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Take notice that I have opened a new and up-to-date meat market in Salisbury, one door south of Lichiter's store. Everything is new, neat and clean, and it is a model in every respect. I deal in all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats, Poultry, Fresh Fish, etc. I pay highest cash prices for Fat Cattle, Pork, Veal, Mutton, Poultry, Hides, etc.

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## OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE Republican Primary Election FOR SOMERSET COUNTY.

To the Republican Voters of Somerset County:

Whereas the Republican State Convention has been called to be held on Wednesday, April 8th, next, Now, therefore, 29th February, 1904, by virtue of authority vested in me by the Rules and Regulations governing Republican Primary Elections of Somerset County, Pa., I hereby fix

SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 1904, at the places for holding general elections in Somerset County, Pa., between the hours of 8 A. M. and 7 P. M., when candidates for the following positions will be voted for, viz:

- One person for Chairman of the Republican County Committee.
  - One person for Vice-Chairman of the Republican County Committee.
  - Three persons for Delegate to the Republican State Convention.
  - One person for Committeeman for each General Election Precinct.
  - One person for Delegate to the Republican National Convention.
  - One person for Congress.
  - Two persons for the General Assembly.
  - One person for District Attorney.
  - One person for Poor House Director.
- All persons duly qualified, who are desirous of becoming candidates at the said primary election, will be required to register their names personally with me and otherwise comply with the provisions of the party rules, usages and customs for providing a fund for holding primary elections, on or before Saturday, March 12th, 1904, the last day on which announcements can be received under said rules.
- The Return Judges, under the rules, will meet at the court-house in Somerset on Tuesday, April 5th, 1904, at one o'clock P. M., to compute the vote cast and discharge such other duties as are provided by said rules.

CHAS. C. SHAFER, Chairman Republican Co. Committee. J. A. LAMBERT, Secretary.

I hereby authorize the following announcements, as candidates for the offices indicated below, subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election to be held Saturday, April 2nd, 1904.

CHAS. C. SHAFER, County Chairman.

For Chairman of County Committee. CHAS. C. SHAFER, of Somerset Borough. JOHN R. SCOTT, of Somerset Borough.

For Vice Chairman. IRA G. CARVER, of Stonycreek Twp. FRED ROWE, of Meyersdale Borough.

Delegate to National Convention. ISAIAH GOOD, of Somerset Borough. FRED W. BIESECKER, of Somerset Bor.

Delegates to State Convention. D. J. HORNER, of Somerset Borough. B. D. MORGAN, of Meyersdale Borough. EDWARD GONDER, of Jenner Township. WM. H. MILLER, of Stoystown Borough. U. M. HOUSEL, of Meyersdale Borough. ISAAC D. SHAFER, of Paint Township.

For Congress. HON. A. F. DICKEY, of Somerset Bor. HARVEY M. BERKLEY, of Somerset Bor.

For Assembly. LEWIS C. LAMBERT, of Stonycreek Twp. J. W. ENDSLEY, of Somersfield Borough. JAMES M. COVER, of Somerset Borough. JOHN C. WELLES, of Milford Township.

For District Attorney. RUFUS E. MEYERS, of Somerset Bor. J. C. LOWRY, of Somerset Borough.

For Poor Director. AARON F. SWANK, of Conemaugh Twp. JOHN C. MILLER, of Somerset Township.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of J. W. Lichteberger, deceased, late of Lower Turkeyfoot township, Somerset county, Pa. Letters of administration having been duly granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills, in the estate of J. W. Lichteberger, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment. Those having claims against the same can present them to the administrator, duly authenticated for settlement, in Ursina, on Saturday, April 16th, 1904, between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock P. M.

D. W. KUHLMAN, Administrator.

A Physician Healed. Dr. Geo. Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years I had been greatly bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I commenced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success." Sold by E. H. Miller.

## HOWL OF A TRAMP.

Lou Smith Accuses Others of Not Being Natives of Somerset County.

Old windy Lou Smith, of the Meyersdale Scull organette, refers to all the newspapers in Somerset county that are in favor of a new court house as "court house ring newspapers," "organs of graft," etc. He says none of the editors in favor of a new court house are natives of this county. That is of very little consequence, but let us take a glance at the nativity of the editors of Somerset county and how they stand on the new court house question.

Editor Lambert, of the Somerset Standard, is not a native of Somerset county, but he has been a prominent and honored citizen of the county for nearly or quite a quarter of a century. He is married to a daughter of Captain Wm. M. Schrock, a native-born Somerset, and John Lambert is by this time one of the Somerset Dutch. He is in favor of a new court house.

Editor Grof, of the Somerset Democrat, is a native of Somerset county, reared in Meyersdale. He is a typical Somerset county Dutchman and red hot in favor of a new court house.

Editor Scull, of the Somerset Herald, is a native of Somerset county. He really wants to see a new court house erected, but as he is a politician out of a job, he is opposing it for political reasons.

Editor Hendrickson, of the Windber Journal, is not a native of Somerset county, but as he is a man of brains and progress, he is a staunch advocate of a new court house, knowing that the county is badly in need of it.

Editor Claar, of the Windber Era, is not a native of Somerset county. He does not seem to care whether a new court house is built or not.

Editor Marshall, of the Berlin Record, may not have been born in Somerset county, but if not he came very near it, for he grew to manhood in old Somerset, and is in every way a true "Frosty Son of Thunder." He is an able and progressive young man and favors a new court house.

Editor Cook, of the Berlin Gleaner, does not seem to have been born anywhere. Like Harriet Beecher Stowe's Topsy, he "just grewed," and the longer he lives the smaller he gets. He is a sort of a "Weary Willie" or knight of the road newspaper man, and having gone deaf on prohibition, he has no time to discuss the court house problem. He is kept quite busy reforming mankind and keeping himself out of the lunatic asylum.

Editor Overacker, of the Rockwood Gazette, is not a native of Somerset county, but he is a good citizen, edits a good paper and is in favor of a new court house. We are told that two Barron brothers, both good Somerset county Dutchmen, are part owners of the Gazette.

Editor Bishop, of the Meyersdale Republican, came here several years ago from Iowa to edit the paper he presides over, and which is owned by Hon. S. A. Kendall, who dictates its policy. Mr. Kendall is a native son of Somerset county, born in the most obscure poverty among the pines of Greenville township; but "Sam" had pluck and energy of the right sort, and for years he has been, and still is, one of the foremost business men of Somerset county. He being a progressive man, and employing a progressive editor, as a matter of course the Meyersdale Republican favors a new court house.

Editor Smith, of the Meyersdale Commercial, he who has provoked us into writing this article while sick and confined to our room, is not a native of Somerset county, although to hear him howl and blow one would think he is the very father of the county. Lou Smith came here from Mt. Joy, Lancaster county, Pa., and just why he left there is a matter that he is very ticklish about, so we will not mention what brought him here. But he landed here shortly before the Civil war, and he came as a tramp school teacher and a "soapstick." The latter title will still fit him. He has never been anything but an old "soapstick," and that is all he ever will be. He was a Democrat when he came here, then he turned Republican for revenue and started a newspaper. He next became famous by leaving the Republican party and using his paper to boom an independent state and county ticket. That was in 1882. His cause being defeated, he then came sneaking back into the Republican party again. But he couldn't remain long, owing to the Democratic blood and Democratic whiskey in his old carcass, and in 1885 he kicked over the traces again and supports a Democrat for poor house director. Then he sneaks back again into the Republican ranks, makes up with the Sculls and feeds at their pie counter until several years ago, when the Republican voters kicked the whole greedy, rascally gang away from the public crib and filled the offices with true Republicans and honest men. Since the complete defeat of the Scull gang, and since the party organization has been wrested from their hands, old "Lucifer Ananias" Smith and his masters, the Sculls, have all been bolting Republican nominations, and this year they are trying to fool the people into nominating for office a gang of their bolters at the Republican primary election, by howling against a new court house.

Editor Livengood, of this paper, who is neither last nor least in the field of Somerset county journalism, was born in Maryland, but as his parents were natives of Somerset county, Pa., and returned to their native heath when the editor was but 10 years old, the editor feels that he is in every respect a full-fledged and loyal "Frosty Son of Thunder." Here he has grown to manhood, and of the 30 years that have elapsed since coming here at the age of ten, Editor Livengood has spent all but five of them right here in Salisbury. His record for honesty and sobriety will rank far above that of Lou Smith, and we believe he is worth more to Somerset county and the community in which he lives than old Lou Smith ever was, could have been or will be. As a matter of course THE STAR favors a new court house, because we know that the county needs it and will not be unnecessarily nor oppressively burdened by its erection.

We have provided a comfortable home for our family and a little real estate besides, and we pay at least ten times as much tax annually as the old blackguard bachelor editor of the Meyersdale Commercial pays. But we are not telling our readers that the erection of a new court house will compel us all to mortgage our homes, because to do so would be to tell them a wilful and bare-faced lie. We will let the task of lying to the bachelor editor of the Commercial, who owns nothing but the clothes on his worthless back and is talking only for political effect.

## HAPPY, HEALTHY CHILDREN.

Any child can take Little Early Risers with perfect safety. They are harmless, never gripe or sicken, and yet they are so certain in results that robust constitutions requiring drastic means are never disappointed. They cannot fail to perform their mission and every one who uses DeWitt's Little Early Risers prefers them to all other pills. They cure biliousness. Sold by E. H. Miller.

## LAMBERT AND ENDSLEY.

In soliciting your support at the coming primary election, we feel it due to the voters that they should have a plain statement from their candidates on one of the most important questions ever before the people of Somerset county.

We are unalterably opposed to the division of Somerset county. We will, at all times, from start to finish, use every possible and proper means to defeat that scheme.

We will agree to no compromise, go into no deal, and give no aid, comfort or silent consent to any person, party or political clique that shall boom a new county at the expense of ours.

We take this means to call to your attention the necessity of sending to the Legislature, persons who are fully committed and determined to fight from beginning to end for the interests of Somerset county on a matter that is of so much concern to all of us, and that will be up at Harrisburg next winter.

L. C. LAMBERT, J. W. ENDSLEY.

## DO YOU WANT STRENGTH?

If you want to increase your strength you must add to and not take from the physical. In other words, the food that you eat must be digested, assimilated and appropriated by the nerves blood and tissues, before being expelled from the intestines. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure adds to the physical. It gives strength to and builds up strength in the human system. It is pleasant to the taste and palatable, and the only combination of digestants that will digest the food and enable the system to appropriate all of its health and strength-giving qualities. Sold by E. H. Miller.

## Three for the Meyersdale Commercial on the Grab Game.

Did ever any other person in Somerset county, from the beginning of the world down to this date, get half as much from public office salary and fees as the late head of the Scull family?

Did Somerset county ever have another associate judge who drew within \$200 per annum as much in fees as Ex-associate Judge Biesecker?

Name, if you can, two other publishers in Pennsylvania, either in city or country, who have ever charged \$507 for printing a single election proclamation, as you and Geo. R. Scull did a few years ago when the Scull ring was yet in power.

When it comes to graft and grab, Scull, Smith & Co. have been the original and only school masters in that art in Somerset county, and their henchmen have always been their pupils.

## COLDS CAUSE PNEUMONIA.

One of the most remarkable cases of a cold, deep-seated on the lungs, causing pneumonia, is that of Mrs. Gertrude E. Fenner, Marion, Ind., who was entirely cured by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. She says: "The coughing and straining so weakened me that I ran down in weight from 148 to 92 pounds. I tried a number of remedies to no avail until I used One Minute Cough Cure. Four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me entirely of the cough, strengthened my lungs and restored me to my normal weight, health and strength." Sold by E. H. Miller.

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The New-York Tribune Farmer, national illustrated agricultural weekly of twenty large pages, has no superior as a thoroughly practical and helpful publication for the farmer and every member of his family, and the publishers are determined to give it a circulation unequalled by any paper of its class in the United States.

Knowing that every enterprising, up-to-date farmer always reads his own local weekly newspaper, The New-York Tribune Farmer has made an exceedingly liberal arrangement which enables us to offer the two papers at so low a price that no farmer can afford to lose the opportunity.

The price of The New-York Tribune Farmer is \$1.00 a year and THE SOMERSET COUNTY STAR is \$1.50 a year, but both papers will be sent for a full year if you forward \$1.50 to THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa.

Send your name and address to The New-York Tribune Farmer, New York City, and a specimen copy of that paper will be mailed to you.

## Our Calendars.

As per announcement of Jan. 28th, THE STAR has issued an additional supply of handsome art calendars. They are in two designs, one showing a handsome street scene of our own town, the other a handsome picture of the old stone bridge one mile east of Grantsville, Md. We printed no calendars showing Tab Mill Run Falls, as we had intended, owing to the fact that the cut we intended to use did not give satisfaction.

Our calendars are fine works of art, and they are for distribution among STAR subscribers only. The conditions upon which they can be obtained were stated in our issue of Jan. 28th, but we have since decided to modify the conditions somewhat, as follows: Every subscriber whose subscription is paid to date is entitled to one calendar. Subscribers in arrears must pay at least \$1.00 on account in order to get one, and new subscribers must pay at least 50 cents for a three-month subscription. Subscribers who cannot call at our office for their calendars, must remit 5 cents to pay postage, or 10 cents if a copy of both calendars is wanted. Subscribers desiring more than one calendar, will be required to pay 10 cents for each extra copy, besides the postage, if calendars are to be sent by mail.

OLD PAPERS for sale at THE STAR office. They are just the thing for pantry shelves, wrapping paper and cartridge paper for the miners. Five cents buys a large roll of them.

## A GOOD COMBINATION, DIRT CHEAP.

Until further notice we will give you THE STAR and the New York Tribune Farmer, both one year, for only \$1.50 cash. This offer is good to all new subscribers, also to all old ones who pay all arrears and a year in advance. The Tribune Farmer easily stands at the head of the list of agricultural papers. It is large, finely illustrated and published every week. Address all orders to THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa.

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