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Educational Meeting.

On Wednesday, August 28, an educational meeting was held in the M. E. church. Between thirty-five and forty teachers were present.

The meeting, under charge of Prof. R. B. Teltrick, County Superintendent, opened about 10:00 a. m. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Perry A. Reno, after which Prof. C. G. Rugh, of the Clarion State Normal, was introduced. "School Management" was the subject of the first address by Prof. Rugh. He urged the importance of good management. "It is by the discipline that the parents judge the teacher."

At the conclusion of Prof. Rugh's address the meeting was led in song by Prof. S. G. Smith, of Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. H. G. Carmalt, superintendent of the model department of the Indiana State Normal school, gave an address on Primary Reading. The importance of reading was emphasized as the chief factor in making ready writers; also in thought getting. The teaching of reading must start with the child's vocabulary; hence, the first step should be conversation; the second, the association of the object with the printed form. A combination of the word and sentence method is advised.

Prof. Smith, after a brief talk on music, led in the closing song of the first session.

The afternoon session opened with an address by Prof. Rugh on Recitation Planning and Assigning. The teacher must first grasp the theme of the lesson as an organic unity which is to be developed by the recitation. The recitation should consist of three parts: 1st—the review—getting the mind in the spirit of the lesson; 2nd—the view—the new work; 3rd—the preview—the assignment which should always be in the form of a problem.

Mrs. Carmalt then gave a talk on Language, which should be a training of thought both by oral and written expression.

Brief talks on "Essentials to Success" by Prof. Rugh and "Busy Work" by Mrs. Carmalt concluded the regular work of the day. After a short talk by Prof. Teltrick, who gave the teachers good suggestions and encouragement, the meeting closed, with all teachers feeling benefited by the day's instructions.

Wants to be Faithful.

At a religious meeting held in a hall near this place not long since, where testimony was being given, a man somewhat under the influence of liquor arose and said: "You all know that I have been a vile and wicked man, serving the devil continually. Pray for me that I may continue faithful."

No Gloss Carriage Paint Made

Will wear as long as Devco's. No others are as heavy bodied, because Devco's weighs 3 to 8 ounces more to the pint. Sold by H. A. Stoke.

The Punxsutawney fair seems destined to be attended by some fatality on its big day. The first year the man who went up in the balloon lost his grip when high in the air, and falling to the earth was instantly killed. The second year a fire broke out in the business part of the town and entailed thousands of dollars worth of loss, and for a time really threatened to destroy a great portion of the town. This year a horse ran off on the streets and injured a man named Shaffer so badly that it was thought he cannot recover. And now, this year a young man from the neighborhood of Kittanning lost his life while returning home.—DuBois Express.

"That's the finest soda I ever drank." Every girl in town has said this after leaving our fountain. Reynolds Drug Store.

New styles in Walk-Over's at Robinson's.

The greatest line of 50c shirts at McClelland's.

Every one asks us how we sell such ice cream soda for 5c. Well we're doing it. That's all. Reynolds Drug Store.

Enamels, Patent Colt, Box Calf Black, Russia, Vici Leather in Walk-Over's at Robinson's.

We have a few odds and ends that we will sell cheap. Johnston & Nolan.

Children's suits from 50c to \$1.50 at McClelland's.

Good fit and good shoes at the lowest possible price at Johnston & Nolan's.

Straw hats in all the latest things is at McClelland's.

Big shoes and little shoes at Johnston & Nolan's at a reduced price.

Underwear for 25c at McClelland's.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

The tenth annual convention of the Jefferson County Christian Endeavor Union was held in the Plisgah Presbyterian church, Corsica, on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. This is reported to have been the most interesting and enthusiastic convention ever held by the Union. The convention will be held in the Reynoldsville Presbyterian church next year. Rev. Marlon J. Kline, D. D., of Philadelphia, has already been booked for the convention next year. Other prominent speakers will be engaged in due time.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. C. L. Bradshaw, of Brockwayville; vice-president, Rev. R. L. Irving, of Punxsutawney; corresponding secretary, Miss Isabel Arnold, of Reynoldsville; recording secretary, Miss Margaret Botler, of Reynoldsville; treasurer, Miss Ella Barnum, of Johnsonburg; superintendent of Junior Work, Miss Margaret Jones, of Corsica; superintendent of Lookout Work, Robt. Hendricks, of Falls Creek; superintendent of Missionary Work, Rev. F. P. Breit, of Corsica, superintendent of Good Citizenship, Rev. G. H. Hill, of Rockdale Mills.

The Plisgah Endeavor Society presented the Union with a gavel that is made out of nine different varieties of wood that were cut from trees in Jefferson county. The pine in the gavel is from the old pulpit of the Plisgah church that had been used a half century.

The hospitality and cordial welcome extended the Endeavor delegates will not be surpassed by any other town.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by H. A. Stoke.

Rates to Indianapolis.

For the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at Indianapolis, September 16 to 21, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Indianapolis from all points on its lines at rate of a single fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold September 12 to 15, inclusive, and will be good to return, leaving Indianapolis not earlier than September 15 nor later than September 23. By depositing ticket with Joint Agent September 15 to 23 and upon payment of fifty cents an extension of the return limit may be secured, to leave Indianapolis to October 7, inclusive.

A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boscbee, a celebrated German physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boscbee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price, 75 cts. For sale at H. Alex Stoke's drug store. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

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A farm containing fifty-five (55) acres in first-class condition, a good modern house and barn thereon, a well of splendid water, orchards of choicest fruit, a short distance to school, also to three churches. Farm will be sold for less than buildings thereon cost. For further particulars call on or address R. W. Shaffer, Richardsville, Pa.

A Gold Dollar at Fifty Cents

Would not be as cheap or give you as much benefit as a jar of Clydesdale Ointment at 25 cents. For rheumatism and stiffness of the joints, there is nothing equal to Clydesdale Ointment. It draws out the soreness of the muscles. Red Top Jar, 25 cents.

The first newspapers were not newspapers at all. Their object was simply to disseminate business information in the way of advertisements, and the news and literary features were added to make the paper of more general interest. The newspaper of to-day is vastly more valuable as an advertising medium than its predecessor, and is the most potent influence in public affairs. "It is the regent of sovereigns and tutor of nations," said Napoleon, and Dr. Talmage recently said of the newspaper that it was "book, pulpit, platform and forum all in one. It is the people's university, the schoolmaster of mankind."—Punxsutawney Spirit.

For Sale.

Cow peas, McCormick binders, mowers and rakes, Keystone weeder, Crown drills, horses, cows and general merchandises. J. C. KING & CO.

Are you going to the Pan-American? If so we have the greatest line of trunks, grips and telescopes in town. Scott McClelland.

The Passing of Parker.

Occasionally the hum-drum routine of intercourse with the ordinary men, our brothers, is enlivened by contact with, or hearing of a person possessed of a superior capacity for doing original things; or acting in a freakish manner. Such an one appeared in Reynoldsville a few years since, shining brilliant for a season and then disappearing from the knowledge of our townsmen.

Parker was his name and he was a curiosity in more ways than one. He wasn't a very prepossessing chap when he first struck town, for though genius and threadbare clothing often hob-and-nob, nevertheless we are inclined to look with suspicion on the individual so dressed. But genius will not be hid, and Parker needed no clothing to make himself famous. With a volubility that could come only of long practice he could spin yarns by the yard of his escapades; in fact he told a good many more than he was ever in. His friends knew him well, laughed at all, believed what they would. He claimed to be a workman of a very difficult trade, and, by a strange coincidence, there happened a vacancy in his trade in town just at that time. He was employed but proved to be not an expert in his line. For awhile things went comparatively quiet. When pay day came there was a startling metamorphosis in Parker. He suddenly blossomed forth in new clothes from head to foot, and certainly no one was ever more at home in a fine suit than he. With a well built figure, wavy black hair, a dainty little cigarette, and a face always the image of good humor, he was a prominent character on the streets. He surprised a jeweler by dickerer for a diamond-set ring; he surprised his landlady by throwing her downstairs when she asked for money. He flirted with the girls and talked blandly at the same time of his wife-to-be in Philadelphia. Disappearing on a Saturday night, he reappeared on Monday saying he had been in the eastern part of the state. Parker never stopped talking, and cared little what he said. Sometimes he was making preparations to go on the road with a show; to others he was talking of staying here. One day he went to a minister and engaged him to marry himself and a girl, whom, he said, would arrive that day from Philadelphia. The hour arrived, the minister was ready, but Parker and his bride came not. Whether it was all a farce arranged by the inimitable Parker, or whether he was really disappointed no one knows. Then he disappeared once again, this time apparently for good, for another took his position. Creditors in alarming numbers suddenly bobbed up. To all which there was only the answer that he had left for parts unknown.

Three weeks afterward Parker dropped in from the skies, blandly soothed his worried friends and quieted his creditors not by money but by talk. Happening to drop in at the place of his old employment, he became engaged in a quarrel with the new workman, who ordered him out, and to emphasize his words picked up a mallet and went for Parker. Parker vacated. A day afterwards he informed his boarding house keeper that his mother was dead and he was going to attend her funeral. Happening to pass by Parker's room door a half hour later, the host heard him merrily singing a negro dialect song about his "mudder in de cotton fiel' pickin' cotton," whereupon the host seriously doubted the gentleman's story. But Parker left that evening. Left too without paying his landlord, his tailor or his numerous other creditors.

So came and so went the inimitable Parker. His acquaintance was costly to some, but amusing to more. The majority smiled and forgot.

A Shocking Calamity.

"Lately befell a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Kelleff, of Williford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Piles and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Cure guaranteed. 25c. Sold by H. Alex Stoke.

Reduced Rates to Cleveland.

On account of the thirty-fifth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, September 10 to 14, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Cleveland from stations on its line, at greatly reduced rates.

Tickets will be sold and good going September 8 to 12, inclusive; good to return until September 15, inclusive; but by depositing ticket with joint agent at Cleveland, prior to noon of September 15, and the payment of fifty cents, return limit may be extended to October 8, inclusive.

For specific rates and further information apply to ticket agents.

Only a Foot

But on account of a small corn, it seemed like an acre. No use of going around wearing a shoe that looks like a basket. Use Clydesdale Ointment and rid yourself of these annoyances. Your corns and bunions can be cured in from three to ten days by using it. Red Top Jar, 25 cents.

Come and see the bargain counter of shoes at Johnston & Nolan's.

One hundred pairs of ladies' shoes at Johnston & Nolan's below cost.

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HOTEL BELNAP,
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FRANK DIETZ, Proprietor.
 First class in every particular. Located in the very center of the business part of town. Free bus to and from trains and commodious sample rooms for commercial travelers.

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 The leading hotel of the town. Headquarters for commercial men. Steam heat, fridges, bath rooms and closets on every floor, sample rooms, billiard room, telephone connections &c.

As White as the Driven Snow
 Will be your linen if washed at the
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We have all modern facilities and guarantee perfect satisfaction. Experienced and competent assistants in every department. Free delivery to all parts of city. Give us a trial order and be convinced that we can do your work better and more promptly than you can get it elsewhere. All class of work done. Special facilities for washing Lace Curtains.

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Cabinet work of all kinds made to order. Upholstering and repair work of all kinds done promptly.

We guarantee all our work and you will find our prices right.

Also agents for Kane patent Window Screens and Inside Blinds and Screen Doors. Estimates cheerfully given.

Northamer & Kellock,
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Goods arriving daily for early fall. Basement Department now open. Chinaware, Glass-ware, Tinware, Enamelware, Wood and Willowware at a saving of 15 to 35 per cent.

The Furniture Occasion of the Year.

Don't Miss this Carpet Opportunity.

Something Strong . . . and Stubborn,

Something snug and warm, so most mothers reason about boy's clothes. So that the suit wears well, is rugged and warm, that's good enough, for the style don't matter much compared to service. How about both? You pay for service here and get style thrown in. We will sell you the best clothing made. We guarantee the wear and the fit, finish and style are equal to men's clothes.

Boys' Vestee and Two-Piece Suits. You will not find a better assortment of cloths and prices than you will find here. All the new and up-to-date cuts at the lowest possible prices. Sizes from 3 to 16. Prices from 90 cents to \$5.00.

Youths' Suits. A large assortment of youths' suits, sizes from 12 to 20, in cassimers, worsteds, chevots, meltons, etc., in plain colors and fancy mixed. Prices \$2.25, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00 and \$12.

Men's Suits. These suits comprise fancy chevots, in green and brown mixtures, stripes, checks, black thibets, vicunas and cassimeres, in single and double-breasted styles, broad military shoulders and firm front, all trimmed with high class materials and finished in best man-tailored fashion. Prices ranging from \$8.00 to 16.50. Cheaper ones from \$3.00 to 7.50.

Men's and Boys' Hats. No need to pay more than our prices, and no economy in paying less. We will give you exactly the right hats for the least money that will buy dependable qualities and the assortments here are unmatched.

Shoes for Men and Boys. The best shoes for work or for dress can be found here. Try a pair and if they do not prove satisfactory report and it will be made to your entire satisfaction.

Neckwear. Greatest lot of bows, four-in-hands, tecks and puffs ever put out for a quarter apiece. Good assortments of batwings, imperials derbies, and four-in-hands, at 50 cents each.

New Dress Shirts. Newest patterns of colored shirts, soft or stiff bosoms at 40, 50, 65, 75, \$1.00, 1.25 and 1.50.

Honest Goods at Honest Prices, is our motto.

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H. W. EASON & CO.
 The new building next door to Postoffice.

C. R. HALL'S Opposite the Postoffice.
 For One Week From September 4th.

We offer special low prices in Semi-Porcelain and English ware, Havalind, Austrian and German China.

To make room for Fall Stocks, we give a cut price in Ingrain, Tapestries and Velvets. Also Japan and China Matting.

See our stock and prices in Parlor and Bed Room Suits. We are making prices that will make them go. We are pleased to show them.

In Coal and Gas Ranges, Hot Plates, Ovens and Cook Stoves. We have a big stock and are closing them out away down.

We have Lace Curtains, Blinds, Linoleums, in fact anything needed for to furnish a house at prices that defy competition. We are pleased to show them and give prices.

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