

The Somerset County Star.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

He offered her his heart and hand,
And said her for he'd never part.
He gave her, among presents grand,
A year's subscription to THE STAR—
And that settled it—she was his.
Cleveland is "strictly in it."
A couple inches of snow for Nov. 9th.
Fellow Republicans, "where are we
at?"
Do not be discouraged for Jesus is your
friend.
Everybody seems to like the new way
of voting.
Typhoid fever is raging in Somerset
and vicinity.
THE STAR is very glad that it did not
bet on the election.

The political fiend who says "I told
you so," is on deck, as usual.
Defeated politicians usually die hard,
but not as hard as Lot's wife.
Our little dish of crow is very bitter,
but we guess we'll have to eat it.
The report that Harrison was running
for President is probably untrue.
It is said that the long-cut cigarette of
this world is a short cut to the next.
"Flirting with truth" is a latter day
definition of plain, old-fashioned lying.
There are some poor men who have no
desire to be rich, but they are also liars.
My love is founded upon the "rocks,"
remarked a man who married for riches.
The election being over, silver-tongued
orators and their hearers can take a rest.
Some men wed the leading women of
the community, consequently are always
led.

Samuel Baker, of Grantsville, has pur-
chased the Sam Folt farm for \$5,900,
cash.
Mrs. J. F. Green was sick abed several
days this week, but is again able to be
about.
The defeated candidate usually has a
poor opinion of the judgment of his fel-
low citizens.
There are dark tricks in politics, Gro-
ver, whom we thought dead all over, will
live in clover.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dill, of Meyers-
dale, were the guests of THE STAR fam-
ily, Sunday last.
The Republican party is a lively corpse
yet, and don't you forget it. Just wait
until the next time.
The average Prohibitionist would not
kiss a body, should he meet a body com-
ing through the eye.
The Republican party just let go its
hold to split on its hands. We will get
there next time, sure.

What has struck us, a landslide or a
Hurricane? Guess 'twas Cleveland hur-
ry'n' to the White House.
The report that the Democratic major-
ities have smashed down the telegraph
wires, is doubtless correct.
The man who lost his money is now
thoroughly convinced that it is very
wicked to bet on elections.
"This well," or "is"—a word that rhymes
with "well"—just according to which
side of the fence you belong.
The latest is that Mort Wolfley is go-
ing to start a poultry yard and use the
postoffice boxes for incubators.
Everybody can be thankful for some-
thing; the victors for having won, and

the vanquished that it is no worse.

The woman who wears the trousers is
the one who gets the most new dresses.
This may be strange, but it is true.

The cabinet makers are already hard at
work. They do more work for less pay
than any other men in this country.

A friend in need is sometimes a friend
indeed, but in most cases he is the fellow
who asks you to loan him a quarter.

The man who sits on the fence during
the entire campaign is invariably the
loudest shouter for the ticket elected.

If any old soldier wants a pension, he
had better hustle and get it before "King
Veto" occupies the Presidential chair.

Thanksgiving day comes on the 24th,
but turkeys and Republicans can't see
what in blazes there is to be thankful for.

Happy and content is a home with "The Ro-
chester," a lamp with the light of the morning.
Catalogues, write Rochester Lamp Co., New York.

Steal wagon wheels, with hollow fellos
and spokes, are coming to the front. De-
troit is manufacturing them to a large ex-
tent.

Now that winter is here, you will want
a sleigh. Call on Beachy Bros. and ex-
amine their full line of the best manufac-
tured.

Our patrons will please excuse the de-
lay of this week's STAR. It was caused
by the great shock the election returns
gave us.

Not every man drinks liquor who has
a red nose. Some men's red noses glow
with pride at not being poked into other
people's business.

The jawsmith who had the floor for
weeks will now have to come down to
plebeian work, with his hands, while his
tongue is given a rest.

'Tis better to have voted and lost than
never to have voted, is a paraphrase of an
old maxim which may prove a balm for
some wounded heart.

Persons having received statements of
their indebtedness to THE STAR will oblige
us greatly by making prompt settlements,
as we need the "stuff."

C. T. Hay is already circulating his li-
cense petition and has a large number of
signers. Cal evidently believes that the
early bird catches the worm.

W. T. Backmann's family arrived here
from Philadelphia, last week, and they
now occupy the snug cottage erected by
E. Statler. We welcome them.

The Meyersdale Register makes its ap-
pearance again, this week, after an ab-
sence of two weeks. We missed the Reg-
ister, as it is one of our best exchanges.

Grandmother Nathan, mother of Squire
Nathan, of Grantsville, died last week.
Mrs. Nathan was a very estimable lady
and a life-long member of the Catholic
church.

In our estimation it is more honorable
to share defeat with the Republicans than
victory with the Democrats. But we
will admit that eating "crow" is far from
being pleasant.

C. S. Livengood came home on a visit
last Sunday and returned the same day.
Chris is now working at Dunbar, which
he says is the best town in the country
for blacksmiths.

A. O. McKinley came home from Bal-
timore to vote for Harrison. His car fare
was paid by the Republican State Central
committee. He will now go up Salt Riv-
er at his own expense.

Mrs. Z. W. Miller and daughter, of
Lancaster, were the guests this week of
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jeffery and Mr.
and Mrs. Jesse Jeffery. Mrs. Miller is
Mrs. R. Jeffery's daughter.

The postoffice is already agitating Dem-
ocratic minds. The following persons are
spoken of as candidates for the office:
S. A. Wagner, Evora Smith, C. S. Lich-
liter, P. M. Wahl and others.

"My speech at the meeting last night
was my maiden effort," said the young
orator, proudly. "Yes," cynically replied
his friend: "I noticed it was something of
a miss."—Baltimore American.

Albert D. Beachy, of Chicago, who al-
ways knows a good thing when he sees
it, sent us a telegram on Monday, worded
as follows: "Amen to your mastery talk
and advice in THE STAR to voters."

We are scooped from whereas to amen;
yea, from Dan to Beersheba. It is un-
pleasant for us to mention this, but it is
true, and we are opposed to willfully and
maliciously crushing truth to earth.

Every Democrat in town who wants
the postoffice, will please hold up his
hand.

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.

"It is more blessed to give than to re-
ceive." Therefore, Mr. Cleveland, call
around next March and take the chair,
for Mr. Harrison is a liberal man and
will not want it any longer than up to
March 4th.

Harvey Hay didn't once look straight
down over his nose and look glum dur-
ing the whole campaign, and a woman
out in the country says whenever Harvey
don't look that way it is a sure sign of
Democratic success.

Most of us Republicans deny the old
adage that wherever there's a will there's
a way. It didn't hold good in the matter
of re-electing Harrison. The Republi-
can choir will now please sing, "We shall
gather at the river."

A Republican of this town has fixed up
a full list of foreign ministers for Mr.
Cleveland, and he includes a minister to
Shool, A Democratic minister to that
place would be useless, as it is like this
country—too full of Democrats now.

Among the most remarkable inventions
at the recent paper exhibit at Berlin was
a set of paper teeth made by a Luebeck
dentist in 1878. They have been in con-
stant use for more than thirteen years
and show absolutely no wear whatever.

Some Prohibitionists act too much like
Democrats, thereby keeping other people
out of the Prohibition party. The Dem-
ocrats are the only fellows who can con-
sistently rejoice over a Democratic vic-
tory, and the Lordsknows they have been
doing the thing justice.

F. D. Bruckman, a former Salt-briny
boy, now of Bedford, was looking up
old friends on Saturday. Frank came up
to look the ground over, with the
view of locating. Frank is a first-class
mechanic and would be a useful citizen.
—Meyersdale Register.

Rumor has it that E. M. Beachy and
M. C. Berkley contemplate the purchase
of the "Old Salamander" building for
business purposes. Both are young men
of business experience who have a dash
of western vim and pluck. They would
make a strong firm.—Meyersdale Regis-
ter.

There are 23,436 public schools in the
state; of these about one half are graded;
124 superintendents. Of the 25,339 teach-
ers, about one half are females. The av-
erage salary of male teachers is \$42.15; of
females \$31.41. There are 977,528 pupils,
and it costs \$14,339,140.46 to maintain the
public school system.

The Democrats have all along charged
the Republicans with using boodles to win
the election; but now since it is all over
and the Democrats got there, one of them
informs us that the Democratic voters of
this town raised some boodles on the quiet
and sent it to the New York World for
campaign purposes. Democrats will tell
the truth once in a while.

West Salisbury has a petition out for
a postoffice. We predict that they will
not get it, for postoffices are already more
numerous in this locality than in any other
part of creation. It is more likely that
the Department will discontinue some of
these offices than that another will be
added. However, it makes no difference
to THE STAR what is done.

The proportions of the human figure
are six times the length of the right foot;
the face, from the highest point of the
forehead, where the hair begins, to the
end of the chin, is one-tenth of the whole
stature; the hand, from wrist to the end
of the middle finger, is also one-tenth of
the total height; from the crown to the
nape of the neck, is one-twelfth of the
stature.

Rev. Thomas Dixon, of New York, the
tall North Carolinian, who lectured before
the Teachers' Institute in this place last
fall, went gunning on Staten Island one
day last week. When about to depart on
a boat for home with 31 robins he was
arrested, given a hearing, and fined \$155,
or \$5 for each robin. He says he will ap-
peal to the fish and game commissioners
to have the fine remitted.—Herald.

The school m'um is the guiding star
of the republic. She takes the little hunt-
ling fresh from the home nest, full of
pouts and passions, unmanageable little
wretches, whose own mother often admits
that she sends him to school to get rid of
him. The school m'um takes whole car-
loads of these little anarchists and puts
them in a way to become useful citizens.
At what expense of patient toil and soul
weariness? Do you imagine she is ever
compensated by the salary received?

Here is a story from Germany.
For several years a pair of storks built
their nest annually in the park of the
Castle Ruteleben, in Berlin. A few years
ago one of the servants placed a ring with
the name of the place and the date on the
leg of the male bird, in order to be cer-
tain that the same bird returned each
year. Last spring the stork came back to
its customary place, the bearer of two
wings. The second one bore the inscrip-
tion: "India sends greetings to Ger-
many."

During the remission of the Fifty-fourth
regiment at Johnston on the 19th inst.,
a regimental organization was affected
with the following officers: President,
Captain P. Graham, of Johnston; Vice
President, Captain J. H. Hite, of Stoy-
stown; Treasurer, Captain J. L. Decker,
of Johnston. It was also determined
to hold annual reunions and the next one
will be held at Somerset, on the 19th of
next September. Every member of the
regiment is entitled to membership in this
organization on the payment of a fee of
one dollar, and the widows of deceased
members will be enrolled as honorary
members of the organization.

An accident happened at Berlin Pulley
works about noon on Wednesday by
which Mr. Franklin Forney was seriously
injured. He was working on the eleva-
tor, when its supports broke and it drop-
ped, Mr. Forney going with it, a distance
of 25 feet. Mr. Forney's skull was frac-
tured above his left temple, several teeth
were knocked out, his left shoulder and
ankle badly sprained, and his entire left
side severely bruised. He was carried to
his home where he has since been suffer-
ing greatly from his injuries. While the
full extent of his internal injuries has not
yet been learned it is believed that he will
recover; and his many friends through-
out the county sincerely hope that he will.
—Standard

We all remember that at a depth of
ninety feet on the poor farm, oil was
found in such quantities as to make the
well useless as a source of supply for
drinking water. There are evidences of
its presence elsewhere in the country. A
gentleman has just written us a note in-
forming us that on the farm of Henry
Sipe, not far from Millford Station, there
is a spring in which the smell of carbon
oil is always noticeable, and the taste of
it so strong that strangers find it impos-
sible to drink the water, and a film of oil
constantly floats on top of it. The indi-
cations of the presence of oil were not so
decided in some of the best oil territory
in this state. If the board of trade that
has been spoken of were organized here,
some means might be found by which the
question could be decided, and if oil were
found in paying quantities it would rev-
olutionize things in this county.—Som-
erset Vedette.

"Speaking of bravado on the scaffold
reminds me of a one-legged man I saw
turned off in Western Pennsylvania when
I was a boy," said Roger Blakeslee, a
guest of the Southern. "He was known
to have killed five men. He had lost a
leg while trying to add a sixth to his
string, but finally recovered, was tried
and sentenced to hang. The execution
took place in the Court House yard and
several thousand people gathered to wit-
ness it. McCoy, for that was the crim-
inal's name, ascended the scaffold with
no other assistance than that afforded by
his crutch. When asked if he had any-
thing to say he replied that he would like
to say good-by to his fiddle. "It was
brought, and, standing on the death trap,
he played a lively air, handed the violin
to the Sheriff, and with the aid of his
crutch danced a jig on the trap. He then
announced that he was ready. His arms
were pinioned, the black cap was drawn
over his head and the trap sprung. The
rope broke, and after being carried back
on the scaffold more dead than alive he
asked how long it would take to procure
another one. He was told about 10 min-
utes. "Well, give me my old fiddle while
I'm waiting," he said. He was unpinioned,
the cap removed and he made his best
bow to the audience, saying he had not
expected an encore."—St. Louis Globe
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prise you.
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