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Have You Voted?

The free scholarship to the Clarion State Normal will close next Monday, August 25th. There are quite a number of people who have been talking about subscribing for THE STAR and many others who are in arrears on their subscription to this paper. If either of the above class are interested in any one of the contestants for the scholarship, they should show their sympathy in a substantial way—give your support. Every new subscription means 60 votes for a contestant, and every dollar on back subscription or renewal means 30 votes. Don't neglect this until it is too late. The contestants are as follows: Miss Minnie B. Whitmore, Miss Elsie May Ross, Miss Margaret W. Davis, Walter B. Reynolds, of Reynoldsville, George Keagle, of Rathmel, and Edward R. Syphrit, of Paradise. Select your contestant and give your votes.

It is not an infrequent occurrence to see boys in Lindsey between the ages of six and sixteen years smoking cigarettes. Where do they get them?—Lindsey Press. The same hero.

To be out of work these days all of the time and loading on the streets is proof positive that a man is either rich and don't have to work, or else he is worn tired and wont work.—Kittanning Republican. We have both kinds in Reynoldsville.

A movement is on foot to do away with the dynamite firecracker and the toy pistol for future Fourth of July celebrations. It's a good move, even if it does seem like teaching the young idea how not to shoot.—Kittanning Republican. Yea, verily.

A country editor in reproving clergymen for going away in the summer brings up the old argument that "the devil never takes a vacation" forgetting that the devil is more used to warm weather than the brethren of the cloth.—Pittsburg Daily News.

Pittsburg is after the masher. The police have received orders to drive him out. His smirks and his grimaces and insulting remarks to ladies on the street and in their presence are to be banished, and it is well. Smaller towns than Pittsburg suffer from this animal. He should be suppressed and at the same time the young butterflies who encourage him should be kept off the streets.—Clarion Republican. There are a few such "animals" in this place. Ostracize them.

For years there has been more or less gambling done on the flat near the ball grounds during the warm weather. Especially on Sundays the cards are used over in that section, at least so we have been informed. This state of affairs has been mentioned several times before, and still the game goes on. It is also claimed that beer and other intoxicants are carried to the flats and boys get drunk there. An indignant citizen, who says his son got drunk there Saturday night, requests us to make this statement in hope that the authorities would look into the matter.

A report given at the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias at Lancaster Pa., last week shows that the total membership of the endowment rank is 57,401. Assets, \$485,113. During the past year the endowment increased \$222,500 and \$36,500 was paid to the beneficiaries deceased members. In the subordinate lodges the receipts of the year were \$20,616.80, and the expenditures \$11,110.93, leaving a balance of \$9,505.87. The present membership of the order is 41,031. The amount of funds on hand and invested is \$1,047,025; the amount of widows' and orphans' funds, \$559,025; amount paid for the relief of members, \$181,574.27; paid for the burial of the dead, \$54,920.57, and for the relief of widowed families, \$1,081.47.

Complaint is frequently made that the rush and bustle of latter day civilization in the chase of the dollar is rapidly taking all the romance out of life. Even matrimony has been made a matter of money, and the quotations of the marriage market are read with as much interest as those of the stock exchange by people who keep track of such things. Books innumerable have been written on "how to win a matrimonial partner," as if it were an art that could be learned by home study in six lessons, and now as an offset a French savant comes to the front with his discovery of how to cure love. Hypnotism is the basis of his remedy for this disease, which especially afflicts the young, and a few doses administered at the proper time are guaranteed to render the most ardent lover cold and indifferent.—Pittsburg Daily News.

Presentment of Grand Jury.

To the Honorable Judge of the several Courts of Jefferson County:

We, the grand jury, respectfully report that we have passed upon and returned all bills of indictment which have been laid before us by the District Attorney of the county. That after discharging the duty above mentioned, in accordance with the directions of the Court, we visited and examined the several public buildings and report them in good condition, except as hereinafter mentioned, and would recommend as follows:

- 1st—That the public sewer at the Pickering street bridge be extended into the main stream.
- 2nd—That the halls and some of the rooms of jail building be repapered.
- 3rd—That the sewer at rear of county jail be repaired.
- 4th—That the refuse at rear of jail building be removed.
- 5th—That the roof of the county jail building needs repairing.
- 6th—That the water closet in court house should be made new, and the stairway leading thereto should be remodeled and widened and a light placed in hallway at foot of stairs.
- 7th—That there should be a water closet placed on third floor of court house.

We heartily commend the management of the county prison under the care of Sheriff Burns and his wife, and also commend the official manner in which Mr. Groves, janitor of the court house, discharges his duty.

We respectfully extend our thanks to the Honorable Judge of the Court and District Attorney for courtesies shown us.

JACOB HOPKINS, Foreman.

Lightning's Pranks.

A "strikingly" remarkable incident of lightning's pranks occurred at John Marshall's farm near Sugar Hill last Friday afternoon during the heavy storm which passed over this section. Mr. Marshall and his force of men were harvesting oats and sought shelter in the barn when the rain came on. While they were watching the storm's fury lightning struck a shock of oats, setting it afire; it was consumed in a few minutes. Immediately after, and while the men were talking of the peculiarities of electrical storms, another shock was struck and burned up. Five minutes later a large hemlock tree, standing nearby, was struck and set on fire. The two shocks of oats and the tree were within short distance.—Brookwayville Record.

Special Excursion to Punxsutawney.

On account of the fair at Punxsutawney August 29th, 30th, and 31st and Sept. 1st, the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Ry. will run a special train each day and make low excursion rates from points named below as per following schedule: Reynoldsville, 8.10 a. m., \$1.00; DuBois, 8.45 a. m., .65; Falls Creek, 8.35 a. m., .75; Stanley, 9.00 a. m., .50; Sykes, 9.04 a. m., .45; Big Run, 9.19 a. m., .25. Arrive at Punxsutawney at 9.35 a. m.; returning leave Punxsutawney at 6.30 p. m.

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 gives strong nerves, bright eyes, 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.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued the past week by John S. Barr, Clerk of Courts of Jefferson county: Michael Palisnak, of Horatio, and Anna Stah, of Punxsutawney.

Frank L. Stear, of Eleanora, and Hestia Maud Smeyers, of Big Run.

O. E. Shirey and Flora Martz, of Beaver township.

J. G. King, of DuBois, and Halle Haines, of Strattonville.

Fidela Prasatte and Dasalina Prunell, both of Beechtree.

Matthew Stewart and Mary Schwartz, J. R. McFadden, of Portland Mills and Annie M. Vandervort, of Brookville.

Gil. L. London, of Big Run, and Minnie H. Muth, of Henderson township.

The Cutter shoe is sold only by J. K. Johnston in this place.

You will not be disappointed if you drink black raspberry, with or without ice cream, 5c. Reynolds Drug Store.

Have you seen those Shaw knit hose at Seely's.

The latest things in footwear at Welsh & Co.'s.

Arrow brand collars at Millirons, two for 25c.

I am located at the New Store, ready to do all kinds of ladies' tailoring.

J. E. MITCHELL.

A new line of children's clothes just received at Seely's.

Mrs. Gordon is Thankful.

Editor THE STAR:—Through the columns of your valuable paper I wish to extend to all my friends many thanks for their kind hospitality shown me on my return to my home after an absence of seven years. I am pleased to note the many improvements and the progressive spirit which now pervades. Complimenting my lady friends of the Village Improvement Society for their energetic work in placing at disposal of public the use of water fountain, (the best at all times for quenching thirst) also the handsome lamp to give light to benighted souls. I also extend thanks to proprietors of your silk mill for kindness in explaining their work, and congratulate you all on having such a worthy enterprise in your town.

MARIE GORDON, Washington, D. C.

People Who Pay the Printer.

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

John Ferguson, Pindilton, Pa., [new] August 18, 1899.

Mrs. G. A. Prescott, Tawans City, Mich., July 18, 1899.

George F. Engle, Reynoldsville, [new] August 18, 1899.

W. A. London, Sykesville, August 14, 1900.

Henry A. Reed, Manchester, N. H., [new] August 21, 1899.

H. R. Clawson, Reynoldsville, April 23, 1900.

John Walte, Danville, Ky., September 1, 1899.

A. P. Weitzel, Hopkins, April 15, 1900.

Ella Murphy, Emerickville, May 19, 1900.

C. A. Pifer, Reynoldsville, February 14, 1900.

J. C. Hirst, Little, Indiana [new] August 22, 1899.

A Young Girl's Experience.

My daughter's nerves were terribly out of order. She was thin and weak; the least noise startled her, and she was wakeful at night. Before she had taken one package of Celery King the change in her was so great that she could hardly be taken for the same girl. She is rapidly growing well and strong, her complexion is perfect, and she sleeps well every night.—Mrs. Lucy McNutt, Brush Valley, Pa. Celery King for the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys is sold in 25c. and 50c. packages by H. Alex. Stoke.

Election Notice.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Reynoldsville Water Company at the office of M. M. Davis, Secretary, on Monday, the 25th day of September next, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing officers, hearing reports and other necessary business to be done at a stockholders' meeting.

M. M. DAVIS, Secretary.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending Aug. 19, 1899:

Honry Danill, Patsy Mann, Wm. McGinley.

Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.

A. M. WOODWARD, P. M.

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.

We sell the Crown drill, which sows all kinds of grain and grass seed, plants corn, beans and peas, distributes fertilizer and never chokes. We sell the Ellis threshing machine, which we have tested and sell backed by our and the company's guarantee. Special to farmers, wheat phosphate \$22 per ton. We sell harrows, plows, hay, grain, straw, flour, feed, horses, buggies, wagons, harness, groceries, hardware, dry goods, drugs. We have told a few things we do sell, you tell us something we don't sell and we'll get it. Come and see us.

J. C. KING & Co.

Try an orange and celery phosphate; good drink when you are tired. 5 cents. Reynolds Drug Store.

See the new fall blocks in hats at Millirons.

The most complete line of shoes in town at J. E. Welsh & Co.'s.

A strictly high grade wheel—the Rambler—with G. & J. tires, lamp, bell, coasters and pant guards, \$38.00 at Riston's.

The only bicycle shop in town equipped for doing all kinds of work is at C. F. Hoffman's.

When you want the latest in anything go to Millirons.

Juvenile suits from 3 to 8, with silk vests, at Seely's.

If you want a good, substantial and pretty buggy at an extremely low price, you can get it at the Reynoldsville Hardware Co. store. The buggies are being sold at a big reduction. See them before buying elsewhere.

Men's sweaters, all colors, 75c., \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00, at Seely's.

A A Cutter's driving shoes \$5.50 at Robinson's.

Have you seen the new novelties in neckwear at Millirons?

You can't break your bike so bad Hoffman can't repair it.

Call and see the nice line of dress pants at Seely's.

Buying to Best Advantage.

Should be made important by every one. It is your duty to insist upon every price, style and quality feature—it should be your wish to obtain the fullest values. The fact that slightest margins rule the selling here—that every purchase is made upon this basis, renders certain the lowest possible prices. It is to your financial interest to come here always first.

RELIABLE OFFERINGS

Especially adapted to August requirements—bearing prices that swing right at their worth—that makes them liveliest values. We feel assured of your interest in these offerings—Items that but prove an index to the many good things we've made ready for the August buyers.

Bing & Co.

THE BICYCLE TRUST

Has been Completed.

After five months of negotiations the big undertaking has been finished. The capitalization of the concern will be \$40,000,000.

It means Higher Prices next year. If you are delaying buying a wheel until next year, better buy it now and make money on your investment. By a fortunate deal I can now offer you a magnificent wheel at

\$20.00.

A wheel that is up-to-date in every way. Large tubing, flush joints, detachable sprockets, self-oiling chain, adjustable handle bar, and tires that are guaranteed as highly as any tire made.

If you want a wheel for pleasure or business, I can supply at a most reasonable price.

STOKE, Reliable Druggist.

N. HANAU

Great Bargains in Summer Goods.

I WILL SELL ALL SUMMER GOODS FOR LESS THAN COST.

Dimity, sold for .10, now	.06
" " " " .15 " "	.08 to .10
Organdy, sold for .15 to .18 now	.10
Best Percalé,	.10
Good Percalé,	.06½ and .08
Ladies Shirt Waist,	.39
3 L Ribbed Vest, for	.10
Summer Silk,	\$1.00 to .75
" " "	.75 to .55
" " "	.50 to .25

CLOTHING.

You will find Great Bargains in Clothing. I have a few summer suits left. Suits I have sold for \$8 and \$10, now \$5.50 and \$6.50. Child's suit .75. Don't miss this. Come quick. These goods went last long.

N. HANAU.

Shick & Wagner

To have your pocket-book swell out with cash saved, buy your groceries and flour at Robinson & Mundorff's.

Prices always a little lower than elsewhere at Robinson & Mundorff's. Buy and sell for cash is the secret.

In cheese we stand right up at head of class in quality.

One pound more sugar for the dollar than others give.

What's in a name? It's a biscuit all the same. 5c. a box.

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.

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