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Have one settled purpose in life, and if it be honorable it will bring you reward.

Justice may be blind, but it always seems sharp-sighted enough when a poor man is to be punished.

If a man desires many things he is exalted by hope, but if he fears many things he becomes a slave.

Few people live without working. If they do not work themselves they usually "work" somebody else.

Over in Germany a tramp is called "chaussiergebentayezeler." Well, he deserves it. Nothing is too bad for the tramp, especially when there is a great demand for laborers in various sections of the country.

Nice clothes are nice things to have, and make people look nice, usually, but they are not all. A nice life, nice manners, nice conduct, and above all a nice heart, are infinitely better than nice clothes. "Fine feathers make fine birds" only in appearance.—Brookville Democrat.

A man who does not take the *Indicator*, who writes upon paper printed at some "Cheap John" affair and got his sale bills printed elsewhere, asks us for a "big notice free." That's cheek with a vengeance! That man will arrange some plan by which somebody else will pay for his funeral.—New Bethlehem *Indicator*. He is a sure victim for the region where water is a scarce article and forest fires burn continually.

Next Tuesday is election day. The official ballot to be voted this year will contain eight columns. They will run across the face of the ballot in the following order: Republican, Democratic, Prohibition, People's, Socialist-Labor, Union Reform, Anti-Trust. The eighth and last column is blank, reserved for purpose of allowing the voter to write in the name of any person he wants to vote for whose name does not appear on the ticket.

A man who runs a stage-line or a street railway, or any sort of a public conveyance, does so for the purpose of collecting fares and nobody expects to ride for nothing. A newspaper is a medium for the dissemination of information, and is sustained by those who pay toll, either for the pleasure and profit of perusing its columns, or for the privilege of using them. But it is astonishing how many people act as though they thought newspapers were printed just for the fun of it, and want to ride free all the time.—Punxsutawney *Spirit*. Ah, yes, Colonel, you are right.

If there is a town on the face of the globe in need of a free public reading room more than Clearfield we would like to hear of it. This town does not contain a single place where young men can spend a pleasant evening outside of their homes, the homes of friends or the churches. And this is the reason so many of our young men are going to the devil via the "booze" route, with the assistance of the lepers who furnish the liquor in violation of the law.—*Clearfield Republican*. Reynoldsville is the town. If we had a public reading room there would not be so many young men and boys congregated on the streets in the evenings, and especially on the corner of Main and Fifth streets. If we don't get the free reading room the street corner loafing should be stopped.

Many of our townspeople should think twice before they speak, as "man is master of the unspoken word, but the spoken word is master of man." If you can say no good word for a man do not mention him, as a reputation is all some people have in this world and that is one of his most valued possessions. Do not ruin a man's good name.—*Kane Republican*. There are many people who would not think of committing highway robbery, that will make a lie, or repeat a lie, without investigation, that robs some man or woman of their good name, which is of more value than gold or silver. If people were sent to the penitentiary for robbing their neighbor of his good name, perhaps there would not be so many broad insinuations and outright lies rolling as sweet morsels under the tongues of so many gossipers.

If you want good, select oysters go to Rhodes' market.

Perfect fits guaranteed by Johns & Thompson, merchant tailors.

If you want a good fitting suit or an overcoat, go to Johns & Thompson, merchant tailors.

Special Day of Prayer.

To-morrow, November 2nd, will be observed as a special day of prayer in the M. E. church at this place. Following is a copy of the letter sent to each member of the church by Rev. Perry A. Reno, pastor:

REYNOLDSVILLE, PA., Oct. 28, 1899.
Dear Fellow-Worker, Greeting:

On the suggestion of our beloved Bishop, W. F. Mallalieu, some of the churches of Erie Conference are observing one day as a day of prayer.

It has been thought wise for us to observe Thursday, Nov. 2nd, as a day of prayer for the blessing of Almighty God upon our work. As Christians we all believe in Prayer. Jesus prayed and commanded his followers to pray and promised great things in answer to prayer. See Matt. 7: 7, 8; John 14: 13, 14, and 15: 7.

The disciples obeyed the commandment and Pentecost followed. Wesley and Asbury, founders of our beloved Methodism, were mighty men of prayer. Can we not spend one day in prayer? God is willing to answer and our need is great. As much as possible on that day let our conversation, our thought, our Bible study, be on this subject. Be at as many of the hours of devotion as possible. Do not let trifles interfere. Be there to meet God. Bring your friends for whom you are praying. If impossible to be present, pray, pray earnestly, wherever you are. Too much is at stake to treat this matter indifferently. Souls are dying. Eternity is drawing near. Let us awake to our opportunity and responsibility. As far as possible the following program will be observed:

9:00 to 10:00 a. m., Our need; 10:00 to 11:00, For the church; 11:00 to 12:00, Silent hour, 12:00 to 1:00 p. m., Young people's class—C. A. Stephenson; 1:00 to 2:00, By one of the class leaders; 2:00 to 3:00—Rev. J. C. McEntire; 3:00 to 4:30, Mother's meeting—Mrs. J. M. Moore; 4:30 to 6:00, Sunday School—Phillip Koehler, 6:00 to 7:00, Silent hour; 7:00 to 8:00, Epworth League—K. G. Bottorf; 8:00 to 9:00, Closing consecration service.

How much this day may mean for us, for our friends and for the church, Eternity only can reveal. May God make it a great day.

With brotherly love I am,
Yours in His Name,
PERRY A. RENO.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued the past week by John S. Barr, Clerk of Courts of Jefferson county:

Nathaniel Stahlman, of Cool Spring, and Leslie Hawthorne, of Emerickville.

G. Ray Bullock, of Cortez, and Alice Wolf, of Knoxdale.

Alvin H. Morrison and Maud May Pifer, both of Washington township.

Adam Kirkwood and Edna Smouse, both of Desiro.

James Moore, of Golinza, Forest county, and Flora Vanalstine, of Kellettville, Forest county.

James McCloskey and A. Gertrude Quigley, both of Brockwayville.

Irvin T. Wineburg, of Horton, Pa., and Precilla C. Baun, of Locust Lane, Indiana county, Pa.

James A. Lewis, of Cortez, and Mary A. Jones, of Anita.

James Nelson, of Prescottville, and Laura Brennan, of Reynoldsville.

James Mulholland, of London Mine, and Ella Fye, of Winslow township.

Samuel A. Wallwork and Myrtle Bowser, both of Rathmel.

For Sale—One of the best farms of 100 acres in McCalmont township, with fruit trees, never failing springs of water, will be sold for one-half real value. Inquire of Smith M. McCreight, Reynoldsville, Pa.

Fifty pair of odd sizes at half price at Williams' shoe store.

Mitchell, the Ladies' Tailor.

Millirens school suits are better and cheaper than all others in town.

Bing & Co. are showing a large and exclusive line of furs and wraps.

For Sale—12 lots in the Rhoads addition at \$50.00 per lot. Inquire of Mrs. S. M. Rhoads.

How about our school shoes. Call and see at Williams' shoe store.

The following amounts are paid for noxious animals killed in this state: For every wild cat, two dollars; for every fox, red or gray, one dollar; for every mink, fifty cents.

The Elk is without doubt superior to all other heaters. Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

For a good suit of underwear go to McClelland's.

Ladies, try our tri-on-fa, softest walking shoe made. Williams' shoe store.

Mothers, are you going to send the boys to school? If you are, call and see Millirens suits and hats.

Just in, a full and complete line of clothing, at McClelland's.

The school suits at Millirens can't be equalled for the money.

Rooms to let in West Reynoldsville. Inquire of Stoke, the druggist.

After Nov. 1st you will find Robinson's shoe store across the street.

For neat dress pants go to McClelland's.

Guide for Exposition Visitors.

The National Export Exposition management has received inquiries from many intending visitors as to the most direct route from the railway stations to the Exposition. The distance is not great, the way is easy and a single fare only is required on any street car line bringing the railway stations and the Exposition into communication.

Visitors arriving in Philadelphia at the Broad Street Station of the Pennsylvania Railroad or at the Reading terminal of the Reading Railway, take cars going west on Market or Walnut street as far as Thirty-sixth street, where they will be transferred to cars reaching the Exposition grounds. Single fare.

Visitors arriving at the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Station, at Twenty-fourth and Chestnut streets, take cars west on Chestnut street or Walnut street to grounds. Single fare.

South Street Station, on the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore Railroad, is within a minutes walk to the grounds.

Correct Advertising.

A high authority makes the wise suggestion that "advertising should be planned on the presumption that it is going to be permanent." In other words it should be considered as a distinctive and systematic part of the merchant's business. Sporadic trade announcements cannot be continuously beneficial. It is true that they often bring about a spurt in sales, but when they have run their brief course they and their wares described in them are forgotten by the public. On the other hand the continued publication of business announcements in a newspaper which, because of its reliability and excellence, has become popular and influential with the public in general will produce constant and satisfactory financial returns.—Bradford *Star*.

Special Excursion Rates to Philadelphia.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for special excursion rates to Philadelphia on November 8 and 22, on account of the National Export Exposition. Round-trip tickets, good to return within ten days, including day of issue, will be sold on above dates from New York, Trenton, Belvidere, Atlantic City, Cape May, Pottsville, Reading, Wilkesbarre, Lancaster, Harrisburg, York, Williamsport, Canandaigua, Erie, and intermediate points at rate of single fare for the round trip, plus admission to the Exposition (no rate less than one dollar). For specific rates apply to Ticket Agents.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending Oct. 28, 1899:

Mrs. Carrie Corbett (2), Thos. Tench, Miss Florence Gray, John Haugh, Miss Lottie Jones, Walter Johnston, Jacob H. Long, Mrs. Mary Shaffer, Emanuel Smith, Miss Cora Smith, Thos. B. Connelly, Mrs. L. E. Dinger, Miss Cora Miller, Mrs. Irene Morton, H. Lervey Shaffer.

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

A. M. WOODWARD, P. M.

If you buy your hats and neckwear at Millirens you are sure it is the latest and best.

The Elk is the best and only natural gas heater. For sale by Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

Bing's showing of dress goods cannot be equalled in town.

Robinson's will move their shoe store Nov. 1st into the room recently occupied by Bon Ton bakery.

Attend Shick & Wagner's sale of underwear on Thursday of next week.

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.

Public School Lecture Course.

Apollo Male Quartette, November 6th. Hon. George R. Wendling, November 27th.

Signor Bosco, December 12th. W. T. S. Culp, February 2nd.

C. M. Parker Concert Co., February 16th.

A. W. Hawks, February 23rd. Season tickets \$1.00. Reserved seats 10c. per night, which will be placed on sale at Stoke's drug store at 8:00 A. M. of each Saturday preceding lecture or concert.

Don't forget that you'll find Robinson's shoe store across the street Nov. 1.

Shick & Wagner have enlarged their shoe department. Call and see their new stock.

Good all-wool school suits at Millirens from \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Not any better, few as good as the 5-a horse blanket. For sale by Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

JUST EXACTLY AS REPRESENTED

Is every item in our fall and winter stock. Keeping along right lines—Offering only reliable makes, Enables us to recommend the goods—Gives us faith in their qualities.

The low margin That satisfies this store, Makes possible particularly pleasing prices—Values that fall buyers will not be slow to appreciate.

Closest investigation on your part—An honest comparison—Will result in your buying here—Will assure you that this store gives you always best returns.

STYLISH AND SENSIBLE IDEAS

That bear a price that heralds them as Superior values—That have every necessary quality feature.

Fortunate buying Enables us to offer you these out-of-the-usual prices, But our customers always receive every benefit.

The buying of these goods here, As well as any autumn need, Means best economy—A positive saving on your part. A fact that careful buyers are quick to note.

Bing & Co.

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.

Put the testing screws to our 25c. coffee. You will find it is the "stuff" you want.

Our coffee 2 lbs. for 25c. is a winner. 15c. to 18c. elsewhere.

Grape nuts, the great food.

ROBINSON & MUNDORFF.

I AM SELLING OUT MY STOCK OF WALL PAPER

WITHOUT REGARD TO COST. ODD LOTS THAT SOLD AT 40 AND 50 CENTS PER ROLL GOING

AT 5 CENTS.

BROKEN COMBINATIONS THAT MAY BE OF USE TO YOU AT TEMPTING FIGURES. BETTER COME DOWN RIGHT AWAY WHILE THEY LAST.

\$1.00 WINDOW SHADES SLIGHTLY SOILED AT 25 CENTS.

STOKE, THE DRUGGIST.

MILLIRENS

Remarkable values for this week--the best clothing values in the county.

Men's neat all-wool Business and Dress Suits, made of handsome, pure Worsted, Serges and Cheviots, Black and Fancy Clays and Scotch Tweeds, newest styles and patterns, made with the greatest care in such a manner that insures retaining their shape. The prices are so low on all these suits that you will exclaim to yourself: How Cheap!

\$6, 8.00, 9.00 and \$10.

These are all new goods, so don't go elsewhere and buy trash.

MEN'S Fall Dress Trousers

All new Fall Stock—A splendid choice of Stripes and Checks in Cheviots, Worsteds and Cassimeres. Every pair right up to Tailor-made Standard.

Prices 75c., \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Millirens.

Shick & Wagner Shick & Wagner

FOR EVERY AGE AND EVERY SIZE

WE HAVE GOOD GOODS AND NO OTHER KIND

We Want Your Trade

We want every lady that is in the market for a Dress, a Coat, or Cape, a Suit, Underwear, Shoes, or anything in the Dry Goods Line—We want every man that is in the market for Underwear, Shoes, Gloves, a Suit, or anything in the Gents' Line, for himself or his boys, to see our line and Good Values.