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Passenger trains arrive and leave Reynoldsville as follows: B. & P. Ry. (C. & M. Div) Arrives Train No. 71, 10:55 a. m. Departs Train No. 72, 12:50 p. m. Allegheny Valley Railway. Eastward. Train 9, 6:45 a. m. Train 8, 7:40 a. m. Westward. Train 1, 1:55 p. m. Train 2, 1:40 p. m. Train 5, 6:50 p. m. Train 10, 7:50 p. m.

A Little of Everything.

"Beatrix Randolph." Friday was Lincoln's birthday. Bargains in Boys suits at Deemer's. "Into the King Row" Friday night. Friday was pay day on the A. V. Ry. "Into the King Row and Crowned a King." Train No. 1 was over an hour late Saturday. Easy to wear, but hard to wear out—Robinson's shoes. Pure lard very, very cheap at Robinson & Mundorff's. Shoes from 15 cts. a foot up to \$3.00 a foot at J. S. Morrow's. Next Monday will be a legal holiday—Washington's birthday. Your watch repaired the same day on leave it, at C. F. Hoffman's. Tickets for the lecture Friday night are one sale at Stokes' drug store. The railroad platform at the Main street station was built last week. Dr. John W. Warnick has moved into the Presbyterian manse on Grant street. Ladies' shoes formerly \$3.50 now \$1.50, some formerly \$3.00 now \$1.00, at Robinson's. John M. Reed Lodge, No. 536, F. and A. M., will banquet at the Imperial this evening. Skeleton eye glasses, the most stylish thing on the market, fitted at C. F. Hoffman's. Go to J. E. Welsh & Co.'s, near post-office, for your shoes, best to wear and best to fit. Fish, fish, salt fish, all kinds, winter catch. Prices very low at Robinson & Mundorff's. The school appropriation for this borough, \$3,037.00, for this year has been received. A railing has been put up along the outside of the sidewalk in front of the Baptist church. W. E. Clarke, of Brookville, moved into the West End Hotel, West Reynoldsville, last week. About forty members of the Presbyterian Jr. Endeavor Society drove to Brookville Saturday. Deemer's never carry goods from one season to another this is the time to get bargains in heavy goods. Rev. C. H. Prescott, of Cleveland, Ohio, preached in the Baptist church in this place Sunday morning. See J. E. Welsh & Co.'s men's \$2.00 work shoes they can't be beaten for wearing quality—near postoffice. There was an oyster supper at Peter Baum's last night. Proceeds for benefit of the Emerickville M. E. church. When you want a nice little shoe for your babies call at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s, near postoffice, they have the nicest and best line. Hear Rev. J. Bell Neff deliver his entertaining and instructive lecture, "Into the King-row and Crowned a King," next Friday night. The members of the Odd Fellows lodges of this place and Bechtroae will visit the Odd Fellows lodge at Falls Creek next Tuesday night. D. F. Robinson, the shoe merchant, was not expected to live last night from heart failure, but as we go to press this morning he is a little better. A. D. Deemer & Co. have covered the floor of their large dry goods store with linoleum. It makes quite an improvement in the appearance of the store room. Sunday was St. Valentine's Day, but the boys and girls made use of the mails Saturday. About four hundred one cent stamps were sold at the Reynoldsville postoffice that day. Mrs. Charles Herpel entertained Prof. Lex N. Mitchell, principal of the West Reynoldsville schools, and the pupils of his room, at her home Thursday evening. A six o'clock dinner was served. Mazie, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snyder, of Worth street, died Saturday evening, of scarlet fever, and was buried in Prospect cemetery Monday afternoon. A number of members of the I. O. O. F. lodge of Bechtroae visited the I. O. O. F. lodge in Reynoldsville Saturday night, and eight or ten members of the lodge of this place visited the Bechtroae lodge Monday night. The A. V. Ry. Co. finished cutting and hauling ice from the Sabula dam last week. One hundred and twenty-four car loads of ice were hauled away from the dam. The company gets ice for the main line and Low Grade Division at Sabula.

Full stock, best goods and lowest prices all along the line at Robinson & Mundorff's big grocery. Rev. J. L. Proudfit, of the Allegheny Seminary, preached for the Reynoldsville Presbyterian congregation Sunday. Teachers' local institute in the Prescottville school house Saturday next. Two sessions, forenoon and afternoon. Boys' and Misses' school shoes at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s, in the Wm. Foster building, they are iron-clad and long wearing shoes. The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a "Colonial" supper in the G. A. R. hall next Monday evening, Washington's Birthday. James Phillips, of the state of Indiana, and Miss Florence Henderson, of Falls Creek, were married in this place last Wednesday by Father Brady. A six o'clock dinner party was given at the residence of Esq. M. M. Davis last evening to the persons who helped take care of Miss Marie during her serious illness. Evangelist Dean is drawing large crowds to the Baptist church every evening. Considerable interest manifested. Services in the church every evening this week except Saturday evening. The Unique Nonpartisan Social Club of this place will give a big ball in their club rooms, Nolan block, on Monday night, Feb. 22nd. Roscoe's orchestra will furnish the music. Supper will be served at Hotel Belmont. The invitations were issued the first of this week. The revival meeting that has been in progress in the Methodist Episcopal church for six weeks, under the directions of Evangelist Heath, of Albion, Pa., closed Sunday night. Between thirty and forty were at the altar during the meetings. Most of the converts joined the M. E. church on probation. There will be an entertainment given by the scholars of the Dean school in the P. O. S. of A. hall at Rathmel, Saturday evening, Feb. 20th. The proceeds will be used to purchase a new flag for the school. A good and entertaining program will be rendered. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Admission 10c. Mr. and Mrs. James S. Abernathy gave a social party at Hotel Imperial last Wednesday evening to about thirty friends. It was a very pleasant party and highly enjoyed by all present. The amusement of the evening was a "spelling bee," confined to the vegetable kingdom. Mrs. George Mellinger and James Irving carried off the prizes. S. V. Shick, Ward Eason and Miss Margie Schultze, of the Deemer & Co. dry goods store, all had the "grip" about the same time and it looked very much for a couple of days last week as if the store would have to be closed for a few days or a new supply of clerks hired, but they managed to get along and are now all able to be at their post of duty. We stated several months ago that the postal authorities forbid any reduction in the size of a postal card by clipping, rounding off the corners, or otherwise, and that a card that has been reduced in any manner is not mailable. If the postmaster refuse to send such cards through the mails he is only obeying the postal laws. The most interesting, entertaining and instructive literary entertainment that ever struck our town, was the lecture, "Into the King-row and Crowned a King," delivered in Center Opera Hall, on Wednesday night, May 13th, by Rev. J. Bell Neff. It was a marvel of combined wit and common sense.—Marienville Express. At Assembly Hall Friday evening, February 19th. Following is the bill of fare for the "Colonial" supper to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church in G. A. R. hall Monday evening, February 22nd: Chicken, mashed potatoes, Boston baked beans, brown bread, cold slaw, pickles, coffee, pumpkin pie, apple pie, canned fruit, cake, apples, doughnuts and hickory nuts. All for 25 cts. Everybody attend. George and Martha Washington will be on the reception committee. Quarterly meeting services will be held in the M. E. church next Saturday evening and Sunday. Presiding Elder Smith will be present at all the services of the quarterly meeting and do the preaching. Preaching Saturday evening at 7.30, followed by quarterly conference. Love feast at 9.45 Sunday morning; preaching at 11.00, followed with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Sunday school at 2.30, Epworth League prayer-meeting at 6.00 and preaching at 7.00 P. M. It was stated in THE STAR last week that Miss H. J. Nickle was taking an inventory of stock in her novelty store with a view of selling out to James K. Johnston. The sale has been made. Mr. Johnston will dispose of a large portion of the stock to dealers in Reynoldsville who handle that line of goods. He proposes to open a shoe store in the room occupied by Miss Nickle, and bought the stock to get the room. It will be a month at least before Mr. Johnston will open his shoe store.

Bar Association. Jefferson County Bar Association was organized at Brookville Monday night. The lawyers of many other counties in the state have such an organization. Chin Cut. C. W. Gillespi and wife, of Punxsutawney, drove to this place Sunday on a pleasure trip, but the pleasure of the trip was greatly marred by an upset, by which Mrs. Gillespi received an ugly cut in the chin. One of our doctors had to sew the cut up. Thirty-five Licenses Granted. On Monday Judge John W. Reed granted the liquor licenses for Jefferson county, which consisted of thirty-one retail, one wholesale and three breweries. All the hotels of Reynoldsville that had license last year were granted the same privilege to dispense the "ardent" this year. There were two applications from this place for wholesale liquor stores, H. S. Bolnap and Frank A. McConnell, but both were refused. Mr. Bolnap has been running a wholesale at this place for six or seven years. A New Lawyer. In a couple of weeks another lawyer's "shingle" will be hung out in Reynoldsville. The new lawyer is Smith M. McCright, son of Thomas McCright of Winslow township, who was admitted to the Jefferson county bar at the September term of court in 1896. Smith has rented the front room, on the second floor, in the W. M. Foster brick block. Smith is a real nice young man and, while Reynoldsville is well supplied with good lawyers, yet there is no doubt but that Smith will get his share of clients. Broken Finger. Archie Huntington, an engineer on the R. & C. Ry., is off duty waiting for a broken finger to knit together. Archie and his wife drove to Sylesville Saturday night for the pleasure of a sleighride and to attend an oyster supper. Archie can run an engine all right, but he cannot manipulate the reins on a fiery steed after night successfully enough to avoid snow drifts and prevent an upset, as it was in such a calamity on the night above mentioned that he received the broken finger. Coasting Accident. Frank Rupert was badly injured while coasting on Grant street yesterday after school. It was first thought his skull was fractured but the doctors think now that he is not seriously injured. Rupert and three other boys were riding down the ice-covered street on a pair of bobs at express train speed and they collided with a cow, knocking the hind legs out from under the bovine and she fell on top of Rupert. He was insensible for a short time. Frank Isoman's forehead received such a hard bump that a lump about the size of a hen egg raised up on it. The other two boys escaped without injury. Only Three Cases. There were only three cases tried in criminal court last week, which adjourned Thursday. In the case of Lawyer William Fairman, of Punxsutawney, who was charged by George Noerr, of the same place, with poisoning chickens, the jury rendered a verdict "not guilty, but pay half the cost and the plaintiff to pay the other half." The costs will be about \$115.00. In the case of Charles Brown, Harvey Brown and Jesse Dickey of Panic, charged with disturbing a public meeting, the verdict was, "not guilty but pay the cost." Charles Uplinger, of Panic, assault and battery, not a true bill. These two cases were tried before "Squire Neff about the first of this year. Stevenson—Millen. William Stevenson, a son of Robert Stevenson, a prosperous farmer of the Beechwoods, and Miss Abbie Millen, a charming school marm of the same section, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of Robert Hunter, in the Beechwoods, at 10.00 A. M. yesterday, by Rev. George H. Hill, pastor of the Beechwoods Presbyterian church. A large number of friends and relatives of the contracting parties were present. The wedding presents were numerous, beautiful and valuable. An excellent dinner was served. Miss Millen was teaching the Osborne school, Washington township, and had two months to teach to finish the term, but she resigned to change her name from Miss Millen to Mrs. Stevenson. The bride and groom are both nice young people and are highly esteemed in their community. Commencement Week. Prof. Lenkerd, superintendent of our schools, has completed arrangements for commencement week in our schools. On Sunday, May 2nd, Dr. Crawford, of the Allegheny College, Meadville, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and on the following Monday evening deliver a lecture before the Alumni Association. On Tuesday evening there will be an elocutionary contest by the Jr. Class for a gold medal. On Wednesday Dr. Henry Houch will deliver the graduating address. Commencement week will be something new in our town, and we are glad that we have at last reached that point where we can have commencement week. Prof. Lenkerd is deserving of great credit for the efforts he has put forth to bring our schools up to a high standard.

Foul and Horrible Crime. At the April term of the Elk county court, Fred Rockwell, of that county, who is now in the Forest county jail with three other prisoners for robbery, one of whom is a pretty woman, Mrs. Lewis Haines, will be tried for the foul and horrible murder of Lewis Haines. The crime was committed to get Haines' wife, as Rockwell was in love with her and she with him. She told Rockwell if Haines was out of the way she would marry him. About the first of this year the charred body of a man was found in a blacksmith shop at an old log camp in Jones township, Elk county. An inquest was held and the jury rendered a verdict that "an unknown man had met death in an unknown manner." The District Attorney and County Detective were not satisfied and the detective was put to work on the case. He got on the right track, followed it up and the testimony given by the four prisoners in the Forest county jail last Wednesday tells a horrible story of ill-fated love, man's perfidy and woman's worse than weakness. The evidence taken gives the following as facts in the case. Haines and Rockwell had been engaged in robbing stores in Elk and adjoining counties. The latter part of December they started out on a robbing expedition. As they were passing the deserted camp Rockwell said his feet were cold and suggested that they enter the blacksmith shop and build a fire, as it was a cold day. Haines was kneeling, whittling kindling for the fire, when Rockwell picked up a heavy bar of iron and struck him over the back of his head, killing him instantly. He then covered the body with brush and boards and set fire to it and waited outside until the roof fell in. He then went to Haines' house and when asked by the family what had become of Haines, told how he had finished him. He had on Haines' rubber boots and cap when he returned without Haines. Mrs. Haines acknowledged, on the witness stand, that the morning after the alleged murder Rockwell came home about five o'clock and crawled in the window and got in bed with her. She said she never cried about her husband's death. The evidence taken shows that Haines and Rockwell had followed a peddler to Marienville, Forest county, to murder him for his money, but he got on a train and escaped from them.

YESTERDAY'S ELECTION. Electric Light Defeated by Eighteen Votes.—H. Alex. Stokes Elected Mayor. For the first time in years there were only two parties represented in yesterday's election in this borough, West Reynoldsville and Winslow township, and they were the Republican and Democratic parties. Some years there were four or five parties on the ballots. The entire Republican ticket in this borough was elected with the exception of tax collector, and the Republicans did not have a candidate on the ticket for that office. The Democrats in Winslow township elected almost their entire ticket. The Democrats of Henderson township elected their entire ticket. There is an asterisk (*) before the names of those who were elected in West Reynoldsville and Winslow township. Below we give the result of yesterday's election: Reynoldsville Borough. ELECTRIC LIGHT VOTE. 1st Precinct. 2nd Precinct. For..... 27 For..... 116 Against..... 100 Against..... 61 Republican..... Democrat..... MAYOR. H. Alex. Stokes..... 241 Glenn A. Millren, 108 JUSTICE OF PEACE. E. Neff..... 25 Jesse L. Test..... 150 COUNCIL. Richard Smith (3 yrs)..... P. G. Burkhardt (3 yrs) 134 S. R. Elliott (3 yrs)..... Geo. Harding (3 yrs) 128 J. H. Corbett (2 yrs)..... R. H. Wilson (3 yrs) 135 SCHOOL DIRECTOR. Dr. J. W. Foust..... 245 Henry C. Deibel, 144 Dr. A. H. Bowser..... 109 Dr. James B. Neale, 156 TAX COLLECTOR. Nislan Cooper..... 194 POOR OVERSEER. John Trudgen..... 216 George W. Swartz, 138 AUDITORS. John Ewing (3 yrs)..... 222 W. J. Weaver (3 yrs) 127 T. C. Reynolds (2 yrs)..... Chas. Millren (2 yrs) 117 JUDGE OF ELECTION. (1st Precinct)..... (1st Precinct)..... J. C. Barto..... 119 M. C. Coleman..... 48 (2nd Precinct)..... (2nd Precinct)..... W. H. Ford..... 115 G. M. McDonald..... 71 INSPECTOR. (1st Precinct)..... (1st Precinct)..... James Robertson..... 115 Thos. E. Evans..... 50 (2nd Precinct)..... (2nd Precinct)..... J. C. Barto..... 109 S. T. Dougherty..... 75 ASSISTANT ASSESSOR. (1st Precinct)..... (1st Precinct)..... S. B. Saxton..... 114 O. F. Smith..... 54 (2nd Precinct)..... (2nd Precinct)..... J. C. Barto..... 101 I. M. Swartz..... 80 West Reynoldsville Borough. Republican..... Democrat..... BURGESS. D. B. Stauffer..... 35 *J. C. McEntire..... 68 HIGH CONSTABLE. *M. C. Kelley..... 67 A. F. McKee..... 33 COUNCIL. *Samuel Sutter..... 59 A. R. Schuckers..... 44 *James Orr..... 59 M. Montgomery..... 35 SCHOOL DIRECTOR. *M. H. Stiles..... 52 *David Bollinger..... 57 N. W. Drake..... 49 Joseph McKernan..... 49 TAX COLLECTOR. *E. Brewer..... 56 Wilson Gross..... 37 POOR OVERSEER. John Barto..... 47 *P. McEntire..... 54 AUDITOR. Wilson Barry..... 50 *J. C. McEntire..... 52 JUDGE OF ELECTION. Errol Sutter..... 50 *John Crawley..... 51 INSPECTOR. *W. B. Stauffer..... 54 *W. P. Woodring..... 49 Winslow Township. Republican..... Democrat..... SCHOOL DIRECTORS. *O. H. Broadhead..... 190 *J. L. Marshall..... 238 A. L. Long..... 162 Samuel Steel..... 154 SUPERVISORS. Samuel Eye..... 155 *J. S. Johnston..... 192 Amos Strouse..... 191 *Adam Norris..... 193 TAX COLLECTOR. Chas. E. Dean..... 185 *L. G. Liddle..... 260 OVERSEER OF THE POOR. Geo. W. Mohney..... 159 *Edward Hughes..... 223 AUDITOR. A. W. Scott..... 174 *George Hughes..... 201 JUDGE OF ELECTION. (East)..... (East)..... *J. L. Long..... 133 S. S. Haines..... 127 (West)..... (West)..... *W. K. Garvin..... 63 F. P. Best..... 59 INSPECTOR. (East)..... (East)..... Geo. B. Bowser..... 128 John Bowser..... 135 (West)..... (West)..... A. T. McClure..... 67 Amos Deemer..... 52 ASSISTANT ASSESSOR. (East)..... (East)..... Wm. Foust..... 111 *G. L. Henry..... 147 (West)..... (West)..... W. F. Hutchison..... 59 *A. O'Donnell..... 61 Attempted Fraud. Some person made a clever attempt to keep the names of the Prohibition candidates of Washington township from appearing on the township ticket, and the fraud was not discovered until Monday, when some one interested got hold of a sample ballot. The Prohibitionists of Washington township nominated a ticket and filed the certificates of nomination with the commissioners at the proper time, but some time after this had been done, some person in the township wrote to the commissioners, and also telephoned to them, asking that the list of names be returned to Falls Creek. Whether the names signed to the letter or given over the telephone was a forged one or not, the commissioners have not yet revealed. The commissioners took the matter in good faith and when the time for printing the ballots was up and the Washington township Prohibition candidates' names had not been returned, they naturally enough had the ballots for that township printed without the Prohibition list. Yesterday morning the ballots, with the Prohibition ticket thereon, were at the proper polling places in the township before seven o'clock. Two Prohibitionists from the township went to Brookville on the afternoon train Monday to know why the Prohibition ticket was omitted and learned the facts as above stated. The commissioners were not to blame, as they had been deceived, but they were thrown liable to a fine of \$2,000 apiece and one year imprisonment. Arrangements were quickly made to have the ballots for Washington township reprinted, the work to be finished by one o'clock yesterday morning, and a team was hired to be ready at that time to deliver the ballots into Washington township. It is probable that the commissioners will make it interesting for the person who attempted such a fraud, unless the guilty person forged the name of some Prohibitionist and it cannot be discovered who did it.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Glimpse of the People who are Passing To and Fro. David Wheeler was in Pittsburg last week. Lyman Scott was in Brookville this week. Miss Hettie Beer is visiting friends in Bechtroae. Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Snyder spent Sunday in Brookville. Mrs. D. W. Risson visited her daughter in DuBois last week. David Eason, of Brookville, was in this place last Thursday. Mrs. Simon Reitz, of Stanton, is a visitor at Holtz Motters'. B. E. Wellendorf, of St. Marys, was in Reynoldsville Thursday. W. C. Holmbold, of Curwensville, was in Reynoldsville Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wheeler have been in Pittsburg the past week. Miss Ella Seeley has been visiting friends in DuBois the past week. Miss Helen Seeley is visiting in Smicksburg, Indiana county, Pa. Miss Susie Donny, of Driftwood, visited in Reynoldsville over Sunday. Samuel J. Eastman, of Lottsville, N. Y., is visiting relatives in this place. C. H. Prescott, of Cleveland, Ohio, has been in Reynoldsville the past few days. Miss Dacie McIntire, of New York City, is visiting relatives in Reynoldsville. Mrs. Charles Corbett, of Brookville, was the guest of Mrs. S. B. Rumsey last week. Miss Carrie Matson, of Brookville, is the guest of Misses Marie and Elizabeth Davis. William C. and Nislan Bond, of Brookville, were in Reynoldsville Monday. Mrs. Benjamin Haugh returned Monday from a visit with her sister at Knoxdale, Pa. Joseph Miller and Jesse Couch, of Winslow, Pa., were guests of Dr. B. E. Hoover Sunday. L. A. Stiles, who has been in New Castle for sometime, returned to Reynoldsville last week. David Neale, of Perryville, spent Sunday with his brother, Dr. J. B. Neale, in this place. Mrs. Catharine Foust, of Huntingdon county, is visiting her son, Dr. J. W. Foust, on Jackson street. Ed. O'Reilly went to Pittsburg Monday to take a ten-weeks' course in the Barber College in that city. Alex. McClelland, of Rockdale Mills, was in town Monday and had his name added to THE STAR'S subscription list. I. P. Dempsy, agent and operator at Oak Ridge for the A. V. Ry. Co., spent Sunday with his parents in West Reynoldsville. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. McDonald, of New Bethlehem, visited the latter's brother, A. M. Woodward, in this place the past few days. James A. Cooper, of Warsaw, visited his father, Nislan Cooper, in this place last week. While in town James made THE STAR office a very agreeable call. Robert W. Norris returned to the Medico-Chirurgical College at Philadelphia Saturday, after spending several weeks at his home on account of the death of his father. Sam'l J. Williams and wife left town this morning to visit at Shippenville, Butler and Pittsburg a few weeks and then will return, pack their household goods and move away. Misses Roberta Ayres, Barbara Gene Waite and Susie B. Ayres gave musical and elocutionary entertainments at Crenshaw and Dugos on Monday and Tuesday nights of this week. Richard L. Taaffe, a mine boss in the employ of the Jefferson and Clearfield Coal and Iron Co., was in Youngstown, Ohio, four days since our last issue visiting a sister in that place who is ill. Mrs. George Ainsley, of DuBois, widow of one of the miners who was killed in the disaster at the Berwind-White shaft about one year ago, visited the family of her uncle, Robert Bone, in this place last week. Miss Barbara Gene Waite, the elocutionist, and Miss Roberta Ayres, the singer, of Reynoldsville, have been engaged to take part on the program at the teachers' local institute to be held in Fenfield on the 25th inst. James Waite, who had been attending the Union Theological Seminary in New York City and had intended returning there, changed his mind and has gone to the Theological Seminary in Allegheny City. He left here Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. K. Johnston were in DuBois yesterday attending the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. J. J. Hildinger, who died in McKeesport Saturday and whose remains were taken through Reynoldsville on the 6.50 train Monday evening to DuBois, for burial. Rev. J. C. McEntire returned last week from Filmore, Center county, where he had been three weeks assisting in a big revival meeting. Over one hundred were at the altar during that time and the meeting was still in progress when Rev. McEntire started for home. Five hundred dollars worth of shoes just received at J. S. Morrow's. Caramel cereal, a good and healthful substitute for coffee, at Robinson & Mundorff's.