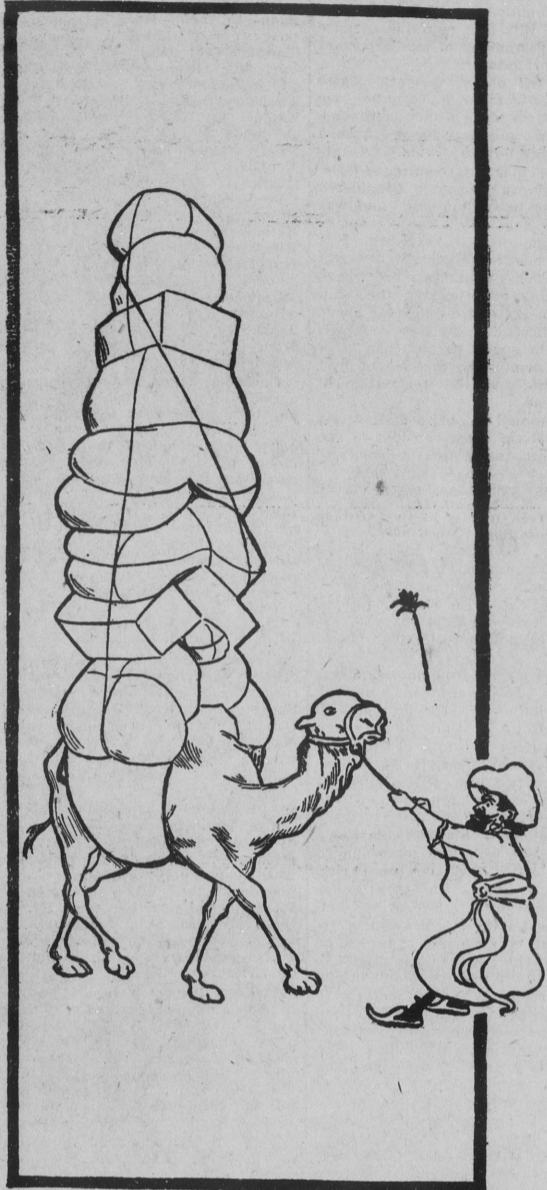


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 Fine Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing. We guarantee good work and prompt attention.
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The Best Stock Farm in Somerset County.

I will offer my farm, known as the old John Peck farm. The farm is situated at Savage (Pa.) postoffice. Four miles from railroad. The buildings thereon erected are as follows:
 A very good barn, 50x104 feet. A very good dwelling house, 26x38 feet; running soft water in the kitchen. Two tenant houses and outbuildings.
 Size of farm, 423 acres, about 230 acres being clear; balance pastures and timber land. A good sugar orchard. Every field that has been plowed is sowed in clover and timothy seed, which is a very good stand. Will pasture 70 head of cattle. Also containing a **THREE ACRE ORCHARD.**
 One and one-half acres is a young orchard, planted with Baldwin apples and peach trees—5 years old. Running water in every field on the farm but one. A limestone quarry is opened on the farm.

Possession can be given either this fall or in the spring, just to suit the renter.

Telephone connection. Address all communications to **C. J. YODER, Savage, Pa.**

Desirable Real Estate For Sale.

The STAR is agent for the sale of a very desirable piece of real estate located 3 miles east of the thriving town of Salisbury. Said real estate consists of about 72 acres of land, part of which is in a fair state of cultivation, and part covered with a large amount of timber suitable for mine props and ties. A very thick vein of most excellent limestone, easy of access, is opened on the land, as well as a vein of the finest paving stone to be found anywhere. The famous Findlay Springs, one of the finest pure water springs in all Somerset county, having a volume of water sufficient to supply a town of several thousand inhabitants, is also located on this land, and the spring alone is worth a handsome sum of money. There is also a fine bearing young apple orchard on the place, and a good, new two-story residence and suitable outbuildings.

The place can be bought at a very reasonable price, or will trade same for desirable town property. For terms and further particulars, call on or address THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa.

FINE GUNS FOR SALE!

We have for sale at THE STAR office two very fine guns, received from the Stevens Arms and Tool Company in exchange for advertising. One is a Stevens Ideal Rifle of 35.20 caliber, and the other a most beautiful Stevens Shotgun, single barrel, 12 gauge, made strong enough for smokeless powder. Both guns are beauties and of the latest and most improved models. Don't buy worthless and inferior guns when you can get the best in the world at a low price. Call and examine them.

Desirable Town Property for Sale.

A good two-story frame house in Salisbury borough, with cellar under it, a smokehouse and other outbuildings, also a well recently completed. One acre of ground in a good state of cultivation goes with it, on which a number of trees of choice fruit have been planted. Good board walks all around the place. An ideal place for truck gardening, poultry, etc. A genuine bargain. For particulars inquire at STAR office. tf

The Possibilities Developed.

The success of the Disc type of Graphophone which uses flat, indestructible records, is largely due to the fact that the Columbia Phonograph Company, pioneers and leaders in the talking machine art has developed the possibilities in both the machines and the records beyond all expectations. It was able to do this because it is the only company in the talking machine field having a complete laboratory and a manufacturing plant on a broad and comprehensive basis. Its facilities for experimentation and for manufacturing are on a very large scale. It does not have to rely on inexperienced manufacturers for any part of the product it offers for sale. It makes its own machines and its own records from start to finish, which is a fundamental advantage of the first magnitude.

The Disc Graphophone is made in three types, selling at \$15, \$20 and \$30. Seven inch records 50¢ each, \$5 per dozen; 10 inch records \$1 each, \$10 per dozen. The Graphophone and Columbia Records were awarded the Grand Prize at the Paris Exposition of 1900.

The Columbia Phonograph Co., 615 Penn Avenue, Pittsburg, headquarters for graphophones and talking machine supplies of every kind, will send you catalogues on application. 12-11

Calendars for 1903.

We have just received at THE STAR office a nice line of calendar samples for 1903, suitable for all kinds of business. The business men of our community are invited to call and make their selections, as we may not have time to call at their places of business this year, as has always been our custom heretofore. Calendars for advertising purposes are being used more and more each year, and it has got to be a custom with the people to look to the business men they deal with to supply them with new calendars during the Holiday season. Do not disappoint your customers, Mr. Business Man, if you value their patronage. They appreciate a few nice calendars and expect you to supply them.

New Somerset County Maps.

We have at THE STAR office a large supply of the splendid new map of Somerset county recently compiled and published by Captain Wm. M. Schrock, of Somerset, and Mr. Staniford, of New York City. These maps show all the new towns and townships, all the railroads, county roads, streams, postoffices, etc., in Somerset county, and no

one can afford to be without one. They are just what the people of Somerset county have long been clamoring for. We have the pocket size as well as the wall maps, and prices range from only 50 cents to \$2.00. Persons who have already ordered maps from us can now get them at THE STAR office. tf

CATTLE FOR SALE!

43 head of Cattle for sale, mostly 2-year-olds. For particulars call on C. J. Yoder, Savage, Pa. tf

GET THE BEST!

The best is always the cheapest. When you get a Hillar-Made Suit you get the best every time. Mr. Geo. Ruhl, who has charge of the Meyersdale branch of the Hillar tailoring establishment, is an expert cutter and fitter. He visits Salisbury frequently with a full line of samples.

HAVE YOU EVER tried our Hand Lotion?

If you have not, you should. It cannot be excelled. Price 15 cents per bottle.
F. B. THOMAS, Leading Druggist, Meyersdale, Pa.

Desirable Property for Rent.

A good two-story house, large stable, two acres of ground, fine orchard, etc. Property in Salisbury borough. Rent reasonable. Inquire at STAR office. tf

Fine Graphophone For Sale.

A very fine \$18.00 Graphophone, never used but a few days, can be bought at a great bargain. Good records can be made at home with this machine, as a good \$5.00 recorder goes with it. The machine, two dozen good records and a fine record case will be sold together for \$20.00 cash. The same outfit bought anywhere else would cost at least \$29.50. Inquire at STAR office. tf

HILLAR-MADE SUITS are the most popular.

When in need of a fine, neat-fitting tailored suit, be sure to get it from Hillar, the Reliable Tailor, Frostburg, Md., who also has a branch establishment in Meyersdale, in charge of Mr. Geo. Ruhl, an expert cutter and fitter. The same high grade work is done at both establishments. All clothing guaranteed to give satisfaction, and charges very reasonable. tf

FINE FOX TERRIERS!

I have for sale three thoroughbred Fox Terrier Puppies, the best bred and handiest ever seen in Somerset county. Be quick if you want to buy.
JOHN SCHRAMM, Elk Lick, Pa.

WANTED!

Good copy of Atlas of Somerset county published by Hopkins. Will pay \$3.00. Call at STAR office. 12-18.

Election Notice, First National Bank of Salisbury, at Elk Lick, Pa.

The annual meeting of the stockholders for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the banking room of this bank Tuesday, January 13th, 1903, between the hours of one and two o'clock p. m.
ALBERT REITZ, Cashier.

Complete Directory of Somerset County.

The first complete individual Directory of Somerset county ever published will be issued about February 1, 1903. This book will give the full name, occupation, residence, and address of all the residents of the county, alphabetically arranged so as to be easy of reference. It will also contain a complete business directory and a map of the county showing all the railways, public roads, and post-offices.

Parties desiring a copy of this work should send in their subscriptions before January 1, 1903. The price is \$3.00 payable upon delivery. The names of all subscribers (and of subscribers only) are printed in large, black capital letters in the body of the book.

Advertising space is limited to the covers and to marginal ads on inside pages. Prices: \$10.00 for one-fifth page on outside of cover; \$7.50 for one-fifth page on inside cover; \$25.00 for marginal lines on every fourth page at top or bottom or either side of inside pages through entire book (averaging over 75 pages); \$22.50 for every eighth-page (37 pages), and \$6.25 for every sixteenth page (19 pages).

Address all communications to **FRANK C. HOERLE, Publisher.**

Johnstown city and Somerset county Directories, No. 215 Franklin street, Johnstown, Pa.

P. S. Orders for Directories and advertisements in same are also authorized to be received and paid for at THE STAR office, Elk Lick, Pa. 11-31.

TRADED MULE FOR BRIDE.

Groom Also Gave Girl's Father Some Turnips to "Boot."

William Garnee, of the Tamarack settlement, Potter county, made a deal recently whereby he secured a wife in trade for a mule and a lot of turnips. Allie Bierbower is the bride. Her father approached Garnee about a week ago and ask him if he didn't want to take his daughter in trade for a mule that Garnee owned. The latter wanted a mule to think it over. Saturday the men met and Garnee said he would close the deal. Bierbower added that he would have to have ten bushels of turnips in addition.

The prospective groom objected, but was willing to give five bushels. A compromise was effected on seven and one-half bushels, and the 'Squire who tied the knot remarked that he hoped the mule would kick the life out of the bride's father.

Port Grape Wine for the Sick.

We can confidently recommend Speer's Port Grape Wine, a superior article of wine for the sick and debilitated.—Medical Review.
 No Brandy is better than Speer's "Climax" of 1878.

Roosevelt, the Man.

However much we may disapprove the public policies which he represents, there can be in healthy minds nothing but admiration for Theodore Roosevelt as a citizen and a man. What a splendid contrast he presents in his sturdy manhood, tireless activity and lofty patriotism, to his multi-millionaire kinsman, William Waldorf Astor, licking Albert Edward's boots and whining that America is not a fit place for a gentleman to live in! If any better specimen of American manhood exists than the Santiago rough rider, the chief magistrate of 75,000,000 people, he has not yet come to the front. The texture of his mind is remarkable. His mental growth since he came to the presidency is phenomenal. He has risen to every occasion, has never failed to acquit himself not only with credit, but with distinction.

In his Democratic simplicity, hearty good humor, broad sympathies, strength of body and mind, physical and moral courage, energy, purity of heart, uncompromising Americanism, unswerving honesty; as much at home among the High School boys of Philadelphia as among the grave seigniors of the Union League; as debonair in the swamps of Mississippi as in the executive mansion, Mr. Roosevelt has never been found wanting in any quality that goes to make a man.

We are all proud of this true gentleman; glad to do him honor. The pity of it is that the Democratic party founded on the eternal principles of liberty, equality and justice, has not at present such a leader.—Harrisburg Patriot, (Dem.)

Report from the Reform School.

J. G. Gluck, Superintendent, Pruntytown, W. Va., writes: "After trying all other advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform School. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless." E. H. Miller.

Lost Her Husband in Pittsburg.

The following news item appeared in the Pittsburg Gazette of Tuesday, Dec. 9th.

"D. A. McLaughlin, a telegrapher of New York, 23 years old, got lost in Fifth avenue, last night, and his wife appealed to the police to find him. She, a nice-looking little woman, was cared for by the matrons at Central station all night.

She said her parents live near Meyersdale, and that she and her husband went there recently to spend Thanksgiving. As he was out of employment at home in New York, he had determined to come here to find work.

They arrived here in the late afternoon and went to a restaurant for supper. They intended to go to the East End to look at rooms they saw advertised, and while waiting for a car at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, the husband disappeared. She stood around for a time and walked up and down the street searching for him, but not being able to find him, appealed to the police."

The Mrs. McLaughlin referred to is a daughter of Casper Wahl, of this place. Mr. McLaughlin is her second husband, she having first been married to Noah Menses, of Somerset, but obtained a divorce from him several years ago. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin were here visiting friends a short time ago.

TOLD THE TRUTH.

A Missouri editor announced that for just one issue he would tell the truth. Here are a few items from that issue:

John Boin, the laziest merchant in town, made a trip to Bellview yesterday. John Doyle, our grocery man is doing a poor business. His store is dirty, dusty and noisily odoriferous. How can he expect to do much? Rev. Styx preached Sunday night on Charity. The sermon was punk. If the revered gentleman would live up a little closer to what he preaches he would have a bigger congregation. Dave Sonky died last Saturday at his home in this place. The doctor gave it out as heart failure. The fact is he was drunk and whiskey is what killed him. His home was a rented shack on Rowdy street. Married—Miss Sylva Rhodes and James Canahan, last Saturday evening at the Baptist parsonage. The bride is a very ordinary town girl who doesn't know any more than a rabbit about cooking, and who never helped her mother three days in her life. She is not a beauty by any means and has a gait like a fat duck. The groom is well known here as an up-to-date loafer. He has been living off the old folks all his life and don't amount to shucks. They will have a hard life while they live together, and the news has no congratulations to offer, for we don't believe any good can come of such a union."

The issue in which the Missouri editor told the truth was the last he ever made. Now, in the spring time, when the dew like diamonds sparkles in the tender grass, when sweet-throated birds make a melody all the day, subscribers to that paper while it was published drive out into the country a short way to catch a glimpse of a piece of black skin which hangs suspended from a barbed wire fence. It is all that remains of that once manly form of the Missouri editor who "told the truth for one week."

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.