

The Somerset County Star.

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Salesman for J. B. Williams.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Lou Brown has gone to Virginia to visit his friends.

Ice Cream Soda at Speicher's drug store, Saturday afternoon and evening.

Let there be light, and let it be of the electric kind. Salisbury must have it.

Miss Bertha Gnagey, of Meyersdale, was visiting relatives in Salisbury this week.

Jacob Hefley, a prominent citizen of Berlin, died last Saturday, aged about 69 years.

THE STAR is under obligations to Hon. Edward Seall for a lot of public documents.

Mrs. F. O. Livengood, of Somerset, was a welcome caller at STAR headquarters, last week.

Miss Florence Meyers, of Westmoreland county, is this week the guest of Miss Jennie Livengood.

We are under obligations to Uncle M. P. Lichty for a nice lot of Iowa items, which appear in this issue.

P. A. Johns, the popular Rockwood hotel man, keeps one of the best hotels between Cumberland and Pittsburg.

J. C. Balliet this week killed a huge rattlesnake on the Gehpart farm, between Little Crossings and the Stone House.

Savilla, a daughter of Manassas Kretschman, died last Thursday. She was afflicted with some kind of bowel trouble.

The use of Tobacco or Opium can be positively cured by Hill's Chloride of Gold Tablets. Ask your druggist for them.

One of the best picnics of the season will be held Aug. 19th, near the Wilhelm or St. Paul church. Don't fail to attend it. See bills.

Somerset county has 5,208 able-bodied men subject to military duty, says the County Commissioner's report to the Adjutant General.

Josiah Specht's store, at Sprucetown, this county, was burglarized, last week. About \$500 or \$600 worth of goods were carried away.

We have another interesting war letter, written by B. F. Johns, of Chambersburg. It will appear in THE STAR next week. Lookout for it.

Jacob Landis, of Brothersvalley township, was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of his gun, last week, while out hunting groundhogs.

A 4-year-old daughter of Wm. Cook, of Glencoe, was playing on the railroad track, last week, when a locomotive struck her, killing her instantly.

A panther is said to be prowling around and killing sheep in Conemaugh township. The people there ought to send for Salisbury's Winchester rifle team.

Preaching in the Reformed church in Salisbury, next Sunday, at 10 o'clock, and in the Wilhelm church, in the afternoon, at 2 o'clock, by the Rev. W. M. Irvine.

An exchange puts it in this way, and the exchange is right: "It is a conceded fact that the stores that have the bargains are not afraid to say so though the newspapers."

David Lichty and wife returned home last Saturday evening, after a two month's visit in the west. They report a most pleasant time. On their return they visited the World's Fair.

The Commercial has it that the Extract works will reopen in a few days. Well, it hasn't reopened yet, and we have it from pretty good authority that the plant will be idle for quite a while.

Jack Pile, the road supervisor, says he is getting the Frank Livengood hill in better shape than it ever was in before. It just takes Jack to repair roads in proper shape. Elk Lick never had a better supervisor.

We are under many obligations for kindness and courtesy shown us by Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hartzell, Hon. E. D. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. H. Farmer, Harry Kifer and others, while sojourning at Rockwood and Somerset, Saturday and Sunday last.

The store of C. B. Moore, at New Lexington, was entered by burglars, one night last week, and an unsuccessful attempt was made to blow open a safe. The robbers departed without getting any money, but they carried away a small amount of merchandise.

The Third annual reunion of the Reformed church of Somerset county, will be held at Rockwood, August 17th. An excursion train will leave this place at 8:30 a. m. and return from Rockwood at 5:35 p. m. Rate from here, 65 cents for the round trip.

THE STAR can not say too much in praise of the people of Rockwood. We have made several visits to that enterprising town since locating here, and we must say that for whole-souled, courteous

and kindly-disposed people, Rockwood has few equals.

It is with thanks that THE STAR family acknowledge receipt of an invitation from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gnagey to attend the marriage of their daughter Cora to Mr. George A. Lininger. The event will take place at the Farmers' hotel, Grantsville, Md., August 16th.

A Western editor apologizes to his readers after this fashion: "We expected to have a death and a marriage to publish this week, but a violent storm prevented the wedding and the doctor being sick himself, the patient recovered, accordingly we were cheated out of both."

W. A. Glotfelty's little babe died last Sunday. Funeral took place on Monday. There is much sympathy expressed for the bereaved family, especially for Mrs. Glotfelty, who has been very ill for a long time. Life is full of trouble, and Mr. and Mrs. Glotfelty are having their full share of it.

A grand ball will be held in the K. of L. grove, Saturday evening next, for the benefit of the Second base ball nine of West Salisbury. In the afternoon of same day, at 2 o'clock, a match game will be played between the First and Second West Salisbury nines. The new brass band will be on the grounds to entertain the occasion.

It is said that dancing makes girls' feet large. It is also said that ice cream produces freckles. Ice cream soda produces warts on the nose. Doctors are of the opinion that hanging on the front gate produces rheumatism. A few more opinions like these and the dear girls won't have any fun left them at all.—Ex.

A gang of tramps attempted to rob an express car, near Sand Patch, on Tuesday morning of last week, and showed fight when they were discovered. After considerable difficulty and some shooting, they were driven to the woods. It is thought some of the tramps were injured during the fight.—Somerset Democrat.

Sal Lepley, the machinist, called yesterday to inspect THE STAR printing plant and have a social chat with the editor. He expressed himself well pleased with what he was shown and remarked that THE STAR is the best newspaper in the south of the county. That's the general verdict, Solomon; your head is level. Call again.

L. C. Colborn, Esq., assignee of Gideon Bowman, sold the Bowman home farm on Friday last, to John G. Hay for \$3000. On the same day, the tract of land known as the Boyer tract, belonging to Mr. Bowman, was sold by the assignee to Elijah Livengood for \$1500. The properties are located in Northampton township and the general opinion is that the purchasers secured a bargain.—Democrat.

Edward Willis and Ellet Smith, all sons of our fellow townsman, Wm. Smith, arrived here last week for a visit with their father and the other members of the family that reside here. Edward and Willis brought their families with them. Sunday evening there was a grand reunion of the Smith family, in Beachy's grove, where a nice time was had. There were twenty-four of them in the party.

The Commercial now suggests that the name of this borough should be changed to West Salisbury. That has been suggested long ago, by others, but the idea isn't popular here. West Salisbury might do if both towns were in the borough, but so long as they remain separate, one name will not answer for both. What we want is an entire new name—no Salisbury, West Salisbury nor Elk Lick about it—and West Salisbury ought to be annexed to the borough.

Attorney General Hensel has instructed State Superintendent of Public Instruction Schaeffer to disregard the number "190," and adhere to the old number, "290," in the act relating to salaries of School Superintendents. The act of 1893 contains an error in designating the counties in which salary of not less than \$1500 shall be paid. The act of 1878 provided that such counties should contain 190 schools and it was intended that the revised act, the Attorney General says should not be changed in that respect.—Somerset Herald.

Abraham Beam and wife, an aged couple of Lincoln township, were cruelly beaten and otherwise abused, last week, by three masked men that came to rob them. The brutal punishment was administered to make them tell where their money was, but as they do not keep much money about the house, the robbers secured only 37 cents. Mr. Beam is 96 years old and his wife 60. Both were beaten about the head until the blood flowed freely. The citizens of the community are very indignant and are of the opinion that the robbers belong to a Westmoreland county gang.

The following from the report of the County Commissioners' office to the State Department will be of interest to our readers: Number of taxables, 9,869; cleared land, 291,081 acres; timber land, 278,419 acres; value of all real estate, \$8,949,641; value of real estate exempt from taxation, \$589,795; value of real estate taxable, \$8,359,846; No. of horses, taxable, 7,384; value of horses, \$317,528; No. of cows, neat cattle, &c., 10,637; value of cows, \$140,406; value of occupations, \$275,160; value of all property taxable, \$9,083,940; county tax, \$45,419.70; money at interest, \$2,018,244; State tax, \$8,073.01; county debt, \$8,500.

While Katie Spangler, a twelve year old girl of Summit Mills, was gathering berries near the W. P. Meyers farm, yesterday about noon, a man sprang out of the bushes, seized the girl and in a mo-

ment despoiled her of her tresses; she had magnificent hair, long and silken. The fellow was shabbily dressed, coat split up the back, had a long dirk knife attached to the wrist by leather thong. The little one broke from him, and though he attempted to catch her, she fled like a deer and made good her escape. The whole country side is out with their Winchester and we hope will succeed in catching the scoundrel. If they do, it is unlikely there will be a court trial.—Commercial.

Cleveland's message to Congress is just what many people expected—a sort of harangue on the Sherman silver law. The President frankly acknowledges that there is wide-spread and universal distrust throughout the country, and he suggests that Congress ought to speedily remedy the existing evils by passing some wise and much-needed laws; but just what legislation is actually needed to better things, he does not seem to know. On the most important topic—the tariff—he has little or nothing to say. Times are going to be hard just as long as the country does not know what the administration is going to do with the tariff, no matter what is done with the Sherman law. And if protection is knocked out, then times will be harder than ever.

Charles H. Fisher, of Somerset, was a welcome caller at THE STAR office, Tuesday evening. Mr. Fisher is one of the greatest hustlers in Somerset county. Fourteen years ago he started in business in Somerset with a \$65-stock of stationery, books, etc., but of late years he has been carrying an immense stock and now sells goods at both wholesale and retail. He sells goods at wholesale to ninety merchants in Somerset county, which will give some idea of the magnitude of his business. Furthermore, he has got to be a director of one of the Somerset banks and also owns a great deal of the Somerset electric light stock. We make mention of these things not at the solicitation of anyone, but to show what can be done with a small capital in the hands of an industrious, energetic, wide-awake man. Mr. Fisher is a man of pleasing manners and honorable business principles. He is one of the most agreeable men to do business with that we have ever had dealings with. Everybody seems to enjoy doing business with him. May continued prosperity ever attend him; we always like to see a hustler's labors well rewarded.

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The Carleton (Neb.) Reporter Yields up the Ghost.
The Carleton (Neb.) Reporter is no more. It perished last week, and its editor, W. D. Jones, stated that Carleton did not give the paper sufficient support to justify its continued publication, hence he had to "throw up the sponge." From our point of observation, we have come to the conclusion that there isn't another town in America where a newspaper man's path is so thickly beset with thorns as in Carleton, Neb. Out of about seven or eight men that have wielded the editorial pen in Carleton, Pete Livengood, now editor of THE SOMERSET COUNTY STAR, is the only one that ever made it pay. Although our policy was often criticized during the five years we were there, we paid no attention to the would-be smart men that always wanted to dictate to us, and to that, and the fact that we got out a good, newsy paper, one that could never be used as a tool to advance the selfish interests of any clique or clan, we attribute our success at Carleton.

The Reporter, the paper that succeeded the old reliable Carleton Times, was first edited by S. M. Figge, a novice in the business, whose editorial career lasted but a few months. The Reporter was then taken in charge by W. D. Jones and wife, who greatly improved it and made quite a spicy paper of what had formerly amounted to nothing. But for some reason the paper would not pay and was discontinued, last week. The Reporter was a lively sheet under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, and the people of Carleton should not have allowed it to die.

The reason we make such extended mention of this, is because a great many of our readers here have relatives in and about Carleton and are interested in all things pertaining thereto.

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Big Spring.
Big spring is situated 2 1/2 miles north of Savage postoffice. It is about 60 feet in diameter and about 15 feet deep. Many people go to see it out of curiosity.

Farmers in this vicinity are cutting their oats.

Jonas Shoemaker is the best and strongest man in the vicinity of Savage postoffice.

"Uncle Joe" is now following a new occupation. He is impounding stock found trespassing on the public roads.

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Yours truly,
MRS. HELEN MORRISON,
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We have the best facilities and will guarantee you satisfaction.

Studio open for business on Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

Drop in and see us anyway. We'll try and make it pleasant for you.

By the way, are you in need of any frames? We have an elegant line of mouldings at prices that will suit you.

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Yours,
E. E. CONRAD.

Eli Egan has been sick for some time, but is improving slowly.
A. J. Folk is enlarging his fish dam.
Aug. 7th, 1893. FISH ME OUT.

A Leader.
Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c. per bottle. Sold by A. F. Speicher Druggist.

Berkley's MILK.
The Band has had a good many calls to play for picnics, this season, and has accepted the most of them.
George Wilson has vacated the Owens property and has taken up his abode in the Wm. Bear house, near the Briskey place.

Harry Larue, of Brazilian duck fame, was working for Wilson Walker, a few days last week, and came near "redding out" the shanty, or rather the barn, last Tuesday. It seems Harry is slow at work, but quick at anger, and on the above day as Mr. Walker and his other hands were hauling in oats, Harry concluded that work took up too much time, and he was going to take a day off. He said if that did not suit Mr. Walker, he could suit him out on the road, and if that wasn't satisfactory, he could lick him and his two other hands. Mr. Walker being a Herculean in comparison to Mr. Larue, and not wishing to spoil his face, reached in his pocket and paid him off, telling him to depart in peace, or he might think the comet struck him. The little Jew horse trader was in this

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vicinity, one day last week, but failed to dupe any person, so far as we have heard.

Prof. N. B. Countryman, of Ann Arbor University, who was home with his parents spending his vacation, intends leaving for said school in a few weeks.

H. D. Saylor lost a valuable horse by being kicked by another horse, one day last week.
NOM DE PRUME.
Aug. 9th, 1893.

Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away.
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Hidden Feelings.
Noble feelings of the hidden
In the recess of the heart;
And the lips, though unforbidden,
Fall their presence to impart.
Often willing, yes, how willing
Is the voice the truth to tell;
Thus some hopeful end fulfilling,
Yet the feelings still rebel.

Silent, there, and oft forever,
Dwell there in the heart's recess,
Like the timid flowers that never
Bloom save in some wilderness;
Like the stars in midnight brightness
When the mind yields to a dream,
Giving to the heart a likeness
Like the flowing of a stream.

Some may deem them but ideal,
Reflected dim in shady light,
Could the mind create them real,
It would clothe them fair and real,
Though but a glimpse, they oft reveal,
Of their purity and grace;

Still yet the searches for them feel
In the heart they have a place.
Often longs the feelings' anguish
To find vent and quench their fire,
But their best endeavors languish,
And they back again retire;
Fill the heart and soul with sadness,
Sadness that can never die,
For the sweetest fount of gladness
Will forever hidden lie.

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