

Clearance Sale

Has Commenced. Odds and Ends must be sold this month "Our Way" of closing out Remnants of stock--Make the Price do it.

CLOTHING, MEN'S SHOES, OVERCOATS, ODD PANTS, UNDERWEAR, WINTER CAPS SHOES, SHOES. LADIES' CAPES & JAKETS.

About 300 pairs of shoes that must be sold this month. The price that we put on them will bust them off.

Men's Boys' and Children's Clothing, Underwear Shirts and Caps. Everything in the line of winter goods.

All Wool Blankets, Mixed Blankets, Cotton Blankets. Remnants in Dress Goods, Dress Patterns, &c.

Come and see us. Everybody invited. No trouble to show goods. L. J. HOPKINS.

E. T. HALL COMPLETE House Furnisher TITUSVILLE, PA. Established in 1865. Furniture Elegance costs much less than it used to. Up-to-date methods on a very large scale make the difference.

The Mammoth House-Furnishing Store of E. T. HALL

Is KNOWN FAR AND WIDE as the best and cheapest place to procure all the needed articles for Housekeeping.

FURNITURE, CARPETS, IRON & TINWARE, STOVES, CROCKERY, LAMPS, RUGS, DRAPERIES, CLOCKS, BEDDING.

And in fact Everything used in Housekeeping.

Goods Sold on Easy Payments same as for Cash, and Delivered Free all over the Country.

Carpets Sewed, Lined and Laid Free of Charge.

TAKE "A DAY OFF," Drive over to Pleasantville and take the Trolley cars to Titusville. You will enjoy the trip and if you want to do some trading you will find big stores and big stocks in the "Queen City."

Our January Clearance Sale is now In Full Blast!

LAMMERS', 34 SENECA ST., OIL CITY, PA. Arlington Hotel directly opposite us.

REAL ESTATE BROKERS, TIONESTA, PA.

Companies Represented. Assets. North American \$ 9,686,808.08 Royal 7,454,943.11 Hartford 10,004,697.55 Orient 2,215,470.92 Phill'a Underwriters 15,609,932.32

Church and Sabbath School. Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m. M. E. Sabbath School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. R. A. Buzza.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Oil market \$1.70. Hopkins sells the clothing and shoes. If you see it in our "ad," it's to be had. Miles & Armstrong.

Charles Anderson, the Isaac Walton of this section, is the first to open the sucker fishing season here, having landed a fine string of this excellent variety of the finny tribe, during one of the mild days of last week.

Rev. J. V. McAninch is conducting meetings at the Presbyterian church each evening of this week, services beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited to these meetings, which will continue till Saturday evening at least.

The beautiful town of Warren has a fine high school which cost, complete, about \$90,000. It was begun Oct. 8, 1897, and is now ready for the reception of 600 pupils.

Swingle-Kiser Nuptials. A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. A. J. Puffinburger, 608 North Ave., Wilkensburg, Pa., on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, 1895, at 8 o'clock.

Constable's Fees. The decision of the Supreme Court a few days ago upon a test case from Lancaster county, says the Philadelphia Press, means thousands of dollars increase in the cost to counties of the State, and at the same time greater revenues for the constabulary.

Births and Deaths. Following is a list of the births and deaths in Forest county during the past six months:

Table with columns for Births and Deaths, listing names and counts for various locations like Barnett, Hickory, Harmony, etc.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Justices--K. C. Heath, Convalescent--Joseph Morgan, S. Fitzgibbon, Wm. Smerlaugh, J. E. Dale, W. F. Blum, Jas. D. Davis, L. J. Hopkins, Justices of the Peace--C. A. Randall, S. J. Setley.

REGULAR TERMS OF COURT.

Fourth Monday of February. Fourth Monday of May. Last Monday of August. Third Monday of November.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building.

FOREST LODGE, No. 154, A. O. U. W. Meets every Friday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

WASHINGTON CAMP, No. 420, P. O. S. of A., meets every Saturday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274, A. O. U. W. Meets 1st and 3d Monday evening in each month, in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 1st, W. R. Co., meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening of each month, in A. O. U. W. hall, Tionesta, Pa.

TIONESTA TENT, No. 104, K. O. T. Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday evening in each month, in A. O. U. W. hall Tionesta, Pa.

P. M. CLARK, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, and DISTRICT ATTORNEY. Office, cor. of 1st and Bridge Streets, Tionesta, Pa.

T. F. RITCHIEY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Tionesta, Pa.

B. SIGGINS, M. D., Physician, Surgeon & Druggist, TIONESTA, PA.

J. W. MORROW, M. D., Physician, Surgeon & Druggist, Office and Residence three doors east of Hotel Agnew, Tionesta. Professional calls promptly responded to at all hours.

L. O. BOWMAN, M. D., Physician & Surgeon, TIONESTA, PA. Office in building formerly occupied by Dr. Nason. Call promptly responded to, night or day. Residence opposite Hotel Agnew.

D. J. C. BURN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office over Health & Killmer's store, Tionesta, Pa. Professional calls promptly responded to at all hours of day or night. Residence--East side Elm St., 3d door above jail building.

C. F. WEAVER, Proprietor. This hotel, formerly the Lawrence House, has undergone a complete change, and is now furnished with the most modern improvements. Heated and lighted throughout with natural gas, bathtubs, hot and cold water, etc. The comforts of guests never neglected.

CENTRAL HOUSE, H. W. HORNOR, Proprietor. Tionesta, Pa. This is the most centrally located hotel in the place, and has all the modern improvements. No pains will be spared to make it a pleasant stopping place for the traveling public. First class livery in connection.

FOREST HOTEL, West Hickory, Pa. Jacob Bender, Proprietor. This hotel has but recently been completed, is nicely furnished throughout, and offers the finest and most comfortable accommodations to guests and the traveling public. Rates reasonable.

PHIL EMERT, FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. Shop in Walters building, Cor. Elm and Walnut streets. Is prepared to do all kinds of custom work from the finest to the coarsest and guarantees his work to give perfect satisfaction. Prompt attention given to mending, and prices reasonable.

J. F. ZAHNINGER, PRACTICAL WATCH-MAKER and Jeweler of 25 years' experience, is prepared to do all work in his line on short notice and at reasonable prices. Always guarantees satisfaction. Watches, Jewelry, etc., ordered for parties at the lowest possible figure. Will be found in the building next to Kenley Club Room.

LORENZO FULTON, Manufacturer of and Dealer in HARNESS, COLLARS, BRIDLES, and all kinds of HORSE FURNISHING GOODS. TIONESTA, PA.

Fred. Grettenberger GENERAL BLACKSMITH & MACHINIST. All work pertaining to Machinery, Engines, Oil Well Tools, Gas or Water Fittings and General Blacksmithing promptly done at Low Rates. Repairing Mill Machinery given special attention, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Shop in rear of and just west of the Shaw House, Titusville, Pa. Your patronage solicited. FRED. GRETTEBERGER.

S. H. HASLIT & SONS, GENERAL MERCHANTS, Furniture Dealers, UNDERTAKERS. TIONESTA, PENN.

George Biss Corp., No. 1st, took place at Corps hall last Wednesday evening in the presence of a large number of invited guests from the ranks of the Grand Army, and members of the Workman Lodge. Capt. D. S. Knox was invited to preside at the installation services, and was generously complimented on the manner in which he performed that delicate task.

President, Mrs. Sadie Agnew; Sen. Vice, Mrs. Fannie Grove; Jun. Vice, Mrs. Anna Proper; Treas., Mrs. Harriet Speer; Secy., Miss Katharine Joyce; Chaplain, Mrs. Mary T. Irwin; Conductor, Mrs. Emma Hunter; Ass't. Con., Mrs. Jennie Agnew; Guard, Mrs. Mary Thompson; Asst. Guard, Mrs. Emma Dunn.

At the close of the ceremonies the new President, Mrs. L. Agnew, assumed the chair, and a short "camp fire" was held. Appropriate speeches and entertaining reminiscences were given by a number of the G. A. R. comrades and others present, among whom were veterans C. A. Hill, S. D. Irwin, S. J. Setley, D. S. Knox, Solomon Fitzgerald, L. Agnew, Dr. Dunn, Prof. Speer, Messrs. L. E. Deau, J. B. Muse, Geo. Birtell, Commissioner Coon, and others.

The retiring Treasurer, Mrs. P. C. Hill, submitted her report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1895, which was one of the interesting features of the occasion. It was as follows: No. members Dec. 31, 1897..... 42 Dec. 31, 1898..... 54

Oil City Ability Recognized. (From The Derrick.) Dr. August Morek, Jr., of this city, has been made an honorary member of the Academie Parisienne Des Inventeurs, of Paris, for the advancement and progress in the science of theoretical and applied ophthalmology.

Some six months ago Dr. Morek, who has written several treatises that are acknowledged to be of great merit, contributed an article upon the science of correcting the eyes, to the Ophthalmic Journal, of New York City. The article was widely commented upon and copied in all of the leading journals of this class, not only in this country, but in France, Germany and in England.

"Dear Sir--We have this day forwarded to your address, free of charge, the diploma, the medal and the insignia of our academy, with the information that you have been elected for the advancement and progress in the science of theoretical and applied ophthalmology.

"We hope you accept this title and are at your disposal in case we can be of any use to you in the old country, according to our rule, which you will see in the bulletin of the academy we sent you per book post.

"Hoping a favorable reply, we are, dear sir, yours, the president, "E. BORTHEIMER."

A Newspaper Worth Reading. With a circulation showing a gratifying increase as compared with a year ago, with a more extensive advertising patronage than ever before, with added press facilities which permit of enlarged editions whenever necessary, The Pittsburg Times comes to the public for 1899. It modestly claims to be a good, all-around newspaper, neglecting no opportunity to entertain its readers and sparing no effort or expense to get the news accurately and promptly.

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Constable Price, of Lancaster county, claimed 50 cents in fees for each witness subpoenaed and ten cents for every mile he traveled. The commissioners refused to pay the bill, and in a suit to recover Judge Livingston of the lower court decided that the constable was entitled to but 50 cents, no matter how many names were in the subpoena, and in mileage was entitled to each and every mile necessarily traveled in the service of the writ. The commissioners appealed to the Supreme Court, which reversed the lower court as to the subpoena, gave the constable 50 cents for each and every witness on his subpoena, and held that the constable was only entitled to ten cents per mile traveled one way. The commissioners next appealed to the Supreme Court, which has just affirmed the decision of the Superior Court.

Those familiar with Quarter Sessions cases know that there are many witnesses on each trial, and that the costs for original cases will now be largely augmented. Prior to the change in the law making 50 cents the legal fee for subpoenaing witnesses the fee was 15 cents, which was considered fair compensation.

Notice. I will pay \$20. for No. 1, and \$30. for No. 2 white oak ties, delivered at Tionesta. G. G. GASTON. 1-11-4

The number of dogs assessed in the county is 927.