

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2

The Christmas trade this year was phenomenal, every merchant doing a larger business than he did the year previous...

Sundries in this case means combs and brushes, toilet accessories, pocket books, fine stationery, perfumery, books, toys, etc., and the famous LOWNEY candies.

THE DAVIS PHARMACY.

Elm and Bridge Streets.

THE FOREST REPUBLICAN.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1901.

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. Killmer, Ad. Lammer, Ad. Robinson, Ad. Anstler, Local. McCuen Co., Ad. Harvey Fritz, Ad. Heath & Fell, Ad. P. M. Clark, Local. Davis Pharmacy, Ad. Hopkins, Ad. and Local. Tionesta Cash Store, Big Ad. Edinboro Normal School, Local. Forest County National Bank, Statement. County Commissioners. Triennial tax assessment.

Oil market closed at \$1.20. Oil and gas leases at this office. You can get it at Hopkins' store. Telephone Anstler for fresh groceries quick.

Special sale of ladies cloaks at Tionesta Cash Store. See their big ad. Inventory at the Hopkins store this week. Look out for clearance sale bargains.

Last Saturday was the twenty-fourth anniversary of the terrible Ashtabula railroad disaster. Our merchants inform us that they had the largest holiday trade this year in the history of the town.

Anstler's stock of groceries was never more complete nor of finer quality. Telephone orders given immediate attention.

The Week of Prayer will be observed in the Presbyterian church beginning on next Sabbath with services each evening at 7:30 o'clock.

If a young man is rich and saving of his money, people call him a "good business man." If he is poor and saving of his money, they call him a "cheap guy."

For Rent—A pleasantly located nine-room dwelling in Tionesta, surrounded by an excellent garden plot, good well of water, etc. For particulars address P. O. Box 96, Tionesta, Pa.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for the week ending Jan. 2, 1901: Mr. G. E. Patterson, Mr. Briston H. Calvin. D. S. Knox, P. M.

New arrival of horses at Brookville fair grounds; general business and draft horses and mated teams, and one fine black horse team and some speedy road horses. BROOKVILLE FAIR GROUNDS.

The annual installation of officers of George Stow Relief Corps takes place tonight at their Hall. It will be, as usual, a joint affair, the Post's installation being held the same evening, to be followed by a banquet and caprice.

The following houses to wed were granted by Clerk Robertson last week: Dec. 25, C. E. Manross, Fagnudus, Ellen E. McGraw, McGraw Center, Pa.; Dec. 25, David H. Biam, Jennie S. Anderson, Tionesta; Dec. 28, Ernest Reysert, Louise Sanbert, McCrays.

As an exchange suggests there is hardly a married man, except editors, who does not carry in his pockets the picture of an attractive young woman who is not his wife. We violate no confidence when we say her name is Miss Anna Wilks Williams, of Philadelphia, and that her picture ornaments the silver dollars which all of us use.

Lily Dale, the Spiritualists' summer resort, was visited by a \$6,000 fire early Friday morning, five cottages being destroyed. The blaze was started in the Covell cottage by the explosion of a lamp.

Fredonians and graduates of the normal school have contributed over \$1,000 with which to make good the pecuniary losses of the young women students who lost their personal effects in the recent burning of the school building.

The following officers for the ensuing year were appointed by the County Commissioners yesterday: Stewart of the County Home, Geo. R. Paup; Matron, Mrs. Geo. R. Paup; Attorney, T. F. Ritchey; Merchandise Appraiser, A. Carson; Janitor of Court House, S. J. Campbell.

The Law Burner Company, of Pittsburgh, of which our former townsman F. W. Law is the head, will please accept our thanks for a very pretty little memento in the shape of a thermometer desk calendar for the new year. This little calendar, like the Law burner, is all right.

The handsomest calendar for the new year to reach this office thus far is from the extensive lumbering firm of Wheeler & Dusenbury, Endora, Pa. The title is embellished with the figure of "American Horse," the Sioux Indian chief in war paint and dazzling hues, grim but gorgeous.

Christmas Day passed off quietly in Tionesta, there being but little or no drunkenness and no disturbances of the public peace. Many attended the Institute and lecture. Taken altogether the day was spent in a proper and modest manner and every one seemed to be happy and enjoying themselves.

Philip Emert had a new pair of shoes stolen from his shop one day last week. The thief walked into the shop in broad daylight and took the shoes, which were valued at \$7.00, making good his escape. He was followed as far as Tidionte by W. H. Ellis, and Mr. Emert, but he had too much start and was not captured.

T. F. Ritchey was appointed Burgess of the borough at argument court last Wednesday, George Birtel having resigned, owing to enforced absence from home, his employment compelling him to be away pretty much all the time. We believe Mr. Ritchey will prove a very efficient mayor of our thriving little city.

C. H. Gabriel, of Spartansburg, one of the druggists who was recently convicted of violating the law, requiring certificates to be displayed conspicuously, has appealed from the decision of Squire Kepler. He claims that the evidence did not warrant conviction, and also that the law is unconstitutional.—Meadville Gazette.

Roy Wasson and Glen Henry had a narrow escape from drowning while skating near the creek dam one day last week, but were safely rescued by Bruce Hagerty. Both boys knew that there was a large "air hole" in the ice at that point and their ducking was due to their own carelessness, and it should prove a warning to all skaters, as there is not a warning "long-guard" fellow like Bruce on a dam.

The Review of Reviews for January has a capital article on Sir John Tenniel and his career of fifty years on Punch, illustrated with a portrait of Tenniel drawn by himself and with reproductions of many of his famous cartoons. This study of the veteran British cartoonist and his work is followed by an appreciation of Mark Twain, the veteran American humorist, apropos of his recent return to his native shores.

The undersigned desiring to have back the following articles which belonged to his late wife and were bought at the sale of his goods during his illness by certain parties unknown to him. Will pay the purchasers their money on the return of the same to the Rural House or to him in person. The article are: A large plush or chintz organ cover, a white silk muffer and a large embroidered doily. If P. M. CLARK.

A minister who lost his child asked another minister to come and preach for him. He came and told how he lived on one side of the river, and felt very little interest for the people on the other side, until his daughter was married and went over there to live, and then every morning he went to the window and looked over that river, and felt very much concerned about that town and all the people there. "Now," said he, "I think as the child has crossed another river, heaven will be much dearer than it ever was before. Shall we not just let our hearts and affections be set on the other side of the river? It is but a step, is but a valley, we shall soon be in the other world. There is a sermon in those few words."

Zinc and Grinding make Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS.

J. R. Oogood is in Buffalo, N. Y., this week on a business trip. Harry Klontzover of Tidionte spent Christmas with Tionesta friends. Howard Kelly was home from Kiskamistota college over Christmas. Miss Ida Fones was home from business college at Pittsburgh over the holidays. Ted Kelly is up from Pittsburgh on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kelly. Miss Ellen Yetter, of Marienville, is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Weenk. James and Robert Work of West Minister College spent last week at Tidionte here.

Holiday Weddings.

Wedding bells rang clear and sweetly in the frosty morning air at 8 o'clock Monday morning, Dec. 31, 1900, when Miss Martha Josephine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Carson of West Hickory, was united in marriage to Mr. John G. Sheasley of Kittanning, Pa., by the Rev. Mr. Steele, pastor of the M. E. church at that place. This worthy young couple enters upon the sea of matrimony with the very best wishes of their many friends of Forest and other counties. Miss Josephine is one of Forest county's fair and accomplished daughters and we regret to say what is our loss is another's gain.

Argument Court Matters.

At Argument Court last Wednesday, 26th, ult., the following business was transacted: Arguments were heard in the case of the filing of an inventory in the matter of the estate of John Reek, deceased, but some was not finished, but continued to argument court. Brems and Irwin for petitioners, Ritley for administrators. In the Gas Co. case, it was argued at length by Mr. Bywang for the land owners, and Mr. Ritley for lessees, Tionesta Gas Co. Judge Lindsey took the papers home with him for further consideration. The return of sale of Edward Kerr, administrator of the real estate of the late J. J. Kellogg, of Barnett township, to A. Cook's Sons was confirmed. Bond approved and assigned by Irwin. P. M. Clark, Esq., presented a petition for leave to issue a writ of habeas corpus for J. M. Knapp. Reason for show cause granted, notice to be given. Before adjourning Judge Lindsey called attention to the fact that this was in all probability the last time Judge A. J. Motray would meet with us, and made a very nice address to him on the occasion, commending him on his good judgment and the uniform courtesy he had always exhibited toward his brethren on the bench and members of the bar; that he would be missed and would always have a pleasant place in his memory. He was followed by members of the bar in the order named: M. J. Bywang, T. F. Ritchey, S. D. Irwin, and P. M. Clark, who expressed like sentiments, all testifying to his worth as a judge and to his genial and pleasant disposition. Judge Motray in a feeling address to his fellow judges and the bar for the uniform kindness and courtesy with which he had been treated, assuring all that he would always kindly remember them, and that he parted from all with the best feelings, wishing all prosperity in the future.

Jefferson County Holocaust.

In the village of Sigel, ten miles from Brookville, Thursday, Dec. 27th, the house of John Harriger was burned, and Mrs. Harriger and her two little daughters, aged 3 and 7 years, perished. Mr. Harriger was away from home working on a lumber job. When Mrs. Harriger arose in the morning she discovered the house to be on fire, and called her two sons, who escaped. Mrs. Harriger ran up stairs to where her little children were sleeping, and catching her three-month-old baby in her arms threw it from the window. It sustained no injury. She directed her attention to the two little daughters, but was overcome by the fire and smoke, and she perished with them. Sigel is a small village without fire protection, and no aid could be summoned in time to save the house or its occupants.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. E. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Tol-Do, O. We, the undersigned, have known E. 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. West of Traux, wholesale druggists, Toledo, O., WALDING, KINMAN & 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 a surprising fact, says Prof. Hutton, "that in my travels in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's August Flower than any other remedy, for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, and for constipation. I find for tourists and salesmen, or for persons filling office positions, where headaches and general bad feelings from irregular habits exist, that Green's August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent use, and is excellent for sour stomachs and indigestion." Sample bottles free at J. D. Davis'.

Advertisement for E. W. Groves' Sore Throat Tonic, featuring a portrait of the inventor and text describing the product's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for D. P. Fredericks, M. D., a practitioner limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, located at Arlington Block, Oil City, Pa.

Advertisement for Bank Statement, No. 5638, reporting on the condition of the National Bank at Tionesta, Pa., for the year ending December 31, 1900.

Advertisement for LAMMERS', featuring a list of products like House cleaning, Leather Goods, Smoking Jackets, and Men's and Boys' clothing, along with contact information for the Arlington Hotel.

Large advertisement for L. J. Hopkins' Iron Corner, featuring an inventory list, contact information for James' Oil City, Pa., and a prominent advertisement for Killmer's Patent Medicines and Druggists' Sundries.