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Oil market closed at \$2.50.

Is your subscription paid?

You can get it at Hopkins' store.

A few inverted Gas Burners at 25 cents, at Sigworth's.

Just received, a new supply of Horse Collars, at S. S. Sigworth's.

We have in a car of fine Elwood Seed Oats, guaranteed pure. Price, 60 cents per bushel.—Lanson Bros.

With this sort of weather keeping up a little longer, we may expect soon to have new maple syrup in our midst.

The REPUBLICAN can furnish you with the very latest in engraved calling cards or anything else in that line, at reasonable prices.—T.

Don't fail to see "Kathlyn" No. 1, The Unwelcome Throne. 3—Big Reels —3. At the Pastime Theater, March 25. 2 to 5 p. m., 7 to 11 p. m. Admission, 50 and 10c.

Break off a cherry branch or two and put it in water and care for it in the house and you will get some blossoms ahead of the out-of-door blooms, suggests an exchange.

Dr. M. W. Easton, Osteopath, of Oil City, will visit Tionesta every Wednesday forenoon, at the Central Hotel, where he may be consulted by all who need his services.

Oleomargarine always fresh, always the same price and making new friends each day, at 20c per pound in nine pound tins, at the Salmon Creek Mercantile Co., Kelleitville, Pa.

You don't need to worry about high cost of living when you can get good Flour at Lanson Bros. for \$5.00 per bbl. Every sack guaranteed, or money refunded.—LANSON BROS.

FOR SALE.—All kinds of garden and flowering plant seeds. Also lawn grass seed. The demand for vegetable plants will be supplied as usual. At C. A. Anderson Greenhouse Co. Store. advt

Among those of our veteran citizens who have recently been granted an increase of pension, is James R. Cousins of Redelyfe, this county, whose allowance has been raised to \$19 per month.

Big, husky, lively chicks! Yours will be if you use Pratts Baby Chick Food and Pratts White Diarrhoea Remedy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. For sale by first class dealers everywhere. advt

There will be a pie social at the German Hill school house, Friday, March 20, 1914. The ladies will confer a favor by bringing pies. The boys come and bring their girls. Everybody come! Everybody welcome!

Having bought the Zahniser blacksmith shop in Tionesta I will be prepared to do horsehoeing and general repair work after April 1st. All work guaranteed. Give me a trial. M. J. TUCKER.

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Crows, robins and blue birds, pleasant harbingers of spring, have arrived from the southland, and have made the past few mornings delightful with their caws, chirps and songs, notwithstanding the hills are still covered with a heavy mantle of snow.

Axel Aronson, section foreman of the P. R. R., was laid up a few days last week by a fall as he was leaving the moving picture show Tuesday evening. He cracked a bone of the right leg just above the ankle, but is able to attend to his work again this week.

Otis, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Copeland, residing on the Azro Copeland homestead, Harmony township, broke his shin bone last Wednesday by falling out of the haymow of the barn where he was playing. Dr. Henry attended the lad, who is now getting along all right.

The Men's Bible Class of the West Hickory M. E. Sunday School will serve a Dutch and Hamburg Steak supper in the basement of the church Friday evening, March 27. This supper will be entirely in the hands of the men, even to the cooking. A good meal and good time guaranteed to all.

The country is going "wet" or "dry" just as you happen to look at it. In Lawrence county Judge Porter last week refused every license asked for, making the fourth consecutive year for a "dry" county. Monday the Warren county court granted all licenses asked for, 37 in all. Remonstrances were filed against but one of the hotels. In Venango county there is a tremendous fight on this week at license court and all kinds of opinions are expressed as to the outcome.

The principal mineral productions for 1912 reported to the Pennsylvania Topographic and Geologic Survey from Forest County were petroleum and natural gas. Of the former there was a production of 184,169 barrels, with a value of \$302,480. Natural gas was produced to an estimated value of \$227,000.

Patrick C. Boyle of Oil City, member of the state board of public charities, and chairman of the state dependents commission, missed his first meeting with the state board in many months today. Last week while in Philadelphia he fell and broke his collar bone. He is in the Medico Chl hospital in Philadelphia.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

C-L-A-R-I-O-N stands for character, learning, adaptability, responsibility, industry, obedience and nobility. These are also some of the specific things in which or for which the Clarion State Normal School aims to fit all who enter it. Spring Term begins Tuesday, March 24th. Enrollment takes place at the principal, Andrew Thomas Smith, Clarion, Pa. adv

Ruby, the five year old daughter of Adam Wagner, of Wolf's Corners, had several teeth knocked loose and her face considerably lacerated by being hit with a chunk of ice which her older brother threw at the cattle while trying to drive them into a stable one evening last week. Though suffering considerable pain and annoyance the child's injuries are not serious.

Mrs. S. J. Grove and family wish to express their gratitude to the many kind friends and neighbors who so ably assisted them in their bereavement. The out-of-town friends who attended Mr. Grove's funeral were E. W. York, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Redfield, and Paul Lytle, of Oil City; Mrs. S. R. Edgerton, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson, Pleasantville, Pa.; J. G. Dawson, Tidouite, Pa.

Prof. Wm. M. Denison, State High School Inspector, accompanied by County Supt. J. Orr Carson, is making an inspection of the seven high schools of Forest county, this week. The school code of Pennsylvania requires annual inspection of the high schools of the State. We have a notion that Mr. Denison will find those of Forest county full up to if not a shade above the average in point of efficient school work.

The eclipse of the moon on Wednesday night last was almost total, more than nine-tenths of its face being covered by the earth's shadow. The show was visible in both North and South America, western Europe and western Africa, but in no part could it have been better than in this section, for the night was cloudless and beautiful. The eclipse began at 9:41, the middle of it was at 11:12, and by 1:00 a. m. the show was all over.

The greatest stock of vegetables, fruits, fish and seasonal eatables ever brought to Forest county will be on sale at the Cohen store this week. New cucumbers, the finest ever shown here, new tomatoes, onions, celery, cabbage, carrots, parsnips, etc., in abundance; apples and oranges, and a wonderful variety of fresh and cured fish; more of those fine halibut steaks, and something new in the smoked sausage line. If you want something extra nice for a meal, you can't go amiss if you call on C. hen, and all at the lowest possible price.—adv

About three weeks ago, while Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kanan of German Hill were returning from a visit to friends in Clarion county, having their children with them, the eldest child, a boy of about four years, had one of his thumbs frosted, but the trouble was not discovered until the family had reached home when the usual remedies were applied but failed to bring relief, and not long afterwards the mother took the child to Pittsburgh to be treated. There it was found necessary to amputate the thumb at the second joint in order to effect a cure. The mother and child have returned and the lad is now getting along nicely.

The groundhog's six weeks of weather regulation ended with Monday of this week, and it cannot be gained that his hogship was right there with the goods every minute, and a more persistent, crisp and clean cut article of winter weather could scarcely be desired than we have had in these parts during the past month and a half. Just how much the wood chuck had to do with it we don't pretend to know, but it would be hard to make people believe that he wasn't the whole weatherworks. The last real cold snap came last Wednesday night, when, on Thursday morning, it was found that mercury had dropped down to 8 degrees below the 0. Let us hope it was the last kick of a snug, old-fashioned winter. At any rate we'll talk'er as the come and continue to smile.

The second breakup of the river ice for the winter occurred some time before day light yesterday morning, but so quietly and unostentatiously did it move out at this point as to waken no one, so that few if any witnessed the show, but many were surprised on rising from their night's slumbers to find the great body of ice had moved out leaving the river comparatively clear. Indications Monday evening were that two or three more days of soft weather would be required to take the heavy body of ice out. But that's the way it usually turns out—when the ice looks the most dangerous it is the least dangerous, and when it looks the least dangerous it is the most dangerous, some times. The ice in Tionesta creek is still holding on and shows no signs of breaking up this morning.

From the Towanda, Bradford county, Daily Review of the 12th inst., we get the following additional particulars of the death of Miss Maud Seebick, brief mention of which we made last week: "Funeral services for the late Maud Seebick of Rochester, N. Y., were held at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Seebick, at East Towanda, Sunday afternoon, March 8, and was largely attended. Rev. John S. Wolf of the Presbyterian church, officiated. Miss Seebick, who was aged 18 years and 5 months, was very well known and was liked by all with whom she came in contact. She had been ill for about eight weeks, and bore her suffering with great patience, having undergone two operations and finally pneumonia developed, death coming to relieve her suffering. She is survived by her parents and three brothers and two sisters: Mrs. August Eichel of Barberton, O., Mrs. Fred Starks of Rochester, N. Y., George Klump of Iowa, Guy Klump of Griffith, Ind., and Chauncey Seebick at home." adv

The many friends of Miss Blanche Pease will be pleased to learn that in a number test given recently in the public schools of Akron, Ohio, her pupils received the highest average, 98 per cent, in the second grade in the city. When you stop to consider that there are 60 teachers and approximately 2,500 children in the second grade in the city, this is a record of which Miss Pease may justly be proud.

"Captain" J. A. Lawrence, who is having the time of his life down among the Florida alligators and sand fleas, mails a card to a Tionesta friend with the evident intention of "rubbing it in" on the friend. The card features a party of sports exhibiting a "before breakfast" catch of three fish of the tarpon species, the combined weight of which is 147 pounds. The picture looks mighty tempting to a northerner, but the recipient thinks both weight and size are greatly exaggerated, besides the fish have the appearance of being kept in cold storage and used for pulling in gullible tourists who like to send pictures home to excite the envy of friends.

A very unusual excursion was run from this county last Thursday night over the Pennsylvania Railroad, when about 450 persons journeyed to Oil City to attend the Biederwolf starting meetings in the tabernacle. Starting at 6:40 at West Hickory the train brought 193 persons from Edeavor, East Hickory and West Hickory. About 230 persons, young and old, joined the party at Tionesta and the train arrived in Oil City at 6:45. The party marched to the tabernacle and were seated at 7 o'clock in a section of seats specially reserved for them. After an inspiring song service of nearly an hour, in which they were specially invited to join by choir director McKewan and also complimented for their good singing, the party listened to a good sermon by Dr. Biederwolf on "Blind Barntime," who before beginning his discourse complimented the up-river party on its religious zeal in making such an unusual pilgrimage. Rev. J. F. Scherer, in behalf of the Edeavor delegation, presented Dr. Biederwolf with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, saying in part: "The people from the town in which I live have taken for their motto, 'Edeavor,' and so we are endeavoring to live up to our name and do things, and consequently have not time for long speeches. We present you with these flowers with the hope that they will symbolize the beautiful work you are doing." The party left for home at 10:30 and all were loud in praise for those who had made it possible for them to enjoy such an inspiring religious service. The total attendance at the meeting was 4,300 and the converts who "walked the sawdust trail" numbered 56.

**A Pleasant Reminder.**  
In the issue of the FOREST REPUBLICAN of March 21, 1871, appeared this brief announcement:

**MARRIED**—In Philadelphia, on the 13th inst., by Rev. R. M. Luther, Samuel D. Irwin, Esq., of Tionesta, and Miss Mary Thomas of Philadelphia.

Friends to the number of half a hundred or more were apprised of this happy occasion last Friday afternoon, 13th inst., and embraced the opportunity to call at the quiet home of Judge Irwin and wife to felicitate with them in the celebration of this forty-third anniversary of their happy marriage. It happened also to be within a day of the Judge's 79th birthday, which was on the 12th day of March, 1845. The occasion was entirely informal and quite in the nature of a surprise, and many and very heartfelt good wishes were extended to the well-mated couple, who have passed so many years in the companionship of a happy wedded life, and we are pleased to say, bid far to be spared to their friends yet a long time.

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Clean healthy quarters are necessary to successful poultry raising. Pratts Disinfectant quickly kills disease germs. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. For sale by first class dealers everywhere. adv

**Recent Deaths.**

**SIGWORTH.**  
Harland Clifford, son of A. B. and Mandy M. Sigworth, died at the family home at Lickingville, Pa., March 13, 1914, aged 6 years, 3 months and 12 days. He was one of the bright little lads of the Lickingville Evangelical Sunday school and was present in his class on his last Sabbath on earth, but has departed to be with the congregation of the Church Triumphant. His parents, one brother and two sisters survive. Rev. T. B. Havermaile conducted the funeral services and the body was laid to rest in the Deaneer cemetery.

**DETAR.**  
Mrs. William J. Detar died at her home in Kelleitville, Pa., at 4:15 o'clock Friday morning, March 13, 1914, of pleurisy, pneumonia and asthma, aged 51 years. She had been sick a little over a week. Her maiden name was Clara Frill, she being a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Frill of Lickingville, Clarion county, where she was born. She was married to W. J. Detar thirty-four years ago, who survives her, with six children: Mrs. Lawrence Marbaugh of Vancouver, Wash., Meda, Nellie, Pearl, Dewey and Lee, all at home, and one granddaughter. She also leaves these brothers and sisters: Mrs. Emma Weaver, Fryburg; Mrs. Jennie Ashbaugh, Venus; George and Frank Frill, Lickingville; John Frill, Kansas; Dick Frill, Tylersburg; Fred Frill, West Virginia. She had resided at Fryburg, Oil City, Indiana, and Kelleitville, taking charge of the Kingsley House at the latter place about ten years ago. Short services were conducted at the home Saturday evening by Rev. Henry Smalleganger, and regular services in the Lutheran church at Fryburg, Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining. She was a member of the Kelleitville M. E. church, being transferred from the Lutheran church at Fryburg. She was a very busy woman, staying close to her home, but loved by all who met her. The floral offerings were abundant and beautiful.

Forty-Five Years Ago.

Cutled from the Forest Press, Pete Conner's old paper, of March 31, 1869:

We expected to issue last week when outside went to press, but a very severe attack of neuralgia, which is nearly as bad as a "drunk," changed our plan. In the mean time we have concluded on and are making a change in the Forest Press that will be to the advantage of all concerned, which we expect to commence exactly one week from today, and which will be made apparent at that time—specific for the present to say that we expect to increase the already enviable reputation of Forest Press locally, and consequently its circulation, and like Billings' "silent perambulators" will attend strictly to business.

The Soap Mines of Butler and intermediate points have been rattling represented in Tionesta as usual during the present "high," among whom we recognize numerous old acquaintances.

Either owing to the superiority of our whiskey, or our people, or both, or some equally happy cause or cause, "Tionesta" appears to be quite a model town in the way of temperance, especially when we consider the very large influx here periodically of jolly, rollicking ruffians, and also that we have a Good Templar lodge flourishing in full blast with a popular grocery store right underneath, to say nothing of a good licensed hotel at each end of the town with the Forest Press in the center, etc. Perhaps the liberality of popular opinion may have something to do with it.

Notwithstanding the protracted chilly, soggy, sickly weather, a perceptible shade of green is stealing over the ground; but whether it shall all be covered with a foot of snow, or freshen into livelier beauty by the time this is read, the good Lord only knows.

Mr. C. F. Cropp, of Hickory township, has already commenced grubbing. His brother, Mr. — Cropp, is also about moving from Clarion county to Hickory, in Forest county. We wish there were better settlements for this class of citizens to settle among us, as they develop a source of wealth and prosperity that will be "sure and steadfast" after all the glittering baubles of speculation shall have found their level.

The amount of lumber of all kinds run out of the Tionesta creek the present run is about 24,000,000 feet.

Friend Reck, of the firm of Proper and Reck, has our thanks for a large plug of extra good tobacco.

Doc. Allison, the famous trapper of Hickory, was in town last week enveloped in a wildcat robe. He is stamping names on medals, and Chris. Zundel showed us one the Doc. presented him with which bears upon its reverse

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which Zundel complacently construes into an acknowledgment of his (Zundel's) superiority in the business for that particular year at least.

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