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WIELAND CO.
 THE BIG STORE WITH THE LITTLE PRICES

WE WILL MAIL ORDERS AND PREPAY FREIGHT OR EXPRESS ON PURCHASES OF \$5.00 OR OVER.

SAYRE, PA.

Store Closes Daily at 6 P. M. Except Saturday Evenings, L. V. R. R. Paydays and Two Evenings Succeeding

How Are You Fixed For Furs?

at prices that make a new record for values. We pass out any piece in our store at surprisingly low prices. Season for selling is over but the season for usefulness to the wearer is here. They go out at **LESS THAN ONE HALF TRUE VALUE.**

Extraordinary Suit and Coat Offerings

Nothing reserved; all go on sale at clearance prices. Some well tailored suits, lined, snappy styles and thoroughly new, at less than the making would cost. If you are in need of a

Suits, \$7.87 up
Coats, 3.75 up

Millinery

A few patterns hats at one-half former price.

Special While They Last

One lot Men's Blue Flannel double breasted shirts, our 98c leader - - - - - 75c

One lot, all colors, Boy's Pineapple Knit Sweaters, regular \$1 value - - - - - 60c

Men's Lined Gloves and One Finger Mitts; our 50c and 60c quality, per pair - - - - - 35c

Second Floor Savings

Offerings in Flannelette products were never better. Included in these are Kimonos, Skirts and Night Gowns, all at factory cost, and less.

Misses' and Boy's Headgear

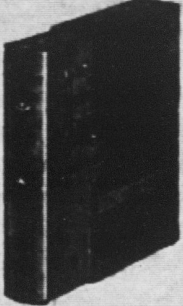
Stocking Caps and Tam O' Shaners, 75c values 50c, 50c values 35c, 25c values 17c.

Severe storms and fierce frosts right along and you need not consult the weather bureau to know it's so. Even the Ice Man is feeling good over this and its possible continuance. We contribute to your comfort, Fur offerings

Woman's, Misses' or Child's Garment at all and don't buy now we say you will miss a good chance. We handle only dependable wearing and appealing garments. ALTERATIONS FREE.

Tabard Inn News

We will open new subscriptions from now until February 25, making you a member for \$115, which entitles you to ownership of a regular \$1.50 copyrighted book and cover, which makes books exchangeable at any Tabard Inn Library in the United States.



Notion Department

Booth's best assorted chocolates. Sold everywhere at 65c; special to close, 43c.

Third Floor Special

For Tuesday One case Heavy Crocketed Bleached Bed Quilts on sale for one day only. Regular price \$1.25; Tuesday only - - - - - 98c See display Elmer Avenue Window

Special Closeouts

On odds and ends of Belts. 25c values 17c, 50c values 35c, \$1.00 values 59c.

ATHENS.

C. H. Decker was in Elmira today.

Hon. L. T. Hoyt is home for election.

The oil well was down 1287 feet at midnight last night.

Mrs. Robert Archer went to Standing Stone today to visit relatives.

J. T. Corbin, Esq., and O. L. Heverley were in Towanda on business today.

Elmer Arnold and wife of Vawter were in Athens last evening in attendance at the concert in High school hall.

Election is the all engrossing subject today. We will know more about it tomorrow. There will be a large vote polled.

If those boys are permitted to make disturbances at the lectures and concerts as they have done so far this season, the High school lecture course will not receive patronage enough to continue it another course.

The Young Ladies' Society of Trinity church will give a silver Colonial social at the home of Miss Anna Elsbree, 301 South Main street, Wednesday evening. "All ye good church folks" and your friends are invited to come and join in "ye olde tyme" dances.

Mrs. Bridget McAsey died at her home in Ridgebury at 12:30 o'clock yesterday, after an illness of about nine days, aged 36 years. She was born in Ireland, and came to this place with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Larkin, when a child. Her father worked in the Underhill tannery for many years and the family lived in one of the dwellings near that place. Her funeral will take place from the Ridgebury church, Thursday at 10 o'clock. Rogers & Miller, undertakers, have charge of the burial.

DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT

Athens—Two hours of solid, unalloyed pleasure, is the verdict that gives evidence that last night's performance by the Clare Vaughan Wales company was one of the best that ever visited Athens. Every number was encored, and some of them so heartily that the persons giving them were obliged to respond several times. Mrs. Wales is highly gifted and her stage presence is so charming and natural that she captures the audience at once and holds them as long as it is her pleasure to do so. Her first number was one that calls out great and diversified emotional powers, and to say that she was true to its best interpretation is but a faint acknowledgement of her powers. In her last selection she was recalled three times, and as a closing number recited "Life's Mission."

Miss Estella Merica, the violinist, is a brilliant artist, whose Spanish lineage gives fire and vigor to excellent musical talents. She is artistic and true and cultured, with that proficiency that makes the performance of violin techniques and tonal execution so easy for her that the most difficult selections seem easy. Leonard's fascinating "Military Fantasia" was her star number, and it was given with faultless precision, and in response to encore she rendered Foster's immortal "Kentucky Home" on the muted violin that filled the air with enticing harmonies.

Madame Natalie Cones has a bird like voice that charms by its bird like warblings. It is such as gives to music and heart songs their sweetest attraction. The flexite, vibrating tones come forth from a deep, soul-like inspiration that holds the listener spellbound. Mr. Hunie, the baritone, is rich in tonal execution and perfect in artistic performance. His "Visions Fair" was his gem piece, and when he finished there came to the listeners a feeling that they would like to hear it again.

After the concert we met the members of the company in a social hour at Dr. Cowell's resi-

dence and found them all to be possessed of charming social qualities and just such persons as we would like to meet oftener. We shall be glad to see them again in Athens.

MRS. MIZNER IS ANGRY.

Story of Quarrel Ended by Millionaire Widow of Yorkes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Mizner, Mrs. Charles T. Yorkes that was, died, according to her brother-in-law, Addison C. Mizner, that she and her youthful husband had disagreed. Callers at the Fifth avenue mansion were told by a maid that Mrs. Mizner was out of town.

The truth was, however, that Mrs. Mizner was at home and had just held a heated conversation over the telephone with Addison Mizner in his apartments at 80 West Twenty-fourth street. Mrs. Mizner said to him: "I wish to deny that there is any trouble between Wilson and myself. I love him just as much as ever. The report of a quarrel is foolish."

Mizner himself said later that she was highly indignant at the story in circulation and had demanded to know if he was responsible for it. She intimated that she thought he might have been and showed that she was angry. Mr. Mizner denied to her that he knew anything about the report. To the newspaper men he said he had heard of no trouble between his brother and his bride and that he understood "everything was O. K."

STANDARD OIL MONOPOLY.

Railroads Summoned to Appear Regarding Excessive Rates.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The following named carriers are required to appear for investigation here before the oil investigation committee: Atkinson, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company, Missouri Pacific Railway company, Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway company, St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad company, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway company, Union Pacific Railroad company, Kansas City Southern Railway company and St. Louis Southwestern Railway company.

All persons interested are also granted leave to appear and be heard. The charges filed by the Kansas Oil Producers' association, upon which the investigation will be based, are as follows: "That the rates charged by railroad common carriers on petroleum and its products from producing sections in the states of Kansas and Indian Territory to destinations in Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois, Arkansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and other interstate destinations are unreasonable, unjust and unduly prejudicial."

A BRAVE DEED.

How Metzger Prevented a Big Accident on Reading Road.

TRENTON, Feb. 20.—Seeing a runaway locomotive going down the track toward an approaching train, Harry Metzger, a brakeman on the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, at the risk of his life made a flying leap aboard the locomotive and stopped and backed it in time to avoid a disastrous collision.

In jumping on the engine Metzger thrust his foot through the cab window and severed an artery. He bled profusely, but maintained his position until all danger was past. Then he collapsed. He was slowly bleeding to death when taken to a hospital.

No one can explain how the locomotive started on its wild run. It had been standing on a siding and suddenly moved away without any apparent cause, both engineer and fireman being absent from the cab at the time.

Weather Probabilities. Increasing cloudiness; south winds.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Closing Stock Quotations. Money on call steady at 4 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2 per cent. Exchanges, 112, 112, 112; balances, 112, 112, 112.

Chicago Prices:

Amal. Copper	11 1/4	N. Y. Central	110
Atchafalpa	90	Norfolk & West.	87 1/2
B. & O.	110 1/2	Penn. R. R.	110 1/2
Brooklyn T. & M.	104	Reading	110
C. C. & St. L.	100 1/2	Rock Island	84
Ches. & Ohio	80 1/2	St. Paul	117 1/2
Chi. & Northw.	80 1/2	Southern Pac.	80 1/2
D. & G.	80	Southern Ry.	80 1/2
Erie	80 1/2	South. Ry. pt.	80 1/2
Gen. Electric	171	Sugar	10 1/2
Ill. Central	178	Texas Pacific	84
Lehigh Valley	100	Union Pacific	110 1/2
Louis. & Nash.	100 1/2	U. S. Steel	110 1/2
Manhattan	100 1/2	U. S. Steel pt.	100 1/2
Metropolitan	111 1/2	West. Union	100 1/2
Missouri Pac.	100		

New York Markets.

FLOUR—Dull and lower to sell. Minnesota patents, 11 1/2; winter straight, 11 1/2; winter extra, 11 1/2; white patents, 11 1/2.

WHEAT—Active and weaker in response to large world's shipments, lower cables and favorable weather; new low levels were made; May, 11 1/2; July, 11 1/2.

CORN—Steady on cables and lighter world's shipments; May, 8 1/2.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 6 1/2; good to choice, 7 1/2.

STRAW—Quiet; long rye, 1 1/2; medium, 1 1/2; short, 1 1/2.

WOOL—Steady; domestic fleece, 8 1/2; foreign, 10; 10 1/2; 11; 11 1/2; 12; 12 1/2; 13; 13 1/2; 14; 14 1/2; 15; 15 1/2; 16; 16 1/2; 17; 17 1/2; 18; 18 1/2; 19; 19 1/2; 20; 20 1/2; 21; 21 1/2; 22; 22 1/2; 23; 23 1/2; 24; 24 1/2; 25; 25 1/2; 26; 26 1/2; 27; 27 1/2; 28; 28 1/2; 29; 29 1/2; 30; 30 1/2; 31; 31 1/2; 32; 32 1/2; 33; 33 1/2; 34; 34 1/2; 35; 35 1/2; 36; 36 1/2; 37; 37 1/2; 38; 38 1/2; 39; 39 1/2; 40; 40 1/2; 41; 41 1/2; 42; 42 1/2; 43; 43 1/2; 44; 44 1/2; 45; 45 1/2; 46; 46 1/2; 47; 47 1/2; 48; 48 1/2; 49; 49 1/2; 50; 50 1/2; 51; 51 1/2; 52; 52 1/2; 53; 53 1/2; 54; 54 1/2; 55; 55 1/2; 56; 56 1/2; 57; 57 1/2; 58; 58 1/2; 59; 59 1/2; 60; 60 1/2; 61; 61 1/2; 62; 62 1/2; 63; 63 1/2; 64; 64 1/2; 65; 65 1/2; 66; 66 1/2; 67; 67 1/2; 68; 68 1/2; 69; 69 1/2; 70; 70 1/2; 71; 71 1/2; 72; 72 1/2; 73; 73 1/2; 74; 74 1/2; 75; 75 1/2; 76; 76 1/2; 77; 77 1/2; 78; 78 1/2; 79; 79 1/2; 80; 80 1/2; 81; 81 1/2; 82; 82 1/2; 83; 83 1/2; 84; 84 1/2; 85; 85 1/2; 86; 86 1/2; 87; 87 1/2; 88; 88 1/2; 89; 89 1/2; 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