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"An Ill Wind, Etc."

To-day we go a little out of the ordinary and announce a sale of

Fine Toilet Soaps.

25 gross in all, purchased from the assignees of the Anglo-American Company which recently failed. Violettes and Violette Imperial Toilet Soap, made to retail at 20c per cake. To-day 3 cakes for..... **25c**

China Dept.

Fuller than ever before—we believe this is the way to express it. Every nook and corner is crowded with pretty new wares for the holiday trade.

New Hand-Painted French China, New Bohemian Art Glass Vases, New Japanese Ceramics, Rich American Cut Glass, New Brass Stands, New Lamps, New Dinner Sets, in American in English Porcelain; also in Austrian and French China, New Toilet Sets, New Terra Cotta Busts, etc., and all at the smallest kind of prices for high qualities.

New Medallions.

A hundred or more pretty subjects, with many new mountings to select from—

19c to $10.90 Each.

Art Dept.

New designs in Stamped Linens, Stand Covers, Scarfs, Centre Pieces, Doylies, Tray Covers, etc., for the holiday trade; also special designs to order at the lowest possible price.

Full line of Embroidery Silks, Hoops and all requirements.

Fine Writing Papers.

500 boxes Fine Writing Papers, 2½ quires Paper, 2½ packages Envelopes to match, in the New Square Shapes—Vellum, Linen or Satin finished, per box..... **25c**

Platino Pictures.

AT THE ART DEPARTMENT to-day you will find a choice collection of Platino Pictures, so near the real Platinums that you can scarcely detect the difference—6x8 size, framed with neat moulding. Priced each..... **15c**

Introductory Sale Miniature Autotypes

continues to-day. Bring any photograph or tintype and we will give you at a small cost a handsome miniature, plain or colored, which for accuracy of likeness are unexcelled. Encased in heavy Rolled Plate or Solid Gold Frames.

New Automizers.

Complete new asortment for the holiday trade. Bohemian Art Glass, our own importations, in dozens of pretty new shapes, sizes and styles—every one guaranteed.

19c to $3.00 Each.

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We Please The Boy

and make a customer of him for life. The boys and their sisters deserve and get as much consideration here as their elders. Let us look after your children's feet. We will treat them right in quality, and YOU right in price.

Locke Shoe Co.

John Friedel & Co. | John Friedel & Co.

Wall Paper.

Just received a new lot of Papers and Borders. Prices from 5c up; and a nice assortment. A full line of the better Papers and Mouldings.

JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.,

1119 MAIN STREET.

J. & M. Shoes.

Pardon Us

If we again rise to remark that the J. & M. Shoe for Gentlemen is "the costliest but the best." We mean costliest to produce because better than any others made—though some others sell for as much money.

$6.00 { Enamels and Patent Leathers.

$5.00 { All Other Leathers.

We don't carry just a few sizes, but all sizes—a full stock.

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GOOD SHOES. 1049 MAIN ST.

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For Men

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$3.50

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21 STYLES.

NAY BROTHERS,

1317 Market Street.

Nicoll's Art Store.

Florentine Frames.

We have just received, direct from the makers in Italy, a consignment of these beautiful hand carved gold frames in a great variety of size and design; circles and ovals for small photograhps, cabinets, lunettes and Gothics with the Fra Angelico pictures. All make suitable gifts for any event. Also on display a large collection of Copley and other artistic prints in our art room, beginning to-day.

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The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

For Sale—Show Cases and Counter.
Men's Lambs' Wool Underwear—McFadden's—Second Page.
Chamois Protector—R. H. List.
Bids for New Engine House.
Grand Bazaar and Supper—Arion Hall.
For Sale—Howard Hazlett & Son.
Time Table—The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling Railway Co.—Seventh page.
Wanted—Man to Sell Tea and Coffee.
Hyomei Antiseptic Skin Soap—Second Page.
Hotel of 56 Rooms—Rolf & Zane.
For Sale—G. O. Smith.

20,000.

We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalled by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Optician,
No. 1309 Market Street.

THE BEST ALL WOOL KNIT JACKETS AT C. HESS & SONS'.

For comfort and durability there is nothing better. They are just the thing for Butchers, Brewers and Mechanics. Prices moderate.

C. HESS & SONS,
Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furnishers, 1321 and 1323 Market Street.

In the Courts.

Both parts of the circuit court and the criminal court will be in session to-day. The state vs. William Gribble, a forgery case, is the principal one on for to-day's session in criminal court. The Devinney-Johnson application for a new trial possibly may come up before Judge Hervey, in the circuit court.

In Clerk Robertson's Office.

In Clerk Robertson's office yesterday these realty transfers were made:

Deed dated October 5, 1899, from Henry C. Peterman, executor of Elizabeth Brunner, and Elizabeth, daughter of the party of the first part; transfers ground near Mt. Wood cemetery; consideration, $750.

Deed dated November 7, 1897, from G. N. Shorts, of West Liberty, to George Low, of the same town; transfers a parcel of real estate in West Liberty, as administrator of Nancy Rodgers' estate; consideration, $100.

One deed of trust was recorded.

AGAINST ROBERTS.

The Wheeling Ministers Protest Against the Seating of

ROBERTS THE POLYGAMIST

By Waiting in a Body on Congressman Dovener Last Night at the McLure—Rev. R. R. Bigger Acted as Spokesman—Captain Dovener Assured the Delegation He was Opposed to Roberts Tooth and Nail.

Last night at 7 o'clock, nearly every member of the Wheeling Ministerial Association, made up of the ministers of the Protestant churches of the city, waited by appointment on Congressman B. B. Dovener, who received them in the parlors of the McLure. The ministers came for the purpose of expressing their opinion that the Utah polygamist congressman, Brigham H. Roberts should not be allowed to take his seat upon the asembling of the new house of representatives next month. The Wheeling ministers were, by this action, following what has been done by the representatives of the Christian people of nearly every other community in the nation.

Rev. R. R. Bigger, pastor of the Third Presbyterian church, acted as spokesman for the delegation. He said:

"Congressman Dovener: We, the members of the Wheeling Ministerial Union, have come to pay our respects to you before you depart to our National Congress, and to thank you for your expressed determination to do all that lies in your power to prevent the seating of Congressman-elect B. H. Roberts, who, in open defiance of the law, is living in the polygamous marriage relation. We come not to dictate to you, but to express our confidence in your as our representative in Congress, and to pledge to you our united support in dealing with this great question which now agitates the public mind. We come as the representatives of more than 10,000 church members, besides many others, who are your constituents."

Congressman Dovener replied in a neat and forcible speech, in the course of which he was heartily applauded several times. In his speech he pledged to do everything he could to keep Mr. Roberts from having a seat in Congress and he said that if no resolution to this effect was introduced by others, he would do so himself. He said that he had studied the question, and believed that polygamy was a crime even in the state of Utah. What may be sprung upon the members of Congress after that body meets he did not know, and therefore what he might have to deal with he could not forecast. Captain Dovener heartily thanked the ministers for their call.

THE LECTURE ON VENICE

At the Carroll Club Attracted a Large Audience.

A large crowd filled the Carroll Club auditorium last evening, to hear the second lecture in the course given by Dr. Hamilton, under the auspices of the Carroll Club. The subject chosen was "Venice, the Bride of the Adriatic." The lecturer was aided by several fine views of various points of interest in the city of watery streets, and the speaker's dissertation on the lost glories of the "Queen of the Seas," was intensely interesting. He reviewed the history of Venice from its foundation during the fifth century up to the present time, and graphically described the marvels of art and architecture which are a picturesque reminiscence of by-gone centuries.

The lecturer referred to the great cathedral of St. Mark's, the Rialto, Bridge of Sighs, the Palace of the Doges, and other palaces which cast a halo of romance about the city of beauty. In concluding his discourse, Dr. Hamilton drew a brilliant tone picture of a ride on the canal at night and of the poetic visions which were aroused by the soft light of the moon playing on the blue waters of the canal. The third lecture will be delivered December 5; subject, "Athens."

A SECOND WARD VIRAGO

Exemplifies Her Abilities by "Doing Up" a Poor Man.

A rolling pin is popularly connected with a woman's anger when it is to be vented on a member of the sterner sex, but Rinda Jones, a colored lady, residing in "Moral Alley," a Second ward hillside thoroughfare inhabited by many of her race, yesterday morning used a wash-tub to beat her contempt of Clarence Peters into his cranium, and with this necessary appurtenance of every well regulated household she broke poor Peter's nose and cut his head so badly that Dr. B. H. Stillyard's aid was required to stem the flowing crimson tide.

Peters, who is a colored man, became involved in a dispute with Mrs. Jones, and grabbing the wash-tub in her brawny arms she assailed him with all steam on. The edge of the tub caught him across the nose and inflicted the gashes in his head. Squire Fitzpatrick fined her $10 and costs and gave her twenty days in jail to think it over.

MR. HOBART'S DEATH

Received With Genuine Regret in Wheeling—Flags at Half Mast.

Upon receipt of news announcing the death of Vice President Hobart yesterday morning, the Intelligencer immediately notified Assistant Postmaster Davis and Mayor Sweeney. Flags on the city and government buildings were then hoisted at half mast. The mayor gave instructions for tolling the city hall bell, which was done. The Intelligencer flag was the first hoisted in the city.

The news of the vice president's death was received with genuine regret throughout this community.

Senator Scott, who was intimately connected with Vice President Hobart by the ties of politics and personal friendship, was associated with him for years on the national Republican committee. Senator Scott tells a touching story, showing the depth of feeling of Mr. Hobart. It was during the ceremonies attending the dedication of the Grant memorial tomb, in Riverside Park, New York. A friend of Mr. Hobart's saw he was shedding tears, and inquired the cause. Mr. Hobart replied that the occasion recalled to him the death a short time before in Italy of his beloved daughter.

"Just Before Dawn."

There are many exciting incidents depicted in the melodrama, "Just Before Dawn," which is being produced at the Grand Opera House, but they are all developed in a natural way, and the scenes are made more realistic by the manner in which they are mounted by Lincoln J. Carter, who is a master of stage craft. "Just Before Dawn" is presented by a competent company, and all the members of the cast were applauded for their work. The play will be repeated this afternoon, and the engagement will close with to-night's performance.

"I OWE my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman. Mrs. Charles Hutton, Berville, Mich. 1

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SET IN TYPE—We believe in doing rather than saying, and busy clerks and pleased customers will tell you how we are doing this season's banner business in Suits and Overcoats.

$5, $7.50, $10, $12, $15, $18, $20.

Scrutinize the body linings—the sleeve linings—the sewing—the fabrics—all these little details—great in the aggregate, and you'll quickly see why these Suits and Overcoats are such quick sellers.

See our windows, read our prices, then come inside and examine the goods.

Boys' Suits.

Have you seen the Boys' All-Wool Suit, double seat and knee, all seams taped; guaranteed in every way. Double breasted or Vestee style, which we are offering at

$2.50.

Nothing better in the city for a dollar more.

Our $2.50 Reefer for Boys, 4 to 16 years, is another one of our many bargains.

Special sale of Boys' Knee Pants this week at 19c, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00. Some of them worth double.

Underclothing For Men.

We can only give you a fair idea in our advertisement of our splendid line of Underclothing, but compare quality for quality, price for price with any like assortment, that's all we ask. Underwear at

17c.

Others at 25c, 48c, 75c, $1.00 up to the finest Hohenzollern Underwear at $3.00 per garment.

REMEMBER, YOUR MONEY BACK WHENEVER YOU SAY SO.

THE HUB,

Strictly One Price. Clothiers, Hatters, Furnishers.

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COUCHES.

If you are needing a Couch call and see our new stock.

TAPESTRY COVERED COUCH, full size with fringe, for..... **$2.98**

Couches in Corduroy and Velour Coverings at All Prices.

GENUINE LEATHER COUCHES At..... **$17.50**

FRANK & FOSTER, Receivers.

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SOCIETY.

Last night, at Arion hall, occurred the meeting of the Cotillion Club, under the auspices of Mesdames T. C. Moffat, G. K. Wheat, Margaret Dalzell and Alex. Glass, and directed by Mr. George Delbrugge. It was a brilliant affair and very enjoyable.

The following was received by friends of the Governor Atkinson family in Wheeling yesterday:

Governor and Mrs. Geo. Wesley Atkinson request the pleasure of your company at the wedding reception of their daughter,
Florence Miriam,
and
Mr. Samuel Brashier Avis,
Wednesday evening, December the sixth, from nine until eleven o'clock.
Executive Mansion,
Charleston, West Virginia.

Sam Jones and His Lecture.

Sam P. Jones, the evangelist-orator, will deliver his famous lecture, "Get There and Stay There," at the Carroll Club auditorium next Monday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Moundsville Camp Meeting Association, and the lecture will be largely attended. Sam Jones is a unique platform entertainer. He hits hard and spares no one. His "Get There" lecture combines the elements of a sermon, a prohibition speech and a humorous harangue. He is greeted by immense audiences everywhere, and his coming to Wheeling will be one of the events of the year.

When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A daily occurrence is the surprise shown by the benefited patients at our office.

Do you have headache? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading?

For any trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

PROF. H. SHEFF,

The Scientific Optician..... Corner Main and 11th Sts.

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THE SILK OPPORTUNITY--98c yard for choice from thousands of yards of Plaid, Striped and Novelty Taffeta Silks, worth up to $2.50 yard. Nine-tenths of our great stock of fancy Silks going at this unprecedentedly low price..... 98c yd.

Black Silks.

Here's Where We're Great, Too,

and justly so. Come in and ask us for ANY black silk weave and we'll produce it. Ask for the CHEAPEST or FINEST and we'll show it.

The most popular black silks are pure dye Taffetas, Satin Luxors and Satin Duchesse. 39c yard to $2.25.

☞The special prices recently made on Black Crepons still continue.

These Are NOT Silk,

but you can't tell them from the real article at arm's length. We refer to our splendid lines of plain and fancy, 32-inch wide Mercerized fabrics in those lovely shades of Violet, New Blue, Cerise, etc., now so much wanted for petticoats and costume linings. Blacks, also—

37c to 85c yard.

Fancy Eiderdown on special sale.

Moire Velours 98c Yd.

The most sightly silks for the money yet produced. 98c yard is cheaper than you'd expect for so much style and quality. Every delicate shade and black. Suitable for many purposes.

Bright India Silks 39c

yard. Every color in the rainbow—and THEN some.

A Linen Snap---29c yd.

for Turkey Red Table Linen Remnants. Piece goods of this quality sell at 45c yard.

Big Turkish Towels 10c

each, worth 15c. Another hundred dozen just opened.

Honey Comb Towels 4½c

each, worth 7c. A big case of these just received.

Eiderdown Cloakings 25c

yard. Full lines of black, white and colors. These are extra quality.

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