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We have engaged the services of C. E. LIVENGOOD, Piano and Organ Tuner and Repairer, and orders for work in that line left at the music store will receive prompt attention.

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Call and see if we can't save you some money. Our prices are very low and our goods the very best.

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A present duty: **Subscribe for THE STAR.**

Important Announcement!

To the people of Salisbury and vicinity I wish to announce that I have purchased the undertaking business of Rutter & Will, in Meyersdale, and have moved to that town.

However, I have not sold out in that line in Salisbury, and I have a representative to look after my interests in Salisbury, where I shall keep constantly on hand a fine stock of

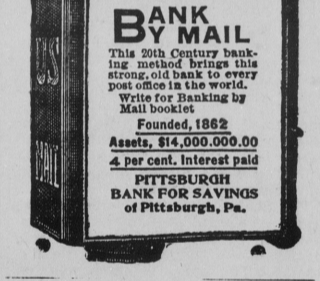
Undertaking Goods, Coffins, Caskets, Etc.

L. C. Boyer is my Salisbury salesman, and can sell you anything you may need in my line. I will continue to do embalming and funeral directing, both in Salisbury and Meyersdale.

Thinking the public for a generous patronage in the past, and soliciting a liberal future patronage, I remain your servant,
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Repairing neatly, promptly and substantially done. Prices very reasonable.



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Send for Catalogue of Premiums.

Stronger and whiter than any other starch. It is made by a new process, whereby more of the strength of the corn is retained than by the old process. In the top of each pound package there is a piece of **White Polishing Wax** and four balls of **Best French Laundry Blue**. Price Ten Cents.

SHIRT WAIST STARCH COMPANY, Norwalk, Conn.

From all points East of the Ohio River, West of Martinsburg, W. Va., and South of Summit Point, W. Va., tickets will be sold at One Fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip.

Tickets good going July 3, 4 and 5, valid for return not earlier than July 5, nor later than July 15, 1905. Extension of return limit to August 31 may be obtained on deposit of ticket and payment of \$1.00 to Joint Agent at Baltimore, Md.

Stop-overs will be allowed at Oakland, Mt. Lake Park, Deer Park and Washington, in either direction. For detailed information apply to nearest B. & O. Ticket Agent or C. W. Bassett, G. P. A., B. & O. R. R., Baltimore, Md.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- For Sheriff.** WILLIAM BRIGLEY, of Somerset Borough.
- For Prothonotary.** CHAS. C. SHAFER, of Somerset Borough.
- For Recorder of Deeds.** JOHN R. BOOSE, of Somerset Borough.
- For Clerk of Courts.** MILTON H. FIFE, of Meyersdale Borough.
- For Clerk of Orphan's Court and Register of Wills.** CHAS. F. COOK, of Berlin Borough.
- For Commissioners.** JOSIAH FRECHT, of Quemahoning Township. ROBERT AUGUSTINE, of Somerfield Borough.
- For Treasurer.** PETER HOFFMAN, of Paint Township.
- For Auditor.** W. H. H. BAKER, of Rockwood Borough. J. S. MILLER, of Somerset Township.
- For Poor Director.** WILLIAM BRANT, of Brothersvalley Township. JOHN MOSHOLDER, of Somerset Borough.
- For County Surveyor.** ALBERT E. RAYMAN, of Stonycreek Township.

Star Man Awarded Second Prize in Big Poetical Contest.

During the month of May the Columbia Phonograph Company advertised a poetical contest in the Pittsburgh daily papers, offering four prizes, as follows, for the best four short poems on the merits of the Columbia graphophone:

First prize, a \$50-graphophone; second prize, a \$25-graphophone; third prize, a \$15-graphophone; fourth prize, a \$10-graphophone.

The conditions of the contest were that no poem was to contain less than ten nor more than 100 words, the verses to contain the words "Columbia" and "graphophone," and all contestants agreeing to let the Columbia Phonograph Company use their productions for advertising and other purposes, should the company see fit to do so.

Many were the contestants, and numbered among them were persons who write poems for a living and for fame and profit. The editor of this paper has, therefore, a right to feel proud of winning second prize on a 12-line poem containing 72 words, which he wrote in about five minutes.

The awards were made by five disinterested Pittsburgh newspaper men, who were the judges, and on Tuesday we received the following letter from the Columbia Phonograph Company:

PITTSBURGH, PA., June 5, 1905. MR. P. L. LIVENGOOD, Elk Lick, Pa. DEAR SIR:—We beg to inform you that your effusion on "When You are Sad and Lone," entitles you to the second prize in the Columbia Poem Contest. This prize is an AZ machine, valued at \$25.00. Whenever you desire the machine to be sent to you, kindly give us your instructions, and we shall be pleased to forward same.

Congratulations on your success, we are yours very truly,

COLUMBIA PHONOGRAPH COMPANY. Following is our poem that took the second prize:

Whenever you are sad and lone, Just start the good old graphophone. Put on a minstrel, song or dance, Or banjo record, if, perchance, Such music suits your fancy best. Perhaps a speech is your request, Or it may be a noted band, Or orchestra you'd have at hand. All things here named, and many more, The graphophone brings to your door. The best machine on earth today— The matchless, grand Columbia.

JUST WHAT EVERYONE SHOULD DO.

Mr. J. T. Barber, of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for instant use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea come on so suddenly that there is no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says: "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room, as I have had several attacks of colic, and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used." Sold by E. H. Miller. 7-1

MUST SUPPLY CARS.

U. S. Supreme Court's Decision Very Sweeping.

The decision of the United States Supreme Court in the case of the Kingwood Coal Company, of West Virginia, against the Baltimore & Ohio Railway, is very sweeping in its character and shows that a railroad company must not discriminate against any small shipper, but that they must distribute cars upon a fair basis.

The case of the Kingwood Coal Company, which is located on a branch of the Baltimore & Ohio, has been pending for about two years. The Company complained that it could not secure enough cars from the Railroad Company to ship its coal, and charged that it was being discriminated against. This, it said, prevented it from marketing its product satisfactorily, while on the other hand, several of the larger companies, in which some of the railroad's stockholders were interested, received an ample supply of cars. When the case came up in the United States Circuit Court, Judge Gog held that cars must be distributed among the companies without discrimination, in proportion to their output, and ordered the railroad to supply 31 per cent. of the cars it had on hand to the Kingwood Company, that being its share of the production of the region, whereas only 18 per cent. had been sent there previously. The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company appealed from this decision, and took the case to the Supreme Court, but it was decided against the railroad company.

HUGE TASK.

It was a huge task to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache, and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach. Guaranteed by E. H. Miller, druggist; price 50c. 7-1

Neglectful Parents.

Many men and boys, the latter of whom have been supplied with guns by their parents, act as if they were not aware of the fact that there is a law in this state which prohibits the killing, wounding, trapping or poisoning of song birds, and also the destroying of the eggs and nests of song and wild birds. The penalty for the violation of the law in each of the above indicated cases is a fine of \$10 for each and every offense, and in default of payment, imprisonment in the county jail for a period of one day for each dollar of penalty imposed. In this, as in other cases, ignorance of the law is no excuse to escape the penalty of its violation. Parents who provide flobert rifles, guns or other firearms, with which the lads are tempted to shoot birds, should keep in mind the fact that they are rendering them liable to fine or imprisonment.—Berlin Gleaner.

DYING OF FAMINE

is, in its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the very end, is a long torture, both to victim and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Cearfoss, Md., "after trying different medicines and a good doctor, in vain, I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and sure cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevents pneumonia. Guaranteed at E. H. Miller's drug store, price 50c. and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free. 7-1

New Sheep Law.

The new sheep law, now in force, has a number of provisions which differ from the one formerly in operation. Heretofore, when dogs killed a farmer's sheep, two of his neighbors appraised the value, but according to the new law this value is found by the township auditors. Another new feature is the fact that the farmer is allowed fifty cents per head for burying the carcasses, which must be done within three days, or he cannot recover anything for his loss.

SPRAINED ANKLE, STIFF NECK, LAME SHOULDER.

These are three common ailments for which Chamberlain's Pain Balm is especially valuable. If promptly applied it will save you time, money and suffering when troubled with any one of these ailments. For sale by E. H. Miller. 7-1

500 NEW-STEEL CARS.

New Coal Company to Open Big New Mine on Boswell Branch.

In order to keep pace with its rapidly-increasing production, the Quemahoning Company, one of the biggest mining concerns in Somerset county, has decided to place an order at once for 500 steel gondola cars. The new rolling stock will be used at the company's big new mines recently opened on the Boswell branch of the S. & C. The mines at this point are shipping 1,000 tons of coal daily, and as soon as the new cars are received the production will be increased to 2,000 tons each day. D. B. Zimmerman, of Somerset, is president of the Quemahoning company.

Another big mine will be in operation in Somerset county within a week. The new operations are located on the Boswell branch, and the capacity will be 1,500 tons of coal a day. This volume of business, of course, will not be the rule at the outset, but a large number of men will be employed when the mine is once in operation.

The Somerset Coal Company is the largest coal mining corporation in Somerset county, outside of the Berwind-White people. It owns about 20 mines, all of which are working practically full time.

TEN TIMES EASIER.

It is ten times easier to cure coughs, croup, whooping-cough and all lung and bronchial affections when the bowels are open. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original Laxative Cough Syrup. Gently moves the bowels, and expels all cold from the system, cuts the phlegm, cures all coughs and strengthens weak lungs. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar contains no opiates, is pleasant to the taste and is the best and safest for child or adult. Sold by E. H. Miller. 7-1

Severe Criticism.

THE SALISBURY STAR of last week, criticizes the members of the local cast of "True to the Flag," that went up there last week to present the same. Editor Livengood never spares language when he starts in to criticize, but it is hard for us to believe that the young ladies of the cast would act in the manner he describes, in Salisbury or any other town, and if they did misbehave the comparison drawn is altogether too severe.—Meyersdale Republican.

"Iah dot so?" Well, we beg leave to differ with Editor Bishop. In the first place, Editor Bishop did not see the unbecoming conduct of the girls referred to, and when he says the comparison drawn is too severe, he does not know what he is talking about. When he passes judgement blindly, as in this case, he proclaims himself more of a jay than a judge. But perhaps we ought to apologize, and we will therefore say that perhaps the comparison drawn is too severe, for we doubt whether drunken "chippies" would have acted quite as silly on our streets as did some of the girls with the Meyersdale show party. Some of the girls in the party, however, behaved themselves very nicely, and we are not finding fault with the whole crowd.

No, we never spare language, Mr. Bishop, when we criticize, and we generally try to do nuisances justice. But we do believe that we spare the "King's English" to some extent, and not murder it in the horrible manner you do at times.

THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE.

For Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc., One Minute Cough Cure is the children's favorite. This is because it contains no opiate, is perfectly harmless, tastes good and cures. Sold by E. H. Miller. 7-1

Who Are They?

The average person would like very much to know just who constitutes the Somerset Prohibition Alliance, that is so active this year in not only prosecuting but persecuting certain hotel men of this county. It has been mildly hinted that it is a combination of disgruntled members of the Somerset County Bar, led by W. H. Ruppel and assisted by J. Calvin Lowry.—Meyersdale Republican.

QUALITY VS. QUANTITY.

Hard muscles and strong body do not depend on the quantity of food you eat, but on its perfect digestion and proper assimilation. When you take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure your system gets all the nourishment out of all the food you eat. It digests what you eat regardless of the condition of the stomach and conveys the nutrient properties to the blood and tissues. This builds up and strengthens the entire system. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Belching, Sour Stomach, Weak Heart, etc. Sold by E. H. Miller. 7-1