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Commencing Saturday, December 9, This Store Will Remain Open Nights Until Xmas.

Christmas Opening and Sale in Full Force

All We Can Say Is Come In and Look

For we are satisfied that we can eliminate the trouble and worry of choosing presents for the dear ones and that you will find just what you are looking for to make a present to Father, Mother, Sister, Brother, Aunt, Uncle, Cousin or Friend.

In Dry Goods Dep't

A Beautiful Line of New Silks, Dress Goods, Waistings, Gloves, Hosiery, Women's Neckwear, Umbrellas, Christmas Stationery, Kimonos, Dressing Sacques, Fine Lingerie, Bath Robes, Flannel Petticoats, Silk Petticoats, Linen Handkerchiefs, Table Linen, Ribbons, Laces, Linen Sets, Towels, Wool Blankets, Bed Comfortables, Cotton Dress Fabrics, Bath Blankets, Linen Lunch Cloths, Doilies, Holiday Aprons, Women's Underwear, Infants' Cloaks, Bonnets, Sacques, Shoes, etc.

Toys Toys Toys

Hook and Ladders, Building Blocks, Steam Engines, Trains of Cars, Iron Wagons, Police Patrols, Drums, Dolls, Tea Sets, Mechanical Toys, Rattles, Magic Lanterns, Banks, Safes, Games, etc.

Grocery Dep't

Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Vases, Lamps, Toilet Sets, Bric-a-Brac.

Art Goods Dep't

The Christmas Line Ready Fancy Pin Cushions, Pillow Tops, Fancy Pillows, Picture Frames, Stamped Linens, Pillow Shams, Lyon Brand Yarns, Eureka Silk, Pillow Corda, Fancy Baskets, Pyrography Outfits and Stamped Pieces of All Sorts.



Men's Furnishings

Kid Gloves, Wool Gloves, Mufflers, Christmas Neckwear, Umbrellas, Suspenders, House Coats, Bath Robes, Night Shirts, Dress Shirts, Wool Underwear, Collars and Cuffs, Cuff Buttons, Men's and Boys' Sweaters, Dress Suit Cases, Trunks, Bags, etc., Collar and Cuff Boxes, Shaving Stands, Wardrobe Trunks, Steamer Trunks.

Miscellaneous

Books, Bibles, Wrist Bags, Comb and Brush Sets, Novelties, Cut Glass, Pocket Books, Waste Paper Baskets, Hampers, Fancy Baskets, Framed Pictures, Music Rolls, Ink Stands, Jewel Cases, Perfumes and Toilet Articles, Jewelry, Clocks, Mirrors, Fans, Hat Pins, Belts.

Furniture Dep't

Parlor Furniture, Dining Room Furniture, Combination Writing Desk & Case, China Cabinets, Music Cabinets, Oak Bed Room Sets, Library Chair, Office Chairs, Reed Rockers, Library Tables, Couches, Davenport, Brass and Iron Beds, Children's High Chairs, Gilt Chairs, Morris Chairs, Side Boards, Buffets, Sectional Book Cases, Hall Racks, Cheffoniers, Dressing Tables, Large and Small Mirrors.

Home Furnishing Department

A Handsome Assortment of Carpets, Rugs, Art Squares, Carpet Sweepers, Linoleum, Door Mats.

The L. V. R. R. will give excursion rates, of single fare, between Tunkhannock and Geneva, on Fridays and Saturdays of each week from now until Christmas. This is an additional inducement to you to do your shopping at THE BIG STORE.

ATHENS.

Miss Elizabeth VanLoan went to Elmira today.

J. N. Bender of New Albany was transacting business here today.

A large crowd went to Towanda this morning as witnesses on the Huff-Russell land suit.

Rufus Thornton went to Greenwood last evening to attend the funeral of E. B. Gilbert.

A. M. Hildebrand was summoned to Standing Stone this morning on account of the death of his mother.

Frank Cole, who has been at the home of C. W. Tidd several weeks, returned to Muncie, Indiana yesterday.

There was a large attendance at the singing school conducted by H. C. Johnson in the Baptist church last evening.

H. P. Crayton and wife returned to their home in West Franklin this morning after a short visit with their sons in this place.

Engineer N. F. Walker, I. L. Northrup and Sol Minier went to Towanda today to appear as witnesses in the Huff-Russell suit.

Mrs. Sylvia B. Norrish went to Alba last week to attend the quarterly convention of the W. C. T. U., but was taken sick and is yet unable to return.

Margaret Wells, who has been visiting friends in Smithboro and Barton, and for the past few days has been a guest at Geo. Richard's returned to her home in New Era this morning.

DON'T MISS IT

Athens—As the season is too far advanced for the boys to tussle over foot ball games the public will get infinitely more solid amusement if they go to high school hall tomorrow evening and see the wizard Durno perform his magical feats of legerdemain. Tickets on sale at Sanford's.

WASP IS SAFE.

Gunboat Makes Newport After Terrible Battle With Hurricane.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 13.—The little gunboat Wasp, formerly the yacht Columbia, limped into port under one boiler and several sails after a terrific battle with a north Atlantic hurricane, during which she sprung a leak and was kept afloat after her pumps choked through hand balling by her entire crew.

The little vessel was blown nearly to the gulf stream by Sunday's storm and was nearly two days getting back to port. At one time the water, which came in through a leak in the stern, flooded her engine room, and for ten hours on Sunday the Wasp was at the mercy of the waves. The crew of sixty men, a third of whom were naval apprentices and unused to such boisterous conditions, bailed for many hours with buckets and succeeded in freeing the engine room. Hospital Steward White sustained a broken rib, but refused to give up his place in the balling line.

The success of Chief Boatswain Hugh Sweeney, the commander of the Wasp, in bringing his vessel through the hurricane under such trying circumstances received the commendation of the officers at the naval training station here, to which the Wasp is attached.

The Wasp had a crew of sixty men aboard, and it was feared that she had foundered in the great gale that swept the eastern coast for forty-eight hours.

A dispatch from New Bedford says: "Rolling in the swells and well down in the water, the lighthouse tender Azalea plowed her way slowly into port at dawn, having on board the fourteen men rescued from the Nantucket South shoal lightship No. 58. These men were rescued in the open sea after a thrilling fight for life, which continued many hours until every man of them was staggering from weakness following loss of sleep and exhaustion.

"Until the little lighthouse tender pulled into port the opinion had been general along the Atlantic coast that the lightship had gone to the bottom and that the men aboard her had perished. The Azalea herself experienced a hard fight for life, and only her staunch hull saved her from going after the big lightship."

Ex-Queen Lili's Petition. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—A petition from ex-Queen Liliokalani asking for the payment of \$10,000,000 to her was presented to the senate by Vice President Fairbanks. The petition was accompanied by an autograph letter, as follows: "I have the honor to inclose herewith a copy of my petition and claim to the congress of the United States of America and respectfully request your excellency's help. I pray you, therefore, and implore the providence of God to aid and guide you in the consideration of my petition and claim."

GREATEST PIANO OPPORTUNITY EVER OFFERED

Sayre People and Vicinity Going to Reap the Benefits of An Extraordinary Trade Deal—D. S. Andrus & Co., the Hustling Piano Firm, Expect to Make One Hundred Homes Happy This Christmas Time

Just after D. S. Andrus & Co had planned the great sale for Sayre it was learned that the price of pianos had advanced materially, and that the manufacturers were literally snowed under with orders. However, true to their word, this hustling firm is going right on with their plans as laid out. As a consequence the citizens of Sayre and vicinity are going to reap the benefit of one of the greatest piano opportunities ever offered. In fact you cannot match the prices for such high grade pianos anywhere in the world. D. S. Andrus & Co were extremely fortunate in placing the order for one hundred pianos for their Sayre store, and we predict that 128 Desmond street will be a busy place for the next few days. These pianos range in price from \$165, \$223, \$247, and upward. They will be sold under the D. S. Andrus & Co's Easy Payment System—a few dollars down and a small sum each month.

It is a very simple plan and you own your piano without missing the payments, they are so very small. By this system of easy payments thousands in this vicinity have become owners of pianos who could not pay cash down. It is the determination of D. S. Andrus & Co. to make one hundred homes happy this Christmas tide if extremely low prices on high grade pianos will do it. Then the influence of these homes will thoroughly advertise the house of D. S. Andrus & Co. That is just what we want, and that is how we can afford to quote such low prices. If you make your selection now we will set it aside for future delivery.

In addition, D. S. Andrus & Co. will give absolutely free with each piano a stool, scarf, music book, one year's tuning, a guarantee that the piano must be as represented or money refunded, and the piano delivered to your home without a cent of expense to you. Do not forget to call at 128 Desmond street, for you will be welcome whether you purchase or not.

INTERESTING LEGAL BATTLE NOW ON

Suit in Ejectment is Occupying the Attention of a Large Number of Athens People

Athens—Some of our legal lights and a score of witnesses went to Towanda this morning to appear in the great land ejectment suit of Huff vs. Russell. This controversy has been going on for the past two years and some nice questions of law are involved.

Henry Huff purchased the Snell farm at Milan and claims that Cherry Island was included in it. George Russell claims that it belongs to him by a prior occupancy and which he has worked several years. Mr. Huff brings his suit of ejectment and claims that he can force title to the property. The suit has been tried before arbitrators and some of the witnesses here swore that George Russell has worked the island for sixty years. Maynard & Son and L. T. Hoyt are attorneys for the prosecutor, and Wm. Maxwell and J. W. Ing ham for the defendant. The trial will occupy several days.

Quickest Route to Chicago, 17 Hours from Sayre

Leave Sayre this afternoon and arrive at Chicago at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. In time for connections for western points. This is via Lehigh Valley, Michigan Central or Lake Shore Railroads. Sleeper \$2.00 double berth from Buffalo. Best services and equipment. Best roadbed—unexcelled dining cars.

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Christmas is Coming

And won't it be a good thing to do to give a pair of Shoes, Slippers or High Top Boots to some member of the family or friend? We have a plan that will make it easy for you, and increase the pleasure of the recipient. Below is a copy of a certificate which you can purchase; specify the brand of shoes you wish to give, then present the certificate in person or through the mail.

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Men's felts and rubbers \$2.00 pair.
Men's one buckle arctics \$1.00 pair.
Men's four buckle arctics \$2.00 pair.
We have all other grades of men's shoes and rubbers at the lowest prices.
Fine stock men's slippers 50c pair.
Great cut price in ladies' and children's shoes and rubbers. Ladies' rubbers 40c up.
Best line of men's and boy's caps in the city for 25c and 50c.
Great stock union-made men's wear.
Overalls and jackets 50c and 75c.
Full line of underwear, all kinds.
Work gloves and mittens from 10c up.
Men's woolen socks 10c, 15, 19c and 25c.
Six pair cotton socks 25c.
Full line of millinery. Ladies' and children's trimmed hats at half price; also baby bonnets at half price. This line of goods must be closed out regardless of cost or value.
We have a line of misses' coats at one half price.
Outing flannels and ginghams at cost to close out.
Men's iron collars 5c, six for 25c.
Folding ironing tables 98c.
Bible stands with shelf 35c.
Jardiner stands 30c.
Double rocking horses 75c.
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A visit to the West Sayre Cash Store, corner Keystone Avenue and Lincoln Street, will convince you that our motto, LARGE SALES AND SMALL PROFITS "OUR AIM TO PLEASE," is the only way that we do business. A glance at a few of the prices below; shows what can be done with a little ready money.

25 lb sack Granulated Sugar	18	Pure Leaf Fard	10	Men's all wool Shirts and Drawers that usually sell for \$1.00 to \$1.25, at 70c
3 cans Tomatoes	25	Creamery Butter	28	All of our men's, boys', ladies', misses', children's, infants' Shoes and Rubbers to go at 10% discount during this sale.
3 cans Corn	25	Dairy Butter	22 to 25	Ladies' fleece lined Undergarments, all perfect goods, at
3 cans Peas	25	Eggs	26	Children's wear from 9c up.
3 cans Succotash	25	10 lbs Buckwheat Flour	19	
3 lbs choice Prunes	25	Good Green Tea	25	
1 lb choice Rice	06	9 bars Oak Leaf Soap	25	
California Ham	08	9 bars Acme Soap	25	
Choice Pig Ham	10	Men's heavy fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, the kind that is usually	25	

These Prices Will Continue Until Dec. 16

For the Christmas trade we have added a full line of

Toys, Dolls, Games, Etc.

Candies are Strictly Fresh at Prices that Will Keep You Chewing

Don't Fail to Visit the 5 and 10 Cent Counter

At this counter you can make a 5 or 10 cent piece stretch in purchasing power, like a piece of rubber. There are articles here that other stores charge almost double for.

We carry a full and up to date line of Hardware, Tinware, Groceries, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Rubbers, etc.; at prices that will astonish you and keep you guessing how we do it.

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