

Travelers' Guide.

Passenger trains arrive at the Reynoldsville station as follows:
Eastward. Westward.
Train 9. - 8:47 a. m. Train 6. - 7:40 a. m.
Train 1. - 1:09 p. m. Train 2. - 1:42 p. m.
Train 3. - 5:58 p. m. Train 10. - 8:48 p. m.

REYNOLDSVILLE POST-OFFICE.
Mails arrive and leave the post-office as follows:
Arrive. Depart.
FROM THE WEST. FOR THE EAST.
1:15 p. m. - 7:00 p. m. (12:30 p. m. - 8:20 p. m.
FROM THE EAST. FOR THE WEST.
8:00 a. m. - 2:00 p. m. 7:15 a. m. - 1:15 p. m.

Arrives from Rathmel and Prescotville 11:40 a. m.
Arrives from Painsie Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 1:30 p. m.
Departs for Prescotville, Rathmel, Painsie 7:00 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 to 8:00 a. m. and from 12:00 to 3:00 p. m. J. W. Foster, P. M.

LOCAL LAONICS.

Babies' red shoes 60c. at Robinson's.
Late trains have become an every day occurrence.
The shooting gallery was moved to Brookville Monday.
Buy your gun boots at Robinson's. All sizes from 6 to 12.
The borough election will be held on Tuesday, February 21st.
"Things which make me smile" at Centennial Hall Jan. 26th.
We have had good weather the past week to produce snuffles.
Dugnan & McDonald finished their log job at this place last Saturday.
Lumbermen have no reason to complain this winter for want of snow.
See the new Philadelphia toe in ladies' and children's shoes at Robinson's.
Steam heat in passenger coaches double discount a stove in each end of the car.
At ten o'clock last night the thermometer registered seventeen degrees below zero.
The Presbyterian and Baptist churches are holding meetings every evening this week.
Rev. Minchin filled the M. E. pulpit last Sunday morning and Rev. McEntire preached in the evening.
A sled load of Reynoldsville people attended an oyster supper at Emerickville last Saturday evening.
J. G. Donhiser, the butcher, has had a very sore wrist the past week which he cut with a sharp hatchet.
A year's subscription to the STAR, paid in advance, entitles you to the American Farmer free one year.
"Things that make me smile"—coming Jan. 26th. Things that give me comfort—the easy shoes I bought at Reed's.
A little eight months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Ford died on Monday and was buried yesterday afternoon.
Father Brady married Antoni Stancak and Franciszka Witkowski both of this place, in the Catholic church yesterday morning.
Don't miss the opportunity we are now offering. We will give the American Farmer free. See our offer on another page of this issue.
There will be an oyster supper in the Grange hall at Paradise on Friday evening, Jan. 27th, for the benefit of the M. E. church at that place.
The evidence is strong to confirm the statement that germs of typhoid fever lurk in the well near Sam'l T. Reynolds' house on Main street.
Willis Barry had one of his little fingers badly lacerated on a roller machine at the tannery Saturday forenoon. Amputation was not necessary.
Wm. H. Bell, the kind hearted manager of Bell Bros. clothing store at this place, gave August Anderson, the one-legged newsboy, a new pair of crutches last Friday.
A pugilistic encounter occurred on Main street one night last week in which one man "knocked out" five or six fellows in short order and without much trouble.
Mrs. Sam'l Henderson, of Brookville, a lady who attended several tea parties in Reynoldsville recently, died at her home on Sunday, after an illness of three days, with pneumonia.
There will be a congregational meeting held in the Presbyterian church this Wednesday evening, to elect an Elder, and on Sunday evening the Elder will be ordained and installed.
The snow lyeth undisturbed on many sidewalks in Reynoldsville just where it fell from the storm-cloud, notwithstanding the fact there is an ordinance requiring that it be removed.
Henry A. Reed, the shoe man, has started out to do business in the modern way. He intends selling his shoes at a smaller margin and by so doing enlarge his sales which will be a gain to every body who deals at his place.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mousquetaire glove cleaner, for sale only by J. B. Arnold, the leading house in town, for dressed and undressed kid gloves in all the most desirable shades.
Ora J. Gould, the humorist, who will lecture in Centennial on Thursday evening of next week, makes a request that the room be well lighted, well heated and well filled with people who are willing to smile.
Almost one hundred licenses petitions have been filed in Elk county for the Court to grant or refuse on the 23rd of this month. Elk county must have a good crop of people who lovethe intoxicating bowl.
The Free Press of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, says of Ora J. Gould who will lecture here on the 26th inst: "He is an able man and a great orator. His lecture, 'Things that make me smile,' was the finest we ever heard." Seats on sale at Reed's shoe store.
"The Merry Cobbler" was greeted at the Reynolds opera house last Thursday evening with a crowded house. It is said to have been one of the best shows that has been in Reynoldsville for many a day. They advertise, give a good show and get a crowd.
To preserve a youthful appearance as long as possible, it is indispensable that the hair should retain its natural color and fullness. There is no preparation so effective as Ayer's Hair Vigor. It prevents baldness, and keeps the scalp clean, cool and healthy.
A sleighing party of boys and girls drove over from Punxsutawney last night and took supper at Hotel McConnell. They were four hours and fifteen minutes driving to Reynoldsville. We have not yet learned how many of them froze to death on their way home.
The tunnel which the Bell, Lewis & Yates C. M. Co. have been working at between Big Soldier mine and Sykesville was completed yesterday. It is almost ten thousand feet long. This will give the company a good drainage for their large coal works at that place and they can do away with the pumps.
Until recently after the tan bark had exhausted its strength in the leach house at the large tannery in this place, it was removed to the engine house where it was used as fuel to keep up steam in the boilers. Slack is now used for keeping up steam and it requires about five ton of slack daily during this cold weather.
The interior of Centennial Hall has been a gloomy, dirty looking place for a number of years, but with its new platform, raised seats, alabastine walls and ceiling, new paint, and a generous application of "elbow grease" and soap and water, it has been changed to a very neat and comfortable hall. The Main street entrance has also made a decided improvement on the building. "Kill two birds with one stone" by attending the lecture on the 26th inst.
It is expected that a new road law will be presented to the Legislature of Pennsylvania for adoption this coming winter and an effort is being made to get all the residents of this state who are interested, and all should be, to sign two petitions, one copy to be sent to our member of the Legislature and the other to the State Senator for presentation. M. C. Coleman has been taking an interest in it at Reynoldsville. Why not call a public meeting to expedite the matter.
Goldie May Brown, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Brown, of Prescotville, died early Sunday morning. The parents, and a little white coffin with the remains of their darling baby, left here on the noon train Monday for Chhattans, near Lock Haven, where the interment took place. Mr. Brown and wife have had deep waters to pass through during the past three or four months. Mr. Brown is just recovering from a serious illness which almost resulted in ending his earthly career.
Fortunately for Esq. E. T. McGaw the borough ordinance compelling people to keep the snow shoveled off their sidewalks has not been enforced and he has had good "sledging" for his right foot, which he has not been able to walk on for over a week and he slides it over the sidewalk. When the weather commenced to assume a wintery chilliness the Squire decided to allow a select few to loaf in his office, provided they carry in all the coal. The first of last week McGaw, for the second time during the winter, went after a bucket of coal and stepped on a nail which penetrated his right foot and gave him considerable trouble. He is now able to get around as above stated.
Last Friday evening about 9:30 two fellows passed H. A. Reed's shoe store and one of the twain took a pair of shoes that was hanging outside, slipped them under his overcoat and proceeded unconcernedly on his way. Mr. Reed started after them and caught the thief and his "pard" just as they turned the corner at Arnolds' Block to go down Fifth street. The thief denied, with a curse attached, of having the shoes and Henry jerked the man's coat open and saw the shoes, but in the twinkling of an eye the young merchant landed against the brick building and the second fellows vamoosed down Fifth street. Henry found consolation in the fact that the shoes were too small for the man who stole them.

Union Services.
Rev. H. G. Furbay, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday morning and there will be no services in the Presbyterian church in the morning, and in the evening he will occupy his own pulpit and there will be no services in the M. E. church.
A Young Showman.
Willie Foust and several other boys came to the STAR office yesterday afternoon to get prices on one hundred sixteenth bills for a magic lantern show, which, we were informed, would be given in Foust's opera house, but he declined to give the date. One of his companions said they proposed to show next Saturday. The manager objected to the price asked for the work with as much business like air as do the advance agents for some of the shows that visit Reynoldsville and said: "Come off the roost! What will you print them for?"
"Throw Water on it"
A young man who holds the position as ticket and freight agent and telegraph operator at a station along the A. V. R'y about thirty-five miles from Reynoldsville, discovered that the office was on fire one day last week and in the excitement of the moment he sent the following message to A. B. Weed, the day train dispatcher at this place: "The office is on fire, what shall I do?" Mr. Weed in answer said, "Throw water on it." The young man accepted the advice of the Chief operator and the office remained standing and was not as badly damaged as the operator was frightened.
A Snail Town.
People who are looking for a town of 8,000 or 10,000 inhabitants where they will not be disturbed by the roar of manufacturing wheels or the hum of thrift and industry, we assure them that Lock Haven is just the place. By the way, though, the town is just what the capitalists make it. Two live daily papers, the State Normal school, the court house and a few live business men keep the town from falling into a lethargy that would end only when the present generation had all been planted four feet under the sod and daisies bloomed on the little mounds. Lock Haven has its advantages and could become quite a live town, but the old "stagers" throw obstacles in the way, fearing they will be crushed under the tidal wave of prosperity.
Forgot to Liquidate.
In the early part of last December two installment plan agents came to Reynoldsville to sell clocks and various other articles which they had in stock. They were not willing to pay the price asked for going from house to house to sell goods in Reynoldsville and consequently devoted their time selling to the denizens of the surrounding community. The gentlemen left town over a week ago and also left several unpaid bills, among which was a board bill to the amount of \$17.75 and a little twelve dollar account at one of the livery stables. The men made a trip to Big Run the day before they left Reynoldsville and when they returned in the evening they engaged the rig for the next day, but they left town on the 6:47 train the following morning and forgot to leave their address. An attempt will be made to find them.
Attend or Keep Quiet.
The borough election day cometh on apace and under the new law it will be necessary to have the nominations filed with the auditors ten days before election. This borough has twenty-one officers to elect as follows: Burgess; one Justice of the Peace; five councilmen; four school directors; two auditors; two constables; two overseers poor; one tax collector; one judge of election; one inspector of election. The best men in Reynoldsville are the ones to put into office at the coming election. When the meetings are held to make the nominations each party should be well represented. Heretofore a number of citizens have been too busy, some too careless and a few too lazy to attend the caucus, and then they howl about the ticket. Citizens should either attend the caucus and help make the nominations or quietly abide by what had been done.
He Was Wanted at Buffalo.
The Chief of Police of Buffalo, N. Y., got a requisition paper from Gov. Fowler, of New York state, came to Pennsylvania and got Gov. Pattison's signature attached thereto and then found his way to Punxsutawney last Thursday and early Friday morning paid the constable of that borough five dollars for giving J. Adelson a pressing invitation to be at the B. & P. R'y station in time to leave on the mail train for Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Adelson was reluctant about it, but as there was no alternative he accompanied the Chief of Police to Buffalo where he was wanted to answer to a charge that was not in accord with New York laws. Adelson is father-in-law of J. Kauffman, the man who opened the auction store here several weeks ago and was closed by the sheriff at the request of Sykes, Allis & Moorhouse. Adelson was also arrested by the wolfish mill firm of this place and the charges against them are conspiracy with intent to defraud.

A Peep at Driftwood.
Notwithstanding the fact that Driftwood is a small town hemmed in by lofty mountains, yet there is considerable business life there. The town is situated at the confluence of two streams and is a convenient place for those who lovethe to climb mountains and chase game or who delighteth to sit along the banks while the finy inhabitants of the streams innocently nibble at the bait on the dangerous hook. Among the hotels to be found in that town is the Curtin House, of which P. F. Clume is proprietor. This is a large brick hotel with fifty-five rooms, a number of which are nicely furnished and each have a stove in. A large dining room is one of the conveniences of the house. A restaurant is also run in connection with the hotel. J. T. Earl, editor of the Gazette, is an enterprising young man who not only furnishes the people of Driftwood and vicinity with news, but also dispenses law to them, he being the honorable Justice of the Peace of that town. There are but few business houses in Driftwood, yet they have learned the secret of success, they use printers' ink. Bro. Earl gets about three hundred and fifty dollars from one firm alone, and all the others are generous advertisers. They do not advertise merely to keep the paper in existence, but plant their advertisements to get a harvest, and they find, as do all other advertisers, that it brings in large returns.
Some One Hoodwinked.
The DuBois Courier of Monday morning contained an article clipped from the Pittsburg Dispatch, without a date, which it is presumed was published in the Pittsburg daily last week, concerning the Hamilton Coal company. The article gave the names of five gentlemen who stopped at the Monongahela House who were a committee empowered to represent the above named company. A part of the article was as follows:
"Recently the company sold out to Bell, Lewis & Yates, of Buffalo, the largest coal mining concern in the country, for \$138,000. The gentlemen composing the above committee will leave for Brookville, the seat of Jefferson county, to-day, to sign the transfer papers. The Hamilton corporation in name will be continued, but will be owned entirely by the Buffalo people."
The Hamilton company sold out to the Bell, Lewis & Yates C. M. Co. almost three years ago for \$68,700 and have received their money for the same. The gentlemen composing the above mentioned committee had business at Brookville last week to attend a suit that is pending in the Jefferson county courts for almost four thousand dollars. The Hamilton Coal company is only known here as a thing of the past.
Salaries of School Teachers.
[Punxsutawney Spirit.]
As shown by the statistics from the Department of Public Instruction, the average monthly pay of male teachers in this State, in counties outside of Philadelphia, is highest in Allegheny county—\$64.64 per month. Delaware and Lackawanna pay the next highest. These counties and Warren, Elk, Schuylkill, McKean, Luzern and Cameron pay over fifty a month to male teachers. Perry, Pike, Snyder and Fulton pay under \$30. In 35 counties salaries ranging between \$30 and \$40 a month are paid. Delaware county pays its female school teachers the highest rates—\$14.10 on the average. Allegheny, \$12.42, and Lancaster \$10.41, are the next in order. Wyoming has the lowest record \$19.45 per month. Jefferson, Columbia, Clarion, Huntingdon, Montour, Venango, Erie, Juniata, Mercer, Somerset, Tioga, Wayne, Adams, Bedford, Sullivan, Perry, Monroe, Pike, Crawford, Potter, Snyder, Bradford, Susquehanna and Fulton pay female teachers less than \$30 a month.
Thought his Time had Come.
One of the night drivers at the Big Soldier Run mines was sitting in the engine house at the mines yesterday morning when the packing blew out of the large air compressor and the driver thought his time had come to "shufflle off this mundane sphere," and the poor fellow wanted to see some of his friends before St. Peter got hold of him, and instead of making his exit through the door, which was nearby, he jumped through the window. There was no cause for alarm save the terrific noise at five o'clock in the morning, which, after being up all night, was too much for the driver's nerves. A man who drives a mule all night, no doubt, is not ready to answer Gabriel's call so early in the morning.
Fell on an Ax.
[Falls Creek Herald.]
The little three-year-old child of Andrew Hays, of Painesville, fell on an ax in the house Wednesday of this week and cut a great gash in one of its legs. The little sufferer was brought to this place and taken to the office of Drs. Henry & Booher, which gentlemen put the child under the influence of drugs and sewed up the wound. The gash was a large one severing the leg nearly off and requiring seven stitches to sew it up. The child fell with its father feeling better with every evidence of improving rapidly.
The greatest attraction a young lady can possess is a shapely foot, encased in one of our \$2.25 shoes.
REED'S SHOE STORE.

Why Trains are Often Late.
Nearly all the passenger trains on the A. V. R'y run behind time last week, partly on account of being held at Driftwood, Falls Creek and Red Bank to make connections with other roads. Last Wednesday train No. 2, with Pat Horn as engineer and M. J. McEntire, conductor, left Driftwood forty-five minutes late, got to Falls Creek on time and waited there for the B. & P. train until they were forty minutes late, got to Red Bank and were ready to leave on time and on account of the main line train being behind time did not leave Red Bank until they were one hour and ten minutes late and got to Driftwood just twenty minutes too late to make connection with the P. & E. east bound train and four or five passengers, among whom was the scribe of this paper, concluded to remain at Driftwood all night. Sometimes people do considerable grumbling at railroad men because they are behind time, but the above is a sample of the difficulties one train had to contend with for the day mentioned, and such lay-outs are frequent occurrences. Low Grade train men do their best to run on time and not dump their passengers down some of the steep embankments along the road. Then be considerate for railroad men and in place of cursing them have charity for them. When waiting for a train people get out of patience, but when on a train that is late and trying to make connection with another train they don't care a piecayune how impatient the passengers get on the train that is waiting only so it waits until they get there. If you get weary waiting on a train imagine you were on the belated train and wanted to make connections, it may be restful to you.
He also Provides.
Daniel McIntyre, wife and four children, formerly of DuBois, are a charge on the borough of Reynoldsville. Reynoldsville says she does not own them and is trying to locate them at DuBois. In the meantime Overseer Goodyear is looking at her while she does it.—DuBois Express.
Yes, of course he is looking, and more than that, DuBois is paying for their support. The overseers of this borough wrote to the overseers of the poor at DuBois on the 7th instant in regard to the McIntyre family and as they had received no answer up to Friday evening, H. C. Kellar, one of our overseers, went to DuBois Saturday morning and found that the letter had not been lifted. The DuBois overseers "smelled a mouse" and did not lift the letter. It was directed to the overseers of the poor of DuBois and yet Mr. Goodyear said he thought it was intended for the overseers of Sandy township. Overseer Goodyear came down Saturday afternoon and made arrangements to have the family provided for. It behooves a borough the size of DuBois, that has forty-eight people whom the overseers have to keep, to see that they take no one who does not rightly belong there. A man must be in a town one year and pay ten dollars right before the overseers of the town are compelled to keep him. Mr. McIntyre lived at DuBois three years and moved to Reynoldsville five or six months ago.
Destructive Fire.
[Punxsutawney News.]
A destructive fire occurred at Anita this morning early. The Elk Run Supply company's store was, together with its contents, entirely destroyed. Other buildings adjacent to the store were also consumed. The store was a large frame structure and as the night was very cold and a strong wind blowing at the time nothing could be done to save the property. In fact the fire was not discovered until it had gained much headway, and R. C. Edleblute, a clerk who slept in the store, had a narrow escape with his life. He was compelled to jump from one of the upstairs windows and in his leap he broke one of his legs at the ankle. The store was under the management of N. G. Edleblute, of this place, and it was his son who was injured. At present writing we are without further particulars as to the cause of the fire or what the total loss would approximate, but it would reach in the neighborhood of at least \$30,000, covered by some insurance.
School Exposed.
The DuBois Express of Saturday in a column article, with a quarter of a column head over it, gave the school directors and teachers of that town a "send off" and placed their schools in a disgraceful position before the community. The Express accused the school directors of hiring incompetent daughters, cousins, and aunts as teachers. The Courier, with its wonderful amount of editorial brains, fixed the school question up nicely Monday morning and adding that "the really scandalous feature in the board has been the state of inebrity in which some men have attended meetings and attempted to do business for the taxpayers and the elevation of the standard of our schools." A portion of Clearfield county and several townships outside, which the DuBois dailies visit, will get to know the rottenness of DuBois schools if the two papers keep up the family jar. If you want a good history of a church, a political party, or any organization, just get two members fighting and you have the thing in a nut shell.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. Alex. Riston went to Pittsburg Monday on a short visit.
W. W. Barclay, of Big Run, was in Reynoldsville on Monday.
Mrs. Asa Scott went to Foxburg Friday afternoon on a visit.
Mrs. Millie Leaver, of Tyrone, is visiting relatives in Reynoldsville.
L. C. McGaw and wife, of Punxsutawney, were in Reynoldsville Sunday.
Reuben Hildebrand, of Falls Creek, was in Reynoldsville last Saturday.
Father M. J. Desmond, of Coalport, was in Reynoldsville the first of this week.
G. B. M. Postlethwait, of Valier, Pa., was in Reynoldsville a few days last week.
Miss Agie Riston went to Punxsutawney, yesterday afternoon on a visit.
John Thomas visited the home of his parents at Painsie, Pa., during the past week.
Mrs. Addison Weaver and daughter, Orpha, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Weed.
J. C. Swartz, one of our best young men, left Reynoldsville Monday afternoon for a two months' sojourn at Winter Haven, Florida.
A. M. Woodward, the druggist in the Alexander drug store, has been at New Bethlehem, Pittsburg and other places during the past week.
Miss Mildred Fuller, a teacher in the West Reynoldsville school, is on the sick list and, consequently, there is no school in her room this week.
Mrs. C. E. Ramsey, of Mahoningtown, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Daugherty, for several weeks, will return to her home this week.
Robert Ramsey, who has been in North Dakota for a number of years, dropped in upon his parents at this place very unexpectedly last Monday afternoon.
Miss Maude Smith, Miss Adda Wilson, J. W. Webster and Geo. B. Wilson, all of Punxsutawney, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Cant at this place last Sunday.
Sheriff Young drove from Brookville to Reynoldsville Monday morning and when he arrived here he looked as if the chilly breeze had been toying with his whiskers.
Rev. Jas. H. Jelbart, M. E. minister of the Emerickville charge, commenced a protracted meeting in the school house just below Hopkins mill last Monday evening.
Port Harries and Miss Eleanor Reed were elected by the M. E. Sunday school as delegates to attend the Washington township Sunday school convention to be held at Sandy Valley on Saturday, Jan. 28th.
Miss Mary McCallen, who has been at Jamestown, N. Y., for sometime, returned to Reynoldsville last Wednesday to take care of her two sisters, Mrs. J. F. Alexander and Miss Belle McCallen, who are both sick.
Joseph H. Nichols, who boarded at H. H. Mincer's, is just recovering from typhoid fever, and now H. H. Mincer, the night policeman, Junia Mincer and Dee Martin, a girl who worked at Mr. Mincer's, have the typhoid fever.
"Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious" by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This wonderful medicine so invigorates the system and enriches the blood that cold weather becomes positively enjoyable. Arctic explorers would do well to make a note of this.
H. T. Mentzer, who was employed as teacher of room No. 4 in the borough for the present term, resigned last week to accept a position at sixty dollars per month during every month of the year. Miss Ella Blair, of Sykesville, was hired last night to fill the place made vacant by Mr. Mentzer leaving.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Montgomery and children, of Sligo, Pa., came to Reynoldsville Saturday evening. Mr. Montgomery is an engineer on the Sligo Branch railway, but he has some coal interest in Virginia and he left here the first of the week to look after it. His wife and family will remain with her mother, Mrs. Wood Reynolds, during Charles' absence.
Shoe Talk.
You are always buying shoes. Shoe buying is a disagreeable business. It is expensive business as well. But what are you to do? You must have shoes. Now if all shoes were alike, it wouldn't matter where you bought your shoes. But they are not all alike, so you must put yourself in the hands of the dealer as to quality and value. Size, price and looks you can tell, that is all you can tell; time must tell the rest. So your confidence is not in the shoe, but in the dealer. We want your confidence. It will not be betrayed.
REED'S SHOE STORE.
For Sale.
House and lot in Ohiotown. Six rooms and kitchen, inside water closet, bath tub and marble top stationary wash stand. This property will be sold reasonable. Inquire at Racket store, F. K. Mullen, Agent.