

FOR SALE.

TREE DECORATIONS—AT IGO'S. 100e12.

UMBRELLAS, BEAUTIFUL HANDLES, gold and silver mounted, in latest styles at Petersen's. 98e12.

GEORGE EHERT'S FAMOUS BOTTLED BEER at Loris' Silver Cafe. 88e1.

CUT GLASS—AN UNUSUAL FINE display and beautiful assortment, at factory prices. Open evenings until Christmas. McKanna Cut Glass Co. 100e12

CIGARS MAKE AN APPROPRIATE gift for your husband. Get them at M. A. Igo's. 100e12

HEAD YOUR FLOCK WITH A SINGLE Comb Black Minorca Cockerel, Northup strain, the stock that lays big white eggs. They are beautiful. 75 cents each at the yard, near Tyler Hill. J. T. Bradley, Damascus, Pa. 93e17.

IF YOUR DOLLY HAS LOST ITS head write a note to Santa. He will find a fine line of beautiful faces with flowing tresses at M. A. Igo's. 100e12.

FOR THE FINEST LINE OF sleighs at bottom prices call on E. F. Smith, Honesdale. 97e1f.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A POSITION AS STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper in office. Address 1207 East street.

SCHOOL GIRL WANTED TO WORK for board. Inquire at 309 Park street. 99e12

LOST—SATURDAY, ON EAST street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, a silver necklace with pendant. Finder please notify Mrs. J. E. Tibbetts. 100e12

WE PAY 11 CENTS PER POUND for trimmed green hides. Dunn's Meat Market, Honesdale, Pa. 100e18t

SURPRISE YOUR FRIENDS WITH your photo for Christmas. Romaine Studio, Opp. Postoffice. 99e12

APPROPRIATE GIFT CARDS—IN folder and card form. Finest assortment at remarkably low prices. At Igo's. 100e12

WANTED 50 GIRLS TO LEARN glass cutting. Wages \$6 per week to start. Krantz-Smith & Co.

WILL BE IN HONESDALE THE week beginning Dec. 30. Sam. W. Vint, Piano Tuner. 100e12

THE WAYNE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS will meet at their office in the court house, Tuesday, December 24. 99e12

FOR RENT—MODERN ROOMS, bath, etc., Eleventh St. Krantz-Smith Co. Offices. 1t

LET THE LACKAWANNA DO your laundry. Thomas P. Bracy, Honesdale, agent. Lock for our wagon with the sign "Lackawanna Laundry Co." 57f

V. H. HALL, PAINTER and DECORATOR, who has been away for some time has returned and is now prepared to look after the interest of his patrons. Old furniture cleaned and refinished. Bell telephone. 98w2.

CHINAWARE MAKES AN IDEAL present for mother. Beautiful patterns at M. A. Igo's, opposite the postoffice. 100e12

LOCAL NEWS

Saturday will be the shortest day of the year, but it will not be so short to do your Christmas shopping.

There seems to be no good reason why the courts should be lenient with the negro, Jack Johnson. He is a criminal and living a criminal life by preference.

Bishop Hoban, of Scranton diocese, has decreed that every Catholic church in that diocese must have a charitable organization to look after the poor of the parish.

A Pike county farmer last week sold a turkey at Milford and with the proceeds took home with him a ton of coal. It surely looks like better times for the tillers of the soil when one turkey will buy a load of coal.

S. E. Morrison, who has the contract to install the plumbing and steam fixtures in the new Gurney Electric Elevator plant, has the rollers set and bricklayers are now finishing them.

The Citizen will issue but one paper next week and that will be on Wednesday, Dec. 25. Advertisers and correspondents are therefore earnestly requested to send their copy early in order to permit the Citizen force to enjoy their Christmas turkey or woodchuck.

Miss Inez Decker, of Seelyville, acted as bridesmaid at the marriage of her brother, James H. Decker, at Forest City last Thursday, to Miss Emma Mattern of that place. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Mattern in Forest City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. Schmidt, pastor of the First German Baptist church.

While placing a steel truss in position at the Gurney Electric Elevator Works last Thursday afternoon, the boom of the derrick broke in twain. Several men who were nearby were struck by the swaying truss and two of them injured. One received a scalp wound, while the second laborer had three ribs fractured. When the boom snapped off it forced the truss through a steel ash window, doing about \$200 worth of damage. This is the first accident that has happened on the building during the course of erection.

Harrisburg's army of bowlers is over the 1,000 mark.

The Citizen published a twenty-four-page Christmas number last Friday that reflected great credit on the ones responsible for the work of getting it out.—Wayne County Herald.

Don't wait until you have exhausted your stationery before you have some printed. Now is the time to inspect your stock and see if you are supplied for next year's business. We do all kinds of commercial printing at reasonable prices.

Miss Nettie Ferguson underwent an operation for appendicitis at her home in Seelyville Monday morning which was successful. Dr. Peck, of Scranton, performed the operation assisted by Dr. P. B. Peterson. Miss Biers is her nurse.

At the regular meeting of the school board of the Honesdale district, held last Thursday evening, Arthur M. Leine and W. J. Ward were elected secretary and treasurer, respectively. Routine business was all that was transacted outside of the election.

Terrace Burnett, of Port Jervis, was on Thursday awarded by a jury of New York City, a verdict of \$10,000 against the Erie Railroad Company for the loss of a foot. Suit was brought under the Federal Employers' Liability Act, the first to be tried in New York county.

Isaac Lord, one of the oldest residents of Equinunk, died at his home in that village last week of pneumonia. Mr. Lord was aged 87 years. His wife passed away last September. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John Ewald, living at home, and one brother, Cain Lord, also a resident of Equinunk.

The funeral of the late William Pethick, who for over sixty years was a resident of Bethany, was held from his late home there at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon and at two o'clock at the church, Rev. E. S. Bierly officiating. Interment was made in the Bethany cemetery. Undertaker W. T. Moore had charge of the remains.

Owing to a rapid increase of business, the Wayne Milling company has made arrangements to install a new grinding machine for doubling their capacity. The machine is enroute. It will be used for grinding corn and feed. This is the Wayne Milling company's third year and it will also be a record-breaker in business.

Dominick Gerdevine, who had been discharged from the Middletown State Hospital for drunkenness, returned on Friday and shot and instantly killed Theodore Faller, chief of the institution since 1896. The murderer fired six shots, two of which pierced Faller's heart. Gerdevine was a kitchen helper in the institution and after the shooting attempted to commit suicide by slashing his throat with a razor. He was taken to a hospital where he will recover.

The annual reception and dinner of the Northeastern Pennsylvania Alumni Association of Jefferson Medical Association will be held in Hotel Sterling, Wilkes-Barre, next Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock. One hundred guests from Luzerne, Lackawanna, Susquehanna, Wayne and Bradford counties are expected to attend. The list of speakers includes Dr. James W. Holland, professor of chemistry, and Dr. J. Chalmers DeCosta, of Jefferson Medical College. The committee anticipates a very delightful and profitable evening.

A number of Wayne county people were in attendance at the meeting of the State Grange at Clearfield the past week. Among those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Kellam, of Ledgedale; Frank Kellam, of Lakeville; Dr. and Mrs. Smith, of Sterling; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ammerman, of Lakeville; Mr. and Mrs. G. Bell, of Maplewood; E. W. Gammell, of Bethany; Mr. and Mrs. Osgood, of Siko; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilcox, of Calkins; Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Sterling; W. H. Boncar, of Cherry Ridge; M. J. Dennis, of Poyntelle; S. Saunders, of Indian Orchard.

The skating rink will be reopened under new management on Thursday evening of this week. The building has been thoroughly renovated and fumigated and it is Mr. Spencer's intention to keep the rink clean. Skating will commence at 7:30 and continue until 10:30 p. m. Admission 10 cents. The skates have all been repaired and are now in first-class condition. Skating is a healthful exercise. It is invigorating and people who do not know the pleasure of skating ought by all means learn to skate. Skating will be held on Friday and Saturday nights this week as well.

A perfect town is that in which you see the farmer patronizing the home merchants, the laborers spending the money they earn with their own tradesmen, and all animated by a spirit that will not purchase articles abroad if they can be bought at home. The spirit of reciprocity between man and the mechanic, tradesman and laborer, farmer and manufacturer results every time in making the town a perfect one to do business in. "Perfection" should always be desired, even where attainment is barely possible, we presume, but a perfect town must be dominated a great rarity until we reach a more advanced stage toward the millennium than has yet been gained.

The merchants of Honesdale were very much gratified with trade day, which occurred on Saturday last. All with one accord agree that trade day was the most successful and largest business producer of any day in years, while many stores claim their sales were record breakers. The stores were filled with Christmas shoppers all day Saturday. At the different livery and hotels rigs and vehicles crowded the yards and many occupied space in the streets, giving the appearance of a circus day or fair time. People who have not been coming regularly to Honesdale to shop now know that they can get as good bargains here as they can buy elsewhere. In an editorial we go more extensively into trade day, which should by all means be continued.

The Citizen has received a number of complimentary remarks concerning our Christmas edition, which we issued last Friday. Thanks.

The business at the postoffice is commencing to assume the proportions which are the despair of the clerks. People are sending packages away by the hundreds and there are all kinds and sizes. Somehow or other, the evening appears to be the popular time to ship stuff away by post.

A person who sends a Christmas gift by mail and does not address it plainly had better save his money and not send it at all. Postmaster General Hitchcock announces that last year more than 37,000 holiday gifts were sent to the dead letter office. There are a good many fool ways of spending money, but one of the most foolish is to send a Christmas present to the dead letter office.

Pennsylvania will be well taken care of at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco in 1915 if the plans of the commission's executive committee, which met in Philadelphia last week are carried out. The committee will ask the next legislature for an appropriation of not over \$500,000 so that it may erect a fitting building and make appropriate exhibits. The State spent a quarter of a million and more at Chicago and \$300,000 at St. Louis.

The case of Earl Benton of Apex vs. the Erie Railroad was called for trial at Monticello Tuesday of last week. Edward Doolittle of Hancock was one of the witnesses for the plaintiff. Mr. Benton was returning from Deposit one night a year ago last summer, and while crossing the Erie tracks a short distance east of Deposit, ditched his auto. Before he could get it out of the way a freight train struck and smashed the machine. The suit is for the purpose of recovery for damages.

Inez Gitzen, aged six years, of Pittston, died on Friday last as the result of being accidentally shot by her 11-year-old brother. Recently the little tot was playfully coaxing her brother to play with her. The Gazette reports the sad shooting as follows: "Sister, if you don't stop teasing me, I'll shoot you," he said, and pointed his Flobert rifle at the child. The boy had loaded it and forgotten that important factor. The weapon was discharged and the bullet struck the child in the neck. She was rushed to the Pittston hospital, where she was nursed back on the road to recovery before her mother, Mrs. Mary Gitzen, took her home about a week ago. A few days ago pneumonia set in and death resulted.

Clarence D. Fortnam, proprietor of Farview Stock Farm at Tyler Hill, recently purchased a \$1,000 bull calf of the Fred E. Field Holstein Company, of Brockton, Mass., to head his herd of 50 registered Holstein cattle. This calf's sire was the famous \$30,000 bull whose daughters are breaking all records every few weeks in producing butter and milk. His dam is a daughter of the famous Pieterje Hengeroed Count De Kol, the only sire who has sired 14 daughters to produce 100 pounds of milk in one day and 30 pounds of butter in seven days. The fourteen nearest officially tested dams in this young calf's pedigree have records averaging 26 to 32 pounds of butter in seven days and 94 pounds of milk in one day. This combination is very rarely found in a herd sire. Calves sired by this royal youngster will bring high prices in the sale ring. Thomas D. Griffith, proprietor of the Tyler farm, near Tyler Hill, has taken a share in this youngster.

Saturday evening about 6:30, Fred Stephen's milk wagon, which was standing on one side of the road in front of Dunkleberg's store in Seelyville, was run into and damaged by an automobile driven by Mr. Munn of Carbondale. The damage was slight.

D. E. Hacker, of Whites Valley, delivered a hog that weighed 450 pounds to John Suhowski, of Delaware street on Monday. A tripod was used to weigh the hog and as it was being drawn up the tripod, hog and man fell on Mr. Hacker, inflicting a painful injury to his right leg.—Forest City News.

Otto Heumann was happily surprised at his home on Monday evening by members of the Earle orchestra and a few young friends, the occasion being his 18th birthday. The parents of the young man afterward served delicious refreshments to the guests and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by those present.

The Citizen desires to call its readers attention to the many Xmas advertisements that appear in this issue of the paper. They are varied, thus giving a wide circle for a selection of gifts. All stores are well stocked with holiday goods and present a most inviting appearance. Patronize Citizen advertisers.

The Sullivan County Republican Christmas number appeared on our desk Saturday. It was an excellent number and was enclosed in a colored Christmas cover. Its columns were full of Christmas stories and the formidable array of advertisements told of the many bargains offered by Monticello merchants.

The first annual show of the Pittston Poultry and Kennel club opened in Pittston Monday with over five hundred entries in pen classes alone, not counting the single entries, of which there were many. Among the special attractions is the largest showing of Campines and Buttercups thus far presented to in Northeastern Pennsylvania. Enthusiastic fanciers from Scranton and Wayne county have entered birds. Among the entries are two from Honesdale. Harold Rowland entered his Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerel and Daniel Piel, Jr., entered a White Orpington in the competition.

John H. Weaver, who since 1891 and to within two years ago has been proprietor of Hotel Wayne, will again assume the responsibilities of that popular hostelry. C. W. Elmsendorf, who for a year leased Hotel Wayne, retires on Thursday and Mr. Weaver will take possession on Friday, the 20th of December. Hotel Wayne will be thoroughly renovated and a number of improvements made. It will be placed in first-class condition. Mr. Weaver enjoyed an excellent transient business and without a doubt will regain it and also make a number of new friends. He is one of the best and most popular men in Honesdale. Proprietor Weaver's many friends, both in Honesdale and Wayne county, wish him merited success in again assuming control of Hotel Wayne.

Menner & Co. are offering for special Christmas Gifts the new adorned styles in shirt waists for 1913. 99e1 4.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

Xmas Shoppers Should Visit BREGSTEIN BROS. Clothes of Poise and Distinction are Bregstein Clothes. Men's, Youths' and Children's Suits and Overcoats. Bath Robes, Pajamas, Night Shirts, Gloves, Dress Shirts, Fur Gloves, Fancy Socks, Collars, Umbrellas, Sweaters, Smoking Jackets, Hats, Caps, Handkerchiefs, Dress Suit Case, Hand Bags, Trunks, Suspenders, Underwear, Men's Fancy Vests, Neckwear. Full Line of Gent's Furnishings BREGSTEIN BROS. Up-to-date Clothiers Honesdale, Pa.

Special Sale All This Week. Gloves and Mittens for Xmas Gifts. All kinds of gentlemen's driving, dress or working gloves and mittens at special prices all this week. Each pair packed in fancy holiday box when desired for Xmas gift. Big line of Boys' and Children's Gloves and Mittens. Come in and look them over. Murray Company. Useful Christmas Gifts. Honesdale, Pa.

Music Music Music What Is Christmas Without Music? Thomas Edison offers the greatest medium for producing all kinds of music in his Phonograph. Prices from \$15.00 to \$200.00. Special sale on Records until after the holidays—21c and 31c. Jenkins Music House Lyric Theater Bldg.

The Golden Staff of Life Bread is the staff of life and golden-brown electric toast is its most delicious and healthful form. There's no use trying to demonstrate or even to imagine that ordinary toast is as good as ELECTRIC TOAST. In making ordinary toast it is very difficult to avoid burning the bread, and burnt bread is something very different from the crisp and delicate toast made by the clean electric heat of the G-E RADIANT TOASTER. The electric toaster enables you to have perfect toast at any time without the fuss and bother of building fires and smoking up the house. There is nothing more suitable for an Electrical Christmas Gift. Get one from the HONESDALE CONSOLIDATED LIGHT, HEAT & POWER CO.

ERK BROS' STORE is Santa's Gift Shop. Our new and commodious store is filled with a varied and complete line of useful presents. We suggest Silver Knives and Forks, Tea and Table Spoons, Nickel Tea and Coffee Pots, Nickel Trays, Sleds, Razors, Lamps, Skates, Pocket Knives, Oil Heaters, Scissors, Carving Sets, Etc. ERK BROS. HONESDALE.

Remember! There is not a SMOKER whose taste we cannot satisfy. Domestic, Porto Rican, Manila, Clear Havana, and Imported Cigars. All Prices and Sizes. F. W. Schuerholz Gigar Man, Honesdale, Pa. Mail Orders Promptly Filled