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Special Repair Dept.



YOU CAN'T

break it so bad we can't repair it. We have just fitted up a complete Bicycle Repair Shop.

C. F. HOFFMAN.

Travelers' Guide.

Passenger trains arrive and leave Reynoldsville as follows:

B. R. & P. Ry. (C. & M. Div)

Train No 71, 10:40 a.m. Train No 72, 12:45 p.m.

Train No 18, 4:39 p.m. Train No 74, 4:42 p.m.

Allegheny Valley Railway.

Eastward. Westward.

Train 9, 6:45 a.m. Train 6, 7:40 a.m.

Train 1, 12:55 p.m. Train 2, 1:35 p.m.

Train 5, 6:40 p.m. Train 10, 8:05 p.m.

REYNOLDSVILLE POST-OFFICE.

Mails arrive and leave the post-office as follows:

Arrive. Depart.

FROM THE WEST. 7:50 p.m. TO THE EAST. 6:10 p.m.

FROM THE EAST. 8:15 a.m. TO THE WEST. 7:15 a.m. - 1:10 p.m.

A Little of Everything.

"Better to delve all day With the blessing of peace at night Than to fritter the time away With fingers idle and white."

Clip your Coupons now.

Shirts for Easter at Seeley's.

Brown cats, given away at Stoke's.

Don't miss seeing the Easter display at Millirens.

"Dewey Day," May 1st, will be the next legal holiday.

Silk mill stock \$40 per share. Inquire at THE STAR office.

Easter is coming and the hats, ties and shirts at Millirens are going.

The greatest bargains ever heard of in carpets at Brumbaugh & Hillis.

The Walk Over shoes for men, worth \$5.00, our price \$3.50. Robinson's.

Park Reynolds found a ready sale for maple syrup in this place last week.

A break in the machinery at the Hopkins mill caused the mill to be idle last Friday.

There is some talk of organizing an order of Pythian Sisterhood in Reynoldsville.

The Volunteer printing office will be moved into the Woodward building on Main street.

Phit-Eest shoes for ladies, never were shoes so beautiful or easy as these for sale at Robinson's.

Six days out of the week I sell wall paper. Plenty of time to wait on you, Stoke, the druggist.

The Daughters of Rebekah tender their thanks to all who participated in "Old Hick'ry Farm."

Riston handles the Rambler and National bicycles. They are dandies. Price away down.

An exchange thinks the "hims" are more attractive for lots of girls at church than the sermon.

The annual business meeting of the Baptist church will be held on the first Tuesday evening in April.

The new gas lamps in Shiek & Wagner's store room give the store a brilliant appearance at night.

Daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Reed Cathcart and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anthony the first of this week.

Beginning next Sunday evening the hour of preaching services in the Presbyterian church will be changed from 7:00 to 7:30.

The A. V. R'y pay car cheered the railroad boys last Thursday by distributing considerable "coin of the realm" among them.

Mr. Merchant, of the B. R. & P. R'y, passed through this place yesterday afternoon in a special B. R. & P. car attached to train No. 2.

The ladies of the M. E. church will hold an Easter sale Friday and Saturday afternoons and evenings before Easter. Further notice next week.

Mrs. M. E. Taaffe will receive a nice line of hats and bonnets for early spring wear this week. The latest styles and lowest prices will be found at her store.

Suspect the tale-bearer. He only comes to make strife. Beware of the gossip.—Clearfield Public Spirit. Yea, verily.

Elsewhere in this issue of THE STAR will be found the auditors' report of the borough's finances for the year ending March 13th, 1899.

Rev. Alfred E. Hooper, pastor of the Reynoldsville Baptist church, will preach in the Mission church at Big Soldier this evening.

Bing & Co. have had new gas lights put in their store room, which makes a decided improvement in the appearance of the store after night.

Bicycle salesmen with big trunks and stories of the same size, are putting in their appearances. The prices of wheels are materially reduced this year.

The open season for trout is from April 15 to July 15. Persons caught fishing for trout at other times are liable to a fine of \$10 and costs for each fish taken.

Rev. Joseph A. Kluecker, of Patton, closed a series of meetings in the Mission church at Big Soldier last Friday evening. Rev. Hooper, of this place, assisted Rev. Kluecker.

Two-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gross was buried in Beulah cemetery Saturday afternoon. Services were held at residence, conducted by Dr. C. C. Rumberger.

The Reynoldsville Building and Loan Association sold \$7,800.00 at the monthly meeting Monday evening. This means that much more of a building boom for Reynoldsville this season.

Governor Stone issued a proclamation on Saturday naming Friday, April 7th, and Friday, April 28th, as Arbor days, and requesting citizens of the Commonwealth to plant trees on those dates.

Edward Sterrett and Miss Martha Britton, two prominent young people of Beechwoods, were united in marriage last Wednesday by Rev. George H. Hill, pastor of Beechwoods Presbyterian church.

"Citizen," in his article in this issue of THE STAR on anti-swearing club, failed to state that the person making information against parties using profane language gets half the 67 cents for each oath uttered.

Estimates furnished and prices given on gas fitting, iron or lead plumbing, tin roofing or spouting, sheathing or roofing paper, doors, sash, nails, sewer pipe, cement, builders' supplies of all kinds at Hall & Barton's.

John Scott had his right hand badly injured in Big Soldier mine last Saturday in attempting to sprag a car. The sprag did not work easy and when it did go in John's hand went in with it. One finger was almost torn off the hand.

Miss Pauline G. Seeley and Edmund Webster Mudge, both of Pittsburg, will be married Tuesday, April 4th. Miss Seeley, who spent several months in this place last summer, is the youngest daughter of L. P. Seeley, a former citizen of Reynoldsville.

On account of the illness of the pastor, Dr. C. C. Rumberger, there was no preaching service in the M. E. church Sunday evening. Dr. Rumberger has not been feeling well for some time and is talking of going to Hot Springs, Arkansas, for the benefit of his health.

Our new room is nearly ready to occupy. It is a monster. So is the job of moving, which we will undertake in about two weeks. The lower the price, the more we sell; the more we sell, the less we have to move. We are offering some extra bargains. Robinson & Munderoff.

The first of this week H. W. Wilam moved from Rathmel to Pulaski, Lawrence county, Pa., where he has purchased a farm and will henceforth devote his time to tilling the soil. Mr. Wilam moved to Rathmel almost sixteen years ago and worked in the mines ever since.

About fifty Reynoldsville people were in DuBois Monday evening attending the Gamble-Shonert concert given in the Presbyterian church. The concert was a good one. The Reynoldsville people went to DuBois on the regular evening train on A. V. R'y and returned after the concert on a special train over that road.

H. B. Leach, of Alton, Kansas, ex-mayor of Reynoldsville, sent a draft one day last week to renew his subscription to THE STAR, and in a letter that accompanied the draft Mr. Leach said: "I hope sometime to return to Reynoldsville—the place I hold dear in memory—and shake you all by the right hand of fellowship."

For the next thirty days Brumbaugh & Hillis, opposite P. O., will give special bargains in carpets. 72 Brussel and 25 ingrain patterns to select from. They consider it no trouble to show goods, if you don't want to buy. Any carpet 50 cents or over will be lined free of charge. Remember sale lasts only 30 days. See the window for samples, opposite P. O.

H. R. Thompson, of Brookville, has been working in Johns & Thompson's tailoring establishment in this place the past week. J. O. Johns, a member of the firm, had the grip last week and this week he is suffering with a bad case of pneumonia, and on account of a rash of work Mr. Thompson is helping to get out the work during Mr. Johns' illness.

Tumor Removed. Mrs. Arthur O'Donnell, an old lady of O'Donnell, Pa., had a tumor removed from her right breast last Wednesday. Drs. S. Reynolds and Harry B. King, of this place, performed the operation, which was a very successful one.

At Hospital. Miss Evaline Sechrist, of DuBois, formerly of this place, had a dangerous operation performed on her neck at the Adrian Hospital Saturday. We are glad to learn that the operation was a successful one, and hope that Miss Evaline will regain her wonted health.

Leg Operated on. About fifteen months ago Hall Murray had his right leg broken in the mines at Eleonora and since that time he has had considerable trouble with an ulceration where the leg was broken, a result of the bones not knitting together properly. One day last week Dr. Neale performed an operation on the leg.

Work of Bad Boys. Three or four times since the public fountain was put up at the corner of Main and Fifth streets, some bad boys have stuck cigar stumps and other stuff into the waste pipe on one side of fountain and run the water out on the sidewalk. It will not be well for the guilty parties if they are found out.

Change in Real Estate. William T. Cox and M. M. Davis, Esq., owned the corner lot where Cox's grocery store now stands and last week Mr. Cox bought 'Squire Davis' interest in the lot and then sold twenty feet of the lot to Dr. W. B. Alexander for \$1,675.00. In the near future Messrs. Cox and Alexander will erect a brick building on that corner.

Deserved Promotion. D. M. Dunsmore, of West Reynoldsville, was a few days ago appointed by Acting Gen'l Supt. C. B. Price as Train Master on the Low Grade Division of A. V. R'y. Up until this appointment was made, Mr. Dunsmore was Road Master on the Low Grade. Mr. Dunsmore is an experienced railroad man and is well qualified for the position he now holds. He has the ability and qualifications for even a higher position.

Hit on Head With Sledge. Newton Carl, who lives on Beech street, was hit on the head one day last week with a sledge-hammer and knocked unconscious for a few seconds. He was having some posts put in and was holding a post while another man wielded the sledge, which accidentally slipped off the post and struck Mr. Carl on the left side of the head, inflicting a severe scalp wound which required a doctor's attention. Had the sledge struck Mr. Carl on top of head it is likely he would have ceased his earthly existence.

Unanimous Vote Against "Fow Bill." The "Fow Bill," to legalize the sale of Sunday newspapers, opening barber-shops and the conducting of other forms of business on Sunday, is being strongly opposed by the christian people of the State. Various denominations were requested to take a congregational vote on the bill last Sunday. For some reason Rev. W. F. Reber, pastor of the Presbyterian congregation, was the only preacher here who received the special request to present it to the people, and at the Sunday morning service a vote was taken which was unanimous in opposing the "Fow Bill."

A. V. R'y Officials. Acting General Supt. C. B. Price, Gen'l Passenger Agt. J. P. Anderson, General Freight Agt. E. P. Bates, Resident Engineer F. M. Ashmead, all of Pittsburg, and Supt. S. B. Rumsey and Train Master D. M. Dunsmore, of this place, made a trip over the Sligo Branch and Low Grade Division of the A. V. R'y in a special train last Thursday. Gen'l Supt. Price has made frequent trips up this way since he was promoted to his present position a few months ago. From observation we are led to believe that Mr. Price is a live, energetic man, and that the A. V. R'y Co. made no mistake in placing him at the head of that system.

K. of P. Social. After the regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodge in Bell's hall last Wednesday evening a social was given by the Knights to their families and a few invited friends. The first part of the evening was spent in carrying out a short program, consisting of speeches and vocal and instrumental music, after which those present were treated to a good supper at the expense of the brethren of the order. Dr. J. W. Foust was on the program for the address of welcome, but was called away professionally and did not arrive at the hall until after the opening of the meeting. The principal address was delivered by Dr. Ernst, Grand Master-at-Arms, of Punxsutawney, who spoke on the origin of the Order. The Miller orchestra furnished some good music, and a number of vocal selections were rendered by Al. P. Harris, John Reddecliff, Wm. Booker and the members of the M. E. church choir. A number of visitors from out of town were present. Valiant Lodge No. 461 showed its ability to entertain to the satisfaction of its guests.

Rescued a Cat. Five lads of this place performed an act of kindness Friday afternoon by rescuing a cat from a perilous position on the cross-arm of a telephone pole on Gordon alley, near Dr. J. B. Neale's stable, for which they deserve commendation. To escape from a dog the cat ran up the telephone pole sometime Friday forenoon and got out to the extreme end of the cross-arm and when it would attempt to get off the cross-arm the electricity in the wires and in the cat's fur would come in contact and frighten the cat back to end of cross-arm. After a number of attempts the cat gave it up and began a pitiful mewling. After school Thomas Nolan, Ira Bowser, George Geisler, Charles Pifer and Frank King found the cat on the telephone pole and instead of amusing themselves—boy like—by throwing stones at poor pussy they took pity on the feline. Thomas Nolan volunteered to climb the smooth pole, which was no easy job, and bring the cat down, but when he got to the top of pole he discovered that he could not get down with the cat in one hand, and with one leg over the cross-arm he rested until a consultation was held, which resulted in the four boys on terra firma getting a blanket and each one taking a corner and holding it so Thomas could drop pussy into it. The cat was safely landed, but it did not tarry long to show its gratitude for the rescue. It scooted up the alley as lively as if a half dozen dogs were after it.

It was a Success. The "household fair" given on the second floor in the Reynoldsville Hardware Co.'s new brick block last Friday and Saturday, afternoon and evening, by the ladies of the Presbyterian Work Society, was a success and added \$80.00 to the Society's bank account. Booths were nicely arranged where fancy and common, everyday articles were sold. The home-made candy booth was well patronized. The "art gallery," under the auspices of the King's Daughters, was another attractive feature of the "household fair."

No pretension was made towards serving supper, but waffles and hot coffee were served to persons desiring them any time during both evenings. The waffles sold like "hot cakes," and was a source of considerable money for the society. The one waffle iron was kept very busy trying to meet the demands for waffles.

The inclement weather Saturday—afternoon and evening—was not for the best interests of the society, and all things considered \$80.00 was a snug sum to make out of the "fair."

"Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock." The entertainment given in the opera house last Friday night—under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps—by home talent and Major R. H. Hendershot and son, was greeted with a fair-sized audience, and the entertainment was very good. Major Hendershot is a whole entertainment himself. The imitations of a locomotive starting and hauling a train, and the naval battle between the Americans and Spaniards at Manila, were certainly masterpieces. It was well worth the price of admission to hear the Major play the drum. Major is also a good singer. He fired some "hot shots" at some of our town's people during the entertainment.

The home talent performed their part of the entertainment in a creditable manner. Major Hendershot, the original drummer boy of the Rappahannock, went to the army when eleven years old, and was taken a prisoner when twelve years old and was wounded before he was fourteen years old.

Property Owners Liable. In view of the fact there are some very bad sidewalks in this borough, it might be opportune to call the attention of property owners to the decision of the Superior Court recently held in Williamsport. It is in substance that the owners of property upon which a person receives an injury caused by a defective sidewalk is liable for damages, and not the town.

Letter List. List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending March 18, 1899: Miss Maude K. Bahme, Tho. A. Gills, Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson, Miss T. E. Miller. Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.

A. M. WOODWARD, P. M. White cats, given away at Stoke's. Miners' oil, augers, tappers, needles, powder, fuse, dynamite, miners' supplies of all kinds at Hall & Barton's. My entire store is for sale. Mrs. J. S. Morrow. A big cut on price of many goods to save moving them. Robinson & Munderoff. If it is up-to-date neckties, shirts and hats that you want for Easter, call on Millirens. If you want big bargains in shoes visit J. K. Johnston's store and see his bargain counter. Buy Robinson's shoes. They are the best. I have changed my advertisement. If you would learn something, read it. Stoke, the druggist.

Anti-Swearing Club. EDITOR STAR:—I noticed in the Pittsburg Times last week that a club of young men had formed in the city of Altoona for the purpose of preventing swearing among themselves and others. This is very commendable, and it is hoped that not only Altoona, but other places may be benefited. Everyone admits that swearing is a senseless and contemptible form of speech, only the language of liars, who feel that they must attest to each statement they make, with a string of oaths, degrading to speaker and shocking to the moral hearer. No employer of any standing among business men will take into his service for a position of trust a man given to swearing—for swearing denotes the existence in the individual of faults and habits dangerous to a position of fidelity. In Reynoldsville, as in other towns, one cannot pass through Main street of an evening without their ears being assailed by numerous oaths from boys and would-be men.

The penalty, as fixed by laws, reads: "If any person of the age of sixteen years, or upwards, shall profanely curse or swear by the name of God, Christ Jesus or the Holy Ghost, every person so offending being thereof convicted, shall forfeit and pay the sum of sixty-seven cents for every such profane curse or oath; and in case he or she shall refuse or neglect to pay the said forfeiture, they shall be committed to the proper county prison not exceeding twenty-four hours for every such offense."

Now a club of young or old men in Reynoldsville could be formed and much good would result if an anti-swearing movement would be started and it would meet with the encouragement of all right-minded citizens. Ask any person of prominence in business or handling any public office what they think of the swearing habit, and you will find all condemn it as the useless language of cowards, whose oaths choke in their throats when facing death.

Prominent Visitors. On Wednesday, 15th inst., County Commissioners Samuel States, W. C. Murray and J. J. Hinderliter, of Brookville, Pa., came over, in company with their architect, Harry Parks, of Ridgeway, Pa., to examine the Clearfield County Home, with the idea of adopting plans and specifications for the County Home to be erected in Jefferson county by authority of the last election, when the "poor house question" carried by a good vote. In company with the Clearfield Commissioners, Woolridge, Davis and Waring, a careful inspection of the "Home" was made and the visitors were loud in their praise of the management of the same.

Evidently Jefferson county affairs are in good hands in so far as at least as the Commissioners office over there is concerned.—Clearfield Public Spirit.

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses were issued the past week by John S. Barr, Clerk of Courts of Jefferson county: Ambrose Nichols, of Oliveburg, and Estelle P. Johns, of Anita. Emillo Parisi and Dominca Deville, both of Cranshaw. Walter W. Fye and Susie Clark, both of Sykesville, Pa. John Campbell, of Brookville, and Clara Labord, of Rose township.

Millinery Announcement. Having been to Pittsburg for the early opening, I will have a nice line of Easter goods for March 31 and April 1, Friday and Saturday. I will have a general Summer Opening on my return from New York, date will be given later. MISS FLO BEST.

Award. The highest award of public opinion has been conferred upon the Cinderella Range. It is guaranteed to bake and roast. Sold by Reynoldsville Hardware Company.

Shoes of every description. Robinson's. Clip your Coupons now. The only genuine Union Railroad Overalls and Jackets are at Seeley's.

Don't miss the special bargain in carpet at Brumbaugh & Hillis. You can order now and have your carpet delivered when you need it. I have several hundred cats to give away, but would prefer giving them to bicycle riders, or their friends. Stoke, the druggist. Frank Roller has the agency for the Chicago Saturday Blade and the Chicago Ledger. Both papers are sold for five cents. My paint is made for things paintable. I sell the good kind in big and little lots. Stoke. Don't miss the bargain counter in J. K. Johnston's shoe store. The Punxsutawney Spirit of last week contained an illustration of the new Methodist Episcopal church to be built in Punxs' this year. It will be a beautiful structure. It is to cost \$20,000. The cravats shown at Millirens are finer than any city display. Gents, call and look over the fine line of shirts Seeley is displaying for spring. Stylish shoes for spring and summer just arrived at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s. Easter neckwear, the noblest line ever displayed at Seeley's. The National and Rambler bicycles for sale at Riston's.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. Glimpses of the People who are Passing To and Fro. George Hughes was in New Bethlehem yesterday. Miss Ida Brewer is visiting in Brookville this week. Mrs. Thomas L. Mitchell, of Kane, is visiting in this place. Mrs. C. R. Hall, of Brookville, visited in this place last week. A. W. Adams moved to Brookwayville the first of this week. James E. Mitchell, of Kane, visited his parents in this place last week. Mrs. W. C. Sechrist, of DuBois, spent Sunday with Reynoldsville friends. Miss Julia McCloskey spent Sunday in DuBois with Miss Anna McCallion. Irvin Koons, of Eagleville, Center county, moved to this place last week. Miss Susie Denny, of Driftwood, was the guest of Miss Winnie Farrell over Sunday. R. H. Wilson and wife went to Hazen, Pa., yesterday to visit Mr. Wilson's mother. Waldo Brooks, of Driftwood, was the guest of Clarence Leird several days last week. M. L. Dempsey, of Oak Ridge, is sick at the home of his parents in West Reynoldsville. Irvin Winslow, of Renovo, was called home Friday by the serious illness of his father, M. I. Winslow. L. M. Simmons, superintendent of the O. C. F. & S. Co.'s line at this place, was in Oil City over Sunday. Thomas McKee, of Portland Mills, visited his brother, R. E. McKee, in this place a day last week. J. C. Ferris and L. M. Scott attended the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Dougherty at Driftwood last Thursday. Mrs. James W. Gillespie, of Allegheny City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Alex. Stoke, in this place. John Marsh, of Punxsutawney, visited his daughter, Mrs. Daniel Brewer, in West Reynoldsville last week. Frank Winslow, A. V. R'y ticket agent at DuBois, came down Thursday to see his brother, M. I. Winslow, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. John Johns, of Stanton, Pa., were here the past week at the bedside of their son, J. O. Johns, who has pneumonia. William J. Shaffer, of Brookville, Republican candidate for Register and Recorder, was in town yesterday and called at THE STAR office. Frank J. Black, proprietor of Hotel McConnell, and Dr. B. F. Shires, of Rathmel, will start at noon today on a short visit to several large cities. Charles Schultze, who was working in the woods near St. Marys, came to his home in this place Saturday to spend a few days nursing a felon on his right hand. Joseph Priestly, who has been working in the mines at this place about one year, started for Birmingham, Ala., yesterday. He may move his family there in the near future. Carl Bechtol, who has been working in the silk mill several months, leaves here this morning for McKeesport where he has a good position with the National Tube Co. Mrs. Frank P. Miller, the milliner, and her assistant, Miss Mamie Montgomery, are in Pittsburg this week attending the millinery openings. Miss Montgomery has become an expert trimmer. Aldeen Reed and Berna Hoover were at DuBois last Thursday attending a birthday party given for little Vera Boyles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Col. Boyles. Mrs. B. E. Hoover chaperoned Berna and Aldeen. Clarence H. Reynolds, who has been attending the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, came home Saturday evening on a vacation. The State Pharmacy Board will meet in Pittsburg the 15th of next month and Clarence will go before the Board at that time for the first year's examination in pharmacy. A. Katzen, proprietor of the People's Bargain store, has returned from the eastern cities where he bought the largest stock of goods ever brought to Reynoldsville, which he will sell at the lowest prices ever heard of in this section. He handles first-class goods and when he offers bargains he means that the people will get genuine bargains. He doesn't advertise to deceive the people. Mr. Katzen is thankful to the people for their liberal patronage in the past and solicits a continuation of the same in the future. The general appearance of a room can be wonderfully improved by my paint and wall paper. Stoke. Call and see the bargains at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s shoe store. Railroad men, we have the Union-made Railroad Overalls and Jackets. L. P. Seeley. Every bicycle rider ought to have a cat. Free at Stoke's. Lots of men's shoes on the counter at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s shoe store that you can get for a bargain. Clip your Coupons now. Spring neckwear, the finest line ever shown, at Seeley's.