

DECEMBER 13, 1899.

Is any gift more thoroughly appreciated by those who love books than a volume from the pen of their favorite author? We have just received for the holiday season a list (not large, but making up in excellence of selection), of standard authors. These are all in pretty bindings and make exceedingly appropriate Christmas presents. They come in single volumes and sets and the little mobby that it takes to buy them will surprise you.

The DeNovo series, Bound in red and gold—good paper and type—30 cents each, some at 25.

Single volumes in finer bindings, each in a box, from 45 to 65 cents.

Sets containing two or three volumes, 70 to 90 cents.

Bibles in flexible covers, from \$0.75 to \$3.00.

A large number of children's books, from the linen A B C, at 5 cents, to Chatterbox that sells for \$1.15.

At the rate all these are selling there will be nothing left for New Years.

The book counter will be made a permanent feature of the store.

We have said so much about books that it doesn't leave much space for anything else, but with them came a lot of other holiday specialties such as odd pieces of China, Mirrors, Medallions, Clocks, Photo Frames, etc., that are pretty and inexpensive. The line of toys, games and other articles for the little folks is still complete. A fresh lot of Sparrow's and Teutony's X-mas candies will be received Saturday.

THE DAVIS PHARMACY.

Elm and Bridge Streets.

THE FOREST REPUBLICAN.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1899.

C. M. ARNER & SON, FIRE, LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE AGENTS.

Table with 2 columns: Companies Represented, Assets. Lists various insurance companies and their assets.

Titles examined and "Briefs" prepared. Farms, wild lands, houses and lots for sale or rent.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

New Advertisements.

Hopkins. Ad. and locals. Miles & Armstrong. Ad. and locals. Heath & Killmer. Ad. and locals.

Go to Amsler for toys. Oil market closed at \$1.66. Oil and gas leases at this office.

Hopkins has the nicest line of China-ware for the holiday trade that has ever been shown in Tionesta.

Don't fail to drop in and look over Hopkins' line of Holiday goods. Something there to please everyone.

The Teachers' Institute will begin at Marienville this year on Christmas day. Supt. Sittlinger has arranged for a good corps of instructors and lecturers for this occasion.

The undersigned will pay \$2.50 per cord for sap pine bolts (round) at least four feet long, delivered at Turner's mill, West Hickory, Pa.

MARRIED. MYERS—THOMPSON—At the M. E. parsonage, Jamestown, Pa., Dec. 8, 1899, by Rev. K. A. Buzza, Mr. Wm. M. Myers and Miss Mary E. Thompson, both of Nebraska, Pa.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS.

C. H. Lawrence was a business visitor to Oil City last Friday. Misses Adda and Lucy Huling were Oil City visitors last Friday. Miss Viola Corah of Warren is a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. S. Hunter.

The Children's Aid Society of this place have secured a very pleasant home for the little 12-year-old orphan girl mentioned in these columns two weeks ago, and the ladies of the Society inform us they have two other good homes for girls of about the same age.

At Torpedo a few days ago Joe Houston of Clarion was going through there with a 3000 pound load of nitro glycerine, he stopped to grease his wagon and in some way the wheel slipped off and he had to hold the load up and yell for help.

Stow Relief Corps, No. 137, at its regular meeting last Wednesday evening, elected the following officers: President, Mrs. L. Agnew; Sr. Vice, Mrs. Fanny Grove; Jr. Vice, Mrs. Anna Propper; Chaplain, Mrs. J. W. Morrow; Treasurer, Mrs. Jennie E. Agnew; Conductor, Mrs. Emma Hunter; Guard, Mrs. Mary Thompson.

Wm. Rochford & Co have drilled an 8-inch hole to the depth of 1500 or 1600 feet as an experiment on the John Berlin farm, one mile north of Whig Hill. It is to be treated to-day, Wednesday, with a 200-quart shot, probably the largest shot ever put off in Forest county.

Bring Your Railroad Ties. Landers & Wyman pay 25 cents cash for Nos. 1 and 2 pin oak and chestnut ties; 48 and 30 cents cash, respectively for Nos. 1 and 2 white oak ties, and six cents per foot for white oak logs nine inches in diameter at top end, any length.

A Close Call for All Hands.

Yesterday morning a crew of men from this place boarded the 8:40 train for Tidououte, a short distance below which a good-sized fleet of oak logs was tied, which they intended to run to this place. The very high wind made it impossible to manage the raft, and just above what is known to old lumbermen as "white-oak chute" it took for the hill, and the whole thing went to pieces.

Created a Disturbance. Will J. McConnell, known in this section as a temperance lecturer, whose efforts to refrain from indulgence in drink are not always successful, has created a sensation in Camden, N. J.

Annual Teachers' Institute. The holiday season is again approaching and with it comes the season for our Annual Teachers' Institute.

Solid Trains to Northern Michigan. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway is now running solid trains of palace sleeping cars, dining cars, (serving meals a la carte) and first class day coaches, through from Chicago to Calumet, Houghton, Hancock and other points in the Cooper County without change of cars.

The Nickel Plate Road will sell holiday excursion tickets good going on Dec. 23d, 24th, 25th, 30th and 31st, 1899, and Jan. 1st, 1900, at one and one-third fare for the round trip.

Notice. The shareholders of the Forest County National Bank of Tionesta, Pa., will meet on Tuesday, January 9th, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the office of the Bank, for the purpose of the election of directors for the ensuing year.

X-MAS HEADQUARTERS.

Once again SANTA CLAUS has honored us by making our store his headquarters. He has left all kinds of TOYS, SLEDS, DOLLS, Hobby-Horses. and Hundreds of other pretty things, all of which are to be distributed among the Little Folks.

L. J. Hopkins.

A HAPPY HOME.

Without doubt the desire to have a Happy Home is one of the dearest wishes of every human heart, especially in this free America, which is proverbially a Land of Homes. The first requisite for a Happy Home is Love and Affection, for without these a gilded palace is but a prison cell to aching hearts starving for human sympathy and love.

What is the EASY PAYMENT PLAN?

1st. It enables people of small means to procure those needed articles which they could not get if Required to Pay Cash Down. 2d. It gives the use of the articles while you are paying for them. 3d. It leads to Habits of Economy, for knowing that you have certain payments to meet at a certain time, you are more disposed to deny yourselves of some unnecessary expenditures in order to meet these payments promptly.

E. T. HALL, PROPRIETOR OF HALL'S MAMMOTH FURNITURE AND HOUSE-FURNISHING ESTABLISHMENT, TITUSVILLE, PA.

An Old Story.

The comfort of a House Coat is an old story. That's why this garment holds a foremost position among suitable gifts for men. It is a necessity to the married man, a luxury to the bachelor. We offer the ladies selections from a choice and varied assortment. Some are plain, but beautifully so. Others are in the reigning two-toned plaid effects with fancy linings. All are well made and handsomely finished.

LAMMERS', 34 SENECA ST., OIL CITY, PA.