The Somerset Herald.

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Those changing their P. O. address April 1st should give us both the old and the new address.

Violins, Mandolins, Guitars, Banjos and other stringed instruments at Snyder's drug store.

Many people in the county who have moved this year took advantage of the low rate and moved in sleds, rather than wait until the first of April.

Twenty years ago a Rochester girl while dressing a doll ran a needle into her hand. It broke off and about half an inch remained in the hand. By the X ray process the piece of needle has been found and will be removed.

It may save you time and money to be informed that, when you need a blood-purifier, Ayer Sarsaparilla is the kind that is favored with the medical profession. It is the standard and, as such, the only blood-purifier admitted at the Chicago World's Fair.

A. R. Copeland, of Parnassus, has just completed the largest lease of a contiguous tract of coal land on record in the United States. Mr. Copeland represents a syndicate of capitalists and has secured 2,000 acres of coal land in northern Westmoreland and Allegheny counties.

Hon. W. H. Herring, of Virginia, was in the city to-day and sold his house and lot adjoining a hundred acres at Hooversville to Mr. E. Berkbile, who now resides on the farm, for $3,500. Mr. Herring left this afternoon for Hooversville to spend a few days before he returns home.—*Johnstown Tribune.*

DANA'S Sarsaparilla is not only the best all-round cure for the Nerves, Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, and Blood: *but if no better, you can get your money back.*

The same guarantee applies to DANA'S Pain Cough Syrup, and Plasters.

For sale by David Gildner, M. D. Agent, Berlin, Pa.

While mixing feed in a trough for his hogs Frank Seibert, of Wintersville, this county, accidentally dropped his pocketbook, containing $17.40 in currency and silver. Upon missing the wallet he hurriedly returned to the stable only to find that one of the sows was about finishing eating it, and that its contents had been scattered.

A wholesale slaughter of snakes took place at the Shawen Iron Works the other day. A workman unearthed a ball of reptiles large enough to fill a bushel basket, so tightly wound together. He placed them in front of a furnace and soon pandemonium reigned among the workmen. Forty-eight of the reptiles were dispatched in short order.

The rapidity with which croup develops calls for instant treatment; and yet households are prepared for its coming. An admirable remedy for this disease is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It has saved hundreds of lives and should be in every house where there are young children.

The Spring term of the Indiana Normal School of Pennsylvania will open Tuesday, March 31, 1896. Special teachers have been engaged for the increased attendance. Daily drill in small classes a specialty in all departments. Students enrolled any time and may board in town. Cost of tuition for term $12.00 to $16.00. Inquire of

D. J. WALLACE, JR., Principal.

Mr. I. J. Bowman, of Friedens, Somerset county, spent yesterday and last night with his nephew—Mr. W. H. Auman—of Johnstown's Ward. He rode to this city yesterday, a distance of thirty miles over here, horseback, without a saddle. Mr. Bowman is seventy-four years old.—Tuesday's Johnstown *Tribune.*

Citizens of Mercer County are greatly excited over a report that W. J. Grace, the county Treasurer, is short in his accounts. It leaked out Tuesday, says a dispatch to the Pittsburg *Times*, that he is behind in his accounts to the extent of $[illegible]. It is a fact that the Auditing Committee have found a discrepancy to the extent, although they have not officially reported it.

Twenty-six hundred letter carriers, related to the Philadelphia postoffice, or who have served as carriers in previous years, were made happy Wednesday by participation in the distribution of sixty-one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which had been allowed by the committee to Philadelphia letter-carriers on account of overtime, and which had been provided for in the general deficiency bill which passed congress two weeks ago.

Nearly every part of Berks county, Pa., mockrats nowadays are used for food and are pronounced a first-class dish. Ten years ago the idea of eating muskrats would have been scorned in nearly every section of Berks. The muskrat is a great deal cleaner with its food than farmer animals that have for years been used on the table. It is claimed the muskrat meat is a great deal finer to the taste than that of a rabbit.

From November 30, 1895, to march 27, 1896, Mr. Noah Beam, of Paint township, Somerset county, after delivering what his family used, one hundred dozen of eggs to customers in Johnstown, receiving for them $18. Mr. Beam has about ninety hens, of mixed breed—brown and white Leghorns, Plymouth Rock, White Cochins, Spanish, etc. The chickens have free range of his barn in the daylight, but roost in coops alongside of the barn at night. Mr. Beam takes no special care of them, but they thrive well, as will be seen from the above.

A fellow who wanted to know how to kiss an ox received the following reply from an experienced hand: "Take an ox, 2 good way would be to catch him by means of a chain attached to a block to the top of a pole forty feet from the ground. Then hoist him up and tie his horns to another block fastened on his back a five spike driver, and if that don't break his ox you can start a country newspaper and accept people for their subscription. At the rates will do it sure."

Alexander C. Woods, a traveling man representing the firm of Hollinger Bros., of Chicago, was held up in Cumberland, Saturday night, by three men who demanded his money. Thinking they would kill him he thrust his hand into his pocket and drew forth a purse containing over $10, which was quickly pounced by the robbers. Just at this time a train pulled into the station and the robbers thinking they had secured all money in their victim's possession, allowed him to proceed. Woods had $[illegible] in his inside pocket.

Dr. H. Warren, economic zoologist of the department of agriculture, says farmers in Pennsylvania amounts to many thousand dollars a year in spite of the great destruction of animal life by trapping. In York county last year the revenue derived from the sale of pelts of the muskrat, skunk, opossum, mink, weasel, fox, and mink, for amounted to $[illegible]. A dealer at West Chester for several years sold from $8,000 to $10,000 worth of skins obtained in Chester county. The hunters and trappers of Lancaster county realize large sums annually by the sale of furs and pelts obtained there. Dr. Warren says Armstrong, Jefferson, Mercer and Lawrence counties send from $15,000 to $20,000 worth of skunk hides annually to the London markets.

W. S. Matthews and B. J. Bowman have opened a furniture store in Berlin.

The appointments of the United Evangelical Church, Somerset Circuit, have been postponed one week.

Elisha Baer, aged 61 years, died on the 21st inst., at his home in Greenville township. Death was caused by paralysis.

Messrs. Samuel F. and William W. Picking, of Chicago, arrived in town Friday morning and remained until Monday at the family residence, on Patriot street.

Passion week is being observed in the Reformed Church, services being held every evening. Easter communion services will be held Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. H. Yutzy died at her home in Sioux City, Iowa, on the 21st inst., aged 37 years. Her husband is a native of this county, being a brother of the late Col. E. D. Yutzy.

A. L. G. Hay, Esq., will leave in a few days for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend a National Convention of representatives of the Phi Kappa Si College fraternity, of which he is a member.

L. C. Colborn has been appointed one of four delegates from this state to the annual convention of the National Conference of Charities, which meets on June 4th in the city of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Peter A. Johns, formerly proprietor of the Merchants' Hotel, at Rockwood, was last week appointed chief deputy-sheriff of Fayette county. His many Somerset county friends will be pleased to learn of his good fortune.

Lawyer A. C. Holbert last week removed his law office from the rooms on Main Cross street, formerly occupied by John H. Uhl, Esq., and himself, to newly fitted up apartments on the second floor of the Cook & Beerits block.

Mrs. David Loop, of Upper Turkeyfoot township, died Sunday from a complication of diseases. She is survived by her husband and six children, the youngest one being only a few weeks old. The deceased was a daughter of John Eicher, of Upper Turkeyfoot.

The Commissioners' sale of unseated lands attracted a fair sized crowd of people to the Court House, Wednesday. It is said that two tracts sold for $200 are actually worth $2500 each. The entire sale realized about $2,500. A number of tracts were knocked down at $1.00 each.

Mr. D. G. Bowman, of Lisconb, Iowa, was a caller at this office yesterday afternoon. Mr. Bowman is a native of Northampton township, and was a former well-known surveyor in this county. He removed west about twenty years ago where he has since engaged in farming.

Mrs. Gideon Bowman, aged 74 years, died Wednesday afternoon, at her home in Northampton township. She is survived by her husband and five children, as follows: Daniel, of Iowa; Ephraim, of Bowman's Station; Mrs. Sadie Foust, of Myersdale; Mrs. Susan Bittner, of Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. May Werner, of Northampton.

The Blair County Auditors Thursday petitioned Judge Bell to strike off a surcharge of $775 they imposed upon the County Commissioners in last years's report. The Auditors find that, while the money for the county jail repairs was irregularly disbursed, there was an absence of fraud. This ends an extended investigation of the county's affairs.

Barbara Henry, wife of Michael Ansell, of Milford township, died Thursday at her home near Rockwood, aged 54 years. She is survived by her husband, two sons and two daughters. The remains were interred in the cemetry at Scullton, Middlecreek township, on Saturday, the religious service being conducted by Rev. Long, of Rockwood.

Eli Bowman, one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Somerset township, died very suddenly Saturday morning. He was returning from his sugar camp to his home about seven o'clock in the morning, and when he reached a point a few rods from the barn he dropped dead in his tracks. A story was immediately circulated that the unfortunate man had slipped on the ice and in falling broke his neck. This was incorrect as the physician who was called upon to examine the body says that death resulted from paralysis. The deceased was seventy-one years of age. He was a consistent member of the Evangelical church and enjoyed the warm friendship of all who knew him. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Samuel and William, and by one daughter, Mrs George Kneedy, all of Somerset township. The funeral took place Monday morning, when interment was made in the Lichty church burying ground. Rev. J. Beal, of Johnstown, conducted the funeral ceremonies.

Samuel G. Bowman, of Quemahoning township, came within an ace of losing his life by drowning Sunday morning. His father—Eli Bowman—whose home is one mile south of town, died very suddenly Saturday morning and Samuel was on his way to the house of mourning. His horse frightened at some object when he was crossing the bridge over Kimberly run and backed off into the water before the rider could dismount. Kimberly run at other seasons of the year is not a dangerous stream but Sunday the water was swollen beyond the banks and was ten feet deep in the channel. When the horse dropped from the bridge Bowman fell under him and received two or three ugly kicks on the head when the animal began to struggle. Fortunately he was not seriously injured by the horse's heels and managed to swim to the bank of the creek. The horse was carried three or four rods down the stream before he succeeded in gaining the shore.

Hundreds of our readers will regret to learn of the death of John J. Tice, which occurred Monday morning at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. George Witt, in this place. Death was caused by gangrene. About six months ago the venerable gentlemen submitted to the amputation of his right leg, in the hope that the malady would thus be eradicated from his system. He is survived by his wife, who is at present in Waterloo, Iowa, and by four or five children, all of whom are married. Mr. Tice was a German by birth and came to America when a young man. He located in this county many years ago where he always followed the trade of clock maker. He was jolly and fat and possessed a fund of anecdote with which he enlivened the firesides of very many homes as he traveled over the county plying his vocation. The deceased was a man of sterling character and had a host of friends.

Word comes from Cumberland that Simon Horner, who claims Salisbury as his home, shot and killed a man named Samuel McAllister, in that city, last Tuesday. The shooting occurred in a saloon where the men were drinking. They quarreled over a trivial matter, when Horner whipped out a revolver and sent a bullet ploughing into the body of McAllister, saying as he did so: "Die like a dog, as you have lived." The victim lingered until next morning, when he died. An inquest was held in the afternoon, and Horner was held for murder. The dead man claimed to have come from Connellsville. He had a large coat of arms of the United States tattooed upon his breast, and under that the words "E Pluribus Unum." On the left arm the Goddess of Liberty and on the right arm the form of a woman with the letters "S. A. M." under it.

It is thought here that Horner is meant for Hommer, and that the murderer figured in the Somerset county court several years ago, when he was charged with complicity in a riot.

5819 VOTES POLLED

AT THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARY, HELD SATURDAY.

An Unprecedented Vote.

More voters went to the polls Saturday than at any previous primary election in the history of the county; in point of fact the vote polled was only two or three hundred less than at general elections, with the exception of the last presidential election, when the entire vote polled was 7187, divided as follows: Republican 4670; Democratic 2262; Prohibition 216; Populist 43. When the boisterous weather and impassable condition of the roads during the three weeks preceding the election is taken into consideration the showing is most remarkable and proves conclusively that the men nominated are the choice of a majority of the voters of the county.

Reports from every election district are to the same effect, the battle between the friends of the various candidates being waged with the greatest enthusiasm from the hour the polls opened until they closed at 7 P. M.

Returns came in very slowly Saturday night, but before midnight it became manifest that F. J. Kooser had carried the county for Congress, and that Henry F. Barron had done the same for Prothonotary. The balance of the ticket was in doubt and the friends of Maurer, Miller and Sanner, Shafer and Cover, Winters and Dumbauld, Kimmel, Braucher, Good and Koontz, Black and Swank, Rhoads, Gnagy and Bowman, were in high spirits, all claiming that their favorites were sure winners. The different headquarters were kept open all night and were nearly all crowded with anxious excited throngs at an early hour Sunday morning. A report from Jenner township received Sunday afternoon gave Cover such a big boost for Register and Recorder that Shafer and his friends admitted defeat. Maurer for Assembly appeared to be in the lead up until Sunday evening when returns from several precincts were received which put a different aspect on the legislative fight. All subsequent returns showed large gains for Miller and Sanner. The closest fight, however, was for second place for County Commissioner. George F. Kimmel won out and U. D. Braucher, Gabriel Good and W. N. Moser all stood a chance to win with the returns received prior to Monday morning. Early Monday morning returns dissipated the chances of Moser and Koontz and the battle narrowed down to a contest between Braucher and Good. It was not definitely known until the last returns were in that Good had won by the narrow margin of 29 votes.

The contest for Associate Judge was a spirited one between four candidates and it was not known until Sunday afternoon that George J. Black's majority was so large that it could not be overcome.

Candidates for County Auditor numbered nine and all seemed anxious to win. The vote was close between four or five of them up until Monday afternoon, when late returns indicated the nomination of Jeremiah Rhoads and B. J. Bowman.

For Treasurer William Winters maintained the lead from the time the first returns were received until the result was finally determined.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican County Convention held in the Court House yesterday afternoon was one of the most animated conventions held in this county for a number of years past. The scrap was over the election of a Chairman of the County Committee. Harvey M. Berkley and Isaiah Good were the opposing candidates and on the only vote taken each received twenty-one votes, the committeeman from Casselman refusing to vote. The rules governing the party organization provide that "in case of a tie vote for convention officers or candidates for nomination, it shall be the duty of the president of the convention to draw lots for them, or authorize some other person or persons to do so." After more or less heated discussion Messrs. Berkley and Good drew lots with the result that the former won. Great excitement among the adherents of the opposing sides preceded the election of a chairman, but the result was apparently accepted with good grace by all concerned.

J. C. Lowry, Esq., was elected chairman pro tem., and J. F. Naugle, of Meyersdale, Dr. H. D. Moroe, of Middlecreek, and Hon. W. H. Sanner, of Somerset, were elected members of the executive committee.

The computation clerks did not finish casting up the vote until half-past eight o'clock when the successful candidates were declared the nominees of the party, subject to the rules governing the organization in the county.

Death of Mrs. Catharine Walter.

Catharine, relict of Gillian Walter, who died about fifteen years ago, passed away at the old homestead, near Jennertown, Somerset County, Wednesday morning, aged about eighty-seven years.

She was a daughter of the late Judge John Kurtz, of Somerset, where she was united in marriage at the age of fifteen years to Mr. Walter. Her brother—Josiah Kurtz—died at Connellsville about two months ago at an advanced age.

Nine children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter, eight of whom survive. They are: John C., Josiah, Belinda, wife of Alexander Korns; Mary, wife of John Kaylor; Catharine, wife of William Weighley, all of whom reside in Somerset County; William, of Latrobe; Jacob H. and Mrs. W. H. Walter, of Johnstown. Harriet, wife of Conrad Shaffer, died about six years ago. She is also survived by one brother—Samuel Kurtz—who lives at Dixon, Ill.

Mrs. Walter joined the Lutheran Church many years ago, and had since been a faithful member of the same. She was well thought of by all who knew her.

Baltimore and Ohio Policy.

The receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad have outlined the policy which they intend to carry out. Oscar G. Murray, one of the receivers, is quoted as saying that the company has not enough rolling stock to properly handle its business. "We have given orders," Mr. Murray added, "for every shop on the line to be operated on full time at repair work alone. It is our intention to overhaul and repair every locomotive and car that will justify the outlay. This will necessitate the employment of our entire force. Consequently all orders for new locomotives and cars will be given to outside concerns.

"We intend ordering 5,000 freight cars as soon a possible, and also about 75 locomotives. Of the freight cars, a large proportion will be coal cars, which may indicate the importance with which we regard our coal trade. We shall encourage the freight business in every way possible. I believe that enough business can be secured from the territory along the route to operate the road on a profitable basis.

Don't think because you are sick and nothing seems to give you relief that you can't be cured.

There must be a cure for you somewhere.

If your doctor can't cure you, perhaps he has mistaken the cause. Anybody is liable to make mistakes sometimes.

One in three of us suffer from indigestion, and one of of three dyspeptics doesn't know it. That is, he may know he is sick, but he blames it to something else.

Indigestion is the cause of half of our dangerous diseases.

Shaker Digestive Cordial, made from tonic medicinal roots and herbs, is the most natural cure for indigestion. It relieves the symptoms and cures the disease gently naturally, efficiently, giving fresh life, strength and health to sick dyspeptics.

At druggists. A trial bottle for ten cents.

OFFICIAL RETURNS

Of the Republican Primary Election of Somerset County, held March 28, 1896.

DISTRICTS.	Congr. Fred. W. Biesecker	Congr. F. J. Kooser	Assembly. William H. Miller	Assembly. William H. Sanner	Asso. Judge. Jeremiah Maurer	Asso. Judge. Jacob D. Swank	Asso. Judge. George J. Black	Asso. Judge. Aaron F. Dotterer	Sheriff. John N. Snyder	Sheriff. M. H. Harbaugh	Prothy. Josiah L. Berkey	Prothy. J. C. Lowry	Reg. & Rec. H. F. Barron	Reg. & Rec. J. M. Cover	Reg. & Rec. A. J. Scrabonere	Reg. & Rec. J. G. Kimmel	Treasurer. John S. Shafer	Treasurer. J. R. Boose	Treasurer. Albert E. Baynum	Treasurer. William Winters	Treasurer. Peter Dumbauld	Treasurer. E. M. Miller	County Commissioner. George H. Coleman	County Commissioner. Jacob S. Koontz	County Commissioner. David L. Meyers	County Commissioner. Joseph Horner	County Commissioner. Israel J. Schrock	County Commissioner. C. D. Braucher	County Commissioner. Gabriel Good	County Commissioner. Wm. N. Moser	County Commissioner. Geo. F. Kimmel	County Commissioner. Wesley W. Davis	P. D. Adam S. Miller	P. D. Jacob W. Pies	Auditor. Jeremiah Rhoads	Auditor. B. J. Bowman	Auditor. Jonathan J. Walter	Auditor. John F. Hay	Auditor. John A. Walter	Auditor. Wm. W. Baker	Auditor. J. C. Gnagy	Auditor. J. F. Naugle	Auditor. Edward Hoover
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Turkeyfoot	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84
Upper Turkeyfoot	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84
Ursina Borough	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84	84
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Turkeyfoot—Jos. Kimmel, Jos. Kimmel.
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Ursina Borough—Jos. Kimmel, Jos. Kimmel.
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The Origin of Easter.

Rev. Minot J. Savage, of Boston, preached an unusual Easter sermon on Sunday saying:

"It is by no means a fact, as is commonly supposed, that Easter began to be celebrated after Christ was born, after His supposed resurrection and ascension and that this day has been confined exclusively to the history of the church as setting forth its belief in this great hope of a future life. Easter is older than Christianity. It is older than any historic form of religion with which we are acquainted. It finds its spring and source deep down in the heart of man, and therefore with all its flowers, with all its faith and inspiration, it belongs not to any church, not to any race, not to any religion, it belongs to man. The word Easter, as no doubt you are aware, is simply an anglacized form of the name of an ancient Teutonic goddess, the Goddess of Spring; and, although the name occurs once in the New Testament, it is there by a curious anachronism, for it was unheard of in the church until hundreds of years after the New Testament was written, known and long familiar in the church when the Bible was translated. It was put there to stand for the Greek because it was the popular word that was familiar to the people."

Remarkable Springs.

On the summit of a hill in central Potter county are four springs so near together that a person may carry water in the hollow of his hand from any one of them and drop some of it into the other three. In one of these springs the Allegheny River has its source. Another is the fountain of the Genesee River. In a third the Sinnemahoning branch of the Susquehanna rises and flows west and south to the main stream. The fourth spring sends forth the Pine Creek branch of the Susquehanna river, which flows east and south to the main stream. Thus waters starting on a Northern Pennsylvania hill, within a stone's throw of one another, separate at last so widely that those from one spring have their outlet in the Gulf of Mexico, those from another mingle with the tide in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, while those from the other two unite again in the Chesapeake Bay. It is doubtful if there