

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21.

It doesn't make much difference what kind of paper a man's notes are written upon, if he can only realize on them. But a woman's notes should be written on the best and most appropriate paper obtainable. That kind is made by George B. Hurd & Co., of New York, who set the fashion in fine stationery. We sell it and have a good selection of the latest shapes and colors.

The "Society Miniature Note" and "Bank Note Bond" are the small papers for invitations, regrets, etc.; price 35c. The regular sizes in Hurd's range from 25c. to 45c. We have, however, a good note paper in pretty boxes that sells for 15c.

Legal cap and fools-cap and note paper and envelopes, in bulk, tablets, business blanks and blank books for commercial use, such as ledgers, journals, day books, record, counter, time and memorandum books and anything for the desk or office.

Ask to see the Photo. mailing envelopes if you wish to see something you have always felt the need of when sending pictures by mail. Put in the photograph, write the address and put on a 2c-stamp and the trick is done. No bother, 5 cents each.

THE DAVIS PHARMACY.

Elm and Bridge Streets.

THE FOREST REPUBLICAN.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1900.

FIRE INSURANCE

REAL ESTATE AGENCY

C. M. ARNER & SON,
TIONESTA, PA.

All Leading Companies Represented.

Wild Lands, Farms, Houses & Lots for Sale or Rent.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

New Advertisements.

James, Ad. Local.
Hopkins, Ad. Local.
Lammers, Ad. Local.
Amster, Local.
McCuen Co., Ad. Local.
Chas. G. Eller, Ad. Local.
Clarion Normal, Local.
Tionesta Gas Co. Notice.
Robinson, Ad. and Local.
Edinboro Normal, Local.
S. M. Henry, Treasurer's Sale.
W. C. Brown, Mercantile List.
Grant Shuster, Local-horses.

Oil market closed at \$1.68.

Oil and gas leases at this office.

You can get it at Hopkins' store. If.

Try Jell's at Tionesta Cash Store. If.

Silver drip syrup 25c a gallon at Tionesta Cash Store. If.

Grape-nuts, Postum cereal, and shredded wheat biscuit at Robinson's If.

The tannery at Spartinsburg, the town's only industry, was destroyed by fire Sunday morning last.

Clarion State Normal School offers advantages greater than can be found in other schools of its class.

Many graduates are preparing to return to the Clarion Normal School this spring to study advanced branches.

Hall, Gentle Spring.—Blizzard. A blizzard calling for ball in March! Thunder and lightning, would you think it!

A. R. Meehling of Barnett township is this week announced as a candidate for delegate to the Republican State convention.

Prospective teachers should attend a State Normal School. Edinboro offers superior advantages.

JOHN F. BIGLER, Prin.

Crows have arrived, which don't necessarily mean that spring has come, but it has a leaning that way, and it won't hurt if we do a little crowing over the event.

Fresh vegetables already to be had at Amster's. They are direct from the Southern markets, and as delicious as the home-grown article. And not high in price either. Try them.

Treasurer Henry advertises his land sales this week, and has a fairly good number on his list, though it seems to grow less with each bi-ennial sale. A sad reflection for the printer.

It is said the Bell Telephone company has secured a sufficient number of subscribers at Hickory to warrant it in running a line from Tidoute to that place and that the line will be put in forthwith.

Twins were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sanner, of the West Side, last Wednesday morning, but did not live long, the second of the twin dying on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Sanner is in a precarious condition at present.

Fred Beverly of this city has been engaged to go to Tionesta, by Contractor James Nixon to superintend the interior decoration of the Forest county poor house recently constructed by Mr. Nixon.—Titonette Courier.

In the Review of Reviews for March Mr. Sydney Brooks describes "A New York Colony of Mercy"—the "Craig Colony for Epileptics, one of the first institutions of the kind to be established in this country. The article is illustrated.

Heath & Killmer have placed in their drug store two handsome new counters, with glass tops and fronts, which add very materially to the appearance of their store and affords them a much better opportunity to display their toilet articles.

It is a good indication of "better things" for our public schools when the teachers are planning to go to the Clarion State Normal School at the close of their terms. Some teachers are arranging to take their advanced pupils with them to Clarion.

California Prunes, 50c per pound at Tionesta Cash Store. If.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS.

—Alex Dale spent the Sabbath at home.

—Mrs. L. J. Osgood of Endeavor was a visitor to Tionesta Saturday.

—Mrs. A. B. Kelly visited Titonette friends a few days of last week.

—Mrs. Frank Morgan who has been quite ill is improving slowly.

—Rev. McAninch is paying his mother a visit near Elmton this week.

—Ed. Rudolph of Endeavor was a pleasant caller yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Bellows of Reno are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Haslett.

—Chas. E. Bowen of Tidoute was a business visitor to Tionesta last Saturday.

—James T. Brennan, Esq., of Warren, was a business visitor to town last Saturday.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Nebraska, Pa., this morning, a son.

—Miss Minnie Lawson of Dawson station visited friends here a few days last week.

—Mrs. Wm. McKay and young son, of Oil City, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. P. Emert.

—Miss Mary Joyce has gone to Pittsburgh, where she will finish her millinery studies.

—Miss Jennie M. Heard of Erie was the guest of Miss Eulietta Proper the past week.

—Charley Coon of Marienville was a pleasant caller at the REPUBLICAN office last Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Armstrong entertained the domino party at their pretty home last Friday.

—J. Ross Barr, Manager of Hotel Marien, Marienville, was a visitor to the county seat Friday.

—Andy Carr and two sons, Clifford and Ralph, were up from President a few hours last Saturday.

—Misses Laura Lawrence and Florence Klinefelter were guests of Oil City friends the first of the week.

—S. J. and Will Wolcott and Kory Heath were at Faunston last week looking after their oil interests.

—R. J. Thompson, formerly employed as clerk in Hopkins' store, was over from Backwayville over Sunday.

—Elmer Densmore was down from Fagundus yesterday, where he is interested in and has charge of an oil lease.

—Joe Dewees took a run over from Cleveland to pay his mother a visit last Saturday, remaining over the Sabbath.

—Will Saul was up from Oil City over Sunday with his family. He expects to move to Oil City about the first of April.

—J. W. Daubenspeck, who looks after the saws in a fine band mill at Golizza, was a visitor to town Thursday and gave us a friendly call.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Lindsey of Fox creek, Green township, are rejoicing over the arrival of a 9-pound girl at their home Monday of this week.

—The young Misses of Room No. 5 of the borough school were treated to a sleigh-ride in H. L. Dale's carry-all one afternoon last week by Mr. L. Agnew.

Gib Morgan's Story.

Anything relating to Gib Morgan, who is so well known in these parts and where he spent many of his days and is still recognized as the modern Munchausen, is always interesting. Here is his latest, told in rhyme by Jack Post in the Sistersville, W. Va., Review:

Gib Morgan was a driller bold,
As all old oil men know,
Whose custom was in days of old,
To countries strange to go,
And drilled for gold, and castor oil,
And butter milk and "sich,"
And he could tell some wondrous tales,
Without a halt or hitch.

In Bradford 'twas this tale was told,
In the summer of 'Eighty-two;
In the bar-room of the old "Comique,"
Was gathered a goodly crew,
"There were 'tankeys' and 'tooleys' and
"roustabouts,"
And humble pie, too,
Rig builders and teamsters and pipe line men,
And "knights of the temper screw."

They called on Gib for a story,
And this is what he told:
"I was sent out by the Oil Well Supply one time,
To drill a test for gold,
For a syndicate of English capitalists,
'Way down on Ceylon's isle,
Where every prospect pleases
And only man is vile."

And he told about the voyage,
And how he caught a whale,
By a nose in the end of the sand line,
"Thrown over the 'crit' 'r's' tail,
And told how they finally landed,
And hauled their outfit in,
And after many adventures,
Were ready to begin.

Well, they started to spud, and all went well,
Till about the second day,
When something plugged their waterline,
And there was the deuce to pay.
Gib said to the tooley, "Go down to the river
And open that line if you can."
And there, sucked up to the end of the pipe,
Was a bull frog, as big as a man.

Trying his best to break away,
And waving his legs around,
Seeming to say in a thunderous bass,
"Shut her down, shut her down, shut her down."
There was a lot more of the story,
Wh'ch need not now be told,
But they drilled the well a thousand feet,
And found no trace of gold.

But one day they brought up the bailer
Full of a fluid, and what do you think,
'Twas as fine a brand of sour mash
As a driller could wish to drink.
Gib smelled the stuff, so it was not dumped,
But they tipped it up and tasted,
"And though the bailer was full," Gib said,
"There was n't any wasted."

But we all got drunk, and the other driller
A chap whose name was Cole,
Let the tools get away, blew up the wheels,
And b'gosh, he plugged the hole.
Then Gib said to the fellow behind the bar,
As he thoughtfully scratched his head,
"Say, Bill, what was it that Governor
Of North Carolina said?"

Fire at West Hickory.

Monday morning about 3:00 o'clock fire broke out in E. L. Casler's dwelling house at West Hickory, and the building, with all its contents of household goods went up in smoke. There was no one at home at the time, Mr. Casler having gone away Sunday afternoon and did not return till Monday forenoon. Before leaving he had turned the gas low in the stove, but it is supposed the pressure in the line increased sometime during the night, thus overheating the stove and causing the conflagration.

The flames spread rapidly and soon enveloped A. D. Lapp's dwelling, near by, and that was also burned to the ground. Mr. Lapp succeeding in saving about one-fourth of his household effects. We are not informed as to the amount of his loss but understand the building and contents were fairly covered by insurance.

The Casler house was owned by Orion Siggins and was insured for \$500, which fairly covers the loss. Mr. Casler's goods were not insured, and his loss is estimated at \$300 to \$400.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm. W. S. TRAVIS, Wholesale Druggist, Oil City, O. W. A. WALTON, K. S. & M. MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by all druggists.

Try the "New Way" for better prices. John Dier, Poseyville, Ind., says, "I never used anything as good as One Minute Cough Cure. We are never without it." Quickly breaks up coughs and colds. Cures all throat and lung troubles. Its use will prevent consumption. Pleasant to take. Heath & Killmer.

Hopkins sells the shoes and rubbers. Notice to the Public. The firm of Miles & Armstrong, doing business in Tionesta, Pa., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the above will please call promptly and settle with Mr. Armstrong. For convenience the accounts may be paid at the store where they will be kept for 60 days. O. F. MILES, T. E. ARMSTRONG.

Feb. 8, 1900. 3t

Cash buys cheapest at Tionesta Cash Store. We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch cold we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainly a medicine of great merit and worth the price. D. S. Markie, general merchant and farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by all druggists.

Try the "New Way" and save money.

Administratrix Notice. Whereas, Letters of Administration on the estate of Matthew Cox, late of Tionesta, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of such debts and claims against said estate will present them, without delay to, HELEN F. E. COX, Administratrix, Tionesta, Pa., Feb. 19, 1900.

Try our "Patent" flour, \$1.10, at Tionesta Cash Store. If.

Bring Your Railroad Ties. Landers & Wyman pay 26 cents cash for Nos. 1 and 2 pin oak and chestnut ties; 48 and 50 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. Address, Tionesta, Pa. If.

Fresh groceries cheap at Tionesta Cash Store. If.

The Dewey Calendar for 1900 issued by the Nickel Plate Road will be mailed anyone sending address with 10c in stamps to the General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, O. No. 29-2t

Best winter wheat flour, \$1.00. Tionesta Cash Store. If.

Mileage Tickets. of the Central Passenger Association are good on the Nickel Plate Road between Buffalo, Chicago and intermediate stations. 32-3t

"Drive" shows at Tionesta Cash Store. If.

A FREE PATTERN. See our solution to every problem. Send for our free pattern. It is a masterpiece of design and construction. It is a masterpiece of design and construction. It is a masterpiece of design and construction.

McCALL'S MAGAZINE. The style of our clothing commends it to the fastidious man; the quality to the prudent man; the price to the economical man.

At from \$10 to \$22, we sell suits for which the merchant tailor gets \$25 and \$40. Same materials, same patterns, same trimming, finish and fit.

You will notice a similar discrepancy on our Spring Top Coat Price. You'll need one too before long.

The end of the week brings new and numerous wants in men's wearables—Underwear, Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Gloves, Ties and Hats. You can satisfy those wants here, every one of them, with credit to your taste and justice to your pocketbook.

We Press and Keep in Repair, FREE, all Clothing Bought From Us.

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NOTICE. We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on two 25 cent bottles or boxes of Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, if it fails to cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache, jaundice, loss of appetite, sour stomach, dyspepsia, liver complaint, or any of the diseases for which it is recommended. It is highly recommended as a spring tonic and blood purifier. Sold liquid in bottles and tablets in boxes. Price 25 cents for either, one package of either guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Heath & Killmer.

Hopkins sells the clothing and shoes.

TIONESTA MARKETS

CORRECTED EVERY TUESDAY, BY RELIABLE DEALERS

Flour sack	1.00@1.15
Buckwheat flour, #100 lb.	2.00
Corn meal, feed, #100 lb.	.90
Corn meal, family, #100 lb.	1.00@1.25
Chop feed, pure grain	.95
Oats	.32@.36
Corn, shelled	.48
Beans # bushel	2.50
Ham, sugar cured	.124
Bacon, sugar cured	.10
Shoulders	.08
Whitfish # kit	.50
Sugar	.054@.064
Syrup	.40@.50
N. O. Molasses	.40@.50
Coffee, Roast Rio	14@15
Coffee, blended Java	.25
Tea	.35@.50
Butter	.25
Rice	.06@.08
Eggs, fresh	.15
Salt # barrel	1.25
Lard	.08@.10
Potatoes; # bushel	.45@.50
Lime # barrel	.90@1.00
Nails # keg	.75

There Are Others, But none so good as a DUNLAP Hat.

BLACK OR COLORS

SOFT OR STIFF

Your size is here. The 1900 Spring Styles are Ready.

THE McCUEN CO.

25 AND 29 SENECA ST.

OIL CITY, PA.

We've got the Goods, But we're too busy unpacking and selling them to write a descriptive "ad." Come and See.

HOPKINS.

JAMES, - - Dry Goods.

This Store Finds it Necessary, on Account of Lack of Room, to Close Out the Entire Stock of

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS.

No other reason for this great sacrifice as the skirts are all made of

NEW and STYLISH MATERIALS—

Skirt of Black Brilliantine, \$2.25.
Skirt of All-Wool Navy Blue Serge, 2.50.
Skirt of Gray Homespun, 3.25.
Skirt of Black Crepon, originally \$7.75, now 4.75.

LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS and LADIES' GOLF CAPES AT 1/2 PRICE.

Certain to be very little change in Style of NEXT FALL'S COATS.

This almost an assured fact. You should take advantage of this opportunity:—

\$18.00 COATS, \$9.00 \$12.50 COATS, \$6.25
\$10.00 COATS, \$5.00 \$ 7.50 COATS, \$3.75
\$5.00 COATS, \$2.50

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