The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY, ... July 16, 1873.

TIME TABLES.

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On and after Monday, July 7th, 1873, trains will run as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.
Express West ...	4:20 a. m.	6:25 a. m.
Mail East ...	11 a. m.	1:20 p. m.
Mail West ...	4 p. m.	6:15 p. m.

W. F. ALTFATHER,
Gen'l. Supt.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

Express East ...	11:36 p. m.
Express West ...	5:21 a. m.
Mail East ...	12:02 p. m.
Mail West ...	4:50 p. m.

MERRY—The crickets.

Huckleberries are ripe.

Black berries come next.

DECIDEDLY Cool—The evenings.

PURE cider vinegar at Davis & Bros.

THE end of the week—"Seven up."

THE postal card excitement has subsided.

CANNED fruit of all varieties, at W. W. Davis & Bro.

WANTED—Oats and potatoes for cash at Cook & Beerits.

THE oats crop will be a failure in some parts of the State.

THE rains of last week were of infinite value to vegetation.

FOURTEEN hours and a half of daylight is the present average.

STONE crocks, jars, pitchers and jugs for sale at Cook & Beerit's.

THE wheat crops throughout the State will be above the average.

OUR side walks are rapidly increasing both in number and quality.

THE brick Layers are through with their work on the Baptist Church.

JUST received at Davis & Bros. a splendid stock of tobacco & cigars.

THE Keystone Coal Co., commenced shipping coal on Thursday last.

MR. SAMUEL SHAFFER lighted the fire under his brick kiln on Wednesday last.

TO FARMERS.—Cook and Beerits will trade salt and corn for oats and potatoes.

IT is about time some one would kill "Nellie Darling." She is'nt worth a song.

BOARDERS are busy picking cherries.—They pick on the shares, but take all the best.

THE slate roof being placed on the Jail by order of the Commissioners is nearly finished.

LEWISBURG talks of organizing a female fire company, the males being opposed to fire-fighting one.

THE fellows who cursed the beautiful snow feel sorry since the warm weather has commenced.

JUNE the beautiful month of roses, is past and July with its unripe fruit and green cherries is upon us.

THAT at Stutzman's Bank for cash. Henry Hassell will receive pay. Large quantity of limp coal on hand.

WHAT delightful music the "long ..." makes and how it soothes our ... living near the depot.

BE local in the distribution of disinfectants. Permit nothing of a decomposed nature to be about your premises.

MR. GEORGE W. BENFORD is having an elegant new board pavement placed in front of his residence on Union street.

COMMUNION Services were held by the Lutheran Church on Sabbath last, Rev. ... of Connellsville officiating.

ON Saturday night Robert H. Cannon, ... collector of the Cambria district, ... at Johnstown with a razor.

"SALT LEVEL" is the suggestive name of a summer resort near Johnstown. It ... think of living for dyeing.

SOMERSET county ought to be improving ... 12,000 volumes of good books ... distributed there by one college.

MR. Washington Megahgen has laid an elegant pavement in front of his residence on Main Street. Chas. Colborn did the job.

JULY was so named by Mark Anthony, in honor of Julius Cæsar, whose birthday occurred in that month. It used to be called Quintilis.

THE Odd Fellows and Masons have received Brussels carpet with which to cover their halls. It will cost them about eight hundred dollars.

IF you have any regard for the lives of your little children, or for the safety of your property, keep matches beyond the reach of your youngsters.

W. W. DAVIS & BRO., have just received the largest and best selected stock of Groceries, Confections, Tobacco and Cigars ever brought to Somerset.

THE receipts of internal revenue for the fiscal year ending June 30th, are reported at over 115,000,000, being $5,000,000 in excess of the estimates.

LUTENBARGER, an old printer, ... office a visit one day of last week. He set the first article set, for the first copy of the Herald ever printed.

THE Salisbury Independent has the announcements of candidates in its issue of July 9th. When is that election to ... we would like to vote?

... chap enumerates the ... number of fingers shot off in the ... on Friday 4th, at about one ... hundred and fifty five thousand.

... WALWORTH, who shot and ... father, was on last Wednesday ... guilty of murder in the second ... and sentenced to penitentiary for ...

IF any of our subscribers at this place ... their papers left in this office instead ... post office, they can be accommodated by leaving word either here or at the ...

... last week copious showers of ... visited this locality, and the summer ... consequence thereof are growing ... rapidity, and are promising a bountiful yield.

WE have the evidence before us every ... that those who attend to advertising ... are the successful men. It is one of the powerful agents to prevent trade ... going away from your town.

THE season of sunstrokes is at hand, and ... well to remind people that the best preventive is a piece of thin sponge fastened ... the hat, and sprinkled with water ... in the course of the day.—Ex.

... is now growing finely in most ... of the county, and has a healthy and promising appearance. The rains did not ... in time for the oats, which is almost ... short. The wheat is being harvested, and gives a yield we think equal to any for several years past.

THE rearing of silk worms and the manufacture of silk are to be tried in Westmoreland county. Prof. Andrews, of New York, who has had much experience ... rearing larvæ, has determined to transfer to Greensburg the eggs of a species ... live on the leaves of the white oak, ... common in that section.—McKeesport Times.

JOHN F. BLYMYER gives his whole attention to the Hardware business. He buys his goods principally from the manufacturers, thereby saving from 15 to 20 per cent. Persons wanting hardware, will save money by going to Blymyer's to get it. He will give special rates to persons ... building—go and be convinced ... goods are sold cheap at the Hardware store.

BRICK! BRICK!!

W. W. DAVIS & BRO.,

Have for sale at their yard or delivered, 200,000 brick.

THE town council of Bethlehem has transferred a hand fire engine built in 1675 from the Perseverance fire company to the Young Men's Christian Association for religious purposes—baptism by sprinkling probably.

THE new time table adopted by the P. B. & W. Railroad appears to give very general satisfaction. None of the trains have been delayed, but have made connections more promptly than on the old schedule.

A lumberman up the Allegheny has a trunk made of half-inch boiler iron, and inscribed upon it are the following touching lines to the baggage-smasher: "Throw and be damned." This story may be profane but it is true.

LOST OR MISLAID.—On Monday the 7th, Inst., in Somerset, a large leather pocket book containing papers of value to no one but myself. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to me.

JOHN J. SCHELL.

JUST Received a nice assortment of walking sticks club and Handle Parasol, assorted colors. Fans, Lace and Linen collars and cuffs, Jouvins Kid Gloves, Gentlemans Hats, Ties Beaus &c.

tf G. HOLDERBAUM.

HON. JOHN CESSNA has nominated Mr. George G. Shively, son of Peter Shively Esq., of Fairfield township Adams County, as cadet at West Point for the Seventeenth Congressional District of Pennsylvania.—The examination will take place in August.

NO MORE EXPLOSIONS.—Go to W. W. Davis & Bro., and buy a box of PROF. HUSTON'S NON-EXPLOSIVE LAMP POWDERS. It is the wonder of the world! It will possitively prevent your lamps from exploding, and your lamp chimneys from breaking.

HARVEST.—Some of our farmers have already commenced cutting their grain.—Notwithstanding the many complaints that have been heard in all quarters as to the damage done by the fly and the drought, it is said that there will be an average crop.—Gettysburg Star.

THE following Pithy verse written by Mr. Frederick Lockyer of London, is as true now as it was when written.

They eat, and drink, and scheme, and plod,
And go to church on Sunday;
And many are afraid of God,
And more of Mrs. Grundy.

WE were visited by a terrible storm of wind, rain, thunder and lightning, on Thursday night last. Fortunately the storm was of but few minutes duration, sufficiently long, however, to prostrate the entire frame of Stewart A. Smith's building. This has already been repaired.—Salisbury Independent.

THE Corner Stone of the New Methodist Episcopal Church at Dale City, will be laid with appropriate Ceremonies, on Sunday July 27th, at 10 o'clock. Ministers from abroad will be present. All are invited to attend. Ample preparations will be made for the entertainment of strangers.

S. N. DAVIS, Pastor.

THERE will be a Missionary meeting at the Christian Church, at the Shade Ridge Meeting House on July 20th. The Disciples of the County are invited to be present. A collection will be taken up for missions. Subject of the discourse in the morning at 10, "The Mission of the Church, her Progress and Power" Text Mark 16:16.

WE heard one of the "bhoys" the other evening, whose Betsy had evidently "gone back on him," thus paraphrase Will Carleton's famous poem.

Take your drink from the bottle George,
And mind what you are about,
For Betsey is going to her mother
And Betsey and I are out.

WHEN you meet with a sprain, wet the injured part with flannel dipped in hot water; if the sprain be very painful, wet the flannel with laudanum and cover the whole with a dry cloth. Then with the arm in a sling, if it be the wrist that is sprained, or the leg in a horizontal position if it be the ankle, wait and see if it be necessary to send for the doctor.

DISINFECTANTS.—This is the season for disinfectants. A few pounds of copperas, that will cost but a trifle, dissolved in water, and cast into a cesspool, will immediately remove a great portion of the offensiveness, while chloride of lime used in cellars or other places where there is likelihood of decaying matter of any kind, will do much to remove the noxious atmosphere resulting.

EXTRACT from Telegraph and Messenger, Macon, Ga. We had tested its virtue personally, and know that for dyspepsia, biliousness and throbbing headache arising therefrom, it is the best medicine the world ever saw. We had tried forty other remedies before the Simmons' Liver Regulator, but none of them gave us more than temporary relief, but the Regulator not only relieved, but it cured us.

EDITOR TELEGRAPH.

ALL that the most inveterate grumblers could wish has been gratified in the copious rain falls of the past week. The earth was so dry, however, that it absorbed all that fell, and vegetation has been revived as a natural consequence. From reports furnished us from all parts of the county, it is ascertained that hardly a section has been left untouched. The grain crops are too far advanced to reap much benefit therefrom but the shrivelled corn and garden truck generally took largely to the cooling draught and started on the high road to perfection.

AN UNWELCOME VISITOR.—Saturday night as Mr. Owen Wilson was going up a pair of stairs in his residence on Ann street this city, preceded by his little daughter carrying a lamp, the child stepped back quickly on reaching the landing and cried out that she saw a snake. Mr. Wilson took the light to examine, and to his surprise found a large sized snake of the copperhead species, coiled up as if ready to strike. He quickly descended the stairway and secured a club, when he returned and made short work of his snakeship. How the snake got in the house is a mystery unless he came up through some rat holes from the cellar.—Cumberland Times.

A HINT TO HOUSEWIVES.—How to KEEP KITCHEN WARE CLEAN & BRIGHT.—Every housewife of neat and tidy habits takes especial delight in keeping all the tin, copper and iron ware of her kitchen as clean and bright as painstaking labor can make them. A pride in this direction is commendable, and always meets the smiling approval of the "tyrant man" who pays the household bills. Remember that Sapolio is the only thing on earth that will make an old tarnished tin pan or a rusty kettle shine as bright as new. And by the use of Sapolio it is the quickest and easiest thing in the world to keep every utensil in a high state of polish.

AT a meeting of the hide and leather dealers association, of Pennsylvania, held at Harrisburg, on the 2d instant, the following important statistics giving the number of tanneries, the value of stock, amount of wages paid and other important figures relating to the business were presented: No. of tanneries, 890; No. of engines employed, 294; No. of water powers employed, 132; cords of bark used annually, 322,110; No. of hides tanned, 1,808,760; No. of skins tanned 663,000; No. sides of leather tanned annually, 3,617,650; amount of wages paid annually, $1,684,790.00; cost of bark annually, $3,360,587.00; amount of all materials used annually, $12,984,000.00; amount of all products annually, $19,828,320.00; amount of capital employed, $11,800,000.00.

BERRY SHORT CAKE.—Take one pound of flour, mix well through it one-and-a-half measures Banner Baking Powder, and two teaspoonfuls salt; then rub in one-half pound shortening, add with a spoon one-half pint sweet milk; bake in jelley cake pans. When cold and just before eating, place in layers, covering each one with berries which have previously been sugared. This cake is equally good with any kind of fresh fruit.

Each can of the Banner Baking Powder contains a small measure, to be used even full, according to printed directions. If you cannot obtain this really valuable article from your grocer, send twenty-five cents by mail, addressed to Banner Baking Powder, P. O. Lock Box, 317, Pittsburgh, Pa., and you will receive, postage paid, a quarter pound package, together with a list of fifty valuable Recipes.

DEAR HERALD.—

Having had occasion last week to remove some boxes from my bee caps, which were well stored with delicious honey; finding it somewhat difficult to get the bees to leave, I removed the boxes to the darker part of the cellar, leaving the door open, thereby attracting them to leave.—Some not being able to fly dropped down and crawled towards the door. Presently there came from under the vinegar barrel a toad. When it came within two inches of the bees, it raised itself up, thrust something out of its mouth, resembling pale red muslin, thereby captivating its victim by lightning speed. After the family witnessed the scene for some time, each one returned to their duties much pleased with the sight. The toad returned to his old quarters, equally as well pleased after having so rich a breakfast.

SAMUEL STUFF.

MR. EDITOR: As I have not heard anything said of the mountain side of Milford, I concluded to drop a few lines to let your readers know that we are driving the work right along. We have had fine weather for the past few days, our wheat crop looks fine, oats looks bad and the potato bug has made its appearance in some parts of our neighborhood. Mr. Wm. Vought is building a new barn, when it is finished it will be one of the handsomest in the county. Mr. W. Phillippi is going in on the fishing business, our fishing season is good, the river trout have made their appearance in our mountain streams in large quantities. Mr. Phillippi caught some of the finest and largest trout this season that have been caught for some time. Several of our citizens are much displeased at the School Directors for moving the School House from one end of the District to the other.

A. SIM.

Normal School.

The Normal Schools of the county will commence on Monday, August, 4th, and continue in session nine weeks, closing with the "Teachers Annual County Institute" the tenth week.

The following are the Principles of the different schools:

Somerset—
Berlin—John Brubaker.
Salisbury—T. F. Livingood.
Dale City—Cyrus Brubaker.
Stoystown—Fred Grof.
New Centerville—D. W. Will.
Petersburg—R. H. Vanhorn.

Competent assistants will be employed, In addition to the branches usually taught in our Common Schools, instruction will be given in others where classes can be formed. Students should be present at the opening of the session, if possible. Good boarding can be had at reasonable rates.—Tuition from $4.00 to $6.00. No deduction will be made for partial term or absence.

D. W. WILL.
Co. SUPT.

Glade, Pa., July 16 1873, jy-14

Who Can Understand Him?

The following is found in the *Salisbury Independent* of the 9th inst:

"Prof. D. W. Will, by the Grace of God and a Minority of the School Directors, Superintendent of Somerset county, has seen fit to give us the cut direct,—he has turned upon us his official shoulders, and his official nose he has elevated in the air,—he has not only officially, but majestically ignored us and we are forever crushed.

"After battling for twenty years in the cause of the Public Schools, and for nearly a year and a half defending that interest in these columns, this mighty potentate, who forgets that he lives "mid that fierce light which shines round about all thrones," turns from his servant and laughs us to scorn." &c.

This lion like attack, from one, we supposed to be a friend, and to whom any possible aid would have been cheerfully given—brings us to the floor, and we cannot refrain replying in brief.

Did Prof L. A. Smith intimate that he desired to continue as principal of the Salisbury schools? Did he attend the Normal Teachers Conference, on the 8th instant? *Did he intimate that he would accept a school in the county?*—but read this letter, (copied *verbatim*).

ELK LICK, PA., June 6, 1873.

Prof. D. W. WILL,

Dear Sir:—I have withdrawn from the Salisbury schools—Normal—Common—or Select. And this place is open to a new man. The new board organized with the exception of secretary last night, and Dr. C. G. Stutzman was reelected president. The board discussed the new teacher business and after finding that I had *resolved not to teach* at this place, requested me to write to you in reference to a new man. Can you send us one who fills the bill? He must come in time to open the Normal and if he suits the people, will no doubt get the winter school. I will go to Clarion or that direction.—Should you see the Superintendent of Clarion at Pittsburgh, and feel inclined to mention my qualifications and success you will confer a favor.—Do not withdraw from the *Independent*, simply abandon teaching in this county because it *don't pay*. Hoping to hear from you speedily,

Am ever yours,
LOU. A. SMITH.

Now friend Smith, lay down the hatchet, copy this letter for the readers of the *Independent* and explain, for I fear like an irritable babe, you prepared a snare and caught yourself.

STAUFFERS STATION,
July 7th, 1873.

On the morning of the 5th inst., the citizens of Bridge Port, or perhaps better known as Stauffer's Station, one mile from Mt. Pleasant, in Westmoreland county Pa., were called to witness one of those heart sickening scenes by which so many of our fellow citizens launch themselves into eternity, that of committing suicide. In this case the subject was the wife of Mr. Samuel Arnold, formerly of Hay's Mills, Somerset Co. Mrs. Arnold was formerly from Maryland, and was considered by her neighbors, where she last resided, as being a very excellent woman. Mrs. Arnold had been complaining sick for a few weeks, so that on the fatal night, Mr. Arnold proposed to call the physician. This she would not consent to, saying "that it would be better with her in the morning." Shortly after midnight, Mr. Arnold waited on the baby, (which is some eight months old), after which he laid down on the bed to sleep, and at about two o'clock awoke to find his wife missing. He hunted all through the house, and not finding her, gave the alarm, when the neighbors turned out in mass to search for the body, and at break of day found it in the mill dam a short distance from the house, a lifeless body. The conjectures as to the cause are many, but none are reliable. The reason will undoubtedly remain a profound secret.

Harvesting has fully commenced in Westmoreland and Fayette counties. The crops are in many places light, yet there are good fields to be seen.

The Cokeing business is at present slack. They say that the furnaces being all closed over the Fourth, causes the stagnation.—And then the next trouble is the procuring of a sufficient amount of cars to carry their coke to market. There is a large amount of coke now ready for shipment. I do not think that there are many railroads to be found anywhere that do the same amount of business that is done on the Mt. Pleasant branch, a road only nine miles long. It has along its line, between eight hundred and a thousand coke ovens in blast; this immense amount of coke drawn from this large number of ovens is nearly all carried over this road. At this time the South West branch road is opening out a trade, and in all probability will curtail the business on the old branch.

The new iron works that are being erected on the line of the old branch, about midway between Mt. Pleasant and the terminus, will add largely to the business on the road. From the general appearances of things, one would suppose the day was not far distant, in which the hum of machinery would announce to the outside world, we are ready for business. This must certainly be a very desirable location for an enterprize of this kind. An abundance of good iron ore, and plenty of coke, coal, and lime stone, besides a very rich farming community surrounding them and in direct communication, east and west, with all the large cities, affording them a good market for their productions. Upon the other hand, these public works are the bone and sinew of a great portion of our working class of people: not alone are they bringing wealth into the laps of the farming community, but the mechanics, merchants, and in fact all honorable vocations in life are more or less sustained by our enterprising corporations, whcih should therefore find encouragement in all localities.

C——.

A SHOOTIST.—On Saturday last as the Confluence Accommodation was standing at Sand Patch tunnel where Capt. Hill's force was at work, one of the men, in speaking of a dificulty between the tunnel men and the engineer of the train a few days before, remarked to Hill's assistant that he ought to have shot the engineer when he came so near running into their car. The assistant replied that he ought not talk that way, when the man said: "Damn, you I'll shoot you," at the same time drawing a revolver and pulling the trigger. The ball passed over the assistant's head, and a second shot was fired with no more effect. Hill at once grabbed the assailant and when the cocked revolver was pressed against his side in the struggle, succeeded in getting it from him, whereupon the scoundrel drew a long knife and cut a second person who had hold of him, in the hand. He was struck on the head with a club about this time, and Mr. Hill saved him another lick by knocking off the hand of a fellow workman who was coming down on him with a big stone. Our informant, who witnessed the affair, says the man did not appear to be drunk, but was simply giving way to ungovernable anger. We did not learn of his arrest.—*Cumberland Times.*

THE Sunday School of the Trinity Lutheran Church gave a picnic at "Shamrock Grove" on Thursday last. The train moved from the depot at 8:30. Three cars were filled to overflowing, but "scarce had they gone a mile on their way," till one of the eccentrics of the engine broke, and the train was unable to proceed. The School disembarked and amused themselves in various ways for about one hour, during which time Park Dayton, the able and efficient engineer of the road, repaired his engine sufficiently to pull the train to Shamrock. The conductor's cry of "all aboard" was heard, and in a short time they were landed at Shamrock, then commenced the confusion attendant upon such occasions, every one anxious to get his or her basket, and set foot on the sacred soil, where so much pleasure was anticipated and had been looked forward to for weeks before. Shortly after arriving on the grounds, the congregation was gathered together and appropriate religious services held. Between two and three hundred persons were present. Everything passed off rather quietly until the afternoon when the usual games were indulged in, much to the disarrangement of chignons, skirt-braids, bustles and collars.

The engine belonging to the gravel train, that is stationed at Mineral Point, was attached to the train and as it moved off, a number of the School sang "Rock me to sleep mother," to the tune of 'Won't we have lots of fun.

THE LOCAL EDITOR.—If a man buys a new buggy, or if his cow can bawl three times without winking, the local is expected to proclaim it with a grand flourish. If he starts a two penny business his first thought is to bribe the local with a five cent cigar to write a five dollar puff. Indeed he thinks it is the mission of the local to make his fortune for him by "free blowing." He will take the local to one side and point out the superior qualities of rat terrier dogs, and coolly ask him to "give him a hoist." He don't care anything about it, only Spriggins has a dog which he thinks is a buster, and some of 'em wanted his "put in" just to take "the conceit out of Spriggins." Everybody wants to be "put in." They are the "GREAT I AM;" but no one says: "Here, local, put yourself inside of this new suit of clothes, or throw yourself outside of this oyster stew or stuff this watch into your pocket." Oh, no, of course not; that would cost something. The shoe is on the other foot you see. The local is supposed to know everything about other people's business, and is expected to show up all the actors in every family broil in town.—If the vile tongue of scandal finds a victim, people wonder why he didn't run about with his note-book and gather up the vituperative bits of slander for his paper. If he steps into a billiard hall, he is requested to make a note of the astonishing fact that Bill Tompkins has made a run of eleven points. When the minstrel troupe arrives in town, the agent immediately rushes into the printing office, and calling for the local, he slips three or four tickets in his hand and whispers: "Draw us a big house! Put it in strong!" And patting him patronizingly on the shoulder, the agent admits, the inferiority of the troupe, but we are not to "let on." It is no sin for the local to lie. To please the lecturer, the local is forced to sit two mortal long hours to hear him through an insipid discourse, so that he can "write him up."—And so it goes. All are anxious to appear favorably in print, but few are willing to pay for it. The local's time is worth nothing, but to bother his head writing puffs for ambitious persons. It don't cost him anything to live. He never eats or drinks, or travels, and money is no use to him.—Put it in! Put it in!—*Exchange.*

A GOOD WORK FOR THE ENGINEER.—The following was suggested to Rev. Henry Ward Beecher during his recent trip from Harrisburg to Altoona on a locomotive: A ride on the engine may help to break up the tedium of a journey. But I confess that I enjoy the occasional privilege for other reasons. I have seldom found a locomotive engineer who was not a good fellow. Pilots on the New York ferry boats, and engineers upon railroad trains, are entrusted with more lives than any other men in the community; and when we consider the immense number of people who are transported every day, and the small number of accidents which befall the millions of people dependent on their vigilance for safety, it will be seen how worthy they are of the trust reposed in them. One may point to the numerous railway accidents, and at the great slaughter of men and women which so often shocks the public, and carry sorrow to hundreds of households, as inconsistent with such a judgment. But, on examination, how very few of all these accidents are from the fault of the engineer. He is not to blame for a broken rail. It is not his fault if cheap or cheating wheels or axles have been put upon the cars, the breakage of which sends the cars and their precious loads a whirling down the bank. It is not for him to run the trains which come rushing like the wind into him, while he has the right of way! An engineer may be set down, as a rule, as a cautious, painstaking, intelligent man, who brings to the care of human life as much conscious fidelity as is found in any other profession in society which deals directly with men and their interests. Every little while we read instances of heroism in which engineers stand to their post in face of death, and many a poor fellow who has been crushed to death under his own machine might have saved his life if he has not bravely stuck to his place, and done his duty to the very utmost. Besides, how many unreported acts of heroism have taken place, when, by facing cooly the utmost risk, the engineer has carried off his train safely.—No reporter was there to note the danger, nor how it was avoided. We have heard from these brave men of the machine, instances of pluck and coolness and fidelity which, if seen on the field of battle, would have brought universal applause. There are thousands and tens of thousands of people who ride from twenty to fifty miles a day, year in and year out, without a scratch, flying through the air at a rate which, if any accident should happen through the engineer's incaution or neglect, would dash them to pieces. But how seldom do they think of their faithful servant, or speak a kind word of him or to him! Who ever hears of passengers making a complimentary testimonial to engineers? Who ever sees newspaper commendations of their steadfast services? The fact is, I never come off from a journey that I do not feel like going up to the grand old machine and shaking hands with the oily fingers of the master of it and thanking him for his services.

MEYERS MILLS, July 14, 1873.

The Fourth of July is now over, and is numbered with the things of the past, to our young people it no doubt was long in coming, for to them was promised a good time by the older ones of our quiet city.—Many and varied were the speculative enjoyments to be realized and brought forward on that eventful day. Our town afforded two pic-nic's, one conducted by the Catholic part of our citizens, the other was to be a union pic nic to be composed of all the Protestant portion of the place.—The former (Catholic) had secured the grove east of town, on the road leading to Berlin, where during the week preparations were made for the pleasure seekers, whether old or young. A large swing with seven or eight couches was erected, propelled by horse power. Some of our fair sex did not exactly know how to leave said swing in the most graceful manner and got the thing mixed a little. The Committee of arrangements had secured a brass band from Cumberland City to help improve the patriotic part of the day and right well did they do their part of the work. In addition to this, I would say that the best treat of all, was the patriotic speech made by our patriotic fellow citizen H. B. Barnes. A good dinner well served, clapped the climax, and was partaken of with a relish, so natural to our American people. The dancing part was good, at least that part that was not crippled up by those that should have been at some work to which they were better adapted.

The Protestant Union Pic nic was held on the McConky farm, formerly Abraham Saylor's; this was a basket pic-nic, and from what I could learn, was a grand success. The children were all well entertained by a speech made by our speechman, W. C. Hicks. We need not say that it was good, for that is just what he always brings out, no matter on what occasion.—Swinging on rope swings and at ring, was the general order of the day for our young people. Upon the whole the Fourth was well observed at this place. Quite a number of the attendant's would feel better if they had not indulged quite so freely, but upon this I may have something to say in the future.

There was an extra train run from Cumberland to this place to bring home the Cumberlanders and the Band, but the Band thought it good to remain with the people of this city over night, which they did, and in addition to this, enlivened our city with the sweet notes of their horns, treating some of our good citizens with a pleasant serenade. Among number was our worthy Bishop, C. G. Lint. They say he enjoyed it muchly, especially when they played his tune, "Sweet bye and bye."—The Bishop is a great lover of music.—Just think, one whole year of three hundred and sixty-five days must pass around ere such a jovial time can be had by our good people of this place, and because of the length of time that must necessarily elapse to bring about another such a good time. Could there not be an arrangement made to have about four fourth of Julies in one year; does this not depend somewhat upon the legislative bodies. Perhaps we had better leave it as it is.

More Anon, N——.

CONFLUENCE, PA., July 9, 1873.

EDITORS SOMERSET HERALD:—The announcement has already appeared in your columns that Messrs. Batzer & Co., of Ursina, have in active and successful operation a lime kiln capable of turning out 350 bushels per day, and of a quality and at a price to gladden the farmers heart and make our half starved and partly barren acres rejoice in crops whose yield shall be creditable to the farm and the country.—Think of it Oh! ye, who painfully scrape together the scattered stalks of hay on what you confidingly call meadows. Rejoice that with fifteen cent lime at your doors, you will get from one acre more than you now get from four or five. For years we have been listening to geremiads from the farmers of the scarcity of lime and the difficulty of procuring it. *Here it is now, cheap, good, plentiful!* If there is not a five-fold increase in the production of Southern Somerset county, and adjoining counties in the next few years, we will know to a certainty that the men are at fault and the land has been deprived of its feed. Even the most close fisted and careless farmers would not dare to cheat their horses or cattle out of their feed. It is as great a crime, as extensive a folly to deprive the land of its nourishment, and yet its so common that it fails to excite notice or comment.

When everything was cheap, when horses were sold at one third their present price, and all agricultural products were cheap, dirt cheap, it paid farmers to use lime at 12½ to 15 cents per bushel, besides hauling it from Cumberland and Union town. If it would pay liberally then with everything low, sales dull and money scarce, how much better, how incalculably will it pay now, when everything brings an excellent price in ready cash. Farmers in those days hauled their oats ten or fifteen miles and sold them for eighteen and twenty cents to landlords on the National Road, on a credit of three, six, twelve months, and very often "for ever."

There are men even in this land of Gospel light and knowledge and freedom (from her mountain heights) from fogy prejudices who hold or pretend to hold opinions, that lime will not pay, that their particular lands will not take it, etc., etc. That the lands do not *take it*, is a melancholy fact. A fact every true son of Somerset county regrets and hopes soon to see removed, as a blot upon the good name of our farmers. A few years ago a farmer, (Mr. Wm. DeHaven, of Addison), told the writer that when the lime question was first agitated, he lived in the mountain, and for his own satisfaction, he selected a poor piece of ground and limed it liberally, carefully marking the ground. The result to him was astonishing; that strip of land was well marked by its increased yield and the deeper green of the grain.—And said he "Tho' that was over twenty years ago, that lot of ground is richer and better and can be instantly pointed out by an entire stranger. Not long afterwards we passed the place and pointing out the piece asked the present owner if that was where DeHaven had first used lime? He said it was and that the yield was better, the stalks more thrifty, the color of the grain richer and deeper than any other part of the field, although it had not been limed for more than twenty years. Corroborating what Mr. D. had told us and giving at the same time a fact, an argument and an illustration worth volumes of theories, and the doubts and fears of a hundred would-be farmers.

A recent Agricultural writer, (editor of the Farmers Department of the Baltimore *Sun*,) asserts that the farmers of Massachusetts make money by farming land upon which they expend $200 yearly in fertilizers and manures. How thankful our farmers should be for a soil that does not require a tythe of that sum and how ready to expend the amount it really does require.

If any "Doubting Thomas" wishes to be convinced let him visit Elk Lick. The good effects of liming are there so visible, that he that runs may read. Where formerly they did not try to raise wheat, they now have good steady crops. Where formerly only a small patch of corn for table use was planted, can now be seen whole fields "arrayed in living green," and boldly saying how green any farmer is who refuses to follow their good example.

Yours truly,
R.

THE "local" of the Johnstown *Tribune* received from a young lady a daintily gilt edged, cream laid, perfumed note, propounding the inquiry, "Do you think it wrong in me to allow a young man to kiss me good night at the gate after spending the evening at our house? and the gallant local, putting himself in the young man's place, thinks negatively.

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Another full Invoice of Champion Light Mowers and Combined MOWERS and REAPERS,

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"Farmers," they sell rapidly, call soon or you will not get a "Champion" this year.

I have taken the liberty of publishing a letter received of Emanuel Cover, Jr., of Jenner township, although it was not intended for publication:

JENNER X ROADS, July 10, 1873.

Mr. J. M. Holderbaum,

Dear Sir:—I am very sorry to learn that you are out of Champion Machines. There are five or six more persons down this way that would have bought, if you had them on hand; but we heard they were all gone, so you might miss some sales now, but you will be all right next year. Indeed I think that the Champion is the only machine that ought to come into the county—it works even better than your son stated. I tried it in the worst kind of lodged grass, but still could not balk it. I mowed grass that I could not cut with the scythe, and I cut it the way the grass was lodged; at first I thought the Mower would run over it, but to my surprise it took it up just as clean as though it leaned toward the Mower. I am satisfied that it is the best Machine I ever saw, and does its work the best.

Yours Respectfully,
EMANUEL COVER, JR.

MARRIED.

FRITZ—SEIBERT.—At the residence of the brides parents July, 10 1873, by Rev. Eisenhower Mr. Ephraim Fritz of Dixon Illinois to Miss. Amelia C. Seibert of Somerset, Co., Pa., daughter of Rev. I. L. W. Sibert.

REITZ—BEECHLEY.—On Thursday July, 10 1873, by Elder Tobias Blough Mr. George Reitz of Somerset, Tp., to Miss. Mary Beechley of Quemahoning.

WALTER—YUTZY.—July 10th, by John Weller, Mr. Francis Walter to Miss. Lavinia Yutzy, both of Milford Township.

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is the best remedy in the world for the following complaints, viz: Cramps in the Limbs and Stomach, Pain in the Stomach, Bowels, or Side, Rheumatism in all its forms, Billious Colic, Neuralgia, Cholera, Dysentery, Colds, Fresh wounds, Burns, Sore Throat, Spinal Complaints, Sprains and Bruises, Chills and Fever. For Internal and External use.

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For sale by E. H. Marshall, Somerset, Pa.

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All diseases of the Eye and Ear, Weakness in the Back and Limbs, and Pains, and especially for the cure of thousands of cases of

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Persons suffering with Cancer should call immediately upon Dr. Willis, as he can offer a safe and speedy cure when all others fail. Call and be referred to many who have been cured after suffering for years with Blindness, Catarrh, Cancer and other Chronic Complaints.

HOFFMAN HOLLOW, Allegheny Co., April 17, '73.

I can recommend Dr. Willis as a noble eye doctor, for my little girl was blind for some time, and I tried several physicians who failed to help her. Two physicians told me that her eyes were incurable. I then applied to Dr. Willis, of Cumberland, and I feel proud to say he cured her eyes sound and well. FRANK COSGROVE.

FLINTSTONE, Allegheny Co., Md., April 3, '73.

I hereby certify that I have been afflicted with cancer on my breast for eight years and I tried several times to get relief, but it proved all in vain until I applied to Dr. Willis, of Cumberland, and I am glad to say he cured me sound and well and I have better health this winter than I have had for years before.

MARY E. HARTSOCK.

I certify that my child has had a scrofulous affection all through her system, especially in her eyes; she was blind for six months, and was attended by several physicians who failed to help her. I called upon Dr. Willis who helped her directly. She has got her eye sight and is getting well fast. MRS. C. SHAFER, Cumberland.

CUMBERLAND, MD., April 22, 1873.

I feel it my duty to say that my little boy has had the scrofula affection for two years, especially in his eyes. He was in a manner blind for some time. I went away to Baltimore and Indianapolis with my little boy to get him cured. After spending all my money and time I failed to get my littl boy cured. I then applied to Dr. Willis, of Cumberland, and he cured him sound and well.

JOHN LAW.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Jue 16, 1873.

Gentlemen, I feel it my duty to say that I lived in Frostburg five years, and was a hard-working miner at that time, and I have great sympathy for the miners, and I would just say to you miners, that my little girl went blind, and the physicians here could do nothing for her except Dr. Willis, and I applied to him and he restored her sight immediately.

Yours with respect,
PETER McMAHON.

I could show one hundred certificates but don't think it necessary. july18

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing under the name of P. & H. Sipe, in the mercantile business, at Sipesville, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm will make immediate settlement.

PETER SIPE.
HENRY SIPE.

July 9, 1873.

The business will be continued at the old stand by the undersigned. Thankful for past favors he asks the continued patronage of the public.

july16 PETER SIPE.

New Advertisements.

ESTRAY NOTICE.—

About the middle of June last, there came trespassing on the farm of the undersigned, in Jenner township, a large light red cow, about nine years old. The owner will please come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.

july16 HUGH WIAND.

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A lecture on the Nature, Treatment and Radical Cure of Seminal Weakness, or Spermatorrhœa, induced by Self-Abuse, Involuntary Emissions, Impotency, Nervous Debility, and Impediments to Marriage generally; Consumption, Epilepsy, and Fits; Mental and Physical Incapacity, &c.—By ROBERT J. CULVERWELL, M. D., author of the "Green Book," &c.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Daniel Border, late of Conemaugh tp., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted to it to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it to present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, July 19th, at the residence of the undersigned in Davidsville, in said township.

DANIEL W. BORDER,
june11 Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Lloyd Dorsey, late of Allegheny tp., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted to it to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it, to present them duly authenticated for settlement, on Saturday, the 9th day of August, at the late residence of said deceased.

GEORGE G. WALKER,
june25 Administrator.

NOTICE.

I hereby notify all persons not to purchase a note given by me to an unknown person one day last week. As I received no value for the same, I am determined not to pay it unless compelled to by law.

JOSEPH FIKE.
july2 Elklick township.

WRIT OF PARTITION.—

To Alexander C. Meyer's heirs, William H. and Daniel W., of whom Samuel Hanger is guardian, Paul J. Meyers, residing in Plattsburg, David E. Meyer's heirs, Henry and Anne K., residing in Fall City, Nebraska, of whom Aaron Boucher is guardian adlitum, Azariah H. Meyers, residing in Indiana county, Pa., John H. Meyers, Catharine M. Beam's heirs, viz: Mary E., intermarried with Samuel Zimmerman, Susan, intermarried with Nelson Sellers, Lydia, Agnes, Joseph and Alexander Beam, all residing in Somerset county, Pa., except Alexander, who lives in California, Mary Ann, intermarried with William Beam, Amelia C., intermarried with Samuel Hanger, Sarah B., intermarried with Solomon Simpson, Lizzie L., intermarried with Samuel Livengood, Susanna B., intermarried with David Horner, Abigail M. and Annie K. Meyers, residing in Somerset county, Pa., Samuel Zimmerman, guardian of Lydia, Alexander and Agnes Beam, heirs and legal representatives of Joseph Meyers, late of Somerset township, Somerset county, Pa., deceased.

Take notice that by virtue of a writ of partition or valuation issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset county, Pa., and to me directed, I will hold an inquest on the premises, in Somerset township, commencing at the homestead farm, on Thursday, the 17th day of July, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said deceased to and among his heirs and legal representatives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling the whole, or to value and appraise the same according to law, at which time and place you are requested to attend if you think proper.

Sheriff's office, June 11, 1873. OLIVER KNEPPER, Sheriff.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—

Estate of Samuel Flickinger, late of Elklick tp., deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to those indebted to it to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it to present them duly authenticated for settlement at the late residence of the deceased, on Thursday, July 31, 1873.

JOHN W. BEACHY,
june 18 Executor.

ESTRAY NOTICE.—

Came trespassing on the premises of the subscriber, in Brothersvalley township, on the 12th of June last, one dapple gray horse about ten years old, hip shod in the left hind leg; also stifle joint out of place in same leg. The owner will please come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away or he will be disposed of according to law.

july2 ABRAHAM LONG.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—

By direction of the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, I will sell at public sale, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9th 1873,

on the premises at 10 o'clock a. m., the real estate of Josiah Donner, in Berlin, Somerset county, Pa., viz:

No. 1.—A certain lot of ground situated in Berlin borough, bounded on the south by Main Street, on the west by Cherry Alley, on the north by Mulberry Street, and on the east by lot No. 44, being four perches on Main Street and 12 perches back, containing 48 perches, with a new two story frame house 66 feet front and 30 feet deep, with kitchen attached, large stable, ice house, wash house, &c.

No. 2.—A certain piece or parcel of land situated in Brothersvalley township, in said county, adjoining lands of John Musser, John P. Cober and Emanuel Masters; containing 5 acres and 140 perches. This will be sold in the whole or in parcels to suit purchasers.

No. 3.—A certain tract of land situated in Brothersvalley township, said county, adjoining lands of Wm. Hay, Peter Hauger, J. Miller, Joel Berkley and others, containing 139 acres, more or less. This tract has an abundance of limestone, coal and iron ore. The Buffalo Valley R. R. runs through part of it. This tract will also be sold in the whole or in parcels to suit purchasers. Improvements are a good two story dwelling house, bank barn, &c.

No. 4.—A certain piece or parcel of land in Brothersvalley township, county aforesaid, adjoining the heirs of A. A. Philson on the south, cemetery on the west, and Chas. Floto on the north, containing 1 acre and 74 perches.

TERMS.—Nos. 1 and 2.—One-third in hand, balance in two equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured on the premises.

No. 3.—$4439 22 to remain a lien, the interest to be paid annually on the 20th of February to the widow of Peter Zimmerman, deceased, during her life, and at her death the principal to the heirs of P. Zimmerman; $3000 in hand, $1623 30 on the 20th of February, 1874, and the balance in two equal annual payments, with interest from 20th February, 1874, to be secured on the premises.

No. 4.—Cash; $90 thereof to remain a lien, the interest thereof to be paid to the widow of Samuel S. Platt on the 12th day of February, annually, during her life, and at her death the balance to the heirs of Samuel S. Platt, deceased.

DANIEL J. BRUBAKER,
july2. Administrator.

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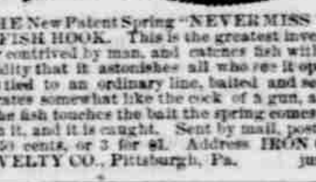

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Flour and Feed

STORE.

We would most respectfully announce to our friends and the public generally, in the town and vicinity of Somerset, that we have opened out our New Store on

MAIN CROSS STREET,

And in addition to a full line of the best

Confectioneries, Notions,, Tobaccos, Cigars, &c.,

We will endeavor, at all times, to supply our customers with the

BEST QUALITY OF

FAMILY FLOUR,

CORN-MEAL,
OATS' SHELLED CORN,
OATS & CORN CHOP,
BRAN, MIDDLINGS,

And everything pertaining to the Feed Department, at the

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

FOR

CASH ONLY.

Also, a well selected stock of

Glassware; Stoneware, Woodenware, Brushes of all kinds, and

STATIONERY

Which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Please call, examine our goods of all kinds, and be satisfied from your own judgment.

Don't forget where we stay—

On MAIN CROSS Street, Somerset, Pa.
Oct. 2, 1872.

Farmers of Somerset Co.,

You can save a large amount of FREIGHT and SPECULATORS' PROFITS by having your wool used in your own county and buying your goods at home.

Morgan's Factory

May be found a larger and better stock of woolen goods than ever before. Our assortment of

Woolen Goods

was awarded the first premium at the Fair of the Highland Agricultural Society held at Johnstown October, 1872, and open to competition from all parts of the State, and the same opinion has been shown by nearly 1,500 farmers of Somerset by giving us their continued patronage, for which accept our thanks.

Mr. David L. Witt will this season visit all our customers as usual. New Customers wishing him to call will please notify us by mail. Address,

WM. S. MORGAN,
Stanton's Mills, Pa.

Place of business one mile west. april2

Men's, Youths' and Boys'

CLOTHING

FOR

Fall and Winter Wear.

Having greatly increased our facilities during the past year, we are now prepared to offer for your approval a selection unsurpassed in extent, Style, Workmanship and Material. We make a specialty of

FINE READY-MADE CLOTHING

Fully equal, if not superior, in elegance, style, cut and finish, to the best ordered garments, at prices one-third less; but for all who prefer to order garments we have an extensive Custom Department, constantly supplied with the finest goods, and a large force of most Artistic Cutters.

CLOTHING

Of Our Own Manufacture,

Which we guarantee to be of better quality, and cheaper in Price than any other house in the city.

SCHOOL SUITS

For Boys of All Ages,

Good and very Cheap!

ONE PRICE!

NO DEVIATION!!

All Goods Marked at the very Lowest Price

**URLING,
FOLLANSBEE
& CO.,**

121 Wood St., Cor. Fifth Ave.,

PITTSBURGH PA.

Oct. 30.

W. W. DAVIS & BRO'S

CHEAP

Grocery and Confectionery,

SOMERSET, PA.

We desire to inform the people of this community that we have purchased the Grocery and Confectionery of H. F. Knepper, Esq., opposite the Barnet House, and have made valuable additions to the already fine stock of Goods. We sell all the best brands of

FLOUR,
AND MEAL,
COFFEE,
TEAS,
SUGARS,
RICE, SYRUPS,
MOLASSES,
FISH, SALT,
SPICES,
APPLES,
FLAVORING EXTRACTS,
DRIED AND CANNED FRUITS.
ALSO,
COAL OIL, TOBACCO, CIGARS,
SNUFF, BROOMS,
BUCKETS, TUBS, &c.
All kinds French and common
CANDIES, NUTS, CRACKERS,
FANCY CAKES, PERFUMERY,
AND TOILET ARTICLES,
COMBS, BRUSHES, SOAP, &c.

Also an assortment of Toys, &c., for the little folks.

If you want anything in the Grocery and Confectionery line call at

Davis' Cheap Grocery,

OPPOSITE THE BARNET HOUSE.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—

Estate of Adam Schisler, late of Summit township, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to those indebted to it to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it will present them to the undersigned, at his office in Berlin borough, for settlement, on Saturday, July 19th.

W. A. GARMAN,
june11 Executor.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE.

A FIRST CLASS DRUG & PRESCRIPTION STORE very eligably situated in Allegheny City, doing a good paying business, is offered for sale on accommodating terms. The owner wishing to retire from active business, or would prefer selling an interest to a person having good references, and who could give it their whole attention. An opportunity of this kind to get into a good paying business with small capital does not often occur.—For further particulars address B. F. GOULD, care Dr. Hays, 189 Washington Avenue, Allegheny City, Pa. may7