The Somerset Herald.

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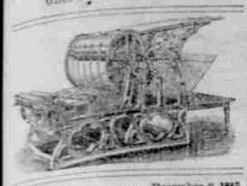

WEDNESDAY.....December 2, 1885.

Cheap goods at Wood's.

Call at No. 2 Baer Block.

The best goods at Wood's.

Don't blockade the crossings.

Buy your jewelry at Wood's.

Cheap shawls at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Go to Mrs. Uhl's for dress trimmings.

All kinds of yarns at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Diaries for 1886 at Fisher's Book Store.

Best home-made hoods made at Mrs. A E. Uhl's

The turkey crop is said to be good this year.

For good jewelry, you must go to W. H. Wood.

Sunday schools fill up as Christmas approaches.

Go to Mrs. A. E. Uhl's for best and cheapest goods.

Walley is at all times prepared to take a good Photograph.

Good jewelry, clocks, watches and silverware at Wood's.

Children's Undershirts 25 cents each at Becher's Clothing Hall.

Jewelry, watches, clocks and silverware at Wood's, No. 2 Baer Block.

Buck and other kinds of gloves for men, cheap.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

T. H. Wood sells the best and the cheapest jewelry in Somerset county.

New stock of collars and cuffs and neckwear for ladies.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

When you come to town, call at Wood's and see a handsome jewelry store.

Tin-Types and Gems taken in the best style at Walley's Photograph Gallery.

A job lot of comfortables and blankets, very cheap.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

Make your resolutions ready, for another year will soon dawn upon us.

When in doubt where to find what you want cheap, go to Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Pennsylvania had in bond on the first of October 4,149,600 gallons of whisky.

A line of long, and new style short wraps now and fresh.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

Wood isn't giving goods away, but he is selling cheaper than any jeweler in Somerset county.

The largest assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing can be seen at Becher's Clothing Hall.

The holidays are fast approaching, and a boom in the wedding business can confidently be expected.

Underwear for children, ladies and men, wool, white and mixed.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

H. M. Tredwell & Co. keep a large stock of Zephyr, Saxony, Germantown and Germ Knitting Yarns.

A large, new assortment of dress goods and staple dry goods, very cheap, at
MRS. A. E. UHL'S.

Turkey shooting has commenced in earnest, and nearly every day some one of our friends bring a fine gobbler to town.

You can find anything you want in the dry goods, notions and millinery line at
MRS. A. E. UHL'S.

The coming Easter will fall on the 25th of April. This has not occurred before since 1724, and will not happen again until 1943.

Ladies Collars and Cuffs in White and Fancy colors. Latest Styles; Lowest Prices.
M. M. TREDWELL & Co.,
Mammoth Block.

The law provides that where persons remove or take mail matter belonging to others and do not correct the mistake, they are liable to a fine of $500.

Don't fail to call at E. McDowell's Jewelry Store and see his immense Stock of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, and his prices will surprise you.

Persons desiring to have a good Cabinet Photograph taken, will do well to have the work done at Walley's Photograph Gallery in the Mammoth Block, Somerset, Pa.

We still keep our Dress-Making Department up to the standard.
M. M. TREDWELL & Co.,
Mammoth Block.

Joseph Powell, of Towanda, Bradford county, who ran against Livsey for State Treasurer in 1883, has been appointed Deputy Collector of the Port of Philadelphia. His salary is $3,000 per year.

Felling silks, Chenille, Silk, Satin, Plush, and Velvet, Pendants, Tinsel balls, Gilt Cords, &c., for Fancy work for the Holidays.
M. M. TREDWELL & Co.,
Mammoth Block.

Why should you go to a tailor and pay $40.00 for a fine dress suit, when you can get the same goods with better trimmings, better fit, and better workmanship for $20 at Becher's Clothing Hall.

BRICK, BRICK, BRICK! As good as the best and cheaper than the rest. Four hundred thousand on hand. Yard opposite the Planing Mill.
HOLBROOK BROS & PARSONS,
Somerset, Pa.

Hats, Bonnets, Trimmings, Hose, Gloves, Collars, Cuffs, Jewelry, Goods for Fancy Work, &c. &c. in profusion.
M. M. TREDWELL & Co.,
Mammoth Block.

TO LET.—A large, new frame house on Main street, conveniently arranged, location desirable. Immediate possession given. For further information call on or address this office.

M. M. Tredwell & Co. make it a special point to accommodate their country customers by making up their orders for Millinery at once, while they wait.

The Bedford county court appointed a board of commissioners to form a new township out of a part of Southampton township known as Bean's Cove, and having completed the task assigned them recommended that the new township be called Cleveland.

You can get at Boyd's Drug Store:

Insect Powder,	Sticky Fly Paper,
Vera'd Hellebore,	Paris Green,
Mixed Paints,	Tube Colors,
Paint Brushes,	Shoe Brushes,
Croquet Sets,	Base Balls,
Base Rods,	Base Hooks,
Eye Glasses,	Spectacles,
Fine Cigars,	Soda Water,
Good Goods,	Low Prices.

THE BLIND CAN SEE AGAIN.

Perfection of Surgical Skill Attained.—To partially restore the sight after cataract is common; but to restore it to the absolute perfection of human sight before affected by disease, is a feat of which the most noted surgeons the World has ever known might be proud, but cannot hope to excel. Mr. Campbell, of the Davis Sewing Machine Co. No. 9 Sixth street, in a card below states the facts in his case. The type are the finest made yet he can read this the same distance when reduced one third by the Photo-Lithographic process:

A C D F G H U V W

Jas. E. Campbell

Mrs. Margaret Wilson, of Cardville, Washington county, Pa., totally blind to all but light, could see to read the above at 85 years of age, after Dr. Sadler's operation. *Seeing is believing.* Many other references, with illustrated pamphlet on the Eye and Ear, free by addressing Dr. Sadler, 804 Penn Ave. Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. Park Y. Kimmell, of Pittsburgh, spent Thanksgiving day in Somerset.

The skating on the dam is quite good, and is being extensively indulged in by lovers of the sport.

Mrs. Samuel Warnock, of Urbanna, Ohio, is visiting in Somerset. She is the guest of Mrs. F. J. Kooser.

The County Commissioners are in session to-day, for the purpose of granting exonerations to the collectors of state and county taxes.

Mr. Irwin Parson came home Friday with a twenty-pound turkey gobbler, a quarter of venison and several rabbits, the result of a day's hunting.

The Thanksgiving sermon preached by Elder Vogel, in the Methodist church, was a very able one, and was greatly enjoyed by a large and intelligent audience.

The sad intelligence of the sudden death of Vice President Hendricks was received in Somerset at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, and called forth expressions of sorrow and regret from all who heard it.

Messrs. John and Alex Huston and Frank Cooper brought a fine young doe to town Saturday night, that they had captured during the day at Bear Rocks. It weighed about one hundred pounds, and was brought down by a shot from Mr. Cooper's gun.

The Johnstown *Tribune* doesn't like the new tax law, "which levies tribute on everything but the babies," and says: "The individual who conceived and framed such a law and the legislature that passed it, ought to be confined in some lunatic asylum."

Mr. Kennedy Price, of Meyersdale, was united in marriage to Miss Grace V. Hoblitzell, an accomplished daughter of Mr. J. J. Hoblitzell, of the same place, on Tuesday evening, November 24, 1885. A number of the bride's Somerset relatives attended the wedding. The HERALD extends its heartiest congratulations to the happy young couple.

HE TOOK A TUMBLE.—On Sunday last while Samuel Fair, of Fairhope, on the east end of the Connellsville railroad, was out walking with some companions, a rock on the mountain side on which he was standing gave way, letting him drop about sixty feet. His jaw and one arm were broken and he sustained other severe injuries, but will probably recover.

Miss Sarah Pile, a most estimable old lady, died at the residence of her nephew, John C. Pile, at half-post eight o'clock Thanksgiving evening. She was 71 years, 7 months and 17 days old at the time of her death. The relatives of the deceased request us to return thanks to their friends and neighbors for their attention and many acts of kindness, during her illness.

As Mr. Jacob Berkey, of Somerset township, neared his home on Thursday last, after a day spent in rabbit hunting, he concluded to discharge his gun before taking it into the house. He placed the gun at his shoulder and pulled the trigger, when the breech was blown from the barrel, and Mr. Berkey's face terribly burned with the powder. It was thought at first that he would lose the sight of one, if not both eyes, but his physician now expects to save both.

Thanksgiving day was observed in Somerset in the regulation manner. The stores were mostly closed during the day, and the town put on its Sunday clothes. The union service in the Methodist church was largely attended by the religiously inclined, as was the union prayer meeting in the evening. The small boy spent the day in coasting on the hill, and the young man fortunate enough to own a horse and cutter, took his best girl out for a sleigh ride in the afternoon.

Notice has gone out from headquarters at Baltimore that after December 1st E. E. Patton will be general agent of the Parkersburg, Chillicothe and Cincinnati road, with headquarters at Chillicothe, Ohio. This is a new division of the Balto. and Ohio, and only recently put in operation. Patton's present position, traveling agent of the Pittsburg Division, will be filled by his father, John W. Patton, of Somerset. Ed.'s many Somerset friends will be glad to learn of his promotion, but will be sorry that he will have to leave Somerset.

Messrs. Casebeer and Schell, the young gentlemen who secured the services of the opera company that so delighted our people in the fall, have made arrangements with "Howorth's Double Comedy and Specialty Company," to give one of their unique exhibitions here on Monday evening, December 7th. The young gentlemen assure us that the company is one of the best, and promise their patrons no end of fun. Admission 35 and 50 cents. Reserved seat tickets for sale at Fisher's Book Store and Paul Casebeer's Furnishing store.

A JOHNSTOWN ROMANCE.—The Johnstown *Tribune* tells a story that contains enough of mystery and romance for a first-class blood-and-thunder novel. Two children, so the story goes, found a bottle floating along the bank in the Conemaugh. It was corked up tight, and contained a piece of paper upon which was written what purported to be a message from a captive maiden, who stated that she had been lured from New York and was going to Pittsburg, but that she was taken off at a town where there was a big iron works, removed to another depot, put into a train there and taken four or five miles to the place of her present captivity, an old mill. The matter has aroused some excitement, and will be investigated.

One of our exchanges puts the screws to some of its subscribers in the following truthful remarks: It is not generally known that a man who refuses to pay for his newspaper can be prosecuted like an ordinary criminal, or thief. A New York paper has begun suit against several delinquent subscribers under the United States Postal Laws which say, "the taking of a newspaper and refusal to pay for it, renders the person liable to criminal prosecution as a thief, and a person guilty of the same can be punished as if he had stolen goods to the amount of the subscriptions." Postmasters are also liable for the price of subscription for allowing papers to accumulate in their offices when subscribers have removed away, or refuse to take them from the office.

We have published the new "scalp law" several times, but at the earnest request of a number of our patrons, we give the following extract. Justices of the peace, hunters and all others interested should cut this out and paste it in their hats, or somewhere else where it will not soon be lost: "Wild cat, $2; foxes, either red or grey, $1; mink, weasel and hawk, 50 cents; for every owl, except the Arcadian screech or barn owl, 50 cents." It is the duty of any person who has killed any of the animals or birds above named and who is desirous of availing himself of the provisions of this law to produce such slain animal or bird before any justice of the peace of the county in which the same was killed, and make affidavit of the time and place of killing the same.

There is a bitter fight now progressing in the Mt. Pleasant (Middle) Presbyterian Church, that bids fair to break up that organization, if not settled soon. This church was founded by Dr. James Power in the year 1774 and is the oldest Presbyterian organization west of the Allegheny mountains. The trouble first commenced soon after the advent of the present pastor, about one year ago. At this time a lady was presiding at the organ, and had held the position for years without any compensation. The organist asked the sum of $75 per year for the future, and her services were therefore dispensed with. Shortly after an itinerant music teacher from Scottdale was given the position of organist, at a salary of $200 per year. This arrangement was against the wishes of many, and hence the fight. After this sundry other troubles arose.

Turkeys were ripe last Thursday, and many were plucked and eaten.

The time is almost ripe for Christmas presents. W. H. Wood has the nicest ones ever brought to town.

No one wants a watch unless it keeps correct time. W. H. Wood keeps all the standard makes, and guarantees every timepiece sold.

During the last week I have received all the newest style of hats and millinery goods. The prices are the lowest.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

DENTAL OFFICE—For dental work in either branch call on
S. J. MCMILLEN, Dentist,
Baer's Block, Somerset, Pa.

We have taken special pains to mark every article in our stock down to the *lowest living cash price.* Don't take our word for it, but call and see for yourself.
M. M. TREDWELL & Co.,
Mammoth Block.

CLOTHING CHEAP FOR CASH, AT NO. 4 BAER'S BLOCK, Somerset, Pa.

Go to Holderbaum's for men's and boys' suits and overcoats, which he is offering way down in price—nearly first cost. You will find them the neatest and best fitting garments kept in Somerset.

BARGAINS IN JEWELRY.—Having bought at Sheriff's Sale a large lot of Jewelry, consisting of Lace pins, Earrings, Bracelets, Chains, Charms, Cuff buttons, Watches and Clocks, I am determined to sell them below first cost. Don't fail to come early, as the goods are going fast. E. MCDOWELL.

Philadelphia *Times*: That was a sensible clergyman in Chester county last Sunday who was disturbed by the noise made by the male members of the congregation putting on their overcoats while the doxology was being sung, and said: "Now you have your overcoats on, we will sing the doxology ever again."

Business is undoubtedly reviving, as an evidence look in at the establishment of M. M. Tredwell & Co., Mammoth Block, and see the number of busy fingers engaged in Dress-making, trimming Hats and Bonnets and various other work. The best hands only are employed, and Mrs. T. herself superintends the Millinery Department.

MEAT MARKET.—Main Street.—We have just 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 buying meat can have it kept in the Refrigerator until wanted.
ROSS DAVIS & Co.

WANTED, WANTED! Plumbago, Transient Up a Tree, and every other person in Somerset county to know that the largest, finest, best selected and cheapest stock of Buggy-whips, wagon-whips, whip lashes and rawhides ever exhibited in the town or county can be found at J. B. Holderbaum's Hardware Store, No. 3, Baer's Block, Somerset, Pa.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—The following licenses were issued during the past week by Clerk Shafer:

Michael Sell, of Cumberland, Md., to Maggie J. Werner of Allegheny township.

Harry K. Blough, of Paint township, to Annie Pfile, of the same township.

William H. Baer, of Meyersdale, to Polly Lowry, of Garrett.

BOOTS AND SHOES, CHEAP FOR CASH!

Men's and boys' gum boots, leather boots, arctics, alaskas, and gum overshoes; ladies' button and lace boots, overshoes, and gum sandals; misses' and children's shoes of all kinds offered very low; away down in price; nearly cost. I am determined to sell. Call and see my stock.
J. M. HOLDERBAUM,
No. 4 Baer's Block, Somerset, Pa.

ANOTHER AGED CITIZEN DEAD.—Henry Keller died at his residence in Allegheny township on Sunday, the 22d day of November, 1885, at the age of 88 years, 2 months and 1 day. He was consigned to his last resting place in the Mt. Zion Cemetery on the following Tuesday under the rites of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, conducted by Rev. Focht, the resident pastor, in the presence of a large concourse of people, which bore testimony to the high esteem in which he washeld in the neighborhood.
G. G. W.

At Welfley's Book Store will be found a full line of choice books for the Holiday season, including works in all departments of literature. All the standard English and American authors. Attractive and excellent books for children. Tasteful and inexpensive volumes of Christmas presents. Also, many novelties in the way of inkstands, paper weights, ash receivers, picture frames, beautiful Swiss carved goods, and bric-a-brac. Fine writing papers in plush boxes, photograph boxes of all sorts. The finest Christmas cards in satin, and many other nice goods.

FIRST GRAND OPENING.—HOLIDAY GOODS, CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS.—The First Grand Opening of Holiday Goods at Fisher's Book Store, will take place on Friday, November 27th. My patrons and the public will please to recollect that I am located in large and convenient storeroom, wherein I can display my elegant and extensive stock of beautiful Holiday Goods to great advantage. Everything in the Book line, Fine Christmas Cards, Albums, Gold Pens and Pencils, Toy Books, Writing Desks, Wall Pockets, Pictures, Picture Frames, Bibles, a new line of Fancy Plush Goods, and an extensive assortment of all kinds of novelties suitable for presents.

The South Penn Railroad may not be completed, but we believe it will. The Pennsylvania Central and Baltimore & Ohio are daily carrying new hardware to J. B. Holderbaum's Hardware Store, No. 3 Baer's Block, Somerset, Pa. New line of locks, knobs, hinges, latches and everything to finish up a building, and tools to do the work. Iron, horse-shoes, horse-shoe nails, blacksmiths' tools, guns, powder, shot, wads and caps, meat choppers, sausage stuffers, butcher knives, butchers' saws, glass and paints—anything you want, and at prices to suit the times. Come, one and all, and buy your hardware.
J. B. HOLDERBAUM.

THE LAST ARGUMENT in favor of seasonable clothing comes with seasonable weather, and so convincing is it, that it leaves but one small question for you to decide, where to get it. We've a reason or two for thinking that a good place is here. The stock displayed here is the equal in size and completeness to any shown elsewhere. The goods sold here are unsurpassed in style, quality or make. The prices asked here are in every case the lowest.

Our line of suits range from $4.00 to $25.00.
Overcoats from $3.50 to $22.00.
Men's Pants from $1.00 to $7.50.
Hats from 50 cents to $3.75.
Winter underwear from 50 cents a suit to $5.00.
B. BECHER, JR.,
Leading Clothier and Hatter,
Somerset, Pa.

RECORD YOUR DEEDS.—The attention of persons holding unrecorded deeds is directed to the provisions of the late Act of Assembly, which reads as follows:

"All deeds and conveyances for real estate in this Commonwealth shall be recorded in the office for recording deeds in the county where the lands lie, within six months after the execution of such deed and conveyance; and every such deed and conveyance not recorded as aforesaid shall be adjudged fraudulent and void against any subsequent purchaser for a valuable consideration, unless such deeds be recorded before the recording of the deed or conveyance under which such subsequent purchasers or mortgagee shall claim." This is an important notice, and those holding unrecorded deeds will see the importance of having them recorded without further delay.

Buy your jewelry at Wood's.

The sudden appearance of winter in our midst did not find us unprepared. We had just opened an immense stock of Hats, Bonnets, Frames, Ribbons, Plumes, Wings, Aigrettes, Birds, Silks, Satins, Plush, Velvet, Tinsel, Beads, Ornaments and all kinds of Trimmings, all of the latest, best and cheapest.
M. M. TREDWELL & Co.
Mammoth Block.

Following is a correct report of the Brom's school in Somerset Township for the month ending November 13, 1885.

Whole number in attendance during month, Males, 13; Females, 18; Total, 31.

Per cent. of attendance during month, Males, 92; Females, 94; Total, 93.

The following named pupils attended every day during the month: Chas. Hause, Ross Hoover, Herman Showman, Willie Zimmerman, Mattie Hause, Clara Hause, Essie Hause, Emma Long, Ellen Long, Mary Swank and Mary Zimmerman.

The month just past has been very pleasantly spent in the school-room with both citizens and pupils. Would urge them, however, to come and see us more frequently in the future than they have in the past.
M. R. BOWMAN,
Nov. 23, 1885. Teacher.

DEATH OF A PIONEER.—Peter Hugus, an honored and respected citizen of Omaha, died at his residence on Saunders street, at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Mr. Hugus was born in Somerset, Pa., November 7, 1803. At an early age he moved to Pittsburgh, where he was engaged in the dry goods business for many years. He afterward went to Stark county, Ohio, where he lived sixteen years. In 1856 he came to Omaha, and was head salesman in O. P. Hereford's dry goods store. In 1869 he was elected county clerk and recorder, those offices at that time being combined, succeeding Thomas O'Connor. His services to the county were of great value, and the administration of the affairs of his office highly commended. In 1875 he became book-keeper for James E. Boyd, acting in that capacity for two years. This was the last active work he was engaged in. Mr. Hugus has been ailing for about three weeks, and for the last few days was confined to his bed. He seemed to have no specific disease, but his death was caused by a gradual decline of his powers. Mr. Hugus was a man universally esteemed by his large circle of acquaintances. He was one of the pioneers of Omaha, and contributed much to the prosperity of the city in which he took so great pride. He leaves a widow and three children, two sons, John W. and Wilbur B., who live in Wyoming, and a daughter, Mrs. Beall. Mr. Hugus was known to the entire community; he had friends on all sides, and there are many whom he befriended who mourn his death. He was a public-spirited, honest citizen, whose place it will be difficult to fill.—*Omaha Bee.*

Howorth's Grand Hibernica Company to Appear in the Court House on Monday Evening, December 7th, has a better and a larger company than ever, and in addition his new panorama is pronounced by a number of exchanges as superior to anything ever before produced. From a Minersville Pa., paper, where Howorth's Company lately appeared, we copy the following press notice: Howorth's Grand Hibernica and Dublin Dan Company gave one of their pleasing and delightful entertainments in Mountaineer Hall last Friday evening. The hall, which has a seating capacity of eight hundred, filled to suffocation long before the rising of the curtain. The legend, "standing room only," could not check the tide of people who rushed for the interior, risking bodily injuries and all the discomforts of a densely packed building. At a quarter of eight every inch of room available was taken up and in order to insure the safety of those within, the sale of tickets was stopped, and in consequence hundreds were compelled to turn away. The play in its entirety showed a marked improvement over the many Hibernica companies which are traveling this region on the strength of the reputation Mr. Howorth has earned in the past. The dancing of Fenton described the most difficult motions in the poetry of dance. The blunders of the two Dans elicited side-splitting laughter and provoked thunders of applause. Their acting was faultless, and their meeting after so many blunders arising from the resemblance they bore each other forcibly reminded one of Shakespeare's creation of the two Dromios when they met and exclaimed together, "Methinks you are my glass and not my brother." Without particularizing the other celebrities, we will briefly say the special parts assigned them were admirably sustained and won the highest encomiums. The scenery was superb. Altogether, the Howorth Company scored a decided success, and their return this way will be greeted by as large a house as filled Mountaineer Hall.

OCCUPATION TAX.

Some time ago brief mention was made in these columns of a ruling by the supreme court upon the question of occupation tax. The decision was made in the case of "Bangor's appeal" and its full text has recently been given to the press. The assessors having already received their instructions will make their assessments as heretofore done, but it is probable that trouble will arise when the tax comes to be collected.

The supreme court has explicitly decided that this occupation tax must be equal upon all persons, and that it cannot be assessed according to the income of the taxable. The court is of the opinion that two methods can be employed by the assessor in laying this tax: One is to assess every occupation at the same amount, that is, the laborer, mechanic, clerk, merchant, and professional man each to pay tax upon the same valuation; the other is to divide into classes and impose the valuation upon each member of a class, that is, all laborers are to be assessed at the same figure, and so on through all the classes. The assessment upon the occupation must be determined by some other process than the income derived therefrom. If there be two clerks, one of whom receives $1,000 per year and the other $2,000, the occupation tax upon these two must be the same. If there is any difference in the amount of tax assessed, it cannot be collected from either. And this tax must be uniform it seems, throughout the county. Although there may be different assessors in the different districts, the valuation must be the same in all cases or the tax cannot be collected. Just how the assessors are to proceed in fixing the valuation, is not determined, but it is emphatically decided that the tax must be uniform and must not be based upon income. It would seem from the drift of the court's opinion that a moderate valuation, something like $100, should be placed upon each taxable in the community having an occupation; or those having occupations should be divided in classes, each class containing every taxable who follows a certain occupation, and a moderate valuation placed upon each member of a class. The valuation placed upon a member of one class may be different from that upon a member of another class, but it must be the same upon all members of one class.

The assessors in Johnstown are performing their work in accordance with this decision. They have adopted the following classification:

1. General managers—$300.
2. Superintendents—$125.
3. Assistant superintendents, foremen, attorneys-at-law, publishers, physicians, dentists, druggists, merchant jewelers, merchant butchers, merchant plumbers, liverymen, contractors, saloon or innkeepers, gentlemen, chemists, draughtsmen, civil engineers, bankers, cashiers, bookkeepers, and merchants—$100.
4. Rollers and grocers—$60.
5. Ministers, artists, agents, teachers, surveyors, justices of the peace, wire-drawers, machinists, weigh-masters, time-keepers, policemen, constables and clerks—$50.
6. Printers, bricklayers, carpenters, blacksmiths, stonemasons, marble-cutters, butchers, saddlers, tailors, barbers, shoemakers, mill-hands, molders, watchmen, telegraph operators, painters, plasterers, and cigar-makers—$40.
7. Students, teamsters, drivers, laborers, and miners—$20.

New stock of children's wraps just received, cheap.
MRS. A. E. UHL.

When you buy jewelry, watches or silverware at Wood's, you know you are getting the worth of your money.

HOOVERSVILLE ITEMS.

MR. EDITOR.—A few items from our little village may interest some of your many readers if occasionally brought to public view through the columns of the HERALD, so here goes:

Our schools are flourishing under the wakeful eyes of Professors Koontz and Smith and, as a consequence, the Hooversville Literary Society is a live issue.

Joseph Lohr, of Shade township, a soldier of the late war, will be buried to-day (Saturday) at the Otterbein Chapel. He died of disabilities incurred in the service of his country.

We have sought in vain for the correspondent of the *Commercial* in this place. Some of us think Smith lied a little about Paint and Conemaugh; others think it was only "another."

The public sale of the personal property of David Rodgers, on the 25th inst., by the executors was largely attended, and good prices were reached for a greater portion of the articles exposed to sale.

Rev. Unruh and wife were off to Philadelphia on a three weeks' visit. They also visited friends in New Jersey and Maryland. They returned on Friday of last week, much benefitted by their trip to the east.

"Abe" Zimmerman, of Quemahoning township, exhibits an ear of corn ten inches in circumference, so he says. Your correspondent was not around to the other side of the huge affair, but judging from appearances, believes "Abe" to be right. He is an unflinching Republican, and is always in the hottest of the fight.
LINGO.

Hooversville, Nov. 28, 1885.

BROTHERSVALLEY ITEMS.

Plenty of snow, but poor sledding at this writing.

Peter J. Meyers is confined to his bed, his complaint being pneumonia.

Five spelling "bees" during the last week can be reported for Brothersvalley.

John Weyand, an old and respected citizen of this township, died this (Monday) morning, after a lingering illness of four or more years.

Quite a number of children are sick from that dread disease, diphtheria. So far but one case has proven fatal, a child of Frank Glessner having died last Thursday.

C. H. Walker is confined to his bed from pneumonia. He was lying in a very critical condition for the past week, but his physician, Dr. J. K. Miller, now has strong hopes of his recovery.

Frank Chorpenning is about ready to start his paper in Berlin. The paper is to be independent in politics. This is just exactly the kind of a journal the people of Berlin want, and we hope the enterprise will be liberally supported.

Butchering is about finished up. Quite a number of heavy "porkers" were slaughtered by our farmers. More than twenty-five were reported to me that tipped the beam above 400 pounds but space will not permit us to give the names of all the parties.

The past week was a good one for hunters and a large number were out for deer and wild turkeys. Of the latter, Henry L. Forney bagged a fine large gobbler, and good as the week was for hunting, not one deer was killed by our sportsmen. W. H. Manges, who left early in the week for the mountains, and at this date has not yet been heard from, is expected to return with a lot of deer and turkeys.
NOW AND THEN.

MARRIED

DUNHAM—SELLERS.—On Sunday, September 13, 1885, at the bride's home, by Rev. H. King, Mr. Foster Lee Dunham to Miss Alice M. Sellers, both of Ursina, Pa.

DIED.

PATTON.—On Wednesday, November 25, 1885, at his residence in Elklick township, near Salisbury, Matthew Patton, aged 61 years, 1 month and 17 days.

LAUB.—Near Milford station, on Monday, October 26, 1885, Mrs. Elizabeth Laub, aged 87 years, 5 months and 5 days.

Mother Laub was a member of the Lutheran Church about 68 years, and died in peace. She was the mother of ten children, only two of whom survive her; 31 grandchildren, 61 great grandchildren, and three great, great grandchildren.

PENROD.—Mrs. Hannah Penrod was born September 2, 1808, and died November 22, 1885, aged 77 years, 2 months and 20 days.

Her maiden name was Hannah Baush; was united in holy wedlock with Elijah Penrod, in August 1833. There were twelve children born to them, six sons and six daughters. They journeyed the pathway of life over 52 years. Three sons and four daughters, with the father, remain to mourn her loss. She united with the Lutheran church at about 20 years of age, of which she was a member to the time of her death. During her last illness, she expressed, on several occasions, her desire and her readiness to go home and be with Jesus. The funeral services were conducted in the Lutheran church, in Stoyestown, November 24th, by the pastor, Rev. A. Sell, who has recently been called to this charge.
PASTOR.

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Apples, dried, ℔ lb	5@7c
Applebutter, ℔ gal	40@50c
Bran, ℔ 100 lbs	$1 00
Butter (roll)	18c
Buckwheat ℔ bush	50c
" meal, 100 lbs	1½@2c
Beeswax ℔ lb	25c
Bacon, shoulders, ℔ lb	8c
" sides, "	10c
" country hams ℔ lb	12½
Corn, (ear) new ℔ bushel	45@50
" (shelled) old "	60@70c
" meal ℔ lb	2c
Calf skins, ℔ lb	6c
Eggs, ℔ doz	20c
Flour, ℔ bbl	$5 50
Flaxseed, ℔ bu. (60 lb)	75c
Hams, (sugar-cured) ℔ lb	12c
Lard, ℔ lb	10c
Leather, red sole, ℔ lb	30@33c
" upper, "	60@70c
" kip, "	75@80c
Middlings, and chop 100 lbs	$1 25@1 50
Oats, ℔ bu	30@40c
Potatoes, ℔ bu (new)	30@40c
Peaches, dried, ℔ lb	8@10c
Rye	60@75
Rags, ℔ lb	1c
Salt, No. 1, ℔ bbl, extra	$1 50
" Ground Alum, per sack	$1 25
" Ashton, per sack	$3 50
Sugar, yellow ℔ lb	7c@8c
" white "	8c@10c
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RULE TO ACJEPT OR REFUSE.

To Hulda Popey, of Markle, P. O., Westmoreland County, Pa.:

You are hereby notified to appear at an Orphans' Court to be held at Somerset on Monday, the 14th day of December next, to accept or refuse to take the real estate of Thomas Ream, dec'd., at the appraised valuation, or show cause why the same should not be sold.

Sheriff's Office, } JOHN WINTERS,
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Peter Berkey, dec'd, late of Somerset 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 those indebted to it to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands will please present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, January 9, 1886, at the residence of the Executor in Somerset Borough.
GEORGE M. NEFF,
dec2. Executor.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned as legatees, creditors, or otherwise, that the following accounts have passed register, and that the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance at an Orphans' Court to be held at Somerset on Thursday, the 17th day of December, 1885:

1. First and final account of John Bingner and Tracy E. Pugh, Administrators etc. of Jonathan Dormayer, dec'd.
2. First and final account of J. W. Burkholder, Administrator of James Patten, dec'd.
3. First and final account of D. W. Will, Admr. of Susanna Crossan, dec'd.
4. First and final account of Mary J. Kretchman, Administratrix of Josiah Kretchman, dec'd.
5. First and final account of Aaron and Solomon W. Boucher, Administrators and Trustees of Elizabeth Boucher, dec'd.
6. First and final account of G. F. Will and John Will, Executors of Lawrence Will, dec'd.
7. Account of M. A. Ross and R. E. Ross, Executors of Thomas Gibson, dec'd.
8. First and final account of Hiram Shaffer, Administrator of Abraham Brubaker, late of Shade Township, dec'd.
9. First and final account of Wm. Winters, Administrator of Jeremiah Gardner, dec'd.
10. first and final account of Sarah Bowman, Administrator of Jonathan Bowman, dec'd.

Register's Office, } CHAS. C. SHAFER,
Nov. 18, 1885. } Register

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
Valuable Real Estate.

THE UNDERSIGNED Administrator and Trustee for the sale of the Real Estate of John J. Spangler, late of Somerset Borough, Somerset Co., Pa., dec'd, in pursuance of a plurales order granted to him by the Orphans' Court of said county, will re-sell at public sale, at the Court House, in the said Borough of Somerset, on

SATURDAY, DEC. 5, 1885,

at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Somerset Twp. Somerset Co., Pa., adjoining lands of Jonathan J. Barkley, William Marteeny, Henry Long, Sam'l Fox and Josiah Woy, Daniel Hauger, Sol Lenhart, and others, containing 180 acres more or less, with a good two-story frame

DWELLING HOUSE,

barn, and other outbuildings thereon erected; good water, fine orchard, and in a high state of cultivation. This farm is known as the "Jonathan Barkley Farm," and is situate one-half mile north of the town of Somerset, on the Johnstown turnpike; convenient to churches, schools and railroad facilities. This farm will be sold as a whole or in parcels, to suit purchasers.

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J. L. PUGH,
nov11. Trustee and Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Susan Rodgers, dec'd., late of Shade 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 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 Monday, the 28th of December, 1885, at my residence in said township.
J. H. CABLE,
Administrator.

RULE TO ACCEPT OR REFUSE.

To Israel Baer, Daniel S. Baer, and Peter Baer, of Beaver City, Furnas County, Nebraska:

You are hereby notified to appear at an Orphans' Court to be held at Somerset on Monday, the 14th day of December next, to accept or refuse to take the real estate of Solomon J. Baer, dec'd., at the appraised valuation, or show cause why the same should not be sold.

Sheriff's Office, } JOHN WINTERS,
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