

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1885.

In compliance with the provisions of the fifth section of the Act of Assembly approved 10th April, 1845, providing for the erection of a House of Employment, and the support of the poor of said county, the undersigned Directors of the Poor and House of Employment of said county, herewith respectfully submit and lay before you your report for the year 1885, of the Number, age and sex of the persons maintained and employed in said House of Employment, or supported or assisted by them elsewhere, and of the children by them bound out to apprenticeship, with the names of their masters and mistresses, and their trades, occupations, and callings.

This, it is believed, is the first report made under the said Act, and owing to the lack of precedent and data, and to the imperfect manner in which the records of the said institution were kept for many years, a great deal of trouble and difficulty was experienced in preparing the report, especially in procuring the dates of admission and age of the persons supported or assisted, and in many cases it was impossible to ascertain the day and month when they were admitted or supported, and the amount paid for maintenance when elsewhere than in the House of Employment, and other items deemed to be of interest to the public.

The lists contemplated by the Act are hereto attached, and are prepared with explanatory headings and headings, and a summary of these schedules will be found at the end of this report, in which will also be found a schedule containing the number and amount of the sales, purchases, donations, debts or receipts, which were made by or to the board during the year 1885.

Respectfully submitted, JESSE HOOVER, REUBEN WY, JOSIAH ANKENY, F. LAUST, Stewards, Directors.

SCHEDULE "A" - A LIST OF THE NAMES, NUMBER, AGE AND SEX OF THE PERSONS MAINTAINED AND EMPLOYED BY THE DIRECTORS OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, IN THE HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, PENNSYLVANIA, DURING THE YEAR 1885.

SCHEDULE "B" - A LIST OF THE NAMES, NUMBER, AGE AND SEX OF THE CHILDREN MAINTAINED AND EMPLOYED BY THE DIRECTORS OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, IN THE HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, PENNSYLVANIA, DURING THE YEAR 1885.

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Year: Adults, Males 71; Females 41; Total 112. Infants, Males 10; Females 10; Total 20. Total 132.

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