The Somerset Herald.

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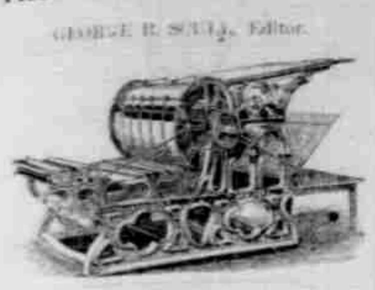

WEDNESDAY .... May 4, 1887.

Winter's gone at last.

Blooming wild flowers.

Straw hats are budding.

Sweet-smelling arbutus.

Local candidates are as busy as beavers.

The whitewash brigade is hard at work.

Send us the news of your neighborhood.

About this time plant fish lies and chest-nuts.

The shovel, rake and hoe are now in active use.

Convict labor in New York will cease in August.

There is one church to every ten saloons in Philadelphia.

Pennsylvania has 900 more postoffices than New York.

Alabastine for walls and ceilings, at Biesecker & Snyder's.

Hold to your flannels until the locust blossoms come forth.

Verdure grows brighter, and will continue [illegible] until August.

Fishing tackle at rock bottom prices, at Biesecker & Snyder's.

The State League base-ball season will open on Saturday, May 7th.

[illegible] are now energetic [illegible] New York society circles.

[illegible] too cool yet for the tramp to [illegible] in a fence corner.

[illegible] Patterns for April and May now in. Mrs. A. E. Uhl.

The [illegible] of the Pennsylvania Reserves will be held at Lancaster in June.

[illegible] and Westmoreland counties are [illegible] over their prospects for a fine wheat crop.

[illegible] one hundred farmers in Westmoreland county have successful carp ponds on their farms.

A full line of the latest styles of Millinery is now open at Mrs. M. E. Schrock's. Prices always reasonable.

A stroke of lightning killed three out of six hogs housed up in a kennel in Bedford during a recent storm.

Mrs. M. E. Schrock has secured the agency for the celebrated Centemeri Kid Gloves, [illegible] the best Gloves in market.

"If misfortune overtakes you, smile," says [illegible]. Sometimes misfortune overtakes a man simply because he smiles too often.

Huntingdon county will be a hundred years old in September, and arrangements are being made to have a centennial celebration at that time.

The man who couldn't tell the difference between a mule's ear and a lemon, complaining for the advantages of buying his drugs of Biesecker & Snyder, after learning their prices.

The largest stock of Wall Paper and Window Shading ever brought to Somerset, can be found at the Millinery Store of Mrs. M. E. Schrock, who has the only paper trimmer in Somerset County.

We have on hand a large number of good [illegible] which we will sell in quantities to suit the purchaser. Prices very reasonable. Yard opposite the planing mill.

HOLDERBAUM, BAER & PARSON.

The bill giving trainmen in Pennsylvania, and giving conductors and station-masters police powers was passed by the House. The bill is designed to preserve order on trains and about stations. Trainmen and station-masters are empowered to arrest on view.

Senator-elect Quay has an especial fancy for precious stones, and the contents of his wife's jewel cases are likely to create a sensation in Washington next winter. She would to possess a necklace of singular splendor, composed of diamonds, carbuncles, emeralds, topazes, sardonyxes and amethysts.

A gentleman who recently traveled through some of the wheat growing sections of Indiana and Westmoreland counties, states that the prospects of a rich harvest seem excellent. Notwithstanding the fact that the winter was not especially favorable for the plants, the fields look even and full.

Letter, note and bill heads neatly printed and put up in pads at this office at reasonable prices. Envelopes, cards, bills and all kinds of job printing neatly and cheaply executed at the HERALD job printing office. Book work a specialty. When you want any job printing done call on or address this office.

The eighteenth reunion of the society of the Army of the Cumberland, will be held at Washington City, on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The statue of General James A. Garfield, at the circle West of the south wing of the Capitol, will be unveiled with appropriate ceremonies on Thursday, the 12th, at 1 p. m.

Two citizens of Bradford county were arrested a few days ago for shipping two hundred and ninety rabbits, sixty-six pheasants, ten partridges, and one squirrel, killed out of season. Justice Colling, at Towanda, imposed fines upon them amounting, with costs, to $2,200. They took an appeal, and were held in $1,000 bail.

MEAT MARKET.—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.

The Supreme Court has decided that a woman's name on a remonstrance against license, or petition for repeal of a liquor law, counts for just as much as a man's; and there are 237 occupations by which a woman may earn a living, against only seven at the beginning of the century. Surely the world is making progress, and the sister is nearing her rights.

There is some reason for the admiration generally felt for blue eyes. A commissioner in eye states that nine-tenths of the railroad men, pilots, and others who are selected for their keenness of vision, have blue eyes. Brown eyes are beautiful. Gray eyes usually denote intelligence and hazle eyes a talent for music. The commonest color of eyes is gray, and the rarest violet.

Marriage Licenses were granted to the following named persons by Clerk Shafer during the past week:

Wm. H. Bowman of Summit township and Ann N. Griffith of Meyersdale Borough.

Uriah Poorbaugh and Rose Ann Miller both of Allegheny township.

Bernard Beatty and Lucy Ellen Wambaugh both of Allegheny township.

Ezra S. Knaup and Rachel E. C. Brug both of Meyersdale borough.

Charles F. Glessner and Anna C. Poschman, both of Summit township.

The Huntingdon *Journal* says: In the license court in Mifflin county last week a remonstrance had been prepared against every application and they were ably championed by members of the bar, but Judge Bucher granted licenses to all applicants, nevertheless. This he did on the ground that the functions of the Court are only ministerial in their quality and not creative. There is no prohibitory law on the statute books and the courts can create none. Only the Legislature can make laws governing this traffic, and consequently all arguments and remonstrances should be addressed to the Legislature instead of to the Courts.

Short-horn Bull for Sale.

I have a Short-horn Bull, aged two years, which I will sell at a fair price. Any one wishing to buy will please call at the farm of David Weigle, Stanksville, Pa.

We are having a spell of spring weather.

One of Uncle Barney Picking's twin colts died Saturday.

The State Legislature will adjourn two weeks from Thursday.

The bricklayers have commenced work on the new Reformed church.

Candidates and school directors were very numerous in Somerset Tuesday.

This has been school directors' day. They took possession of the town early in the morning, and held it all day long.

J. C. Gaither, the Baltimore & Ohio mail agent, has resigned, and will go to Johnstown to take charge of a planing mill.

Mr. J. B. Snyder sold his sorrel Hambletonian colt the other day, to an eastern buyer, for $500. The colt was raised by Mr. Peter Heffley.

On our second page to-day will be found a striking and instructive illustration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now in the market.

Judge Baer disposes of the liquor license applications for Bedford county, to-day, Tuesday. His decision is being anxiously awaited by the applicants in this county.

The application for the pardon of A. F. Domer is held under advisement by the Board of Pardons. Final action will probably be [illegible] on it within the next few days.

Mr. Samuel Gaither and wife, who have been making their home with their son Paul, at Greensburg, have come to Somerset, and are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. C. Davis.

Mrs. Delia, wife of Edward McDowell, died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Weimer, at Ligonier, Wednesday afternoon. The funeral took place at Ligonier Friday afternoon.

Cyrus Pile, better known as "Opsy," died at his home near Somerset, at an early hour Friday morning. The funeral took place Sunday morning. The cause of his death was consumption.

We are glad to see so much repairing, remodeling, and other improvements going on among our property owners. It gives employment to our mechanics, as well as a better appearance to the town.

Register and Recorder Shafer received from Harrisburg Friday the Commissions of the Justices of the Peace elected at the February election. Justices can now get their Commissions at any time by calling at Mr. Shafer's office.

Pensions were granted to the following named citizens of Somerset county last week: John Glover, Meyersdale; Appleton Will, Somerset; John J. Seese, Scalp Level; Jonathan Boyer, Hooversville; Henry J. Baer, Garrett.

In another column will be found the announcement cards of a number of candidates for the various county offices. The list will grow some before the time fixed by the rules in which announcements can be made, expires.

The Senate has concurred in the amendment of the House to bill providing for the appointment of mercantile appraisers and the publication of mercantile appraisers lists, and the act will be messaged to the Governor at once.

The heads of the Auditor General's Department and the Department of Internal Affairs will step down and out to-day. Col. A. Wilson Norris and Col. Tom Stewart succeed them. There will be some changes in the clerical forces of the respective offices.

John R. Scott, Esq., last week purchased the brick building on Main Cross Street, occupied by the Pile Brothers as a meat market, from Mr. Wm. B. Armstrong. The price paid was fifteen hundred and fifty dollars, cash. Mr. Scott intends converting the building into law offices.

A bill has been introduced in the Legislature fixing the salary of the district attorney in counties of less than 60,000 population at $1,500, the costs in all cases to go to the counties. This would apply to Somerset county and would be a welcome measure to our future district attorneys, as the fees of the office at present average only about four hundred dollars a year.

Mr. Ralph Bagaley's assurance that the South Penn Railroad will not be abandoned is encouraging. Whatever steps may be necessary to prepare for pushing the work to completion should be taken without unnecessary delay. Another railroad to the east is a desideratum to business people in the western end of the State.—*Pittsburgh Commercial-Gazette.*

W. H. Ruppel, Esq., while in attendance at the Odd Fellows' celebration at Meyersdale Tuesday, was taken suddenly and seriously ill. He had to take the first train for home, and when he got there was unable to leave the house for the next four or five days. He is able to be out again, although still very weak. The cause of his sickness, he thinks, was led poison. He ate plum pie for dinner, the plums having been put up in a tin can.

Manager Casebeer informs us that he has completed arrangements to have Bella Moore play in the Somerset Opera House on Monday and Tuesday evenings, May 16th and 17th. Miss Moore opened the Somerset Opera House just one year ago, at which time she attracted the largest audience that ever gathered at a place of amusement in Somerset, and all who saw her were delighted with her acting, and will be glad of the opportunity of seeing her again.

F. W. Biesecker and George R. Scull, Esq's last week purchased from Mr. Josiah H. Pisel a portion of the Hogue corner lot, opposite the Court House. They get twenty-six feet fronting on Union street, running back thirty-five feet, and twelve and one-half feet fronting on Main Cross street, and running back twenty-seven feet. For the two lots they pay twenty-three hundred dollars, cash. They will erect law offices on the piece fronting on Union street, at once.

As the Uniontown mail on the Baltimore and Ohio road was nearing Wheeler station on Monday morning, a cow, which was standing on the track, was struck. The train was running under a full head of steam, and the cow was knocked some distance from the track. In its flight the animal landed on the back of an Italian woman who was gathering greens in a garden along the track. She was crushed to the ground with terrible force and was severely bruised, but will recover. The cow was killed outright.—*Connellsville Courier.*

Mr. C. N. Boyd will leave Thursday for Butler, where he will again embark in the drug business. Mr. Boyd is a good Republican, and consequently a good citizen; one of the kind that no community can have leave it without experiencing a feeling of loss and regret. As a business man, especially as a druggist, he is way up. He understands the drug business thoroughly, and knows how to make it go. Butler is a booming town in the oil region, and for some time has been experiencing the need of a first-class drug store. Mr. B. will supply the long felt want. In leaving, he will take with him the best wishes of his host of Somerset friends.

Mr. Ed. B. Gilbert, of Butcher's Run, Placer County, California, dropped in to see us Tuesday morning. A little over thirty-one years ago Mr. Gilbert, then a mere stripling, surrendered his case in the HERALD office, where he had learned his trade, and left for the mining regions of California, where he has lived ever since. This is his first visit home in all that time. We could scarcely recall the boy of thirty-one years ago in the stalwart, bronzed and bearded man whom we met this morning. Mr. Gilbert is the son of our old friend and fellow-townsman, Mr. John Gilbert. He will spend several months with his Somerset friends before returning to California.

Election of County Superintendent of Public Schools.

The School Directors of Somerset County met in Convention at the Court House at half-past one o'clock Tuesday afternoon, for the purpose of electing a County Superintendent. County Superintendent Weller called the Convention to order when Mr. George W. Pile moved that F. J. Kooser, Esq., act as Chairman of the Convention. Capt. W. H. Sanner seconded this motion, and Mr. Kooser was unanimously chosen Chairman.

John N. Davis, of Elklick, was elected Vice President. Capt. Wm. H. Allen, of Meyersdale, Secretary, and the Chairman appointed W. T. Hoblitzell, of Meyersdale, and Capt. W. H. Sanner, of Somerset, Tellers.

The organization being completed the enrolment of directors was proceeded with, showing on the first call one hundred and eleven directors present. A number of directors having come in during the first roll call a second was ordered which showed the number of directors present to be one hundred and thirty-two.

The Chair announced that the first thing to be considered was the question of salary, and in case of no action being taken by the Convention, the salary was fixed by Act of Assembly at $4.50 per school. There being 256 schools in the county, the salary would be $1152.00 for the term of three years. There being no action taken, nominations were declared in order, and N. G. Keim, of Salisbury, J. D. Meese, of Meyersdale, and J. M. Berkey, of Berlin, were placed in nomination.

Mr. Meese withdrew his name with the consent of the gentleman who had placed him in nomination and the convention proceeded to an election, the first ballot resulting in 98 votes for J. M. Berkey and 34 votes for N. G. Keim, when Mr. J. M. Berkey was declared duly elected. After repeated calls Mr. Berkey responded in a few pertinent and well chosen remarks, when the Convention adjourned.

Excursion Rates to Baltimore.

The Masonic fraternity of the States of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia, will celebrate at Baltimore, May 10th, to 12th, the centennial anniversary and organization of the Grand Lodge of Maryland. It is the purpose of the home lodges to make this a memorable event in the history of the craft, and an elaborate program, including parades, balls, banquets and orations, has been arranged for the entertainment of visitors. The street parade, which takes place at 11 o'clock on the morning of the 12th, will include thousands of the brethren of the mystic tie, in regulation regalia, and will be a pageant worth traveling miles to see.

For this occasion the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company will sell cheap excursion tickets to Baltimore from all stations on its lines east of the Ohio River. Tickets will be sold May 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th, and will be available for return passage until May 13th inclusive.

Of Interest to Tax Collectors.

The question has been raised as to whether the late law giving collectors of taxes the different percentages on their collections, is constitutional. An appeal will be made to the Supreme Court for a decision. It appears that there exists among lawyers a diversity of opinion on the question. Should the collectors, who were elected at the last election, have partially collected the amount of their duplicates when the decision of the court is rendered, and should that decision be adverse, such collectors will be compensated for the work done. It will, therefore, be well for them to go a little slow. And should the decision of the Supreme Court not have been reached when the commissioners issued the duplicates they will see that they will be compensated by some other means.—*Greensburg Press.*

Ore Mines at Everett.

The ore openings at the foot of Tussey Mountain, about a mile north of Everett, Bedford county, have been deepened and increased in number. The vein has been struck at a depth of about twenty-two feet, showing three feet of deposits, which are believed to be a continuation of the vein in the Tatesville bank, which has been in operation for the last twenty years. As soon as machinery can be erected on the premises the ore will be lifted and shipped. It is a soft fossil ore, yielding a high percentage of metal, and low in the elements destructive in iron. The shaft will be sunk at once.

A Good Recipe.

The following recipe is one of the best known remedies for cholera and is also an almost never failing remedy for all summer complaints, colic, diarrhœa, dysentery, etc. It comes from a reliable source and has stood the test for over forty years. Here it is without further preliminaries: Take equal parts of tincture of cayenne, tincture of opium, tincture rhubarb, essence peppermint and spirits of camphor. Mix well. Dose, fifteen to thirty drops in a wine-glass of water, according to age and violence of attack. Repeat every fifteen or twenty minutes until relief is obtained.

Downey Items.

April showers were numerous.

The wet weather of the past few weeks, compelled the farmers to stop sowing oats.

Mr. Solomon Engle will build a new barn this summer. Anthony Carver has the contract.

The Boyer Brothers have about finished work on their new steam saw mill, for the present.

We presume the noted characters of Downey are taking a tour through the South at present.

Miss Sadie Barnhart, of Stoyestown, has been the guest of Mrs. Abraham Carver, for the past few weeks.

Mr. John L. Glessner intends building a new house next fall. Downey is certainly booming in buildings.

Mr. William Lape has planted his lot with fruit trees. Ladies, here is a chance for a nice home in the future.

Misses Ida and Jennie Sorber paid our town a friendly visit some time ago. Hope to see them again, ere long.

Mr. Aaron Smucker is pushing his new barn to completion very rapidly. It presents a very attractive appearance.

"Oh, it's a boy!" was the happy exclamation of Mr. Ed. F. Will, a few weeks ago. He wears a smile on his face as big as a pancake.

Mr. Abraham Carver last week sold a fine young colt, for which he realized a fair price. Mr. Herman Brubaker, of Berlin, was the purchaser.

The smiling faces of Messrs. Edward Fritz and Irvin Walker were seen quite frequently on the streets of Buzzard's Glory, during the past few weeks.

We feel sad to learn of the misfortune that has befallen our genial young friend, Mr. I. G. Carver. On Friday of last week, while he was engaged in chopping wood, the ax glanced off and penetrated his right foot, inflicting a very severe wound. We hope he will soon be able to be about again.

UNCLE TOM.

Wanted!

Hides, Furs, Bark. I will pay the highest cash prices for all kinds of hides, pelts and furs. I also want 500 cords of Rock Oak and Spruce bark.

H. G. CUNNINGHAM.

Without Cost.

One of Butterick's cut patterns put in gratis with every good dress sold until June 1st.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

Church Dedication.

On Sunday, the 15th day of May, the new church at Will's will be dedicated. Rev. E. Manges will preach on Saturday evening, Rev. J. F. Shearer Sabbath morning, and Rev. C. B. Graver Sabbath evening.

PASTOR.

To the Farmers.

Maple Sugar taken in exchange for Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Trunks, Satchels, Wall Paper, Wool, Jewelry, and all kinds of merchandise. The highest prices paid for sugar.

H. HEFFLEY, Somerset, Pa

Paint Items.

Jeremiah Shull wears the broadest frown of any man in our town. Cause, another daughter.

We have a late spring. The earliest trees are just beginning to put on their green robes.

L. D. Shaffer is the man who plows the lots this year, and he does it right, too.

John E. Crist has his foundation dug out ready for the wall of his new house.

We are just in the midst of oats sowing and garden making, but the present wet spell has put a stop to both.

Garrett Beam our merchant, has laid in a new supply of spring goods. Women, now is your time to buy dresses and new shoes.

N. S. Lehman has left for Stoystown where he is attending Normal School. His brother, H. U. Lehman will also go in a few weeks.

Last Sunday afternoon, April 24 the Brethren of Scalp Level and vicinity organized their sunday-school for the summer with a full corps of officers and teachers and many scholars.

Quite a number of our Paint men are working in Johnstown this spring.

'Squire John Hamar, of Hooversville, is spending some time this week visiting in and around Scalp. The 'Squire meanwhile does not forget to remind his many friends that the election is fast approaching, and that he is a candidate for County Treasurer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rodgers, wife of James Rodgers, of Scalp Level died Sunday evening April 24th. Tuesday her remains were interred in the Grace church Cemetery. Funeral services were conducted by Elder Hiram Musselman.

J. F. Ream, who was down for several weeks with a complication of diseases is slowly convalescing. "Jimmie" has had a tough time of it, and it may be some time before he will regain his usual health. Dr. J. A. Louther attended him.

Benjamin Miller, who is by some said to be the richest man in the township is failing rapidly in health. His disease is heart trouble. Last Sunday he was initiated into the Amish church by Moses Miller, the pastor of that denomination.

April 29, 1887. CINDERELLA.

Our Daily Bread.

Heavy and sour bread or biscuit has a vast influence through the digestive organs upon the measure of health we enjoy. How important to our present happiness and future usefulness the blessing of good health and a sound constitution are, we can only realize when we have lost them, and it is too late to repair the damage. Notwithstanding these facts, thousands of persons daily jeopardize not only their health, but their lives, and the healths and lives of others, by using articles in the preparation of their food the purity and healthfulness of which they know nothing. Perhaps a few cents may have been saved, or it may have been more convenient to obtain the article used, and the housekeeper takes the responsibility and possibly will never know the mischief that has been wrought. Paterfamilias may have spells of headache, the children may have lost their appetites, or look pale; if so, the true cause is rarely suspected. The weather, the lack of out-door air, or some other cause, is given, and the unwholesome, poisonous system of adulterated food goes on. Next to the flour, which should be made of good, sound wheat and not ground too fine, the yeast, or baking powder, which furnishes the rising properties, is of the greatest importance, and of the two we prefer baking powder, and always use the Royal, as we thereby retain the original properties of the wheat, no fermentation taking place. The action of the Royal Baking Powder upon the dough is simply to swell it and form little cells through every part. These cells are filled with carbonic acid gas, which passes off during the process of baking.

The Royal is made from pure grape acid, and it is the action of this acid upon highly carbonized bicarbonate of soda that generates the gas alluded to; and these ingredients are so pure and so perfectly fitted, tested and adapted to each other, that the action is mild and permanent, and is continued during the whole time of baking, and no residue of poisonous ingredients remains to undermine the health, no heavy biscuits, no sour bread, but if directions are followed, every article will be found sweet and wholesome.

They Met at the Somerset Depot and Talked.

"Well, I declare if here ain't Mrs. Fisk. How are you? How are all the children, are they over the spring fever? Mike had it awful.

"What have you in those bundles?"

"Oh, carpets, curtains, dresses, and a box of dishes."

"I'll bet SNYDER was made happy again. How is J. B.? I am going to see him to-morrow, I hear he has a big line of goods. I need carpet and some dishes and the twins need suits. Mike bought eight of the older boys suits, and now he declares I must buy the five girls and the twins and the other younger boy their suits."

"It must cost you an awful lot to keep your family?"

"Well, we have to buy a great many things, but when you buy them at J. B. SNYDER'S they don't cost much."

"Well, Mrs. Mike I am awful glad we don't have as large a family as you; we only have sixteen at our table, children and all."

"My, but SNYDER has cheap curtain goods, and it's just lovely."

"Mr. Fisk always tells me SNYDER sells the cheapest and best goods of every kind that are sold in Somerset."

"We used to run around a little, but now we buy everything at SNYDER'S. He takes all kinds of trade; then, if you go to SNYDER'S, you always meet some friend there, as the store always seems full of people."

"That's so; but the reason is, I suppose, you are always made feel at home there; then SNYDER never keeps any sassy clerks; you are always treated nice."

"Here comes the train, by-by."

Excursion to Baltimore.

The B. & O. will sell excursion tickets to Baltimore and return, from all stations, on May 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th, and good to return May 13th, inclusive, at a rate of two cents per mile in each direction, to all desirous of attending the Centennial Celebration of the organization of the Masonic Grand Lodge of the State of Maryland. The spring races at Baltimore will take place on above dates. This Excursion is open to all; and to parties of fifty or more going under one ticket, a specially low rate will be granted. For further particulars call on or address

J. W. PATTON, T. P. A., Somerset, Pa.

Change of Base.

The five and ten cent counters of Cook & Beerits, now under the management of Joseph Brallier, have been neatly cleaned up, and the stock thoroughly systematized, preparatory to adding an entirely new and attractive line of goods, which will be done in the near future. Many of the one thousand and more useful articles heretofore sold at five and ten cents have been reduced in price 50 per cent., and the public is advised of the fact that now is the time, and here is the place for bargains. Come to see me at my new headquarters.

JOE.

Excursion Rates

Will be given persons attending the Lutheran Sunday-school Convention at Stoyestown next week May 10th, 11th and 12th. Tickets for sale at the various ticket offices of the B. & O. R. R. Co. in the county.

COMMITTEE.

Chicken Fanciers Attention.

I have one of the choicest flocks of full blood Brown Leghorns to be seen anywhere, and am prepared to furnish eggs from these fowls at the rate of $1.20 for setting of 13 eggs. The Leghorns are the most prolific layers known.

GEORGE AUMAN, Somerset, Pa.

500,000

Pounds of Wool wanted, either for trade or cash, at Parker & Parker's

Our Harrisburg Letter.

From our Special Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, April 30, 1887.

The week has been full of life and work at the State Capitol. All looks now towards a speedy adjournment, by the 19th of next month, at least. Night sessions were held during the week for the consideration of Senate bills especially. On Monday evening special orders were made of many important bills, among others the Anti-Discrimination bill and the Senatorial Apportionment bill. Both it and the Legislative Apportionment bill passed third reading. This places all the Apportionment bills in the Senate, and the House has done its whole duty in that direction, notwithstanding the strong effort on the part of the Democrats to prevent it. This was specially true on Tuesday, when Representative ex-Speaker Faunce, of Philadelphia, made a strong Constitutional argument against the Legislative apportionment, claiming that it was contrary to the Constitution, because the city of Williamsport and a contiguous township in Lycoming county is made to comprise a Legislative district, although they did the same thing in 1883, in Erie county. But it makes a very great deal of difference who is in and who is out when the question of apportionment is to be considered. Mr. Faunce made a very able legal argument, and quoted at length from Buckalew on the Constitution, and if his party had not been in the minority, would have been in the right.

The House passed a large number of bills on third reading on Tuesday—also on Thursday, Wednesday and Friday bills on second reading were considered. The work exceeded that of any other week since the session began, and shows that the House can work if it has a mind to. There was nothing very special of interest in the work done, but much of it was good legislation.

This was a week of interest in the Senate—decidedly the most so since the session began. On Wednesday what is known as the South Penn bill was up on reconsideration and it was at one time thought it would pass, but when the western stockholders learned what little hope there was of ever getting any of the money invested back should the bill become a law, and that it was wholly in the interest of the Vanderbilts, the tide turned. Senator Alexander explained that he had been misled by certain parties, and voted against the bill. The defeat was greater than before, and this ends it for this session. It will need to be watched, however, as it is very important for those interested in the sale of the road that this bill should become a law. If, as the western stockholders assert, they can furnish the money, the road may be now built in a reasonable period of time. It is doubted here whether the road will ever be built, and that the stockholders are only waiting a fair opportunity to unload their stock, and then all will be at an end, and nothing remain but the deserted route, and its ruinous effects to the farmers through whose farms it passes, as a monument to the corporate power and influence in this State.

On Thursday the Billingsley Pipe Line bill was considered for the third time, and was one of the most exciting times the Senate ever beheld. Senator Emery was on his mettle, and as he is the recognized leader in favor of the bill, he early discovered that the bill could not pass. He tried hard to get the bill postponed, inasmuch as there was some of the friends absent, but the Senate refused. There was other and important business awaiting, and now was the time to consider it. The Senator arose to a personal explanation, and in strong terms denounced those papers which had charged him with trying to sell out to the Standard Oil Company. He then made a strong argument for the bill, of several hours length, but of no avail; he was loud in his threats that if the Senate did not pass the bill the oil counties would secede and defeat the Republican party next fall; there was not a shadow for the use of such extravagant language.

Other Senators spoke for and against the bill. Senator Rutan charged that the oil producers were present in the galleries like a mob, urging the passage of the bill. Senator Emery took exception to the language, when the former said he did not say mob, and if he did, he apologized for it. Emery demanded that the record be read; the reporter said he did not have time, and could not keep the proceedings at the same time. The President of the Senate said frankly he had no power to make the reporter read the record, and handed him over to the Senator, who still demanded the reading of the record, and while the roll was being called, during the whole time, in a loud and vociferous voice, demanded the same. The excitement was great, and at times intense, but the end was foreshadowed, and upon the finishing of the roll the vote stood—yeas, 18; nays, 25. Senator Alexander voted for the bill. There was much disappointment and dissatisfaction shown on the part of the friends of the bill, inasmuch as it had passed the House with little or no opposition. They felt pretty confident that it would pass the Senate, and were much chagrined at the defeat. There is a question of the wisdom in the Senate defeating the bill; it would have been better, perhaps, to have allowed it to become a law, although there is good reason to believe that the good contemplated by the bill would never have been reached.

The Senate failed to concur in the resolution to investigate ex-Librarian Stuck, and the Bank-bill Investigation Committee have not had a meeting for sometime, on account of the sickness of Representative Shaw, of Blair, who is chairman.

PHILIP.

Buzzard's Glory Items.

Having seen nothing in your last two issues from your correspondent, "Comical Jim," I thought a few items might be of interest.

C. F. says he pities "us poor."

Ed. —— is tickled—it's a boy.

Mr. Henry Spangler is on the sick list.

Buzzard's Glory has a shoe and barber shop combined.

Mr. Smucker has the roof and weather-boarding on his new barn.

Mad. Anthony has the contract for building a new barn for Mr. Solomon Engle.

Mr. J. G. Carver was so unfortunate, last Friday, while chopping wood, as to cut a terrible gash in his foot.

This is a very quiet place;
We use no rum to redden our face.
The reason is, I'll tell you why,
Because we haven't the means to buy.

Last week Mr. Anthony Carver purchased from Mr. E. Walker a fine three-year-old colt, for which he paid one hundred and twenty-five dollars. He thinks she will be able to make as good time as Maud S., after being trained. Anthony knows what a horse is for.

DICK SOCK.

Pleasant Valley Items.

MR. EDITOR:—The people have about finished sowing oats through this section.

The weather has been exceedingly cool on the west side of the Alleghanies for the past two weeks.

Mr. J. F. Reiman is engaged in erecting a new addition to Mr. J. M. Knepper's barn.

Mr. John Walker, the fine young mechanic, intends to build a new bank barn for Mr. David Sanger.

Mr. J. Dampling Boyer is assisting Mr. Aaron Schmucker in erecting a new bank barn for himself. After they have finished this job they intend to make a trip out west, to seek contracts.

Mr. Jacob Will met with a very serious accident some time ago. We have hopes for his recovery.

Mr. Charles A. McFadden paid Mr. Peter Boyer a visit some time ago.

Messrs. Carver & Sudder will soon be ready to receive orders for their nursery goods. Stick to it, boys.

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Attention Mothers.

White dresses and lace caps for Infants and small children, all prices, at

MRS. A. E. UHL'S.

The editor of the Saxton *Herald* promises to publish early in May the names of those persons who refuse to pay their subscriptions to that paper.

Protection for Men.

Apropos of the consideration of the woman's property rights act is submitted the following bill, introduced by Representative Buskett during the closing hours of the Legislature. It was passed under suspension of the rules and went to the Council where it was variously apportioned out to special committees and finally referred back to the House with the recommendation that it be translated into the Missouri language:

AN ACT FOR THE BETTER PROTECTION OF MARRIED MEN.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Montana;

WHEREAS, During the present session of the Legislature sundry, numerous and diverse bills have been passed looking to the improvement of the condition of married women; defining their rights and clothing them as nearly as possible with the legal rights and attributes of men, and

WHEREAS, Under the laws above mentioned said married women may sue and be sued may hold and own property in their individual right, separate and apart from their husbands; therefore, be it resolved,

SECTION 1. That hereafter it shall be a misdemeanor for any married woman to purchase a new bonnet, a silk dress or a sealskin sacque unless she shall first obtain a written order from her husband, and shall further have given him an indemnifying bond for the payment of the same.

SEC. 2. That in consideration of extra rights, privileges and immunities heretofore mentioned, it shall hereafter be lawful for any husband to stay out at least three times a week until 12 o'clock at midnight, and if any married woman shall utter any complaint she shall be adjudged guilty of misdemeanor and shall be punished by being prohibited from making any comment upon the bonnet of the lady who occupies the front pew in church.

SEC. 3. In addition to the three nights above provided, married men may be permitted to attend lodge on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights, respectively, of each week, and said lodges are hereby permitted to keep open until 2 o'clock, A. M., and any married woman who shall lock the front door or leave the baby carriage in the hall, or put out the lights prior to 2 o'clock A. M., shall be denied the privilege of gossiping with any other lady for the period of six months.

SEC. 4. Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any married woman to do any of the following acts more than twice in one day, to-wit:

1. To pull out more than one handful of hair at a time.
2. To strike him with a rolling pin more than seventeen times in succession.
3. To throw hot water on him.
4. To throw more than one flat-iron at a time.

SEC. 5. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any married woman to go to bed without having first thoroughly warmed her feet.

Notice to Contractors.

The School Board of Quemahoning Twp., will sell the building of a house for a graded school at Sprucetown, at 1 o'clock on Saturday, May 21, 1887. Specifications can be seen at P. J. Cover's store, or with the Secretary. By order of the Board.

JACOB S. MILLER, Secretary.

Attention, Stock Raisers!

My Percheron horse will be at New Centreville Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of each week during the coming season.

P. HEFFLEY.

Hats and Bonnets.

Just received new hats, bonnets, flowers, tips, plumes, gauze, ribbons, etc., etc. Largest and best selected stock and lowest prices.

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A house and lot corner Main Cross and South street, Somerset, for sale on payments to suit the purchaser. A desirable home for a family; a large roomy house and a full lot of ground, with choice fruit upon it. Price $1800. For particulars inquire at the residence, or write to Samuel Gaither Esq., Greensburgh, Pa.

DIED.

ARISMAN.—On Thursday, April 21, 1887, near Edie, Anna May Arisman, aged 10 months and 6 days.

SCHAFFER.—On Thursday, April 21, 1887, near Edie, Herman Schaffer, aged 2 months and 17 days.

KEPLER.—On Friday, April 22, 1887, at the residence of Dr. Joseph Corode, in Jenner, Mrs. Elizabeth Kepler, aged 77 years, 10 months and 7 days.

SOMERSET MARKET.

Corrected Weekly by COOK & BEERITS, DEALERS IN

Choice Groceries, Flour & Feed.

Prices for May 4, 1887.

Apples, dried, ℔	3a5c
Apple Butter, ℔ gal	40a[illegible]
Beans, ℔ bu	$1 20
Bran, ℔ 100 lbs	$1 00
Butter, (roll,) ℔	20c
(keg,) ℔	—
Buckwheat, ℔ bu	50c
meal	—
Beeswax, ℔	20c
Bacon, (Sugar-cured Hams) ℔	14c
(Country hams) ℔	12½c
(Shoulders) ℔	8c
(Sides) ℔	10c
Corn, (ear) ℔ bu	50a60c
(shelled) ℔ bu	55a60c
Meal ℔	2c
Chop, corn and oats, ℔ 100 lbs	$1 25
all rye, ℔ 100 lbs	$1 65
Eggs, ℔ doz	10c
Flour, Roller Process, ℔ bbl	$5 00
Vienna, ℔ bbl	$6 25
Flaxseed, ℔ bu	75c
Lard, ℔	8a10c
Middlings, ℔ 100 lbs	$1 25a$1 30
Oats, ℔ bu	35a40c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	40a50c
Peaches, dried, ℔	8a10c
Rye, ℔ bu	50a60c
Salt, (No 1,) ℔ bbl	$1 25
(Ground Alum) ℔ sack	$1 30
(Ashton) full sack	$2 50
½	$1 00
Sugar, yellow, ℔	6a7c
white, ℔	7a10c
Tallow, ℔	5a7c
Wheat, ℔ bu	80a90c

LEGAL NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Judges of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County to ascertain advancements, and make and report a distribution of the funds now in the hands of J. L. Burkholder, Administrator of Samuel Boger, late of Brothersvalley Township, dec'd hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Somerset Borough, on Thursday, the 23d day of June, 1887.

J. G. KIMMEL, Auditor.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John S. Cramer, dec'd, late of Middlecreek township, Somerset County, 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, June 11, 1887, at the late residence of deceased in Kingwood, Middlecreek Twp., Somerset Co., Pa.

HIRAM CRAMER, Executor.

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YOU can live at home, and make more money at work for us than at anything else in the world. Capital not needed. You are started free. Both sexes; all ages. Any one can do the work. Large earnings sure from the start. Costly outfit and terms free. Better not delay; costs you nothing to send us your address and find out if you are wise, you will do so at once. H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Me. dec22-1yr.

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D. H. GILKINSON, Principal and Gen. Supt.
HENRY McDOWELL, Superintendent.
HON. JOHN DALZELL, Att'y for the Bureau.

Reference: James J. Brooks, Chief Secret Service Division, Washington, D. C. Send for Circular. nov3-6m.

Announcements FOR THE June Republican Primaries.

We are authorized to announce the following named gentlemen as candidates for the various offices designated, at the Republican Primary Election, to be held on Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR SHERIFF.
RUSH S. McMILLEN,
OF MIDDLECREEK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
DANIEL J. HORNER,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
WM. H. SANNER,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.
JACOB D. SWANK,
OF CONEMAUGH TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.
JACOB S. MILLER,
OF QUEMAHONING TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR TREASURER.
CHARLES F. RHOADS,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR TREASURER.
JOHN ROBERTS,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR TREASURER.
JOHN J. MILLER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR TREASURER.
GEORGE J. BLACK,
OF MEYERSDALE BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR TREASURER.
JOHN HAMER,
OF QUEMAHONING TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR COMMISSIONER.
AARON F. BITTNER,
OF BROTHERSVALLEY TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR COMMISSIONER.
HENRY F. BARNETT,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR COMMISSIONER.
HENRY KREGAR, JR.,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR.
JACOB M. FIKE,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR AUDITOR.
DAVID HEIPLE,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR AUDITOR.
JACOB S. BARKMAN,
OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR AUDITOR.
JEREMIAH RHOADS,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR AUDITOR.
SAMUEL U. SHOBER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

FOR AUDITOR.
GABRIEL GOOD,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, to be held Saturday, June 25, 1887.

AGENTS WANTED

FOR THE Life of **BEECHER**

By REV. DR. LYMAN ABBOTT, Editor of the *Christian Union*. He preached Beecher's Funeral Sermon. And REV. S. B. HALLIDAY, *Assistant Pastor of Plymouth Church*. Mr. Beecher aided in the preparation of this book up to his death; much is AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL; there are very many interesting narratives of his eventful experiences that are not in any other book. *This is the right Book. Don't be induced to get any other.* Address A. GORTON & CO., Philadelphia, Pa. 2-16-'87-1y.

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, May 19, 1887.

First and final account of Henry Rauch, Adm. of Jesse Witt, dec'd.

Final account of Wm. Kretchman and David Keim, Administrators and Trustees of Jacob Keim, dec'd.

First and final account of Margaret Beard, Administratrix of Magdalena Zimmerman, dec'd.

Account of W. A. Garman, Guardian of W. H. Denner, Cora A. Denner, and George and William Zimmerman.

Second and final account of Ephraim J. Walker, Administrator and Trustee of Perry Berkley, deceased.

First and final account of Henry W. Coleman, Administrator of Hiram W. Coleman, dec'd.

First and final account of John Ream, Administrator and Trustee of Thomas Ream, dec'd.

First and final account of E. D. Yutzy and Joel M. Yutzy, Admr's &c of Daniel Yutzy, dec'd.

Second and final account of Lydia M. Rodgers, Executor of Cyrus Horner, dec'd.

Second and partial account of Daniel Stuff, Executor of William Willis, dec'd.

First and final account of Isaac D. Ankeny, Guardian of Lydia E. Ankeny.

First account of John J. Blough and David Blough, Executors of Jacob Blough, dec'd.

First and Final account of Jacob R. Gerhard, Executor of Herman Younkin, dec'd.

Account of Fred'k Dull and Ellen Brougher, Admrs. of Sam'l Brougher, dec'd.

First and final account of Isaac L. Yoder, Adm. of Polly Alwine, dec'd.

Account of E. D. Miller, Executor of Jonathan Rhoads, dec'd.

First and final account of D. W. Will, Admr. and Trustee of Phœbe Walter, dec'd.

Second and final account of Elias Fike and Samuel Bowser, Admr's of John P. Bowser, dec'd.

First and final account of Israel J. Cober, Executor of Jacob Cober, dec'd.

First and final account of Wm. P. Hay, Admr. c. t. a. of Levi Knepper, dec'd.

The account of W. E. Rodger, Admr. of Isaiah Rodger, dec'd.

First and final account of Henry Weyand and Henry Gumbert, Admr's and Trustees of John Weyand, dec'd.

First account of C. Wilson Baker and Catherine Baker, Admr's of Benjamin Baker, dec'd.

First and final account of Isaac Miller and Simon P. Miller, Admr. of Valentine J. Miller, dec'd.

First and final account of Isaac L. Yoder, Admr. of Joseph Kaufman, dec'd.

First and Final account of William Rodgers and Frank Rodgers, Executors of David Rodgers, dec'd.

First and final account of Samuel Snyder and W. S. Mowry, Admr's of Josiah Mowry, dec'd.

Register's Office, April 27, 1887. CHAS. C. SHAFER, Register.

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 SAMUEL WALKER and OLIVER P. SHAVER, Esq's, 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 and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace and General Jail Delivery, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer at Somerset, on

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1886.

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 office 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.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Apr. 20, 1887. JOHN WINTERS, Sheriff.

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BRIDGE SALE.

The Commissioners of Somerset County will offer to let at public outcry on the premises, to the lowest bidder, on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 1887,

At 1 o'clock p. m., the abutments for an Iron Bridge over Quemahoning Creek, at the point where the public road from Jenner X Roads to [illegible] crosses said stream in Jenner Township.

Attest— A. J. HICKMAN, Clerk.

PETER DUMBAULD, ADAM C. LEPLEY, JONAS McCLINTOCK, Commissioners.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of David Phillippi, deceased, late of Larimer township, Somerset County, 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 to the Executors at the late residence of the deceased on Saturday, the 28th day of May, 1887, when and where they will attend for the purpose.

ISAIAH FLICK, CYRUS HEMMINGER, Executors.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Catharine Fisher, dec'd, late of Stonycreek 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, to the undersigned, at his office in the Borough of Somerset, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, 1887, when and where he will attend for that purpose.

J. L. PUGH, Administrator of Cath. Fisher, dec'd.

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LIST OF CAUSES.

The following is the List of Causes set for trial at coming term, beginning Monday, May 8, 1887.

FIRST WEEK.

Peter Daniels vs. D. C. Zimmerman.
Jefferson Kimmell vs. Wm. A. Rhoads' Exrs.
Alfred Wilmoth vs. Wm. Bowman.

SECOND WEEK.

Adam Aroman vs. Josiah and Francis Friedline.
R. F. Reynolds vs. James R. Walker.
Charles Holsopple vs. the Latrobe Lumber and Boom Company (Limited).
Ellen Johns vs the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.
H. H. Stahl vs. Simon Hauger.
J. C. Ealy et al vs. William and Abram Egolf.
J. C. Ealy et al vs. Benjamin Bender et al.
Matthias Bowman vs. S. & G. W. Shoemaker.
Annie J. Lambert vs. William Johnson.
Isaac Hugus vs. Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad Company.
Patrick Congrove vs. McGovern son & Co.
Charles R. Lonnegan vs. M. E. Fuller.
Isaac I. Jenkins vs. A. H. Bowman.
Emanuel James vs. Joseph Mishler.
Hanson Denmitt et al vs. Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

Proth'y's Office, April 20, 1887. N. B. CRITCHFIELD, Prothonotary.

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IMPORTED STALLIONS

—AT—

Highland Farm.

CLYDESDALE HORSE,

STRATHEARN. Bay, weight over a ton, will stand for service beginning April 25th to 30th, at my farm. The following week, May 2d to 7th, at Jenner X Roads, changing week about till close of season, at $15.00 to insure a mare in foal. Losing colt, half charge, or mare and colt, no charge will be made.

Ten of his get, two and three year olds, sold this spring at an average of two hundred and forty-five dollars. One three year old brought $400, each, and weighed 1500 pounds.

PERCHERON HORSE

LEE. Black Roan, weight a ton or more, will stand beginning April 25th, the first three days at Centreville, remaining three days at Centreville. The following week, beginning May 2d to 7th, at my farm, changing week about till close of season, July 1st, at $10 insurance, same condition as to loss as above. Also, my

HAMBLETONIAN STALLION,

ALHAMBRA, at $5. Insurance. Alhambra has a reputation second to none.

The colts by LEE this spring are first-class and show his breeding fully, and only need to be seen to satisfy the most exacting horseman, having the style and build of a mature horse. In offering the above horses, I can safely say that in their respective classes no three better ones stand in the county. Parties from a distance and not being able to return the same day, will be kept over night without charge.

apr27-2m. P. HEFFLEY.

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The first account of W. H. Koontz, Master and Receiver of the Confluence Association.

Account of J. H. Uhl, Assignee of Solomon Uhl.

Proth'y's Office, Apr. 27, 1887. N. B. CRITCHFIELD, Prothonotary.