The Somerset Herald.

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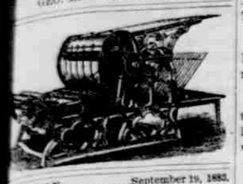

...NESDAY.....September 19, 1883.

...gs at Boyd's.

...mond Dyes. C. N. Boyd.

...N. Boyd sells Diamond Dyes.

...e goods at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

...three-cent postage stamp must go.

...armed stocking season is upon us.

...ut strawberry plants in September.

...ots, good and cheap, at A. Nathan's.

...your Black Silks, at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

...full winter hats at Mrs. M. M. Tred-

...lains in plain and figured velvets, at ...athan's.

...large stock of dress goods, is at Mrs. ...Falls.

...cricket's chirp is the mournful dirge ...passed summer.

...Diamond Dyes. Nice colors. No ...lk. Sold by C. N. Boyd.

...e indications for an early fall and a ...winter are excellent.

...the new winter styles of dress goods ...eceived at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

...ry easy and happy, use Diamond ...All colors at C. N. Boyd's.

...new styles of dress goods at Mrs. ...very pretty and very cheap.

...the late styles of fall and winter hats ...coming in, at Mrs. M. M. Tredwell's.

...furniture of Huntingdon county's ...house is to cost $5,800. The con-...was awarded to an Erie firm.

...can buy a fine white shirt, with ...ly linen bosom for only 65 cents, at ...athan's.

...cents will buy a pack of Diamond ...and you can color from one to three ...k. Sold by Boyd.

...for fall hats, bonnets, and trimmings, ...received.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

...Photographer from Cumber-...Md., will open a gallery in this place ...few days.

...these winter coats and wraps in the ...style just received.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

...nowhere to less than it is worth, at ...Snyder & Co's. A new set cups and ...ers, 25 cents. Fine English China tea ...very cheap.

...ladies will please get our prices for rib-...underwear, hosiery, etc., before pur-...ing. You will save money by buying ...A. Nathan's.

...The fourth annual reunion of the 140th ...Regiment will be held in Little Washing-...on the 10th of October. Preparations ...are progressing to make it a very pleasant ...

...J. B. Snyder & Co's is the only place ...Somerset where you can find all the la-...winter styles of hats and caps, at bottom ...

...A good winter cap for 12½ cents.

...The sword of Sir Peter Halkett, the Scotch ...officer who followed the fatal fortunes of ...Braddock, is in the possession of Robert ...Bell, of Scotch Haven, Westmoreland ...county.

...The Brussels Carpets at J. B. Snyder & ...Co. are just too lovely. They have the ...Fall Styles. We also notice a very ...large patron, wool filling-ingrain at ...Co. Their 50 cent carpet for bedrooms ...hard to beat.

...A nine year old rattlesnake, measuring ...four feet in length and having seven ...rattles is on exhibition at the drug store of ...J. Geiser, in Greensburg. It was caught ...in Somerset county six weeks ago.

...Tailors Wanted Immediately! Five cigar ma-...kers and ten girls to learn the trade. Apply ...at the address

J. K. COFFROTH,
Somerset, Pa.

...The recent frosts have done great damage ...to buckwheat and late vegetables. ...The potato crop seems to have suffered the most ...in many places the crop is not worth ...digging.

...Yellow peaches, now arriving daily. ...Also Firestone peaches, which are being ...sold by the box at $1.60 to $1.75. Will not ...be had this season, therefore now is the ...time to buy.

COOK & BEERITS.

...Those who affix postage stamps to news-...paper wrappers in such a way that part of ...the stamp laps over and adheres to the ...paper itself run the risk of having their ...paper sent to the Dead Letter Office. In that ...case the paper becomes a sealed packet ...subject to letter rates.

...FIRST MARKET.—Main Street.—We have ...added a large Refrigerator to our Meat ...Market in which all meats can be kept cool ...and fresh. Mutton, Beef, Pork, &c., kept ...constantly on hand. Open daily. Parties ...having meat can have it kept in the Refrig-...erator until wanted.

...We have, also, 100,000 new brick for sale, ...and we will sell by the hundred or thous-...and at a low price.

ROSS DAVIS & CO.

...A number of suits have been brought ...in Westmoreland county by Coroner ...Egan for fees and mileage in viewing ...bodies where no inquests have been ...held. The counsel for the commissioners ...advised them to refuse pay in all such cases, ...holding that the law of 1869 does not rec-...ognize fees of that class.

...GEBHART'S BEST.—If you want good bread ...take none other than "Gebhart's Best Flour," ...manufactured under the "New Jonathan ...Mills Process," the improvements preparatory to the manufacture of which cost the ...proprietors of the mill $30,000, and our re-...tail trade of one hundred barrels a month ...proves the fact that it is no humbug.

Respectfully,
COOK & BEERITS.

...Ladies, we have now in stock our fall and ...winter lines of dress goods, consisting of ...silks, cashmeres, all wool suitings, water-...proofs, black silks, velveteens, basket flan-...nels, etc., etc., in all colors and shades. Our ...line of black cashmeres was never as large ...or cheap. Call and see them before pur-...chasing elsewhere.

J. B. SNYDER & CO.

...BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.—The greatest ...medical wonder of the world. Warranted ...to speedily cure burns, bruises, cuts, Ulcers, ...Salt Rheum, Fever sores, cancers, piles, chil-...blains, corns, tetter, chapped hands, and all ...skin eruptions, guaranteed to cure in every ...instance, or money refunded. 25 cents per ...box. For sale by C. N. Boyd. jun20.

...EXTRA THIS—If any of our readers have ...private receipts for liniment, family medi-...cines, horse powders, etc., that they desire ...to have compounded, they will do well to ...consult Campbell, the Druggist, 204 Main ...street, Johnstown. His stock of drugs, dye ...stuffs, etc., are not only fresh but pure, and ...prices reasonable. His aim is to please ...customers, and he knows that the way ...to do this is by selling strictly pure goods at ...reasonable figures. Don't forget the name ...and number, 204 Main St., Johnstown.

...My fall and winter stock is now full and ...complete, having just received it from the Phil-...adelphia and New York markets. Those ...wishing to buy clothing for men, youths ...and boys, will save money by calling at ...Baer's. Also, a full line of underclothing, ...hats of all kinds and styles, ranging in price ...from 25 cents up. Trunks, satchels and ...gloves, bought direct from the factories, ...I can sell very cheap, to close out the stock. ...A complete line of wall paper, gent's ties ...and scarfs, linen and paper collars, all of ...which will be sold as cheap as they can be ...bought from wholesale dealers.

Miss Ruby Johnson, of Washington, D. C., is visiting in Somerset.

A valuable horse owned by Mr. Peter Heffley, was killed by a stroke of lightning Thursday.

The senior editor of the HERALD left for Pittsburgh Monday noon. He expects to return the latter part of the week.

James L. Pugh, Esq., left Somerset for a trip through Ohio, Wednesday morning of last week. He expects to be gone several weeks.

We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Jefferson County Fair, to be held at Brookville, October 2nd to 5th inclusive.

The Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. Paul's Reformed Church, this place, on Sunday morning next. Preparatory service on Saturday evening.

Supervisor Truby, of the Somerset & Cambria Railroad, broke ground for his new dwelling house on South street, Monday. He expects to have his house ready for occupancy before cold weather sets in.

That was a very jolly, but a very noisy party of young people that were driving around town Saturday night, blowing horns, singing, etc. Two and a half and costs wouldn't have been too much for them.

The freeze in the mountains Sunday night of last week killed everything not fully matured. Hundreds of acres of buckwheat and corn were entirely ruined. Ice froze to the thickness of a quarter of an inch on still water.

Articles of merger and consolidation between the Harrisburg and Western and the South Pennsylvania have been filed in the state department at Harrisburg, and the new corporation will be known as the South Pennsylvania. The capital stock will be increased to twenty million dollars.

Dr. J. H. Shumaker, of Chambersburg, who has many friends here, was last week presented with a gold watch and chain by his admirers in the Falling Spring Presbyterian church of Chambersburg, as a testimonial of respect and esteem. The Dr. has accepted the principalship of a leading seminary in New Jersey and is about to leave his old home.

King Soloman lodge of Free and accepted Masons of Connellsville, will hold a basket picnic at Fern Cliff Park, Obio Pyle Falls, on Thursday, the 20th instant. The members of the fraternity in this county, have been invited to attend, and it is promised that the affair will be one of considerable magnitude. Past Master Samuel Harper, of Pittsburgh, will deliver an address on the occasion.

Mr. Francis Hoover, of Milford township, a life-long Democrat, while in Somerset last week, expressed himself as being so thoroughly disgusted with the "reform" administration of Governor Pattison and the legislative farce, that he had foresworn all allegience to his old party, and had made up his mind to hereafter vote the Republican ticket and become an active member of that party. He is welcome.

It is understood that Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, has been retained as principal counsel for the defense in the coming trial of James Nutt, of Uniontown. Senator Voorhees is expected to visit Uniontown in a few days. The Senator is a forcible speaker, and an excellent criminal lawyer. He defended Cook, John Brown's unfortunate but brave and gifted lieutenant in the Harper's Ferry raid, and made a masterly argument in his behalf, but was not successful in overcoming Southern intolerance and prejudice.

Mr. David Bell, one of the oldest residents of Jenner township, was stricken down with paralysis last Wednesday. For a time it was thought the stroke would prove fatal, but at present he is gradually improving, and his physician has strong hopes of his recovery. Mr. Bell has lived on the farm where he now resides for sixty years. He is now in the eighty-sixth year of his age, and has heretofore enjoyed good health which may be attributed to the fact that he has been a constant subscriber to the HERALD ever since it was first published.

Another of the alleged band of Stonycreek burglars was lodged in jail Saturday morning. George Seibert is his name, and he was arrested in Meyersdale Friday evening by Policeman Pyle, of that place. Seibert had been rusticating in Maryland ever since the first arrests were made, and the officers, who were on the lay for him, gobbled him up as soon as he came across the line. The whereabouts of the rest of the gang is known, and they will all be gathered in before the dark of the moon.

There was an amusing episode in the criminal court on Thursday of last week. A young man charged with larceny plead guilty and submitted to the mercy of the court. Before sentence was passed, however, it was discovered that the indictment, instead of having been returned as a true bill by the grand jury, had been ignored. The grand jury said the defendant was innocent and the defendant himself declared he was guilty. The young man left the court room in high glee over his unexpected escape from the dread penalty of the law.—*Bedford Gazette.*

The picnic and reunion of the members of the Grand Army Posts of Somerset, Berlin and Stoystown, held in Walker's grove, near Shanksville, last Saturday, was a most enjoyable affair, and was participated in by fully seven hundred people. The good people of Shanksville and vicinity had made every preparation for entertaining a much larger crowd. They furnished all present with a most elegant dinner, and after the multitudes had eaten, there were many baskets full of good things left. The members of the Somerset Post express themselves as having had a most delightful time, and cannot say enough in praise of the good people of old Stonycreek for their kindness and hospitality.

In consequence of a case pending on trial at Bedford, which will run into the present week, Judge Baer was forced to issue an order last week, continuing the Somerset court until Monday, October 15. Notice was at once sent to jurors, witnesses and litigants, but many did not receive it in time, and put in an appearance at Somerset Monday morning. Court was called at 10 o'clock, a. m., Monday morning, when Judge Collins discharged those jurors present, with the instructions that they be paid for one day and mileage. Court then adjourned till 8 o'clock in the afternoon, when it again convened with Judges Collins and Snyder on the bench. After hearing a few motions it was adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, October 15th.

TEACHERS EMPLOYED.—The School Directors of Somerset township met at the Glade House Saturday, and elected the following named teachers to take charge of the different schools of the township, for the coming winter term. Most of them are personally known to us, and we congratulate the directors upon having been so fortunate in their choice of instructors for the children of their district: Beula, Charles H. Schmucker; Shaulis, Jacob C. Lichty; Rhoads, H. L. Young; Wills, J. H. Gumbert; Sipesville, J. H. Fox; Casebeers, J. C. Gnagy; Mountain, D. J. Stahl; Walker, H. H. Miller; Weller, Wm. G. Stahl; Union, Henry F. Barron; Knepper, Marcellus Welmer; Samuels, John W. Weigly; Cupps, Ida Musselman; Pleasant Hill, Linda Cupp; Friedens, No. 1, Jas. Blough; No. 2, Kate Long; Mausts, H. W. Bittner; Lavansville, E. E. Pritts; Ankeny, H. A. Stahl; Plank Road, J. D. Meyers; Baer's, Annie Fogel; Hunter, E. E. Shaver; Dunmyer, E. J. Dickey.

It is sometimes questioned by merchants whether advertising pays. The question will hardly bear discussion in the light of the following facts, of transient advertising being figured: The Chicago *Tribune* it is said, for a column a year, receives $26,000. The New York *Herald* receives for its lowest price column $39,723, and for its highest, $348,000. The New York *Tribune*, for the lowest, $29,765, and for its highest, $85,648, and these papers are never at a loss for advertisements to fill their columns.

ATTENTION, SPORTSMEN!—Mr. Jacob J. Berkeybile, proprietor of the ten-pin alley and shooting gallery, will have his rifles, targets, etc., on the grounds during the three days of the fair, and offers gold and silver watches, rifles, shot-guns, etc. as prizes to the best marksmen. Any one is allowed to use his own rifle if preferred to those furnished by Mr. Berkeybile. The rules governing the shooting will be announced the first day of the fair.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PENN'A W. C. T. U.—Will be held at Bellefonte, Centre Co., October 10th, 11th, and 12th, 1883. It will be composed of delegates from the 225 auxiliary Unions in the State. Besides Mrs. Wittenmyer, Mrs. Hannah Smith, Miss White, and others of our well-known home workers, Mrs. Hunt of Boston, and Mrs. Baldwin of Trenton, are expected to be present. Women of our State interested in temperance work, though not connected with our Union, will be made welcome. For orders for excursion tickets, send not later than October 5th, inclosing envelop properly addressed and stamped, to Mrs. Ellen M. Watson, 112 Smithfield St., Pittsburg Pa.

MRS. FRANCES L. SWIFT, Pres. W. C. T. U.

MR. EDITOR:—It was our fortune or misfortune, just as you choose, to see the result of a surgical operation lately performed by Dr. J. K. Miller, assisted by Robert McGrew, a student of medicine from Allegheny City, on an infant son of a Mr. Singleton, for hair-lip. The subject of the operation was only four days old, and the result is marvelous in every way. The once unseemly and disfigured lip has been manipulated by the plastic operation until scarcely any of the deformity is visible. The physician by whose skill these gratifying results have been brought about deserve not only a big fee, but the hearty thanks of the parents and the community.

Berlin, Pa., Sept. 17.

CONFLUENCE ITEMS.

The school board last week elected Prof. C. F. Livengood for the first, and B. K. Pullen for the intermediate school, the primary being yet unsupplied.

The early frosts that have done so much damage to the unmatured crops in some other sections of the county, have not yet visited this immediate locality. If you want your tomatoes and corn to get ripe, plant in the locality of Confluence.

Those who destroyed their tomato vines because the first tomatoes did not mature feel a little bad just now, since the second setting is a fine crop and will mature in this climate, unless Jack frost should see fit to give us an unusually early call.

The laws regulating the killing of game does not amount to much to those upon whose lands the game is fed. If they wish to reap the advantage of the game raised in the mountains they must kill it before the lawful season, or sportsmen from different sections of the county will flock in as thick as the locusts of Egypt and gather the crop in a few days.

X.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT—A grand entertainment was given by the Ursina Normal School, on Friday evening, September 14, 1883. The proceedings of the evening were as follows;

After some lively music on our streets by the Ursina Cornet Band, the crowd proceeded to the Town Hall, where the exercises were opened with music by the school choir, followed by reading class, consisting of Misses Jessie Lenhart, Martha Colborn, Ida Scott, and Mr. D. R. Daniels. The class was thoroughly prepared, and performed their pieces with credit to both themselves and the school. The reading exercises were closed with asolection by Col. E. D. Yutzy, entitled "The Raven."

The reading class was followed by a recitation class, consisting of Misses Anna Lenhart and Jennie VanSickel, and Messrs. W. L. Eicher and C. R. M'Millen, which proved to be exceedingly pleasing and satisfactory to all.

After this the audience were held spellbound for a short time by an original oration, by Mr. N. H. Sanner.

Question for debate—*Resolved*, That Congress would be justifiable in prohibiting Mormonism. Affirmative, C. R. McMillen; negative, B. N. Firestone. The question was thoroughly discussed, strong, interesting and instructive arguments being produced on both sides.

This was followed by an excellent dialogue, after which the judges, Drs. Mountain, of Confluence, and Kuhlman, of Ursina, and Superintendent Rittenour, of Fayette, gave in their decision, which awarded the honors of reading to Miss Lenhart, of the recitation to Mr. McMillen.

The oration delivered by Mr. Sanner was decidedly superior to any other exercise of the evening. The debate was decided in the negative.

The exercises were closed with a piece of instrumental music entitled "Home, Sweet Home," by Prof. Frederick. The weather being favorable, the hall was crowded to its utmost. The exercises were an entire success throughout, which was largely due to Prof. J. Schrock, principal of the school.

B.

ED. HERALD:—Having noticed items in the HERALD from nearly all parts of the county, I thought you would give us a little space in your columns. Our place is in the western part of Quemahoning township, south of Horner and Tabor churches. About one year ago our boys, with the assistance of our farmers, organized a brass band.

Mr. Wm. H. Zimmerman has opened a store in which he does a flourishing business, greatly to the convenience of our community.

Our band lost nearly all its old members during winter and spring, by our boys going west or leaving the community. It reorganized this summer and is now doing well, being very hard to beat, considering its opportunities, and promises, in the near future, to become one of the best bands in the county.

As we have never had any picnic or any entertainment in our community, our young people resolved to have something of the kind, so they fell to work and erected a house some seventy feet long, in which they intend to hold a literary entertainment on or about the thirteenth of October. Judging from the building and the amount of preparation being made, we bespeak for them success.

George W. Muller, one mile north-east of this place, erected a large barn this summer on which he placed a metalic roof, it being the first one in the north of the county, many prophesy that it will be a failure, saying the storage will sweat and corrode it. We hope it may prove to be a success. Nearly all conceed the day of shingle roofs is past.

Jonathan D. Rhoades, of this place, is now conceded to be the boss potato grower. He planted one potato of a new variety this spring, which yielded thirty-nine large potatoes, nearly filling a bushel measure.

Most of our farmers complain that Jack Frost has destroyed their corn and buckwheat.

PATTY DOWNS.

MOUNT MORIAH, Sept. 15, 1883.

CHANGE OF BOOKS IN TOWNSHIP.—Raub's Readers have been adopted by the School Board of Somerset township, and are now offered for sale and exchange by C. N. Boyd. Bring in your old readers at once and get them exchanged before the schools open and take advantage of the very low prices.

School supplies of all kinds in stock.

The following letter, received from our Representative, Hon. W. S. Morgan, explains itself:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
HARRISBURG, PA., Sept. 11, 1883.

EDITOR HERALD:

Dear Sir:—The farmers of our county are now using large quantities of artificial fertilizers, in the main with profitable results, but in some cases at a great loss. For this loss there is no necessity, as the laws of our State afford ample protection to farmers, if they will accept the facilities afforded them for the detection and punishment of fraud, by act of June 28, 1879, which I herewith enclose.

The board will, in addition to the duties set forth in the act, furnish with each analysis the estimated market value of the sample, so that all may judge as to whether the price at which it is sold is its fair market value or not:

AN ACT

TO REGULATE THE MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF COMMERCIAL FERTILIZERS.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That every package of commercial fertilizer sold, offered or exposed for sale, for manural purposes within this commonwealth, shall have plainly stamped thereon the name of the manufacturer, the place of manufacture, the net weight of its contents, and an analysis, stating the percentage therein contained of nitrogen, or its equivalent in ammonia in an available form, of potash soluble in water, of soluble and reverted phosphoric acid, and of soluble phosphoric acid: *Provided*, That any commercial fertilizer sold, offered or exposed for sale, which shall contain none of the above named constituents, shall be exempt from the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. Every manufacturer or importer of commercial fertilizers, as specified in section one of this act, shall, on or before the first day of August next ensuing, or before offering the same for sale in this commonwealth, file annually in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth an affidavit stating the amount of said fertilizer or fertilizers sold within the state during the last preceding year; and if said amount be one hundred tons or less, he or they shall pay to the treasurer of the state the sum of ten dollars for each and every such pack of such commercial fertilizer sold within the state during the last preceding year, and if the said amount shall exceed one hundred tons and be less than five hundred tons, he or they shall pay the sum of twenty dollars as aforesaid, and if said amount shall be five hundred tons or more, he or they shall pay the sum of thirty dollars as aforesaid; if such manufacturer or manufacturers or importers shall not have made any sales within the commonwealth during the preceding year, he or they shall pay the sum of ten dollars as aforesaid; every such manufacturer or importer, shall at the same time file with the secretary of the board of agriculture a copy of the analysis required by section one of this act, and shall be entitled to receive from the secretary of the commonwealth a certificate, which shall be countersigned by the secretary of the board of agriculture, showing that the provisions of this act have been complied with.

SEC. 3. Any person selling offering or exposing for sale any commercial fertilizer, without the analysis required by section one of this act, or with an analysis stating that it contains a larger percentage of any one or more of the above named constituents than is contained therein, or for the sale of which all of the provisions of section two have not been complied with, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall forfeit a sum not less than twenty-five and not exceeding one hundred dollars for the first offense, and no less than two hundred dollars for each subsequent offense, one-half of which shall be for the use of the informer, and the remainder for the county in which the conviction is secured: *Provided*, Said informer be the purchaser, and the goods be for his own use.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the board of agriculture to analyze such specimens of commercial fertilizers as may be furnished by its agents, said samples to be accompanied with proper proof, under oath or affirmation, that they were fairly drawn; the fee for such analysis shall be determined by the executive committee of the board, and be based upon a fixed rate for each determination, shall in no case exceed seventy-five per centum of the usual price paid for such services, and shall be payable from the treasury of the commonwealth in the manner as now provided by law.

SEC. 5. The money paid into the treasury under the provisions of this act shall constitute a special fund from which the cost of such analysis shall be paid: *Provided* that the total amount thus expended in any one year, shall in no case exceed the amount paid into the treasury during the same year, and that any moneys remaining in this special fund at the end of the year shall be passed into the general fund for the use of the state.

SEC. 6. The term "commercial fertilizers" as used in this act, shall be taken to mean any and every substance imported, manufactured, prepared or sold for fertilizing or manuring purposes, except barn-yard manure, marl, lime, and wood ashes, and not exempt by the provisions of section one of this act.

SEC. 7. This act shall go into effect on and after the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

Approved the 28th day of June A. D. 1879.

HENRY M. HOYT, Governor.

THE AMERICAN EVAPORATOR.—Mr. A. A. Stutzman informs us that he has reliable information that the fruit crop, and especially apples, is a total failure throughout the western States, and, in consequence that evaporated fruit is already advancing in price in the wholesale market. Evaporated apples, such as is prepared by the American Evaporator for which he is agent in this county, is now selling at eighteen cents per pound, wholesale, an advance of two cents a pound in four days. Other evaporated fruits are also advancing in the wholesale markets, peaches having gone up to 28 and 30 cents. Mr. Stutzman also informs us that he is selling a number of these Evaporators to our farmers, having disposed of a number of these evaporators to our farmers, having disposed of several on Monday, and that he will keep them on hand, so that they can be furnished on short notice. It will pay the farmers to come in now and purchase at once, and have their fruit crop evaporated.

New Goods! New Goods! Just received, our fall stock of goods, consisting of black and colored silks, black and colored cashmeres, cloth suitings in all shades, black and colored velvets, brocaded velvets, flannel sackings, Jerseys, shawls and skirts. A full line of new goods at *bottom prices* at

PARKER & PARKER'S.

All the newest Shades of Cashmere, and cloths, with trimmings to Suit.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

MARRIED.

SMITH—PLETCHER.—On August 12, 1883, at the house of J. C. Miller, in Bakersville, by Solomon Baker, Esq., Wm. Smith to Rebecca A. Pletcher, both of this county.

BERKEY—LANE.—On September 12, 1883, in the M. E. Church, at Berlin, by Rev. Albert Freeman, Prof. J. M. Berkey, of Stoystown, Pa., to Miss Martha J. Lane, of Berlin, Pa.

DIED.

HARRAH.—At Ursina, on Sunday, September 16, 1883, Jennie S., daughter of Dr. W. S. Harrah, aged 26 years.

PICKING.—On Thursday, September 13, 1883, Howard W., son of Worth J., and Dorotha Picking, aged 9 months.

A bright little flower,
Blooming for a day,
Too precious for earth,
Heaven bore it away.

TO CHICAGO?—CHEAP EXCURSION, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH, 1883.—Excursion Tickets to Chicago and return will be sold by the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway for the train leaving Pittsburg at 1.22 P. M., and by the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Ry. for the train leaving Pittsburgh at 8.27 A. M., Tuesday, September 25th, 1883, at the low rate of *Ten Dollars for the Round Trip.*

Chicago, the Queen of the West, and one the handsomest and busiest cities of the world, is full of attractions that are well worth a journy to see. The great exposition is now in its zenith, and the Illinois State Fais is in progress on the Chicago grounds. The autumn is the pleasantest time of the year for traveling, and as tickets will be good returning until Thursday, October 4th, visitors will have ample time to thoroughly enjoy all the sights of the city.

An extra number of Pullman Sleeping Cars will be run on the excursion trains. The Sleeping Car fare each way will be $2.50.

Tickets and Sleeping Car berths via the P., C. & St. L. Ry: will be sold at the ticket offices in the Union Station, Pittsburgh, at 110 Fifth Avenue, and via the P., F. W. & C. Ry. at these offices, and at the P., F. W. & C. Ry. Station, Allegheny.

Persons living in town in the vicinity of Pittsburgh can secure tickets and sleeping car accommodation by writing or telegraphing to agents at either of the above named offices.

Passengers not desiring to take a sleeping car will find comfortable accommodations in elegant day coaches.

NEW RAILROAD NEWS.—Since the new railroad has been put under contract and work on the tunnels has commenced, our merchants have taken time by the forelock and laid in immense stocks of goods to meet the demand that the rush will occasion. We noticed at Fisher's Book Store that Mr. Fisher and his clerks were especially active opening out an immense stock of blank books, such as ledgers, day books, journals, cash books, etc., etc. Also, a large assortment of time books, inks, pens, papers, envelopes, pencils, tablets, in fact everything hat will probably be called for by contractors and railroad laborers. At the same time Mr. Fisher has prepared for the Fair, with a nice stock of albums, handsome and useful books for presents, Sunday-school cards, birthday cards, sheet music, and a great variety of pretty and useful things for presents and gifts. Remember Fisher's Book Store, Cook & Beerits's Block.

Hellow, Fisk, old fellow, I am just too glad to see you. Well, are you? When did you come to town? Just got in, Mike. I have to come to town twice a year, you know, to get some clothing. I heard that my friend J. B., of the firm of J. B. Snyder & Co., was east buying their fall stock, and ever since you told me about them three years ago, I would not go anywhere else to buy clothing. It is just as you told me, Mike. If J. B. says it is wool, it is wool. I doubted it first, because the price was too low. Say, Mike, how do those fellows get their clothing to sell at those prices? Snyder would not steal; I think he is too honest. No, Fisk, Snyder won't steal, lie or cheat, but somehow he always has the money to pay cash for his clothing, and you know cash is a good buyer, and then they are satisfied with a small profit. Big sales and small profits is their motto. Bye, bye, old fellow, will meet you around at Snyder's store.

On Tuesday night burglars effected an entrance in L. H. Lashley's store, in Chaneysville, and succeeded in making a rich haul. They drilled a hole in the door of the safe, filled it with powder and blew the door open. They secured between $600 and $700 in cash and also carried away several pairs of boots and a quantity of tobocco. Suspicion was fastened upon two men who visited the town during the day and Mr. Lashley telegraphed Sheriff Enfield to keep a lookout for them. The sheriff obtained a clue to their whereabouts and thinks he will capture them. There is no certainty, however, that they are the guilty parties.

Mr. A. A. Stutzman, agent for the American Fruit Evaporator, wishes to inform the public that he will have one of the Evaporators on exhibition at the County Fair, when and where he will be glad to have all interested examine it, and have its workings explained. Wagon loads of fruit will be evaporated by this machine during the three days of the fair. He has already sold quite a number of these machines, invaluable to the farmer or fruit grower, and is daily receiving orders for others. Mr. Stutzman will also have an exhibition at the same time one of A. H. Reid's celebrated creameries, which takes first rank among the creameries now in the market. Don't fail to see both of these labor-saving and money-making machines, while at the fair.

A LIFE SAVING PRESENT.—MRS. M. E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kansas: Saved my life by a simple trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, that caused me to procure a large bottle that completely cured me, when doctors, change of climate, and everything else had failed. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, and all Throat and Lung Diseases, it is guaranteed to cure. Trial bottles free at C. N. Boyd's Drug Store. Large size $1.00.

Accordeons cheaper than ever, at A. Nathan's.

We can say positively, without fear of contradiction, that we have the largest stock of clothing in Sotherset, that is new and of the latest styles. Our overcoats are all new and very cheap. Call and see them before buying.

J. B. SNYDER & CO.

I would respectfully inform my friends of Somerset county that I have opened a new drug store at 232 Main Street, Johnstown, Pa., where I would be pleased to see them. My stock consists of Pure Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Perfumery and Fancy Goods generally. At this season I would call attention to the insectrades, such as Pure Paris Green, Pure Powdered White Hellebore, Persian Insect Powder, etc., When in need of anything in the drug line come and see me or write for prices. All inquiries cheerfully answered.

CHAS. GRIFFITH
232 Main Street.

A first-class farm for sale. Inquire of Oliver Knepper, or J. L. Pugh, Esq., Somerset, Pa.

Messrs. Keller & Sanner, the well known grocers and confectioners of this town have added flour and feed to their business, and propose to push it vigorously. They have the Celebrated Vienna Flour in barrels and sacks, as well as a choice brand made by Brinker & Mullin, by the gradual reduction roller process. Corn, oats and chop always in stock. Their stock of groceries is new, fresh and full. Mochs, Java, and all other grades of fine coffee a specialty. The purest and best confectionery in the market. Best brands of tobacco and cigars always on hand.

Farmers, look at this! We again offer for fall seeding, Baugh & Son's Double Eagle Phosphate, which contains 17 to 20 per cent of bone, at $30 per ton, our warehouse or track Somerset station, and will say that we know of no other article made from animal bone base, sold under such guarantee at the same price, and it is eminently worthy of your attention.

Respectfully,
COOK & BEERITS.

SOMERSET COUNTY FAIR.—To persons wishing to attend the Fair, we say, call at the new *One Price Shoe Store*, and see our fall and winter stock of boots, shoes, rubbers, leather and findings.

A. H. FERNER & BRO.

A full line of underwear, stockings, gloves handkerchiefs, collars, neckwear, velvet, ribbons, ruchings and corsets, at

PARKER & PARKER'S.

For fashionable goods, for good goods, for cheap goods, go to Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Head quarters for dress trimmings at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Ladies coats, jackets, dolmans, ulsters, and all other new styles of winter wears just received.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

NOTICE.—I have placed my books and notes with W. S. Kregar for collection. All accounts not settled by October 1st will be put in the hands of an officer for collection. Please call at once, and save costs.

JOSIAH KELLER.

Go to Parker & Parker's for pretty calicoes and ginghams. Bleached and unbleached muslins, sheetings, pillow-cases, table linen, napkins, towls, and bedspreads.

Be sure and examine my stock of fall and winter hats before purchasing elsewhere. They are all fresh, having just been received from the eastern cities.

MRS. M. M. TREDWELL.

A. H. Ferner and Bro., have already received the greater part of their Fall & Winter stock of Boots and Shoes. They also purpose selling the best quality of rubber goods ever brought to Somerset.

For sale, by H. H. Kemp, nurseryman, Harnedsville, Somerset county, Pa., 5,000 apple trees, three, four and five years old, all first-class trees and of the very best varieties, at $12.50 and $15 per hundred.

ORDER OF COURT.

SOMERSET, PA., September 15, 1883.

In consequence of a case pending on trial at Bedford, which will run into next week, the Somerset Court is adjourned until MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1883, at 10 A. M. Jurors, litigants and witnesses need not appear until October 5th.

WM. J. BAER,
President Judge.

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PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, Pa., to me directed, I will expose to public sale the following described real estate, late the property of Conrad Brant, dec'd on the premises, on

Saturday, September 22, 1883,

at 1 o'clock P. M., a certain farm situate in Brothersvalley Twp., adjoining lands of Henry Brant, Fred Brant, Israel Cober, Jacob Coleman, Wm. A. Rhoads, Harrison Humbert and Wm. Sivits, containing 250 acres and allowance, about 160 acres cleared and 25 acres in meadow, having thereon erected a good two-story frame dwelling house; also, a tenant house, bank barn and other outbuildings. The farm has a sugar camp, is well watered, in a fine state of cultivation, and well timbered.

TERMS.—One-third in hand on confirmation of sale, and the balance in five equal annual payments, to be secured by judgment bond. The farm is offered as a whole or in two parcels, to suit purchasers.

HIRAM R. BRANT
aug29-3t. Admr. of Conrad Brant, dec'd.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of A. C. Schell, dec'd, late of Somerset Bor., Somerset Co., Pa.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement at the late residence of deceased on Saturday, Oct. 13, 1883.

JOHN W. GARDNER,
sep5. Admr. of A. C. Schell.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah A. Lingenfield, late of Lower Turkeyfoot twp., Somerset co., Pa., dec'd.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, October 13, 1883, at the late residence of the deceased.

J. W. BURKHOLDER,
sep5. Administrator.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

I will sell or rent my woolen factory, in Jenner Township, upon reasonable terms. I will also rent my home farm, situate in Jenner township. For particulars call upon me, or address me at Sipesville Postoffice.

aug29-4t. ABRAHAM BEAM.

Mrs. A. E. Uhl

NEW GOODS.

Fall Stock now Ready.

LOWER PRICES!

SILKS!

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CA HMERE!

CLOTH SUITINGS!

Fancy Dress Goods

IN ALL SHADES.

Calicoes, Ginghams,

Muslins, Flannels,

Canton Flannels,

KENTUCKY JEANS,

ALL QUALITIES.

New Fall Stockings,

GLOVES,

AND UNDERWEAR.

A FULL LINE OF

Germantown, Zephyr, Shetland and Saxony Wools, Factory Stocking Yarn,

FANCY GOODS,

NOTIONS,

A Full Line of Newest Kinds of

NECKWEAR

Children's Wool Sacks

Our Winter Wraps are now in store, including Coats, Jackets, Dolmans, Ulsters, etc., for ladies and children.

Mrs. A. E. UHL.

SOMERSET, PA., Sept. 13-4w.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

At an Orphan's Court held in somerset, Pa., on the 1st day of September, 1883, the undersigned Auditor was duly appointed to make a distribution of the funds in the hands of Samuel E. Berkey and John Lohr, Executors of Peter Spelcher dec'd, late of Conemaugh twp., to and among those legally entitled thereto, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of the above appointment at his office in Somerset borough on Thursday, the 4th day of Oct., 1883, when and where all persons interested can attend if they think proper.

JOHN R. SCOTT,
sep12. Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John C. Holliday, dec'd, late of Addison Twp., Somerset Co., Pa.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to those indebted to the said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against it to present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

ROSS McCLINTOCK,
sep12. Administrator.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Having been appointed by the Orphan's Court of Somerset County, Auditor to examine the final account, and make distribution of the funds in the hands of Dr. W. A. Garman, Executor of Benj Bittner, dec'd, to and among those legally entitled thereto, notice is hereby given that I will attend to the duties of said appointment at my office in Somerset, Pa., on Tuesday, the 9th day of October, 1883, when and where all persons interested can attend.

W. H. RUPPEL,
sep12. Auditor.

NOTICE.

The Board of School Directors of Brothersvalley township will meet in Berlin, at the house of Samuel Ferrel, on Tuesday, October 2, 1883, to employ twelve teachers for the coming term, when and where all competent teachers can apply. The following salaries will be paid: Teachers holding professional certificates, $30 a month. Teachers holding first-class certificates, $28 a month. Teabhers holding second-class certificates, $24 a month. Professional and first-class teachers preferred. By order of the Board.

U. F. HAYMAN, Secretary. E. J. WALKER,