

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.

P. Gray Meek, editor of the Bellefonte Watchman, has been appointed Surveyor of Customs at Philadelphia.

According to a statement in the Pittsburg Times of last Thursday Hon. Geo. A. Jenks, of Brookville, got a two thousand dollar slice from the Carnegie armor plate expose.

The Mayor of Pleasanton, Kansas, is a woman. This is the only case on record in this country where a woman occupies such a position. She proposes to make Pleasanton the model moral town of the nation.

Have you ever thought of the convenience of having somebody on whom to blame everything that goes wrong? It is neither necessary or customary, however, to give others credit for the things that go right. We are all willing to have the latter put down to our credit.

Were men governed by the Golden Rule, instead of by avarice, the unhappy state of things prevailing in so many places in the country would have no existence, and all the bad blood stirred up and loss caused to employers and employees would be prevented. The question involved in the controversy between capital and labor is a moral one, and if it is ever adjusted satisfactorily it must be on the broad principle of eternal right.

Boys, do not forget to take off your hat when you enter the house. Gentlemen never forget to take off their hats in the presence of ladies, and if you always take yours off when your mother and the girls are by, you will not forget yourself when a guest or a stranger happens to be in your parlor. Habit is strong, and you will always find that the easiest way to make sure of doing right on all occasions is to get into the habit of doing right. Good manners cannot be put on at a moment's warning.

This is the season of the year when the Congressmen remember many of their constituents with packages of seeds. This year each Congressman receives 3,000 more paper bags than were given out in previous years. This extra labor requires the services of more than a hundred temporary employees in the agricultural department who are engaged in the distribution of seeds to various parts of the country. There were about 9,000,000 paper bags of seeds to be distributed this season and two thirds of this amount have already been disposed of. An average of 100 two-bushel bags are sent out daily and at this rate it is expected that the work will continue for two months, though it was not usually completed before July 1st.

Amber says: It is so little we can really do for one another in the march of life. We are all under marching orders, and have burdens to carry. There is no halt for noonday dreams nor twilight rest. It is step, step, step—right onward through dust and common-places, without music, or banners, or present glory, and yet to each soldier has been given a canteen full of never-falling water, a cup of which we may proffer with no fear of a diminished store, all the way through to the end of the long march to the sea. Is our comrade discouraged? Do his feet fail and his hands grow heavy? A cheering word, a loving service, a friendly suggestion, born of the desire to help and encourage, will revive him like sparkling water in the desert heat. Such things cost nothing, but not all the gold and diamonds you could pack into your bundle would match them for solace on the long and dusty march that stretches for each one of us between the cradle and the grave.

The announcement in the daily papers of the death of a hermit and miser gives fresh emphasis to the stupendous folly of such a life. A man lived by himself in a miserable hut, almost without clothing, subsisting on such food as was not suited to a human being and was never designed for him, and died at last possessed of an "immense fortune." He was a rich man, but practically worse off than a pauper. And all this that he might save his money and leave it to somebody else. Clearly that is a species of insanity which leads a man to refuse any help to his fellow-men while living, or even to spend anything for his own comfort, that he may save everything for others when he is gone. There is but one sane use to make of money, and that is, to use it for our own comfort and that of others while we live, and to make reasonable provision for those who have been dependent on us, after our support is taken by death. Thus we both get good out of money and do good with it.

Taking a More Sensible View.

From present indications Western Pennsylvania will return more of the members of the legislature for the second, third or fourth time than ever before. Evidently the people are becoming alive to the fact long recognized by the cities that experienced men are more efficient than novices. The country members are always relied upon to defeat the special privilege schemes which are usually sprung by the city members, but have hitherto been placed in the position of an army with a few experienced captains and a rank and file of raw recruits. It now looks as though nearly the whole Western Pennsylvania delegation in the house last session will be re-elected for the next session. The efficient representatives from Beaver, Lawrence, Butler, Armstrong, Jefferson, Venango, Somerset and Me-Kean are practically without opposition. Washington will return one or more of the old members, as will Mercer, Indiana, Cambria, Blair and Bedford. Crawford will have a full Republican delegation and so will Fayette.—Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.

A Good Official.

A great deal of credit is due District Attorney McCracken for his efficient work in breaking up gangs of criminals which have existed in various parts of the county, and bringing the offenders to trial. During his term of office Mr. McCracken has not been content to merely prosecute criminals who were brought before him, but has been active in many cases in starting proceedings. Several tough gangs have been broken up by Mr. McCracken which were a terror to the communities in which they existed.

The Trouble Over.

A prominent man in town exclaimed the other day: "My wife has been wearing out her life from the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion. Her case baffled the skill of our best physicians. After using three packages of Bacon's Colery King for the Nerves she is almost entirely well." Keep your blood in a healthy condition by the use of this great vegetable compound. Call on W. B. Alexander sole agent, and get a trial package free. Large size 25 and 50 cents.

For Sale.

In the borough of West Reynoldsville, four acres of land, one two-story frame house with eight rooms, good cellar, running water four feet from door, stable, coal house and other out buildings, gas fixtures, &c. Inquire at this office.

Bristles.

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. STOKES, Registered Pharmacist.

School Report.

Report of Prescottville primary school for month ending March 7, 1894: Number of pupils enrolled, 59; per cent. of attendance, 84; highest rank in "A" grade, George Handyside; "B" grade, Florence Benaue; "C" grade, Jennie Jansen; those missing no days and not tardy during the month were Willie Dorwart, George Peterson, Edwin Reynolds, Thomas Dugan, William Elkland, Iva Heemer, Annie Dorwart, Pearl Myrtle, Lizzie Dougherty, Mary Reynolds, Florence Benaue, Ellen Bloomstead, Tilda Tangren, Edith Oakland, Annie Jones, Jennie Jansen, Maud Myrtle. MINNIE E. SMELTZER, Teacher.

To Perfume Properly

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. STOKES, Registered Pharmacist.

Two for One.

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.

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. 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. No matter what you paid for it you couldn't get it better. STOKES, Registered Pharmacist.

Tomatoes 10 cents a can at Schultze's.

Judge Not.

Written for THE STAR. How do we know what hearts have vilest sin? How do we know? Many, like sepulchers, are foul within. Whose outward garb is spotted as the snow. And many may be pure we think not so. How near to God the souls of such have been, What secret sentence may win— How do we know? How can we tell who sinned more than we? How can we tell? We think our brother walked guiltily. Judging him in self-righteousness. Ah, well! Perhaps had we been driven through the storm Of his ungod temptations, we might be Less upright in our daily walk than he— How can we tell? Dare we condemn the ill that others do? Dare we condemn? Their strength is weak, their trials not a few. The tide of wrong is difficult to stem. And if to us more clearly than to them Is given knowledge of the good and true, More do they need our help and pity too. Dare we condemn? God help us all and lead us day by day: God help us all! We cannot walk alone the perfect way. Evil allures us, tempts us, and we fall. We are but human and our power is small: Not one of us may boast, and not a day Rolls o'er our heads but each one needs to say God bless us all. D. E. STANFORD, Sandy Valley, Pa.

A Horrible Railroad Accident. Is a daily chronicle in our papers; also the death of some dear friend, who has died with Consumption, whereof, if he or she had taken Ott's Cure for Throat and Lung diseases in time, life would have been rendered happier and perhaps saved. Heed the warning! If you have a cough or any affection of the Throat and Lungs call on W. B. Alexander sole agent, and get a trial bottle free. Large size 25 and 50 cents. Tomatoes 10 cents a can at Schultze's.

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. H. ALEX STOKES, Registered Pharmacist.

At King & Co.'s you will find baled hay, salt, flour and a full line of general merchandise. Tomatoes 10 cents a can at Schultze's.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Congress.

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

Assembly.

FOR ASSEMBLY. W. O. SMITH, OF PENNSULTAWNEY 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.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY. JACOB L. FISHER, OF PENNSULTAWNEY BOROUGH. Subject to action of the Republicans of Jefferson Co. at the primary election, June 16, 1894.

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.

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.

C. Z. GORDON. JOHN W. REED. GORDON & REED, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Brookville, Jefferson Co., Pa. Office in room formerly occupied by Gordon & Corbett, West Main Street.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE. ESTATE OF JOHN H. MULHOLLAN, DECEASED. Letters of administration on the estate of John F. Mulhollan, late of Reynoldsville borough, 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 all claims against it will present them properly authenticated, for settlement. Mrs. H. J. MULHOLLAN, Administratrix of John F. Mulhollan, dec'd.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U. S. Bonds, Furniture and fixtures, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, etc. Total assets and liabilities are \$124,932.21.

COME IN!

Where? TO THE "Bee Hive" Store, WHERE Lawrence J. McEntire, The Groceryman, deals in all kinds of Groceries, Canned Goods, Green Goods, Tobacco and Cigars, Flour and Feed, Baled Hay and Straw. Fresh goods always on hand. Country produce taken in exchange for goods. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited. Very truly yours, Lawrence J. McEntire, The Groceryman.

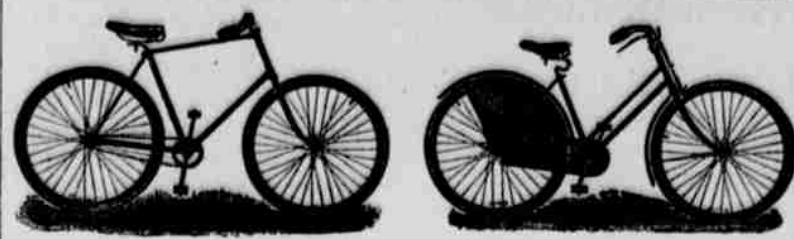
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DEALER IN Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, and Shoes, Fresh Groceries Flour and Feed. Goods DELIVERED FREE. OPERA HOUSE BLOCK Reynoldsville, Pa.

WINTER GOODS

at Cost! Ladies' Coats sold for \$14 and 15, now for 10 to 12.50. Coats we sold for 8.00 to 10.00, now for 5.00 to \$7. Misses' and Children's Coats the same reduction. Lumberman's Flannel 29c. Prints 5 and 6c. Lancaster Gingham 6c. Men's and Boys' Overcoats at cost.

Now is the time to get cheap goods. Come and see for yourself. Roofing and Spouting Done to Order. REYNOLDSVILLE, PA.



DON'T WALK!

But buy a Gresent Bicycle. Think of it, a Good Wheel for \$75.00!

Don't think it is a cheap wheel because it is a cheap price. This is not the case, but it is a strictly First-class Bicycle, made of good material and good workmanship. It is owing to the large output of this factory, 40,000 bicycles a year, which is more than the combined output of any other three factories in the country, that enables them to offer a good wheel at this very low price. Call and see the Bicycles and be convinced. I have them for Ladies and Gents, Boys and Girls, from \$20 to \$90. All Bicycles Guaranteed.

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.

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J. S. MORROW, Bargains! * * Bargains! * AT THE PEOPLE'S Bargain Store. We make a specialty of Gents' and Ladies' Furnishing Goods and Shoes, and Boys' Clothing. Quick Sale! - Small Profit! One Price! A. KATZEN, Prop'r.

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