Rev. Cameron and wife are spending Somerset Herald. the wook with Pittsburg relatives. Lawyer F. W. Biesecker went to Pittsborg Monday night on legal business He will return to day. April 31, 1817. J. Park Philson, a former Democrati-

of Storestown, has been anning are assured by us

wand King George.

A back line was placed on the road be-Sorvey and Ranges. tween Johnstown and Scalp Level on a definitely divided that the Monday. It will make daily trips be-L will be held at Altween the points mentioned. s will be furnished by the

Rev. Iliram King desires to acknowl Cthe halldings. edge through the columns of this paper stoff Colerain township. the receipt of the usual Easter donation Pas reashed his tinger ing shingle blacks, and is from his Shanksville friends. si poisoning.

Editor Linton left last night for Harrissteel are the homes which barg for the purpose of attending a meeting of the Democratic State Committee If Stoves and Ranges. which meets in that city to-day. mesamples of currant jelly

of paraylsis. He is 76 years of age.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Patton and their 14 of San Francisco ien adulterated and fourtwo young sons, of Pittsburg, spent Easter at the home of Mrs. Patton's parmaring down the Westmore ents-Mr. and Mrs. John H. Uhl.

orthouse, at Greensburg, William Tayman has secured the serv ient documents bearing ices of an expert horseman from southern desirge Washington, Indiana, who will train trotters on the Lavansville track during the coming ought New York, has ve-

New York Charter bill, hoses of the legislature Friday engine No. 743, fresh from the Litover his vote. It i of the S. & C. passenger train. It has de of Governor Binck. been titted out with a new log horn landed with coal were do Mills, on the Baltimore whistle,

adapear Hyndman, Thurs inden drawhand. The ora considerable dislantie City, stopping over Sunday in of Ohio, has

J. Bauly, a colored lad, of Mrs. McKinley. p acaboship at Annapolis Sunday was an ideal Easter and all of g larged to with leaw the

the houses of worship were crowded with showill stand by the appeople who desired to participate in the specially prepared services. Never be-North Branch fore were so many beautiful flowers seen ev. Pa., while shootig at

in Somerset as on this occasion. a toosafly shot hi "Don't publish" is written on the marhad, killing her. He was

scalt investigation by the gin of the marriage license record quite frequently. Newspaper men invariably respect the request as timid young township. desping has been or the state of Maryland, and couples do not care to have their marexecutes in Bultimore of riages announced in advance of the cerehawky not be up to date, and mony.

nosarse la pneumatio A gentleman connected with the Berwind-White Coal Company, who was usint an Indiana attorney B

here during the past week, is authority tox of blacking, which she for the statement that they will give emwhen the ployment to between 5,000 and 6,000 c. and had not huse been mad mers are that he never Level.

> Capt. Henry F. Picking has been assigned to command the "Wabash," station- Brothersvalley township. ed in Beston harbor. This is one of the most desirable billets in the United States Navy. The Captain's numerous Somrsat county friends will be pleased to learn that he has been "taken care of" by the Administration. ...

Waters Brothers, well known Johnstheir plaubing and heating establish-

An Important Case. Attorney A, C. Holbert returned Mon-

day evening from Cumberland, Md., whither he had gone to assist in the preparation and trial of an important case

W. Humblid, and involving a large County Commissioner, is confined to his amount of money claimed by Augustine home in Berlin, suffering from a stroke for services alleged to have been render- WILL BE RE-TRIED AT MAY TERM OF ed Humbird. Mr. Holbert is associated with Hon, B. A. Richmond and Col. Geo. F. Perrie on behalf of the defendant. The defense was somewhat sur-

> for a change of venue which was granted by the Court upon the submission of an that he feared he could not get justice in Alleghany county, Md.

Mr. Holbert is a member of the bar of mitted there in 1835, when he tried an June 2, 1896. important case. He says he is in the case against Augustine to a finish and ex- ert Herdman, who had testified for the pects to win.

District Attorney's Fees.

In its zeal to reduce the compensation of county officials the Berlin Record missioners' annual statement the fees had been given another opportunity to paid by the County to the District At- establish their innocence. torney during the year 1896 amounted to \$413.00. The Commissions have no way the opinion was handed down and the Glenwood shops, was placed at the head of knowing the amount of fees the Dis- first they knew in regard to a new trial trict Attorney receives from other having been granted them was when they sources, since the county is only liable in

uses where the county is found to pay Both expressed their satisfaction at the the costs of prosecution, or the parties General and Mrs. W. H. Koontz left sentenced to pay the same are unable to Friday morning for a short visit to At- do so. Two out of every three criminal prosecutions entered are settled before Washington, where they were entertain- trial, in all of which the District Attor-John Roddy ed on Saturday evening by President and ney is entitled to his fees. ...

Some Recent Deaths.

Wilbert, the two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dietz, of Listie, died on Sunday, from grip.

Mrs. Margaret Yauler, aged 80 years, 1 month and 20 days, on April 14th, at her home in Milford township.

Mrs. Anne Snyder, aged 84 years, 10 months and 2 days, on April 8th, at the assigning alleged errors are without home of her son John, in Middlecreek

Mr. Conrad Stoy, a prominent farmer died at his home in Shace township, on Friday, 16th inst., aged 77 years. Death resulted from the infirmaties of old age. He is survived by his wife and six chil-

dren, three sons and three daughters. The body of Mrs. Edward Kimmell, who died at her home in Pleasant Unity. miners in the coal region now being de- Westmoreland county, was brought here veloped in the neighborhood of Scalp on the noon train yesterday and taken to Beam's church, in Jenner township, for interment. Deceased's maiden name

was Ream and she was a nativo of

Mr. Edwin Walters, the head of the firm of Edwin Walters & Co., wholesale liquor dealers, of Baltimore, died at the Hotel Rennart, in that city, at 4:29 o'clock Monday morning, 19th inst., aged sixty years. Death resulted from injuries sus-

tained several weeks ago, when Mr. Waltown business men, have disposed of ters carriage team run away and threw him violently to the ground. At first it next and will hereafter devote their at- was thought that he had not been seri- Geistown, as they were going in the di- Call on or write to

SOMERSET COUNTY HEIRS RODDYS GET A NEW TRIAL

View of After-Discovered Eridence. the purpose of taking slops to secure an alleged estate of \$290,000 now in the

custody of the Bank of England. The COURT. story goes that Sir Francis Drake diod in

1590, and, being without issue, willed his Public anticipation was confirmed property to two nephews, John and Thursday morning when Judge Longeprised when counsel for plaintiff moved necker handed down an opinion grant-Francis, in which line the estate was held until 1710, at which time the heirs of ing a new trial in the case of James and Francis Drake became extinct and the John Roddy, convicted of murder in the affidavit made by Augustine setting forth first degree at December term of court estate reverted to the heirs of John Drake. An association was at once formfor the killing of David Berkey, a venered in England to secure the estate, but it able Paint township farmer, whose death was shown that the heirs of John Drake

resulted from the effects of injuries in-Alleghany county, Md., having been ad- flicted by masked robbers on the night of emigrated to America, and the members of the association, which met at New Castle, claim to be the direct descendents Ever since it was discovered that Robof John.

The association numbers about 200 Commonwealth at the trial, was entirely members, many of whom are prominent mistaken in the evidence he gave, the citizens in different sections of the counpublic had been under the impression try.

that the Court would not assume the re-The following communication from Z. sponsibility of saying what effect Herdeither does not know what it is talking man's evidence had with the jury, and T. Tannehill, Esq., of Lower Turkeyfoot about or is willfully attempting to de- for that reason would not impose the township, throws some light on the subceive its readers. According to the Com- death sentence until after the defendants ject of who are the legal heirs and representatives of the estate in America :

"John Drake settled in New Jersey about the beginning of the 17th century. The prisoners were not in court when His son Oliver was born on January 25, 1745, and was married to Franky Skinner on August 22, 1770. The family records show that the following children were were visited by one of their counsel. born as a result of this marriage: Ann, on March 4, 1771; Hannah, on May 24, Court's decision. 1773; David, on August 4, 1775; Jonathan,

The opinion of the Court follows ; on September 15, 1777. Oliver Drake set-Commonwealth | In the Court of O. & T. tled at Draketown, now Somerset counof Somerset County, No. 2, of December Term, 18%. Motion grist mill in south-western Pennsylvaand rule for a new

James Roddy. nia. He was a carpenter and cabinet maker by trade. He continued to reside A number of reasons are assigned for a at freaketown until the time of his death new trial, none of which, however, we and his remains lie in the old cemetry at deem it necessary to notice, except the the Jersey Baptist Church, of which he me relating to after-discovered evidence. and his wife were members. On the The trial was conducted in a careful, 30th of every May his grave is decorated painstaking manner in the hands of by Grand Army comrades in recognition

able counsel on the alert for the least irof his services to his country in the war regularity, and the various other grounds of the revolution and in the war of 1812. Jonathan Drake, grand-father of the merit. writer, took up his father's occupation

of mil. right and cabinet maker and conducted the Draketown mill for a number of years, when he sold the property to

that purpose Thomas Ream, Esq. The farm on which This case was heard, as we think, be Jonathan Drake resided at the time of his fore an exceptionally good jury. We had death is now the property of the writer. no fault to find with their conclusions on David Drake removed to near Somerset. the case as it was submitted to them, and Ohio, early in the eighteenth century. had the testimony of the Commonwealth Ann Drake married a Mr. Abrams and remained as it then was, we should not settled in Addison township, on the site for a moment think of disturbing their where Petersburg, this county, now

stands. Hannah Drake married John But it has been conclusively shown, by Mountain, who also resided at Petersdepositions taken since the trial, that two barg." witnesses for the prosecution who testi-

Plow Castings. mistaken, to say the least,

The Somerset Iron Works have con-As we recall the evidence Lottie Adams stantly on hand a large supply of the following named plow points: Gile, Oliver Chilled, Imperial, Farmer's Friend, Wolverine, Centre Lever, Hartzell, Hillside, ance with them. Both swore they knew Invincable, Eighteen - Seventy - Seven, them and spoke to them ; the former on Iron Beam and Hillside Wooden Beam. the evening preceding the robbery, at Oid iron taken in exchange for goods.

Jurors for May Term of Court. The following named persons have been To an Alleged Estate of 3200,000,000 in drawn to serve as jarors at the ensuing England. term of Court, commencing Monday, May An organization known as the "Drake 21, 1807. Relative Association" held a meeting at GRAND JURSES. New Castlo, Pa, a week or two ago for Allegheny-William Ware, A. J. Mil-

Decter.

Brothersvalley-I, J. Blough, C. O. Hay, David Cover, Elklick-Wm, H. Stotler. Greenville-Wm. H. Hostetler, Augustus Sass, Liacoln-Benjamin Fisher.

Meyersd de Borough-Samuel Bittner. Milford-James M. Meyers. Middlecreek-J. F. Henry. Paint-Sylvester S. Seese. Shade-B. L. Horner. Somerset Borough-G. F. Long, F. M. Forney.

Somerset-Geo. A. Thompson, John 1. Weimer. Summit-Silas Walker. Stonycreek-John D. Glessner.

Southampton-Jesse Cook. Stoyestown Borough-Wm. Brubaker. Somerfield Borough-Asa Frey. Upper Turkeyfoot-H. S. Martz. PETIT JURORS.

Addison-John H. E. McClintock, S. M. Lininger, Jeremiah Silbaugh, Allegheny-J. O. Deeter, S. G. Coughenour, Francis Engbert, George Meyers,

John Keller. Berlin Borough-Courad Baker, Art Black-Ananias Growall. Brothersvalley-W. W. Hauger, W. H. Sarver, J. W. Menges. Benson Borough-A. E. Cassler, Josiah Meyers. Confluence Borough-M. Henry,

Hooversville Borough-Isaac Ankeny. Jenner-Chas, E. Stanton, Edward Winter, Irvin D. Rhoads, W. G. Blough, Ed Manrer, David Lane. Larimer-A. B. Beal. Lincoln-Augustus Kuhs, John Kline

Elklick-Crist Yoder Jr., John Opel.

ger, James Colborn, F. B. Kreger.

Meyersdale Borough-John S. Miller, A. B. Groff, J. Groff. Middlecreek - W. G. Singo, James ienry. Milford-A. W. Brunner.

Northampton-Peter Saylor. New Centreville Borough-John Hanna, Paint-Daniel Hoffman. Quemahoning-John W. Mostoller Rockwood Borough-W. H. H. Baker, Geo. Pile, Samuel A. Haines. Salisbury Borough-Steward Simpkins, Stewart Smith, Casper Wahl. Shade-James Lambert. Somerset Borough-C. K. Grove.

Somerset-John A. Heiple, Fred Smith, Samuel C. Fox, Geo, G. Bittner. Southampton-Wm, Troutman, Stonvereek-Peter T. Miller, J. C. Scott, Samuel B. Yoder, H. S. Yoder, John Schrock, W. P. Brant, W. M. Lambert, Daniel G. Boyer. Stoyestown Borough-Ross Bowman. Summit-Solomon Rowser, Hiram Mos

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RECTOR-KUHLMAN-At the Evangelical Lutheran Parsonage, in Lavansville, by the pastor, Rev. C. F. Gebhart, Mr. Wilson N. Rector and Miss Mary Kuhlman, both of Jefferson township. BRUNER - WEIGLE - Immediately following the above marriage, Mr. Wm. H. Bruner, of Jefferson township, and Lower Turkeyfoot-Frederick S. Krethe same clergyman. Always Reliable. The Commercial Gazette is the preferr- and show them this Grand Display. Swiss or Cambrie-the ed Pittsburg paper because : It pays particular attention to the news

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We endeavor to try cases carefully so as to obviate the necessity of re-trials and rarely entertain favorably motions for

verdict.

We can not, of course, say how much

mony of these two witnesses, or how far

In view of all this, we deem it best that

may take place promptly at the coming

May term, and the rule is therefore made

Monday District-Attorney Colborn was

hard at work examining the evidence ad-

duced at the December trial and prepar-

ing subpoenas for witnesses to be present

at May sessions. Detective Harris, of

Johnstown, was in consultation with him

during the day. The District-Attorney

By the Court.

J. H. LONGENECKER.

P. J.

then submitted.

fied to very material facts were wholly

and Robert Herdman were the only witnesses among those who testified to seeing the defendants south of Johnstown that elaimod to have a personal acquaint-

prought by Jasper Augustine against J. The Court Net Willing to Pass Sentence in

ocated in that city, with which John H. Waters has been prominently identified or a number of years past.

cille, Pa. Mr. Goorga H. Love assomnied him as a lay delegate. In conse-

ones of Rev. Bristow's absence from me there will be no religious services the Presbyterian church until Sanday,

The people of Somerset and vicinity will doubtless be pleased to learn that Dr. Evron W. King, the renowned eloutionist of Kings' School of Oratory, Pittsburg, has been engaged by the United Evangelical Church congregation of this place to give an entertainment in the er the word reads in Pent May 6th.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Annie, the pretty young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bittner, of near Christ Casebeer) Church. The wedding, which romises to be a notable event in the father, ommunity, will take place this evening at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. 7. F. Gebhart will officiate. Dr. Albert P. Brubaker, of Philadel-

hia, accompanied by his mother, arived in town Friday morning. Monday norning the Dr. went to Berlin for the prose of consulting with local physians in regard to the condition of Mrs. muel Philson, Sr., who has been serously ill for sometime. He returned to Philadelphia the same night. Mrs. Brubaker is the guest of her daughter-Mrs. R. S. Scull. the filled with strine bills and Johnstown Board of Trade has declar-

el in favor of a new county, to be comland, Indiana and Somerset counties, heavily upon their shoulders. Mr. Charles W. Knepper, of Brothers-

ritchfield, who has made her home for ward Hoover-in this place, were quietly married at the home of Elder W. G. Schrock, in Brothersvalley township,

chool teacher.

The late Dr. Elward M. Kimmell card life insurance in three or four differinsurance societies. In less than a eok after his death-or just as soon as roof of death was submitted-the Equiable Life Insurance Company, of New fork, forwarded a draft for the full count of a policy written by that comomy to Mrs. H. S. Kimmel, the benefiiary. Mrs. Kimmell acknowledged the promptness with which settlement had een mide in a note to the District Agent of the Equitable.

ead in polities in the west as the folowing item culled from a Sabetha, Kunsas, letter in the Berlin Record, will show: At the recent city elections held vated to a similar position at Hamlin, Nashville, Tenn, on May 1. This seeand at Hiawatha, Stephen Hunter, the saw will be supported by a steel central third of a Somerset county trio, was de- tower, 30 feet square at the base, and 75

ntion to the Fowler Radiator Works, hemorrhage of the brain ensued, which | early the following morning at the Osresulted in paralysis from which he died. born Cut on the B. & O. R. R., as they Mr. Walters owned four distillaries in were coming from the direction of Berkhis county and made frequent visits to ey's home towards their own. Lottie Ad-Rev. T. J. Bristow is absent this week Somerset, where he had many friends,

tone Presbytery, in session at Browns- a wife- Ex-Sheriff Hoover, who has charge of Mr. Walter's interests in this county, will attend the funeral, which takes place this afternoon.

at her home in Conemaugh township, on able detail. March 25th, aged 70 years and 9 months,

time and her death was not unexpected. venerable husband and the other members of her family. Deceased was a faithful member of the Amish Church and no hundred miles sway, at Gettysburg, on Then the profit. The stockhoiders must better evidence of the esteem in which the morning of June 3d, when he swore get the interest on their investment, salshe was held by her neighbors could be that he met the defendants at the Osborn aries of high-priced officials must be opera House, on Thursday evening, wanting than the large number of them-Cat. over 300-who were present at the funeral.

In addition to her husband she is sur-Mr. Simon Baker, formerly of this coun- vived by the following children : Joseph, ler, of Johnstown; Mrs. Levi Weaver and Mrs. Levi Blough, of Conemaugh township, and Miss Cassie, who lives with her the answers now made to it had been

If the case stood as it did at the trial we John C. Barron, one of the best known should refuse this motion, but as it now citizens of the county, died at his home stands it would not only be a very unone mile cast of Somerset, on Friday, satisfactory one upon which to pronounce 16th inst., aged 76 years, 8 months and 25 the death penalty, but a refusal of andays. Death resulted from the infirmaother trial would unquestionably be foltics of old age. During the greater porlowed by a removal of the case to the Sution of his long and active life Mr. Barpreme Court, where it could not be heard ron was a resident of Somerset township, for at least six months and might not be having for many years lived on a magnificent farm three miles west of town Three or four years ago he disposed of his farm and removed closer to the county seat, having purchased the Johnson farm, on which he died. Mr. Barron was elected to the office of Poor Director by the Republicans of the county a number of years ago. He was twice married more to come.

posed of parts of Cambria, Westmore- and was the father of thirteen children. five by his first and seven by his second with that city as the county seat. The | wife. Of the first wife's children the foltax payers whom it is proposed to throw lowing survive: Mrs. A. A. Adams, of to the new county will have something | Iowa; Mrs. Cyrus Hemminger and Mrs. say about the matter, and it is hardly Augustus Kuhs, of Somerset townshin,

robable that they will vote to increase and Mrs. James Weimer, of Somerset; he burden of taxes that already rosts of the second wife's family the following survive: Prothonotary Henry F, Barron; Edward C. Barron; Mrs. J. A. Berkey and Mrs. Edward Simpson, of Somerset; alley township, and Miss Elnora Mrs. Henry Coleman and Mrs. Naonie

higher than it now is.

to make out a stronger case against the metal. Ex-Burgess Weifley has submitted his last Thursday evening. The groom is third annual report of the receipts and Roddy boys than it did last December ; We sell steel ranges, sell them at a fair D, share and share alike. The estate con-The amount expended for repairs of all them will be able to swear that they saw written guarantee to furnish all repairs to try it. kinds was \$112.57. A bond for \$1,000 was the defendants, with whom they were free of charge during a period of five Clarksburg, W. Va. cancelled during the year. The fire de personally acquainted, in the neighbor- years from date of sale. partment was calle i ont only three times hood of the Berkey homestead on the during the year. In conclusion Mr. night preceding the tragedy.

ab-olute.

April 15, 1897.

Welfley says that a start having been made in the direction of paying off the indebtedness created by the building of stronger defense when the case is retried where to go if all is not satisfactory, the water works it is hoped that the entire than they were at the time of the original indebtedness may be wiped out in a com- trial and are confident that they will be paratively short time, and that, too, with- able to establish their innocence of the

Spring Millinery.

A Giant See-Saw.

A giant see snw is being built as one of April 28th, with an elegant line of Spring a that State, M. W. Meyers was elected the amusement features of the Tennessee Hats and Bonnets of the newest designs. avor of Morrill; Eli Berkley was ele- Centennial Exposition, to be opened at All are invited to call.

SOMERSET IRON WORKS. Somerset, Pa.

WHO PAYS THE EXPENSE AND PROFIT!

ams said she got out of her carriage, went attending the Spring Meeting of the Red- He was a vory wealthy man. He leaves back a short distance on the road and county. Aside from the large profit they still perfect in every way ; we would rec- gous to an effort of nature seeking to reconversed with one of the defendants. mous expense thus incurred, all of which chase a first-class cooking range. while Herdman, also, said that he spoke is paid by the purchaser.

to them and described their suspicious, Figure it out for yourself : High movements and their bedraggled and Susan, wife of Isnac Yoder, Esq., died travel-stained appearance with consider- priced salesmon, feed for horses, board

for men, wear and tear of wagons, ware-The depositions now before us take the house rent, manager at big salary to han- Home Comfort Range and can't say too from dropsy. She had been ill for a long testimony of these two witnesses com- dle your notes and money and send them much for it; we have used it about six years and still find it perfect in every pletely out of the case by showing that to St. Louis.

although it came as a terrible shock to her Miss Adams is mistaken by at least a Is it less than \$25.00 for each range way; we can cheerfully recommend the month as to the date of her drive through | sold? Can it be less, even if they sell the | Home Comfort above all others. Geistown, and that Herdman was over a number claimed ?

paid, they are not in business for fun,

you must pay for all this as well. Does from one of your wagons six years ago of chopped parsley, sait and pepper. importance the jury attached to the testi- it not represent another \$25.00 on each and are so well pleased with it that we Place in the shad and close. Cut into range to pay for all this? Now, you have would not do without it; they are a great ty, now of Butler county, Pa., and Miss of near Goshen, Ind; Mrs. Joseph Mish- it influenced their action, and hence can left just the amount the range costs the fuel saver and can be so arranged as to not say that the result would have been manufacturers, 15 to 20 dollars, you pay throw little heat in summer and still the same if it had not been given, or if the rest. have plenty in winter.

C.m the farmer afford to pay this enormous profit? At the present price of farm products is it not about all the

farmer can do to make ends meet? Then why throw away \$30.00? You might as well, as that amount simply represents Home Comfort Range during the past six the difference between what they are years can cheerfully testify to their merits.

worth and what they sell for. Do they do business in cities and towns? No. Why? The innocent and unsusdecided for several months more, with pecting farmer is their prey.

the defendants meanwhile detained in Yes, they have printed some testimoni jail at the expense of the county, and the als, bought them by furnishing repairs probability that the higher court would free, but they are false in that they do ultimately, on account of the develop. not tell the truth in regard to time range ments since the virdict, direct a re-trial, was in use, hence you can look with sus and thus the final determination of the picion on the rest contained therein. case would be postponed for a year or They could well afford to keep them in repair if they so desired. The interest on ten dollars will keep any good stove a new trial be now ordered, so that it in repair during a lifetime.

Jonathan Walker. Rockwood, Pa. S. A. Shoemaker. Abraham Shoumker John D. Baker. Milford Station, Pa. Charles Frank. Lull, Pa. But they will tell you they never will An Actual Question. require repairs; they will hammer them A man dies, leaving a widow, and wills to show they will not break, but apply his estate one-third to each of three of no test as to durability against fire. You his children and cuts off the fourth, a are not expected to take a sledge hammer half-brother, without anything. By the to make your stove work, although you may feel like it if you buy a range from as whole blood. The children's names are A, B, and D; being a half-brother.

the evening of 27th April, 1897.

these peddlers. The present price of steel is as cheap as cast iron, and cheaper than wrought iron, then why should a steel range cost so nuch more than a cast one. Cast iron brother D, the mother taking equally says the Commonwealth is now prepared stands the fire better than any known with whole blood children. The widow dies and wills her share equally to C and

one of the leading young farmers of the expenditures of the water works to the that a lot of new evidence will be introounty and the bride is a popular young tax papers of the borough. The total duced which will strengthen the position ter steel range for \$40 00, and the size sold will B, C and D each receive? revenue received during the year from of the Commonwealth. At least twenty- by the peddlers for \$15.00, including tank The above is an actual problem in regular consumers amounted to \$1,422.07. five new witnesses, it is said, will appear and high closet, made by one of the larg- which I as commissioner of accounts was The total expenditures amounted to for the Common wealth when the case is est and most reliable concerns in the required to andit and settie. Perhaps ssi6 SO; leaving a net surplus of 05.27, retried, and it is expected that some of world. And further, we will give you a some of your mathematicians would like J. N. DAVID.

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ed down the back. Prepare a filling as follows: One cupful of bread crumbs, a Cook & Beerits. We purchased a Home Comfort Range few drops of onion juice, one teaspoonfal pieces a piece of butter the size of a wal-A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. nut, place on the shad and pour over all a cupful of rich cream. Baste frequently Estate of Samuel E. Berkey, late of Co and bake about three-quarters of an hour or longer, according to the size of the Letters of administration on the above e by the proper authority, notice is hereby giv on to all persons knowing themselves indebt ed to said estate to make immediate payment shad, adding more cream if necessary. After washing thoroughly put a pair of shad roes in a sauce pan, cover with boiland those having claims or demands aga We each of us having been using a ing water and add half a teaspoontal of he same to present them duly authe for settlement on Thursday, the 25

move the outer skin and mish fine dec'd. Make a cream sauce by bringing to the Fred. W. Biesecker, boiling point half a pint of cream. After mixing together one teaspoonful of but-Lavansville, Pa. ter and one of flour ad I to the builing

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. eream and stir constantly until the cream Estate of Harriet Berkeybile, late of Shade township, Somerset county, Pa., dee'd, Letters of administration on the above esbecomes slightly thickened; then add the prepared shad roe. This sauce adds greatly to the appearance as well as to tate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper autioxity, notice is hereby giv-en to all persons indebted to sold estate to

the taste of the baked shad. make inunesitate payment, and those having chims against the same to present them duij authenticated for settleme 1, on Saturday April 24, 1897, at the residence of the adminis

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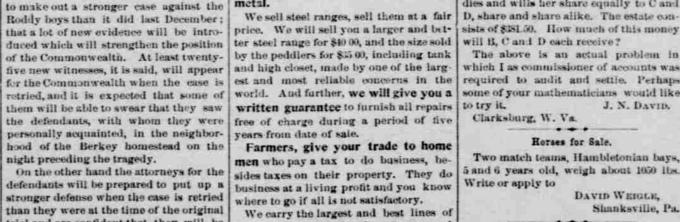
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