visiting friends.

—Rev. C. A. Rheil, former pastor of Mt. Zion Lutheran church, German Hill, will preach in that church on next Sabbath morning at the usual hour for holding services. Friends of Rev. and Mrs. Rheil will be pained to learn that they lost their bright little 4-year-old daughter by death at their home near Columbus, Ohio, on the 18th inst. This burial took place at Canton, Ohio, near the home of Mr. Rheil's parents.

—Charles Weingard and two of his daughters aged respectively 10 and 12 years, are ill with typhoid fever at their home on Cropp hill. The latter are getting along well, but Mr. Weingard is reported to be in a serious condition. It will be recalled that Chas. Brown, a brother of Mrs. Weingard, came to their home from Pittsburg several weeks ago and had a run of the fever, and it is believed these latter cases are the result of infection from his sickness.

Foot Badly Injured.

Alva, the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Grubbs, residing at Kellettville, a short distance above Nebraska, Green township, had his left foot badly injured in an accident near his home Tuesday forenoon. In company with a number of other boys he was playing about the old shingle mill, which is now standing idle, and they were running the large steam engine by hand. Alva was standing on the engine when his foot slipped and was caught between the crank and bed-plate, with the result that the heel was torn loose from the foot, the bones of the heel being also badly crushed. Dr. Dunn was summoned and after going up and dressing the wound had the patient brought here and taken to the Oil City hospital, where he can receive the care his serious injuries will require. It was thought the heel could be saved.

The Local Oil Field.

Activity is quite marked in the new oil development at West Hickory, and first thing we know that community will have a record. E. Pequinot, on the W. P. Siggins farm, shot his No. 2 well Monday and it promises to make a good well, as good in fact as his first one, which has good staying qualities.

The South Penn's first well on the Carter Farm, near West Hickory creek is good for five barrels. The company is drilling on the second well.

Carson & Morrow on the A. J. Siggins farm expect to complete their No. 6 well today, and are looking for a producer at least as good as any they have yet opened.

Orion Siggins, who owns upward of a hundred acres right in the midst of these developments, will begin operations in a few days, having given a contract for drilling several wells to Benj. Fogie, and the machinery is being placed on the ground.

Chas. Giesen & Co., on the Morrow and Vail tract, out on Poverty Hill, back of old Fagundus, have finished a well which looks good if they can exhaust the salt water, there being about 400 feet in the hole at present. They expected to shoot the well yesterday.

The Killmer Oil Co. finished another average producer on the Ostein farm, also in Harmony twp., during the week, and gave it an 80 quart shot.

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Our Honored Dead.

Next Saturday, in accordance with the beautiful ceremonies of the Grand Army of the Republic, the graves of the patriotic dead who sleep in the cemetery at this place and those in the vicinity will be strewn with flowers by their comrades of Capt. George Stow Post. Only one new mound has been made during the past year in the cemetery enumerated below, that of Comrade John Harkness Wentworth, in Riverside Cemetery. Following is the list, which is thought to be complete: RIVERSIDE CEMETERY.

Lieut. John Range, Revolutionary War. Capt. Geo. Stow, Co. 83d Reg't, Pa. Vol. Sergt. O. W. Stadine, 116th N. Y. Vol. Major W. Mulkins.

Peter O. Conner, Co. L, 4th Pa. Cav. Philip Walter, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. James Thompson, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. Daniel McClintock, Co. F, 74th N. Y. Vol.

Jacob Zents, Co. F, 67th Pa. Vol. Nicholas Thompson, Co. A, 121st Pa. Vol. Albert Kinney, Co. F, 58th Pa. Vol. Andrew McCray, Co. I, 142d Pa. Vol. Nelson S. Foreman, 103d Pa. Vol. Daniel Andrews, Co. I, 154th N. Y. Vol. Jos. A. Keneston, Co. I, 78th Pa. Vol. John W. Tyrrel, Co. E, 121st Pa. Vol. Joshua B. Agnew, Co. E, 10th Pa. Res. Alfred B. Hill, Co. B, 20th Wis. Vol. Uriah S. Zahniser, Co. I, 11th Pa. Vol. William Stroup, Co. A, 11th Pa. Vol. J. C. VanCamp, Co. D, 83d Pa. Vol. Henry Rhodes, Co. I, 103th Pa. Vol. R. J. Butler, Co. E, 57th Pa. Vol. John W. Morrow, 4th Pa. Artillery. Harold May Sharpe, Co. K, 1st Ill. Vol. Inf., Spanish-American War.

Sylvester Setley, Co. F, 38th Pa. Vol. James Woodington, Co. C, 27th Pa. Vol. Capt. Wm. Clark, Co. C, 48th Pa. Vol. John C. Hoover, Co. A, 139th Pa. Vol. Geo. W. Howard, Co. 137th Pa. Vol. J. H. Wentworth, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol.

MT. ZION LUTHERAN CEMETERY. Frederick Glassner, Co. B, 83d Pa. Vol. Aug. H. Weingard, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. Henry Ehlers, Co. D, 61st Pa. Vol. ZENDEL EVANGELICAL CEMETERY. John Root, War of 1812.

Peter Sibbie, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. Robert Osgood, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. William Ikenburg, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. J. G. Root, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. John Rhoades, Co. D, 83d Pa. Vol. James D. Conger, Co. 31st Ohio Vol.

MT. ZION EVANGELICAL CEMETERY. David Zuck, Co. B, 142d Pa. Vol. Joseph Mong, Co. G, 155th Pa. Vol. James Huddleston, Co. G, 83d Pa. Vol. NEWMANVILLE CEMETERY. Peter C. Blocher, Co. E, 78th N. Y. Vol. Orlando Bingham, 49th Pa. Vol.

Washington Society Event.

The Washington, D. C., society correspondent of the Pittsburg Sunday Dispatch gives this bit of news of local interest: Scheduled for next Wednesday is the marriage of Miss Laura Sherman and Mr. Prentiss Gray of California. Miss Sherman, who is a charmingly attractive girl with a willowy figure and bright intelligent face, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Sherman. She is a grand niece of "Old Tecumseh," the famous general of Civil War days, and of John Sherman, for many years United States Senator from Ohio, and her Pittsburg relatives will hear of her wedding with much interest. Historic old St. John's Church, which goes by the generic title the "President's Church," will be the scene of the ceremony which is to take place at four o'clock in the afternoon. Everything is to be in green and white, and the afternoon hour admits of some pretty attendant features. Miss Sherman's wedding gown is a fascinating thing made in summery fashion of embroidered batiste. Her big white hat will be massed in white blossoms and her bouquet will be formed of bride's roses. Miss Rachel Wheeler, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Wheeler, who will be the bride's only attendant, will wear a white lingerie frock, the soft blouse and sweeping skirt joined by an empire giraffe of apple green satin. Miss Wheeler's great big hat of white Neapolitan with its clusters of white lilacs is a most beguiling piece of millinery, while her bouquet of lilacs and white roses is just the proper thing to carry, to finish the graceful costume.

Mrs. Wheeler and her daughter will leave Washington at the end of the month, going over to Princeton for N. P. Wheeler's graduation festivities. From Princeton they will go to New Haven for a visit with the two Yale men of the family, later going to their place at Edeavour, Pa., where they will spend the greater part of the summer.

—Get them at the Rackett Store, Tidbits, only 19 cents the glass. It



Columbia Graphophones.

Just received—4 new phones. One cylinder phone with large horn, \$15. One cylinder phone with large horn, \$25. One disc phone, (offer for 2 weeks) at \$15. One disc phone, \$25. Come in and hear the new records. Soft tone and regular needles for disc phones.

Bovard's Pharmacy.

The School Question

Can be summed up in this way: The very best thing to buy for a

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CARPETS,

What kind of a Shoe you want, we have it. Heavy high cut, medium high or low, dress shoes, vici, velour or patent leather. You can't miss getting what you want in our Shoe Department.

Rugs and Linoleums. 9x12 Tapestry Rugs, \$16. 9x12 Axminster Rugs, \$24. Art Squares, Japanese Matting. If you are looking for a Carpet or Rug, come and see our line.

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Hello, There!

Stop patching that roof. Take off the shingles and put on Slate without any extra changing, and nearly as cheap as a shingle roof.

We Have a Number of Composition Roofing Materials,

That can be laid over a shingle roof and will give good satisfaction. Come and see our stock. We have the oldest line on the market.

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Cement, Wood Pulp Plaster, Sewer Pipe, Harrows, Plows, Cultivators, two Horse Corn Planter and Worker, Team and Buggy Harness, Collars and Straps, call on us.

Oil Well Supplies and Gas Fittings. Nice assortment of Chandeliers and Mantles. Agent for Conklin Wagons.

Call on us for anything in hardware.

Tionesta Hardware.

You Cannot

Be too particular about your clothes to suit us. We will promise to fit you perfectly with any kind of suit you desire—a brown, a blue, a gray, a black, a mixture, a stripes, a check or what not. We'll see that the collar bugs the neck, that the coat drapes handsomely in front and back, that the sleeves hang easily and gracefully, and so on.

And we won't keep you waiting two weeks as a custom tailor does. There's really no more reason why you should wait for a suit of clothes nowadays than for a meal. Wholesale tailors, such as L. Adler Bros. & Co., know so much about clothes and men that it is no trick at all to fit men of all proportions and sizes. Apply this to yourself—then come and see our new goods.

Men's and Young Men's Suits, \$12, \$15, \$18, \$20 to \$25.

Manhattan Shirts.

One trial of the world-renowned Manhattan Shirts will give you more personal knowledge of shirt goodness than all the advertising in the world. \$1.50 to \$3.50.

Children's Wash Suits.

They will stand the severest "tubbing" and are made up in the choicest fabrics; Russian, sailor and other desirable models. \$1 to \$3.50.

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