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Teachers' Institute.

The annual Teachers' Institute convenes Monday, Dec. 17, in the court house, Brookville, Pa., at 2:00 o'clock, p. m. The talent secured for the evening entertainments this year is exceptionally fine, being selected from America's most popular entertainers. Prof. E. O. Excell, of Chicago, will have charge of the music. The evening sessions will be held in the Marlin opera house.

Monday evening, Dec. 17th—The Rogers-Grilley Recitals, Van Veacht Rogers, harpist, Chas. F. Grilley, humorist-entertainer. This will be one of the most charming and unique entertainments ever given in Brookville. "There is no pair of entertainers who are more popular or present a finer evening's program than the Rogers-Grilley Combination. Mr. Roger's harp is always a surprise to those who hear him for the first time, and repeated selections are more and more enjoyable. Mr. Grilley's selections were varied. His pathetic and humorous selections caused repeated encores."—Beverly (Mass.) Citizen.

Tuesday evening, Dec. 18, Illustrated Lecture on "The Paris Exposition" by W. Hinton White. This lecture is magnificently illustrated by 150 views, and the delineation in itself is well-nigh perfect. "Description magnificent, views magnificent beyond description."—Bay View (Mich.) Resorter. "One of the best attractions at Chautauqua."—Chautauqua Herald.

Wednesday evening, Dec. 19, The Ariel Ladies Sextette, composed of the six sweet singing Smith sisters. This organization has, during the past eight seasons, appeared in nearly every state in the Union and in fifteen hundred different cities and towns establishing a national reputation as entertainers. "Every number was a perfect treat, every note a pure delight."—Dallas (Tex.) News. "The people of this city were charmed with your delightful entertainment."—Geo. F. Tibbets, Secretary Y. M. C. A., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Thursday evening, Dec. 20, Lecture on "The Heroism of a Private Life" by Russell H. Conwell. Mr. Conwell is to-day one of America's most popular platform speakers, and as such is in such constant demand that he cannot respond to one-half the calls he receives. While he is heard preaching every Sabbath in his magnificent church in Philadelphia by thousands of people, yet the Philadelphia Times says: "The only lecturer in America who can fill a hall in this city with three thousand people at a dollar a head."

Excursion tickets to Brookville and return can be purchased at any station on the Pennsylvania and B., R. & P. railroads. Anyone wishing to attend the institute may address the county superintendent for orders to secure excursion tickets.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending Dec. 1, 1900:

Mrs. Matilda Pettigrew, Miss Maggie Reid, Hon McAnany, P. H. Songe.

Foreign—A signor Givio Suarre, Peterino Zuppio.

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

A. M. WOODWARD, P. M.

Books for the Holidays.

I have a large line of books, calendars, booklets, Christmas cards, &c., from 10c. to \$1.50. After inspecting my stock if you do not find what you want I will be pleased to order for you. Can furnish you any book published.

STOKE.

Stockholder's Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Reynoldsville, Pa., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held in the Banking Room on Tuesday, January 7th, 1901, at 3:00 p. m.

JOHN H. KAUCHER, Cashier.

Mr. Weeks gave a number of clever character sketches, and his efforts were received with hearty applause.—Wilkes Barre Record. At Assembly Hall December 12th.

Bronze Turkeys for Sale—I will sell full blooded bronze turkeys at \$1.75 apiece for next 30 days.

MARTIN L. HETRICK.

Williams' shoes excell all others in quality and price.
Arrow-brand collars 2 for 25c. at Millirens.

Another new line of ladies' and misses' coats and capes at Shick & Wagner's.

Low prices, good fits, first-class work at John Flynn's tailor shop.

Large line of Christmas goods at Gooder's jewelry store. Call and see the stock. It will do your eyes good.

Tablets given away with school shoes at Johnston & Nolan's.

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

A water set, one large pitcher and six glasses for 27 cents at B. T. Cox's.

Go to Shick & Wagner's for your fall goods. You will find a complete line of everything.

Johnston & Nolan have a fine line of Emerson's shoes for gentlemen. See them.

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

Letter to M. M. Davis,
Reynoldsville, Pa.

Dear Sir: What would be the result of selling poor paint with this guarantee? "If you have any fault to find with this paint, either now in putting it on, or hereafter in the wear, tell your dealer about it."

"We authorize him to do what is right at our expense."

That means pay damages, don't it. Here's another guarantee:

"If your state chemist finds this paint adulterated, we will pay his bill, and send you \$100."

We stand by both of these guarantees; as we are the maker, we know all about it.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.

Zinc and Grinding make Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint wear twice as long as lead and oil mixed by hand.

For Sale or Rent. Our property and stock for sale, or will sell stock and rent the rooms.

J. C. KING & CO.

Best assortment of holiday goods, all bargains, at B. T. Cox's.

Silverware and silver novelties at Gooder's jewelry store.

New neckwear is arriving weekly at Millirens.

Army leggings for men and boys at Williams.

Latest styled in shoes at Johnston & Nolan's shoe parlors. Call and see shoes and get their low prices.

Always on Time



UP-TO-DATE.

I will visit Brookville from 9 a. m. Dec. 14, until 2.30 p. m. Dec. 15, and HOTEL IMPERIAL, REYNOLDSVILLE.

DECEMBER 13.

Good eye work a specialty and all work warranted.

G. C. GIBSON, Optician.



We sell . . .

you a fine, big RANGE for \$16.50 to \$21. Heating Stoves, \$3.50 and upwards. Cook Stoves for \$13 and upward.

We guarantee . . .

our Ranges and Prizer Oaks in every respect. Anyone finding them not as we represent them, their money will be refunded.

WE also carry a nice line of Furniture, Carpets, Kitchen Utensils, Lamps, Curtains, Rugs, Bedding, Dishes, Glassware, in fact, anything needed to furnish a house from cellar to garret.

We are pleased to show you our goods.

New building opposite the postoffice.

C. R. HALL.

No Idle Talk, No Waste of Words, But Plain, Honest Statements at

SHICK & WAGNER'S

THE - BIG - STORE.

Overcoats

Our Overcoat Department is what should interest you now. Overcoats in the new Oxford Shades that for style and quality are as good as any first-class tailor can make, and their price one-third less. At the rate these coats have been selling we are convinced our trade appreciates our efforts and price. Men's Overcoats at \$5, \$7, \$8, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18. Boys' Overcoats, age 15 to 20, at \$2.50, \$4.50, \$6.00, \$8.00. Boys' Overcoats, age 3 to 15, at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50.

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing

See our suits before buying. You will save dollars by buying at this store. We have been very careful in selecting our line of clothing for fall, and have just received the last of our large order. We invite you, one and all, to examine this line.

Men's Underwear

We sell Men's Underwear at no advance in price, as we bought all of our underwear early last spring direct from the manufacturer and will sell at the same low price. Men's ribbed fleece-lined 50c. a suit. Men's extra heavy fleece-lined 85c. a suit. Men's extra heavy ribbed, fleece lined \$1.00 a suit. Men's Merino Underwear 95c. a suit. Men's Camel Hair Wool \$1.50 a suit. Men's Pure Wool in Brown, Tan, Grey and Red, \$2.00 a suit. Men's extra heavy Underwear, all wool, doubled over the chest and back, remarkable value at \$2.00 a suit.

We have also added to our already large stock a new lot of

- HATS,
- CAPS,
- NECKWEAR,
- SHIRTS,
- COLLARS,
- HOSE,
- SHOES,
- MACKINTOSHES,
- MEN'S HEAVY WORKING COATS, ETC.

In fact, we have a complete line of everything in Men's Furnishings.

Money refunded or made satisfactory to consumer if goods prove unsatisfactory.

Shick & Wagner,

THE BIG STORE.

Next door to P. O.

THE SEASON'S TRIUMPHANT VALUES

We Steadfastly Hold to the Supreme Clothing Offerings Which Have Won Us Fame.

Level Headed Customers

Are not swept about by the prevalent extravagant advertisements which, like a weather vane in a gale of wind, blow all around the compass from \$30 suits to \$15; \$20 suits to \$10; \$10 suits to \$5; \$25 overcoats to \$15; \$20 overcoats to \$10, and \$10 overcoats to \$5. The public wants the best for its money and prefers

QUALITY IN THE GARMENT

to ridiculous claims as to worth. Fictitious boasting how much business some merchants do is no proof that they do the business. The goods that we sell at small profits is the proof that satisfaction is the best policy and our past dealings with the public is the best proof.

Men's Suits In all the fancy stripes, checks, smooth blacks and beavers, thibet and good all-wool clay worsteds in sacks and cutaways. Match it if you can for \$10.00.

Men's Suits Suits of blue, black, gray and fancy serges, cut in the latest styles, single or double breasted, for \$10. **Men's Suits** In all the latest colorings in black, blue, gray, brown and fancy checks and stripes. Strictly all wool for \$8.00.

Youth's Suits Ages from 15 to 19 years old, in black, blue, gray, stripes and checks. They run in prices from \$5.00 to \$12.00. They are beauties.

Children's Suits In 3-piece and 2-pieces with the reefer, collar or plain, also with reversible silk vest. Prices, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 to \$5.00. **Men's Overcoats** Of Meltons or Kerseys, blue or black, and all shades of coverts, all properly cut and strictly all wool for \$10.00.

Mens' Overcoats Oxford mixtures, black and blue kerseys, some with satin-lined shoulders and padding. They are dandies at \$12.00.

Boys Overcoats From 15 years old to 19. These come in blue, black, coverts, grays and all the latest patterns for \$8.00. **Boys Overcoats** From 15 to 19 years old, in blue, black, gray and brown effects. The best coat ever sold for the money, \$9.00.

Child's Overcoat They come in the short box coat in blue, black, brown and gray. The latest fads for your child at \$2.00 to \$5.00.

Mens Underwear A good suit of underwear for 50c to \$4.00 the suit. They come in plain and fleece lined. Look this line over. **Boys Underwear** Mothers, we have the greatest fleece-lined suit of underwear for your boys at \$1.00 the suit you ever saw.

Men's Shirts In all the latest stripes and the best made and fitting shirts in all the country. See them for \$1.00.

Men's Shirts We have the greatest 50c shirts you ever saw in soft bosom with two collars and a pair of cuffs for 50 cents. **Boy's Shirts** Mothers, we have them in solid and soft bosoms in all the latest checks and stripes at 50c.

Ties! Ties! We are the only people handling the great Rufus Waterhouse neckwear. The greatest and best line you ever looked at, 25 to 50c

Hats! Hats! In blacks, browns and Oxfords. Stiff hats in all the latest shades and colors; in Alpines and soft hats from 50c to \$3. **Caps** For the men, boys and children. They come in all the predominating shapes and styles. A cap for 25 cents to One dollar and fifty cents.

Umbrellas Our umbrellas are here for the holidays and they are the nicest line you ever saw and they run in prices from 50c to \$5.00.

Gloves For men, boys and children, both for dress and working. In lined and unlined for 25c to \$2 the pair.

Trunks, Bags, Full Dress Suit Cases in all the different styles and prices. A good trunk for \$1.50 to \$10.

YOURS TRULY,

Scott McClelland