

Travelers' Guide.

Passenger trains arrive at the Reynoldsville station as follows:

Table with columns for Eastward and Westward, listing train numbers and times.

REYNOLDSVILLE POST-OFFICE.

Mails arrive and leave the post-office as follows:

Table with columns for Arrive and Depart, listing mail times.

Arrives from Rathmel and Prescottville 11:20 a. m.

Arrives from Paris Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 2:30 p. m.

Departs for Prescottville, Rathmel, Paris 3:00 p. m.

Office hours 7:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

Money order office open from 7:00 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.

Register office open from 7:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

Legal holidays from 7:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

Office open Sunday from 9:00 a. m. to 10:00 a. m.

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LOCAL LAONICS.

This is the week of prayer.

Have you learned to write 1893?

Leap year of 1892 is a thing of the past.

The ice crop will be a good one this season.

Sleighting parties will be all the rage for awhile.

See our offer of a valuable present on editorial page.

Reduced prices in holiday slippers at Robinson's.

William Copping has been on the sick list for over a week.

The American Farmer free. Read the offer. Don't miss it.

How many times have you broken your New Year resolutions?

"An Irishman's Luck" was greeted with a poor house last evening.

A pleasant social was given by Miss Lucile Mitchell last Friday evening.

J. C. Burns, proprietor of the Burns House, has added a billiard room to his hotel.

Elisha Cox purchased the vacant lot next to H. M. Iseman's store on Main street.

A. T. Bing has been confined to the house for over a week on account of sickness.

The postoffice and Seeley, Alexander & Co.'s bank observed Monday as a legal holiday.

All the Reynoldsville merchants who advertised in the STAR had a large holiday trade.

This is the week of prayer and the Presbyterians, Baptists and Methodists are observing it.

L. J. McEntire returned from Philadelphia last Wednesday evening greatly improved in health.

The total amount of cash taken in at the Catholic fair at DuBois during the holidays was \$3,677.60.

Who has been selected as the most popular teacher in this vicinity to be voted for on the Pittsburg Times offer?

The treats have been given and Sunday schools have lost their charms for a number of Reynoldsville boys and girls.

The post-office department issued an order the first of the year reducing the fee for registering letters from ten to eight cents.

The Baptist and Methodist church bells do not ring for the services this week on account of the serious illness of Rev. Slattery.

Mrs. J. S. McCreight and Mrs. Anna Gibson gave a tea party last Friday evening. About forty gentlemen and ladies were present.

Two or three hares in Alex. Riston's display window during the holidays attracted as much attention as though they were on the heads of several editors we wot of.

The new Cumberland Presbyterian church at Eleonora, Pa., will be dedicated next Sunday. Rev. Frank W. Silveous, of Covington, Illinois, will preach the dedicatory sermon.

V. R. Pratt, who was elected superintendent of the Reynoldsville M. E. Sunday school for 1893, as stated in the last issue of the STAR, resigned and Solomon Shaffer was elected as superintendent.

A party of young people were invited to spend Saturday evening at the residence of Alex. Riston on Grant street. The party was given in honor of Miss Elnor Donaldson, who is a visitor at Mr. Riston's.

If you want letter heads, note heads, envelopes, cards, or anything in the printing line, call at THE STAR office and get prices before you get the work done. Good work and low prices at this office.

David Roll, who has been an obliging and pleasant porter at Hotel Belnap for over three years, resigned his position the first of January and will open a restaurant in the room now occupied by M. J. Coyle's "Racket store."

Rev. P. J. Slattery, pastor of the Reynoldsville M. E. church, is lying at his home in a very critical condition with pneumonia. Hopes of his recovery are not very bright.

Wm. M. Burge, the groceryman of West Reynoldsville, had a large holiday trade and he wishes through the columns of the STAR to thank the people for their liberal patronage.

The G. A. R. Post and Woman's Relief Corps installed their officers in the G. A. R. hall last evening. The ceremonies were public. The ladies furnished sandwiches and coffee for the occasion.

After the interior of Centennial has received a generous supply of alabaster, which will be done this week, then Centennial hall of to-day will be a vast improvement over the Centennial hall of several months ago.

Last Monday evening was the time for the regular monthly meeting of the Town Council, but as there was no important business to transact and the Burgess had other business to attend to that evening, the "Dads" postponed their meeting until the first Monday in February.

Mrs. S. T. Dougherty and Mrs. W. C. Elliott have been at Brookville the past week watching at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. B. T. Hastings, whose death is expected at any minute, and perhaps she will have passed beyond the River of Death before the STAR reaches its readers.

Fred. A. Alexander, assistant cashier in the Seeley, Alexander & Co. bank at this place, for the accommodation of the bank depositors, sent for twenty-five World's Fair souvenirs and sold them for one dollar apiece, just what he paid for them, not including the express. Fred could have disposed of many more.

Prof. Will J. Weaver, the ingenious painter, poet, pedagogue and clever newspaper writer, is now a student in Dr. J. B. Neale's office and he devotes the hours after school is dismissed in studying the rudiments to become an experimentalist in physics and is filling his vocabulary with medical "jargon."

There will be a meeting in the K. of P. hall at Rathmel to-morrow, Thursday, evening to see if the people of that town are interested enough in the proposed Reynoldsville and Rathmel electric railway to invest money in it. The gentlemen who go up from this town hope Rathmel will be well represented at the meeting.

The following young people from the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor attended the Convention at DuBois last Friday and Saturday: Misses Sue and Roberta Ayers, Misses Bella and Ella Gordon, Miss Mary Cooper, Miss Irene Hays, Vincent and Harry Reynolds. The Baptist Endeavor was represented by two, Ernest and Miss Blanche Davis.

James M. Lord, a young man of Reynoldsville who thinks an education is one of the necessary requirements to successfully combat with life's snaky problems, went to the Central State Normal School at Lock Haven Tuesday morning where he expects to remain until he has mastered all the branches taught there and is turned loose as a "graduate."

The teachers and senior scholars of the Baptist Sunday school, after the morning session Dec. 25th, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Supt., W. S. Stone; Asst. Supt., W. F. Marshall; Sec., A. W. Pontz; Asst. Sec., E. L. Evans; Treas., G. A. Milliren; Librarian, Miss Ida Miles; Asst. Lib., Miss Blanche Whitmore; Organist, Miss Etta Henninger.

A meeting was called the first of last week for the purpose of forming a People's Party organization in Reynoldsville. The meeting was well attended and arrangements were made to organize last evening. About one hundred men of this town are willing to subscribe to the doctrines of the People's Party. The party is strong at Beechtree, Adrian and other coal towns in this section and it is now getting a good foothold in Reynoldsville.

Ed. Burns, the liveryman, took a sled load of ladies to DuBois one evening last week to attend the Catholic fair and when coming down the Cool Spring Hollow hill on their return home one of the runners of the front "bobs" dropped into a gully in the road which had been filled up with snow and the sled, with its precious freight, upset and Mrs. Pat. Flynn got her head out. Otherwise there was no damage done only the unpleasantness of coming in contact with the snow and ice so unexpectedly.

Some weeks ago the DuBois Courier said that M. W. Wise, cashier of the DuBois bank, had sent in an order for fifteen hundred World's Fair souvenirs half dollars. Last Saturday the Courier said Mr. Wise received fifty of the above mentioned souvenirs, but had not enough for all. The Saturday edition also said that Mr. Wise sent in his order two months ago, but did not anticipate much of a demand for them or he could have secured more at that time. Fifty is quite a come down from fifteen hundred. Will figures 112? or was the first statement made before the paper had fully recovered from the presidential campaign?

Bone Taken Out.

Felix C. Biegleman, who had his arm injured on the A. V. Ry. Nov. 11th, had to have four inches of the small bone of the left fore-arm taken out last Wednesday afternoon. Dr. J. B. Neale, of Reynoldsville, and Dr. J. K. Brown, of Summerville, railroad physicians, performed the operation.

Shot in the Nose.

"Bob," young son of Luther DeHaven, and several other boys were playing "shooting deer" last Thursday morning and Bobby got a BB shot in his nose just below the left eye. An air gun was used to shoot the imagined deer. The young hunters met Dr. King on the street and they asked him to take the shot out of the "deer's" nose, but the doctor could find nothing there but the hole.

A Feast.

The members of the O. U. A. M., of Sandy Valley, with their wives, sisters and "sweet-hearts" feasted in the town hall at that place on Christmas eve. The "spread" was an elaborate one and was gotten up so as to please the most fastidious epicurean in the hamlet two miles north of Reynoldsville. The ladies of Sandy Valley understand the "knack" of making palatable eatables. It was a success pleasurable and eatably speaking.

Christmas Treats.

It has become almost an unchangeable custom for the Sunday schools of Reynoldsville not to let Christmas time pass by without going to considerable trouble to prepare a program and also furnish a generous supply of candies, nuts, oranges, apples and popcorn for the boys and girls, faithful and unfaithful, who have their names on the Sunday school records at least one or two Sundays before Christmas. The Christmas of 1892 was no exception to the rule and the various schools prepared lavishly for the occasion. The treat cost some schools almost fifty dollars.

S. S. Convention.

The Washington Township Sunday School Association will hold a convention at Sandy Valley on Saturday, Jan. 28th. There will be three sessions, 10:00 A. M., 2:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. The topics for discussion will be as follows: "Soul Saving the true aim of our work," "Proper use of special days," "Importance of the scholars regular attendance and how to secure it," "The duty of the church members to the Sunday school," "How to make the most of sixty minutes." The Coal Glen orchestra will have charge of the music and the "Finest of the Wheat," an excellent collection of Sunday school music, will be used.

Season Tickets.

The Reynoldsville Lecture Association will now sell season tickets for the three lectures, Jan. 26th, Feb. 22nd and March 22nd, for \$1.25. If you appreciate a good thing, don't let these lectures pass by without going to hear them. The Lecture Association should have the support of all the people of Reynoldsville who are interested in inculcating into the minds of the young people of this town a desire for something more elevating than a minstrel show. It is expected that all those who promised will take season tickets, as it was considered a guarantee and if there is not enough money taken in to meet the expense of the course, they will be called upon to pay in their money, therefore, they might as well enjoy the lectures.

An Upset.

A number of young ladies hired a sled Monday evening and packed into it for a pleasure trip to DuBois. Four young men decided to visit the same town and they hired a two-seated sleigh. The ladies started first and the two-seated "turnout" caught up to them at Rathmel and, of course, was going to drive past the fair maidens and go to DuBois at a "two forty" rate. The attempt was made, but when the young men gathered themselves out of the fence corner the young ladies were going merrily along on their way to DuBois. When the sleigh was turned over on the runners again it only had one seat—the bottom of the sleigh box. The young men got in again and proceeded on their way, but not with as much comfort as before the attempted "show-off."

Twelve Million.

Pat McDonald and James Degnan, of Reynoldsville, who have been in the lumber business for a number of years, had more logs in this season before Christmas than in any former year. They have a contract for putting in twelve million feet for Hon. A. C. Hopkins. Seven million will be put in at Falls Creek, over five million of this is already in. They have twenty-one thousand pieces to put into the Sandy Lick creek at this place. Twenty-two teams, mostly farmers' teams, have been hauling logs down Fourth and Fifth streets the past week, working from early morning until midnight. They averaged one hundred logs per day and a half to each team, thus twenty-two hundred logs daily were hauled from the woods to the creek last week. Twelve million feet is no small amount of logs to cut in the woods, haul to the creek, float to Hopkins big mill and rip into lumber in one year.

Major Dane at Centennial Hall.

The first lecture of the course for 1892-3, under the auspices of the Reynoldsville Lecture Association, was delivered by Major Henry C. Dane, of Boston, in Centennial hall last Thursday evening before a small but appreciative audience, and from the time Rev. Harvey Gramo Furby, in a brief but eloquent manner, introduced the Major until the close of the lecture he held the people with marked attention. His lecture, "Up the Rhine and over the Alps with a Knapsack," was instructive, contained thrilling incidents and was interspersed with mirth. The Major is a pleasant speaker and has wonderful descriptive ability. While he was describing some of the perilous places they encountered in climbing the Alps, and especially where the thirteen were tied together and the leader had to cut steps in the ice and thus move one step at a time over an ice-bound place where one misstep would have slid the whole party into eternity, he held the audience almost breathless. Some people reluctantly went to the lecture but were highly delighted with it and would not have missed hearing the Major tell of his trip "Up the Rhine and over the Alps with a Knapsack" for the price of a season ticket.

"The Merry Cobbler."

An immensely funny comedy, a highly clever star supported by an exceptionally strong company was the verdict rendered by the large audience assembled to witness the above performance last evening. Mr. Cumpson is unquestionably a finished German dialect comedian, irresistibly humorous without any apparent effort. The possessor of a voice of rare sweetness and flexibility, his make up is good and his acting natural and graceful he reminds one much of Ellis. The play is excellent and deals with every phase of human life, high, low, comic and conscious. All in all "The Merry Cobbler," is a splendid production, finely staged and elegantly dressed. The specialties are novel and what is more they are new. A large house awaits Mr. Cumpson's return to Hanover, come as often as he may.—Hanover Daily Record. At Reynolds Opera House, Thursday, Jan. 12th.

Looked for a Model.

David Wheeler, president of the Reynoldsville school board, George Mollinger, John W. Pink, Jos. M. Cathers, school directors, and Prof. W. H. Steamy, principal of the borough schools, were out on a tour of inspection last week. They left here Tuesday morning and visited the following places and looked at the school houses with a view of getting a good idea of what to build at Reynoldsville this year: DuBois, Punxsutawney, Bellwood, Altoona, Johnstown, Pittsburg and vicinity. For the amount of money invested the Wilmerdean, near Pittsburg, is the best building the party visited. The gentlemen returned Friday evening with a better knowledge of schools and school houses than they had when they left home.

Hollow Mockery.

Sunday was a good day for people who had resolved to be more faithful in attending church during 1893 and were looking for an excuse to stay at home. We will say just here that it is hollow mockery for men and women who are blessed with health and strength—not including Sunday sick, which is so prevalent all over the land—to profess to be loyal to the church of their choice who allow a little rain or snow to keep them from their place of worship on Sunday. Such people are seldom housed an hour during the week if they have any place to go and want to go. People who are afraid of inclement weather are the very ones you cannot put much dependence on to do work in the church or Sunday school. The weather is a good tester of religion.

Well Smoked.

The thermometer indicated anything but warm weather last Saturday and yet on the forenoon of that day people who chanced to pass Esq. McGaw's office between ten and eleven o'clock would think the half dozen gentlemen "holding down" chairs in the office thought it was mid-summer. The front and back doors were open and all the windows raised and the Squire was sitting on a chair on top of the safe. McGaw is not a lover of tobacco smoke and the gentlemen who were "roasting their shins" around the stove were also making the room blue with tobacco smoke, hence the attempt on "Squire's" part to "freeze them out," but they would not freeze.

A Surprise.

Thursday, December 27th, 1892, marked the sixtieth anniversary of Mrs. Walter Spry's birth and the occasion was not passed by unnoticed by her friends. Walter Spry has a store in the East End of town and when he is called away on other business his wife runs the store. On the day above mentioned she had been in the store all forenoon and when she went home for dinner to her great surprise a number of friends and relatives had taken possession of the house and had an excellent dinner ready for her. Mrs. Spry received several presents among which was a handsome chair.

Carol Singers.

Just after the Methodist church bell had rung out the old year and greeted the new one we were lying in bed meditating upon the old friend that had passed into the annals of time and wondering what the new, untried one had in store for us, when the quietness of the infant year was dispelled by music that was so charming that for a moment we almost wondered if we had been transported beyond the realm of time, but we failed to see the "Pearly gates," "streets of gold," "sea of glass," or the "trees that drop their leaves for the hoaling of the nations," and were compelled to acknowledge the sad fact we were still living in the frigid zone of time. How foolish we were to hope for a moment of seeing the beauties of eternity, for who ever heard of an editor, who minds other people's business and makes mistakes—because he has been misinformed—ever being recognized by St. Peter. It is absurd, at least so reckon some people whose toes have been tread upon by newspapers. We soon discovered that the sweet music that was floating away on the chilly breeze was the production of some English carol singers who were following the example of the angels who sang on the Judean plain almost nineteen hundred years ago. The editor of the STAR was among the favored ones New Year's morn and we were truly thankful and appreciated the music. We retired to rest and had just overcome the chill from the first carol singers when again we were called out by a party of young people who had been attending a part hardly and our teeth rattled while they sweetly sang "Nearer my God to Thee."

Death from Cancer.

Michael Brennan, who has been known as "Old Mike" for many years, died about four o'clock on Thursday morning, Dec. 29th. Mike has had charge of the supply house of the A. V. Ry. at Reynoldsville for a dozen or more years. When the immense tunnel on the Low Grade, known as Summit tunnel, was being made a rock fell down on Mike's head and for a time his life was despaired of, but he was nursed back to health and a silver plate was put in on the top of his head to cover the hole made by the rock. After that Mike could not go out in the sun and do a day's work, therefore he was given the position as "storekeeper" for the road. He was a single man and for many years lived alone. Several years ago his sister, Mrs. Conway, and her husband came to Reynoldsville and Mike made his home with them. Although his wages were not very large he made and saved money and bought some property in West Reynoldsville. Last spring cancer made its appearance on his lip. He went to Pittsburg during the summer and had the cancer removed from his lip but soon after it made its appearance on his left jaw and when released from his suffering by death almost the entire left side of his face was eaten away. He suffered intensely. His funeral services were held at the Catholic church Saturday morning and his remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery. A kind hearted Irishman has gone the way of all humanity. Mike always greeted the railroad boys with "Ah, my lad," or "My harty," and therefore he was well liked and will be missed by them.

Resolutions of Confidence Lodge.

RATHMEL, PA., Jan. 2, 1893. At a regular meeting of Confidence Lodge, No. 344, K. of P. held Jan. 2nd, 1893, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted: WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in his wisdom to remove from our midst our brother's wife, Mrs. Owen Fenner, therefore be it Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to the will of our Heavenly Father, we extend our heartfelt sympathy to our brother in this his hour of sore bereavement. Resolved, That the charter of the Lodge shall be draped in mourning for thirty days, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Lodge and a copy be sent to the bereaved brother and be published in the Reynoldsville STAR.

At Philadelphia.

Mrs. Wm. M. Foster, who has had poor health for a number of years, and whose condition has been critical for a few months, was taken to the Jefferson Medical Hospital at Philadelphia last Thursday evening by Dr. S. Reynolds to have an operation performed. After arriving there the doctors pronounced it a serious case and said the only hopes of saving her life was to apply the surgical knife and even then her chances are not very hopeful. As the operation was to have been performed yesterday afternoon, Mr. Foster will likely be wired the result this forenoon.

Protect Game.

There will be a meeting of parties interested in the protection of game at Riston's cigar store on Friday evening, Jan. 6th, for the purpose of forming an organization to enforce the game laws in our vicinity. All interested are requested to be present.

Killed on the Railroad.

Harry Brosius, a young man of East Brady who was flagman on one of the local freights that run between DuBois and East Brady, was killed at Lawsonham Tuesday morning of this week.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. U. G. Schenck visited her parents at Brookville last week.

Ed. Gooder and wife returned at noon yesterday from a few days' visit at Brookville.

James Foley, of East Brady, has been visiting friends in Reynoldsville during the past week.

Mrs. C. A. Stephenson returned last Saturday from a visit at Lock Haven and St. Marys.

James M. Marsh and family, of Sligo, were among the visitors to Reynoldsville this week.

Chas. Scott, a railroader of Ashtabula, Ohio, visited his parents here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ninian Cooper spent Christmas with their son, H. B. Cooper, at Brookwayville.

Jonathan Neff, of Plumville, Pa., visited his son, E. Neff, Esq., in Reynoldsville last week.

Prof. W. H. Steamy, principal of the Reynoldsville public schools, is in Chambersburg, Pa., this week.

Jim Mitchell, who has been at Richmond, Ky., since the middle of Sept., is now at home on a visit.

Miss Ethel Honey and Miss Ida Ernest, of Punxsutawney, visited Reynoldsville friends this week.

Miss Jennie Woodward, of New Bethlehem, spent Sunday with her brother, A. M. Woodward.

Ralph E. Scott, of Portland, Elk county, was numbered among the visitors in Reynoldsville last week.

Mrs. Jennie Hildinger, of McKeesport, Pa., is visiting Mrs. J. K. and Mrs. D. C. Johnston at this place.

William J. Heckman, who has been in Fayette county, Pa., for nine months, is in Reynoldsville for a short visit.

Miss Bertha Hanson, formerly a milliner of Reynoldsville, now of Centreville, Pa., visited Noah Strouse's family last week.

Frank M. Flynn, who is attending the St. Bonas College at Allegany, N. Y., spent the holidays with his parents at this place.

Mrs. Dr. S. Reynolds went to Connellsville last Saturday for a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Hyatt, at that place.

Miss Lyda Phalen and Miss Gertrude Farrell, who are attending St. Elizabeth college at Allegany, N. Y., are at home on a vacation.

Miss Zoe Woodward left Monday evening for a short visit with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Woodward, at New Bethlehem.

Miss Minnie Smeltzer, teacher of the Mundorf, Pa., school this winter, visited her mother, Mrs. Kate Smeltzer, during the past week.

Chas. Davis, son of M. M. Davis, Esq., who is now attending the Lehigh University at Bethlehem, spent his vacation at Reynoldsville.

John Stoops, of Pittsburg, was the guest of L. J. Ewing last Friday. Mr. Stoops peddled meat through this section about thirteen years ago.

Miss Ella M. Wiley, of Brookville, spent Sunday in Reynoldsville. Miss Wiley was formerly one of the successful school teachers of this borough.

Mrs. George Rhoads and son, Grant M. Rhoads, went to Roanoke, Virginia, last Wednesday and expect to stay there until about the first of April.

Ed. P. Wendle, a first class machinist of Ridgway, and D. S. Driscoll, of the same town, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wendle at this place last week.

John W. Phillippi, the live and energetic agent for the Lindsey Mowing Machine Co., started Monday to drive over the hills and valleys to Erie, Pa.

M. C. Coleman, the business manager of King & Co.'s grocery and drug stores combined, found time to spend last Sunday with his parents at Oak Ridge.

Wood Reynolds, who is working for a grocery firm in Pittsburg, spent several days of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Reynolds, at this place.

Prof. H. W. Slack, at one time a pedagogue in Reynoldsville, now a student at the West Penn Medical College at Pittsburg, was in Reynoldsville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stevenson, who have already squandered two weeks of their honeymoon, went to New York on Tuesday night of last week to settle down to the realities of life as they find them in a large city.

Daniel Brewer, of Perry township, this county, who is an aspirant for County Commissioner, visited his son, E. S. Brewer, in West Reynoldsville during the past ten days. He was also sowing some political seed from which he expects to reap a harvest later on.

Byron L. Brand, several years ago teacher of room No. 1 in the borough schools, now of South Amboy, New Jersey, visited friends in this place during the past week. Mr. Brand has a position as postal clerk on the Amboy Div. of P. R. R. His wages foot up to about \$1,000 a year.

Mike Tresch, about thirteen years ago a machinist in Reynoldsville, now foreman of McEwen Manufacturing Co. of Ridgway, was in Reynoldsville last week to see what the prospects would be for the Ridgway Company putting in an engine for the electric railway, if it is a go. Mike is a good machinist.