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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

A West Virginia exchange heads its real estate transactions as landlides:

April showers bring forth May flowers; but April snow shows that spring is slow.

Johnson & McCulloh greet our readers with another great bargain advertisement.

Pittsburg Sunday Dispatch and Post can be had every Sunday, at 1 p. m., at Jeffery's store.

A three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Sufall, who just moved here from Somerset, is quite sick.

To the Commercial: Use lime freely about your den. There is much rottenness emanating from there.

W. H. Boucher, who is now running a meat market at Duquesne, likes his job first rate and will likely stick to it.

Rev. Dr. Mackey, of Meyersdale, has moved to Salisbury and taken up his abode in the Geo. K. Walker property.

Don't fail to see "Jugomar, or the Greek Slave," in the Opera house, tonight. It is a great play and will be played by a great company.

George K. Walker and son George, of Berlin, spent several days in Salisbury this week. George, Jr., says he does not like Berlin as well as Salisbury.

Harry Grove, bar keeper at Hotel Vannear, took sick last Thursday and died suddenly on Monday evening. THE STAR has not learned what ailed him.

The editor's mother, who has been sorely afflicted with paralysis for several years, is quite poorly of late and seems to be growing weaker as the days go by.

Lloyd E. Lentz, who for a number of years has been the assistant station agent at Garrett, was recently promoted to the position of assistant agent at Rockwood.

"Cuban Justice," in the Opera house, Friday night, will be a rare treat. Everybody ought to see this play. Seeing it will increase your stock of valuable knowledge.

Any one having an old calendar of 1887 may successfully utilize it for this year, as 1898 is an exact reproduction, holidays and all. This will not again occur until 1945.

Don't forget that the Salisbury normal school begins next Monday. If you want to attend a good normal, come to Salisbury, where the best normals have always been held.

Twenty years ago there wasn't a young man in Franklin who parted his hair in the middle. Now there are scores of 'em who do hardly anything else.—Franklin News.

High School Commencement exercises, Monday evening, April 11th, in Hay's opera house. Admission 15 cents. Tickets will be for sale at Johnson & McCulloh's furniture store.

A patent was recently granted to D. G. Reitz, of Berlin, and H. A. Reitz, of Somerset, on a flour masher and dough raiser. We hope the invention will raise them lots of "dough."

Highland Inn, the large summer hotel in Somerset, will be managed by a Mr. Cowan and wife, of Pittsburg, who

have had much experience in managing places of public entertainment.

We are glad to note that M.J. Beachy, who had been sick for a fortnight or more, is again able to be out. Although pulled down considerably in flesh, he is rapidly gaining health and strength.

A charter has been granted for the building of an electric line from Allegany Grove, near Cumberland, to Frostburg. The capital stock is \$50,000, and is backed by some of the best citizens of Cumberland.

Dr. A. F. Speicher recently decided to move to Meyersdale, but after considering the matter thoroughly he arrived at the conclusion that he can do better here, in which all his numerous friends and patrons concur.

Gertrude, daughter of Captain Heffley, of Berlin, died on Monday last week, aged about 22 years. The deceased had an attack of scarlet fever when about one year old, and although she lived through it, she was helpless ever afterward.

Samuel Imhoff, of Meyersdale, who occasionally drives a livery team for Wm. Williams, is said to have broken a leg, yesterday, while watering his team at the Miller trough. Just how the accident occurred we have not definitely learned.

Moving day, that most detestable of all days, struck THE STAR hard, this week. Both the editor and the foreman moved into new quarters on Monday, and this, together with an immense run of job printing, left us but little time to devote to this edition of the paper.

We notice that the Commercial advertises M. J. Beachy's lot sale to take place at 9 o'clock p. m. This is a very busy community, but not so busy as to compel lot sales to take place at night. The hour for the sale is 9 o'clock a. m., as it appears in Mr. Beachy's "ad" in THE STAR.

Be sure to attend the Commencement exercises of the Salisbury High school, which will be held in the Salisbury opera house, Monday evening, April 11th. The program will be very entertaining. All good citizens will help anything pertaining to our schools, of which we have a right to be proud.

The members of the Somerset County Association of Baker Heirs will meet at the Corut house, at 10 o'clock, Saturday morning, April 9, to take further steps to secure a portion of the large fund that they claim. It is stated that encouraging reports have been received from the attorneys of the association.—Somerset Standard.

Henry Shaffer, of Jenner township, is in the county jail, where he will be held to answer to a charge of incest, preferred by his thirteen-year-old daughter, the eldest of six children. The prisoner was given a hearing before Esquire Risinger of Jenners, and the testimony given there showed an awful state of degradation on Shaffer's part.—Somerset Standard.

The Acheson Globe is authority for the statement that at a club meeting of married women in Acheson, recently, the subject of first quarrels after marriage came up. There were nineteen women present, and eighteen lay the blame of the first quarrel on their husbands. The nineteenth woman admitted that it was her fault. The nineteenth woman was a widow.

Sherman Welfley, who clerked for G. K. Walker several years, as well as a year or two for C. E. Statler & Bro., left this week for Scott City, Kan., where he will take charge of a store for Geo. W. Livengood. THE STAR wishes Sherman much success in his western home. He is a young man of good qualities and will fill his position with credit to himself and his employer.

The Hotel Vannear, in Somerset, last week changed management. J. B. Winters and W. H. Kantner have taken possession of the hotel, and the Vannears have moved to Jenner township to engage in farming. Winters and Kantner had planned a trip to the Klondyke, for which they had purchased an extensive outfit, but all of a sudden they abandoned the project, in which they no doubt acted wisely.

The Somerset Herald claims to have double the circulation of any other paper in the county, the Commercial alone excepted. It is very easy to claim. The mutual admiration society composed of the two papers named, mutual only in the matter of blow and bluster, is about the thinnest thing we know of. The Herald knows that there isn't one word of truth in its claim. Neither the family organ nor the Meyersdale organette have any way near as large a circulation as they once had. But let them blow, for it is necessary, seeing that their lists are getting smaller every year, while the lists of their competitors are growing.

"Under the Spell," the temperance play in four acts, which was rendered in the Opera house, Tuesday night, by home talent, was greatly enjoyed by all who witnessed it. It was well rendered, and much credit is due to all who took part in it. Every part was well played, and the costumes were very suitable for the occasion. Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of Mr. and Miss Eicher, of Rockwood, and S. L. Livengood, of Salisbury, their instruments being the violin, piano and cornet. While the orchestra was small, the music was nevertheless of a very

high order, and the musicians, as well as the actors on the stage, were all greatly complimented and applauded. The audience was not as large as it should have been; yet, considering the inclemency of the weather, the turnout was fairly good. If this company of young people put another play on the stage, they will have a larger audience, as they have demonstrated their ability, which is certainly of a high order.

M. L. Yocum, Cameron, Pa., says "I was a sufferer for ten years, trying most all kinds of pills, remedies, but without success. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me. I used one box. It has effected a permanent cure." As a permanent cure for piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

Pomona Grange Program.

The Pomona Grange of Somerset county will meet at Husband on Saturday morning, April 9th, at 10 o'clock. The following topics will be discussed: "Would Postal Savings Banks be advantageous in this locality?" Jenner Grange.

"What is the most economical farm fence in this neighborhood, and what will it cost per rod to build it?" Highland Grange.

"Which affords greatest happiness in farmers' families—luxuries in dress or in food?" Maple Grange.

"Graduated taxes," Beachdale Grange.

Let there be a full turnout at this meeting as the election of officers takes place at it. By order of Secretary.

Thousands of sufferers from grippe have been restored to health by One Minute Cough Cure. It quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe, asthma, and all throat and lung diseases. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

From Juniata College.

HUNTINGDON, PA., April 4th, 1898.

MR. EDITOR:—THE STAR arrived at Juniata on Friday evening, being fully as much appreciated as a letter from home; for such it is. And since THE STAR finds its way to Juniata, we deem it proper that a short article from here should be sent to you for publication in your newsy columns. Should this be so fortunate as to escape the cruel waste basket, we may write again.

We find Juniata College to be a good, industrious institution, which we believe compares favorably with the best of modern institutions of learning. We are especially glad to note that so many Somerset county students are enrolled here, the county being represented by the following: Misses Anna Smith, Cora Keim, Anna Reitz, Anna Keller, Pearl Lehman and Messrs. Albert Reitz, M. S. Maust, A. G. Livengood, W. H. Meyers, E. J. Egan, H. H. Saylor, L. W. Pollard, J. M. Blough, C. F. Darr, J. D. Walker, John Picking, E. P. Heiple, Mr. Weaver and Mr. Hoffman.

SOMERSET COUNTY BOYS.

A little boy asked for a bottle of "get up in the morning as fast as you can," the drug store recognized a household name for "DeWitt's Little Early Risers," and gave him a bottle of those famous little pills for constipation, sick headache, liver and stomach troubles. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL IN TROUBLE.

Chief of the Benson Schools Finds It Healthy to Leave.

Somerset Democrat.

During the past session the public schools of Benson borough have been under the direction of C. Foster Cable, of Shade township, with Miss Lizzie Baker, the popular daughter of Deputy Sheriff G. M. Baker, as assistant. The schools flourished and the pupils made rapid progress under these able teachers, and all apparently was moving along smoothly. But Principal Cable on Tuesday of last week suddenly and mysteriously disappeared and his whereabouts since that time are unknown. Mr. Cable got wind of the fact that a warrant was out for his arrest on the charge of attempting to commit a heinous crime and he forthwith took his departure, failing to leave any address behind him.

On Tuesday Miss Baker, the assistant teacher, appeared before Justice H. P. J. Custer, of Benson, and preferred a charge of attempting to commit rape, against the Principal. Miss Baker who is twenty-two years of age, alleges in her information that when she went into her room to retire on Sunday night, she discovered Mr. Cable under her bed. She immediately fled from the room and was followed by Cable, who caught her, dragged her back to the bedroom and endeavored to accomplish his purpose by brute strength. The young lady struggled bravely against him and finally succeeded in breaking loose from her assailant and alarming Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cassler, with whom they both boarded. Cable then turned his attention to pleading with Miss Baker to take no legal steps against him, but she would not promise and finally made the information.

Miss Baker, who is a model and highly respected young lady, was prostrated by this vile and desperate assault upon her honor, and is now at the home of her parents in Somerset.

C. Foster Cable is twenty-three years of age and has been a successful teacher in the schools of the county for several years. He was considered a bright, but rather eccentric young man. The warrant for his arrest is now in the hands of Constable Benson, of Benson,

who expects to bag his game before many days.

The schools in Benson borough closed on Thursday for the summer vacation.

The farmer, the mechanic and the bicycle rider are liable to unexpected cuts and bruises. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to keep on hand. It heals quickly, and is a well known cure for Piles. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

Roddy's Approaching Death.

Somerset Standard.

The time for the Roddy execution is rapidly approaching, yet the condemned man still maintains his peculiar demeanor.

The other day Sheriff Hartzell was in the jail talking to the Roddys, and just outside the steel grating through which the Roddys were talking was the steel trap, through which the Nicelys dropped to death.

In the course of the conversation John Roddy said, "Well, Sheriff, we'll get out of here soon, anyway; if the Pardon Board doesn't set us free we'll go out through that," pointing to the death trap.

The Sheriff then again reminded the doomed men of the near approach of the day of execution and advised them to make their peace with their Maker, but they replied, "Oh, no; these religious people swore us in here and we want nothing to do with them."

It seems that these men will thus go to their death.

Children like it, it saves their lives. We mean One Minute Cough Cure the infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, and all throat and lung troubles. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

ELABORATE EFFECTS.

Startling Scenic Production of "Faust," Last Evening.

Last evening Hurbert Labadie's company played "Faust," to a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Labadie deserves special mention. He has a good stage voice, and did Mephisto well. His "make-up" was surprisingly effective.

Miss Marie Loranger-Labadie, as Marguerite, gave a fine impersonation. The scenic effects were elaborate and in the act where Mephisto calls forth the demons from hell, the dancing of the fiery sparks, the racing of electric bolts and the general filling of the stage with all sorts of weird pyrotechnics made a startling field for the shades of the nether world to wander in. The last scene of Marguerite in Heaven was very pretty. "Faust," to the uninitiated, Monday evening, must have been very impressive.—North Star, Marietta, Wis.

The above named play, which is the world-renowned great master production of Goethe, will be rendered in the Salisbury Opera house, by the Labadie Company, Saturday night, April 9th. Nobody can afford to miss this, as it is seldom that this great play is shown in a town the size of ours.

It is a great leap from the old-fashioned doses of blue-mass and nauseous physics to the pleasant little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure constipation, sick headache and biliousness. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

Some Common Mistakes.

It is a mistake to work when you are not in a fit condition to do so; to take off heavy underclothing because you have become overheated; to think that the more a person eats the healthier and stronger he will become; to believe that children can do as much work as grown people, and that the more they study the more they learn; to go to bed late at night and rise at daybreak and imagine that every hour taken from sleep is an hour gained; to imagine that if a little work or exercise is good, violent or prolonged exercise is better; to conclude that the smallest room in the house is large enough to sleep in.

Thirty-five years make a generation. That is how long Adolph Fisher, of Zaner'sville, O., suffered from piles. He was cured by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

Two Dinners Thrown In.

An Oakland minister was called upon to marry a West Virginia couple at his home, one day last week, and after producing the necessary official documents the ceremony was performed by the good-hearted, generous divine, whereupon the Snake hunter handed him a Dollar bill and asked if he and his bride might remain for dinner. The godly man consulted his good wife, who consented, and began preparation of an excellent dinner. After enjoying the good dinner, the happy couple left for the evening train and went West, leaving the minister and his good wife minus two meals and not even a cool "thank you."

A torpid liver robs you of ambition and ruins your health. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the liver, cure constipation and all stomach and liver troubles. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick. C. A. Bender & Bro., Grantsville.

Incendiarism in Oakland, Md.

Oakland Journal.

On Tuesday morning last when the firm of Bolden & Brown opened up their furniture store, they discovered that an attempt had been made to fire their building. A large pile of excelsior had been placed against the rear door and some wood arranged to set

the fire off, the pile had been thoroughly saturated with coal oil, and every thing had the appearance of a very bold attempt to fire the building, which is located and adjoins the Opera house on the one side and the store and dwelling of J. O. Michael on the other, and which altogether form one of the best and most imposing business blocks in our town.

The fiend was foiled in his attempt by a water spout which runs down the building directly above where the fire was set, and which at times overflows and causes the water to fall exactly where the brand was set, and evidently at the time the fire was set, a copious shower set in, and but for the overflow of the water spout, there would have been one of the most serious conflagrations that our town has ever witnessed.

We understand that a reward of \$500 is offered for any information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the perpetrator of this dastardly attempt.

The New Observation Cars.

The New Observation Cars "Undine" and "Bianca" on Trains Nos. 5 and 6, the New York and Chicago Limited Trains on the Baltimore & Ohio R. R., are the latest cars of this pattern from the Pullman shops. They are magnificently furnished with splendidly equipped buffet, parlor, state room and observation end. The observation platform is a special feature. It is six feet deep, with extended roof, the sides being protected by large plate glass windows. Passengers can enjoy the magnificent scenery on all sides in perfect comfort. The buffet is ever ready to supply light refreshments, and dining cars en route serve full meals. The cars are the handsomest ever built by the Pullman Company, and will be run daily between Baltimore and Pittsburg on the trains mentioned.

Lookout for the Bugs.

Somerset Democrat.

It will be well enough for the fruit raisers of Somerset county to this year lookout for what is known by fruit raisers and dealers as the "San Jose scale." It is not a scale at all, but an insect with a shield-like back, and that is so small as to be almost invisible, singly, to the naked eye. It originated in San Jose county, California, and has so rapidly spread that it is already in our neighboring states, and we are even told that evidence of its presence has been seen in this vicinity. Scientific fruit raisers have not yet discovered a remedy for its ravages. It is said to cover the fruit on the outside in great numbers, and looking as its name indicates like a scale.

The government experts on bugology are investigating the character of this unwelcome visitor, and those interested should write to the Agricultural Department at Washington for such information as they found on the subject.

Sang The Doxology for Cleveland

When the News was Received.

Fairmont Index.

The death of Rev. J. Wesley Webb, at Huntingdon, recalls a little incident on the political side of the reverend gentleman's life that is interesting. During the famous Cleveland-Blaine campaign of 1884, the Rev. Mr. Webb, who was a staunch Democrat, took an active part. On the day of the election the West Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was holding its sessions in Wheeling. At the night session when the news came that Blaine was elected, one of the delegates proposed that the long meter doxology be sung, and the whole gathering with the exception of Rev. Webb, joined in the singing.

Later in the evening, as everyone will remember, the news flashed over the wires that Cleveland was to be the next President, and soon whisperings of a displeasing nature were going on among the brethren. When Rev. Webb received the news, it was in the form of a telegram from eastern friends, and when the opportunity presented itself, he arose and made the announcements, and asked that all join in singing the long meter doxology. No one came to his assistance and he sang the praises to God entirely alone, the large gathering being seemingly paralyzed during the proceedings.

It Puzzled Him.

St. Joseph News.

A man who went away from home some time ago to attend a convention of church people was struck with the beauty of the little town in which the gathering was held. He had plenty of time, and while wandering about walked into the village cemetery. It was a beautiful place, and the delegate walked around among the graves. He saw a monument, one of the largest in the cemetery, and read with surprise the inscription on it:

"A Lawyer, and an Honest Man."

The delegate scratched his head, and looked at the monument again. He read the inscription over and over. Then he walked all around the monument and examined the grave closely. Another man in the cemetery approached and asked him:

"Have you found the grave of an old friend?"

"No," said the delegate, "but I was wondering how they came to bury those two fellows in one grave."

T. W. GURLEY,

Jeweler and Optician.
Fine Watch Repairing and Engraving.
Get a pair of Gurley's 50 cent Spectacles correctly fitted, and guaranteed.

BUSINESS MENTION, WANTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, LEGAL AND SPECIAL NOTICES.

70 Town Lots For Sale.

On Saturday, April 9th, 1898, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m., I will sell at public sale, 70 very desirable Town Lots. These lots are beautifully located, adjoining the North boundary of Salisbury borough, have good drainage and are in a high state of cultivation. Streets are laid out intersecting Grant, Gay and School House streets, with corresponding alleys. No one hemmed in is one advantage of these lots, and they are of unusual large size. Now is your time to secure a desirable building lot in a booming town and thrifty community. MILTON J. BEACHY.

Farmers and Truckmen, Attention!

Just received another large car of Bradley's Fertilizer, put up in packages of 100 lbs. each. These goods are direct from the factory and will apply to all crops and vegetables. This brand of fertilizer has been thoroughly tested by our farmers. P. J. COVER & SON, Meyersdale, Pa.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve

Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.
Fifty tons Barb Wire and Number 9 Smooth Wire at 1 1/2 cents per lb. P. J. COVER & SON, Meyersdale, Pa.

Candidate for Assembly.

EDITOR STAR:—I wish to announce to the Republican voters of Somerset county, through the columns of your paper, that I will be a candidate for the Assembly, at the regular Republican primary election, and will register my name for announcement with the County Chairman in due time.

Very Respectfully,
E. D. MILLER,
Rockwood, Pa.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures.

That is what it was made for.
A Grand Opportunity.

See "ad" of A. H. Herendeen & Co., Geneva, N. Y. Steady employment, good pay.

YES, WE CAN!—We can supply cuts suitable for any and all kinds of advertisements and job printing. Call at THE STAR office and see our large assortment of specimens. We can show you cuts of nearly everything that exists and many things that do not exist. No matter what kind of a cut you want, we can supply it at a very low price.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures.

That is what it was made for.
FOR SALE!—Several gross Braham Patent Pens. These pens are a new invention and an excellent thing. By their use blotting is an impossibility and one penful of ink will write an ordinary letter. They save ink, save time and avoid blots. They last twice as long as other pens. We have them in stubs and other styles. Will close them out at 15 cents per dozen. Regular price is 25 cents per dozen. Try them and you will use no other. Lawyers, ministers and clerks buy them by the gross. You can get them at THE STAR office.

WANTED:—Traveling General Agents, not to canvass, but to travel from town to town and employ agents for a reliable publishing house.

\$800.00 per year with all traveling and living expenses payable weekly. Address, JOHN C. WINSTON & CO., 718 to 724 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. tf.

FOR SALE!—A good second-hand Monarch Bicycle with the most modern equipments, geared to 60 1/2 inches, weight 25 pounds, practically as good as new. Nothing broken nor worn about it. Will be sold for less than half of wholesale cost. No better machine in Somerset county at any price. Handsome, swift, easy-running and the acme of all high grades. Be quick if you want a bargain, as this offer will be open for a limited time only. Also a good Bicycle Lamp and Bell for sale cheap. Inquire at STAR office.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers,

The famous little pills.

APPLICATION FOR BENEFIT OF INSOLVENT LAWS.—In the matter of the petition of William Berkey, an insolvent. To all creditors of said petitioner: Notice is hereby given that William Berkey, of Somerset township has filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset county, a petition praying for the benefit of the insolvent laws of this Commonwealth, and for a discharge thereunder, and that a hearing upon the said petition will take place at the Court House, on the 12th day of April, 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m.

H. P. BARRON,
Prothonotary.

Notice to Exchanges.

Some of THE STAR's exchanges will please take notice that our post-office address is Elk Lick. Some of our exchanges are not being received regularly, on account of being addressed "Salisbury." tf.