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Oil market closed at \$1.58.  
You can get it at Hopkins' store. If  
And the prospects for an ice crop are  
getting no better fast.

Wanted.—White oak piling, telegraph poles, ties and lath. Box 154, Station A, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Take a look at our shoe bargain counter. It will surprise you, the good values that are offered. Hopkins. If

The senior class of the High School served a fine three-course luncheon to the faculty last Friday noon at the school building.

Every article offered at the Hopkins clearance sale is now this season, so in buying you get the newest at about half price.

The County Commissioners, at their meeting Monday fixed the first and third Tuesdays of each month as their regular meeting days.

Just a few ladies' jackets left, sizes 36, 38 and 40. They all go at your own price. Don't delay your opportunity. Hopkins.

A case of smallpox is said to have developed near Boggs' school, near Hyde-town. The patient is Mrs. William Skelly. The disease is fully developed, but of a mild type.

Don't be fooled. We're likely to have much cold weather yet and furs will still be worn. Get one at your own price at the Hopkins clearance sale. Never so cheap as now.

For information regarding the Government site for the National Tuberculosis Hospital, and the Fraternal City, write to the Fraternal City Publishing Company, Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Following is the list of letters lying uncalled for in the Tionesta, Pa., post-office for week ending January 31, 1906: Mr. Warner Tarill, Mr. F. L. Hancock, card. D. S. Knox, P. M.

The Y. W. C. T. U. will have a box social in the K. O. T. M. hall at East Hickory, Saturday night, Feb. 3d, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to come and the ladies are invited to bring boxes.

There is a purchaser somewhere for every piece of property that is offered for sale. In what other way can you get in touch with the man you want to reach so surely and so cheaply as through the columns of the newspaper?—Printer's Ink.

The measurements have been taken for a new free mail delivery route which will start from Tionesta and take in the Redburn settlement. Should it be established, as it doubtless will be, it would accommodate a large number of citizens with a daily mail.

Hi there! Oil City Blizzard! We scarcely knew you in that new dress. But it's quite becoming and very pretty. The best is not always the handsomest, but now you cover both points most admirably. Keep right on getting richer, better and handsomer in your old age. Your many friends are tickled to death to note it all.

A meeting for the purpose of effecting a county organization of the Anti-Saloon League for Forest county, will be held in the Court House at Tionesta, Tuesday, Feb. 6th, at 2:30 p. m. The evening service will be held in the Presbyterian church at 7:30. A number of prominent temperance speakers are expected to be present.

Rev. James Hugh Keeley, of Franklin, Pa., will preach in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning and evening. Morning service at 11 o'clock and evening at 7. Remember, seven o'clock sharp. Rev. Keeley is a popular lecturer, an able writer and editor, and is well informed on all public questions. The general public is invited to hear him.

Burglars broke into the postoffice at Hazelhurst, Elk county, about 4 a. m. Monday, carried a 1,200 pound safe from the office to a point about 500 feet from the building and blew it open. They secured between \$500 and \$600 in cash and stamps, together with a quantity of money order receipts and postmaster accounts. They escaped and left no clue.

About thirty-five birds were sent from here Monday to the first annual exhibition of the McCuen county poultry association being held at Bradford this week. Those who sent exhibits are, Henry O'Hara, Chas. Keniston, Mrs. P. C. Hill, Frank Amsler, Fred Reib and John M. Zuendel. Archie Davis sent a pair of birds to the Cleveland show Saturday.

Last Friday night Liveryman A. C. Urey, who had driven a customer to Leeper, Pa., while turning his team, was thrown out of the buggy, alighting on his head and shoulders. The upsetting of the buggy frightened the horses and they started to run away. Mr. Urey held to the lines and was dragged over the frozen ground a distance of several rods when assistance came to his relief. His face was severely bruised and a deep, long gash cut over the left eye, necessitating the attention of a physician and the inserting of several stitches to close the wound over his eye. 'Twas a close call and gives Mr. Urey the appearance of having had an argument with the business end of a threshing machine.

The Jamestown Post says the ice in the upper end of Chautauque Lake has disappeared, and in the lower end it has diminished to a thickness of about nine inches to about four inches. Moreover, it is so thoroughly honeycombed that a stick could be shoved through it easily. From the present outlook, the icehouses around the lake will remain empty for weeks to come, and some are even afraid they will not be filled in the remainder of the winter.

The recently organized local lodge of the order known as the Homeless 26, held their first banquet last Friday evening at the Central. The tables were prettily decorated and an elegant menu was prepared for the delectation of the "homeless" men, twenty-three of whom graced the occasion by their presence. At the close of the banquet E. W. Bowman acted as toastmaster and toasts were responded to by Dr. J. C. Dunn, Robert A. Fulton, E. E. Fleming, M. A. Carringer, G. H. Herman, C. C. Nichols and C. F. Felt.

The Ladies of the Relief Corps will serve a "bean bake supper" in their new hall, in the Killmer building Friday evening, Feb. 2d, from 5:30 to 8:00 o'clock, to which everybody is cordially invited. The proceeds will be devoted to replenishing the treasury of Capt. Geo. Stow Post, 274, G. A. R. A good supper and a pleasant time is promised by the ladies and that is sufficient guarantee to bring out a large patronage. Go and have a good, wholesome supper, and at the same time assist in increasing the treasury of the Comrades.

The report that the Pennsylvania Railroad had officially decided to eliminate the famous Horseshoe curve in the Allegheny mountains by constructing a nine-mile tunnel at a cost of \$15,000,000, is denied by G. W. Snyder, assistant engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. "The plan has been under consideration for the last 20 years," said Mr. Snyder. "Nothing definite has ever been decided, however, and I believe never will be. While a tunnel would greatly reduce operating expenses the project would cost too much."

The Chickasha Express reprints the following from one of its exchanges: "Sing a song of pestilence, a fellow full of rye, four and twenty serpents dancing in his eye; when his eyes were opened, he shouted for his life; wasn't he a pretty chap to go before his wife? His hat was in the parlor, underneath the chair, his boots were in the hallway, his coat was on a chair, his trousers in the kitchen, his collar on a shelf, but he hasn't any notion where he is himself; when the morn was breaking, someone heard him call—his head was on the ice box, which was the best of all."

The second quarterly meeting for this conference year will be held in the M. E. church at Nebraska, beginning with Thursday evening, Feb. 1, at 7:30. Rev. D. A. Platt, Presiding Elder, will preach Friday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday—Love feast at 10 a. m. Sermon, followed by the Holy Communion, at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. At 7 p. m. sermon by the Presiding Elder. Monday at 2:30 p. m. the quarterly conference. Sermon at 7:30 p. m. Meetings to continue through the week. No service in the Tionesta M. E. church next Sunday except Sunday school and Epworth League.

The regular district quarterly meeting of the Oil City District, Oil City Conference of the Free Methodist church, will be held in Tionesta, beginning Thursday evening of this week and continuing over the Sabbath. All the preachers of the district are expected to be present, besides official members and visitors from adjoining circuits. The quarterly conference will convene Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Different matters pertaining to the camp meeting will be considered, the most important of which will be its location. A missionary meeting will be held some time during the meeting, probably Sabbath afternoon. Rev. J. S. McGeary, the District Elder, will have charge and will preach Sabbath morning. There will be services each evening, also Friday and Saturday at 2 p. m. The Sunday services will be as follows: Love feast beginning at 9 a. m., followed by preaching and the Sacrament service; again at 3 p. m., and in the evening. All are cordially invited to attend all these services. R. A. Z.

Secretary Kalbfus, of the state game commission who has returned from North Carolina, where he went to buy five quail for the purpose of restocking depleted covers in Pennsylvania, is disgusted with the outcome of his visit. He discovered that public sentiment is against the shipment of live birds out of the state, although he found exposed for sale on the streets dead quail with the prices averaging about 12½ cents a piece. He says that he knows that very large numbers of these dead quail are being shipped out of North Carolina to northern states, especially to the markets of New York, Philadelphia and Boston. "When I consider," he said, "conditions in North Carolina and along the entire southern coast of Maryland to Florida I am disposed to question the justice of the laws of Canada or the law in Pennsylvania that limits our sportsmen or our 'pot' hunters as it does. It is hardly fair to the sportsmen of the north to be restricted as they are, to be compelled to permit the flight of these birds into that southern country where they may be slaughtered by persons who kill only for profit and who live almost exclusively from the pursuit of this business." Secretary Kalbfus says that he fails to see the justice or propriety of keeping Pennsylvania's law as it stands today unless the people of the southern section are disposed to help in the matter of protection to our migratory birds.

Before we can sympathize with others we must have suffered ourselves." No one can realize the suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip, unless he has had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All danger from the grip, however, may be avoided by the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy, not one case has ever been reported that has resulted in pneumonia or that has not recovered. For sale by Dunn & Fulton.

Heavy price cutting on the famous Wooltex skirts. Very nearly half. The greatest bargains you ever heard of. Hopkins.

### PERSONAL.

—Harry Carson was up from Oil City to spend Sunday at home.

—Miss Blanche Pease was visiting schools in Oil City last Friday.

—Harry and Mentor Felt were home from Buffalo over Sunday to visit their families.

—Editor Sam. Pickens of the Marienville Express spent Friday night at the county seat.

—J. C. Morecraft, of New York City, is paying a visit to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wenk.

—J. M. Zuendel and ex-Commissioner Conrad Burbeon, of Starr, were welcome callers Monday.

—Ex-Sheriff F. P. Walker was down from Grunderville Wednesday greeting his many old Tionesta friends.

—Arthur Kelly, of Chicago, spent last week in Tionesta the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kelly.

—James Shreve has removed his family from Grand Valley to Tionesta and they are occupying their new home on Walnut street.

—J. N. Gerow, Sr. returned last Wednesday from Mars, Butler county, where he has been engaged in the lumber business.

—A. W. Albaugh, of East Hickory, went to Parsons, W. Va., last week, where he will be engaged in business for some time.

—Clerk of the Courts Geist has issued a marriage license to Charles Bower, of Stroblton, and Miss Phoebe E. Blocher, of Newmansville.

—Lester Holeman, agent at the Erie depot for the Adams Express Co., came home Saturday and remained over the Sabbath with his mother.

—The REPUBLICAN acknowledges pleasant calls from its old friends Wm. Albaugh of East Hickory, on Friday, and J. B. Erb on Monday.

—Miss Ida Fones entertained a large number of her young friends in a delightful card party at her home Saturday evening, closing the pleasant evening by serving dainty refreshments.

—Mrs. Robert A. Fulton was home from Youngville over Sunday, but with her mother, Mrs. H. W. Horner, is again in that place, on account of illness in the family of A. H. Gallup.

—Peter Karn, for the past seven or eight years a resident of Tionesta, is moving to Meadville, his former home, where he has secured a position as fireman at the power house of the street railway company. Pete will be missed by our citizens, but the wildcats, whose extermination he threatened to accomplish, will not be sorry that he's taken himself away.

—Very many friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford H. Secor, of Nebraska, in the taking away of their infant daughter, which bereavement came to the fond parents on Friday morning last, when the innocent little babe breathed its last, having lived but three days. The cause was weak heart action. Brief services were held at the home on Sabbath at noon by Rev. W. O. Calhoun, after which a special train was placed at the disposal of the funeral party by Mr. Collins, of the S. & T. railway, and the remains were taken to Sheffield where the interment was made, Rev. H. A. Ellis conducting services at the grave.

### Clarington.

Mrs. W. W. Callen came home from Tionesta, where she was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Mealy.

Harry Warner, our champion checker player, is looking for new fields to conquer.

P. T. Hottel and C. A. Clark are rusting in Warren county.

The Republicans and Democrats have each nominated a strong ticket.

Our young people were at Redcliffe to an oyster supper. All report a good time. Jay Burket came home from West Virginia and is porter at the Hotel Henderson.

The Winlack Oil Co.'s well on the Frazier prospect is a duster in the Speechly sand and they are going down to the Kane. Hope to get gas.

The Jefferson Gas Co. finished one on the Tillotson and it is claimed to be the best well in the field.

The Democracy of Barnett are trying to introduce what is known in Jefferson county as bean pole justice.

Sheriff Stroup made our town a visit last week.

W. A. Crossman bought a nice tract of timber from Mrs. Mary Maze.

Ex-Sheriff Thompson, of Clarion, was auctioneer at the sale of the late J. M. Montgomery held here Jan. 20th. The sale was well attended and everything sold at good prices.

A. R. Braden and J. L. Fitzgerald attended court at Brookville last week.

J. M. Huff was at Ridgway a few days. Squire Matthews sent four pens of high bred poultry to Pittsburgh.

Jas. Henderson, of Imperial, Pa., was visiting friends in town over Saturday.

### Duhring.

Clyde Plank spent Sunday at Loleta as the guest of his brother Lyle.

Little Gustia Olsen has been quite sick the past week.

A party was given at M. Dalton's Wednesday night. All report a very pleasant time.

Elmer Dunkle of North Pine Grove, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Smile Gross.

Ernest and Florence Aikens are making a two weeks' visit at Chas. Nellis'. Peter Olsen has moved into the house formerly occupied by Jacob Black.

### Tickets Nominated for Feb. Election.

In the Borough the Republicans met Saturday evening and placed the following ticket in nomination: Burgess, Dr. F. J. Bovard; council, J. T. Dale, Wm. Smarbaugh; school directors, C. F. Weaver, Quintain Jamieson; collector, S. S. Canfield; auditors, Harry Bankhead, Adolph Blum; judge of elections, G. W. Osgood; inspector, S. R. Maxwell. On Friday night a citizens ticket was nominated as follows: Burgess, J. T. Carson; council, H. M. Forzman, E. W. Bowman; school directors, L. J. Hopkins, J. J. Landers; collector, W. H. Hood; auditors, Harry Bankhead, Bruce Hagerty; judge of elections, C. A. Hill; inspector, Chas. Killmer.

**TIOGESTA TWP.**  
Republicans nominated: Supervisor, Wm. McKee; school directors, Jacob Smarbaugh 1 year, C. F. Ledebur 3 years, Henry Wolf 3 years; auditors, Albert Strickenberg, Melchior Jann; collector, Fred Dryer; judge, Wm. Thomas; inspector, J. D. Wentworth. Democrats nominated: Supervisor, Geo. Monday; school directors, Chas. Weingard, Wm. Corb, August Wagner; auditors, J. C. Hoover, Wm. Mealy; collector, Wm. Nichol; judge, Henry Matha; inspector, Chas. Cropp.

Hickory twp., Republican—Supervisor, H. B. Evans; school directors, W. O. Fueselhart, R. O. Whitton, T. B. Lehentaler; collector, Joseph Green; auditor, J. H. King; judge, John Metzgar; inspector, F. E. Keiffer.

Green twp., Republican—Supervisor, Wm. Conger; school directors, Fred, R. Klinefiter, Frank Hunter, Ed. Kiser, H. A. Dotterer; collector, R. W. Ledebur; auditor, J. F. Jones, Geo. Hilsenman; judge, J. P. Kerr; inspector, Nicholas Thompson.

Green twp., Democratic—Supervisor, Herman Blum; school directors, John Knupp 1 year, Nelson Moore 2 years, Fred. Weingard 3 years, John Hinderer 3 years; collector, Edward Winker; auditors, Edward Winker 3 years, Henry Weingard 2 years; town clerk, George McKown; judge, Frank H. Young; inspector, Edward Blum.

Harmony twp., Republican—Supervisor, M. L. Range; school directors, E. B. Head, Francis Hoover, W. G. Wilkins; collector, D. E. Carson; auditor, Geo. L. King.

Kingsley twp., Republican—Supervisor, A. L. Weller; school directors, Chas. Price, Wm. Deahner; collector, John M. Zuendel; auditor, W. C. Sizle; clerk, Geo. Klinefiter; treasurer, J. F. Ray; justice of the peace, John Shaw, L. D. Smith.

Barnett twp., Republican—Supervisor, J. G. Cook, John Kellogg; school directors, Mrs. Wm. Potter, D. P. Weaver, J. H. Barton; collector, A. R. Slaughteraupt; auditor, W. C. Cook.

### Death of Stephen S. Whaley.

Mr. Whaley, of Endeavor, passed away peacefully Friday morning, Jan. 26, 1906, surrounded by his family, after several months of suffering. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. D. Mowrey from the M. E. church, East Hickory, Sabbath afternoon, at which the church was too small to seat all who attended. The floral offering was very large, showing with what respect and affection he was held in the community in which he had lived the past twenty years.

Mr. Whaley was born in Lockport, N. Y., June 6th, 1824. His father was one of the early settlers of Niagara county, N. Y., and served in the war of 1812. August 2d, 1870, Mr. Whaley was married to Mary J. Owen, of Rouseville, Pa. In 1850 he went to California, via the Isthmus, remaining six years. He had a barrel factory in Cochranton in 1863, after which he moved to the oil regions, coming to Forest county in 1886, locating at Endeavor.

Mr. Whaley was converted and joined the M. E. church when quite a young man and during the years of his membership he was an untiring worker in the Sunday school as well as the church. He was decidedly evangelical—he believed the sayings of our Lord Jesus Christ with all his heart, and rested upon them. His christian life and death are a precious legacy to the church and to his family, and to all who knew him. He never murmured or complained, even when he suffered in body, but was ever ready to say, "Thy will be done."

There survive him, wife, one daughter, Miss May Whaley, one son, E. W. Whaley, and niece, Mrs. Lee.

### Mail by Star Route.

The following communication from the Second Assistant P. M. General, Washington, D. C., to the Postmaster at Tionesta, Pa., is of interest to patrons living along star routes:

SIR:—In response to your letter of the 15th inst., requesting to be advised if a mail carrier on a star route is required to carry mail to a person from two offices on each side of his box, you are informed that where a person has a box on the route, and part of his mail comes addressed to the next post office on one side, and part to the next post office on the other side, there is no reason why the carrier should not take it to the box in both cases. In such a case the person must file with both postmasters a request in writing for the delivery of his mail to the carrier on the route for deposit at the designated point at the risk of the addressee. W. S. SHALLENBORN.

### Dangers of a Cold and How to Avoid Them

More fatalities have their origin in or result from a cold than from any other cause. This fact alone should make people more careful as there is no danger whatever from a cold when it is properly treated in the beginning. For many years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been recognized as the most prompt and effectual medicine in use for this disease. It acts on nature's plan, loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by Dunn & Fulton.

WANTED.—Spoke timber. We pay from \$7.00 to \$8.00 per face cord for good clean second growth white oak spoke timber, delivered at our mill, Oil City, Pa. For particulars call or address Eagle Spoke Works, Oil City, Pa.

—We've a lot of sweaters for gentlemen, ladies and children that we desire to get rid of and have placed the price so low that you'll undoubtedly want one. Hopkins.

### From South Africa.

GREENVILLE M. S., PONDOLAND, November 28, 1905.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Last week I stopped in my narration with our arrival at Fair View, on our way to our new station, so I will now try to tell you a little of our drive of sixty miles by ox wagon.

Thursday morning, Nov. 23, at about nine o'clock we were ready to start. I wish you could have seen us about that time. You would have gotten some amusement no doubt. Ahead were six oxen hitched to a very heavy springless two-wheeled cart about six feet long and about five feet wide at the hubs. The frame above us was made of crooked sticks bent from one side to the other, making an arch a little too low for us to sit upon the seat as straight as was comfortable. These arches were strengthened by sticks crossing them at right angles, being held in place by strips of rawhide tied at each crossing. Over this frame was fastened a sail to protect us from the direct rays of the sun. On a cart of this kind the heaviest load must be in front so there will be no danger of choking the oxen. Accordingly our large trunk and heaviest box of groceries (tinned meats, vegetables, etc.) were put directly in front and these being too high to sit on our seat was put in behind, facing backwards. As it would probably be some weeks before our goods coming by freight could reach us we were obliged to take with us enough bedding, dishes, etc., to shanty until then. As a result the front of the cart was packed solid to the top, boxes were under our seat and under our feet, stowpans, washboard, etc., were tied inside the sticks and the roll of quilts was standing on one end of the seat; and when I took my hat off because the top was low, I could hardly find a place to put it. Thus packed up we said good bye to the friends there and started, baby and I on the seat and Mr. Smith walking behind. When we had gone about a mile or two Mr. Smith stopped and made more room on the seat by tying the bedding outside, in front. About one or two we "outspanned" for about two hours so that the oxen could get food and water and during this time had our own dinner, a nice cold lunch prepared by Misses Allen and Reed. Traveling by oxen we cannot outspan when we choose but at places where both grass and water may be secured for the oxen. About six o'clock we reached a place where hundreds of ox drivers outspan and stopped for the night. Mr. Smith pitched our tent and we prepared our supper, making some tea in our tea kettle, which we heated on the fire built by our drivers. After tea we spread our quilts, by the light of a candle, on the grass and enjoyed a good night's rest, glad of the privilege of enjoying a little hardness for Jesus' sake. The next morning we had intended starting about three, as the oxen can travel so much more easily when the sun is not so hot, but overstepped. However we were off about two hours later, travelling until about 8:30, when we stopped for breakfast at a place that for beauty would suit the most artistic. We were beneath a large tree and on the bank of a beautiful stream of water with trees on either side, while the water wound in and out over the rocks and across the road only to continue its melodious sounds. We had been on the road so long and the sun was already so hot that it was hard to realize it was not noon. The natives soon had a fire on the ground and a kettle of mealy (corn meal) porridge cooking. Our breakfast consisted of mealy porridge, boiled eggs and tea and nice bread and butter. After breakfast was over and we had prayers, I washed the dishes and while Mr. Smith was packing things back into the cart I washed some things for the baby on the rocks of the stream, native style. About eleven we were again moving at the rate of about two miles or a trifle more an hour, outspanning again about 2:30. Before we had finished our dinner a drizzling rain began, so some time was spent lowering the sail that was over us so as to keep out the rain and in making other preparations for stormy weather and then we pushed on. At six it was still raining and the grass was too wet to sleep on. On inquiring we found we were about five miles from a house where travelers were entertained, so we thought it best to push on slowly as the oxen could stand it and get beds for the night, which we did, arriving between eight and nine o'clock. Here we were held all the next two days by continual rain. We started Saturday morning but as the road led for seven or eight miles up and down hill, over great cuttings exceeding the cuttings between Tionesta and East Hickory, and on the grades oxen and wheels slid like a sled on the snow, we considered it dangerous and turned back.

Monday morning the sun was shining and the wind was blowing at such a rate that the roads were soon quite hard and we had started on our last day's trek. The first eight miles were those mentioned above and which led us down to the Umavuma River, which forms the boundary between Natal and Pondoland. Here we found, after fording the river which is at times impassible, the customs officers living in some tents and to whom all drivers must report. All wheat, whole or ground, and some few other things have a duty coming into Pondoland. The ascent from the river on the Pondoland side was too wonderful for description. We had at least five miles of continual climbing over such cuttings as I had never seen before and the road winding continually around the hills projecting in every direction into the greater depressions at our right. For instance, about half way up a very high hill, almost perpendicular, wound a road around a bend, making a horse shoe. But extending from this great depression around which we would wear various lesser depressions around which we must wind in and out, making the letter "w," the letter "a," etc., before we reached the end of the great curve. This curve we finished only to go around a great hill, ascending as we went and leading around another depression but ever upward until we were about fifteen hundred feet above sea level and then were not at the top.

ROSA HUSTON SMITH.  
(Concluded next week.)

—Clearance sale at Hopkins' store. If

**MARRIED.**

DAVIS—LYONS—At the M. E. parsonage, Tionesta, Jan. 31, 1906, by Rev. Calhoun, Charles G. Davis, of West Freedom, Pa., and Delilah Lyons, of Ten Mile Bottom, Pa.

### The Eaton Hurlbut Papers



**INSPECT**  
Our Line of  
**Eaton Hurlbut Papers**  
**Boyard's Drug Store**

### ANNUAL Clearance Sale.

**Hopkins' Store**      **Hopkins' Store**

Clearance Sales with a discount off are very common, but a clearance sale with reductions like we have made are very uncommon.

We have just a few **Ladies' Jackets** left, 36, 38, and 40. They are yours at your price.

**Wooltex Skirts**---Notice the Price.  
Wooltex Skirts that sold for \$6.00, now \$3.50.  
Wooltex Skirts that sold for 5.00, now 3.00.  
Other makes for only 2.00.

**FURS**—Not too late yet to need a Fur. We have more than we want. Every one we have is new this season, and all right. Either round or flat. To make them go quick we cut the price just one-half. \$4 Furs for \$2. \$6 Furs for \$3. \$8 Furs for \$4, and so on.

**Odds and Ends in Shoes.** Another thing we are loaded with is **SWEATERS** For Gentlemen, Ladies and Children. We will price them so low that you will be surprised.

**L. J. Hopkins.**

### Unloading Shoe Sale

Twice a year we hold these great Clearance Sales. It's simply a business proposition. We don't want to carry over stock. We want shelf room for our Spring and Summer Stock. Must have it.

**So Out Goes All Our Fall and Winter Footwear.**

We say "Out It Goes," because the prices will make it go. Sale starts Saturday, Feb. 3d and closes Saturday, Feb. 10th.

**Joe Levi**

Sycamore, Seneca and Centre Streets, OIL CITY, PA

### Clearance Sale

The Sem-Annual Event looked forward to by hundreds of careful buyers is now going on, and will continue till Saturday night, February 3d.

Men's Clothing and Furnishings were never before offered at such bargains. Don't put off your visit till too late.

ROSA HUSTON SMITH.  
(Concluded next week.)

**LAMMERS**  
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER  
41 & 43 SENECA ST. OIL CITY, PA.