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In this day and age when one of the prominent ills which the human family is heir to is indigestion, it might not be considered out of place if we would state that it has been said that a ripe apple is one of the easiest foods for the stomach to deal with, the whole process of digestion only consuming eighty-five minutes. The malic acid of apples cooked or raw helps to digest meat and to stimulate the liver and neutralizes those noxious matters which unless eliminated produce skin eruptions. The salts and wine sweeten the stomach, the phosphorus is a nerve builder.

An exchange crowds much truth into this short paragraph: "The press endures affliction of deadheadism from the bar, stage, society, individuals and corporations. It is expected to give strength to the weak, eyes to the blind, clothes to the naked, bread to the hungry, etc. It is asked to cover up infirmities, hide weakness, wink at quacks, bolster up dull, sapheaded politicians and flatter the vain. It is, in short, to be all things to all men; and if it looks for any reward it is denounced as a mean and sordid sheet. There is no interest under the whole heavens that is expected to give so much to society without any pay or thanks, as the press."

Many people are not conversant with the post-office laws and regulations, therefore it will likely be of interest for such people to know that according to Sec. 433, Postal Law Regulations, loungers or disorderly persons are not permitted in post-offices. A postmaster must not allow his post-office to become the resort for loungers or disorderly persons, or the scene of disputes or controversy and when ever necessary to invoke the aid of civil authorities to expel violators of this rule. He is also required to keep his post-office at all times in such a clean and orderly condition that it may be visited by women and children and others without impropriety or embarrassment. He is not authorized to exclude the public from the lobby of his office during the distribution of the mail but may enforce the observance of good order and may prohibit smoking there. When the local authorities refuse to preserve order in a post-office at the request of the postmaster he should close the office.

At this time of the year when people are making out their list of resolutions for 1895 it would be well for them to include Dr. Talmage's recipe, "encouragement," for a real happy New Year. Encourage the merchant. If he have a superior style of goods, tell him so. Encourage newspaper men. Be affable to them when you have no ax to grind. Encourage mechanics. If one has done a job well, tell him it is splendidly done. Encourage the farmers. There is no class of people in this country who want your sympathy more just now than farmers. Encourage the doctors. You praise the doctor when he brings you up from an awful crisis of disease, but do you praise the doctor when through skillful treatment of the incipient stages of disease he keeps you from sinking down to the awful crisis? Encourage the lawyers. Encourage the teachers in our public schools. Encourage all invalids by telling them how many you have known with the same ailments who got well. Encourage all starting in life, by yourself becoming reminiscent.

The New York World is authority for the following article on how a man goes to sleep: "Order is Heaven's first law," and the old truth is manifested even in the process of going to sleep. When a man drops off to sleep his body does not do so all at once, so to speak. Some senses become dormant before others and always in the same order. As he becomes drowsy the eyes close, and the sense of seeing is at rest. It is quickly followed by the disappearance of the sense of smell, and then after a short interval the tympanum becomes insensible to sound, or rather the nerves which run to the brain from it fall to arouse any sense of hearing. The last sense to leave is that of touch, and in some hyper-sensitive people it is hardly ever dormant. Even in their case, however, their is no discriminating power or sense of what touched them. This sense is also the first to return upon awakening. Then hearing follows suit, after that taste, and then the eyes become able to flash impressions back to the brain. The sense of smell, oddly enough, though it is by no means the first to go, is the last to come back. The same gradual loss of power is observed in the muscles and sinews as well as in the senses. Slumber begins at the feet and slowly spreads up the limbs and trunk until it reaches the brain, when unconsciousness is complete and the whole body is at rest. This is why sleep is impossible when the feet are cold.

West Reynoldsville School Notes.

The following is a report of the West Reynoldsville schools for the third month, which ended Tuesday, Dec. 11th:

**GRAMMAR SCHOOL.**  
 Whole number in attendance, 38; average daily attendance, 34; per cent. of attendance, 94; in attendance full time, 20; visitors, 7.

**INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.**  
 Whole number in attendance, 52; average daily attendance, 55; per cent. of attendance, 90; in attendance full time, 32; visitors 9.

**PRIMARY SCHOOL.**  
 Whole number in attendance, 77; average daily attendance, 69; per cent. of attendance, 93; in attendance full time, 35; visitors, 5.

**SUMMARY.**  
 Total enrollment, 147; average daily attendance, 158; in attendance full time, 87.

Below are the names of those who attended full time during the past month:

**GRAMMAR SCHOOL.**  
 Lizzie Koehler, Blanche Hoke, Byrde Ross, Agnes Gordon, Lulu Creighton, Etta Sykes, Edviva Hoke, Katie Phalen, Sadie Hasson, Ada Hunter, H. F. Stauffer, Willie Ward, William Shobert, Ralph Albright, Frank Wynkup, Frank Stauffer, Leroy Bartle, Harry Herpel, Alex Dunsmore, Fred Dempsey.

**INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.**  
 Amy Allis, Myrtle Shobert, Anna Stiles, Bertha Stiles, Emma Davis, Gertrude Frank, Mary Hasson, Bertha Sykes, Carrie Arnold, Myrtle Burgess, Gertrude McKee, Jennie Siple, Amy Bollinger, Edith Herpel, Flo Best, Ruby Cook, Mable Ishman, Susie McKernan, Nellie Montgomery, Lulu Sykes, Edna Grubbs, John Ward, Charley Montgomery, Charley Burgo, Heochial Barry, Floyd Gross, Asa Fetterman, Samuel East, Louis Schultze, Michael Ward, Chester Schultze, Willie Clarke.

**PRIMARY SCHOOL.**  
 Nellie Hoover, Willard McKee, Josie McKernan, Charley McInteer, John Young, Frank Young, Holton Stiver, Charley Stiver, Arthur Groves, Duncan Dunsmore, Fred Caldwell, Fred Schurig, Homer Little, Isaac Hoover, Alfred Ward, Fred Stiver, Walter Stauffer, Juy Best, Charley Grubb, Hyde Clark, John Thompson, Marie Arnold, Lena Sykes, Frances Swartz, Sophie Schultze, Ella Young, Georgie Radebach, Wilda Williams, Olive Cobbin, Carrie Brewer, Alice Radebach, Mary Ward, Dora Mowrey, Sallie Mowrey, Olive Sykes.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle before Jan. 1st, as I expect to go away after Jan. 1st. All accounts not settled by the first will be left for collection at Squire Neff's office.

HENRY A. REED.

Cash Only.

On and after January 1st, 1895, we will sell for cash only.

H. ALEX. STOKES, Druggist.  
 DR. S. REYNOLDS.

Not every woman, who arrives at middle age, retains the color and beauty of her hair, but every woman may do so by the occasional application of Ayer's Hair Vigor. It prevents baldness, removes dandruff, and cures all scalp disease.

Most all kinds of single barrel guns at Riston's. If you want a gun of any kind see his stock before buying elsewhere.

Just received—a nice line of silverware at Ed. Gooder's.

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

Now is the time to buy your Christmas presents at Ed. Gooder's, as he has a complete line of goods.

For fine cigars and good tobies go to Herpel, the barber.

Program for Entertainment.

Following is the program for the League Entertainment to be given Dec. 31st:

- Overture.....Band
- Duet—"Sweethearts Still".....Lizzie Binney
- Dialogue—"All on Account of a Braclet".....W. B. Stauffer, Mary Burgo, Roman E. Koehler, Sadie Jones.
- Solo—"Pride of the Ball".....S. M. Lowther
- Tableau—"An Old Man's Darling".....John Barclay, Mollie McKee, James Robertson, Josephine Stephenson, Tressa Burgo.
- Ballad—"Heart of My Heart".....W. W. Lowther
- Tableau—"A Young Man's Slave".....Band
- Selection.....Band
- Play—"Out in the Streets".....Band

CHARACTERS FOR PLAY.

- Col. Wayne.....S. M. Lowther
- Mrs. Wayne.....Lizzie Binney
- Dr. Medfield.....W. B. Stauffer
- Nina Wayne.....Carrie Albright
- Folkman.....Post Harries
- Sol Davis.....George Golley
- Mat Davis.....John Barkley
- Pete (Negro).....Wallace Lowther
- Mrs. Bradford.....Lulu Frost
- Miss Bradford.....Frankie King

Yours for calendars for '95.  
 C. F. HOFFMAN.

Men's good gloves from 40 cents up, at the People's store.

All the latest in silverware and silver novelties at Ed. Gooder's.

Candy for the holiday trade at Schultze's.

"A snake in the grass" is all the more dangerous from being unsuspected. So are many of the blood medicines offered the public. To avoid all risk, ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and also for Ayer's Almanac, which is just out for the new year.

Old ladies' warm slippers at Robinson's.

It appears to be the ambition of some of the Lock Haven girls to become as near useless as possible—imagining that such accomplishments fit them for "select" society. But when the honeymoon is past and the veil lifted they will find that a sensible husband would much prefer a wife who can manage a household to a simby-pimby pet who is in close relation to a Pandora box of ills.—Lock Haven Express.

Notice to Directors.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Reynoldsville Coal Company, held December 12th, 1894, the following resolution was adopted:

**Resolved,** That a meeting of the stockholders of the Reynoldsville Coal Company be called to convene at the general office of the company at Reynoldsville, Pennsylvania, on the 15th day of February, 1895, at 10.00 o'clock A. M., to take action on the question of the sale and conveyance of all the property and franchises of said company and to terminate the existence of said corporation, and that the Secretary be and is hereby directed to give notice thereof as required by law.

Attest,  
 CHARLES CLIFTON, Secretary.

Notice.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to me are hereby requested to call at my office, No. 219 Main street, Reynoldsville, Pa., on or before January 1st, 1895, and make settlement of accounts either by cash or note. All accounts remaining unsettled after the above date will be promptly handed in for collection.  
 S. SHAFER.

Notice.

The regular annual meeting of stockholders of the First National Bank, of Reynoldsville, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, will be held in the banking room on Tuesday, January 8th, 1895, from 3 to 4 o'clock P. M.  
 JOHN H. KAUCHER, cashier.

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.  
 J. C. KING & CO.

Guard chains, in silver, gold and silk, for ladies, at Ed. Gooder's.

Special 25 per cent. reduction on suits for boys from 5 to 10 years old at the People's Bargain Store.

Silver bread plates, crumb trays and scrapers at Ed. Gooder's.

Glenn Millren is selling an all-wool underwear at \$1.90 a suit that is actually worth \$2.50.

A large supply of choice candles for the holidays at M. J. Riggs' grocery store.

Buy your wife a set of dishes for a present, prices way down, at Schultze's.

If you want a clean easy shave, go to Herpel, the barber.

Gold spectacles will make a suitable present for your father or mother. C. F. Hoffman can fit the eyes.

Ordinance Relating to Hawkers and Peddlers.

SEC. 1. Every person canvassing from house to house in the borough of Reynoldsville, for the purpose of selling or soliciting orders for books, pictures, photograph albums, clocks, watches, pocket knives, silver plated knives, forks or spoons, spectacles, eye glasses, carpet sweepers, baking pans, bed spreads, patent medicine, plaster paris goods, bronze and plain, soap, tea, coffee and spices, tinware, gents shirts, furnishing goods or clothing by sample, carpets, hosiery, handkerchiefs, lace, needles, thread, embroidery, blankets, rugs, stationery, groceries, piece goods, boots or shoes, groceries to private houses, by wholesale or retail, peddlers of wagons, sleighs and carriages, whether selling by sample or otherwise, shall take out a license from the Burgess and pay the fees hereinafter required before doing or offering to do any business in the said borough.

SEC. 2. The fees for license under this ordinance shall not be less than Ten (\$10.00) Dollars or more than Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars per day for each and every day so engaged, provided, however, that this ordinance shall not apply to those holding merchantile license within the borough, nor to persons resident in the county.

SEC. 3. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same effects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a Law in Council this 3rd day of December 1894, A. D. JOHN D. LOWTHER, Attest, Pres't. of Council.

HENRY A. REED, Burgess office, Dec. 3rd, A. D. 1894, SAM'L LATTIMER, Burgess.

FOR RENT—J. S. Jones' house in West Reynoldsville. This is a good house and a very desirable place to live. For further information call at S. Shauffer's office.

Fancy and common candies for the holidays, cheap, at M. J. Riggs' grocery store.

King & Co. and W. Spry sell six pounds of crackers for twenty-five cts.

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.

Buy your Christmas and New Year's presents at Ed. Gooder's.

Silver knives and forks at Hoffman's. All goods sold engraved free.

See those beautiful clocks at Ed. Gooder's, the jeweler and optician.

You will find a bargain in English decorated ware at Schultze's.

Working pants 85 cts. a pair at the People's Bargain Store.

A desirable line of oil cloth for 17c at the People's store.

J. S. MORROW.

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 Notions,  
 Boots, and  
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A share of the holiday trade is solicited.

I am now Ready

to show you everything in the way of

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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

at very moderate prices.

C. F. HOFFMAN,

The Jeweler and Optician.

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.
- Black Serge, former price \$1.00, now 75c.; former price \$1.25, now \$1.00.

We also have a full line of

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Our Fall and Winter Underwear is complete in every detail.

We are now making

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Remember we do not send your measure off to some ready-made house and get a hand-me-down nearest your measure and put it on to you. We make these suits in our shop at

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- TIN, SHEET IRON - AND - COPPER WARE,
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