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A Little of Everything.

Monday night was not warm by any means. Ice was frozen.

Joseph R. Milliren has bought W. S. Christy's property on Hill st.

See Bing-Stoke Co.'s full page advertisement in this issue of THE STAR.

Rev. John J. Myers preached in the Lutheran church at Baden, Pa., last Sunday.

Fred Burns had his left knee injured one day last week by being thrown out of a buggy.

General Supt. of the P. R. R. will go over the Low Grade Division to-day on special train.

A band of gypsies have been camping in the orchard near the Mansion Ion the past week.

A drunkee, insulting begger tramp was arrested and placed in the borough bastile last night.

G. M. Herold put a new Fowler gas engine in his bottling works plant at this place last week.

At the monthly meeting of the Reyn-

oldsville Building and Loan Association Monday evening \$2,200 was sold.

E. A. Gourley, the blacksmith, is v ill at his home on Gra

TRIO OF BAD ACTORS.

children.

Wagner, Williams and Dailey Found Guilty of Two Postoffice Robberres.

Sunday night, April 7, the postoffice and Jefferson Supply Co store at Soldier were robbed, on Wednesday night. April 17, the postoffice at Falls Creek was robbed and April 19 Frank Wagner, Harry Williams and George Dailey were arrested at home of Mrs Ed. Mo Kee at Prescottville. They were taken to Brookville jail and from there to Pittsburg to be tried in the U.S. court for robbing the Soldier and Falls Creek postoffices. Their case was taken up Saturday and yesterday the jury returned a verdict, finding all three guilty in both cases of robbery charged against little body was buried in the Sykesville them. They will get a term in

the penitentiary. We repeat what we said in the issue of April 24th, that the arrest of these three chaps was a clover piece of detective work done by Constable Wm. I. Waugerman, assisted by Constable P. B. Love.

On account of Rev. J. W. Myers being out of town next Sunday there will not be any preaching in the Emerickville Lutheran church.

Members of the Protected Home Circle are requested to attend the funeral of E. A. Gourley. Meet at his late resid nce on Grant street at 1.00 p. m. F. Iday.

I. D. Kelz, photographer, will go to New York City next Monday to meet his fiancee, Miss Anna Rautter, of Austria, who sailed from her native land for America last week. They will be married in New York.

Mrs. W. G. Brenholtz was called to New Bethlehem Saturday on account of the serious illness of her mother. Mrs. Bish, who died Monday morning, May 20. Mr. Brenholtz went to New Bethlehem Monoay to attend the funeral.

J. E. Kirkwood, Sunday school missionary, organized a Sunday school of sixty members at Prospect Hill Sunday. This promises to be a successful school. Rev. Kirkwood preached in Sykesville Baptist church Sunday night.

Ed. Gooder and Howard Sipes, of this place, are starting a nickleodian at Curwensville. E. O. Oberlin, painter, formerly of this place, will have charge of the nickle show. Messrs. Gooder and Sipes expect to start a nickleodian at Philipsburg.

J. H. Rue, a traveling man, gave an interesting talk to members of the the Presbyterian Brotherhood at the regular Brotherhood prayer meeting Sunday evening, and filled the pulpit of the church the same evening. He is a good talker.

Lillian Phillips' S. S. Class will hold a seven cent supper in the festal hall of the M. E. church Friday evening, May 24. Supper will be served in courses seven cents a course, or three courses for seventeen cents. There will also be a seven cent sale.

Among the pensions re-issued and granted recently are the following: William Bee, Reynoldsville, re-issue at \$12.00 per month; James A. Donahue, Reynoldsville re-issue at \$12.00 per month; Ben Haugh Prescottville, re-issue at \$12.00 per month.

Back Broken Last August.

Peter Johnson, of Westville, who had his back broken in the Coal Glen mines last August, died Monday of this week in the hospital at Philipsburg. Mr. Johnson's life was prolonged an unusually long time after injury to his back had been sustained. He is survived by h.s wife and five

Child Burned to Death.

Andrew, three-year-old son of John Bires, of Soldier, was so badly burned at three o'clock Monday afternoon that he died at nine o'clock that night. Andrew was playing around a rubbish fire and his clothing caught fire. The Catholic cemetery at five o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Memorial Sunday Services.

As has been the custom for years the old soldiers, Sons of Veterans and members of the Woman's Relief Corps will attend preaching service in the Presbyterian church at 11.00 a. m. Sunday, the Sunday preceeding Decoration Day, which is known as Memorial Sunday. They will march to the church in a body. Rev. A. D. McKay will preach the memorial sermon.

Dr. Arthur J. Smith Do-day.

Dr. Arthur J. Smith, evangelist, will preach in the Baptist church at three o'clock this afternoon and in the Methodist Episcopal church at eight o'clock this, Wednesday, evening. The same singing books will be used at these two meetings that were used at the union gospel meetings in Park Theatre last January. A large congregation is expected at the meeting tonight. Dr. Smith goes to Brookville to-morrow to attend the Bible Institute.

Arm Broken on Trolley.

William Blakely, of Linton, Ind., representative of the Dupont Powder Co., who has been in Reynoldsville since first of this year, had his right arm broken between elbow and shoulder last Friday by getting his arm to far out of window while riding on trolley car. Mr. Blakely was coming up from Big Run shaft and just before the car arrived at Eleanor he stuck his arm out of window and it was struck by a trolley line pole. Mr. Blakely went to his home the first of this week.

New Schedule on P. R. R.

A new schedule goes into effect on the Pennsylvania railroad Sunday, May 26. There is no change in time of any of the present passenger trains, but there will be an additional train on between DuBois and Brookville on Sunday only. The Sunday train that now runs from Driftwood to DuBois in the forenoon and back to Driftwood in afternoon will be run through to Brookville on new schedule. The train will go through Reynoldsville at 10.25 a. m. for Brookville and return at 1.35 p. m. for Driftwood.

Decoration Day at Emerickville.

Decoration day will be observed with unusual ceremonies at Emerickville this year. The exercises of the day will be under the direction of the M. E. church at that place and the following speakers have been engaged: Rev. A. D. McKay, of the Reynoldsville Presbyterian church, Lawyer Stewart REMODEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

New Pews Being Put in and the Interior Beautified.

The Trinity Lutheran congregation are making great improvements in the church. A new slate roof has been put on church, small addition built on rear and the interior of the church is being remodeled with new pews, new paper and repainting. This work will make a decided improvement on interior of the church.

It is the intention now to hold the first service in the church on Thursday night of next week, May 30. The Pittsburg Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church will convene in Du-Bois on the 30th inst. and Rev. Myers expects to arrange to have ministers attending the Synod come to Reynoldsville Thursday, Friday and Saturday night- and on Sunday to preach in the Lutheran church at this place. Full announcements of these services will be made in next week's issue of THE

Run Trains to Fast.

STAR.

Fast running is the cause of numerous railroad wrecks and the loss of many lives every year. The recent slaughter of thirty-two Shriners in the wreck on the Southern Pacific railroad at Honda, Cal., while on their way home from attending a conclave at Los Angeles Cal was caused by fast running. Who is to blame for fast trains, the travelling public or the railroad companies? We contend that it is because the people demand "flyers" that the railroad companies run them. We are living in an age when people become impatient riding in a train that only runs 30 to 35 miles an hour. They require a speed of 60 to 70 miles an hour. We don't believe that the people in general are any happier now than the people of half a century ago who did not travel half as fast as we do. If we insist on a speed of 50 to 60 miles an hour on the railroad we must expect frequent horrible wrecks. It is true that in some cases wrecks are caused by carelessness, yet were it not for the high speed of the trains the results would not so often be so horrible

and loss of life so great.

Mont., son of Mr. and Mrs. James McPherson, of Reynoldsville, died in the Murray Hospital at Botte, Mont., at noon on Saturday. May 11, 1907, of ppeumonia, after a short illness. He was born in Bradford Co. Pa., September 14, 1870, and was in his 37th year at time of death. He leaves a wife and two-year-old child. Mr. McPherson had been in Butte since 1898. For some years he was shift boss at the Colusa mine, and at time of his death was foreman for the Colusa-Leonard Extension Copper Company. A Butte newspaper says: "Matthew McPherin Butte and was completely wrapped up in the development work on the

Deceased had two brothers at Butte, James L. and William McPherson. James succeeded Matthew as foreman

W. C. T. U. Convention.

TUBERCULOSIS OF BRAIN.

E. A. Gourley Died at His Home Last Night-Funeral Friday Afternoon.

Earl A. Gourley, blacksmith, died at his home on Grant street at 8 30 last night, May 21, 1907, Tuberculosis of the brain was cause of death. The last week in March Mr. Gourley went to the DuBois bospital to have an operation performed for a swelling on his neck, and the operation revealed the fact that tuberculosis was the cause of trouble, It finally reached his brain and soon ended his earthly career. Funeral service will be held in the M. E. church at this place at 1.30 p.m. Friday and interment will be made in the Falls Creek cemetery.

Earl A. Gourley was the youngest son of second family of Alexander Gourley, deceased. He was born at Valier, Jefferson county, thirty-three years ago. November 30, 1897, he was united in marriage to Miss Orpha Swarts, whom with two sons survive him. He is also survived by his mother, four or five brothers and several sisters. He was a half brother of Ex-Sheriff D. G. Gourley of Brookville.

Five years ago deceased moved to Falls Creek and went into the blacksmith business with a brother, W. G. Gourley. In the fall of 1905 they decided to open a branch shop in Reynoldsville and E. A. took charge of it. The partnership was dissolved several months ago and early in this year E. A, bought a property on Grant street and had a new shop built on rear of lot, preparing to carry on his work.

During Mr. Gourley's residence in Falls Creek he joined the Methodist Episcopal church and the Protected Home Circle, carrying \$1,000 life insurance in the latter. When he moved to Reynoldsville he brought his letter to the M. E. church and was earnest and active in church work. A member of the Epworth League, member of the Brotherhood of St. Paul, teacher in Sunday school, and was faithful in his attendance at prayer meeting and the other church services.

Mr. Gourley was an upright and respected citizen. During his year and a half residence in Reynoldsville he and his estimable wife made many warm friends here.

STUMP BLOWER KILLED.

John Simmons, an Aged Beechwoods Citizen, Met His Fate While Heating Explosive.

John Simmons, aged sixty years, was killed by an explosion of dynamite Monday morning on the farm of John Prindle in the Beechwoods. Mr. Simmons was employed by Mr. Prindle to blow out some stumps. On account of the cold weather the old man found it necessary to take the chill out of the dynamite, so he built a fire and lay the sticks of explosive about it to thaw out. According to a little daughter of Mr. Prindle, the only person who witnessed the disaster, the fire began to spread and she saw the old man trying to pat out the flames with his bat, when a terrible explosion occurred.

Mr. Simmons was killed instantly, his body, greatly mangled, being found about fifteen feet from the fire. One foot was torn from the body.-DuBols Courier. .

Big Crowd Expected. As has been the custom for severa

Emerickville,

Robert Perry spent Sunday in this place.

Frank O'Donnell was visiting ... East Brady the past week.

Foster Zimmerman and Irs Khiel spent Saturday in DuBois.

John Ohle, who is employed a Reynidsville, spent Sunday in this parce.

Lloyd Cable, of East Brady spent Sunday with his family in this place.

Miss Ada Kheil spent Sund y with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davie Kheil, in this place.

Clifton Mohney spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mobney, in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Mowr spent Sunday with their daughter, M s. Albert Kroh, at Port Barnett.

Mrs. Susannah Murphy and son, Westey, went to visit the forme 's son, Elmer, at Norfolk, Virginia.

Emery Keys and family, of Pi sburg, spent Sunday with their parests, Mr. and Mrs. John Keys, in this pla-

Mrs. F. L. Ditty and Mis Nettie Cable are attending the Epworth League convention at Port Bar tt this week as delegates.

Mrs. Lucinda Schugars was called to Franklin to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Lena Baum. From Franklin she goes to Sharon to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Sowers.

R. O. Markle's new residence is nearing completion. He expects to occupy it in the near future. Raymond says it is one of the finest dwellings in town. It certainly is a fine building.

The ladies of the M. E. church at this place will give a dinner at the church on Decoration Day, May 30th. There will be fsome able speakers present, singing, and also Prof. W. N. Kinney's band will furnish music for the occasion. Meals, adults 25c, children 15c. Ice cream in evening. Proceeds for benefit of repairing the church. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Not Much Coal in Beechwoods.

For a long term of years the farmers of the famous old Beechwoods of Jefferson county have been wondering whether or not there is coal, oil or gas, or something else buried beneath their lands which will some day be uncarthed and make them rich. There have been several oil and gas excitements on in the Beechwoods dating from the time that the memorable well was drilled on the Ira Fuller farm, in the vicinity of Rockdale Mills, which was thought by many to be a paying gas proposition.

But all these years have been allowed to pass with nothing being done in the line of developing the field, so most of the people have given up the idea of either oil or gas in that community.

For the past three or four years, however, there has been more or less conjecture as to whether or not there is coal under the farming lands of this section, and there were a great many people who believed that the proper tests would result in finding of coal veins that would compare favorably with those in other sections of Jefferson county.

I: is about three years ago tha. Samuel Crawford, who was formerly a resident of the Beechwoods, but now lives in Denver, Colorado, commenced leasing up the mineral rights of the Beech woods in the hopes that coal in paying quantities might be found. It is understood that Mr. Crawford was successful in securing enough options on the properties of the Beechwoods to warrant the making of practical tests. These tests however, have developed the fact that there is no coal to be found in the Beech woods, or at least not enough to make mining practical when there are so many other better and larger seams in the country, and the options. on the property which were held by Crawford have been allowed to clapse, With the prospects of oil, gas and coal gone, the farmers of the vicinity have commenced to content themselves with farming for a livlihood. Most of them have quit dreaming of the probable mineral wealth of their farms and. satisfied that they have some of the best farming land to be found in the county .- Falls Creek Herald.

Died in Butte, Mont. Matthew M. McPherson. of Butte,

son was one of the best mining men Colusa-Leonard Extension. He had charge of the sinking of the shaft from the surface."

for the Colusa-Leonard Extension Co.

The annual convention of the Jefferson County Women's Christian Temyears the patriotic citizens of Beechperance Union will be held in Brockwayville in September. A good program is being arranged and the meeting promises to be the best ever held by the Union. There will be two days devoted to the convention and it is expected that a large number of White Ribboners will be present. One of the important features of the convention will be the presence of Madame Bakarat, the well known Syrian lecturer, who will be present for all sessions. The Union will have to go to consider able expense in getting this celebrated speaker and it is the intention of the Brockwayville Union to give some entertainments and hold markets during

Drug Company

street with tuberculosis of the brain.

James Degnan, lumberman, has been hobbling around on crutches the past week on account of a sprained ankle.

Dr. S. Reynolds, who was at Warren a month, returned home Monday and will be in his office every day for the next two months.

The Epworth League officers were publically installed in the M. E. church Sunday evening after a special sermon to the league by Dr. J. A. Parsons.

G. W. Cornmesser, of Wishaw, had one finger of his right hand taken off on Tuesday of last week while at work around the compressor at No. 2 mine at Wishaw.

Charles Fawcett, employe at Reyn oldsville Woolen Company's mill, hid the large finger of his right hand cut off while at work at the mill last Thursday.

The viewers appointed have approved the applications for two new county bridges in Punxsutawney, one over Metoning creek and the other over Elk Run.

A. F. Yost, Harvey S. Deter and wife and Misses Carrie and Maud Deter went to Punxsutawney last evening to attend the funeral of a cousin, Edward Grinder, who will be buried this afternoon.

Six weeks from to-morrow until the Fourth of July and no preparations, that e have heard of, are being made for a celebration. If we are to have a celebration it is time to be up and a-doing.

Miss Lillie Lenkerd, who was to have ight a summer school at this place. had to give up the proposed school on ant of illness. She went to her ne at Redforn Saturday to recuper-

Harvey L. Hoke, who accidentally ut an ugly gash in his right leg a le of weeks ago with a sharp penbuple of weeks ago with a warp pro-culfo, has not been able to work since, at expects to be able to return to work in a few days.

Miss Grace E. Beck, the well known music teacher, a former resident of Reynoldsville, but now of Punxsutawney, Pa., has returned from New York City, where she has been studying music for the past few months, and has resumed the teaching of her class in this place.

A notice from the pension department was received here Monday to notify A. C. Pierce that his pension had been increased from \$12.00 to \$20.00 per month, but the increase was given too late to do the old soldier any good, as he departed this life a couple of weeks ago.

Dr. A. J. Meek, pastor of the Reynoldsville Baptist church, who has been preaching in the Falls Creek Baptist church every other Sunday in the afternoon, closed his work at that place last Sunday, and Rev. M. E. Hare, new pastor of the DuBois Baptist church, will take up the work at Falls Creek.

Mrs. Ben Haugh was called to Rochester Mills, Indiana Co., last week on account of the death of her sister-inlaw, Mrs. John S. Ross, who died Thursday, May 16, and was buried Sun-

day. Mrs. Ross is survived by her husband and two children, the oldest eleven years and the youngest two weeks old.

A meeting of the Western Association of the Improved Order of Red Men will be held in Ridgway to-morrow. A special train over the B., R. & P. will leave Ridgway att 11.30 p. m. for Punxsutawney and intermediate stations." A number of Red Men and Daughters of Pocahontas from this place will attend the meeting.

Monday the summer schedule on the Jefferson Traction Company line beween Reynoldsville and Punxsutawney went into effect and three cars are now rup between the two places from 10.00 a. m. for balance of day, giving a car for Punxsutawney every 55 minutes instead of one every hour and twenty minutes as on the winter schedule.

M. Whitehill, of Brookville, Rev J C. McEntire, of Reynoldsville, and Rev. D. E. Baldwin, of Emerickville charge M. E. church. The Emerickville brass band will render music and the ladles of the M. E. church will serve a dinner and supper. proceeds for benefit of the church.

Will Enlarge Plant.

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Reynoldsville Brick & Tile Co. held at the company office last Wednesday afternoon It was decided to increase the capital stock of the company from \$25,000 to \$75,000 for the purpose of enlarging the plant to handle the increasing business of the company. Among the other prothe summer to help defray the expenses. posed improvements at the plant will be to build three or four new kilns, put in a pug mill and dry pan. The Brick & Tile Co., which has been in operation about five years, has built up a large trade and the increasing of the capital stock and the enlargement of the plant was necessary to meet the increasing husiness

Will Kill Dogs.

G. M. Henry, who lives on a farm near Prescottville, was in town Saturday and requested us to state that unless people keep their dogs tied up he will have to shoot a number of them. Mr. Henry says that dogs are chasing rabbits on and about his farm every day and have become not only a nulsance, but do damage. The law protects a man for killing dogs that chase rabbits out of season. Mr. Henry says he has seen as high as eight dogs running together after one rabbit. These canines that annoy Mr. Henry come from Soldier, Prescottville and Rathmel. If you value your dog you had better tie it up or keep it away from the aforementioned gentleman's farm.

See the new shirt waists-Millirens

Call and examine the "New Process" visible gas range at Keystone Hardware store, near postoffice. Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in post office at Reynoldsville, Pa., for week ending May 18, 1907. Miss Rebecca Daugherty, George

Davis, Miss Mary Green, Chas Jones. John H. Lackey, John A. Vauhon Mrs. Ora Smith, Mrs. Lizzie Smith. Say advertised and give date of list

when calling for above. E C. BURNS, P. M.

Do You Want a New Carpet?

I have over 3,000 yards all wool ingrains I am closing out at a bargain.

C. R. HALL.

Fancy Early Rose and Rural New Yorker seed potatoes at Spry's grocery.

Women's patent oxfords, welt sole, large eyelet and ribbon lace. Price 82.50. Adam's. Fresh stock fertilizer just arrived.

Keystone Hardware Co.

beauty to eye and ease for the feet; price \$3.50. Adam's.

Dr. Reed's cushion soled shoe for men; easy for your feet. Price \$5.00. Adam's. Fancy summer vests at Millirens.

woods are making extensive preparations for the observance of Decoration Day. There is no other section of a country district where such a large number of people assemble on Decoration Day as they do in Beechwoods When there was a call for soldier boys back in the sixties the Beechwoods settlement sent as large quota and as brave a lot of men as went forth from any other community, who on the battle field gave a good account of themselves. And now when Memorial Day comes around the people of Beechwoods surpass many larger places in paying tribute to the memory of the soldier dead. The Beechwoods Memorial Association has charge of the ceremonies for the day, and each year provides some able speaker to deliver an address in the afternoon. The people meet on the Association grounds at the Waite school house, near the cross roads, in the forenoon, form in line and march to the cemetery to decorate the graves of the dead soldiers. Then they return to the association grounds an group off in families and eat dinner. After dinner they assemble before a platform for the afternoon meeting of songs, prayer and speeches. Judge Harry Alvin Hall, of Ridgway, and Dr. A. J. Meek, of Reynoldsville, are the speakers for the afternoon meeting this year.

on application to the quarter-master general of the United States Army at Washington, D. C., and sent to any ad-dress. Heretofore the headstones were furnished free by the county commis sioners, but the system was recently changed. The application must be made Children's shoes at Millirens.

For fertilizer, go to the Keystone Hardware Co.

Butterick patterns 10 and 15c at Millirens.

See the great assortment of shirts at

Walk-Over oxfords for men. The Capitol and Laurens are the newest shapes. \$4.00 a pair. Adam's.

Banisters, gun metal and patent oxfords for men. Exclusive styles \$5.00 a pair., Adam's.

See the new belts at Millirens.

Fancy Early Rose and Rural New Yorker seed potatoes at Spry's grocery.

Douglass shoes-Millireos.

Gun metal oxfords for women; heavy ole, large eyelet and ribbon lace, Price \$2.25. Adam's.

Mennen's Talcum Powder 15c at Milirens.

New spring hats just received-Millirens

Try our home rendered lard. Hunter & Milliren.

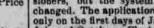
Ladies shoes at Millirens.

Fancy Early Rose and Rural New Yorker seed potatoes at Spry's grocery.

New neckwear just in-Millirens.

only on the first days of January. April, July and October.—Clarion Republican. Summer underwear at Millirens.

Headstones for the graves of old soldiers and sailors will be supplied free



Fancy half hose-Millirens

The Fifth Avenue Oxford, a perfect