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The prices of the above assortment are 10, 12½, 15, 18, 25 and 30 cents.

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Cor. Grant and Ord Sts., Salisbury, Pa.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SALISBURY.

Capital paid in, \$50,000. Surplus & undivided profits, \$9,000.

3 PER CENT. INTEREST On Time Deposits.

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Greatly Pleased

are all people who call to inspect our immense stock of new goods in all departments. We have just added to our store

A Nice Line of Dry Goods.

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

Elk Lick Variety Store.

Is your Hair Falling Out? STOP IT, no more Baldness.

Disease prevents the hair being nourished, hence it falls out.

BROWNELL'S Maiden Hair Fern Hair Tonic

Kills germ life, cures the disease, nourishes the hair. Not a stimulant, but a cure. It dries on the head quickly. Is not sticky. It is not a dye, but a food to restore vigor and natural color to the hair, that is it brings the hair from a sticky condition to a healthy living growth. Is purely vegetable. Is positively free from all injurious substances. Send for Testimonials. For sale by Druggists.

THE SEVERANCE & STEWART COMPANY, 2590 No. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill. 72 No. Willard St., Burlington, Vt.

Will remove more Real Estate in less time than any soap ever placed on the market. We care not what your work is, with

MAPLE CITY MECHANIC'S SOAP

It is possible to have clean, soft odorless hands. A trial will convince you. Is a pure, vegetable, oil and mineral product. Use any kind of water. A very small quantity of soap and a little water will do the work. Also used for cleaning kitchen utensils; it has no equal. The most wonderful product of modern science. For sale everywhere, 5 Cents. Don't let your grocer substitute. Made only by the

MAPLE CITY SOAP WORKS, Monmouth, Ill.

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.

Thanking the public for a generous patronage in the past, and soliciting a liberal future patronage, I remain your servant,

H. McCULLOH, Meyersdale, Pa.

E. E. CODER,
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry,
SALISBURY, PA.
Repairing neatly, promptly and substantially done. Prices very reasonable.

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For State Treasurer.
J. LEE PLUMMER,
of Hollidaysburg.

For Judge of the Supreme Court.
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of Chambersburg.

For Judges of the Superior Court.
GEORGE B. OBLADY,
of Huntingdon.
CHARLES E. RICE,
of Wilkes-Barre.
JAMES A. BEAVER,
of Bellefonte.

COUNTY.

For Sheriff.
WILLIAM BEGHLEY,
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 Orphans' Court and Register of Wills.
CHAS. F. COOK,
of Berlin Borough.

For Commissioners,
JOSHUA SPECHT,
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.

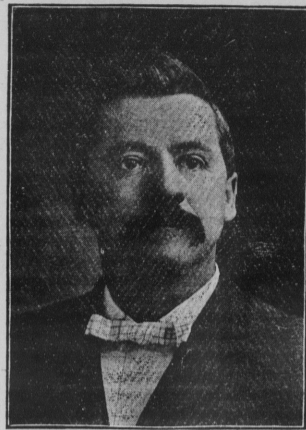
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wanted in every locality in the United States to take subscriptions for liberal cash commissions to

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(A whole year for 10 cents)

The best and cheapest monthly home magazine in the world, containing 32 pages, 10 1/4 inches, of selected reading matter of unusual interest in every home. Liberal commissions and subscription blank book AT ONCE. FULL PARTICULARS AND SUBSCRIPTION BLANK BOOK AT ONCE. ADAMS'S MAGAZINE, 131 W. 24th St., N.Y. City

TO LAND OWNERS:—We have printed and keep in stock a supply of trespass notices containing extracts from the far-reaching trespass law passed at the 1905 session of the Pennsylvania Legislature. The notices are printed on good cardboard with blank line for signature, and they will last for years in all kinds of weather. Every land owner should buy some of them, as the law requires land owners to post their lands if they want the protection of the latest and best trespass law ever passed. Send all orders to THE STAR, Elk Lick, Pa.

NEW BANKING COMMISSIONER.



J. A. Berkey, of Somerset.

A Prominent State Office for a Very Worthy Somerset County Citizen.

The many friends of J. A. Berkey, Esq., of Somerset, were greatly pleased, last Friday, when they noticed the announcement in the daily papers that he had been appointed by Governor Pennypacker to fill the important and lucrative position of Banking Commissioner of this great commonwealth. At the same time came the announcement that Mr. Berkey's predecessor in that office (Robert McAfee) was elevated to the office of Secretary of the Commonwealth, that office having recently become vacant through the death of Secretary Frank M. Fuller.

Mr. Berkey had been a very prominent applicant for the office to which Mr. McAfee has been appointed, which is the most lucrative of all the state offices, and that he came within an ace of landing the "plum" is well known to those who are posted in state politics. Mr. McAfee was not an applicant for the place, but as his appointment was strongly urged as a peace measure by the warring Republican factions of his county (Allegheny), and the fact that he is a close personal friend of the Governor, he was taken up and given the office at the last moment. The office of Banking Commissioner, thus made vacant, was then tendered to and accepted by Mr. Berkey, as per previous agreement between the Governor, Mr. Berkey and his leading friends.

Both appointees are very able men, and their appointment is highly satisfactory to all the true and loyal Republicans in the state, regardless of the howls of the mugwump press of this and other counties. The true Republicans of Somerset county are particularly interested in Mr. Berkey, as he is a man not only of signal ability as a lawyer and politician, but is also noted for his fine business ability, good judgement and generous, manly impulses. He stands in the front rank among Pennsylvania lawyers, and no other man in Somerset county ever gave so much of his time, means and energy for the good of the Republican party as has Mr. Berkey. As a political leader he is a veritable prodigy, and he, above all others, is responsible for the downfall and almost complete annihilation of the corrupt Scull ring, the rotten aggregation of vampires that was responsible for \$567-election proclamations and the many other padded printing bills and various pieces of official rascality by which the honest taxpayers of Somerset county were robbed and plundered for many years.

With Berkey's leadership came an end to the selling of postoffices and all manner of political rackets, and all right-thinking people are pleased to see him placed in a position that will at least partially recompense him for the valuable time and energy he has for years been devoting to the welfare of the grand old party. The salary attached to his present office is \$6,000.00 per year, and, having a competent law partner in the person of C. L. Shaver, he will be able to take care of his state office without being compelled to let his large law practice suffer.

John Albert Berkey is the son of a farmer, born in Jefferson township, Somerset county, January 31, 1861. He was graduated from the California State Normal School in 1884, and was a teacher in and principal of the Somerset public schools the three following years. While teaching he read law in the office of ex-Congressman Alexander H. Coffroth and was admitted to the Somerset bar in 1889. In 1892 he was elected to the office of District Attorney, and after the expiration of his term he applied himself to the practice of his profession with such zeal that his practice has since been second to none in Somerset county. In 1895 the Republican faction of which he is one

of the leaders secured control of the county and has remained in control since. Mr. Berkey was elected Chairman of the Republican County Committee in 1899, and since that time has been a member of the Republican State Committee. He received the endorsement of Somerset county for the Republican nomination for Congress in 1902. He was beaten by A. F. Cooper, who has once been re-elected and is seeking a third term. Along with his legal practice Mr. Berkey has invested in many business enterprises. He is interested in several hotel properties in Somerset county and owns other real estate. He served as District Attorney two terms, from 1892 to 1895.

PECULIAR DISAPPEARANCE.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at E. H. Miller's drug store, price 25c. 9-1

AND the blow almost killed "Timmie" when J. A. Berkey was appointed Banking Commissioner by Governor Pennypacker. It was the Scull brothers, you know, who took the Governor out for a drive when he attended the P. N. G. encampment, at Somerset, a few years ago, and on that account they imagined that they were highly honored and had a great stand-in with the Governor. They make all kinds of sour-grape grimaces at Mr. Berkey's appointment, and they also make threats, likewise blanketed fools of themselves. Then, at other times in their great consternation, they try to console themselves with the pretended idea that the appointment is really Berkey's finish, and the way they denounce Penrose and others whose praises they were continually singing a few years ago, is indeed laughable. Poor "Timmie" and "Bob" are out of a job, and for "Bobbie" and "Tim" chances are slim. We greatly enjoy the wails coming from the political scrap heap, under which none are harder or more justly squeezed than the Scull boys.

FIENDISH SUFFERING

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Ulcers, Sores and Cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c. at E. H. Miller's drug store; guaranteed. 9-1

THE ART OF "DOING" PEOPLE.

Under this head THE STAR will from week to week expose some of the fraudulent advertising schemes by which shrewd charlatans in various cities and towns gather in the hard-earned coin of unsuspecting persons who are usually on the lookout to get something of considerable value for a trifling consideration, or who are looking for easy employment at good wages. Read this column closely, as it may save you from being a "sucker" and foolishly parting with your money.

THE WORK-AT-HOME SCHEME.

The chance to earn a few dollars a week without leaving home appeals to many women whose household duties occupy the greater part of their daylight hours. Unfortunately the work-at-home scheme catches not only the woman whose object is merely to earn a little pin-money, and who, in many cases, can afford to lose a dollar or two without suffering any hardship as a consequence; but it gathers in as well the working-girl eager to add to her scanty earnings by engaging in some remunerative work at home.

The work-at-home scheme is operated in a variety of ways, but the underlying principle is the same in all cases. Sometimes the work to be done consists in embroidering dollies or in making lace, and in other cases it consists of filling in with gilt paint price-tickets printed in outline. In all cases the work is described as easy, the advertisements assuring the reader that experience is unnecessary. In all cases, too, the victim is obliged to buy, from the promoters of the scheme, "materials" or a lace-making machine or some other object before she is given any work. The following description of a scheme against which a fraud order was issued last May will make clear the methods pursued by all fakirs of the work-at-home class. The advertisement in this case reads as follows:

HOME WORK. \$3.00 to \$15.00; no canvassing; \$5.00 to \$10.00 weekly working evenings; experience unnecessary. Enclose stamps for instructions, samples, etc. Address: B. WILSON & CO., 638 Walnut St., Philadelphia.

To those who reply to this advertise-

ment a circular letter is sent stating that the work required consists in filling in with bronze paint, store window price-tickets printed in outline, one of which, partly filled in, is inclosed as a sample. The circular states that the work is easily done, requires no previous experience, and that all that is necessary is to do the work in a neat manner. Two dollars and a half per hundred is offered for tickets filled in as described, and the prospective victim is assured that she can easily gild at least one hundred tickets a day. She will require an "outfit," of course, the cost of which is generously put at the remarkably low price of \$1.10. In return for her dollar-ten the victim receives a handful of window tickets, a small bottle of bronze paint and a brush for applying it—the actual value of the articles furnished, including postage, being fully covered by the extra ten cents. The worst, however, is yet to come. When the woman having parted with her money and having spent her time filling in the handful of tickets sent her, returns them, at her own expense, she receives, not a check in payment for the work done, but a circular letter stating that her work is "unsatisfactory." She may possess the talent of a Rosa Bonheur and a department store ticket-writer rolled into one, but she will never succeed in selling a cent's worth of bronzed price-tickets to the fakirs who sold her the "outfit." Their business is not to buy, but to sell, and her fate is not to sell, to be sold.

PUBLIC IS AROUSED.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at E. H. Miller's drug store; price 50c. 9-1

The Walter Williams' Poker Check Affair.

Several opinions were filed in the Prothonotary's office, Wednesday morning, by Judge Kooser.

Among the cases passed upon was that of the Scottdale First National Bank against J. W. Williams, of Salisbury, which involves the collection of a check for \$650. The check was given in April of this year by Williams in favor of Philip Kromer, of Scottdale, who had it cashed at the above bank the following morning. When the bank undertook to make a collection where Williams made his deposits, he had stopped payment. He set up an affidavit of defense in which he alleges that the check was given on the night of April 6th to Kromer as a pawn in a poker game while he had been under the influence of liquor and a drug, which he believed Lupton Frantz, one of the parties in the game, had administered to him, and because it was a gambling debt it was non-collectable. A rule was issued on the defendant to show cause why judgment for the amount of the check should not be entered against him, and Judge Kooser has discharged the rule. The Bank probably will bring suit against Williams.—Somerset Standard.

DANGEROUS AND UNCERTAIN.

For sunburn, tetter and all skin and scalp diseases, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has no equal. It is a certain cure for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. It will draw the fire out of a burn and heal without leaving a scar. Boils, old sores, carbuncles, etc., are quickly cured by the use of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Accept no substitute, as they are often dangerous and uncertain. Sold by E. H. Miller. 9-1

Same Game May be Tried Elsewhere.

The following from the New Bloomfield (Perry county) Times we publish as a caution to the readers of THE STAR, as the same game may be tried elsewhere:

"The readers of the Times should be on the lookout for a swindler, who is going about representing himself as an agent of the Larkin Company and offering to all a combination that causes almost any one with the money handy to buy. His offer is a lot of pills, a sewing machine and twenty-five yards of carpet, all for the sum of ten dollars. He delivers the pills and agrees to send the other goods, but they never come, and the victim has the pills and is out of the money."