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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

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I will give One Hundred Dollars in cash to the persons who can arrange these four groups of letters into the names of four well known and common food articles which are used by every housekeeper. "GURAS," "EAT," "TOFEL," "FOEFE." You can only use each letter in its own group and only as many times as it appears in its own group. Each group makes a name. The $100 will be paid April 30, 1900. If two or more persons send the correct answer, the $100 will be divided pro rata. I will also send free and postpiad to each person answering, six different packets of fresh and beautiful assorted flower seeds. My object is to introduce my large illustrated monthly publication, "Evening Hours," which contains many fine illustrated stories, Literary Selections, Artistic Fashions, Illustrations, Departments for the Garden, Household, Women and Children, by famous authors. It will interest every member of the family. With your answer you must send fifteen two cent stamps for six months trial subscription. You will like my publication, and if your answer is correct, you will receive cash award as above stated. Send to-day and you will be highly pleased. Address, J. W. RING, Publisher, 118-122 Market St., Newark, N.J. 4-5

☞ IF YOU ARE IN NEED of a Suit of Clothes or an Overcoat, it will pay you to visit our Clearance Sale and buy at reduced prics.

tf ELK LICK SUPPLY CO.

Auditor's Notice.

In the estate of Jacob P. Miller, late of Greenville township, Somerset county, Pa., deceased.

—No. 54, 1898.—

The Orphans' Court of Somerset county, Pa., having appointed the undersigned Auditor in the estate of the aforesaid decedent, it becomes the Auditor's duty to make a distribution of the funds in the hands of Harvey Miller and Catharine Miller, trustees for the sale of the real estate of the said decedent, to and among those legally entitled thereto, and notice is hereby given that the duties of said appointment will be attended to at the office of Kooser & Kooser, in Somerset borough, on Tuesday, April 17th, 1900, at 1 o'clock p. m., when and where persons interested may appear.

ERNEST O. KOOSER,
4-5 Auditor.

See a lot of Portuguese men in another column treading grapes with their feet for making wine. Read about it, also about Speer's improved method of mashing grapes and making wine. 4-15

☞ DON'T FAIL to read our new "ad." It will interest you.

ELK LICK SUPPLY CO.

☞ BICYCLE FOR SALE!—A good new 1899 model Monarch. This is the finest machine in this part of the county, and it has been ridden only 138 miles. It is a beauty, and in every way as good as when it left the factory; has all the latest improvements. Will be sold cheap. Inquire at THE STAR office. It

☞ OUR OFFER this week on Ladies' Coat Suits, Coats and Capes is a good one. Don't fail to see them and learn how cheap they are sold.

tf ELK LICK SUPPLY CO.

☞ SALISBURY NORMAL will open April 30th to continue eight weeks.

tf V. R. SAYLOR, Principal.

Noah After the Flood

Planted the first fruit, the grape, the most healthy of all the products of the earth.

Speer, the oldest wine grower in the U. S., has vineyards of the Portugal Grape from which his wines are made and fully matured by great age and are valuable.

Wid-Winter Excursions to Washington—Very Low Rates—Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has made arrangements for a series of popular Mid-Winter Excursions to Washington, at one fare for the round trip, allowing ten day limit on tickets, including date of sale. These excursions will be run on February 15th and April 12th, 1900. Tickets will be good going on regular trains of the above dates and good to return on regular trains within ten days, including date of sale.

Do not miss these splendid opportunities to visit the National Capital during the session of Congress. Call on M. F. Riley, Agent B. & O. R. R., for full information. 4-12

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

How dear to our hearts
Is the cash on subscription
When the generous subscriber
Presents it to view;
But the man who won't pay
We refrain from description,
For perhaps, dear reader,
That man may be you.—EX.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Usilton, of Washington, D. C., were visiting friends in this vicinity last week.

Dr. J. C. Mackey will deliver his farewell address, in the Brethren church, Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock.

The editor has been very unwell for several days during the week, and is now suffering from a very lame leg.

Matthew Fair's cow was killed on the railroad, Monday last. It seems to THE STAR that Matthew is having more than his share of bad luck during the last year.

A Connecticut judge has decided that it is not beggary in the legal sense of the term for a tramp to ask for a chew of tobacco. The law thus recognizes a man's most promising need.—Ex.

M. B. Smith, Butternut, Mich., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the very best pills I ever used for costiveness, liver and bowel troubles." Sold by medicine dealers.

John B. Wagner, we are sorry to say, has been suffering very much with rheumatism for the last week or two. John is subject to the painful malady, and his condition is at times something terrible.

We are sorry to announce that Mr. Samuel A. Beachy is badly crippled with rheumatism. He has been confined to his room for several weeks, we are informed, and everybody knowing what a worker Mr. Beachy is, knows just how hard it must set on him to be idle. We hope he will soon recover.

To secure the original witch hazel salve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. They are dangerous. Sold by medicine dealers.

If interested in horses, cows or sheep, take the Farm Journal. It is a wonderfully good little paper, and you ought to take it. We send THE STAR one year and the Farm Journal nearly 5 years (remainder of 1900, and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904), all for $1.25. This only to new and old subscribers who pay in advance. Pay up. It

"Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Milesburg, Pa., says, "As a speedy cure for coughs, colds, croup and soare throat One Minute Cough Cure is unequaled. It is pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers." It is the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung diseases. It will prevent consumption. Sold by medicine dealers.

Lewis Ackerman, Goshen, Ind., says, "DeWitt's Little Early Risers always bring certain relief, cure my headache and never gripe." They gently cleanse and invigorate the bowels and liver. Sold by medicine dealers.

Mrs. Wm. Stanton, who used to reside about one mile east of Grantsville, Md., but who some years ago emigrated west, died in one of the western states last week. Her body was forwarded to Grantsville for burial, last Thursday. Mrs. Stanton was a sister of Henry DeHaven, of this borough.

Rumor has it, and apparently well founded rumor, too, that a regular passenger train is to be put on the Salisbury branch in May, said train to run through to Johnstown and return, making two trips daily. That is what we need, and THE STAR hopes to see the rumor become a reality, even if it makes a distributing office of the West Salisbury P. O.

"I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my family with wonderful results. It gives immediate relief, is pleasant to take and is truly the dyspeptic's best friend," says E. Hartgerink, Overisel, Mich. Digests what you eat. Cannot fail to cure. Sold by medicine dealers.

Owing to the inclement weather, Mr. J. Ed. Gross, agent for Wm. G. Hiller, the reliable Frostburg tailor, could not be here as per his announcement in last week's STAR. He will be here, however, on Saturday of this week, and if in need of clothing you will do well to call upon him at Hay's hotel, where you will find him with the finest line of samples ever exhibited in Salisbury. He will remain for several days.

The Rev. L. A. Hazlett, of Nappanee, Indiana, has been unanimously called to succeed the Rev. Dr. J. C. Mackey, as pastor of the Brethren church of this town. Mr. Hazlett is a young man of much promise, having received his education at Danville (Indiana) Normal, and Ashland (Ohio) University, subsequently teaching in the latter institution. Dr. Mackey goes to the city of Eaton, Ohio, to reside, and will have charge of the West Alexandria Brethren church.

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hinsdale, Ill., writes, "I never fail to relieve my children from croup at once by using One Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel safe without it." Quickly cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung diseases. Sold by medicine dealers.

Mr. J. H. Suder, of near Glen-Savage, was in town, Tuesday, and brought the word that Andrew Carnegie had bought the Maxwell firebrick works at Fairhope, and would greatly increase the capacity of the plant, and erect a number of houses for additional workmen. Mr. Carnegie purchased also, said Mr. Suder, the store and buildings of merchant L. F. Dorn. The product of the Fairhope works is to be used in the steel magnate's business in and about Pittsburg.—*Berlin Record.*

M. J. Beachy, of Salisbury, Pa., stepped in last Saturday to give some account of his travels. He had been through east Garrett and west Allegany—first on that side then on this, and so on, selling the "Bradley" fertilizer to farmers in both counties. He was feeling well over his his success at booking orders, and took occasion to express the conviction that in all his travels he has never found a more hospitable, genial and in-every-way clever people than those who live in the section indicated. Beachy, a whole-souled fellow himself, is just the sort to discover the generous traits of others. —*Frostburg Journal.*

Wm. Orr, Newark, O., says, "We never feel safe without One Minute Cough Cure in the house. It saved my little boy's life when he had pneumonia. We think it is the best medicine made." It cures coughs and all lung diseases. Pleasant to take, harmless and gives immediate results. Sold by medicine dealers.

Manager Beam, of the electric light plant, is rejoicing over the fact that the difficulties arising from the use of water tinctured with metal-eating sulphur has been at last overcome. Mr. J. G. Bender, of Friedens, with his drilling machine, tapped at a distance of 50 feet a vigorous flow that is not likely to give trouble on the old scale. New flues were inserted in the place of the others partially eaten through. In drilling Mr. Bender passed through an excellent body of fire clay, thirteen feet in thickness, and entirely free from grit and other substances. This bed of clay may prove the basis of an important Berlin industry some time in the future. —*Berlin Record.*

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. Sold by medicine dealers.

A minister in Centre county recently startled his congregation with the following language: "Before the stewards take up the collection I would like to make a few remarks. There are over two hundred persons in this house counting sinners and saints, crooked and strait, big and little, male and female, not including the crying babies. If each person here thinks my sermon worth the price of a glass of beer or a nickle cigar, let him pay that amount. If each pays a nickle it will make a total of ten dollars this evening. This repeated every Sunday in the year would pay my salary. A sermon that isn't worth a nickle isn't worth coming to hear, and a person that will beat the Lord, the preacher or the printer is a goat of the most odoriferous."

The farmers of the United States have long needed a good work on swine, a practical, concise and common-sense book without any padding or humbug about it. They have it in the form of No. 5 of The Biggle Books called Biggle Swine Book. It is profusely illustrated with photographs direct from life of the different breeds of hogs, etc., etc. Much attention is given to western and eastern practices, in the disease of hogs, especially to cholera, to feeding, breeding, butchering and the carving of meats for home use and market. There are are 144 pages printed on the best paper and bound handsomely in cloth. Some breeders have thought it was not possible to make a good photograph of a hog, but the score or more of handsome engravings made directly from photographs will go far to dispel this illusion. All the leading breeds are shown and briefly discussed in the text. The price is 50 cents, free by mail; address the publishers, Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia. It

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION.

By virtue of authority vested in me by the Rules and Regulations governing Republican Primary Elections in Somerset county, I designate

Saturday, April 21, 1900,

between the hours of 8. a. m., and 7 p. m., the time for holding the Republican Primary Election, "at the usual places of holding elections fixed by law," for the purpose of nominating:

One person for Congress, subject to the decision of the District Conference.

Two persons for Assembly.

One person for Jury Commissioner.

One person for Poor Director.

One person for National Delegate, subject to the decision of the District Conference.

And for the purpose of electing:

Three persons Delegates to the State Convention.

One person in each election district for Committeeman.

Announcements for all the above named offices must be made "not later than twenty days before the day of the Primary Election."

J. A. BERKEY,
Chairman Rep., Co., Committee.

Ferdinand Breig Dead.

Mr. Ferdinand Breig, one of Salisbury's oldest and most respected citizens, died at 6 o'clock, Tuesday evening, at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Joseph Garlitz, in West Salisbury. The deceased was afflicted with dropsy, but his case was not considered dangerous until a few days before his death. He died very suddenly.

Mr. Breig was a very good, kind-hearted old man, and he was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He was born in Germany, we believe, but lived in Salisbury nearly all his life. In religion he was a Lutheran, by occupation a carpenter. He was in every way a model citizen. Had he lived until May, he would have reached his four score years. Funeral to-day, conducted by Rev. E. S. Johnston.

Teachers' Institute.

Following is the program for the Eighth institute of the Elk Lick district, to be held at the St. Paul school house, April 7th, 1900:

Song.

Opening address—George C. Hay.

Recitation—E. J. Egan.

Topical talk—"How best to spend the last day of school"—Misses Nellie Dom, Elizabeth Stein, Aleda Alexander.

Discussion—"Are there any reasons why the United States should not control the Nicaragua Canal?" To be opened by J. P. Vogel.

Directors' impressions of this term's school work. To be opened by the President of the Board.

Queries.

Debate—"Should the United States grant free trade to all her newly acquired possessions?" Affirmative, I. G. Engle, H. G. Lepley. Negative, M. S. Maust, W. H. Engle.

Closing song.

Kantner News.

March 19.—We would like very much to have the Mt. Moriah correspondent of the Johnstown Tribune be less vague in his hints as to the prospective candidate for assembly from this township. Speak plainly, "Y. C.," for we cannot see, and consider ourselves pretty well posted on prospective political issues.

Reverend Harry McLaughlin, of Morrellville, is assisting Rev. William Bassett, pastor of the Stoystown M. E. church, in conducting a revival effort at Stoystown.

John H. Snyder, of Stoyestown, whose recent serious illness made his recovery extremely doubtful, is able to be about again.

Mr. Newton Lohr, who resides near Lohr's church, informs us that he will start a glass factory at that place in the near future, when he will proceed to manufacture the transparent commodity by a new process known to himself only; and will shortly be ready to receive bids from his neighbor farmers for the supply of a certain species of glassy rock, for which this locality is noted. SKAPAWICK WHINDBAGG.

Meyersdale Items.

March 21st.—Last Wednesday a week the residence of John Darrow caught fire, and before the flames were brought under subjection considerable damage was done to his home and household effects.

Quite a large number of young folks went from here, last Friday, to attend a dance in Somerset, but from some cause or other the dance did not pan out very well, and a number of the boys were disappointed.

Work on the new hotel is nearing completion, and Landlord Stein has been busy the past week getting his house furnished for the opening, April 1st.

The strike situation remains about the same. These bright days our streets are crowded with men who are out of work, where one short month ago it was almost impossible to get a man to do any kind of work. Hope that things will be amicably settled in a few days.

Mr. T. W. Gurley, who has been confined to his home with an attack of typhoid and pneumonia for the past two or three weeks, is able to be about once more. Here's to his good health.

Mr. John Cover, who has been so dangerously ill, is convalescing, and his many friends hope to see him around once more in a few days.

An Editor's Frank Admission.

The editor of the Hardeman (Ky.) Free Prees, with a frankness that is absolutely refreshing, admits in the after Christmas issue of his enterprising journal that he cannot remember wheth er he got out his paper last week or not. He also admits that he generally loses his memory at this time of the year for about a week, but as the bulk of his subscribers also lose their memories at the same time, he does not see that it makes much difference. Judging by the way he feels, he thinks he must have had a very merry Christmas, and he also applies the same line of reasoning to a number of his subscribers to whom he appealed to know whether or not he really did issue the Free Press. Everybody will agree with this distinguished scion of Bohemianism in Hardeman that it is no use for a man to try to remember what he has forgotten.

THE ALTOONA CONVENTION.

Second District Operators and Miners Agree.

After a two days' deadlock on the scale question, the miners and operators reached a peaceful agreement, Saturday afternoon, when a scale was adopted for the current year, beginning April 1. It is as follows:

The price of pick mining to be 60 cents per gross ton, or its equivalent, 53½ cents per net ton.

Machine loading to be five-ninths of the pick mining price, plus one half cent, amounting to 33 5-6 cents per gross ton, or its equivalent, 30 cents per net ton.

Machine cutting and scraping to be advanced the same percentage of increase paid for pick mining, namely, 20 per cent.

Drivers now receiving less than $2 per day to be advanced to $2.25 per day. Drivers now receiving $2 per day or over to be advanced 20 per cent. All other labor employed in or outside of mines engaged in the production or handling of coal to be advanced 20 per cent, including existing dead work.

When authorized the operator will make such collections through the office as the employes may agree upon.

All other conditions are to remain as they now exist. This means that no general dead work scale will be granted, no thick and thin differential scale introduced, or any regulation made in regard to the hours to be worked each day

The miners have reason to rejoice. They have made a good scale, better, possibly, than some of them expected. They have really fared better than the Pittsburg district miners.

In addition to an increase of wages all around they have been granted the check-off, which is probably the greatest concession. This is only in effect at a few mines, and it means that a check weighman will be placed on every tipple.—*Altoona Times.*

West Salisbury Granted a Postoffice.

The much desired post-office which the people of West Salisbury have so long been striving for was granted last week, when Joseph Patton was appointed postmaster of the same.

When we say that the new office was granted during this month, we know what we are talking about, and the people of West Salisbury know that our statement is true. Furthermore, the January and February Postal Guides verify our statement, the Meyersdale Commercial to the contrary notwithstanding. Furthermore, we knew all along more about the progress of the West Salisbury post-office matter than even the people in West Salisbury themselves knew about it. All that Lucifer Smith knew about the matter was unofficial, and when he first announced the establishment of the new office and the appointment of the new postmaster, there was not one grain of truth in the statement, as Mr. Patton himself knows.

The contest for and against the establishment of the West Salisbury postoffice was vigorous, but friendly. A few business men in our Western suburb will no doubt profit considerably by the establishment of the office, while the general business interests of Salisbury borough will suffer to some extent by it. Taking the two communities as a whole, we believe the new office will be a drawback to the general advancement of this vicinity, for reasons which we believe will make themselves manifest to all our people in the near future. Of course we may be mistaken in this, and for the general good of the community we hope we are.

We always admired enterprise and hustle in men, and while we believe that the West Salisbury post-office is not, never was nor never will be needed, even in an ordinary sense of the word, we nevertheless congratulate the promoters of the scheme on their success.

As we have said, the contest was a friendly one, although the Meyersdale Commercial has been trying hard to inject enmity into it. But that is the Commercial's nature—always poking its ugly mug into other people's affairs and trying to create strife where there is no occasion for it. Lucifer, of course, has always tried to sneakingly injure Salisbury, but what can he hope to benefit by such a course? He has also been trying to create strife between the Elk Lick postmaster and Postmaster Patton, but he might just as well let up on that, for Postmasters Patton and Livengood have always been on very friendly terms, and neither one of them take any stock in Lucifer's silly vaporings.

Mr. Patton will open his office on April 1st, providing his commission and supplies arrive in time, and THE STAR wishes him smooth sailing in his new position.

Sand Flat.

March 20.—A very interesting literary society was held at the Sand Flat school house on Friday evening. Among the chief features was the debate—"Resolved, That the capitalist is more accountable for the labor strikes than the laborer. The affirmative side was ably debated by Messrs. E. E. Barclay, Simon Livengood and Jonas Keim; the negative by W. B. Stevanus, E. J. Egan and J. S. Stevanus. Not withstanding that the affirmative side quoted freely from Powderly, the judges gave their decision in favor of the negative side. Everybody left highly pleased with all the exercises.

Eleven days of school from date of this writing closes a successful seven months' school term for those of the teachers that did not lose any extra time.

Misses Mima Stevanus and Nora Maust visited the Cross Roads school, to-day, and report the school in a flourishing condition under the supervision of Mr. E. J. Egan.

Mr. Jacob Folk and family, and Mr. Charles Killins, were the guests of J. S. Stevanus and family on Sunday last.

Mr. Ed. Davis has quit the apprenticeship as wagon-maker for S. S. Koontz, and is now working in the woods. TIM.

CARTRIDGE PAPER!—The miners can get enough Cartridge Paper for a few cents, at THE STAR office, to last them for seeral months.

Just Received

an elegant line of new Clothing

Fine Suits, Etc.,

at the Cash Dry Goods and Clothing Store.

S. C. HARTLEY,

MEYERSDALE, PA.

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50 COAL MINERS AT ONCE!

We have a number of houses for rent. Steady work guaranteed. W. W. SHAWHAN, CONTINENTAL COAL CO.,

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AT ALL DRUGGISTS PRICE 25¢

30 10 GRAIN TABLETS. BETTER THAN GOLD.

GUARANTEED.

FOR FURTHER FACTS ADDRESS THE MODERN REMEDY CO. KEWANEE, ILL.

A Horse Suicides.

One of the queer incidents connected with mining occurred in mine No. 3 of the George's Creek Coal & Iron Co. on Friday of last week. An old room or dip in the mine, which has been filled with water for some time, has been used as a watering place for the horses. On the day above mentioned the driver led his horse to the place where it usually went to drink, when the animal suddenly became unmanageable and walked into the dip which was full of water to the roof, making no effort to return, and was drowned. The water will be pumped out of the room and the carcass of the horse removed. The miners and drivers employed at that mine say it was another case in which a horse committed suicide.—*Lonaconing Review.*

The Man Who Don't.

The man who does not advertise simply because his grandfather did not, "ought to wear knee breeches and queue," says the Ashland, O., Gazette.

The man who does not advertise because it costs money, should quit paying rent for the same reason.

The man who does not advertise because he tried it and failed, should throw away his cigar becase the light went out

The man who does not advertise because he doesn't know how himself, ought to stop eating because he can't cook.

The man who does not advertise because somebody said it did not pay, ought not to believe that the world is round because the ancients said it was flat.—Morgantown (W. Va.,) *New Dominion.*

Heresy Squelched.

"See here," said the editor of the "Weekly Clarion and Voters' Guide," "when I left you in charge of the office I thought you had sense enough to run things while I was away."

"What's the matter?" asked the foreman. We've still got the county printing."

"Yes; but the county chairman was jumping on me with both feet as soon as I got home. You had an editorial paragraph that an ounce of prevention was worth a pound of cure."

"Yep."

"Well, you want to understand right now that no sixteen to one ideas are permitted in this paper until the county changes its politics."—*Indianapolis Sun.*

The Blanks We Keep.

THE STAR has just added a large stock of Deeds, Mortgages, Judgment Bonds, Property Leases, Constable Sale Blanks, Summons Blanks, Commitments, Subpoenas, Criminal Warrants, Judgment Notes, Receipts and many other blank forms that are useful and save lots of writing. A full line of these goods will always be kept on hand at this office.

There is really some pleasure in visiting a cemetery. In looking over the tombstones you can see nothing but good said of the dead. Another pleasure is that you never see "Mae" or 'Kathryne" carved on a tombstone instead of "May" or "Catharine."

Order THE STAR sent to your friends abroad. It will be like a letter from the old home to them and they will appreciate your kindness.

King QUALITY SHOES!

We have just received a fine line of Men's King Quality $3.50 Shoes in Tan, Russet, Vici and Patent Leather. Come and see the

Latest Styles!

We have also just received a very fine line of Men's "Nobby" Hats and a large assortment of Ginghams and Calicos at 5 cents per yard. If you deal with us you will deal where you get the

Greatest Values!

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Get It At Jeffery's!

When in need of anything in the line of Pure Groceries, Fancy Confectionery, Thompson's Fresh Bread, Books, Stationery, Notions, etc.

CALL AT

THE LEADING GROCERY.

Space is too limited to enumerate all my bargains here, Call and be convinced that I sell the best of goods at the lowest living prices.

My business has grown wonderfully in the past few years, for which I heartily thank the good people of Salisbury and vicinity and shall try harder than ever to merit your future patronage. Respectfully,

J. T. JEFFERY,

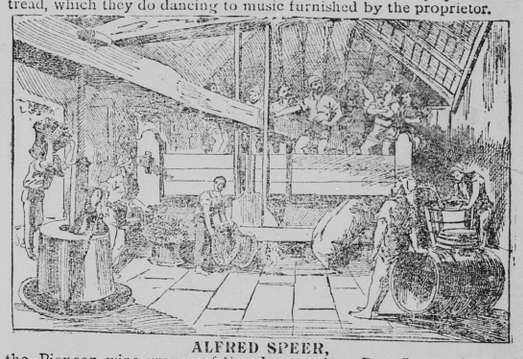
Opposite Postoffice. - - - - Grant Street.

☞ ALSO REMEMBER that J. T. Jeffery is agent for the MEYERSDALE STEAM LAUNDRY and sends laundry away every Tuesday.

Scene in Portugal at the Rio Porto Vineyards.

CARRYING THE PORT GRAPES TO THE WINERY, ON THE HEADS OF MEN AND WOMEN, NEAR THE VALLE DE MENETIZ WHERE THEY ARE DUMPED IN THE MASHING VATS TO BE TRODDEN FOR PORT WINE.

The rugged hills with projecting rocks of brown stone and shale containing a large quantity of iron, make it impossible to use wagons here hence the grapes have to be carried to the treading vat or larger as they are called, and some are large enough for twenty persons to tread, which they do dancing to music furnished by the proprietor.



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