

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5.

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New Advertisements.

James, Ad. Laumors, Ad. Duff's College, Ad. Scowden & Clark, Ad. Sheriff Jamieson. Sale. Hopkins, Ad. and locals. Tionesta Cash Store. Locals. Davis Pharmacy. Ad and locals. School shoes at Hopkins. Oil market closed at \$1.25. Oil and gas losses at this office. You can get it at Hopkins' store. Don't be deceived, cash only gets the best prices. T. C. S. Agent McGray sold 23 Niagara and 7 Toronto excursion tickets yesterday morning. Mrs. Hunt, wife of ex-Mayor W. G. Hunt of Oil City, died at her home Monday night of this week, aged 70 years. It will do you good to take a peep at the new shirts and ties just opened at Hopkins' store. They are beauties. It Wanted—Girl to cook and do general housework. Good wages paid. Write Postoffice Box B, Tidoulet, Penna. 6c Keep abreast of the times and buy goods where every dollar has full purchasing power and brings you best value. T. C. S. Wanted—Active parties to sell tea, coffee, spices and baking powder to families. Liberal commission allowed. Apply to Grand Union Tea Co., 23 West Long Ave., Dubois, Pa. The old Universalist church building has been purchased by John Gerow, who is remodeling and materially enlarging the same, and will establish a first-class bakery and restaurant there. Charles A. Peterson, district attorney of Warren county, died at the Kane hospital Sunday evening. He had been operated upon for an obstruction of the bowels, but was too weak to withstand the shock. There's a considerable cut in the price of patent medicines at the Davis Pharmacy these days, which fact is attracting the attention of buyers to a large extent. See new ad. in this issue, note the prices and govern yourself accordingly. Note the new ad. of Scowden & Clark in this issue. They have certainly a fine line of stoves and ranges in stock. Their stock of all kinds of hardware is more complete than ever, and in prices they are down to a very narrow margin. For every variety of fruit or vegetable call on Anshur. His stock is complete, fresh and fine. No state goods allowed to accumulate, and prices are always at the lowest notch. Groceries of extra fine quality, confectionery, and the like. You can't go amiss. The season is on when the fatal mistake is made in gathering and eating the toadstool instead of the mushroom. The distinction between the two seems to be so fine that about the only sure way to tell the difference is if you cook and eat them and live they are mushrooms; if you die they are toadstools. The Derrick's monthly oil report for August shows that in Pennsylvania 807 new wells were completed, a decrease of 7. In production there was a decrease of 1,225 barrels. There are 1,131 rigs and drilling wells. In northwestern Ohio and Indiana 406 wells were completed with a new production of 8,157 barrels. There were 60 dry holes. Every reader of the great Philadelphia Sunday Press next Sunday (September 9) will receive free a piece of sheet music which cannot be purchased at any music store for less than 50 cents. It is entitled "An Old Virginia Wedding," and is certain to become one of the most popular selections of the year. The only way to get it is with next Sunday's Philadelphia Press, and you should order a copy from your newsdealer at once.

Uncle Benjamin May, no doubt the oldest person in Forest county, celebrated his 92d birthday Monday. Mr. May retains his faculties to a remarkable degree. He hears well, reads without glasses, and, barring weakness, feels well most of the time, often strolling out among friends and enjoying a pleasant chat. E. C. Bevier, son of our townsman, Edwin Bevier, of the Brookville House, has been designated by Senator J. G. Mitchell as the beneficiary of the Thirty-seventh Senatorial district free scholarship at State College. Mr. Bevier is a very worthy young man, and will be an honor and credit to the district in the college.—Brookville Republican. The new Tionesta and Oil City line of the Central District Printing and Telegraph company was completed yesterday and is now open for business. This will give the patrons just double the former facilities in the service between here and Oil City, and will be greatly appreciated.—Tionesta World. This ought to improve the service at the Tionesta end also. Pocketbook Lost—On Saturday evening last John R. Cropp lost his pocket book containing \$80 in currency, a note made payable to himself, tax receipt, and other papers by which same can be readily identified. The book is a large one, and was lost somewhere between this place and his home on Cropp hill on the Tubbs run road. A liberal reward is offered to the finder. One of the largest yellow rattlers that has been killed hereabout this season was dispatched by one of the parties going to Pleasantville last Saturday, near Stewart's Run postoffice. It measured nearly 4 feet and sported 11 rattles. We could have doubled these measurements quite easily and made this item much more readable, but figures will lie if you aren't careful, but we won't. The laying on of hands," says an exchange, "is said to be a sure cure for the cigarette habit if attended to at the proper time. The left hand should be placed upon the youngster's neck with a gentle but firm pressure forward and downward, bring the urchin in a proper attitude over the parental knee, then apply the right hand where it will do the most good. Two or three treatments will generally effect a cure." The veterans' reunion to be held at Endorvort to-morrow will be well attended from all parts of the county. The good people of that hospitable community will not fail to provide for all the old soldiers and their families who may be present, and will make them feel at home. The exercises will be held in a pleasant grove, and in case of rain, which is not likely from present appearances, shelter for all will be provided. It looks funny to see a full grown and full feathered bird hanging around one of its parents and letting such parent provide all its food for it, but it is not a bit rarer than to see a big chunk of a boy smoking a cigarette and getting three square meals a day, provided by the toil of his old father, or a young woman who lets her mother do the family washing while she plays a Strauss waltz on the piano or works the head of a pug dog on a doily. The time soon comes when the old bird makes the young hunt for its food or starve and the same policy could well be employed by many a father and mother. Scott Smathers, of Helen Furnace, was very seriously injured last Saturday at Campbell's mill near Kinzua. A train is run out to the woods from the mill in the morning and back in the evening, which bears the workmen, teams, etc., to and from their work. This train jumped the track and injured a number of the men more or less seriously, among whom was young Smathers. He is a brother of Mrs. Joseph Morgan and Mrs. H. E. Moody of this place. They were made aware of the accident and Mr. Morgan is with the injured man, but the exact extent of his injuries is not known, except that they are serious. Rev. C. C. Rumberger announced last Sabbath evening that he would preach his farewell sermon to the Tionesta congregation next Sabbath evening. He expects to go to conference next week and will not return to this charge. Dr. Rumberger has a host of friends in this place who will be sorry to lose him not only as minister, but as a citizen and neighbor as well. During the past year, his individual efforts alone have been the means of securing wonderful improvements in and about the church, and he leaves the edifice in excellent condition and without any indebtedness. Wherever may be his future station, his many friends here hope his labors may be amid pleasant surroundings. To him and his estimable family the good wishes of a large circle of Tionesta friends are extended.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS. Miss Artie Robinson was an Oil City visitor Friday. Mrs. J. Birtell is in Warren visiting relatives and friends. Ted Kelly is home from Pittsburgh on a ten days' vacation. Miss Christine Agnew returned to Clarion Formal Monday. R. B. McBeth was over from Cooksburg Monday on business. E. E. Morrison of West Hickory was a pleasant caller Thursday. Dr. Brewer of Clarington was over last Thursday on business. Mrs. C. A. Mann and son, Paul, visited relatives in Warren over Sunday. J. P. Huling is helping with the work of remodeling the West Hickory tannery. Mrs. J. A. Hart came up from Oil City Saturday to visit Tionesta friends a few days. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gerow of the Central House spent Sunday at Allegheny Springs. Miss Blanche Pease began her second term as teacher in the West Hickory schools Monday. Mrs. Samuel D. Irwin, of Tionesta, spent the last week with Franklin relatives.—Spectator. Miss Evelyn Grove was a guest of her cousin, Miss Evelyn York in Oil City over Sunday. Miss Maude Butler returned Friday from a month's visit with relatives near Chautauque, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Stow, of Toledo, Ohio, are guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kelly. Mrs. Dr. Dunn and the children returned Saturday from a month's visit with friends in Venango county. John Lawrence started for Randolph, N. Y., Monday, where he will enter as a student in Chamberlain Institute. Miss Ruth Cook of Nebraska returned Monday to her studies at Chamberlain Institute, Randolph, N. Y. Miss Emma Lawrence returned Monday evening from a three months' visit with friends at Elkhart, Indiana. Miss Emma Kiser, returned to Pittsburgh Saturday after a few weeks' pleasant visit with her mother, on German Hill. Miss Edna Chase and David Lagerdahl, of Jamestown, N. Y., visited relatives and friends here and at Nebraska last week. Miss Olive Smullin departed for Beaver, Pa., Saturday, where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Chas. S. Leech, for a couple of weeks. Miss Emma Kilstiver went Saturday to assume her new duties as teacher of the advanced grade in the Goodwill Hill, Warren county, schools. Mrs. Kate B. Craig has moved into the Wagner house, on Vine street. J. D. W. Reck, who recently purchased the Craig property is moving this week. Mrs. W. F. Blum accompanied her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Carr, to Oil City last Thursday, on her return to her home in Bradock, after a pleasant three weeks visit here. Messrs. T. C. McMaster, O. J. Diehl, H. L. Miller and L. A. Mensch, were down from Marienville Monday evening visiting their Masonic brethren a fraternal visit, remaining over night in the city. Mrs. Geo. W. Warden, of Endeavor, will occupy the home of the Misses Magee the coming year, her purpose in this being to give the children the benefit of our schools, which they will attend.—Tidoulet News. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Swanson died Wednesday night last and was buried on Friday. The little sufferer was aged two months and four days. The parents have the sympathy of their neighbors in this affliction. Mrs. W. R. Address of Grand Rapids, Mich., spent the past two weeks at the home of her brother, S. J. Grove. The latter, who has been somewhat indisposed for some time past, has gone to Cleveland to receive medical treatment. Geo. Birtell has thrown up his job with the Hall glycerine people, and taken one with the Standard which furnishes steadier employment and has no visions of a cigar-box burial casket attachment. He will be located for the present at Edensburg, Clarion county. Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner and daughter, Miss Rose, of Marienville, have returned from their tour abroad, where they visited the Paris exposition, and their old home in Germany. It was for them and their old friends on the other side of the ocean a most enjoyable occasion. Mrs. John Swanson is shipping the household goods to Jamestown, N. Y., and will leave for there this week. Mr. Swanson is engaged at that place and the family will make that their future home. Mrs. Swanson bears with her the best wishes of her many lady friends in Tionesta, who are sorry to lose her from this vicinity. Mrs. Clara Hayden returned Saturday, from Stanton, Mich., to which place she accompanied Mrs. Mary Spence, who will make her home there with her daughter, Mrs. James Percival. While in that section Mrs. Hayden took occasion to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Percival at Palo, Mich., with which aged couple she spent a day or so most pleasantly. The venerable Mr. Percival has been in rather feeble health for some months past, but his estimable wife is still quite hale and hearty. Both had many questions to ask concerning their old friends in this section, to all of whom they wished to be very kindly remembered. Oil Notes. The last Patterson well, over in the lower end of Harmony twp., was dry. He is preparing to drill his 29th well in that territory. Wolcott & Co. are getting ready to drill on the County Home property. The first well will be drilled back next to the hill from the building. Erb & Moulton have been drilling on the W. A. Connelly farm, Hickory township, and ought to be down this week. The well on the Handy farm, near the White Church, on Stewart's Run, was a g. Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents. You can get it at Hopkins' store. If

Agundus Ox Paid for Twice. Two young men, strangers in the city, worked a smooth game on William Brady of the Diamond street meat market a few days ago. The men appeared with a fine ox, which they tied at the rear of R. D. Cooper's grocery store, across from the Brady market, and shortly entered into negotiations with Mr. Brady for the purchase of the animal. The men stated that the beef had been sold to a Tionesta butcher, who, however, did not have the purchase price when called upon. Upon request Mr. Brady offered \$10 for the beef, which was accepted and the men drove the animal to the slaughter house on the south side, returning later and receiving the amount of the sale. They lingered around the market for some time, the man who made the sale buying a new suit of clothes and a pair of shoes. They were in no hurry to get away and finally boarded a street car going west. The sequel to the story was enacted a few days ago when D. H. Sheehan, of Agundus, came to town to look for a missing ox. At the Brady slaughterhouse the horns of the stolen beef were identified. The animal with many others was kept in a large commons and a cow from the herd coming home with a rope dangling from its neck led to the discovery of the theft. The thieves attempted evidently to steal the herd of cattle but were prevented by the cow breaking the rope. Mr. Brady settled with Mr. Sheehan by paying another \$10. The men will undoubtedly be caught and brought to justice.—Tionesta Herald. Osgood Family Reunion. The third annual reunion of the Osgood family was held at the old homestead, near Starr, Pa., Saturday, Sept. 1st, the home and in honor of Mrs. Christenna Osgood, the oldest living member of the family. Other members and invited guests began to arrive at ten o'clock, and by half past eleven all had gathered at the hospitable home, and the time was taken up until one o'clock with handshaking and cordial greetings. Long tables were spread with choicest refreshments, and the more than sixty cheerful, happy people which had assembled were comfortably seated, and partook heartily of the delicious viands. After dinner an impromptu program, consisting of instrumental music, singing and speaking was rendered, Mrs. Ed. Osgood and Mrs. W. F. Jones taking the lead in the music. The record of the family connection during the past year is—one marriage, one birth, no death. Mrs. Christenna Osgood, Mrs. C. F. Gillespie and Mrs. A. B. Root had an exceptionally pleasant visit, it being their first meeting for a number of years. These three aged people came across the ocean together sixty years ago this summer, being seven weeks on board the sailing vessel. At four o'clock the business meeting was held at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, L. J. Osgood; Vice President, E. J. Behrens; Secretary, J. R. Osgood; Treasurer, Mrs. L. J. Osgood; Rec. Sec'y, G. W. Osgood. Besides those already mentioned the following of the family connection were present on this occasion: W. L. Osgood, E. J. Behrens and family, W. B. Osgood and family, Starr; Ed. Osgood and wife, W. F. Jones and family, Newtown Mills; J. R. Osgood, James H. S. Oemaker and wife, Tionesta; L. J. Osgood and family, L. E. Osgood and family, Otto Rudolph and family, Endeavor; G. W. Osgood and family, Whig Hill. The invited guests were Mrs. C. F. Gillespie, Mrs. A. Lightner and daughter, D. W. Shunk, Whig Hill; Mrs. Dr. Detar and friend, Kelletville; Mrs. J. B. Carpenter and daughter, Miss Emma Rudolph, Newtown Mills; Miss Grace Morrison, President; Joseph Moorhead, Endeavor; Mrs. A. B. Root, Seattle, Wash. The next reunion will be held at same place on the first Saturday of September, 1901. Each succeeding occasion seems to be a pleasanter one than the last, and the number of those who attend grows larger every year. TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. Letter From Texas. LABELLE, TEXAS, Aug. 17. Editor Republican: Dear Sir:—As a number of my Tionesta friends requested me to inform them concerning the oil business here and thinking a description of this part of the country might be of interest to many of your readers I will inform them through the columns of the REPUBLICAN. We are in the Southern part of Texas and camping on a stream called Taylor's bayou, 18 miles from Beaumont, 7 miles from the Gulf of Mexico, 9 miles from Port Arthur, 18 miles from Sibleau Pass. The main industries of this part of the country are rice and cattle raising. Our well is located on a tract of 10,000 acres and there are 1200 acres of rice on this lot alone, and you can see the fields of waving rice in any direction you choose to look. The farmers have commenced to harvest the rice and they expect an extra large yield, from 8 to 10 barrels per acre, which sells for \$3 and \$4 per barrel. The weather is pretty hot here, but the breeze from the Gulf makes it pretty cool at night, or if the sun is clouded over. We are out on the plains and there are no trees in sight. The worst feature of this locality is the scarcity of good water. We have a 12-barrel tank and have to depend on rain water to drink and for cooking purposes. The water that fills the bayou drains off the higher ground and is not fit to use. Land can be bought here at from \$3 to \$10 per acre. The worst pest we have to contend with is the mosquito. They are so plenty that we have to wear gloves and face veils to work in at night and when we sleep we have a screen over our head to protect ourselves as they are no respecters of persons and never miss an opportunity to present their bills. We have been here over three months and our first well is down 2,100 feet. We have driven pipe as far as we have gone. We have not struck any rock yet and I can't tell as to the prospect for oil. The company have surveyed a line from Coscanca to the Gulf, where the oil puts out and in time of storm it calms the water and sailing vessels try to anchor there till the storm is over. The company has made another location on the line surveyed and are building a rig three miles further south. Malaria fever is prevalent here and I have had an attack, having just returned from a two weeks' "lay off" in the Beaumont hospital. I lost 12 pounds in four days or 22 pounds in all, consequently I am not feeling quite so rugged as when I left off Pennsylvania. ANDY J. MATTERN.

29th Semi-Annual Sale. Cool nights and mornings make a light weight Overcoat come in handy. 200 of the latest productions of high class clothiers are being sacrificed at our sale. \$7.50 and \$8.50 Overcoats. Sale price \$5.50 \$9.00 and \$10.00 Overcoats. Sale price \$7.00 \$12.00 and \$13.00 Overcoats. Sale price \$9.00 \$15.00 and \$18.00 Overcoats. Sale price \$10.00 Do you know that we do not allow a garment to leave our establishment unless it is a perfect fit. THE McCUEN CO. 25 AND 29 SENECA ST., OIL CITY, PA.

E. W. Grove Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. The remedy that cures a cold in one day. Colorado and Utah. Special excursion tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, and Glenwood Springs, Colorado, and Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah, will be sold from Chicago, via Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, on August 21st and September 4th and 18th, 1900. For further information call on or address W. S. Howell, G. E. P. A., 381 Broadway, New York, or Jno. R. Pott, D. P. A., 486 William St., Williamsport, Pa. 8-15-4t

L. J. Hopkins.

An Elegant Line of Ladies' Wool Skirts and Shirt Waists at Hopkins' Store. RECEIVED SEPT. 4.

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What's Left of the Entire Shirt Waist Stock, about 35 waists, at three prices --33c, 66c and 99c. When you consider that there's fully five weeks yet of Shirt Waist weather and the original prices of these waists ranged from 50c to \$2.50--believe you'll buy them at above prices.

SHORT ENDS—enough for a skirt. Had about fifteen high grade skirt lengths—with about seven yards in each piece—cut these up in skirt lengths (as there's little demand for this number o yards) and with a low price on them. A WIDE RIBBON SPECIAL. 6 pieces of 7 inch GLACE TAFFETA RIBBON—five different shades, Pink, Cerise, Old Rose, Light Blue and Lavender—regular 75c quality—45c. Nice for neck ribbon or sash.

WILLIAM B. JAMES, A VISION OF Sept.

It is not to be supposed that the average boy is overcome with delight at the near approach of school-opening. A neat suit of clothes will go far to reconcile him to the inevitable. Possibly a pair of pants and a few "fixings" are all that your boy needs just now. New things for fall are in and every item in boys' wearables—from odd pants to complete suits, and from shirts to hats—are shown in qualities that are dependable and styles that are right—with prices, it is hardly necessary to say, that guarantee a saving on every purchase, large or small.

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