

A PROPHECY AND ITS FULFILLMENT; LARGE YIELD OF LOCAL COAL FIELD

The Reynoldsville coal, celebrated wherever it is known for its quality and quantity, will, in a short period, usurp almost the entire bituminous trade of Pennsylvania. Other fields in our great mineral commonwealth are becoming jealous of us and well they may. Here is a fabrication concocted by a McIntyre correspondent of the Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin.

"From a general survey of the bituminous coal fields we find few places where the men are working any better than at McIntyre. The collieries around the Blossburg basin are shut down or running at most about one-third time. The mines up the West Branch and Pittsburgh way that are on full time are so overcrowded with workmen that they can earn but low wages. Quite a number of men have left McIntyre for Reynoldsville, but now report that it is the works there are stopped for a time. It is probable that the extent of the coal fields about Reynoldsville has been overrated. One Ohio company which invested largely in supposed coal land there are offering a high premium to any one who can find on their property a paying vein."

The "Pancost," "Diamond Gas Coal," "Reynolds," and other collieries have been furnishing and still continue to furnish hundreds of men with employment, and the indications are that this field will demand more miners than any other bituminous field now known. There has been no work stopped, but in truth, operations have not as yet

been extensively begun; the work thus far consisting in preparations. There has been enough of our excellent coal reached the market to test its quality, and for gas purposes it has been found to excel and precede all other coals. The extent of the coal field here is not overrated but on the contrary is not extolled to its true merit. The Ohio company referred to in the Gazette and Bulletin began their operations by adopting scientific methods of opening, but the geologist recommending this plan made a mistake—the beds of coal not lying where the drifts were made. Now that the company are going practically to work to discover the beds they will, without a doubt, be rewarded by finding two veins of bituminous coal that can never find a peer.—Reynoldsville Herald, Jan. 6, 1875, W. S. Reynolds editor.

The prophecy above has more than come true. At the present time there is one company alone with a shipping capacity of 25,000 tons daily of "Reynoldsville" coal, not to mention a small matter of 35,000 cars of coke every year. At a rough and probably low estimate there has been 100,000,000 tons of "Reynoldsville" coal mined in the past 30 years. This would make a string of coal cars that would reach around the world and leave enough to fill up one line of track from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean.

WANT COLUMN.

Rates:—One cent per word for each and every insertion.

LOST—Saturday on Main street, black pocket book with considerable money in it and P. H. Stimmer's name on First National bank deposit slip. \$15.00 reward will be paid if same is left at THE STAR office.

FOR SALE—A desirable building lot, good location, terms reasonable, inquire of L. M. Simmons.

For Sale—Cabbage and tomato plants. Inquire of J. J. Hoffman at Hoffman's jewelry store.

For Sale—Two driving horses. Inquire of G. T. Woodford, the pop man, Reynoldsville, Pa.

FOR SALE—House and lot on Fifth st. Inquire of Martin Plyler.

FOR SALE—Five houses and lots in Sykesville. Easy terms. Inquire of V. R. Holman, Sykesville, Pa.

FOR SALE—Full blooded Jersey cow. Six years old. Inquire of E. Neff.

FOR SALE—Lot on Main street. Inquire of L. J. McEntire.

FOR SALE—Good house and lot on Jackson st., near coal company office.

Inquire at THE STAR office.

For sale—Team of heavy horses, harness and wagon. Joseph R. Millirens.

FOR SALE—Flesh cow with heifer calf; age five years. Inquire of V. L. Moore, Emerickville.

FOR SALE—Cabbage and tomato plants. Either call at STAR office or drop a postal card to J. A. Carl, Reynoldsville. Plants will be delivered.

NOTICE—Employees of the silk mill using electric cars going to and from work can purchase car tickets at lower rates.

WANTED—Intelligent girls for cloth picking. Apply to Enterprise Silk Co.

For Sale—A seven room house, lot 60 by 150 feet, in West Reynoldsville. M. E. Weed.

For Sale or Rent—A good property, including a store room, on Worth street. Inquire at THE STAR office.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by H. Alex Stoke, Druggist.

Town Council Doings.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held on Tuesday, June 2nd, President Applegate in the chair. Members present, Sayers, A. P. King, Deible, Williams, Dr. King and Applegate.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Chief Burgess Simmons reported receipts for licenses, fines, &c., since last meeting to be \$21.00. He also requested the Council to appoint some one as a member of the Board of Health to fill the unexpired term of Dr. Sayers.

On motion Dr. J. H. Murray was appointed.

G. W. Swartz, tax collector, reported taxes collected since last meeting to be \$705.53.

A petition to open Deltz alley from 1st to 5th was presented and read and on motion was referred to the ordinance committee to have an ordinance framed.

W. B. Hoffman and others asked for a grade to lay a sidewalk in front of their properties on Jackson st., which was referred to the street committee with power to act.

On motion notices to build new sidewalk on Hill street were ordered sent to the following persons: A. O'Donnell, Etta S. Weaver and Hattie M. Rodgers.

A petition was presented by the merchants to sell fire crackers on July 2, 3 and 4, which on motion permission was granted to sell on July 3 and 4 only.

On motion ordinance No. 80 and 81 were passed on first reading.

Bills amounting to \$179.62 were ordered paid.

On motion the clerk was instructed to open the bids for the paving of 4th street. When it was found that Mr. C. B. Hastings was the lowest bidder his bid being \$1.55 per sq. yd. for "Mark" brick, \$1.50 per sq. yd. for "Johnsonburg" brick, and \$1.36 per sq. yd. for "Reynoldsville" brick.

On motion the contract was awarded to C. B. Hastings, kind of brick to be decided on later.

Drink Reynolds' soda. Always the best.

Shoes for the whole family at Millirens.

Hard shell crabs and shrimps at City Hotel restaurant.

Special in muslin underwear at Millirens.

Drink Reynolds' soda. Always the best.

Suits that hold their shape at Millirens.

If you want a good buggy cheap call on J. A. Meyers.

See the opera slippers at Millirens.

Reduced Rates to Gettysburg.

On account of the Prohibition State Convention, to be held at Gettysburg, Pa., June 16 to 18, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg and return, good going June 15 and 16, and good to return until June 19, inclusive, from all stations on its lines in the State of Pennsylvania, at rate of a single fare for the round trip.

Bank by Mail

And receive 4 per cent. on your savings account. Pittsburgh Trust Company, 323 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., compounds interest semi-annually. 2 per cent. on checking accounts. Capital, surplus and profits \$6,000,000.00.

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Straw hats at Millirens.

Mitchell, the merchant tailor, in Stoke building.

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Special sale tailor made suits at Millirens.

Buggies and wagons for sale. J. A. Meyers.

Turtle, oyster, chicken, clam and vegetable soups at the City Hotel restaurant.

Reduced Rates to Lakewood, N. Y.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the meeting of the Association of General Secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. of North America, at Lakewood, N. Y., June 16 to 22, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Lakewood and return from all stations on its lines, June 16 and 17, good to return until June 23, inclusive, at rate of a single fare for the round trip.

HIAWATHA

Uncle William's modern version.

THEN the gentle Hiawatha,
From the wilds of North Dakota,
With his line of dusky warriors,
Came by way of Sandy Valley
Armed with hats and balls and mittens,
To our little inland city:
Not to play evasive ping-pong,
Nor lawn tennis so seductive,
But with war paint on their faces
Played the festive game of base ball—
Took the scalps of Reynoldsville
On the canvas-covered ball ground,
Neath the glare of lights electric,
Viewed by many of our people
Who had pennies five and twenty,
Was the slaughter consummated,
Then the dusky Sioux departed,
Bosoms swelling up with victory,
Off to vanquish other cities,
Calling back as they departed—
"Fare thee well, oh Reynoldsville!"

Official Notice.

Office of Clerk of Town Council of Reynoldsville Borough, June —, 1903.

In pursuance of an Act of Assembly entitled an Act amending Section 9: "An act entitled 'an act in relation to the laying out, opening, widening, straightening, extending or vacating streets and alleys and the construction of bridges in the several municipalities of this Commonwealth, the grading, paving, macadamizing or otherwise improving streets and alleys, providing for ascertaining the damages to private property resulting therefrom, the assessment of damages, costs and expenses thereof upon the property benefited and the construction of sewers and payment of the damages, costs and expenses thereof, including damages to private property resulting therefrom.' approved May 16, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety one, enabling municipal corporations to lay out, open, widen, extend and vacate streets or alleys upon petition or without petition of property owners;" Approved May 22, A. D. 1895.

The following ordinance was upon the 2nd day of June, 1903, introduced and presented at a meeting of the town council of said borough.

Attest: L. J. McENTIRE,
Clerk of Council.

An ordinance authorizing the opening of Charles Street, or Eighth Street, from its present northern terminus to Main street and the assessment of dam-

ages caused thereby and the grade of the same.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the town council of the borough of Reynoldsville in council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, that Charles or Eighth street shall be opened to the uniform width of fifty (50) feet through the property now occupied by Lyman W. Scott, and others as the same now appears on plot or map of E. C. Schultz's addition to said borough, recorded in deed book 25, page 629, commencing at the south or west side of the line of Main street to a point two hundred and sixty-four (264) feet from said South or west line of said Main st. to the present northern terminus of said Charles or 8th street, now opened, which northern terminus is about sixty-seven and one-half (67½) feet from the north or east side of Jackson street, according to accompanying plan, which is made part hereof. The damages thereby and the damages caused by the grade thereof and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Monarch shirts at Millirens.

J. E. Mitchell, merchant tailor, in Stoke building, above department store. See Millirens parasols.

Parasols

and

Umbrellas

MILLIRENS

Greatest Department Store in Jefferson Co.

Boy's Washable Suits

50 and 75 cent values,
at 35 cents.

GREAT JUNE SALE OF

SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE UNDERPRICED

THIS is the time of the year wholesale houses are so willing to exchange One Dollar's worth of Merchandise for Seventy-Five Cents in CASH. We made a few elegant purchases in the last thirty days. Combined with these purchases are our own selected stocks, which go in this sale underpriced. Read this carefully; it points to economy on summer time goods that every one wants.

The June Sale Offers Superb Values in Muslin Wear.

All our Defender made muslin underwear goes in this sale at cost.

GOWNS

All the \$2.48 Gowns go in sale at \$1.98
All the \$2.19 Gowns " 1.76
All the \$1.89 Gowns " 1.38
All the \$1.39 Gowns " 1.12
All the \$1.19 Gowns " .89
All the \$1.00 Gowns " .73
All the .89 Gowns " .67
All the .63 Gowns " .45
All the .48 Gowns " .35

MUSLIN SKIRTS

All the \$4.58 and 5.00 Skirts go \$3.48
All the 3.19 and 3.48 Skirts go 2.75
All the 2.48 and 2.98 Skirts go 1.98
All the 1.98 Skirts go at 1.48
All the 1.69 Skirts go at 1.24
All the 2.24 Skirts go at .98
All the .98 Skirts go at .74
All the .89 Skirts go at .54

DRAWERS

All the \$1.48 Drawers " \$1.12
All the 1.24 Drawers " .89
All the .98 Drawers " .71
All the .83 Drawers " .38
All the .36 Drawers " .19

CORSET COVERS

All \$1.19 Corset Covers go in sale .89
All .89 Corset Covers " .54
All .54 Corset Covers " .38
All .39 Corset Covers " .19
All .19 Corset Covers " .07

Sale of Skirts, Tailored Suits and Silk Jackets.

IF YOU are in need of a serviceable skirt, stylish suit, or if you would like a jaunty silk jacket, this June sale presents an opportunity to save from 25 to 50 per cent. \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$30.00 Suits go in this sale at \$18.00. Tailor made Venetian, broadcloth or homespun, \$18.00 and \$20.00 suits \$15.00. All the \$12.50 and \$15.00 suits go at \$10.00. All the famous \$10.50 suits go at \$8.00. Skirts made up in all the latest styles, cut to flare well at the bottom, finished with straps and pleats in blue, black, tan, castor, \$2.00 to \$11.00. Silk Jackets made up elegantly of the finest taffeta, lined throughout, all cut with blouse effect. \$7.00, \$8.00 values all go in this great June sale at \$5.00.

Men's Clothing

IF IT IS A SUIT for these warm days, we have them in abundance. Wool Crash, Flannel or Homespun in two-piece suits. Coats Cut round corner, sack or square cut—\$5.00, \$7.00, or \$9.00. Or, if you want a business suit of a pure wool cheviot, worsted, or cassimer, you can have it in sack or square cut, made up elegantly; each coat has shaped collar and lapel and every suit is guaranteed to hold its shape. \$3.50 to \$20.00

Straw Hat Month

All the good straw hats of the year will be sold this month, hence our assortment is complete from the 5c straw sun hat to the genuine Panama at \$6.00. We ask your special attention to our dress straws, \$1, 1.50, 2.

Children's Straw and Cloth Hats

All shapes, trimmed, plain, or in colors, the full assortment. 25 cent, 40 cent, and 50 cent values go in this sale at—
19 cents

Bed Spreads at Cut Price

Our \$3.00 Bed Spreads go at \$1.00.
Our 2.50 Bed Spreads go at 1.70.
Our 2.00 Bed Spreads go at 1.35.
Our 1.50 Bed Spreads go at 1.10.
Our 1.25 Bed Spreads go at .98.
Our 1.00 Bed Spreads go at .73.
Our .89 Bed Spreads go at .63.

Shoes . . Oxfords . . Shoes.

For summer wear. MEN'S OXFORDS, for these warm days. Douglass Patent Corons, all styles in toes; some have fancy foxed tops, others are plain; all widths, \$3.00 and \$3.50. WOMEN'S OXFORDS, vic patent kid; some have plain heel, others have Louis XIV heel. Come in and see them. \$1.00 to \$3.00. CHILDREN'S patent sandals and oxfords here in all sizes; some have buckles, others are fastened with straps. Small size 65 cents, larger ones 90c; largest size \$1.25. Shoes of every description for the whole family. Soft sole shoes for babies, 25c, to finest patent kid. \$5.00, \$6.00.

Trunks, Suit Cases and
Traveling Bags

MILLIRENS

Visit us for anything reliable to wear

SHICK & WAGNER

THE BIG STORE

A June Sale on Gingham, Ladies' Shirt Waists, Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits, Children's Dresses

IN ORDER to clean up our stock before summer inventory, we are offering the above on Friday of this week, June 12, at even less than your own price. We want to close these out quickly, hence we have put a price on them that will make them go. The stock is not large—hence lose no time or we may not be able to supply your wants. This is an opportunity for you to secure these phenomenal bargains in season instead of having to wait until summer is almost over. Remember, these unparalleled offerings will be for

—ONE DAY ONLY—

Friday, June 12th

NOTE THE OFFERINGS AND THE PRICES

Dress Gingham

8c and 10c Gingham to go at 4¢ cents.
12, 12½ and 15c Gingham go at 7¢ cents.

Ladies Shirt Waist

(Colored)
50c, 75c and \$1.00 to close at 25 cents.

Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits.

\$1.25, 1.50, and 1.75 to close at 50 cents.
\$2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 to close at \$1.00.

Dresses

To close at a price in order to clean up the assortment. These have been leading sellers, hence we are broken in the lot. We therefore offer them

at just one-half price:

\$1.00 Dresses to go at 50 cents
\$1.50 Dresses to go at 75 cents
\$2.00 Dresses to go at \$1.00
\$2.50 Dresses to go at \$1.25
\$2.75 Dresses to go at \$1.37
\$3.00 Dresses to go at \$1.50

REMEMBER THE DATE—FRIDAY, JUNE TWELFTH, AT SHICK & WAGNER'S CORNER MAIN AND FIFTH STREETS, REYNOLDSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA