

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.

Edison has received 711 patents, and there seems to be no limit to his inventive genius.

"In God we trust" first appeared on the copper two cent issue of 1864, and is the first use of the word "God" in any official act of our government.

Scientists say that sunshine is one of the tonics of nature and that the man who walks on the shady side of the street will die long before the one who walks on the other and sunny side.

If the political campaign upon which our country has entered is to prove an honor to the American people, if it is to be concluded wisely, two principles ought to be remembered and adopted by all parties concerned. First, that there can be honest differences between honest men; hence notwithstanding the intensity of our own convictions that we are right we ought to be willing to respect the convictions of others.

John Hamilton, Deputy Secretary of Agriculture and Director of Farmers' Institutes, in a paper "On the Improvement of the public roads of Pennsylvania," says: The greatest enemy to a good road is neglect. No matter how carefully it may have been constructed, if it is permitted to take care of itself and be neglected, it will be very soon destroyed.

RULES TO GOVERN PUPILS.

Every Scholar Should Read These Rules Carefully and Remember Them.

DUTIES OF PUPILS.

Pupils shall be regular and punctual in attendance, and are required to conform to the regulations of the school; to obey teachers; to be diligent in study and to be respectful towards teachers and schoolmates.

All pupils shall abstain from the use of tobacco, chewing gum and immoral, vulgar language while under the authority of the teacher and on school grounds or going to and from school.

Pupils shall not visit or enter other school rooms than their own, except when sent by their teacher. The proper place for pupils is in their respective rooms.

An excuse from parents or guardian, either oral or in writing, must be given for absence or tardiness; and the reason should be stated in the excuse.

Pupils shall not assemble on or near the school premises before the ringing of the first bell, or loiter about the building after being dismissed.

Jumping on carriages, sleds or other vehicles when going to or from school is forbidden.

When admitted to the building pupils must go directly to their respective rooms and be seated. They shall not stop to converse or congregate in the corridors.

Pupils shall walk up and down stairways and through corridors in a quiet, orderly manner. They shall refrain from running, jumping, and all rude and boisterous conduct in any part of the building at all times. They should be gentlemen and ladies at all times.

Any pupil who, by accident, shall break or injure any school property will be required to make the same as good as it originally was; but any pupil who shall wilfully break or injure any school property, who shall deface any desk, wall, fence or other thing pertaining to the premises, by writing, drawing, cutting or otherwise marking thereon, shall be liable to suspension or expulsion from school and to prosecution.

Pupils who fall behind their classes through irregular attendance, inattention, or indolence, shall be demoted until they qualify themselves for advancement; and pupils who prove themselves, by an examination, ready for a higher grade may be promoted at any time, but no change from one class to another shall be made without the direction of the principal.

Each pupil shall take proper care of the books and supplies furnished by the district, and will be held responsible for any book destroyed or lost by him.

Each pupil shall keep his desk and the articles upon and about it neat and clean, and shall keep the floor about the desk free from torn paper and other litter.

No books or articles not required by the school work shall be brought to the school room, and any such found by the teacher shall be disposed of at his or her discretion.

Since promotions are made largely on the basis of proficiency as shown by an examination, pupils who absent themselves from their classes without cause during the examination will, upon their return, be placed in the same grades as they were at the time of leaving school. Only new pupils and those absent for reasons that render attendance impossible, will be examined at the opening of the term. All pupils are to have a re-examination at opening of term if asked for.

All regulations adopted in each room by the teachers, having the approval of the principal, and all regulations issued by the principal from time to time, shall be equally binding with these unless otherwise ordered by the board of directors.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Children under six years of age will not be admitted.

The morning session of school shall commence at 9.00 A. M. and close at 12.00 M. The afternoon session shall commence at 1.15 P. M. and close at 4.15 P. M.

No agent shall be permitted to enter any school for the purpose of exhibiting any article for sale. Nor shall tickets be distributed or sold in the school by any person whatever unless it be for something connected with school work, and then only under the direction of the principal.

Teachers are requested to keep on exhibition specimens of class room work for inspection by directors, parents and visitors.

Children visitors without their parents are not desirable.

It is earnestly recommended that teachers take an hour each Friday afternoon for literary exercises in their schools.

A pupil affected with any contagious disease, or who has been exposed thereto, will not be admitted to the schools, and in case of doubt, the principal may require a physician's certificate that such disease does not exist and may refuse to receive the pupil until such certificate is produced.

In the primary grade the pupils may be dismissed at 4.00 P. M.

The principal's office hours will be from 4.00 to 5.00 P. M. of each school day.

The foregoing rules were adopted by the Reynoldsville school board, all members being present, at their regular meeting, Aug. 3, 1896.

Paradise.

Jake Smith visited in this place last week.

Lee Sheesley had business in Big Run last week.

P. M. Wells spent last Saturday in Reynoldsville.

Singing at the Literary hall every Saturday evening, conducted by Prof. Pifer.

Lewis Ludwick's saw mill shut down last Thursday on account of another boiler explosion.

Charlie Strouse, James Sheesley, Almeda Holman and Miss Blanch Holman drove to Troutville last Friday night to attend the lawn fete at that place.

Notice to Navigators.

The Allegheny Valley Railway Company expects to begin the erection of a trestle over Red Bank Creek, at Red Bank Station, about August 1, 1896, preparatory to erecting a steel bridge over that stream. The stream will be entirely obstructed until about October 1, 1896.

When you want a nice fit, try the Wm. Richardson shoes at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s in the Wm. Foster Building.

Insure with N. G. Pinney, Brookville; John Trudgen, Solicitor, Reynoldsville.

It will pay you to buy your shoes at J. S. Morrow's.

Teeth extracted without pain by use of odontunder at Dr. B. E. Hoover's dental office.

Boys' beautiful knee pants at Millirens from 25 cents up.

Easy prices on easy shoes. Robinson has them.

Good 7-roomed house on Hill st., newly painted, for rent. Inquire of J. Van Reed.

August and early in September have come to be the favorite time of year for the annual vacations, which nearly every one who is steadily employed feels the need of, and about this time thousands of people are in search of some diverting place to visit. If one happens to be of this number it will not be amiss for him to consult *Demorest's Magazine* for September, which is just out, and is full of timely suggestions for those who are on vacations bent.

Insure with N. G. Pinney, Brookville; John Trudgen, Solicitor, Reynoldsville.

We have added a full new line of shoes. Come and give us a call. J. S. Morrow.

J. C. King & Co. sell the McCormick harvesting machinery.

A nice line of shoes to select from at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s new store in the Wm. Foster Building.

Insure with N. G. Pinney, Brookville; John Trudgen, Solicitor, Reynoldsville.

Seen 'em? What? Ox-blood shoes for ladies at Robinson's.

Notice.

All persons having had dealings with us are requested to call and see if their accounts are properly closed up as all open accounts will be left for collection. J. C. King & Co.

Arnica and Oil Liniment is very healing and soothing, and does wonders when applied to old sores. For sale by H. A. Stoke.

A common cold should not be neglected. Down's Elixir will cure it. For sale by H. A. Stoke.

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Go to the Reynolds drug store for delicious soda water.

Go to Robinson's for stylish shoes at popular prices.

Subscribe for THE STAR and get all the news for a dollar.

We will save you money and sell you shoes that wear and fit your feet. Give us a call. J. S. Morrow.

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The best shoes in the market at reasonable prices at J. E. Welsh & Co's.

At King & Co.'s you will find baled hay, salt, flour and a full line of general merchandise.

Oil grain shoes with 1896 prices, lower than ever before, at Robinson's.

Subscribe for THE STAR and get all the local, county and general news for \$1.00 a year.

The cheapest and best shoes for the money in town at J. S. Morrow's.

Drifting with the Tied.

BARTLETT-VARNER-At the M. E. parsonage, Brookville, Aug. 19th, 1896, by Rev. Dr. Warren, Mr. Bent L. Bartlett and Miss Susie Varner, both of Richardsville, Pa.

EISENMAN-WIANT-At the M. E. parsonage, Brookville, Aug. 19th, 1896, by Rev. Dr. Warren, Mr. Hiram Eisenman, of Strattonville, Pa., and Miss Fannie Wiant, of Clarion, Pa.

SHOEMAKER-MCCULLOUGH-At the M. E. parsonage, Brookville, Aug. 20, 1896, by Rev. Dr. Warren, Mr. John F. Shoemaker and Mrs. Laura McCullough, both of Jefferson Co.

A Famous German Doctor's Work

Consumption is now known to be curable if taken in time—the German remedy known as Otto's Cure, having been found to be an almost certain cure for the disease. Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Coughs, Colds, Pneumonia, and all throat and lung diseases are quickly cured by Dr. Otto's Great German Remedy. Sample bottles of Otto's cure are being given away at Reynolds Drug Store. Large sizes 25c. and 50 cents.

The motto of the proprietors of Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters is, "the greatest good to the greatest number," and so sell a large bottle of a valuable remedy for the small price of 25 cents, and warrant every bottle to give satisfaction or money refunded. For sale by H. A. Stoke.

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I have bought the Finest and Best line of Goods ever brought to Reynoldsville.

A line of novelty goods from 10 to 50 cents a yard; dress goods in all colors and at all prices; plaids from 8 to 75 cts a yard; Shepherd plaid from 12 1/2 to 75 cts; cashmeres in all colors and at prices to suit the times; forty-five inch Henrietta in black, blue, green and rose at 48 cts a yard; former price \$1.00.

A large line in wash goods; Dimity, Percalé, Gesmonda and Moire Esistal, Dotted Swiss in white, blue and pink at prices lower than ever; white goods at all prices; satines in plain, striped and figures.

Large line of embroideries from 2 cts up to 75 cts a yard.

Ladies' waists from 48 cts to \$1.25.

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You will save money by buying your clothing at Hanau's. Men's all wool cheviot suits at 6.50, worth 10.00; men's all wool cheviot suits at 5.00; men's clay suits from 6.50 to \$14; youth's suits in cheviots, worsteds and clay, all colors, at all prices.

Boys' and children's suits from 75c up to 5.00.

A large line of laundried shirts, white and colored, from 50c to 1.25.

A fine line in neckwear, hats and caps.

Please call in before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.

N. Hanau.

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