The * Star.

Subscription \$1.50 per year, or \$1.00 if paid strictly in advance.

C. A. STEPHENSON, Editor and Pub.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1900.



School Days

are here and parents should see that their children have perfect eyesight. Without it their studles are hard and progress slow. I will make a careful examination free for all calling on me, and tell them if they need glasses or

C. F. HOFFMAN,

Optician. Not a visitor, but permanently located.

Travelers' Guide. Passenger trains arrive and leave Keyn oldsville as follows: Allegheny Valley Railway.

Fastward
Train No. 9, 847 a. m.
Train No. 1, 1437 a. m.
Train No. 1, 1407 m.
Train No. 1, 1407 m.
Train No. 1, 5, 647 a. m.
Train No. 1, 5, 647 a. m.
Train No. 7, 838 p. m.
Train No. 7, 838 p. m.
Train No. 4, 144 p. m.
Train No. 8, 647 a. m.
Train No. 7, 938 p. m.
Train No. 8, 647 a. m.
Train No. 7, 938 p. m.
Train No. 1, 143 p. m.

B. R. & P. Ry, (C. & M. Div) Train No 73 | 120 pm | Train No 72, | 2 20 pm

A Little of Everything.

Williams for shoes,

Buy Robinson's shoes.

Mitchell, the ladies tailor,

There are some bad sidewalks in town.

There is a house famine in Reynolds-

If you want a perfect fit, order suit from John Flynn, the tailor,

For Sale-20 imported English Berkshire pigs. Inquire of S. Shaffer.

Ernest Gamble concert Thursday evening instead of Friday evening.

For plumbing, gas and steam fitting, call on Wm. E. Lucas, Stoke building.

The largest assortment of wool underwear to be found in the county at Millirens.

The Bloomington Coal Co. is building ten double houses near the mines up Skunk Hollow.

The martial band from Sugar Hill, dressed in full uniform, visited our town Saturday night.

Don't pay \$2.50 for Ione calf shoes when you can get the same kind for \$2.00 at Robinson's.

The Jewish New Year ushered in Sunday evening is 5561, according to

the Jewish calendar. Holbert E. Carrier, a young man from

Summerville, is ticket and freight agent For rent-Store room in good location:

rent reasonable. For particulars inquire at Gooder's jewelry store. Dr. A. J. McFarland, of Beaver Falls,

will preach in the Presbyterian church at 11.00 a. m. next Sunday. For Sale-Five drawer, drop-head heeler & Wilson sewing machine.

pire at Myers' harness shop. enry Shields had the index finger his right hand badly injured on a

ulding machine last Thursday. The Altar Society of the Catholic church held an ice cream festival in the

Reynolds block Saturday evening. The date of the Ernest Gamble con-

cert has been changed from Friday to Thursday evening, September 27th. Robbers tried to enter Prof. A. J.

Postiethwait's residence through a rear window early Sunday morning.

Miss Grace Hiles had the thumb of her right hand broken last Friday by a window dropping on it at the silk mill.

The Hall Lumber Co. saw mill up Skunk Hollow was compelled to shut down last week on account of low water.

A fellow from Eleanora was arrested Saturday night for driving a mule up and down Main street too fast. He was fined \$8.00.

Johnston and Nolan have a number of odd sizes, good style shoes that they are selling at a big reduction. This is your opportunity for a bargain.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a market in the vacant store room of the S. T. Reynolds block Saturday afternoon.

Dr. McCoy, the specialist, is expected to visit patients at Reynoldsville from noon Friday until noon Saturday, Sept. 28 and 29, stopping at Imperial Hotel.

Services at Lutheran churches of Reynoldsville charge for next Sunday as follows: Reynoldsville at 11.00 a. m. and 7.30 p. m., and Chestnut Grove at 3.00 p. m.

The Summerville Telephone Company s extending its line to Big Soldier. Five telephones will be put in at Big Soldier to start with.

If the party who stole Frank Campbell's coat Saturday from the brick building next to Dr. Bowser's office will return the time book, Mr. Campbell says they may keep the coat.

Invitations are out for the marriage of David King and Miss Alice Beattle, which takes place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beattie at Scotch Hill to-morrow, Sept. 27.

At the 7th annual session of the United Evangelical conference held in Johnstown last week, Falls Creek and Reynoldsville was made a new mission and Rev. A. B. Day was appointed pastor of this mission.

"Lost in Egypt" at the Reynelds opera bouse last Thursday, evening was the best show that has been in Reynoldsville for seme time. The company will be sure of a packed house if they ever return to this place.

The fall session of the Clarion Presbytery convened at Cool Spring yester day, Rev. W. Frank Reber and William J. Boner are in attendance. Mr. Boner is the commissioner from the Reynoldsville Presbyterian church.

Prof. L. E. Bartlett, who was elected principal of the Washington township high school, resigned that position after one week's work and Charles Dickey, who taught in Reynoldsville school last year, has been elected to fill the vacaney caused by Bartlett's resignation.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran church has had the interior of the edifice thoroughly renovated. D. R. Cochran, the painter and decorator, did the paper hanging. The ladies will also have the aisles carpeted in the near

Saturday next, September 29th, a game of association football will be played at the DuBols Driving Park between the rival teams of Big Soldier and Coal Glen. The game is for \$200 a side. Special trains will be run to Du-Bois from both places.

The Republican congressional conference of the Twenty-eighth district was held in DuBols last Thursday and Col. A. A. Clearwater, of Wilcox, Elk county, was cominated. The Prohibitionists of the Twenty-eighth district will certainly endorse this nomination.

Two tramps were locked up Monday night for being drunk and disorderly. Burgess Mitchell sentenced one to thirteen days work on the streets and the other fellow, who has a sore arm, was given five days in lock-up. The fellow with sore arm was begging money Monday.

A freight collision on the River Division of the P. R. R. at Mosgrove Friday morning delayed passenger train No. 1 on the Low Grade Division over an hour Friday. Two engines and seven or eight cars were demolished. Both freight trains were running as extras.

Miss Elzina McClelland died Tuesday and was buried in the Reynoldsville cemetery Thursday forenoon. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. M. Mohney and funeral services were held at the Mohney residence on Jackton street, con, ducted by Rev. Perry A. Reno, pastor ville he discovered the cause of the M. E. church

The following Reynoldsville people drove to Punxsutawney Monday evening to hear Gamble sing: Prof. G. W. Lenkerd, Dr. J. H. Murray, G. H. Mundorff, Dr. L. L. Means, Thomas Adam, Walter R. Reed and Misses Mary Lyman, Erma, Caroline, Nell and Lois Robinson, Gertrude Deible and Olevia

Grant Shuster will be at the Brookville Fair Grounds Tuesday, Sept. 25th, 1900. (stay one week) with two car load -36 head-of good young horses. Seven large draft teams weighing 30 to 32 hundred pounds, balance drivers, general purposes and draft, weighing from 1,000 to 1,400 pounds. Guaranteed and a fair trial given.

An eight year old boy of New Kensington tried to jump on a freight train at that place Saturday and lost both legs. A similar accident will happen at this place ere long if small boys don't stop trying to get on moving trains. A little fellow, hardly tall enough to reach the step of a freight car, was attempting to get on a moving train in P. R. R. yard Monday morning.

M. J. Farrell and wife were at Altoona last Thursday attending the 35th annual meeting of the Veteran Employees' Association of the Middle Division of the P. R. R. A banquet was held at the Logan House Thursday evening. Mr. Farrell and wife visited in Tyrone and Johnstown, returning home Monday evening. H. L. Baird, of Renovo, had charge of the P. R. R. ticket office at this place during Mr. Farrell's absence.

The Pennsylvania company has mapped out a number of decided improvements for their Buffalo and Allegheny Division, formerly Allegheny Valley railroad. Among others is the building of a double track from Pittsburg to Oil City, the replacing of all light rails with heavy ones, the putting into service heavier engines, and the reducing of time. Within a year it will be one Clarion county, for burial beside her of the model roads of the country .-Kittanning Times.

Change of Linte.

The Ernest Gamble concert will be given on Thursday evening, Sept. 27, at 8.30 o'clock, instead of Friday, 28th inst., as previously announced.

Lost Two Fingers.

A daughter of John Huntzsinger, of Falls Creek, who is visiting her grandfather, George Burkett, near Deemer's Cross Roads, had the first and second fingers of her right hand so badly smashed in a cider press yesterday forenoon that both fingers had to be ampu-

Freak of Nature.

F. G. Corbett, of Prescottville, has a rusty coat apple tree in his lot that is receiving some attention now as a curiosity. A little branch, which Mr. Corbett avers was not grafted on, has been found growing out on a limb of the tree and on this branch is a lone apple of an entirely different species from that on the old tree.

Not Many Applicants.

Prothonotary Cyrus H. Blood was at Hotel Imperial last night to make out first naturalization papers for all persons desiring them. The applicants were not numerous. Judge Reed is very strict about granting naturalization papers and a large number have applied in Elk county, where it is an easy thing to get naturalized.

Attending Woman's College.

Miss Amy Reno, daughter of Rev Perry A. Reno, and Miss Edith Beck are attending the Woman's College at Baltimore, Md. Rev. Reno and Miss Amy went to Baltimore Friday and Rev. Reno returned to Reynoldsville Monday. Miss Beck went to Washington, D. C. ten days ago to visit relatives and returned to Baltimore the latter part of last wook.

Reed-Hayes,

John H. Reed, of this place, and Miss Olive Haves, of Lindsey, were married at the Presbyterian parsonage in this place at 7.30 vesterday morning by Rev. W. Frank Reber, pastor of the Presby terian church. After the nuptial knot was tied Mr. Reed and bride drove to Lindsey on a short wedding trip. THE STAR joins their numerous friends in wishing them happiness and success in lifo's journey.

Presco Change.

A. E. Dunn, who has been in the hardware business in Reynoldsville thirteen years, has agreed to sell his store to L. G. Lidle, of Rathmel. An invoice will be taken next week. Mr. Dunn has been very successful during his business career in Reynoldsville and has won many warm friends here. He has not decided yet what he will do after the hardware store passes out of his hands. Mr. Lidle is a genial gentleman and his friends are legion, therefore, there is no doubt but that he will do an excellent business. It is likely that he will take in a partner later on.

Birthday Party.

A special meeting of the degree staff of No. 824, I. O. O. F., was called for last Thursday evening, but Captain T. E. Evans and James B. Orr were the only members to appear. The meeting soon adjourned and when Mr. Orr returned to his home in West Reynoldsnon-attendance. Odd Fellows and other friends, to the number of about thirty. had gathered at his home, to celebrate the 40th anniversary of Mr. Orr's birthday. It was an enjoyable evening to all present, and the host received as a gift a handsome reclining chair to assist in recalling pleasant memories of the occasion.

Will Drill Deeper.

Over a year ago the Reynoldsville Oil and Gas Company drilled a gas well on farm of Levi Schuckers, in Winslow township, to the depth of 3,000 feet and not finding gas, stopped the drill. It has been thought by some members of the company that the drill was stopped too soon and it is the intention of the company to put the well down a few hundred feet deeper. The stockholders held a meeting at Corwin's photograph gallery last Friday evening and another meeting will be held at the same place this evening. An expert driller will meet with the stockholders this evening and it is probable he will be given the contract to drill the well deeper. Some of the stockholders are very sanguine that they will strike a good

Death of An Old Lady.

Mrs. Martha Ross, step-mother of W. S. Ross, died at the Ross House at 5.10 p. m. last Sunday. Dropsy was cause of death. If Mrs. Ross had lived until next December she would have been eighty-nine years old. She was born in Columbia county, Pa., December 3rd, 1811. Mrs. Ross was conscious up until a few minutes before she closed her eyes in death. The deceased had been a faithful member of the M. E. church for many years and was ready to answer the summons to the heaven of eternal rest. A short funeral service was held in the parlor of the Ross House at 7.00 p. m. Monday, conducted by Rev. J. C. McEntire, and early yesterday morning the mortal remains of Mother Ross were taken to Greenville, husband, Henry Ross, who died at Milivale ten years ago.

TWO MEN KILLED.

An Empty Car Collided With a Loaded Trip at Eleanora Saturday.

James Potts and William Ruddick were instantly killed, and Mose Methuyne seriously injured in No. 2 mine at Eleanora early Saturday morning. On account of something being wrong with the rope hadage Friday evening the last trip of loaded cars was not hauled out of mine and Saturday morning the three men mentioned got into an empty car to ride into mine to bring out the trip of londed cars. Part of the distance the men had to ride the grade was very steep and they lost control of the car, but expected to gain control again before they reached the loaded cars. The grip rider had entered the mine another way and started the trip out after the empty car had started into mine and the car made so much noise that the men could not hear the rope running and did not know the danger they were in. The empty car and loaded trip collided on the steep grade and the men had no chance of escape. Potts and Ruddick were badly mangled. They were both married men. Ruddick was from Beechtree and his body was taken there for burial. Potts was buried at Eleanora. The Odd Fellows had charge of his funeral. Ruddick was 35 years old and Potts was 32. Methoyne, who is from Coal Glen, was not expected to live for a time, but he will recover.

Reception Wednesday Evening.

The reception in the lecture room of the M. E. church last Wednesday evening for Rev. Perry A. Reno and family was a very pleasant affair. The Epworth League had charge of the reception and the young people decided that instead of having something to eat, as is generally customary at such receptions, a present would be given the pastor and family, which was a wise decision. A handsome china closet and a rocking chair were the presents. The evening's program was as follows: Song by choir; prayer, Rev. J. C. Mc-Entire; song, male quartette, John Trudgen, K. G. Bottorf, John Reddecliff and Thomas Thomas; solo, Mrs. H. Alex. Stoke: selection by Epworth League orchestra, Will Northey. Will Trudgen, Fred Dempsey, Arthur Tyson and John Northey; recitation, Zelma Shaffer; solo, Grace Beck; song, quartette; address of welcome, K. G. Bottorf: handshaking: presentation speech, Dr. L. L. Means, president League. There was a large crowd present.

Opera House Re-opened.

"Lost in Egypt" was the first play produced in Albert Reynolds' opera house since the improvements were made on the interior of that building The stage has been enlarged, the entire interior repapered and repainted and the gas lights have been replaced with electric lights. Two are lights and twenty-eight incandescent lights, including foot lights, have been put in New scenery has been added and the drop curtain is a decided improvement over the old one. H. Eugene Phillips, the artist and actor of this place, did most of the scenery work. The fact of the matter is the interior of the Revnolds opera house has been so thoroughly transformed that it don't look like the same play-house.

Gas Gusher.

The local gas company of Brockway ville has struck a gas gusher near Lane's Mills at 3,000 feet. A special from Brockwayville to the DuBois Courier Monday morning says:

"Gas gushed out of the hole with such force that it threw stones and loose particles of the formations out in quantities. Owing to the outward pressure and the continued spurting of small stones and loosened particles it has been impossible to use glycerine for the further development of the supply which has been punctured by the drill. The best calculations that it has been possible to make show that 3,000,000 feet of gas per day is issuing from the hole.'

The Whyfor. Rev. Perry A. Reno, pastor M. E. church, went to Baltimore, Md., Friday morning with his daughter. Miss Amy, who is now a student in the Woman's College of that city, and Dr. R. C. Smith, presiding elder of this district, was to fill Rev. Reno's pulpit. Friday forenoon Dr. Smith was called to Oil City on important business that would keep him there four or five days, consequently there was no preaching in the M. E. church Sunday. There will be preaching services next Sunday mornning and evening.

150 pairs of ladies' tan shoes and Oxfords below cost at Williams' shoe store.

For the children use Reynolds' Syrup of Wild Cherry to relieve a cough or cold. Easy to take. Reynolds' Drug Store.

See the new Oxford overcoats at Millirens. Johnston & Nolan are now selling a

line of ladies' shoes for \$1.50 that formerly sold for \$2.50. All the late styles in fall shoes at

Robinson's. Our New Cold Cure is guaranteed. We will refund the price for any failure to cure. 25c. Reynolds Drug Store.

Ernest Gamble, the Eminent Basso



ASSEMBLY HALL THURSDAY EVENING Mr. Ernest Gamble will give an entertainment in Assembly Hall to-morrow, Thursday, evening. The date has been changed and the concert will be given a day earlier than first advertised. Tickets on sale at Stoke's drug store.

A number of DuBois people are com ing down to attend this concert and right. He noticed the three of them arrangements have been made to hold the 9.35 p. m. train here until the concert is over to accommodate them.

Ordained a Deacon.

We neglected to mention last week that Rev. J. C. McEntire, of this place, was ordained a deacon at the recent session of the Eric Annual Conference held in Punxsutawney. Mr. McEntire was given local preacher's license about fifteen years ago and during that time he has preached 400 or 500 sermons, held a number of revival meetings and conducted a large number of funeral services, besides working at his tradeblacksmithing-without losing much time only when called from his work to conduct funeral services. He has conducted revival meetings at various points and would keep them up three or four weeks, preaching every night and returning home in time to work in his shop during the day. While blowing the bellows or shoeing horses he would study a sermon and, perhaps, take an occasional shout during the day. He has done more good than many a preacher who devotes his entire time to the ministry. Rev. McEntire is a very spiritual christian and his daily life is a testimony for good.

The deacon's license gives Rev. Mc-Entire the power to perform marriage ceremonies and to assist in the administration of the Lord's Supper.

Rev. W. H. Robinson, pastor of the Summerville M.E. church, is at the home of his wife's parents at Ridgway with typhoid fever and Rev. McEntire is doing the work Summerville during Mr. Robinson's illness.

Goes to Phila Monday.

Several weeks ago mention was made in THE STAR that James R. Arnold had resigned his position as bookkeeper for the Reynoldsville Woolen Company to accept a good position in an office at Philadelphia, the kind of a position, bowever, was not mentioned then, but we have since been informed that he is to be manager of the Policy Holders National Union office for eastern part of Pennsylvania. The company is backed by millions of dollars and its president is the Hon. Charles Kinney, churches, or on bridges, shall be guilty State Secretary of Ohio. Mr. Arnold of a misdemeanor. The penalty for goes to the "City of Brotherly Love Monday to take charge of his new office. Mrs. Arnold and Harold will remain in town for a short time to close up affairs here and, after a short visit with relatives near Pittsburg, will join Mr. Arnold in Philadelphia. They intend boarding during the winter. Harold will either accept a position in his father's office or continue in the service of a Philadelphia paper for which, he says, he has already done considerable work.

Hon. S. M. Jack Nominated.

The deadlock in the selection of Congressional candidate for this district was broken at Kittanning last Wednesday and Hon. S. M. Jack, of Indiana was renominated. One hundred and seventeen ballots were taken before a comination was made. Hon. W. O. Smith, of this county, did his best to ecure the nomination, but failed. It will be Jefferson county's turn next time, as this will make two terms for each of the other three counties since our county has been given the district nomination, and Mr. Smith should be given the county nomination two years hence without opposition.

A Good Yield.

On the Thomas S. McCreight farm in Paradise 300 bushels of wheat was raised this year on 91 acres of land. This is an average of almost 32 bushels to the acre. Who can beat It?

Geo. E. Keith's shoes took a prize at Paris Exposition. You get this make at Robinson's.

Men's, women's and children's tan shoes below cost at Williams."

See the new fall block in derbies at Millirens. Johnston & Nolan have a fine line of Emerson's shoes for gentlemen. Sec

For Sale—New buggies, wheels, tops, cushions, dashes, &c., also second-hand buggies and hacks, by L. M. Snyder.

Ione calf shoes for men, only \$2.00 at

COMMITTED SUICIDE

George W. Henry Ended His Earthly Career With a Shot Gun.

George W. Henry, a well-to-do farmer of Paradise Settlement, committed suleide about six o'clock Sunday evening by firing a load of shot into his left breast. Henry was about 28 years old and was single. His father and mother are both dead and a cousin, Mrs. Fuller, and her husband were keeping bouse for him. There is no reason known why the young man should have taken his own life. He had not been well for several weeks and the doctors think he was suffering from an acute attack of melancholy. He had been acting strangely all day Sunday and after eating a bearty suppor he told the inmates of the house, his cousin, her husband and a small boy whom he had taken to raise, that the world would come to an end before midnight and that he was going to heaven. He kissed his cousin good bye and said he hoped they would be happy in their new home, as they intended moving next spring, and be advised the boy to be good and live were watching him closely and he laughed about It and said they needn't watch him that way. He went up stairs and in a few minutes afterward the persons down stairs were startled by the report of a gun. They ran up and found Henry had instantly killed himself. He had placed the muzzle of the gun close to his left breast, making a hole about the size of a half dollar. Funeral services were held at the Dutch Paradise church at 1.00 p. m. yesterday.

Public School Libraries.

County Superintendent Teitrick informs us that \$4.018.17 was raised and expended for public school libraries last year. Of this amount, \$566.18 was raised by the borough schools, and \$3,451.99 was raised by the township schools. The money was raised by boxsuppers, festivals, pie socials, etc. As a result of the expenditure of this sum of money, 7,709 volumes were placed in the schools of the county last year as library books. This is a most gratifying exhibit of the good work accomplished last year, and should stir up the teachers, pupils and friends of education throughout the county to greater efforts in behalf of school libraries this term. A great philanthropist, in urging the necessity for establishing public school libraries, says: "If I had a million dollars to expend where it would do the most good, I would put it all into rural school libraries." More than onehalf of the children of the nation are educated in the rural school and come from rural homes, few of which have suitable books for young people. Good books in the hands of these children would greatly increase the efficiency of of the country schools. They would create a taste for good literature and would be the best fortification against the evil effects of bad literature .--Brook ville Republican.

Who Will Enforce It?

It is claimed that the town council of Franklin has an ordinance under course of passage which provides that any person spitting on the walks of the city or loafing on the street corners, or in front of the opera house, postoffice. spitting on the walk is a fine of not less than \$1 nor more than \$5, or not more than 30 days in jail. In the case of loafing the penalty is a fine of not more than \$10 or 30 days in jail, or both. We have an ordinance in Reynoldsville prohibiting loafing on streets and using obscure or profane language on the streets, and yet loafing and profane language are common. Franklin's new law is alright, but it will soon be a "dead letter."

Were Not School Boys. Special to THE STAIL!

RATHMEL, Sept. 24-The Rathmel correspondent of Grit, in last issue of that paper, spoke very disrespectfully of an officer of the law, besides casting reflection upon our public schools when he said that the parties arrested by Constable Null for playing poker were only school boys. The truth is, they were men old enough to be setting a good example for school boys and some of them should have been at home taking care of their children instead of breaking the law as they were doing. Constable Null merely peformed his duty. I would suggest to the Grit correspondent that he be more careful of his statements in the future.

CITIZEN

J. C. KING & CO.

Auction sales will continue every Saturday and Monday afternoon and night. Private sales during the week.

Light colored golf hats, all shapes at Millirens.

Call and see the new Erie shoe for

men at Williams. Latest styles in shoes at Johnston & Nolan's shoe parlors. Call and see

shoes and get their low prices

Low prices, good fits, first-class work

at John Flynn's tailor shop. Millirens clothing excel all others. .

Coca Cola relieves headaches and nervousness. 5c. Reynolds Drug Store.

Mitchell, the tailor, has no competition on fine overcoats.