

SHICK & WAGNER

—THE BIG STORE—

Christmas Welcome

This store is ready to welcome you in holiday tone. Every effort has been exerted to make the time you spend here profitable to you. Of course we shall be crowded, more so every day, but you can influence that more than we. It is a satisfactory plan to buy early—mutually satisfactory for yourself and the "Big Store."

More and more each year there is a tendency on the part of the American people to buy wisely in the selection of Xmas gifts of usefulness as well as ornamental. In keeping with this we might suggest the following as a few of the many good and useful things we have to offer you.

Linens.

We have the most complete assortment of Table Linens and Art Linens that we have ever been able to show.

- Table Damask 60 inches wide, 25c and 35c.
- Table Damask 65 inches wide, 50 cents.
- Table Damask 72 inches wide, 59 to \$2.50.

Napkins to match and many special numbers separate 1.00 to \$5.00 a dozen. The Table Linens and Napkins in the better grade are all very fine bleached pure linen carefully selected with reference to quality and pattern.

Art Linens

We have been unable to find anything to equal the Japanese Hand-drawn Lunch Cloths, Squares, Scarfs, and Doilies which have become so popular in the last year or two. We are showing this year the most complete line of Japanese Drawn Work obtainable.

- Doilies 10c to \$2.50.
- Squares and Lunch cloths 25c to \$4.50.
- Scarfs 25c to \$3.50.

Umbrellas

We do not know what we could suggest to you that would make a more appropriate and useful gift than one of our beautiful gold trimmed handle umbrellas or a nice plain Congo handle silk umbrella.

- Gold Handle Umbrella 2.00 to \$7.50.
- Plain Handle Umbrella 65c to \$2.50.
- Plain Handle mercerized 50c.

Neckwear

We have just received a beautiful line of neckwear especially for the Xmas shopping. Fancy collars in all colors and styles, 25 and 50 cents. Silk Scarfs in Wash silk, silk Crepe de chene in all colors 1.00 to \$3.50.

Belts and Ribbons

We are showing all the new plaid and fancy Belts and Ribbons for neckwear and belts. Belts 25 and 50 cents. Wash Ribbons and plain Taffetas and satins all prices.

Gloves

We have a complete line of gloves and can fit any one of the family—babies, children, Misses and ladies. Golf gloves and mittens for babies and children 10c to 25 cents. Golf Gloves and Mittens for Misses and ladies 25 and 50 cents. Kid and Mocha Gloves all colors 1.00 and \$1.50. Ladies Elbow Length Silk Gloves 1.00 and \$1.50. Ladies Elbow Length Kid gloves 2 50 and \$3.00.

Handkerchiefs

Nothing new to give a handkerchief for a Xmas gift, because ever since we remember anything we recall the enormous demand for handkerchiefs at Xmas time. All we can do is to get the best line of handkerchiefs that we could possibly get—the line that pleases everybody in quality, pattern and price. We kindly ask your inspection of a line which contains good substantial Linen in all grades and cambric and very fine sheer swiss. All prices 5c to 50 cents.

Towels

We are just in receipt of a nice new line of Towels in the plain every day Hand Towels and fine linen useful for bed rooms, Towels and bureau scarfs 25c to \$1.50 a pair.

Childrens Dresses

We are showing a complete line of children's dresses in colors. These come in worsted all wool and cotton in plain colored cashmeres and fancies. All sizes, from 50c to \$2.40. Suitable for school dresses and cheaper than you can buy the material. We have also a good line of Babies White in long and short dresses all prices.

Furs

Cold weather will come and you will need a fur. The line is never quite so strong as at this time. We are showing every thing in the line of furs. We advise you to secure your fur before the line is broken. Furs from 75c to \$25.00.

Cloaks, Suits and Skirts

Do not wait too long for a coat for yourself or children. Line will soon be broken in size, etc. The season is the biggest on record for coats and suits. We have also a strong line of skirts, from 5.00 to \$10.00.

Waists

A nice Snappy line of ladies waists. Try one of our Lingerie waists—a new material heavy enough for winter wear 50c to \$2.50.

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Corner Main and Fifth Streets.

REYNOLDSVILLE, PA.

WHEN VACCINATION FAILS TO TAKE

Health Commissioner Dixon Explains Provision That Is Made In Such Cases So That Children May Not Be Debarred From School.

WHEN CLAIM IS MADE THAT "CHILD IS UNFIT"

In Exceptional Cases, Where Careful Investigation By Local or State Health Authorities Justifies Admission to School, It Is Authorized.

"After three carefully performed but unsuccessful attempts to vaccinate a child have failed, that child should not be debarred from school privileges, but should be admitted, and the Department of Health has provided for this," said State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon in an interview.

"The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania," continued Dr. Dixon, "called attention in the recent opinion it handed down reaffirming the validity of the so-called vaccination law of June 18, 1895, to the hardship involved in the twelfth section of that act when it is beyond the power of children of school age to be vaccinated, although they may not previously have had smallpox nor previously been vaccinated, and even repeated attempts to perform the operation upon such children are without effect and vaccination will not take. In such cases, as the court pointed out, the physician cannot certify that such child has been successfully vaccinated so as to meet the requirement of admission to school. The court's decision suggested the possibility of the health authorities, state or local, making a regulation setting forth the conditions under which a child upon whom vaccination will not take, may be permitted to go to school. The court also suggests that the health authorities would have to consider whether such a regulation would be undestorable as affording opportunity for the evasion of the statute.

"The Department of Health," continued Health Commissioner Dixon, "has taken this tendency to evade the law into consideration, as it was obliged to, and yet we have endeavored to see that those children who could not be vaccinated should be admitted to school. Our method of accomplishing this from the first has been as follows:

"When the cases that we received inquiry about were within the limits of a borough or city having a Board of Health of its own, we suggested that after two unsuccessful attempts to vaccinate a child, the third attempt be made by or in the presence of the physician of the Board of Health. If this attempt failed, then the physician of the board, acting in his official capacity, should authorize the admission of the child.

"In the rural districts, where there are no Boards of Health to pass upon such cases, I have always asked that after three unsuccessful attempts to vaccinate a child have been made, the name of the child and the physician who made the attempts be referred immediately to the State Department of Health. The cases have then been at once investigated by our County Medical Inspectors or some one deputized by them, so that the child might not unjustly be debarred from school privileges. These methods of dealing with the situation have been in conformity with the Supreme Court's suggestion that the health authorities assume the responsibility of authorizing the admission to school of children upon whom, after a reasonable number of attempts, vaccination does not take.

"Taking advantage of the spirit of this part of the Supreme Court's opinion, we have also endeavored to deal with the cases of children where there was reason to believe that the child's physical condition did not make vaccination at the present time advisable. The Attorney General of the State had given an opinion that a teacher was not authorized to accept a certificate from a physician stating that the child was not in a physical condition to be vaccinated. It is reasonable to believe, however, that although the simple giving of such a certificate by the family physician would not be sufficient, the spirit of the Supreme Court's opinion would permit the recognized health authorities throughout the state, after careful investigation, to pass upon such cases.

"Therefore when such cases are now brought to the attention of our department, we have suggested that inside borough or city limits, the local Board of Health, through its physician, decide whether the child is well enough to attend school and yet not in a fit condition to be vaccinated. In the districts where there are no Boards of Health we are having such cases investigated and passed upon by our regular County Medical Inspectors.

"It will thus be seen," concluded Dr. Dixon, "that the State Department of Health is doing everything possible to prevent any child from being unjustly deprived of its schooling. If the parent or guardian, however, refuses to permit a child to be vaccinated simply

through prejudice, the health authorities certainly have no power to interfere with the operation of the law. In such cases we have done everything we could to overcome this prejudice by education, so that the innocent child might not be made to suffer because the parent desired to leave it exposed to the ravages of smallpox rather than undergo vaccination, which the Legislature of Pennsylvania, in the exercise of its police power, has made one of the requisites of admission to school."

Pliny's Jewel Stories.

Pliny declares that a diamond was so hard that if placed on an anvil and struck with a sledge hammer it would give back a blow of such force as to shiver both anvil and hammer to pieces. Another of his wonderful tales states that "on the shore of the island of Cyprus there was a stone lion having eyes formed of emeralds, which shone so brightly that all the fishes were ingloriously frightened away. The fishermen accordingly pulled the emeralds out and put in glass eyes instead, whereupon the wise fishes became bolder and returned to their accustomed nets."

A Mean Insinuation.

"Very gratifying!" said a young and conceited novelist. "A gentleman writes me that he took a copy of my last work to read during a railway journey, and as a result suddenly discovered he had gone twenty miles beyond his destination."

"Dear me," commented the young author's friend; "sleeping in trains is a bad habit!"

How It Was Done.

"Oh," remarked the first fox hunter, "you should have seen Mr. Nuritch take that high hedge!" "You surprise me," exclaimed the other. "I thought the horse he rode wasn't much of a jumper." "Oh, the horse didn't take the hedge! Mr. Nuritch did it alone!"—Philadelphia Press.

The Facts.

The One—And you say this horse hasn't any faults? The Other—Not a single fault. The One—But he appears to be blind in his right eye. The Other—Well, that's not his fault; it's his misfortune.—Chicago News.

His Literary Bent.

"Father, when I leave school I am going to follow my literary bent and write for money."

"Humph! My son, you ought to be successful. That's all you've done since you've been at school."

The German I and You.

It is surprising when any one takes the trouble to notice how many letters begin with the pronoun "I." To Germans this is egotistical, and their etiquette in letter writing forbids it. It is probably on the same principle that they write I (ich) always with a small letter and you (Sie) with a capital, reversing the English custom.

Character.

The first thing that a human being should recognize about himself is that his character is his distinguishing feature. It is not the amount of money, the amount of power, the amount of brains, that a man has, but his character.

Swells.

She (sentimentally)—How like life are the waves of the sea! He—You bet. Come to the shore in great style and as away broke.—Detroit News.

Running For Exercise.
A professional runner gives the following suggestions for exercise: Rise at 6:30 a. m. Put on old clothing, easy shoes and a sweater. Time for dressing, five minutes. Walk one-fourth of a mile; time, five minutes. Then run a mile at a dog trot in eight minutes, arranging your circuit of a mile and a quarter so that you will finish at your door thirteen minutes after starting. That exercise will expand your lungs and stimulate your heart action and land you at your doorstep at 6:48 a. m. panting for breath, thoroughly exhausted and perspiring at every pore. You are then ready for your bath and shave and breakfast and for the natural routine of the day. The man of sedentary habits who patiently pursues this exercise may kiss all drugs goodby.

How He Learned English.

Carl Schurz once told a friend something of his early struggles with the English language. He knew it about as American college boys know their German—that is to say, barely at all. One day, "deciding such nonsense must end," he entered a bookstore and asked for the classic of the English language. A wise clerk gave him "The Vicar of Wakefield." He carefully translated it into German and put his work away for six weeks. At the end of that time he translated his translation back into English and then made a searching comparison between his version and that of Goldsmith's original. "After that," he said, "I knew English."

Six Fingered Monkeys.

In several places in Cape Colony and the Orange Free State of South Africa caves have been discovered which yielded hundreds of mummified remains of a queer species of six fingered monkeys. All of the full grown specimens of this remarkable race have the tail situated high up on the back—from three to five inches farther up than on the modern monkey—and other distinguishing marks, such as two sets of canine teeth, beards on the males, etc.

Municipal Newspaper.

Dresden is one of the few cities possessing a municipal newspaper, and this was bequeathed to the city by the late Dr. Gunt. The bequest is a very valuable property and consists of a daily newspaper, which in consequence of its extensive circulation is the principal advertising medium in the neighborhood. The profits are applied to the beautifying and improvement of the city and to charity.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in post office at Reynoldsville, Pa., for week ending Dec. 8, 1906:

A. Clifford Hoover, I. F. McCannell, Mrs. Bertha Snyder.

Foreign.

Leporati Giovanni, Gannilla Lorenzo. Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.

F. C. BURNS P. M.

House coats for Xmas at Millrens. Caps for Xmas at Millrens.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between D. L. Henry and S. C. Henry, under the firm name of D. L. & S. C. Henry, was dissolved on the 19th day of Nov. 1906, by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted by S. C. Henry to whom all bills owing late firm are due and payable, and to whom all claims and demands on said firm are to be presented for payment. S. C. HENRY Reynoldsville, Nov. 28, 1906.

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