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RAILROAD RUMORS ABOUT FRANKLIN & CLEARFIELD

Engineers of Lake Shore and Pennsylvania In Town Last Week.

JUNCTION AT REYNOLDSVILLE

Exact Route of the Road Is A Matter for Conjecture but That It Will Pass Through Reynoldsville Seems Certain.

One day last week two engineering crews—Pennsylvania and Lake Shore—were in Reynoldsville, presumably to see about the connection from the P. R. R. to the K. & F. C. R'y tracks for the Franklin & Clearfield, as there is little doubt but what the P. R. R. tracks will be used by the F. & C. from Brookville to this place and the R. & F. C. tracks from here to DuBois. This however, so far as we can learn, is not definitely settled yet.

The newspapers have built this line up Mill Creek via Allens Mills and also up the Sandy Lick creek from Brookville to Reynoldsville, and from here up Skunk Hollow to connect with the B., R. & P. at the C. & M. Junction, but as yet the Franklin & Clearfield Co. has not made public their intended route. We venture the assertion that when the road is built east of Brookville that the Reynoldsville and Skunk Hollow route will be the one selected.

A special from Franklin on the 8th inst. to the Philadelphia North American says:

The announcement is made that the Franklin and Clearfield branch of the Lake Shore road will be opened for both passenger and freight traffic about July 15. The branch has been completed from Franklin to a point 54 miles southeast and the Lake Shore officials went over the line this week and made locations for seven stations.

The most important stations on the new branch are Shippenville, where connection is made with the Baltimore & Ohio narrow gauge from Butler to Kane, and Kingsville, where a junction will be formed with the Pittsburgh, Summerville and Clarion. Reidsburg is five miles from Clarion and it is expected that a trolley line will be run from Clarion to East Brady, passing through Reidsburg and connecting with the Franklin and Clearfield.

The road has now been completed to within a mile and a half of Rose Siding, where connection will be made with the low grade division of the Pennsylvania. Franklin and Clearfield trains will run over the low grade from Rose Siding to Falls Creek, passing through Reynoldsville. From Falls Creek to Clearfield trains will go over the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh. Eventually the Franklin and Clearfield will have its own line to Clearfield.

It will probably be a year before passenger trains are run further east than Clearfield, although freight will be sent beyond that point. From Clearfield it will go over the Beech Creek division of the New York Central to Williamsport, thence to Philadelphia and New York over the Philadelphia and Reading. As soon as the passenger service begins trains will be run from Clearfield westward to Franklin to connect with through trains to Cleveland and Chicago.

We guarantee our seed to be free from weeds. Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

AS OTHERS SEE US

Kind Words for The Star from Journals in Neighboring Towns on the Occasion of Its Anniversary.

We appreciate the kind expressions from our exchanges, and hope our readers will not think us egotistical in giving space to a few of them as follows:

The Reynoldsville STAR enters upon the eighteenth year of its life with this week's issue. The STAR is among our best exchanges. It is and has always been clean and reliable—two things to be proud of in the business of publishing a newspaper.—New Bethlehem Vindicator.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Reynoldsville STAR, entered with its issue of the present week its eighteenth year of usefulness to the community in which it is published. The STAR has ever been dignified in its bearing; fair and partial in its treatment of events, and loyal to its home town and surrounding country. May its light continue to shine for many more years.—Brookville Republican.

The Reynoldsville STAR, one of the most welcome weekly exchanges that reaches this office, has entered its eighteenth year brighter and better than ever. During the seventeen years of existence the STAR has had but one master mind at the helm to guide it through the tempestuous firmament of a country newspaper. It is to the intellect and perseverance of C. A. Stephenson, the editor and proprietor, that the STAR owes its inception and present enviable record. He has labored hard, in and out of season, to make the STAR an interesting local newspaper and constantly aims for the good of Reynoldsville and the betterment of her people. May the STAR continue to shine for years to come and bring shining dollars into the pockets of its indefatigable owner.—Lock Haven Evening Express.

The Reynoldsville STAR celebrated its seventeenth birthday this week under the present management. The paper has been a clean, newsy sheet, chronicling the happenings of the town and the community, and its record has been creditable in the regard of newspaperdom. The Record sends congratulations to Brother Stephenson on his past achievements and best wishes for a long and prosperous reign in the future.—Brookwayville Record.

The Reynoldsville STAR has commenced the eighteenth year of its life with the issue of this week and looks hale and hearty and quite prosperous. The STAR has been one of the clean and reliable papers of this section of the state and has been conducted in such a manner that it can look back over the years that have passed with no pang of regret, and the newspaper that can do this does not always make as big a splash as some others but they live to tell the story and to enjoy the reward of their wisdom. Editor Stephenson is to be congratulated on the success he has made of the STAR.—Falls Creek Herald.

Furniture and Rugs.

Don't you know we sell them? Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

Blit-Well oxfords for men, tan, patent and gun metal, price \$3.00. Adam's.

Ask for the Aoe Brand of clover seed. Reynoldsville Hardware Co.

IS SUPERINTENDENT OF CHARLEROI'S SCHOOLS

Prof. James G. Pentz Elected To That Position At A Salary of \$1,700.

FIFTY APPLICANTS FOR PLACE

Prof. James G. Pentz, one of our town boys, graduate of the Reynoldsville high school, out of fifty applicants for the position of city superintendent of the Charleroi schools, was unanimously chosen for the position. Prof. Pentz has been teaching in the Greenville, Pa., schools for six years and the Greenville Evening Record in speaking of the Charleroi position says:

"Prof. James G. Pentz, principal of the high school and assistant to Supt. Gerberich, has been elected city superintendent of the Charleroi schools and will take up his new duties June 1, at a salary of \$1,700. There were fifty applicants and that Mr. Pentz should receive the unanimous vote of the school board is a compliment indeed that his many friends here will endorse and rejoice over, too.

"Prof. Pentz is a graduate of Allegheny college and has been with the Greenville schools six years in which he has done faithful and successful work, especially the past year. He has had a number of offers but declined them until the Charleroi opening came. His place in the Greenville schools will be hard to fill."

Coming to the Front.

Joseph Horwitz, chief of the art department of the Philadelphia Evening Star, is spending a well earned vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Horwitz, in Reynoldsville. The Evening Star is one of Philadelphia's most noted journals and the work of Mr. Horwitz appearing in it has gained for him wide praise and a membership in the Academy of Fine Arts, an institution numbering among its members some of the leading artists and art critics of America. During his stay in Philadelphia Mr. Horwitz continued his studies in the field of illustrating and has made progress which augurs well for a brilliant future career.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Mo., "was dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After several remedies had failed and several doctors had given me up, I tried Electric Bitters which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For indigestion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble, lame back, female complaints, its unequalled. Only 50c at H. L. McEntire's.

Laborers Worthy of Their Hire.

The Bowery Mission Free Labor Bureau is prepared to supply any number of men, for any kind of labor, at a moment's notice. Within the past twelve months their cashier has paid out \$1,453.85 for railroad expenses on thousands of worthy, willing and able-bodied men to all parts of the country. Address John C. Earl, Financial Secretary, 92 Bib's House, New York City.

All sizes in patent one strap pumps for \$3.00. Adam's.

Hon. W. I. Swope and Raymond E. Brown To Speak In Beechwoods on Memorial Day This Year

GEORGE W. STEWART

Prominent Jefferson County Man Dies After Long and Useful Career in Brookville.

Expressions of shocked surprise were heard on every lip on Tuesday evening when it became known that George W. Stewart was dead at his home in this place, the death messenger having called him at 5:30 o'clock that evening. Mr. Stewart had been ailing for some time past, and for a couple of days previous to his death had been in quite a serious condition, but his many friends were not prepared for the sad news of his demise. His ailment was a heart affection, his death coming suddenly.

George W. Stewart was born December 11th, 1847, being in his 62nd year at the time of his death. He was united in marriage October 13th, 1874, with Miss Blanche Arthurs, daughter of the late Richard Arthurs, of this place, this union being severed by the death of the wife June 7th, 1890. One son was born to them, Arthur B. Stewart, Esq., of Brookville, who survives his father.

Mr. Stewart was the soul of geniality, and numbered his friends by hosts. Among the younger generation particularly he was a favorite, the approach of age never affecting his boyish disposition, and the death of "Pappy" Stewart, as he was known to hundreds of the young folks, brings a heart twinge which only time can heal. The deceased was a member of the Episcopal church, with which he had been identified since its organization here, and he took an active interest in the labors of that congregation.—Brookville Republican.

Decoration Day A Thing Of The Past

Grand Army Men Decide that Memorial Day Is More Appropriate.

During the past year the Grand Army Posts have decided to call May 30th Memorial Day instead of Decoration Day, and hereafter the name "Decoration Day" will be a thing of the past. Memorial Sunday is the Sunday preceding May 30th and Memorial Day will be observed on May 30. On account of May 30 coming on Sunday this year, May 31st will be observed as Memorial Day in Reynoldsville.

The Grand Army Post of Reynoldsville has not completed program for Memorial Day yet, but the program will be published in THE STAR next week.

There will be union service in the Methodist Episcopal church at 11.00 a. m. Memorial Sunday—May 30. Rev. John F. Black will preach the sermon.

Pasture Grounds.

May 24, 1909, the Central Land and Mining Co. will have their pasture grounds ready to pasture cows, on the following terms and conditions: \$5.00 for the season, money to be paid before cows are turned into fields. It to be understood and agreed that each owner of cow or cows is to run their own risk for any injury to cow in pasture, and must also be responsible for any damage done by his or her cow. The C. L. & M. Co. will not be responsible for injury to cows or for any damage they may do.

J. J. SUTTER, Agent.

Notice to Taxpayers.

The road duplicates of Winslow township have been placed in my hands for the collection of the same. All taxes paid on or before June 1st, 1909, will be given a rebate of 5 per centum from the amount. No rebate will be allowed after June 1st. I will be found at Barto's store between the hours of 2.00 and 6.00 o'clock on Saturdays.

AMOS STROUSE, Collector.

You will find us in the Dunn building next door to Hall's furniture store. When in need of flour or feed by sack or wagon load, come and see us. Robinson & Mundorf.

Tan oxfords that are right in color and shape. Price \$1.75 to \$3.50 at Adam's.

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A Program Of Unusual Merit Has Been Prepared By the Memorial Association.

DECORATION IN THE MORNING

Dinner in the Park and Public Speaking in The Afternoon. Large Number Expected to Be Present.

Memorial Day in the Beechwoods has become a great event in that community and thousands of people assemble there to participate in the observance of the day. A fine program has been prepared for Memorial Day this year and it is likely the crowd will be larger this year than ever before. The exercises will be held on Monday, May 31st. Following is the program:

In the forenoon the procession will form at Memorial park at 10 o'clock and march to the cemetery in the following order:

Falls Creek band.
Soldiers of Civil and Spanish wars.
Flower Committee.
Schools of Washington township.
Citizens.

At the cemetery the following exercises will be conducted:

Prayer.....Rev. F. B. Boner
Singing.....Glee Club
Music.....Band
Address.....Raymond E. Brown
Singing.....Glee Club
Decoration of Soldiers' Graves.
Music.....Band
Return to Memorial Park.

After dinner at Memorial Park the following program will be carried out:
Prayer.....Rev. J. Vernon Bell
Singing.....Glee Club
Music.....Band
Recitation.....Miss Irene McLaughlin
Singing.....Glee Club
Oration.....Aldridge Huggan
Singing.....Glee Club
Address.....W. I. Swope
Music.....Band
Benediction.

A business meeting of the officers and members of the Association will be held at the close of the exercises.

REDUCED RATES TO GETTYSBURG

Dedication Regular Army Monument.

On Monday, May 31, Memorial Day, the monument to the regular army engaged in the battle of Gettysburg will be dedicated on the battlefield by the United States Government. President Taft will take part in the ceremonies. Excursion tickets to Gettysburg will be sold by the Pennsylvania Railroad from all principal stations May 27 to 30, good to return until June 3, inclusive, at reduced rates.

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