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"When you make a mistake, don't look back at it long. Take the reason of the thing into your mind, and then look forward. Mistakes are lessons of wisdom. The past can not be changed; the future is yet in your power."

The world is full of negative men, men of velvety softness, tender feelings, extremely "liberal." They "love everybody," but they are timid. They would sooner sacrifice principle than wound a friend. They shrink back from shadows, skulk away from the battle, and leave others to win the victory. They carry no swords, bear no palms, wear no crowns. Their aspirations do not rise above their heads, and their lives are lived contentedly on the dead level of mediocrity. Such men are of little value to the world.—Ex.

The national convention of the People's Party has closed. Its early sessions were devoted to denunciation of existing conditions in speeches in which there was much fervor. Judge Walter I. Gresham was the favorite candidate for President, but his continued refusal allowed the nomination on the first ballot of James B. Weaver, best known as the old time candidate of the Greenback party. General James B. Field, of Virginia, was named for Vice-President. The platform declares for a perpetual union for the labor forces, demands government ownership of railroads, telegraph and telephone lines, the increase of the currency to \$50 per capita, government loans at 2 per cent or less, free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1, an income tax and postal savings banks. This convention is the fourth to meet this year; and the ticket, Weaver and Field, is the fourth before the people. We may look for a fair and square fight between now and November. It will be hard to foresee the results. There is a possibility that there will be no election at the polls and that the House will be called upon to select our chief executive officer. This is really the hope and aim of the Peoples Party aside from the advocacy of their principles and support of their organization. But time will reveal all mysteries and heal all wounds political and otherwise.

One of the most serious of recent labor troubles is now facing the people of Homestead, this state. The disagreement between Carnegie and his employees, the lock-out, the organization of the locked-out men, the sending of the armed Pinkertons to guard the works, the shedding of blood and loss of life entailed, the calling out of the militia; all these events following quickly one after the other have stirred the feelings of our people wonderfully. There is a settled conviction in the minds of disinterested people that the great blame is with the Carnegie Co. There is small doubt but that this company is making vast sums from these works. Why should the company cut down wages twenty per cent? Must this cut be made in order that these millionaires can make a living? It is certain that the men were barely able to make a living at the old rate. It is equally certain that every home in Homestead would be pinched by the cut. To most it must seem that the attitude of the company in this matter is one in which pure selfishness and greed are the great factors.

Then the absolute refusal of those in authority to recognize representatives of labor organizations during the trouble—men who came in the interest of peace—is a sorry comment upon the sense and humanity of these leaders of capital. No union men need apply. This it seems is, in the future, to be the sign hung out at the Homestead works. So labor has no right to organize. We are to have corporations and trusts and railroad combinations and deals by which the interests of the capitalists are to be forwarded; but labor has no right to organize. It is about time for capital to realize the rights of labor and to treat labor more respectfully. Public sentiment is overwhelmingly with the brawn and brain of our land in the struggle being carried on against the "money bags."

The militia are at Homestead, however, to keep the peace, not in the interest of any party to the controversy. They are not there like the Pinkertons to shed blood, but to prevent bloodshed. And we feel sure that wise and moderate councils will ultimately prevail and that the rights of the laboring men, without whom Homestead and Carnegie could never have prospered, will be recognized and properly protected. Let the desire of all be peace and justice not one alone but united as only they can be in a land of democratic principles and practices.

Life at Chautauqua.

Chautauqua, the great summer resort, is now in full blast. The program for 1892 has been prepared with the usual care by those whose business it is to secure the talent for this world-renowned educational centre. Aside from its educational advantages it is a charming spot. The town is built upon heavily wooded natural terraces, which slope gently to the shore of Chautauqua Lake, a lovely sheet of water twenty miles in length. The beautiful undulating country in the vicinity offers many attractive drives. The air is cool and invigorating. The streets and avenues of this city wind gracefully in and out among the trees, or stretch like leafy tunnels through the forest. More than five hundred dwellings are scattered in orderly arrangement through the groves, about the parks, and by the lakeside. Chautauqua is not only beautiful, but is safe from fire. The water is pure and abundant. A large reservoir back among the hills is a source of protection against fire. A regularly organized fire company is in service throughout the entire year. The sanitation is excellent. For many years the streets and parks have been lighted by arc electric lamps. Though the annual life of this city is brief, yet it offers attractive opportunities to shoppers. Every morning the Chautauqua citizens consult the *Herald* or the bulletins posted daily throughout the grove, to see what the "program" offers. They read a list of lectures, concerts and entertainments, decide which to attend and then make their plans accordingly. Thus all have a common interest in what is going on; talk at table and elsewhere deals with topics suggested by lectures and studies, and thus Chautauqua life stimulates social intercourse and good conversation. The very air is laden with a stimulation for a desire to obtain knowledge. Besides, there are ample means of recreation provided. A dozen tennis courts are filled from morning till night, base ball matches are of frequent occurrence, six-oared crews are in constant training. In the twilight while the band plays, scores of boats glide to and fro. The bathing beach is safe and constantly under the eye of a watchful bathing master. Every evening the great amphitheatre is filled with citizens listening to music or dramatic readings, watching stereopticon views thrown upon the screen, admiring beautiful tableaux, or eagerly awaiting the result of a spelling or pronunciation match. Chautauqua life is national, interesting, elevating, truly recreative.

Liable to Join the Strikers.

Special to DuBois Courier.
PITTSBURG, July 12.—At a meeting of Carnegie's employes at the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-third streets and Beaver Falls Union mills, this afternoon, it was decided that should Mr. Frick again decline to reopen negotiations with the Amalgamated association at Homestead, every man in these mills will strike on Thursday.

A Chance for Composers.

In order to stimulate American composition, *The Ladies' Home Journal* has just made public an attractive series of liberal prizes for the best original musical composition by composers residents in the United States and Canada. The prizes call for a waltz, a piano composition, a pleasing ballad and a popular song, an anthem and the four best hymn tunes. The competition is open until November 1st, next. The opportunity has an additional attractiveness since the prize compositions will form part of a series for which Strauss is writing an original waltz, and Charles Gounod and Sir Arthur Sullivan each an original song.

Notice.

All persons having accounts with Messrs Reynolds & Kaucher, lately of the Reynoldsville Hardware Co., are requested to settle the same as soon as possible. Accounts not settled before July 15th will be left in other hands for collection.

J. H. KAUCHER. S. T. REYNOLDS.

Teachers Wanted—Salaries Paid.

The school directors of Winslow township will meet at the Ohiotown school house, on Saturday, July 16th, 1892, to elect teachers for the various schools of the township. All applications with recommendations, certificates, &c., must be handed in before that time. The following salaries will be paid: Ohiotown schools, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$40; No. 3, \$35; Prescottville, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; Rathmel, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; Dean, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; Sykesville, No. 1, \$45; No. 2, \$35; all schools not graded, \$40.

O. H. BROADHEAD, Sec. pro tem.

"Be sure you get Ayer's" is an important caution to all in search of a thoroughly-reliable blood-purifier. Ayer's Sarsaparilla being the one on which there can be no manner of doubt. It has stood the test of nearly half a century, and has long been considered the standard.

Mens shoes all leather for \$1.00 at Robinson's.

Drifting with the Tide.

WAIT—MCGAUGHEY—On Monday, July 11, 1892, by E. Neff, J. P., at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Aaron Fry, Sam. E. Wait and Clara M. McGaughey, both of Reynoldsville, Pa.

Sandy Valley.

The hay crop is light this year, compared with last.

John F. Cox has returned from Oregon. He was absent four years.

James McGhee and sister will start for the far west in the near future.

The Sandy Valley band will hold a festival near Pancoast on Friday, July 15th.

Samuel Steel has purchased a driving horse for himself. He is a lively animal.

The Falls Creek Mining Co. have their blacksmith in the shop at the new Sherwood mines.

Dist. Deputy C. N. Lewis, of Reynoldsville, installed the officers of the O. U. A. M. Saturday evening, July 2d.

Miss Mattie McGhee has returned from Boochtree, where she has been teaching school. She closed her school on account of scarlet fever.

A number of our citizens attended the O. U. A. M. anniversary at Punxsutawney on the 8th inst. They report having had a pleasant time.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a festival in the Sandy Valley grove on Saturday evening, July 23rd. Proceeds to apply on minister's salary.

The school directors were at this place securing ground for a new school house. It will be built in time for the winter term. We congratulate our people, for we needed it badly.

James and Alex. Waite have returned from Grove City college. There is no change in them excepting that James looks more like Alex. You could not tell them apart when they went away.

We would be glad to write a longer letter if we had time, but as we have to pick potato hags and mow grass to-day, we will say good bye and drop our quill.

Rathmel.

Wm. Dacy has been ill for several days.

Miss Startzell is visiting friends at Shamokin, Pa.

Henry & Sons are pushing work rapidly in the opening of their new mine.

Two of our young neighbors on Saturday night paid their respects to his Honors Court in Reynoldsville. It only cost them a "V" or forty-eight hours in Limbo. They were given to understand that owing to overproduction of uptown "fangle foot" his Honor would have to advance prices on their next visit to him.

One of our young sports went to DuBois the other day and under some provocation proceeded to paint the town. He dumped two men from his buggy into the street, paid a \$15.00 fine for the use of the town, drove to Reynoldsville and sized up Butler, the pugilist, and offered to try him a bout, square up, rough and tumble or just-as-you-please.

The following officers were publicly installed on Monday evening by the K. of P. Lodge for the ensuing term: P. C., T. J. Broadhead; C. C., E. Q. McHenry; V. C., James Hughes; P., George Hughes; M. of E., W. A. Lodging; M. of F., Jos. Bateson; K. of R. & S., L. A. Hayes; Trustee, S. S. Haines. Rev. Hemingway, of DuBois, delivered an address on the occasion.

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List of Letters.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the postoffice in Reynoldsville, Pa., July 9th, 1892:

G. P. Shaffer,	W. A. Orr,
Jas. McKnight,	Henry Hauch,
E. N. Frazier,	Archy Dunlap,

FOREIGN.

Anton Trule.

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—Wm. Henry Ott, alias "Mustang Bill," Newcastle, Wyo.

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"A number of years ago, by recommendation of a friend, I began to use Ayer's Hair Vigor to stop the hair from falling out and prevent its turning gray. The first effects were most satisfactory. Occasional applications since have kept my hair thick and of a natural color."
—H. E. Basham, McKinney, Texas.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

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—Mrs. A. Collins, Dighton, Mass.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

Prevents hair from turning gray.
"My hair was rapidly turning gray and falling out; one bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor has remedied the trouble, and my hair is now its original color and fullness."
—B. Onkrupa, Cleveland, O.
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