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## A Little of Everything.

"A chiel's among ye taking notes, And faith he'll print 'em."

The roasting ear is in its prime.  
Hear Dr. Swallow to-morrow evening, Monday, September 6th, is Labor Day.  
P. F. Bolger was at Helvetia over Sunday.  
The Mill Hall Times has entered its second year.  
Extra good \$2.00 work shoes at J. E. Welsh & Co's.  
The oyster's vacation ends the last day of this month.  
For neat fitting suits, go to Snyder & Johns, fashionable tailors  
Ladies' and Misses' fine Oxfords going at cut prices at Robinson's.  
County Coroner Cochran, of Big Run, was in Reynoldsville Thursday.  
Ed. A. Carmalt, Esq., of Brookville, was in Reynoldsville Thursday.  
Mrs. James W. Stevenson, will go to Ridgway this afternoon to visit.  
The West Reynoldsville schools will begin one week from next Monday.  
Sunday school picnics have not been given yet. Better hurry them on.  
Rev. J. W. Blaisdel, of Bordentown, N. J., was in Reynoldsville Monday.  
Eugene, young son of Miles W. King, a school director of this place, has the diphtheria.  
The Winslow township schools will begin the winter term on Monday, September 20th.  
Fred. Butler rode up from Mosgrove on his wheel Sunday and returned on the train yesterday.  
Joseph Hamblit moved from Jackson street Monday into rooms over Hamblit & Swartz tailor shop.  
Thomas Bone and bride came to Reynoldsville Thursday evening. They will go to housekeeping on Jackson street this week.

Andy Denny, jr., of Driftwood, was in Reynoldsville Monday.  
Rev. Greybell, of St. Marys, was a visitor in Reynoldsville last week.  
W. C. Elliott, editor of the Volunteer, and wife spent Sunday in Brookville.  
Dr. Swallow will deliver an address in Centennial hall Thursday evening.  
Waverly school shoes, with every pair a nice school tablet, at Robinson's.  
The ice cream festival held in the Star building Saturday evening was a financial success.  
A young chap was put in the cooler Saturday evening for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.  
James Delaney has moved his barber-shop into the room next door to Moore & Dickinson's grocery.  
J. P. Mowery will open a small grocery store to-day in the Jenks building, corner Second and Main streets.  
A fine line of ladies shoes just received. The latest in cloth tops, coin toes, with kid tips, at Robinson's.  
A special term of court will convene Monday, Sept. 6th, and the regular term will begin Monday, Sept. 13th.  
The Hopkins mill, which has been shut down since the first of July, will start up again the last day of this month.  
J. L. Heaton, who worked at Hopkins, moved to Clearfield this week to take charge of the Palace restaurant and boarding house.  
There will be an ice cream festival in the Paradise Grange Hall on Thursday evening, Aug. 19th, for the benefit of the C. P. church of Panic.  
Philip Koehler is at Scranton this week attending the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias as a delegate from Valient No. 461, of Reynoldsville.  
M. Wayne Womer, formerly of this place, and Miss Margie E. Wakefield, of Roseville, Ohio, will be married at the home of the bride on Wednesday, August 25th.  
Did you get one of the neat pocket pieces distributed by the R. & W. Jenkinson & Co.? It can be exchanged for a "Santa Bana" cigar if you don't want to keep the pocket piece.  
The members of the Woman's Relief Corps of this place will go to Brookville to-morrow to join with the Corps at that place in holding a picnic on the grounds at the Memorial Home.  
The Baptist Young People's Union of this place held a social at Hopkins last Wednesday evening. Rev. Dean conducted an open air gospel meeting at that place the same evening.  
About thirty young people attended a party at the residence of P. A. Hardman last evening, which was given in honor of J. D. Purtell, who is visiting his sister, Mrs. Hardman. The young people had a good time.  
B. M. Clark, Esq., and family, David Eason and two daughters, Misses Katie and Mary, of Brookville, and Mrs. R. A. Rodgers, of Pittsburg, drove up from Brookville and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Eason.  
The ladies of the Presbyterian Work Society will have charge of a "market" to be held in the Star building Saturday afternoon and evening, Aug. 21. Home made bread, cake, pies, buns, etc., for sale. Everything guaranteed first-class.  
The semi-centennial celebration of the P. O. S. of A. will be held in Reading, Pa., next week. George Roller will represent the Reynoldsville Camp at this celebration and John L. Marshall is the delegate from the Rathmel Camp.  
Ellis Weinstein, who has been in business at Centerville, Pa., has rented the middle store room of H. Alex. Stoke's block in West Reynoldsville and will open a dry goods store there about the first of September. He will live in the rooms over the store room.  
There will be an ox roast in Carrier's recreation park, Summerville, to-morrow, Aug. 19th. Preparations are being made for a big time and big crowd. Dr. S. C. Swallow, Prohibition candidate for State treasurer, will be present and deliver an address.  
Mrs. Catharine Welsh, of Falls Creek, widow of one of the men who were poisoned at the tannery in that place, will get \$2,000.00 insurance from the Macabee lodge at Falls Creek. Esq. E. Neff was at Falls Creek Saturday making out papers for the widow's insurance.  
Frank Hoffman has bought the frame building that was occupied by Mrs. Hutchinson's millinery store and will move it on to his lot at the corner of Fourth and Grant streets. The building was sold by Froehlich & Henry Bros. to make room for the new brick building they intend erecting.  
Mrs. James Cathcart and Mrs. Wm. H. Lucas invited a number of Reynoldsville and Falls Creek ladies to attend a picnic at Sandy Valley last Thursday afternoon. There were 125 persons present. The picnic was held in W. T. Cox's orchard. It was a delightful place, a pleasant afternoon and all those present apparently had an enjoyable time.

The male quartette of this place, Frank P. Alexander, Joseph Geisler, Dr. Harry King and Paul Metzenthin, will go to Summerville to-morrow.  
The B. R. & P. Ry will run a special train to Buffalo next Monday. The train will leave Falls Creek at 7.55 A. M. and arrive at Buffalo at 1.00 P. M. Fare for round trip \$3.25.  
W. A. Neale, of Brookville, ex-prothonotary of this county, has been appointed to a clerkship in the Railroad Division of the Interior Department at Harrisburg at a salary of \$1,400 per year.  
The second annual bicycle race under L. A. W. sanction will be held at Brockwayville, Saturday, August 21st. The races will begin at 2 o'clock. A number of good events are on the program and a liberal list of prizes offered.  
W. R. Lemmon and Thomas T. Hague, of Kittanning, were in Reynoldsville yesterday advertising the Kittanning fair, which begins next Tuesday, August 24th, and closes on the 27th. The fair promises to be better this year than ever before.  
Eighteen or twenty members of Pleasant Valley Temple, Ladies of the Knights of Golden Eagle, of Reynoldsville were in DuBois last Thursday evening attending the re-organization of Mountain Queen Temple in that place, which was suspended about one year ago.  
At midnight Joseph Geisler, Clarence Reynolds and Charles Doverspiko will start to walk to Summerville to be present at the ox roast to-morrow. They are to walk back home. Geisler and Reynolds have a wager up so that if either one of the twin back out the other one gets the money.  
Quite a number of the Daughters of St. George of this place were to have driven to Shawmut yesterday to spend the day with Mrs. Wm. Barkley, but on account of the inclement weather the trip was postponed and the Daughters spent the day at the home of Mrs. Wm. Reddecliff, on Railroad street.  
There will be a lawn fete on Mrs. George Armor's lawn on Friday evening. The fete will be under the auspices of two classes from the Presbyterian Sunday school, of which Misses Nellie Armor and Nellie Daugherty are teachers. Miss Daugherty is away and Miss Maud Riston has charge of her class during her absence.  
Rev. H. H. Ryland, of Falls Creek, returned to his home last Saturday on the noon train from Miola, Pa., where he had closed his 22nd revival service conducted since August 29, 1896. During this time he has preached 328 sermons, besides addresses at afternoon prayer-meetings. He will begin work again about August 30th at Tylersburg, Pa.  
The B. R. & P. Ry has let the contract for the construction of a new short line from Falls Creek to Lanes Mills. The distance over the B. R. & P. from Falls Creek to Lanes Mills is nine miles, but the new route will reduce the distance three and one-half miles, making it five and one-half miles. The work of building the new line will begin at once.  
For the accommodation of those who want to attend the 31st annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Buffalo, N. Y., August 23rd to 28th, the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Ry will sell round trip tickets on the following dates, Aug. 21st, 22nd, 23rd and 24th, good for return until Aug. 31st. The rate from Reynoldsville is \$3.40.  
The twelfth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Jefferson county will be held in Brookville Sept. 7th, 8th and 9th. On the evening of the 7th a gold medal contest will be conducted by Mrs. Rebecca A. Borland. Maj. Geo. A. Hilton will deliver a lecture on the evening of the 8th. All friends of temperance cordially invited.  
The fourth and last quarterly conference for the present year, was held in the M. E. Church last Friday evening. In three weeks the Erie annual conference will be held in South Oil City, and with this conference the second year's work of the present pastor of the Reynoldsville M. E. church closes. There is little doubt but that the congregation here will get a new preacher.  
Rev. Grant Colfax Tullor, of Chicago, will be present at the Endeavor Convention to be held at Falls Creek, Aug. 26 and 27. Rev. Tullor is an evangelist and a composer of music as well as the author and publisher of an excellent singing book, called, "Sermons in Song." He will deliver several addresses and sing a number of solos. The Provisional program is already printed and is a good one.  
E. D. Harris, of Reading, Mass., and W. J. Shaffer, of Brookville, representing the R. & W. Jenkinson Co., of Pittsburg, called at THE STAR office Monday. Mr. Harris is the advertising agent for Powell, Smith & Co., one of the largest manufacturers of cigars in the United States. They are placing on the market the "Santa-Bana" brand, an elegant five cent cigar. If you want to properly enjoy a smoke try the "Santa Bana" which can be had of most all dealers.

**Six Foot Fence.**  
The Jefferson & Clearfield Coal and Iron Company are building a six foot fence around the Big Soldier works.

**Toe Amputated.**  
Mrs. Frank Hartle had the second toe of her right foot injured about four weeks ago by stepping on a nail. The doctors found it necessary to amputate the toe and the operation was performed on Sunday.

**Dr. Swallow To-morrow Evening.**  
Dr. S. C. Swallow, of Harrisburg, Prohibition candidate for State treasurer, will deliver an address in Centennial Hall to-morrow, Thursday evening, Aug. 19th, at eight o'clock. Dr. Swallow is a good talker and will, no doubt, be greeted with a full house.

**Mass Meeting To-day.**  
The miners of this place and Rathmel will hold a mass meeting at Prescottville at two o'clock this afternoon. Speakers from the Pittsburg region are to be in this section soon, but it is not expected that any of them will be here in time to attend the meeting here to-day.

**Will Teach in DuBois.**  
Miss Margaret Butler, who was elected teacher of the McCright school by the Winslow township school board at a recent meeting, has resigned to accept a school in the first ward at DuBois. The McCright school was a six month term at \$30.00 per month, and the DuBois school is an eight month term at \$40.00 per month.

**Mrs. W. S. Weaver Dead.**  
We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mrs. W. S. Weaver, the estimable wife of one of the editors of the Brookville Republican. Mrs. Weaver died suddenly at her home in Brookville at ten o'clock Monday night. Mr. Weaver was not at home when his wife closed her eyes in death, he having gone to Scranton that day to attend the K. of P. Grand Lodge.

**A Strike at Bloomington Mines.**  
The miners at the Bloomington Co. mines, near Rathmel, came out on a strike Monday morning. The grievance, so we have been informed, is about a checkweighman. The men elected a new checkweighman Saturday and when he appeared at the tipple Monday he was locked out by the company. The miners held a meeting immediately and decided to refuse to work unless their checkweighman was recognized by the company, consequently the mines are idle.

**Two Cannon for School Grounds.**  
At a meeting of the John C. Conser G. A. R. Post last evening it was decided to ask the Government for two cannon and balls to be placed on the school grounds in this borough, providing that the citizens of the town will subscribe enough money to pay the expense of getting the cannon here, which will amount to about sixty dollars. Twenty dollars was subscribed within an hour last evening. Our citizens should be willing to pay towards getting the guns here. The financial part is in the hands of Prof. G. W. Lenkerd, W. C. Elliott and C. A. Stephenson.

**Name Changed—Officers Elected.**  
Before the S. of V. encampment at DuBois broke up last week the name of the association was changed and will hereafter be known as the Central Pennsylvania Association, S. of V. of the U. S. A. The following officers were elected: President, James P. Sutton, Jr., of Clearfield; Sr. vice-president, Will P. Woodring, of Reynoldsville; Jr. vice-president, E. F. Smith, of Curwensville; trustees, A. S. Multhrop, of DuBois, Leroy Himes, of New Bethlehem, E. S. Brewer, of Reynoldsville. The encampment will be held at Reynoldsville next year.

**Man Bitten by a Mad Cow.**  
Several weeks ago a large black dog, suffering with hydrophobia, made its appearance in Horn settlement, near this place, and succeeded in biting three dogs, two hogs and one cow before the canine was killed. The dogs and hogs were killed and the cow, after one day spent in raving and bellowing, died from the effects of hydrophobia. The cow was owned by Nathan Weary and a short time before she became so violent Mr. Weary thought she had lost her cud and in trying to give her a new one the animal bit him on the back of his right hand. Mr. Weary has not felt any effects from the bite yet, but his family is considerably worried about the matter.

**Family Reunion.**  
The seventh annual reunion of the Alfred Prescott family was held at Camp Run on Tuesday, August 10th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson, which was well attended. The day was enjoyably spent by those present, among whom were Mrs. Hannah Prescott, Mrs. John C. Conser, Squire John M. Hays and wife, S. B. J. Saxton and wife, of Reynoldsville, Mrs. J. P. Horan, of Olean, N. Y., Mrs. Henry Keane and son, Albert, of North Clarendon, James Conser and wife, of Clayville, William Prescott and family, of Adrian, Misses Flora and May Row, of Franklin, Miss Helen Morgan, of Clearfield, Mrs. James Fleming and family, of Covado, Pa., Mrs. L. C. Winslow and daughter, of Winslow P. O.

**Delightful Trip.**  
Prof. A. J. Postlewait, Miss Annie Postlewait and Miss Britta Butler, who were numbered among the tourists to the Atlantic coast, have returned home and express themselves as being very much delighted with their trip, having visited the famous summer resorts as well as some of the eastern cities. The greater part of their time was spent at Avalon. They think the above named place justly deserves being called "The Gem of the Jersey Coast." Avalon is not so well known to our people as some of the other places along the eastern coast, so for the benefit of those desiring either rest or pleasant recreation, it will be well to give a description of this beautiful spot on the shore of the Atlantic. It is midway between Atlantic City and Cape May. On a clear day either of the above named places can be seen. Motors are run to these places and those desiring can go and return in one day, giving ample time to visit the prominent places of either city.  
Avalon is situated on an island belonging to the Seven Mile Beach Co. The best bathing places are found here, on account of the safety of the beach. There is scarcely a noticeable undertow at any time.  
Avalon, while embracing all the attractions of the larger summer resorts, viz: boating, bathing and a beach which is a natural boulevard for driving and wheeling, has none of the objectionable noises, turmoil and flurry so prevalent in other places. People find this a haven of rest. A great many from New York City, Boston, Springfield, Philadelphia, Camden and the smaller towns are found here. Our people met such eminent persons as Senators Quay and Penrose at this beautiful summer resort. They were here for the purpose of fishing. The Great Sound and the surrounding country afford days of unqualified pleasure to the enthusiastic fisher and gunner.  
Avalon has a very pretty hotel, so situated as to give a magnificent view of the ocean from each of its rooms and verandas. This year Hotel Avalon is in the hands of an able man, Hon. Jacob Truby, well known in the western part of Pennsylvania.

**Traction Engine.**  
Frank P. Best, C. A. and W. H. Schugarts, of Winslow township, bought a six-horse-power engine a few months ago to be used to run a threshing machine. The engine was not a good one and would not answer the purpose for which it was purchased and it was traded on a twelve-horse-power traction engine. This engine was unloaded off the cars at the A. V. Ry Monday and steamed up and taken over the hills and valleys to Paradise Settlement to do a job of threshing. It was a new thing, and quite a curiosity to the small boys, to see an engine coming puffing up Main street drawing a large red threshing machine behind it. The engine was run up Main to Fourth, out Fourth to Jackson, up Jackson to Tenth and down Tenth street to the township road. The iron bridge across Soldier Run did considerable groaning when the engine ran over it. Messrs. Best and Schugarts propose to make this engine haul itself and threshing machine from place to place. It is an excellent thing to frighten horses and is a trifle heavy for some of the small bridges in the township, but the engine will, no doubt, prove a paying investment for the owners of it.

**List of Jurors.**  
Following is the list of jurors drawn from this section for the special term of court beginning Monday, Sept. 6th, and the regular term Monday, Sept. 13th:  
**TRAYERS JURORS.**  
Reynoldsville—I. N. Carroll, Samuel Early, John Harris, E. Neff, Henry Priestler, Alex. Riston; Winslow township—Thomas Hutchison; Washington township—George Hindorlter.  
**GRAND JURORS.**  
Reynoldsville—D. W. Atwater, R. A. Hildebrand, Frank Hoffman, Charles Ritzke, Frank Hover; West Reynoldsville—M. C. Kelley, D. B. Stauffer; Washington township—John McDonald, R. C. Osburn.  
**PETIT JURORS.**  
Reynoldsville—J. C. Barto; Winslow township—Robert Adams, sr.; Edward Hughes, Robert Norris, Levi Schuckers, Washington township—J. H. Burtop, J. B. Harter.  
**Church Dedicated.**  
The M. E. church at Emerickville was dedicated last Sunday, Aug. 15th. Dr. R. C. Smith preached the dedicatory sermon. About four hundred dollars were required to liquidate the indebtedness and three hundred and eighty-nine dollars was raised Sunday morning. The Emerickville people now have a convenient, commodious and pretty church to worship in.

**Stereopticon Lecture.**  
Miss Maud Bullon, of the Baptist Training School of Philadelphia, will give a stereopticon lecture in the Baptist church this evening. It will represent the work of the school in its various phases—at the school, in the city alum work and mission work generally. A large number of views will be presented. The lecture is free. A free-will offering will be taken.  
When in need of shoes don't fail to give us a call whether you buy or not—Robinson's shoe house.

**PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.**  
Glimpses of the People who are Passing To and Fro.  
F. M. Brown is in New Bethlehem this week.  
Mrs. Dr. J. C. King is visiting in Clarion county.  
Mrs. C. Mitchell visited in Punxsutawney last week.  
Mrs. A. T. Bing visited her mother in DuBois this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hoch spent Sunday at New Maysville.  
Ralph E. McKee visited his home at Corsica the past week.  
Miss Amelia Morrow returned yesterday from a visit in Sligo.  
Mrs. John P. Horan, of Olean, N. Y., visited at J. M. Hays' last week.  
Samuel B. J. Saxton was at Cherry Run campmeeting the past week.  
Mrs. E. C. Sencor visited her sister in DuBois a few days the past week.  
Misses Clara and Ella McClarren are visiting in Phillipsburg and Oseola.  
J. F. Hinderliter and wife visited at Worthville several days the past week.  
Misses Effie M. and Edith Clark are visiting at Cherrytree, Indiana county, Pa.  
Thomas Lowther and family, of Shawmut, were in Reynoldsville over Sunday.  
Mrs. Wm. Barkley, of Shawmut, has been visiting in Reynoldsville a few days.  
Mrs. M. J. McKee and Miss Ethel McCright visited in Brookville last week.  
D. R. P. Womer, of Kane, former resident of this place, was in town last week.  
Mrs. J. B. Arnold, who has been away nine weeks, returned home yesterday.  
Mrs. Thomas Black and daughter, Rosa, are visiting at Oil City and Cranberry, Pa.  
Miss Jennie McCready, who has been at Sewickley two years, is visiting in this place.  
Mrs. Samuel Wallace, of Pittsburg, has been visiting at C. Mitchell's the past week.  
Mrs. Jerry Brown, of Sabula, visited her sister, Mrs. Robert Thomas, in this place last week.  
Mrs. Joanna Anderson, who has been in Pittsburg six or seven weeks, returned home last week.  
Mrs. Henry Keane, of North Clarendon, Pa., was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Hays the past week.  
George Elliott, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday in this place with his father-in-law, J. L. Test, Esq.  
Mrs. Chas. Montgomery, of Sligo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Woodward Reynolds, in this place.  
Frank M. Arnold and wife, of Clarion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Alexander over Sunday.  
Miss Hannah Stauffer returned last week from a six or seven weeks' visit with relatives in Pittsburg.  
James M. Lord has been at Hite and Pittsburg the past week. He rode his bicycle to the above places.  
Mrs. J. C. Williams, of Caledonia, Pa., is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Dean, near this place.  
Walter Williams, of this place, played ball with the Johnsonburg team last week. Walter is a good catcher.  
J. Rielly Smeltzer, who has been in Washington, D. C., about six months, returned to Reynoldsville last Friday.  
Misses Georgia and Sara Corbett are visiting in Dayton, Armstrong county, Pa. They rode their bicycles to Dayton.  
Mrs. S. T. Himes, of Osnaburg, Ohio, who has been visiting her parents near this place two months, returned home yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Perry, of Washington, D. C., are visiting the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Dean, near this place.  
Dr. C. J. Steim and wife, of Pittsburg, arrived in Reynoldsville last Friday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith until Monday.  
Lawyer G. M. McDonald and family and C. F. Hoffman, the jeweler, and family spent several days in camp in the Beechwoods the past week.  
W. H. Stamey, Esq., of Chambersburg, formerly principal of our schools, now practicing law at the above named place, is spending a couple of weeks in Reynoldsville.  
J. D. Purtell, of Carbondale, Pa., is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. A. Hardman, in this place. Mr. Purtell stopped off here on his return from a fortnight's sojourn in Michigan.  
Misses Emma Andrews and Mary Shaffer, of New Bethlehem, and Miss Anna Louise Toby, of Niagara Falls, were guests of Miss Lydia Mellinger a few days of the past week.  
U. G. Sheafnocker and family went to Chautauqua Saturday and returned to Meadville the first of this week, where Mrs. Sheafnocker and children will remain several weeks.  
Mrs. J. C. Glass and daughters, Ella and Margaret, of Oakmont, wife and daughters of J. C. Glass, Master Mechanic of the A. V. Ry, are visiting Mrs. W. S. Stone and daughters, Agnes and Florence.