



Merry Christmas!

Have you seen our display of Christmas articles? The time is here to make your selections. Our stock is

At Its Best.

Every day from now on, the selection will be getting lower. These is Silver and Japanese ware, Handkerchiefs and many other things, in fact too many to mention here. Call and look them over.

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Salisbury, Penna.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SALISBURY.

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Our store is chucked full of Everything Good

to eat, and our prices are always fair.

We aim to please our customers by courteous treatment and prompt delivery of goods. Call to see us.
Very Respectfully,

S. A. Lichliter, Salisbury, Pa.

Best On Earth!

That's what we claim for pure home-ground Chop. It does not pay to buy imported adulterated feed. The best is the cheapest in the end. We have the best of everything in the Flour, Feed and Grocery line.

Binder Twine and Phosphate!

Buy your Binder Twine from us, also Phosphate for your fall crops. We have the best of it, and our prices are always fair.

We handle the choicest and purest of country produce, and deliver goods promptly.

West Salisbury Feed Co.

Holiday GIFTS!



Under this heading we might fill a page of suggestions that our immense and varied stock affords; but we haven't got the space at our disposal. We must invite you, instead, to come in and see them with your own eyes. We are better prepared than ever before to supply

Every Want in Holiday Merchandise!

This is the result of careful planning and skillful buying. Don't delay, come now, as those that come late must take what's left.

P. S. HAY,
Salisbury, Pa.

The Crystal Grocery.

We carry a complete line of Groceries and handle the best of everything to eat. Fine Confections, Cakes, Pies and bread.

A FIRST CLASS RESTAURANT in connection, under the management of Mrs. McDowell.

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THREE TO TEN DOLLARS PER DAY
NO MONEY REQUIRED.

We have the fastest selling line of goods to offer to only one, house to house agent in each section, goods sell themselves, are fully warranted. We start you as a general agent after you get acquainted with the goods and teach you to get a nice living without hard labor. Are you interested? Write to-day for catalogue and proposition. No money required.

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A strictly high grade Illuminating Oil must make a large, white light, and burn the lamp out dry with strong, firm flame without charring the wick

Family Favorite THE BEST FOR ILLUMINATING

Perfectly safe—150 degrees fire test—water white and odorless—Will not soot or smoke.

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PITTSBURG, PA.

Your Dealer Has It.

MODEL B Bull Dog SUSPENDERS

Just the Thing for His Christmas

50¢

THE STANDARD because they fit, because they contain more and better rubber than other makes, allowing easy, free movement of the body in every position; because they have gold-gilt metal parts, guaranteed not to rust or tarnish, and because the cord ends are stronger than usually found in suspenders, preventing them from fraying and wearing through.

THEY OUTWEAR THREE ORDINARY KINDS, WHICH MEANS THREE TIMES THE SERVICE OF USUAL 50 CENT SORTS.

THE MOST COMFORTABLE SUSPENDERS MADE FOR MEN, YOUTH OR BOY IN LIGHT, HEAVY OR EXTRA HEAVY WEIGHTS, EXTRA LONG (NO EXTRA COST) SENSIBLE, INEXPENSIVE (FITS EVERY MAN AND BOY WILL GENUINELY RECEIVE FOR THE BEST INSET ON MODEL B BULL DOG SUSPENDER, HEWES & POTTER, Dept. 87 Lincoln St. Boston, Mass.)

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In answering the above advertisement, add to the address, Dept. 1744.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
The Best Salve in the World. Will Surely Stop That Cough.

Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar
Cures all Coughs, and expels Colds from the system by gently moving the bowels.

ELECTRIC BITTERS
THE BEST FOR BILIOUSNESS AND KIDNEYS.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS.

The Editor Under Obligations to His Brother William for the Following Nice Birthday Letter.

FORT WORTH, TEX., Dec. 14, 1907.

DEAR BROTHER:—I am reminded by the calendar before me that today you have reached the 44th milestone in your journey from the cradle to the grave. I sincerely hope it may be at least another 44 years before you reach your ultimate destination.

Although I was not quite three years old when I relinquished the old red cradle to you, I seem to have a vague recollection of the bleak December day on which you arrived at the old log cabin in "The Cove" of Garrett county, Maryland, which was our childhood home. That seems a long, long time ago, and in the intervening years since we were boys and played and "scrapped" with each other, as brothers will, our feet have trod diverse paths, but I am glad to feel that as the shadows of the fleeting years bring us ever nearer the time when we shall sink to sleep in the lap of Mother Earth, we are brothers still by ties of sentiment as well as blood.

While congratulating you on having reached the age of two score years and four, and wishing you may at least double your present span of life, I note with pleasure that you have decided to enter the race for the Legislature.

I wish you success in your campaign, as I think you a great deal more capable to become a wise and efficient Solon than the majority of the fellows who misrepresent the people at the State Capital. I agree with you that it is about time for the south of the county to have a representative at Harrisburg. Not since the palmy days of the Hon. Sam Mier and the late Senator Hiram Findlay, I believe, has Salisbury or Elk Lick township had a representative in the legislative halls of the state. However, it is not a question of geography as much as of brains that should determine the nomination, and since you are in the right location, and have the requisite quantity and quality of "gray matter," there is no good reason why you should not be the choice of the Republican voters of the county for the office.

The Livengoods have always been good patriots, and seldom asked for political jobs, which is another reason why your ambition is worthy of recognition. However, if I believed you were simply after the spoils of the office, I would not wish you success. I believe, however, you are inspired by higher motives.

Since the trolley has infused new life into the old town of Salisbury, there is all the more reason why it should in the future have an able representative in the legislative halls of the state.

Wishing you and your family and all my friends at Salisbury a merry Christmas. I remain fraternally yours,

W. S. LIVENGOOD.

I am afraid brother William has complimented me more than I deserve, yet his letter is a most welcome one, as there is much in it to reflect over and profit by, and besides, it makes one feel good to be kindly remembered by those who are ever near and dear by ties of friendship and relationship, no matter how great the distance in miles that lies between us. There is one thing that brother William and all other men can rest assured of, and that is this: If I am successful in being elected to the Legislature, I will ever stand true to my convictions and represent my constituents to the best of my knowledge and ability. P. L. LIVENGOOD.

DANGER IN ASKING ADVICE.

When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes Sold by all Druggists. 1-1

An Expensive Campaign.

The recent campaign in Fayette county cost the Republican candidates a very large sum. The Republican chairman has filed his statement, showing that he expended \$25,275. J. Q. VanSwearingen, Republican Judge-elect, expended \$5,708.78, and P. A. Johns, Sheriff-elect, \$7,885.48. H. L. Robinson, who was defeated for Judge, expended \$1,159.40.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law, as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Sold by all Druggists. 1-1

Our Candidacy Taking a Boom in Indiana.

Salisbury and vicinity has sent as many brainy and manly men out into the world as any other portion of Somerset county. And we are pleased to say that to a man they are our friends. It is but natural, therefore, that they should desire to see THE STAR man go to the Legislature, and it does us good to know that they are anxious for that very thing to happen.

One of the latest cheering letters to come to us from abroad is from Elder Howard H. Keim, Secretary-Treasurer of the Indiana Wool Growers' Association. Space will not permit the reproduction of his entire letter, but following is a portion of it:

"Since your announcement for Assembly, I have wanted to write and say I am for Peter L. I think you are the right stuff, and would, like Senator Jeff Davis, break over precedent to tell the truth. May success be yours."

WHEN TO GO HOME.

From the Bluffton, Ind., Banner: "When tired out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best, go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal, go home and practice on your wife and children first. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy, go home and light up the whole household." To which we would add, when you have a bad cold, go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and a quick cure is certain. For sale at Miller's Drug Store. 1-1

A Three-Times Winner.

Hon. John J. Stump, of Cumberland, Md., who was recently elected to the Maryland Legislature for the third time, sent the editor of this paper a card, several days ago, containing Mr. Stump's portrait and the following message:

"Hello, Pete, here's luck to you! I am a three-times winner. Want me to tell you how I did it?"

Your Old Friend,
JOHN J. STUMP.

We knew the Hon. John J. Stump when he was but a wee boy of seven or eight years. At that time he lived with his widowed mother at Oldtown, Md., and picked up many a nickle taking people across the Potomac river to and from the B. & O. railway station at Green Spring Run, W. Va., and doing such other errands and chores as he could find to do. We were in that vicinity selling maps and pictures during the winter of 1883, and Johnnie Stump ran many an errand for us. He was one of the most faithful little fellows in attending to everything promptly and right that was entrusted to him that we ever came across, and like most boys of that kind usually do, he has risen to fame and fortune.

We thank Mr. Stump for his kind wishes, and we are always pleased to hear of the success of such men as he is.

Even people who doubt Senator Foraker's judgement cannot but admire his courage.

In Mexico they celebrate Christmas for nine days. Guess there's no money stringency down there.

If the depletion of the army keeps on, the Government will have to give trading stamps to induce men to join.

JAPAN has offered to build a navy for Spain at reduced rates. Russia should get Japan's address and write for terms.

The usefulness of the Panama canal in floating a loan is only a suggestion of the great purpose it is serve in floating ships.

It may be said without fear of contradiction that the new twenty dollar gold piece is twice as good looking as the ten dollar coin.

The frequent Democratic harmony dinners also help the members of the party to continually find something new to quarrel over.

HAVING been apologized for by Mr. Bryan, no doubt the dopykey will feel quite elevated. Maybe we will go looking for a lion's skin.

EVERY time some public speaker announces that "the need of the hour is men," he strikes a responsive chord in the hearts of thousands of lonely women.

NOTWITHSTANDING the length of that message, the President will doubtless happen to remember a few things that he left unsaid, before the session is much older.

A present duty: Subscribe for THE STAR.