The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY - - - - - - October 18, 1876.

Rutherford B. Hayes

ELECTORAL TICKET.

ELECTORS AT LARGE.

BENJAMIN H. BREWSTER, Philadelphia.

JOHN W. CHALFANT, Allegheny

ELECTORS.

1. JOHN WELSH.
2. HENRY DISSTON.
3. CHRISTIAN J. HOFFMAN.
4. CHAS. T. JONES.
5. EDWIN A. FITLER.
6. BENJAMIN SMITH.
7. J. W. BARNARD.
8. JACOB KNAB.
9. JOHN B. WARFEL.
10. JOSEPH THOMAS.
11. ARIO PARDEE.
12. LEWIS PUGHE.
13. ED. S. SILLIMAN.
14. WILLIAM CALDER.
15. MILES L. TRACY.
16. S. W. STARKWEATHER.
17. DANIEL J. MORRELL.
18. JEREMIAH LYONS.
19. WILLIAM HAY.
20. WILLIAM CAMERON.
21. J. R. DONLEY.
22. DANIEL O'NEILL.
23. WILLIAM NEBB.
24. ANDREW B. BERGER.
25. SAMUEL M. JACKSON.
26. JAMES WESTERMAN
27. W. W. WILBUR.

NATIONAL TICKET

FOR PRESIDENT

RUTHERFORD B. HAYES.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT

WILLIAM A. WHEELER.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET!

CONGRESS,

JACOB M. CAMPBELL.

SENATE,

E. D. YUTZY.

COUNTY TICKET!

ASSEMBLY,

E. J. MEYERS,

ALLEN S. WILL.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE,

C. C. MUSSELMAN,

DANIEL STUFFT.

POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR,

SAM. SNYDER.

JURY COMMISSIONER,

CHARLES T. HUNTER.

THE result of the elections held in the States of Ohio, Indiana, and West Virginia on Tuesday last, show most conclusively that if the Republicans use their advantages wisely, during the ensuing three weeks, that their Presidential ticket will be elected.

In Ohio the Republicans have elected their State ticket by majorities ranging from 7,000 to 10,000, have secured both branches of the Legislature, and have gained five and perhaps seven members of Congress. In the present Congress the delegation stands, thirteen Democrats to seven Republicans. In the next it will be, twelve Republicans to eight Democrats. This is a most substantial victory and secures the State to HAYES in November by at least 20,000 majority.

In Indiana, although the result is not quit so conclusive, the Republicans have much the best of the fight. They have cut down the Democratic majority of 17,000 to less than 5,000, and although they fail to elect their candidate for Governor, they have carried both branches of the Legislature, and have made a gain of four members of Congress. In this Congress the Democrats have nine members and the Republicans four, in the next the delegation will stand precisely reversed, nine Republicans to four Democrats.

HENDRICKS was placed on the Democratic ticket solely for the purpose of securing Indiana, and last Tuesday's election, shows the popular heart against him, and that he cannot secure the State to the Democracy in November.

West Virginia is of course, hopelessly Democratic, and as well informed politician anticipated any other result. Sufficient returns have not yet been received to show the probable majority.

We sum up the results of last Tuesdays elections as decidely favorable to HAYES, and as strongly indicative of a Republican majority in the next Congress. Beyond all doubt the Republicans can win in November if that the detemine to do it, and we think that the doubt still hovering around Iddiana will be a greater incentive to work, than if we had carried that State by a decided majority and thus have virtually settled the Presidential contest last week.

Republicans! the first great battle has been fought, and the victory is ours. *Hold the fort.* Don't sleep on your arms. Three weeks more and then the coming victory.

$678,054,222 is what the Republican party have paid off of the Nation al debt, and now the Democratic party want to pay the Solid South $2,505,622,476 for rebble claims.

VOTE the whole Republican County ticket. Every one on it deserves a hearty support, and there is strength in a solid, united vote.

THE Democrats are howling in frantic delight over the month's reprieve from death which they received last week. Had they lost Indiana their fate was surely sealed. They escaped by the "skin of their teeth," and are shouting in mad glee over the postponement of their doom for a month.

Last year the Republicans carried Ohio by about five thousand majority, and now they have nearly doubled it. Last year the Democrats had Indiana by nearly eighteen thousand majority, and now they have lost more than two-thirds of it. Which is the unpermost dog in the fight?

IT is a significant and instructive fact that at the election in Indiana last week, the Republicans made gains at the "home" polls, of both HENDRICKS and "Blue Jeans" WILLIAMS. These Democratic Statesman evidently do not improve on close acquaintance.

THE Democratic majority in the House was reduced at least twenty, probably twenty-four at the elections of last week, and twenty-four changes of a similar character will give the House to the Republicans. Pennsylvania and New York alone, will furnish more than half of the necessary quota.

THE fact that HOLMAN, the picayune demagogue, and LANEUS the apostle of unlimited greenbacks, were both badly beaten for Congress by Republicans, shows that Indiana is not assuredly anchored safely to HENDRICKS, who was placed on the Presidential ticket solely to secure that soft-money State.

LAST year the Democrats had 42 majority on joint ballot in the Indiana Legislature. Now, the Republicans have 9 over both Democrats and Independents. Truly this is a stunning Democratic victory. The exchange of a Legislature, and Congressional delegation for a pair of old blue jean breeches, is enough to make any Democrat "holler."

THE vote polled in Cincinnati last week is seven thousand greater than that of last year, when the fierce contest was made between HAYES and ALLEN for Governor. It is clear, that this increase is largely fraudulent, and as the two Democratic Congressmen from that district are reported as elected; one by three hundred, and the other by less than one hundred majority, the Republicans on a contest, will doubtless be awarded the seats.

THE Democrats did a tremendous amount of lying previous to the Ohio and Indiana elections, over the results in Maine and Colorado. They published a bogus dispatch from Maine claiming a reduction of the Republican majority to 11,000, while they persistently asserted that Colorado had gone Democratic. Now that the lies no longer serve their purpose it is admitted that the Republicans carried Maine by over 15,000, and that Colorado has voted the same way. Annanias could'nt hold a candle to the average Democratic politician, about election times.

A DEMOCRATIC majority of less than five thousand in Indiana, this year, where in 1874 the same party had a majority of 17,202 the election of four Congressmen where they had nine, and the election in Ohio of eight Congressmen where they had thirteen, the doubling of the Republican majority in the latter State, and the loss of the Legislature in both States is what the Democracy are shouting over as "a glorious victory." The rope broke, and the half strangled criminal yells with delight, over the few additional moments he is spared.

Now boys! pull off your coats and to work for General "JAKE" CAMPBELL. Ohio and Indiana have shown you how to "lay out" Democratic Congressmen. Remember that the House of Representatives holds the purse of the Nation, and that the rebel Democracy are straining frantically to gain in Congress what they lost in the field. A Democratic majority in the next Congress means the payment of the millions of rebel claims now on file at Washington. A vote for CAMPBELL is a vote in favor of your own pocket. The man who fought the rebels in the field, will not vote to pay for the loss they brought upon themselves.

HERE is a couple of the little bills, of the many thousands now before the House, which General CAMPBELL will vote against when he takes his seat in the next Congress.

Mr. Buckner, (Dem.) of Missouri, introduced the following little bill to pay one of his constituents.

Be it enacted, etc., That there be paid to G. R. Wilfred Marshall, out of any money in the Treasury not appropriated, the sum of $31,169, in full compensation for the use and occupation of his lands during the late war by the United States troops, and for property belonging to him taken and used by said troops.

Mr. Hooker of Mississippi introduced the following:

Be it enacted, etc., That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be paid to Consider Parish, of Hinds county, in the State of Mississippi, or to his order, out of such moneys remaining in the Treasury of the United States as are not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $10,658, to compensate him in full for thirty-eight bales of cotton, one two-horse wagon, one six-horse wagon, one large ox wagon, two large trunks, two suits of male clothing, six linen shirts, a quantity of male underclothing, etc., etc., stored on the premises of said Consider Parish, on the Tallahatchie River, in the then county of Sunflower (now Leflore), in the State Mississippi, then and there taken by and the same appropriated to the uses, purposes, and benefit of the United States.

Every taxpayer in Somerset County who is anxious to pay his share of these, and thousands of similar claims, can express his desire, by voting against General CAMPBELL

HERE is a piece of information taken from the *Congressional Record* of last session which largely interests the loyal people of the country. It shows definitely the Southern claims now before Congress:

The total sum proposed to be appropriated is $400,000 *more than our entire National debt!* and amounts to $2,503,622,386. The classification is as follows: Rebuilding levees on the Mississippi river, $5,250,000; rebuilding bridges in West Virginia, $200,000; refund of cotton tax $68,072,000; supplies used or destroyed, $1,205,163,000; use and occupation of property, $1,205,163; return of proceeds of captured property $9,000,000; refund and remission of direct tax, $5,153,886; disloyal mail contractors, $350,000; disloyal claimants. under the repeal of section 3840 of the Revised Statutes, $500,000 private relief bills, $4,770,500.

The mind can hardly grasp the atrocity of the proposition to pay this enormous sum to the beaten rebels, but the claims have been introduced and are now pending. That they will be forced through, if a Democratic President and a Democratic Congress is elected, admits of no doubt.

AWFUL EXPLOSION.

Bursting of the Boilers of a Rolling Mill

Terrible Loss of Life.

PITTSBURG, PA., October 12.—At 8:45 o'clock this morning a terrible explosion occurred at Zug & Co.'s mills, corner of Thirteenth and Etna streets, which was attended with great loss of life. The boilers in the nail mill exploded, and that building and more than half of the rolling mill were demolished. A large number of employees were at work, and it is impossible to tell how many are buried in the ruins. The greatest excitement prevails. The buildings caught fire and the flames have not yet been extinguished. So far ten bodies have been taken from the ruins.

At the time of the explosion there were employed in the nailing department one hundred and fifty men and boys. The explosion literally tore the building to pieces. The roof was raised, and in falling it fortunately rested on the nail machines, enabling most of the workmen to crawl out and escape before the fire from the furnace caught the mass of the wreck. Owing to the excitement and confusion it is impossible to give an exact number of the killed and wounded. The following is as near as can be obtained:

Killed, 19, wounded 22.

The scene on the outside in the vicinity of the works for a considerable distance were of the wildest and most heartrending character. The news of the explosion spread like wildfire through the city, and in a short time the people began to gather from all parts. Men, women and children who had relatives and friends in the establishment rushed frantically forward, and a scene of the wildest confusion followed. The police, with ropes extended across the streets, kept the surging crowd from interfering with the successful work of the fireman and their apparatus. The Chief of Police, with a large body of patrolmen, were kept busy in keeping back the crowd and assisting in carrying out the wounded and killed from under the debris.

The office of the works, on the corner of Etna street, opposite the mill where the explosion occurred, was considerably used up. The building was improvised into a temporary hospital, where the dead and wounded were carried. A large number of surgeons were promptly on the ground. The causes which led to this frightful calamity are as yet enveloped in mystery. The boilers were in charge of a careful engineer, and had been duly inspected before the works resumed operation some time ago.

LATER—3 P. M.—Three more have died from their injuries, and five others will doubtless die.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Burning of a Steamboat on the Mississippi.

BATON ROUGE, October 10.—The steamboat Southern Belle was burned about 2 o'clock this morning two miles above Plaquemine, on the west bank of the river. The boat and cargo were totally destroyed, and several lives were lost.

The steamer Bertha took some of the passengers to New Orleans, while others returned here on the steamer Katie. Great credit is accorded the engineer and pilot Herbert for their efforts to land the boat during the burning.

NEW ORLEANS, October 11.—Many lives were lost by the burning of the steamboat Southern Belle. Among those known lost are Wm. Von Phul, Mr. Drose, Miss Fannie O'Conner, and another lady, all of Baton Rouge; Mr. Franks, of Port Hudson; Mr. Lingom; also Franks, an employee, and the steward and his crew. It is supposed that nearly all of those who were sleeping in the after part of the boat were burned to death, as after the fire had got fairly underway it was almost impossible to get at the bow of the boat, the only way of escape to the shore. The cargo consisted of from 500 to 800 bales of cotton. The boat was new, valued at $45,000, and insured for $30,000, mostly in New Orleans companies. Mr. E. Herbert, the pilot, held the bow of the boat against the bank until all who could had escaped. He then leaped from the pilot house to the lower deck, and was badly injured.

THE ELECTIONS.

Ohio Carried by the Republicans by a Majority of 10,000.

Twelve of the Twenty Congressmen elected are Republicans.

Indiana goes Democratic by a Meager Majority.

Healthy Gains in the Election of Members of Congress.

Every Indication That the State Will Go for Hayes and Wheeler in November.

Only Meager Returns from West Virginia.

OHIO.

COLUMBUS, October 12.—The Republican State Central Committee revised their returns, and now estimate Barnes' majority at 6,707. The fifty-two counties reported on Boynton, for Supreme Judge, indicate that the majority on the balance of the State ticket will reach 10,000. The Republicans have reversed the delegation in Congress probably, but this may not be absolutely certain. The Democrats claim that Van Vorhes is beaten in the Fifteenth district by W. W. Poston This is very wine of the Republican information, which gives Van Vorhes several hundred majority. The Democratic claims give them nine members, but probably they will have but seven. They expected to defeat Foster, and made great efforts, but he gained more than one hundred on his vote of two years ago. General J. D. Cox, defeats Hurd, which is a cause of great rejoicing. The districts which the Republicans have reclaimed are certainly the Third, Ninth, Eleventh, Seventeenth and Twentieth. The majorities cannot be given. The Democrats have elected the following Congressmen: Saylor, in the First district; Banning in the Second; Rice in the Fifth; Dickey in the Seventh; Ewing in the Twelfth; Southard in the Thirteenth; Finley in the Fourteenth. The Republicans have elected the following Congressmen: Gardiner in the Third district; Howard in the Fourth; Cox in the Sixth; Keifer in the Eighth; Jones in the Ninth; Foster in the Tenth; Neal in the Eleventh; Van Vorhes in the Fifteenth; Danford in the Sixteenth; McKinley in the Seventeenth; Monroe in the Eighteenth; Garfield in the Nineteenth, and Townsend in the Twentieth. The Republicans gain five Congressman.

INDIANA.

INDIANAPOLIS, October 13.—We have returns from 89 counties, which give a net Democratic majority of 4,578. The same counties in 1872 gave a net Democratic majority of 845. The three counties to hear from gave Hendricks 303 majority.

INDIANAPOLIS, October 13.—Ninety-two counties, all of which are official except three or four, give Williams 4,719 majority. The counties not heard from are Perry and Spencer, which gave a Democratic majority in 1872 of 178. The Democrats claim this will be increased 400 or 500.

The following is the official and estimated majorities on the Congressional ticket: First District, Fuller, Democrat, (estimated) 1,500; Second, Cobb, Democrat, (estimated) 5,100; Fourth, Sexton, Republican, (official) 317; Fifth, Brown, Republican, (estimated) 1,600; Sixth, Robinson, Republican, (official) 302; Seventh, Hanna, Republican, (estimated) 1,600; Eighth, Hunter, Republican, (official) 1,080; Ninth, White, Republican, (official) 1,272; Tenth, Calkins, Republican, (official) 1,350; Eleventh, Evans, Republican, (estimated) 1,200; Twelfth, Hamilton, Democrat, (estimated) 6,400; Thirteenth, Baker, Republican, 2,300.

WEST VIRGINIA.

WHEELING, October 13.—Ohio county gives a Democratic majority of 189 on the vote for Governer.

Returns from the interior of the State still come in slowly. They generally show increased Democratic majorities. The State will probably go 12,000 Democratic

Triple Murder in Maine.

BOSTON, October 14.—News of a probable triple murder has just been received from Buckspoct, Maine. The victims are an aged man, named Trim, his daughter Mrs. Thayer, and her little girl. Trim's house and buildings were burned last night. His charred remains were found in the debris of the carriage house. A bloody trail was found leading from the house to the rear of the barn, and it is supposed that Mrs. Thayer and her daughter were murdered and the bodies dragged to the barn, though they have not been found Mrs. Thayer was known to have eight hundred dollars in the house, and plunder is supposed to have been the incentive.

Later.—The community is intensely excited, and this morning turned out *en masse* to investigate and secure the murderer. Blood stains found on the road, a broken comb, some hair and other indications pointed to a struggle at that point, and by blood spots the trail was followed to the barn. During the afternoon the charred remains of Mrs. Thayer were taken from the debris of the barn. The body of the child has no been discovered, though it is believed she was also murdered. She had been visiting a neighbor, and started home at 8 P. M. Since then nothing has been heard of her. The body of the old man was first found in the ruins of the carriage house. The murder was undoubtedly deliberately planned and the buildidg burned with the expectation of concealment. The citizens scoured the country, and late this afternoon arrested at Hampden, Frank Lambers, against whom, it is said, the evidence is very strong. The feeling against him is intense, and it is thought probable he will be lynched before morning, capital punishment having been abolished in this State.

A Fatal Fight.

FORT RICHMOND, PA., October 14.—A sanguinary conflict between a number of tramps and drunken miners occurred this morning near Shamokin, in the Northumberland coal region. The fight lasted several hours, and resulted in the death of three participants—Nick Taylor, Joe Lardner and Geo. Goudy. The two former were tramps, and the latter a miner, who was until recently employed at one of the collieries of the Mineral Run Mining and Railroad Company at Sunbury. Some strikers from one of the mines in the district were also engaged in the riot. One of these John Dugan, otherwise known as "Big Bully," was thrown over an embankment along the Shamokin branch of the Northern Central railroad, and instantly killed by a passing train. Dugan was literally cut to pieces, the whole train of ninety heavily loaded coal cars passing over him. After the fight some of the party went to another part of the region near the Schuylkill county border, and committed numerous acts of violence.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county, Pa., I will sell at public sale at Confluence, in said county, on

Thursday, October 26, 1876,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, the following undivided real estate of William Piper, dec'd, viz:

Five lots of ground known on the general plan of said town of Confluence as lots Nos. 30 and 31 in block 3, adjoining Olden Street on the east, lot No. 29 on the south and lot No. 42 on the north. Nos. 30 and 41 in Block 3 adjoining each other on the southeast corner of Fairview Alley and Street, and No. 19 in Block 2, being a strip of land between lots Nos. 8 and 20 in said Block and extending upon Hugart street to Casselman river and connected by a road running along said river.

TERMS.—One-third in hand the balance in two equal annual payments with interest, to be secured by judgment bonds, on the premises.

JOHN H. UHL, Trustee.

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FOR SALE.

One-half interest or the whole to purchaser in a water-power Merchant and Cust m flouring mill situated in the town of Bolivar on the P. R. 2½ miles west of Johnstown. Location the best in this part of the country, mill in good repair and doing a good business, room for storing 4,000 bushels of grain, ample water to propel the mill the year round, good dwelling house and outbuildings. Also 7 acres of land belonging to said property. Any persons wishing to purchase a good mill property will do any time visit the premises, Prices and terms to suit the times.

RIESE, HAMMOND & BEAM, Bolivar, Westmoreland Co., Pa.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

George A. Kimmell to George G. Walker. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset Co., Pa. No. 399 April Term 1876. Voluntary Assignment.

The undersigned Auditor, having been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas to make a distribution of the funds in the hands of George G. Walker Assignee of George A. Kimmell, to and among those legally entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of said appointment, at his office in the borough of Somerset, on Monday, October 30th, A. D. 1876, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested can attend.

JAS. L. PUGH, Auditor.

October 11.

LIST OF CAUSES

for the November Term, 1876.

FIRST WEEK.

1. Cornelius Berkley, vs. John H. Boyts, et. al.
2. Isaac A. Jenkins, vs. E. D. Yutzy.
3. E. J. Fidely, vs. Catherine Fately.
4. Abraham Beam, vs. Christopher Beam.
5. Isaac Coughenour, vs. Wolford & Killinger Bro's. & Co.
6. J. C. Philippi, vs. Lentz & Lentz.
7. E. S. Downes use, vs. Dennis Meyers, et. al.
8. Noah Beesecker, vs. James Parson.
9. S. Philson, et. al. vs. Dennis Meyers.
10. Keystone Coal and Manufacturing Co., vs. Holtzle & Hocking.

SECOND WEEK.

1. Keystone Coal and Manufacturing Co., vs. Savage fire-brick Co.
2. Same vs. Same.
3. George W. Black, vs. W. W. Davis & Co.
4. Black & Shiles, vs. Cyrus Meyers, admr.
5. Peter Heffley's use, vs. Isaac Haught.
6. Wm. M. Patton & Co., vs. John F. Rose.
7. Ellen Hardingh, vs. John Lint.
8. The Citizen Oil Refining Co., vs. R. J. Baxter & Co.
9. J. N. Beal, vs. P. W. & B. R. R. Co.
10. Joseph King, et. al. vs. Charles Cramer, et. al.
11. Curtis K. Grove, vs. Stutzman & Kooser.
12. M. A. Sanger & Co. vs. Jacob Snyder Mosley.
13. Curtis K. Grove, vs. Daniel Flick.
14. Joseph Speicher's use vs. C. F. Ackermain, et. al.
15. Glass Shallis, vs. Valentine Hay.
16. Wm. Bittner, et. al. vs. Wm. P. Baechley, et. al.
17. Joseph King, et. al. vs. Samuel Cramer, et. al.
18. City Deposit Bank Co., vs. S. A. Maust, e. al.
19. James Parson's use, vs. E. H. Marshall et. al.
20. Emanuel Barkholder, vs. Peter Kinsinger et. ux.
21. John Dempsey, vs. Frederick Weimer, Trustee.
22. L. M. Dawson, vs. George Dodges.
23. Same vs. Jacob J. Dodges.
24. Thomas Lohr's et. ux. use, vs. John H. Richards, et. al.
25. Benj. Masters, vs. John Nell.

F. J. KOOSER, Pro.

October 11.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Somerset County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale in the borough of Salisbury on

Saturday, November 4th, 1876

at 10 o'clock a. m., the residue of the real estate of Jos. J. Stutzman deceased, viz:

No. 1. The Mansion dwelling consisting of two lots, having thereon erected a two story brick house, stable, shope and other outbuildings, adjoining Daniel Barkey and others.

No. 2. A meadow lot, containing 7 acres more or less, adjoining lands of George Weaver and others.

No. 3. Two fields, one of which cont ins about 6 acres and the other 3, adjoining Geo. Weaver Samuel Glodfelty and others.

No. 4. About one acre of land in Elklick Tp., adjoining lands of John Jenkins and Isaac Keim.

Nos. 1 and 3 will each be sold in two pieces, and no. 2 in lots to suit purchasers.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on the confirmation of sale, and balance in two equal annual payments, to be secured by judgment bonds. Ten per cent of the hand money to be paid as soon as the property is stricken down.

C. G. STUTZMAN, Trustee.

October 11.

ASSIGNEES' SALE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset Co., Pa., the undersigned, Assignees of Joseph Shaffer, will sell at public sale in the borough of Somerset, at the Court House, on

Friday, November 10th,

at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following valuable real estate viz:

No. 1. Three certain lots of ground situate in the town of Garrett, Somerset Co., Pa., containing acres, and known on the general plan of said town as lots Nos. 264, 265 and 266, with a large two-story frame dwelling-house, with Mansard roof, and stable thereon erected, fronting on Berlin street.

ALSO

In Ursina borough, on

Tuesday, October 31, 1876,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following valuable real estate viz:

No. 3. Twelve lots of ground situate in Ursina borough, and known on the general plan of said town as lots Nos. 322, 323, 324, 325, 224, 225, 227, 228, Nos. 322, 323, 324 and 325, are described as follows: fronting about 150 feet on Walnut street, and extending back 150 feet to Pine alley. Nos. 224 and 225, situate on southeast corner of Park street and Oak alley, Nos. 2 6 and 205, situate on southeast corner of Park and Second streets, having a front of 75 feet and extending the same breadth 150 feet to Willow alley. Nos. 224 and 223, situate on corner of Weyand ave, and Second street, having a front of 75 feet and extending the same breadth 150 feet to Willow alley. Nos. 226 and 227, situate on the northwest corner of Weyand ave, and Oak alley having a front of 75 feet and extending 150 feet to Willow alley.

TERMS.—Ten per cent of purchase money to be paid on day of sale; one-third on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed; one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months from date of sale with interest. Payments to be secured by judgment bonds.

E. M. SCHROCK, Assignee.

October 11.

AUDITORS' NOTICE.

The undersigned auditor duly appointed by the Orphan's Court of Somerset Co., has certain advancements and makes a distribution of the funds in the hands of David Dickey executor of the estate of Rudolph Beose, to and among those legally entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of the above appointment on Wednesday the 1st day of November, at his office in Somerset borough, when and where all persons interested can attend.

H. L. BAER, Auditor.

October 11.

New Advertisements.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Henry P. Altfather } No. 354 April term 1876
and wife to } Voluntary assignment for
William F. Altfather } the benefit of creditors

And now to wit, on the 4th day of September, 1876, the undersigned appointed L. C. Colborn, Esq., auditor to distribute the funds in the hands of the Assignee to and among those legally entitled thereto.

Extract from the record, certified the 1st day of September 1876.

F. J. KOOSER, Prothonotary.

The undersigned auditor under the above appointment, respectfully gives notice that he will meet to attend to the duties of his appointment on Monday the 16th day of October 1876, at his office in Somerset Pa., when and where all parties interested can attend if they think proper.

L. C. COLBORN, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

S. F. Picking vs. Wm. B. Humbert. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, No. 93 of Term, 1876. E. D. Fi Fa.

Having been appointed Auditor to distribute the funds in the hands of George W. Pile, Sheriff, arising out of the sale of the Real Estate of Wm B. Humbert, hereby gives notice that he will on the 11th day of October, 1876, attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Somerset Pa., where all persons may attend if they think proper.

JOHN B. SCOTT, Auditor.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

To Rebecca Fair (widow) Conrad Fair, Catharine Moser, Jacob Fair, Mary A. intermarried with Isaac S. Coebenhour, Elizabeth intermarried with Jacob Troutman and William Manges, Charles Manges, Thomas Manges and James Manges, minor children of Rebecca who is now deceased all residing in Somerset county, Pa., Geo. Fair, residing in the State of Nebraska, John W. Fair residing in the State of Illinois, Benjamin Fair, residing in Bedford county, Pa., Julia Dixon, deceased, leaving no children, viz. Alex and John and her husband Alex Dixon, married Jane intermarried with Henry Showman, residing in the State of Illinois and William Fair residing in Rose county Ohio.

You are hereby notified that in pursuance of a writ of partition issued out of the orphans' Court of Somerset county, Pa., I will hold an inquest on the real estate of John Fair deceased, at his late residence in Allegheny township, on Thursday the 26th day of October 1876, where you can attend if you think proper.

GEO. W. Pile, Sheriff

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PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned Church Council of the Bakersville and Levansville Congregation of the Lutheran church will expose to public sale on

Saturday, October 14th, 1876,

at one o'clock, P. M., a House and Lot situated in the town of Levansville, Somerset County, Pa., adjoining ——alley on the East and South; Widow Barkman on the West, Frank Roader pike on the North on which there is erected a large Two-story Frame House, with stable and other out buildings. This is a desirable property, and persons wishing to purchase may find property will call upon S. P. Flick at his store in Levansville.

TERMS.—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale, and the balance on the 1st of April, 1877, when possession will be given.

DAVID LOHR, SR., J. D. ANKENY,
HIRAM YOUNG, JACOB LENHART,
PETER SHAFFER, S. P. FLICK,
JONA. G. BARCLAY. JOSEPH REELEY,
For Bakersville congregation. For Levansville congregation.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

The undersigned Trustee for the sale of the real estate of Jacob Baer late of Paint township dec'd., in pursuance of an order granted to him by the Orphans' Court of somerset county Pa., I will sell at public sale on the premises of the deceased intestate, on

Monday, October 30th, 1876

The following described real estate, viz.

No. 1. A certain tract of land situate in Paint Twp., Somerset county Pa., adjoining lands of Thos. Bay, Peter Gindlesperger, and Henry Hershberger, containing 120 acres and 40 perches and allowance more or less, of which there are about 50 acres clear, and 10 acres in meadow with the two story plank house and other buildings thereon erected. A good orchard of young fruit trees is on the premises, and the land is well watered, and has plenty of coal and timber.

No. 2. A certain tract of land situated in Paint Twp., Somerset county Pa., adjoining lands of James Weaver and others containing fifty acres and one perch and allowance, more or less. This is a tract of timber land with hemlock, poplar, cherry, and other timbers thereon.

No. 3. A certain tract of land situate in Paint Twp., Somerset county Pa., adjoining lands of David Rose, John J. Soesman others, containing 64 acres and 34 perches and allowance more or less, which is nearly all cleared and about 5 acres in meadow, with a one and a half story frame house, and other buildings thereon erected. This tract is well improved, with good fences, and well watered.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale and balance on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.

DAVID J. SHAFFER, Trustee.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

The undersigned Assignee of Levi Snyder will expose to public sale, on the premises, on

Tuesday, October 31, 1876,

at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day the following described real estate, viz:

No. 1. A certain tract of land situate in Middlecreek Township, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands of John Infield, John Lephart, George Lear and others, containing 200 acres, more or less, about 130 acres of which are clear and balance well timbered with oak, ash, etc. There is a two and a half story frame dwelling-house and bank barn thereon erected. There are coal and limestone on the tract, also two good orchards. It is near the Railroad and the timber is quite valuable.

No. 2. Two building lots in the town of Casselman. The farm will be sold as a whole or in two tracts to suit the purchaser.

TERMS.—One-third in hand, one-third in 6 months and one-third in 12 months with interest on the deferred payments, payments to be secured by judgment notes.

AARON WILL, Assignee.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that Henry Hochstetler of Somerset township, Somerset county, Pa., by deed of voluntary assignment, has assigned all the estate, real and personal, of the said Henry P. Hochstetler, in trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said Henry Hochstetler. All persons therefore indebted to the said Henry Hochstetler, will make payment to the undersigned, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

F. J. KOOSER, Pro.

October 11. HIRAM BOYTS, Assignee.

GENERAL ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH.

WHEREAS, in and by an act of General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to regulate the general elections of this Commonwealth," it is enjoined upon me to give public notice of said elections and to enumerate in said notice what officers are to be elected, I, GEORGE W. PILE, Sheriff of the county of Somerset, do hereby make known and give this public notice to the electors of the county of Somerset, that a General Election will be held in said county on the

Seventh day of November, 1876,

the same being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November.

The electors of the borough of Confluence to meet at the Council Chamber, in said borough.

The electors of the borough and township of Somerset to meet at the Court House, in said borough.

The electors of the township of Milford to meet at the house lately occupied by Thomas King, in said township.

The electors of New Centreville to meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of the township of Upper Turkeyfoot to meet at the house of John A. Shaffer, in said township.

The electors of the township of Lower Turkeyfoot to meet at the school house in Ursina, borough.

The electors of the borough of Ursina to meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of the township of Addison to meet at the school house in Petersburg borough.

The electors of the township of Middlecreek to meet at the house occupied by Aaron Hechler, in said township.

The electors of the township of Elklick to meet at the new school house in the borough of Salisbury.

The electors of the borough of Salisbury to meet at the new school house in said borough.

The electors of the township of Summit to meet at the school house in Dale City borough.

The electors of the borough of Dale City to meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of the township of Greenville to meet at the school house, in Pocahontas, in said township.

The electors of the township of Southampton to meet at the house of J. L. Kennel, in said township.

The electors of the township of Northampton to meet at the house of John Pearbaugh, in said township.

The electors of the township of Larimer to meet at the house formerly occupied by Wm. May, in said township.

The electors of the borough of Berlin to meet at the house of Archibald Compton, in said borough.

The electors of the township of Brothersvalley to meet at Bittner's school house, in said township.

The electors of the township of Stonycreek to meet at the school house at Shanksville, in said township.

The electors of the borough of Stoystown to meet at the house formerly occupied by Henry J. Miller, in said borough.

The electors of the township of Quemahoning to meet at the house of Jacob Custer, in Stoystown.

The electors of the township of Allegheny to meet at the house of George A. Kimmel, in said township.

The electors of the borough of New Baltimore to meet at the house of ——, in said borough.

The electors of the township of Conemaugh to meet at the house of Peter Levy, in said township.

The electors of the township of Shade to meet at the house of Jacob Heiman, in said township.

The electors of the township of Paint to meet at the school house erected on the lands of Henry Berkey, in said township.

The electors of the township of Jenner to meet at the house of Chas. Gallagher, at Jenner X Roads, in said township.

The electors of the township of Jefferson to meet at the house of Solomon Baker, in said township.

The electors of the borough of Jennerville to meet at the school house in said borough.

At which time and places the qualified voters will elect by ballot:

TWENTY-NINE PERSONS for elector for President and Vice President of the United States

ONE PERSON for Member of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States to represent the District composed of the counties of Somerset, Bedford, Blair and Cambria.

ONE PERSON for Member of the Senate of Pennsylvania to represent the district composed of the counties of Somerset, Bedford, and Fulton.

TWO PERSONS to represent Somerset county in the general assembly of Pennsylvania.

TWO PERSONS for Associate Judges of Somerset county.

TWO PERSONS for Jury Commissioners of Somerset county.

ONE PERSON for Coroner of Somerset county.

ONE PERSON for Poor House Director of Somerset county.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is hereby rested to the 8th Article of the New Constitution.

SECTION 1. Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First.—He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second.—He shall have resided in the State one year, (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third.—He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

Fourth. If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election.

SEC. 3. All the elections by the citizens shall be by ballot. Every ballot voted shall be numbered in the order in which it shall be received, and the number recorded by the election officers on the list of voters, opposite the name of the elector who presents the ballot. Any elector may write his name upon his ticket, or cause the same to be written thereon and attested by a citizen of the district. The election officers shall be sworn or affirmed not to disclose how any elector shall have voted unless required to do so as witnesses in a judicial proceeding.

SEC. 4. Electors shall in all cases except treason, felony and breach or surety of the peace, be privileged from arrest during their attendance on elections and in going to and returning therefrom.

SEC. 6. Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in actual military service, under a requisition from the President of the United States or by the authority of the Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are or shall be prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual places of election.

SEC. 7. All laws regulating the holding of elections by the citizens or for the registration of voters shall be uniform throughout the State, but no elector shall be deprived of the privilege of voting by reason of his name not being registered.

SEC. 8. Any person who shall give, or promise or offer to give, to an elector, any money, reward or other valuable consideration for his vote at an election, or for withholding the same, or who shall give or promise to give such consideration to any other person or party for such elector's vote or for the withholding thereof, and any elector who shall receive or agree to receive, for himself or for another, any money, reward or other valuable consideration for his vote at an election, or for withholding the same shall thereby forfeit the right to vote at such election, and any elector whose right to vote shall be challenged for such cause before the election officers, shall be required to swear or affirm that the matter of the challenge is untrue before his vote shall be received.

SEC. 9. Any person who shall, while a candidate for office, be guilty of bribery, fraud, or without violation of any election law, shall be forever disqualified from holding any office of trust or profit in this Commonwealth, any person convicted of a violation of the election laws shall, in addition to any penalties provided by law, be deprived of the right of suffrage absolutely for a term of four years.

SEC. 10. For the purpose of voting no person shall be deemed to have gained a residence by reason of his presence, or lost it by reason of his absence, while employed in the service, either civil or military, of this State, or of the United States, nor while engaged in the navigation of the waters of the State or the United States, or on the high seas, nor while a student of any institution of learning, nor while kept at any poor house or other asylum at public expense, nor while confined in public prison.

SEC. 14. District election bo