

# THE SOMERSET COUNTY STAR

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Twice a fool is he who doesn't advertise and then wonders why success eludes him.—*Printer's Ink.*

Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and can safely be given to children. Sold by E. H. Miller.

Beef continues to be high, but it is consolation to know that it is not as high as it was when the cow jumped over the moon.

You never heard of any one using Foley's Honey and Tar and not being satisfied. Sold by E. H. Miller.

It is reported that John Shunk is smiling all sorts of smiles this week, owing to the arrival of a boy. Where are your cigars, John?

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness. Sold by E. H. Miller.

Married, at Meyersdale, Pa., by Rev. John H. Knepper, May 20, 1902, Mr. Howard C. Lepley and Miss Mayme L. Clark, both of Meyersdale.

John Stotler, of Meyersdale, father of E. W. Stotler, of this place, had been very ill some time ago, but we are glad to learn that he is rapidly recovering.

Norman D. Hay has withdrawn from the Democratic contest for County Commissioner. This leaves Joseph B. Miller the only Democratic candidate for that office.

Mr. S. J. Lichty, Elijah Livengood, Mrs. Elizabeth Kimmel and several other persons from this vicinity went to Harrisburg to attend the German Baptist Annual Meeting.

Candidates Charles Weimer and Daniel Keller were in town this week. Both are pretty good fellows, personally, but they are bolters and have no claim on true Republicans.

Frank P. Beachy, of Carleton, Neb., has sold his hardware business to Herman Weimer and David H. Kelso. All parties to the transaction are men who went west from this county.

Mrs. Sally Livengood was visited all last week by her daughters, Martha, and Mrs. W. H. Dill, of Meyersdale. The girls came up to help their good old mother with her annual house-cleaning.

Mrs. Thomas Eckerd went to Pittsburgh this morning to consult a specialist concerning an ailment that is believed to be chronic appendicitis. We hope Mrs. Eckerd will be benefited by her trip to the city.

Elder Jonathan Kelso returned this week from Lincoln, where he had been taking treatment at the sanitarium. Mr. Kelso seems to think he was benefited, which we are glad to hear.—*Carleton (Neb.) Leader.*

Daniel Dorsey has purchased the O'Hanley hotel in Grantsville, Md. We understand Mr. Dorsey will take charge and conduct it as a hotel. Dan will make a good landlord, and we wish him much success.

The following notice is to be seen over a little country store in Georgia: Jonathan Wilkins. Ice cream in season and embalming on reasonable cash terms. Also millinery and tooth pulling. Boots, shoes, books and bacon. Coffins on the installment plan.

Mort. Wellfley and his son Will, who went to Johnstown, recently, are now in Akron, Ohio, where they have secured employment in a rubber factory. John, another son of Mr. Wellfley, also went to Akron a few days ago, where he expects to find employment.

Last Friday evening the local W. C. T. U. gave a grand reception to their president, Mrs. A. F. Speicher, who recently returned from California. The reception was given at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Baumgardner, and a grand time is reported. The editor and wife acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to be present, but owing to other engagements we had to deny ourselves the pleasure.

Mr. Jonas J. Beachy, a prominent farmer of Garrett county, Md., was one of THE STAR's visitors on Tuesday. He called to renew his subscription and swap yarns with the editor. Mr. Beachy is a good conversationalist and "can a tale unfold" with the best of them.

James W. Beal is spending a short vacation with his many Salisbury friends. He will return to Pittsburg in a few days, where he is holding a job at firing a shifting engine. James is a very trustworthy young man and will doubtless climb higher in railroad work.

In a recent letter from our good-looking friend, Mr. Lew S. Keim, of Elkins, W. Va., that gentleman says: "I was out for 'speckled beauties,' yesterday, and caught 108. No discount for lie. Had an elegant time. Kindest regards for yourself and family, and all my old friends."

"Egad, its another bouncing boy!" says Stewart Simpkins. The young fellow arrived last week, and Stewart—well, he just jinks the other eye and says: "Keep your eye on the Simpkins family and see it grow." "Stewartie," we smoke five-centers at this office when we get them.

Arrangements have been made for Rev. J. H. Knepper, of Meyersdale, to preach every two weeks during the present year for the Brethren church of Salisbury. Rev. Knepper is a popular and well known clergyman, and we believe the Brethren congregation of this place will make substantial progress under his pastoral care.

Mrs. C. M. Livengood, of Grantsville, Md., was in Salisbury, last week, doing some shopping. She was accompanied by her son John, who is eleven years old and weighs 150 pounds. John is a well formed, good-looking fellow, and for size is somewhat hard to beat for an 11-year-old boy. He is a good boy, too, and attracted lots of attention while here.

Our genial, whole-souled friend Louis Yommer, of Jenningsville, Md., was in town yesterday and informed THE STAR that he is about to open a new and larger boarding house at that place, at the solicitation of Mr. Jennings, who has a large number of men in his employ. As a landlord and an all-around good fellow, Mr. Yommer is hard to beat.

Our popular and obliging station agent, Mr. M. F. Riley, is the proud father of a fine young daughter which came to his cheerful home one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Riley are the proud parents of six robust sons, but a daughter is something new in the family. Naturally they are both very happy over the new arrival, and we hope the young lady may live to comfort the parents when they have reached old age.

The recent change made in the size and form of the SOMERSET COUNTY STAR, from the time-honored blanket sheet to a six-column quarto, is a decided improvement in that paper, and the Journal is pleased to note the progress that newsy paper is making. THE STAR is now printed on a cylinder press, as are all the papers in the county. We extend our congratulations.—*Windber Journal.*

Last week S. M. Hamilton & Co., of Baltimore, had a suit in the United States District Court, at Pittsburg, with the Hocking and Duncombe Coal Company, of Meyersdale. The plaintiffs allege that the defendants contracted to furnish them with a certain quantity of coal in March, 1900, and they failed to keep the contract. Twelve thousand dollars are sued for on account of the breach of contract.

Last week our friend "Bob" Walker offered a reward for the return of a stolen watch. He advertised the same in this paper, giving number of case and works, and several days later the thief laid the stolen time piece in Mr. Walker's doorway, where it was found securely wrapped in a piece of paper. It is believed that the thief read the advertisement in the paper, and seeing that it was wellnigh impossible to dispose of the watch without being detected, thought it would be best to return it. It pays to advertise.

John W. Coleman, the pioneer of the Salisbury hack line, who sold out to Schramm Bros. and moved to Carleton, Neb., seven years ago, returned to Salisbury on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Coleman have rented their Nebraska farm to another person, as Mr. Coleman is badly paralyzed and unable to do any work. His wife is now visiting a brother and other relatives in Seattle, Wash. After she completes her visit she will come to Salisbury, also, but they have not yet decided whether they will remain here or locate permanently in Nebraska. Considering the hindrance caused by his paralysis, which occurred about five years ago, Mr. Coleman did very well in Nebraska, and he says he likes that state very well.

Last Saturday evening Mr. Mort. Wagner returned from Monongahela City with his bride, who formerly was Miss Mary Harding, one of the popular school teachers of this borough. They were at home to their friends at the pretty residence of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wagner, where an elaborate reception was given them, in which about 100 invited guests participated. An elegant luncheon was served, and all in

all it was one of the happiest gatherings we ever attended. Music was furnished by the Salisbury Cornet Band, and also by a large and enthusiastic old-fashioned charivari party. The couple were the recipients of a large assortment of handsome and useful presents. May their matrimonial voyage be a long and happy one.

In the purchase of A. Knabb & Co's. lumber and railroad plant, the Messrs. Kendall contemplated the organization of a stock company. The company has now been formed and is to be known as the Yough Manor Lumber and Railroad Company, and is capitalized at \$300,000. In the transfer, the right of way for a standard-gauge railroad from the present terminus of the Oakland & Confluence R. R., at a point four miles southwest of Krug, this county, to a point on the line of the B. & O. R. R. one mile west of Oakland is made, and from one of the new company's officials we learn that the new company contemplates finishing the building of the road. This means much to Oakland, and we believe will advance the interests of our county as well, as no section of the county will yield more abundantly in the matter of timber, coal, iron ore and fire clay than this now undeveloped section, says the Oakland Journal.

## Traveling is Dangerous.

Constant motion jars the kidneys which are kept in place in the body by delicate attachments. This is the reason that travelers, trainmen, street car men, teamsters and all who drive very much suffer from kidney disease in some form. Foley's Kidney Cure strengthens the kidneys and cures all forms of kidney and bladder disease. Geo. H. Hausan, locomotive engineer, Lima, O., writes, "Constant vibration of the engine caused me a great deal of trouble with my kidneys, and I got no relief until I used Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by E. H. Miller.

## A BIG TRANSACTION.

The Largest Lumber Plant Sold Together with Railroads, Etc.

In our issue of last week we stated that Messrs. A. Knabb & Co. had sold their milling plant at Krug, this county, to a company of Pennsylvania capitalists. The transaction covers over 16,000 acres of virgin forest and some of the most valuable timber in our county, the most of which lies along "Yough" river and about eight miles northwest of Oakland. From the town of Krug to a point near Swallow Falls, one of the most picturesque spots in our county, a narrow-gauge railroad has been built with numerous branches, and a large lot of timber has been cut and is ready to be taken to mill from the lines of these branches. The railroad is fully equipped with engines and cars, and altogether it is one of the best enterprises now operating within our border.

The sale was consummated at Pittsburg, by G. S. Hamill as counsel, and others of the Knabb Company, to Messrs. J. L. and S. A. Kendall, who will incorporate a strong company and make many improvements to the property.

The price paid for the plant, exclusive of the cooper department and stove mill, was \$160,000.

The distance estimated from the present terminus at Swallow Falls to the line of the B. & O. at Oakland would be but about six miles, and the route has already been laid out for this connection.

In the transfer of the property Mr. A. Knabb has reserved 100 acres containing the beautiful and majestic Swallow Falls, one of the most beautiful spots in this section, and it is said to be his determination to build a massive summer hotel and numerous cottages near this beautiful spot, and build up a popular resort for the entertainment of summer guests.

This would give Garrett county another resort that in years would rival any that has ever been established within its boundaries.

We understand the new purchasers will take charge June 1st and continue the business as at present conducted.—*Oakland Journal.*

## Mine Picks.

From the Meyersdale Republican. Saturday was pay day at the Continental mines, and Paymaster T. F. McGlone paid out about \$5,000 to their employees at Glen McLaren.

District Organizer M. M. Smith last week organized a Local in Elk Lick No. 2, and on Thursday night he was at Listie where he organized a strong Local among the men employed.

Several capitalists who owned 633 acres of coal land in the northern part of the county, have sold the same to the Berwind-White company for \$30,000. Judge M. W. Keim, of Johnstown, was at the head of the company.

W. P. Young, expert chemist in the employ of the Somerset Coal company, was in this city yesterday. He has just returned from an extended trip to Chicago, Milwaukee, Duluth, West Superior, St. Paul and Minneapolis, in the interest of his company. He reports that the coal from the Fairmont region has superseded that from the Hocking Valley for use on lake boats, and that at the present time there is a shortage of coal at all lake points. He is of the opinion that his company will have a large trade in the upper lake region this year.

## CALL FOR REPUBLICAN PRIMARY.

To the Republican Voters of Somerset County:

The Primary for the election of one person as Chairman of the County Committee and one person as Chairman pro tem. of the County Committee, and three persons as Delegates to the State Convention and for the nomination of one person for Congress, subject to the decision of the Congressional conference for the 23rd Congressional District of Pennsylvania, and one person for Senator, subject to the Senatorial conference for the 30th Senatorial District of Pennsylvania, Two persons for State Legislature, One person for Sheriff, One person for Prothonotary, One person for Clerk of Courts, One person for Recorder of Deeds, etc., One person for Register of Wills, etc., One person for County Treasurer, Two persons for County Commissioners, Two persons for County Auditors, One person for Poor House Director, will be held on

Saturday, June 7th, 1902,

in the several election districts designated by law, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m.

Attention is called to Rule No. 28, adopted at the Primary of 1902 will be held. The voter will receive his ballot from the Judge of Election, (Committeeman) and will go into the booth and mark the same by placing an X in the square opposite the name of each candidate for whom he wishes to vote; when marked it will be refolded and handed back to the Judge, who will deposit the same unnumbered in the ballot box.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following named persons have paid their fees and authorized the announcement of their names as candidates at the Republican Primary Election, to be held on the 7th day of June, 1902, as follows:

FOR CHAIRMAN COUNTY COMMITTEE. (One to be elected.) ELMER E. PRITTS, of Somerset Borough.

FOR CHAIRMAN PRO TEM. (One to be elected.) DAVID L. WITT, of Jennettown Borough.

FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION. (Three to be nominated.) HON. AARON F. DICKEY, of Somerset Borough. E. V. BABCOCK, of Ogle Township. B. D. MORGAN, of Meyersdale Borough.

FOR CONGRESS. (One to be nominated.) J. A. BERKEY, of Somerset Borough.

FOR SENATOR. (One to be nominated.) J. W. ENDSLEY, of Somersfield Borough.

FOR ASSEMBLY. (Two to be nominated.) A. W. KNEPPER, of Somerset Borough. LOU C. LAMBERT, of Stonycreek Township. S. S. CRISSMAN, of Windber.

FOR PROTHONOTARY. (One to be nominated.) NORMAN E. BERKEY, of Somerset Borough.

FOR CLERK OF COURTS. (One to be nominated.) JOHN G. EMERT, of Somerset Borough.

FOR RECORDER OF DEEDS. (One to be nominated.) EVERETT C. WELCH, of Somerset Township.

FOR REGISTER OF WILLS. (One to be nominated.) CHAS. C. SHAFER, of Somerset Borough.

FORTREASURER. (One to be nominated.) W. S. MATTHEWS, of Berlin Borough.

FOR SHERIFF. (One to be nominated.) A. J. COLEMAN, of Somerset Township.

FOR COMMISSIONER. (Two to be nominated.) SAMUEL W. POORBRAUGH, of Northampton Township. JOSEPH HORNBER, of Somerset Borough.

FOR AUDITOR. (Two to be nominated.) JOHN A. BRANT, of Brothersvalley Township. GEORGE STEINBAUGH, of Quemanoning Township.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR. (One to be nominated.) JOHN D. MOSHOLDER, of Somerset Borough.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR. (One to be nominated.) CHAS. H. SCHMUCKER, of Somerset Township.

FOR CORONER. (One to be nominated.) DR. S. J. H. LOUTHER, of Somerset Borough.

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