



MOTHER'S

Eyes should not be neglected. If she cannot read by lamp light, or she has to hold her paper too far away to see, have her eyes tested and her glasses changed at once before her eyes are ruined.

HOFFMAN, Graduate Optician.

A Little of Everything.

No Paper Next Week. In order to give the printers a much needed vacation, we will adhere to the long established custom of country printing offices and will not issue THE STAR next week.

The glorious Fourth comes on apace! Soon will the welkin ring, And jubilate on the 4th, will wear His countenance in a sling.

No paper next week. To-morrow is circus day. Next Monday we celebrate. Snyder & Johns, fashionable tailors. Come to Reynoldsville July Fourth.

Get your bicycles repaired at Gooder's. All new 1898 patterns in shirts at Millrens.

Angel food cake for 25 cents at Bon Ton Bakery.

A trick donkey will be in the fantastic parade July 4th.

Sparks' circus will be in this place to-morrow, Thursday.

Have you seen the Graphophone at Gooder's jewelry store.

Don't forget to decorate elaborately for the glorious Fourth.

New top buggies for sale at bottom prices at L. M. Snyder's.

The Democratic primary in this borough passed off very quietly.

James Pentz is reading law in the office of Smith M. McCreight.

You will find a bargain counter at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s shoe store.

If you want a nobby, stylish shoe for little money, come to Robinson's.

Something rare, a stock of hats and neckties like that displayed at Millrens's.

Robinson's is the place to buy shoes for the 4th. All kinds of footwear here.

The platform dance July 4th will be held in the pavilion in McConnell's park.

Full supply of fresh cakes will be on hand at Bon Ton Bakery for the Fourth of July.

Hamlet & Swartz have reduced all \$20.00 and \$21.00 suits to \$17.00, \$18.00 and \$19.00, etc.

The heavy storm Saturday afternoon blew down trees, fences, &c., doing considerable damage.

Quench your thirst at the Reynolds drug store soda fountain. Delicious drinks of all kinds.

Sparks' new railroad show and trained animal exhibition will exhibit here to-morrow, June 30th.

Shoes at a great reduction. Some great bargains for men and women this week at Robinson's.

Free balloon ascension and parachute jump, at the circus grounds to-morrow at 1.00 and 7.00 P. M.

Grier Sweitzer says the fire company will turn out to-morrow to watch the "Sparks" from circus.

Take your watches to Gooder's and have them repaired. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Lots of men's shoes on the counter at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s shoe store that you can get for a bargain.

The ladies who had planned to clean the Presbyterian church Friday, will not meet until next week.

Come and hear the graphophone talk and sing and hear it play music of all kinds at Gooder's jewelry store.

The Sunday excursion to Jamestown and Chautauqua Lake Sunday, over B. & P. Ry. was not liberally patronized.

Bon Ton Bakery will close at eight o'clock every evening except Saturday evening. Opens at five o'clock in the mornings.

Frank J. Black, proprietor of Hotel McConnell, is having the name of his hotel painted in large letters on front of the building.

Woodward Miller, little son of Deputy Sheriff Frank Miller, was slightly poisoned Sunday night by chewing a piece of red ribbon.

Bertha, four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Seybort, died Thursday from hydrocephalus, and was buried in Beulah cemetery Friday.

If you can raise \$20 in cash you can now buy a United States bond. The bonds have been placed on sale and small investors will be given the preference.

New officers were installed in the Daughters of Rebekah lodge last evening. After the installation the daughters treated themselves to ice cream and cake.

A pony strayed on to the premises of H. L. Hoke, in Winslow township, Saturday, June 25th. The owner is requested to prove property and take the animal away.

Charles W. Kah, formerly of this place, now a furniture dealer and undertaker at New Bethlehem, has purchased a half interest in a livery stable at that place.

The annual examination for teachers' certificates will be held in the public school building in this place on Friday of this week, July 1st, by County Superintendent Teitrick.

Rev. J. K. McKallip, pastor of the Punsutawney Presbyterian church, was at Knoxdale Monday evening ordaining and installing two elders, John Bailey and Jacob Stoner.

A meeting of Hose Co. No. 1 and the Keystone band will be held at the hose room to-morrow, Thursday, evening, at which time the soliciting committees, and other Fourth of July committees will report.

A merry-go-round has been set up on the vacant lot near opera house and it will remain there until after the Fourth of July. This makes one more attraction for Reynoldsville on celebration day.

The M. E. church at Lake City, Elk county, was dedicated Sunday evening by Presiding Elder R. C. Smith. There was a debt of \$300.00 on the church and \$360.00 was raised Sunday before the building was dedicated.

The patriotic citizens of Hopkins have raised a large flag pole at that place and in a few days they will have a flag raising demonstration. There is nothing slow about the people of Hopkins. They are up-to-date.

A large crowd of Democrats from Jefferson county are attending the Democratic convention in Altoona today. It is expected that Hon. George A. Jenks, of this county, will be the convention's choice for governor.

The A. V. Ry Co. will sell excursion tickets at rate of one fare for round trip on July 2nd, 3rd and 4th, good to return until July 5th, inclusive. No excursion rates for adults will be made for less than 25 cents, or for children less than 15 cents.

Joseph T. Guthrie, Esq., is confined to bed with an injured back, which he received Monday afternoon coming home from John Harries' funeral. "Squire" was riding in a hack and on a rough piece of road he was thrown off the seat.

At the meeting of the Winslow township school board in this place Saturday Messrs. O. H. Broadhead, W. A. London and Benjamin Haugh were appointed as a building committee to see about the erection of the new school house at Big Soldier.

The Children's Day exercises in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening was witnessed by a packed house and then some people could not get seats and had to go home. The exercises were excellent. The church was tastefully decorated.

Albert Geisler, the tonsorial apprentice, base ball enthusiast and official scorer for our base ball team, was riding a bike home after the game of ball at Rathmel Thursday afternoon and the "pesky" bike threw Albert off into a fence corner. When he gathered himself up he found he had received a bad wound on his chin.

W. G. Hartwick, owner of the automatic spring washing machine business, gave a rousing exhibition of the work of his machine Saturday evening on Main street. He washed all classes of goods and did it perfectly in a very short time, and to prove that the machine would wash goods without harm he washed a hundred-dollar bill. This certainly is a perfect washer and ought to interest any one having washing to do. To see the machine operate is proof of all that is claimed for it.

The Fourth of July will be celebrated at Rathmel. Confidence Lodge, No. 344, Knights of Pythias, will have charge of the "doings." At 10.00 A. M., the citizens of Rathmel will raise a flag near the F. O. S. of A. hall, on the banks of the old Wilson-dam, in honor of the boys in Cuba. Prominent speakers will be present to address the assembly. Dinner will be served at the noon hour for 25 cents. In the afternoon there will be foot races, bicycle races, ball game and sports of all kinds. There will be a dance in the afternoon and evening in the London grove. Supper, ice cream cake, &c., will be served in the grove.

Tree Fell on Mill.

During the heavy rain and wind storm that visited this place Saturday afternoon a tree fell across one corner of E. W. McMillen's saw mill, near Rathmel, and badly wrecked about twelve feet of the building. No one injured.

Reynoldsville vs. Eleonora. The Reynoldsville and Eleonora ball teams played a game on the grounds at this place yesterday afternoon in which the home club defeated the visitors. The score was 16-5. A large crowd witnessed the game. The score was 7-5 in the seventh inning.

Will Take a Vacation. The latter part of this week or the first of next week Dr. John H. Murray will go to Atlantic City on a two weeks' vacation. Doctor feels the need of a rest. During his absence, Dr. J. W. Foust will have charge of his practice in Reynoldsville, and Dr. E. F. Meschter, of Philadelphia, will look after his practice at Big Soldier.

Passed Junior Examinations. Misses Lulu Black and Mary Muir, of this place, passed the junior examinations at the Clarion State Normal last week, and Miss Nellie Dougherty passed the junior examinations at the Lock Haven State Normal. These three young ladies are graduates of the high school of this place, and have been at the above Normal schools only a few weeks.

West Reynoldsville Teachers. At a meeting of the West Reynoldsville school board Monday all the teachers of last year were re-elected, as follows: Principal, Prof. A. J. Postlethwait, O. H. Johnston, Misses Hannah Stauffer and Lucy Dempsy.

The directors decided to have the school building re-painted. The millage laid by the board is school 10 mills, school building 1 mill.

Big Time Here. There will be an immense crowd in Reynoldsville on July Fourth because no other town in this section will put up such attractions as will be found here. People will be out for amusement that day and here is where they will find it. Trick donkey, fantastic and industrial parade, bicycle races, foot races, ball games, ladies' and gentlemen's illuminated bicycle parade in evening, fire display of fire works, &c., &c., is what will draw the crowd. Hose Co. No. 1 and the Keystone band, who have charge of the celebration, will put forth special efforts to make this celebration surpass any of recent years at this place. McConnell's park has been leased for that day. The music stand and pavilion have been finished, water and gas lights have been put in the park. A dance will be held in the pavilion in the afternoon and evening.

John Harries Died Saturday. John Harries, a stone mason, who had resided in this place about a quarter of a century, died at his home on Worth street at 7.00 P. M. Saturday, June 25th, from strangulated hernia. The deceased was born in Wales in 1840. He was married in his native land and several years after, with his wife and one child, emigrated to America. Mr. Harries was the father of nine children, six of whom are dead and three living. In 1890 Mrs. Harries died and since that time four of the children followed her into the Eternal Land. Funeral services were held at the deceased's late residence at 2.00 P. M. Monday, conducted by Dr. C. C. Rumberger, pastor of the M. E. church, and the mortal remains were followed by a long funeral procession to the Syphrit cemetery, in Paradise, where interment was made beside the remains of the wife and six children of the deceased. Mr. Harries was a member of the Masonic lodge of this place, and the lodge had charge of the funeral and took charge of the services in the cemetery.

Tin Wedding Surprise Party. On the 27th of June, 1888, Thomas Shields and Miss Katie Long were married, and Monday last being the tenth anniversary of the wedding, some of their friends decided to give them a tin wedding surprise party, and consequently between two and three hundred people were invited to meet at Ira Smith's residence, on Hill street, about 8.30 Monday evening and proceed from there to Mr. Shields' residence on Mabel street, the guests to carry refreshments with them. Notwithstanding the fact that it was a damp evening almost two hundred people accepted the invitation. It was a genuine surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Shields. The family had eaten a late supper and a neighbor called for the purpose of keeping Mrs. Shields at home, and as a result the supper dishes were not washed when the uninvited guests took possession of the Shields' residence, but C. F. Hoffman, Ira Smith and James Irving soon washed the dishes and put them away. As Mr. Shields' house was to full for elbow room, the refreshments were taken to David Reynolds', next door neighbor, where the edibles were served. It was a very pleasant party. Mr. and Mrs. Shields received a stock of presents in tinware and granite, and their were only a few pieces of the same kind in the whole lot.

Early Morning Wedding. At six o'clock this morning a pretty and quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Joseph Butler, on Grand street, when her daughter, Miss Britta Butler, was united in marriage to Prof. A. J. Postlethwait, principal of West Reynoldsville schools. The ceremony was performed in the presence of immediate members of the family by Rev. W. F. Reber, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which the bride and groom are both communicants. After congratulations a wedding breakfast was served and the newly wedded pair left on the 7.40 A. M. train for a wedding trip to Pittsburg, Chautauqua, N. Y., Jamestown, Niagara Falls and other places in the "Empire State." They will be absent two weeks. When they return they will go to housekeeping in a fine new house that Prof. Postlethwait has built in West Reynoldsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Postlethwait, who are both good school teachers and who have taught a number of terms in this borough, are classed among Reynoldsville's best young people, and are well known. THE STAR joins with their numerous friends in extending congratulations and wishing them happiness and prosperity as they travel adown life's pathway together.

Democratic Primaries and Convention.

The Democratic primaries were held in this county last Saturday and the county convention was held in the court house at Brookville Monday afternoon. The convention was well attended. Every district in the county was represented. The temporary officers of the convention were: Chairman, W. M. Fairman; secretaries, George A. Woods, Joseph W. Wilson, B. H. Whitehill, J. R. Conser and E. C. Levis. Committee on resolutions, H. H. Brosius, W. S. Smathers, D. C. Gillespie, S. F. Kennedy and R. A. Summerville. Committee on organization, F. P. Adelsperger, C. A. Morris and A. M. Armstrong. The temporary officers were made permanent officers of the convention.

Following candidates were nominated on the first ballot: Congress, S. H. Whitehill, of Brookville; Assembly, A. Claude Smith, of Eldred township; Coroner, Dr. J. C. Stahlman, of Warsaw; County Surveyor, R. S. VanHusen, of Punsutawney.

The name of Hon. Geo. A. Jenks, of Brookville was presented for endorsement of the convention as candidate for governor and the following resolution was unanimously passed:

In the person of Hon. George A. Jenks we recognize the qualifications of a wise statesman, an able lawyer and an upright citizen, and this convention heartily endorses his candidacy for governor, and we hereby pledge him the undivided support of the Democratic party of Jefferson county at the general election in November.

Mr. Jenks was authorized to select the delegates from this county to the State convention, and he named the following: D. C. Gillespie, G. M. McDonald, John McMurray and Harry Grube. The alternates elected by the convention were: W. M. Fairman, C. M. Dinger, S. R. Crawford and McKean Hart.

County Commissioner Samuel States was selected county chairman.

R. A. Summerville, A. M. Armstrong and H. H. Brosius were appointed Congressional conferees.

The only contest at the primaries was for Congress, for which there were two candidates, Stewart H. Whitehill, of Brookville, and F. M. Bowman, of Young township. Whitehill carried twenty-eight districts and Bowman got ten districts.

Boarding With Sheriff Burns.

A Free Baptist preacher and wife and a six-year-old daughter are boarding with Sheriff Burns at present. They arrived in Brookville the latter part of last week and the man preached for the Free Methodists in Brookville Sunday. He is a fluent talker. Monday he and his wife were arrested charged with adultery, &c., and failing to secure \$300.00 bail for their appearance before Squire Baur July 11th for a hearing, they were committed to the sheriff's keeping until that date. The charges were preferred against them by a man giving his name as Rev. Reeder, of Ithica, N. Y., who happened to be in this section visiting friends. Reeder claimed to be well acquainted with the couple, having baptised the man nine years ago, but the couple both pretended that they had never known Reeder.

In conversation with Rev. Reeder he said that this couple were traveling under an assumed name. That the woman is the legal wife of a man who resides in Crawford county, this state.

That eight years ago she left her husband and a little son and eloped with the man whom she claims is her husband. The couple skipped to Canada for a short time and then went to Wisconsin, where they lived for sometime. Free Baptist church and while visiting friends in Armstrong county Sovinskis, the name under which the couple are now passing, applied for pastorate of the church of Reeder's friends and they gave him Sovinskis' letter to read and asked his advice about accepting the man. Reeder claims he recognized the writing and was thus enabled to get on the track of the couple. He followed them to Brookville and had them arrested. Sovinskis has good credentials for his denomination in Wisconsin.

Reeder says he will have the woman's legal husband and son at the hearing on the 11th of July.

The arrest of Sovinskis and his wife raised some excitement in Brookville. The woman is an innocent looking and fine appearing lady. In younger years she has been a handsome woman.

Game at Rathmel.

The Reynoldsville club played the Rathmel team a return game on the Rathmel grounds Thursday afternoon and defeated that club. The score was 15-11. Up to the seventh inning John Burge was in the box for our team and the score was 15-3, but on account of being hit on the arm with a ball, Burge had to quit pitching and Jos. Williams who also had a game arm, pitched the two remaining innings and the Rathmel club made a desperate effort in those two innings to stave off defeat, making 8 scores, but our boys were too far ahead. The score was:

Table with 3 columns: Name, R, H, E. Reynoldsville players listed with their statistics.

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By Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9. Reynoldsville 15 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0. Rathmel 3 8 0 0 0 0 0 0 0.

Summary: Two base hits—O'Donnell, Butler, Hoffman, W. Williams, Conery, Hill, McKelley, P. Base hits—Joe Williams, Stolton bases—Hill, McKelley, B. Williams, McAuliff 4, Sutter 2, W. Williams, Hoffman. Struck out—By Burge 6, by J. Williams 1, by McAuliff 1, by R. Williams 3. Base on balls—O. B. Williams 3, O. J. Williams 2, Wild pitch—Burge. Hit by pitched ball—B. Williams, Lyle. Time of game 2:30. Umpire, Adams. Assistant Umpire, Scorer, Geisler.

Public Presentation of Flag.

There will be a public presentation of a flag to the Volunteers of this place, by the ladies of the W. R. C., at the McConnell Park building on Saturday evening, July 2nd, at eight o'clock sharp.

Bicycle Supplies of all kinds at Gooder's.

Beautiful Windows.

The new windows, thirteen in all, put in the Presbyterian church at this place last week by a Pittsburg firm, are beautiful windows. The windows are made of opalescent glass. There is a quite a difference between opalescent and cathedral windows. When the sun strikes the opalescent it brings out the colors nicely, but when the sun strikes a cathedral window it becomes transparent. The front window, which is 7 x 14 1/2 feet, is double and triple plated. The design upon it is the Rich Young Ruler. It is a magnificent window from an interior view. This window was presented by the following young men: Frank P. Alexander, J. G. Corwin, J. K. Johnston, Clarence H. Reynolds, A. J. Postlethwait, G. M. McDonald, Esq., R. D. Williams, W. W. Wiley, C. A. Dickinson, W. D. Williams, W. H. Moore, G. R. Adam, F. K. A. Alexander, H. E. Arnold, J. D. Williams, J. M. McCreight, S. M. Clark, H. F. Reynolds, H. W. Eason, T. F. Adam, V. G. Reynolds, H. Shoilds, and W. F. Reber.

In the vestibule, left entrance, is a window presented by the Christian Endeavor Society. At top of this window is the Christian Endeavor emblem. In the vestibule, right entrance, is a window presented by G. W. Falen. At top of this window is bouquet of lilies. In the main portion of church will be found ten windows. Beginning at left entrance of the church the windows are as follows: In memory William Bell, presented by John H. Bell, design at top, star; in memory Rev. L. B. Shyrook, D. D., presented by N. T. L. Society, design at top, open Bible; in memory Rev. W. J. Smith, presented by Mrs. J. B. Arnold, three sisters and one brother, design at top, cross and crown; window presented by Mrs. W. B. Alexander, design at top, bouquet of lilies; in memory Mrs. Blanche Campbell Furbay, presented by Intermediate Christian Endeavor Society, design at top, roses. Right entrance of church: In memory of Craig Reynolds, presented by Harry Reynolds, design at top, lamb; in memory Major James K. Lawrence, presented by Mrs. Alex Riston, design at top, anchor; window presented by Mrs. George Elliott, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. G. A. Prescott, of Tawas City, Mich., to be a memorial window for their father, J. L. Test, Esq., design at top, cup bearer; in memory F. K. Arnold, presented by Mrs. F. K. Arnold, design at top, sheaf of wheat; in memory Mrs. Nellie C. Johnston, presented by the Work Society, design at top, harp.

The gentleman who was here to represent the firm that put the windows in, informed the scribe that the front window was worth \$300.00, and the twelve memorial windows \$700.00, making a total of \$1,000.00 for the new windows.

The Presbyterians are very well pleased with the new windows, and they should be.

Words of Appreciation.

The following item, written by Rev. John M. Dean, pastor of the Reynoldsville Baptist church, we clipped from The Commonwealth, a Baptist journal published in Philadelphia:

A word of honest appreciation is seldom out of place, and I trust that I do not overstate the courtesy of The Commonwealth's managers by asking the insertion of these few lines. We are often privileged to read in these columns words which show how heartily many of the churches appreciate their pastors, but perhaps too seldom the tribute that scores of loyal, loving and devoted churches deserve from the pen of the ministry. Having soon to leave the brethren of Reynoldsville to resume the work that their kindly invitation called me from, I esteem it a privilege to express my thanks to them in this public way for their many courtesies, their loyal support, their unflinching kindness and love. Knowing how welcome to the heart of the departing worker is the thought that his labor lives in lives that he may never touch again, I am sure that knowledge of the fact that the brethren of the Reynoldsville church have inspired and blessed their pastor by their zeal and warm Christian fellowship will be an unwelcome to the A. As an evangelist it is well for me to confess that the faults of the church too often occupy the mind and monopolize the attention of the transient worker, and it is with a real feeling of indebtedness that I say that my sojourn with the loving hearts here will make me the more tender and considerate in future rebukings of sin.

Countless words and deeds of love pressed into a brief pastorate call for a greater return than can be given by the writer in either words or deeds. May the richest of blessings prove the Saviour's utterance, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

JOHN M. DEAN.

"Is the Baptist Church Scriptural?"

Mr. McCoy, who is an itinerant Saint preacher, and Mr. Dean, pastor of the Baptist church, had a debate in the old school building last Friday evening on this point, "Is the Baptist Church Scriptural?" It is a hobby with Saint preachers to attack other churches, and Mr. McCoy is no exception on that line of preaching. If we have been informed correctly, Mr. Dean had heard of his attacks on the Baptist church and in a friendly way offered to attend McCoy's service Friday night and each one was to have forty-five minutes on the above question, and McCoy accepted the proposition. A large crowd was present to hear the debate. McCoy used the first forty-five minutes and Mr. Dean the last forty-five minutes.

Bids Wanted.

The school directors of Winslow township want bids for the erection of a new school building at Big Soldier. Specifications for new school building are in the hands of W. A. London, of Skyesville, secretary of the school board, where they can be seen by any person wishing to bid. All bids must be sent to the secretary before 3.00 P. M., July 9th, when contract will be let.

SCHOOL BOARD.

Watch repairing a specialty at Gooder's.

For Sale—Good house and lot on Grant st., between 4th and 5th sts. Inquire of Mrs. Jos. Morrison, who now lives in the house.

Watches, rings and jewelry of all kinds at Gooder's jewelry store.

Summer shoes at prices you would never think possible. See our bargain counter. Robinson's.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Glimpses of the People who are Passing To and Fro. Dr. J. B. Neale was in Pittsburg last week.

David M. Roll was at Johnsonburg Sunday.

S. B. Rumsey was in Pittsburg over Sunday.

Mrs. D. E. Solada is visiting her parents at East Brady.

Mrs. J. R. Elder, of Beechtree, spent Sunday in this place.

Rev. H. G. Teagarden, of Oliveburg, was in this place last week.

W. C. Schultze is in Somerset county looking after some timber land.

Mrs. Smith M. McCreight is visiting her parents at Derry Station, Pa.

Miss Effie Creighton, of Youngstown, Ohio, is visiting relatives in this place.

Miss Erma Robinson has been visiting friends at Grove City the past two weeks.

Miss Lois Robinson spent a few days of past week with friends in New Bethlehem.

Miss Laura Brady, of Brookville, has been the guest of Miss Elizabeth Irving the past week.

John O'Hare, proprietor of the Burns House, was in Pittsburg and New Kensington the past week.

Mrs. Fred Butler, of Tyler, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Shick, in this place the past week.

Mrs. Orvis O'Dell, of Springville, N. Y., visited her sister, Mrs. J. K. Johnston, in this place last week.

Mrs. W. V. Young, of New Brahma, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cochran, in this place.

Prof. G. W. Lenker, Misses Jessie Smeltzer and Orpha Beer went to Clarion yesterday to attend the commencement exercises at the Normal.

Mrs. George White, of New Bethlehem, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry Priestner, the past week.

Howard Kaucher, student in the Medico-Chirurgical College of Philadelphia, is home for the summer vacation.

Thomas McKernan, of Duquesne, son of Joseph McKernan, of West Reynoldsville, is at home on a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. B. E. Wellendorf and sister, Miss Mary Hall, of St. Marys, passed through this place Monday evening on their way home.

G. J. Corwin, the photographer, will attend the National Photographers' Convention to be held at Chautauqua, N. Y., next week.

W. H. Stamey, Esq., was in Chambersburg, Pa., yesterday and stopped at Altoona to attend the Democratic State convention to-day.

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, nee Mamie Householder, of Philadelphia, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph T. Guthrie, in West Reynoldsville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kribbs, of Kelleysville, Forest county, Pa., have been visiting at "Squire Guthrie's" in West Reynoldsville the past week.

Ex-Postmaster E. T. McGaw and G. M. McDonald, Esq., are at Altoona attending the Democratic State convention which will be held to-day.

E. E. Anderson, of Apollo, Pa., spent Sunday with his father-in-law, J. L. Ewing, in this place. Mr. Anderson rode to this place on his bicycle.

Thomas Maloy has moved from Eleonora to this place. Mr. Maloy has moved into the house on Third street recently vacated by Mrs. S. Lattimer.

Dr. W. B. Alexander and wife and Fred A. Alexander were at Clearfield Thursday attending the funeral of Mrs. Jane A. Hagerty, an aunt of Dr. Alexander.

Mrs. J. H. Jelbart and children, of Johnsonburg, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Butler, in this place, and Rev. Jelbart is at Brookville attending M. E. district conference.

Mrs. Susie Weckerly, of Pittsburg, whose husband was killed at the time of the big explosion and fire in Pittsburg last winter, is visiting her brother, H. W. Herpel, in this place.

Mrs. P. J. Weber and children, of Owego, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Weber's mother, Mrs. Harriett Repsher, in this place. They will remain here until September. Mr. Weber travels for a wholesale harness and saddlery house of Indianapolis, Ind.

Marshall Graham, of Peoria, Ill., is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. O'Donnell. Mr. Graham moved away from this section before the war and he and Mrs. O'Donnell lost track of each other and it was only a few years ago they located each other again.

John Winslow and Arthur Clawson rode their bicycles to Bennezeite Saturday and Arthur broke one of his pedal cranks at Bennezeite and the two bikes were tied together and by the assistance of the one pedal on Clawson's bicycle the young men managed to ride their bikes back to this place.

The War Tax.

The war tax law, part of which is already in effect and the remainder to be in force after July 1st, covers almost everything and is sweeping in its nature. Every bank check must have its two-cent stamp, every telegram one cent, and a year's lease on a house must have a twenty-five cent stamp. The stamp will cover a wide range of legal instruments, bills of lading, mortgages, bills of exchange, stocks, bonds, certificates of profit, contracts, promissory notes, insurance policies, charters, telegraph and telephone messages, seats in parlor cars, proprietary medicines, tobacco, cigars and cigarettes and so on through a list which touches most everything. The tax will bring millions of dollars into the U. S. Treasury and will be a great source of revenue towards paying the war debt.

Fruits and Vegetables.

It is our aim at this season of