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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given of the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Reynoldsville Telephone Company which will be held at the General Office of said company in the borough of Summersville, Pa., on Wednesday, January 12, A. D. 1899, at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M., for the election of a Board of Managers and Officers to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN K. BROWN, President.
N. L. STRONG, Secretary.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Muriel Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurrection camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the rear of battle at the fall of Manila. Honors for writers. Brimful of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low price. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Broad all-voluntary medical war books. Outfit free. Address: E. T. Barber, Sec'y., Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.



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Silk Mill Notes.

J. W. Place and his friend and partner in his banking and industrial business in New York, J. D. Lewis, arrived in this place last Friday noon, coming from Chicago and on their way to New York. They paid a short visit to the silk mill, leaving Saturday night, eastward bound, much pleased at the sight of activity, hustling and fine order they found reigning at the elegant building which crowns the hill on the other side of the creek.

A new loom fixer will soon arrive at the mill to fill the place left open there by the late Thos. Mulvina.

Messrs. William Pugh, Harry Dawson, Harry Drake, Arthur Runkel and George W. Shearer, experienced weavers, arrived at the silk mill this last week, coming mostly from Bloomsburg and Carlisle, Pa.

Peter Durand, the genial foreman at the mill, can be seen every day, from morning till night, flying around the looms of every section with a velocity which would be incredible to anybody but an eye witness, being given the rotundity and size of his figure. One can surmise that the generous French wine he has been sucking in his early days in his sunny country has left in him muscle and sinew which no grip or malaria can subdue. He has shown himself in a good light since in Reynoldsville, and the sparkling, black, small eyes, shining in his heavy face, seem to promise he will do more yet.

E. Greenbaum, the head of the book-keeping department, has been suffering from carache for several days, probably the result of too much freezing breeze blowing in his ears while crossing the plank road, leading to the mill, in the early morning.

Miss May Munshimer, the towering forelady of the warping department, has had pupils added to her small legion of silk wavers and will educate more, the management contemplating adding a few more warping frames to the actual strength of this department.

Miss Frances Ruth, a Reynoldsville girl, has been placed at the head of the quilling department, her ability in weaving and serious and business-like manners having encouraged the management to trust her with this delicate function of caring and distributing the quills for the shuttles of 200 looms, weaving various kinds of black and a whole rainbow of spring and summer shades.

Miss Ollie Dobson is filling the office of head of the winding department with all the dignity and seriousness of an old practitioner and to the entire satisfaction of the authority at the mill.

The production at the mill has so increased that daily shipments are now being made. Nearly 150 pieces of goods were shipped last week, and when the epidemic of grip, which is now raging over our town, has subsided the production is expected to receive a new enhancement.

BLACK JOHN, Ex-Loom Fixer.

Farmer's Institute.

Following is the program for Farmer's Institute to be held under the auspices of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture in Paradise Grange Hall on Thursday and Friday, January 19 and 20, 1899:

Thursday afternoon, January 19, 1.30—How to Grow Small Fruits, Martin Syphrit, Reynoldsville; Lime and its Effects, A. T. McClure, Panoasot; Addresses by State Lecturers, as per request of Institute.

Thursday evening, 7.30—Potato Culture, Noah Strouse, Reynoldsville; What is the Proper Education for Country Children? J. M. Norris, Reynoldsville; Should we have Graded Schools in the Country? J. W. Syphrit; Talk on Compulsory School Law, Lewis Ludwig, Reynoldsville; Address by State Lecturer.

Friday morning, January 20, 9.00—How to Make Good Roads? Noah Syphrit and W. T. Cox; Essay, Mrs. A. J. Sprague, Reynoldsville; Recitation, Miss Mary Norris; Addresses by State Lecturers.

Friday afternoon, 1.30—Essay, W. F. Miller; Essay, Ella Sykes; Essay, J. W. Syphrit; Composition of Soil and How Plants Grow, D. B. McWilliams, Port Royal, Pa.; Addresses by State Lecturers.

Friday Evening, 7.30—Public School session in which the school will participate and be instructed by the Institute Lecturers.

This Institute is held under the direction and at the expense of the State of Pennsylvania, and is designed for the benefit of the agricultural people of our county. The sessions are all free and all are cordially invited to attend. The State Lecturers are all able men and experts in the lines upon which they will speak.

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Every Saturday we offer special sale prices. You can save money by spending it here.
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High School Bulletin.

EDITORIAL STAFF:
Editor-in-Chief, Harry Hergel, '00.
Assoc. Editor, Edna Myers, '01.
Local Editor, Lydia Malling, '00.

How many great evils in the land today that Young America has to contend with! One is cigarette smoking. Look to-day at the vast number of boys and young men wrecking their young lives by destroying their nerves, muscle and brain. It has been well said that each cigarette smoked is a nail driven in one's coffin. We hear cases every day of young men dying or becoming insane from the use of tobacco in this vile form. If these same young men who so daintily (?) puff at their cigarettes should go to the places where they are made, they would forever renounce the use of such vile stuff, and would become the better men for it. The smoke of a cigarette, if exhaled into a white handkerchief, will turn it a brown color, and it seems that many young men inhale this into their lungs. Oh, how cruel! Think, boys, your lungs, which should be pure, wholesome and capable of taking in full, deep draughts of air to invigorate your system, are black, dirty, unfit to perform the functions required. What will be the end? Premature death; death which comes like the early frost, blighting the tender young flowers.

LOCAL.
Miss Bertha Marshall visited in Brookville over New Year's.

Miss Sallie Montgomery visited her sister in Falls Creek last Wednesday.

Miss Frankie King visited her aunt, in Summersville, and Miss Sara Hutchinson, in New Bethlehem during vacation.

A few of the Juniors have lost their class pins, but some of them could be found if looked for on the proper coats.

Miss Mollie McDonald spent her vacation at her home in Falls Creek.

Miss Maggie Davis visited in Punxsutawney during vacation.

We are glad to hear that Aida McIntire is recovering and we hope she will be able to start to school again soon.

The editor-in-chief is on the sick list this week.

Miss Etta Shaffer accompanied Miss Ella Lenker to her home near DuBois to spend her vacation.

Miss Florence Stone was visiting in Pittsburg and Oakmont this week.

Miss Alice Evans, of the Sub-Junior class, is absent from school on account of sickness.

A better and fuller attendance is expected for the rest of the year in some of the schools. An attendance officer is at work on the stragglers and expects to bring them to time in accordance with the provisions of the compulsory educational law.

Extraordinary Tour to California via Pennsylvania Railroad.

America is a great country. In variety and grandeur of natural scenery it is unrivaled. To traverse it, to behold its diversities and its wonders is a liberal education, a revelation to the immured metropolitan citizen. The Personally-Conducted Tour to California under the direction of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which leaves on February 9, affords a most excellent opportunity to view the vast variety and boundless beauty of this marvelous land. The party will travel over the entire route in the model Pullman train of smoking, dining, sleeping and observation cars exhibited at the World's Fair, Chicago, and subsequently at Atlanta, Nashville and Omaha. This train will be placed in service for the first time on this occasion, and will be in charge of a Tourist Agent and Chaperon who will look after all details of the trip as well as the individual welfare of members of the party. Stops will be made at Mammoth Cave, New Orleans during the Mardi Gras Carnival, El Paso, Los Angeles, San Diego, Redlands, Riverside, Pasadena, Santa Barbara, Monterey, Del Monte, Santa Cruz, Mount Hamilton, Menlo Park, San Francisco, Salt Lake City, Glenwood Springs, Colorado Springs, Manitou and Garden of the Gods, Denver and Chicago. Nineteen days will be spent in California. Round-trip rate, including all necessary expenses during entire trip, \$400 from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad System east of Pittsburg; \$395 from Pittsburg. For itinerary and full information apply to ticket agents; Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

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Martin Howard, the Spy	Frank Alexander
UNCLE JOE, the Drunk	Paul B. Wigle
Johnny Howard, the Drummer Boy	John Coleman
Harry Howard, afterward of Co. D	K. C. Schugars
Farmer Howard, a veteran of 1812	Winfield Sterling
Frank Rutledge, afterward Sergeant in Confederate Army	Frank Reynolds
Major Rutledge, resident of Kentucky, afterward of C. S. Army	Charles B. Clark
Farmer Elliott, neighbor of Farmer Howard	Clem Flynn
Tom Elliott, afterward of Co. D	Harry Reynolds
Will Smith	Robert Siple
Fatty Schmidt, the Duteman, afterward Corporal	Raynolds Gorslin
Mrs. Howard	Mrs. Margaret Gorslin
Jennie Howard	Miss Amelia Morrow
Mrs. Mart Howard	Miss Sue Reynolds
Mrs. Major Rutledge	Mrs. H. A. Sherwood
Mrs. Elliott	Miss Edna Myers
Goddess of Liberty	Miss Mame Sutter
Sisters of Charity	Mrs. H. A. Sherwood
	Miss Sue Reynolds

FEDERAL OFFICERS.

Major General Grant	Arthur Clawson
Chief of Staff	Harry Reynolds
Colonel Robinson	Walter Williams
Captain Co. D	George Weitzel
Captains Cos. G and H	Merle Musser

CONFEDERATE OFFICERS.

Major General Cheatham	Albert Geisler
Chief of Staff	Peter Taaffe
Lieut. General Johnston	Fred Booth
Chief of Staff	John Winslow
	Union and Confederate Soldiers, Orderlies, Etc.

SYNOPSIS OF EVENTS.

ACT I.—Home of Farmer Howard in the Country. Major Rutledge, U. S. A., wife and son, of Kentucky. Arrival of Mart Howard with newspaper. "Read us the news." The firing on Fort Sumpter. Spirit of the North. "United we can whip the world." Spirit of the South. "All we ask is to be let alone." The quarrel and separation of friends. Uncle Joe on the right side. Uprising of the North. Recruiting. Departure of Col. Robinson's Regiment. "Boys, you are doing your duty; to Heaven we commend you." Tableau—Secession.

ACT II.—Night bivouac of the Union Army. Letter from Home. "Yes, mother, I will remember all you ask." Tableau—The soldier's dream of home, Reveille. Camp life. The Confederate Spy and his fate. Mart Howard's mission. His danger. Uncle Joe in the Rebel Camp. "If they find me out I'm a dead nigger, shuah." Mart as a spy. He is discovered by Sergeant Frank Rutledge. The long roll. Advances. The skirmish. The battle. Grand Double Tableau—The Charge, North and South.

ACT III.—Battlefield of Shiloh by night. The dead and wounded. "Water! Water!" Recognition. Death of Col. Rutledge. The oath of vengeance. The Drummer Boy's fate. Too late. "Here's Johnny's drum." "And here's Mart's canteen." Tableau—Decoration.

ACT IV.—Andersonville stockade. "Bread! Bread!" Death of the Drummer Boy. Tramp, tramp. Rescued. Meeting of the brothers. Harry's revenge. Tableau—Guardian Angels.

ACT V.—Home. The vacant chair. A mother's grief. The boys at home. More news. Surrender of Gens. Lee and Johnston. Bummers' march. Returning troops. Grand Double Tableau—Victory, Angel of Peace, Surrender.

TABLEAU.

ACT I.—"Secession."
ACT II.—"The Soldier's Dream of Home." Grand Double Tableau. "The Battle and the Charge" and "North and South."
ACT III.—"Decoration of Soldiers' Graves."
ACT IV.—"Guardian Angels."
ACT V.—Grand Double Tableau. "Victory." "Angel of Peace." "Surrender."

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