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—Oil market closed at \$1.75.

—You can get it at Hopkins' store. If

—New scenery and accessories at the Zuer Studio. It

—If you are not registered attend to it today, or you cannot vote in November.

—Hopkins, the bargain maker, is selling goods at the lowest figure these days.

—Picture frames and mats—any size frame made to order—at the Zuer Studio. It

—Skiffs for sale, two good ones, at right prices, one of which is fitted up with a good sail. Inquire at this office. If

—We're desirous of making room for our fall stock and so have many bargains in all kinds of goods for you. Call early. Hopkins. It

—The prospects for a large attendance at the Edinboro Normal are good. School begins September 10th. Send for catalog. John F. Bigler. Principal. It

—A flock of pretty white ducks belonging to Mrs. John Noble died from the effect of eating something poison to their nature, Wednesday last week.

—This is the time to trig out the children for school days, and Hopkins' store is the place to do it. The best school shoe in the market at the least money.

—If you are not sure that you are registered see to it today or you will be in danger of losing your vote in November. Republicans, we hope, will need no urging in this matter.

—The Sunday excursion to Olean and Bradford was made up of fourteen coaches and carried a large crowd. Nineteen tickets to Warren were sold here and nine to Olean or Bradford.

—In the course of his Sunday morning announcements a minister in a neighboring town said: "Brethren, the janitor and I will hold our weekly prayer meeting next Wednesday evening as usual."

—Regular preaching services will be held in the M. E. church next Sabbath evening at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. Orlando Stone, officiating. The regular pastor, Rev. Calhoun, will be absent attending conference.

—The twenty-first annual convention of the Forest County W. C. T. U. will be held in the M. E. church at West Hickory, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 17th and 18th. The first session opens Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

—The two cents a mile law will not become effective until September 30, although many people have an idea that September 1 is the time. There will probably be some actions in the courts to determine the statute's legality.

—G. W. Osgood and son John killed a rattlesnake and two thoroughbred copperheads while traversing Tubbs run about three miles from the mouth one day last week. The latter species of reptile are not frequently encountered in this section any more, having become almost extinct.

—The present stage of low water in the river is pretty near the limit, and it has been many years since a lower stage has been reached. It makes pretty fair fishing for those who can fish, but amateurs and novices are not breaking any records that any one has heard of in these parts.

—Burglars were busy at Kelleetville one night last week, but seemed hardest up for cash than anything else. The drug store of Detar & Serrill and the general store of Watson & Co. were entered and the cash drawers in each pried open, but no money was secured, the tills being empty. Other goods were not molested.

—Marvin Alcock, the seven-year-old son of Mrs. Ethel Alcock, of Endeavor, who had been ill for the past week, was taken to the Oil City hospital Monday, where an operation for appendicitis was performed by Dr. J. B. Siggins, assisted by Dr. J. C. Dunn, of this place. The operation was successful, and the little patient will recover.

—All members of Capt. George Stow Relief Corps are specially urged to be present at the meeting to be held in the Corps hall this, Wednesday, evening, as arrangements will be made for the dinner to be served on the occasion of the 83d Regimental reunion in Tionesta next Tuesday. Every member is expected to be present at the meeting this evening.

—The 10th annual reunion of the Osgood family will be held next Saturday, Sept. 7th, at the home of Otis Rudolph, in Hickory township. Those from this section expecting to attend will find the train on the logging road at Endeavor awaiting them. The train will be held until 9 a. m., and will bring the attendants back to Endeavor about 7 o'clock in the evening.

—Rural mail carriers have recently received orders from Washington not to carry passengers with them in their conveyance, except regular authorized postal officials while making their regular trips. It may seem that the mail carrier is a mean cuss when he passes you on the road with a wide seat and never offers to take you in, but it would be worth his position to do so.

—An Italian laborer whose name we were unable to learn, met with a serious accident on the mill at Mayburg, Tuesday of last week. His arm was caught in the "live" rolls and the elbow joint was very badly crushed, so much so that amputation may be necessary. Drs. Detar and Serrill dressed the injured man's wounds and sent him to the Warren hospital for further treatment.

—As the season for lawfully taking game is not far off it may be well to again give some data on the subject: The open season for woodcock and ruffed grouse or pheasants is from Oct. 1 to Dec. 1; wild turkeys, prairie chickens, English, Mongolian or Chinese pheasants, Oct. 15 to Dec. 1; quail Nov. 1 to Dec. 1; rabbits Oct. 15 to Dec. 1; deer Nov. 15 to Dec. 1, but only male deer with horns can be lawfully killed.

—A very flattering statement of the condition of the Forest County National Bank is published in this issue of the REPUBLICAN. With a volume of business reaching over seven hundred thousand dollars, a surplus and profit fund over fifty per cent, greater than the original capital stock, and the conservative management and great resources back of the institution, there are no safer financial concerns to be found in the state.

—A man named Jack Schwartz, aged about 24 years, and employed at the knitting wool factory at Kelleetville, met with a painful accident while playing in a game of ball Sunday. He was occupying first base and a base runner collided with him in such a manner as to break both bones of his left leg between the knee and ankle. The accident will lay him up for several months. Drs. Detar and Serrill reduced the fracture. The young man's home is in Olean, N. Y.

—At a recent meeting of Tionesta W. C. T. U., held in the Presbyterian church, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. J. H. Derickson; first vice president, Mrs. G. F. Watson; second vice president, Mrs. Charles Clark; recording secretary, Mrs. J. A. Adams; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Jared Huling; treasurer, Mrs. S. D. Irwin; delegates to county convention, Mrs. Jas. Haslet, Mrs. Jared Huling; alternates, Mrs. Jennie Agnew, Mrs. Wm. Mealy.

—Herman and Henry Blum will begin operations in a short time on the Thomas & Fowler tract, on Tubbs run, the timber on which they recently purchased. The tract contains 753 acres and lies on both sides of the run, and although it was "timbered" over many years ago, the new purchasers will be able to take off several hundred thousand feet of lumber and a large number of ties. There is nothing in sight to prevent these men, both of whom are practical lumbermen, from making a nice thing out of their purchase.

—The Tionesta ball team went to Tionesta Saturday and was defeated in a good game with the Cutlery Works team. Foreman pitched a fine game up to the sixth inning when his arm gave out and Tionesta scored seven runs. The Herald says Tionesta has the best team seen there this year. Score: TIONESTA.....0 0 2 0 0 4 2 1 1—9 9 3
Cutlery.....2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 2—6 9 2

Batteries—Benedict and Brayner; Foreman, Stroup and Lawrence.

The Tionesta team will go to the Fryburg Harvest Home Picnic today for two games with the team of that place, morning and afternoon.

—During a sojourn of several weeks in the west the past summer, Rev. and Mrs. F. F. Shoup of Buffalo, procured and sent home to their youngest son, Paul, a young burro, which has attracted a great deal of attention of the youngsters and older ones of Paul's home, and will be one of the leading attractions in the big parade which takes place in Buffalo on Old Home Week, when the little jack's young master will ride it, dressed in the habiliments of an Indian chief and leading a band of fifty Indians who will represent one of the schools of the city. The cute little animal is scarcely more than two feet in height, and as "stubborn as a mule."

—The new law with reference to water troughs will be of interest to the township supervisors and country residents. The act provides that water troughs shall be six feet in length, 12 inches in width and 10 inches in depth in the clear, except stone troughs which shall not be less than two feet in length. Persons who shall provide a watering trough on any public road where running water can be supplied for such troughs and keep the same in repair, shall receive \$5 per annum from the road fund. Provided: That if more than one trough is erected and maintained on the same road within five miles, but one such trough shall be entitled to the benefit of the act, and the oldest and first trough shall have the preference.

—The Boro schools opened on Monday with a total attendance of 161. The teachers and the number in attendance by rooms are: No. 1, Miss Blanche Pease, 30; No. 2, Miss Bess Byers, 31; No. 3, Miss Katharine Osgood, 32; No. 4, C. P. Felt, 32; No. 5, J. O. Carson, 30. Changes were made in the grades of the entire school on account of one year additional being added to the course of study in the High School and for a benefit to the pupils of the school. All pupils who were not promoted will do additional work to what had previously been done in the same room. The new arrangement of the course will undoubtedly be an advantage to the school, and the school board should be congratulated for improving the standard of our public schools.

—The degree team of Tent No. 21, K. O. T. M., of Oil City, headed by Deputy Geo. B. Lane, was here last Friday evening to visit Tionesta Tent, No. 164, and conferred the degree of that fraternity upon a class of four candidates. In addition to these visitors a number of visitors were present from Forest Tent, No. 152, of East Hickory, and from the Nebraska Tent. Following is a list of the visitors: Geo. B. Lane, H. C. Hightgate, E. E. Hightgate, W. C. Roberts, J. F. Barr, G. C. Servey, Fred, Williams, P. V. Dibala, Geo. W. Gilbert, A. B. Knab and J. V. Guthrie, of Oil City; E. L. Gorman, George Crider, Frank Whitmore, M. W. Gorman, L. E. Osgood, Stacey Rustler, C. H. Sartori, C. E. Geisler, L. J. Osgood, George Patch, J. H. Whitehill and Ira Fox, of East Hickory; K. L. Haugh, A. H. Hunter and Elmer Preston, of Nebraska.

—A large stable owned by the Grandin Lumber Company and located near the Long farm two miles from President, was totally destroyed by fire on Thursday afternoon last. A team of fine grey draft horses and a quantity of feed, harness and vehicles were consumed by the flames. Willis Marlin had charge of the barn and left early in the afternoon to attend the harvest home at Lineville. His mother discovered fire in the barn and tried to drive the horses out, but they were panic stricken and refused to budge, and she was compelled to climb through a window to save herself from cremation.

—Frequently you pick up a local paper and after glancing at it wearily thrust it aside, remarking, "Nothing in the old paper!" Did you ever stop to think what that phrase means? It means that no misfortune has befallen any one in our city; that no fire has wiped out a neighbor's worldly goods; that the grim angel of death has not crossed the threshold of a friend; that no man, driven by hatred, has taken the life of a fellow being; that no poor devil, haunted by the past misdeeds of some other, has crossed the great divide by his own hand, and many other things that might have happened but did not occur. So next time you pick up any paper and its headlines do not announce a tragedy, give a little thanks instead of grumbling because there is no news.

—A hundred homing pigeons, the property of the Defender Homing Club, of Rochester, N. Y., were received here Saturday night and were liberated for the homeward flight Sunday morning at nine o'clock, by W. C. Imel, agent for the Adams Express Co. A large number of interested spectators were on hand to witness the start. The birds circled twice and then started due north, disappearing over the hills above Jamieson Station in a few minutes. As yet no word has been received here of their arrival home, but it was estimated they would cover the distance of 200 miles in four or five hours. A letter from John Stewart, secretary of the club, states that these same birds made a flight of a hundred miles the Sunday previous, and that nine of the birds owned by him had won the race home by two minutes.

Did They Find the Buried Treasure?

A rather mysterious happening in Green township, near Newmansville, recently, is causing considerable speculation and talk in that neighborhood. The beginning of the story dates back to August 2, 1882, when John Cleary, who had worked in the lumber woods and owned and lived alone on a farm which in later years was known as the Hagerty farm, was adjudged insane and taken to the North Warren Asylum, where he still remains a charge on this county. According to an account published in the REPUBLICAN at that time, Cleary was a hard worker, had saved considerable money, which he had buried, as he expressed it, "where neither fire or water could harm it." He forgot where he had placed the money, and its loss so preyed on his mind that he became insane. His hallucination was that the air was full of witches and ghosts and that they were after him, so he came to Tionesta and asked to be locked in jail, "so they couldn't get at him," as he expressed it. The last chapter of the story, as related by our informant, occurred on Saturday evening last, when two strange men drove up to the home of Thomas Flynn, who lives on the farm adjoining the old Cleary farm. We did not learn whether the men stated their business, but they gave their names as Sears and Roebuck, and residence as Jefferson county. These names, of course, are fictitious. The men went out in the evening, were gone only a short time, and went to bed early, having with them a satchel which they closely guarded. About dusk that evening Mrs. Flynn went to a neighbor's and in passing the old Cleary home, long since gone to ruin, heard a noise as though some one were digging, but paid little attention to it. The strangers arose early Sunday morning to leave and while Mr. Flynn was helping them to hitch up he noticed a pick and shovel in their buggy, which had the appearance of having been recently used. He mentioned this to his wife and after putting the two circumstances together, started to investigate. He found a freshly dug hole three or four feet deep under the rough wall or in the collar of the old Cleary house, but the hole was the only evidence in sight as to whether the men found anything. The mysterious circumstance has revived all the old stories of Mr. Cleary's buried wealth and the amount is placed at from hundreds up to many thousands of dollars. But the main question which is agitating the minds of the good people in that neighborhood is, did the strangers succeed in unearthing the hard-earned and long-forgotten hoardings of poor, unfortunate John Cleary? Mr. Cleary was known to have one brother, Thomas Cleary.

The 83d Regimental Reunion.

The annual reunion of survivors of the Eighty-third regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, will be held at Tionesta, Pa., on September 10. On that occasion, Commodore C. F. Cummings, P. A. Siggins, Homer Chatley, H. H. Jones and Sidney Palmer, of Bradford, and Samuel Drane, of Duke Center, who served in that famous regiment in the war, expect to attend the reunion.—Bradford Era.

Thus it is that we hear from many quarters of the intended visit of surviving veterans of this grand old organization. Many years ago the "old boys" held their reunion in Tionesta, and on that occasion they met with such a hearty welcome and enjoyed such a fine time that they wanted to come back—those that are left, the number being much reduced since then. Let Tionesta and vicinity show her hospitality to these bent and grayed old war horses once more. Give them to understand that you have still a warm spot in your hearts for the young men who left their homes in '61 to do battle for their country, and who acquitted themselves bravely on many a bloody battlefield. Company G, of the old 83d, was recruited in this vicinity, and we are pleased to report that there is still quite a sprinkling of them left within a radius of ten or fifteen miles of Tionesta who are looking forward to this meeting of their comrades with much joy and expectancy.

If the day is propitious the dinner will take the form of a basket picnic on the beautiful lawn of the court house, and the committee in charge asks that well filled baskets be brought, and such a spread as only Forest county women can produce, be set before our honored guests on this occasion. As has been said, in all like blood it will be the last opportunity we will ever have to do them honor as an organization. Don't forget the date, next Tuesday, September 10th.

PERSONAL.

—George Raab, of Oil City, was a Tionesta visitor Friday.

—M. A. Carringer, Esq., returned last Saturday from an eastern trip.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bigony, of Tionesta, August 31st, a son.

—M. E. Abbott was down from East Hickory on business yesterday.

—Dr. Karl Wank, of Kane, spent last Sabbath at the home of his parents here.

—Miss Merle Dunn is attending the Warren High School, beginning Monday.

—Mrs. Anna Weimer, of Tidioute, was a guest of Mrs. W. C. Imel over Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Weaver were visitors in Buffalo, N. Y., a part of last week.

—A. J. McCalmont, of President, was a pleasant caller at the REPUBLICAN office Friday.

—Mrs. Howard Thomson, of Oil City, was a guest of Mrs. Mary Thomson over Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ludwig, of Titienville, were guests at J. N. Sandrock's over Sunday.

—W. F. Ringman, of Newmansville, was a business caller at the Republican office yesterday.

—Mrs. Isaac McCoy is entertaining her sister, Mrs. D. G. Vaughn and young son, of Joliet, Illinois.

—Miss Josephine Smearbaugh is entertaining her school friend, Miss Helen Laird, of Pittsburg.

—Miss Rosamond Binney, of Spartansburg, is a guest of Mrs. Thomas Snodgrass this week.

—R. E. Haines went home to Marion, Indiana, Saturday, leaving Mrs. Haines here for a month's visit.

—Mrs. Mary Rohlsacker, of Clarion, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Blum a part of last week.

—Roy Bovard has gone to Wilkingsburg, Pa., where he is employed in the Westinghouse Electric Works.

—Miss Evelyn Grove went to Barnett township last week, where she is teaching the Greenwood school.

—Mrs. E. E. Fleming and children spent a part of last week at Mr. Fleming's old home on Fleming Hill.

—Miss Florence Fulton went to Driftwood, Pa., last week to begin her work Monday as a teacher in the public school.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones, of Green township, were shopping in Tionesta yesterday.

—J. C. Cook and daughter, Miss Belle, of Oil City, were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Thomas Mays, a few days last week.

—Miss Grace Jones and Jacob Sheasley of Franklin, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. George Siggins Sunday and Monday of this week.

—Misses Margaret and Madeline Yatter returned Saturday to their home at Kane after a three weeks' visit with their aunt, Mrs. J. E. Wank.

—J. D. W. Reck and son Dallas returned last Wednesday from a week's trip to New York and Boston, combining business and pleasure.

—Miss Blanche Pease entertained her Sunday school class, connected with the Presbyterian school, in a porch picnic at her pleasant home last Friday.

—Mrs. M. A. Feit is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Slocum, at Kelleetville. Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Fulton were also Mrs. Slocum's guests over Sunday.

—Mrs. H. E. Robertson and young sons, Ralph and Paul, spent the past week near Emelton attending a camp meeting of the denomination of Saints.

—John Cunningham, of Kelleetville, who drove the stage and mail route for two years and nine months, resigned last Friday and is succeeded by V. C. Amelner.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mealy, of Tionesta township, August 28th, a daughter. To Mr. and Mrs. George Childs, of Tionesta township, August 30th, a daughter.

—Mrs. Sarah E. Reed, of Sandy Lake, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Urey. Mrs. Urey also entertained her sister, Mrs. L. H. McElhatton, of Oil City, a few days last week.

—Capt. Knox and daughter, Mrs. Kate Green returned Saturday from a three weeks' stay at Kane, the mountains having worked a noticeable improvement in the Captain's health.

—Mrs. S. S. Gaskill, of Alliance, Ohio, is visiting at the home of her brother, J. D. W. Reck. Mrs. Gaskill and Mrs. Reck spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Bradford.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wyman entertained the party of young folk campers for whom they were chaperones this summer, in a very pleasant social event at their home Friday evening.

—Wm. Anthony, for the past thirty years in the employ of the Nebraska lumbering firm, has moved with his family, to Youngsville, Pa., where he is employed in a furniture factory.

—Lyman Cook, who is cleaning up the old Gruderville timber tract left by the Warren Lumber Co., and is getting a nice lot of ties and hardwood lumber of the property, was transacting business in Tionesta Friday and Saturday.

—Rev. J. F. Scherer, pastor of the Endeavor Presbyterian church, sprained his ankle recently in stepping from the doorway of the new parsonage in course of erection at that place, and is obliged to wear crutches for the time being.

—Dr. August Mork and Charles McClintock, of Oil City, were here Saturday preparing for a canoe trip down the river. The Derrick says they caught ten bass and one pickerel at Rockmead Monday, and that three of the bass weighed over four pounds each.

—Among the marriage licenses recently issued by the Jefferson county clerk of courts the following are noted: John Laehner, Greenwood, and Maggie Up-linger, Redeflyte, both of Barnett township. Jacob Hurst, Allegheny, and Rebecca P. Simpson, Clarion, Pa.

—Mrs. Mary Smith, of Warren, came down Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Christine Wolf, of Tionesta township. Mrs. Smith expects to move to Coffeyville, Kansas, about the last of September, where her daughter, Miss Laura, holds a fine position with the Union Traction Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Clark and children, Walter, Colyn and May, of Lewis

Run, Pa., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Clark over Sunday. Miss Colyn will remain with her grandparents to attend school here. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Clark, of Yatesboro, Pa., were also here over Sunday, leaving Monday to attend the Jamestown Exposition.

—J. P. Aylesworth, for several years connected with the manufacture of lumber for the Wheeler & Dusenbury company at Endeavor, has purchased a residence at Olean, N. Y., and will shortly change his residence to that place. The thriving town of Endeavor will miss this excellent family whose departure will cause general and sincere regret.

—Clerk Geist issued a marriage licence Monday to G. E. Burhenn of Green township, and Miss Belle Mong, of Tionesta township. We understand the wedding is to take place today at the M. E. parsonage. Rev. W. O. Calhoun officiating, and we join George's big list of friends in extending best wishes to him and his fair bride on this happy occasion. May they live long and prosper.

—Rudolph Fredrickson is enjoying a vacation floating down the river to Pittsburg, leaving last Friday and using the new houseboat that was built recently near the river bridge. Edward Fox accompanied him as pilot of the craft. We understand Rudolph is combining a little business with pleasure and is selling shoes. His place in the Hopkins store is being filled by Frank Amlier.

—Mrs. J. E. Frost, of Seattle, Wash., is visiting at the home of her father, C. F. Fox, at Lynch. She spent Sunday with the family of H. W. Soble, and Sunday evening sang a very pleasing solo at the M. E. church.—Lewis Arner has resigned his position at the extract works to accept the position of shipping clerk for the Salmon Creek Lumber Co. at Kelleetville. Mr. Arner is a fine young man and made many friends here. He is also a good ball player and the fans are very sorry to see him leave the town.—Sheffield Observer.

Kelleetville.

Mildred Catlin, who has been spending her vacation with her parents in town, returned to Warren, where she intends teaching school this winter.

Alice McCrean, of Orangeville, Ohio, called on friends in town Saturday evening.

Mrs. Robert Watson, who has been very sick, is slowly improving.

Ruth Klinefister, of Sheffield, visited her uncle, George Klinefister, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Daubenspeck and daughter Inez returned from Kittanning, where they have been visiting relatives the past month.

Mrs. Chas. Russell and son Nelson spent several days at Gowanda, N. Y., last week, visiting relatives.

Dr. C. Y. Detar, wife and children visited the former's parents at Fryburg several days last week.

John Silzie attended the Harvest Home Picnic at Vocus, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Porter were called to Lamartine, Saturday, on account of the serious illness of Mr. Porter's mother.

Mrs. John Mealy and children, of Tylersburg, are visiting relatives in town.

R. J. Day, a former citizen of Kelleetville, but who now resides at Cooperstown, called on friends in town last week.

Mrs. S. J. Shaw is visiting at Fryburg. The Cradle Roll of the M. E. Sunday school held their first annual picnic in the grove Wednesday. Both mothers and babies enjoyed the occasion very much.

Miss Carlson, of Sheffield, was the guest of Blanche Hendricks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gifford and daughter, of Cherry Grove, visited their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Pope, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linas Shriver, of Tionesta, visited at W. A. Kribbs' Sunday.

Dora Lohmever, of Pittsburg, accompanied by several friends of the same place, are visiting Miss Lohmever's sister, Mrs. Jacob Ray.

The picnic given by the Catholic Sunday school, Wednesday, was well attended. Those present report a delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whitten, of near Pleasantville, are visiting their daughters, Mrs. Adolph Bauer and Mrs. W. C. Silzie.

Last Friday nine of our town girls decided to have a picnic. They intended eating their dinner on the island, but the rain in the morning spoiled their plans. But our girls were not to be discouraged by the rain. Our hospitable neighbor, Mrs. G. R. Johnson, opened up her dining room for the use of the girls. The dinner was a success and all enjoyed it immensely. After dinner the girls went to the island where they spent the afternoon in swinging and other amusements. Toward evening they all returned to their homes with happy hearts.

Letter to F. M. Hoovier,
Tionesta, Pa.

DEAR SIR:—They're glad they found out Devoe.

Corpus Christi, Texas, is right on the Gulf and one of the hardest climates for paint; hot sun, salt air, and strong winds.

The Sidbury Building, painted Devoe in 1899, is a shining example of perfect paint snow-white after 7 years, as if painted last week.

We should like every property-owner from Maine to Mexico to see that white white white.

Experience teaches who wants to learn as well as who wants to be kicked.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.,
New York.

P. S.—Dunn & Fulton sell our paint.

Secarity of Commercial Teachers.

Graduates of high schools, normal schools and colleges can prepare to teach the commercial subjects in a single year at the Rochester Business Institute. There are many more good positions for commercial teachers than candidates to fill them, and at much more attractive salaries than most other kinds of teaching command.

Clearance Sale Continued.

The Clearance Sale at the Big Department Store of David Mintz of Marienville will be continued until September 17th. You will save money by buying what you need now. All kinds of produce taken the same as cash.

Yours very truly,
DAVID MINTZ.

Special Prices

Still Continue

on

China-ware,
Glassware,
Jardinieres,
Semi-Porcelain Ware (white),
Enameled Ware,
Groceries,
Iron Wagons,
and many others.

You will have to come **soon** if you wish to profit by this sale, as the goods are moving very rapidly. We must have more room for our Drug and Specialty line to which we are adding almost daily.

New Line of Stationery

"Tionesta, Pa." embossed on each sheet of paper.

Crayons from 1c to 10c a box.
10c goods for 8c, three for 20c.
5c goods, two for 5c.

HARVEY FRITZ,

The Leading Jeweler,
32 SENECA ST., OIL CITY, PA.

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Diamonds. Are continually advancing.

Buy Now.

If you want a **DIAMOND** for an Anniversary, Engagement or Christmas Present, you positively can save money by purchasing it now, and from us. We have a complete stock, at prices that are certainly bargains.

HARVEY FRITZ,

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Clothing **Clothing**

Clothing of Quality.

After once wearing one of the Wile Co.'s Suits, no other will do. They are made and fit equal to tailor made.

We can fit the tall slender fellow as well as the big fat man, and the price is easy on your purse.

Boys' and Youth's Suits.

Our Boys' and Youth's Suits are very catchy. Made either single or double breasted. Round or square cut. Nice to look at and good to wear. Come and see.

HOPKINS STORE

We Have Just Added

To our stock a line of Sweat and Gig Pads, Fly Nets, Stable Blankets, Bug-gy Harness, Halters and Collars, and some Belting, and will continue to add more goods in this line from time to time. At the same time we are keeping up our stock of Builders' Hardware and everything in

PLUMBING GOODS.

Just received a line of the best **Barn Door Hangers and Latches** on the market. Something new and good.

We have Mower and Binder Sections, Guards and Guard Bolts.

Full line of Granite and Tin Ware.

Remember we carry a nice assortment of

ROOFING

and can furnish it as cheap as anyone. Don't forget the place

Tionesta Hardware.

As Long

As the custom of the country compels you to invest money in clothes, why not devote some thought to the subject and make your money do its best work? Many men seem to think that all ready-to-put on clothes are alike and it matters not which line they buy? This is a serious and an expensive error which can be avoided very easily. There is only one sure way of avoiding it and that is to buy your clothes of a store that carries none but standard goods—clothes made by the recognized leaders in the great clothes-making industry. We have the good lines. We have none of the bad.

Men's Suits at \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$18.50

That were priced in most cases from \$3 to \$5 higher than these prices and worth the money, but this is the housecleaning season in the clothing business and we make our prices to fit the season.

Fancy Wash Vests at Half Price.

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