The Somerset Herald.

EDWARD SCULL, Editor and Proprietor

WEDNESDAY.....May 1, 1889.

THE Oklahoma boomer has boomed.

KEEP your seats, gentlemen; the postoffice changes will be made soon.

THE cheerful thud of the postoffice plum echoes up and down the land.

THE rush to Oklahoma has ended; the rush from Oklahoma has begun.

UNEASY is the head that sets upon the shoulders of a Democratic postmaster.

THE best "jumper" succeeds best down in Oklahoma, especially if he shoots well.

JUDGE WHITE cut a broad swath through the ranks of the Pittsburgh saloon-keepers last week.

SENATORS CAMERON and Sherman have joined the exodus to Europe and expect to be gone all summer.

GOVERNOR BEAVER has signed the appropriation for the second edition of the much sought after bird book.

IN the calm light of recent events at Pittsburgh, no one can truthfully say that high license is a failure.

THERE was more patriotism to the square inch Tuesday than any day since the Fourth of July, 1876.

HERE'S to ye'l gentlemen of the Legislature! Hope you'r enjoying your jaunt, if the State does pay all expenses.

IS the bad men in Oklahoma keep it up they will kill each other off so fast that decent people can live there after awhile.

GEORGE WASHINGTON and the old worthies of 1789 will look down with pride these days upon the wide awake boys and girls of 1889, for, after all, they learned their lessons pretty well.

GREENE COUNTY is going to have a necktie party worth attending. James Neff was last week convicted of murder in the first degree, making the fourth man convicted of participating in the killing of the drover, McCausland.

THOSE who failed to plant trees on Arbor Day, may lawfully plant on some other day, while the season lasts. Friday was no day for tree planting in this section of the State. The rain came down like a blanket all day long.

ROME was not built in a day, but Guthrie, Oklahoma, was, and the town really numbers 4,000 people in its census. The citizens have elected Col. D. P. Dyer, a Republican in politics, Mayor of the city, and one of his first acts was to give the gamblers twenty-four hours to leave. The first train north, after the notice was served, took away a good many of them.

THERE were so many beautiful women who desire to personate "Columbia" in the New York centennial procession that General Butterfield called in a committee of artists to decide. The ladies, one by one, without any conversation, passed in review before the artist committee, which took notes and sketches. They united in selecting a Mrs. S. Fitzhugh, a stately blonde of 25.

THERE were 1,381 applicants, of all classes, for liquor licenses before the Pittsburgh courts last week. The Court granted a retail license to 93 persons in Pittsburgh, 39 in Allegheny, 35 in the boroughs and 21 in the townships of the county, making a total of 188. Wholesale license was granted to 47 firms in Pittsburgh, 15 in Allegheny, 6 in the boroughs and 2 in the townships, making a total of 66. Together there were 254 wholesale and retail liquor licenses granted as against 525 last year. Before the Brooks law went into effect there were 3,000 saloons in Allegheny county. There are now less than one-tenth that number. Harry Darlington, proprietor of one of the largest breweries, was refused a license, as were several of the largest wholesale firms in the city.

It must be conceded by every fair minded advocate of prohibition that the cause suffered a stunning defeat in Massachusetts last week. The issue was presented squarely, unembarrassed by any distracting side issue or overshadowing main issue. The day was pleasant and the vote large, considering that it was in the nature of a special election, but of a little more than 132,000 votes the adverse majority was nearly 45,000. The form taken was the proposition to put prohibition into the constitution, and city after city and town after town, which almost uniformly go no license, refused to support that amendment.

It is to be expected that professional agitators and political organizers who have prohibition as their stock in trade will rant and rave about the triumph of King Alcohol; but, as a matter of fact, a very large proportion of the vote which went to make that overwhelming majority was cast by men who profoundly and sincerely believe that such an amendment would aggravate rather than lessen the evil of intemperance. Take, for instance, the city of Quincy, which retains the distinctively New England type to a remarkable degree. Last fall the plurality for no license was 963, but on the amendment the vote stood 1,909 against, to 591 for its adoption. Newburyport, which has suffered no influx of foreigners for fifty years, voted yeas, 408; nays, 1,470. Two more puritanical old towns could not be found in all Massachusetts. The vote of last week was not the result of foreign influence or of factory hands. There are a good many Irish and French-Canadians in some parts of the State, people unaccustomed to prohibitory ideas, but evidently the amendment was really defeated by the simon-pure Yankees of that State, which is the most distinctively Yankee State of all this Union.

There is a growing conviction on the part of temperance people that prohibition on a State scale is a mistake, that it only makes a bad matter worse in cities, and has no advantage over local option in rural towns. This conviction is gradually permeating the ranks of those who were once a unit in favor of prohibition. The irrational attempt to develop a National issue out of prohibition was so destitute of good judgment that it set a good many people to thinking that propositions which they had been accustomed to accept axiomatically were really open to discussion. Once get their thinking caps on, and they wore them to some purpose in an examination into the wisdom of a prohibition which, while it did not prohibit, prevented restriction, and so, in the end, amounted to free trade in whisky. In other words, Massachusetts sat down on prohibition, not to give freer range to the liquor traffic, but because the more sensible citizens think that every feasible protection should be afforded society against the evils of intemperance.

First Day of the Great Washington Inauguration Centennial.

NEW YORK, April 28.—To-morrow morning cannon will thunder the word of command for the beginning of the grandest popular celebration in the nation's history. With the boom of the first cannon New York will surrender to the whole country all other right and title to the jubilee, except what part her citizens take in the management and labor of following out the prearranged program. From early dawn the streets will be thronged, and the mighty multitude will move toward the water side to view the unique and extraordinary marine display, some to join in it in boats, and the greater to fringe the roofs and wharves and parksides, all with their faces turned toward the harbor.

These people from all the States, from many that possess no water front or ships, will see the remnant of the navy that Farragut knew, and the nucleus of the modern fleet of swift, well-armed cruisers we are soon to complete.

LOUD SOUNDS OF REJOICING.

Everywhere will resound the tumult of cheering, of band music and of cannonading. In the streets and in the harbor the very air will be made joyous and gay with the national colors, flung from towering cornices and tallest mastheads. Glad will be the faces that are turned toward these signs of the nation's jubilation, and gladder will be the million hearts that feel the privilege of taking part in such a mighty exhibition.

But of all the gladness none will be so mighty or so keen as that of the New Yorkers, for they will have no doubts as to the verdict of their guests. All know that the great metropolis will crown herself with laurels as the most royal entertainer and most impressive, glorious and successful exhibitor among the cities of the continent.

THE ARRIVAL OF PRESIDENT HARRISON.

Before noon the President will be on our waters, and then the multitude will surge to the heart of the business district to witness his landing and his passage past the treasure houses of Wall street to Broadway. The naval display will overlap the military procession to the Equitable building, where the great men of the city and nation will be made acquainted and then served with luncheon.

But in an hour or more the turn of the people will come again, as the President rides to the City Hall and makes his way to the Governor's room, to receive all who seek his hand, he and the people together crushing beneath their shoes the roses that our fairest and brightest maidens have flung before them on the nicked and dented steps of the ancient capitol of the city.

After that night will have fallen, but only to have its sombre curtain pierced by the brilliant glare of the myriad electric lamps that will illuminate the most gorgeous ball in which Yankee maiden ever ventured a slippered foot or native bean ever bowed to beauty.

THE FORMAL OPENING THIS MORNING.

Nine ships of war in New York harbor will at 8 o'clock fire simultaneously a salute of 21 guns. It will be the formal opening of the Centennial celebration of the inauguration of the first President of the United States. At the first gun the nine ships will break into a glory of flags and pennants, and this town will throw aside its cares and labor and business, put on its holiday clothes, with red, white and blue trimmings, and begin a three days' jollification.

When President Harrison steams up the bay aboard the Dispatch he will witness a naval pageant the size and grandeur of which has never been equaled on this continent. He will be rowed ashore at Wall street by a crew of the oldest sea captains of the port. He will be escorted up Wall street by a notable guard, representing the veterans who preserved the Union, and the sturday fighters who spend their lives in its service.

ALL COMPLETED ON A GRAND SCALE.

The preparations for every detail of the celebration have been completed on a grand scale. It took four months to decide who should be orator at the sub-treasury building on Tuesday, where Washington took the oath of office a century ago. The ball will be the finest in the country's history. The military parade will be made up of veterans, regulars and militia. Nearly every State has sent her troops, and they will vie with each other in doing honor to the State that sent them and to the name of Washington. They will give the people of this city such a show as has never been seen here before.

At the banquet the boxes will contain the handsomest women in the land, while on the floor the 13 greatest orators of the land will speak in praise of Washington.

The industrial parade will shame New Orleans' far-famed Mardi-Gras pageant in variety and beauty. And after all this pomp and circumstance of peace, the hundreds of thousands of visitors to the metropolis will have the wonders of the great town to view, if they have strength left, so long as they are pleased to remain with us.

Peace Reigns in Oklahoma.

FORT RENO, I. T. April 27.—The following telegram was sent to the War Department yesterday by General Merritt:

Have just returned from Kingfisher; found everything quiet and orderly there. About 200 homestead claims have been filed, and large numbers are waiting to make entry. Reports of bloodshed are without foundation. All over the Territory, so far as I can discover, there have been cases of violence reported, but in no single instance has investigation resulted in confirmation of these reports. In cases where different claimants contest for the same quarter section the matter is compromised or left for final adjustment by proper authority. I am thus explicit because Kansas newspapers are reporting scenes of bloodshed. These, as well as the reports with reference to the invasion of the Cherokee strip, are, so far as I can discover, without foundation.

The appearance of a case of small-pox at Guthrie has given rise to grave fears of an epidemic, and stringent quarantine measures have been adopted.

Disgusted Liquor Dealers.

PITTSBURGH, April 24.—The wholesale liquor men received another black eye in court to-day. Judge White's associates on the Bench refused to undo what Judge White did, or have anything to do in the matter until the latter returns to the city. When court opened to-day A. H. Clark, counsel for Thomas Gamble, a wholesale liquor dealer, who was refused a license, asked leave of Judge Magee to grant a rehearing to his client, to which Judge Magee promptly replied:

"Mr Clark, we will entertain no such proceeding. I can say now, for the benefit of all, that the Court will not review the decisions of Judge White, and nothing will be done until his return." "But, your Honor," again began Mr. Clark, when he was interrupted by Judge Magee, who said: "No, I will hear nothing unless it is in the form of a petition, and then I will simply permit the paper to be filed." Mr. Clark, agreeing that his paper should be considered a petition, read it to the Court.

Mr. Clark again drifted off into talking about the rehearing and Judge Magee stopped him by saying: "I will not entertain any motion in Judge White's absence." "Very well, your Honor, you are presiding over this court. These motions for rehearings must be made within four days, and if you expect us to wait until Judge White returns, which may never occur, I think you are asking too much. A citizen's property is in danger and he asks relief at your hands. I am satisfied that you are the proper person to come before." "I'll take the papers," said Judge Magee, "but only as an application. We cannot undo Judge White's work."

Several of the wholesale liquor men who were refused a license say they will keep right on selling.

Full Returns From Massachusetts.

BOSTON, April 24.—Returns are in from all cities and towns of the State, showing the vote for and against the Prohibition Amendment to be as follows: For, 88,096; against 133,195: majority against the Amendment, 44,493.

OUR HARRISBURG LETTER.

From our special Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, April 27, 1889.

The present Legislature is getting badly out of sorts. The special order business into which the House had gone so vigorously for the past few weeks had to come to an end, and this fact embittered quite a number of members, and hence the fiercest kind of objections were interposed into all proceedings during the week. This proceeding has become so frequent as to hurt legislation considerably. Nothing very good or great can be expected from the "model legislature" from now until the end of the session. In fact, the House has in it too much of the *factious stubbornness* to accomplish very much good. There are too many *cussed wees* in the House. If they can't get what they want, they will have nothing.

The chief of these objectors and interjectors was the Hon. S. M. Wherry, of Cumberland. He got mad because he couldn't run the House, and he seems determined to rule or ruin. This interesting game reached its highest stage on Tuesday afternoon, when an effort was made to get the General Appropriation bill recommitted. This was objected to by Mr. Wherry. The Speaker ruled that that billhad precedence over all other business, and that the House could consider it at any time. He appealed from the decision of the Chair but his appeal was not in proper form, and he saw how useless it was to follow it any further. So at Tuesday evening's session he relented, and the House did some good work.

Among the Senate bills considered was the one increasing the salaries of Judges. The bill created considerable discussion, and the fact that Philadelphia sent a few of her best politicians up to engineer the bill through was commented upon. The bill passed to third reading, but had not enough votes to pass it finally, and unless it gets some more friends it will not become a law. Both Pugh and Miller voted against the bill.

A large number of Senate bills and Appropriation bills passed the House during the week, and it was run on full time all week, often remaining in session until after midnight.

The Senate held two and taree sessions a day, and every effort is being made to get ready for final adjournment by the time fixed, May 9th, and it is now believed both Houses will be ready to adjourn by that time.

Bills are being messaged from one House to the other and sent to the Governor during all hours and he has signed quite a number, among others being the bill for a second edition of the "Birds of Pennsylvania," which is now a law, but the books will not be ready for distribution for some months to come. Smull's Legislative Hand-book has been issued for the year 1889, but will not be ready for distribution until the middle of next month.

The General Appropriation bill occupied the time of the House Thursday, and when the item making appropriation for the public schools was reached Chairman Andrews, of Crawford, moved to increase the appropriation from a million and a half to two million dollars. This created some discussion, but was very popular and carried by a large majority. On Thursday afternoon when the question of adjourning over from Friday evening until Thursday of next week came up, there was a warm discussion. The adjournment was for the purpose of taking the New York junket.

It met with strong opposition in the House but in spite of the effort of many of the best members to defeat it, the House concurred in the Senate's resolution to adjourn over, hence at least three days of valuable time will be lost. Both Pugh and Miller voted against the adjournment. During the discussion of the question Mr. Lyttle, of Huntingdon, said:

"The members of this House know full well that their constituents are opposed to this trip. I say here and now that there is no more honesty, principle or manliness in using the people's money for this junket than there is in stealing a purse." No self-respecting man can go home after taking this trip and look his constituents in the face. I have not used these words without weighing them and I am sensible of the responsibility I assume for uttering them. I only regret that parliamentary usage prevents me from saying what I would like to concerning this crime."

But further discussion seemed useless. A majority seemed determined to go in spite of the wishes of the people, and the only thing to be done was to let them go.

The old soldiers of the legislature held a campfire on Thursday evening, beginning at nine o'clock and continued until a late hour. The entertainment was very good, and the large audience seemed to enjoy it.

The Senate did good work the entire week, and the House held three sessions daily, often running in session until midnight and after.

PHILIP.

Last of a Murderous Trio.

PHILADELPHIA, April 26.—A cablegram received in this city to-day by the Pinkerton agency announced the capture of Guiseppe Beverino at Maida, Italy, for the murder of Paymaster McClure and J. B. Flanigan near Wilkesbarre in October last. Red Nose Mike, the leader of the gang, is under sentence of death for the crime. His two companions are now in custody in Italy, the other one having been arrested there a month ago. The murderers secured $12,000 in cash, and Contractor McFadden, to whom the money belonged, has spent $10,000 additional to capture the rascals. Notwithstanding Red Nose Mike's confession, in which he positively implicates the two men now in Italy, it is feared that there will be trouble in extraditing them.

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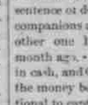

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Robert Sumner, dec'd, late of Black 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 or before Saturday, May 25, 1889, at the late residence of the deceased.

ALEXANDER SNYDER, Administrator.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi Fa issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, Penn'a, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House, in Somerset Borough, at 1 o'clock P. M., on

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1889,

All the right, title, interest and claim of J. S. Radcliffe, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz: Two certain lots of ground situate in West Salisbury Borough, Elklick Township, Somerset County, Pa., known on the general plan of said town as lots Nos. 151 and 152, bounded on the North by Tenth street, on the East by Main Avenue, on the South by lot of John Ainsworth, and on the West by an alley.

Taken in execution as the property of J. S. Radcliffe, at the suit of L. R. Doty, use of Henrietta Radcliffe.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Elizabeth Altfather and Henry D. Altfather, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz: A certain tract of land situate in Brothersvalley Twp., Somerset County, Pa., containing 15 acres and 55 perches, adjoining lands of Solomon Engle, Geo. Johnson, Geo. Hedley and Wm. J. Beer, with a saw mill thereon erected, together with all and singular the buildings and improvements, water ways, liberties, rights, privileges, hereditaments, and appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Elizabeth Altfather and Henry D. Altfather, at the suit of Lewis J. Knepper's Executor's use.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of John W. Koontz, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz: A certain tract of land situate in Jenner Township, Somerset County, Penn'a, adjoining lands of H. S. Picking, A. Keyser, Michael Cover and Wm. C. Baldwin, containing 103 acres and 11 perches, strict measure, about forty acres cleared and balance well timbered, having thereon erected a dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of John W. Koontz, at the suit of Missouri Daniel's use.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Jacob M. Walter of, in and to the following described Real Estate, viz: A certain tract of land situate in Somerset Township, Somerset County, Pa., adjoining lands of Fred Bittner, Mrs. Jacob Fletcher, Frank Walter, Samuel Bittner, Noah Roberts, J. Hoover, H. Beard, H. Baker and others, containing 135 acres more or less, having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, log barn and other outbuildings. About 80 acres cleared. Good orchards, &c., with the appurtenances.

No. 2. A certain tract of land situate in Black Twp., Somerset Co., Pa., adjoining lands of Jacob Harter, known as the Hengy Marker farm, containing 158 acres more or less, having thereon erected a log dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings; 15 acres are cleared; fruit orchard, &c., with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Samuel Swarner at the suit of Harrison Snyder, in trust for Amanda Swarner.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Charles Hoffman, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain lot of ground situate in Somerset Borough, Somerset Co., Pa., bounded on the North by land of Ross Davis & Co., (also right of way 8 feet wide on North side of said lot, extending from West street to rear line), on the East by West St., on the South by lot of James Trent, on the West by lot of James Weimer, containing ½ acre more or less, having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings, with the appurtenances.

No. 2. A certain lot of ground situate partly in Somerset Borough and partly in Somerset Twp., Somerset County, Pa., adjoining lots of James Trent on the North, West Street on the East, lot of Isaac Jones on the South, and lot of James Weimer on the West, containing one acre, more or less, having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, stable, and other outbuildings, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Charles Hoffman, at the suit of Jacob S. Picking's use.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of J. O. Weller and Annie E. Weller, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz: A certain lot of ground situate in Meyersdale Borough, Somerset County, Pa., on the Pocahontas road, adjoining lot of L. Wineland on the East and Peter Meyers' heirs on the West (formerly Kistler property) having thereon erected a two story dwelling house and stable.

Taken in execution as the property of J. O. Weller and Annie E. Weller, at the suit of Joseph S. Miller's use.

—NOTICE—

All persons purchasing at the above sale will please take notice that a part of the purchase money—30 per cent—will be required when knocked down, otherwise it will again be exposed to sale at the risk of the first purchaser. The residue of the purchase money must be paid on or before Thursday of the 1st week of the May term of Court, the time fixed by the Court for acknowledgment of deeds, and no deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full.

R. S. McMILLEN, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, May 1, 1889.

BRIDGE SALE.

In accordance with the Act of Assembly approved May 5, 1876, the Commissioners of Somerset County will let at public outcry on the premises, to the lowest bidder, by the perch, on

THURSDAY, MAY 23, '89

at 11 o'clock a. m., the rebuilding of the abutments of the bridge over Calendar creek at Shanksville, in Stony Creek Township, where the road from Soankville to New Baltimore Borough crosses said stream. Masonry to be first-class, and laid in cement. Also, at the Commissioner's Office, on

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1889,

The Commissioners will receive sealed proposals for an iron or wooden superstructure for the above named masonry, until 10 o'clock a. m. said bridge to be 64 feet between abutments, with a 12 foot roadway. Capacity 100 pounds. Also, at the Commissioners' Office on

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1889,

The Commissioners will receive sealed proposals for an iron or wooden superstructure for a bridge over Gladden's Run in Southampton Twp., near the house of J. L. Kennell, said bridge to be 40 feet between abutments, with a 12 foot roadway. Capacity 100 pounds. Specifications can be seen at the Commissioners' Office.

☞Will sell old bridge on day of sale.

D. D. WAGNER,
GEO. M. NEFF,
C. W. WILLIAMSON,
Commissioners.

Attest:—
A. J. HILEMAN,
Clerk.

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List of Causes.

Following is the List of Causes set for trial at May term of Court, beginning Monday, June 3, 1889:

Hannah C. Gaul vs. Solomon Judy.
Annie H. Bell vs. Joseph Socks.
Wm. Boldy vs. Farmers' Fire Ins. Co. of York.
Catharine Gross vs. Josiah Gross, Admr.
Noah Scott's use vs. M. A. Sanner.
Henry Kister vs. Henry Fisher et al.
A. W. Brandon's use vs. I. S. Mostoller.
Dr. D. P. Wolfley's Admrs. vs. W. H. Gardner.
John Grier's Extr. vs. Jacob A. Miller.
John Lane vs. Solomon Seibert.
D. Weyand's heirs vs. Noah Berkeydike.
Wm. L. Fetter vs. Isaac Hugus et al.
Same vs. Same.
J. B. Litchfield & Co. vs. Samuel Ramsparger.
C. & B. Cunningham vs. John Waller.
Emma A. Sarver vs. W. H. Felton, Constable.
Nelson Pearl vs. Joseph I. Kaufman.
Church of Christ's Trustees vs. Lucinda Snyder, et al.
Eli Shaffer vs. Daniel Shoemaker, et al.
Justus Bowman vs. U. H. Saylor.

D. J. HORNER, Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Somerset, May 1, 1889.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Catharine Rhoads, dec'd., late of Somerset 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 Saturday, the 8th day of June, 1889, at the late residence of deceased in Somerset Twp.

FRANK C. RHOADS, Administrator.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary Leydig, dec'd., late of Wellersburg Borough, Somerset Co., Pa.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against said estate to present them duly authenticated for settlement to me at the residence of deceased in said Borough.

GEORGE LEYDIG,
Admr. of Mary Leydig, dec'd.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Laura E. Crossen, dec'd, late of Middlecreek 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 or demands against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement to the undersigned without delay.

CHARLES E. CROSSEN, Administrator.

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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 GEORGE W. PILE and OLIVER P. SHAFER, 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, MAY 27, 1889.

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.

R. S. McMILLEN, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, May 1, 1889.

STALLIONS

—AT—

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ALHAMBRA. Trotting Stallion, at $25 Insurance.

HARRY. Trotting Stallion, at $50 00 Insurance.

PRINCE is at my farm this week. Strathearn the following week, standing week about alternately.

STRATHEARN stands at Jenner X Roads this week. The following week Prince will stand at Davidsville the first three days in the week. The remaining three at Jenner X Roads.

Both of the above horses are well known by breeders of first-class Draft Stock, the highest prices ever realized in the County being $500 for a three-year old, and $270 for a gelding the get of Strathearn.

My grand old Hambletonian Stallion, Alhambra, and his son Harry, out of Midday, will be found at my place at all times. The lover of a trotter can find no such choice breeding in the county, nor can it be excelled in the State. My Percheron Stallion,

LEE, will be in Berlin this week, the following week at Meyersdale, except on Monday of each week, when he will be at the barn of Simon Fritz, near Pine Hill. Those wanting to breed to the Percheron strain will find in him perfection of that noted breed. A yearling, just coming two, can be seen this week at Berlin, and next week at Meyersdale. To see this colt will show what can be expected by breeding to Lee. $500 was refused for this colt last week, the offer being made by a party from Huntingdon County.

P. HEFFLEY.

SOMERSET, April 29, 1889.

☞A car load of the self-oiling steel-thimble Schuttler wagons just received, and for sale.

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 Wednesday, May 29, 1889:

The account of Josiah Hyatt, Administrator of Hiram Hyatt, dec'd.

The account of William Berkey, Guardian of John Speicher.

The account of D. J. Berkey, Admr. of Labias Manges, dec'd.

First and final account of Wm. Foust, Admr. of Barbara Meyers, dec'd.

First and final account of Jacob Phillippi, Adm. of Lena Struckof, dec'd.

First and final account of Dr. W. A. Garman, Executor of Daniel Hoffley, dec'd.

First and final account of Silas H. Cable, Admr. of Andrew Flick, dec'd.

Third and final account of Eph. J. McKenzie, surviving Executor of Joseph McKenzie, dec'd.

First and final account of Martin L. Secher, Administrator of Joseph Secher, dec'd.

Final account of H. C. Beerits, Guardian of Minnie E. Hoffley.

Second and final account of Isaac Blauset, Executor of Joseph Blauset, dec'd.

First and final account of Daniel J. Horner, Trustee, &c., of David Bell, dec'd.

First and final account of J. M. Cook and C. M. Tressler, Admrs. and Trustees of Joseph Tressler, deceased.

The account of Silas A. Pulman, Executor of John Pulman, dec'd.

First and final account of George C. Lichty, Admr. of Rebecca C. Meyers, dec'd.

First and final account of S. F. Picking, Extr. of Charles C. Orton, dec'd.

Second and final account of S. E Berkey and John Lohr executors of Peter Speicher deceased.

REGISTER'S OFFICE, Somerset, May 1. } JACOB D. SWANK, Register.

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION proposed to the citizens of this Commonwealth by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for their approval or rejection at a special election to be held June 18, 1889. Published by order of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.

Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the Commonwealth:

SECTION 1. *Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met* That the following is proposed as an amendment to the constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:

AMENDMENT.

Strike out from section one, of article eight, the four qualifications for voters, which reads as follows:

"If twenty-two years of age or upwards, he shall have paid, within two years, a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months, and paid at least one month before the election," so that the section which reads as follows:

"Every male citizen, twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections:

First. He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

Second. He shall have resided in the state one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native-born citizen of the state, he shall have removed therefrom and returned, then six months) immediately preceding the election.

Third. He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least thirty days immediately preceding the election. The legislature, at the session thereof next after the adoption of this section, shall, and from time to time thereafter may, enact laws to properly enforce this provision.

Fourth. Every male citizen of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a citizen for thirty days, and an inhabitant of this state one year next preceding an election, except at municipal elections, and for the last thirty days a resident of the election district in which he may offer his vote, shall be entitled to vote at such election in the election district of which he shall at the time be a resident and not elsewhere for officers that now or hereafter may be elected by the people: *Provided*, That in time of war no elector in the actual military service of the State or of the United States, in the army or navy thereof, shall be deprived of his vote by reason of his absence from such election district, and the legislature shall have power to provide the manner in which, and the time and place at which such absent electors may vote, and for the return and canvass of their votes in the election district in which they respectively reside.

Fifth. For the purpose of voting, no person shall be deemed to have gained or lost a residence by reason of his presence or absence while employed in the service of the United States or the State, nor while engaged in the navigation of the waters of the State or of the high seas, nor while a student of any college or seminary of learning, nor while kept at any almshouse or public institution, except the inmates of any home for disabled and indigent soldiers and sailors, who, for the purpose of voting, shall be deemed to reside in the election district where said home is located. Laws shall be made for ascertaining, by proper proofs, the citizens who shall be entitled to the right of suffrage hereby established."

A true copy of the joint resolution.

CHARLES W. STONE, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

NOTICE.

My wife, Mrs. Mary Fulmer, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby warn all persons that I will pay no debts of her contracting.

CLIFTON L. FULMER.

ELKLICK P. O., April 16, 1889.—3t.

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