# The Somerset Herald.

EDWARD SCULL, Editor and Proprietor.

WEDNESDAY.....FEB. 20, 1895.


THE bill making the minimum school term seven months has been defeated in the Senate.

THE Burlington *Hawk-Eye* suggests that the ice that has formed between Mr. Cleveland and his party is thick enough for skating.

THE Legislature adjourned on Friday last until Monday, the 25th inst. It wouldn't do, you know, to deprive "the boys" of their right to vote at the spring elections.

NEVER before, within the knowledge of man, did the snow cover so large a stretch of country. The wise observers say it means immense crops for the coming summer.

THE Democrats in the present Congress started in cock-a-whoop to fight "protection to American industry," and the session ends with a Kilkenny fight among themselves.

UNCLE SAM yet owns 2,000,000 square miles of unoccupied land, an area almost as large as all Europe, excluding Russia. When it is all settled up what a country we will have!

THE cold snap has carried death to untold millions of bugs and tree-destroying insects and we ought to have an abundant fruit crop. So there is hope of compensation for the present bitter weather and mountainous snow drifts.

LINCOLN'S birthday (Feb'y 12th) was suitably celebrated on Tuesday of last week in a large number of cities throughout the country. There is apparently a growing sentiment to adopt the suggestion of Hannibal Hamlin to make the day a National holiday.

WHEN Queen "Lill" was running things in Hawaii, she proposed to cut off the head of President Dole for high treason. Now she is on trial for the same crime and nothing but the clemency of President Dole will keep her woolly head on her shoulders.

UNDER a Republican administration and a protective tariff, there was no trouble to borrow millions and to make millions. Under a "tariff reform" administration, we are paying extortionate rates for money to the bankers of Europe and our people are starving for want of employment.

THE country was assured that the "reform tariff" was to open up the markets of the world to American farmers and manufacturers. Ask the wheat growers, the cotton planters, the sheep raisers, the cattle men or the manufacturers, what they think of their new and world-wide markets!

THE Democratic members of the Finance Committee of the U. S. Senate have agreed to report a bill in favor of the unrestricted coinage of silver. This is a mere piece of bravado. There is no more prospect of such a bill passing this Congress than there is that Grover Cleveland will resign his position as President.

FOR thirty years, when this government was under Republican rule, it borrowed many millions of dollars, dictating its terms to the bankers of the world, and reducing its rates of interest as it saw fit, but last week the President negotiated a loan of $63,000,000 with the Rothchilds and Belmonts of England, and they dictated the terms. A more shameful bargain was never made. Exactly the same kind of bonds word for word two years ago could have been placed at 2½ per cent. which were last week placed at 3½ per cent.

These $62,000,000 of 4 per cent. bonds were sold the English bankers at 104½, and they have since been bid for them 113½; thus this imbecile Administration allows the foreign cormorants a profit of nearly $8,000,000 on the transaction. This was a private transaction made by Mr. Cleveland and his Secretary of the Treasury, without giving our own bankers or any one else a chance to compete for the loan. And moreover on the day this negotiation was consummated 4 per cent. bonds of a former and similar issue and falling due in 1907 were selling in New York at 111½. A Republican President, with a Democratic Congress in power, would be summarily impeached for such a transaction. Ain't the people of the country paying dearly for their whistle? it costs, but they would have it.

### A Democratic Editor's Opinion of Cleveland

The Washington correspondent of a Texas Democratic paper has received a "roast" from his editor, for having said a good word for Cleveland's intentions. Following are two extracts from this editor's letter: "We do not believe a word of the stated desire of Cleveland to serve the best interests of the country; do not believe that the ablest financiers are in accord with him; do not believe that he has a right to draft bills for Congress to enact, and do not believe he is a patriot." * * * "We think the administration just about as rotten as anything in the last half century."

### McKinley and Revenue.

Governor McKinley spoke at the dinner of the Chamber of Commerce of Rochester, N. Y., upon the financial question. Referring to the fact that the government is not receiving sufficient revenue to pay its running expenses, and that its credit is threatened, he said: "Whatever difference we may have had, we must all agree now that the situation is one that requires the highest sagacity in statesmanship and the broadest patriotism in citizenship. Let us, first of all, keep without stain, and above all without suspicion, the credit of our country. Let us provide somehow and in some sensible, practical way for the collection of enough money annually to pay all our current expenses, interest on the public debt, pension to soldiers, and every other governmental obligation. Until that is done, if we have to borrow money, that should be done, and the sooner the better, but this will be only a temporary cure and provision. That must be supplemented by legislation that will raise in taxes and tariffs a steady income, full and ample, for every government need. The way to stop loans is to stop deficiencies. The reserve is sure to be drained if you cut off the supply. I agree with the President that a "predicament" confronts us, and I am sure there is wisdom and patriotism ample in the country to relieve ourselves from that predicament or any other, and to place us once more at the head of the nations of the world in credit, production and prosperity."

### Hasting's First Veto.

Governor Hastings has justified the prophecy made by his friends that he will not permit the useless multiplying of offices, especially Judges, in the State. Saturday afternoon he filed in the State Department—the Legislature not being in session—his veto of the bill giving Washington county an additional Law Judge.

The controlling question, he says, was whether or not a necessity existed for such an additional Judge. He succeeded in securing data by which he shows that only 137 cases were put at issue in 1894. The number of cases tried by Judge and jury was only 71. All the cases at issue for February, 1895, were put down for trial, and a term of four weeks given in which to try them.

Governor Hastings decided that one Judge has kept up with business there very well, and if a second Judge were put upon the bench he would have an easy task to perform. Furthermore, he says, and in saying so he knocks in the head the hopes of those who have bills creating new judgeships in course of passage through the Legislature, that he has a right to assume that there will be a new judicial apportionment, and it will observe a prudent regard for the public needs. The message is regarded as a slap at the legislators who are running riot with schemes for all kinds of new offices, and to create places for chronic officeseekers.

### Trying to Oust a Judge.

FRANKLIN, Pa., Feb. 16.—Judge Charels E. Taylor, under indictment for attempting to kill Deputy Sheriff Shoemaker, will be impeached if the Venango County lawyers can do it. The Legislature will be petitioned to investigate the Judge's record, and to pass judgment upon the charges brought against him.

The committee of the Venango County bar appointed to investigate the charges against Judge Taylor to-day made their report at a meeting of the Bar Association. The testimony taken before the committee went to show that Judge Taylor is and has been for some time, incapacitated for the duties of his office, and that his conduct has been immoral, arbitrary, vindictive and subversive of justice. It is also averred that during the trial of cases Judge Taylor had used vulgar and indecent language.

The lawyers say the Judge has openly shown partiality and interfered with trials; and that he has been guilty of intoxication. Following this the committee submitted a memorial to the Legislature asking, on behalf of the bar of Venango County, that a committee be appointed to come to this county and investigate these charges.

The friends of Judge Taylor fought vigorously against the adoption of the report on the ground that he is under indictment for attempting to kill Deputy Sheriff Shoemaker and it would prejudice the case, but it was adopted by a vote of 28 to 13.

### Hydrophobia's Victims.

INDIANA, Pa., Feb. 14.—A mad dog was loose in Indiana county this week and a goose, a cow, a horse and several pigs were soon hydrophobia victims. The dog attacked a goose belonging to Mrs. Harvey Uber of Center township; a child, a cow, a calf and a valuable horse belonging to Postmaster Lewis of Tannery, and a lot of pigs belonging to Jacob Shank of Center township. Both the mare and cow belonging to Mr. Lewis, having shown unmistakable signs of hydrophobia, have been put to death with bullets. The cow, previous to being shot, pawed, horned and bellowed savagely at everything in sight. Mr. Shank has been forced to kill seven of the pigs which contracted the terrible disease. The child of Mr. Lewis which was attacked by the dog has shown no effects of the bite as yet. The dog is dead, having been killed by a kick from the horse which it tackled and which, as above stated, was shot.

### Hope Crushed to Earth

Will rise again in the bosom of a dyspeptic wise enough to substitute for the pseudotonics, which have bamboozled him out of his belief in the possibility of cure, the real invigorant and stomachic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The bilious, the nervous, the dyspeptic, the rheumatic alike derive speedy benefit from this helpful botanic medicine. Persons suffering from indigestion will gain no positive permanent good from the fiery, unmedicated stimulants of commerce, too often used reckiessly. The Bitters is immeasurably to be preferred to these as a tonic, since its pure basis is modified by the conjunction with it of vegetable ingredients of the highest remedial excellence. Malaria is prevented and remedied by it, and it infuses vigor into the weak and sickly. A wineglassful three times a day is the average dose.

### Saved by His Brother.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The *Sun* publishes the following under a London date: A thrilling story of German heroism at sea, which goes far to offset some of the reports regarding the loss of the Elbe, comes from Schleswig Holstein. One stormy morning last week a fishing village was awakened by a gunshot off the coast. Hastening to the beach, the people saw a ship wrecked on a reef a mile away. The crew were in the rigging. A lifeboat was run out, but Harrow, the leader of the crew, was absent. Eight men rowed to the wreck. The crew were got into the lifeboat, with the exception of one, who was lashed high up on a mast. He was half-frozen, and as the storm was increasing and the lifeboat overloaded it was decided that he could not be taken off. When the lifeboat returned to the shore Harrow had arrived. He asked whether everyone had been saved and was told that one remained. "I will fetch him," said Harrow; "will you go with me?"

The men refused, and Harrow sprang into the lifeboat. At this moment his mother came running down and begged him not to venture out, reminding him that both his father and his brother Uwe had been drowned. Uwe was his youngest brother, and as he had not been heard from for years he was supposed to be dead. Harrow and four other men finally set out for the wreck. The lifeboat reached it, and Harrow climbed the mast and brought the half-frozen man down. He was laid in the bottom of the boat, and Harrow bent over him and remained so until the boat was so near the shore that his voice could be heard. Then he waved his cap and shouted: "Tell my mother we have saved Uwe."

### Practically a Life Sentence.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 17.—When a man is sentenced to the penitentiary in New Jersey the law requires that he must pay the State for his keep during his imprisonment, and under the contract system in vogue a prisoner can scarcely make enough to pay for his food. Charles D. Holmes was sentenced in June, 1884, to 10 years for incendiarism at Red Bank, and, with the commutation for good behavior, his term expired three and a half years ago. But he cannot earn enough to pay for his sustenance and the fine of $1,000 also imposed upon him, and unless the Governor sets him free he bids fair to spend the remainder of his life behind the bars.

### Printing Press on a War Field.

The latest idea of the Emperor William is reported to be the construction of a printing press for service in the field. He has, it is stated, had a carriage constructed in which a little printing room is arranged so that in a campaign he will be able to have his orders, proclamations, etc., printed for distribution. Up to the present, he has always been accompanied by a carriage containing a table, on which his secretaries copied his orders. His Imperial Majesty will, it is said, make use of the new field printing press at the great maneuvers this autumn.

### Harrisburg Letter.

HARRISBURG, PA., Feb. 17, 1895.

The new judicial apportionment bill has been reported. Montour county is added to Northumberland. Westmoreland is made the Tenth district and given an additional law judge. Clarion county is attached to Jefferson, and under this bill will be given an additional judge until the next election, when the people of the district will elect one presiding judge. Union and Snyder counties will constitute the Twentieth district, Mifflin county being added to Huntingdon to form the Forty-ninth district. Schuylkill county gets an orphans' court judge in addition to the three common pleas judges it now has. Cameron is taken from Clinton and Elk counties and placed with McKean and Potter counties. Washington county gets an additional law judge, as does also Delaware county. Wayne is attached to Susquehanna county, and Centre county is made a separate district. To Columbia are added Wyoming and Sullivan counties. The reapportionment reduces the number of districts from fifty-two to fifty. The people of Elk and Clinton counties are vigorously opposing the separation of Cameron county from their district, but the Cameron people desire the change and will likely carry their point.

The House Committee on Education has reported a bill changing the method of granting certificates to teachers. Instead of permitting the teachers' institutes to select the committee, as is now done, the bill provides that the county superintendent and two teachers, with two others to be selected by the State Superintendent, shall constitute the board of examiners.

Representative Miller, of Somerset county, and a member of the Grange, has, at the earnest solicitation of a large number of his constituents, prepared a bill providing for the payment of a bounty for the destruction of wildcats, foxes, minks and certain species of hawks and owls.

The investigations of naturalists show conclusively that all the species of animals of both the feathered and furred kinds mentioned in the bill, which were presented to the Legislature last week by Mr. Miller, are destructive to poultry, game and various varieties of small wild birds.

There will most likely be considerable opposition to this bill from especially such counties as Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Washington, where fox hunting is extensively followed as a diversion.

The Marshall bill repealing the law of 1893 preventing the consolidation of pipe line companies came up for third reading and was strongly opposed and defended by a number of Representatives from the oil regions. Representative D. B. Douthett, of Butler county, made a particularly able address against its passage. The bill passed finally by a vote of 118 to 57. It now goes to the Senate.

The Forestry Fire Warden bill passed the House finally after a protracted and vigorous opposition by a vote of 104 to 63.

A large number of petitions from farmers and Grangers in different sections of the State, against the repeal of the oleomargarine law of 1885, have been presented in the House.

On this subject a Harrisburg correspondent of the Pittsburg *Dispatch* says: "Unless a combination is formed of the Philadelphia and Allegheny county delegations and the members from the towns and cities, the attempt to secure more reasonable oleo. legislation will prove futile. The Grangers to a man are opposed to any bill that will afford relief, and on this subject they will stick like leeches. They may quarrel about fences and the protection of forests, but on oleo. they will unite."

The trustees of the Memorial Hospital at Johnstown having asked for a State appropriation of $5,000 for the purpose of assisting in the erection of a pest-house for patients affected with contagious diseases, a sub-committee of the State Appropriation Committee, composed of Hon. H. F. James, of Franklin; D. M. Anderson, M. D., of Washington, and W. C. Smith, of Everett, left this city on Fast Line for Johnstown on Friday to inquire into the merits of the request. The whole amount required to purchase the ground and have the building erected is $16,000, $5,000 of which the local physicians will try to raise by subscription.

In view of the laudable object for which the above amount is asked and the fact that one-half of the sum required will be raised by subscription, the Legislature should not hesitate to make this appropriation, even if other requests should have to be cut down or refused.

The bill to establish a Department of Agriculture, introduced by Mr. Moore, of Bradford, passed finally by a vote of 155 to 4. There is little doubt but that it will receive the approval of the Governor, who recommended in his inaugural address legislation in the line which this bill provides for.

The last invitations have been sent out for the reception to be given by Governor and Mrs. Hastings at the executive mansion on Tuesday evening, February 26, that being the governor's birthday. Invitations have been extended to members of Congress and judges of Pennsylvania, governor's staff, major general and staff, brigadier generals and staff, and many people of Harrisburg. The affair promises to be the greatest social event Harrisburg has had in many years, 800 or 1,000 persons having been invited. The entire executive mansion will be thrown open from 8 to 11 o'clock and refreshments will be served to all. Private Secretary Reitler has charge of the arrangements and being experienced in such work, has everything well under way. He has arranged with the railroad companies to have special cars attached to all trains en route to Harrisburg from all parts of the State. This is a feature which will be appreciated by out-of-town guests, the accommodation having not been provided heretofore.

The State is asked by institutions in the vicinity of Pittsburg for appropriations as follows: Homeopathic Hospital, $20,000; West Penn Hospital, $165,000; Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Blind, $4,000; Allegheny General Hospital, $65,000; Western Penitentiary, $350,000; Children's Aid Society, $15,000; Ladies' G. A. R. Home, $25,500; Edgewood Deaf and Dumb Institute, $150,000; Morganza Reform School, $140,000.

The old soldiers of the Legislature and departments have formed a permanent organization with Senator Gobin as President; Representatives W. F. Stewart, of Philadelphia, and W. F. Moore, of Chester, Vice Presidents; N. Scanor, of Indiana, Secretary; J. M. McElroy, of McKean, Assistant Secretary, and John Barner, of Harrisburg, Messenger.

The bill to require constables to make returns to the court only when they have violations of the law to report passed the Senate. The purpose of this bill is to save costs to the various counties and to decrease the fees of constables.

The concurrent resolution that when the House adjourns on the 15th it shall adjourn until February 25th, was concurred in; and a resolution was adopted making the adjournment of the Senate to the same time.

### Pictures By Telegraph.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 17.—W. W. Lowe, train dispatcher of the Northern Pacific Railroad, yesterday gave a successful exhibition of his invention for transmitting pictures by telegraph. The test was made in the presence of a number of railroad officials. One of the pictures sent over the wire was that of a boy, and the reproduction was exact.

Later developments showed the faintest details can be transmitted, even to the shading of the features of a person, a smile or a scowl. A cut was sent over the wire showing the collision between the Elbe and the Crathie.

Mr. Lowe now has his device in the Patent Office, and until the patent is secured he does not intend to explain the method of his invention.

### Farm Animals.

The statistical bureau of the department of agriculture has issued a bulletin showing the numbers and prices of farm animals.

In value horses have declined 24.1 per cent; mules, 23.5 per cent; milch cows have increased about 1 per cent; oxen and other cattle have lost in value 4.1 per cent; sheep have declined 20.2 per cent, and swine, 16.9 per cent.

The decline in the farm prices of horses is general throughout the country. The exceptions are to be found in the mountain and Pacific states and Massachusetts. The range of horses is from $16.18 per head in Utah to $74.13 in Massachusetts.

The average value of milch cows has increased from $21.77 in 1894 to $21.97 for this year.

The average values per capita of animals, as estimated, are as follows: Horses, $36.29; mules, $47.55; milch cows, $21.97; oxen and other cattle, $14.06; sheep, $1.58; hogs, $4.97.

The aggregate numbers and value of animals are as follows: Horses, number, 15,893,318, value, $576,730,580; mules, number, 2,333,108, value, $110,927,834; milch cows, number, 16,594,629, value $362,601,729; oxen and other cattle number, 34,364,216, value, $482,999,129; sheep, number, 42,264,064, value, $66,685,767; swine, number, 34,105,716, value, $219,501,267.

Total value of live stock on farms is $1,819,446,306; a decrease of $351,370,448 from the total value of 1893.

### TO FLORIDA

#### Personally-Conducted Tour via Pennsylvania Railroad.

To the large number of people who feel the need of a midwinter as well as a midsummer holiday, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's personally-conducted tours to Florida especially commend themselves; the excursion rates being most liberal and the style of travel first-class in every particular.

The next of the series of Jacksonville tours, allowing two weeks' stay in Florida, will leave New York and Philadelphia on February 26, and others will leave on March 12 and 26. The rate, including transportation, meals *en route*, and Pullman berth on special train is $50.00 from New York, and $48.00 from Philadelphia; proportionate rates from other points.

For further information apply to Ticket Agents, or address Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, to whom application for space should also be made.

### Rat Stampedes Worshipers.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 14.—A large congregation in Salvation Army Hall, last night, was stampeded in the midst of prayer by an irreligious rat. The worshipers were kneeling when the inquisitive rodent meandered out to the middle of the floor. Women who were close enough to see the little beast quickly jumped upon their seats, while one less devout maiden cried "rats!" That started the stampede. The prayer ended abruptly, and instantly every skirted person present mounted a seat in terror. The soldiers of the sterner sex began a chase. The rat was too much for them and escaped. During the remainder of the service many of the gentler sex discreetly sat upon the benches with their feet tugged snugly beneath them.

### Items of Interest.

In Schuylkill County 955 liquor licenses were granted, an increase of 58 over last year.

Senator Vilas proposes to buy postal cars, as the Government pays annually in rental double their actual cost.

The Grand Jury of Westmoreland County recommended the building of a new Court House at Greensburg, in its report made to the court on Monday.

The Republican managers of candidate Warwick's campaign for mayor of Philadelphia, claim that he will defeat ex-Governor Pattison by 30,000 majority.

Seventy young men of Greensburg have sent a petition to Gov. Hastings to be permitted to organize a cavalry troop, to be named the Coulter Troop, in honor of Gen. Richard Coulter.

General James Neil Rathune, a distinguished Georgian, who was the owner and for many years the manager of "Blind Tom," the famous negro pianist, died at his son's residence, in Washington, on Wednesday, aged 91 years.

Four million acres of Sioux Indian Reservation land in South Dakota are now open for settlement by purchase at 50 cents an acre. This is under an act passed in 1889. Many settlers have claims, and a great rush is looked for when Spring opens.

The Erie court sentenced Frank Anderson and John O'Connell to 10 years each in the penitentiary for the robbery of the Sioux's at Edinboro. Jeremiah Casey was sent to the Huntingdon reformatory for a year, after which his release will depend upon his conduct.

A dispatch from Springfield, Illinois, states that the shortage of $339,000 discovered in the accounts of State Treasurer Rufus Ramsey, who died last November, has been paid by the banks that were on his bond for $300,000. The banks expect to realize about $225 from Ramsey's estate.

The idea that some persons have been buried alive in the State of Delaware has been brought to the attention of the Legislature. In both branches a memorial was read asking for a law providing for a more careful inspection of persons supposed to be dead, in order to avoid the possibility of premature burial.

It is probable that the case of Internal Revenue Collector Kearns, of Pittsburg, will be decided this week. There is excellent authority saying that Kearns will be removed. The case, it is said, is to be decided on its merits, and that means removal. Just what day the matter will be determined is not known, but it is understood the middle of this week will see it disposed of.

Nathan Thieman has served as an enlisted man and commissioned officer continuously for over 42 years. He has been in 242 engagements and was wounded seven times. He served in the United States, Mexico, Egypt, and was an acquaintance of and had letters from Lincoln, Davis and "Stonewall" Jackson, and was in charge of Fortress Monroe while Jeff Davis was a prisoner there. He died recently at Valentine, Neb., in utter destitution.

### Notice of Appeals.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned County Commissioners of Somerset county, Pa., will hear appeals from the Triennial Assessment of 1895, in their office in the Court House, Somerset, Pa., as follows:

Addison and Paint townships, March 11.
Stoystown borough, Ursina borough, Jenner township and Jennertown borough, March 12.
Conemaugh and Upper Turkeyfoot townships, March 13.
Shade and Lower Turkeyfoot townships, March 14.
Quemahoning township, Rockwood borough and New Centreville borough, March 15.
Brothersvalley township and Berlin borough, March 16.
Elk Lick township and Salisbury borough, March 19.
Allegheny township and New Baltimore borough, March 20.
Fairhope township, Northampton township and Southampton township, March 21.
Larimer township, Greenville township and Wellersburg borough, March 22.
Jefferson township and Middlecreek township, March 25.
Stonycreek township and Lincoln township, March 26.
Black township and Milford township, March 27.
Summit township, March 28.
Somerset township, March 29.
Meyersdale borough and Somerfield borough, April 3.
Somerset borough, April 4.
Ogle township, Benson borough, Confluence borough and Casselman borough, April 5.

We will also hear appeals from owners of mineral lands and rights, as follows:

Elk Lick and Summit townships, April 8.
Paint and Shade townships, April 9.
Quemahoning and Stonycreek townships, April 10, and the remaining districts on April 11.

HENRY F. BARNETT,
SAMUEL U. SHOBER,
WILLIAM F. HAY,
Commissioners.

Attest:—
J. G. EMERT, Clerk.

Commissioners' Office,
Somerset, Pa., Feb. 13, '95.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Simon Blubaugh, late of Southampton 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 for settlement duly authenticated, at the late residence of decedent, in Southampton township, on Saturday, March 30th, 1895.

CHAS. U. BLUBAUGH,
SIMON O. BLUBAUGH,
Executors.

### Notice to Contractors and Builders.

The Directors of the Poor and House of Employment will receive sealed proposals to erect a frame addition to the large white house on the poor farm up until 1st March, 1895, at 12 M. The bid must be for the entire work. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Attorney L. C. Colborn, Somerset, Pa. Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids. By order of

DIRECTORS OF THE POOR,
for Somerset County.

### ASSESSORS RETURNS.

A tabular statement of the property taxable for county and state purposes, as returned by the several assessors of Somerset county for the year 1895.

| DISTRICTS. | COUNTY. | STATE. |
|---|---|---|
| Addison township | $285,214 | $180,652 |
| Allegheney township | 166,428 | 16,952 |
| Benson borough | 33,131 | 9,061 |
| Berlin borough | 192,949 | 75,844 |
| Black township | 120,346 | 4,468 |
| Brothersvalley township | 657,518 | 85,391 |
| Casselman borough | 12,846 | 4,919 |
| Conemaugh township | ..... | ..... |
| Confluence borough | 124,040 | 15,463 |
| Elk Lick township | ..... | ..... |
| Fairhope township | 61,980 | ..... |
| Greenville township | 107,740 | 14,759 |
| Jefferson township | 242,068 | 18,997 |
| Jennertown borough | 21,183 | 14,500 |
| Jenner township | 565,482 | 65,053 |
| Larimer township | 49,715 | 19,678 |
| Lincoln township | 241,896 | 21,169 |
| Lower Turkeyfoot township | 134,824 | 9,411 |
| Meyersdale borough | ..... | ..... |
| Middlecreek township | 189,868 | ..... |
| Milford township | 526,748 | 35,970 |
| New Baltimore borough | ..... | ..... |
| New Centreville borough | 31,313 | 10,143 |
| Northampton township | 108,335 | ..... |
| Ogle township | 15,123 | 275 |
| Paint township | 200,214 | 77,342 |
| Quemahoning township | 457,450 | 30,818 |
| Rockwood borough | 110,891 | 29,466 |
| Salisbury borough | 127,067 | 59,169 |
| Shade township | 259,264 | 15,876 |
| Somerfield borough | 19,802 | 6,676 |
| Somerset borough | 407,695 | 254,862 |
| Somerset township | ..... | ..... |
| Southampton township | 124,369 | 5,186 |
| Stonycreek township | 445,196 | 74,969 |
| Stoystown borough | 62,513 | 23,344 |
| Summit township | 540,773 | 119,653 |
| Upper Turkeyfoot township | 287,863 | 28,236 |
| Ursina borough | 55,651 | 7,520 |
| Wellersburg borough | 27,055 | 2,266 |

Notice is hereby given that Saturday, the 23d day of February, 1895, has been fixed as the day for finally determining whether any of the valuations of the assessors have been made too low.

HENRY F. BARNETT,
SAMUEL U. SHOBER,
WILLIAM F. HAY,
Commissioners.

Attest:—
J. G. EMERT, Clerk.

Com's Office, Feb. 5, '95.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

—OF—

## Valuable Real Estate!

Jacob Sechler & Louisa Sechler for use of Louisa Sechler vs. Henry Hay. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset Co., Pa. No. 1, May T., 1894. (Partition Docket.)

By virtue of an order issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset county, Pa., in the above stated case, to me directed, I will offer for sale by public outcry, at the Court House, in Somerset borough, on

**Friday, Feb. 22d, '95,**
**at 1 o'clock P. M.,**

the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain messuage and tract of land situate in Milford township, Somerset county, Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of Valentine Hay, Mary Hay, S. P. Wehner and others, containing about 100 acres and eight perches, being the same tract of land conveyed by Jacob D. Snyder and wife to Henry Hay and Louisa Sechler by deed dated April 8, 1885, recorded in Deed Record, Vol. 65, page 67, having thereon erected a

A TWO-STORY FRAME

## Dwelling House,

bank barn and other outbuildings, with the appurtenances.

**Terms:** made known on day of sale.

Sheriff's Office, Jan. 30th, 1895. } EDWARD HOOVER, Sheriff.

### Administrator's Sale

—OF—

## Valuable Real Estate!

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county, Pa., and to me directed, I will expose to sale at the Court House, in the borough of Somerset, Pa., on

**Friday, February 22, 1895,**
**At 1 O'clock P. M.,**

the following real estate.

No. 1. All those 2 certain lots of ground situate in the borough of Ursina, Somerset county, Pa., and known on the general plan of said borough as lots Nos. 215 and 216, having thereon erected a

TWO-STORY FRAME

## Dwelling House,

stable and other outbuildings, fronting on Weyand Avenue 57½ feet each and extending back 150 feet each to an alley, bounded on the east by an alley and on the west by lot of Mrs. Andrew Rolliday.

No. 2. All those 2 certain lots of ground situate as aforesaid and known on the general plan of said borough as lots Nos. 219 & 220, fronting on Weyand Avenue 57½ feet each and extending back to an alley 150 feet each, bounded on the east by an alley and on the west by the Odd Fellows lot in said borough, having thereon erected a

TWO-STORY FRAME

## Dwelling House,

and other outbuildings.

TERMS:—Cash.

NANNIE C. YUTZY,
Administratrix of E. D. Yutzy.

John R. Scott, Atty.

### REGISTER'S NOTICES.

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, Pa., on

**Wednesday, February 27th, 1895.**

First and partial account of Josiah Pile, executor of George Pile, dec'd.
First and final account of Jessie C. Sweitzer, administrator of Shaon Sweitzer, dec'd.
First and final account of Cyrus Ringer and Jacob F. Miller, administrators of John M. Werner, dec'd.
First and final account of Noah Pritts, administrator of Adam P. Baker, dec'd.
First account of W. D. Younkin, administrator of J. C. Younkin, dec'd.
Second and final account of Stephen McClintock, executor of John P. McClintock, dec'd.
First account of Robert E. Ross, one of the executors of M. A. Ross, dec'd.
Second account of Jacob I. Kaufman and Levi Yoder, executors of Isaac Kaufman, dec'd.
First account of Jacob J. Kline, one of the administrators of Benjamin Kline, dec'd.
First and final account of Wm. H. Miller, administrator of William Holder, dec'd.
First and final account of Wm. H. Miller, administrator of William Dinges, dec'd.
First and final account of Jacob Hoffman, administrator of Henry Wechtenheiser, dec'd.
The account of Martha E. Cooper, administratrix of Catharine McAfee, dec'd.

Register's Office, Jan. 30th, 1895. } JACOB S. MILLER, Register.

### Retail Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed their applications for Tavern License in my office, and that the same will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions for allowance, on

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 1895.**

Ed. Nicklow, Addison twp.
Alice K. Higinbotham, Addison twp.
Andrew McQuade, Berlin borough.
Joseph S. Zimmerman, Berlin borough.
Scott Sterner, Confluence borough.
G. P. Shaffer, " "
J. M. Dodds, " "
William A. Swan, " "
August Koehler, Conemaugh twp.
Wm. F. Carpenter, " "
Thomas S. Williams, Elk Lick "
H. G. Stahl, Jenner twp.
J. J. Kimmell, Larimer twp.
John H. Slicer, Meyersdale borough.
Nathaniel Slicer, " "
J. C. Reed, " "
John W. Guthrie, " "
John K. Kessler, Northampton twp.
Peter A. Johns, Rockwood borough.
Sam'l A. Haines, " "
Charles S. Vannear, Somerset borough.
Jacob B. Winters, " "
Edgar Kyle, " "
W. H. Tayman, " twp.
Henry Loechel, Salisbury borough.
C. T. Hay, Salisbury borough.
Kiser Kimmel, Summit twp.
Joseph Schrock, Summit twp.
Samuel Custer, Stoystown "
John H. Hite, " "
Thomas H. Smith, Ursina borough.
W. J. B. Benford, " "
Joseph Hershberger, Quemahoning twp.
Mount Pleasant Brewing Company Somerset borough.

Clerk's Office, February 6, '95. } F. P. SAYLOR, Clerk.

# RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

—OF THE—

## DIRECTORS OF THE POOR

—AND—

## HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT

—OF—

## Somerset County, Pennsylvania,

**FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1894.**

E. E. PUGH, ESQ., TREASURER OF THE POOR HOUSE OF SOMERSET COUNTY, in account with the county of Somerset, Pennsylvania, for the year ending the 31st day of December, A. D., 1894.

### RECEIPTS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | To amount of sales and receipts at the poor house 1894 | $ 939 79 |
| 2 | To Somerset county for order No—1894 Musselman fund | 30 00 |
| 3 | To Somerset county for order No—1894 to balance account | 9575 47 |
| | Carried forward | $10495 26 |

### EXPENDITURES.

*OUTDOOR EXPENSES.* CR. DR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Amount forwarded | | | $10495 26 |
| 1 | By amount paid for out door relief | $1028 95 | | |
| 2 | " " maintenance of children Act 1885 | 100 59 | | |
| 3 | " " out door paupers | 149 50 | | |
| 4 | " " visitors' traveling expenses | 47 34 | | |
| 5 | " " justices and constables fees | 23 16 | | |
| 6 | " " conveying out door paupers | 114 50 | | |
| 7 | " " medical attendance out door paupers | 245 65 | | |
| 8 | " " coffins out door paupers | 125 50 | | |
| 9 | " " railroad fare out door paupers | 39 65 | | |
| 10 | " " maintenance of lunatics at Dixmont | 1242 19 | | |
| 11 | " " maintenance of children at Elwyn | 38 34 | | |
| 12 | " " telegrams | 2 52 | | |
| 13 | " " settlement of suits &c | 154 00 | | |
| 14 | " " directors' traveling expenses | 36 35 | | |
| 15 | " " maintenance of lunatics at Wernersville | 52 29 | | |
| 16 | " " other counties paupers | 29 05 | $ 3496 58 | |

*EXPENSES OF POOR HOUSE PROPER.*

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | By amount paid for clothing and dry goods | $ 605 34 | | |
| 2 | " " shoes and leather | 184 82 | | |
| 3 | " " wheat, flour and meal | 148 57 | | |
| 4 | " " sugar, molasses and apple butter, &c | 273 42 | | |
| 5 | " " coffee and tea | 320 65 | | |
| 6 | " " beef, bacon and fish | 301 77 | | |
| 7 | " " rice and crackers | 50 82 | | |
| 8 | " " groceries | 155 14 | | |
| 9 | " " salt, butter and soap | 29 76 | | |
| 10 | " " turnips, cabbage, potatoes, fruit and eggs | 64 75 | | |
| 11 | " " coal and oil | 120 82 | | |
| 12 | " " tobacco | 134 05 | | |
| 13 | " " postage, box rent and stationery | 37 54 | | |
| 14 | " " justices' and constables' fees | 168 61 | | |
| 15 | " " drugs, medicines, Ex. and Certificate | 150 59 | | |
| 16 | " " coffins | 126 50 | | |
| 17 | " " vinegar, weaving and carding | 42 56 | | |
| 18 | " " printing and directors' report | 62 00 | | |
| 19 | " " hardware and brooms | 54 40 | | |
| 20 | " " glassware, queensware and tinware | 50 73 | $ 3312 90 | |

*FARM EXPENSES.*

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | By amount paid for farm implements | $ 148 00 | | |
| 2 | " " smithing and hardware | 71 17 | | |
| 3 | " " fertilizers and lime | 276 73 | | |
| 4 | " " lumber and fence posts | 49 02 | | |
| 5 | " " fuel | 88 18 | | |
| 6 | " " seeds and plants | 161 57 | | |
| 7 | " " threshing | 40 00 | | |
| 8 | " " repairs and saddlery | 84 00 | | |
| 9 | " " labor and dynamite | 42 55 | $ 862 62 | |

*IMPROVEMENTS.*

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | By amount paid for repairs and labor | $ 7 75 | | |
| 2 | " " water closets, baths, &c | 270 00 | $ 277 75 | |

*EXTRAORDINARY EXPENSES.*

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | By amount paid for furniture | $ 157 35 | | |
| 2 | " " live stock | 255 13 | | |
| 3 | " " freight and express | 3 87 | | |
| 4 | " " purchase money treasurer's sale | 82 27 | | |
| 5 | " " electric light | 221 05 | | |
| 6 | " " insurance on buildings | 167 00 | | |
| 7 | " " records and clerk at settlement | 32 75 | | |
| 8 | " " legal notices | 12 00 | | |
| 9 | " " money paid children on agreement | 62 50 | | |
| 10 | " " Musselman fund library | 26 12 | $ 1029 61 | |

*SALARIES AND WAGES.*

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | By amount paid to director Joseph L. Miller | $ 50 00 | | |
| 2 | " " " Josiah D. Weigle | 50 00 | | |
| 3 | " " " Jacob McGregor | 50 00 | | |
| 4 | " " attorney and clerk L. C. Colborn | 221 00 | | |
| 5 | " " physician P. F. Shaffer | 150 00 | | |
| 6 | " " " H. S. Kimmell | 19 00 | | |
| 7 | " " steward John C. Miller | 600 00 | | |
| 8 | " " treasurer Elmer E. Pugh | 40 00 | | |
| 9 | " " cook | 78 00 | | |
| 10 | " " janitor and nurse | 160 00 | | |
| 11 | " " outstanding order for 1893 | 8 00 | $ 1428 00 | |
| | | | $10495 26 | $ 10495 26 |

### THE DIRECTORS OF THE POOR,

in account with Somerset County, Pennsylvania.

| | | DR. | CR. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | To amount of estimate for expenses | $ 550 00 | |
| 2 | To amount of receipts from sale &c | 932 53 | |
| 3 | By amount over expended estimate | 17 47 | |
| | Received from Co.