



HOLIDAYS

AS LONG AS THE HOLIDAYS last we will have an extra force of expert tailors ready to execute rush orders. And we are showing an unexcelled line of IMPORTED and DOMESTIC WOOLENS etc., for overcoats and suits. These are handsome, new, winter goods in all latest and smartest styles. Prices \$20 to \$40.

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The Directors of this bank will be pleased to have you become one of their patrons. We want your business and will put forth every effort to give you satisfactory service.

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For the Holidays.

We have a large stock of Jewelry, including the latest style in each line.



A special line of Knives, Forks, Spoons, etc., bearing the original and genuine trade-mark.

1847 ROGERS BROS.



We can supply you with anything in the jewelry line—reliable make and best design. Prices are reasonable.

F. A. ROBINSON & SON JEWELERS, 223 Main Street, Clarksburg W. Va.

OH, WAH A DIFFERENCE IN THE MORNING

after Thanksgiving there will be if you take the medicines to put your digestive functions in the proper condition to withstand the inroads of the Thanksgiving dinner. We have pills and powders, tablets and Elixirs, any one of which will surely place your system in the best of order.



C. D. Sturm & Co MAIN STREET

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 27, 1904. West Bound. No. 1—(daily) due 12:53 a. m. No. 71—(daily) due 7:26 a. m. No. 3—(daily) due 8:58 a. m. No. 47—(daily) due 5:42 p. m. No. 55—(daily) due 7:28 p. m. East Bound. No. 2—(daily) due 3:32 a. m. No. 40—(daily) due 10:22 a. m. No. 12—(daily) due 5:40 p. m. No. 72—(daily) due 6:58 p. m. No. 4—(daily) due 9:35 p. m. W. VA. & PITTS DIVISION. West Bound. No. 3—(daily ex. Sunday) Ar. 6:15 a. m. Lv. 6:15 a. m. No. 1—(daily) Ar. 9:30 a. m.; Lv. 10:30 a. m. No. 5—(daily ex. Sunday) Ar. 3:15 p. m. Lv. 3:55 p. m. No. 7—(daily ex. Sunday) Ar. 6:45 p. m. No. 9—(Sunday only) Ar. 7:20 p. m.; Lv. 7:20 p. m. East Bound. No. 2—(daily ex. Sunday) Ar. 8:50 a. m. Lv. 10:35 p. m. No. 66—(Sunday only) Ar. and Lv. 9:40 a. m.; Lv. 10:35 p. m. No. 6—(daily) Ar. 3:33 p. m.; Lv. 4:00 p. m. No. 4—(daily ex. Sunday) Ar. and Lv. 11:30 p. m. WEST VIRGINIA SHORT LINE. West Bound. No. 56—(daily ex. Sun.) Ar. 12:00 noon. No. 58—(daily) Ar. 8:15 p. m. East Bound. No. 57—(daily) Lv. 6:20 a. m. No. 59—(daily ex. Sun.) Lv. 2:30 p. m. Trains Nos. 7 and 8 run between Clarksburg and Sutton. D. B. MARTIN, M. P. T., Baltimore. C. W. BASSETT, G. P. A., Baltimore. J. McC. MARTIN, T. P. A., Parkersburg. Now line of the best five cent pencil tablets ever brought to the city. County Mall Book Store. decltd.

Mrs. Olin Pendell Payne.

TEACHER OF VOICE AND PIANO. CLARKSBURG W. VA. Studio: Payne Block, over Y. M. C. A. West Pike. Street. Resumed Sept. 15. ml7td

We are now ready and showing our entire line of Christmas and holiday goods. We want to remind you of the importance of buying early and to not wait until the last day, when just the articles you may have wanted have been sold. Customers, so desiring, may have their selections stored and delivered to them Christmas eve. T. J. Lynch & Company. 18decst.

A Pleasant Pill.

No Pill is as pleasant and as positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect while stronger people say they are the best liver pills sold. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

Fine and attractive display of diamonds, watches, clocks, jewelry, silverware, etc., at Lee Probst's jewelry store, 118 Third street. 18decst.

When you want a pleasant purgative try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no nausea, griping or other disagreeable effect. For sale by Stone & Mercer.

Call in and get prices on nice holiday presents. C. D. Sturm & Co., druggists. decl5ft.

for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and blood remedies proved worthless. I could not walk for over two years. Finally I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful relief. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without leaving a scar. Sold by Stone & Mercer.

PIPE WATER FROM LAKES

Is the Pipe Dream Some One Has Had—Wants To Condemn Standard Pipe Lines For The Purpose.

A story has been started to the effect that owing to the water famine here, a movement will be inaugurated to pipe water from the Great Lakes by way of Cleveland, Ohio. It is stated that the pipe lines of the Standard Oil Company are to be pressed into service for that purpose, even if the courts have to be resorted to, to condemn the lines to convey it. Diligent inquiry however, fails to verify the report, and it is thought to have been the product of some one's fancy, just a sort of fairy tale to fit the occasion. Such a course, however, would guarantee Clarksburg plenty of water, but by the time the courts could pass on the question, there would probably be an ocean of water here without going to the lakes after it. And, again, we have not the millions to do it with.

Worth a Thought

Its Influence Has Been Felt By So Many This Statement Will Interest Scores of Clarksburg Readers.

The facts given below are worth a perusal by all who are anxious about their physical condition or are similarly situated to this resident of Clarksburg. It is a local occurrence and can be thoroughly investigated.

Mrs. Nancy Lowe, of 489 Mechanic street, says: "I hardly knew what it was to be free from an aching back and an irregular action and condition of the kidneys for twenty years or more. When the attacks were so pronounced that I was unable to do anything I tried remedy after remedy in my endeavors to stop constant pain across the loins. Overexertion, in fact, ordinary exertion, caused twinges which prevented me from doing the simplest household work with my degree of ease. To go up and down stairs was more than a task so that when I say I was over half the time in misery I very mildly state my condition. A newspaper account about Doan's Kidney Pills led me to go to Wells & Haymaker's drug store for a box of them. They performed exactly what they promised, everything correcting the urinary trouble, the aching ceased, my health improved, I slept much better and in other ways benefit resulted from the treatment. My son had occasion to use an ointment for a sore on his ankle. It was hurt in the first place, broke out and refused to heal. An application of two of Doan's Ointment so soothed and healed the parts affected that a continuation for some time disposed of it so radically that nothing is left but a slight scar." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cts. Forter-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—DOAN'S—and take no substitute.

To the large and elegant stock of Lee Probst's jewelry store, 118 Third street, has been added \$20,000 worth of diamonds, watches, clocks, jewelry, silverware, etc., making the finest display of X-mas goods in the city. 16decst.

Bilious Colic Prevented. Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be ward off. Hundreds of people use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by Stone & Mercer.

The rush for holiday goods is now on. You'll miss it if you fail to visit the store of T. J. Lynch & Co. 18decst.

BOUND FOR THE PORT OF GOOD HEALTH

"The Ship of Health" that brings you glad tidings.

Get the Habit, Take Life Plant And Get Well.

Rheumatism—Catarrh and all blood diseases quickly and permanently cured by

LIFE PLANT the greatest blood purifier and tonic known to the medical world. All diseases arise from impure blood. Cure the blood and you cure the disease. That is just what Life Plant does. Our guarantee is

NO CURE—NO PAY. Then Why Suffer Longer? Collinwood, Ohio, Nov. 19, 1904. Life Plant Company, Canton, O.

LIFE PLANT CO., CANTON, OHIO. Sold by Stone & Mercer, druggists.

OIL NEWS

OIL CITY, Pa., Dec. 19—Credit balances, \$1.55; certificates, no bid. Shipments, (Penna.), 62,978; average, 76,229; runs, 79,667; average, 69,503. Shipments, (Lima), 68,191; average, 59,430; runs, 64,194; average, 57,509. NEW YORK, Dec. 19—Standard Oil, \$633.

On the West Fork river, Clay district, this county, the Fairmont and Grafton parted the casing at its test on the Lucas brother farm and abandoned the hole at a depth of 1,900 feet. The same company is drilling at 1,400 feet at its test on the Sol Challant farm and has started to drill at a test on the James L. Hardesty farm, in Eagle district. In the same district, the Hope Natural Gas Company has the rig completed for a test on the Rebecca Heldreth farm.

The Industrial Home No. 1, at Salem, is down 2,300 feet. The Star Oil & Gas Company have made a location on the Joel Randolph farm. E. J. Taylor No. 1, at Morgantown, is a light gasser and will be drilled to the Gordon sand. Owing to the scarcity of water most all the wells have been compelled to shut down and a great many men were laid off, but as soon as it rains enough so work can be commenced a great many wells will be drilled in this section.

Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Ashburnham, Ont., Apr. 18, 1903.—I think it is only right that I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and cough that I did not think to be able to take any duties the next day, as my voice was almost choked by the cough. The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your Cough Remedy. I at once procured a sample bottle, and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough and cold had completely disappeared and I was able to preach three times on Easter Day. I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your cough remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a God-sent remedy. Respectfully yours, E. A. LANGFELDT, M. A., Rector of St. Luke's Church. To Chamberlain Medicine Co. This remedy is for sale by Stone & Mercer.

Ruko Art Pottery

Made right here in Clarksburg make nice Christmas presents that your friends will appreciate. See it at Robinson's jewelry store. dec2ft

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

It is very reasonable to suppose if the foundation of a structure was removed that the building itself is bound to come down. This same principle can be applied to disease. Take medicine into the system that will remove the cause of sickness, and illness will leave of itself. Dyspepsia, indigestion, sick-headache and biliousness are their foundation in stomach disorders. Remove this weakness and the other symptoms are no more. There is one cure for this that all druggists sell for 25c kidney and bladder disease. Geo. H. Hagan, locomotive engineer, Lima, O. writes, "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by C. D. Sturm & Co., Stone & Mercer and R. J. Criss.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

Lumber For Sale. All kinds of white and chestnut oak railroad ties, pit ties, mine rails and bill stuff cut to order on short notice. Address: U. C. EDGELL, 111 North Third St., 22novdtf. Clarksburg, W. Va.

Fatality of Pneumonia.

Pneumonia is the most fatal of all acute affections, being second only to consumption in mortality lists, all classes, rich and poor, young and old succumb to its ravages. Foley's Honey and Tar cures colds and prevents pneumonia and has cured many severe cases of this disease. "My wife had a severe attack of pneumonia which followed a severe attack of grippe and I believe that Foley's Honey and Tar saved her life," writes James Coffee, of Raymond, Miss. Sold by C. D. Sturm & Co., Stone & Mercer and R. J. Criss.

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Fight Will be Bitter. Those who will persist in closing their eyes against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by Stone & Mercer and Frank G. Bland. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

WANT DEPARTMENT

Want, Found, For Rent, Lost Notice, etc., will be published in this column at the rate of two cents per line per insertion, INVARIABLY CASH IN ADVANCE. Count six words to the line. Nothing accepted for less than 25 cents.

For Rent—Up to date apartments in Jones' flat. Apply to Phillip Willlett, attorney, rooms 9 and 10, Leggett building. mar10-df.

For Sale—New eight room veneered brick house, gas, bath, electric wiring laundry in basement and all modern conveniences, situated on Jackson street good location, one block from street car. Price right and terms to suit purchaser. Inquire of Jas. T. Drury, 234 Jackson street. aug8-df

For Sale—New six room house, two squares from court house. \$1,900 will buy this property, if sold at once. W. C. Repass, 516 Preston street. al7-d

For Sale—New seven room brick house, gas, bath, electric wiring, laundry cellar and all modern conveniences. Lot 40x22, situated on Lee street, near 3th. Three minutes walk from the court square at the Telegram office. 6may-tf

Wanted—For United States army able-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, P. O. Building, Clarksburg, W. Va. july15-m

For Rent—To a gentleman, a nicely furnished room with private family. Apply at 166 West Pike street. jun28dtf

For Rent—One furnished front room with all modern conveniences. Inquire 516 West Main street. sept12dtf

For Rent—Two nice new houses, gas water, hard-wood finish; Alta Vista. Rent reasonable. Call at the Racket Store for particulars. sep28tf

Wanted—Two good sewing machine salesmen. Good salary; good men. Address G. T. Bullava, Glen Elk Hotel, Clarksburg, W. Va. oct19tf

For Rent—Four rooms for housekeeping. Call at 63 W. Pike street. oct2ft

For Rent—Three unfurnished rooms in cottage, with water in kitchen, in Wines addition. \$10.00 per month. Inquire of Mrs. Emma Jarbo, Traders annex, room 3. oct24tf

Found—Gentleman's kid glove for left hand, Friday morning on Sycamore street. Owner may have same at this office by paying for this advertisement.

Wanted—Men and women, two dollars per day; also travelers to visit the South as managers during winter. Chas. H. Miller, Swager hotel.

For Rent—Two rooms, for men only. 645 W. Main street. nov1dim*

For Rent—Rooms with steam heat, electric light, and all modern conveniences for \$10 per month at the Traders Hotel. nov29tf

Wanted—Solicitors, male or female, for Clarksburg and surrounding towns. New proposition and easy. Experience unnecessary. Call on D. J. Hyar, 136 West Main street. 15dec3ft

Wanted—Male stenographer and typewriter. Good salary to a good man. Star Rig & Reel Supply Co. 15dec3ft

For Sale—Small stock groceries and fixtures. Three show cases, one cake and fruit case, one bread case, one self-computing scales. Will sell separate or as a whole. Inquire at 610 Locust street, City. 15dec2dtf.

Wanted—Lady or gentlemen of fair education to travel for a firm of \$250,000 capital. Salary \$1,072 per year and expenses; paid weekly. Address M. Percival, Clarksburg, W. Va. 16dec3ft*

Beware of Counterfeits

"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for piles, cuts and burns for years and can recommend it to be the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use." Mr. Samuel George, of North Bush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever sore on my ankle

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

Tour of All Mexico. Tour of all Mexico in January and February, under escort of Beat Campbell, General Manager American Tourists Association. For rates, dates, sleeping or reservation and full particulars of itinerary, address: A. A. Gallagher, D.P.A., Mo. Pac. Ry. No. 419 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

W. L. Druggists meet at Nusbamm's \$3.00 and \$1.50. oct6ft

California via The Iron Mountain Route (The True Southern Route). Through tourist sleeping cars via The True Southern Route, quick time and elegant service. Address: A. A. Gallagher, D.P.A., I.M.B., No. 419 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. Special Sale of Pianos. See the Kranics & Bach Small Grand. THOMPSON MUSIC COMPANY, 8dec10tt. Glen Elk Bridge building. SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

Christmas! Christmas! Christmas is coming and we are all thinking what shall we buy to increase home pleasures

SEE OUR LIST: PIANOS, ORGANS, MUSIC ROLLS, GRAPHOPHONES, MUSIC CABINETS, GUITARS, PIANO BENCHES, VIOLINS, SHEET MUSIC, BANJOS, MUSIC BOOKS, SEWING MACHINES.

Special prices given from this date until January 1st. We have the most complete line of pianos and organs ever exhibited in this city. Store open evenings.

THOMPSON MUSIC CO. Dec 13-tf w2t

MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. \$1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio

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Capital and Surplus, \$140,000. United States Depository.

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This bank accords courteous and liberal treatment to depositors and those having business with it, and endeavors to show its appreciation of their patronage by a careful and prompt attention to all business entrusted to it.

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