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WEDNESDAY, MAY 5, 1901.

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New Advertisements.
Hopkins, Locals.
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Rev. Shomp, Reader.
Devoe & Co., Reader.
Davis Pharmacy, Ad.
F. Walters & Co., Local.
Smart & Silberberg, Ad.
Penn'a Railroad, Readers.
Heath & Felt, Ad. and locals.
Stupp's Stationery, Teachers' examinations.
T. D. Collins, Three notices R. R. stockholders meetings.
—Oil market closed at \$1.10.
—Oil and gas leases at this office.
—You can get it at Hopkins' store.
—Lawn mowers sharpened and repaired at Amann's.
—Largest styles in straw hats just received at Heath & Felt's.
—J. W. Sires, Photographer, will be at his Tionesta studio every Wednesday. If —Good time to order that suit for the 4th. Get an International. Heath & Felt.
—How about your clothing. Come let us help you to a dandy suit at very little cost. Hopkins.
—There will be no preaching at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath. S. S. and C. E. as usual.
—Warm weather hats at Hopkins' and of nice patterns and latest style. As to price, that's always lowest here. It
—After January 1st, 1902, it will be unlawful for first cousins to marry, and all such contracts will thereafter be declared void.
—Large assortment of bicycle sundries just received at Amann's. New tires, inner tubes, rims, spokes, anything to make old wheels good as new. It
—Transparency is a desirable quality in window glass, but the good paint must possess opacity. Write Sterling White Lead Co., Pittsburgh, for booklet.
—Mrs. Charles H. Davis, 75 Glenwood Ave., Buffalo, is a member of the Pan-American Guest Association, and will have furnished rooms for visitors to the exposition at reasonable rates.
—Following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed for in the Tionesta, Pa., post office for the week ending May 5th, 1901: J. J. Forrester, Esq., Miss Julia Buck.
D. S. Knox, P. M.
—Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Orne desire to return their sincere thanks to the people of Balltown and vicinity for the many kindnesses rendered them during the recent sickness and death of their eldest daughter, Clara M. Orne.
—Frank R. Thompson, who was severely injured by being caught by the fly wheel of an engine while at work at a well near Bloomdale, Ohio, recently, is so far recovered as to be able to be about some. He had a very narrow escape.
—A beautiful assortment of especially handsome and stylish shapes in ready to wear hats has just been received at F. Walters & Co.'s millinery store, and for the next week they will offer some rare bargains in \$2.50 and \$3.00 trimmed hats. See them before purchasing.
—A pug dog, the pet of the house, strayed from the premises of George Osgood, at Whig Hill, recently, and if any one knows of his whereabouts they will confer a lasting favor on the family by giving the information. The dog wore a chain collar when he left his home.
—Some boys at play along the river bank one day last week found a pike weighing about fifteen pounds that had been killed by dynamite. It was evident the shot had been set off the evening previous for the monster fish still showed some slight signs of life. The perpetrator of this dastardly work has been pretty well spotted and it will not be surprising to hear of his being placed where neither dynamite nor fish will bother him much for a while.

YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bristow are visiting friends at Whig Hill.
—Mrs. J. H. Robertson was visiting Oil City friends over Sunday.
—Mrs. J. R. Morgan is a guest of friends in Oil City this week.
—G. G. Gaston was a business visitor to Pittsburg a part of last week.
—Miss Mame Fitzgerald is visiting friends in Sistersville, West Va.
—Mrs. Wm. Wolcott and children are visiting friends in Edinboro, Pa.
—G. W. Sawyer has moved into a part of the house in rear of the gas office.
—Mrs. J. P. Huling spent Sunday with friends in Hickory and Endeavor.
—Ed Dunkle was up from Oil City to visit his sister, Mrs. George Killmer Saturday.
—John Grove of Franklin was circulating among Tionesta friends the first of the week.
—C. M. Shawkey, Esq., of Warren, was a business visitor to Tionesta the first of the week.
—Mrs. Sue M. Sharp returned Saturday from a week's visit with friends in Titusville.
—Mrs. Robert Adams of Walnut Bend, was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. McCrea a part of last week.
—Squire Charles E. Matthews, of Clarington, was a pleasant caller at the REPUBLICAN office Monday evening.
—Herb Stanley, of Tylersburg, one of Clarion county's stalwart Democrats, is a visitor in Tionesta this week.
—Miss Iva Carpenter of Endeavor spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend Maude Anderson of Mt. Pleasant.
—J. S. Grove of the north ward has moved his family and household effects to Oil City, where they will conduct a large boarding house.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hart were up from Oil City visiting friends over Sunday, and were accompanied on their return home by Miss Genevieve Doutt.
—Miss Grace Davis is visiting relatives in Tionesta. Her engagement to Dr. W. S. Pierce, of Warren, was recently announced, and congratulations are in order.—Mail.
—Mrs. C. M. Shawkey and son Howard arrived home from Buffalo last Saturday. It is hoped that the operation on Howard by a surgeon will prove beneficial.—Warren Mail.
—A number of the young ladies from this place assisted Miss Claudia Graham to close her school at Jamieson station Monday, with a basket picnic. An enjoyable time was had.
—Mrs. Sheldon Poindexter of Bond county, Ill., accompanied by her young son, arrived Monday morning and is paying a visit to her brother, A. W. Mong, of the township.
—J. M. White of Warren, a former Forest county resident, was a caller on the REPUBLICAN Monday. He was on his way to Buck Mills, where he spent much of his time some twenty years ago.
—Elmer L. Sutton, who was the unanimous choice of the Republicans of Forest county at the late primaries for State Delegate, was in town yesterday, and the REPUBLICAN acknowledges a pleasant call from him.
—Rev. Mr. Cornelius of Oil City occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church here last Sabbath morning and evening, at the morning service administering the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. His evening discourse was a very excellent one and was listened to by a large audience.
—Forty-three of the young friends of Miss Bertha Vought assisted her in the celebration of her fifteenth birthday last Friday evening, May 3rd. A delightful evening was spent by the happy young people, during which a delicious lunch was disposed of. Very many handsome presents were left with Miss Bertha as mementos of the pleasant occasion.
—Messrs. E. E. Ameler and Henry L. Miller formerly of Marienville, are now located at East Sandy, Pa., near which place they have embarked in the lumbering business, having purchased a large body of pine and oak timber and erected a fine manufacturing plant. Both are experienced in that line, and their success is assured, which their host of Forest county friends will always be glad to note.
—Editor Shick, Clyde Whitehill, Harry Harp and J. A. Turner of Marienville, were down Monday evening mingling with their Masonic brethren. Mr. Shick took with him on the return trip a very handsome prize-winning beagle rabbit hound. Every well regulated, up-to-date painting office should own a thoroughbred dog, and we have wondered how it happened that the Express office managed to get along so long without this very necessary adjunct.
—Major John Woodcock, at one time a leading citizen of Neilltown, this county, died at his home in Portland, Indiana, and on Wednesday last, his remains were brought east and given burial at his former home in Neilltown. Major Woodcock will be remembered by a very large number of our people as one of the really good citizens of Forest county, a man whom everybody respected highly and who was the soul of honor and integrity. We are without particulars of his death, which is a surprise to his old friends here.
The Right Sort of Hospitality.
When you go down in the region of President for a little recreation and sport you should call around to those big-hearted and hospitable farmers like Charles Huff, George McAlmont and Charles Fox, who are always glad to see their friends, and, unlike some places, a card reading like the following will now be an item of great interest to you strike the premises:
HUNTING & FISHING ALLOWED
On these grounds and when the horn blows come to dinner.
Now that's something like it. When encountering something like that you will know at once that you are welcome to indulge in a little pleasurable pastime, and won't feel that you are a thief and a robber, liable to be pounced upon and driven off the premises like an outlaw. Live Range, over at Stewarts Run, has also had a number of such placards printed and will not object to any gentlemanly sportsman paying a visit to his place.

Death of John Thomson.

The subject of this sketch is well known to the people of Forest and Venango counties, was born at Ayrshire Scotland on April 25, 1827, and was a son of William and Elizabeth (Morton) Thomson. He was raised and educated in his native town, serving a five years apprenticeship, as is the custom here, at the carpenter's trade in the town of Ayr on the coast of Scotland, near the famous "Brigs of Ayr" celebrated in verse by the immortal Burns. Being a native of the same country of the post, and knowing his career both from history and tradition, viewing the same scenes in his youth of which the greatest of Scotia's poets wrote, he worshipped his memory and took delight in quoting the lines of "Nature's Poet." He sailed for America on the 18th of Oct. 1850, and settled at Stewart's Run in what is now Harmony township, Forest county, Pa., where he cleared and improved the farm where he spent the married days. On Oct. 16, 1859 he married Jennette, daughter of William and Mary (Stewart) McCulloch, also of Ayrshire, and they had twelve children, nine of whom survive, viz: Hugh M., of Bradnor, O., Mary S. (Mrs. Quintain Jamieson) of Tionesta, John A., of Chicago, Ill., Bessie M. (Mrs. James R. Clark), of Tionesta, James D., of Nebraska, Pa., Charles F., of Badner, Ohio, Frank R., of Bloomdale, Ohio, Gilbert M., of Chicago and Albert L., of Tionesta, Pa., who with his widow survive him to mourn the loss of this kind and indulgent parent. As a carpenter he built many of the best of the older houses in Tionesta which was made a borough about the time of his arrival in the country. He was thorough in everything. His work was substantial as well as ornamental, as many of the structures he erected stand in evidence to-day. For many years he was a member of the I. O. O. F., to whose principles he was a devoted adherent to the last. In politics he was as loyal to his adopted country as "one to the manor born"—always a Republican. Filled various offices, was a county commissioner, and as long as he had strength was a leading man in township affairs. He always was a believer. He believed in God. A good man gone to his reward. Funeral services will be held to-morrow, Thursday, at 2 o'clock p. m., at his late home, Stewart's Run, and will be in charge of the Odd Fellows lodge of this place. The cortege will arrive here about 4 o'clock and proceed direct to Riverside, where the interment will be.

Death of Mrs. W. T. King.

The following account of the death of the above named lady is copied from the News, of Merrill, Wis., the late home of the deceased, whose husband, Mr. King is the brother of Mrs. H. W. Horner, of Tionesta:
The death of Mrs. Wm. T. King, which occurred at the family home at an early hour Tuesday morning, has occasioned much grief among a broad circle of friends and acquaintances in this as well as other cities. Though the end was not unexpected the shock is no less keenly felt and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family and relatives. Mrs. King's health had been gradually failing for a number of years, more rapidly during the past winter, and a few weeks ago her condition reached an alarming stage. For many days anxious friends and relatives hovered about her bedside hoping against hope that her life might be spared. All that medical skill and careful nursing could do to arrest the progress of the disease proved of no avail and she gradually grew weaker and weaker, finally sinking into unconsciousness that lasted until the end. At four o'clock Tuesday morning she breathed her last. Her ailment, as designated by the attending physician, Dr. Farber, was neurasthenia, or nervous prostration. Mrs. King, whose maiden name was Antoinette Mosher, was born on Christmas day in 1833, at Grand Rapids, Wis., and was one of two daughters born to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mosher. Her early life was spent in that city and in June, 1873 she was married to Wm. T. King. This union was blessed with one child which died in its infancy. In 1888 Mr. and Mrs. King removed to this city making this their permanent home. Mrs. King was a very estimable woman, generous, kind and loving, and was liked by all who knew her. Funeral services were held at the house Thursday afternoon, Rev. J. V. Hedges conducting a beautiful and impressive service. Mrs. W. H. Felt and Mrs. Theo. Zipp rendered two favorite hymns of the departed, one of them being "Nearer My God to Thee." The house was fairly filled with beautiful flowers, tokens of esteem from sorrowing friends. Hundreds of people attended the services and followed the remains to the cemetery.

Arrested for Larceny.

Sheriff Jamieson, with a posse, arrested Eliot Rogers and Harry Woodard, alias Jenkins, at a shanty opposite Trunk-Yville at an early hour yesterday morning, and brought them before Esquire Randall, where they waived a hearing and were lodged in jail to await trial at May sessions. The charge against the prisoners is the larceny of a beef ox from Daniel C. Sheehan, of Fagundus, in August last, which they sold to butcher Brady of Titusville. One of the prisoners gave the Sheriff and his assistants a lively chase, but when the Sheriff gave orders to shoot if he did not halt, the fellow came up standing instantly.

Cream of the News.

—Many people feel their importance who haven't any.
—"Red Star" shoes are the ones for children. Heath & Felt, agents.
—Strong butter is bad butter. It's the same way with a goat.
—A thirsty physician may be properly called a dry Doc.
—A very nice shoe for ladies at Heath & Felt's for \$1.00.
—The young author whose "offerings" are never paid for says that he works unremittently.
—Ladies' low shoes in the very newest styles at Heath & Felt's.
—"That gives me a pome," as the sash said when the glazier fitted in the glass.
—Brighton Young was the first American to test 16 to 1.
—Shoes! Shoes! Shoes! All grades at Heath & Felt's.
—Behind the lips that wears the smile May lurk, perhaps, the deepest guile.
—Amann has the agency for the Columbia "Imperial" bicycle. See samples.
—A tender attachment—the vehicle that carries coal for a locomotive.
—The money-lender is always anxious that interest should not lag.
—Bicycles repaired at Amann's.
—There are lots of people who jump at the chance to trade happiness for riches.
—In clothing we lead as we always have. Styles strictly up-to-date, and they wear like breakerskin. Don't forget that our prices beat them all for loveliness. Hopkins.
—For carpets come here. Think we can suit you better than any of them. Hopkins.
—The best recommendation a man can have is never to need one.
—Hats for the heated term at Hopkins'. See them.
—The man who was sent to inspect an oil well said he was a committee of the hole.
—Our line of carpets caps them all. The patterns are the prettiest, quality the best, and price the lowest. Come and see. We cut, make and lay them if you want. Hopkins.
—Talking is a pernicious habit—unless you have something to say.
Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.
Stockholders Meetings.
TIONESTA VALLEY & SALMON CREEK RAILROAD COMPANY.
A meeting of the stockholders of the Tionesta Valley & Salmon Creek Railroad Company is hereby called to meet at the general office of the company at Nebraska, Penna., on Thursday, May 16, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting on the consolidation of the said Company with the Sheffield & Tionesta Railway Company, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting. T. D. COLLINS, President.

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You'll be buying fancy Hose. We ask you to see a line here that embraces almost EVERY CONCEIT IMAGINABLE IN FANCY HOSE, from 25c to \$1.75 pr. At 25c we have the drop stitch, and what is a great deal more in demand, the Lace Stripes. Maybe you don't know there's quite a difference—there is, you'll say, when you see these. A BIG SHOWING IN BLACK at 25c. Very pretty fancy Drop Stitch List—in plain black and colors, 50c.

COLLAR POINTS.
Lace and Embroidery Collar Points—dainty affairs, 10c to 50c. A hand made one of Battenberg, 50c.

THE NEW DIP BELT.
Of Pleated Satin, with fancy buckle, turquoise set, 50c. Belt Pin, with turquoise set, 25c. Side Combs with turquoise set, 25c. Round Combs with turquoise set, 25c.

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Our Shirt Waist stock is about complete; a splendid showing at from 50c to \$3.

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Premium No. 1—\$100 Man's Suit or Overcoat for largest and heaviest pumpkin grown from seeds furnished by us.
Premium No. 2—\$50 Boy's Suit or Overcoat for largest and heaviest pumpkin grown from seed furnished by us, pumpkin to be grown by boys, age 16 or under.
Premium No. 3—Chest of Tools valued at \$250 for the largest pumpkin grown from seeds furnished by us, pumpkin to be grown by boys, age 10 and under.
Premium No. 4—That the ladies and girls may have a chance at the pumpkin contest we offer a \$500 Gold Piece for the largest and heaviest pumpkin grown from seeds furnished by us, pumpkin to be grown by either a lady or girl.
RULES OF CONTEST.
Pumpkin to be left at our store on or before October 16th, 1901, and to be our property whether they get a premium or not.—Only one person in a family entitled to a premium.—Only persons procuring seeds from us, and having their names and address registered, are entitled to a premium.—Seeds are free and can be had for the asking FROM US by any person desiring to enter the contest.—Contest open any time you get ready to plant your seed.
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