

The Somerset County Star.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Berlin is still in the clutches of diphtheria.

Prof. C. E. Dickey is again rusticiating in this burg.

Miss Clara Zinn is the guest of John J. Keim and family.

Mrs. M. J. Livengood is at Sand Patch, visiting her mother.

Mrs. John J. Keim is this week visiting her daughter, in Uniontown.

No flies on our Berkley's Mills correspondent. Come often, Mr. "Duck."

We welcome our Bittinger correspondent to our staff of able assistant editors.

The Colored camp meeting is a great success. All who attend seem to be pleased.

The trout season ended on the 15th inst. It was the poorest season we have had for years.

Mrs. Joseph J. Stutzman, of Somerset, was the guest of M. J. Beachy and family, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reid, of Scottsdale, are the guests of John J. Livengood and family, this week.

Norman Miller and wife, of Meyersdale, made this thriving town a visit on Tuesday morning.

Dr. Lichty was sick abed, several days during the past week, but is again able to attend to his practice.

The County convention of the Reformed Sunday schools will be held at Stovestown on August 27 and 28.

We understand that Salisbury is soon to have two daily mails from Meyersdale. That is what we have long needed.

A large number of young folks participated in a social party at E. S. Folk's, Wednesday evening. A most excellent time is reported.

The Meyersdale Register was four years old last week. The Register is a good paper and THE STAR wishes it many more prosperous years.

Persons owing us on subscription and other accounts will please pay up. Printers need lots of money during these prosperous Democratic times.

A little New York lad, who for some time has been staying at Dennis Wagner's, recently broke his arm while wrestling with Lonnie Wagner.

We call your attention to the professional card of Dr. W. Potter Shaw, which appears in this issue. Salisbury now has three able doctors.

Miss Kate Pfahler, the blind lady so well and favorably known to our people, is visiting her numerous friends here. Salisbury always welcomes her.

Dr. Lichty and wife and Miss Nancy Livengood have returned from the west. They did not get to see the World's Fair, owing to the sickness of the doctor's wife.

The reunion of the gallant old 54th Penn. volunteers will be held in Somerset, this year, but we have not yet learned the date. Franklin P. Saylor has been chosen to deliver the address.

Prof. C. B. Cook, one of Salisbury's old school teachers, but now principal of the Charters schools, near Pittsburg, is one of the winners in the Times contest for a free trip to the World's Fair.

The editor of this paper has a private grave yard. On account of having had no occasion to kill a man for several weeks, we buried our dog therein, today, thus getting ahead of the tax collector.

Scott Brown is supplying the hungry with all kinds of choice refreshments at the Colored camp meeting. There is an abundance of wholesome food there for both the physical and the spiritual man.

THE STAR was mistaken, last week, when it stated that John Coleman has the contract to carry the mail to Ursina. John Schramm has the contract for that route as well as for the Salisbury and Meyersdale route.

Prof. Ed. S. Hady, principal of the schools at Strawberry Point, Iowa, and Miss Maud Pollard, of that place, were married on Wednesday last and are now the guests of Prof. Hady's parents at Meyersdale.—Somerset Democrat.

Waken up, fellow citizens, let us have electric light, a board of trade and a new name for this borough. We can have all of these things as well as not. Why not have them? We need these things; in fact we can not afford to be without them.

FOR SALE! A good, new, 32-calibre, single-shot Winchester rifle. One of the best guns in Somerset county. Has set trigger and No. 2 barrel. It can be bought very cheap. Call at THE STAR office and see gun, if you are looking for a bargain in fire arms.

Last week the Meyersdale Register came out in a beautiful pale red dress. It isn't often that Bro. Subrie paints things red, but his last week's paper

shows that he can do it. The paper looks well in pink, even if it does make it look like the Police Gazette.

The Listie Mining and Manufacturing Company is still at work developing their coal and new lands are engaged as rapidly as room can be made for them. They are working full time now and when the winter season opens up they will have all they can do.—Somerset Democrat.

Reports from several sections of the county state that a new species of potato beetle has appeared on the potato vines in the last two weeks. The new beetle makes war on the old reliable potato bug, but at the same time plays havoc with the potato vines.—Somerset Democrat.

Meyersdale is making efforts to get the next German Baptist annual meeting. What's the matter with Salisbury making an effort to get it? There are more German Baptists here than in Meyersdale, and furthermore, they have more wealth. Salisbury could easily take care of the big crowd.

The Shoemaker Brandler wedding took place on Tuesday evening, as per announcement in last week's STAR. Those who were in attendance report a very nice time and a well arranged affair. The happy couple were the recipients of many handsome presents. Rev. Kribbs performed the ceremony.

Rev. Johnson is a first-class man to manage a camp meeting. He is a great hustler and is doing all in his power to make the meeting a success. THE STAR hopes that his efforts will be successful in the highest sense of the word. Thus far he has been ably assisted by Rev. L. M. Demby, a man of fine ability and pleasing manners. The services are fairly well attended, and all who attend are well pleased.

On Wednesday a match game of base ball was played between the Second nine of Salisbury and the Second nine of Meyersdale, on the Salisbury club's grounds. The score stood 54 to 18 in favor of Salisbury. Now, if our First nine gets its record up like that, Meyersdale won't be "in it" at all; but up to date the boys of our first nine have been scooped twice by Meyersdale, although their last game was very close.

Now that the famous old Salisbury band has seen fit to disband, Confluence now has the honor of having the best band in the county. We believe, however, that Salisbury will be in the front ranks again in this respect, in the near future, as our Junior band is making very rapid advancement under the able instruction of Sam Livengood. The new band consists of some twenty pieces and will give its first open air concert, Saturday evening.

Judging from the number of bank failures in the west, people in the east who have money in those wildcat institutions had better "look a leetle odd." The average western bank is a pretty uncertain concern, as we have learned during five years residence on the plains. Most of them have their money tied up in real estate securities, and in case a good many of the depositors demand their money, the banks haven't got it and a break-up is usually the result.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton J. Beachy, of Salisbury, on Wednesday evening gave a party for their guest, Miss Maud Cook of Somerset, and besides Somerset was represented by Misses Mame Mendell, Mame Patton and Messrs. W. S. Kimball, (of the Vedette) and J. Willis Pisel. The Vedette representative reports a most enjoyable time, and cannot say too much of the kindness of the host and hostness and the people of Salisbury generally.—Somerset Vedette.

The sermon delivered at the Colored camp meeting, Wednesday evening, by Rev. Traverse, of Cumberland, Md., is highly complimented by our citizens. The jubilee singers also arrived from Cumberland, the same evening, and are giving the people attending the camp meeting some excellent music. "Our people are taking great interest in the services and all welcome the Colored people to our town. They are courteous and gentle and deserve all the respect that is shown them.

Mrs. Wm. Kretzman died last Saturday morning and was buried on Sunday. Mrs. Kretzman had been suffering with strangulated hernia, for which trouble she was operated on a few days prior to her death by doctors Speicher and Harrison. The operation was successfully performed, but as gangrene had taken place, the patient could not be saved. Mrs. Kretzman was a highly respected Christian lady and leaves a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn her departure. THE STAR extends its sympathy.

County Superintendent Berkey will not suffer any reduction in his salary, notwithstanding the action of the convention of the directors in Somerset. The law was so amended at the last session of the Legislature and approved by the Governor that the salary cannot be less than \$1500. The part of the act covering this question is as follows: "That in all counties having 190 schools or 1,200 square miles of territory, or a school term exceeding seven and one-half months, the salaries of said superintendents shall not be less than \$1,500." Somerset county has now 289 schools.—Berlin Record.

The Court House officers were considerably perturbed, last week. Prothonotary Sanner and Register and Recorder Hileman each received a letter from Auditor General Gregg instructing them that "the state is entitled to receive one-half

of all the fees after the deduction of \$2,000 and the expenses of their offices." Both of these offices yield annually from \$2,500 to \$4,000 in fees, all of which has heretofore gone to the incumbents. The enforcement of the law will therefore take from \$500 to \$1,000 per year from each of these officers. Messrs. Sanner and Hileman forwarded their reports to the Auditor General's department in the customary form, but they were promptly returned for correction.—Herald.

The editor of an exchange says he knows of some people who are so exceedingly modest that in speaking about a person's leg that they persist in calling it a limb; but the Stephenson county young lady who in speaking of a certain breed of chickens called them Brown Limb-horns, he thinks, takes the bakery. That's nothing. In this city there dwells a young lady so exceedingly modest that she blushes every time she passes a pile of undressed lumber.—Lanark (Ill.) Gazette.

You ask what will educate your son. Your daily example will educate him; your conversation with your friends; the business he sees you transact; the likings and dislikings he sees you express—the society you live in will educate him; above all, your rank, your situation in life, your table will educate him. It is not in your power to withdraw him from the continual influence of these things, except you were to withdraw yourself from them also. Education goes on at every instant of time; you can never stop or turn its course. What these have a tendency to make your child, that will be he. Parents should invariably give good examples to their children, for youths are usually apt students, and impressions made in childhood are indelibly stamped on the susceptible mind.—Selected.

It Should Be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay St., Sharpburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with Pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for Lung Trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free Trial Bottles at A. F. Speicher's drug store. Large bottles, 50c and \$1.00.

Berkley's Mill.

The farmers are done making hay, and the wheat is cut and on shock. The grass was short and stood thin, but the wheat is a good average crop.

The still house is at a stand still at present and will not resume operation until cooler weather arrives.

Wm. Welch, of Keystone Junction, was visiting at Charles Critchfield's, last Sunday.

Mrs. John Wilhelm was visiting Simon Bowman's, near Salisbury, a few days last week.

There was a lawn social held at James Blair's, last Friday evening. Ice cream was served and the many guests report a very pleasant time.

J. B. Colegrove, of Washington, has the contract to carry the mail from Berkley to Meyersdale. Mr. Colegrove having 4,444 routes besides this one, has sublet the Berkley route to Frank Lindaman, of Summit Mills, who having matrimony on the brain, has relet it to his brother, Old Dave Lindaman, a hustler and says he can transport the mail over the route quicker than any of his boys.

J. T. Shipley, of Meyersdale, tarried a short time in our town, last Saturday.

Ed C. Shumaker, the medicine man, has bought another horse. Guess the work is too hard for one horse.

July 19th, 1893. Dock.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A pure medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle at A. F. Speicher's drug store.

Settled.

One evening in the month of May, He begged that she would name the day. He would suggest some time in June, But that, she said, would be too soon.

"What did he think of February?" He thought that she was cruel—very.

There surely was no reason why It should be later than July.

At last she came down to October— Would that suffice? He still looked sober.

Just then her father, stiff as starch, Walked in and said quite gruffly, "March!" —Kansas City Journal.

A Word to Wives and Mothers.

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The Lust of Power.

A Texas gentleman contracted with a negro to do some repairing on a house for the sum of \$25. The next day the gentleman found that the man had hired two hands who were hard at work while he was strutting around giving instructions.

"How much do you pay them?" he was asked.

"Well, sah, I pay one man \$10 and the other one \$15."

"But where does your part of the money come in?"

"Come in? Whv, I se de boss. Don't you see?"

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All Make Mistakes.

Appropos of the lawyers pitching into experts on the witness stand in murder trials, the case is recalled where the lawyer looked quizzically at the doctor who was testifying and said:—

"Doctors sometimes make mistakes, don't they?"

"The same as lawyers," was the reply.

"But doctors' mistakes are buried six feet under ground," said the lawyer.

"Yes," said the doctor, "and lawyer's mistakes sometime swing six feet in the air."—Boston Herald.

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The Local Paper.

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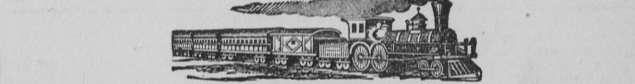
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Curiosities About Swearing.

During Cromwell's reign, laws against swearing were strictly enforced by the officers of the commonwealth. Every oath was counted. For a single oath a man was fined 6s. 8d., but the charge was reduced to 3s. 4d. each on "taking them by the quantity." Thus we find in the curious old records of that date that Humfray Trevett, "for swearing 'by God,' 10 times," was fined 33 shillings and committed to "goal" in default of payment therefor. John Huishe, of Cheriton, was convicted of swearing "24 oaths and 2 curses" at one time and "2 oaths and 1 curse" at another time.

William Harding, of Chittlehampton, for saying several times, "upon my life," was adjudged to be within the act of swearing, for which he was forced to pay a fine of 6s. 8d. At another time one Thomas Butland was fined for saying, "upon my troth;" Gilbert Northcote had to pay 3s. 4d. for saying, "upon my life," and Thomas Courtis was fined heavily for saying, "God is my witness." Thomas Gill said, "I speak in the presence of God," and was fined for his pains, whereupon he had a minister arrested for using the same phrase in a sermon on the following Sunday.—Philadelphia Press.

As the Years Go by.

A young man and a young woman lean over the front gate. They are lovers. It is moonlight. He is loth to leave, as the parting is the last. He is about to go away. She is reluctant to see him depart. They swing on the gate.

"I'll never forget you," he says, "and if death should claim me my last thought

will be of you."

"I'll be true to you," she says.

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