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 Is Mrs. Alexander, of Cary, Me., who who has found Dr. King's New Life Pills to be the best remedy she ever tried for keeping the Stomach, Liver and Bowels in perfect order. You'll agree with her if you try these painless purifiers that infuse new life. Guaranteed by Stoko & Feicht Drug Co., druggists of Reynoldsville and Sykesville. Price 25c.

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 We have a number of last year's car pet samples that will be disposed of for rugs at almost your own price. Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

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"ALL WOOL" ALL WELL
 CLOTHCRAFT is not a mere trade mark but a mark that means much in the clothing trade—it is the insignia of style and clothes without style, you know, is like a violin without strings, minus its soul. Then again there's the heart of CLOTHCRAFT CLOTHES, the inside—fifty years of experience counts for something and when a maker of clothing establishes a precedent of constant betterment—the wearer is sure he's safe. Anything but "all wool" has no place in CLOTHCRAFT CLOTHES, cotton, shoddy, careless weaving, unreliable fabrics are absolute strangers to this brand and no one knows it better than the mill itself; some satisfaction that isn't there? Satisfaction in your knowing it too, and what's more, they cost no more than the risky kind, because we have happily and successfully solved that problem in the buying, the manufacturing, and the selling. You could easily pay more and not fare half as well; remember, when you pay less than the CLOTHCRAFT price, you get less.

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 Reynoldsville, Pa.

Hornstown.
 The Horn school closed Wednesday. Miss Emily Moore is visiting in Beechwoods.

Boys got your cowbells ready. A wedding soon.

O. G. Sugars made the purchase of a new driving horse.

Frank Snyder, of Emerickville, had business in this place Monday.

Charles L. Whitehead, of East Brady, is visiting relatives in this place.

Mrs. Farmer Wrey, of Warsaw, visited her sister, Mrs. Mary Burkett, on Sunday.

Wm. Beck and wife, of Reynoldsville, visited at the home of Israel Snyder Sunday.

Elmer Calhoun and son, Walter, of Sugar Hill, passed through our town Monday.

W. R. Schugars and wife visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith, Sunday.

On Tuesday of last week a number of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. M. L. Hetrick and gave her a surprise. The day was delightfully spent and all report a fine time.

Quality and Excellence.
 The Prizer Stoves and Ranges are an evidence of leadership in style and construction. They contain all the latest ideas, and will please the house-keeper who desires the best results in baking and cooking. High in quality—moderate in price. Sold, guaranteed and recommended by Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

Dorothy Dodd.
 Never was more neat, stylish and perfect fitting footwear made and sold than Dorothy Dodd shoe. All leathers, \$3.00 and \$3.50. Bing-Stoke Co.

OIL PAINTINGS.
 With a Little Care They May Easily Be Cleaned.

Many a good picture that has looked dark and dirty for years from having been exposed to the dust can easily be cleaned and freshened in a very simple way. The picture should be taken from its frame and dusted carefully with a soft cloth. Peel a large potato and cut it in half, go over the whole picture with a sponge that has been dipped in tepid water, then with the flat side of the potato rub the surface of the picture with a light circular movement, being careful not to press too heavily on the canvas. The potato will soon begin to loosen the dirt and the colors underneath will begin to show brighter. When all the stains and dirt have been removed the picture should be sponged again in warm water, care being taken to wash off any starch that may have been left from the potato.

In case the picture is badly cracked a little water as possible should be used, as it is apt to ooze under the paint and do some injury.

Many oil paintings are injured by the dampness from the walls on which they are hung. The dampness is apt to cause the canvas to decay, and there are few canvases made to resist its attacks. To prevent this particular form of decay the back of the canvas should be painted when perfectly dry with white lead.

Maria Mitchell and the Beer Man.
 Maria Mitchell, the famous astronomer, was once directed by her physician to use lager beer as a tonic. On the way to visit her sister, Mrs. Joshua Kendall of Cambridge, Mass., she stopped at a saloon and purchased a bottle of beer and afterward asked her brother-in-law to open it for her. The Mitchell family, according to the Boston Herald, spoke among themselves after the Quaker custom. "Where did thee get it, Maria?" questioned her sister. "At the saloon on the corner," replied Miss Mitchell serenely. "Why, Maria! Doesn't thee know respectable women don't go into such places?" "Oh," said Miss Mitchell, in the manner of one who has done all that could be required, "I told the man he ought to be thoroughly ashamed of his traffic."—New York Tribune.

Schoolboy Answers.
 Here are some "howlers" of British schoolboys: "Chaucer," we are told, "wrote a middle class English." "Every German goes to school at an early age, however old he is." "An axis is an imaginary line on which the earth is supposed to take its daily routine." "The Pharisees were people who liked to show off their goodness by praying in synagogues." "A sower went forth to sow, and as he sowed he fell by the wayside, and thieves sprang up and choked him." "The larynx is the voice box and shuts when we swallow it."

An Eagle's Bill of Fare.
 The voracity of the eagle and similar birds of prey is well known, but the contents of a nest which was recently discovered in the Alps by a Swiss hunter show the following remarkable variety in the daily menu: A hare, twenty-seven chamois' feet, four pigeons' feet, thirty pheasants' feet, eleven heads of fowls, eighteen heads of grouse and the remains of a number of rabbits, marmots and squirrels.—London Chronicle.

A Politician's Way.
 Somebody suggests that the boy who ran away from home because he didn't get enough pie has the instincts of a great politician. Wrong. The politician would have stayed at home, stolen the pie and made his mother think she had eaten it herself.—Philadelphia North American.

FOR PURE WATERS AND BETTER HEALTH

Health Commissioner Dixon's Great Task Is to Reclaim the Waters of the State From Pollution.

THE DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE

Sanitary Engineering Division of the Department of Health is Teaching Municipalities Efficient and Economical Methods of Drainage.

A lamentable and tremendous amount of needless suffering, sickness, expense and death annually result from the wanton pollution of the streams of Pennsylvania among those individuals dependent upon these sources of supply for drinking water. Hundreds of communities hang in the balance and at any time may have an epidemic of typhoid fever stalking through their midst and decimating their numbers. Hundreds of the young and best lives of the commonwealth are annually sacrificed to the unsanitary customs of sewage disposal. Pollution material of human origin from public and private institutions, sewers and privies are emptied into streams at points but short distances above water works intakes, and in a few hours thereafter are delivered through the water pipes of public systems to many innocent and unsuspecting individuals, who rest secure in the belief that the public authorities, having in charge the furnishing of drinking water, and who are responsible for the purity of the water thus supplied, are faithfully performing their obligations. Public and private corporations, however, even when earnestly inclined, are often limited in their powers to prevent sewage contamination of the sources of water supply. After years of affliction, and at a

terrible cost in human life, it has finally dawned upon the people that a higher authority than the municipality must grapple with the problem and afford a remedy. It is, therefore, of interest to every citizen of the commonwealth to know about the work that Health Commissioner Dixon is doing to preserve the purity of the waters of the state in fulfillment of the duty laid upon him by the act of April 22, 1905.

The enormity of the task is comprehended when one realizes the fact that almost without an exception every city, borough and municipality in Pennsylvania having a sewer system discharges its filth into the most convenient nearby stream, regardless of consequences to the user of that stream at some point below. Further, where there are no sewers, privies are almost universally located on or near the banks of natural water courses, which thus serve as open sewers. By no known mathematics is it possible to compute the extent of evil, the misery, expense, poverty, lifelong suffering and death which this custom entails; but it is a fact that a large amount of it would be driven from the state if sanitary methods of sewage disposal were adopted.

It is the privilege, as well as the duty, of the State Health Commissioner to bring about just this result. No short sighted, vacillating and radical policy could be successful in such a great undertaking. It will necessarily be the work of years to undo the customs of generations and establish universal healthful conditions. Its success in a measure depends upon the enlightenment and co-operation of the people. The stupidity and skepticism of a preoccupied and selfish populace is a barrier to quick results. Where the public conscience is quickened, voluntary reforms will be inaugurated and benefits will be at once secured. In other cases the law will have to be invoked and enforced.

The Chief Engineer of the Department, F. Herbert Snow, and his assistants are now traversing every part of the State, making examinations of sewerage systems and water supplies and collecting data with respect to the quality of all of the waters in Pennsylvania. More than this is being done, sources of pollution and menaces which can be abated at once are reported to the commissioner, and in many cases a request on his part to the owner of the premises is sufficient to cause a removal of the nuisance. The number of letters of encouragement and co-operation in this kind of reform received by the commissioner splendidly illustrates the willingness of the citizens of the state to do what is right. In a few cases owners willfully refuse to do away with the causes of disease, in which event they are being brought into court or forced to comply with the law.

Another important feature of the commissioner's work is appealing to the municipalities, namely, the utilizing free of cost to them of the services of the engineering department in consultation and advice respecting the installation of new water works and sewer systems and the extensions of existing systems. This engineering service does not interfere with the work of the engineer in private practice, but increases it. The state department gives free of cost the very best engineering advice procurable, which has already resulted in saving to municipalities large sums of money by obviating costly mistakes. In carrying out the general advice and suggestions of the state department, the municipalities must employ their own engineers, but before plans are finally adopted they pass for approval to the health commissioner. Dr. Dixon confidently asserts that through his engineering division he will save to the municipalities in the state hundreds of thousands of dollars, and at the same time work with the local authorities in carrying out local improvements.

He Understood.
 Paul Louis Courier, when bitterly assailed by a French professor, quietly remarked: "I fancy he must be vexed. He calls me Jacobin, rebel, plagiarist, thief, poisoner, forger, leper, madman, impostor, excommunicator, libelous, a horrible, filthy, grinning rascal." I gather what he wants to say. He means that he and I are not of the same opinion, and this is his only way of putting it."

The Kind She Wanted.
 Husband—Anything you want in town today, my dear? Shall I order some more of that self rising flour? Wife—We have plenty left, but I wish you would stop at a registry office and order me a self rising servant girl.—Illustrated Bits.

Preparing the Soil.
 "I notice the young Widow Prettyman doesn't have her widow's weeds so much in evidence now."
 "No; she's clearing those weeds away. I believe she sees signs of a second crop of orange blossoms."—Philadelphia Ledger.

That's Why.
 "You say you conceal nothing from your wife?"
 "Absolutely nothing."
 "And why do you not?"
 "It is evident that you do not know my wife."—Houston Post.

Nothing can bring you peace but yourself; nothing can bring you peace out the triumph of principles.—Emerson.

Innocence.
 He—Has she been married long?
 She—No, but she still thinks that her husband eats cloves because he likes them.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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 Coughs, Colds, Grippe,
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 Cures throat and lung diseases. Sold by all druggists. 25c and 50c.

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Sykesville.
 Hiram Rupert, who has been working a Ernest, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in town.

Augustus Walker, of Kittanning, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker, at this place.

Mrs. Sailer Galt and Mrs. Fred Nelson visited with their sister, Mrs. Frank Hillard, in Butler last week.

A. W. Sykes is building a brick residence on Grant street. He expects to have it completed by the first of July.

Mrs. Mary Phillip, son Rex, and daughter, Virginia, of Ernest, visited with Mrs. J. B. Sykes Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Beahley, of Big Run, returned to her home Saturday after a week's visit with Mrs. I. G. Mansfield and others.

Mrs. Aden Noll and two children visited last week and part of this at Bernside with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stauffer.

Mrs. Postlethwait, Mr. and Mrs. Lyons and Mrs. Howard Clark attended the funeral of Mrs. Clayton at Luthersburg last Thursday.

Mrs. Jacob Hillard, who received a paralytic stroke some time ago, is quite ill at present. Grave funds are still retained for her recovery.

Quite an excitement prevailed in town Thursday caused by a mad dog coming to town. It was first noticed in the yard of Mrs. Emma Nupp. It was later shot by Joseph Halter. It is not known who it belonged to.

On Saturday evening burglars entered the home of Harry Cuffman, on Main street, by taking a pane of glass out of the window. They were caught away before they had taken anything.

Petition of Frank S. Hoffman, executor of W. M. Foster, deceased. In the Orphans' Court of Jefferson County, No. 22, April term, 1906.

FOR DISCHARGE. April 9th, 1906, petition of Frank S. Hoffman, executor, presented, praying that he be forever discharged from his said office as executor, etc., whereupon the said court made an order that notice of said application be given by publication in the Reynoldsville Star as required by law. Returnable on the 21st day of May at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested can be heard to show cause, if any, why the said court should not make an order discharging the said Frank S. Hoffman as executor.

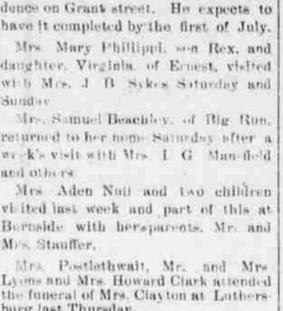
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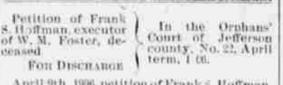
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 The sufferer from rheumatism knows too well the significance of this illustration. Every point in his body seems to be racked with pain.



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 These bonds have been issued under the supervision and advice of the following attorneys, viz: Messrs. Charles Corbett, of Brookville, Pa., Weil & Thorp, of Pittsburg, Pa., and G. M. McDonald, of Reynoldsville, Pa.; any of whom can vouch for the binding validity of these securities.

The undersigned being personally acquainted with the "STEEL PLANT" property, consider these bonds as the best of the kind ever offered in this community, and recommend them as a safe investment.

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