

Wahl's Meat Market!

This place continues to be headquarters for Tender Steak, Juicy Roasts, Choice Dressed Poultry, Sausage, Pudding and Fresh Fish in Season.

I aim to serve my patrons with the best in my line that the market affords.

Thanking the public for a liberal patronage, and soliciting a continuance of the same, I am

Respectfully yours,
C. WAHL, Salisbury, Pa.

HAY'S HOTEL, Salisbury, Penn'a.

This elegant NEW THREE-STORY HOTEL is one of the best equipped hostleries in Somerset county.

Modern Equipments of all kinds, such as Steam Heat, Warm and Cold Baths, Telephone, Fine Bar, etc.

Centrally located with fine surroundings. Tables supplied with the best the markets afford. Rates reasonable.

C. T. HAY,
Proprietor.

Established 1853

P. S. HAY,
-DEALER IN-

Dry Goods

Notions, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes,

GROCERIES,
QUEENSWARE, TOBACCO,
CIGARS, ETC.

SALISBURY, PA.

UNDERTAKING AND EMBALMING

S. LOWRY & SON.

Long practical experience has especially fitted us for this work. Thanking you for past favors we solicit a continuance of the same.

S. Lowry & Son, - Salisbury, Pa.

FRANK PETRY, SR.,
CARPENTER AND BUILDER,
ELK LICK, PA.

Contracts taken, estimates promptly furnished and neat and substantial work guaranteed.

B. KRAUSSE,
BOOT & SHOEMAKER,
SALISBURY, PA.

Repairing a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JOHN W. RINGLER,
-SOLICITS YOUR-

COAL HAULING.
All kinds of hauling done promptly and at reasonable rates.

SALISBURY, PA.

W. F. GARLITZ,
Expressman and Drayman,
WEST SALISBURY, PA.

All kinds of hauling and delivering of goods at low prices. Your patronage is solicited.

For the best tonsorial work go to
C. M. MAY, The Leading Barber.
SHOP OPPOSITE HAY'S HOTEL.

Salisbury Hack Line,
SCHRAMM BROS., Proprietors.

SCHEDULE: Hack No. 1 leaves Salisbury at 8 A. M., arriving at Meyersdale at 10 A. M. Returning leaves Meyersdale at 1 P. M., arriving at Salisbury at 3 P. M.
Hack No. 2 leaves Salisbury at 1 P. M., arriving at Meyersdale at 3 P. M. Returning leaves Meyersdale at 6 P. M., arriving at Salisbury at 8 P. M.

B. & O. R. R. SCHEDULE.

Until further notice passenger trains will arrive at Meyersdale as follows:

EAST BOUND.
No. 10, Daily, 12:48 P. M.
No. 47, Daily, 4:53 P. M.
No. 6, Daily, 11:22 A. M.
No. 14, Daily, 10:56 A. M.

WEST BOUND.
No. 9, Daily, 3:08 P. M.
No. 47, Daily, 10:27 A. M.
No. 5, Daily, 4:53 P. M.
No. 11, Daily, 5:58 P. M.

Just received, at THE STAR office, a nice line of Visiting Cards.

QUAY'S CASE DESPERATE.

His Agents Are Trying to Fix Up
Contests to Oust Anti-
Quay Members.

AFTER ANTI-QUAY DEMOCRATS, TOO.

It is Given Out That the Senator Can Figure Out One of a Majority Against All Combinations. The Attempt to Fix Up Contests in Schuylkill—Failure of the Scheme in Chester County.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Harrisburg, Nov. 29.—The public is only awaking to a perfect realization of what the anti-Quay forces were really aiming at in the late campaign. The election of Colonel W. A. Stone as governor was heralded abroad as a great Quay triumph, and a victory over the anti-Quay forces. It was a Quay victory, but the great anti-Quay victory was in the work of electing a legislature that would defeat Senator Quay for return to Washington.

QUAY IS DEFEATED.
Senator Quay is defeated. On reliable authority it can be said that Senator Quay has reached a point where he can figure out, as he claims, one of a majority against any combination. This shows that Senator Quay himself even admits the almost hopelessness of his fight. The fact is that Senator Quay cannot figure out a majority. A combination between the Democrats and the anti-Quay Republicans will defeat him absolutely. And it will be by a substantial majority.

In the hope of securing Democratic aid the agents of Senator Quay are working night and day among the Democratic members-elect of the next legislature to induce them to keep out of a fusion movement.

AFRAID OF FUSION.
Senator Quay and his friends dread a fusion movement because it means death to their schemes. For the purpose of defeating any such thing they are encouraging the Democrats to bring out various prominent men over the state as Democratic candidates for the United States senate. They hope by this to create dissension. But even this will not work.

One of the best known politicians in the state, a Quay follower and in his employ, is engaged in the work of preparing contests in various counties over the state against Democrats and anti-Quay Republicans. The contestants, of course, are Quay men who were defeated in the late election. The plan is to carry these contests into the house of representatives, and with the aid of a solid Quay delegation and as many others as can be picked up by devious ways, seat some of the Quay men. This is the scheme that is being worked in Schuylkill county, where the most vigorous efforts are being put forth to induce the Quay candidates, who were defeated at the last election, to contest the seats of their successful opponents.

A STRANGE FEATURE.
The strange feature is presented in this of the Quay agents in one county setting up contests to oust Democrats, while in other counties they are doing everything possible to secure Democratic votes for Senator Quay. But there need be no fear about the Democrats' opposition to Quay; it is bitter and lasting.

One contest that had been fully decided upon was to come from Chester county. The regular ring ticket was defeated by a ticket composed of two Democrats and two anti-Quay Republicans. The Quay machine had fully decided to get up a contest and carry it to Harrisburg. It was given out that D. Smith Taibot, one of the defeated Quay candidates, would carry the contest through. Last week it was discovered that public opinion was so strong in Chester county against such a movement that it would be dangerous to put it through. The matter was dropped, and there will be no contest from this county at Harrisburg this winter.

DEALS NOT MADE.
One other point in the skirmish for place in the next legislature is the attempt of the Quay machine to create the impression that deals have been made with people all over the state which will insure Senator Quay's ultimate victory. Announcement has been made, without the slightest authority, that Quay deals have been arranged with Senator Magee, Secretary of the Commonwealth David Martin and with Senator Flynn, of Pittsburg. Every one of these stories is without foundation of fact. No deal or fix up has been made with the gentlemen named. It is simply the working of another of the Quay schemes that have grown threadbare.

As the situation stands today Senator Quay is defeated. Although he is not able to give a great deal of his time to his senatorial fight for a week or so, yet his agents are as active as they ever were. The trial of Senator Quay for conspiracy and the use of state funds comes up this week in Philadelphia, and he is looking after that. But had he all of his time his command it would avail him nothing in the next senatorial fight.

The Times has a larger circulation by many thousands than any other daily newspaper published in Pittsburg. This is admitted even by its competitors. The reasons for it are not hard to find. The Times is a tireless newsgatherer, edited with extreme care, spares no expense to entertain and inform its readers. It prints all the news in compact shape, caring always more for quality than quantity. It keeps its columns clean, but at the same time bright. Nothing that is of human interest is overlooked by it. It aims to be reliable rather than sensational. It believes in the gospel of get there, but it gets there with due respect for the facts. Test any department of it you choose—political, religious, markets, sporting, editorial, society, near town news—and you'll find the Times may be depended upon. \$3 a year, 6 cents a week.

THE NEW YORK WORLD, THRICE-A-WEEK EDITION.

18 Pages a Week.
156 Papers a Year.
FOR ONE DOLLAR.

Published every Alternate Day Except Sunday.

The Thrice-a-Week Edition of The New York World is first among all "weekly" papers in size, frequency of publication, and the freshness, accuracy and variety of its contents. It has all the merits of a great \$6 daily at the price of a dollar weekly. Its political news is prompt, complete, accurate and impartial as all its readers will testify. It is against the monopolies and for the people.

It prints the news of all the world, having special correspondence from all important news points on the globe. It has brilliant illustrations, stories by great authors, a capital humor page, complete markets, departments for the household and women's work and other special departments of unusual interest.

We offer this unequalled newspaper and THE SOMERSET COUNTY STAR together, one year for \$1.00.

The regular subscription price of the two papers is \$2.50.

Address orders to
THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa.

THE VITA REMEDIES.

THE GREATEST MEDICINES OF MODERN TIMES.
Are wonderful in their effects.
Not a failure to cure, in a thousand cases. They have effected more wonderful cures than any other class of medicines in the world.

THE VITA SUPPOSITORIES have saved thousands of ladies from the useless tortures of surgical operations. They effectually cure the female weak, nervous, and consumption and an early death.

When your physician and friends give you up to die, send for Vita and be cured. Two or three applications often saves life. Do not submit to an operation until you have tried this wonderful remedy. While there is life, there is hope. Ten days' treatment of the Vita Female Remedy sent free, upon receipt of four cts. to pay postage, one month's treatment \$1.00 or six for \$5.00. Send for circulars and testimonials. Special agents wanted, liberal terms to reliable parties. All correspondence strictly confidential.

PREPARED ONLY BY
THE VITA CO., - Louisville, Ky.
For terms and instructions address
Mrs. F. J. Cremin, Manager,
34 No. 1511 Garvin Place.

A Letter From Bishop McCabe Of New York City.

"With regard to Dr. James' Headache Powders, I have no hesitation in commending them to sufferers from headache. They relieve the pain speedily, and I have never known any one to be harmed by their use. I have been a great sufferer from headache in my life, but have almost gotten rid of it by the constant use of hot water and fruit, and by doing without coffee. The Dr. James' Headache Powders have, however, greatly relieved me at times, and I never allow myself to be without them, and have recommended them to others freely."
(Formerly Chaplain) C. C. McCABE.

If you cannot get Dr. James' Headache Powders at your store, send us a stamp for a sample, or five cent stamps for regular use size.

THE J. W. JAMES CO.,
EAST BRADY, PENN.

THE STAR and the Thrice-a-Week New York World, both one year for only \$1.00, cash with order. The World three times a week is better than the average daily newspaper. Address all orders to THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa.

CALL'S INSTANTANEOUS REPAIR TOOL.

Punctures in your tire will not trouble you any more if you will purchase one of these little tools which can be carried in the vest pocket. All you need besides the tool is a common rubber band; a minute's work. This tool does not enlarge the puncture. With this in your possession, you reduce the cost of keeping your bicycle free from punctures at the cost of a rubber band, which is about a sixth part of a cent. Price Complete, 50 Cents.

Ridgeway Instantaneous
ADJUSTABLE HANDLE BAR.
WHAT ARE ITS ADVANTAGES?
1st, Perfect Safety. 2nd, Perfect Simplicity. 3rd, Instant Adjustment. 4th, No tools needed whatever. 5th, Can be adjusted to any position WITHOUT RIDING. 6th, No nuts or screws to work loose. 7th, Not in appearance. In fact, the rider is at all times in an EASY and NATURAL position, and can Agents Wanted. Sent for Circulars.
J. H. BURT MFG CO.,
SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

TACOMA System Regulator.

AN IDEAL LAXATIVE.
Mild, agreeable to take and never causing irritation.
NO CRIPING. NO PAINS.
Cures Biliousness, Constipation, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Sick Headache and all diseases arising from a sluggish liver or irregularities of the stomach or bowels.
PRICE: 25 Cts., 50 Cts., \$1.00.
The Standard Remedy Co.,
CHICAGO.

AGENTS WANTED

In Every County to Supply the Great Popular Demand for

America's War For Humanity

TOLD IN PICTURE
AND STORY
With an Introduction by
HON. JOHN J. INGALLS,
..of Kansas..

The most brilliantly written, most profusely and artistically illustrated, and most intensely popular book on the subject of the war with Spain. Nearly

200 Superb Illustrations from Photographs taken specially for this great work. Agents are making \$50 to \$100 a week selling it. A veritable bonanza for live canvassers. Apply for description, terms and territory at once to

N. D. THOMPSON PUBLISHING CO.,
St. Louis, Mo., or New York City.

A SURE THING!

TAXES AND DEATH

are the unescapable things we have to look after. There is an equally sure thing, and that is that I give you better goods and better inducements for buying than you can find at any other place. You may depend on what I say. My

Goods Are First-class!
My Prices Right!

Write for prices. The old reliable marble yard,

G. W. GROSE, Washington St.,
HYNDMAN, PA.
DAVID ENOS, Agent.

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE PATENTS

TRADE MARKS
DESIGNS
COPYRIGHTS & C.
Anyone sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. Handbook on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through Munn & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the
Scientific American.

A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$3 a year, four months, \$1. Sold by all newsdealers.
MUNN & Co., 361 Broadway, New York
Branch Office, 625 F St., Washington, D. C.

SCALP BLANKS for sale at THE STAR office.

THE NEW YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE,

—THE GREAT—
National Family
Newspaper
For FARMERS
and VILLAGERS,
and your favorite home paper,

The Somerset County Star,

Both one Year for \$1.50.
THE N. Y. WEEKLY TRIBUNE has an Agricultural Department of the highest merit, all important news of the Nation and World, comprehensive and reliable market reports, able editorials, interesting short stories, scientific and mechanical information, illustrated fashion articles, humorous pictures, and is instructive and entertaining to every member of every family.

THE STAR gives you all the local news, political and social, keeps you in close touch with your neighbors and friends, on the farm and in the village, informs you as to local prices for farm products, the condition of crops and prospects for the year, and is a bright, newsy, welcome and indispensable weekly visitor at your home and fireside.

Send all orders to THE STAR.
ELK LICK, PENNA.

MEANS PERFECTION WHEN APPLIED TO
Winchester
REPEATING RIFLES AND ALL KINDS OF
SHOT-GUNS AMMUNITION
SINGLE SHOT RIFLES

Pronounced by Experts the Standard of the World.
Ask your dealer for WINCHESTER make of Gun or Ammunition and take no other.
FREE!—Our new Illustrated Catalogue.
WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS CO., New Haven, Ct.

THE WONDERFUL
REMEDY FOR
TIKO Rheumatism
It is not a CURE-ALL, but it is a Specific for RHEUMATISM.
One hundred and forty-four bottles Cured 100 cases of RHEUMATISM.
TIKO is a medicine taken INTERNALLY, the only method by which RHEUMATISM can be successfully treated. It cures the CAUSE, and therein lies its remarkable success. Its price is \$1.00 per bottle, or three bottles for \$2.50, and if your Druggist has not got it, it will be sent to you, by Express, ALL CHARGES PAID, on receipt of price.
Address: PURINTON MEDICINE COMPANY, Detroit, Mich.

I have been a great sufferer from constipation for over five years. Nothing gave me any relief. My feet and legs and abdomen were bloated so I could not wear shoes on my feet and only a loose dress. I saw Ripans Tablets advertised in our daily paper, bought some and took them as directed. I have taken them about three weeks and the result is such a change! I am not constipated any more and I owe it all to Ripans Tablets. I am thirty-seven years old, have no occupation, only my household duties and nursing my sick husband. He has had the dropsy and I am trying Ripans Tablets for him. He feels some better but it will take some time, he has been sick so long. You may use my letter and name as you like.
Mrs. MARY GORMAN CLARK.

I have been suffering from headaches ever since I was a little girl. I could never ride in a car or go into a crowded place without getting a headache and sick at my stomach. I heard about Ripans Tablets from an aunt of mine who was taking them for catarrh of the stomach. She had found such relief from their use she advised me to take them too, and I have been doing so since last October, and will say they have completely cured my headache. I am twenty-nine years old. You are welcome to use this testimonial.
Mrs. J. BROOKMAN.

ONE GIVES RELIEF.
R-I-P-A-N-S
The modern standard Family Medicine - Cures the common every-day ill of humanity.
I want to inform you, in words of highest praise, of the benefit I have derived from Ripans Tablets. I am a professional nurse and in this profession a clear head is always needed. Ripans Tablets does it. After one of my cases I found myself completely run down. Acting on the advice of Mr. Geo. Bowser, Ph. G., 58 Newark Ave., Jersey City, I took Ripans Tablets with grand results. Miss DESSIE WIDMANN.
Mother was troubled with heartburn and sleeplessness, caused by indigestion, for a good many years. One day she saw a testimonial in the paper endorsing Ripans Tablets. She determined to give them a trial, was greatly relieved by their use and now takes the Tablets regularly. She keeps a few cartons Ripans Tablets in the house and says she will not be without them. The heartburn and sleeplessness have disappeared with the indigestion which was formerly so great a burden for her. Our whole family takes the Tablets regularly, especially after a hearty meal. My mother is fifty years of age and is enjoying the best of health and spirits; also eats hearty meals, an impossibility before she took Ripans Tablets.
ANTON H. BLAUKER.

A new style pocket containing TEN RIPANS TABLETS packed in a paper carton (without glass) is now for sale at some drug stores - FOR FIVE CENTS. This low-priced set is intended for the poor and the economical. One dozen of the five-cent cartons (15 tablets) can be had by mail by sending forty-eight cents to the RIPANS TABLETS COMPANY, No. 19 Spruce Street, New York - or a single carton (five tablets) will be sent for five cents. RIPANS TABLETS may also be had of some grocers, general storekeepers, news agents and at some liquor stores and barber shops. They banish pain, induce sleep and prolong life. One gives relief.