

RATHMEL.

D. Phillips went to Punxsutawney Saturday.

Rev. Pollard preached in the M. E. church on Sunday at 3:30 P. M.

Miss Beckie Wyatt is teaching a summer school. She has about 75 pupils in attendance.

G. W. Mohney, who has been on the sick list for about two years is not getting any better.

Mr. E. Keagle and family and Mr. N. Headly and sister, took in the excursion to Kinzua bridge on Sunday.

Lewis Lydle, of Reynoldsville, having rented A. W. Mulholland's house will in the near future be a Rathmelter.

James Sarah, who lost a milk cow by being killed on the railroad received \$20.00 from the Relief Club of Rathmel.

Joshua Bateson, who has been attending the Williamsport business college during the past winter has returned home.

Our supervisor, Mr. McClure has been making some much needed improvements on our roads. May the good work continue.

The proceeds of the supper and entertainment for the benefit of the Temperance Division on Monday evening, June 6th, we are informed, amounted to \$50.

Herbert Dyke, who has been attending school at Berkeleyville, Venango county, returned home on Saturday. He will teach a term of school at this place.

Quite a number of our townsmen have been wearing pleasant smiles of late. John Siple and Phil Schreenghost's arrivals were girls and George Henry's is a boy.

J. F. Henry and sons are making necessary preparations to operate their mine as soon as the B. & Y. C. M. Co. get a tippie and railroad built which is expected at a not far distant day.

The Sprague Mine Relief association which has been in existence for about three years has paid out for sick and funeral benefits about \$4,500.00 and has at present about \$400.00 in the treasury.

With the exception of one or two days Sprague mine has worked steady for about three months. The new mine foreman, Richard Tanf appears to be a hustler and a jovial fellow to work for.

Sabbath was children's day at the Wine-brenarian church. The church was handsomely decorated with flowers. As usual on such occasions a great many people old and young were in attendance.

John Ditch, who was operated on at the West Penn hospital in Pittsburgh, for a dead bone in the foot, is home and is improving slowly, with hopes of being cured without having the foot amputated.

On the eve of Mr. Wm. Lytle's departure to Manitoba some of his best and most intimate friends called at his residence and presented him with a valuable watch chain and charm, emblematic of the I. O. O. F. to which order Mr. Lytle has the honor of being a member.

Rathmel can knock any town in western Pennsylvania (according to population) silly with their list of secret societies. The K. of L., K. of P., Sons of Temperance, P. O. S. of A., A. P. A., L. A. P. A., Temperance Cadets, predominate here, with prospects of a camp of the Daughters of Liberty being organized soon.

If the citizens of Rathmel don't know already who is the agent for THE STAR they will sooner or later and if they want a good, reliable and newsy paper just let them hand him a \$1.50 and have their names entered on the list for one year's subscription. Act wisely—to do that is to subscribe for THE STAR at once.

Republican candidates for Senators and Assemblymen, Messrs. Mitchell and McKnight and Smith and Long and McLain for Congress, have all paid Rathmel their respects. We feel safe in saying that all of them will have supporters on Saturday the 15th in East Winslow and that the number will not be as unequally divided as some predicts.

THE FACTS.

(Communication.)

Many of the readers of the papers of this county, perhaps, have noticed the reflection made on me by Mr. A. B. McLain by intimating that I was responsible for the election of a Democratic Senator four years ago.

To the people of Jefferson county such statements cannot be made without bringing to their minds the thought of both injustice to me and condemnation of their own wishes and instructions, and among the four thousand Republican voters of this county, who by their ballots endorsed my conduct in following the instructions of the Republican party in this county by sacrificing myself for its interests, there were none more determined that I should remain in the field than Mr. McLain.

In justice to myself and Jefferson county, I would just state that there never was a more manly contest, or one more free from corruption than that of four years ago. It will be remembered that I was willing, and did propose to Mr. Hood for both to withdraw and for our conferees to select any Jefferson county man as the nominee of this district, as it was conceded by all to be Jefferson county's time to have that office. This proposition was refused by Mr. Hood, who said "If we are to have a Jefferson county Senator we would prefer you to any other man." This county was determined to have its rights and would have refused me the privilege to withdraw, had I asked it. I feel that Mr. McLain has made a mistake to mention the contest of four years ago, and I do ask the Republicans of this county to investigate and recall my course in that campaign, and I think they will easily find that my course at that time was entirely in harmony with the wishes of the Republican voters of the county. They will also find that I am a man who will follow the instructions of the Republican party of this county and will remain true to those who place confidence in me.

Wm. C. Bond.

"Washburns Best," is the name of the best flour on the market. Try a sack of it and be convinced.—McKee & Warnick, The Grocers, Cor. 5th. and Main Street.

WANTED—A reliable young man who wants to learn the practice of dentistry. Dr. J. S. McCreight, Reynoldsville, Pa.

STATE SENATORIAL QUESTION.

What the Indiana Papers Say of Capt. James G. Mitchell.

A welcome visitor to our town last week was Capt. James G. Mitchell, of Perryville, Jefferson county. He is an extremely companionable gentleman and a thorough business man. Although he was not here "fence building" yet it is known that the Captain is a candidate for State Senate in this district. He is content for the honorable position—and without disparagement to the aspirations of candidates presented for the place by Indiana county—we may freely say that if Mr. Mitchell secures the nomination, this county will give him an old fashioned popular majority. He has kept himself from the contentions that have invoked a degree of hostility between the working forces in the several counties of the district.—*Indiana Progress*, March 16, '92.

Captain J.G. Mitchell, of Perryville, Jefferson county, while returning from a business trip to the east, stopped off here a day or two. The Captain is a candidate for Senator in Jefferson county. Indiana county will urge the selection of the candidate who secures the nomination in this county on the 9th of April; but should Captain Mitchell secure the endorsement of his own county and the district nomination, he will doubtless get the solid Republican vote of this county. He has been fortunate in keeping out of the Senatorial complications and would not be handicapped, besides he is a clever fellow and would make an efficient Senator.—*Indiana Messenger*, March 16, '92.

"Jim" Mitchell, of Perryville, a prominent merchant and a candidate for the Republican nomination for Senator in Jefferson county, and a whole-souled, genial gentleman besides, was here on Saturday and remained over Sunday. If we must have a Republican Senator give us Mitchell, and plenty of him too.—*Indiana Democrat*, March 9, 1892.

The Convention of the miners' and farmers' organizations which was held in Reynoldsville on the 4th of March, 1892, unanimously endorsed Mr. Mitchell.

Doesn't Like Policemen.

There is a horse in this town which has a double mission in life. One part of it is to get to fires as rapidly as possible with a ton or two of apparatus behind it; the other is to make as many vacancies as possible in the police force. The animal is a valuable one, well trained and good to look at. For the firemen it has a professional regard, toward policemen it displays the fiercest of antipathies. The horse belongs to one of the companies stationed far down town, and the engine house is rather cramped. People having occasion to enter the place have to pass close to the animal's stall, and as a result the member of the police force who has business in the house is likely to have a lively time of it. To be safe he has to climb around back of a tender and then make his way along with the caution needed to keep him out of range of the horse's hoofs.

If he comes near the animal, it is a bite or a kick, according to the end which is approached. The firemen who are thoroughly acquainted with the peculiarities of the steed have a very reasonable explanation of its aversion to brass buttons. It is that at some time a policeman clubbed it, at a time when the excitement of a fire made him forget that perhaps a horse may have a longer memory than a taxpayer and more time to devote to carrying out schemes of revenge. Ever since that day no policeman has been able to approach the horse without having good reason to repent his temerity.—*New York Times*.

Reply Paid Postal Cards.

Reply paid postal cards have been in use in Austria for many years, and would be economical and convenient in domestic as well as in foreign correspondence. They are composed of two unseparated postal cards, folded in the form of a single card, and need no other fastening.

A correspondent can insure a correctly addressed and probably prompt answer by writing his full address on the reply fold of the card before mailing it; the card, on its first journey, being folded so as to cover the reply address. The receiver has simply to write his answer on the reply card, tear it off the inquiry card and remail it.

If one does not care to preserve the inquiry or to write a long answer, the cards need not be separated. In that case a reply perfectly intelligible, unequivocal and binding for all business purposes may be written in one or two words in answer to a direct question.

The words "yes" or "no" or "forty" or "41 Temple Place" or "Boston" or "Smith & Jones" or "6 per cent." or any other short replies, signed with initials or full name, without any heading of place or date, would, in connection with the attached inquiry card, convey as full and definite an answer, and show as plainly when, where and by whom it was written, as an answer on an ordinary card or letter that contain besides place, date and address a summary of the inquiry to which it is a reply.—*Youth's Companion*.

Prevention of the Flight of Birds.

To prevent birds from flying, without the barbarous and injurious system sometimes practiced of cutting their wings, it will be found sufficient to tie together with a thread three or four of the largest feathers of one wing. This destroys the balance, the wings do not act symmetrically in the air, and flight is rendered impossible. Fowls, pigeons, etc., may be kept within bounds in this simple fashion.—*London Tit-Bits*.

Cost of Keeping Horses in London.

It has been estimated that 25,000 horses are employed in the metropolitan carrying trade in the city of London; that their value is £1,250,000, and the cost of food alone is £800,000. A rule prevails for foraging the horses on three pence an inch per week—that is, a horse costs as many shillings a week as it stands hands high.—*New York Times*.

SONG.

Comes a lover to his lass,
Singing to her smiling;
"Thou art mine till time shall pass"—
All her day beguiling.

Laughing low replies the lass,
While he lingers, singing;
"Thine am I while time doth pass—
Time is swift a-winging."

Eagerly he piles the lass
With his warmest wooing;
Swift as speech the moments pass—
Comes his swift undoing.

Never lover claims his lass
But she leaves him yearning;
Never, until time shall pass,
Will he grow disheartening.

—*New York Times*.

Rats in New Zealand.

The original discoverer of New Zealand found but three species of mammals, two bats and a very small rat called kiore by the natives. The kiore is now almost extinct at times, but occasionally appears in extraordinary numbers, coming, nobody knows whence, and going, no one knows whither. In 1886 the west coast (no other portion) of the island was overrun by countless millions of them, each pressing forward as rapidly as possible, seeming to have but one idea in view—to get away from the place with all speed. They were never seen to eat and moved at a steady gait night and day.

Thousands and thousands of them perished from hunger and the attacks of a larger imported rat. For eleven weeks the coast for 150 miles literally swarmed with kiiores, but at last they suddenly disappeared. That was six years ago, but the scientists have not yet decided where they came from or where they went.—*New Zealand After Fifty Years*.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WINSLOW TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT, OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, PA., FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 1st, 1892.

W. T. CATHERS, DR.	
State appropriation.....	\$1 217 04
County Treasurer.....	184 15
From fines.....	15 00
From other township.....	6 97
Collector.....	4 226 36
Glass.....	12
Other sources.....	2 50
	\$5 652 15
Due W. T. Catthers.....	887 95
W. T. CATHERS, CR.	
Credit by vouchers.....	\$6 371 72
Percentage.....	12 00
Interest.....	12 00
Auditing.....	6 00
Secretary.....	22 11
	\$6 540 10
On doc fund.....	\$ 142 30
Credit by vouchers.....	77 00
Per cent.....	1 54
	78 54
To balance.....	\$63 76
Audited on the 15th of June, 1892.	
W. J. HILDE,	
THOS. HUTCHISON, Auditor.	
W. K. GARYN.	

For State Senator.

FOR STATE SENATE:

J. G. MITCHELL

OF PERRY TOWNSHIP,

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 18, 1892.

For State Senator.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

W. J. MCKNIGHT,

OF BROOKVILLE, PA.,

Born, reared and lived in the county. A taxpayer, acquainted and identified with your interests. Served in the Senate from 1880 until 1884. A candidate for re-nomination now as Senator, and for a second term at the Republican primaries of Jefferson county, Pa., June 18, 1892. A Republican campaigner, worker and voter for thirty-five years.

For Assembly.

FOR ASSEMBLY:

WILLIAM O. SMITH,

OF PUNXSUTAWNEY BOROUGH,

Subject to action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 18, 1892.

Labor supports the State. The State should protect labor. The importation of contract labor stopped. Jefferson county to be given two members in the Legislature. School books to be furnished free by the State to all the schools. The insane to be classified and the expense of their support paid by the State. Free schools in fact—School tax abolished, schools to be maintained and supported by the State. Honesty and economy with the people's money. Justice to the soldier, his widow and his orphan.

If this is your platform vote for me June 18, 1892.

For Assembly.

FOR ASSEMBLY:

DR. WM. F. BEYER,

OF PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA.

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 18, 1892.

For Assembly.

FOR ASSEMBLY:

JOHN W. PHILLIPPI,

OF WINSLOW TOWNSHIP.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Jefferson county at the ensuing primary election.

For Assembly.

FOR ASSEMBLY:

JAMES E. LONG,

OF BROOKVILLE BOROUGH,

Subject to the action of the Republicans of Jefferson county at the primary election, June 18.



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