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To-morrow is a day set apart by President Cleveland and Governor Pattison as a time for all people to observe as a national and individual Thanksgiving Day. Burdette says: "We are a grateful people. If you don't believe it, see us out. Some of us—and these are not men—are so thankful we will not go to church at all on Thanksgiving Day. We will stay at home and get dinner for a host of other grateful people. It is the dinner that makes us thankful. Some Thanksgiving Day, just you pitch the dinner over the alley fence about ten minutes before 12 o'clock. Then see what a devoutly grateful, what a sweetly thankful crowd will come home from church. On second thought, perhaps you had better not wait until they come home. You had better run. And keep on running until you get to the middle of the Great American Desert. And stay there. Man's very vices and weaknesses grow out of his stomach. Adam's fall was, in a measure, due to his appetite. The devil, who knew man clear through, even as his wife does, tempted him with something to eat. Duty, obligation, happiness and Eden our parents throw away with scarcely a debate when they were bribed with refreshments. Conscience was smothered in the folds of the stomach. After the expulsion, man coveted his neighbor's cupboard before he coveted his wealth in mine, or field, or herds. Abraham and Lot, when their substance was so great they scarce could count their flocks, quarreled to the fighting point over pasturage, because the sheep could eat the grass, and they could eat the sheep. Satan's first temptation laid before the Saviour in the wilderness, was the suggestion to His hunger: 'Command these stones that they be made bread.' Possibly his thought was going back four thousand years when he threw the first Adam with a handful of fruit. Greedy, shrewd, observant Satan. Millions of banquets has he attended; and after a careful study of man, with a thousand temptations at his command, he has fallen into the habit of ordering up 'the old guard' for the first charge. If not, indeed for the preliminary skirmish. When he fails to knock a man out by a blow aimed fairly at his stomach, his brimstone majesty is always a little puzzled. He says: 'Why, here is a remarkable man, here is an extraordinary man; here is a man who doesn't think of something to eat three times a day.' And he has to stretch his horned head and think a little before making the next assault."

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Teachers Complimented.
EDITOR STAR:—In your issue of the 21st inst. I noticed a communication highly complimenting the superintendent and instructors of the Jefferson county teachers' institute in having one of the most successful institutes ever held in Jefferson county, all of which I heartily endorse, but think the school teachers of Jefferson county who attended the institute and contributed to its success are certainly deserving of some credit. Almost three hundred teachers attended the institute, some of them coming quite a distance at considerable expense. Now I have been interested in school matters for some time. I have held the remunerative office of school director for eighteen years in succession in Bell township, fifteen years of that time secretary of the board, and I have attended quite a number of institutes and I think I never saw a more orderly, intelligent and fine looking lot of teachers at an institute. No other profession could bring as many representatives together that could compare with them. I consider them a credit to themselves and their profession. They may well be termed the standing army of the republic. The pupils of Jefferson county are safe with such instructors. SAMUEL STATES.

Owing to irregularities in filling the wheel and failure of the proper officials in sealing the wheel and not having it properly secured, the array of jurors for the September term of court in Elk county were quashed and the regular session of court did not convene. Court convened in Ridgway last week and after seventeen or eighteen bills had been acted upon by the grand jury it was discovered that too many jurors were serving on the grand jury. A few of them were dismissed and the entire work was referred back to the legal number for action. Quite a time with jurors over in Little Elk county.

If we are to accept the definition of a drunken man as given by Judge White of the Pittsburgh criminal court, drunken men are not numerous in Reynoldsville, but we have a host of fellows who are often so near drunken that it takes a wide sidewalk to contain them when the bar-rooms are closed and they are compelled to seek the bosom of their family. Judge white says:
"He is not drunk who from the floor
Can rise and drink once more.
But he is drunk who prostrate lies,
And can neither drink nor rise."

Amasa Winchester, the man who is confined in the steel cage in the Lock Haven jail for murder, is teaching a fellow prisoner, who is held for robbery, to read and write. It is claimed his pupil, who could neither read nor write, is making rapid progress.

Said an English teacher to his pupils: "Vice may be pleasant, but remember that out of their pleasant vices boys and men make whips to scourge themselves." This is certainly a great truth which many people have learned by experience.

There is a scheme on foot to organize a state bar association, for which purpose a convention will be held in Harrisburg in January. This convention will be attended by many leading attorneys.

During last month 703 freight trains heavily loaded passed through Driftwood on the P. & E. railroad.

Library Fund of the West Reynoldsville School.

A little more than two weeks have elapsed since the pupils of West Reynoldsville school resolved to have a Public School Library. At this time a number of pupils volunteered to solicit money to be used in purchasing books.

The pupils, having at some former time purchased "Webster's Unabridged Dictionary," decided to add to this the "Americanized Encyclopedia Britannica," when they would be in possession of a complete set of reference books.

In one week the money solicited amounted to \$33.80. Of this amount \$27.35 have been collected.

Upon the report of the soliciting committee, W. B. Stauffer was elected treasurer of the library fund. The soliciting committee were then instructed to place the money, as they collected it, in the hands of the treasurer, upon his giving a receipt for the same.

The pupils have already purchased the "Americanized Encyclopedia Britannica," at a cost of \$26.00. This work consists of ten volumes, containing almost 7,000 pages of reading matter. It is a revision of the "Britannica Encyclopedia," one of the latest works, being nearly up to date.

The fund at the present writing stands as follows: Amount of money subscribed, \$33.80; amount collected, \$27.35; amount remaining unpaid, \$6.45; amount expended for Encyclopedia, \$26.00; amount in hands of treasurer, \$1.35; with the \$6.45 which is to be collected, the fund amounts to \$7.80. This amount, and any additional sums that may be contributed, will be used in purchasing books and apparatus for the school. The citizens are to be praised for their hearty support in this work, and we hope that it will continue until the school will have an excellent library.

Notice.
All persons indebted to me for groceries will please call and settle before the first of December, 1894, as I will leave my accounts for collection after that date.
J. A. WELSH,
Reynoldsville, Pa.

Call and get our prices and examine shoes, we can, and will sell all our shoes at cost and carriage.
HENRY A. REED, the shoe man.

Most all kinds of single barrel guns at Riston's. If you want a gun of any kind see his stock before buying elsewhere.
At King & Co.'s you will find baled hay, salt, flour and a full line of general merchandise.
No. 1 Remington double barrel gun at Alex. Riston's for \$22.00.
Fancy table syrup at J. A. Welsh's for 35 cents per gallon.
Working pants 85 cts. a pair at the People's Bargain Store.
Is your eye-sight failing? Call at Gooder's and let him fit you with a pair of glasses.

Times are rather hard, no use of denying it. It is best to try and save all the money one can. We have rented our store room to Mrs. Sarah B. Gilbloom, of Punxsutawney, Pa., for a clothing store. I must vacate on January 1st, 1895. Shoes must be sold, here is a chance for you to save money on shoes.
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The smallest "cat-bill" is large enough to show that the blood needs purifying—a warning which, if unheeded may result, not in more boils, but in something very much worse. Avert the danger in time by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Cured others, will cure you.

Horses for Sale.
A pair draft mares, sound and true, 4 and 5 years old, weighing 1,400 and 1,500 lbs.; two horses 4 years old, weighing 1,025 lbs.; one mare three years old, weighing 1,025 lbs.; and one pair of mules.
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Remember that Glenn Milliren saves you big money on hats. You should call and see his line before purchasing elsewhere.

A suit of men's underwear for 90 cts. at the People's store.

Good working gloves from 25c. up to \$1.00 at Milliren's, the clothier and hatter.

The finest silver polish in the market at 25 cents per box, at Ed. Gooder's.

Vienna flour at J. A. Welsh's for \$1.00 per sack.

A full line of lamps just received at E. J. Nickle's such as banquet, vase and glass lamps.

The evenings are long enough now for every person to devote some time to reading. The best literature is the daily newspaper, and the best daily newspaper is *The Pittsburg Times*. It is complete in every department, gathering promptly the news from all parts of the world and presenting all sides of every public question fairly and intelligently. Its market reports are models of accuracy; its departments for women readers and for the farmer are usefull and entertaining, and its serial stories are by the most noted writers. The aim of its publishers is to make it a paper for the home above everything else, and they have succeeded admirably. The *Times* is delivered by agents for one cent a day, or will be sent by mail for thirty cents for one month; fifty cents for two months; seventy-five cents for three months; \$1.50 for six months or \$3.00 for one year. If there is no agent for the *Times* in your locality write for sample copies, which are sent free, and terms to agents.

Turkey Dinner.
The ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve dinner and supper in the Reynolds brick block on Thanksgiving Day. Following is the bill of fare for dinner:
Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce, Mashed Potatoes, Cold Saw, Celery, Pickles, Plum Pudding, Pumpkin Pie, Mince Pie, Tea, Coffee.
The price for dinner will be 35 cents, and supper will be 25 cents.

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Thursday is Thanksgiving.
Tim O'Bryan is on the sick list.
L. A. Hays went to Brockwayville on Saturday.

T. R. Davis, of Lindsey, was in town on Saturday.

The M. E. Sunday school are busy preparing for Christmas.

There will be Thanksgiving services in the different churches here Thursday.

Mrs. Lyda Thomas, of Tioga county, is visiting her son, Mr. Kagle, at this place.

Mrs. Sady Williams, of Reynoldsville, is spending the winter at Mrs. Geo. Henry's.

Mrs. Millren, of this place was taken very ill on Friday of last week. Her many friends hope she will soon recover.

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See the fine display of watches in all sizes, from 0 to 18 size at Ed. Gooder's King & Co. and W. Spry sell six pounds of crackers for twenty-five cts.

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C. F. HOFFMAN,
The Jeweler.

Special Bargains!
The following Goods are Going Fast!
Cashmere, in different shades, regular price 25c., now 15c.
All-wool Henriettas, former price 50c., now 40c.
52-in. All-wool Ladies' Cloth, former price 65c., now 40c.
45-in. Black Henriettas, former price \$1.00, now 80c.; former price \$1.25, now \$1.00.
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