

FLOUR FROM SWEET POTATOES.

Wheat and other grains are likely to have more or less of a rival in the sweet potato. A patent has been issued for a process of treating sweet potatoes for making flour...

THE STAR.

Beside the eternal sea one night I slept; Duet soft and faint I dreamed a broke, While angry storm winds down the black west sweep...

SLEEPING ON THE ROOFS.

Getting Up at Early Dawn—The Doctors at Night—Easy Life. If I were one of those who tell society what society is doing I should write not that everybody is out of New York city, but that everybody is out on the roof...

LIFE SAVING SERVICE.

HOW THE CREWS OF WRECKED VESSELS ARE AIDED.

Organization of the Service—Buildings, Life Saving Apparatus—The Life Boat. The breeches buoy—The Life Car—Rescue of Passengers.

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Railroads.

Table of railroad schedules including Bald Eagle Valley R.R., Westward and Eastward routes, and timetables for various lines like Lehigh Valley and Erie.

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R.R. Time Table in effect May 25.

Table of railroad schedules for Bellefonte & Snow Shoe R.R., including Westward and Eastward routes.

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A parsimonious individual went into a drug store the other day to have a prescription put up. "Be sure that you give me generous measure," said he to the druggist, fearful he might not get his money's worth.

Wanted Generous Men.

A little girl who had been told that when it was thundering it was God talking, was out on the lawn one day not long ago playing with her dolls.