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## GEO. HARRIS FOR SENATOR.

### Presented With a Gold Watch by Mahanoy City Friends.

George Harris, of Reynoldsville, who has been working in the interest of the United Mine Workers in Schuylkill county, with headquarters at Mahanoy City, spent Christmas with his family in this place. December 22 Mr. Harris' friends at Mahanoy City presented him with a valuable gold watch and gave him a banquet. From the *Daily American* of Mahanoy City we clip the following:

"Friday evening last a few of Mr. Harris' thousands of friends concluded that his earnest efforts to improve labor in the coal districts of Schuylkill entitled him to an appropriate token of the respect held for him by the business interests of the community.

"The committee decided that a first-class solid 14k gold watch would be an appropriate gift.

"The talented organizer had no intimation of the surprise in waiting for him, and when a large number of the contributors called on him at the Pennsylvania Hotel at 10 o'clock Saturday evening and, having already escorted him to the parlor of the hotel, presented him with the handsome timepiece, Mr. Harris was visibly affected.

"In presenting the gift of Mr. Harris' friends, the editor of the *American* said no pleasanter duty had been his in many years. He said that Mr. Harris needed no eulogies, that the splendid condition industrial and mercantile pursuits are assuming in this territory was largely due to the untiringly honest efforts of the gentleman whom he hoped would accept the token in the spirit in which it was presented—that of appreciation.

"Mr. Harris accepted the gift of friends in a feeling and earnest speech, saying what a sense of pride it gave him to know that his efforts, small though they might have been, to assist labor to rise again was appreciated by the business interests of Mahanoy City.

"During the evening a prominent merchant, while speaking at table, made a remark which caught the endorsement of all present. He said there was a strong current running in the direction of Mr. Harris, which the speaker was sure, would carry him into the Senate of Pennsylvania. The gentleman stated that it was in the law making department that men of Harris' known honesty and ability were sorely needed, and that organized labor was not true to itself if it kept its eyes in a bandage at such times.

"We are reliably informed that it is Mr. Harris' intention to move his family to town and take up permanent residence here."

### Jurors From This Section.

Court begins next Monday and the jurors drawn from this section are as follows:

Grand—John M. Norris, Thomas Armagost and Braden Spencer, Winslow township; E. Weiser, Pinecreek; David Hetrick, Reynoldsville; Wm. McMillon, Pinecreek.

Petit—Jerry Heckman, Reynoldsville; Albert Strauss, Winslow twp.; Daniel Zimmerman and Francis Cramer, McCalmont twp.; M. M. Fisher and A. E. Brillhart, Reynoldsville; A. L. Shoensley, Winslow twp.; Fred Caldwell, John Shaw, H. G. Stratton, Washington twp.; James Hilleburn, John S. Sheller, McCalmont twp.

Traverse—James McLaughlin, John W. Stewart, David Moore, Elmer Cooper, Washington twp.; John Hatton, Albert Mottera, Pinecreek twp.; S. E. Ishman, Winslow twp.

### Blown to Atoms.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded, for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure constipation and sick headache. Only 25c at H. Alex. Stoke's drug store.

### For Sale or Rent.

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

J. C. KING & CO.

John Flynn, merchant tailor, makes up-to-date suits. Try him.

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

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

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

### Glimpses of the People who are Passing To and Fro.

Father Driscoll was at Brookville Monday.

Dr. J. B. Neale was in Philadelphia last week.

Miss Bertha Copping visited in Brookville last week.

Mrs. W. M. Foster was in Philadelphia last week.

Mrs. E. L. Potter is visiting a daughter near Corsica.

D. L. Dally, of Mt. Jewett, visited in town this week.

L. H. Boyle has accepted a position at Punxsutawney.

Mrs. H. W. Herpel visited near Brookville last week.

Mrs. H. Eugene Phillips is visiting in Brookville this week.

Mrs. C. R. Hall visited in Brookville the first of this week.

Mrs. C. K. Hawthorne is visiting her parents in West Reynoldsville.

Walter D. Williams, the shoe merchant, was in Pittsburg last week.

R. E. Koehler, foreman THE STAR office, visited in Ridgway last week.

M. N. Zellar and wife, of Kane, were guests at William Copping's Sunday.

Mr. Larrant moved from Bell Vernon into the Peter Berry house last week.

Duff Crawford and wife have been visitors at E. D. Seeley's the past week.

Miss Lulu Stewart, of Brookville, was the guest of Mrs. J. O. Johns last week.

Misses Zoe Woodward and Belle Gordon visited in Brookville the past week.

D. L. Driscoll, of Bradford, visited Reynoldsville relatives since our last issue.

Miss Allie Irving went to Philadelphia yesterday to visit her uncle, Henry Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Enfer returned yesterday from a week's visit in Lock Haven.

George Hughes was in Brookville Monday night to see "A Wise Woman" played.

Mrs. A. J. Jasperson returned Wednesday from a visit with her parents at Warren.

J. N. Reeh was at Mercer, Pa., last week attending examination for mine foreman.

Mrs. G. M. McDonald returned last week from a visit with her parents at Penfield.

Charles Whitmore, of Pittsburg, visited his parents in this place since our last issue.

O. H. Gray, who has been in Michigan sometime, is visiting his family in this place.

Misses Mabel and Clara Siple have returned from a visit with friends in Brookville.

William T. Cox was in Harrisburg last week attending the opening of the Legislature.

Miss Minnie E. Strong, of Tidouste, is visiting her sister, Miss Dasie Strong, in this place.

Philip McClain, of Renovo, was the guest of I. D. and John Winslow since our last issue.

Mrs. W. H. Karns, of Oakmont, is the guest of Mrs. A. B. Weed, in West Reynoldsville.

Mrs. M. Montgomery and daughter, Miss Nellie, visited relatives in Kane the past week.

Mrs. Ed. Steel, of DuBois, visited her sister, Mrs. A. T. Bing, on Grant st., the past week.

Ex-Mayor H. Alex. Stoke, one of our most enterprising citizens, was in Pittsburg last week.

W. H. Stamey, Esq., who has been in Pittsburg several months, was in town this week.

W. A. Stanford was in Oil City recently visiting an uncle whom he had never seen before.

G. M. Rhoads, of McCain, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. S. M. Rhoads, in this place.

Charles Frank, jr., went to Terra Alta, West Va., Monday of this week to work in a woolen mill.

J. H. Humphrey was at Curwensville last week visiting his father, who will be 90 years old in April.

Miss Emily Dowling, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. F. Hoffman, on Hill street.

Arthur Clawson and John Winslow drove to Brookville Saturday night and home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Chas. Montgomery, of Sligo, attended the banquet given by the Masonic order in this place.

H. Eugene Phillips went to Johnsonburg Monday to put on one of his plays with Johnsonburg talent.

Mrs. L. A. Jackson, of Allegheny City, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. Alex. Stoke, in this place.

W. J. Frank and wife and F. F. Shauer, of Pittsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gross, in West Reynoldsville since our last issue.

Roy McDonald, who was teacher of the Jenks school, resigned that position to attend the Clarion State Normal. He went to Clarion Monday.

Mrs. Joseph Reynolds, of Massillon, Ohio, who has been visiting her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miles, two months, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. H. Prescott, of Main street, has returned home from a two weeks' visit with friends in Warren, Pa.

Ex-Prothonotary W. D. Clarke, now proprietor of a hotel in Darling, Pa., was in town one day last week.

Benjamin Kline returned yesterday from visiting his son, Lawyer Will Kline, at Galeson, Potter Co., Pa.

Richard Taufe, who holds a lucrative position at Robertsdale, Pa., spent last week with his family in this place.

John Siple and family of Punxsutawney, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Siple, in West Reynoldsville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Phillips, of Pittsburg returned to their home last week after a two weeks' visit in this place.

Frank Winslow, of DuBois, and his daughter, Nellie, and son, Arthur, visited at Mrs. Annie Winslow's Sunday.

Prof. B. G. Woodward, principal of the Driftwood schools, visited Postmaster Woodward since our last issue.

R. H. Farrell, of Elkins, West Va., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Farrell, in this place since our last issue.

J. J. Hoffman, who has been in Philadelphia for sometime, is visiting his brother, C. F. Hoffman, the jeweler, in this place.

Miss Ella Doyle, of Smethport, and Mrs. Flora Hamilton, of Hazelhurst, visited Reynoldsville friends since our last issue.

Dr. McCoy will visit patients at Reynoldsville from noon Friday until noon Saturday, January 11 and 12. At Imperial Hotel.

Albert Harris, who is gaining quite a reputation as a comedian, left here yesterday for Winchester, Ind., to join the Lillian Tucker Co.

S. Shaffer and daughter, Miss Etta, went to Philadelphia Tuesday, where the latter will enter Pierce's Business College as a student.

Mrs. J. E. Kirchartz, of Beaver Falls, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Riston, and son, Charles S. Kirchartz, in this place.

Mrs. John Milliren, of North Freedom, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Hindorfer, in this place, returned home Saturday.

Miss Lucy McCleery, who is attending college at Blairsville, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. McCleery, at Prescottville.

George W. Sykes, traveling salesman for the Reynoldsville Woolen Co., started last week on a trip through Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Mrs. J. D. Woodring and son, W. P. Woodring, went to White Haven, Pa., Saturday, called there by the illness of Mrs. Woodring's daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Krumanoeker.

### Emerickville.

John Haines returned home on New Year's day from Clearfield county, where he was employed as chief cook in a lumber camp.

Miss Blanche Emery, daughter of Bertron and Katie Emery, is very ill with scarlet fever at this writing.

Ell Haines is still on the sick list, having cancer of the stomach. He is one of the old pioneers of Jefferson county.

The neck-tie social at the Britton school last Friday night was a success. There was a large crowd present and plenty to eat. The cake walk ended by the cake taking a walk.

Emanuel Schugars was at Brookville on Wednesday.

Elias Haines, jr., of Marienville, was home to see his parents on New Year's.

Emanuel Bussard has opened a blacksmith shop on Main street.

W. W. Fales and Miss Katie Reed spent Sunday in Brookville, calling on friends.

John Hatton has purchased a dray outfit and is ready to deliver goods anywhere inside of three miles radius.

Groundhog's day February 2.

Our schools are again in progress after having two weeks' vacation and are doing well.

Henry Snyder has one-half of his logs hauled to Levi Schugars mill. For the amount of snow he has done exceedingly well.

Scott Harriger, of Emerickville, and Miss Edna Milliron, of Sandy Valley, were married Dec. 20th, 1900, at Brookville, by S. T. Stormer, J. P.

M. M. Smith and Frank Martz attended the necktie social at Britton Friday night.

Chester Swartz spent Sunday with Ellis Mowery and family.

The hunting season is over, but the boys are very busy catching minks, foxes, coons, skunks and wildcats for their fur and bounty.

Protracted meeting will begin in the M. E. church this eve.

Joseph Keys, of Washington township, is visiting his son in this place.

Lost, strayed or stolen—one of Mr. Emory's horses, on Monday night, but the horse was found the next day at one of the neighbors' barn trying to get in.

Messrs. Haines & Fales are handling some very nice cattle, weighing from 1600 to 1800.

O. B. Stewart had some very important business in Brookville on Monday.

## Three Burned to Death.

One of the most terrible and heart-rending accidents in the history of this section occurred at the home of John Harriger, who lived on the Maple Creek road, four miles beyond Sigel, at an early hour on Thursday morning, December 27th. The family consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Harriger, two sons, two daughters and a little babe about three months of age. The house in which they lived was a small frame building, two stories high, the stove pipe passing up through the ceiling and out through the roof. Mr. Harriger was away from home at the time working on a lumber job. The boys got up before six o'clock on the morning of the disaster and started a fire in the stove and then went to the spring for water. When Mrs. Harriger got up she found the house on fire and full of smoke, and hurried up stairs to try and save her children. She threw her babe out of the window and it escaped with but slight injuries. By this time she was overcome by the smoke and she and her two little daughters perished in the burning building, their charred remains being gathered up by friends after the fire was extinguished.—Brookville Republican.

## Misappropriated the Money.

Edward Henry, a Belgian glass worker residing at Reynoldsville, Pa., waived a hearing before Alderman John Downey during the present week on a charge of false pretense made by Paul St. Peter, secretary of L. A. 300, Window Glass Workers' Association.

According to the information Henry made arrangements with St. Peter to have fifteen Belgians leave the Reynoldsville factory and go to Arnold and other places where the old L. A. 300 was in control.

St. Peter gave Henry \$75 for expenses. Henry, however, did not get the men to leave and refused to return the money when St. Peter demanded it. Henry furnished bail for court.—National Glass Budget, Pittsburg, Jan. 5.

## Report of the Phillippi school for month beginning Nov. 5th and ending Nov. 30th: Number of pupils enrolled, males 20, females 17, total 37; per cent. of attendance, males 91, females 91; scholars present every day: Bell Syphrit, Alma Dougherty, Susie Shoensley, Grace Yohe, Ella Syphrit, Floyd Yohe, Homer Yohe, Carl Reiter, George Shoensley and Homer Little.

Wear Gold Seal rubbers; they have no equal. Get them at Robinson's.

Full line of Reed's ladies' shoes at Johnston & Nolan's at cost.

Army leggings for men and boys at Williams'.

## BING & CO.

Marked-down Sale.

We have a few Ladies' and Misses' Jackets you can have at a bargain.

Ladies' Waists.

Also Fur Collarettes.

Cheviot Dress Goods including double-faced goods.

Ladies' Rainy-day Skirts.

You can save money by calling.

## BING & CO.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF REYNOLDSVILLE

at Reynoldsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business Dec. 13, 1900.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$147,541 99
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	31 91
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	33,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	7,200 00
Furniture and fixtures	2,602 59
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	16,370 40
Due from approved reserve agents	111,125 08
Internal-revenue stamps	180 08
Checks and other cash items	704 49
Notes of other National banks	1,285 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	124 17
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$17,024 10
Legal-tender notes	2,500 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,250 00
Total	\$349,439 61
LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Surplus fund	10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	6,972 84
National Bank notes outstanding	24,450 00
Dividends unpaid	2,800 00
Individual deposits subject to check	219,531 81
Time certificates of deposit	35,093 33
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,340 63
Total	\$349,439 61

State of Pennsylvania, County of Jefferson, ss: I, John H. Kaucher, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN H. KAUCHER, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of December, 1900.

ALBERT REYNOLDS, Notary Public.  
CORRECT—Attest:  
C. MITCHELL, J. H. CORBETT, J. C. KING, Directors.

## We will Save You Money.

Everybody wants to save money and at the same time get the best for what money they spend. The place to bring about both these results in

## SHOES

is at our store. We sell Men's Dress and Work Shoes from \$1.00 up to \$7.00; Ladies' Shoes from \$1.00 to \$5.00; Boys' and Misses' Shoes at most any price.

## JOHNSTON & NOLAN.

Nolan Block, Main St.



## We sell . . . We guarantee . . .

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

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.

## O. R. HALL.

## FOLKS WE READ ABOUT

The Man Behind the Gun—  
The Man Behind the Hoe—  
The Man Behind the Plough—

All have trying moments at some time in their lives, but

## The Man Behind the Times

Is always unfortunate. He doesn't enjoy the comforts, conveniences or advantages of his up-to-date neighbor and is deserving of sympathy. The old ways seem good enough for him and when this is said it sets aside all the good things that make "life worth living."

This is the beginning of a new century. Let us keep up with the times. In order to do so, you want to call on THE REYNOLDSVILLE HARDWARE & FURNITURE CO. and see their up-to-date line of

## HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

In all the latest styles before purchasing.

## Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

## The Jefferson Supply Co.,

3 BIG STORES AT REYNOLDSVILLE, RATHMEL, SOLDIER.

Are in position now to furnish a new and complete line of Men's and Boy's Suits and Overcoats for Fall and Winter.

Cotton and Woolen Blankets.

A complete line of the celebrated W. L. Douglas Shoes for men.

Hats and Caps, Dress and Working Shirts and Men's Ladies' and Children's Underwear.

Our Millinery Department will be more complete ever and we can save you money.

We can furnish you anything in the line of Fur Stoves and Carpets.

And our Groceries and Fresh Meats speak for them.

Call and See us.

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