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those of the mothers, who alone dale and Summit Mills. have to be pleased in the selechave to be pleased in the selection of the garments for the liting Journal, at the big picnic here, tle tots of 3.

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Clothing Headquarters, Meyersdale, Pa.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

D. I. Hay was in Pittsburg on busi-

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ness, last week. THE STAR is not responsible for the

opinions of its correspondents.

Frostburg and Oakland are both try-

ing to get a military encampment. S. O. Newman has broken ground for a new residence on South Grant street. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Krausse are be-

ing visited by Mr. Krusse's sister, from Mt. Savage. Associate Judge Horner, of Somerset.

was shaking hands with Salisbury friends, last Saturday. Mr. Wm. Usselton, of Washington

D. C., is the guest of Mr. Clarence and Miss Florence Livengood.

Mr. and Mrs. Zach Wagner are being visited by their daughters, Leah and Mrs. W. Knarr, of East Brady, Pa.

The Peter Vogel wagon shop is being same to be occupied by Miss Clara

A gentleman by the name of Morriroom and will convert the same into restaurant.

Bolden and wife, all of Meyersdale, were the guests of C. S. Beal and family, Sunday last.

Our genial friend Ed. Hay returned from Cumberland, last week, and is now at his home, Hay's hotel, where all his friends are glad to see him.

If all are born free and equal in this country, why is it that some babies weigh six, some eight, and some ten pounds? There's no equality in that .-Oakland Journal.

A little girl lately wrote to her friend 'Yesterday a little baby sister arrived, and papa is on a journey. It was but a piece of luck that mamma was at home to take care of it."

The Windber Leader is the latest addition to Somerset county journalism. The paper is independent in politics and will have a Slavish department. The editor is W. A. Kinsloe.

Correspondents to THE STAR will confer a great favor upon the printers by writing only on one side of their paper. Manuscript written on both sides of paper is usually consigned to the waste basket.

J. L. Barchus has broken ground for a new residence 28x351/2 feet. on Union street. It is also reported that the Brethren church will erect a parsonage the same street, to be completed this fall.

Harvey Dively, who was unwell a short time ago and went to his home in Berlin to recuperate, has returned as strong and healthy as an onion crop. He is again making anvil music for L. C. Boyer.

A western editor puts it this way:"If you pay your subscription to-day, you will feel better to-morrow." That is all true, but we say, if you pay your subscription to-day, you will feel bet-

Mr. David Lichty has a volunteer corn stalk in his lot that is twelve feet high. It has two very large ears of corn on it, one about six and the other about eight feet from the ground. Who can beat this?

What is the difference between Uncle Sam, a rooster and an old maid? Answer: Uncle Sam says Yankee Doodle, the rooster says cockadoodle doo, and the old maid says, any dude'll do.-Oakland Journal.

Misses Sue and Lizzie Flickinger,and Mrs. Ross Lichty and her two children, We Consider Their Wants of Carleton, Neb., are visiting in this vicinity at present. Rev. Daniel Fike and wife, of the same place, are left in and around Meyersand tastes as carefully as we do visiting friends in and around Meyers-

We were pleased to meet Editor last Saturday. Although The big boys' suits are cut on in a newspaper war, Editor Oder shows no marks of personal violence, and he seems to hold his own with the best of

Such catches of suckers as the boys are making at the pond, these days, have never before been witnessed in this vicinity. George Livengood, a few You will not find so many days ago, caught 11 pounds and 2 good things in boy's outfitting ounces in a few hours. So far George fighting mass of humanity. Men were wears the belt, but there are a number of close seconds.

and personally says as a result of its economical, intelligent person fearless cause: "We have to-day the largest paid-up subscription list of any newspaper in Allegany county, and the train stopped at Connellsville the more libel suits on hand than the press policemen and detectives began to haul of Maryland combined."

Alfred and Theodore Ringler, of Co. I, 5th Regt., are members of a regimental band recently organized. They are said to have been the only members of the company who displayed sufficient musical ability during the examination to get into the band. Both of them, before going to the army, were members of our home band, which has long held first place among the bands of this county.

If Canada thistles are cut in the heart, when in the sign of the Zodiac, the roots will not sprout again. Cut your thistles, willow, sumac, or any other brush or woods, in this sign, which occurs on the dates of August 18 and 19; September 14 and 15; October 11, to attempt it, for the reason that poets the grove where the picnic was held, 12, 13; and December 5 and 6. Men who have tried this, say that weeds and underbrush destroyed in the sign named will not bother you again .- Ex.

tofore uncompromising Republican, is as to rhyme, and in one or the other of Rockwood, where he is living a retired doing campaign work this year for Dr. these important features, the average Swallow, the Prohibition candidate for citizen is so deficient as to make him-Governor, by distributing Swallow lit- self ridiculous in attempting to write erature. Mr. Boyer says Governor Hastings has fallen among thieves, and poem referred to, has made an attempt will happen Wm. A. Stone, if he is paper correspondents, that we gladly elected Governor. It looks like anothing ive his production a space in The er Delamater campaign, for all of which STAR. Matthew Stinker Quay is to blame.

Dear farmer, if you want your town to help you, help your town. "Oh," but you say, "I do not care whether the Encouragement for all Interested. town helps me or not, I can get along without the town.' converted into a snug dwelling, the How much would your farm be ed a letter from headquarters containworth if the town was taken away? ing a favorable report. Preparations west-bound, two cars were attached A gentleman by the name of Morrison has rented the Meager millinery is we depend on each other. The fact proceed with our case. Our attorneys who were returning home from Santison has rented the Meager millinery is we depend on each other. The are moving as fast as is necessary at farmer helps the town, the town present. helps the farmer; they help each oth-

Mr. Harvey Long and wife, and Mr. er, and loss comes to both if either even tract of reciprocity.-Ex.

> Last Saturday afternoon James Delawder, son of Mr. David Delawder, residing near Oakland, went down to Coddington's riffle, a favorite spot in the Big Yough for anglers, and succeeded in landing six immense black bass in a remarkably short time. Four the largest one measuring nineteen caught in the waters of this tion for a long time, and the successful angler was quite elated over his catch and took pleasure in showing them to will not be his last speech here. many persons on the streets and in places of business .- Oakland Republi-

Miss Martha Hawn, only daughter of Mr. John Hawn, died on Tuesday evening of consumption. Funeral services to-day at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Reformed church. The father of the deceased is the only surviving member of the family. His wife died some years whom were grown, died of consumption during the last few years. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Hawn, for he is now left alone in his old age, and to add to his sorrow he is crippled and in noor health. Mr. Hawn is an add to make their instruments talk, though? But we do not wish to be partial, so we will just add that each and every man in the poor health. Mr. Hawn is an old veteran of the 54th Pa. Volunteers, and a better soldier never carried a gun. He should have a pension, but gets none. It is a shame.

It is pitiable to go to the B. & O. station and see some of the soldiers passing through to their homes. Among the soldiers that have seen service in Cuba there does not seem to be one that has the least appearance of strength for fighting or marching. have a paste-like complexion and hollow cheeks, and they are for the most part listless and care-worn. Through train No. 9 going west, Monday morning, had on board a number of sick soldiers, most of whom were members of the Thirty-fourth Michigan and Eighth Ohio Volunteers. They had little to say, but what they did say was no compliment to those who had in charge their treatment before Santiago or in other camps .- Connells wille Courier.

The sad intelligence of the death of Aaron F. Schrock, son of Capt. W. M. and Mrs. Schrock, was received Tuesday morning. For some years past Mr. Schrock has been successfully editing the Defiance Herald and the Defiance Crescent, two papers published in the state of Ohio. These papers have been The parade, while having a good greatly improved and enlarged under bringing Mr. Schrock into prominence performed Monday and he died Monweek, expecting to arrive in Somerset to-day .- Somerset Democrat.

When the Baltimore and Ohio excur sion train pulled into Connellsville from Cumberland, Sunday night at 11 o'clock, the people on board were a struggling, fighting mass of humanity. Men were tearing the clothes off women and battering the clothes off women and batter proof of their confidence in it's merits do you want? It cures piles, burns, scalds sores, in the shortest space of time. P. S Hay, Elk Lick. tering and beating each other. There The Forum, of Frostburg, Md., last were many respectable people on the week closed its first year of existence train, but they were powerless in the Wonderful Man. jam of drunken rowdies, and all kinds Cumberland and Connellsville. When the fighters off the train, and they never stopped till 25 persons had been arincluding three women. All were crowded into the lockup, and Justice Crawford Stillwagon held court all morning to dispose of the prisoners, nearly all of whom were strangers. All land were fined, and some will be held for court. The quarrel, it is said, was about many of the old-timers here, and those a woman .- Hundman Bulletin.

Maine," which appears in this issue, was agility that are written by a boy about 13 or 14 years they are true and can be proven by of age. While the poem is not exactly many reliable witnesses. perfect, it is nevertheless a very credit- now 81 years of age, Mr. Heinbaugh able production for one so young in still possesses a remarkable amount of years. There are very few people who endurance, and his mental faculties can really write poetry, and we do not are well preserved. He marched with wish to encourage our correspondents the Rockwood band from the depot to are born, not made by practice. Some carrying a large flag mounted on a people have the idea that anything that heavy flag-staff, and in this capacity rhymes is poetry, but they are sadly he attracted much attention and permistaken. Some attention must be formed his duty well, Mr. O. W. Boyer, a life-long and here- paid to meter, sentiment, etc., as well poetry. However, the author of the eems to think that the same thing so far superior to most country news

THE BAKER ESTATE.

To all interested in the Baker estate No you can't. I wish to say that we have just receivare being made as fast as possible to containing white and colored soldiers

ALEX. CASEBEER.

Our Big Pienic.

The pichic and band carnival held here last Saturday was a huge success. At least 5,000 people were in attendance and everything passed off smooth-

One of the most pleasing features of the day was a rousing good speech delivered by Hon. W. H. Koontz, of Somerset. Mr. Koontz spoke of the great of the fish weighed nearly ten pounds, resources of Elk Lick of Somerset coun ty and of Pennsylvania, also of our inches. These are by far the largest greatness as a nation, etc. His re marks and well known eloquence were received with hearty applause, and all who heard him speak hope that this the mines operated by the Merchants

The other features of the day, which consisted of music by the bands, bicy cle racing, base ball and various games and attractions were highly enjoyed, and everybody seemed to be having a good time.

The Citizens' Band of Lonaconing Md., proved a great attraction. In this organization are some musicians that have few superiors. By the way, did ago, and his three daughters, all of you notice Pat Flynn, that tuba player. and the snare drummer, and the bari-tone player? Couldn't they make their "Coney" band is "O. K.," in music, in good looks and good behavior.

The Rockwood, Grantsville and Boynton bands are also good organizations, and each a credit to their respective towns. The improvements in these bands during the past few months is something remarkable, and they are fast getting to be top-notchers, even if they are young. These boys are all good fellows, and our geople enjoyed their music and their company very much. Come, again boys, you needn' be ashamed to play anywhere.

The bicycle race was entered by Wm Brant, Fred Werner, Wm. Jones and Theodore Miller, and they finished in the order named, except Miller, who had a fall at Boynton and broke his wheel so badly that he had to drop out of the race. The distance was a fraction over nine miles, over the Boynton. Coal Run and St. Paul course, which i very hilly, full of ruts, loose stones and dust. The following time was made Brant, 33 minutes and 50 seconds Werner, 36-41; Jones, 38-12. Remark able time, indeed, to be made on such a road.

The base ball game between Frost burg and Coal Run clubs was a victory

people in it, was not what it many his management and were rapidly would have been if proper interest would have been taken in this featur in the Ohio newspaper world. Five by the business men of the town. H. days ago he was afflicted with appen- G. Wilhelmi, howover, took an active dicitis and was taken to Chicago to un- interest in the parade, and dressed as dergo an operation. The operation was a clown, added much merriment to it Meyersdale, Rockwood, Grantsville day night. Mr. Schrock had made all Frostburg, Lonaconing and many other arrangements to visit his parents this localities were well represented here, and altogether the affair was an ex ceeding great success.

More than twenty million free samples of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve have been dis

Last Saturday many people who at of wild deeds were recorded between tended the big picnic at Salisbury no ticed a fine-looking old gentleman of gigantic frame and long white beard on our streets, who attracted much at tention. The man was none other than famous old Jacob Heinbaugh, who in his younger days was a veritable Sampson in strength and endurance, and whose fame was known all over Western Pennsylvania and Western Mary

Mr. Heinbaugh is well known to a woman.—Hyndman Bulletin. who knew him in his younger days tell
The poem entitled, "Remember the of many of his feats of strength and

Mr. Heinbaugh is now a citizen of life, and where he is a prime favorite among old and young. He was always genial, whole-souled, upright man, and that he may enjoy a serene old age honor to "Uncle Jake," as the Rockwood boys call him, and may he visit this afternoon, to decide upon the Liv our town again.

When you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel alve, the great pile cure, don't accept any-hing else. Don't be talked into accepting thing else. stitute for piles, for sores, for burns. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick.

Soldiers From the Front. Oakland Republican.

Monday morning last on train No. 3, more on account of a wreck at Fiftyeight cut, and during that time the sol- nice line of Visiting Cards.

diers were interviewed by a number of experiences were thrilling in the extreme. All of them showed the ravages of disease, but like true soldiers they did not complain.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has the largest sale of any Salve in the world. This fact and its merit has led dishonest people to attempt to counterfeit it. Look out for the man who attempts to deceive you when you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick.

Horrible Mine Accident.

On Monday, while at work in one of Coal Company, Henry Baer was caught under a heavy fall of roof coal and mangled in a most horrible manner

Dr. Speicher was at once called and

has since been doing everything for the unfortunate miner that surgical and medical skill can do, but the doctor says he can not see how the poofellow can possibly recover. "In fact, said the doctor, "he is the worst used up man to be alive that I ever saw. One of his legs is broken in two places, an ankle all twisted and mashed out of shape, frightful gashes about the head. etc. Blood has been running from his ears and nothing but blood can be drawn from his bladder. His condition beggars description, and another thing, he has a wife and six or seven children dependent upon him for support. It is to be hoped that the good people of the community and this poor man's employers will properly attend to the wants of his stricken family.

For broken surfaces, sores, insect bites is one reliable remedy, DeWitt's there is one reliable remedy, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. When you call for De Witt's don't accept counterfeits or frauds You will not be disappointed with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick

More Large Pears.

Mr. John Berkey, of Paint township. omerset county, on Wednesday brought to this office five pears of the Ladies' Favorite varitey that are hard to beat They measure ten inches around the body of the pear and twelve inches the long way. They are ripe and luscious, and it is doubtful if they can be surpassen anywhere.

Mr. Berkey has a fine orchard of apole trees that are so full that they are breaking down with their load of fruit.

Truth wears well, People have learned that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are reliable little pills for regulating the bowels, curing constipation and sick headache. They don't gripe. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick.

A Chance for Volunteers.

Washington, Sept. 1.-ln order to eep the Regular army up to the maximum of 61,000 men, the War department will have recruiting officers at all stations where volunteers are mustered out, with a view of giving the men an opportunity to enlist in the Regular service. The time which they have trade. served in the volunteer service will be allowed them as a part of the continuous service in the Regular branch. It is estimated that the Regular army is some 4,000 or 5,000 below the maxi-

One Minute Cough Cure surprises peopl vits quick cures and children may take it n large quantities without the least dan er. It has won for itself the best reputaion of any preparation used to-day for colds, croup, tickling in the throat or obsti-nate coughs. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick.

Another Hero.

Here's a hero who is worthy to rank ight along with the best of them. Leo Bridgewater is with a Missouri regiment at Chickamauga. His mother died recently, leaving, three small children in destitute circumstances. Bridge water was in the army and could not be discharged, so he took up a collection and bought a tub and started a laundry. His comrades heard of the reason and patronized him, so that he has been enabled to send home money to feed and clothe the children.-Ex.

Mountain View Items.

Sept. 5th.—The farmers are busy sow

ing their wheat. Farmer John Hostetler is well advancing with his new house. farmer John will be when the new house in done.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kretchman, mother of Samuel Kretchman, has been on the sick list for some time, but is now slowly recovering.

Fred. Wise, of Keim, and his eldest son. Calvin, had a fall-out in the mines to-day, and Fred. gave the son a whip-Then Calvin went home, packed his clothing and left home.

The school board of Elk Lick township met at the St. Paul school house engood and Stevanus affair. Simon Livengood brought suit against W. B. Stevanus for furnishing whisky to Albert Livengood, after which Albert attempted to shoot Simon; but as Simon could not prove his charges, Stevanus was not found guilty.

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HOUSE FOR SALE! Five rooms and kitchen, good water, four lots, good out-buildings. Will sell cheap, as I intend to leave here. Call on me at West Salisbury or address me at ROBERT GIBSON.

Ask your merchants for tokens of

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.—Estate of Jacob P. Miller, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of Jacob P. Miller, deceased. Letters of administration on the estate of Jacob P. Miller, late of Greenville township, Somerset county, Pa. deceased, have been granted to Catharine Miller and Harvey Miller, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demand will present the same duly authenticated at the late residence of said deceased, on Saturday, the 15th day of October, 1898.

CATHARINE MILLER

Ask your merchants for tokens of

FOR SALE! A one-horse wagon, one iron safe, two show cases and one store truck. For particulars apply at THE STAR office.

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LOST!-At the Salisbury pienic, eptember 3d, a white Woolen Scarf with tassels around the edge. Finder will confer a favor by leaving same at Elk Lick post-office or returning it to the owner, Miss Clara Beal, Salisbury,

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.

CARTRIDGE FAPER!—The miners can get enough Cartridge Paper for a few cents, at The Star office, to last them for several months.

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."

THE STAR, the Nickell Magazine and the New York Weekly Tribune, all one year for only \$2.00, cash with order. By this arrangement you get a good county paper, a good city paper and a firstclass illustrated magazine all at a trifling expense. Address all orders to The Star, Elk Lick, Pa.

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