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Berlin is afflicted with scarlet fever. Don't make a mistake, but use Thurston's Cathartic Liver Pills. 5-1

J. L. Barchus has a new ad. on this page, and it is important. Read it.

Farmers, if you want a No. 1 boot, buy none but the Walker boot. Sold by J. L. Barchus.

Major Alex. Stutzman, of Somerset, was a welcome caller at STAR headquarters, Wednesday.

Rev. E. L. Jones will preach in the Welsh language, next Sunday at 3 p. m., in the M. E. church.

Diseases caused by torpid liver are entirely cured by the use of Thurston's Cathartic Liver Pills. 5-1

Ed Lambert, who has been on the sick list for some time, is again able to be about. Glad to see him around.

Will Fogle has decided to again move from Berlin to Salisbury. He says work is too scarce at Berlin to suit him.

Our genial friend Frank Stutzman, of Somerset, was a very welcome caller at THE STAR office, Monday morning.

Ladies, if we can not give you fits in our Shoe department, you are at liberty to give us "fits." So says J. L. Barchus.

H. C. Shaw and J. L. Barchus have some very important notices on 4th page. It will be money in your pocket to read them.

Joseph Cochran, at one time a mining boss of the Consolidation Coal Co., at Eckart Mines, Md., died recently at Corning, Ohio.

Miss Edith Young, daughter of George S. Young, late of Boynton, was married to Charles M. Young, in Williamsport, Oct. 26th, 1893.

Leannus Deterrich is mourning the loss of a very valuable dog that a train on the Salisbury railroad recently ground under its wheels.

The latest report from Garrett county, Md., is to the effect that the Republicans have elected their whole county ticket. Here's to you, sister Garrett, let's shake.

Mr. Andrew Hoose, of near Berkley, Pa., called on THE STAR, Tuesday afternoon, to get acquainted with the editor and see the finest printing office in Somerset county.

F. P. Beachy reports an almost total failure of crops, loss of credit, failures in business and general unsettling of all financial matters at Beatrice.—Carleton (Neb.) Leader.

Mothers find Thurston's Present Age Worm Syrup a perfect remedy for worms, wind colic and relieves the troubles caused by children teething. It is soothing and produces rest. 5-1

Rev. John N. Davis is foreman of the committee that will have the buildings erected for the German Baptist annual meeting, to be held at Meyersdale, next year. He is the right man in the right place.

A fine pair of sheep was taken through the city, to day, on their way from Mt. Hope, Pa., to Mr. John D. Yoder, at West Salisbury, Somerset county. The total weight of the pair is five hundred and fifty-two pounds.—Johnstown Tribune.

Jesse Jeffery, who is still badly crippled from the sad accident which befell him in the mines, last summer, is talking of embarking in the grocery and confection business. If he does, he should have a liberal patronage, and THE STAR believes he will get it.

On Monday a very valuable colt owned by Harvey Hay and John M. Wright was killed on the railroad. The animal was nearly three years old and showed signs of becoming one of the fastest horses in the county. It is a great pity, indeed, that so fine a colt had to be slaughtered on the railroad.

John J. Livengood, the great 'coon hunter, has already captured sixteen very fat 'coons, this season, and the result of at least one hunt is not yet reported. "Old Shad" says he knew all along that the Democrats would be completely defeated, this fall, because he could tell it by the thickness of the fat on the 'coons.

The Reitz & Maust grain elevator, in West Salisbury, is looming up in great shape and will be in active operation before a great while. This enterprise is backed by H. A. Reitz and Norman R. Maust, two good, substantial men, and it is needless to say that they will do a flourishing business. Theirs will be the first grain elevator in the county.

One evening this week a little scrap took place between our genial colored friend, Scott Brown, and Jack Fallon. Jack found fault with Brown's color, and that is what started the scrap. It is needless to say that Jack came out second best. Brown says it isn't safe to monkey with the fellows from the part of town known as "Jerusalem." He is right.

Prices of bicycles have now reached the lowest notch for this fall. In the spring they can not be bought for a cent less than catalogue price. Therefore, if you want a wheel, don't wait until next spring and pay from one-fourth to one-third more than you will have to pay now. Call on P. L. Livengood, at THE STAR office, and get a good wheel at your own price. We mean business. Call and be convinced.

There is now a movement on foot that may give Salisbury the best and cheapest system of water works in seventeen counties. Water works would greatly reduce insurance rates and give the town the fire protection it has so long needed. Besides that, it would help to boom the town in many ways. We now have the chance of a lifetime to get water works at a small cost to the town. We will have more information to give, later on.

Word comes from Grantsville that Baker Johnson, the popular balliff of

that town, is well prepared for the present panic, having recently slaughtered two fat porkers that weighed 356 and 380 pounds respectively. Bake thinks the election returns will so frighten the Democrats that times will be much better by the time his supply of pork is exhausted. He may be right, for they will hardly have the nerve to carry out all their fool threats, since they heard from the people.

Sylvester Hay, near Hay's Mill, is the last victim, so far as heard from, to suffer from the depredations of thieves. They stole his entire supply of winter butter, about 60 pounds in all, on Wednesday night. The butter was in crocks and the thieves carried the crocks and contents a small distance from the house and transferred the butter into vessels of their own and broke the crocks to pieces and left them. As usual the party covered their tracks so they could not be apprehended.—Berlin Record.

The Connellsville Courier says: "Josiah Kurtz celebrated his 92nd birthday, Tuesday. He is the oldest citizen in the county. Mr. Kurtz is a man of wonderful vitality. He reads common newspaper print without the aid of glasses, and can write as good as a man of 50. He does not know what sickness is, never having been sick a day in his life. He is the father of nine children, seven of whom are living. His wife died two years ago at the age of 88. Mr. Kurtz was elected Burgess of Connellsville, by the old Whig party, in 1856. Mr. Kurtz is a native of Somerset county, but has resided in Fayette county since 1825."

Friday of last week Daniel Shaulis consulted his inwardness and concluded that it needed a little mutton. So he gathered up a sack, shouldered his gun and started northward into the country. When he came to Jonas Stavanus' woods, about a mile from town, he thought he was in luck, for there he beheld just what he was looking for. He waited until upon the order of his doing, but banged away and brought down one of the largest of the bucks. While he was skinning it, a hunter came along in the person of Jacob Ross, who asked Shaulis what he was up to. Shaulis grunted an unintelligible reply and kept on at his work. Ross directed his steps to Stavanus' house and apprised the latter of what Shaulis was doing. Jonas started for the scene of mutton-making and found when he got there that Shaulis had the two hind quarters of the buck in a sack and was peeling off the front quarters with all possible speed. When Jonas began scolding Shaulis, he grunted again as if there was nothing particularly wrong, and as the mutton had been mauled and rolled around in the dirt until it looked as if the dogs had been chewing at it, Shaulis was allowed unhindered to take it home. Next day Mr. Stavanus visited the poor director and got out the proper papers, and Monday, Daniel Shaulis and his wife were taken to the County Home. Shaulis has been blamed for a good deal of the thieving that has been going on in and around Berlin and it is possible that sending the couple to the County Home was the best thing that could be done for them.—Berlin Record.

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Death of Daniel Freeman Bickford. THE STAR is not much given to publishing obituaries, for most of them are composed of dry, dreary drivel that isn't worth reading and are generally a bore to the average newspaper reader. There are exceptions, however, although they are rare, and as the following one is concerning a young man that was partly reared in Salisbury, and the fact that a great deal is contained in his obituary that will be interesting news to many of our readers, we publish it as it appeared in the Johnstown Theocrat:

Dr. Daniel Freeman Bickford died in Atlanta, Georgia, October 18, 1893. He was born in Allegany Co., Md., Jan. 9, 1865, and therefore, at the time of his demise, his age was 28 years, 9 months and 9 days.

In February, 1890, Mr. Bickford graduated from the Georgia College of Eclectic Medicine and Surgery, and took the highest honors in the class of surgery. At the time of his graduation, he was offered a position as Professor in the College. He was presented with a medal on account of his high average in all the classes. The first year of his professorship he was assistant to Dr. Wm. Durham. He lectured on surgery and the second year he was elected to the chair of surgery in the Female College. This year, 1893, he was elected Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, and had delivered his fourth lecture before he took sick and died. The cause of his death was typhoid pneumonia.

He was also secretary of the Alumni. Just four months before his death he was married to Miss Blanche Smithwick, an accomplished lady from Americans, Georgia.

The doctor is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bickford, and his brothers, Samuel A. and George, all of Conemaugh, Pa.

The funeral was held at the home of his parents, at Conemaugh, Rev. M. L. Weaver officiating, assisted by Revs. A. J. Beale and W. H. Mingie.

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The remains were interred in Union Cemetery, near Conemaugh, on Monday, Oct. 23, 1893.

Specimen Cases. S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at A. F. Speicher's drug store.

Identify a Bad Man. John Hoffman is the name of a resident of this county who is now confined in the Cambria county jail at Ebensburg on a number of very ugly charges.

Hoffman is described as a well-dressed fellow about twenty-five years of age. There are four charges against him—three of rape and one of sodomy. The charges were made at Johnstown by the mothers of a number of little girls whose ages range from ten to thirteen years. It is alleged that the outrage was committed on Sunday afternoon, October 8th, in the grove at Westmont.

Hoffman was arrested a week later and he was given a hearing before Alderman Harris, at Johnstown, on last Monday. The little girls all appeared against him and related the horrible story of his crime. The Alderman held Hoffman without bail and he will probably remain in jail until the next criminal court convenes, when he can answer do the charges.

The crimes with which Hoffman stands charged are revolting in the extreme, and if true, show him to be unfit for association with human beings.

His home is near Davidsville.—Somerset Standard.

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The Oakland Democrat weeps big tears because the Republicans in Garrett county are in power and have slightly increased taxes. Any paper or any individual in Garrett county that will harp about the tax rate being too high, is a mossback of the first water. Let any sensible, enterprising, intelligent man ride over Garrett county and behold its wretched schools, school buildings and miserable make-shifts which they call public roads, and he will arrive at the conclusion at once that he is traversing a country where the people do not pay half enough tax to be up with the age in modern improvements and public benefits. Garrett county's natural resources are great, but the county will never prosper as it ought to until its citizens pay enough tax to have good public schools and good public roads. Good schools and good roads would increase the value of Garrett county real estate wonderfully. The editor of this paper has lived in and near Garrett county long enough to know that the county is not too poor to pay the required amount of tax to make its schools and roads just as good as those of its more enterprising neighbor—Somerset county, Pa. The Oakland Democrat should move to a locality where the people do not want schools, but where the razor-backed hog is allowed to roam in peace, where three or four yellow dogs can be found at every delapidated hovel and the

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people sit around their old log fires, talking about the good old times "befo' de wah," and vote for Andrew Jackson at every election. In fact, the Democrat ought to move to Arkansas.

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Is the truthful, startling title of a little book that tells all about No-to-bac, the wonderful, harmless Guaranteed tobacco habit cure. The cost is trifling and the man who wants to quit and can't run no physical or financial risk in using "No-to-bac." Sold by all druggists.

Book at Drug Stores or by mail free. Address The Sterling Remedy Co., Indiana Mineral Springs, Ind.

A preacher at Lafayette, Ind., is reported to have about broken up his church, the other day, by saying in a sermon that God made the earth in six days and then rested; then He made man and rested again; then He made woman, and since that time neither God nor man has had a rest.—Courier Journal.

That preacher made the mistake of his life by thus casting reflections on the women. He probably didn't know that the women keep up the churches in these days. We will venture the assertion that if it wasn't for the untiring efforts of the good, faithful sisters, church work would be at low-water mark in Salisbury, and it is doubtful whether there is a congregation in town that would not go to pieces in a very short time. Fellow men, this may be tough on us, but every mother's son of us will admit the truth of the assertion.

A Lie. She told a lie, a little lie, It was so small and white, She said, "It cannot help but die Before another night."

And then she laughed to see it go, And thought it was as white as snow.

But, oh, the lie! It larger grew, And many watched it as it flew, Nor passed by night or day, And if it made delay,

Like something that was near to death They blew it onward with their breath.

And on its track the milldew fell, And there were grief and shame, And many a spotless lily-bell Was shrivelled as with flame,

The wings that were so small and white Were large, and strong, and black as night.

One day a woman stood aghast, And trembled in her place, For something flying far and fast Had smote her in the face—

Something that cried in thunder-tone, "I come! I come! Take back your own!" —Ellen M. H. Gates, in Century.

WANTED! One hundred of our subscribers to pay their subscription to THE STAR as soon as possible.

We want to buy an engine for our printing office, and to buy an engine we will need considerable money; but if 100 of our subscribers pay up promptly, we can get an engine on short order. Several hundred of our patrons are owing us amounts ranging from \$1.50 to \$3.00, and nearly all of them can easily pay the small individual amounts they owe us. By paying these small amounts they will not bankrupt themselves, but collectively they can raise enough money in a few days to buy the engine so badly needed.

We must have it, as it is almost impossible for us to get along without steam power any longer. Therefore, do your Christian duty by paying what you owe us. As soon as we get that engine there will be no more delays in getting out the paper, and the paper will also be better in every way. Besides that, it will be a great credit to Salisbury to have a large steam printing office. Join the procession of progress and help us to boom the town. You can help us greatly by paying what you owe us. Don't delay in the matter, for the money is due us; pay up at once.

After Ecclesiasticism—What? The church denounces her accusers as unbelievers, and goes on her way, amassing treasure, building temples and palaces, making compacts with kings and covenants with mighty men, while the forces arrayed against her are increasing in numbers and power. She has lost her supremacy; her authority has passed away. She is but a sign, a shadow. And it is impossible for her to regain her lost ascendancy, or to return to her throne. Dreams of her universal dominion are a delusion. Her sceptre has been broken forever. Already we are in a transition period. The revolutionary movement of the age is universal and irresistible. Thrones are beginning to totter. A volcano smoulders beneath the palaces of kings, and when thrones topple over, pulpits will fall. What then? A reign of anarchy and atheism? Some would-be seers predict it. But there are better things in store for the world. There have been revivals of religion in the past, more or less local and temporary. There is yet to be a revival of religion which is to be world-wide—a restoration of faith in God and love for man—when the brightest dreams of universal brotherhood shall be realized. But it will come in spite of, rather than through, the church. It will come as a reaction against ecclesiastical tyranny; as a protest against mere forms and ceremonials. It will, however, reach the church, change her creeds, modify her methods, and transform her spirit. All true souls within her communion will hail with gladness their emancipation from the tyranny of ecclesiasticism.—North American Review.