

Only a few more days of

## Christmas Shopping

We have a large assortment of REMEMBRANCES at our store

### FOR MEN

High cut Romeo slippers and low cut slippers and velvet slippers. WALK-OVER shoes, price \$3.50 and \$4.00. Overgaiters, felt Romeo slippers, buckle arctics, high and low cut.

### FOR WOMEN

Fleeced lined leggings, fur trimmed slippers, fancy leather slippers, lamb's wool soles, overgaiters, warm overshoes, high button and low cut.

### FOR CHILDREN

Felt, leather and velvet slippers; canvas, Jersey, Velvet and leggings; warm lined overshoes. Our prices are right and we invite you to have a look.

## ROBINSON'S

FOOT-FITTERS. REYNOLDSVILLE, PA.

## KOERNER

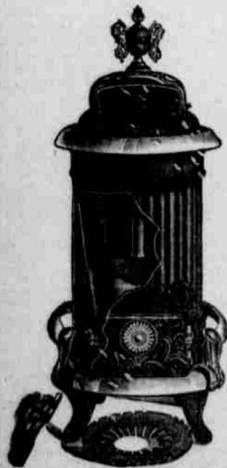
## THE GROCERY OF REYNOLDSVILLE

Headquarters for Holly and Vegetables.

We have new Celery.  
We have new Onions.  
We have new Radishes.  
We have new Lettuce.

J. M. Bour Co.s celebrated Blended Koeta Coffee is the finest in town. Don't forget and try a package of this celebrated coffee at your Christmas dinner.

## THE O-RIB-O Hot Blast



This is one of the stoves that some may call an imitation, but we can prove to you beyond a doubt that it is one of the

Latest Improved and All-Round Up-to-Date Hot Blasts on the Market To-day.

It has many features that the so-called originals have not. Ask the housewife about the ASH PAN and she will tell you that a stove is not complete without it. Ask yourself, is a stove complete without a cast lining—one that extends nearly to the top, to protect the polished body from coming in contact with the fire? The

ash pit door and screw draft thereon can be made perfectly air-tight.

The Feed Door and Draft Slide are so Arranged that you need not Remove the Dome to Manipulate Either.

### We Guarantee It

To burn any kind of coal and will hold fire as long as any other stove made, and will surely last a great deal longer than a stove that has no lining and with proper care will last twelve or fifteen years.

Sold only by

## L. G. Lidle Hardware

Sole Agent.

### How to Treat Measles.

Editor THE STAR:—At present an epidemic of measles prevails at Rathmel. Very probably a total of 200 or more cases. Under circumstances of this kind a few suggestions through the medium of THE STAR as to the general management of patients afflicted with this disease may be of some good to some one. When possible the patient should be placed in a large, darkened, well ventilated room, with uniform temperature, night and day, of 68 to 74 degrees, and when properly managed should be kept in bed from the appearance of the first symptoms of the disease until the temperature, or fever, has been normal for one week. The patient should then be kept in warm room during cold weather for three weeks, or until every vestige of the scaling of the skin has disappeared. While the fever lasts the patient should be restricted to a liquid diet, milk broths and a little bread, &c. Great care should be exercised to protect the child during changeable weather for months. XYZ.

### Who is to Blame?

We think the citizen of our community who will not lift his mail from his own postoffice, nor send his children to school, nor take any paper, nor work out his road taxes, nor keep his dumb brutes from starving and perishing from want of care and feed in the winter, is down near the lower neck of the scale of human existence. It is such men who cry down their whole community; everybody is a rascal and dishonest, friends are treated so cussedly mean that he has none. Well we truly pity such a one, but who is to blame?—Kittanning Press.

### Gold Trading Stamps.

Are you one of the thirty-five hundred holders of Gold Trading Stamp books? If not, don't you think it time to get the habit? It only takes 500 stamps to fill a book and when filled bring to our store and get \$2.00 cash or \$2.50 in merchandise. Stamps given with each purchase in every department. Bing-Stoke Co.

### Fertilizing Lime.

We are prepared to furnish fertilizing lime on short notice. Address all communications to Cox & Marshall, Reynoldsville, Pa.

5 per cent cash discount on all purchases at Millirens.

Big assortment of men's, ladies' and children's holiday handkerchiefs at A. Katze's Bargain Store.

### WANT COLUMN.

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

WANTED—Girl at the City Hotel.

FOR SALE—Farm in Beaver township, known as the Joel Ressler farm, containing about 75 acres, about ten acres hemlock, pine, linn and other woods. Good house 28 x 30, stable 24 x 30 with shed. Inquire Samuel Ressler, Reynoldsville, Pa.

FOR SALE—An old horse cheap. Inquire John M. Hays.

FOR SALE—Good driving horse. Inquire at THE STAR office.

## The Reynoldsville Candy Works

Wishes you, one and all, a Merry Christmas AND A Happy New Year.

They also wish to sell you Christmas candy. Our candy is all made at home and our prices are marvelously low, considering the class of goods that we make. Come in and see it before buying elsewhere. We extend a cordial invitation to teachers and the public generally to come and see our stock of fresh home made candy. Special prices for Sunday schools.

### Box Goods.

Our line of box goods is the best in the city—prices 10c, 15c, 20c, \$1.00 and up.

### Mixtures.

Try our fine mixtures, 15c per pound or two pounds for 25c.

Also Champion Mixtures 2 lbs. for 25c.

Again wishing you a Merry New Year, we are,  
Yours to sell.

Reynoldsville Candy Works

### Philander Otto—Mobile

By "UNCLE WILLIAM"

A stranger came to town last week. A stranger tall and jovial, Who at the "Imperial" chirographed: Philander Otto—Mobile.

His advent being noised about, Weed, Hammond, Hoffman, et al, Hotel ward bled themselves to meet, Philander Otto—Mobile.

They met our jolly German friend, And studied well his profile, And did a pleasant hour spend With Mr. Otto—Mobile.

Friend Hammond could not speech sto deutsch, But Hoffman could sit deutsch spiel, While Weed translated what was said By Mr. Otto—Mobile.

They talked of crops, of horseless cars, Productive soils alluvial, While smoking sundry good cigars With Mr. Otto—Mobile.

"When gabst du home? herr Hoffman asked, "Ich wis net, hop nit stroheil," Then Weed collapsed and syncopeed By Mr. Otto—Mobile.

Then consternation reigned supreme And summoned quick was Doc Neale: When Weed, recovering, muttered faint, "Philander Otto—Mobile."

They lingered yet an hour or so, While John Welsh did das ganze spiel, Which greatly pleased our German friend, Philander Otto—Mobile.

They rose to go and said "gute nacht; (Their bill was just one cart wheel), "Auf wiedersehen, ich gabst tau best," Said Mr. Otto—Mobile.

### Notice to Advertisers.

The copy for all display advertisements must be in THE STAR office not later than 2.00 p. m. Monday of each week to have the advertisement appear in the paper the week it is handed into office.

### Clocks.

Call at Gooder's, the jeweler, and see what a variety he has. They make a useful and appropriate Christmas present—the practical and lasting kind, which will be very much appreciated by whoever receives them.

### "Block Lights."

Gives 300-candle power light and uses less gas than the ordinary burner. Get them at Bing-Stoke Co's.

Children's Wooltex garments at Millirens.

Umbrellas for Xmas at Millirens.

Call and see the new Colloid Carbon and Sepia finished photos at Vasbindor & Kennedy's. They are up-to-date. At the fountain at corner of Main and Fifth streets, Reynoldsville.

5 per cent cash discount on all purchases at Millirens.

Neckwear for Xmas at Millirens.

A very nice assortment of holiday toys and dolls at low prices at the People's Bargain Store, A. Katze, proprietor.

5 per cent cash discount on all purchases at Millirens.

Christmas gifts galore at Millirens.

We are always ready to sell you the right kind of a timepiece. If you want an honest, reliable watch at the lowest possible price, come and see our holiday line, which includes a splendid variety of the latest in ladies' and gentlemen's watches. Prices from \$1.00 up to \$75.00. Always in stock at Gooder's, the Reynoldsville jeweler.

Fancy sterling silver novelties for Xmas at Millirens.

Night robes for Xmas at Millirens.

### Subscribe for

## The Star

If you want the News

10 cents a copy; \$1.00 a year.

## McCLURE'S MAGAZINE

is "the cleanest, most stimulating, meatiest general magazine for the family," says one of the million who read it every month. It is without question

"THE BEST AT ANY PRICE."

Great features are promised for next year—six or more wholesome interesting short stories in every number, continued stories, beautiful pictures in colors, and articles by such famous writers as Ida M. Tarbell, Lincoln Steffens, Ray Stannard Baker, John LaFarge, William Allen White and Charles Wagner. Get all of it right into your home by taking advantage of this

### Special Offer.

Send \$1.00 before January 31, 1905, for a subscription for the year 1905 and we will send you free the November and December numbers of 1904—fourteen months for \$1.00 or the price of twelve. Address McCLURE'S, 48-50 East 23rd Street, New York City. Write for agents' terms.

### An Energetic Teacher.

Miss Pearl Barrett, of Reynoldsville, is teacher of the school at London Mine. Miss Barrett is a young lady, bright and ambitious, and takes an unusual interest in the welfare of her school. By her own exertions she has bought an organ for the school, and last night held a pie social at London Mine to raise funds to pay for the organ and to buy hymn books. It goes without saying that Miss Barrett raised the amount. She is placing her school on a high standard and making a record for herself.—DuBois Express Dec. 14.

### Watch Chains.

Nothing more attractive in style, quality and price could be asked for than we are showing in our holiday stock of ladies' and gentlemen's chains. We have got the styles, guarantee the qualities and name you the prices that will make the purchase of any chain in our stock a bargain. Gooder, the Reynoldsville jeweler.

### A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at H. Alex Stoke's Drug Store.



## Surprise Sale

The Season's Greatest

## Horse Blanket Sale

Is now in progress at this store. It is a sale of such worthfulness, such extraordinary value, giving as to preclude all argument. The largest assortment of stable and street blankets ever brought to the town, and at prices that will certainly surprise you.

## Sleighs!

Very little money gets you a good sleigh, a very pretty robe and a string of bells.

We also have a nice lot of one and two horse sleds which are going very cheap.

## Holiday Goods

Headquarters for Iron Toys, Fancy Cutlery, Carving Sets, Sleds, Silver Knives and Forks, Spoons, Etc.

The Kind of Presents that are Useful the Year 'Round.

SUGGESTIONS FROM THE

## Furniture Department

It is quite customary to give furniture at Christmas from one member of a family to another. Such a present, well chosen, produces lasting satisfaction. For our part we are selling a great deal of popular priced furniture to this end. More than ever before people who step into our furniture department to look around, generally come back to buy. We have an exceedingly large stock of Rockers this year.

Come in Early and Avoid the Christmas Rush.

## Reynoldsville

HARDWARE COMPANY

Branch Store at Sykesville