

Republican National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT, William McKinley, of Ohio.

Republican State Ticket.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL, Edward B. Hardenbaugh, of Wayne. CONGRESS-AT-LARGE, Galusha A. Grow, of Susquehanna. Robert H. Foerderer, of Philadelphia

### Republican County Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS. Harvey M. Berkley, of Somerset Bor, ASSEMBLY, W. H. Sanner, of Somerset Borough. Fred. Rowe, of Meyersdale Borough.

POOR DIRECTOR, Samuel J. Bowser, of Somerset Twp. JURY COMMISSIONER, Theodore E. Rhoads, of Somerset Twp.

THE four K's-Koontz, Kendall, Kooser, Knocked-out - and a majority of the voters did it

AND Kooser's announced majority in Somerset borough was four. Only four; no more. Just 4.

re-elected for another year.

THE "crime of '82" has been avengboth taken in one day, dangle at the belts of the Stalwart warriors. AT the Harrisburg convention last

week George R. Scull, Esq., was reelected as Somerset county's member of the Republican State Committee.

man Koontz will not be in the next before attempted or heard of at a pri Legislature. What an able advocate mary election in Somerset county of "Primary Election Reform" he Shaffer permitted insurgent watchers would be.

as a member of the executive commit- vote there was the slightest doubt. tee by vice Chairman Ogle. How the When it came to the insurgant vote it pure and the impure will mix-at was a different matter, as will ceamply

gone to join the Philadelphia ballotbox-stuffers' colony in Mexico. He took the first train after the adjournment of the convention.

THE idea of Mr. Koontz inveighing view of the fact that Mr. Koontz is a director and attorney for the B. & O. R. R. and solicitor for a number of the largest coal operatives in the county. His assault on Mr. J. S. Cunningham, of the Berwind-White Coal Company,

How the Goo-Goos of the Philadelphia Business Men's League would hold up their hands in holy horror (in public, but in private nudge one another in the ribs, ) if they knew of one ted against the purity of the ballot at the recent primary by their representa- placed on the Republican official ballot tives and the hirelings under them.

WE submit as a legal proposition whether Messrs. Koontz and Kooser would be willing to accept the approval

In spite of his every effort, ex-Chairman Berkey, ably assisted by Brotherin-law Barron, and both backed by the redoubtable thre K's-Koontz, Kendall and Kooser-was unable to count out Samuel J. Bowser and count in Samuel S. Mosholder. What's the matter with Mosholder, anyhow, that even the tough Insurgent stomsels could not Judge Simonton when he dismissed tough Insurgent stomachs could not Mr. Kooser's case and turned him, office, shows clearly that a bold scheme stand him? He must be something with his simple, silly claims, out of had been hatched prior to the time

bria county, and John H. Jordan, of appear upon one or the other.

IT really makes no difference so far as the future of Quay is concerned whether he has a seat in the Senate or the Legislature meets in January next.

The Somerset Herald. Quay in the last Legislature and were They prevented an election. Quay had carried the State and had carried the Legislature, but there was treachery, and treachery prevented an election The regular caucus nominated Quay by a very large majority. The Republican State Convention has not only invited Quay to become a candidate before the next Legislature, but has insisted that be shall be. The reason for this insistence upon the part of the convention is that Quay represents a great fundamental principle, that of the rule of the majority. The convention insists that the Republicans may go to the primaries and vote for whom they see fit; that they may go into conferences, conventions and caucus and support anyone, but when the will of the majority has been ascertained they must, if they are Republicans, abide by the decision of that majority. That is all there is to this Quay case, and for that principle of majority rule the Republican party of Pennsylvania, as represented at the State Convention at Har-

THE charges preferred by the insurgent organs against the integrity of Insurgent John Shaffer, former Committeeman of Paint No. 2, is perhaps, after all, only a reflex of the silly vaporings of the defeated insurgent candidates, who, well knowing that they were honestly and fairly defeated, are now trying to delude the people into believing that they were fraudulently defeated and that the minority should rule. Mr. Shaffer's subserviency to former Chairman Berkey and his political ilk was so well known and pronounced that he was selected by them as a member of the executive commit-GENERAL FRANK REEDER, the very | tee. The charge that Shaffer permitted able and efficient Chairman of the Re- 150 fraudulent votes to be deposited in publican State Committee, has been the ballot-box in his district is an imputation under which no honest man, especially a sworn election officer, should rest for a minute. Shaffer, beed. The scalps of Koontz and Kooser, fore opening the polls, took a solemn obrigation that be, as Judge of Elec tion, would permit none but Republicans to vote. In order that he might not stultify himself he took the necessary precaution-evidently at the suggestion of his Somerset masters-to refuse ballots to all voters until they It is really too bad that ex-Assembly- appeared at the polls, something never to challenge every Stalwart vote they saw fit, and he rejected the votes of all AND "Bullyjohn Kop" was named Stalwarts concerning whose right to elucidated at the proper time. Judge of Election Shaffer, a member of the AT least one of ex-Chairman Berkey's executive committee of the Republican have sufficient intelligence to comprehend not only the meaning of an oath, tion of this county. but the rules of the party of which be True Republicans have and will con-Delegates to the State Convention. We

WHEN Messrs. Koontz and Kooser, astute and skilled attorneys that they tithe of the frauds that were perpetra. | are, tell you that they are "all right;" that the name of the former will be this fall and that the latter will be adnitted to the Congressional Conference, don't believe them. They don't believe it themselves. It was only a few years since when there was a rumpus of five men on a jury as the verdict of in the Congressional Conference at a jury sworn to try a matter at issue. Johnstown, and it was adjourned to A clean, fair majority of all votes cast | Harrisburg. Kooser's three conferrees at the Republican primary election, voted for him, declared him nominaincluding the districts where rival vot- ted, and he forthwith caused a certifiing places were conducted, is against cate of his nomination to be filed with the State Department. He came home and on all occasions, at all times and in all places solemnly assured his friends that the court could not do otherwise he was ably seconded by Mr. Koontz. Every reader of the HERALD will reattempted to hold an election in New from the housetops that "faking" Baitimore borough, at which not a would be legalized by the court and single Republican could be hired to their absolutely untenable position arrangement that could scarcely have the Commonwealth, with the result been suggested by another than vice that "fake" primaries were declared to sided failed.

be illegal, and the absolute fallibility of Koontz and Kooser as lawyers was Poor Everett Welch! The rump once more made plain. We could cite convention dared not count him in and a number of other instances-in fact, count E. D. Miller out, for very obvi- in every instance in which any of our ous reasons; bence he, like S. S. Mos- local political troubles have required a holder, had to go the way of all flesh. judicial determining-in which these The tricksters had to throw all the able lawyers have taken held of the little fish into the fire in their mad and hot end of the stick. There is, in our fraudulent effort to keep the three big judgment, no possibility of the Dauones-Koontz, Kendall and Kooser- phin county court, before which the in the pan. Welch has been a hewer matter will be heard, condoning or of wood and drawer of water for the legalizing the fraud at the late primary party wreckers for lo! these many and the subsequent convention, by years. He has finally come into his sustaining the certificate containing Mr. Koontz's name and directing his name to be placed upon the official ets and blanks from Stalwart members of THE Conference of the Twentieth ballot. We do not believe that this the County Committee until the morning Congressional District to select Dele- will be done, nor do we believe that of the eletion, when his agents delivered

morning. Robert S. Murphy, of Cam- "Independent," and we believe it will the fact that had the Committeemen obliedford, were elected as Delegates to As for Mr. Kooser, we can searcely structions of the Chairman, not less than the National Convention, with John conceive of his having the hardihood 10 votes in Somerset borough and 150 in R. Scott and George R. Scull, both of to present himself for admission to the Somerset township, all of which bore the Somerset, as alternates, and H. A. Congressional Conference. Drowning names of Messrs. Koontz and Kendall Gripp, of Blair county, was named for Presidential Elector.

Congressional Conference. Drowning men grasp at straws, and there is no calculating on what Mr. Kooser will do. Of one thing we are fully assured:

He was never in a Congressional Content and Nestra. Kooser will do to calculating on what Mr. Kooser will do to calculating on what Mr. Kooser will do to congress, would have been thrown out and not counted. It was not only illegal but altogether assureds and unfair for the Chairman to undertake to deprive the

loyal Republicans—believers in the right of majority rule and fair play between man and man—dispute the nomination of their successful opponents? We prefer at this time to be nomination of their successful opponents? We prefer at this time to be lieve that they are made of nother stuff than J. A. Berkey, who has arbitrarily attempted by illegal methods to demy the right of the sovereign people to decide who shall be their candidates for office. the right of the sovereign people to de- have handed in a verdict of want ceived ten ballots printed on white paper. The deposed Chairman, with a minoricide who shall be their candidates for of confidence in the Republicanism of six of which, containing the names of the ty of the Committee, went through the must be obeyed.

not, says the Philadelphia Inquirer.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup helps elected Committeeman of New Beltimore party rules, and declared the result—all The appointment was only temporary on wood's Norway Pine Syrup neips | elected Committee man of New Destinators |

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## Official Returns

Of the Republican Primary Election, Held Saturday, April 21, 1000.

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Attempt to Deprive Republican Voters of a Free Ballot and Fair Count Checkmated.

KLUKLUX METHODS WON'T GO. FAIR AND HONEST MAJORITY OF VOTERS DECLARE FOR ENTIRE STALWART

Revolutionary Action of Former Chairman Berkey Condemned by All Fairminded Men.

Routed and humiliated by a pronouned majority of the Republican voters who participated in the primary election on Saturday, April 21st, the defeated caudidates, with the assistance of former County Chairman J. A. Berkey, have appointed Committeemen has already County Committee, is presumed to the expressed will of the people or to destroy the Republican party organiza-

> of the vote cast for the candidates for or set of men, and they have resolved votes returned by the alleged officers of endorsed candidate of that the sovereign voice of the people do not presume to say that Shaffer did tained shall govern their future political this under the instructions of his Som- actions. They have resolved to retain erset masters, but we do say that the their sacred rights as guaranteed them by political clique he has served in every the Constitution and fondamental law possible way are now engaged in a of the State, the heritage of every Berkey designated one of his political foldesperate attempt to smirch what rep- qualified voter to exit an honest ballot utation for integrity he may heretofore and to have it fairly counted, and they have enjoyed. It is up to "bullyjohn refuse absolutely and unqualifiedly to recognize the actions of unscrupulous and despotic agents of a dishonest and desperate citque, who in utter disregard of law and the rights of the majority, have undertaken to rob the people of the right of franchise. The majority will never submit to having their God-given rights refused them by the unscrupulou agents of baser men or of having defeated candidates declared the nominees of their party in defiance of law and com-

The Stalwart Republicans of Somerset county and all who believe in a free ballot and a fair count, in clean politics and common decency, know their rights under the law and they have the courage and manhood to maintain them.

The unlawful and abhorent Kluklux methods so long practiced by the Democrats of the South can not obtain recognition among the intelligent and incor raptible Republicans of Somerset county, and those who have attempted to inthat he had been legally nominated and | troduce them in order that they might override the expressed will of the people and the law, have already found themselves stranded high up on the beach of fair and illegal move checkmated.

The unblushing action of former Chaircourt. At the time of the "fake" pri- he issued the official call for the primary It was fitting that B rkey's hired maries all will recall how earnestly election to deprive the Republican voters man from Allegheny township, who both Koontz and Kooser proclaimed of the County of a free ballot and a fair count, and if the aution of the Democratic County Convention, which left open its legislative ticket until after the Republivote, should nominate "Smiling Hen- would be sustained by legal decision. of fair interpretation, it must be that Mr. cans had held their primary, is capable ry" for County Chairman. There was The matter came to be heard before Berkey had made arrangements to fuse an appropriateness and nicety in this one of the purest and ablest judges in with that party, in case his attempts to rule the organization over which he pre-

It is known to all men that Berkey delayed calling the primary until the last possible day permissible under the party rules, and then issued the call in the most obscure way possible; it is equally well known that he withheld the names of announced candidates, some of whom had paid the required fee weeks before, until the last minute, when they were published in the same obscure manner. It is known that in violation of party rules and precedents he solicited persons in the various districts to announce their names as candidates for Committeemen and that he caused their names to be illegally printed on the ballots.

rules and fair play he withheld the tickgates to the National Convention at Mr. Koontz believes that it will be the ballots and blanks to Committeemen Philadelphia and to name an Elector done. The only official ballot that Mr. Koontz's name will appear upon this Bolton House, Harrisburg, Wednesday [63] will be headed "Democratic" or Bolton House, Harrisburg, Wednesday fail will be headed "Democratic" or right here we wish to carect attention to

W. H. Koontz and Francis J. Kooser. Stalwart candidates, were thrown out, farcies proceeding of computing the re-

The whole question is now relegated to Shippensburg town council has passed Is is known that the Chairman on the Tuesday evening Assemblyman Kenthe Republican voters of Pennsylva- an ordinance taxing poles in that bor- night preceding the primary caused a dail horried off to Harrisburg where next

on the duly elected and recognized Com- Berkey and the officers of his personally mitteeman of Jefferson township, and on appointed convention, setting forth that the following morning procured one of Messrs. Koontz and Kendall were the his henchmen to open a polling place in | doly nominated candidates of the Rethat district, which was not recognized publican party of Somerset county for by a majority of the voters of Jefferson | Assemblymen. A certificate had pretownship, all of whom Berkey and his viously been filed by Chairman Cover fellow schemers have since attempted and the officers of the only body empow-

It is known that the Chairman's notice of removal, forwarded by mail to the Sanner and Fred Rowe appear as the Committeeman of Larimer township, duly nominated candidates of the Repubwas not received by the Committeeman until the evaning of the election, but in semblymen. the face of all this, one Tressler, an agent of Berkey's, opened an illegal voting fore taking his departure from Harrisplace, and Berkey and his fellow schemers have since undertaken to throw of testing the legality of the certificate of out the votes cast at the only legal voting Sanner and Rowe, and that the matter place in said districts

It is known that Berkey without the approval or consent of the executive committee, which he was bound to procure upon by the Congressional Conference in order to act within the party rules and when it meets for the purpose of nomithe law, undertook to appoint Committee nating a successor to Joseph E. Thropp. men in the districts of Ogle, Garrett and In view of the fact that Mr. Kooser is a Casselman, and that when the people of minority candidate, having received a those districts resented his unwarranted minority of the votes cast at the primary cirim of right to appoint election officers | we do not see how he can ask or expecfor them and elected officers of their own to secure admission to the Congressiona choice, he and his fellow schemers Conference, while on the other hand but the rules of the party of which be was an executive officer; but in defi-tinue to be guided by higher motives than the political aspirations of any man ance of both he failed to make a return ance of both he failed to make a return are of man, and they have resolved the failed to make a return are of man, and they have resolved the failed to make a return are of man, and they have resolved the failed to make a return are of man, and they have resolved the failed to make a return are of the failed Hegally organized polling places.

It is known that corrupt political gressional nomination, and will be adagents procured by unlawful means the mitted to the conference. resignation of the Committeeman of Benson borough, who had been elevated to ment of plain cold facts, it will readily lowers to conduct the primary in that is a free ballot and a fair count. The district. When a majority of the voters | majority could not claim to be entitled to refused to recognize this corrupt and be recognized as men, honest men, it high-handed proceeding Berkey and his they had passively submitted to having fellow achemers undertook to throw J. A. Berkey, and others of his lik, by ganized and properly conducted poll in of law subvert the rights of the

It is known that in preparing the blanks | sonal ends. for the election the Chairman made no votes that might be cast for candidates for delegates to the State Convention, and that in the large district of Paint No. 2. where the Committeemsu who conducted the election and certified under outh the result of the votes cast, no return was made of a single vote having been counted for delegates to the State Convention. The reader should not loose sight of the fact that the Committeeman of Paint No. that position on account of his unquestioned loyalty to former Chairman Berk-

ey and his fellow schemers. It is known that Chairman Berkey rethe purpose of placing candidates for buildings on the land. Address, Vice Presidents of the convention in

It is known that in violation of law and parliamentary practice he refused to call the roll of members of the convention, forward and hand them over to the Sec- to suit. retaries he had illegally and arrogantly

It is known that in violation of party rules, law and parliamentary procedure he refused to permit a duly elected member of the convention to file a protest against the Chair's illegal and revolutionary action.

It is known that when the roll call was finally taken up the Chair declined to ain a motion from a duly elected ember of the Convention that the official roll of members of the Convention be made known to the convention before the roll call proceed, and when this arbitrary and unlawful ruling was made. a majority of the duly and legally elected members of the convention, in strict conformity with law and party custom, pro-It is known that in violation of party ceaded to depose Berkey as Chairman of the Republican County Committee and elected James M. Cover in his stead.

When the proceedings had reached this oint, Berkey and his fellow schemers, cluding those sent here from Bedford county to look after the interests of Congressman Thropp, were entirely unprepared to proceed, and called upon Sheriff Saylor to preserve order among the vast crowd, nine tenths of whom were in full sympathy with the lawfel stalwart majority, and were crying for "A free ballot and a fair count," at the Meanwhile the only legslly and prop-

organized convention had effected an organization and proceeded to discharge the business for which it had been divided between the losers, Dr. Flood, assembled, in strict conformity with the

Their verdict is final and their will while the four remaining ones, bearing turns of the election, a majority of which

ered by law and party rules to declare the result, in which the names of W. H. lican party of Somerset county for As-It is understood that Mr. Kendall, be burg, employed counsel for the purpos

will be passed upon by the Dauphin county court. Mr. Kooser's credentials will be passed party of Somerset County for the Con-

In view of the above truthful state out the vote cast at the only legally or- the use of forbidden means and in defiance majority to his and their selfish per-

The majority can not bolt; the majority provision for counting and returning any did not bolt, and the majority will not

Does Coffee Agree With You!

If not, drink Grain O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nonrishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package to day from your grocer, follow the directions in mak-2 is John W. Shaffer, who was a member of the executive committee, selected for that position on account of his unquesting it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c and 25c.

To exchange a three-story brick dwellfused Stalwart candidates permission to lng of eight rooms, bathroom, both gases, inspect the returns received by him, an state mantels, front and side porches and action sitogether unfair and unjustifiable. modern conveniences. Desirably situ-It is known and can not be denied that ated on Blair St., Hazelwood Ave., Ha when the County Convention assembled zelwood, Pa. Price, \$5000. Mortgage Tuesday afternoon, April 24th, Chairman against same, \$1500, leaving an equity of Berkey refused in violation of party rules \$1500. This we desire to exchange for a and parliamentary usage to recognize a farm within a few miles of Somerset, val-Stalwart Committeeman, who arose for ued at about \$5500. Would prefer to have

H. O. HORNBERGER, Hazelwood, Pittsburg, Pa. House and Lot for Sale.

A well improved dwelling house, with and called upon all persons present hav- good-sized lot. West street, Somerset, ing returns in their possession to step Pa. A bargain in this property. Terms

Somerset, Pa. REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

(Special Correspondence.) Harrisburg, May 1.-There is nothing but praise heard regarding the work of the Republican state convention held here last week. The ticket ninated has been very favorably received. Although the supporters of the unsuccessful candidates for congressman-at-large were manifestly dis appointed over the result, they have taken their defeat gracefully, and there is a general disposition to turn in and roll up the largest Republican majority that has ever been given in the Keystone state. It is certain that Pennsylvania will again lead the column of states in the size of the majority she will give to the McKinley presidential ticket. The nominees on the state ticket will keep well up with the electors. The nomination of Senator E. B. Hardenbergh, of Wayne county, was a foregone conclusion. Before the balloting all other aspirants for auditor general withdrew. With a clear field, this popular Republican from the northeastern end of the state, upon motion of Senator Penrose, was nom-inated by acclamation. There was a little brush over the selection of candidates for congressmen-at-large. Robert H. Foerderer, a well known manufaeturer of Philadelphia, and Galusha A. Grow were finally declared to be the winners. Mr. Foerderer got 338 votes and Mr. Grow 225. The balance was

were counted.

The deposed Chairman, with a minority of those who participated in the election.

The deposed Chairman, with a minority of which, containing the names of the Stalwart candidates, were thrown out. It is known that by unlawful means and fraud the resignation of the duly elected Committeeman of Now Beltimore was procured and Berkey attempted to appoint a mon resident of that borough in his place.

It is known that the Chairman on the aight preceding the party rules, and declared the result—ail this without the official returns, even from the district in which the big coal motice of removal from office to be serve morning he filed a certificate signed by

Tendesday and those who did not wish to see the old warhorse turned down.

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election of a United States senator in the legislature requested his friends to go on record as absolute'v in favor of the election of United States sonntors directly by the papele. Had that been the method of nencedure to this state last veer Column Cuey would have been victorious. He has tool heritated to on hefore the nemale in the east and he would not in the future. should occasion require it. The same insurgent influences that were against him in the law legislature tried to crevent the election of Colonel Stone for the envernorship and Colonel Parnett for state transver by muking combinetions with Democrats, and in each case ther were routed by the stalward Republicans of the state at the polls. In both campaigns the issue was made by them es "Quay or anti-Quay," and the candidates of the Republican orranization were ascalled as friends of Colonel Quay. It was noteworthy that upon the only

test vote in the state convention of Wednesday last the insurgents were shown to have but a very insignificant following in the convention.
William Finn found that not only did the platform committee report in favor of the election of United States senators by popular vote, but took the most radical ground in favor of ballot reform and against all forms of elec-

FOR BALLOT REFORM. This is the plank on ballot reform:
"The Republican party of Pennsylvania has always stood for an honest ballot and a fair count. In the furtherance of this idea, an act was passed in 1891, known as the Baker ballot law, for the purpose of protecting the citizen in the exercise of the elective franchise

'This act was passed by a Repub-lican legislature at the instance of the Ballot Reform association, and wes intended to secure a secret and honest ballot. Further safeguards were thrown around the ballot law by the supplemental act of 1893. In addition, however, to these laws we favor such legislation as will enable the courts to epen the ballot boxes upon the petition of citizens, duly presented, in all cases where ing fraud in the holding of an election or the counting of the vote cast, so that if fraudulent ballots are placed in the boxes or a false count has been made it can be exposed by the courts with expedition and all offenders against the puri-ty of the ballot detected and brought to speedy justice." Another issue that was squarely met by the state convention was that as to majority rule. Upon this subject the

principle of government that the will of the majority, properly ascertained, shall always prevail. We declare that this principle applies as well to political parties as to other governmental affairs. will of the majority must always be ascertained under the rules, customs and usages of a party organization. Therefore, the primary elections, the county and state conventions, the senatorial and congressional conferences and the parparty organization for the purpose ascertaining the will of the majority by actending the party convention, conference or caucus, and Republican to abide by that de-

caucus bolters of the last legislature and the manipulators of the fusion schemes already on foot for the defeat or regularly nominoted assaildates for age next legislature

OTTAWA, Canada, April 27.-The fire which swept this city and Hull yesterday and last night left five square miles of ruins, over 2,500 buildings having been destroyed, causing a loss of \$15,000,000 and leaving homeless about 12,000 people. Half a dozen churches and schools, a number of mills, the waterworks, the court house and jail, the postoffice, the convent, almost every business place and about 1,000 dwellings and shops in Hull have been destroyed Iedeed, practically nothing of Hull is left but a church and a few houses beyond it. In this city it is estimated that, beside

## Mercantile Appraisement.

Augustine T.J., Addison township. Retail.
Augustine John, Confidence boroagh,
Anderson William.
Albright L.A., Ursina borough,
Ash G., Rockwood borough,
Adams E.R., Stoyestows borough,
Anawalt M.L.

Adams E.R., Stoyestown borough, Anawalt M.L., Ackerman L.C., Stonycreek township, Ackerman I. C., Stonycreek township, Acine Grocery, Somenset borough, Adeiman & salowsky, Paint township, Autal & Sabo, Paint township, Appel William, Meyersdale berough, Barron N. B., Middlecreek township, Bowman B. J., Berlin borough, Boyts William, Bockwost borough, Bowman J. H., Stoyestown "Babcock Lumber Co., Ogie township, Blough P.J., Houversville borough, Berkey Josiah, "Berkey Josiah," Berkey Josiah, "Body J H., Wellersburg borough, Boucher H S., New Centreville borough, Berkeyblie C F., Hooversville borough, Bantley A G., Paint township, Brugh A H., Middleereek township, Butts W G., Paint township, os W G., Paint township, nett J W., Jefferson township,

Colborn G W., Ursim borough,
Coder J R.
Conguns S E., Cordhence borough,
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