

Subscription \$1.50 per year, in advance. C. A. STEPHENSON, Editor and Pub. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1894.

An independent local paper, published every Wednesday at Reynoldsville, Jefferson Co., Pa., devoted to the interests of Reynoldsville and Jefferson county. Non-political, will treat all with fairness, and will be especially friendly towards the laboring class.

Folks is always makin' fun of de fellows dat de worl' calls 'has beens,' said Uncle Mose, 'but it looks to me lak it am a heap better for a man to be a 'has been' dan to be a 'nebb'er was.'—Indianapolis Journal.

What is worse in this world than a bad woman, or better than a good, pure woman? The devil would be almost ashamed to own the former as one of his co-workers, while angels would associate with a noble woman.

The "ribbon craze" and similar crazes strike the young ladies of our land occasionally, but just now the most prominent craze of the day is the "coupon craze" that has struck most every daily now published.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox does not have much faith in the idea of a woman marrying a man with the hope of reforming him afterwards. She says: "It is my belief that a man who has not the self-respect to save himself will not respect any woman enough to be saved by her."

How apt we all are to want to attend to agreeable duties first and leave the disagreeable duties until the last, and if possible leave them undone. With this frailty of humanity in view Henry Ward Beecher gave the following advice: "Take good care of disagreeable duties. Attend to these first. Never select the things that you want to do, and shirk upon others the things that you do not want to do."

One of the great failings of the human family is thoughtlessness in speech, especially in this noticeable with the gentler sex, generally speaking. A writer who has given it considerable thought says: "The great lesson that woman has yet to learn is to think before she speaks."

A great problem which the next century will have seriously to take in hand and finally solve is this: Are rich men likely to prove of any real social use, or will it be better to abolish the institution? The day may come when the world will have agreed to abolish rich men altogether as an obsolete institution.

The best of medicines are none too good for sick folks. It's bad enough to be sick without running chances with second grade drugs. That's the reason we buy only the very highest quality of everything. It's a great satisfaction to us to know that every prescription we send out is just as good as drugs will make it.

Low Rate Excursions to Washington, D. C., via P. R. R.

Two special excursions will be run to the National Capital from Pittsburgh and other points on the Pennsylvania railroad, as mentioned below, at remarkably low rates. The dates selected are March 22nd, and April 19th. Tickets for these trips will be good on any of the regular trains except the Pennsylvania Limited or on the special train to be run on the schedule herewith, on the days designated, and will admit of a stay of ten days in Washington.

These trips are especially appropriate and attractive during the present season, when the most beautiful city in America may be seen at its best. The historic and contemporaneous interest always attaching itself to Washington, and the magnificent architectural sights, will amply repay a visit, and when the extremely low rates are considered no better trip could well be devised.

A special train of parlor cars and day coaches will be sold as per following:— RATE. TRAIN LVS. Pittsburgh.....\$9.00 8.05 A. M. Bellwood.....7.35 12.17 P. M. Bellefonte.....7.25 10.34 A. M. Clearfield.....7.25 9.58 " Washington, Arrive.....7.45 P. M.

Is at all times to attend to the comforts of your family. Should any one of them catch a slight Cold or Cough, prepare yourself and call at once on W. B. Alexander, sole agent, and get a trial bottle of Otto's Cure, the great German Remedy, Free. We give it away to prove that we have a sure Cure for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Consumption and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. Large sizes 25 and 50c.

Life is a Lottery, Perhaps. But you can't afford to take any chances when you're sick. Don't let the druggist enrich himself at your expense. Lookout for impure drugs. They are cheaper, of course,—for the druggist—but how about you? Then again, how about accuracy and skill in compounding your prescription? That counts for something too, don't it? We pride ourselves on combining all these features.

We are making a special offer to each of our readers paying a year's subscription to the STAR in advance, and to all new subscribers paying in advance, we will give them the best local paper in Jefferson county and will give them free, either the Womankind or American Farmer, for one year. The two papers above mentioned are excellent monthly papers and the subscription price of each is 50c. a year. This offer is made only to those in Pennsylvania.

You've heard of the man who only needed bristles to be a pork. If you see him send him to us. We've got the bristles for him. Our bristles are all made up into the finest line of brushes we ever had. There are clothes brushes, tooth brushes, hair brushes, nail brushes, bath brushes, paint brushes, all kinds of brushes.

The receipts of the Pennsylvania railroad relief for the past year were \$630,000 and expenses \$634,000, leaving a deficiency of \$4,000 to be made up from the balance in the treasury. The membership, is now 32,827, an increase of 1,187 over 50 percent of the employees. There were 488 deaths and 22,843 cases of sickness and accidents in 1893. Since its organization the department has received \$3,553,832 and disbursed \$3,459,346.

Sachet powder is necessary. What kind you use depends on your own taste. Sachet bags in drawers and closets give to clothes that delicately distinct odor which is the stamp of refinement. We have all the popular odors, sweet, dainty and penetrating.

At King & Co.'s you will find baled hay, salt, flour and a full line of general merchandise. About Prescriptions. The best of medicines are none too good for sick folks. It's bad enough to be sick without running chances with second grade drugs.

Men's rubber boots, Candee, \$2.75 at Robinson's. Auditor General Gregg says that in accordance with recent decisions of the Supreme Court, dealers in live stock and butchers who sell meat of animals they have slaughtered, are exempt from payment of mercantile license, but butchers who purchase cattle killed and dressed and sell the meat, such sales exceeding \$1,000 per year, are liable to the payment of a mercantile tax.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONGRESS. FRANCIS A. WEAVER, OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 16, '94.

FOR ASSEMBLY. W. O. SMITH, OF PENNSYLVANIA BOROUGH, Subject to decision of the Republicans of Jefferson Co. at their primary election in June.

District Attorney. N. L. STRONG, OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 16, '94.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY. JOHN W. WALKER, OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH, Subject to action of the Republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 16, '94.

Hotels. HOTEL McCONNELL, REYNOLDSVILLE, PA. FRANK J. BLACK, Proprietor. The leading hotel of the town. Headquarters for commercial travelers.

HOTEL BELNAP, REYNOLDSVILLE, PA. GREEN & CONSER, Proprietors. First class in every particular. Located in the very centre of the business part of town.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL, BROOKVILLE, PA. PHIL P. CARRIER, Proprietor. Sample rooms on the ground floor. House heated by natural gas. Omnibus to and from all trains.

Miscellaneous. E. NEFF, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, And Real Estate Agent, Reynoldsville, Pa.

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

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

MASTER AND EXAMINER'S NOTICE. The Borough of West Reynoldsville vs. Winslow Township. Having been, on Dec. 11, 1893, appointed Master and Examiner, in above case, to equitably adjust and apportion indebtedness between said Borough of West Reynoldsville and the township of Winslow, all persons interested are hereby notified that I will perform the duties of above appointment at my office, in the Borough of Brookville, on MONDAY, the 20th day of MARCH, A. D. 1894, AT TEN O'CLOCK, A. M.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE. ESTATE OF JOHN H. MULHOLLAN, DECEASED. Letters of administration on the estate of John F. Mulhollan, late of Reynoldsville township, Jefferson county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to the administratrix, and those having claims against it will present them properly authenticated, for settlement, to Mrs. R. J. MULHOLLAN, Administratrix of John F. Mulhollan, dec'd.

COMMISSIONERS' STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, FOR THE YEAR 1893.

Table with columns: Year, District, Collector's Name, County, In 'd. Rows include Snyder, Perry, Brockway, Eldred, Polk, Winslow, and a Total row.

Table with columns: Districts, Collectors, County. Rows include Beaver, Barnett, Brockwayville, Big Run, Clayville, Eldred, Gaskill, Henderson, Knox, McAlmont, Oliver, Perry, Pinecreek, Porter, Polk, Punxsutawney, Reynoldsville, Ringold, Rose, Union, Warsaw, Washington, Winslow, Worthville, Young.

Table with columns: Districts, Collectors, County. Rows include Beaver, Barnett, Brockwayville, Big Run, Clayville, Eldred, Gaskill, Henderson, Knox, McAlmont, Oliver, Perry, Pinecreek, Porter, Polk, Punxsutawney, Reynoldsville, Ringold, Rose, Union, Warsaw, Washington, Winslow, Worthville, Young.

Table with columns: Receipts, Expenditures. Rows include From outstanding taxes, 1892 and previous, From county tax of 1893, From State tax of 1893, From seated lands returned, From unseated lands returned, From Commissioners' receipts, From Commonwealth costs received, From Sheriff and Prothonotary, From amount of redemptions rec'd., From hotel licenses for 1893, From county bonds, From temporary loans, From tax collected from foreigners, In Young township, From interest from collectors, From interest on unseated lands.

From amount in treasury at last settlement, 3,034 22 Amount due Treasurer McWilliams, 3,073 12 \$88,386 04

Table with columns: EXPENDITURES, Amount. Rows include Assessors' bills, Auditors' pay, Auditing Prothonotary's account, Auditor's clerk, Blank books and stationery, Bridge expenses, Boarding jurors, Ballot boxes, Burial of indigent soldiers, Boarding prisoners, Bringing Coleman from penitentiary, Bedding for jails, Counsel fees for '92 and '93, Coroner's inquests, Court clerk, Costs on Supreme Court cases, Cutting prisoner's hair, Constables' returns, Commonwealth bills, County superintendent, Commissioners' convention, Curtains and rugs, Commissioners' pay, Clock contract, Clerk's pay, Clothing for prisoners, Coupons redeemed, District Attorney—W. L. McCracken, District Attorney—John Van Vleet, 1891, Distributing ballots, Exonerations, Election expenses Feb., " Special, " Ballots, Feb., " Nov., Express charges, Examining bridges, Expenses to Pittsburgh, printing bonds, Fuel and light, Freight and hauling, Guarding jail, Hospital bills, Restones for soldiers' graves, Interpreter's pay, Insurance, Interest on bonds, Jefferson Co. agricultural society, Jurors' pay—per diem, Janitor's pay, Jury commissioners, Jail physician, Livery hire, Penitentiary bills for 1892, Prothonotary's bill, W. A. Neale, clerk of courts, W. A. Neale, certifying judgments and mortgages, Pulling tooth for prisoner, Printing bonds, Printing bills, etc., Brookville Republican, Jeffersonian Democrat, Punxsutawney Spirit, Punxsutawney News, Reynoldsville Volunteer, Reynoldsville Star, Brookwayville Record, J. P. George & Son, Clarion Jacksonian, " Republican, Percentage paid for collecting tax from for'n's, Postage and box rent, Paying 158 feet front of court house property, Penn's Reform School, Plumbing bill, Post mortems, Redemption of old Co. orders, Resetting curbstone, Repairing pavement, Repairs to county spring, Road damages, Removing stone posts, Road and bridge views, Repairing sewer pipe to jail, Repairing prisoner's shoes, Refunding orders red'm'd, Repairs to court house and jail, Repairs to county bridges, Reporting births and deaths, Rent of telephone, Redemptions paid, State tax paid, Stenographer, Sheriff's acct. due at settlement, Supplies for court house and jail, Sprinkling street, Transcribing records, Transcribing notes of testimony, Temporary loans, Tax on county bonds, Telegraphing, Tipstaves, Tinsmen, Treasurer's per cent collecting, Treasurer's per cent paying out, Water rent, Workhouse, Overpaid townships and the county, Error by charging Treas. tp. funds in Co. funds, Error by double charging, Comptroller's Rec'd Book, Error in State tax.

Table with columns: ASSETS, Amount. Rows include State and Co. tax outstanding, Due Co. from hospital accounts, Unseated lands returned, Seated county tax returned, Lands in hands of county, Interest due from collectors, Amount due from townships.

Table with columns: LIABILITIES, Amount. Rows include Old bonds outstanding, 1881 series, Old bonds outstanding, 1880 series, Old bonds outstanding, 1890 series, Bonds outstanding, 1893 series, Due county officers, Old orders outstanding for 1893, Liabilities over assets.

Jefferson County, ss: Pursuant to the law, we, the undersigned, Commissioners of Jefferson county, publish the foregoing statement of the receipts and expenditures of said county for the year 1893, and also present the assets and liabilities of the county on the first day of January, 1894. Witness our hand and seal of office, this 9th day of February, 1894.

[SEAL.] DANIEL BREWELL, SAMUEL STATES, Commissioners.

Attest: JOHN DAVIS, Clerk.

Figs and Thistles. [Ram's Horn.]

One of the most foolish of all fool things is fooling with sin.

Sin would not be so deadly if the devil could not wear a mask.

If the world likes you right well, it is a sure sign that you are like the world.

The kind of righteousness that takes people to heaven is not the kind that brags on itself.

Those who would know the Lord well must not mingle too much with the concerns of the world.

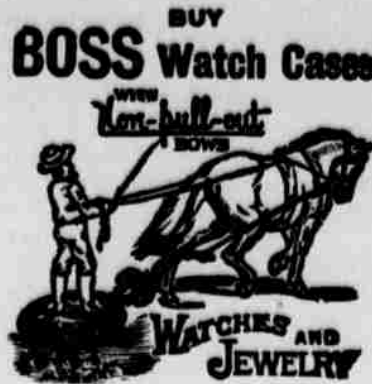
Some preachers never seem to think it worth while to work at their trade in the middle of the week.

It may be set down as a fact that nudity in art is from the devil, because it does the devil's work.

A good many boys have turned out badly because they had fathers who made them work with a dull hoe.

For the heart to consent that any kind of a wrong shall live, is a vote for the devil to be prince of this world.

One reason why there is not more good being done is because so many people want to wait until to-morrow to begin.



FARMERS and EVERYBODY USE THEM.

And they all buy them at C. F. Hoffman's, where the assortment is the largest and the price the lowest, and where everything is just as represented. Come and feast your eyes on the largest and most beautiful stock of Watches that has ever been in Reynoldsville. Yours for Watches,

C. F. Hoffman.

Down Comes Prices!

- All-wool Dress Goods, Sold at 50c., now 35c. 52 in. Ladies' Cloth, Regular price 75c., " 50c. Silk Finished Henriettas, Regular price 80c., " 65c. Gingham, - - - 4c.

Our Goods are marked down and you will find it to your interest to call and examine before buying elsewhere. We want room for Spring Goods and now is your chance to get them cheap.

BING & CO.

J. S. MORROW, Bargains! * Bargains!

DEALER IN Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, and Shoes, Fresh Groceries, Flour and Feed.

GOODS DELIVERED FREE. OPERA-HOUSE-BLOCK Reynoldsville, Pa.

Quick Sale! - Small Profit! One Price! A. KATZEN, Prop'r.

Reynoldsville Hardware Co.,

DEALERS IN

HARDWARE, STOVES and RANGES.

TIN, SHEET IRON AND COPPER WARE, AMMUNITION, FISHING TACKLE OF ALL KINDS, HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, WOOD AND IRON PUMPS.

And everything kept in a First-class Hardware Store.

Roofing and Spouting Done to Order.

REYNOLDSVILLE, PA.