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"They say," is responsible for a great many foul columns.

In Siam lunatics are buried alive; and in all China there is not one lunatic asylum.

Had luck comes to men who trust in luck," says some one. It also frequently comes to men who trust in men.

About the only way to make some people happy is to provide for them some sort of imaginary martyrdom.

No man can be a peace-maker who is not first a peace-keeper. You can't stop a fight by asking the other fellow to quit.

The poorest business in which a man can engage is to bear false witness against his neighbor. In the end the slanderer is the one to whom permanent harm comes.

Prof. Henry Drummond says there is no happiness in having or in getting, but only in giving, and half the world is on the wrong scent in the pursuit of happiness. They think it consists in having and getting, and in being served by others. It consists in giving and in serving others.

Profanity is an execrable vice. It is an offense against the laws of God and also those of our land, and yet it is a common thing to hear profane language upon our streets daily, yea, hourly. If the law was enforced many people who consider themselves real nice would have to come down with the cash for the privilege of clothing their expressions in profanity.

The attendance at the World's Fair is disappointingly small, only about 18,000 per day on an average since it opened. This has not paid more than one-fourth of the running expenses. No wonder the managers are getting alarmed at the outlook. The total cost of the Exposition up to May 1st is shown by the Treasurer's report to have been \$20,250,000, of which \$2,000,000 still remains unpaid.

There is uncommon power in the commonplace. Nothing is more commonplace than the infinite blue of the sky, yet one never tires of turning to its quiet and abiding majesty from the vain pomp and changing spectacles of men. Truth, virtue, faithfulness,—these are the sky of the soul, and all brilliant wickedness and all worldly wisdom pass away as vain shadows before the everlasting glory of these simple goodnesses.—Ex.

It is said that using money wisely is more of an art than getting money to use. It requires a larger measure of ability to spend money as it should be spent, than to accumulate it in the first place. Money is a dangerous thing to handle. It ruins many a man through tempting him to its overweening pursuit; and it ruins many another man through tempting him to squander it when gathered, or to depend on it unduly as a means of happiness or of usefulness. The art of spending money aright is commanding more attention than ever before in this country, where the art of accumulating money is already a familiar one.

A cheerful disposition is better than riches, or social position, or any of the rewards of ambition; better than all else save only the character which God loves. But while every one is ready to say yes to this somewhat commonplace proposition, their conduct does not as a rule conform to the affirmative. Not because there is any one who does not wish to be cheerful, "but how can I be," he moans, "when there are so many clouds afloat in my gloomy sky, and when my pathway in life is so full of snares and sorrows?" Well, it can not be denied that on all hands there are sources of grief and no heart is always able, with its firmest resolves to the contrary, to rise above their depressing influence. Nevertheless there is usually a bright side to the darkest prospect, if only it be looked for. The purpose to be cheerful whatsoever one's situation, is half the secret of a happy life; and the whole of it is to possess a cheerful heart out of which this fine purpose grows. No good comes of brooding. Much good comes of making the best of things. The patent recipe for cheerfulness is, living out of ourselves and for others. It is said of the philanthropist Howard that when he felt disposed to an indulgence of "the blues," he lifted off the threatening burden by seizing his hat and going and doing somebody what good he could. To brighten those about us is to become bright ourselves.

Memorial Day.

HEADQUARTERS DEP'T OF PA. G. A. I. R., PHILADELPHIA, May 1, 1893.

COMRADES:—Another year has passed and we are again reminded the time is approaching when we make our annual visitation to the habitations of the dead. More than twenty-eight years have passed since the Angel of Peace spread her wings over our beloved country. In all that time you have never faltered in your devotion to the memory of your departed comrades, and now in the midst of this beautiful season of the year, when all nature is bright, and the sweet perfume of the flowers of spring is around and about us, it were well that we stop at the milestone of 1893, and with solemn thoughts and utterances renew our allegiance to the cause for which so many of our brave comrades went down to their death, or since the eventful days of the war have dropped by the wayside. Let us show by our zeal in the performance of this sacred duty, that we believe it is well for the country to thus honor the memory of her defenders, and in this manner teach an object lesson of patriotism which will not soon be forgotten. For our comrades who have answered the last roll call there are in our hearts words, if we could speak them, that are as Passion flowers, and sentences that are as wreaths of Amaranth. They sleep under the dew and the daisy. To their memory on May 30th, we will drop the tribute of a tear; and on the lowly mounds scattered throughout our great commonwealth let us plant the beautiful flowers of spring time, that will be watered with the tears of the people of a grateful country. As we bend o'er the graves of our comrades, we can recall, as if in sweet communion, their noble, unselfish sacrifices and heroic bearing in the hour of danger, for humanity and civilization. In this spirit of meditation we look about us and see the evidences of prosperity all over this broad land, and whilst we can recall nothing which can arouse a feeling of vindictiveness or sectional passion, we feel proud of the fact that our honored dead were comrades in the grandest volunteer army the world ever knew. Let us, therefore, perform the duties of the day in a reverent spirit, and thus show to the world our appreciation of their efforts in the days of long ago, and for the few remaining days allotted to us let us so live that when we, too, shall have been called, "we may wrap the drapery of our couch about us and lie down like one to pleasant dreams."

By command of Department Commander Thos. G. Sample.

SAM'L P. TOWN, Asst. Adjt. General.

Poorly Organized.

(Brookville Record.)

A man prominent in local labor circles is authority for the statement that since active coal developments began, the miners of Jefferson county were never so poorly organized as at the present time. At one time scarcely a mine existed which was without an organization of some kind, and the history of the past has been marked at different periods by a decided spirit of aggressiveness on the part of the labor unions.

The Knights of Labor have been the backbone of all labor unions in this section. Other miners' organizations were instituted and waxed strong, and were auxiliary in some form or other to the K. of L. Assemblies flourished at Brockport, Clarion Mines, Beechtree and Coal Glen, but now all have lapsed. The only mining towns which have an organization at present are Horatio and Anita. An Assembly exists at Clayville, but it is a mixed local, and not confined exclusively to mine workers.

Various causes are assigned for the decline of unionism in this section, but the most likely reason is the depression which has existed in coal mining for the past year or two. While some of the larger collieries have run pretty steadily, the low coal districts have barely made half time. Nothing is so demoralizing in the ranks of labor as idleness, and slack work is always marked by a corresponding decrease in agitation.

Memorial Day Program.

Parade will form at 9.15 A. M., right resting on corner of Main and Fifth streets. 1st, Baptist Sunday school; 2nd, Methodist Sunday school; 3rd, Presbyterian Sunday school, then all other Sunday schools that wish to join; 4th, band; 5th, Jr. O. U. A. M.; 6th, P. O. S. of A.; 7th, Sr. O. U. A. M. and all other orders that wish to turn out; 8th, S. of V.; 9th, W. R. C.; 10th, firing party with G. A. R. in rear. Column will proceed to Beulah cemetery, at the gate will halt and open ranks and the W. R. C., G. A. R. and S. of V. pass through and receive the flowers. The procession will march around the circle to a place designated and form a hollow square where special services will be rendered and the graves of our comrades will be decorated. Column will move at 9.30 A. M. sharp. G. A. R. requests that all business places be closed from 9 to 10 o'clock.

JOSEPH SHAEFFER, Marshal.

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.

Attention Ladies.

All members of the W. R. C. are requested to be present at the regular meeting Friday, May 26th, by order of the president.

M. CRAIG EWING, Sec.

The vast facilities of the J. C. Ayer Co., of Lowell, Mass., enables them to place The Superior Blood-purifier—Ayer's Sarsaparilla—within easy reach of the poorest invalid. Don't be induced to take a "cheap" substitute. Always remember that the best is the cheapest.

Croaker Fertilizer.

The Croaker Fertilizer for sale at J. W. Johnston's feed store, West Reynoldsville. Frank P. Best, agent for the fertilizer, also sells it at his farm in Winslow township.

Do You Need Shoes?

We have the latest styles at popular prices. REED'S SHOE STORE.

Henry A. Reed, the shoe man, has at last something to help suffering humanity. He has the Infalible Corn Cure, which never fails to remove corns and does not injure the feet. No cure, no pay. Why suffer when 25 cents will stop the cause.

Special Notice.

Try my buggies, they are as good as the best, and low in price. You will pay middle men a big price and get no better. J. K. JOHNSTON, Rathmel.

Very pretty tea sets for \$4.75 at Schultz's.

Best \$1.25 shoe in the world at Robinson's.

Fire Insurance.

Since 1878, Norwood G. Pinney, Brookville, Pa. Old and reliable companies represented. No brokerage. All orders by mail will receive prompt attention. Walter Spry, of Reynoldsville, is my authorized and licensed solicitor. Cyclone policies also written.—6-21.

Ladies fine sole lace shoes \$3.00 at Robinson's.

Deifting with the C. & D.

MCKENNA—DICKY—On May 17, 1893, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. T. Henderson, Brookville, C. E. McKenna, of Elio, Washington county, Pa., and Martha Dickey, of Reynoldsville, Pa.

NOTICE TO

TAX-PAYERS.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly, I will attend, at the following times and places, to receive county and state taxes for the year 1893, to-wit:

- Warsaw twp., West, Thursday, June 1st, at the house of G. W. Richards, in the forenoon.
- Polk twp., Thursday, June 1st, at the house of Fulton Shofner, in the afternoon.
- Heath twp., Friday, June 2nd, at the house of Milton Payne, in the forenoon.
- Barnet twp., Friday, June 2nd, at the house of William Wallace, in the afternoon.
- Elders twp., Saturday, June 3rd, at the Jones hotel, in the forenoon, and in the afternoon at the store at Howe.
- Beaver twp., Monday, June 5th, at the store of R. C. Reitz, in the forenoon.
- Waverly twp., Monday, June 5th, at the house of E. H. Geist, in the afternoon.
- Ringold twp., Tuesday, June 6th, at the hotel in Ringold, in the forenoon.
- Porter twp., Tuesday, June 6th, at the house of George Bish, in the afternoon.
- Perry twp., Wednesday, June 7th, at the house of W. H. Brown, in the forenoon, and in the afternoon at the store at Frostburg.
- Clayville borough, Thursday, June 8th, at the Central hotel.
- Frostburg borough, Friday, June 9th, at Hotel Pantall.
- Young twp., Saturday, June 10th, at Hotel Pantall.
- Bell twp., Monday, June 12th, at the house of Henry Brown, in the forenoon.
- Gaskill twp., Monday, June 12th, at Gibson's store, in the forenoon.
- Big Run borough, Tuesday, June 13th, at the McClure House.
- Henderson twp., Wednesday, June 14th, at the house of Andrew Pifer, in the forenoon.
- McAlmont twp., Wednesday, June 14th, at the house of Daniel North, in the afternoon.
- Oliver twp., Thursday, June 15th, at the store in Oliveburg in the forenoon, and at McKinstry's store in the afternoon.
- Knox twp., Friday, June 16th, at McCracken's store, in the forenoon.
- Pinecreek twp., Friday, June 16th, at the store of E. Weiser, in the afternoon.
- Rose twp., Saturday, June 17th, at the Treasurer's Office, Brookville.
- Washington twp., Monday, June 19th, at Rockdale in the forenoon, and at the Washington hotel in the afternoon.
- Snyder twp. and Brockwayville borough, Tuesday, June 20th, at the Logan House.
- Warsaw twp., east, Wednesday, June 21st, at the house of J. A. Fox, in the forenoon.
- Union twp. and Corsica borough, Thursday, June 22nd, at Glenn's hotel.
- Summersville borough, Friday, June 23rd, at the Commercial hotel, in the forenoon.
- Clover twp., Friday, June 23rd, at the house of J. Eselman, in the afternoon.
- Brockville borough, Saturday, June 24th, at the Treasurer's office.
- Reynoldsville borough, Tuesday, June 27th, at the Hotel McConnell.
- Winslow twp., Wednesday, June 28th, at the Hotel McConnell.

Parties paying taxes at the above times, and places, will save ten per cent., as that amount will be added when placed in the hands of the collectors.

Mercantile Licenses will be collected at all places visited, and all licenses remaining unpaid after the first of July will be placed in the hands of the proper officials for collection.

A. O. McWILLIAMS, Co. Treas.

The Percheron Stallion.

SULTAN!

Will stand for mares at the following places: J. E. Mulholland, near Paule, on Monday and balance of each week at owner's barn in Paradise settlement. Description.—Sultan is a bright dapple gray, 6 years old, 16½ hands high and weighs 1700 pounds; has good style and fine action, and a good disposition. Will show for himself. Pedigree.—Sultan was sired by Old Sultan, imported from France by W. T. Walters, of Baltimore, Md. First dam Ole Colie, by Prince Napoleon, also imported from France; second dam, by Old Nigger, imported; third dam, Waxwork, imported. Terms.—\$5.00 for the season, payable with the first service of the horse; \$6.00 to insure mare with foal, payable as soon as mare is known to be with foal; or \$8.00 to insure living foal on foot. Parting with an insured mare before parting to be with foal forfeits the insurance. All reasonable care taken, but not accountable for accidents. Thomas Reynolds, Jr., Owner.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Prothonotary, Etc.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, WILLIAM B. SUTTER, OF CLAYVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, JOHN S. BARR, OF PINECREEK TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR PROTHONOTARY, ROBERT M. SWISHER, OF CLAYVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

Sheriff.

FOR SHERIFF, E. NEFF, OF REYNOLDSVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR SHERIFF, DAVID G. GOURLEY, OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR SHERIFF, CHARLES O. WILSON, OF PENNSBURY BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR SHERIFF, GEORGE W. WARNICK, OF REYNOLDSVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR SHERIFF, E. W. McMILLEN, OF REYNOLDSVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the democrats of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June, 1893.

County Treasurer.

FOR TREASURER, JOHN WAITE, OF WINSLOW TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR TREASURER, N. D. COREY, OF PENNSBURY BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR TREASURER, W. W. CRISSMAN, OF CLAYVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR TREASURER, ARTHUR MORRISON, OF UNION TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR TREASURER, W. H. LUCAS, OF CORSICA BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

Commissioner.

FOR COMMISSIONER, W. T. COX, OF WINSLOW TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR COMMISSIONER, DANIEL BREWER, OF PERRY TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR COMMISSIONER, JOSEPH DARR, OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR COMMISSIONER, JOSEPH BULLERS, OF WARSAW TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

FOR COMMISSIONER, M. F. WOODS, OF ELDRED TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the democrats of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 23, 1893.

FOR COMMISSIONER, A. W. MULHOLLAND, OF WINSLOW TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the democrats of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 24, 1893.

FOR COMMISSIONER, S. M. SHIELDS, OF CLOVER TOWNSHIP, Subject to action of the republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 17, 1893.

Miscellaneous.

C. MITCHELL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Office on West Main street, opposite the Commercial Hotel, Reynoldsville, Pa.

D. R. B. E. HOOVER, REYNOLDSVILLE, PA. Resident dentist. In building near Methodist church, opposite Arnold block. Gentleness in operating.

Hotels.

HOTEL MCCONNELL, REYNOLDSVILLE, PA. FRANK J. BLACK, Proprietor. The leading hotel of the town. Headquarters for commercial men. Steam heat, free bus, bath rooms and closets on every floor, sample rooms, billiard room, telephone connections, &c.

HOTEL BELNAP, REYNOLDSVILLE, PA. GREEN & CONSER, Proprietors. First class in every particular. Located in the very centre of the business part of town. Free bus to and from trains and commodious sample rooms for commercial travelers.

AMERICAN HOTEL, BROOKVILLE, PA. BUFFINGTON & LONG, Proprietors. Omnibus to and from all trains. European restaurant. House heated and lighted by gas. Hot and cold water. Western Union Telegraph office in building. The hotel is fitted with all the modern conveniences.

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Well Stocked Clothing Emporium,

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Spring Hats and

Handsome Neckwear

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If not, do not delay, but come at once and inspect our stock, which comprises the latest styles in Sacks, Cutaways, Double Breasted Square Cuts and Prince Alberts.

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Originators of the Small Profit System.