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Shick & Wagner's

Big General Store,



Where new goods are arriving daily, is where you can get the latest styles in

Dress Goods, Clothing, &c., at Low Prices.

We also handle Groceries, in fact everything kept in a first-class general store. Country produce taken in exchange for goods.

Shick & Wagner.

The Jefferson Supply Co.

Three Big Stores at Reynoldsville, Rathmel and Big Soldier, are offering bargains in clearing up stocks in

Shoes, Rubbers, Hats and Caps, Jackets, Capes and Collarettes,

At PRICES CUT IN TWO, and if you can use anything in this line we surely can make the price suit you.

We are convinced by the INCREASED TRADE that we are getting every day that

Our Goods and Prices are Right.

Almost anything needed in your list of family wants you will find in our 3 stores. We can fit you out in any line, and nearly all lines have big bargains in them.

Jefferson Supply Co.

3 Big Stores - REYNOLDSVILLE, RATHMEL, AND BIG SOLDIER.

Avalon Terrace

Tom Reynolds' Addition to Reynoldsville, Pa.

The best town plot now offered for sale, right in the town, and with every convenience. As a future home it is the best; as a growing investment, it is without an equal.

LOTS HAVE BEEN SOLD AND ARE SELLING NOW. DON'T WAIT. GET THE BEST.

I have for sale 100 lots, 50x150 ft., on Grant St., 12 near S. B. Elliott's. These lots will make beautiful building spots and sold on easy payments.

Remember no taxes for 1899. Remember the Title to every lot guaranteed.

Lots at \$150, sold \$10 down and 50c. per week thereafter. Lots at \$175, sold \$15 down and \$1.00 per week thereafter.

Also for sale, 40 on Pleasant Avenue and Worth Street, farm of 40 acres with house, barn and more kinds of fruit trees than any farm in the country. Reynoldsville, with its Silk Mill, employing 200 hands, which will be doubled in the Spring; Coal Mines, employing about 1500 men; the largest Woolen Mills in the State; Machine Shops; a Tannery, employing 150 men, and other industries that will be here before the year closes, will make these lots an investment that will more than double themselves before you get them paid for.

SMITH M. MCCREIGHT, AGENT

FOR BENEFIT OF BICYCLE RIDERS.

New Law Providing for Construction of Side Paths—Special Tax for the Owners of Wheels.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That it shall be lawful after the passage of this act to construct and maintain sidepaths along the highways of the townships of this Commonwealth for the use of bicycles and pedestrians, bicycle riders, however to have the right of way thereon.

Section 2. Upon a petition signed by at least twenty-five free-holders, residents of the county in which such petition shall be presented, who are also riders of bicycles, the court of quarter sessions shall appoint three resident wheelmen, one to serve for one year, one for two years and one for three years from the first day of January subsequent to their appointment, and annually thereafter, upon a like petition, appoint one person for a term of three years, such officers to be termed sidepath commissioners, and vacancies occurring by death, resignation or otherwise in such offices shall be filled by said court upon a like petition being presented, setting forth such vacancy, and any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall serve the unexpired term of their predecessor.

Section 3. The side path commissioners shall take the oath of office and file the same with the court of quarter sessions, and shall form an organization by electing one of their members president and one secretary. They shall keep a record of the proceedings had at their respective meetings, and shall have general supervision of the construction and maintenance of side paths in the townships of their respective counties and shall serve without compensation other than their actual necessary expenses.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the assessors and assistant assessors in the townships, boroughs and cities of this Commonwealth in the counties in which sidepath commissioners shall have been appointed, on the first Monday of May of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable, to assess in books to be furnished by the county commissioners resident taxables with all bicycles owned by them and make a complete return of same on or before the fourth Monday of May of each year to the county commissioners of their respective counties.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the commissioners of the respective counties to levy a tax, not to exceed one dollar, on each wheel annually, or so much thereof, as shall be recommended by such side path commissioners, which said tax shall be entered upon the tax duplicate issued to the respective tax collectors, and by such tax collectors collected and paid to the county treasurer as county taxes are now collected and paid. The fund so raised to be called a "Side Path" fund and to be used by the side path commissioners in constructing and maintaining side paths constructed under the provisions of this act. Provided that no other fund now authorized to be raised by taxation shall be drawn upon for the construction or maintenance of the side paths constructed under the provisions of this act.

Section 6. All paths constructed under the provisions of this act shall be built along the sides of highways in the townships between the roadway proper and the land abutting thereon, and shall be not less than three feet wide nor more than six feet wide, measured from outside to outside of ditches.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the county commissioners to file with the county commissioners from time to time an itemized bill, with voucher, for actual necessary expenses in constructing and maintaining side paths, and said commissioners shall draw their warrant on the county treasurer for the amount of bills so filed, but such bills shall be approved by the entire board of side path commissioners.

Section 8. The commissioners and county treasurer are hereby required to keep accurate accounts, in separate books to be kept for that purpose, of all receipts and disbursements, which accounts shall be audited by the county auditors at same time and place as other accounts are audited by them, and a full and complete statement of the account so audited shall be published with the county auditors' annual statement.

Section 9. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

F. K. Mullen, of Reynoldsville, who has been leasing coal lands along Mahoning creek for the past year, and who controls about 16,000 acres between Perryville and Smicksburg, expects to conclude a sale of all his operations soon to a New York syndicate.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

Paradise.

There was a spelling held at the Philippi school last Wednesday evening.

Misses Mary Muir and Etta Sykes were the guests of Miss Annie Norris last Friday.

Charles Hollenbaugh, who worked in Armstrong county last winter, returned to Paradise last week. Charlie knows a good community when he is in it.

Miss Harriet Norris visited in town last Sunday.

Miss Inez Strouse went to Brookville last Saturday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Murray.

Mrs. C. E. Strouse is visiting friends in Sykesville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wells visited the former's parents, near Hopkins, last Sunday.

Rural District.

John Syphrit finished his log job last Wednesday and is now hauling hay to market.

John Styler, of Smicksburg, has moved to our neighborhood to live. Welcome, Johnnie.

Aaron Douthit and James Sprankle were in Brookville Monday, 10th inst.

Bob, the sawmill man, has finished sawing lumber for Mr. Norris and is ready for another job.

The warm days make the farmers smile.

Our friend, Hiram Vandervort, has sold his farm and moved to Brookville. We wish him success.

Mead Douthit is busy hauling timber to build a new house. Mead is a hustler.

Rathmel.

Mrs. Charley Stitts, of Shawmut mines, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mayhew, at this place.

Miss Susie Pittsley, of Falls Creek, is visiting friends at this place.

Alfred Dunsmore, who has been in Baltimore for some time, has returned and is clerking in the Bloomington Coal Co. store above town.

W. G. Harris was in DuBois last Thursday night to meet Theodore Harris, of Philadelphia, State Secretary of the Patriotic Order of America.

There was a political meeting Monday evening last on the green below the old hotel.

There are a few girls in our town who behave themselves very unbecomingly for ladies on the streets. Shame! girls, better be in your mother's kitchen learning to do household work and save your reputation.

Washington Camp No. 602, P. O. S. of A., is making extensive preparation to observe May 30th of this year in a fitting and appropriate manner. Bills will be printed in a few days which will invite the public in general to participate with them.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. Alex. Stoke.

Carriage Works for Sale.

The Wood-working department of a well established Carriage Manufacturing establishment centrally located in Clearfield, Pa. Repairing trade is unexcelled. Will invoice about \$600 including everything needed in doing custom and repair work. Reason—other business forces owner to move away. Clearfield is booming and business is good. Inquiries made at once. Address: PUBLIC SPIRIT, Clearfield, Pa.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending April 15, 1899:
Mr. Robert Cook, Terris Detman, Miss Sarah Esterline, P. H. Smith.
Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.
A. M. WOODWARD, P. M.

Isaac Pifer retired on Monday, of this week from the office of township constable of Henderson township, after having served in it about seventeen years. He was first elected to the office about twenty years ago and has served continuously therein since, except one term of three years. He is succeeded by Edward Rudolph.—Brookville Democrat.

The *Farm Journal* is cheap but not too cheap to be good; it is full of ginger and gumption, and has as many other good things in it that you can use as any paper at any price. It will be sent five years to subscribers of THE STAR who pay arrearsages and one year in advance and 25 cents extra, or \$1.25 for the *Farm Journal* for five years and THE STAR for one year.

Pension Ruling.

A new ruling of the pension department at Washington provides that hereafter a widow cannot receive a pension unless she marries the man "prior to or during the military or naval service of the veteran on account of whose service the pension is asked or claimed." In other words, a woman who marries a veteran after he has performed the service for which he may claim a pension cannot herself obtain a pension on his death. The new law further provides that in the future the widow in order to get a pension must have lived from the time of the marriage with the veteran until the time of his death, which will shut off divorced women from claiming pension as they now do.

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose, that she slept all night; and with two bottles has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at H. A. Stoke's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

A Great Prize Offer.

We have a great prize offer to make the farmers of Jefferson county! By a special arrangement with the publishers of the *Farm Journal*, a most excellent farm paper that costs 50 cents a year, we are able to offer one year's subscription to THE STAR and FIVE years' subscription to the *Farm Journal*—the two worth \$3.50—all for the small sum of \$1.25. Of course this only applies to advance paying subscribers. We can furnish a few papers at this rate, and if you want them on these terms, you must act QUICKLY! Sample copies of the *Farm Journal* will be sent free on application. Address, C. A. STEPHENSON, Reynoldsville, Pa.

When Spring comes, the balmy breezes and the prospects for good and dry roads will make you think of

BICYCLES

If you want a wheel get one that is worth riding. Don't take "any old thing" you see, for you'll be sorry when you see it in a little while. Consider three things: the mechanism of the wheel, the reliability of the maker and the economy for yourself.

Stearns Crescent Geneva Harvard

bicycles are as good and as cheap as good wheels can be made.

You furnish the wife
Priester Bros. will furnish the
HOME

Their spring sale is the talk of the town. In their large store everything can be found needed in the home. Everything best value and lowest price beyond all comparison.

Garpets, Furniture, Baby Carriages,

HARD-WARE AND SOFT-WARE

Bedding, Mattresses, Comforts, Pillows, Feathers, &c., all of the best and cheapest.

Our business is not of mushroom growth. We did not spring up in spring to fall again in fall, it is of ever-green character.

Priester Bros.

Bing's bunch of bargains

WHEN SPRING BEGINS

There's a certain amount of buying you always find necessary that of your own pleasure and that of your home make important. Buying each item at its worth is what makes the season a satisfactory one to you. Our guarantee on prices makes you secure at this store—makes it an economical buying place for you. There's a peculiar satisfaction to you, as well, in having a full and fresh stock of best spring and summer merchandise from which to make your selections.

ATTRACTIVE SPRING IDEAS.

Newest spring styles—best spring values. When you note the qualities and prices, you'll believe in our willingness to offer you most inviting values, you'll feel it to be the right place to make your spring selections.

We offer a very large assortment of ladies' and children's muslin underwear, something not usually found outside the cities.

We have just added a line of the celebrated R. & G. corsets that have many advantages over other makes.

We told you about lace curtains before. Better come in while the assortment is yet good.

Bing & Co.

Nobby Suits

To Order!

JOHNS & THOMPSON,
(Successors to Hamblet & Swartz)

Merchant Tailors,

Feel confident that we can give satisfaction in both cut and make up.

W. A. Thompson, a cutter with

Forty Years' Experience,

will do the cutting.

We respectfully ask the people of Reynoldsville to give us a call before ordering elsewhere.

Johns & Thompson.

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A complete stock of lace-curtains, embroidery, laces, trimmings, white skirts, umbrellas, window shades, oil cloth, ladies' shirt waists, children's caps, table cloths, towels and napkins.

All these goods are the finest on the market and at as low a price as ever sold in this place. Call and examine our stock.

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People's Bargain Store.

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Scallop Pills
They have cured the most stubborn cases of Catarrh of the Bladder, Gleet, Stricture, Hemorrhoids, Piles, Constipation, and all ailments of the urinary system. They clear the blood, improve the circulation, and impart a healthy vigor to the whole system. All druggists and dealers are checked permanently. Unless patients are properly cured, their condition often becomes chronic, and leads to Consumption or Death. Mailed sealed. Price 5¢ per box. A large, with iron-clad legal guarantee to cure or refund the money, \$3.00. Send for free book.
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