

Political Announcements.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

For District Attorney—
RAYMOND E. BROWN,
of Brookville.

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election Saturday, June 5, 1909, 2 to 8 o'clock, p. m.

For District Attorney—
SMITH-M. MCCREIGHT,
of Reynoldsville.

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election Saturday June 5, 1909, 2 to 8 o'clock p. m.

For District Attorney—
JESSE C. LONG,
of Panssataway.

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election Saturday, June 5, 1909, 2 to 8 o'clock p. m.

Talk Favorable.

Every citizen of Reynoldsville ought to be willing to help make this a better town, and the best way to do it is to talk favorably of the town, and patronize home industries.

Paring Appropriations.

The Pennsylvania state legislature of 1909 appropriated \$20,000,000 more than the revenues of the state will amount to in the next two years.

Probation Officers.

The bill passed by the Pennsylvania legislature providing that the state pay the probation officers for looking after children sentenced by the juvenile court, is an excellent bill.

One of the new bills enacted by the legislature, and signed by Gov. Stuart, prohibits anyone from cutting down or injuring any tree by the side of a public road.

Home Curfew.

We see by our exchanges that a number of towns in this section of the state either have curfew laws, or the people are clamoring for such a municipal law.

Clean Up.

The ladies of Oil City have issued a call for the citizens of that city to clean up and beautify the city, and as the clean up spirit would be a good thing for Reynoldsville, we publish part of the Oil City ladies' call.

Lawyers Conspicuous.

Five of the nine members of President Taft's cabinet are lawyers, and President Taft, himself, is a distinguished lawyer and judge.

An Act of the Legislature was approved in April prescribing a short form of deed, and defining the meaning of the words "grant and convey."

Two fellows over in Indiana county were sentenced recently by Judge Telford to serve five years each in the penitentiary for sending a "black hand" letter to a Blairsville contractor.

Saturday, May 15, is the last day for candidates for county offices and for delegates to the state convention to file petitions with the county commissioners.

A Scalded Boy's Shrieks

Horrified his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Taylor, of Nebo, Ky., who writes that, when all thought he would die, Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured him.

Shoe Specials.

Some good shoe specials for Thursday evening: 60 pairs ladies' \$3.00 shoes for \$1.98. 30 pairs ladies' 4.00 shoes for 2.75.

THE ONLY VICTIMS.

An Adventure In the Surf on the West Coast of Africa.

West Africa is known to all navigators for its few harbors and its heavy surf, which at certain seasons rages like a battle, defying the white man who would approach its shores.

The captain was in the bow of the boat, well braced and cushioned. But when the boat struck the beach with the force of a railway collision the doctor was thrown violently over two thwarts into the captain's bosom.

The next moment another breaker plucked the boat up and hurled it upon the beach, throwing both captain and doctor to a perfectly safe distance.

BRAVE SOLDIERS.

Sacrificed Their Lives in an Attempt to Save the Colors.

In days gone by the Zulus were the boldest fighters among all the natives of South Africa, and it was not until they had been defeated in several battles that they would live in peace with white people.

In 1878 15,000 of the Zulus attacked and killed a regiment of British soldiers, and a most heroic deed was the attempt made by three British soldiers to save the two flags, or colors, belonging to the regiment.

When it was seen that the Zulus were so many that there was no hope of keeping them at bay the colonel of the British regiment called to a young officer whose name was Lieutenant Melville and said, "You will take charge of the colors, Melville, and try to get away from here."

The lieutenant saluted and took into his hands the two colors of his regiment. Then, with another officer and a soldier, all mounted on horses, he suddenly dashed away with his precious burden.

They were at once seen by the keen sighted Zulus, however, and after a long chase the three gallant Englishmen, fighting to the last, were killed by the enemy.

Some time afterward one of the flags was found near a rocky stream, where the heroes had fought and died, and it was taken to England and presented to Queen Victoria.

And in memory of the three brave soldiers who had died while defending it the queen placed a wreath of immortelles on the staff which held the flag.—London Mail

Paganini's Cab.

On awakening one morning at his hotel in Vienna, Paganini, the celebrated violinist, was informed that the cabman whom the previous evening he had employed to drive him to the concert hall where he was playing was waiting to see him.

Matrimonial Repartee.

She (in stern and rockbound accents)—You married me for better or worse, didn't you, Edgar?

He—Er—um—yes, I suppose so, my love.

She—Then what are you complaining about? I'm no worse than the average married woman, I can assure you!

He (meekly)—Well, if that is the case, all I've got to say is I'm mighty glad—

She (breaking in)—Glad?

He—Yes, Glad I'm not a polygamist.

Er—um—looks a trifle squally over to the northeast, doesn't it, Miranda?—New York Times.

Lincoln on Money.

"Lincoln," said a senator at a banquet in Washington, "had no great admiration for mere financial success.

"Financial success," Lincoln once said, "is purely metallic. The man who attains it has four metallic attributes—gold in his palm, silver on his tongue, brass in his face and iron in his heart."

Diplomacy.

"Why do you insist on underrating the kind of golf you play?"

"Because," answered the wise official, "there is no use of making a whole lot of people jealous and antagonistic over a little thing like golf."—Exchange.

The Decisive Battles.

Some married men will contend that "The Fifteen Decisive Battles of the World" will never be complete until a few domestic scraps are added to the volume.—London Telegraph.

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