The Somerset Herald.

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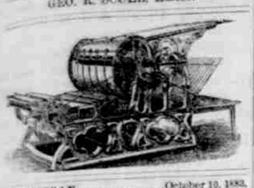

WEDNESDAY.....October 10, 1883.

Republican Mass Meeting.

The Republicans of Somerset County will open the fall campaign in the Court House on Tuesday evening of Court, October 16th. Our candidate for Auditor General,

Hon. Jerome B. Niles,

and other able speakers from abroad, will be present and address the meeting. Let the people turn out and hear the issues of the campaign fairly discussed.

JAS. P. SCOTT, Secretary. GEO. W. PILE, Chairman.

Oysters at Boyd's.

Diamond Dyes. C. N. Boyd.

C. N. Boyd sells Diamond Dyes.

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

Canned Sweet Potatoes for sale at Keller & Sanner's.

Try Diamond Dyes. Nice colors. No trouble. Sold by C. N. Boyd.

To dye easy and happy, use Diamond Dyes. All colors at C. N. Boyd's.

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

Ten cents will buy a pack of Diamond Dyes, and you can color from one to three pounds. Sold by Boyd.

Work on the South Pennsylvania railroad will soon be commenced and pushed vigorously.

WANTED.—Immediately! Five cigar makers and ten girls to learn the trade. Apply to or address

J. K. COFFROTH, Somerset, Pa.

Gingham Parker & Parker's for pretty calicoes and ginghams. Bleached and unbleached muslins, sheetings, pillow-cases, table linen, towels, and bedspreads.

Two cents will now carry a letter anywhere in the United States. This is certainly cheap postage, and shows what an honest and capable administration of public affairs may do for the people.

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

PARKER & PARKER'S.

The Athletic base ball club of Philadelphia won the Association championship, having won one more game than the Cincinnati club. The Columbus, Allegheny, and Baltimore clubs made a brilliant race for the last place, which was captured by the Baltimore.

Come 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 fit of vomiting, to which he had been subject for several months, Charles Gray of Lock Haven, thirteen years old, expelled from his stomach, on Thursday of last week, a black snake eight inches long. It is presumed that he drank it from a spring last summer, when it was very small.

Fall and winter stock is now full and complete, having just received it from the Philadelphia and New York markets. Those wishing to buy clothing for men, youths and boys, will save money by calling at Boyd's. Also, a full line of underclothing, hosiery of all kinds and styles, ranging in price from 25 cents up. Trunks, satchels and valises, bought direct from the factories and sold 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.

One day last week a widow woman from across the river somewhere disposed of a large number of dressed eels in this place and vicinity. She captured in one night over eight hundred of the slimy family, and among the number was one that weighed over four pounds.—*Everett Press.*

GEBHART'S BEST.—If you want good bread buy some 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 retail trade of one hundred barrels a month attests the fact that it is no humbug.

Respectfully,

COOK & BEERITS.

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

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

ROSS DAVIS & CO.

To drive away rats take potash that has been left in the air till it becomes pasty or saturate it with soft soap, and smear all places where they run; or set some of the soap and potash near their holes, and they will not trouble you long after getting into it.

It is a singular yet significant fact that of all the larger number of Sunday weekly papers in Philadelphia only one supports the Republican ticket. The Sunday newspaper does have little regard for the laws of men and less for the moral law, but they have an instinctive sense of the fitness of things that leads them almost unanimously into the Democratic fold.

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 insecticides, such as Pure Paris Green, Pure Powdered White Hellebore, Persian Insect Powder, &c. 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 paragraph is going the rounds of the press to the effect that there lives in Shenandoah township, Mercer county, a citizen who has attained the age of seventy-five years, and who was never on a railroad, never at a fair, never attended a circus, and most surprising of all, was never drunk. What ordinary brain can comprehend the pleasure which that man has lost.

Farmers look at this! We again offer for fall seeding, Baugh & Son's Double Ammoniated Phosphate, which contains 17 to 20 per cent of bone, at $30 per ton, our warehouse at Stock 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.

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

PARKER & PARKER'S.

The three cent stamp has gone.

Thanksgiving Day will be the next legal holiday.

The election in Ohio takes place to-day, Tuesday.

Elder Vogel will preach at Berlin next Sunday evening.

Court will convene at 10 o'clock next Monday morning.

We are having delightful weather at present. If we had only had such for the fair.

FOUND.—On the Fair grounds on Thursday of last week, a purse containing some money.

"Glorious" Tom Marshall and Governor Pattison were not at the fair. They were missed.

Mr. Barnet Picking is making arrangements to erect a frame dwelling house on his lot on Union street.

Had it not been for the disagreeable weather, there would have been many more people at the fair last week.

One of the articles on exhibition at the county fair was a little old hat labeled: "A 'rebble' hat, captured on the battlefield of Gettysburg."

The senior editor of the HERALD has been in Pittsburg for the past week which may account for the lack of editorial matter in this week's paper.

Ex-Governor Hoyt told a limited number of his fellow citizens what he knew about farming, at the Somerset county fair, on Thursday afternoon.

We acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Bedford County fair, which is to be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Editor B. F. Meyers, of the Harrisburg *Patriot*, spent several days in Somerset last week. He has many friends in his native county, who are always glad to see him.

The ladies of the Methodist church netted something over one hundred dollars at their festival last week. The proceeds are to go towards having the church frescoed and painted.

The county fair which closed Friday was a success, financially. We are informed that there will be a surplus of several hundred dollars after the expenses and premiums are paid.

The wheel of fortune men who turned their little wheels at the fair last week, took away considerable loose change with them. It cost some of our young men a nickle or two to learn the game.

The three Wechtenheiser brothers and Musser, the alleged Stonycreek burglars who are now in jail, were again brought before Judge Baer on a writ of *habeas corpus* on Tuesday morning, and admitted to bail in the sum of $1,500 each.

On next Sabbath, the 14th Communion of the Lords Supper will be held in the Presbyterian Church, at 10 45 A. M. Preparatory service on Saturday, at 2 and 7 o'clock P. M. All are invited. Seats free.

That sterling Republican, Hon. Sam. Mier, of Elklick, has been spending the past week in Somerset. Mr. Mier has as many warm friends at the county seat as any man in the county, who are always glad to see him and take him by the hand.

Apple trees it is said bear more freely when borers enter and obstruct the flow of sap. The effect is similar to that produced by root pruning. Trees badly infested will bear fruit during the progress of their work more freely than trees not attacked.

Miss Clara K. Boyles, of Newark, Ohio, is visiting friends and relatives in this place, having come to Somerset with James L. Pugh, Esq., who recently returned from visiting friends in Ohio. At present Miss Boyles is stopping at Mr. Oliver Knepper's

We last week inadvertently neglected to announce the marriage of Dr. Albert P. Brubaker to Miss Edith B. Needles, which happy event was solemnized Thursday evening, September 27th at half-past seven o'clock, in the First Unitrian Church, Philadelphia.

Mr. Harry Weimer has opened an oyster saloon on East Main street, in the rooms occupied during the past season as an ice cream parlor. His rooms are fitted up in elegant style, and the reputation he enjoys as a first-class caterer will no doubt secure him a liberal share of patronage.

The readers of the HERALD who attend Court next week will have a good opportunity of making purchase of Drugs and Medicines, also School Books and Stationery from the fine stock offered for sale by C. N. Boyd. His stock is not surpassed in the County, and all at the very lowest prices. Be sure and call and see him.

Mr. Hine, of Cumberland, Md., has taken the contract for the construction of a frame dwelling house on the old Patton lot on Union street, for Mr. John O. Kimmell. Mr. Hine will work all the lumber out in Cumberland and will bring it here ready to put together. Work will be commenced on it at once, as it is expected to be under roof before cold weather sets in.

The sale of the Bedford Springs has not yet been fully consumated. Mr. Reon Barnes was to have paid the Anderson heirs $110,000 in cash and give two mortgages for the balance of the purchase money and lift the deed last Monday, but he failed to come to time. An extension was granted him but for how long we have not heard. He had paid $10,000 upon the signing of the article of agreement.

The Borough public schools will commence their term of five months on Monday morning, October the twenty-second. The teachers employed are Prof. Holbert, Mrs. Connelly, Miss Lizzie Kooser, Miss Ella Kimmell, Miss Kate Snyder, and Miss Hattie Stutzman. Prof. Holbert will receive a salary of $45 per month, and the other teachers $35. The four rooms in the new building will be occupied by the higher grades.

Doctor Hochstetter of Pittsburgh, one of the Southwest Pennsylvania Railroad syndicate, said Friday the bids received by the American Construction Co., for the tunnel contracts were opened at the New York meeting on Monday, but such a discrepancy in prices existed that they were not acted upon. The responsibility of the lowest bidders is now being investigated and at the next meeting the contracts will be let and work commenced this fall.

At the last session of Congress an act was passed providing for an adjustment of the salaries of the postmasters throughout the United States, the new law to take effect October 1, 1883. The postoffice department has finished the work, and the result was made known last week. Following are the changes made in salaries of offices in this neighborhood: Altoona, reduced from $2,800 to $2,700; Hollidaysburg, $1,700, unchanged; Johnstown, $2,800, reduced to $2,400; Huntingdon, $1,900, raised to $2,000; Somerset, $1,400, unchanged; Bedford remains at $1,600.

Where have all the trade dollars gone? is a question that we hear asked quite often on our streets. There are some people who haven't seen a trade dollar for so long that they are now struggling to get one to put away as a relic, as they were some months ago to get rid of the trades. There are still a good many afloat. Director Snowden, of the mint, has recently removed the charge of melting them, and when formerly you were compelled to pay one per cent. for having your trades converted in bullion it now costs you nothing, the mint paying you full bullion value of your silver, that is about 86½ cents for each trade dollar.

The Eighth Annual Exhibition of the Somerset County Agricultural Society is a thing of the past. Was it a success? Tuesday, the day set apart for opening the exhibition, was one of the dreariest, nastiest days of the year; the rain poured down during the morning, and a fine, drizzling rain fell during the remainder of the day, but the managers were not disheartened. They decided to continue the fair over another day, and at once sent posters trough the county to that effect. Wednesday the air was raw and cold, and the grounds damp and muddy, but the attendance was quite large, more than four hundred dollars being taken in at the gate. Thursday was quite cold, but the wind had dried up the mud, making an improvement on the track, and grounds, of the day previous. The crowd in attendance was not so large as that of Wednesday. Friday afternoon several hundred people were on the ground to witness the races, after which the fair closed. The exhibits were not equal to those of other years as to quality or in point of numbers, with the exception of the stock department. This fact we have no doubt was largely owing to the unfavorable weather, as the managers assure us that fully one-third of the articles entered in their books were not on exhibition. The display of agricultural implements was good. The stalls provided for the horses and horned cattle were almost all occupied, and their occupants were such as to delight the eye of the lover of fine stock. Some of the horses and cattle exhibited were marvels of beauty and fine breeding, and were well worth the price of admission to the grounds to see. Of sheep, swine, and poultry there was scarcely any. The exhibits of fruit, vegetables and products of the farm were trifling, particularly so in a year when the crops were large, and the most bounteous of harvests was reaped. There was something wrong; was it that our farmers no longer take an interest in these annual exhibitions, or was it the weather?

BROTHERSVALLEY ITEMS.

Plenty of rain over this way; also every "now and then" a frost, but the growing wheat looks splendid.

William Koontz, (but not the General) raised nearly eleven hundred bushels of oats from eighteen acres by strict measure, and remember oats weighs this year from 40 to 50 pounds to the bushel.

At the present time Jacob M. Musser and George Buckman are the happiest men in these parts. They are both staunch Republicans, and I hope they will name them after the next President, "Bob" Lincoln.

David Blough has the "boss" cider press of the township, if not of the county. He has been turning out from forty to fifty barrels of the juice daily for the past month, and besides can make sweet cider out of sour apples.

While working on the cornice of A. G. Kimmell's new barn one day last week, Mr. Ephraim Walker met with an accident which might have been serious in its results. Mr. K's team was engaged below hauling plank for the flooring, and becoming frightened ran against one of the scaffold poles on which Mr. Walker was standing, throwing him a distance of twenty-five feet to the ground. Fortunately no bones are broken, and he will be able to resume work in a short time.

A great many of our farmers are at present engaged in taking out and stacking up limestone, preparatory to the good sledding we are going to have by and by.

Following is a list of the teachers which have been selected by the board of directors of this township to teach the coming term of five months: Pleasant Valley, William H. Hoon; Sandy Hollow, A. E. Brant; Fairview, Maggie Knepper; Flickinger, P. U. Miller; East Liberty, W. H. Cober; Walker, George B. Seibert; Factory, H. H. Brant; Hoover, W. L. Stahl; Cross Roads, W. L. Eicher; Plank Road, E. L. Knepper; Hay's Mill, H. P. Blough. Three of the teachers employed hold professional certificates, and all the rest good first-class certificates, and our board deserves credit for the good selections they have made. The schools will open October 8th.

NOW AND THEN.

CONFLUENCE ITEMS.

A. G. Black and wife returned from their Western trip a few days ago.

Pat Hynes, one of the employes at Brooks' tunnel, was seriously injured by a fall several days ago.

The destruction of the Exposition buildings at Pittsburgh, does not seem to diminish the number of excursionists. The ruins occasioned by the fire are more attractive than the old show.

The school directors ended a big farce by the perpetration of another of more extensive dimensions. The ring is not yet broken, but will be in time.

The National pike has not been in so nice a condition for many years as now. Mr. Daniels, the new Superintendent, is doing his duty, despite the Fayette County Democracy, that tried to have him removed not long since. X.

THE SCHOOL BOOK QUESTION.

MR. EDITOR.—I noticed in an issue of your paper an ill feeling manifested by certain parties concerning the recent change made in text books in Somerset township. In my opinion there cannot be any trouble in the matter, for from actual investigation, I find that the directors acted in accordance with their judgment in the whole affair. Why can't those who seem to be hurt and who failed in what they attempted, set the question fairly before the people. I have learned from the Secretary's Minute Book, as well as the members themselves, that Raub's Series of Readers were legally adopted by the Directors of Somerset township on the 8th of August, 1883, and that their action on said day was legally ratified on September 22d, 1883, *after the election of the teachers of said township.* Now, I ask the candid, honest and unbiased thinker: Can there be an adoption more legal, more secure, than the one made by said Board? Does any one doubt the ability of said Board to act in this matter? Were these gentlemen not elected by the people, to serve the people in the best possible way they can? Have they not done this to the best of their ability? Would these individuals have received the support of the people had they manifested an inefficiency to pass on the merits of school books? Nay, these gentlemen were elected in full confidence of the people, and they have never betrayed their *trust*, but have acted on all measures with *judgment, candor* and *ability.* I ask again, did the people of Somerset township elect the present Board to serve the people and have them pass upon questions in the way and manner dictated by a few outsiders, and I am sorry to say by a few teachers, who are nothing more than the servants of Appleton's Agents? If our Directors permit themselves to be made tools of by a few of their aggrieved patrons and teachers, then I say let us abandon our school directorship. I am pleased to state, as far as I can learn, that these Directors acted from honest convictions, and that they are determined to stand by their action, which they claim to be just and legal. I trust the day will soon come when we can hear, all over the State, of Directors that deliberate on questions coming before them, as judiciously, independently and fearlessly as did the members of the Somerset Township School Board. Such men build up the system; they look after the schools in every particular, and make provisions for all just and proper demands coming from the people. In conclusion, permit me to say that the law is specific in saying that, "No teacher can act in the capacity of an agent for text books." It can be clearly shown that several of the teachers acted as agents, seemingly not for the good of the schools, but to render an equivalent for what they received from Appleton's Agents.

E. O. R.

We would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of D. W. C Dumbauld & Co., of Lavansville, Pa., dealers in General Merchandise, to be found in another column.

TEMPERANCE LECTURE.—The services of Major Hiltan, of Washington City, has been secured by the W. C. T. U., of Somerset, to deliver a temperance lecture in the Court House, Thursday evening, October 11. He is on his return from Ohio, where he has been engaged for the past few weeks speaking in the interest of the Second Amendment. He is an able speaker, and having been employed for some years in the Internal Revenue Department, he is highly capable of giving his hearers reliable information concerning the liquor business.

All are invited to be present; 'tis to be hoped that the citizens of Somerset will give him a crowded house. He will, alls, speak at Stoystown, Wednesday evening, October 10, and at Meyersdale, Friday, evening October 12.

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OF INTEREST TO FARMERS, BREEDERS, AND STOCK DEALERS.—Mr. George F. Countryman, of Lavansville, has taken the agency for Prof. Manning's celebrated book, entitled "Stock Doctor, and Live Stock Encyclopedia," and is traveling over the county soliciting subscriptions for the same. This book is invaluable to farmers and stock raisers. It treats of horses, cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, dogs and bees, giving all important facts concerning the various breeds and their characteristics, breaking, training, sheltering, buying, selling, most profitable use and general care, embracing all the diseases to which they are subject, the causes, how to know and what to do, given in plain, simple language, free from technichalities, but scientifically correct, and with directions that are easily understood, easily applied, and remedies that are within the reach of the deople, giving the most recent, approved and humane methods for the care of stock, the prevention of disease, and restoration to health. The following are some of the strong points of the book, and their arrangement:

Part I.—The Horse. His history, several breeds, and the characteristics and excellencies of each; breeding, crossing, training, sheltering, and general treatment; how to buy, how to sell, etc.

Part II.—Diseases of the Horse. Causes which produce them; how to know them, and what to do.

Part III.—Cattle. Their history, different breeds and their characteristics; proper methods of breeding, crossing, training, and general care and management. How to know and select good milkers, etc., etc.

Part IV.—Diseases of Cattle. Methods that prevent, causes that produce, etc.

Part V—Sheep. Their history, breeds, characteristics of breeds, breeding and management.

Part VI.—Diseases of Sheep. How to prevent; causes; how to know, and what to do, etc.

Part VII.—Swine, Breeds, breeding, characteristics and management.

Part VIII—Diseases of Swine. Causes, how to know them, what to do.

Part IX.—Poultry. The varieties, special excellence of each, etc.

Part X.—Diseases of Poultry. Causes, remedies, etc.

Part XI.—Bees. Their history, characteristics and management.

Part XII.—Dogs. Breeds, breeding, training, etc.

The book is handsomely bound, and contains nearly two hundred unique and highly instructive illustrations, among which are nine full-page chromatic plates, specimens of the finest blooded stock in America. One of these is the world renowned trotter, Maud S. Also, two charts of remarkable value for determining the ages of horses and cattle. This celebrated work is an imperial octavo valume of about 1,100 pages, and should be in the hands of every stock dealer and farmer in the county, as it may be the cause of saving the life of many a valuable animal.

"Say, Mike, here comes Fisk; let us wait until he catches us." "Hellos, Fisk, how are you now? I saw a piece in the paper about you and Mike last week. How is that, Fisk?" "Well, Blutcher, that was the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help me Isaac. Well sir, Isaac, I came in last week, fair week, and I went to Snyder's to get a suit and overcoat, but it was almost impossible to get into the store for the crowd. I waited until my turn came, and I bought this suit and overcoat. Guess what I paid for this suit? Blutcher, its a camel." "Well, I say $22." "Ha! ha! $14. Now, I was at the Pittsburgh Exposition, and at Johnstown, and I am a far traveling man, I am, and of all the cheap places to buy *anything* is at J. B. Snyder & Co.'s. Why, they have a first-class overcoat for $5, sold anywhere for $7." "Well, now, Fisk, what is the use telling us? Haven't we been there? That is the only place we go. They are selling all the time and getting new goods. They always have the very newest things. Did you see their new fur caps? If you didn't, you want to go back very quick and get one. Ta, ta!".

The finest of Card and Cabinet Photographs can be had at Welfley's Photograph Gallery. They are taken by a city photographer whose services Mr. Welfley has secured. Prices lower than anywhere else in town, and all work of a superior quality.

The Roller Process Flour for sale by Messrs Keller & Sanner, has had a large run. They have just received a new lot which will be sold about 20 per cent. lower than the price heretofore asked in Somerset.

MARRIED.

LOHR—BERKEY.—On the 6th of Sept. by M. A. Brubaker, Esq., Mr. John Lohr, to Miss Laura Berkey, both of Shade Twp.

HERSHBERGER—SHAEFER.—At the Lutheran Parsonage in Jennertown, on Oct. 7, 1883, by Rev. Luther Kuhlman, Mr. John Hershberger, to Miss Kate Shaffer, both of Jenner Twp.

COUGHENOUR—BARKLEY.—On September 30, 1883, at West End, by D. S. A. Tomlinson, Mr. C. J. Coughenour, of Mt. Healthy, to Miss Eva E. Barkley, of West End, Pa.

SNYDER—SNYDER.—On September 23, 1883, at the Lutheran parsonage in Friedens, by Rev. J. J. Welsh, Mr. Martin L. Snyder, of Somerset township, to Miss Mary J. Snyder, of Salisbury.

DIED.

SUTER.—Near Sprucetown, October 6th, of diphtheria, Christopher Calvin, son of Wm. and Julia Suter, aged 13 years, 7 months and 4 days.

BRANT.—On September 18th, at New Centreville, Mrs. Sarah Brant, aged 58 years, 5 months and 2 days.

WALKER.—On Sept. 6th, in Jenner Twp., Saide E., daughter of Aaron S. Walker, aged 19 years, 3 months and 17 days.

MOSTOLLER.—October 3, 1883, Ida Bell, daughter of Uriah and Ellen Mostoller, aged 10 years, 10 months and 10 days.

WHIPKEY.—On the 21st of September, in Middlecreek township, John H., infant son of Jesse and Clara E. Whipkey, aged 9 months and 22 days.

MARKER.—On the 23d day of September near Kingwood, Mr. John Marker, aged 53 years, 11 months and 28 days.

WEIMER.—On the 26th day of September, near New Centreville, Mr. Jeremiah Weimer, aged 56 years, 9 months and 19 days.

THOMPSON.—On Saturday evening, October 6, 1883, at Lavansville, Mrs. John Thompson, aged about 60 years.

This good lady, after performing her daily duties, seated herself on Saturday evening on her chair with a thimble on her finger and needle in her hand ready to sew, when she was suddenly called to her home above. She was found in a sitting position, her features and person indicating that she did not suffer, that her death was instantaneous and painless. She was a consistent member of the Reformed Church, and her sudden death is lamented by all who knew her. K.

The best stock of Cigars and Tobacco in the town are to be found at Keller & Sanner's.

For a picture of your baby, go to Darnell's, opposite the Bank.

Brook Trout, Salmon and Labrador Herring, can't be beat, at Keller & Sanner's.

Call at Darnell's, opposite the Bank, for a fine Photograph.

Talk about selling clothing when J. B. Snyder & Co. can knock all competitors over the ropes, Marquis of Queensberry rules, for quality and prices.

Many forget that the hair and scalp need cleansing as well as the hands and feet. Extensive use of Ayer's Hair Vigor has proven that it is the best cleansing agent for the hair—that it prevents as well as removes dandruff, cools and soothes the scalp, and stimulates the hair to renewed growth and beauty.

The neat show windows of J. B. Snyder & Co. are proof positive that there is some one around that establishment whose good taste will be valuable to you in the selection of Dry Goods, Dress Goods or Fancy Articles.

Albert D. Miller, Artistic Photographer, from Pittsburg, will be at Welfley's Photograph Gallery for three months after October 12th. Fine Cabinet Photographs a specialty.

The wonder to everybody is, who uses all the goods that J. B. Snyder & Co. sell. There sales are so large that they are compelled to get new goods almost daily and thus their stock is always fresh, clear, new, and of the very latest styles.

Passing by Welfley's Photograph Gallery the other day, we observed a very handsome display of fine Photographs; on inquiry we learned that they were specimens of the work done by Mr. Miller, a Pittsburg Photographer, whose services Mr. Welfley has secured. We think our people will be highly pleased at this opportunity of procuring at home work of the high standard of excellence, which these samples would indicate, and we believe Mr. Welfley will meet with the patronage which he really deserves in bringing here so good an artist.

NOTE THIS—If any of our readers have private receipts for liniment, family medicines, horse powders, etc., that they desire to have compounded, they will do well to consult Campbell, the Druggist, 264 Main street Johnstown. His stock of drugs, dye stuffs, etc., are not only fresh but pure, and his prices reasonable. His aim is to please his 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, 264 Main St., Johnstown.

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.

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, chilblains, corns, tetter, chappel 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.

School Books! School Books!!—At Fisher's book store is the only place in the county where is kept for sale a full and complete stock of school books. All the kinds of school books used in all the towns and townships can be obtained at the book store. Slates, pens, ink, pencils, scratch books, chalk, copy books, pen holders, and everything else used in a school room. Special and liberal reductions to school teachers buying in quantities for their schools. Liberal discounts to country merchants. The attention of school teachers is specially called to my large and very pretty stock of reward cards. All kinds of text-books for teachers. Mail orders for reward cards, from teachers and others, will receive prompt attention.

CHAS. H. FISHER.

A WIDE AWAKE DRUGGIST.—Mr. C. N. Boyd is always alive to his business, and spares no pains to secure the best of every article in his line. He has secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The only certain cure known for consumption, coughs, colds, hoarseness, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, or any affection of the throat and lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Trial bottles free. Regular size $1.

Expressmen Liable.

Mr. A. S. Merrill, the popular expressman of Brunswick, Me., writes us on May 15, 1883, as follows: "Having been severely afflicted for about two years with inflammation of the kidneys and bladder, so called by my physicians, I suffered with distressing pains in my back and retention of urine, caused by a stoppage of the neck of the bladder, and a complication of other diseases. I was barely able to attend to my business, and at times would be completely prostrated. I was also affected with incontinence of urine to an alarming degree; indeed, it demanded my attention fifteen or twenty times per night, and at times it would seem impossible for me to ride down to the depot on my wagon, for every jar from the wagon would almost take my life. Having failed to obtain relief from my doctor, I finally consulted our druggist, Dr. Merryman, of Brunswick, and requested him to furnish me with the most reliable and speedy cure for such sickness, for I was suffering too much for human nature to endure long. The doctor recommended me to use Hunt's Remedy, as it had been used with remarkable success in a good many cases in Brunswick and vicinity. I purchased a bottle and received such great relief that I continued, and had not used two bottles before I began to improve beyond my expectations. Thanks to Hunt's Remedy for my restoration, and I highly recommend it to all who are troubled with kidney complaints.

Could Not Lift a Pound.

The above are the words of Mrs. Harriet Baily, of Putnam, Conn. She writes May 3, 1883: "I have been troubled with kidney and liver disease for two years. I suffered severely in the back and loins. Before taking your wonderful medicine, Hunt's Remedy, I could not lift a pound. After giving it a fair trial I began to improve, and can truly say it was a 'Godsend to me,' as I am now able to do my household work and enjoy the best of health. I have recommended Hunt's remedy to two of my neighbors, who have have been greatly benefitted by it. This letter I send voluntarily, with the hope that it may be the means of inducing some sufferer to use Hunt's Remedy, and be cured as I have been."

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Honorable WILLIAM J. BAER, President Judge of the several Courts of Common Pleas of the several counties composing the 16th Judicial district, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District, and WM. COLLINS and SAMUEL SNYDER, Esquires, Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the county of Somerset, have issued their precepts and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas add General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer, at Somerset,

Monday, October 15, 1883,

Notice is hereby given to all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables within the said County of Somerset, that they be then and there in their proper persons with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices and in that behalf appertain to be done; and also they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Somerset county, to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

JOHN J. SPANGLER, Sheriff.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Maylunck, late of Allegheny 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 will present them duly authenticated for allowance.

S. A. TOPPER, Administrator.

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ESTRAY NOTICE.

A yearling Steer, red in color, came trespassing on my premises in Jefferson township, on the 19th of August last. The owner can recover the same by calling at once.

LUDWIG GARDNER.

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NEW GOODS!

For the Fall and Winter Trade

NOW IN STORE!

Cashmeres, Silk Finished Suitings, Velvets, Fancy Dress Goods, Prints, Ginghams, Cheviots, Cotton, Plaids, Flannels, Linseys, Canton Flannels, Jeans, Suttincts, Cassimeres, Corduroys, Hosiery, Gloves, Underwear, Yarns, Notions, Fancy Goods, Neck-Wear.

A Full Line of Choice Groceries,

Tobacco and Cigars,

HARDWARE,

QUEENSWARE,

BOOTS & SHOES IN GREAT VARIETY,

HATS and CAPS,

A large and varied assortment,

CLOTHING,

Nails, Glass, Stove Pipe, Tinware, Oils, Paints, Drugs, Dyes, Salt, Flour, Meal and Chop.

It will be our aim to keep in stock everything usually kept in a well regulated general store, all of which will be sold at rock bottom prices. All kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods, at the highest market prices. We take occasion to thank a generous public for the liberal patronage we have received since we have commenced business, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. To those who have not as yet dealt with us, we kindly ask to give us a trial and be convinced.

Short profits and quick returns, is our motto.

D. W. C. DUMBAULD & CO.,
LAVANSVILLE, PA., Oct. 10, 1883.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

Valuable Real Estate!

BY virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset Co., Pa., to us directed, we will expose to public sale on

Saturday, November 10, 1883,

at 1 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following real estate, late the property of Henry Sipe, dec'd viz.:

A certain tract of land situate in Jenner township, in said county, adjoining lands of Frederick Gonder, William O. Griffith, Thomas Gallagher, and others, containing 132 acres, having a new two-story frame dwelling house, and good barn, and other outbuildings thereon erected. There are about 50 acres clear, the balance in good oak and pine timber, about 20 acres of meadow land, a young orchard, a good spring of excellent water and coal on the premises.

TERMS:

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid as soon as the property is knocked down, the balance of one-third on confirmation of sale, and one-third to remain a lien for widow's dower, the interest thereof to be paid her annually, the balance in two equal annual payments, with interest to be secured by Judgment bonds.

M. H. SIPE,
MICHAEL SIPE,
Admrs. of Henry Sipe, dec'd.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF—

Valuable Real Estate!

Pursuant to an order of the Orphan's Court of Somerset County, Pa., will be sold at public sale on the homestead premises of decedent in Berlin borough, in said county, on

MONDAY, October 15, 1883,

at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described real estate, late the property of James Weigle, dec'd, to wit:

No. 1.—A certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Berlin, bounded on the north by Main street, on the east by Raspberry alley, on the South by South street, and on the west by lot of German Reformed Congregation, fronting 66 feet on Main street, and 200 feet deep, having a two-story frame dwelling house, stable, and other outbuildings thereon erected.

No. 2. A certain lot of ground situate in the township of Brothersvalley, in said county, bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by lot of John Mosholder, and on the south and west by land of W. Woodich, containing about one-fourth of an acre.

No. 3—A lot of ground situate in the village of Glencoe, in Northampton twp., in said county, adjoining the railroad, lots of Simon Poorbaugh, George Martz and Samuel Poorbaugh, with a one and a half story frame dwelling house thereon erected.

TERMS:

Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid as soon as the property is knocked down, and the balance on delivery of deed after confirmation of sale.

W. L. WOODCOCK,
Admr. of James Weigle, dec'd.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

BY virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, to me directed, I will expose to public sale on the premises in Shade township, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1883,

at 1 o'clock P. M., the following Real Estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situate in Shade Twp., Somerset Co., Pa., adjoining lands of Cyrus Berkeybile, Jacob J. Miller, Daniel Will, Moses Miller, and others, containing 108 acres more or less, of which there are about 80 acres cleared, and 15 acres in meadow, having a Two-story Plank House, Bank Barn, and other outbuildings thereon erected.

TERMS.

One-third in hand, and balance in payments of $200 each until paid, without interest. Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid as soon as the property is knocked down. Deferred payments to be secured by judgments on the premises.

CYRUS BERKEYBILE,
Admr. of Bernard Croyle, dec'd.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Hiram Bruner, late of Jefferson twp., Somerset county, 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 or demands will please present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, October 27, 1883, at the late residence of deceased

ISRAEL BRUNER,
HENRY LUCAS,
Adm'rs.

Somerset, Pa., Sept. 19, '83.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Hartman Reitz, dec'd, late of Stonycreek Twp., Somerset Co., Pa.

Letters testamentary 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 on Saturday, the 3d day of November, 1883, at my residence in said township.

JOSEPH REITZ,
Executor.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jonathan Machan, late of Paint Twp., Somerset Co., Pa., dec'd.

Letters testamentary on 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 it to present them duly authenticated for settlement on Thursday, November 15, 1883, at the residence of the executor, in Paint Township.

JOSIAH CUSTER,
Executor.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Williams, dec'd, late of Elk Lick 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 it to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands will please present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, the 17th day of November, 1883, at the late residence of the deceased

J. C. LOWRY,
Administrator.

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ESTRAY NOTICE.

A two-year-old heifer, black and white in color, came trespassing on my premises in Somerset Township. By proving property and paying charges the owner can recover the same.

CHARLES BRASICKER.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Edward Nicklow and Thomas Pullin, of Addison, under the firm name of Nicklow & Pullin was dissolved on the 28th day o. September, 1883, Thomas Pullin retiring. All indebted to said firm will make payment to Edward Nicklow