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Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 24th, 1898.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

This is a great week for candidates, in this town.

Ground is broken for Lichter's mammoth business block.

Port Heffley, of Berlin, was a Wednesday visitor in this burg.

M. C. Berkeley orders THE STAR sent to his address at Byron, Neb.

The mines of this region have for some time been running very slack.

Salisbury is having a fine building boom. Let the good work go on.

Ed Beachly and wife, of Meyersdale, visited Salisbury friends this week.

Henry McKenzie's mother died last Sunday, at her home, near Frostburg.

What good reason can our business men give for not organizing a board of trade?

Edwin Booth, the World's greatest actor on the stage, died on Wednesday morning.

Mil Glotfelty has improved the appearance of his bakery by putting up a neat awning.

David Lichty and wife started for a visit to Nebraska and other western points, Tuesday.

A. Wilmoth, a prominent lumber dealer of this county, died suddenly of apoplexy, last week.

Read Levi Lichter's excellent letter on the Chicago Board of Trade. You will find it on 4th page.

The Meyersdale Racket store was burglarized, recently, but the booty secured was less than 40 pennies.

Genial Frank Stutzman, of New Baltimore, was shaking hands with Salisbury friends, Saturday evening.

In stating last week that the wrecks on Tub Mill Run plain occur too frequently, we did not mean that it was the fault of any of those in charge of the running of the mine. We meant only that they occur too frequently for the comfort of the men at the foot of the plain.

The base ball season has opened in full

Fried frogs seem to be in popular demand among Salisbury epicures at present. They certainly make a very palatable dish.

In towns where they have electric light, they would not do without it for three times its cost. There is a moral in this for Salisbury.

Why plod along in the old ruts of our forefathers? Why not have electric light and thus boom our town, its business and its future prospects?

Our subscription list has grown some at the following places, since last issue: Tub, Keim, Coal Run and Gepharts, Pittsburg and Somerset.

Noah Newman has erected a very handsome picket fence in front of his residence lot, which adds much to the appearance of his home.

It is reported here that Jesse Baughman, of near Glencoe, has been robbed of a large sum of money, but there is nothing to confirm the report.

It is an outrage that we get no eastern mail here until it is a day old. The people of this town are too easily satisfied in such important matters.

Miss Cora Gnagey, of Grantsville, in company with a friend of hers whose name we have not learned, was visiting friends in this burg, last week.

Electric light, all things considered, is the cheapest light in the world; and that it is the best, none can dispute. Let us have it and have it quick.

Why not have electric light in this town? We can no longer afford to do without it. Electric light is one of the things needed to make a town boom.

I will be in Salisbury, Tuesday, June the 13th, at 9 o'clock, at P. S. Hay's store, with 40 pigs. All who want pigs, call at said place. URIAS D. YODER.

We wish to call careful attention to the "ad" of the Ohio Chemical Co., appearing in this issue of THE STAR. Read carefully and profit by what it says. I.

G. S. Scully, a jovial young Pittsburger who has a host of friends here, arrived in town a few days ago. He comes here every summer for a few days outing with fish rod and gun.

The eastern as well as the western mail should be brought up from Meyersdale every day. It is no credit to this enterprising town to put up with such poor mail facilities.

A few days ago Solomon Meese was visited by a brother of his from Brownsville, Pa. Many years ago the visiting brother and James G. Blaine were schoolmates together at Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Farmer, of Rockwood, were in town on Monday, and Mrs. F. called at STAR headquarters, where she was a welcome guest. Sorry we were not at home. Call again.

Captain Allen, of Meyersdale, is a frequent visitor to Salisbury. For the office of County Commissioner he is red hot for Adam Fogle, which is the case with hundreds of people all over the county.

H. W. Denison, of Gepharts, was in town last week looking up the organ business. Mr. Denison used to wield the birch in some of Elk Lick's schools; he is well and favorably known here as a teacher.

Geo. McKenzie, of Thayer county, Neb., is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. Mr. McKenzie is a farmer who some years ago went west to seek his fortune, and on the fertile plains is prospering nicely.

Up to the hour of going to press, THE STAR has printed 61,750 candidates' cards, and we have orders on file for several thousand more. The candidates about all seem to know where to get the nearest and best cards.

Montgomery Brown, Sr., was killed in one of the George's Creek mines, Wednesday of last week, and while trying to extricate him, another fall of coal occurred, by which Thomas Wells was severely injured, perhaps fatally.

We are informed that H. C. Shaw has leased some ground in West Salisbury, from Thomas Williams, and will erect a store building thereon. We are also informed that Mr. Williams has leased his hotel to a Mr. Walter, of Somerset.

S. D. Yoder informs us that he sold 88 tons of phosphate, this season, and that, too, after his territory was canvassed by thirteen other agents. Whenever they beat "Uncle Solty" selling phosphate they have got to get up early and work late.

Engineer Wallace, who could not be found after the horrible freight wreck which occurred near Glencoe, last winter, has at last been accounted for. A few of his bones, gold watch, etc., were recently found under some of the debris.

John Mull, of Coal Run, has returned home from Garrett and says he will once more settle down to the realities of married life. John says there are too many snakes down at Garrett to suit him. He reports nine rattlers killed near that town in one day.

A Grantsville citizen has an excellent article in this issue on "Christian Science Cures." The article is full of good, sound logic and common sense. The so-called Christian Science is a fraud, pure and simple, and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.

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blast. Two match games have already been played between the Star club, of West Salisbury, and the Grassy Run club. Both games were largely one-sided and were sweeping victories for the Star club. We are unable to give the score.

The appointment of Edward P. Kearns, of Pittsburg, as Collector of Internal Revenue for this district, is said to be a Cofroth-Johns victory. It is believed by many that both factions of the Democratic party of this county will be about equally recognized in their demands.

Henry Loechel is tearing down the old hotel building, which he recently vacated, preparatory to erecting a large new building in its stead. The new building will be filled with an immense stock of clothing and gents' furnishing goods. Mr. Loechel deserves much credit for his enterprise.

An agent was in town this week with a view to organizing a branch of the Middle-States Loan, Building and Construction Co., of Hagerstown, Md. With what success he met we do not know, but it seems to us that an organization of that kind would be of immense value to our town.

Aaron Beachy, one of Garrett county's most prominent and respected farmers, called at THE STAR office on Monday and paid his subscription for two years, also a year's subscription for a son of his in Dakota. Sorry we were not at home at the time, for we have not seen our friend Beachy since our boyhood days. Call again.

Last Saturday, lightning struck a house in West Salisbury which is occupied by J. B. Matheny. The bolt played havoc with the cook stove, in which some pies were being baked at the time. The pies were completely electrocuted, but we are glad to say that nobody was hurt. However, Mrs. Matheny was somewhat shocked.

It is a shame that our people do not take steps to have the name of this town changed. The borough, postoffice and railroad depot should all be known by one name. The present arrangement is a greater hindrance to the town's welfare than any other one thing. Why put up with so much inconvenience when there is no need for it?

Geo. K. Walker and family were visited this week by Mr. Walker's brother, the ex-postmaster of Frostburg. Ex-postmaster Walker presided over the Frostburg postoffice for 24 years to the day. He was one of the most efficient postmasters in Maryland, and in Frostburg, a general favorite. He was a brave soldier and officer in the late war.

An eastern editor says that a man in New York got himself into trouble by marrying two wives. A western editor replies that a good many men have done the same thing by marrying one. A northern editor says that quite a number of his acquaintances found trouble enough in barely promising to marry, and not going any farther. A southern editor says that a friend of his was bothered enough when he was simply found in company with another man's wife.

We call attention to the political announcement of Franklin P. Saylor, which appears on this page. We did not receive this card in time to place it with the other announcements, but it will appear with the others, next week. To many of our citizens Mr. Saylor needs no introduction, as he used to preach here some years ago. There are some good men in the field for Prothonotary, but none of them has a more honorable record than Franklin P. Saylor. He is very popular and will doubtless get a large vote.

Last Sunday evening the editor and wife made a trip to the city of Savage, which is on the Ursina mail route. We stopped with Solomon Hershberger, who is the popular and efficient postmaster, mayor and chief police of the city. We had a very nice time and were never treated better in our lives than by Mr. Hershberger and his estimable family. For the kindness and courtesy shown us, we feel very thankful. On Monday we went to Glade run for the purpose of coaxing some of the wary trout from their lairs, and with Mr. Hershberger's assistance, succeeded in catching quite a number of the speckled beauties, "Uncle Sol," of course, catching the most of them. Savage, while not being as large as the city of Meyersdale, nor even as large as the village of New York, is nevertheless a pleasant place to live in. It is populated by a prosperous and estimable class of people, and a more pleasant place to spend an outing of a few days would be hard to find. Its surrounding mountain scenery is grand, its cool mountain air is delightful, and there, amid the beautiful trees, the fragrant wild flowers, magnificent mountain scenery, etc., any lover of the beautiful things in nature ought to be contented and happy.

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Compelled to Ride on a Rail. Several of our most prominent young people were compelled, last Sunday, to undergo the humiliating performance of riding on a rail. We don't know the names of the whole party, but we know that Rev. W. W. Kribbs, Drug Clerk McMillen and several of our most popular young ladies were among the unfortunates. We are glad to say, however, that they were not put to this unpleasantness by irate citizens. It came about in this way: They went to Grantsville in a carriage, and breaking an axle of the vehicle, had to substitute a rail for a wheel. And thus were they compelled to ride on a rail.

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The soul of Wit. Judas Iscariot Smith, of the Commercial, says brevity is the soul of wit. That depends entirely on the brand of brevity. In many cases it is evidence of a shallow brain, such as that of J. I. S. Following we quote some of the brevity that the Commercial is to a large extent filled with, from week to week, and we will let our readers judge whether it contains either wit, wisdom or news. Here are the samples:

"Overcoat weather lingers."
"We are not out of the woods yet."
"Jack Frost appears to be dangerously near."
"Next day off, Independence day, July 4th."

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Don't always be worrying about what people say of you. No matter what you say or what you do the action will be different in different eyes. One will pronounce it good, the other evil. You cannot please more than a certain few, while a great majority don't know what you are doing. Do what you think best and let results be what they may.—Ex.

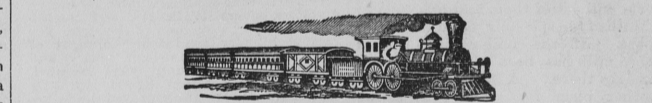
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