

THE FOREST REPUBLICAN.
 WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 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.
 Lammers, Ad.
 Amsler, Local.
 Davis Pharmacy, Ad.
 Morris Cigar House, Ad.
 Tionesta Cash Store, Local.
 Hopkins, Two ads, and local.
 Edinboro Normal School, Local.
 County Commissioners, Appeal notice.
 Toilet sets at Killmer's. If
 Oil market closed at \$1.07.
 Holiday slippers at T. C. S. If
 Solid silverware at T. C. S. If
 Go to Amsler for ammunition. If
 Oil and gas leases at this office.
 You can get it at Hopkins' store.
 Brush and comb sets at Killmer's. If
 No paper from this office next week.
 Amsler has the Christmas candy. If
 Useful presents for ladies at F. Walters & Co's. If
 90c gets a rubber-lined canvas coat at Hopkins' store. If
 Pure mixed candy 10c pound, Tionesta Cash Store. If
 See Killmer's line of books by the popular authors. If
 Don't miss the special sale at Hopkins' store this week. If
 Sterling silver novelties and fancy articles at Killmer's. If
 Buy your presents now, and have them stored at T. C. S. If
 See the prettiest Christmas presents in town at F. Walters & Co's. If
 The borough schools will close Friday for a two weeks' vacation.
 Might as well begin practicing it. It will be here before you know it—1901.
 If the wallet stands it this week it is likely to hold out the balance of the winter.
 Services will be held at Mt. Zion Lutheran church, German Hill, Christmas day, at 10:30.
 Pretty dolls, fancy articles, medallions, novelties in chinaware, and many other suitable holiday goods at F. Walters & Co's. If
 Oram & Urey, the livermen, have purchased a roomy and easy riding bus, which they are running to all trains for Hotel Agnew.
 A pie social will be given at the German Hill school Friday evening, December 21, under the direction of the teacher, Miss Belle Burns.
 Count up the children, count up your money, find out just what you want for presents. Go to Hopkins' store and you will find it and have money left. If
 Skating for a few days past has been excellent on the creek leve. The river, which was crowded with slush at this point, is now running pretty clear.
 The Winter term of 13 weeks begins January 1, 1901. Write for catalogue.
 JOHN F. BLOOM, Prin.
 Edinboro State Normal School.
 Don't delay the payment of your subscription account if you wish to have the Farm Journal for the next four years. Dec. 31 is the latest date. The offer will then be withdrawn.
 See Hopkins' big ad. on the fourth page of to-day's paper. The special sale at his store is now thoroughly "on," and you are invited to call and look into the matter for yourself.
 Try a term of school at the Edinboro State Normal. It will make you a better teacher. Circulars on request. Winter term opens January 1, 1901.
 JOHN F. BLOOM, Prin.
 Remember the teacher's institute next week. A good bill of fare for the entire week has been arranged, and those who attend the day sessions, as well as the night entertainments will not be disappointed.
 Why not buy a collar, scarf or storm collar for a nice gift. \$3.00 and upward at T. C. S.

No Paper Next Week.
 The holidays coming on means that no paper will be issued from this office next week. The institution will be "lined up" all right for business, however, and the receipting for cash from those owing the printer, of which we hope there will be an abundance. Our next issue will be on Jan. 24, 1901, meantime we extend to all our patrons best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.
 Fair warning to all who would take advantage of our Farm Journal offer—deal will be off after the 31st of this month. So if you wish this excellent journal for four years, absolutely free, send or pass in the amount you owe and one dollar in advance and get it. The same applies to new advance-paying subscribers. Don't delay.
 An editor is frequently blamed for partiality in the inserting of articles in his personal local column. But if you do not give the editor half a chance how can you reasonably expect him to know everything. Hand him the names of your guests and the particulars of the happenings of the public interest in your homes. Aid him for he is but a man after all.
 The "Rummage Sale" is the latest fad for raising money. Everyone contributes articles in his possession which are unnecessary or have been superseded, and the collection is sold by auction to the highest bidder. It is a source of benefit to the purchaser and the contributor loses nothing, while the society having the matter in charge gets the entire rake off.
 The 1901 edition of the Columbia desk calendar is being distributed by the American bicycle Co., Columbia Sales Department, Hartford, Conn. It will be sent to any address upon receipt of five 2-cent stamps. This unique and useful compilation has been issued annually for the last sixteen years and it has come to be regarded as an indispensable article in many business offices and homes.
 John A. Magee, one of Clarion's best known and most prominent business men, and who was well and favorably known to many Forest county people, died at Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, on the 12th inst., whether he had gone to be operated upon for a cancerous growth in the bowels. Mr. Magee's friends were legion and he will be missed from his community as few other citizens could be.
 Of all self acknowledged pup, lies, the young man who speaks lightly of female character, and female virtue, deserves the highest place in the congregation of moral lepers. There is no more certain indication of a weak brain and a rotten heart, than the tongue which would disparage female virtue—which would forgive its mother or its sister, in casting its foul venom upon a purity which it can never hope to attain.—Ez.
 Mr. Dick, the tailor, has just accepted a special low-price proposition from a big woolen house, and is able to buy goods all the way from 25 cents to \$1.50 a yard cheaper than the same goods cost him thirty days ago. Mr. Dick has hundreds of beautiful patterns in fashionable suitings and overcoats, and his low prices are certainly a temptation. There is no excuse for wearing ready-made clothing when fine tailoring can be had at such low figures.
 L. E. Osgood was down from Endeavor Monday, and gave us a friendly call. Life was somewhat sore yet from a little encounter he had with an emery wheel which he was working over about two weeks ago at the Newtown mills. The wheel was revolving at about a 3,000-rpm when it did just what such instruments very frequently do—"blow up," go into a hundred pieces, and often make serious trouble for the operator. In this instance a piece struck L. E. in the short ribs, breaking at least one of them, and from the soreness it caused him he wouldn't be surprised if the whole outfit was smashed up if the truth could be known.
 Samuel B. Lathway of Barkeyville and George E. Coast of Lisbon, Venango county, were arrested Sunday near Oil City and brought to that place on a charge of counterfeiting. About fifty spurious dollars, a quantity of rabbit metal, acids and materials for plating were found with the men. The coins were still warm when the men were apprehended. Monday morning they were taken for examination before United States Commissioner Geo. A. Chase, of Titusville, who held them to bail in the sum of \$1,500 each. Failing to secure bondsmen the men were taken to Pittsburgh to await trial before the U. S. court. Lathway is 26 and Coast 33 years of age.
 A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, has issued a general notice stating that in accordance with the action of the board of directors on November 28th, the employees on the lines of the Allegheny Valley Railway and the Western New York and Penna. railway which are now embraced in the Allegheny Valley and Philadelphia and Erie general divisions would after Jan. 1, 1901, be entitled to the benefits of the plan for the payment of pension allowances which was established by the company in the beginning of the present year. The principal features of the plan are that all of its employees shall be retired and receive pension and allowances upon reaching 70 years of age, or who are 65 years old and have been 30 years in the service and have become practically disqualified.
 Somewhat of a shift in mercantile pursuits has taken place in Tionesta within the past week. Messrs. Lawrence & Smearbaugh, for the past years engaged in this line in connection with their lumber business, have disposed of their general store to Messrs. K. C. Heath and Harry B. Feit, the transfer of stock to take place about the first of the year. Mr. Heath has been engaged in business here for a number of years, and his partner, Mr. Feit, has for several years been head clerk in the large general store of L. J. Hopkins. Both gentlemen are thoroughly conversant with the business in which they have branched out together, and that their efforts to please the people in the conduct of a strictly first-class, up-to-date store will be at once successful, does not admit of doubt. Success, gentlemen.
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.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS.
 Miss Louise Killmer is visiting friends in Youngsville, Pa.
 Miss May Clark visited Oil City friends over Monday night.
 Miss Artie Robinson was a visitor to Oil City yesterday afternoon.
 Mrs. Kate B. Craig, visited her son, Clifford, at Oil City Monday.
 Miss Delva Randall was a guest of O. I. City friends a part of last week.
 Prothonotary Robertson was a business visitor to Marienville last week.
 Mrs. J. H. Kelly and Mrs. G. G. Gaston were Oil City shoppers last Friday.
 Miss Florence McIntyre of Tidoute, was a guest of Mrs. Jas. Canfield over last Sabbath.
 Harry Watson and cousin, Miss Bertha Dunham of Gollinza were visitors to Oil City Monday.
 Miss Lou Fisher of Oil City, who was a guest of Miss May Grove last week, returned home Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy Haugh and Suppt. E. E. Stiltzinger, of Nebraska, were business visitors to Oil City Monday.
 Clerk Robertson yesterday issued a marriage license to C. E. Leighner and Anna C. Nussbaum, both of Titusville.
 J. E. Osgood and Fred Rudolph, two of Kingsley township's staunch Republicans, were pleasant callers at this office on Saturday.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Root and Miss May Watson of Gollinza, have returned home from a three weeks' visit with friends in Rochester and Buffalo.
 A. P. Anderson, assessor of Howe township, was down on business yesterday, and dropped in to renew his subscription and begin the new century right.
 Nicholas Raymond, of Meadville, who was compelled to give up work in the mantle factory here last summer on account of ill health, has returned to his labors again, looking hale and hearty.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kelly and Mrs. Suie M. Sharpe are in attendance at the marriage of their niece, Miss Francis Hates, to Dr. C. A. Black, which occurs at the home of the bride's mother in Titusville, to-day.
 Mrs. Floyd Proper entertained a party of thirty-three of her lady friends at luncheon at her elegant home last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. H. Stiles and Mrs. M. E. Abbott of Endeavor, were the out of town guests present.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hamilton of New Castle, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Miles a part of the past week. Mr. H. brought his gun and dogs along, and had a couple of days of fine sport in the woods before the expiration of the hunting season.
 Sam Clark of Ward, Colorado, in a letter to his parents here, says, "Dad Hulings, Davy Hulings and I attend a turkey shoot every Saturday. Dad and Davy get five or six every shoot." He also says the weather is warm and pleasant, with very little snow.

The Proposed Curfew Ordinance.
 Following is the text of the Curfew Ordinance which the Borough Council has under consideration, and which has passed second reading:
AN ORDINANCE
 Prohibiting persons under sixteen years of age from being, (and the parents, guardians or others having the legal care and custody of such persons from allowing and permitting such persons to be) on the public streets, lanes, alleys or public places in the Borough of Tionesta, Pa., at night after the hours of 8 p. m. from October 1st to April 1st and after the hours of 9 p. m. from April 1st to October 1st, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof.
 SEC. 1. Be it enacted and ordained by Town Council of the Borough of Tionesta, Pa., and it is hereby enacted and ordained by authority of the same, That it is hereby made unlawful for any person under sixteen years of age to be or remain in or upon the public streets, alleys or public places in the Borough of Tionesta at night after the hours of 8 p. m. from October 1st to April 1st and 9 p. m. from April 1st to October 1st, unless such person is accompanied by a parent, guardian or other person having the legal custody of such minor person, or bearing a written statement, dated that day, and signed by parent or guardian, declaring that said child is on a necessary errand. The bell of said borough shall be tolled nine times, fifteen minutes before the appointed time, as a warning, to be known as the "Curfew Bell," after which all such persons shall be required to be home off the streets, except as hereinbefore provided.
 SEC. 2. It is hereby made unlawful for any parent, guardian or other person having the legal care or custody of any person under sixteen years of age to allow or permit any such child, ward or other person under such age, while in such legal custody, to go or be in or upon the streets, alleys or public places in said borough within the time prohibited in Section 1, of this ordinance, as therein provided.
 SEC. 3. Each member of the police force, constable and special policeman, is hereby authorized to arrest, any person violating the provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance and retain such person for a reasonable time in which complaint can be made and a warrant issued and served. Upon the first violation, the police officer shall take the person into custody and deliver him or her to the parent or guardian having the legal custody as aforesaid, and the fact of the said taking shall be reported by the officer at headquarters and entered upon the docket of any justice of the peace, and may be used in evidence upon a subsequent violation; upon a subsequent violation the person shall be arraigned for trial before any justice of the peace, and, upon conviction, be fined not more than Five Dollars (\$5.00) and costs and upon failure to pay the said fine and costs, be confined in the borough lockup for a period not exceeding five days.
 SEC. 4. Any parent, guardian, or other person as aforesaid, violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction thereof be fined not more than Five Dollars (\$5.00) and costs, and upon failure to pay said fine and costs, be confined in the borough lockup for a period not exceeding five days.
 SEC. 5. It is hereby made unlawful for any person to forge or present to a police officer or magistrate, charged with carrying into effect the provisions of this ordinance a fraudulent or forged written statement, where the said written statement is presented as required by Section 1 of this ordinance. Any person so forging or presenting a fraudulent or forged written statement to said police officer or magistrate may, upon information, arrest, trial and conviction, be fined not more than Five Dollars (\$5.00) and costs, and upon failure to pay the same, be confined in the borough lockup for a period not exceeding five days.
 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.
Officers of Post 629.
 At a recent meeting of Eli Berlin Post the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
 J. A. Haugh, P. C.; J. E. Stoughton, S. V. C.; Wm. A. Haugh, J. V. C.; S. C. Whitmore, Surgeon; Jonas Shunk, Chaplain; S. Mervin, Q. M.; J. H. Berlin, O. D.; B. F. Stover, O. G.; W. R. Small, G.
 Public installation of officers will be held at the K. O. T. M. hall, at East Hickory, on Saturday evening, January 5th, 1901. Commander C. A. Hill of Post 274, will serve as installing officer. A general invitation is extended to everybody. A camp-fire will be held and open to all. Oysters and supper will be served, the proceeds to go to the relief fund of the Post. Tablets spread at 6 p. m. Come, everybody.
Zinc and Grinding make
 Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.
Bazaar and Promenade Concert.
 Grand bazaar and promenade concert, in aid of St. Mary's church, Crown, Pa. Rev. J. E. Keegan, Rector, opens Christmas night and closes New Year's night. To be held in St. Mary's Hall, Crown, on Saturday and Sunday evening, January 5th and 6th, 1901. Admission free.
The Nickel Plate Road
 offers to students desiring to return home for the holidays, the special rate of a fare and a third for the round trip. Tickets sold the day school closes and the day preceding, good returning to and including day school reconvenes but not later than Jan. 28, 1901. This rate available only to students holding certificates from the head of the school. Write, wire, phone or call on nearest agent. Call at address City Ticket Agent, 620 State street, Erie, Pa., H. C. Allen, C. P. & T. A. No. 372-21.

L. J. HOPKINS; IRON CORNER
Holiday Goods.
 It's a sight to see the Gift Goods at Hopkins' store this week; don't miss it. Toys, Books, Chinaware, Mechanical Toys of Every Description. Surely Santa Claus Unloaded there this year.
SPECIAL SALE! THIS WEEK! DON'T MISS IT.
 Come early. Come often. Bring the Children. You are all Welcome.
NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.
L. J. Hopkins.
 203 Centre and 204 Sycamore Streets. Telephone 257. Oil City, Penn'a.
 Want to keep before you the reasons why this store's a good place to do your **GIFT BUYING.**
STERLING SILVER.
 Every piece stamped—Bracelets, Nail Files, Pocket Knives, Shoe Horns, Paper Knives, Hair Brushes, Match Safes, Trinkets, Baby's Brushes and Comb Sets, Whisk Brooms, Call Bells, Hat Brushes, Hair Brushes and Comb Sets, Darning, Kniters, Shaving Brushes, etc.
OPERA FANS.
 They'll be needed soon—of gauze hand-painted or spangled—carved ivory or wood handles—very dainty and pretty—Fan Chains at 35c and 65c.
GOLD PLATED BROOCHES.
 Many beautiful designs—25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.
GOLD PLATED RINGS.
 Turquoise, Garnet, Emerald and Pearl Settings.
FANCY GARTERS.
 In a neat box with glass covers—25c, 50c and 65c—also separate buckles.
SCARF PINS.
 Twenty-five different shapes—10c each.
LAUNDRY BAGS.
 Five dozen—Marked "Laundry" two shades of green, red and blue—special price, 35c.
CHRISTMAS CARDS.
 Find a rapid sale on these—due, possibly, to the big variety and prices at which they're made.
UMBRELLAS.
 It's a lot of money we've invested in Umbrellas, but the selling price will cut the stock down considerably before the 25th. Umbrellas at \$2 and \$3, but surprising what new ones can be bought here at popular prices—say \$1.75 to \$3.
HANDKERCHIEFS.
 Spoke before about the way we have these arranged—on a rack in centre aisle, merely a convenience—the way they are priced we call special attention to.
GLOVES.
 Received by express, sizes and colors necessary to complete our glove stock—BOTH KID AND GOLF—so, now we're ready. To make the gift more presentable we, last season, inaugurated the custom of giving a box free, when the gloves or handkerchiefs are wanted for a gift. Ask for a box.
COMBINATION POCKETBOOK AND CARD CASE.
 Any leather, almost—any price.

WILLIAM B. JAMES,
Santa Claus
 —AT—
Killmer's,
 With the Largest and Most Beautiful Assortment of
HOLIDAY GOODS
 Ever Shown in the City.
 Perfumes, Medallions, Photo Frames, Toilet Cases, Manacure Sets, Shaving Sets, Smoking Sets, Mirrors, Stationery, Fancy Box Paper, Books for Adults and Children, Chinaware, Cups and Saucers, Dinner Sets, Vases, Salad Dishes, Celery Trays, Toys, Doll Carriages, Trunks, Drums, Tool Chests, Games, Air Guns, Sleds, Etc., Etc.
 I invite you to look over my stock Before Purchasing.
G. H. KILLMER.
SENSIBLE GIFTS.
 If, as nine people out of ten assert, the best gift is a useful gift, we are a Christmas store of first importance.
HOUSE COATS—The kind that keep him home evenings. Fancy two-toned golf plaids, beautifully made—almost every combination of colors. Tricots in all shades. \$3.50 up.
BATH ROBES—All combinations and colorings. Cord and tassel at neck and waist. \$5, \$6 to \$12.
MEN'S GLOVES—An unfaded dress glove as low as \$1; Fowles Bros' imported kids, \$1.50 and \$2.00; gray and tan Mecha's silk linc. wool lined and fur lined, \$1.50 \$2, \$3 and \$4.50. Men's fur gauntlets, \$4.50 and \$5.
HANDKERCHIEFS—Every handkerchief pure Irish linen and full large sizes, such as men like. Linen initial handkerchiefs, one-half dozen in box, \$1.50; linen initial handkerchiefs, 3 in box, \$1.50; plain lincens 25c, 35c and 50c.
MUFFLERS—The quilted Oxford muller has the call this season; neat and dressy without clumsiness. Some made reversible. 50c to \$3.
SHIRTS—Fifteen shirts make an acceptable gift. "Manhattan" dress shirts \$2 to \$3; Earl & Wilson's plaid dress shirts, \$3.
COLLARS and CUFFS—Are certainly acceptable to any man. C. & C' brand collars, 15c; E. & W. brand, 25c.
UMBRELLAS—Men's umbrellas, not dry good store kind. Fine Buckhorn natural sticks, with sterling silver trimmings and genuine smoked ivory handles. \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5, \$7.50 to \$10.
 No. 372-21.

LAMMERS',
 41 & 43 SENECA ST., OIL CITY, PA.
 Arlington Hotel directly opposite us.
E. W. Grove
 This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.