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TERMS OF THE MESSENGER.

\$1.00 per year if paid in advance; \$1.25 if paid at the end of three months; \$1.50 if paid at the end of six months, and \$2.00 at the expiration of the year.

DEEDS FALL OFF.

Lawyers' Vacation Helps to Make a Dull Time in Recorder's Office—Few Coal Transfers.

R. E. Simpson to J. M. Bartlebaugh et al. 33 acres in Cherryhill; \$300.  
John P. St. Clair to August Habersack, 60 acres surface in Center; \$800.  
David Fleming et al to Isaac Timblin, 106 1/2 Newville; \$112.

C. S. Kunkle to Scott Kinter, 2 lots in Center; \$300.  
Samson Stephens to Herman Bantley, 100 acres in West Wheatfield; \$1500.  
David W. Simpson to Josiah Neal, lot in Indiana; \$1700.  
G. L. Stephens to David A. Fleming, lot in Indiana; \$500.

Mary Cox to James A. Pearce, lot in Saltsburg; \$900.  
Samuel Crusan's administrator to Kiskiminetas Coal co., 119 acres in Cone-maugh; \$2997.  
John H. Patchin to Albert L. Freed, lot in Montgomery; \$1900.

Lincoln Gibson to Charles Gibson, 47 acres in Cherryhill; \$1.00.  
E. F. Stear to Erastus A. Stear, 75 acres in West Mahoning; \$800.  
John W. Sutton to David W. Simpson, lot in Indiana; \$1500.

Sarah J. Varner to George J. Lyke, 27 acres in Canoe; \$450.  
Hannah Hadden to J. L. Mitchell, 6 acres in Cherryhill; \$171.

Henry Miller to Henry Rishel, 30 acres in Canoe; \$1000.  
Edward M. Greenwood to Harry Harokom, lots in Blairsville; \$250.  
Same to same, lots in Blairsville; \$260.  
Ella H. Spiess to same, lot in Blairsville; \$525.

Martha Waddle to Harry P. Waddle, lot in Saltsburg; \$3,000.  
E. W. Griffith to Thomas P. Stephens, 33 acres in Green; \$1.

Archie Smith to Mike Harchuck, lot in Montgomery; \$425.  
Barbara Alter to George Mowry et al., lot in Blairsville; \$150.  
Samuel G. Wilson et al. to Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway company, 5 acres in Indiana; \$1085.

A. C. Conner to Beech Creek Coal and Coke company, 68 acres in Montgomery; \$1732.  
C. R. Smith to same, 30 acres in Montgomery; \$975.

Wilson P. Harbridge to Clarence R. Smith, 30 acres in Montgomery; \$1200.  
Agnes Mumau to B. R. & P. Railway company, 1 acre in Canoe; \$100.  
William A. Dible to same, 197 acres in Armstrong; \$500.  
Mattie J. Barrow to same, 4 acres in Young; \$650.

Six Per Cent.

Have you money that you wish to invest in good first mortgages on improved real estate? We can furnish you the same bearing 6% interest, free of taxes, on best improved real estate; only gilt-edged securities handled. There is no better field for loaning money than West Virginia, her enormous coal, oil and gas production means thousands of additional homes to be built, which requires much outside capital. We have those securities from \$800 to \$5000. Best of bank reference. Call or address J. J. Wilson, Peabody Building Wheeling W. Va.

PITTSBURG CLOTHING HOUSE.

Extra! Extra!

Late News From the Pittsburg Clothing House.

We have a great line of Hats.

We have a great line of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Suits.

We have a big line of Underwear.

Lots of bargains in Wrappers—this week only.

Big line of Pants.

Big stock of Men's Dress and Working Shirts.

Great line of Shoes that will go at a great reduction.

We have a big line of Ladies' Skirts and Underskirts at a low price.

Our Mr. Abrams is in Pittsburg and New York this week. Watch for next week's ad., as we are going to give you a lot of goods at low prices.

Don't forget to come in and give us a trial, and we will give you Big Bargains.

Pittsburg Clothing House,

Store Open Evenings Until 9 O'clock.

577 Phil'a St., Opp. Indiana House.

THE MARTIN SHORTHAND and COMMERCIAL SCHOOL,

Liberty Ave. & Fifth St., Pittsburg, Pa.

An old school conducted on the most modern principles.

The demand for young men and women greater than ever before. Call and see one of the largest and best schools in the country. Catalogue sent on request.

SHORTLAND, TYPEWRITING, BOOKKEEPING, PENMANSHIP, ENGLISH, SPELLING, TELEGRAPHY, ETC.

R. R. give Reduced Rates to pupils of the Martin School.

Subscribe for the MESSENGER.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF THE

Financial Condition

OF

INDIANA BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT,

For the Year Ending First Monday of June, 1903.

Whole number of schools.....	15
Average number months taught.....	8
Number of male teachers employed.....	14
Number of female teachers employed.....	14
Average salaries of males per month.....	77 50
Average salaries of females per month.....	45 15
Number of male scholars attending all the schools in the district.....	324
Number of female scholars attending all the schools in the district.....	304
Whole number in attendance.....	628
Average daily attendance of scholars in the district.....	642
Average percentage of attendance.....	90
Cost of each pupil per month.....	\$ 1 64
Amount levied for school purposes.....	5,850 70
Total amount levied.....	5,850 70

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance on hands from last year.....	\$ 590 69
To cash from A. L. Gilbert, collector.....	250 54
To cash from Thomas Lowman.....	4,900 00
To state appropriation.....	3,195 21
	\$8,936 44

CR.

By cash for repairing furni- ture and supplies.....	453 69
By cash to janitors' fees.....	420 00
By cash to insurance.....	81 50
By cash to gas.....	410 40
By cash to transient officer.....	5 00
By cash to telephones.....	14 00
By cash to books and supplies, H. Hall.....	960 54
By cash to teachers attending Institute.....	152 00
By cash to teachers' salaries.....	5,678 00
By cash to teachers' salaries last year.....	255 50
Treasurer's salary.....	50 00
Secretary's salary.....	75 00
Supplies.....	16 53
	\$8,569 25
Balance in hands of treasurer.....	367 19
	\$8,936 44

COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT.

DR.

Face of duplicate for 1902.....	\$5,852 91
5 per cent. added after Feb. 1st.....	21 79
	\$5,850 70

CR.

Cash collected with 5 per cent. rebate.....	2,508 22
5 per cent. rebate.....	125 17
Commission of 2 per cent.....	51 36
Cash collected at face.....	2,480 80
Commission of 5 per cent.....	124 04
Exonerations allowed.....	222 48
Unsettled lands returned.....	6 20
Commission of 5 per cent.....	22 88
	\$5,560 39
Balance in hand of collector.....	290 41
	\$5,850 70

RESOURCES.

Balance in hands of Treas.....	\$ 367 19
Balance in hands of Collector.....	290 41
	\$ 657 60

We, the auditors, certify to the foregoing statement.  
WILSON BUEBET,  
WM. F. GEORGE,  
H. E. ANDERSON.

STOVES AND RANGES

When you buy a range or stove you expect it to last for years—maybe for the average lifetime. There is only one class that will do this—that class in which the very best materials are used and where honest workmen do first-class work. The making of a range or stove is, in its way and through its various processes, as delicate a job as the making of a watch. Attention must be paid to every detail. The result is necessarily a first-class article. I sell this kind and invite you to come and make a thorough examination.

GOOD ROOFERS are scarce, but that is the only kind I have and the materials—tin, iron and slate—are of the best. Come and get an estimate of the cost.

G. T. HAMILTON  
H. S. WEAVER,

JOBBER OF HARDWARE,  
438 East Church Street.

Formerly of Indiana Hrd. Co., Ltd.  
ROPES, LINOLEUMS.

R-I-P-A-N-S Tablets  
Doctors find  
A good prescription  
For mankind.

The 5-cent packet is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (50 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.

MEN WANTED—We want Bookkeepers, Invoice clerks, shipping, bill and receiving clerks; young men to learn trades; machinists, blacksmiths, riveters; warehousemen for railroad and stores, and fifty new orders. Write quick, positions now open. Room 203, 545 Liberty Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

STUMPF'S Department Store

D. C. MACK & SON, Prop's  
Bargains in all Departments.

A few Quoted Here Below:  
Candy Ten Cents a Pound

Scrub Brushes  
5 cents each.

8 1/2 inch white dressed tampo- pico.

Hard wood medium sized block, 8 1/2 inch double winged end, solid and thickly set with long, clear white fiber, 8 cents each.

10 1/2 inch, 5 row center, 6 row ends, white, stiff white, stock ends, well filled with tampico, 9 cents each.

Horse Brushes

Full size, stiffest clear white, full fiber, solid one piece back, full polished, strongly fastened leather hand strap, 10 cents.  
Other styles, hair and root, all kinds, up to 60c.

Household Ammonia  
10 oz. bottle, 4c.

Iron Handles.

Mrs. Potts Iron Handles, 5c each.

Dust Pans

Full sheet, round rivet handles, extra strong, well Japanned, 5c each.

Candy Ten Cents a Pound  
D. C. MACK & SON, Prop's

Midsummer Cut Sale

Will Begin This Week at  
CALDWELL'S

Great Bargains in All Lines

\$15.00 and 18.00 Suits at - \$12.00  
12.50 and 15.00 Suits at - 10.00  
9.00, 10.00 and 11.00 Suits at 7.50  
6.00 and 8.00 Suits at - 5.00

All \$2.00 Hats, \$1.50  
All \$1.50 Hats, \$1.00.

A Few Odds and Ends in Straw Hats Go at Half-price.

We have some Choice Bargains in other lines.  
D. M. CALDWELL, INDIANA, PA.

**FOR ONE WEEK**  
any Jardiniere in this store is offered at  
**1-4 OFF MARKED PRICE**  
But then, prices are always attractive here, and when the goods recently purchased in the Western market arrive, values will be surprising every day.  
**ED. H. SUTTON**

THIS IS THE AGE OF SPREADING.  
**The Marshall Saddlery Co.**  
never being behind the times, have added a number of specialties to their extensive harness business, which for quality and price can not be excelled by any house in town.  
Our Traveling Goods, consisting of Trunks, Dress Suit Cases, Satchels and Telescopes, are the finest in town. We sell the Lilly Dress Suit Case—the finest in the country. Trunks from \$1.75 to \$10. Suit Cases from \$1.00 to \$10.  
Our stock of Harness can't be excelled by any house in Western Pennsylvania. Prices from \$5 to \$25 for buggy and \$30 to \$50 for heavy team harness.  
Our stock of Collars, Fly Nets, Summer Horse Blankets, Horse Bonnets, Whips of all kinds, Water Proof Horse Covers, Harness Oil and Soap, Sole Leather, Harness Leather by the side or a piece of any size, all kinds of rings to decorate Harness, Horse Clippers, Ladies' and Gents' Driving Gloves, all kinds of Saddles, Hardware, Steel Wire Horse Brushes and Stable Brooms, Curry Combs, Mane Combs, Gall Cures, Dog Collars and a great many other articles belonging to the horse and stable, which will be sold at a very moderate price.  
Give Us a Call and Convince Yourself.  
**THE MARSHALL SADDLERY CO.**

**SHAFFER & KELLER,**  
Next Door to the New American House, Philadelphia Street.  
New This Week---  
Trunks, Suit Cases, Traveling Bags, Etc  
Our Trunks are made by one of the best manufacturers in this country and for strength they stand the test of the baggage-smasher.  
Well made flat top Trunks as low as \$2.50 each.  
Better ones at \$3 to \$8.50 each.  
Zinc covered, round top Trunks, \$1.75 to \$3.00.  
Suit Cases, \$1.25 to \$6.50 each.  
Our first shipment of New Fall Clothing will arrive this week.  
New styles and low prices.  
Summer Clothing and Summer Goods at a big reduction.  
**SHAFFER & KELLER.**

**THE NEW YORK LIFE.**  
1423 Applications in a SINGLE DAY—Thursday, June 11, 1903.  
1260 Applications in the entire week beginning June 11, 1892.  
The 1423 applications received in one day, June 11, 1903, aggregated more than \$3,750,000 of insurance. No other Life Insurance company has a record like that.  
For information about policies call or write to  
**G. MEADE MARSHALL,**  
INDIANA, PA.

**Spot Cash Paid**  
For old metal, scrap iron, copper, brass, zinc, lead rings, old books, newspapers, rubber boots and shoes. J. S. THOMPSON, opposite Wilson, Rowe & Hetrick Roller Mills, Indiana, Pa.  
We have a few good Porch Suites we will sell at actual cost to close them out at once. Henry H. Steving, Sixth street, opposite jail.  
**Executors' Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Reed, deceased, late of Boy Station, Conemaugh township, county of Indiana, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay.  
T. C. WAITE, Executor,  
Room 10 City Hall,  
Allegheny City, Pa.  
8016  
READ THE MESSENGER.