

The Somerset County Star.

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The Salisbury Hack Line.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

If you defraud the printer man,
And cheat him every time you can,
After death you'll know no bliss,
But
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 like
But if you pay him all his dues,
For giving you the latest news,
That peaceful shore you'll hardly miss,
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 up
But
Most of our Western visitors have returned home.
Richard Beachy and wife made a trip to Berlin, this week.
Mining has revived since the G. A. R. encampment is over.
The name of J. D. Hicks will appear on the official ballot.
W. H. Fogle and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a new boy.
J. H. Shearer orders THE STAR sent to his sister, at Tunnelton, Pa.
D. I. Hay is suffering with a very painful boil on one of his hands.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Farmer, of Rockwood, visited in this burg last Sunday.
Mrs. D. I. Hay has been very ill for some time, but is now improving.
John A. Lichty has entered the Medical department of the University of Pa.
Ground is broken on the Davis lots, in the Stutzman addition, for a new house.
C. S. Beal and family were visited by Meyersdale friends during the past week.
The County Commissioners have received the election booths for this county.
Mr. and Mrs. John Gnagey, of Accident, Md., visited relatives in this town, this week.
R. Jeffery and wife were visited this week by a sister of Mrs. Jeffery's, from Johnstown.
C. S. Beal returned home from Bedford, where he had been on business, Wednesday of last week.
Samuel Baker, of Grantsville, has lately been driving a great many sheep through our town.
It takes but from 15 to 20 minutes for the chopper at the Extract works to chew up a cord of wood.
Jonas Bittinger, of Bittinger, Md., was a welcome caller at THE STAR office on Wednesday. Call again.
C. D. Miller, of Meyersdale, had charge of the depot at West Salisbury, last week, during Agent Riley's absence.
Charles Griffith of Meyersdale, who is well known here, has gone to Philadelphia to take medical treatment.
Miss Lydia Meager has gone to Southampton to teach school. She orders THE STAR sent to her address at Wellersburg.
Lots of people from here took in Forepaugh's show at Cumberland. The Pittsburgh excursions are also well patronized.
Geo. K. Walker has a new "ad" in this issue, which everybody should read. His stock of boots and shoes is immense.
Wm. H. Landis, of Summit township, and Miss Mollie Miller, of Garrett county, Md., were united in marriage, Sept. 25th.
Mrs. Eva Williams and son Walter returned last week from Berkley Springs, where they had been for a couple of weeks.
Geo. Garlitz, of Indiana, arrived in town a few days ago to visit S. Koontz and family. He is a brother of Mrs. Koontz.
A. O. McKinley orders THE STAR sent to his address in Baltimore, where he is now attending the medical college of that city.
Geo. Heilman, son of the well-known Rev. C. U. Heilman, has been circulating among Salisbury friends during the past week.
Will Keim was at home on a visit last week, but has returned to Pittsburgh again. His numerous friends here were all glad to see him.
The young Republicans of Meyersdale have organized a club. We expect to organize here, too, before another week rolls around.
Two bunco men last week tried to swindle Messrs. Phillip and John G. Hay, of Brothersvalley. They failed to succeed, however.
Don't fail to examine all those articles of merchandise, illustrations of which appear on our supplement. Read all about the tariff tax on them.
A recent attempt was made to rob the Oakland depot, but after shooting at the night operator, the would-be robbers became alarmed and fled.

Read Beachy Bros.' new "ad" in this issue. They always have big bargains for their customers and are not afraid to let the people know it.
There will be a grand ball, in Lowry's hall, on the evening of Oct. 21st. This promises to be one of the best balls of the season. See bills, later.
Happy and content is a home with "The Rochester," a lamp with the light of the morning. For catalogue, write Rochester Lamp Co., New York. 1-22
The Cooley gang is at last at an end. Frank Cooley has been shot and Ramsey has been captured. They were betrayed by a man named Yeager, one of their gang.
W. S. Lichty, of Carleton, Neb., but formerly of this place, is reported to have gone to Colorado to look up a location. We don't blame you, W. S., for better places than Carleton are very numerous.
A. F. John last week took thirteen German citizens to Somerset to take out their final naturalization papers. They are all residents of Meyersdale and Summit and can vote at the coming election.
One night last week a derelict car crashed into J. J. Hohlitzell's store front at Keystone Junction, which made more trouble than the bull in the china shop. It demolished merchandise in great shape.
If you have chapped hands, face, or rough or red skin, from any cause, use Stewart's Almond Cream. It will please you and bring quick relief. Only 10 and 25 cents a bottle. Sold by J. L. Barchus, If.
Mr. Buchanan, of the Extract works, has our thanks for courtesies shown us while on a visit to the works this week in company with some Western friends. All were much delighted with what they saw.
Mr. A. L. G. Hay was last week admitted to the Somerset bar, after passing a very creditable examination. Mr. Hay is an Elk Lick boy that we all feel proud of, and we feel sure that he will have success in his profession.
Without a farewell word in his paper, the editor of the Carleton (Neb.) Reporter left the town to become a resident of Hastings. The paper is now edited by W. D. Jones. We wish him success and believe he will grow rich in Carleton—in experience.
Urias Newman is said to have raised 24 bushels of potatoes on 1/4 acre of ground. Not so slow for Urias. It is also reported that Alex. Speicher has cut his corn with a mower and will husk it with a reaper. Those St. Paul fellows are getting to be real enterprising.
The Friendsville News Budget is the latest candidate for public patronage that comes to our exchange table. It is a 5-column folio, published semi-monthly, Republican in politics, and edited by N. M. Greeley. THE STAR wishes the News Budget a long and useful life.
On Friday of last week Miss Annie Haselbarth, in company with her cousin, Miss Martha Wilhelm, arrived here after spending a visit of a few weeks with friends at Washington, D. C. Miss Wilhelm is now enjoying her welcome with the family of C. R. Haselbarth.
John Yost, an enterprising business man of Roanoke, Va., was in town last week and from here went to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Yost, of Garrett Co., Md. He went to Virginia again this week, and was accompanied to the train by his father. Roanoke suits John to a "T".
We are informed that Rev. Kribbs tendered his resignation, last Sunday, as Pastor of the Lutheran church at this place, the resignation to take effect in a few months from now. Salisbury can not spare Mr. Kribbs and we hope he will reconsider the matter and remain with us.
S. S. Folk is blessed with the best dog on this side Jordan; he has sold the dog no less than five times for no small amount; the dog will stay with his new master for a few days when he will again return to his old owner and wag his tail as much as to say "sell me again."—W. Salisbury item in Commercial.
The Cumberland News publishes the names of daily arrivals at the different hotels in that city, and we notice that the American Hotel always has the longest list. Why is this? It is because the American is the most popular in the city and that mine host Switzer and his affable clerk are attentive to their guests.—Elkins (W. Va.) Inter-Mountain.
A proposition has been made to the Elk Lick Oil Co., by a Pittsburg man, that may result in the completion of the well. The offer is to buy all the equipments of the well and pay the company's debts, on condition that the company surrenders its franchise, leases, etc., to the party making this proposition. What will be done in the matter remains to be seen.
The chestnut crop is small this year. Even Electric Road "chestnuts" are rather scarce, notwithstanding the fact that Lou Smith was going to have the said road built before snow flies. A little snow was flying on Wednesday, but yet we have no electric road. The product of the Commercial's gas factory can neither build electric roads nor put water into Sand Spring.
Married, Thursday evening, Oct. 6th, at the bride's home, Mr. Louis Keim and Miss Alice Hay. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. C. T. Hay, and the groom a son of Mrs. S. C. Keim. Both have numerous admiring friends in this vicinity, who join THE STAR in wish-

ing them a pleasant future. The wedding was a private one. Rev. Kribbs performed the ceremony.
Last week one August Reibe, a traveling harness maker, committed suicide at Jacob Y. Yoder's, near Summit Mills. He took a shot gun from the house, placed the end of it in his mouth and fired. He was killed instantly. What caused him to commit the deed is not known, but it is supposed that he was crazed from drinking. Mr. Reibe used to work in Meyersdale, for the Farmers' Hardware Association.
Wednesday evening, at Garrett, a crowd of us waiting for the train to start, went over to Jonathan Lape's garden and saw cucumbers from 4 to 6 ft. long, hanging to vines that were supported by the branches of an apple tree. They were stunnors. We did not learn the name of the variety, but were told they were just as good as the smaller varieties for slicing for the table and for pickling.—Berlin Record.
Wm. Saylor's barn, near Meyersdale, was totally destroyed by fire a few days ago. A steam thrasher engine was doing service at the barn at the time, and having no spark catcher, sparks set fire to a straw stack, from which the flames soon reached the building. All the farm machinery and implements stored therein were saved, but the hay, grain, etc., were consumed. The barn and contents were well insured.
As a marksman, Geo. Collins, the Boynton champion, is great. But he has already lost his championship of this vicinity, and it once more rests where it justly belongs, which is with the Grand Mogul of THE STAR. Georgie, whenever it comes to a rifle contest, you are not "in it" with THE STAR. Didn't we tell you we'd beat you? Go out in the woods and practice up a while before you go into another contest with Pete Livengood.
S. C. Broadwater, of Garrett county, Md., called at THE STAR office this week to get sale bills printed and lay in a supply of notes for the sale. Mr. Broadwater has the largest property list of any we ever printed sale bills for, and it goes without saying that his sale will be largely attended. It will take place on Nov. 3d, and the farm will be rented. Mr. Broadwater informs us that his mother will move to Salisbury, while he will go to Florida to see the country, and if he likes it there, will move there. Garrett county will lose a good family if Mr. Broadwater moves out of the county.
W. Wharton Fisher, Henry W. Watson, Harry Warrell and Upton H. White were guests at the Valley house, this week. These gentlemen are all connected with the Standard Extract Co. and are ever welcome guests in our town. Mr. Fisher is the President of the company, and we are under obligations to Mr. White for an introduction to him. Messrs. Watson and Warrell, we understand, also hold high positions in the company, but we failed to get acquainted with them or learn just what offices they hold. The entire party drove overland from Oakland and spent some time hunting in the mountains.
A Very Pleasant Trip.
The Citizens' cornet band returned from their trip to Salisbury and Meyersdale, Pa., on last Saturday afternoon, and a better pleased set of men it would be hard to find. Besides enjoying the drive over the picturesque mountains, the boys are more than pleased with the manner in which they were entertained by their friends of the Keystone state, and are loud in their praise of hospitality of the people there. They were entertained by the K. of L. Assembly and the Salisbury band and were quartered at the hospitable hotel of C. T. Hay. This hotel is first-class in every respect and the members of the band feel very grateful to the proprietors for many favors extended during their stay there. On Friday the band was driven to Meyersdale, where they were well received and treated with the same courtesy as at Salisbury. The Salisbury band accompanied them. It must be said for the Citizens' band that they were much admired for their musical abilities, fine appearance and gentlemanly conduct. To the K. of L. Assembly and the Salisbury band they extend their heartfelt thanks for the pleasant time shown them during their visit to Salisbury, and will at some future time return the compliment.—Lonaconing Review.
Of Interest to Constables.
We do not know that all the constables within the county are aware of the fact, that it is their duty, under the law, to see that all Canada thistles, in the district over which their authority extends, are cut in time to prevent them going to seed. We do know, however, that there are plenty of places within the county in which this great pest is allowed to grow without any attempt to check its spreading, and that constables must be neglecting their duties in this matter, in many instances, or some attempt at least, would be made to prevent them from polluting the whole section. If these officials will look up the law, they will discover that, in every district in which these thistles grow, they, as well as the owner of the land, are liable to severe penalties for failing to comply with the requirements of the act, which makes it their duty to notify land owners by printed posters, put up in prominent places, that these thistles must be cut, and if not, they would proceed at once with the law to see that they are.—Somerset Democrat.

EDITORIAL REMARKS.

NO CORBETT is not running for the Presidency, but readers of our big newspapers are excusable for supposing that he is.
If Bismark will come to the World's Fair he will be given a welcome that will keep the Kaiser awake a good many nights.
If \$22 a day for a carriage is a fair sample of Chicago prices during the World's Fair, only millionaires can afford to attend.
THE announcement is made that the Sultan of Johore will visit the World's Fair. Who in blazes is the Sultan of Johore, anyway?
NEW YORK CITY is nothing if not commercial. Having succeeded in keeping the cholera out it is now getting ready to "kick" about the expense.
SHERMAN HOAR has announced his permanent retirement from politics. 'Tis well; there is no place in politics for the well who cries when his candidate is defeated.
REV. DR. PARKHURST, who has just returned from Europe, cast a gloom over New York's "fast" set by expressing the opinion that Paris was more immoral than the American metropolis.
GENERAL WEAVER's statement that there is no free speech in the South is a very serious one. It is either true or untrue. If true, something ought to be done to correct the evil; if untrue, Weaver should apologize. But it is true.
SECRETARY RUSE's official proclamation declaring the United States to be free from the dreaded cattle disease, pleuro-pneumonia, is not racy reading, but it is nevertheless pleasing to beef-raisers at home and beef-eaters at home and abroad.
THE campaign may be considered fully opened, that the National committees have begun to accuse each other of preparing to buy votes. It is not a pleasing admission, but it may be set down as true, that a man who has a vote to sell never has much trouble to find a purchaser.
To listen to the opinions advanced by some people there is nothing more at stake in this campaign than the offices. That is, however, not the way the party platforms strike the average reader. Party platforms are often intentionally meaningless, but they are after all the official declarations of their party's intentions, and being such it is difficult to see how any man can fail to see very plain issues in this campaign.
THERE have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." These books are given various names, "Webster's Unabridged," "The Great Webster's Dictionary," "Webster's Big Dictionary," "Webster's Encyclopedic Dictionary," etc., etc.
Many announcements concerning them are misleading. The Webster reprint portion of each from A to Z is the same, —forty-four years behind the times, and printed from plates made from photographing the old pages.
The old book has been padded out by various additions culled from various sources, but the body is the same that was published when Polk was president and duly buried at the incoming of Lincoln. The Webster, current from Lincoln to Harrison, is the popular copyrighted "Unabridged" which has just been superseded by Webster's International Dictionary. See advertisement in another column.
THE following is a fair sample of Southern Democratic campaign literature. We take it from the Globe, a paper published at Durham, N. C. by Al Fairbrother, a man who went south from Nebraska, and one of the editors of this paper is personally acquainted with. Read it, old soldiers and Northern people, and see whether you can find anything in it that entitles the Democratic party to Northern votes:
"Some of the Northern papers are howling about the positive fact that Grover Cleveland is a cheap man to represent him when the North pillaged and plundered and burned and ravished the South. There could not be a better recommendation. The scamps at the North who were in the war, went in for \$14 a month, with an explicit understanding that they should and could steal all that was in sight. Grover Cleveland knew that the country would need his services in 1864 and again in 1868, and he did not propose to have his body filled with lead in order to give a Yankee the chance to pick his pocket after he had been killed. He simply did a good business job, as he did when he slapped the dirty beggars, called pensioners, in the face. Why should he be a statesman and a man of his intellect—take the chance of war when he could hire a cheap fellow to represent him? There is no reason. The Globe regards that one of the best things Cleveland ever did. If Cleveland had fought he would have been lowered in the estimation of the South. He did not propose to use his skill in killing the boys of the Southland. This sold South owes a debt of gratitude to Grover Cleveland."
To the Rebel howling of the Durham bull the New York Advertiser (Ind.) adds the following:
"Just so. The solid South owes a debt of gratitude to Grover Cleveland for 'selling' to kill the boys of the Southland," but how about the North? Those "dirty beggars, called pensioners," and their friends do not agree with this howling Durham that hiring a substitute was "one of the best things Cleveland ever did." The brilliant Mr. Fairbrother should profit by the example set him by his friend Cleveland during the war and "go slow."

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I remain your friend,
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