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## News of Interest to the Grangers

The grange insists that the taxpayers and pupils should get better returns from the millions of dollars expended upon our public schools. It is true the order of Patrons of Husbandry stands for better education and that the granges all over Penn'a. are important educational factors yet the good of the children and the State demand better schools. While pupils have many more comforts in the school room than twenty-five years ago, yet the practical educational value of schools to-day is not as large in many parts of the State as it was then.

At a largely attended meeting of Pomona Grange, No. 23, composed of Bradford and Sullivan counties of Penn'a., which convened May 20th and 21st, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

The series of picnics and field meetings to be held in this State during the month of August are attracting public attention as a valuable medium for the dissemination of general intelligence. The grange people are backing this movement and they comprise our most

progressive and staunch citizenship. From their training at their local grange meetings during the whole year round they gradually but surely have developed into a broader minded, better informed people of larger efficiency. The platform at these picnics furnishes a broad forum for the intelligent and free discussion of questions of the day. Their relations to the welfare of the State as they affect agriculture will be freely discussed. That broader view of the interests of the people is to be presented and no political partisan discussions or presentations will be tolerated.

Resolved, That we endorse the action of the last Tioga County Pomona Grange, whereby it unanimously instructed our State legislative committee to work for the enactment of such legislation as will embody the principles of "direct legislation" through the Initiative and Referendum which would give the people the right to vote upon such State legislative measures as they saw fit to demand by petition.

A series of field meetings, or picnics, embracing every portion of Penn'a. has been mapped out by the State Grange. They are open and free and everybody is invited to take lunch along and spend a day with friends enjoying the recreation and entertainment provided by the Grange organization. Plan now to have your friends meet you there and laugh with the "funny man" from Maine. He will open his fun box at every picnic. Then you will want to hear some sound Grange gospel and a State Grange Lecturer will attend and discuss the issues of the day. Music and some additional literary exercises will be provided by the Pomona Grange of each county.

### Specials.

Each department will have specials for you Friday and Saturday, in which you can save an extra 15 to 35 per cent. Bing-Stoke Co.



## Headache for Forty Years

For forty years I suffered from sick headaches. A year ago I began using Celery King. The result was gratifying and surprising, my headaches leaving at once. The headaches used to return every seventh day, but thanks to Celery King, I have had but one headache in the last eleven months. I know that what cured me will help others.—Mrs. John D. Van Keuren, Saugerties, N. Y.  
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## WANT MINING LAW TESTED.

Operators and Miners Dissatisfied With Act Prohibiting Employment of Boys Under 16 Years Old in Coal Mines.

Steps were taken yesterday to have the law regulating the employment of minors in the coal mines of Pennsylvania tested. Previous to the last session of the Legislature 14 years was the minimum age for boys employed within the mines and 12 years for boys employed outside the mines. At the last session an amendment was passed raising the age to 16 for inside workers and 14 for outside workers.

The movement originated in the eastern part of the State, and while the miners of the bituminous districts knew that something was being done they had the impression that it referred to the anthracite region only and paid no attention to it. The law, however, affects the soft coal mines, and the mine inspectors had no choice in the matter of enforcing it.

Notices to keep boys under 16 years of age out of the mines were issued, and were met with a storm of protest. Many of the boys employed are the sons of dead miners and frequently are the only support of their families; others are boys who help their fathers, their labors materially increasing the pay received. The claim was at once set up that the law was not valid, and in one case a meeting was held and the law denounced.

In order to get a test case, Inspector James Blicke yesterday went before Alderman John Groetinger and entered information against Frank Schulte, the foreman of the Summer Hill mine, near Woodville, one of the Pittsburg Coal Company's properties. Two violations of the law are specified in the employment of Elmer Schlaecker and Stanley Gabberish, both of whom are declared to be under 16 years of age. Schulte appeared before the alderman and gave bail in \$500 for his appearance at the September term of court. The case will be so handled that the question of the validity of the law will be brought before the court for an opinion. Both the miners and the operators are dissatisfied with the law as it stands.—Pittsburg Times, July 24.

## Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Calif., writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by H. Alex Stoko, druggist.

## Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in post office at Reynoldsville, Pa., for the week ending July 25, 1903:  
Mrs. H. C. McKnight, Emma Wiley, Miss Bertha Calloway, George Boyer, Peter C. Durand, Esq.  
Foreign—Rocco Brasioik.  
Say advertised and give date of list when calling for above.  
E. C. BURNS, P. M.

All America shoes for men at Nolan's shoe store, price \$3.50 and \$4.00.

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



## TO FARMERS AND MERCHANTS

We sell McCormick Binders, Mowers and Rakes.

You will find a car of OATS, BRAN & RED DOG AT CHOP MILL and a man there to turn it into cash. Your chopping done on short notice. . . .

TERMS: CLOSE PRICES AND SPOT CASH.

**M. C. COLEMAN**  
(We sell a brake for a buggy and surrey)

## EXCURSIONS TO ATLANTIC CITY.

And Other Atlantic Coast Resorts via Pennsylvania Railroad.

July 30, August 13 and 27, and September 10 are the dates of the Pennsylvania Railroad annual low rate excursions for 1903 to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Angelsea, Wildwood, Holly Beach, N. J., Roboboth, Del., or Ocean City, Md. Tickets good to return within sixteen days, including date of excursion.

A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburg on above-mentioned dates at 8.55 a. m., arriving at Altoona 12.15 p. m., where stop for dinner will be made, reaching Philadelphia at 6.25 p. m., in time for supper, and arriving Atlantic City via the Delaware river bridge route, the only all-rail line, at 8.35 p. m. Passengers may also spend the night in Philadelphia, and proceed to the shore by a regular train from Market street wharf or Broad street station on the following day. Passengers for points other than Atlantic City will spend the night in Philadelphia and use regular trains the next day from Market street wharf.

Tickets will also be sold for regular trains leaving Pittsburg at 4.50 and 9.00 p. m. from all stations at which these trains stop, and from stations from which regular connection with them is made, and at the higher rate only on train leaving at 10.00 p. m. Pullman sleeping cars through to Atlantic City and Philadelphia on the 10.00 p. m. train, and to Philadelphia on the 4.50 and 9.00 p. m. trains.

A stop-over within limit will be allowed at Philadelphia returning if passengers deposit their tickets with the Ticket Agent at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, immediately on arrival. Tickets must be deposited with Agent immediately on arrival at seashore destination and properly validated for return trip.

Tickets will be sold from Reynoldsville at \$10.00 round trip in coaches, or \$12.00 in Pullman cars. Good on train leaving here at 1.29 p. m. Passengers take evening train from Pittsburg.

Returning coupons will be accepted on any regular train except the Pennsylvania Limited and the Chicago Limited and the St. Louis Limited.

Tuesday Excursions to Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Commencing Tuesday, July 7th, and every Tuesday thereafter during July, August and September, the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg R'y will sell excursion tickets to above named points at exceptionally low rates. These tickets are limited to continuous passage in both directions and will be valid for going passage only if used to destination on date of sale or the day following, and will be honored for return passage if used within fifteen (15) days from date of sale. Niagara Falls tickets must be presented to the agent of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. at that point for validation before they will be good for return passage. Toronto tickets must be validated by the agent of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. at Niagara Falls, or the agent of the Niagara Navigation Co. at Toronto, or by the purser on steamer. Trains leave Falls Creek at 1.02 p. m. and 1.48 a. m. Fare \$7.45 to Niagara Falls and \$8.90 to Toronto. For tickets and full information consult the nearest agent of the company or address A. F. Raveret, Excursion Agent, Rochester, N. Y.

## Wishaw.

Is it any harm to sit on a log?  
The farmers are busy harvesting.  
John Webb is improving his house.  
Samuel Shankle purchased a new horse.  
Parties and picnics are numerous in our town.  
Jacob Dickey, of Desire, was in town one day last week.  
A party of young people drove to church at Panic on Sunday evening.  
Miss Ida Mulholland, of Panic, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Hollenbaugh.  
Cleve Deemer and Calvin Dickey drove to a pie social at the cross roads on Saturday night.

## No Pity Shown.

"For years fate was after me continually," writes F. A. Gulledege, Verbenas Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for Burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at H. Alex Stoko's drug store.

All summer goods such as laces, em broidery, lace curtains, white muslin underwear and linen goods can be purchased at Katzen's Bargain Store, at prices as low as any store in Reynoldsville. Call and examine these bargains.

## Three New Borough Ordinances

(NO. 80.)

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Borough of Reynoldsville in council assembled, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same: That all such sums of money as may be received by the Borough Treasurer in accordance with the Act of Assembly, approved June 28th, 1895, P. L. page 410, Sec. (2) providing for the payment by the State Treasurer of one half of the two per centum tax on premiums paid by foreign fire insurance companies to the treasurer of the several cities and boroughs within this Commonwealth, in accordance with the Act of June, 1895; the same is hereby directed to be received for the benefit of the Firemen's Relief Association of Reynoldsville, Pa.

Section 2. That the borough treasurer is hereby directed to enter such sums on the receipt thereof, under a special account and to report the said annually to the president of the town council of said borough, who is hereby directed to issue an order therefor in favor of the treasurer of the Firemen's Relief Association of Reynoldsville, Pa., on report to him by the Borough Treasurer of the receipt thereof.

Ordained and enacted this 7th day of July, A. D., 1903.

A. M. APPELEGATE,  
Pres. of Council.  
L. J. MCENTIRE, Clerk of Council.

Approved this 13th day of July, A. D. 1903.

L. M. SIMMONS,  
Chief Burgess.

(No. 81.)

An ordinance authorizing the opening of Charles Street, or Eighth Street, from its present northern terminus to Main street and the assessment of damages 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 529, 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.

Ordained and enacted into a law this 7th day of July, 1903.

A. M. APPELEGATE,  
President of Council.  
L. J. MCENTIRE, Secretary.

Burgess' office, approved July 11th, 1903.

L. M. SIMMONS, Burgess.

(NO. 82.)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the grading, paving and curbing of that part of Fourth street commencing on the north line of Grant street, where said Grant street crosses said Fourth street to south line of Deitz alley, where said alley crosses said Fourth street.

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 the grading, paving and curbing, etc., of Fourth street from the north line of Grant street where said Grant street crosses said Fourth street to South line of Deitz alley where said alley crosses said Fourth street, is hereby authorized and ordered, and James B. Caldwell, engineer of Brookville, Pennsylvania, is hereby authorized to prepare plans and specifications therefor.

Section 2. In the manner directed by law and ordinances of the borough the Chief Burgess of the borough is hereby authorized and directed to award and make contract or contracts to be attested and sealed by the Secretary of the town council for the grading, curbing and paving of said Fourth street between the points aforesaid to and with this party or parties whom the said Burgess may deem it expedient so to do, bidding on said work.

Section 4. 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.

Ordained and enacted into a law in council this 21st day of July A. D. 1903.

A. M. APPELEGATE,  
Pres. Town Council.  
L. J. MCENTIRE, Clerk.

Burgess' office, the 22nd day of July, 1903. Approved.

L. M. SIMMONS, Burgess.

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