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Travelers' Guide.

Passenger trains arrive and leave Reynoldsville as follows:

Allegheny Valley Railway.
Eastward. Westward.
Train 9, - 6:44 a. m. Train 8, - 7:49 a. m.
Train 1, - 1:00 p. m. Train 2, - 1:42 p. m.
Train 3, - 6:37 p. m. Train 10, - 8:45 p. m.

REYNOLDSVILLE POST-OFFICE.

Mails arrive and leave the post-office as follows:
Arrive. Depart.
FROM THE WEST. FOR THE EAST.
1:15 p. m. - 7:00 p. m. 12:30 p. m. - 6:50 p. m.
FROM THE EAST. FOR THE WEST.
8:00 a. m. - 2:50 p. m. 7:15 a. m. - 1:15 p. m.

Arrives from Rathmel and Prescottville 11:30 a. m.
Arrives from Pano Tuesday, Thursdays and Saturdays at 2:30 p. m.
Departs for Prescottville, Rathmel, Pano 3:00 p. m.
Office hours 7:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.
Money order office open from 7:00 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. Register office open from 7:00 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.
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A Little of Everything.

"A child's amuse ye taking notes,
And faith he'll print em."

"The Star" for One Dollar.

For a few months at least, we will offer THE STAR to new subscribers for \$1.00 a year, CASH IN ADVANCE. This offer holds good to old subscribers who pay all arrears and one year in advance. All back subscriptions will be charged at the old rate of \$1.50 per year.

THE STAR for \$1.00.

Try Bon Ton brown bread.

Boys' suits, at Millirens, 65c.

Save money on shoes at Robinson's.

Golf, Golf, Golfs for everyone at Bell's. Six weeks and two days until the 4th of July.

Go to the Bon Ton for your baking supplies.

One week from Saturday is Decoration Day.

R. and G. glove fitting corset at J. S. Morrow's.

All the latest up-to-date shoes at Robinson's.

Don't fail to hear Edward P. Elliott Friday night.

Gents, the latest things in belts at Bell's. Call and see them.

There will be a celebration in Reynoldsville on the Fourth of July.

Meeker Bros. have moved their feed store into the Centennial building.

Gentlemen, the finest line of shirts ever shown at Bell's from 50 ct. to \$3.

Best every-day slippers for ladies the world produces for \$1.00 at Robinson's.

Edward P. Elliott, the impersonator, at Centennial hall on Friday night, May 22nd.

Wanted—A man with \$150.00 to invest in good investment. Call at THE STAR office.

A few Reynoldsville people went to DuBois yesterday to see the Robinson & Franklin circus.

The A. V. R'y Co. is having stone mile posts put in all along the line of the road this week.

The White is the machine you want to buy to do your spring sewing on. C. F. Hoffman will show it to you.

J. W. Comstock, of Clearfield, has secured the contract of plastering the new school building in this place.

Best line of carpets to select from in town are to be found at the Reynoldsville Hardware Co. store. See and be convinced.

A number of small boys of Reynoldsville are making "spending money" now days catching frogs and selling them to lovers of that kind of meat.

The best citizen of a community is the man who labors most for the upbuilding of the community in general aside from all selfish interests.

Newspaper advertising has been raised to such a point of importance that no man wishing to bring his business to the attention of the people can longer ignore it.

The "bundle social" of the Presbyterian Willing Workers' Mission Band, which was held at the home of G. M. McDonald last evening, was a success. Bundles were numerous.

An exchange says a home paper is in no sense a child of charity; it earns twice over every dollar it receives and is second to no enterprise in contributing to the upbuilding of a town or community.

The Reynoldsville Water Co. has received three new fire plugs and a lot of pipe. One of the plugs will be put in at the new school house and we are not able to say what will be done with the other two plugs.

If you do not visit Deemer's store regularly you are likely to miss some of the bargains they offer. They have just purchased a case of all-wool serge, one yard wide, all colors, which they offer for a limited time at twenty-three cents per yard.

We will save you money and sell you shoes that wear and fit your feet. Give us a call. J. S. Morrow.

Don't forget to have your eyes examined and fitted with glasses. C. F. Hoffman can do the work.

Tickets for Edward P. Elliott's entertainment in Centennial hall Friday night are on sale at Stoke's drug store.

Ralph Albright had his left hand badly injured while at work in the West Reynoldsville machine shop yesterday.

A summer schedule went into effect on the Ridgway & Clearfield R'y and P. & E. R. R. on Sunday. See correct table in this issue.

A four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, of Pleasant Avenue, died from scarlet fever last Wednesday and was buried in Syphrit cemetery Thursday.

Twenty-eight hundred dollars were sold at the meeting of the Reynoldsville Building and Loan Association held in the Flynn hall on Monday evening of this week.

Perfect Headache Powders are different from all others. Sure relief for sick headache, nervous headache, &c., &c. Try them. For sale at the Reynolds Drug Store.

The Reynoldsville Hardware Co. store has received new spring samples of Brussels, extra velvet and Ingrain carpets. If you want a new carpet see the samples and get prices at this store.

The Central opera house and several other buildings burned in DuBois early Monday morning. DuBois was wanted a new opera house for some time and it is likely the town will get a new one now.

Rev. H. R. Johnson will preach the memorial sermon for the G. A. R. Post, W. R. C. and S. of V. in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. His text will be "The Armies of the Living God."

When the forest fire got uncomfortably close to some of the dwelling houses at Hopkins Sunday afternoon, a little black pig was carried very affectionately from its sty in the rear of the lot, where the fire was the nearest, into a house.

A. M. Norris has just completed registering the voters of West Winslow township. There are two hundred and ninety-two voters in West Winslow. There have been twenty-three deaths and seven births in the west section of township during the last six months.

An exchange says that one trouble with this world is that there are too many people in it who will not cast their bread upon the water unless they are assured that it will come back in a few days a full-grown sandwich all trimmed with ham, butter and mustard.

S. T. Dougherty has 27 fine pine rafts lying in the creek, near Brookville, ready to run to Pittsburg as soon as there comes a freshet. And Ab. Neal has about the same number in the same shape. All told about 75 timber rafts are lying at Brookville waiting for a flood.—Brookville Democrat.

Tickets for Hon. John G. Woolley's lecture on "Christian Citizenship," to be delivered in Centennial on Monday evening, June 1st, are on sale at S. Shaffer's office. Reserved seats are 25 cents and the general admission will be the same price, so nothing will be saved by waiting, but on the other hand you will be sure of a seat if you go and have one marked off. There is no doubt but that the hall will be crowded to hear such an orator as Hon. Woolley.

In June, 1892, Esq. E. Neff made application for a \$12 per month pension for Abraham C. Pearce of this place, but the claim was rejected. Not discouraged by the failure of the first attempt, Squire Neff made the second attempt and several days ago the official papers were received at this place notifying Mr. Neff that the pension had been granted and that it would date from June 9, 1892, which will give Mr. Pearce the snug sum of almost \$600.00 back pension and \$12.00 per month hereafter.

The body of a dead cat was found on Main street, in front of Riston's cigar store, last Friday evening. The carcass had been run over so often that it was flattened out and had it not been for the tail no one would have been able to tell what kind of an animal it had been. The evening before the defunct cat was found several gentlemen who were sitting in front of Riston's store were commenting on the odoriferousness of the order that at that time was soaring around on the evening breeze.

A fellow who said he did not have any money stopped at Hotel Belpas Saturday evening and requested Landlord Dillman to take him in for the night. Mr. Dillman, who is a kind-hearted man gave the stranger shelter and a square meal and to show his appreciation of Mr. Dillman's kindness, the fellow stole a good hat from one of the hotel guests after breakfast and skipped. While that fellow may never come this way again, it is likely his actions will make it difficult for some deserving fellow creature who may come this way to receive shelter from Mr. Dillman.

Don't Fail to Hear Him.

Mr. Elliott is an impersonator of remarkable gifts and attainments. He has a strong personality, a mobile face, and displayed exceptional power of differentiation. The entertainment was one of the most enjoyable of the course.—Kansas City (Mo.) Journal. At Centennial hall Friday night. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

New Machine.

Another new machine has been put in operation in the Woolen Mill Company's large plant at this place this week. The new machine is a tentering and drying machine which cost \$1,600. The mill was shut down Saturday and Monday to get the machine put in. There is not a woolen mill in the state that is as well equipped with modern machinery as the one at this place.

A Heavy Fine.

Phillip Bason, an Italian, was tried in the Jefferson county court last week for selling whiskey at London mines without license, and Judge Reed had no mercy on the fellow. His sentence was \$500.00 fine, three months imprisonment in county jail and to pay all costs of prosecution. This kind of sentences will certainly have a tendency to break up illegal liquor selling in Jefferson county.

One Man Comedy.

Mr. Elliott's performance may briefly be termed a one man comedy. He portrayed all of the characters, and so well did he act each part that the play was perfectly presented. The changes were instantaneous, and were it not for the fact that the audience saw but one man before it, it could easily have imagined that a fine comedy company was presenting the familiar play.—Danbury (Conn.) News. At Centennial Hall Friday night. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Fracas on Main Street.

Two fellows that had been too familiar with John Barleycorn Saturday afternoon got into an altercation about the fighting qualifications of a dog owned by one of the fellows and the dispute waxed hotter and hotter until finally the men were rolling in the dust on Main street with a crowd around them urging them on. Burgess Robertson appeared just in time to take the fighters under his lawful wings and escort them to the lock-up. In due time they paid five dollars apiece for breaking the borough ordinance and departed for their homes.

Appointment Confirmed.

It has previously been announced in the columns of THE STAR that Samuel Lattimer, who has been burgess of this borough over two years, had resigned and that the council had appointed Peter Robertson to fill Mr. Lattimer's unexpired term, subject to the approval of the Court of the county. A petition from council was presented to Judge Reed on Monday morning of last week asking that he approve the action of council in appointing Mr. Robertson. On Wednesday morning the Court confirmed Mr. Robertson's appointment as burgess of the borough of Reynoldsville.

Slack-Burris Nuptial.

Dr. W. H. Slack, of Corsica, and Miss Lizzie Burris, of this place, were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Agnes Burris, in Winslow township, on Tuesday, May 12th, by Rev. Britt, Presbyterian preacher of Corsica. Dr. Slack taught school in this borough a few years ago and is not a stranger to many of the people of Reynoldsville. He graduated as an M. D. from the West Penn College of Pittsburg last year and located at Corsica, where he has already built up quite a practice. Dr. Slack is a bright young man. Miss Burris was born and raised in Reynoldsville, and has many warm friends in this place. She is an intelligent young lady and one who was held in high esteem. THE STAR extends congratulations and wishes Dr. Slack and his helpmate smooth sailing on life's voyage.

Death of Mrs. Aaron Welsh.

Mrs. Aaron Welsh died at 11:20 A. M., on Friday, May 15, 1896, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis and heart trouble. Mrs. Welsh, whose maiden name was Frances Clarrissa Doney, was born in Clinton county, New York, October 16th, 1830, and was drawing close to her sixtieth birthday. In 1848 Mrs. Welsh's parents moved to Prospect, at the top of the Fuller hill, and in 1855 she was married to Aaron Welsh. Two children were born unto them, Silas, who died twenty-three years ago, and Anna A., who is now married to Frank McGinnis and lived in the same house with her parents. Mrs. Welsh has not been enjoying good health for some time, yet she was able to work around the house up until Thursday morning, when she got out of bed and fell, prostrate to the floor and had to be lifted into bed again. Funeral services were held in the M. E. church at 2:30 P. M. on Sunday, conducted by Rev. H. R. Johnson, and the remains were buried in the Prospect cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Welsh moved into their home on main street about thirty years ago and, therefore, are among the old residents of this place. A brother and sister of the deceased, Mr. Doney and Mrs. Dailey, live at Pano and another brother lives in a western state.

Walter Spry Departed This Life Monday Morning.

At 7:00 A. M. on Monday, May 18th, the spirit of Walter Spry winged its flight from the tenement of clay in which it had been confined for fifty-two years into that "bourne from whence no traveler e'er returns." Walter Spry was born across the deep blue sea in County Devonshire, England, in 1844. He was married to Mrs. Jane Trudgen in 1870. In 1879 he sailed for America and soon after landing he came to Reynoldsville and has resided here ever since. He was checkweighman at the mines in this place for a number of years. Five or six years ago he went into the insurance business as solicitor for N. G. Pinney, of Brookville, and also opened a grocery store on East Main street. He was intelligent and kept posted on the news of the day, especially the mining news. Politically, he was a Republican and religiously a Methodist. The party of his choice elected him register and assessor of this borough two terms. At the time of his death he was assessor of the borough. He suffered considerably for three or four months from an abscess on the brain, which finally caused his demise. He has been confined to his home most of the time since January, but he seemed so much better the first of last week that his friends thought he was on a fair way to recovery, but on Thursday morning he took a bad spell, at which time his tongue was partially paralyzed, and hope of his recovery was abandoned. On Sunday he said he was ready to depart from this life and prayed that the Lord would remove him hence.

His wife, one son, three step-children, John Trudgen and Mrs. John Pomroy, of this place, and Elijah Trudgen, of Brookwayville, survive him.

Funeral services will be held in the M. E. church at 3:00 P. M., to-day, conducted by Rev. James H. Jelbart, of Stanton, Pa., and the mortal remains of Walter Spry will be placed beneath the sod of Beulah cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

Mr. Spry was a member in good standing in the Improved Order of Red Men, Sons of St. George and I. O. O. F. lodges, and these lodges will attend the funeral to-day.

Forest Fires.

Forest fires in this neighborhood Sunday almost depopulated Reynoldsville of its male inhabitants, and many of the gentler sex walked to Hopkins, two miles west of this place, where the fire threatened to destroy the large mill, board yard and dwelling houses. A strong wind was blowing which fanned the flames into fury as they leaped along the mountain side. A little before one o'clock Sunday afternoon word was sent to Reynoldsville from Hopkins asking that the Fire Co. come to that place as soon as possible. A train was soon in readiness on the A. V. R'y and the fire lads of this place went to Hopkins and worked with willing hands all Sunday afternoon, and when the danger was past at Hopkins they went to the Brennan camp and worked until late that night. Word was sent to DuBois at 1:30 Sunday for a fire engine and the John E. DuBois steam engine was pumping water at Hopkins before the afternoon was far spent. The steamer was hauled from DuBois to Reynoldsville with a freight engine in 124 minutes, with W. B. Hoffman, of this place, at the throttle. In the evening the engine was hauled over the country roads by a team of horses to the Brennan camp, in Paradise, where the forest fires had reached over 300,000 feet of logs that had been cut for the Hopkins mill. The DuBois engine done good work at the Brennan camp. The fire was not gotten under control until about 160,000 feet had been burned, which would aggregate a loss of about \$14,000.

It was reported that the Salt Works and Bollinger school houses had both been burned by the raging forest fires, but the report was only half correct. The Bollinger school house was burned but the Salt Works school house was not burned.

Fourth Annual Reunion.

The fourth annual reunion of the West Middle Division of the Jr. O. U. A. M. was held at Brookville last Friday. Between fifteen and twenty Councils attended the reunion. At the business meeting it was decided to hold the next reunion in Reynoldsville, which will be May 17th, 1897. Four prizes were given as follows: First prize was given to Valer Council for having largest attendance, they having a full attendance of their Council; second prize to Deemer Cross Road, for second best attendance; third prize to Plymouth Rock Council, of Horatio, for Council coming greatest distance; fourth prize for Council making best appearance, to New Bethlehem.

Card of Thanks.

We certainly appreciate the kindness shown by our friends and neighbors during the illness and after the death of husband and father, and hereby give expression of our heart-felt gratitude for the same.

MRS. WALTER SPRY AND FAMILY.

Gents, remember that Bell handles the only correct styles to be found in the county.

Fresh pies daily at the Bon Ton.

Ubiquitous "Masher."

"A Masher!" Ah, Yes! Did you ever stop and watch the actions of a "Smart Alexander Masher" as he strikes an attitude on a railroad platform, in front of a hotel, or on a street corner and tries to catch the eyes of the damsels that pass within range of his bewitching eyes? It is disgusting in the extreme to watch such silly fools, for a young man who has a small amount of common sense will not make such a show of himself. Several evenings ago the editor of THE STAR was sitting in front of one of the leading hotels of Reynoldsville waiting to see a gentleman and soon noticed two "Smart Alecks" sitting on chairs on the outer edge of the sidewalk with their faces towards the hotel talking, who posed as first-class fools. One of these chaps would begin to stare at every lady that came along and by the time she would get opposite him, if he succeeded in getting her to look at him, he would roll his eyes up like a dying calf. To the credit of the ladies who passed during the twenty minutes we watched the "would-be-mashers," they all ignored the insignificant puppies as if they were bumps on logs. In many instances females are to blame for this kind of an exhibition of lack of common sense, for they encourage it by returning the flirtation. It is not a credit to a young lady to indulge in flirtation with any man, more especially with strangers. The girl who does it, though she may be as pure and virtuous as it is possible to be, yet by the act of flirtation she throws out the impression that she is not virtuous, and by a short continuance of that kind of sport many a young lady gets an unenviable reputation. She is classed among those that are not what they ought to be. Some person should invent some kind of an infernal machine that a lady could carry in her pocket and when insulted by one of the fat fools, lean fools, or well dressed fools that are found in every town, she could throw the machine at him and let it give him such an everlasting shaking up that he would come to his senses and ever afterwards mind his own business.

S. B. Elliott will Resign.

S. B. Elliott, who has been general manager of the B., L. & Y. C. M. Co. a dozen years, will tender his resignation to the new owners of the coal works, over which he has been general manager, in a very short time. Mr. Elliott has not taken a vacation from his labor in the past 24 years only when there was sickness in his family or when he was sick himself, and now at the age of sixty-five years he feels happy to be relieved of the responsibilities that have rested upon him so long. He has decided to remain in Reynoldsville, and while he does not expect to idle his time away, yet he expects to spend it as seemeth best to him. He has had several patentable devices in mind sometime, but has never had time to experiment with them and it is probable he will devote some time in getting these in shape.

It is not positively known who will succeed Mr. Elliott, but there seems to be good reasons to believe that L. W. Robinson, of Punxsutawney, present general manager of the R. & P. C. & I. Co. will be made general manager of the immense coal field now under the control of the R. & P. C. & I. Co.

A few years ago when the B., L. & Y. C. M. Co. had control of the B., R. & P. R'y and R. & P. C. & I. Co. a telephone was put up from General Manager Elliott's office in this place to connect with the R. & P. C. & I. Co. office at Punxsutawney and Mr. Elliott used the telephone to conduct the business at Punxsy, but after the B., L. & Y. Co. lost control of the railroad and R. & P. C. & I. Co. mines the telephone was abandoned. This same telephone is being repaired this week and it is supposed Mr. Robinson will have his general office at Punxsy and use the telephone to issue orders for the Reynoldsville region.

Church Notices.

Under this heading will be found the subjects and texts of the pastors of the various churches of Reynoldsville for the following Sunday:

TRINITY LUTHERAN.
Rev. P. W. Metzenthin, pastor. (Whitsunday). Morning: Service and communion in the German language. Evening: Special service by Sunday school.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Rev. H. R. Johnson, pastor. Morning: "The Armies of the Living God." 1 Sam. 17: 26. Evening: "Heedfulness." Heb. 2: 1.

Memorial Services.
There will be Memorial services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday, May 24th, at 11:00 A. M. All old soldiers, Sons of Veterans and Women's Relief Corps are requested to meet in the G. A. R. hall at 10:00 A. M. on that day.
COMMITTEE.

Perfect Headache Powders are the best in the market. Try them. For sale at the Reynolds Drug Store.

Go to the Bon Ton for your baking supplies.

Aunt Betsey shoes, comfort, for \$1.00 at Robinson's.

Sweaters, at Millirens, only 20c.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Glimpses of the People who are Passing To and Fro.

David Wheeler is in Pittsburg this week.

Mrs. A. B. Weed spent Sunday in Pittsburg.

Ed. O'Riley and wife spent Sunday in DuBois.

J. C. Swartz, of Pittsburg, is visiting in this place.

J. Van Reed had business at Dents Run last week.

Mrs. Martin Meeker visited in Brookville this week.

Mrs. Alex. Riston and son, Paul, are visiting in Erie.

Mrs. Chas. Witter, of Keating, is visiting in this place.

R. B. Taylor, of Butler, was in Reynoldsville Saturday.

Mrs. A. R. Schuckers is visiting in Brookville this week.

Will G. Kline and wife, of DuBois, spent Sunday in this place.

Mrs. S. T. Reynolds went to Corsica to-day to attend a wedding.

Dr. B. E. Hoover spent Sunday with his parents at Winslow, Pa.

Walter Henry, of the Clarion Normal, spent Sunday in Reynoldsville.

Misses Maggie Schultze and Jessie Barkley spent Sunday in DuBois.

Harry McKee, of Corsica, is visiting his brother, R. E. McKee, in this place.

Harold Arnold went to Pittsburg yesterday morning to visit a short time.

Congressman W. C. Arnold, of DuBois, was in Reynoldsville last Thursday.

Everett Moore, of Corsica, is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. H. Moore, in this place.

Mrs. David Eason, of Brookville, spent Sunday with her son, Ward Eason, in this place.

Rev. Noble, of Punxsutawney, spent Sunday in this place with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Harriet Repsher.

Rev. Paul Metzenthin is holding services in the Lutheran church at Emerickville every evening this week.

Elijah Trudgen and wife, of Brookwayville, are in Reynoldsville this week, called here by the death of Walter Spry.

Mrs. Joseph Shaffer and Miss Ethel were in DuBois last week attending the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society convention.

Miss Lulu Black, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Hammond, went to her home at Irvona, Pa., last Thursday.

Mrs. Polly Trudgen, of Canton, Ill., will arrive in Reynoldsville on the 1:00 P. M. train to-day to attend the funeral of Walter Spry.

Jim Hoffman, who has been at Ammondale, Md., about a year, has been circulating among Reynoldsville friends during the past week.

James Marsh and Chas. Montgomery, of Sligo, conductor and engineer on the Sligo Branch of the A. V. R'y were in Reynoldsville Monday.

John W. Phillippi, the hustling machine agent of Sykesville, was in Reynoldsville Monday on his way on a business trip through Butler county.

James M. Lord and R. E. Koehler, foreman of THE STAR office, rode to Oak Ridge and Clarion last Saturday on their bicycles and returned Monday.

James Orr is in Pittsburg this week attending the 73rd annual session of the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania as a delegate from the Reynoldsville I. O. O. F. lodge.

Harry L. Schlabig, who has been sojourning in the south and spending some time in Reynoldsville during the past three months, went to Buffalo, N. Y., last Friday.

P. T. Walsh and wife were called to Butler Co., near Millerstown, last week by the death of Mrs. Walsh's father, Thomas Glenn, who died on Friday and was buried Sunday.

Ascension Day, the last of the church festivals in the life of Christ, was observed with appropriate services in the Trinity Lutheran church at this place last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bell were at Dixonville, Indiana county, last week attending the wedding of Mrs. Bell's brother, John Simpson, who was married to Miss Flora Edwards.

Mrs. Fred Schurig is in Pittsburg this week attending the sixth annual Grand Assembly of the Daughters of Rebekah as a delegate from Lady Winslow Degree Lodge of Reynoldsville.

Rev. A. A. Bird, of Wilcox, Pa., preached in the Presbyterian church at this place last Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Bird is a candidate for a call to become pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place.

Card of Thanks.

We appreciate the kindness shown during the short illness and after the death of mother, and hereby extend our heart-felt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness.

AARON WELSH AND DAUGHTER.

Style, fit and prices right at Robinson's shoe store.

Fresh pies daily at the Bon Ton.

Before you buy a suit see Millirens.