

Reynoldsville

Has modern schools and churches, paved streets, water, gas and electric accommodations, convenient trolley service, high and healthful location, varied employment for labor and many other residential advantages.

The Star.

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Offers exceptional advantages for the location of new industries: Free factory sites, cheap and abundant fuel, direct shipping facilities and low freight rates and plentiful supply of laborers.

MORE FAVORABLE PROSPECT OF EARLY RESUMPTION OF WORK AT SILK MILL

Otto Huber, a Representative of the American Silk Co., Visited the Mill for the Purpose of Getting Information Concerning the Plant and Supply of Labor.

FOUND ALL THINGS FAVORABLE FOR STEADY OPERATION

Thursday of last week Otto Huber, superintendent of the Monarch silk mills of the American Silk Company at York, Pa., visited Reynoldsville for the announced purpose of ascertaining the real condition of the Reynoldsville silk mill, owned by his company, the comparative cost of operating it, and the possibility of securing enough employes to run it full capacity. It is said that reports very detrimental to Reynoldsville and the local mill had been circulated in official circles of the company by persons hostile to the town's interests, and when the recent shake-up occurred in the company, resulting in the election of an entire new board of directors, with a new president, the new officers, none of whom had personal knowledge of local conditions, decided to send here, to investigate fully, one of their oldest and most experienced superintendents, a man who has spent his life amid the rattle of looms and spindles and is familiar with labor and commercial conditions in many localities.

When Mr. Huber arrived he went to the local mill where, in company with the superintendent in charge, P. F. Bolger, he made a most thorough examination of the mill and its present equipment, of its fitness to run and of its accessibility. The records of the mill from the start were examined, showing eight years of successful operation. After seeing all, Mr. Huber had no hesitation in saying that the Reynoldsville mill is one of the best and has the most modern equipment of any mill owned by the company, and that the mill's physical condition was superb. It will be remembered that many thousands of dollars were spent in re-equipping this mill less than two years ago and its interior presents a surprisingly clean and orderly appearance.

In the afternoon Mr. Huber was tak-

en in charge by officials of the Reynoldsville Business Men's Association and an effort made to show him Reynoldsville in its true light. A carriage was secured and in company with Mayor Jarvis D. Williams, P. F. Bolger and the secretary of the Association, Mr. Huber traversed the main streets of Reynoldsville, and West Reynoldsville and over the fine stretch of brick paved road to Prescottville, Rathmel and Bloomington, and afterwards to Soldier to witness the large coal and coke operations. Along this route Mr. Huber had excellent opportunity to note the large population from which to draw help and to observe the trolley lines which would bring labor from many other outlying suburbs. Returning to Reynoldsville Mr. Huber met and personally questioned almost half a hundred leading business and professional men, as well as old silk mill employes, gathering a mass of information relative to the labor supply and local sentiment regarding the mill. As to the latter, he found the community practically a unit in promising sincere co-operation.

In tabulating his information Mr. Huber discovered that the cost of freight transportation was about half what it was supposed to be by the officials; that express rates to Reynoldsville from New York were but little more than to the mills at York; that the opening of the New York Central trunk line would greatly reduce the time required for transporting silk to and from New York; that fuel could be secured at from one-third to one-fourth of its cost in the east; that the local mill could draw employes from a population of fifteen to twenty thousand; that the Reynoldsville mill could be started almost at a day's notice, so far as physical conditions are concerned;

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Prominent Merchant Is Dead

J. D. Woodring Succumbed to Blood Poisoning at Mercy Hospital Sunday.

J. D. Woodring, a prominent business man and an active citizen of West Reynoldsville, died in the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburgh at 5 10 p. m. Sunday, November 7, 1909, from blood poisoning. The latter part of September, this year, while visiting his daughter, Mrs. D. H. Krumanoeker, at White Haven, Pa., Mr. Woodring used a razor on a corn that was troubling him. He cut a little too deep and the toe got sore, seared, and blood poison set in. October 28 he had to give up and go to bed. Friday afternoon of last week he was taken to the Mercy Hospital to have his leg amputated at the knee, but he failed so rapidly that by Saturday morning his condition was so critical that the doctors decided that an operation would not save his life, only hasten the end. Mr. Woodring's daughter, Mrs. Krumanoeker, and Miss Alice Reitz accompanied Mr. Woodring to hospital. Saturday afternoon Will P. Woodring received a message to hasten to Pittsburgh on first train and he left here on the 4.38 p. m. train, but when he arrived at the hospital his father could not talk and was unconscious from that time until he died.

The body was brought to his late home in West Reynoldsville on noon train Monday. Funeral service will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church at 2.30 p. m. to-day, conducted by Rev. John F. Black, and interment will be made in the Reynoldsville cemetery beside wife of deceased.

J. D. Woodring was born at Nazareth, Northumberland County, Pa., November 13, 1844, and lacked six days of being 65 years old at time of his death. October 7, 1862, not yet 18 years old, he enlisted in Company B, 153rd Pennsylvania Volunteers, and served until October 24, 1863, when he was mustered out, having been wounded and taken prisoner at Gettysburg.

December 31, 1867, Mr. Woodring was united in marriage to Eliza A. Patten at Wilkesbarre, Pa., who died January 1st, 1907.

May 1st, 1887, twenty-two years last May, Mr. Woodring came to Reynoldsville to accept a position as outside superintendent at the tannery, which position he held until April 1, 1897, almost ten years. In October, 1897, twelve years ago last month, J. D. Woodring and son, William P. Woodring, embarked in the store business in West Reynoldsville and continued the business since that time. While superintendent at tannery he served one term as a school director, in 1899 was elected justice of the peace for five year term, and in 1906 he was elected burgess and served three years. Therefore, as stated at beginning of this obituary, he was not only a successful business man, but was an active citizen. Politically, Mr. Woodring was a Democrat. He united with the Episcopal church some years ago and was ever after an adherent of that church.

Mr. Woodring was a member of John C. Conser Grand army Post of Reynoldsville and members of that Post will act as pall bearers. Sons of Veterans will attend the funeral and the deceased Comrade will be given a military burial. Mr. Woodring is survived by one son and one daughter, William P. Woodring, of Reynoldsville, and Mrs. Elizabeth Krumanoeker, of White Haven, Pa.

Have you seen the beautiful line of furs at Bing-Stoke Company's.

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Reynoldsville May Secure A Hospital

Important Project Was Made Public at Meeting Of The Association Last Night.

One of the most important projects ever conceived for the benefit of Reynoldsville people was first made public at a meeting of the Business Men's Association last night. It was an announcement from Dr. J. H. Murray, the specialist, that if the lodges and other beneficial organizations of Reynoldsville would guarantee active support, in a manner outlined by him, he would erect and maintain a hospital in Reynoldsville for the medical or surgical treatment of all non-contagious diseases. The outline of the plan was presented to the Association by the secretary, by authority of Dr. Murray, and in the free discussion which followed it was evident that the members fully appreciated the benefits which would accrue to Reynoldsville through the establishment of such an institution and looked upon the proposition as one worthy the support of the public. If established it would seek the co-operation of all the physicians in Reynoldsville and vicinity and all would be permitted to treat their own patients in it. Aside from the added prestige it would give the town, it would permit better treatment and care of local patients than is now possible. It would also be the means of bringing into the town about \$15,000 annually which would pass into the regular channels of trade.

The project was considered worthy the consideration of the Association and upon the motion of Bell, seconded by Williams, a committee of five was appointed to confer with Dr. Murray and ascertain the best method of promoting the project along lines which would secure harmonious co-operation of all interests concerned. President Caldwell appointed the following members on the committee: Mayor J. D. Williams, H. Alex. Stoke, S. M. McCraith, J. W. Gillespie and E. Neff. This committee will act at once and upon their report further action will be taken by the Association.

The Association had a rattling good meeting last night and many were present. The president of the town council was present and took part in a lively discussion concerning the cleaning of Main street, in which he gave the council's side of the case and the difficulties they had to contend with. The mayor spoke for the business men and citizens and when the discussion closed there was a better understanding all around. If the citizens and officials would get together oftener in this way it would make for harmony. A discussion of local ordinances brought out the fact that many are practically worthless. On motion the secretary was instructed to send to the council a communication expressing the sense of the Association that the business and civic interests of Reynoldsville demanded an early and complete revision of the ordinances governing the borough.

Won't Slight a Good Friend.

"If ever I need a cough medicine again I know what to get," declares Mrs. A. L. Alley, of Beals, Me., "for, after using ten bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, and seeing its excellent results in my own family and others, I am convinced it is the best medicine for coughs, colds and lung trouble." Every one who tries it feels just that way. Relief is felt at once and its quick cure surprises you. For bronchitis, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, laryngitis, sore throat, pain in chest or lungs its supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by H. L. McEntire.

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MINUTES OF COUNCIL

The monthly meeting of town council was held in Secretary Flynn's office on the evening of November 2nd, with the following members present: J. V. Young, F. S. Hoffman, August Baldauf, Dr. J. C. King.

H. Alex. Stoke, representing the board of trustees of the M. E. church, was present and requested council to release the church from interest due the borough on judgment held against the church on account of the Fifth street paving. The request was refused.

The Sewer Committee was instructed to have an underground sewer laid on Main street in front of the postoffice to take care of the surface-water at that point.

Ex-Tax Collector Copping reported following taxes collected during October: 1907 tax, \$76.76; 1908 tax, \$73.54.

Exoneration from dog tax was allowed Thomas Grix and William McDonald on affidavits filed by these persons justifying the exoneration.

Chief Burgess Jarvis D. Williams reported \$15.00 as the amount of fines and licenses collected during October. The Sewer Committee was instructed to extend the sewer up Main street from Rufus Kirk's property to Thomas E. Evans' property, providing Mr. Evans will agree to tap into same. Current bills for October were ordered to be paid.

Passenger Service Postponed.

R. J. Cowin, agent for the Lake Shore road here, to-day received a copy of the fall schedule of trains, which goes into effect next Sunday.

It does not provide for any passenger trains on the new Franklin & Clearfield railroad, which is understood to mean that passenger service on this line will not begin until after the first of the coming year.

There is no question that it was the intention of the Lake Shore officials to have passenger trains on the new road this fall, but obstacles that could not have been foreseen were encountered and the idea has been abandoned for the present. However, it is believed that passenger trains will be started shortly after the first of the year.—Franklin Evening News.

Some tempting shoe bargains for 98 cents at Adam's.

Ladies' fur scarfs from \$1.50 to \$20.00 at Bing-Stoke Co.'s.

Numerous Hunting Accidents

Heavy Toll Paid by Devotees Of the Sport Mainly Due To Carelessness.

James Mohney, Jr., of Rathmel, aged twenty-one years, was accidentally shot in left arm last Thursday evening. Returning from hunting his dog got into a fight with another dog and in trying to part the dogs Mohney used the butt of his gun and while beating the dogs the gun was accidentally discharged, striking Mohney in left forearm, tearing the muscles and flesh loose from bone. While the arm was badly lacerated the doctor expects to save it.

Clyde Waite, aged sixteen years, son of Samuel Waite, of Pleasant Avenue, accidentally shot himself in right foot while out hunting Saturday forenoon. The load of shot entered the foot just back of the toe next to the little toe and shattered the bones, yet the doctor has hopes that he can save the foot. If amputation is necessary only part of the foot will be amputated. On top of foot where load entered the hole is about the size of a quarter, but the under part of the foot was terribly lacerated. It was reported in town at first that the boy had accidentally killed himself.

John Goss, twelve year old son of Amos Goss, of Winslow township, was accidentally shot while out hunting rabbits last Thursday morning. Young Goss was climbing a fence when the trigger of the gun caught and the weapon was discharged and the boy was shot in right thigh and right thumb was torn off. The lad suffered greatly from loss of blood, but was not fatally wounded. He is getting along as nicely as could be expected.

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