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With a little tact a man who doesn't know much of anything may get along In this world without exposing his colossal ignorance-providing he has sense enough to keep quiet-for most people are much more auxious to make a display of the little knowledge they have than to gain more .- Punxs'y Spirit.

Under a recent act of the legislature, the judge, sheriff and county commissioners constitute a board which has authority to put prisoners in the county jails at work on the streets and roads and use them at any work which can be done without the aid of machinery. All labor done by the prisoners is required to be manual labor.

During the year 1898 the United States bureau of engraving and printing issued 2,500,000,000 of the common red two cent stamps, enough to go almost twice around the earth. Stacked one upon another, they would plie up 150 miles beyond the atmosphere, equal in weight to two of our big locomotives. If these stamps worked in relays, each taking the letter as far as allowed by the postal regulations, the letter would be carried to the most remote star.

Apropos of the question as to whether or not women should remove their hats in church, a Lexington man suggests a return to the good old custom under which the men sat on one side and the women on the other. "In that way," he says "the ladies could get the full benefit of their big hats. Ladies who remove their bats out of courtesy to those who sit behind them would, of course, sit where they choose. The others could get the full benefit of attempting to see the preacher through a jungle of feathers and gewgabs."

The Berwind-White coal mining company, one of the large producers of bituminous coal, which has mines in Center, Clearfield, Jefferson, Cambria and Somerset counties, notified its employees last week that on June 1st an increase of wages would go into effect. Under this increase the miners will receive fifty cents per ton for pick mining and twenty-five cents per ton for loading after the puncher type of machine. The advance will affect 10,000 men, 1,000% of whom work in Jefferson county. One of the pleasant features of the advance is the fact that the employes have been notified of the advance without any threat of a strike by them.

The names of the contestants for the free scholarship to the Clarion State

People Who Pay the Printer. On your label is a date: Pay before it is too tate. Be it dollars, be it dimes. We will thank you many times

The following persons have paid their subscriptions or added their names to our list since last week:

HEYNOLDSVILLE.

1950. Andrew Hilles (new), Prescottville, James Fernoy mew, Prescottville, Miss Maybel Sutter, Allegheny Uity, May 5,

T. Walsh, New Castle, May 13, 1900, L. Campbell, Hopkins, May 15, 1900, Irs, J. E. Womer (new), Duhring, Pa., May

I, 1900. C. E. Worden, Hopkins, April 4, 1898. F. P. Strickland, Hopkins, Aug. 15, 1898.

Democratic Committee Meeting

The Democratic State Convention will be held in Harrisburg June 14th and the county convention will not be held until July 3rd, therefore, County Chairman Samuel States called a meeting of the Democratic committeemen to be held in the court house at Brookville Monday afternoon, May 22nd, to elect delegates to the State convention. The meeting was held at the time and place designated by the chairman, and the following four delegates were elected to represent Jefferson county Democracy in the state convention: B. M. Clark, Esq., and H. H. Brosius, Esq., of Brockville, George Barkley, of Westville, and Wm. Fairman, of Punxsutawney. The delegates go uninatructed

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It

Resolutions of Respect.

At the regular meeting of Washington Lodge No. 124, Order Sons of St. George, Friday evening, May 19th. the following resolutions were passed:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the all-wise Creator to remove from our midst Brother P. P. John Robinson, be it

Resolved. That we humbly bow in submission to His divine will, knowing that He doeth all things well. Be it further

Resolved. That as our lodge has lost a good member and we a true brother and his wife a good husband and his children a kind father, be it further Resolved. That these regrets be spread on the minutes of the lodge, printed in the Reynoldsville STAR and

family. Com: P. P. ALBERT H. NEALE, P. P. WILLIAM BOOKER, P. P. WILLIAM COPPING.

Co. Treasurer Coming.

County Treasurer W. H. Lucas will be at the following places on the days and dates given below to receive county. state, bond and dog taxes for the year 1800:

McCalmont township-Wednesday, May 24, in the afternoon, at Park Hotel, Eleanora, and Thursday, May 25, in the forenoon, at the house of Cart North; in the afternoon at Anita.

Washington township-Monday, May 29, in the afternoon at Westville, and Tuesday, May 30, in the forenoon, at Rockdale store; in the afternoon at Falls Crock.

Winslow township-Thursday, June 8, at the Importal Hotel, Reynoldsville. Reynoldsville borough-Friday, June

9, at the Imperial Hotel. West Reynoldsville borough-Saturday, June 10, in the forenoon, at the

Ross House.

Excursion to Kinzua Bridge.

The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg Railway Company announe- a delight-ful excursion to the great Kinzua Via-duct, Sunday, May 28th, leaving Falls Creek at 9.30 A M. Returning special train will leave the Bridge at 4.00 P. M., and the fare for the round trip has been placed at the extremely low rate of \$1.00. \$1.00.

\$1.00. An early spring excursion is always enjoyed, especially so when an attrac-tive point is the object sought. An opportunity of a trip to the Bridge on above date will delight those fortunate enough to go and will long be remem-bered. bered.

Low prices is what makes the clothing, hats and furnishing at Millirens so amous

A large stock of knives and forks just received at Gooder's jewelry store.

Everything up-to-date in styles at

Seeley's clothing store.



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than you supposed. Styles right—prices right—making a May sale of unual interest.

MAY LACES AND RIBBONS

Lovers of handsome laces and Lovers of handsome laces and ribbons will find pleasure in this stock. Newest fancies at prices so reasonable that thrif-ty buyers will be more than satisfied—they'll feel it to be all that can be desired for styles and values.

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GREAT BARGAINS.

Columbia Bicycles for Women.

Ladies' Columbia Bevel-Gear Chainless, Model 51. 1898 Price \$125. Reduced to \$60. Ladies' Columbia Chain, Model 46. 1898 Price \$75. Reduced to \$42.50.

These machines are Columbias of the highest grade throughout and bear the Columbia guarantee. They are not shop-worn wheels carried over from last year, but are of 1899 manufacture. Compare them part for part with other bicycles and you will find good reasons for the admitted superiority of Columbia quality. The stock of these machines is limited.

I sell the best \$25.00 Bicycle on the market. Full guarantee.

STOKE'S BICYCLE DEPOT.

MINISTER CONTRACTOR CONT

Stop a Minute!

When looking for furniture all want the best and want to go where they can buy the cheapest.

SEE OUR STOCK

Parlor Suits.

Bed-Room Suits,

Dining Tables,

Kitchen Furniture.

WE CAN

Please you for the least money. Call and examine our goods and get prices before you purchase elsewhere.

REYNOLDSVILLE HARDWARE CO.



will be found on the eighth page of this issue. Every subscriber is entitled to one vote a week while the contest lasts. The coupons will all be dated and they must be voted within 30 days from date. Coupons are issued at this office for new subscribers, renewals, &c., as follows: absorbation 60 votes, renewal 36 and 36 votes on each dollar of back subscription paid. Make your selection of contestant and cast your vote for the one selected. We would like to have all the readers of THE STAR, either in must make way, where it is practicable, town or out of town, vote for some one of the contestants. The contest is open for any young person that wants to join in and hustle for the prize.

The Williamsport Sun says: The lumber business in this section has, in fact, taken on new life, and a marked improvement is noticeable everywhere. Shipments have been large, and the price paid for lumber is much greater than has prevailed for years. In the spring of each year there has been an increase of about fifty cents a thousand on account of the wet condition of the lumber, but later in the season the additional amount was knocked off and the price remained at a standstill. This year such has not been the case. Instead of knocking off the fifty cents per thousand, several additional raises have been made, and lumber is now from one to four dollars per thousand higher than it was last year. Within the past three months white pine has gone up from two to four dollars per thousand feet, according to grade, and hemlock has taken a jump of from one to two dollars per thousand feet. Lath are now worth sixty to seventy cents more per thousand than they were last year. Oak and wormy chestnut are scarce at any price. Oak in 4 to 12i square is exceptionally scarce. Hard wood has also taken a leap and is selling briskly. The demand for all lumber is great, and within one week this spring the price jumped up one dollar. It is said that there is not 10,000,000 feet of hemlock in the state of Pennsylvania that is in manufacture that is not contracted for.

Normal, that is offered by THE STAR, gives strong nerves, bright eves, smooth. velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at H. A. Stoke's drug store.

> A case was recently tried in New York state as to the right of a person driving on a public road to pass in safety a vehicle ahead, and it was decided by the court that the driver ahead not only must not obstruct the highway by slow driving or otherwise, but that he for the man behind, and that if an accident should result from such interference, he, the obstructor, must pay all damages.

> > Saturday Sale.

For one day we offer special inducements on flour. We have two grain drills, sulky, cultivator, horse rakes, binders, mowers, heavy team of horses to offer buyers. We sell threshing machines. They will make money for you. Come and s

> J. C. KING & CO. Going to Move.

If you are going to move and need a new stove or range, drop in and examine the Cinderella. Thousands in use and not one failure. Sold by Reynoldsville Hardware Company.

You miss something great if you fail to attend Gooder's special sale of jewelry this week.

All the latest styles in hats at Seeley's See them.

Millirens new spring suits are great takers among the young folks.

Ducks for summer at Seeley's.

Large store room for rent, corner Fourth and Main streets. Inquire of . H, Corbett.

Having secured W. A. Spinks, an experienced sanitary plumber from New York City, we are prepared to do any and all kinds of plumbing or gas and HALL & BARTON. steam fitting.

An up-to-date line of shirts at Seeley

There is an air of coolness and jauntiness about a Blue Serge Suit that makes it

AN IDEAL SUMMER SUIT

But what an unsightly thing it becomes if it has not the foundation of good cloth, proper making and good linings.

We are selling Blue Serge Suits with the strictest guarantee of satisfaction, single or double breasted styles, plain or satin faced. Prices

\$8,50, \$9, 10 and \$12

Trunks and Satchels

Are you getting ready for your summer trip? Remember baggage handlers are no respectors of trunks.

Our big contract with the manufacturers enables us to offer strictly high-class Trunks, Satchels, Suit Cases and Telescopes for less than trashy goods are offered elsewhere. Also remember no Trunks will stand the bumps like those sold at MILLIREN'S.



Men's Summer Underwear

Men's Egyptian combed yarn underwear in blue or flesh color, made with satin or silk fronts, pearl buttons, and sewed up perfect. Other dealers call them big bargains at 50c.; our price is only 25c. Come and see.

Genuine French Balbriggan Underwear, made in France, this make is famous through-out Europe an America and needs no com-ments. We only wish to say that they are fresh, new goods imported for this Spring. Instead of \$1.00 the price is only 50c.



PARENTS OF BOYS

Will you take advantage of this offer. Over 50 different styles here in Children's Fancy Suits for you to select from, and every suit warranted to hold its color.

Every suit is made of all wool material, well made, neatly trimmed and finished. This matchless offer includes all the popular styles, Vestees, Sailors, Brownies and Reefers, Blue Serge and Light Colored Materials.

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