

**The Somerset County Star.**

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ices, 10 cents a line for first insertion; 5 cents  
a line for each additional insertion. To regular  
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No business local will be mixed in with local  
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persons of this paper but non-patrons will be  
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**NOTICES FOR DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS** will be  
made known on application.

No free advertising will be given to anything  
of a money-making character. Nothing will be  
advertised gratis in this paper, except free lec-  
tures, free sermons and all such things as are  
free to the public.

All advertisements will be run and charged for  
until ordered discontinued.

No advertisement will be taken for less than  
25 cents.

**JOB PRINTING.**—The Star office has  
first-class job printing equipment, turns out all  
its work in the best style of the art, and at very  
reasonable prices. The Star does all kinds of  
commercial work, poster and bill printing, and  
on fact nearly every kind of printing belonging  
to the art. All job orders, whether by mail or  
otherwise, receive prompt attention.

**HOW TO REMIT.**—Remit by postoffice  
money order, registered letter, or bank draft.  
Otherwise remittances will be at sender's risk.  
Never send your personal check, if your resi-  
dence is far away from here. Make all drafts,  
orders, etc., payable to P. L. Livengood.

**BUSINESS MENTION, WANTS AND  
Announcements.**

Weston & McDannell, the Photographers  
of Bedford, have opened a gallery in  
Meyersdale, on Center street, opposite  
the Slicer house, where they are prepared  
to make any desired style and size of  
Photographs, Crayons, etc., and finish  
them in the most artistic manner. Re-  
member the place—Center street, oppo-  
site the Slicer house. 1-7.

**For Sale!**

I hereby offer for sale, on easy terms,  
the brick hotel property at the north end  
of Grant street, Salisbury, Pa., adjoining  
the residence property of Mrs. J. W.  
Beauchy. There is 24 acres of ground  
with this property, all of which is offered  
for sale with the buildings, or will sell  
only part of the ground, as the purchaser  
prefers. The house has thirteen rooms,  
and there is also a stable, ice house and  
other out buildings on the lot. Stable  
has room for about twelve horses. For  
further particulars apply to S. J. Lichty,  
Elk Lick, Pa.

**Coin Envelopes for sale at THE STAR  
office. Just the thing for Sunday schools  
and churches.**

**Notice of Dissolution.**

Notice is hereby given that the partner-  
ship lately existing between H. A. Reitz  
and J. J. Reitz, known as the H. A. Reitz  
Milling Company, was dissolved by mutual  
consent on January 1st, 1892. All  
debts owing to the said firm are to be  
paid or settled promptly with H. A. Reitz,  
and all demands on the said firm shall be  
presented to him for payment, at the  
mill, at West Salisbury, Pa., where he  
will continue the milling, feed and grain  
business.  
Jan. 1st, 1892. H. A. REITZ,  
J. J. REITZ,  
Elk Lick, Somerset Co., Pa.

**BEATTY'S PIANOS AND ORGANS.**

Hon. Daniel F. Beatty, the great Organ and  
Piano manufacturer, is building and shipping  
more Organs and Pianos than ever. In 1870 Mr.  
Beatty left home a penniless plow-boy, and by  
his indomitable will he has worked his way up  
so as to sell so far, nearly 100,000 of Beatty's Or-  
gans and Pianos since 1870. Nothing seems to  
discourage him; obstacles laid in his way, that  
would have wrecked any ordinary man forever,  
he turns to an advertisement and comes out of it  
brighter than ever. His instruments, as is well  
known, are very popular and are to be found in  
all parts of the world. We are informed that  
during the next ten years he intends to sell  
\$20,000,000 more of his make, that means a business  
of \$20,000,000 if we average them at \$100 each.  
It is already the largest business of the kind in  
existence—Send to Daniel F. Beatty, Washing-  
ton, New Jersey, for Catalogue.

**Judgment Notes for sale at THE STAR  
office.**

Old papers for sale at this office at 25  
cents a hundred over 5 cents per dozen.  
They make good wrapping paper, also  
good carriage paper for the miners.  
They are also good to put under carpet,  
on pantry shelves, etc.

**If you want superior Photographs of  
yourself or children, call on Weston &  
McDannell, Meyersdale, Pa., Center  
street, opposite the Slicer house. 1-7.**

**Weston & McDannell, the Photographers  
of Meyersdale, as well as making the  
finest Photographs in Somerset county,  
also enlarge pictures to any desired size  
and keep a first-class line of Picture  
Frames on hand. Give them a call,  
Center street, Meyersdale, Pa. 1-7.**

**Fancy colored Tissue Paper for sale at  
THE STAR office. Just the thing for la-  
dies' fancy work.**

If no sale for apples, why not have  
them worked into Applebutter and Jelly.  
at Reitz's factory, and keep them from  
wasting? It is not likely that there will  
be much of an apple crop the coming  
season.

There is nothing reasonable under the  
sun that any man wants to know that  
cannot be found in the columns of THE  
PITTSBURGH DAILY TIMES, which we will  
send with THE STAR for \$3.50 per year.

**Induce your friends to subscribe for  
THE STAR.**

**WE BEG YOU TO READ THIS.**

**It Will Give You an Idea Worth Follow-  
ing Up.**

Just think of it! A 12-page weekly paper,  
consisting of 96 columns of reading matter, for \$1.25  
a year; or in clubs of five or more \$1 a year.  
The best of reading matter, too, such as the  
freshness news of the hour, stories, miscellany,  
correspondence from all parts of the world, fash-  
ion articles, children's department, complete  
market reports, and an agricultural department  
for which every line is written by one of the  
leading, practical farmers of the United States, a  
native and resident of Ohio. Is it possible, we  
hear some one inquire, that a paper of this char-  
acter can be gotten for the price quoted? It is  
indeed possible, as many thousands of its read-  
ers are prepared to testify. And this paper is  
THE PITTSBURGH WEEKLY POST. Everybody  
knows THE POST as the leading—in fact, the only  
—metropolitan Democratic daily and a weekly  
newspaper of Western Pennsylvania and East-  
ern Ohio. THE WEEKLY POST, as well as the  
daily, has a constituency that reaches from the  
eastern slope of the Allegheny mountains to the  
western border of Ohio, with a host of subscrib-  
ers in West Virginia besides. If you wish to ob-  
tain a really great paper, one that will meet every  
want, you cannot afford to do without THE POST.  
Send for a free sample copy and see for yourself  
the kind of weekly newspaper visitor you can  
get as low as \$1 a year if you are willing to get  
four of your neighbors to club with you.

Next year the presidential campaign will be  
fought, and the great question of tariff reform  
will be debated from every stump in the nation.  
Everybody who is anybody, and desires to keep  
posted on the developments of every week, and  
know what is going on, will of course have to  
have his weekly paper, if he should not feel able  
to take a daily. There will be a good many  
newspapers pressed upon your attention, but if  
you have not seen THE PITTSBURGH WEEKLY POST  
you do not want to subscribe for any of them  
until you have read and examined a copy of  
it. We know what we are talking about, and  
if you want a Democratic paper you will not regret  
taking our advice in this matter. "A word to  
the wise is sufficient."

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

**FROM D. F. COLEMAN.**

**Dan Compliments "The Star" and Gives  
Some Wholesome Advice to the Peo-  
ple of Salisbury and Vicinity.**

DEAR EDITOR:—We have the honor to  
acknowledge the receipt of No. 3 of  
"THE SOMERSET COUNTY STAR," and hope  
we may never fail to get all other num-  
bers, previous and subsequent. That we  
were surprised may be imagined. Ain't  
it a hummer for news? and published in  
Salisbury as well! Surely the old burg  
has drawn a prize beyond its most san-  
guine expectancy, if not in excess of its  
merit. This latter statement remains to  
be proven. With united effort in indi-  
vidual support, the people of Elk Lick  
can hold it to its brilliancy. If educated  
to grasp every opportunity for the further-  
ance of a communities best interests, its  
citizenship will deny themselves anything  
else before falling to support their local  
paper. No difference how many County,  
City or Literary publications they may  
take, it is a duty to take the local paper.  
It is an especial effort in your behalf.  
You means every man and family in a  
circle of ten miles. The people to their  
duty, it must be a source of pleasure to  
the manager to cause THE STAR yet more  
to scintillate.

**Complains of Bad Treatment at the Slicer  
House, in Meyersdale.**

The following was handed to us for publi-  
cation by P. S. Keim. We will publish it without  
comment, as we have heard but one side of the  
case:

On the evening of Jan. 2nd, 1892, three  
couples from this place went to Meyers-  
dale, Pa., to attend a lecture delivered by  
Byron W. King. Our driver took us to  
Mr. Nat Slicer's hotel, where we alighted  
and went into his sitting room, where we  
staid a few minutes and then went to the  
lecture. After the lecture we returned  
to the aforesaid hotel, where we expected  
to wait until our driver brought the team  
around to take us home. Before we re-  
turned to the hotel, however, the sitting  
room was darkened, so we went into the  
Parlor, which was heated and lighted,  
and it was indeed a cozy place to get in-  
to after being out in the storm.

We were busily engaged in a chat with  
two prominent professors of this county,  
who were boarding at that house during  
the institute held in that city, when we  
heard the rough and surly voice of Mr.  
Slicer. It was an invitation for us to get  
out of his house, and before we could  
catch the full meaning of it, he repeated  
the invitation in a more harsh voice than  
before.

We can not account for his meanness  
and did not pay him for the use of his  
Parlor, as we had intended to do. Now,  
if this is the way whisky license enables  
a man to accommodate the public, we  
think we would be better without license.  
P. S. KEIM.

Another: Prof. J. D. Meese proposed  
to Salisbury a permanent school. Fail-  
ing to secure that encouragement thought  
sufficient, he offered to the Dale; his plan  
was considered, approved and backed up  
by a liberal patronage of pupils, who at  
that time were full as well taught in the  
common schools as they could be by him.  
But the spirit of the age was in the peo-  
ple—that of helping themselves by build-  
ing up a market of demand, while by  
their actions the people of Salisbury cre-  
ated a market of supply. The Gods help  
those alone who help themselves.

Salisbury has the mines, coal and iron,  
agriculture, timber, oil, gas and fire clay,  
beside A 1 clay for pottery and brick.  
Stone on stone, a perfect arch in strength  
of resource, enough to support a city and  
give work to twenty thousand men for  
ages. No place so bright in prospect of  
being ere long the first town of the coun-  
ty, if the people but use their opportuni-  
ties (the prism of these THE STAR) to  
their aid and its advantage.

We had intended saying a word of our  
prospects for the year '92," as a city and  
as a people, also of the G. A. R. encamp-  
ment, but space and time forbids. Indi-  
vidually we are doing well and cannot  
help but ask all who expect ever to be  
"in it" to give THE STAR a boom. Work  
for it, till its coruscations penetrate every  
home in a circle of a score of miles.  
Jan. 2, 1892. D. F. COLEMAN.

**Grantville, Md.**

Mr. Editor:—Thinking that a few  
items from your old birthplace might be  
acceptable to your readers, and being de-  
sireous of saying a word of praise for your  
excellent paper, we take this method of  
so doing.

THE STAR is our nearest paper and  
promises to be one of the best from either  
far or near, and should be well patronized  
by the citizens of this burg, especially by  
those who remember "Pete" when he  
couldn't say "Sensible Jamie."

A. L. Gnagey returned Thursday last  
from Baltimore, being accompanied on  
his return by Jonas Harsharger, who  
has spent the past few months in that  
city.

Senator Getty left last week for Anap-  
olis, and Hon. Thos. H. Bittinger left on  
Sunday for the same "seat of war."

The present cold snap was heartily  
welcomed by all, especially by those who  
are caring for our sick.

Mr. Amos Kurtz, of Somerset, Pa.,  
passed through here, Saturday, enroute  
for your town to attend the funeral of  
his uncle, Philip Wagner. His sister,  
Miss Lou Kurtz, of this place, accompa-  
nied him from here.

Prof. Teats and Charlie Beachy, both  
of this place, are paying a visit to rela-  
tives and friends in Oakland.

Friends here are glad to learn of the  
safe landing in California of Jonas E.  
Gnagey and daughter Cora. Miss Cora,  
we believe, intends to remain, but we ex-  
pect to soon welcome "Peanut" home  
again.

Mr. Upton White, manager of the  
Standard Extract works, at West Salis-  
bury, was registered at the National house  
on Monday. ALGERNON.  
Jan. 5th, 1892.

**Wants a Change of Name and Suggests  
"Star City."**

EDITOR STAR:—I see in your last issue  
a suggestion from Mr. H. A. Reitz to have  
the bunglesome names changed that we  
have to contend with, and have our town,  
postoffice, telegraph office and railroad  
station all to be known by the same name.  
I say yes, but I don't quite understand  
him. He says, "How will Royal strike  
you all?" Does he mean "Royal" and  
nothing else?

I say call it "Star City." How will  
that strike you all? I think it would suit  
right well, for I hear everybody talking  
good about THE STAR, and if we give it  
that name we will not need any electric  
light on our streets. That name and THE  
SOMERSET COUNTY STAR will light her up.  
Some one else speak out and let us have  
a change. R. S. JOHNS.

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SALISBURY, PA.

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tenders his professional services to the citizens  
of Salisbury and vicinity.  
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Penna.

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dispatch. Give me your patronage, and I will  
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dations first-class and rates reasonable. The pa-  
tronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

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you if you give us your work.

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Groceries, Candles, Nuts, Crackers, choice Cigars  
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and other things in the grocery line, is at M. H.  
Wagner's grocery. Yours for bargains,  
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meat always on hand.

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at SALISBURY, PA., have always on hand all  
kinds of Burial Cases, Robes, Shrouds and all  
kinds of goods belonging to the business. Also  
have  
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and all funerals entrusted to us will receive  
prompt attention  
WE MAKE EMBALMING A SPECIALTY.

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**TEACH YOUR CHILDREN  
\$3000 A YEAR**

Have you written  
me yet? If you  
have not, wisdom  
and intelligent  
ambition suggest  
you do so to-day.  
I promise you my  
method is a grand  
attention. I un-  
derstand to teach  
teach any fifty  
intelligent persons  
of either sex, who  
can read and  
write, and who  
after instruction,  
will work, learn  
and employ, how to  
earn Three Thousand  
Dollars a year in their own  
localities, where-  
ever they live. It  
will also furnish  
the situation of  
employment, as I  
charge nothing  
and receive satis-  
factory results.  
I have  
acquired much  
that I desire but  
was unable to  
acquire in my  
country. I have  
widely taught and  
provided with em-  
ployment for a large  
number who are  
making over Three Thousand Dollars a year.  
I will send you  
full particulars free. After you know all, if you  
desire to go on further, why, so have it done. Address  
E. C. ALLEN, Box 430, Augusta, Maine.

**R. B. Sheppard,  
Barber and Hair Dresser.**

All kinds of work in my line done in an ex-  
pert manner.  
My hair tonic is the best on earth—keeps the  
scalp clean and healthy.  
I respectfully solicit your patronage.

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particulars, catalogue address Daniel  
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persons because harmless and unlike any others  
which are narcotic, to be avoided. Do not  
accept a substitute. If your druggist does  
not sell them send 10c. or 25c. in  
stamps to F. G. STEWART & Co.,  
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For sale by J. L. Barchus, Salisbury, Pa.

**A. L. GNAGEY,  
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**Gen'l Merchandise,**

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sells goods for cash only, and pays cash for all kinds  
of country produce.

**Good Goods! Great Bargains!**

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**I am Waiting for You**

to show you my stock and let you know how cheap I sell my  
goods. You'll find my prices very low.

**My Goods Talk.**

My Prices Please.

Don't Miss This Chance.

Plump value for your money, for I am going to reduce my  
stock to make room for spring goods.

For the next 30 days I will sell my Dress Goods, Ging-  
hams, Calicos, Muslins, Flannels, Pant Goods, Clothing, Boots  
and Shoes, Children's and Misses' Lined Overshoes, Hats and  
Caps, Ladies' and Children's Hoods, Toboggans, Gloves, La-  
dies', Gents' and Children's Underwear

**Very Low.**

I have a nice line of Gents' Hand-made Latrobe Boots and  
Shoes, also Ladies' Carlisle Shoes. Please give me a call  
and be convinced that I deal fairly and save you dollars. Re-  
spectfully yours,

**Geo. K. Walker, Salisbury, Penna.**

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etons, Spring Wagons,  
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your old buggies, carriages, etc., and have them painted and made to look as well as new. Don't  
drive your faded and weather-worn vehicles, when you can have them painted at a small cost.  
Give us your trade. We guarantee to please you in both workmanship and prices. Thanking  
you for past patronage, and soliciting a continuance of the same, we are very respectfully

**Jer. J. Livengood & Son, Salisbury, Elk Lick P. O., Pa.**

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**The Star.**