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THE NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS.

Reported by The Star's Special Correspondents.

Sykesville. Election is over and of course some of the candidates feel pretty blue. Meeting is still in progress in the Methodist church and a good interest is manifested. Mrs. John Null and son, Edward, were at Newtonburg last Wednesday attending the funeral of a nephew of Mrs. Null. Samuel Zufall, better known as "Big Sam," is the proud papa of a bouncing big girl baby. C. Z. Clawson wears a smile of very large dimensions because a little boy came to live with him. Mrs. J. A. Deemer and two sons returned home Saturday from a ten days' visit with friends near Panie. In our letter a few weeks ago we stated that Rev. Gold was from Linchburg, but we were mistaken. He is from Centerville. 'Twas our mistake and your treat. Mrs. Christina Stall will move this week from her residence on Ethel street into the Commercial Hotel building, where she intends to keep a boarding house, also a restaurant. We have been called to say something about the election, but for fear we might be called a sore head, we will only say politics in our township is a disgrace to the American born citizens. Rev. Gold, of Centerville, Crawford county, Pa., preached an excellent sermon in the Baptist church last Sunday morning also in the evening. We do not know whether the church will give Rev. Gold a call or not, but think they will make no mistake if they do.

Hormtown.

C. A. Hetrick is hauling lumber. L. W. Horn has finished his prop job. Jacob Boyer is hauling hay through this place. Henry Emarick, of Emerickville, was in this place Monday. Miss Delva Schugars visited relatives at Emerickville Monday. Joe Motteron, of Emerickville, had business in this place Monday. E. N. Moore was seen going through town last week with a new mule. Mrs. John Brothey, of Punxsutawney, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Moore. J. C. Byerly, of this place, who had been pounding saws at Smithville, has resigned. Felix Smith, of this place, has gone to Smithville, where he is employed as general manager and filer on M. W. Smith's mill. K. B. Deemer and Henry Snyder have returned from Elk county, where they had been employed on Peter Snyder's log job. Three sled loads of people attended the election held at Rockdale Mills on Tuesday. One of the sleds was upset and the men in it were rolled out in the snow. M. L. Hetrick and sons have been cutting and hauling logs. They have been doing a rushing business this winter. M. L. is also in the poultry business. He will erect a large henhouse next summer. We wish him great success. He has a fine lot of blooded fowls. Mead North, of DuBois, was in town last Monday. Alex Dickey, of Eleanora, was in town Monday. Mrs. Phillip Randolph is on the sick list at this writing. Wm. Veit and wife drove to Big Run on last Sunday. G. W. Secrist was at Brookville last Wednesday on business. Ishman Dickey, of Reynoldsville, was in town one day last week. The mines at Eleanora are running very slack at present time. William Hollenbaugh was in Reynoldsville one day last week. John Dougherty and Earl had business at Big Run last Monday. Mrs. W. Veit and Mrs. E. Foltz visited friends near Panie last week. Mrs. Martin Foltz, called on friends at this place on last Wednesday. Miss Maggie Scott, of Desire, is the guest of Mrs. Shankle in this place. Charley Dickey and Samuel Shankle drove to Reynoldsville last Friday. Amos Dickey and Miss Clara Horman were married one day last week. Miss McCright paid Miss Pearl Barritt a welcome call on last Wednesday. David Hollenbaugh delivered a load of very nice meat to H. C. Himes, our main street butcher. The Social Club of this place held a

Official Return of Vote at the Republican Primary Election

FEBRUARY 18, 1902.

Table with columns: Districts, Assembly, Treasurer, Sheriff, Pro., R. A. H., Co. Commissioners, and J. F. Sheriff. Lists candidates and vote counts for various districts like Barnett, Beaver, Bell, etc.

banquet at Shankle's hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Dickey, our newly married couple. H. S. Secrist and family, of Panie, were the guests of friends in town Thursday. Miss Reitz, our school teacher, was called to Beaver township to attend the funeral of her nephew. Charley Dickey had the misfortune to cut one of his fingers on a piece of glass and cause a very painful wound. John Dickey took supper with George, the bachelor. John said it was the best bachelor's cooking he ever ate. Richard Barnes and wife and Mrs. McGee, of Eleanora, were the guests of friends in the west end of town on Sunday. George Syphrit visited his parents one day last week. George said he wanted to see his dad, but I guess he was mistaken. Richard Barnes, of Eleanora, and G. W. Secrist, of this place, attended the banquet given by the DuBois I. O. O. F. last Wednesday evening. Rathmel. W. G. Harris drove to DeLancey last Thursday. Andy Johnston, of DuBois, was in town last week. Jasper Pittsley and wife, of Falls Creek, spent Sunday here. Twenty-one members of Washington Camp, No. 574, of Falls Creek, and two members of Camp No. 604, of West Liberty, attended divine services here Sunday afternoon with Camp 602, P. O. S. of A. Rev. A. J. Meek, of Reynoldsville, preached for them. Rev. W. J. Crawford and A. H. Zetlar, members of the P. O. S. of A. at Allens Mills, attended the entertainment and supper held by the P. O. S. of A. here Saturday evening, Feb. 22nd. Members of the P. O. S. of A. of Hazen and their friends to the number of forty drove over and enjoyed themselves here Saturday evening. Twelve members from the DuBois Camp was also present and said they had a good time. Rev. Volkoff, of DuBois, Rev. McEntire, of Reynoldsville, and Rev. Crawford, spoke during the entertainment. The committee of W. C. No. 602, P. O. S. of A. thank all who aided and helped in any way Feb. 22nd. Emerickville. Peter Baum is very ill at this writing. E. Weiser and wife enjoyed a sleigh ride to Reynoldsville Sunday. Mammie Baum, of Reynoldsville, visited friends in this place Saturday and Sunday. Messrs. James Smith and Mike Stormor of Reynoldsville, spent Sunday with friends here. Mrs. W. H. Mowery, who has been

visiting her daughter, Mrs. Rookey, in Kane the past four weeks, returned to her home Thursday of last week. Miss Grant Mattie and John Sprague, of West Emerickville, drove to Reynoldsville Sunday. George Geist and wife and son, Emory and wife, of Cool Spring, spent Sunday at the home of John Cable. Webster London and wife, of Sykesville, and Adam Welder and wife, of Big Run, are visiting relatives in this place. Misses Emma and Elva Hoch and brother, Solomon, of Ringgold, are visiting at the home of John Martz in this place. Quite a number of our young ladies and gentlemen drove to Reynoldsville Wednesday of last week and took supper at Frank's Tavern. Sandy Valley. Mrs. J. Schwem visited Mrs. J. T. Coax the past week. B. T. Cox, of East Pittsburg, visited his parents at this place the past week. William Schugars is busy hauling lime stone to his farm near this place. W. T. Cox attended the Republican county convention in Brookville last week. Albert Brocius and wife, of Brookville, visited friends in the Valley the past week. John McGiffin and wife, of Baxter, visited at the home of James McGee over Sunday. A number of our young people attended a social dance at Rockdale on Thursday evening. Stevenson and Smith are engaged in quarrying lime stone near this place. They report a good demand for all they can handle. We should judge from the amount of rigs that pass through our streets that the liverymen are doing a rushing business in our nearby towns. James McGee took a number of school scholars to Falls Creek to attend an entertainment Saturday evening. All report a pleasant time. John Miller, formerly employed at this place as mine boss, has secured a position near Weedville. He will move his family to that place in the near future. Flag day was celebrated in our public school in a befitting manner. A number of our citizens attended and all came away feeling patriotic. Well we don't blame them. Where is the man with soul so dead, that never to himself has said, "This is my own, my native land." Patapasco. Patapasco. Men's tan shoes that cost from \$2.50 to \$3.00 per pair we are selling out at \$1.50 per pair. Johnston & Nolan. Big bargains. If you need a heating stove go to Priestor Bros. They are selling stoves at extremely low prices.

Republican County Convention. The Republican county convention held in the court house at Brookville last Wednesday afternoon was well attended: On motion T. M. Kurtz was elected President and James V. Murray Secretary of the convention. P. B. Cowan, of Union, and W. T. Cox, of Winslow, were nominated and elected reading clerks. W. T. Darr, B. E. Irvin and N. L. Strong, of Brookville, and George Fairbanks, of Young, were elected tally and adding clerks. Prof. J. L. Allison, of Punxsutawney; Alex Stewart, of McAlmont; W. F. Burchfield, of Brookville; T. T. Millon, of Oiler, and D. J. Thomas, of Clayville, were appointed a committee on resolutions. T. M. Kurtz, of Punxsutawney, was unanimously re-elected county chairman. Hon. James G. Mitchell, of Perry, J. B. Henderson, of Brookville, and T. M. Kurtz, of Punxsutawney, were elected congressional conferees and instructed to do everything in their power to secure the district nomination for Hon. W. O. Smith. Among the resolutions submitted by the committee, was the following: We heartily endorse the candidacy of Hon. William O. Smith for the Congressional nomination in the twenty-sixth district. Jefferson is the largest county in population in the district, and her Republicanism has been firmly established for so many years that her claim to the nomination at this time, after fourteen years that she has yielded to the other counties with which she has been associated, is of the closest justice. We present a candidate who is the unanimous choice of the Republicans of this county, and whose familiarity with the interests of the district would make him acceptable to all. Many years of legislative experience, profound study of the principles of government, and devotion to the interests of the working people, from whom he sprung, joined with his unquestioned character as a man of integrity and loyalty to principle and to party, make him a candidate whose election is assured and whose service will be an honor to the district. Letter List. List of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Reynoldsville, Pa., week ending Feb. 22, 1902: Miss Mary Howard, Emanuel Smith, Mrs. Mae Walley, C. W. Stover, Mrs. Marie Gertz, G. Groove, Esq., Miss Matilda Evans, Howard S. Collins, Charles Carr, J. G. Bowser, Miss Rose Bowser, Miss Pearl Barrett, John Baker, James Montgomery. Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above. A. M. WOODWARD, P. M. We are offering bargains in merchandise, reducing our stock, and will rent our rooms, as I am on the road selling McCormick machinery and can't run a store at the same time. We have several horses to dispose of and wagons and harness. At the new chop mill below company store you will find all kinds of feed. M. C. COLEMAN.