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Scarce as we've reason to believe they are elsewhere, you'll find here a bountiful supply of the much wanted gray mixtures. All the better grades are represented, ranging from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per yard, and they're all good values, too.

Oh! By the Way,

We've a bountiful supply of that scarcest of scarce commodities—Lace Buttons for Lingerie Waists. All sizes, too, from the smallest up. Don't forget this little item; it'll interest you later on if it doesn't now.

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Vudor Porch Shades make this possible; they keep out the hot sun, but admit the cool, refreshing breeze. They give absolute privacy, for no one can look through them from the outside; yet they are so constructed that from the inside you can see all that goes on without.

They can be instantly raised or lowered, with very little effort. A practically indestructible device (operating on the principle of a theatre curtain) accomplishes this. They are light, but exceedingly durable, being constructed of thin strips of Linden wood fibre woven with the strongest seine twine.

Vudor Shades are artistic in the extreme; stained in soft colors that rest the eye and harmonize with any style of architecture. The colors are absolutely indelible and will neither fade nor crack off. Think of the many pleasant hours you can spend on your porch during the hot, stifling days in summer if it is equipped with these shades. Fanned by every cooling breeze, seeing every passer-by—yet secure against the burning rays of the summer sun and the inquisitive gaze of neighbor and stranger alike.

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Four Per Cent.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

LOW-RATE EXCURSION TO OIL CITY AND TITUSVILLE SUNDAY, MAY 20, 1906

Train Leaves.	Rate to Oil City or Titusville and return
Glade..... 9:47 a. m.	\$1.00
Struthers..... 9:51 "	1.00
Warren..... 9:56 "	1.00
Trivette..... 10:00 "	1.00
Tidoute..... 10:04 "	1.00
Hickory..... 10:08 "	1.00
Tionesta..... 10:12 "	1.00
Oil City..... 11:40 a. m.	1.00
Titusville..... 12:30 p. m.	1.00

Returning, special train leaves Titusville 7:00 p. m., Oil City 7:40 p. m. Tickets will be valid for passage going only on special train. Returning, on special train May 20, and regular trains May 21. Train 33 due to leave Oil City 5:35 p. m., May 21, will leave Titusville 4:30 p. m. In consideration of reduced rate at which sold, baggage will not be checked on these tickets and they will be valid for passage only on trains for which they are authorized to be sold.

Children between five and twelve years of age, half rates.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Passenger Traffic Manager. GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

Lucas Paints

Labor costs too much to waste on paints that soon fade and streak and crack and blister.

Lucas Paints are worth all the labor you put on them because they last so long—and they don't require so much labor either, for they spread so easily.

Lucas Paints pay every way you look at them.

Ask your dealer.

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Administrator's Notice. Letters of Administration on the estate of W. H. Dötter, late of Kingsley township, Forest County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment without delay, and those having claims or demands will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. H. A. DOTTNER, Adm'r., Muzelle, Pa.

Administratrix's Notice. Letters of Administration on the estate of W. Edward Kiser, late of Green township, Forest County, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment without delay, and those having claims or demands will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. SOPHIA KISER, Adm'rx., Tionesta, Pa.

S. D. IRWIN, Attorney. April 4, 1906.

THE VICTORIA CROSS.

Lord Roberts Was One of the First Men to Receive It.

Fifty years ago Queen Victoria founded the famous Order of the Victoria Cross. The little bronze emblem bearing the words "For Valor" still remains the most famous naval and military decoration in the world. Up to the present 520 sailors and soldiers, including three civilians, have received Queen Victoria's Cross.

One of the first men to receive the decoration was Lord Roberts, of Kandahar, who saved a flag during the Afghan, forty-seven years ago. Lord Roberts is the only man in the world who possesses two Victoria crosses. The second was won by his son in his heroic efforts to save the guns at Colenso during the Boer war. Lieutenant Roberts died of his wounds, and the cross he had won at the cost of death was given by the late Queen to Lord Roberts, who is entitled to wear the reward of his son's bravery on his right breast.

Some of the exploits which led to the reward of the cross "For Valor" are absolutely amazing. During a campaign it is the ambition of every British officer and man to earn the Victoria Cross, and the reckless bravery displayed during the South African war led to a reprint from headquarters, many gallant men needlessly throwing away their lives.

The Shah of Persia in Russia.

The Shah of Persia is a man of moods and his visits are not always unadvised joys at the courts he honors. On the occasion of his recent stay in St. Petersburg his peculiarities gave infinite trouble to the Russian court officials. One of his most trying idiosyncrasies is his habit of occasionally going to bed for twenty-four hours at a stretch, giving strict orders that he is not to be disturbed under pain of death. More than once the days selected were those on which the great festivities had been arranged in his honor. As a matter of fact, his majesty, who is devoted to children, preferred half an hour with the little grand duchesses to any other entertainment, and won the children's hearts by letting them play with his exquisite collection of diamonds and other precious stones, which is said to be worth a king's ransom.—London Tatler.

Origin of St. Maurice.

St. Maurice in Switzerland is the name of a little station on the railway that leads up the Rhone valley from the lake of Geneva. The place gets its name as follows: Maurice was the officer, second in command of the Theban legion, when the Emperor Maximilian marched over the Alps in A. D. 302 to quell a rising in Gaul. At Octodurum (Martigny) the legion, every man of which was a Christian, was ordered to sacrifice to the Roman gods for the success of the expedition. Headed by Maurice, they refused, marched off to Agaunum (St. Maurice), and there were twice decimated to enforce submission. But they still refused, and finally the remainder were surrounded and cut down by the rest of the army.

Curious Legal Custom.

A curious custom is in vogue in many parts of India. If a dispute arises between two landowners two holes are dug close together, in each of which defendant's and plaintiff's lawyers have to place a leg. They have to remain thus until either one of them is exhausted or complains of being bitten by insects, when he is judged to be defeated and his employer loses his case.

Dog Scavengers in France.

The municipality of Nice, France, has organized a troop of dog scavengers for the cleaning of the sewers. Some of the sewer pipes are too small to allow of the passage of men. The dogs have been trained to drag a cord with a brush at the end of it from one end of the pipe to another. The system is meeting with complete success.

Yield of Cocoa Palm.

The Cocoa palm, from which chocolate comes, bears its pods, which contain fifteen to twenty-five beans each, at ten to twelve feet from the ground. Four hundred trees are planted on an acre and each yields about one dollar's worth of beans.

At the Bargain Counter.

A London periodical reports a "regrettable incident. In a bargain counter rush a valuable ostrich feather became detached from a lady's hat and was sold as a remnant before the lady had discovered and could explain her loss.

King Edward's Punctuality.

King Edward, like his mother, is always punctual to the second in his public engagements. If the programme is that he shall be at the Horse Guards at 1.48 and Victoria Gate at 1.53, he is there, for all to see, on time.

The Bible in China.

In China last year the British and Foreign Bible Society distributed more than 1,000,000 copies of the Scriptures. During the same period 350,000 books were given away among the soldiers and sailors of Russia and Japan.

Manufacturing Paper.

But little paper has been recently made from rags; vegetable substances, such as wood, alfalfa and straw, are especially employed. But the use of furze, wild or cultivated, has not been thought of until recently.

Stomach Troubles.

Mrs. Sue Martin, an old and highly respected resident of Falconia, Miss., was sick with stomach trouble for more than six months. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured her. She says: "I can now eat anything I want, and am the proudest woman in the world to find such a good medicine." For sale by Dunn & Fulton. Samples free.

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Healing, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if Pazo Ointment fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

TWO VIEWS OF CURZON.

He Is an Unbroken Colt, Or a Genius; Take Your Choice.

Now that Lord Curzon is no longer Viceroy the Indian press is paying its respects and disrespects to him with great freedom.

An ex-president of the National Congress says that Lord Curzon departed the shores of India "unwept, unhonored and unsung." Those who did him reverence were his unqualified pangriars, "the men who had blinded their eyes and stuffed their ears with cotton all the time that there was going on a most unequal and deplorable struggle between the people, the educated classes specially, on the one side, and the unbridled and irresponsible autocrat on the other."

He then proceeds to characterize the ex-Viceroy as one utterly without modesty, and blowing his own trumpet. "He carried about him," says the writer, "throughout his viceregal career the impetuosity of the boy at Eton and all the insobriety and immaturity which accompany youth. The fact is, he was an unbroken colt. He conjured himself as an autocrat ruling a larger population than that of the czar of All the Russias. He pictured himself as one who blended a Tiberius and Sullian the Magnificent into one."

On the other hand, an equally decided article in the Calcutta Review declares that "it would be hard to find another ruler who combines in himself all those qualities, mental and moral, which Lord Curzon brought to bear on the difficult task of governing a vast country like India, and that it is no discredit to Lord Minto to say that he does not possess the genius with which his predecessor was gifted."

Phillips Brook's Silence.

Bishop Brooks of Boston occasionally used to surprise those not intimately acquainted with him by sitting silently while conversation was going on around him briskly. The bishop explained his rather unwonted taciturnity by relating that on one occasion while seated in a railroad train opposite an intelligent-looking man the latter seemed about to say something. "I beg your pardon," said the bishop, "were you about to make a remark?" "No," was the reply. "Oh, I thought you looked as if you were going to say something to me," answered the bishop apologetically. "Yes, I am said to be very deceptive that way. I used to say things and make remarks as soon as I thought them. I have often thought I had something to say and discovered after I had said it that I ought to have kept silent." And the bishop would conclude his story by saying: "I have found myself in the same position more than once, so I do not speak until I am reasonably sure that I have something to say."—Chicago Chronicle.

Why Hay Got No War News.

In the summer of the commencement of the Russo-Jap war the late Secretary of State John Hay came to his summer home at Lake Sunapee for a few days' rest. Naturally, it was important for him to have close and constant communication with the outside world, and arrangements had accordingly been made for telegrams to be sent up to him from the telegraph office.

As the situation of the eastern affairs became more tense and exciting Secretary Hay was expecting very important communications, but none came. A day went by, and no word. The next morning a messenger was dispatched early to see if there was any message.

"No," said the operator, "there is none."

"But has none come?" he was asked.

"Well, one came yesterday, but there was no sense to it, so I did not send it up."

The message had come in cipher.

—Boston Herald.

Dried Milk in Australia.

Australia has adopted the system of drying milk, which originated in England. The milk is dried between steam rollers and sold as a powder, from which nothing but water has been extracted, and to which nothing but water requires to be added. A leading medical officer is reported to have said that the adoption of dried milk at some of the asylums for consumptive patients and in general hospitals has proved a success.

Evading the Lions.

A hundred natives employed on the Fort Hall road, who were recently charged by six lions, sought refuge in the water, where they remained for more than an hour, the lions in the meantime resting quietly on their haunches near the bank of the river until the report of a revolver dispersed them, much to the relief of the frightened blacks.

Use of Paper Handkerchiefs.

Paper handkerchiefs after Chinese fashion are to be supplied to the children of the communal schools of the city of Paris as a hygienic measure to prevent the spread of tuberculosis infection.

Fuel from Irish Bog.

Experts calculate that Irish bogs are capable of turning out 50,000,000 tons of fuel a year for a thousand years, and at the present prices this would realize \$60,000,000 a year.

Birds as Weather Guides.

When swallows fly low, wet weather may be expected, because the insects which the swallows pursue in their flight are flying low to escape the moisture of the upper regions of the atmosphere.

—My wife's health was greatly improved by taking Thompson's Barosma.

She has gained in weight and that yellow tint to her skin has been replaced by a fresher and healthier color. E. G. Owen, Troy Centre, Pa. All druggists. 50c and \$1.00.

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Consultation free in English and German and strictly confidential. Write if you cannot call. Office hours: From 9 a. m. to 8:30 p. m. On Sundays, from 2 to 4 p. m. only.

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TIME TABLE

To Take Effect July 1st, 1905.

NORTH		Eastern Time		SOUTH	
3	1	Stations	2	4	
p. m. a. m. Leave		Arrive		p. m. p. m.	
7:00		Nebraska		8:30	
7:20		Ross Run		8:05	
7:25		Lamentation		8:00	
7:30		Newtown Mills		8:05	
7:45		Kelleysville	12:00	5:55	
1:00	7:45	Buck Mills	11:50	5:35	
1:10	7:55	Mayburg	11:40	5:25	
1:25	8:00	Porkey	11:20	5:15	
1:45	8:10	Minister	11:15	5:10	
1:50	8:15	Waters	11:05	5:05	
1:55	8:20	Hastings	10:55	4:55	
2:10	8:30	Blue Jay	10:45	4:45	
2:25	8:40	Henry's Mill	10:30	4:35	
2:35	8:45	Barnes	10:15	4:20	
2:45	8:50	Sheffield	10:00	4:15	
3:15	9:20				
p. m. a. m. Arrive		Leave		a. m. p. m.	

T. D. COLLINS, PRESIDENT.

Pennsylvania

RAILROAD.

Schedule in Effect January 1, 1906.

Trains leave Tionesta as follows:

For OIL CITY, PITTSBURGH, and principal intermediate stations, 11:01 a. m. week days, Oil City only, 8:21 p. m. daily.

For BRADFORD, OLEAN, and principal intermediate stations, 7:53 a. m. daily, 8:18 p. m. week days.

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29c for 50 cent Silks

39c for 65 cent Silks

49c for 75c and \$1.00 Silks

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Not necessary to go into argument or detail with reference to the why or whereof of this sale.

The silks are here, they haven't sold at the regular price, so regardless of what we paid for them or what in our judgment they should sell for, good business would seem to dictate that all slow selling merchandise be quickly disposed of. That's why we're going to accept a temporary loss on these.

Not backward about accepting a loss when it's necessary. Don't hesitate to resort to a very forcible price reduction when occasion demands. That keeps our stocks fresh and clean, up to the minute in point of style.

This is not merely advertising talk—this store is not given to that—but a fact as to quality, original price and present price.

Ask us for samples of them, if you're interested. That's generally a pretty safe plan. Lots consist mostly of Foulards, comprising almost every color, a few Fancy Taffetas and Rajah Silk. All perfect goods with the exception of a piece of light blue 75c Taffeta Silk selling for 49c, slightly faded.

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Time Deposits Solicited. Will pay Four Per Cent. per Annum

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Ball Bearing Clothes Wringer

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Nice Stock of Buggies Always on Hand

The Best for the Least Money.

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Bissell Plows, Syracuse Plows, Lawn Mowers, Hand Cultivators, Garden Tools, Farm Implements,

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