# The \* Star.

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#### Cravelers' Onibe.

Passenger trains arrive at the Reynolds ville station as follows: Westward. Eastward. - 6.52 a m.:Truin 6, - - 7.29 a. m - 1.00 p. m.:Truin 2, - - 1.42 p. m - 6.50 p. m.:Truin 10, - - 9.08 p. m

Mails arrive and and leave the post-office a follows: REYNOLDSVILLE POST-OFFICE.

Depart.

FROM THE WEST. FOR THE PART. 1.15 p. m. - 7.00 p. m. 6.10 a. m. - 12.30 p. m. FORM THE EAST. 7.00 a. m. - 2.00 p. m. 7.00 a. m. - 1.15 p. m. Arrives from Rathmel and Prescottville

11.30 a. m. Arrives from Panic Tuesdays, Thurdays and Saturdays at 2.30 p. m. Departs for Prescottville, Rathmel, Panic

.00 p. m. Office hours 7.00 a. m. to 8.00 p. m. Money order office open from 7.00 a. m. to .00 p. m. Register office open from 7.00 a. m. o 8.00 p. m. to 8.00 p. m. Legal Holidays from 7.00 to 8.00 a. m. and from 12.00 to 3.00 p. m. Office open Sanday from 9.00 a. m. to 10.00 n. m. J. W. Forser, P. M.

## LOCAL LACONICS.

A full line of leather boots at Robin-

What fools some people do make of themselves.

Eight jurors from Reynoldsville for Boy's oil grain school shoes, all solid,

\$1.25 at Robinson's. There is one case of diphtheria in West Reynoldsville.

For envelopes, note heads, invitations, &c., call at THE STARofflee.

The Falls Creek Herald has moved into a new and commodious office

Is not the Baker ballot law a little expensive? What thinketh thou?

New Winter Millinery goods at Mrs. Kate S. Smeltzer, East Jackson st.

"Widow Murphy's Goat" at Reynolds

opera house on Thursday, Nov. 17th. Reynoldsville wants men who have

money and are not afraid to invest it. See the advertisement of "Home Study of Metal Mining," in this issue of

THE STAR. Dame Rumor says a prominent young merchant of Reynoldsville will soon

become a benedict. H. M. Iseman, the American Express agent, has been on a hunting expedition

during the past week. The Cheap Johns store in the Centennial hall store room has just received a new supply of goods.

M. A. Makell will confer a favor on the American Express agent in this place by calling at his office.

Only seventeen Reynoldsville citizens have concluded within the past week that they would like to be postmaster

Marriage license has been granted to Fred. W. Zeitler and Elivra G. Strouse, relict of Jacob Strouse, both of Reyn-

An application of paint and paper has made a decided improvement on the interior of Glenn Milliren's gent's furnishing store.

A number of Reynoldsville Democrats went to DuBois Monday evening to participate in the jubilee over the Democratic victory.

The Record says that over \$2,000 changed hands in the vicinity of Brockwayville on election bets, ranging from \$5.00 to \$200.00.

On Friday and Saturday the personal be sold at public sale at his late Aresidence in Winslow township.

There will be preaching in the Lutheran church Sunday morning at 11.00 A. M. in German, and in the evening at 7.00 P. M. in English.

Rev. P. J. Slattery will preach the Thanksgiving sermon in the Presbyterian church on Thursday of next week Service to commence at 11.00 A. M.

\*A. G. Milliren and Dr. B. E. Hoover, members of the L. O. O. F. lodge of Reynoldsville, went to Penfield yester-

day with the remains of Geo. Austin. Rathmel is to have a livery stable. The building will soon be completed and eight good rigs will be ready for

the service of the people of that town. Pennsylvania railroad time tables will hereafter be translated into different foreign languages including German, French, Spanish, Italian and Swedish. So says the Ridgway Democrat.

Thompson Wray, of West Reynoldsville, was arrested Monday morning for threatening to kill one of the Brinks. He was bound over to court, and furnished \$200.00 bail for his liberty until court convenes.

The inspection train on the A. V. R'y made its annual trip over the road last Friday. David McCargo, S. B. nsey and all the section bosses of the main line and Low Grade Div.

T. W. Letts, editor of the Carrolltown News, who was called here to attend the funeral of his son-in-law, George Austin; called at THE STAR office Monday. Mr. Letts is an energetic and live newspaper man for one of his age, and made a success of the Penfield paper when editor of it.

The timbers of the platform in front of Tapper's livery stable were so badly decomposed that the proprietor of the stable found it necessary, to save an accident, to put in a new and substantial entrance to his been.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will rendered a program that has been prepared in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening in place of the regular preaching service.

It is said that a Presbyterian congregation of Pittsburg has offered Dr. Conway, of Brookville, a salary of five thousand dollars a year to take charge of their church. The Presbyterian's pay the doctor fifteen hundred dollars at Brookville.

A black hog belonging to John S. North, of Panic, wandered into Reynoldsville yesterday forenoon and was given a boarding place by an up town gentleman. The owner of the swine came to town in the afternoon looking for the runaway and had quite a hunt before he found its lodging place.

J. C. King & Co., of Reynoldsville, who are interested in real estate at Sykesville, have laid one thousand feet of lead pipe to bring good spring water into that town. A watering trough has been put in by them at a convenient place in Sykesville where the travelling public can slake the thirst of their

John Wylam, proprietor of Hotel Wylam, of Rathmel, is now running a hack to connect with trains at Reynoldsville. Twenty-five cents for round trip is the rate charged. Mr. Wylam expects to soon put on a regular bus and after February 1st, 1892, it will be a "free bus" to all who patronize Hotel

Henry A. Reed, the boot and shoe merchant, was in DuBois one day last week and started to the station with the intention of coming home on the evening train, but got there in time to quote the Irish women who said: "Bedad, but that ould train's gone off wid a passenger what's left behind!" Henry came home the next day.

Frank P. Addlesperger, of this place detective for the A. V. Ry, ferrets out the fellows who do mischief along the line of the road. A few weeks ago some person changed the signal on a switch at DuBois and the detective got onto the track of the guilty party and they will have to suffer for trifling with property of the railroad company.

Just forty-five short days after this one until leap year will be "snowed under" for four long dreary years. The shadows of the evening time of your opportunity is fast gathering, girls. Do you grasp the situation? We sound the toesin! The swiftness of time demands quick action. "Pop the question" before the pulse of 1892 ceases its throbbing.

Sam'l Tilton Reynolds was shoveling mud in front of the foundation for his new brick building yesterday afternoon and we asked him when he expected to commence laying brick. He leaned complacently upon the long handled shovel he was using and said: "We will commence laying brick when the wild flowers are scattered o'er the plain." Mr. Reynolds has had a good foundation built for his new edifice.

We stated two weeks ago that an application had been made for a charter for the Reynoldsville and Rathmel Electric Railway, and were correct in the statement. The application, however, was not made out in the required form, some little flaw being discovered. and it was returned to be made out property of Henry Kroh, deceased, will correctly, hence the assertion of our contemporary last week that the charter had not yet been applied for.

A kind hearted business man of Punxsutawney gave the editor of the Necs a great big fat turkey and the editor returned the compliment by giving the firm a dollar and a half 'send-off," and both men were pleased with the exchange of turkey for complimentary notice. Now if some of our generous business men want to tempt THE STAR for a nice "send-off," let them bring on the fat turkey.

W. S. Stone spent Sunday with his son, B. W. Stone, of Allegheny, who is foreman of the Westinghouse Electric Light establishment of that city. Mr. Stone's little grandson was very ill when he started for home Monday, and yesterday the grand-parents had their hearts saddened by receiving a message that the little boy had died. Mrs. Stone and two daughters went to Allegheny this morning to attend the fun-

The Edith Ross Scottish Concert Company, of Glasglow, Scotland, who gave their first concert in this country about three week ago, will give a concert in the Court House at Brookville this, Wednesday, evening. This will give the people of this vicinity a good opportunity to hear a first-class musical entertainment. The company comprises ten Scottish musicians of rare ability who were brought to Brookville in connection with the teachers' institute at a great expense. J. Arthur Schlichter, the young, eloquent and numorist lecturer, of whom it is said histanguage is sublime and his manner graceful and winning, will lecture in the Court House Thursday evening of this week. The program provided for the institute for this week is a good one.

#### Pedagogues.

The west bound trains Monday were crowded with lads and lassies who instruct the youths of this vicinity in "larnin" their school lessons. tenchers' institute at Brookville was the cause of the influx of knowledge in that direction.

#### Chestnut Entertainment.

The W. R. C. have gained a merited notoriety in giving good entertainments. The public can look forward to a very unique one that promises to be as good if not better, than any past one. The "chestnuts" will be all ripe and sound and you can have your fill for 15 cents. Do not forget the date, Saturday, Nov. 26th.

Arm Crushed, Felix C. Bigleman, a brakeman on fast freight on the A. V. R'y, had his right arm badly crushed while attempting to make a coupling in the yard at this place at noon last Friday. He was taken to the Moore House in West Reynoldsville and the physicians called are making a great effort to save the young man's arm, and have good hopes of succeeding now. The injured man was not taken to DuBols.

#### A Cyclone of Fun.

Can be looked for at the opera house on Thursday evening, Nov. 17th, when Alfred Keley, supported by Colonel Theodore Hoppenheimer's London Co. will present the laughing craze, "Widow Murphy's Goat." London's famous prima donna, Lillie LaRose will positively appear in the parts he originally created, and played for 396 performances in London. There is but very little doubt but what this attraction will call out our best class of amusement lovers, as it did on the other side of the water.

## A Change in Mail.

For a number of years a mail pouch has been carried from DuBois on the 9.08 P. M. train and one carried to DuBois on 6.52 A. M. train. On account of mail now being earried on the 6.50 P. M. and 7.30, A. M. trains, the pouch was taken off the late and early trains, first mentioned, last Friday, and in consequence thereof, the postmaster will not have to make up a mail at 6.00 A. M. and it will not be necessary to open the postoffice an hour on Sunday morning as heretofore. Closing the postoffice on Sunday went into effect on the 13th.

#### Beat the Record.

"Truth is stranger than fiction." David F. Rebinson, the shoe merchant, who lives on Main street, has beaten the record on quick work. When he had dressed himself last Thursday morning it was three minutes of seven o'clock. He went down stairs, shouldered his gun, went hunting, broke a borough ordinance, killed a rabbit and skinned it, carried water to his colt, ate his breakfast, walked to the station and left Reynoldsville for Brookville on the 7.30 A. M. train. This was all done inside of thirty-three minutes. Who can beat it?

# Charter Granted.

A charter was granted last Friday for the railway in Reynoldsville. Special effort will be made now to raise the remaining necessary funds to build the road. Council will be ask at the next regular meeting, first Monday in December, to grant the right of way. It is to be hoped that people who have money will understand what a wonderful blessing the road would be to Reynoldsville and then not besitate to invest in the enterprise. An electric railway in this town would enhance property greatly.

# List of Juriors.

Following is a list of juriors from Reynoldsville borough and Winslow township for December term of court, commencing Dec. 5th, 1892.

Grand juriors:-Reynoldsville, L. S. McClelland, Addison Gray, W.W. Ford. Winslow township, August Best, Ed. O'Donnell, G. W. Mowery, John Null.

Traverse jurors:-Reynoldsville, R. J. Pentz. Winslow township, John R. Hillis, Philip Koehler, Frank Deemer, Joseph Hutchison.

Petit jurors:-Reynoldsville, E. T. McGaw, Robt. Bone, sr., Charles A. Shaffer, Jessie L. Test. Winslow township, A. S. Phillippi, A. S. Armstrong, David East, G. M Rea, F. M. Lucas, George Yohe, Henry Shields, Fred

# Songs and Recitations.

A temperance meeting was held in Centennial hall Saturday evening and the program was as follows: Music by choir; reading of the 1st Psalm and prayer by Mr. Jacob Booth; recitation, Miss Minnie Whitmore; recitation, Etta Shaffer; song, "Marching to Canan," ten little girls, Maud Hoon, Etta Shaffer, Virgie Evans, Amelia Morrow, Frankie and Goldie King, Effle Milliren, Tirzie Booth, Frances Williams, Maggie Bone: recitation, Blanche Whitmore; music by choir; recitation, Amelia Morrow; recitation, Ruth Reynolds: singing, "Story of Old," ten girls; recitation, Maggie Butler; song, Cora Booth; recitation, Verna E. Bing; singing, "Beautiful Little Hands," ten girls; remarks by Jacob Booth; recitation, Frances Williams; music by choir. An opportunity was given for any who desired to do so to join the society which is called, "The United Army of Perconal Temperance Workers."

## A Mysterious Death.

Mrs. John Brown and Mrs. Thomas Corbett, of Reynoldsville, were called to Brookville last week to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. John Doubles, of Belgium, a suburb of Brookville, who was buried in the Catholic cemetery Thursday morning. Monday, October 31st, Hallowe'en, about five o'clock, Mrs. Doubles dressed her daughter, who is about fourteen years old, in her husband's clothes, blackened her face and sent her over to Overbeck's. a near neighbor, to join their children in some Hallowe'en pranks. Mrs. Doubles was never seen alive after that. Her hosband came home and the daughter returned in time to get suppor, but Mrs. Doubles did not put in an appearance. Not returning that night or Tuesday, her husband began to inquire about her but no one had seen her. Thursday he came up to Reynoldsville, thinking, perhaps, she had come here to visit her daughters. No clue could be found of her until November 8th, when her husband looked in an unused strairway leading to the garret and there he found the body of his wife head downward so tightly wedged in it was difficulty to remove the body. Coroner not being at home, Al. Baur, J. P., summoned a jury and viewed the remains. The face and upper part of the body were very much discolored, a contused wound of the scalp was found, the nose broken, the neck dislocated, and one of her legs broken above the ankle. Mrs. Doubles was in the habit of drinking intoxicants to excess, but had not been drinking on the day of her dissappearance. During the time from Oct. 31st to Nov. 8th, Mr. Doubles slept in the room in which the door opened to the strairway where his wife was wedged in a corpse. John Doubles has had charge of Arnold & Seneor's mills near Sandy Valley for several

#### The "Drummer."

There are many "drummers," or commercial agents, who travel through the country that are perfect gentlemen and they behave themselves accordingly. while on the other hand there are some "drummers" that are real "smart" and own half the country-in their minds. Everything must be just so and people must bow in obeisance or the wrath of the "drummer" is let loose and the atmosphere in the immediate surroundings is almost blue with smoke of the nether region that arises from the profane language used by the representative of a man dressed in fine clothes and pure linens. Some of these "drummers" are as prolific of profane words as a schooled street Arab. The other morning one of the "smarty drummers" stood on the corner of Main and Fifth street and read the "riot act" about the postmaster. In his absence, however, and threatening what he would do if the P. M. did not get around in time for him to eatch the early train. Fortunately for the "drummer" the train was late and he ran a little and got to the station in time to tell the baggage master between gasps for breath where he wanted his baggage checked to. The "drummer" learned before he got out of town that a change had been made in the mails and that the postmaster understood his business better than the commercial tourist thought he did.

#### Expense of Ballots (Punxsutawney News.)

The ballots for Jefferson county were printed in Williamsport at a cost of \$575.81. There were 66,300 ballots and the contract was made for the printing at \$8.70 per thousand. The total weight of the ballots was 3,200 pounds and they were delivered in two lots, one on Saturday and one on Monday. It seems strange that the new law compels the ballots to be delivered in two separate lots, as they could all be delivered in one round. The second delivery is made on account that the first lot might have met with an accident and been destroyed by fire. It took six wagons to deliver the ballots and the expense of delivering them will not reach more than sixty dollars. Our tax-payers may rest assured that our commissioners have saved money in getting the ballots, although the new system may at a first glance seem to be rather expensive. In the first place the price of the ballots was nearly one-half below that paid by commissioners of other counties and the delivering of the goods was done at a less expense than we find the same kind of work was done in other counties. Besides this, we find that our commissioners have done their work well and without any drawbacks or delays.

# Official Vote.

This week we give our readers the official returns of the general election in Jefferson county in the form of a supplement. There are many people who like to keep the vote to refer to and, therefore, we give it this week so you will have it without destroying your paper.

# Special Notice,

All members of the O. U. A. M. are requested to meet in the Council Chamber Monday evening, Nov. 21st, as special business of importance is to be transacted.

Try Robinson's \$2 50 shoe, for ladies

## DROWNED AT DRIFTWOOD.

Wife and Four Children Left Without a Supporter.

Goorge O. Austin, who lived on fackson street, and was employed as a brakeman on local freight between Reynoldsville and Driftwood, met a mysterious death at Driftwood last Friday night. The relatives of the deceased thinks there was foul play about his sudden demise. Several men of the local crew saw George about twelve o'clock and said he showed no signs of having been drinking. Saturday morning he was found in the creek under No. I bridge dead without a mark on him only over one eye. The night dispatcher and watchman heard some one call for help about four o'clock Saturday and not having a light the men waited for morning light to dawn to reveal the position of the man, whom report says, they knew was in the water. The distance from the bridge to the water was about twenty feet and there was only about three feet of water in the stream. Whether he fell through the bridge and was injured internally so he could not get out, or whether his death was the result of foul play, is

unknown He was a member of the L.O.O.F. at Penfield, and the Odd Fellows at Driftwood took charge of the remains and prepared them for burial and shipped to Reynoldsville Saturday evening. The bereaved wife, relatives and a committee from the I.O.O.F. lodge of this place, took the remains to Penfield on the I.00 P. M. train yesterday for burial. The services were held in the M. E. church at that place. The widow, with four childred, the

oldest seven and the youngest about one year and a half old, who mourns the loss of her husband, is a daughter of T. W. Letts, at one time editor of the Penfield paper, now editor of the Carrolltown News in Cambria county. It is a sad case and one that elicits the sympathy of all who have heard it. The grief of the young widow when told of the death of her husband was terrible. The mother, with four little children clinging to her, will have to face the stubborn realities of life alone.

## The Family Physician.

About the last thing paid for is a doctor's bill, and if a new doctor comes to town many people will call him when there is sickness in their homes. They have no faith in their old doctor, and why? Because the physician has been faithful and kind, responded promptly to their call night or day, through storm and sunshine, and now his bill is so large that they are ashamed to ask him to visit their slek without paying him and they don't want to do that because it seems like throwing money away, and about the easiest way out is to label him a crank or fanatic and lose faith in him, say mean things about him, and then call in another doctor whom they know is reliable. The fellow was the best doctor in town until his bill got to be so enormous. Often times when sickness and death enters homes with disappointment and sadness. it is impossible for people to meet the bills that come unexpected, and in such cases doctors are very lenient. They are generally speaking, a kind hearted class of men. It is the people who can pay and will not, that resort to unkind words and new doctors. The Jefferson County Medical Association has adopted charges of its members for professional services, and the collection thereof: For a single visit in town, \$1; for a single visit in town at night, \$1.50; for a visit to the country, \$I per mile; for consultation, 85, and if in the country, mileage will be added; for expert testimony before court or any other place, \$10, payment to be made in advance. All bills payable in sixty Williamsport and Philadelphia. days. All office work, cash.

# A Revolver's Fatal Work.

[Punxsutawney Spirit.] "Mother, I am shot," was the agonized and despairing cry of Edward Davis, of Clayville, as he sprang up from the dinner table on Saturday, and staggering backwards, fell into the arms of his mother in an unconscious condition, a bullet from a revolver in the hands of his brother Ambert having pierced his breast. The family of Lewis R. Davis, of Clayville, composed of himself and wife, a little daughter, and his two sons Ambert and Edward, the former about twenty, and the latter eighteen, years old, had just completed their midday meal, when Ambert told his brother that he came near shooting a cross dog that day. For the purpose of illustrating the matter more fully he pulled a revolver from his hip pocket, the weapon, a selfacting 32-calibre affair. was discharged in some unaccountable way, the ball striking Edward in the breast near the heart, and with the exclamation, "Mother, I am shot!" he sank into insensibility, expiring a few minutes later.

# Catch On!

We pins for every order have Of workmanship the best; Drop in my friend and purchase one; We'll "pin" it on your vest.

We never mix ourselves at all In anyone's affairs, But simply say without a boast We're something on "repairs.

Then read this rhyme for in it we Much information "cache;" Then when in town call in and see Yours truly—C. F. Hoffman.

## PERSONALS.

Geo. Mellinger was at the county seat

Friday R. D. Muir was at Brockwayville on

Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Copping visited friends in DuBois Monday.

H. S. Belnap and wife drove to Luthersburg yesterday. Mrs. W. K. Marshall spent Sunday

with friends in DuBois. D. C. Gillespie, of Big Run, was in

Reynoldsville last Friday. Mrs. Harry Mentzer went to Bradford

Friday to visit her parents. Mrs. David Lane visited friends at laledonia during the past week.

James McGhee, of Sandy Valley, went o Pittsburg on business Monday.

Mrs. Max Hofheimer, of Pulladelphia,

risited Mrs. N. Hannu this week.

Ninian Cooper, ex-tax collector of the sorough, visited DuBois Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Reynolds and Mrs. Geo. Mellinger were in DuBois yesterday. Mrs. J. C. King is visiting her father,

Ionothan Coleman, at Oak Ridge, Pa. Miss Lizzie McGinnis returned Monlay from a six weeks' visit at Horatio.

Mrs. Retta Condron, of Smicksburg, Pa., visited R. D. Beer's family last week.

Mrs. T. R. Holt, of Stanton, Pa., visited Wesley Motter's family last week.

Mrs. L. M. Scott spent Sunday with Walter Scott's family at Portland, Elk county.

Miss Adda McKee, of Corsica, visited her brother, R. E. McKee, in this place last week. Will Palen, of Philadelphia, spent

Friday night with G. Walter Palen at this place. Miss Inez Boyles, of DuBois, visited

her cousin, Miss Eleanor Reed, during the past week. Jim Schwem went to Pittsburg on Wednesday of last week to attend Duff's

Business College. Martin Pollard and wife, of East Brady, Pa., visited E. R. Jennings' family last week.

James A. Cathers, a Winslow township farmer, went to Pittsburg on business Monday.

Mrs. John Dilly, of Big Soldier, went to Penfield Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. J. L. Schoffeld. Dr. R. M. Boyles, of DuBois, an erst

while business man of Reynoldsville, was in town Monday. Mrs. Geo. Zeitler, of Emerickville, visited her daughter, Mrs. C. N. Lewis,

Mrs. Hughey Forsythe, of Green Oak, Pa., formerly of Reynoldsville, is risiting friends in town.

during the past week.

L. S. McClelland, a clerk at the ompany store, spent Sunday with relatives near Maysville. Miss Minnie Smeltzer, "school marm"

of Mundorf, Pa., visited her mother at this place during the week. Mrs. John S. Smith, who is making her home at Buffalo, N. Y., for a short

time, was in town this week. Mrs. Geo. Armor and daughter,

Nellie, went to Pittsburg Tuesday morning for a few days' visit. Misses Maud and Blanch DeMott, of

DuBois, spent Sunday with R. D. Beer's family in West Reynoldsville. Mrs. James Abernathy went to Jamestown, N. Y., last Friday on a

months' visit with her parents. Ed. L. McConnell, a clerk at Hotel Pantall, Punxsutawney, was in Reyn-

oldsville several days last week. Mrs. J. D. Shearer, of Hopkins, left on Saturday for a three weeks' visit at

Miss Mary Davis, who has been attending school at Lewisburg, Pa., returned to Reynoldsville yesterday.

Jim Thompson, who has been in Dakota for a number of years, will come to Reynoldsville this week on a Will E. Reed and family were at

Philipsburg and other places in Clearfield county during the past week visiting relatives. Mrs David Reynolds went to Ansonville, Clearfield county, last Friday to

spend a week with her father. Rev. Samuel Miles. John R. Elder and family of Beectree, passed through this place on train No. 1

last Friday on their way home from a two weeks' visit in Indiana state. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. French went to Snow Shoe, Center county, last week. Mr. French intends visiting there a few days but his wife will remain all

winter. Miss Mamie Flynn, of Hubbard, O., who has been visiting her brother. John A. Flynn, of this place, for two months, returned to her home yesterday

morning. Miss Maggie Stoke, the accommodating young lady who has charge of the telephone station at this place, is visiting friends in Pittsburg and West Newton this week.

Georgo W. Childs, formerly of Pancoast, Pa., but who has been at Devils Lake, North Dakota, for over eight years, returned to Pancoast Saturday. Mr. Childs is pleased with Dakota and expects to go back in the spring.