The Somerset Herald.

GEORGE R. SCULL, Editor.

WEDNESDAY.....August 13, 1890.

Fresh, pure drugs at Snyders.

Musical instruments at Snyder's drug store.

Violins, and violin strings at Snyder's drug store.

Trusses of all kinds at John N. Snyder's drug store.

See Wm. B. Shafer's advertisement in another column.

Think twice before telling any one what some one else said.

Apple sauce is now counted among the luxuries and is used for desert only.

Prove yourself capable of keeping your own secrets by always keeping them.

Peaches and pears will probably take the place of jewels as engagement presents.

The apple, plum, peach and pear crop is almost an entire failure in this section, this season.

The farmers are nearly through harvesting. They report the wheat nd oats crop very light.

It will be well for farmers this dry weather to follow Jay Gould's advice, and always "water your stock."

It is estimated that two-thirds of the people who were attacked by la grippe last winter are still suffering to some extent in one way or other.

For a thorough education at the least expense, go to Franklin College, New Athens O. Boarding, room and books $1.85 per week. Catalogue free.

Bald-headed men who will persist
In saying "Dare the flies?"
Can never read their titles clear
To mansions in the skies.

New students can get boarding, room, books, tuition, fuel and light, for Fall term of 16 weeks, at Franklin College, New Athens, O., for $44, in advance.

This has been an excellent year for the chronic weather growler. It has been too cold, too warm, too wet and too dry. With all of these, he has been having a nice time.

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

HOLSBROOK BROS. & PARSONS.

It is said that some minute insect is destroying the foliage on maple trees in some localities in this part of the State. Their work is as rapid as it is thorough, many trees having been completely stripped of their leaves in one day.

Much injury is done by the use of irritating, griping compounds taken as purgatives. In Ayer's Pills, the patient has a mild but effective cathartic, that can be confidently recommended alike for the most delicate patients as well as the most robust.

Have we any truly great men at the present day? Some doubt it, and ask to be shown the modern Washington, Franklin, Webster. However this may be, of one thing we are sure, there never was a greater blood-purifier than Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The "original package" must go. The bill made necessary by a recent decision of the Supreme Court was signed by the President Friday and became a law. The effect of the new law was immediately seen wherever original package houses had been opened, by the prompt suspension of the business.

The following named letters remaining in the Postoffice at Somerset, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office if not called for in ten days from this date, August 13, 1890.

Baldinger, Mary A. (2); Dickson, Darius; Graves, Mrs. M. E. (package); Hedley Thos.; Herring, Louisa; Hay, Wm; Livingstone, Miss Mary; Lewis, Miss May; McKenzie, Jno; Schickling, Miss Elizabeth; Statler, John H.; Sunikel, C. H.; Zell, Miss S. Z.

JOSIAH KELLER.

Mr. Charles Truxell, of this place, is the possessor of seven young rabbits that are a curiosity. They are about two weeks old and seem lively, though they have but few legs and one ear among the lot. Six of them are without ears; two of them have each two legs and no ears; one minus both legs and ears; the sixth is without ears but has four legs; the seventh has four legs and one ear, and seems to be the king of the lot. No one can account for this strange freak of nature—*Gallitzin Vindicator.*

On account of the large number of advance orders received for Mrs. Custer's new book, "Following the Guidon," the publishers have been compelled to postpone its publication until August 23d. Theodore Roosevelt says of this work: "It is a book which is not only interesting, but which possesses real and lasting value as a faithful portrayal of a characteristically American phase of life which has now almost passed away.

A Washington dispatch says, "One of the best things ever done by the Pension Office has just been done by Commissioner Raum. He is sending out a supply of blank applications, in the forms needed—for a soldier applying for a pension for himself, for a widow's claim, etc.—to every Grand Army Post in the country, accompanied by explicit directions for filling them up. Any applicant can get one by asking for it, whether he belongs to the Grand Army or not.

The Board of Commissioners on Gettysburg Monuments have erected, in accordance with the law, monuments on Gettysburg battlefield, and have set apart September 2, 1890, to be known as Pennsylvania Reserve Day, at which time the dedicatory services will be held from the rostrum of the National Cemetery. Ex-Gov. Curtin will preside and eminent speakers of the old corps will make addresses. Orders for railroad tickets, at rate of one fare for round trip can be procured from any Post of the Grand Army, Department of Pennsylvania, or from the Secretaries of the various Regimental Associations.

At a regular meeting of W. H. Weller Post No. 561, in the G. A. R. Post room in Rockwood, Pa., on August 1st, the following preamble and resolutions were passed.

WHEREAS, a number of the families of Rockwood and vicinity have been sorely afflicted with sickness, and a number of homes have been invaded by death during the past few months, and whereas other contingencies have arisen over which W. H. Weller Post and the ex-soldiers of Rockwood and vicinity have no control.

Therefore *Resolved* that the reunion of the Veteran Association of Somerset county which was to have taken place this fall at Rockwood, Pa., be indefinitely postponed.

Resolved, that these resolutions be published in all the County papers.

J. L. BITTNER, Commander.
J. D. MILLER, Adjutant.

Farmers, Look to Your Interests.

We extend our thanks for your very liberal patronage the past season, and beg leave to say that with our extensive works, now covering over an acre of ground, we hope to be able to fill all our wholesale and retail orders promptly.

Having contracted with S. B. Yoder, of Pugh, Somerset County, and Peter Fink, of Somerset, to solicit orders, we feel assured they will be able to name prices and terms that will be satisfactory to all.

As reference in regard to our works and facilities for manufacturing a first-class fertilizer, we take the liberty of naming Hon. G. P. Shaver and S. B. Yoder, both gentlemen whose veracity will not be doubted and who visited our works during the fall of '89.

On behalf of the Susquehanna Fertilizer Co. of Baltimore City.

Respectfully,
A. J. KOHLER,
Guernsey, Adams Co., Pa.

Men's Shoes.

Several cases of men's brogans and plough shoes. First class and cheap.

J. M. HOLDERBAUM.

Training teachers at Indiana.

Judge Baer is confined to his home by sickness.

The estimated population of Bedford county is 27,817.

We call attention to Mrs. Uhl's remnant sale in another column.

Miss Flo Grace Sorber, of Stoystown, is visiting Mrs. Charles Simpson.

The electric light question is again being extensively agitated in Somerset.

Dr. C. G. Stutzman, of Rockwood, is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

A. J. Colborn Jr. Esq., of Scranton, is spending a few days with his parents in Somerset.

Mr. John Kimmell and Mr. Charles Patton, of Pittsburg, are visiting relations in Somerset.

Mr. Will Parker, of Philadelphia, is spending a portion of his summer vacation in Somerset.

A number of our citizens complain of their chicken coops having been raided by sneak thieves.

To become a teacher trained in the science and the art of education, go to Indiana Normal, Indiana, Pa.

Mr. Abner McKinley, the genial New Yorker, spent several days last week with his family in Somerset.

Mr. Earl Ogle, Johnstown's new postmaster, filed his $36,000 bond and took charge of the office Monday.

Misses Leora Hay and Darl Walter are spending the week with relatives and friends in Meyersdale and Salisbury.

The annual Friedens harvest home picnic will be held in the Mowry grove, near Friedens, on Saturday, August 30th.

Mr. H. G. Darsie, wife and children, of Pittsburg, arrived in Somerset last week, where they will remain during the present month.

A decidedly cold wave, cold enough to call overcoats, heavy bed clothing and grate fires into requisition, struck this section Sunday evening.

A pension was last week granted to John Holtzhour, of Meyersdale and an increase of pension was allowed John Sarver, of Allegheny township.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the county W. C. T. U. will be held in the Methodist church at Rockwood on Thursday, August 21, at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. John Winters, of the Commercial Hotel, has been confined to his bed for the past week with an attack of typhoid fever. His condition is some what improved to-day.

Henry Herbert Byram, editor of the Pittsburg *Chronicle Telegraph*, died at the residence of his father-in-law, at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The cause of his death was typhoid pneumonia.

Mr. John Stanton, Superintendent of the Scranton Steel Mills is visiting in Somerset, renewing former acquaintances. Mr. Stanton is a native of this county but left here some fifteen years ago.

It is reported that a project is on foot to form a new county, with Johnstown as the county seat, by taking parts of Cambria, Somerset and Westmoreland counties, and thus avoid the difficulty and loss of time in going to Ebensburg.

Dave Nicely continues to write weekly letters from the Indiana jail, for publication in the Westmoreland county papers, and Governor Beaver continues to do nothing, and a great deal of it. His Excellency has evidently come to the conclusion that hanging is a failure.

Register and Recorder J. D. Swank left for Hooversville Monday morning to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Noah Swank, who died at his residence in that place Saturday evening. The deceased was about sixty-five years of age and is survived by his wife and two daughters.

The residence portion of the new jail is completed and Sheriff McMillen has taken possession of his new quarters. Owing to railroad strikes the iron for the cells has not yet arrived from St. Louis, but is expected this week. After it arrives it will take but a short time to complete the prison portion of the building.

The old church building in which Alexander Campbell, founder of the Christian or Campbellite Church, first preached, near Bethany, West Virginia, is to be torn down and removed to the Bethany Park Assembly near Brooklyn, Indiana, where it will be put together and be preserved as a permanent memorial of the Church.

Mr. F. H. Barker, Chairman of the Republican County Committee, has published a call to the Republican voters of Cambria county, to hold their primary elections on Saturday, August 16th, 1890, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican convention to be held at Ebensburg, on Monday, August 18th, for the purpose of nominating a county ticket, etc.

The Knights of the Golden Eagle of Somerset county, Pa., will hold a reunion and basket picnic at Berlin on Saturday, August 16, 1890. Eloquent speakers will be in attendance. The amusements will consist of band contests, tournaments, etc. For this occasion the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets, good to return Monday, August 18, from all points between Confluence, Hyndman, and Johnstown, inclusive, at reduced rates.

The first annual meeting of the Disciples of Somerset county will be held at Somerset on Friday, August 22, 1890. Tickets will be sold from all stations between Confluence, Hyndman and Johnstown, inclusive, at one fare for the round trip, good to return August 23rd. Passengers from Hyndman, Confluence and intermediate points will travel on regular trains. Passengers from Johnstown and intermediate points will be returned by special train leaving Somerset at 6 p. m.

E. Walters & Co., the large wholesale liquor dealers, of Baltimore, have purchased the Shultz distillery, in Summit township. They propose enlarging the capacity of the plant and making other valuable improvements. The same firm purchased Mr. Ed Hoover's distillery, in Brothersvalley township, some months since, and also secured a piece of ground in Bakersville, where they propose to erect a new distillery in the near future. Mr. Ed Hoover will have charge as general manager of the firm's interests in this county.

The Democrats of Bedford county have nominated the following ticket: For Associate Judge, Thomas B. Wyant; for Legislature, Wesley Bennett and Samuel B. Brown; for Sheriff, Samuel S. Gump; for Prothonotary, John E. Eichultz; for Register and Recorder, Joseph H. Sparks; for Commissioners, Samuel Werking and W. E. Rhonds; for Treasurer, Jesse Willis; for Auditors, Adam F. Diehl and Frank P. Barton; for District Attorney, Robert C. McNamara; for Poor Director, Thaddeus Hoenstine; for Coroner, Dr. A. J. Bowser.

A small boy in York became suddenly very ill a few days ago after smoking a cigarette, a partially smoked one being found in his pocket by his father, who took it to a chemist to be annalyzed. The chemist found in the cigarette a piece of opium the size of a pea mixed with licorice, and it was his opinion that there was opium enough in the cigarette sufficient to cause the death of the boy if taken in its pure state. This is the sort of poison that is dealt out to the boys and youth all over the country, and it is responsible for more deaths than will ever be known.

Schell-Endsley.

The society circles of Somerset last week were again agitated by two of its popular young people forsaking the ranks of single blessedness to solve the popular problem of whether "marriage is a failure." At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Endsley, on Main street, the Rev. Dr. Beale, of Johnstown, solemnized the marriage ceremony between their daughter, Miss Mary, and Mr. Paul A. Schell, one of our enterprising business men. There was a large assembly of guests, some from about home, and others from Washington City, New York, Wheeling, Uniontown, Baltimore, Greensburg, Johnstown, Allegheny City, and Pittsburgh. The home was beautifully decorated with flowers, which, with the fine display of useful and ornamental wedding presents, gave it the appearance of a fairy residence. The sumptuous dinner, with all the delicacies of the season, left no room for wishing for anything additional in the edible line. At half past three in the afternoon the happy pair were escorted to the B. & O. station, where they took the train to embark on their western trip. We join others in congratulations, and wish them all the happiness of a wedded life.

The following is a list of some o the wedding presents: Bed-room set, sideboard, four fancy parlor chairs, mahogany hat rack, large antique parlor tables, small antique parlor tables, bronze parlor lamp, standing piano lamp, four dozen solid silver tea spoons, three silver soup ladles, two silver berry spoons, silver berry spoons and tongs, silver baking dish, silver castor, silver sugar and cream bowl, silver match stand and napkin ring, two dozen solid silver knives and forks, silver pickle dish, silver pitcher and tray, large pictures, two sets of books, Moquette hearth rug, silk covered sofa pillow, four linen table cloths and napkins, embroidered pillow shams, enameled glove case, white knit shawl, linen sideboard scarf, necklace of gold beads, purse, with gold enclosed, bank check, two pieces of royal Worcester, four pieces of Bolleek ware, three pieces Sevres china; Limoges card receiver, Limoges candle stick, Limoges fruit dish, ivory toilet set, a variety of bric-a-brac.

The McClellandtown Gang.

The McClellandtown gang have resumed operations at the old stand, says the Connellsville *Courier*. Two unknown men entered the house of Lewis Snyder, on the National pike, near Summit, at an early hour on Friday morning of last week. Snyder heard them, sprang out of bed, and fastened the door of his room. One of the intruders ordered him to open it. Being asked what he wanted, the reply came gruffly, "Your money." Lewis told them he had no money, and to leave the house, and then called to the women folks in the next room for them to yell for Mr. Hunt, who is occupying the McClelland cottage near by. The cries for help were heard by Hunt and the other occupants of the cottage and they responded promptly, but the burglars fled before they reached the house. They made their way westward on the pike. An examination of the premises showed that nothing had been taken from the house, but the contents of the spring house were missing. Snyder is a pleasant, inoffensive blind man. Two individuals have been seen on the mountain for one or two days, and when described to the women folks of the Snyder residence they said they answered to the two men that were in the house, for they could see them in the bright moonlight as they ran up the pike.

Two nights later, about midnight, Mrs. George Murket, of McClellandtown, was aroused from her bed by a noise at the door of her house. Mrs. Murket's husband was away from home. Being a driller by trade, he is compelled to remain at his place of employment, Washington oil field, almost all the time. Shortly after the first noise was heard Mrs. Murket was surprised to find robbers in the house. The door had been opened, and one of the bold breakers of peaceful homes had gained an entrance, while his companion stood guard outside. The house was ransacked, without success. Then the villain threatened to take Mrs. Murket's life. This was of little effect for some time, but finally, through fear, Mrs. Murket told him where to find the money, which, when he found it, amounted to only about $7.

After the cash was obtained they departed, leaving the house open and Mrs. Murket in a semi-unconscious condition. The fright may yet prove too much for her. Mrs. Murket saw but two persons, and didn't recognize either. Mo persons are suspected, but the people of McClellandtown and vicinity are in a state of great excitement.

Kissing the Bible.

EDITOR HERALD:—

Without stopping to inquire how, when or why the practice of kissing the Bible in giving evidence originated, it is full time that the ceremony should be relegated into the place where all obsolete forms are found. Is the man who thus swears any more likely to tell the truth than one who affirms, or the one who swears by the uplifted hand? I trow not.

But aside from this, any one who pays close attention to the flippant manner in which the Bible is handled and kissed in a court room, must see that the form tends to caricature a proceeding that may have been solemnly observed back in the ages of ignorance and superstition. One of the leading eastern dailies, noted for its reverence for the teaching of the Word of God, says, "The usage partakes more of profanation than an act done in the fear of the Lord. No believer requires to be thus fortified against the commission of perjury; while there is no disbeliever who puts stress upon what he considers a relic of superstition."

Further, the Bibles used in courts of justice have, with few exceptions, become so filthy from promiscuous handling that a cleanly, sensitive person shrinks from the task of placing it to the lips. But if the practice is to be continued, judges, justices of the peace, and all others who are interested in legal swearing, ought to procure a new copy of the Scriptures occasionally—one in the course of a century, at least.

CONSISTENCY.

Basket Picnic.

The Christian Churches of the Somerset County Co-operation will hold a basket picnic and reunion in Woy's grove, near Somerset, Pa., on Friday, August 22d, 1890. Excursion tickets will be issued on the B. & O. Railroad. A fine programme has been arranged and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present. A choir of trained voices from Johnstown and Somerset will give a vocal concert on the occasion and enliven the proceedings with music. As this is the first reunion of the Disciples for several years, we predict a large gathering.

COMMITTEE.

Deeds Recently Recorded.

Andrew Horchner to Kennedy Price, property in Meyersdale; consideration $2700.

D. J. Foley to Henry Garlits, property in Greenville township; consideration $250.00.

Thomas Lee to Martha Logue, property in Salisbury; consideration $150.00.

Scott Mathews to Elward Hoover, property in Berlin; consideration $1500.00.

Cyrus Rayman to William Walker, property in Stonycreek township; consideration $152.81.

A Significant Remark.

"Of all the graduates of the California Normal now teaching in our city there is not one that is not doing good work." Recent public remark of a city superintendent of Western Pennsylvania.

Phosphate for Wheat

At $17.00 per ton ready for delivery at Rockwood, about 20th of August. Latest analysis by State Board of Agriculture makes value $26.05 per ton. Send orders to

C. B. MOORE,
New Lexington, Pa.

Wanted.

A young German tailor. Must be a first-class workman. Also, a lady tailor. City prices paid. Address,

F. SCHENCK, Somerset, Pa.

September Jurors.

The following named gentlemen have been drawn to serve as jurors at the September term of Court, beginning Monday, the 22n day.

GRAND JURORS.

Addison—A. J. Cramer, Perry Collier.

Berlin Borough—Theodore Plote, William Powell.

Elklick—Jeremiah Kretchman, Christian Maust, Uriah H. Newman, Samuel P. Manst.

Jenner—Josiah Frank.

Lower Turkeyfoot—James Colborn.

Meyersdale Borough—Nathaniel Slicer, Josiah Ankeny.

Paint—A. W. Livingston.

Salisbury Borough—Charles Hasselbrath.

Somerset Borough—Wash. Megahan.

Somerset—Samuel Snyder, Jacob A. Baron.

Southampton—Jacob L. Kennell, Solomon Emerick.

Summit—Herman Christner, Irvin J. Walker.

Upper Turkeyfoot—John Eicher.

Wellersburg Borough—John Wingert.

TRAVERSE JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

Berlin Borough—Wm. Philson.

Brothersvalley—Allen Hay.

Conemaugh—Joseph Custer, H. H. F. Barnett, L. A. Blough.

Confluence Borough—Jacob R. Starner.

Elklick—Henry J. Opple.

Greenville—Josiah S. Lint.

Lower Turkeyfoot—Calvin H. Ankeny, B. F. Firestone.

Northampton—Levi Boyer, John K. Kesser.

Paint—S. S. Yoder, Reuben Miller.

Shade—Edward Lambert.

Somerset Borough—Alex. Benford.

Somerset—Henry Kuhs, Daniel Keller, C. M. Shaver, Edward Countryman.

Stonycreek—John Speicher, Sr., D. A. Lambert, H. B. Baltzer, C. F. Heinemeyer, Wm. M. Schrock, A. E. Rayman, W. Baker.

Summit—Jerome Judy, Jesse F. Baker.

Upper Turkeyfoot—Simon Liston.

Ursina Borough—Daniel Albright.

Wellersburg Borough—John Hinet.

TRAVERSE JURORS—SECOND WEEK.

Addison—John McMillen, Wm. H. Roberts.

Allegheny—Samuel S. Walker.

Berlin Borough—Jacob Heffley.

Brothersvalley—Wm. Foust.

Conemaugh—L. L. Yoder, Jonathan Yoder.

Elklick—Joseph Engle, Adam C. Lepley, Jeremiah Stevannus, John J. Keim.

Jenner—Edward Horner, R. E. Shaffer, Wm. H. Baldwin, Benjamin Enos.

Jennertown Borough—J. J. Griffith.

Larimer—Herman Johnson, Peter Knepp.

Meyersdale Borough—Robert Guthrie, Jr.

Paint—Garrett Bean, David J. Shaffer.

Quemahoning—J. A. Spangler, John G. Coleman, Valentine C. Miller.

Salisbury Borough—Adam Fogle.

Shade—Wash Custer.

Somerset Borough—Martin Fleegle, U. M. Phillippi, Austin Kesl.

Somerset—Simon Stutzman, S. A. Dietz.

Southampton—Daniel Shoemaker.

Stonycreek—J. J. Rayman.

Summit—Hezekiah Crissey, John W. Boskey, George J. Hibner.

Upper Turkeyfoot—R. F. Clevinger.

Notice.

The books and notes of the late Dr. Henry Bruhaker are now at my office, and must be settled at once. Parties knowing themselves indebted to the estate will please call and see me, and save further costs and trouble.

J. L. PROST, Attorney.

Pennsylvania Railroad's Seashore Excursion.

The popularity of the Pennsylvania Railroad's seashore excursions this year has been phenomenal, and that of August 7th was one of the largest excursion parties that ever left this section. The secret of their great success is found not only in the attractive points to which they run, but to the low rates, liberal return limit, and the admirable manner in which the excursions are managed.

The next and last tour of the Pennsylvania Railroad's series to Cape May, Atlantic City, Sea Isle City, or Ocean City is fixed for Tuesday, August 21st. The season at all of these points will then be at its height, with every attraction of seashore life in the best form for enjoyment.

A special train composed of parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburg on the date mentioned at 8:50 a. m., and run through to Philadelphia, arriving at 7:10 p. m. The night will be passed in Philadelphia and the party will take regular trains to the seashore next morning.

Passengers from Pittsburg, East Liberty, Irwin, Uniontown, Connellsville, Scottdale, Stoneville, Greensburg, or Johnstown may take the evening trains leaving Pittsburg for Philadelphia at 4:30 and 8:10 p. m., and proceed to the shore the next morning.

The excursion rate from Johnstown is $6.25, and the special will leave at 11:03 a. m.

Any special information in regard to these excursions may be obtained by addressing Thomas E. Watt, Passenger Agent, Western District, 110 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburg.

Western Pennsylvania Exposition.

The exceptional success of the Pittsburgh Exposition last season has stimulated its managers and exhibitors to increased efforts this year. As will be seen by the advertisement in the present issue of this paper, the outlook for the fall season, which opens September 3d and closes October 18th, is especially encouraging. The list of attractions enumerated, gives promise of great pleasure to all those who may visit Pittsburgh while it is in progress. The institution is essentially popular with the people of Western Pennsylvania and states adjoining.

Its management has made no promises in the past, which have not been fully carried out, thereby inspiring confidence, that all future statements emanating from it, may be confidently depended upon.

No expense has been spared to contribute to the enjoyment of its visitors, and a good time generally may be looked for by those who will visit it.

The several railroads centering in Pittsburgh are thoroughly in accord with the organization, and have made liberal reductions, in the way of special rates to patrons.

Among the attractions mentioned are the combined exhibit of the "Pittsburgh Glass Manufacturers," showing the manufacture of glass in practical operation on a large scale; The "Illuminated Fountain," similar to the famous Paris fountain, will play each evening; An electric display on a scale never surpassed, if indeed equaled in this country; A magnificent display of works of art, in oil and water colors, comprising the best examples of Foreign and American artists.

Steamboat excursions will be a feature from the Exposition grounds.

Innes' Famous New York 13th Regiment Band has been engaged for the entire season, for concerts daily, and in addition to the above, the individual exhibits will be a never-ending source of pleasure to the sight-seer.

The Exposition certainly deserves, and we feel sure will receive liberal patronage from our people.

This is the second year of its existence, the first being the most successful in point of attendance and in receipts ever held in this country the opening year, and from appearances, the second season will be even more successful.

No one, who can do so, should fail to attend.

A Large but Well-Deserved Salary.

A graduate of the California, Pa., State Normal now receives a salary of $3,000 as teacher of science in Col. Parker's Normal School, Chicago. This is one of the highest salaries paid to any teacher in the United States.

The Way They Write.

"Can you send us another principal like the last one you sent us? Your recommendation will be sufficient." Recent letter from a school board to the principal of the California, Pa., State Normal.

The cucumber is now recommended as a cure for insomnia. We shall next hear that green apples are good for the stomach ache.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

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FIFTH AVENUE, PITTSBURGH, PA.

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A large lot of 36-inch, nearly all wool, STRIPED DRESS GOODS marked down to-day to 12 1-2c, were sold at 35c. This is the biggest 12 1-2c worth ever sold by us, or anybody else.

One lot 38-inch GRAY MOHAIRS, marked down to-day to 25c. Would be cheap at 40c.

One lot 38-inch Extra Fine BRILLIANTINE MOHAIRS; elegant shades of gray and brown mixtures; were imported to sell at 65c. We have marked them to close out at 37 1-2c. No better bargain in America in Dress Goods.

About 150 pieces single-width all-wool filled Dress Goods, excellent styles and desirable colors; ordinary sell from 12 1-2 to 15c. a a yard. We have marked them 10c.

One lot of double-width medium and Dark Gray ALPACA Smarked down to-day from 12 1-2 to 8 1-3c.

50-inch all-wool fine English Suitings, neat little light plaids to make a stylish and durable traveling suit, marked down to 75c, regularly sold at $1 and $1.25 a yard. These are some of our special bargains.

In FANCY DRESS GOODS, high Novelties, and high-cost French and German Imported Dress Goods, we have slaughtered the prices to wind up the summer season's business. Always on hand, a large line of Cream and Light colored Fabrics of all descriptions for street and evening wear. Also, choice lines in BLACKS and COLORS in all the best PLAIN FABRICS at lowest cash prices. You can save money by coming to the Dress Goods Department.

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To Andrew Kunkel and John Kunkel residing in Stonycreek township, Cambria County, Pa., Conrad Kunkle residing in Richland township, Cambria County, Pa., Christian Kunkle residing in Economy, Beaver County, Pa., Adam Kunkel residing in Johnstown, Pa., Rose Ann Kunkel intermarried with John Gebhart residing in Johnstown, Pa., and Mary Kunkle, intermarried with John Fees residing in Cambria County, Pa.

You are hereby notified to be and appear at an Orphans' Court, to be held in and for Somerset County, Pa., on Monday the 22nd day of September next, to accept or refuse to take the real estate of Andrew Kunkel deceased at the appraised valuation, or show cause why the same should not be sold.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, } R. S. MCMILLEN,
Somerset Pa., July 21 '90. } Sheriff.

WRIT OF PARTITION.

To Sarah Yoncht, intermarried with Freeman Sanner, of Beaty P. O., Marshall Co., Kas.:

You are hereby notified that in pursuance of a Writ of Partition issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, Pa., and to me directed, I will hold an inquest on the premises on the real estate of William Yoncht, deceased, situate in Black Twp., Somerset County, Pa., Rockwood Borough, and the heirs of Catharine, same Co., on Friday, the 12th day of September, '90, when and where you can attend if you think proper.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, } R. S. MCMILLEN,
July 21, 1890. } Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Durr, late of Somerset Township, deceased.

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 30th day of August, 1890, at the late residence of the deceased.

JOHN J. DURR,
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WRIT OF PARTITION.

To Josephine Grasser, intermarried with Wm. H. Miller, of Waterloo, Iowa:

You are hereby notified that in pursuance of a Writ of Partition issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, Pa., and to me directed, I will hold an inquest on the real estate of John Grasser, dec'd., situate in Conemaugh Twp., Somerset Co., Pa., on Tuesday, the 9th day of September, 1890, when and where you can attend if you think proper.

Sheriff's Office. } R. S. McMILLEN.
July 21, 1890. } Sheriff.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE

—OF—

Valuable Real Estate.

In the estate of John Weaver, dec'd., late of Paint Township, Somerset County, Pa.

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, Pa., there will be exposed to public sale on the premises, on

FRDIAY, AUGUST 8, 1890,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described piece of land, viz: A tract of nine acres and eighty-three perches in Paint Township, Somerset County, Pa., adjoining lands of Jacob Weaver, the public road leading to Scalp Level, and the home farm of said John Weaver, deceased.

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 20, 1890,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate of Lydia Hochstetler, deceased, consisting of a farm situate in Greenville Township, adjoining lands of Noah Lint, I. K. Hochstetler, Urias Hochstetler, Noah Klingaman, John Arnold and others, containing 175 acres, more or less, with a

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E. K. HOCHSTETLER,
aug13. Administrator.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR INCORPORATION.

In the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Somerset, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., under the "Corporation Act of 1874" and the supplements thereto, by the Christian Church of New Centreville, Pa., for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called the "Christian Church of New Centreville, Pa." The character and object of which is to support public worship according to the faith, doctrine, discipline and usages of said church, and for this purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said act and its supplements.

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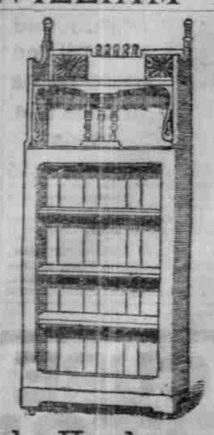

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