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**REESER, KESSLER WIELAND CO.**  
THE BIG STORE WITH LITTLE PRICES

Sayre Pa.

# SANTA CLAUS REINDEER

Have drawn loads of merchandise to this store, which is recognized by everybody as the big trustful store filled with gifts appropriate for all ages, and selections that are incomparable.

Our advice is, shop early in the week. Shop early in the day, and shop when most everybody else shops. Then we know we will see you here.

Most \$1.00 items are 87c to \$1. here  
 ".75 " 65c " .75 "  
 ".50 " 39c " .50 "  
 ".25 " 18c " .25 "

and larger items carry out the same proportion. Some of the items below will no doubt be of interest to you. Check them with a pencil (such as interest you) go elsewhere and see offerings, then come here and see the difference in stores, selections and prices.



## NOTIONS AND SMALL WARES

### Pyrography

At least 50 sets of pieces. Pyrography sets \$1.39 up to \$4.00. Stamp pieces and coronation cord, hardanger materials and Utopia floss, Pillow cords. All the best colored combinations. Fancy cushions, Utopia yarns for

slippers, Lion brand yarns, Stamped linens, Pillow tops, Baked cotton pillows, all sizes, Quineabog floss (use any soap you wish it's guaranteed to keep color).

Purses, Money books and Shopping bags, Belts, of at least 35 styles and designs, Sayre High school pillow tops.

### Men's Furnishings

At less—House coats, Bath robes, in blanket style, Bath robes made to put on pajamas. Many sorts of shaving stands, Traveling bags, Suit cases,

Collar and Cuff boxes, Steamer trunks, Mufflers, Umbrellas, Kid and Wool Gloves, Neckwear, Night shirts, Dress shirts, Coat style.

### Dry Goods Department

New silks, satins  
 Waistings  
 Medallion cloth and Tangier silks  
 Gloves, umbrellas  
 Hosiery, stationery  
 Neckwear, linen handkerchiefs  
 Table linen, linen sets, ribbons  
 Laces, towels, wool blankets  
 Comfortables, bath blankets  
 Linen lunch cloths, doilies

### Toyland in the Basement

THIS IS THE PLACE NOW IS THE TIME

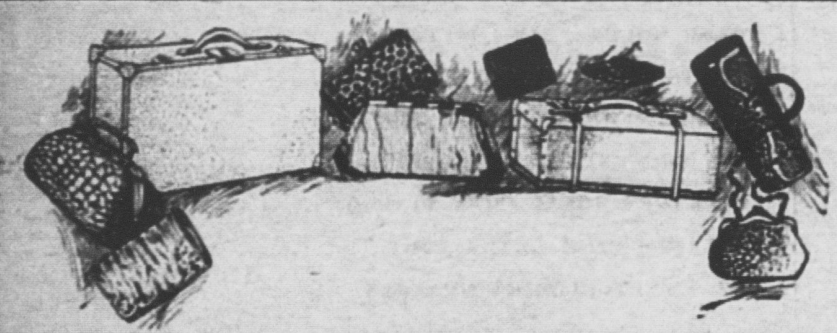
Boys and girls expecting to write to Santa Claus should address and post their letters in the box at foot of main stairway now, and tell their parents what a big toy show they saw in our basement.

Newspaper reporters, other men who know and dozens of ladies say it's a revelation for bigness of selections and littleness of prices. Profit by early shopping. Selections will be kept up to the last practical moment. But our advice again is shop early.

### Furs, Garments and Ready to Wear



A number of garments specially priced, amongst which are separate skirts, rain coat suits and coats.



**Always Good for Someone**  
 Books, Bibles, Cut glass, Music rolls, Fancy baskets, Framed pictures, Jewel cases, Perfumes, Toilet articles, Fans, Belts, Jewelry, Hat Pins.

### Home Furnishing Department

(3d floor)

Japanese screens  
 Japanese bead curtains  
 Mission novelties  
 Art loom tapestries  
 Framed tapestries  
 Pipe, stein and hat racks  
 Carpet sweepers  
 Comb writing desk and Case  
 China and music cabinets  
 Library furniture  
 Pedestals, Reed chairs, all sorts  
 Couches, Davenport  
 Brass and iron beds  
 Morris chairs with rockers  
 Side boards, buffets  
 Hall racks, chiffoniers, Dressers  
 Large mirrors and small mirrors  
 Office furniture



Leather covered furniture  
**CROCKERY DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE**  
 Lamps, 15c and up, about 50 styles.  
 Dinner sets  
 Open stock Haviland china.  
 English and domestic pottery.  
 Lists only.  
 Tea and toilet sets, many designs and values.

### Shoes and Slippers

Big showing of men's slippers, Memphis style or the lower sorts. Prices 6c up to \$2.00.  
 Shoes, staple styles in all the wanted leathers

## ATHENS.

James Mustart went to Towanda this morning on business.

John L. Springer and wife went to Towanda this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Osborne were in Elmira today on business and recreation.

China, china. We have a beautiful line of fancy china dishes. McMahan's.

Nathan Snyder has returned from Chemung where he has been working several months.

Mrs. Lavina Morse returned from a visit in Leathershire yesterday. She has spent several months with relatives in that vicinity.

If you buy Christmas toys and presents before you call at McMahan's you will be disappointed, as we have an elegant line at low prices.

Everybody is inquiring about when that jury will come in that have been considering the Messenger murder case so long. There is very great interest in the outcome.

Stacey is cutting ice on the Satterlee eddy today to supply his customers. The ice is thin but the best obtainable at present and his customers are glad to get it.

Charley Stevens sawed his left hand quite badly while working at West Sayre Saturday. The saw slipped and struck his hand between the thumb and first finger, making a bad wound.

The Union Veteran Legion are preparing to have a dinner at one of the Athens hotels on January 2, when they install their new officers. The dinner will be for the comrades and their wives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Estabrooks returned home from a visit in Coldwater Mich. and Marion, Ohio, yesterday. Mrs. Estabrooks visited with her parents in the former place, and with her brother, J. P. Robinson and wife in the latter place.

Mrs. E. L. Sturdevant of Sylvania, Mrs. Dyer Taylor of Lynn, Pa., and Mrs. Frances Lindell of Spring Hill, have been visiting at the home of James Owens and returned to their homes this morning.

The Athens W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. C. E. McKinney, 122 Maple street, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Huntington will have charge of the meeting. Let the members and friends of temperance give her a warm greeting.

The funeral of Will Collins will take place tomorrow forenoon from the residence of his father, Isaac W. Collins, 146 North Elmira street at 11 o'clock. Rev. J. F. Warner and Dr. W. C. Simpson will officiate. The remains will be taken to Hornbrook for interment.

Work on the P. B. & E. R. R. has come to standstill in the vicinity of Canton and there is a rumor that another route will be selected as surveyors are at work in another locality. It is difficult to tell what a corporation will do until they get through skirmishing.

The members of the high school return their sincere thanks to those who assisted them in making their Art Exhibit such a success, and to all who patronized them. They will have \$72.05 to expend for decorations and the committee from the different schools will superintend their selection after the scholars have voted their choice.

Doilies, doilies. We have the largest line of these goods to be found in the valley. McMahan's.

**Terrible Robbery at Bank.**  
**ODESSA, Dec. 13.**—Another daring robbery by terrorists was committed at the Petersburg International bank when a gang escaped with \$14,500, all the money in the bank. Half a dozen armed men suddenly appeared at the counter, ordered the clerks to throw their hands up and shot the policeman on duty. They then rifled the cash drawers and ran off. A force of Cosacks was speedily mustered, pursued the robbers and captured five of them, but the others got away with the money.

**Double Tracking Southern Railway.**  
**WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.**—President Pinley of the Southern Railway company says that owing to the crowded condition of some of its single track lines and the double track work now being pushed forward for the purpose of relieving the crowded condition of the present single track the Southern Railway company finds it difficult to maintain the schedule of some of its passenger trains and will in consequence revise all schedules.

**W. S. G. Barrett Dies After Operation.**  
**MIDDLEBURY, N. Y., Dec. 13.**—Walter S. G. Barrett, senior member of Barrett Bros. company, manufacturer, is dead here following an operation for appendicitis.

**William's Carbolic Salve With Arsenic and Witch Hazel.**  
 The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Sorens, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped Hands and all skin eruptions. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 50c by druggists. William's Mfg. Co. Propy., Cleveland, O. Sold by C. M. Driscoll, Athens.

**Senator Dodd's Sudden Death.**  
**MERIDEN, Conn., Dec. 13.**—Samuel D. Dodd, president of the International Silver company, died very suddenly at his home here last night of valvular disease of the heart. President Dodd had been suffering with this disease for the past two years. For the past few days he had been in better health than usual. He spent the day at his office and returned to his home shortly before 6 o'clock. He called his secretary a few moments later and complained of distress. The servant gave him stimulants, but he died almost instantly.

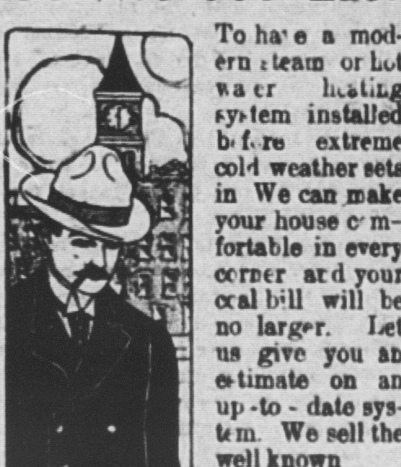
**Caruso Decision Reserved.**  
**NEW YORK, Dec. 13.**—Five hundred men and a fashionably dressed, good looking young woman heard former Judge A. J. Dittenhoefer argue before Recorder Goff an appeal from the judgment of Magistrate Baker in finding his eminent client, Signor Enrico Caruso, the great tenor, guilty of indecent conduct toward women in the Central park zoo and fining him \$10. He declared the magistrate had exceeded his authority in finding Caruso guilty instead of sending the case to special sessions. Decision was reserved.

**Custom House Men Sentenced.**  
**BOSTON, Dec. 13.**—John W. Traflet and James A. Sheel, custom house officials, recently convicted of conspiracy, must serve jail sentences of twenty months each as a result of a decision handed down by Judge Dodge of the United States district court denying the men a new trial.

**More Teachers For Philippines.**  
**WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.**—One hundred and twenty additional American teachers are wanted in the Philippines for the next school year, according to a cablegram from Manila. Fifty of these are to be appointed at salaries of \$1,200.

Advertise in The Record.

## It's Not Too Late



To have a modern steam or hot water heating system installed before extreme cold weather sets in we can make your house comfortable in every corner and your coal bill will be no larger. Let us give you an estimate on an up-to-date system. We sell the well known **Cheerful Home Furnace** which can't be beaten. Plumbing, Heating and Tin work. Gas Fixtures, Burgers and Glassware.

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 A Christmas gift that brings good cheer to all the family.  
 Makes a pure and healthful beverage by filtering the water through the ground coffee before the boiling point is reached.  
 To boil coffee is to bring out the bitterness—the unwholesome properties.  
 To make it in the "Universal" is to have it as every one loves—mild, delicious and invigorating. Different styles and sizes—\$2.50 up.

For Sale By **BOLICH BROS., Sayre, Pa.**

## LOOMIS OPERA HOUSE

Friday, Dec. 14 ONE NIGHT ONLY

**SPITZ & NATHANSON** Amusement Co.

Present the Biggest Comedy Event of the Season

## Weary Willie Walker

Handsome Show Girls  
 Funny Comedians  
 Latest Song Successes  
 Calcium and Electrical Effects  
**BIG BEAUTY CHORUS**  
 Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c  
 Advance sat. Wednesday

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**FURS. SAYRE, PA. FURS.**  
**Furs for Christmas Gifts**  
**75c to \$50.00**  
 Here you will find furs for all tastes. Not high-priced either, but all worth the price asked. Nothing gives such a dressy dash to a street costume like an appropriate fur. What is an appropriate fur for you? The best way to find out is to come in and try the effects of different styles. Our assortment of FUR FASHIONS is at your service for just that purpose. We are here to show you, and to sell you if we suit you with what you want.  
**RED TAG FURS AT BARGAIN PRICES.**

**Just Look!**  
 At our Dinner Sets before buying elsewhere. We have been filling in stock patterns and adding new ones till our line is a most attractive one.  
**Special for the Holidays**  
 A beautiful white and gold Dinner Set, Austrian China only \$19.00.  
 We are selling Haviland China Sets from samples and thus selling them cheaper than would be possible if we carried so many high grade patterns in stock. There are eight different patterns, the newest shapes and designs, lately imported. Orders taken for any number of pieces.  
 Santa Claus is overburdened this year, judging from the great pack of holiday goods he has left with us: Books, Toys, Games, Handkerchiefs, Dolls, China, Fancy Goods, Xmas Tree Ornaments, Etc.  
 A gift for everybody and a stocking free for the children at  
**Gregg's Racket Store,**  
 Cor. Broad St. and Park Ave., Waverly.

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 Heavy and Light Drayage and Moving.  
 Baggage called for and delivered in any part of Sayre, Athens, and Waverly, and all kinds of team work attended to promptly. Livery attached.  
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**HORSES AND CATTLE DEAD OR ALIVE.**  
 Will pay \$1.00 a head at the barn. All calls promptly attended to day or night. Valley telephone at home. Bell telephone in house.  
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**Mandolin Teacher**  
 Will be in Sayre on Saturday, each week, which time I will devote to the instruction of pupils on the mandolin. Studio: Room 2, Richard block, over postoffice. For further particulars address, Edwin F. Loomis, Athens, Pa.

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 Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat and the proper Fitting of Glasses. Hours—9-12; 1-5; 7-8; Sundays by appointment. Office, Wheelock Block.

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