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—The Hotel Weaver will serve a turkey dinner at 12 o'clock to-morrow, Thanksgiving day.

—The REPUBLICAN can furnish you with the very latest in engraved calling cards or anything else in that line, at reasonable prices.—if

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold a market in the basement of the church next Saturday afternoon, Nov. 29th, at three o'clock.

—HORSE FOR SALE.—A bay mare, 8 years old, sound and in good condition. Call on Nicholas Ikenburg at his farm on German Hill, or address Tionesta, Pa. adv

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—Remember the union Thanksgiving services at the Presbyterian church to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Dunlavy of the M. E. church will deliver the sermon.

—Mr. Gaston's new house is so well along toward completion that he is moving part of his goods in this week. He has been patient and long suffering, but there is a limit even to that virtue.

—Dr. D. Padoll, Optometrist and Ophthalmic, of 426 Holland Street, Erie, Pa., will be at Kellettville Hotel, Kellettville, Pa., Tuesday and Wednesday, December 2d and 3d. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. adv2t

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—A dance and oyster supper will be given at the German Hill Platform, Friday evening, Nov. 28th, to which all are cordially invited. Good music has been secured and a good time is assured to all who come.

—Henry P. Sullivan, whose serious illness had been noted, died at his home in Erie, on the 18th inst. He was the father of Mrs. Murray, wife of Rev. W. P. Murray, formerly pastor of the M. E. church of Tionesta. His age was 77 years.

—Notwithstanding all that has been said on the subject there are still some people left who are not aware that newspapers will not print unsigned communications. Another such finds its way into the waste basket this week at this shop.

—James Canfield, contractor for M. Finnegan, had a showing for a good oil well in the third sand the last of the week on the Frazee tract, just below Little Hickory creek, in Hickory township, but was delayed in finishing the well by some bad luck.

—The veteran catcher, Wilbert Robinson, and recently the coach and trainer for the New York National League baseball club, was last week appointed manager of the Bro.-klyn club. This will be of interest here, as Mr. Robinson is a nephew of ex-Sheriff G. W. Sawyer, of Tionesta.

—Acknowledgment of subscription renewals is made as follows, with thanks: G. W. Zaber, Mayburg, Pa.; Neil Kunselman, Ann Arbor, Mich.; G. W. Neal, Nebraska, Pa.; C. B. Horton, Pittsburgh, Pa. (new); M. F. Catlin, Trueman's, Pa.; R. K. Grove, Kellettville, Pa. (new); Peter Galmish, (new); Judge Morgan, Joseph Clark, Tionesta.

—Peter Galmish, who owns and farms the old Henry Kiser farm on German Hill, recently caught a big grey chicken hawk which measured three feet eight inches from tip to tip. The big bird was feasting on one of Mr. Galmish's chickens when he caught him in a steel trap set in the orchard. Mr. Galmish also shot a fine red fox a short time ago.

—E. A. Yetter, of this place, and son Earl, of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been visiting here for some time, went on a hunting trip into Forest county, on Saturday, and had unusually good luck. They returned in the evening with two birds, three rabbits, two large turkeys and a chicken. The latter "birds" being won on excellent marksmanship at a turkey shoot near Tionesta.—Kane Republican.

—George M. Dunkle, of Wilton, N. C., a former well known Forest county boy, is one of the incorporators of the Newbera Yoner & Panel Co., of Newbera, N. C., with a capital stock of \$50,000. His fellow incorporators are Frank Kamp of Greenville, N. C., and W. W. Dawson of Griffin, N. C. Mr. Dunkle has been in that country a number of years and is fully conversant with anything pertaining to the lumber business.

—Last December, when the Trust company announced it would pay out to the members of its Christmas Saving club the amount of \$73,900, it was considered just about the largest and juiciest melon that had been cut in Oil City at the holiday season in many years. This year, however, the bank comes out with the statement the Christmas Savings club for 1913 was composed of 4,950 members, to whom the sum of \$138,000 will be distributed.—Oil City Blizzard.

—The annual Thanksgiving treat to the families at Endeavor will not be overlooked this year, notwithstanding the high price at which turkeys are selling, and so the Wheeler & Dusenbury company will today present each family in its employ with a fat turkey, all dressed ready for the roaster. It will require about 180 of the fowls to go around, and as the birds will average about 14 pounds in weight, the total will be close to a ton and a half. So long as turkeys are to be had the good people of Endeavor will enjoy their annual Thanksgiving feast.

—Emory Decker, one of Whig Hill's prosperous farmers was in town Monday morning with a "krist" to be ground at the Lanson mill, and among other things his load contained one of the handsomest English fox hound puppies one could wish to see. He was shipping him to a New Castle sportsman. Mr. Decker has become quite noted as a breeder of this class of dogs, having had orders from widely divergent points of the Western Hemisphere, in other words, from Nova Scotia on the eastern coast to Oregon on the western. He has never had a complaint from any of his customers, and if all have shown up as well as the one we saw there sure would be no cause for complaint.

—A large and appreciative audience assembled in the M. E. Church last Friday evening to hear the literary and musical entertainment given under the direction of Miss Olive Lanson. Each one assisting rendered his or her part well, and Tionesta people should be proud of the talent shown by our people both in vocal and instrumental music. The readings of Mrs. Abbot of Oil City were among the very best ever given here. Each of her selections were fine, but her interpretation of the selection from Elizabeth Stuart Phelps was especially pleasing and we are looking forward to the pleasure of having her with us again. Mrs. Abbot is a niece of Mrs. A. Carson, the president of the local W. C. T. U. The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Local Union, and a nice sum was realized.

—One of the largest timber deals of the year in which Warren capital is interested has just been consummated by J. M. Bemis of this city, and his son. They have disposed of their large holdings in Texas and other Western states, the sales amounting to a total considerable in excess of \$1,000,000. These tracts were purchased by Mr. Bemis more than fifty years ago. At that time Western timber land could be purchased very cheaply and the tracts Mr. Bemis has just sold were bought for but little more than \$10,000. Mr. and Mrs. Bemis will leave Warren Monday and expect to spend the greater part of the next few years in travel. They are among Warren's prominent citizens and will be greatly missed. They will go first to New York and Washington, D. C., thence to Florida and expect after a few months to cross the continent and spend some time in the Pacific coast states.—Warren Times.

—In Clarion last week the following motion picture relative to the recent killing near Tylersburg was presented at a session of court: Commonwealth vs. Joseph Black. In the Court of Oyer and Terminer of Clarion county. And now, November 6, A. D. 1913, the inquest on the body of Jerome Weaver, filed November 3, 1913, at No. 9, December sessions, 1913, in the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clarion county, Pa., showing that the jury did find that the said Jerome Weaver came to his death in the barn of N. F. Hoover, in Farmington township, in said county, on November 1, 1913, at 25 minutes after 10 o'clock p. m., at the hands of Joseph Black "by striking said Jerome Weaver with a three-tine hay fork, inflicting wounds upon the head of said Jerome Weaver," the district attorney moves for leave to send up a bill of indictment to the next grand jury charging the said Joseph Black with the crime of murder at the time and place set forth in the said inquest. November 6, 1913, presented and filed in open court and motion granted by the court.

—The undersigned will be grateful and pay necessary expense to any one who will furnish information leading to the recovery of a red and white bull calf, aged about 9 months, which strayed from his premises the past summer.

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A Night of Terror.

Few nights are more terrible than that of a mother looking on her child choking and gasping for breath during an attack of croup, and nothing in the house to relieve it. Many mothers have passed nights of terror in this situation. A little forethought will enable you to avoid all this. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Keep it at hand. For sale by all druggists. adv.

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PERSONAL.

—M. F. Catlin of Trueman's gave us a brief call Monday.

—Ralph Grove of Kellettville was a business visitor in town yesterday.

—Ralph Martin, of Tidouste, was down Monday looking up stock for his hub factory.

—S. J. Ansel of Bruin, Pa., was a guest over Sunday of his son, Frank Ansel.

—J. P. Grove and son James are home from the Portsmouth, Ohio, oil fields on a few weeks' vacation.

—M. Massfield, of Tidouste, was a guest of John Cotter and A. J. Hallinan at the Hotel Weaver, Tuesday.

—Mrs. Chas. H. Hunter went to Sheffield, Saturday, for a week's visit at the home of her son, George S. Hunter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Walters of Ohio spent a few days during the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Walters.

—Miss Katherine Gallup, of Youngsville, was a guest of Mrs. Robert A. Fulton at the Central House over Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Gerow, of Warren, left Friday night for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they expect to spend the winter.

—Mrs. James D. Davis is spending the Thanksgiving vacation with her son, Midshipman J. Kepler Davis, at Annapolis, Md.

—Dr. W. G. Morrow of West Hickory was a business visitor in town a few hours Friday, and gave us a pleasant call while here.

—Dr. Karl E. Wank of Kane spent the Sabbath at his Tionesta home and enjoyed a day's tramp in the woods after game Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith, of Ridgeway, are spending the Thanksgiving season with the family of their son, Harry H. Smith, at West Hickory.

—Mrs. Louis Bourquin of Tidouste, nee Miss Carrie Stuchell, left Friday to join her husband at Thomas, W. Va., where he is probably employed.

—Mrs. Levi Billig, of Greenville, Pa., and Mrs. George Morawek, of Osgood, Pa., a sister and niece of Mrs. M. Wertz, were guests at her home here last week.

—Mrs. L. A. Ansel of Marion, Va., was a guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Carringer, over the Sabbath, going to Clarion to be with friends for Thanksgiving, but expecting to return to complete her visit with her mother and brother, M. A. Carringer.

—Hon. N. P. Wheeler, of Endeavor, was a visitor in town yesterday and gave the REPUBLICAN office a pleasant call while here. We note with genuine pleasure a marked improvement in our former Congressman's health, which had not been of the most robust sort for a year or more past.

—Mrs. A. B. Kelly and Mrs. Sule M. Sharpe left yesterday for Chicago and Waukegan, Ill., to visit relatives and friends for an indefinite period. They expect to extend their visit to Cincinnati and Louisville friends, and if they don't get homesick may not return to Tionesta until spring.

—F. R. Lanson very elegantly entertained his Sunday school bible class at his home Wednesday evening. Twenty of the thirty male members were present to enjoy the hospitality of their teacher, the entertainment consisting of dominos and other games, a royal feast and music. Miss Frances Grove and Miss Olive Lanson rendered a number of piano selections.

—"Deacon" Phillip, the famous ex-pirate baseball pitcher, is finishing the hunting season this week with Charlie Bush at Oldtown. If the "Deacon" is as accurate in his delivery with the fowling piece as he was in his palmy days with the horsehide there is something likely to be doing afield up where he's camping. He is accompanied by his hunting chum, D. L. Davis of Pittsburgh.

—Forest Mead Zuendel and Miss Ida May Edginger, both of Meadville, Pa., were united in marriage Nov. 19, 1913, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wertz, in Tionesta, Rev. H. A. Bailey officiating. The newly wedded pair went up to B. J. Weller's on German Hill for a short visit with the bridegroom's father, Christopher Zuendel. They will make their home in Meadville, where Mr. Zuendel is an engineer on the Erie Railroad. The REPUBLICAN joins with their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life.

—H. J. Ritzert, for a number of years employed at the Heeshaw blacksmith shop in Tionesta, and Miss Stella Saeler, of North Oakland, Butler county, were united in marriage at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, Nov. 25, 1913, in the Catholic church at North Oakland. After a honeymoon trip to Toledo, Detroit and other western cities they will return to Tionesta next week to make their home. Herman has made many friends in Tionesta by his quiet and gentlemanly demeanor at all times and all these will join with us in wishing for him and his bride a long life of joy and prosperity.

—Joseph A. Kelly of Pittsburgh spent a portion of last week at his Oldtown Lodge having as his guest Charles B. Horton, also of Pittsburgh. They enjoyed every minute of their stay and met with good success in the game woods, taking with them enough to prove the contrary should any of their envious friends declare them to be "no good" in the woods. Mr. Horton is chief of the Boy Scouts in his city and in his rambles over the rugged hills and through the picturesque woods bordering on the beautiful Tionesta creek, he found much that was new to himself and that will be interesting to relate to the little men over whom he exercises a watchful care.

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Recent Deaths.

IMHOOF.

Mrs. Jeannette Jones Imhoof was born at Beaver Valley, Pa., Dec. 4, 1863, and passed away very suddenly from apoplexy, at her home near Nebraska, Pa., Wednesday evening at 9:30 o'clock, Nov. 19, 1913, in her fiftieth year. July 1, 1889, she was married to Samuel Wallace Imhoof at Tionesta, and was a devoted and happy wife to the end of her days. She leaves to mourn their loss, her husband, a son, Albert Jones, of Oil City, her aged mother, Mrs. Boyd Jones, and three brothers and one sister, as follows: Warren F. Clarence, and Mrs. Adeline Coy, all of Newtown Mills, Pa.; James F., of East Hickory, Pa., besides a host of friends. She was converted in early life and became a consistent, faithful member of the Methodist Episcopal church. Her life was an encouragement and an inspiration to all who came in touch with her. She also was one of Nebraska's active members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, from which society she will be greatly missed. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the sorrowing relatives. Funeral services were held at her late home Friday afternoon, her pastor, Rev. H. L. Dunlavy, officiating. Interment in Riverside cemetery, Tionesta.

SHEARER.

Mrs. Jennie Shearer, wife of J. W. Shearer, died very suddenly from heart failure Friday morning, Nov. 14, 1913, at the family home near Walkers Corners, Pa.

The deceased was a lady well and widely known and was endeared to all by her loving and cheerful Christian character. Her death will be mourned by a large number of friends and relatives. She was the eldest daughter of Joseph and Isabelle Benn Arters and was born near Tidouste, Pa., Aug. 13, 1846. She moved with her parents to Venango county in 1865. She was married to J. W. Shearer in 1867 and settled on the turn-pike half way between Waterford and Cambridge Springs, where she lived all her life, with the exception of a few years spent at West Hickory, Forest county.

She experienced religion when about sixteen years of age and joined the Methodist church where she was always a faithful member, doing work in the church, Sunday school, Ladies Aid and chorister of the choir and a member of the Mill Village Grange. She was ever ready to assist in sickness or sorrow, or wherever help or sympathy were needed, and was always cheerful and bore her trials and sorrows with Christian fortitude. She will be greatly missed in the neighborhood and home by a large circle of friends and relatives.

She leaves to mourn her death her husband and five children as follows: Mrs. Homer Burton of Youngstown, O.; Edward Shearer of Mill Village, Pa.; Mrs. Elmer Lee of Warren, O.; Body Shearer of Erie, Pa. and Mrs. Roland Smith of Youngstown, O. Also one sister and one brother, Mrs. Martha Wait of Edinboro, Pa.; R. B. Arters of Mill Village, Pa., and several grand children. The funeral was held from Monroes church on November 17 and was largely attended. Rev. Porter, her pastor, preached her funeral sermon. A quartette composed of Mr. and Mrs. Gale McCray, Mrs. George Welker and Monroe Quay sang beautiful hymns.

The many and beautiful floral offerings attested to the love and high esteem in which she was held and spoke of spring-time and the resurrection from death. She was laid at rest in the Waterford cemetery, where many of her relatives are buried.

Clarionton.

W. D. Shields is home from the Adirondack Mountains, where he spent three or four weeks hunting during the deer season and of course brought home a nice big buck.

Frank Royer, one of the United Natural Gas Co.'s right-hand men, came home from Mercer county with his crew, having laid nine miles of big line in a very short time.

G. M. Dunkle, who was laid up for some time, is around again.

December 6th is the date selected for the play to be given by the High School. Chester Calen came home and has relieved the Yowinkel mail carrier.

R. D. Henderson came down from Elk county, where he is teaching, to see his friends and any others he chanced to meet.

Geo. McMillen of Corsica came up for a couple days' gunning. Got a few rabbits and one weasel, which netted him \$2.00.

The different organizations of our village are becoming quite active. It looks to me on the outside that some good might be derived from it and better the conditions, which we earnestly hope will happen.

The trappers, hunters and butchers are all discussing their work around the loafing places, and it is wonderful how hopeful they are.

There is a great deal of talk about the high cost of living but it don't seem to alarm James Royer, and he has taken on another boarder. The stork visited our town last week and left a young daughter. Jim finally set up the tables.

Our town was well represented out at Sigel on Saturday night at the entertainment given by the Galtbreath Brothers of Brookville.

Mrs. Brewer and Mrs. Mechlind drove over to Gilfoyle to a meeting of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Brewer gave her report of the state convention, which was well received, and they found a very flourishing organization.

Rev. Orledge preached a temperance sermon to a large audience last Sabbath evening.

Rev. May will preach a Thanksgiving sermon Thursday morning.

Rev. Humbert will preach on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, also on Sabbath afternoon, at which time a Presbyterian class will be organized at this place.

Local people are surprised at the QUICK results received from simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler's, the German remedy which became famous by curing appendicitis. The West Hickory Drug Store states that this simple remedy draws off such a surprising amount of old foul matter from the body that a SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY. adv

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Kellettville.

Dr. C. Y. Dejar accompanied John Flynn to Oil City Thursday, where he entered the hospital for treatment. John has been in poor health for some time and it is hoped that he will receive benefit from his stay at the hospital.

Mrs. Biogram of Nebraska was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Blum, Saturday.

Kathleen Dabenspeck leaves this week for Texas, where she expects to spend the winter with her aunt.

Miss Margaret Goodfellow spent Saturday in Warren.

Olive Wolfe came home from Blaisdell, N. Y., during the week.

Hennie Kifer is visiting friends in town this week.

George Shepard moved his family into the rooms in Mrs. Harrington's house during the week.

Wade Simpson moved into the rooms over Wilbur Miller's pool room and has rented the dental rooms of Dr. H. L. Davis to use as a jewelry store.

Mrs. G. R. Johnson is visiting her son in Sheffield.

The organized classes are doing good work in securing new recruits for the Sunday school at the M. E. church. There were 226 present at last Sunday's session. The church is not large enough to accommodate all the classes and the ladies' class meets in the parsonage for class work.

Prof. J. C. Titterington spent Friday night with friends in Nebraska.

Miss Fish of Crown, Miss Bessie Porter of Tionesta, and Ward and Edward Barrett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barrett. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson.

Porkey.

The scarcity of the beautiful snow at this time of the year is making the outside hunters take from our landscape and which keeps us back to the wearing of the regular "lonseld" without a red rag on it.

L. R. Brennan's good dog, "Bowler," disappeared last week and it is thought he went out to die and is now "resting with his fathers." This was a very intellectual dog and had many friends who will miss his lovelly eyes.

Frank Staub, who was so badly injured when a tree fell on him while felling a cross cut saw in the woods at Wellers, is improving. His mother came to make him a visit on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Burdick, Jr., spent Thursday with the J. T. Miller family here before going to Oil City, their future home. They left Henry Mills on Friday for their new home.

There was a shooting contest at Blue Jay on Saturday last and all the crack shots for miles around were present. Some fine demonstrations of marksmanship were pulled off.

There were two comforter-tying parties here last week and all concerned had a pleasant day. It was a reminder of the old quilting parties of bygone days, when the ladies got together and tore up the reputations of those absent, digging up all circumstances where there was a chance to surmise and take it for the truth. Now, at Porkey there never was a class of ladies who would go gossiping stunts, but everything was fun and frolic, when the married ladies could joke and appear like a school-girl. This is the way to do it, for we don't know how long we can enjoy each other's company. That old reaper, Death, is liable to get us any time.

Our schools are preparing for an entertainment to come just before the Christmas vacation, and we hope all the children will get busy and do all they can to make it a success, as the older people enjoy anything of this kind where their children take part.

Vernita Rupert went to Sheffield Saturday for her music lesson, but is now under the care of Mrs. D. W. Dorn of that place instead of Miss Grimmes, who has no more pupils than she can handle at the present.

Some of the Sheffield young men were hunting in the vicinity of Wellers last week, and among them were some of R. W. Whitehill's new relations, viz: the Kinstetter brothers, including their valuable hounds. They left the jungles on Saturday.

A pair of chocolate was broken into a short time ago at a freight house on the S. & T. railroad, and a resident of another place ran onto a lard pail packed to the top with the sweet bits, and at another place it was rumored that a stomach-pump was hired to extract the sweets, which caused no small amount of uneasiness. It is easy to locate the trail of the chocolate. The original shipment was close to 34 pounds gross, and we weighed the pail at its destination and found it to be 152 pounds. Some must have a full set of sweet teeth along the Tionesta creek.

The late warm weather has started the grass and flowers to growing, and in places the frogs were singing "Spring is here." Mr. Frog may be off but it won't be so very long until he can come out and stay. Berks county wants us to know that it is going to be a hard winter but we can't see it, that is, Jim and I.