

HOLIDAY BARGAINS—STONE & THOMAS.

Stone & Thomas.

EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS

The rule here. Values that cannot be duplicated. Two great Bargains in our Black Goods Department that will make things lively here to-day:

- 40-inch wide All-Wool Silk Finish Henrietta Cloth at 89c, worth \$1.25.
- 40-in. wide Silk Warp, All-Wool Filling Black Henrietta Cloth at 98c, worth \$1.50.

BLACK SILKS.

Nothing more acceptable for a Christmas present than a good Black Silk. To-day we offer 25 pieces 24-inch wide

- Satin Duchess at 98c, worth \$1.50.
- Faille Silk at 98c, worth \$1.50.
- Armure Silk at 98c, worth \$1.50.

Upstairs on the Third Floor will be found

- 200 Moquette Rugs at \$3.98. Regular price \$6.00
- 100 Grey Fur Rugs at \$1.98. Regular price \$2.50
- 100 Lined Fur Rugs at \$4.68. Regular price \$7.00

On the Second Floor the biggest Fur Department in this State.

- Good Black Mitts 29c up
- Electric Seal Mitts 98c up
- Children's Ecu Angora Seta 98c up
- Ladies' Fur Capes \$3.98 up
- Ladies' Seal Capes \$12.75 up

If you are going to buy Furs you want to visit this Fur Department. It will be a money saving visit for you.

TOY DEPARTMENT—Thousands and thousands of Dolls, Games and Toys here.

BOOK DEPARTMENT OFFERS—1,000 Paper Books at 3c. 1,000 Cloth Bound Books at 12 1/2c. Picture Books, Christmas Books, Speech Books, Historical Books, all kinds here.

COME IN THE MORNING IF POSSIBLE!

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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS—M. J. M'FADDEN.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

For Men and Boys.

We have just what the men and boys want. Nice and useful things that make Splendid Presents, that cost but very little money, and are sure to please them. Here they are:

- 12 1-2 cents for Initial Linen Handkerchiefs.
- 50 cents for Initial Best Silk Handkerchiefs.
- 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 for Elegant Styles of Mufflers.
- 50c, 75c and \$1.00 for Men's Very Fine Kid Gloves.
- 25c and 50c for Elegant New Style Ties, tied or untied.
- 50c and 75c for Splendid White Shirts of Our Own Make.
- 50c, 75c and \$1.00 for Elegant Colored Evening Shirts.
- 50c for Finest Silk Suspenders, worth \$1.00.
- 25c for Best Camel's Hair or Cashmere Wool Socks.
- 25 and 50c for Boys' Jersey, Wool and Knit Gloves.
- \$1.00 and \$1.50 for Men's Fine Wool Jackets.

ELRGANT HATS AND CAPS FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

McFADDEN'S ONE-PRICE STORE,

The Cheapest Store in Wheeling, 1320 AND 1322 MARKET STREET.

Stores open every evening.

LOW PRICES.—GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.



PRICES,

During the next two days on all Christmas Novelties, Cloaks and Dress Goods, that will move them out in a hurry!

Geo. M. Snook & Co.

SPECIAL SALE.

We will offer 50 dozen Rogers' Best Quality Knives and Forks at \$2.75 a dozen Friday and Saturday of this week only. Silver Thimbles at 15c. Full line Silver Chain Bracelets.

WE GIVE LOWEST PRICES ON ALL GOODS!

LUKENS & HIGGINS, Formerly W. J. Lukens. The Jewelers, 1317 Market Street.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS.

G. MENDEL & CO. 121 MAIN STREET.

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Prompt Attention Day or Night. Store Telephone, No. 43. G. Ed. Mendel's Residence Telephone, No. 1.

The Intelligencer.

Office: Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

- Lost—\$1.
- Wanted—Salesman—Second Page.
- Notice—H. W. Uring.
- Notice—Bills and Testaments.
- Assignee's Sale of Billiard Tables, Etc.
- Real Estate and Insurance—Smith & Dickinson—Fifth Page.
- Fine Diamonds—L. G. Dillon & Co.—Second Page.
- Billboard Quills—Geo. R. Taylor—Sixth Page.
- For Rent—James A. Henry, Fourth Street M. E. Church.
- First Presbyterian Church.
- First United Presbyterian Church.
- List of Letters Remaining in the Postoffice.
- Opera House—W. A. Giovanni's Minstrel.
- Wanted—Saturday—Second Page.

Seaboard Sword Pins at L. G. DILLON & CO.'S.

All Holiday Goods marked away down, at SWABACKER'S.

ELGANT AND USEFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT POPULAR PRICES.

Shirts, Neckwear, Gloves, Initial Handkerchiefs, Hat Boxes, Knit Jackets, Office Coats and Underwear. Our Merchant Tailoring Department is complete and we are prepared to make up on short notice.

C. HESS & SON'S, Fashionable Tailors and Gents' Furnishers, 1321 and 1323 Market Street.

If you cannot see and need spectacles you should call on us and have your eyes tested without charge. We have the finest instruments and more experience than any other optician in the state, and guarantee satisfaction or money refunded. **JACOB W. GRUBB,** Jeweler and Optician, Corner Twelfth and Market.

From now till Xmas we will sell everything at 25 to 30 per cent less in our store. **H. W. HOSE,** 1619 Market Street.

For Holiday Goods go to **SWABACKER'S.**

Water Rents Due.

Water rents now due and are subject to a discount of 10 per cent if paid before January 1. Not taking advantage of this discount is equivalent to borrowing money at the rate of 40 per cent per annum. Can you afford this?

A New Railroad Switch.

The council committee on railroads yesterday afternoon examined the location of a proposed switch from the new Terminal track on South Water street to the Bloch Bros' tobacco works. The committee agreed to recommend that the right of way across Water street be granted.

City Tax Collections.

City Collector Shaffer reported to Receiver Kinderbarner yesterday that he had collected city taxes in the past week to the following amounts:

General fund	\$2,578 41
Ten-cent levy	250 50
Total	\$2,827 91

This is the largest week's collections for some time past.

A Skiff Ran Down.

The Denwood ferryboat ran down a skiff with four men in it Thursday night, and only the timely action of the men at the bow of the boat saved them. The boat struck the skiff about midriver. It was very dark and the men in the skiff thought they could get out of the way and did not make known their peril until just before the boat overhauled them. The men were lifted upon the bow of the boat while the skiff went under it. The men were all from Denwood, two of them being the Kehoe brothers.

Mines to be Closed Over the River.

The closing of all the railroad coal mines along the Central Ohio division of the Baltimore & Ohio seems certain to occur on the first of the year. The company has notified the operators that on and after January 1 they will pay only the price they can obtain West Virginia coal for, and this coal has been shipped over this road to Columbus, putting it down in the railroad yards there, for less money than coal from the Hoeking Valley or along the Central Ohio division. The miners will not agree to a reduction unless it is sanctioned by the meeting of their state organization which convenes on the 8th of January. It is suggested that there is no probability of them agreeing then, but that the state officers will just try to organize the miners in West Virginia and put the price up there rather than pull it down in Ohio. This will precipitate a strike that will close all the mines.

Hood's SARSAPARILLA, the king of medicines, conquers scrofula, catarrh rheumatism and all other blood diseases. Hood's and only Hood's. 10

Only Ten Days More.

Our Special Sale of Pianos and Organs closes January 1. By giving your order before that you can save Fifty Dollars. **C. A. HOUSE.**

Save money by buying your Holiday Goods at **SWABACKER'S.**

BUCK ALE, made by Smith Brewing Co., on draft in all saloons in Wheeling and vicinity Saturday and Monday.

CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS at lowest prices at **ZIEGENFELDER'S.**

CHALLENGE SALE.

We challenge all our competitors to undersell us in prices of our entire stock for coming week. **H. E. HILLMAN & CO.**

Buy Gold Spectacles for Christmas gifts from Prof. Shell, the only Scientific Optician in the city, 1110 Main Street. See advertisement on fourth page.

THE PLACE to buy Jewelry is where you buy the cheapest. Consult Wheat & Hancher.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS from 15 cents to \$300 at **Shell Bros', 1110 Main Street.**

PUREST and best Mixed Candles, own make, at **ZIEGENFELDER'S.**

Highest grade **HARDEN** movement in a 14-kt. solid gold case at \$28. **H. E. HILLMAN & CO.**

FINEST line of Silver Hair Pins at **Wheat & Hancher's.**

OLIVE WOOD and Inlaid Writing Desks and Leather Lap Tablets at **Stanton's Old City Book Store.**

MUFFLERS, GLOVES, ETC.—THE HUB CLOTHIERS.

DON'T YOU

HEAR THE BELLS!

They're Ringing Out the Glory of Our Superb Stock of HOLIDAY NOVELTIES!

It's the GREATEST DISPLAY OF WARDROBE DELICACIES we've ever made, or that you ever seen. You want to see it. We want you to see it. Every feature is a special creation to our order. Our exclusive showing is like a mammoth Christmas Tree. Our entire floor is loaded down with dainty and desirable gifts for all mankind; so easy to reach—the prices hang them so low. One peep inside the door and your glance will drink in a thousand answers to the perplexing question what to give. Our variety is well high exhaustless, our force is ample, our system is perfect, and everybody will be promptly served. Still the earlier in the week you shop the more complete you'll find the stock. The earlier in the day the less crowded you'll find the store, but early or late, the first of the week or last, you'll find us at our post.

Mufflers, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, Ties, Suspenders, White Shirts, Underwear, Sweaters, Night Shirts, Smoking Coats, Children's Study Coats, Hats, Socks, Rubber Coats, Odd Short Pants, Jersey Pants.

NIGHT ROBES, 50c to \$3.00.—Is the show our stock of Night Shirts make, French Cambric, tasty needle work effect, modest or elaborate, the cheapest, fit as well as the best, and they fit perfectly.

NECKWEAR.—Our special 200 dozen Teck's, Puffs and Four-in-Hands, new patterns, worth 75c and \$1.00; our price 50c. Our line of neckwear includes all the latest fads of Fabric, Tint and Tying, a great many of them put in fancy box, 50 cents.

HANDKERCHIEFS.—Our line of Gents' Silk Initial Handkerchiefs 50c, 60c, 70c, \$1.00. The most elegant goods ever shown. Also see our line Linen Initial Handkerchiefs. Cheap, six for \$1.00, put up in an elegant fancy box. Others from 10c up.

MEN'S OVERCOATS.—Double Breasted, Single Breasted, extra long, full back. Ulsters made up in Kerseys, Beavers, Worsteds, Meltons, Irish Frieses, etc. Prices always \$3.00 to \$8.00 under those asked by competing houses.

HOUSE COATS.—Say, sweethearts and wives, you can't give a man a present he'll appreciate more than a Smoking Jacket. You with your good taste will find it best to buy of us, for our collection is the best. Maybe we know the recipient's size if you don't.

BOYS' STUDY COATS.—Something entirely new in the way of a Boy's Study Coat, the first season for them, from 8 to 18 years. Your boy will appreciate one.—See them.

CHILDREN'S SHORT PANTS SUITS.—Hundreds of Children's Short Pants Suits \$1.75, \$2.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 up to \$10.00. Our Bessemers all wool and wear like steel at \$5.00. Cannot be duplicated elsewhere for \$2.00 more money.

HUNDREDS OF MEN'S SUITS.—Hundreds of patterns, all fresh, new creations, guaranteed by our guarantee. Be first, don't be last.

THE HUB

One-Price Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

Fourteenth and Market Streets.

HOLIDAY GOODS.—JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.

Great Reductions

HOLIDAY GOODS.

An Elegant Line of Goods Suitable for

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!

Now ready, Consisting of

Decorated Tea and Dinner Ware, Game, Desert and Fancy Chamber Sets, And a Large Variety of FANCY NOVELTIES.

JOHN FRIEDEL & CO., 1119 Main St.

50 PER CENT OFF SALE—WHEELING INSTALMENT CO.

50 Per Cent Off Sale

of PICTURES and LAMPS.

See our Show Windows and Note the Prices. We mean what we say. We must have the money.

If you are going to give Holiday Presents, Now is a Chance to Save Money!



Lamps and Pictures.

WHEELING INSTALMENT CO.,

1136 TO 1140 MARKET ST.