THE SOMERSET GOUNTY STAR

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

J. L. Barchus, who had been sick for several days, is again able to be about. Brother Marshall, of the Berlin Record, has for some time been in the grip of la grippe.

Miss Florence Livengood was married to Mr. William B. Usilton, in Washington, D. C., Dec. 29th last.

Rev. E. S. Johnston went to Stoystown, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. John H. Snyder, who died several days ago.

For sudden changes in the weather, the month of January, 1899, will long be remembered. It has been a very unhealthy month thus far.

Don't forget to renew your subscriptions, pay in advance and save 25 cents by so doing. Many subscriptions exire with our next issue, and we need the money badly.

Died, near Deal's mill, Jan. 8th, Dewey, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shoemaker. Interment at White Oak, Rev. J. H. Knepper, of Meyersdale, officiating.

We are glad to see Mr. Lloyd Beachy out again, he having recently had a hard tussle with quinsy and diphtheria. Aside from being very hoarse, he is feeling all right and looking first rate.

Ex-Judge Thayer, of Garrett county, Md., died at his home, near Thayerson Monday night of last week, aged 75 years. Mr. Thayer was one of the oldest citizens of Garrett county, and an active Democratic politician in his day.

Now let our legislators at Harrisburg give us a law against importing scab labor. A law against hiring barroom bums, Pinkerton thugs, jail birds and the off-scourings of hades to point guns at honest American workmen. would also be a step in the right direc-

THE STAR will likely move into new quarters as soon as this issue is printed and mailed, having rented the room over Haselbarth's hardware store Barring accidents to our presses in moving, THE STAR will twinkle promptly on time, next week, in its new quar-

The interstate report for 1898 shows the earnings from meat transportation on the Pennsylvania system to be \$2,-794.305, divided as follows: Pennsylvania railroad, \$1,416,514; Panhandle \$774,789; Pennsylvania company lines, \$457,993; Vandalia line, \$214,281.

Mr. George Russell, son of Mr. James Russell, of West Salisbury, died at his and mushy, usht like der Republicans home, of pneumonia, last Saturday und it vent down, usht like der Repub-evening, aged about 22 years. Funeral lican barty vill vent down, ivver a vile was held at the Reformed church Monday, Rev. Leader officiating. STAR extends its sympathy to the Russell family.

Sarah, the wife of Mr. Henry Yost, and an eunt of the editor's, died at her home in Garrett county, Md., Tuesday morning. The funeral takes place to-Deceased was a highly esteemed Christian woman and for many years a faithful member of the German Baptist church. She was aged about 63 years and leaves a husband, three sons and two daughters to mourn their loss

On Monday, Jan. 2nd, the Board of County Commissioners made the following appointments: Mercantile Appraiser, Irvin F. Brant, of Stonycreek; Clerk to Commissioners, John Emert; Commissioners, A. L. Hay, Esq.; Physician to Jail, Dr. H. S. dian of the Court House and grounds;

Aha! The Supreme court will not Aha! The Supreme court will not interfere with the Quay case. The petition of the defendants for a change of venue did not work, and Matthew of venue did no fore Judge Finletter, of the Philadel-

fruit. It also looks as though Quay is doomed to be defeated for the United States Senate.

A copy of the first issue of the Frostburg Gleaner, a new paper established at Frostburg, Md., has found its way to onr exchange table. It is a three-column folio, neatly printed and newsy, and published by Henry F. Cook. While the new paper is very small, it is nevertheless very saucy and aggressive, and it seems to have a chip on its shoulder for the Frostburg Forum to knock off. The Gleaner is an amusing little "cuss," and THE STAR likes it well tor J. B. Oder, of the Frostburg Journal, seems to be pleased at the advent all sources. of the new paper, and he is no doubt sitting serenely on the journalistic cooking the Journal's hated rival the

La Grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. specific cure is One minute Cough Cure. J. Sheperd, Publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Elden, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using one Minute Cough Cure for La Grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. P. S. Hay, Elk Kick, Pa.

was 102. If the 6.295 cars in the trains were put together in a line, they would make a train thirty-five miles long. This is the greatest number of cars that ever passed over the Middle divis- all send our congratulations. ion in twenty-four hours .- Altoona Mir-

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suffered agony for thirty years, and then cured his Piles by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, It heals injuries and skin diseases like magic. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick, Pa.

The Retiring Postmaster Talks.

I deem this a fitting time to extend to my many friends and the public generally my thanks for their oft expressed approval and appreciation of my efforts in the discharge of my duty as postmaster, in which sphere I have now served, in all, about nine years and if you have been well served, my only wish, by your courteous help, has been fully realized.

And now let me bespeak for him who has been chosen my successor, the same kind consideration you have shown me and to suggest that you can greatly as sist him by getting your letters for mailing to the office early, and by being prompt in the settlement of your box rents, which, under the law, must be paid within the first ten days of each quarter. It will afford him no pleasure if compelled to put a "vacant'

notice in your box.

With my kind regards and bes wishes for the future welfare and happiness of all.

I remain yours SILAS A. WAGNEP.

These are dangerous times for the healt These are dangerous times for the health Croup, colds and throat troubles lead rapid by to Consumption. A bottle of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and a large amount of money. Pleasant to take; children like it P. S. Hay, Elk Lick, Pa.

Republican Ice.

A couple of weeks ago we published an item concerning Democratic ice upon information of Elijah Livengood who got off a harmless joke at the ex pense of his jolly Democratic German neighbor, Mr. Louis Horchler. week our friend "Louie," who by the way is not slow to return a joke, get even with Mr. Livengood as follow

"Dis veek der vas some Republican ice on der river," remarked "Louie" to the editor, the other day. How do you know it was Republican ice?" asked the editor. "Got im himmel," said "Louie. "I know it vas, pecause it vas all soft ung fer Liche, vill vou?"

That's pretty tough on the Republicans, but as all good jokes are free. Mr. Horchler has a right to get even with his neighbor, and he has certainly

To insure a happy new year, keep the live clear and the body vigorous by using De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation and liver troubles P. S. Hay, Elk Lick, Pa.

Republican Caucus.

I hereby give notice that a caucus representing the Republican party will From the Frostburg "Mining Journal." be held at the school house, in West Salisbury, on Saturday, Jan. 28, at one nating candidates for the various offices finy, esq.; Physician to Jail, Dr. H. S. of the township of Elk Lick, as follows: tion that his proper discharge of the duties of that office will work no deduction of the Court House and grounds: James Woolley, Janitor and Fireman of Election and Inspector; two persons quality. for the office of School Director; three persons for the office of Supervisor. Let Editor Livengood, of the Somerser

matthew shake in his boots. It looks as though the "old man" and his plum tree are both to be hewn down and pill, cyfe pill. P. S. Hay, Eik Lick, Pa.

cast into the fire for bearing corrupt The Editor Returns Thanks for Congratulations and Kind Words.

> By the grace of God and the author ity vested in Charles Emory Smith, the Postmaster General of the United States of America, the editor of this Lick, Dec. 24th, 1898, and having been duly commissioned, will take charge of said office on Monday, Jan. 16th, 1899.

As soon as the news of the appointment was published in the daily newspapers, people came to THE STAR office by the score to congratulate the editor, enough to list it for an exchange. Edi- lation and complimentary notices in newspapers have been pouring in from

We sincerely thank our kind friends for their congratulations, and followfence, where he can watch Editor Cook | ing we reproduce the contents of a few of the aforesaid letters and complimentary newspaper notices:

From Charles F. Cook, Berlin, Pa. It has been a source of a great pleaspostmaster at Elk Lick. Sincerest congratulations and compliments of the season.

From Mrs. M. J. Coleman, Carleton, Neb.

From Mrs. A. D. Gnagey, Ashland, O. We noticed in the paper that you have been appointed postmaster. We

From Miller & Collins, Meyersdale, Pa. Accept congratulations on your appointment and best wishes for a pros perous New Year.

From the Meyersdale Postmaster.

Accept congratulations upon your appointment to the postmastership at Elk Lick. My official relations with the present P. M., Mr. Wagner, have been of the most pleasant character, and I trust that when you are at the helm that the same kind feeling and official courtesy will continue. I wel- to come you to the service and will be pleased to confer with you at any time and give you all the information or assistance I can.

from F. B. Black, Meyersdale, Pa My congratulations.

from the Wathena Kan "Star" P. L. Livengood, editor of the Somer-SET COUNTY, (Pa.,) STAR, published at Elk Lick, and one of our most highly valued exchanges, has been appointed postmaster of his town.

From the Carleton Neb., "Leader."

We notice by a late issue of the Somerser County Stan that its editor, P L. Livengood, has been appointed postmaster of Elk Lick. The Leader gratulates P. L. upon his good fortune

From the Longconing, Md., "Star."

The Star notes with satisfaction that postmaster at that place. This is a of New York, the recognition not only of the editorial, band of swindlers. out of the business and official ability of the profession. We can rest assured will fail to reach the office of our nameake. May his shadow never growless.

rom the Somerset "Standard."

fift than that which come to Editor P. L. Livengood of the Salisbury Star, it filled. being nothing less than his appoint-

brighter than ever now, and I for one feel that I can't do without it.

In addition to the foregoing we wish to add a few remarks which we deem in order at this time.

The retiring postmaster, Mr. Silas A. Wagner, has served the patrons of the paper was appointed postmaster at Elk Lick postoffice for a period of nine years or more, and when we say that he has discharged his duties well, we believe that we voice the senti ments of the entire community. Mr. Wagner has proven himself a competent official as well as a genial, courteous and accommodating gentleman; and aside from this, letters of congratu- and in assuming the duties of the office his successor will endeavor to serve the patrons of the same as acceptably as Mr. Wagner has done, and we hardly think anyone will expect or desire any better or more satisfactory service than our predecessor has rendered.

We solicit the same kindly consideration that has been shown to the retiring postmaster, which we shall do our best to merit, and we trust that the reure for me to note your appointment as lations between the newly appointed postmaster and the patrons of the office will be mutually satisfactory and

Last Friday was a record-breaker on the Middle division. The number of trains which left this city for the east, was 10? If the 6 20. Mr. S. A. Fackler, Editor of the Micanopy ute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for La Grippe, and its exhausting after effects. P. S. Hay, Elk Lick, Pa.

A Newspaper Worth Reading.

With a circulation showing a gratifying increase as compared with a year ngo, with a more extensive advertising patronage than ever before, with added press facilities which permit of enlarged editions whenever necessary, the Pittsburg Times comes to the public for 1899. It modestly claims to be a good, all-around newspaper, neglecting no opportunity to entertain its readers and sparing no effort or expense to got the news accurately and promptly. While it is Republican in politics it endeavors be fair in discussion. Overlooking no field of human interest, it is carefully edited and courts the favor of the fireside rather than the applause of sensation mongers. For reference it sabmits to the unbiased judgment of newspaper men anywhere in the territory in which it circulates. Three dollars a year or six cents a week.

Coughing injures and inflames sore lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens the cold-allays coughing and heals quickly. The best cough cure for children. P. S. Hny, Elk Lick, Pa.

GREEN GOODS MEN TRAPPED.

The following dispatch was sent out

from Allentown, Pa., last Thursday: A gang of green goods men were caught red-handed, to-day, while trying to close a deal with two supposed the editor of Salisbury Star, published farmers. The police who made the ar-at Elk Lick, Pa., has been appointed rest think they have caught Jack Ryan, rest think they have caught Jack Ryan, New York, the head of a notorious

The story of the capture is an interesting one. About a year ago Weldon hat no exchanges or marked copies G. Will, of Somerset county, came to Allentown and was fleeced by green goods men, who, at the revolver's point, robbed him of \$300 and sent But few persons, if any, in this coun-y received a more welcome Christmas ift than that which come to Felicas E. revenged, and to-day his oath was ful-

Some months ago his uncle, Philip ment as postmaster at Elk Lick. The Will, and Charles Weigle, received appointment is a merited one and will, green goods circulars and decided to

The Journal congratulates P. L. Liv- not be able to make the deal until toengood, editor of the Salisbury, Pa., day. This morning the supposed vic o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nomi- STAR, upon his appointment as post- time left the hotel separately and met master at that place, upon the condi- the three green goods men at Sixth terioration of THE STAR'S editorial meantime the police were kept informed of the new arrangement, and early selected by Secretary Alger. They are in the day Chief Harrity end Seargeant embraced in the following organizain the day Chief Harrity and Seargeant

ORPHANS' COURT SALE

-of Valuable-

REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset and to me directed, I will offer at public outery, upon the premises, on

Saturday, Feb 4, 1899.

the following property of D. M. Loop, lately the following property of D. M. Loop, lately deceased:

All that certain tract of land situate in upper Turkevfoot township. Somerset county, Penna.—Beginning at a corner of a division lately made by John Elcher and William Eicher, in the public road from Somerset to Pedersburg; thence by said somerset to Pedersburg; thence by said stones at the west steep, east 25 perches to stones at the west steep, east 25 all perches togen by the land of John Eicher, north 54 1-4 degrees, west 20 all perches togen post; thence by land of William Eicher, south 54 1-4 degrees, east 31 5-10 perches to the place of beginning; containing four [4] acres strict measure, having thereon creeted a two-story plank house containing six rooms, a stable and spring house; also a fine lot of small fruit.

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Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Philip Beck, late of Jeffers ownship, Somerset county, Pa., dec'd. Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to those knowing themselves indebt, and those knowing themselves indebt, and to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated against the large of the present the large states of decedent in Jeffers on the large states. 2-16

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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I desire to give notice to the public that I have located in the borough of Salisbury, where I have opened a Real Estate Office for the purpose of selling properties of all kinds, houses rented, rents collected, sales negotiated, beeds, Mortgages, Lenses, Options and Articles of Agreement type-writen on short notice. Charges reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. All business entrusted to my care will receive prompt and careful attention. Hoping to receive a specifical system of the properties of the self-green of the self

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERY-WHERE for "The Story of the Thillppines" by Murat Halstend, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the factory of the Thillpook was written in army camps as the factory of the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manifa, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the roar of battle at the fall of Manifa. Bonanza for battle at the fall of grants and pictures taken by Government photographers on the spot, for the Commission of the

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons not to purchase from Harvey J. Baughman, or any other person, any property now on my farms occupied or used by said Harvey J. Baughman, in Brothers-Two Stonycreek Men Get Revenge. and any person purchasing the same or any part thereof will do so at his peril. J. G. GARDILL

\$15.00 Per Week. Wantad.oran sole Agent in your locality for "Pulchraine" the great cosmetic. Send References and illo; for sample. Price 35c, Address: 2-2 Henry Kruempel, Editor, Utica, N. Y.

where the green goods deal was going

At the sight of the officers the swindlers scattered, the fellow with the valise containing the green goods escaping through a second-story window. The officers, however, arrested the man supposed to be Ryan, and the steerer They were placed in charge of Sergeant Knaus, and while officer Smith was searching the house, Ryan made a dash out of the back door, but Officer Smith's revolver brought him back. Mean while the steerer, who was kandcuffed, escaped out of the front door. The

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

Washington, Jan. 6, 1899. About 16,000 volunteers out of the 50,000 to be mustered out, have been were distributed along Front street.
Third New Jersey, Fifteenth Pennsylvania, South Carolina Heavy Battery, From Hon. Jos. J. Statzman, Somerset, Pa.

I congratulate you on the clegant plum you got off of your Christmas

Tree. We expect Tue Star to twinkle

\$3.00 Solid Silver Watches.

\$1.00 Solid Gold Rings 50 cent Spectacles and 25-cent Sterling Silver Novelties. T. W. GURLEN

Wraps and Dress Goods can be bought cheaper than anywhere else in the county at HART-LEY'S RELIABLE CASH STORE, MEYERSDALE, PENNA.

Men and Boys

can buy Overcoats and Suits cheaper at Hartley's Reliable Cash Store than any place else in the county. An immense stock to select from.

Everybody:

can buy everything in the line of Fine Dry Goods at astonishingly low prices at HARTLEY'S RELIABLE CASH STORE, MEYERSDALE, PENNA.

A BIG CLUB.

Cut this out and return to us with \$1.00 and we'll send the following, postage prepaid.

VERMONT FARM JOURNAL, I YR.
NEW YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE I YR.
AMERICAN POULTRY ADVOCATE I YR.
THE GENTLEWOMAN I YR.
MARION HARLAND'S COOK BOOK.
TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM.

All For \$1. Regular Cost \$4.00.

This combination fills a family need. Two farm papers for the men—The "Gentlewoman," an ideal paper for the indig—N. Y.
Weekly Tribune for all—Marciolavenant's
Cook Book with 200 pages and the book. "To
Nights in a Bar Room," the greatest temperance novel of the age. A two cent stamp
brings samples of papers and our great
clubbing list.

Vermont Farm Journal, WM. L. PACKARD. Main St. WILMINGTON, VT



PUBLIC SALE

-of Valuable-

REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the last will and testament of John Marker, Int of Upper Turkey foot township, deceased, I, the undersigned executive of the said decedent, will expose to public salle at the "Homestead" one and one-half miles northwest of Kingwood, in Upper Turkey-foot township, Somerset county, Pa., on

Friday, Feb. 3d, 1899. at One O'clock P. M.,

following described tracts of land, to-

some monts ago in sales, failing the spointment is a meiried one and will, no doubt, give general satisfaction among the patrons of the office. Mr. Livengood will be a good official, and the Standard congratulates him on his good fortune.

From the Somerset Democrat."

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One-third of the purchase money in par-cels Nos.1 and 2 to remain a lien on the premises, the interest to be paid annually to Ruchel Marker, during her natural life, and at her death the principal sum to be paid to the legal representatives of John Marker, decersed, as is provided in his last will and testament. The balance of the purchase money of No.1 to be paid as fol-lows: \$1,800,00 down on the delivery of the deed, and the balance in payments of \$300,00 per annum, without interest, which pay-ments are to be secured by Juagments upon the premises.

payment to be secured a promises.

3. This tract will be sold for each updelivery of the deed and the widows will be released. Presession will be of Nos. 2 and was soon as the deed is on the deed duty of April, 189.

1. ACMARI MARKER Executive.