The Somerset Herald.

...DAY. July 23, 1873.

TIME TABLES.

...MINERAL & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

...after Monday, July 7th, 1873, trains will ...as follows:

DEPARTURE.	ARRIVE.
8:30 a. m.	6:30 a. m.
11 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
4 p. m.	6:15 p. m.

W. F. ALTFATHER, Gen'l. Sup't.

...E R R E.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

...Express	11:26 p. m.
...Express	8:21 a. m.
...Express	12:02 p. m.
...Express	4:30 p. m.

...HARVEST is nearly over.

...blackberries are getting ripe.

...Somerset has fifty rolling mills.

...Cook at Davis & Bros.

...had several refreshing showers last ...

...LOTS.—A couple of loads of good ... yet.

...Flour is down, see Cook ...

...Rustless Ears," will be plenty in a ...

...Confectioneries at Cook & Beerits' ...

...Large lot of all varieties, at W. W. ...

...The prune crop looks promising des...

...Apples and potatoes for cash at ...

...were rather comfortable on ... last.

...work on the Lutheran Church ... completed.

...jars, pitchers and jugs for ... & Beerit's.

...ordered at Davis & Bros. a splen... of cigars.

...one of the most pleasant ... places in the State.

...Corn Meal, and Feed always ... the Grocery & Feed Store.

FARMERS.—Cook and Beerits will ... and corn for oats and potatoes.

GEORGE NEFF and Gus. Davis ... their houses to a coat of paint.

...had a great deal of thunder ... in this vicinity, this season.

...PENNSYLVANIA erected seventy-nine ... works last year, to New Yorks

...have been built or are being ... all but eight lots, in the burat

SAMUEL SHAFFER has just finished ... as fine a kiln of brick as we have

...surveyed and seventy two persons ... on the Railroads in this State

...farmers have been busy making ... past few weeks. The crop is ...

...Cottman's Bank for cash. Hen... will receive pay. Large quan... on hand.

...question asked by strangers ... here is "How did your county ... Local Option Bill.

...members of Rev. A. E. ... congregation presented him with ... a few days ago.

...Mr. J. BAER will accept our ... returns one and two of the de... Constitutional Convention.

...special train that conveyed Gov. ... and party from Pittsburgh to ... made the trip in five and a ...

...bed, bucket lard, tin caddy ... and lotus, common shoulders ... and dried beef, go to the Grocery

...Duffy's Pockets" is the new Name ... given men who lounge about the ... on Sunday evening waiting ...

...M. CAMPBELL, of Johns... been selected as a Senatorial del... the 35th District to the Republican ...

...Forth was the 100th anniversary ... Tea Party," and Paul ... from Boston to New York ...

...boys about town appear to ... laying mania, wherever there ... and handy they con... bonses.

...Cameron, John A. ..., of Lancaster, and H. P. ..., Esq., of Philadelphia, paid our ... a call last week.

...DAVIS & Bro., have just receiv... largest and best selected stock of ... Confections, Tobacco and Ci... brought to Somerset.

...POSTER has been designated as ... ger, at $100 a year, from 1st. ... mail is carried daily be... and Wellersburg.

...the *Dale City Record*, ... Hauger, has sold his interest ... *Family Companion* and ... retires with that paper.

...the ninth census: The ... four leading States runs: ...,780; Pennsylvania, 3,521,... ,260; Illinois, 2,539,891.

...a nice assortment of ... and Handle Parasol, as... Fans, Lace and Linen ... Jouvins Kid Gloves, ... Ties Beans &c.

G. HOLDERBAUM.

EXPLOSIONS.—Go to W. W. ... and buy a box of PROF. ... NON-EXPLOSIVE LAMP PROT... the wonder of the world! It ... prevent your lamps from ... and your lamp chimneys from ...

...this last, the corner-stone of ... Episcopal Church, at ... will be laid with appropriate ... The pastor, Rev. S. M. Dav... number of ministers from ... be present, and ample accom... have been made to entertain all ... attend.

...BLATTER gives his whole at... the Hardware business. He ... principally from the manu... saving from 15 to 20 per ... wanting hardware, will ... going to Blymyer's to get ... special rates to persons ...—go and be convinced ... and cheapest at the Hardware

...Prof. J. J. Hoblitzell, Esq., of ... and several gentlemen of ... visited the erection of fire... at an early day. The ... is situated on property lying ... the Connellsville road, ... it will be carried on a trans... to this city. The ... capacity affording em... fifty men. Come on ... works. — *Cumberland*

...frequently asked.—... Population of Somerset." In ... answer the same and ... two thousand. No one ... how many inhabitants ... A great many people have come ... and the completion of ... would be a matter of in... to know how much ... has increased since the ... in 1870. Let us have a new ... think our people would be will... any method the Borough ... would suggest so that this con... ascertained correctly to be wished," may ...

BRICK! BRICK!!

W. W. DAVIS & BRO.,

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

THE *Inquirer* says that the number of visitors now at Bedford Springs will aggregate about seven hundred. The arrivals average from fifty to seventy-five persons daily.

WE sympathise with our neighbor of the Record, in the loss of that registered letter, for we know how seldom letters of the kind find their way into the hand of the printer.

A Sunday School Pic-nic, under the auspices of the Reformed church, of this place, will be given at Mineral Point on Thursday the 24th, inst. A pleasant time is expected.

MR. THOMAS DURKEE met with a serious accident a few days ago. He was repairing an *unloaded* pistol, when it went off, the ball passing through the first finger of his right hand.

THE Commissioners, after the bark had all been torn from the trees, by horses hitched to them have placed *elegant* boxes around them, we suppose to protect them from the coldness of the season.

THE brick work on the church being erected by the Disciples Congregation, on the corner of Main cross and Patriots street is finished and the Carpenters are at work putting on the roof.

BEST quality of White Wheat Flour in Bags and Barrels, always on hands at Cook & Beerits' Grocery and Feed Store. We guarantee all our Flour, and will deliver barrels of Flour to any part of town.

A NEWSPAPER will shortly be issued at Latrobe by Mr. Charles Fink and Mr. Frank Benford. The material for the paper has been purchased, and the proprietors expect to be able to issue it within three weeks.

A MAN named Hugh Cane, of Davidsville, Indiana county, was suffocated in a well a few days ago. It seems that Mr. C. had gone down the well for his tools when he was overpowered by the gas that had collected there.

THE Constitutional Convention having adjourned until the middle of September, Hon. Wm. J. Baer is again at home. We may now look for the speedy completion of the handsome buildings he has in process of erection.

GEO. F. BAER, Esq., and family of Reading, are at present on a visit to their old home and friends at this place. Rumor says that Mr. Baer has acquired a high position in his profession at Reading, and is eminently prosperous.

A Reading man took his wife with him in a balloon ascension, on the Fourth, and they both came down safe and sound, now he offers to take his mother-in law, on a like trip, but the old lady says she "wont take any of that in hers."

OUR *devils* have been amusing themselves by sending up hot air ballons, at which brother Hoffman of the *Democrat* takes umbrage. Our neighbors must remember that devils must have some way in which to dispose of their hot air.

THREE dollars and twenty cents or bushel is rather a steep price for new potatoes, but that was the sum demanded at the Johnstown market on several mornings of last week. Several lots of very small small ones were retailed at sixty cents per peck.

HARNESS should be washed and oiled once in six months after it is commenced being used. If it is neglected for years, and becomes hard, it is next to impossible to make it soft and as pliable as harness should be to wear well and be easy on the horse.

THE following recipe for preserving peppercrits is said to be excellent by all who have tried it. To 1 pound of berries, take ½ pint of currant juice and 1¼ pounds of sugar; dissolve the sugar in the currant juice. Put on together and boil for 15 or 20 minutes.

THE tomato plants in some localities are being assailed by a new enemy in the shape of a short, thick and striped bug, bearing some resemblance to a potatoe bug but differing from it in being smaller and larger in diameter. They eat not only the leaves, but also eat the branches and stalks.

THE match for one hundred dollars, between Conrad Miller, of Harrisburg, and Martin Shimley, of Johnstown, in a trial of skill in dressing a bullock, came off at Harrisburg, on Thursday. Miller got through in ten minutes and thirty-two seconds, Shimley in eight minutes and fifty eight seconds.

AN amateur farmer, living, well not a hundred miles from this place, had been reading of the ravages committed by the potatoe bug, so shouldering his hoe, he marched to the potatoe patch, dug up all his potatoes carefully, cut out all the eyes and burnt them, "he wasn't going to let them pesky bugs get ahead of him."

MISS. ANNIE MACBETH closed her select school on Thursday, last. Miss. Macbeth has taught several terms here and has been uniformly successful. We learn that Miss. M. intends teaching a short term of ten weeks. Wont the youngsters enjoy their vocation though. Playing—ball, pic nicking, croqueting, &c., that will be all the go.

THE crop of berries of all kinds, it is reported, will be unusually large in this county this summer. The season is just beginning, and berries are making their appearance on the streets. They are a very healthful article of food, and if not too dear should be a chief article of consumption in every family during warm weather.

WE notice a gang of men putting up new poles for the wires of the Western Union Telegraph Company. We can not imagine what the company means by running a line from here to Bedford and Mt. Pleasant with no intermediate offices, when by running a line eight miles south to Mineral Point, they could connect with their own.

A thirsty individual named Mahony, during the picnic at Hollidaysburg on the Fourth, espying a large demijohn, which he supposed contained something contraband to drink, eagerly seized the "john" and hastily took a libation. He died the following day. The demijohn contained sulphuric acid, and was used in making soda water.

THE Baltimore and Washington city mails for Pittsburg, are now carried over the Baltimore and Ohio and Connellsville Railroads, going several hours quicker than by the old route, via, the North Central and Pennsylvania. Mails leaving Baltimore at 8:40 p. m., and Washington an hour later arrive at Pittsburg at 7:25 the next morning.

THE Johnstown *Tribune* says: We understand that a body of engineers of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company were engaged last week in surveying the route for a railroad from Bedford, to connect with the Pennsylvania Railroad at or near this city. It is stated that they are following the course of Shade Creek and the Stony Creek and that they find the route an available one.

IF ever you chance, gentle reader, to awake about four o'clock in the morning, you will hear such a concert as the feathered warblers vouchsafe to mortals at no other time of day. Every bird is out, pouring his best and loudest song. The air and earth are still, and the sweet cadences rise and swell in pleasing harmony. Now comes a bit of silence, and then follows a chirping chatter, as if the whole winged creation were in full consultation in regard to the programme for the day just opening. It's worth while to wake early, if it be only to listen to our sweet songsters.

AS BLACKBERRY wine is excellent for medical purposes, particularly for diseases of the bowels, we copy the following receipt used by the Swiss settlers of the United States, and it is said to make most excellent wine: "To one bushel of berries put two gallons of water, and express the juice; to each gallon of the liquid add one pound of white refined sugar. Put into a cask a peck of freshly burned charcoal, broken into small pieces; then pour the liquid upon it. Let it ferment. As soon as the fermentation subsides close the cask tight and let it remain until January or later, then rack off and bottle, and set it in a cool cellar.

As will be seen by the advertisement for proposals of the Secretary of our borough School Board, the directors have determined to thoroughly overhaul and refit the Union School building. This is a much needed improvement, which, judging from the dilapidated appearance of the building, will cost the tax payers a round sum of money. The condition of this building has been an eye-sore to our citizens, for some time past and we feel sure they will not begrudge the necessary outlay to repair and beautify it.

SHORT SERMONS.—Now that the hot weather months are upon us, the clergy are advised to shorten their sermons. One of the most trying things on a hot day is a long sermon, and many a poor soul is driven from the church by the infliction of a discourse that forever makes him averse to the balance of the service, which otherwise would be acceptable and pleasant to him. Two of the best sermons ever delivered probably did not occupy over ten minutes each. We allude to Christ's sermon on the Mount, and Paul's discourse on May Hill. Let the preacher boil down his sermon instead of boiling his audience.

PROBABLY owing to our inate modesty and ignorance of social regulations, we have long been under the impression that to think lightly of a lady's foot was a sin, to look at it was a misdemeanor, and to take hold of it was a high crime. Such being the case, judge of our surprise and virtuous indignation, a few days since, on seeing a rough looking corn doctor present himself at the open door of a house in this town, and ask the ladies within whether they were troubled with corns, and evincing a readiness to commence work on their dear little feet. Such an outrage! We expected to see every lady faint, but fortunately they retained their self-possession and giving him a negative answer he skipped away.

THESE two items are from the Bedford *Inquirer*:

A HORSE DIES FROM A SNAKE BITE.—Some time since a valuable horse the property of Mr. George Yeager, in Union twp. was bitten by a rattlesnake, and died the ninth day after. The snake which was captured and killed was the largest one ever seen in the township and had eighteen rattles.

MAN FOUND DEAD IN HIS FIELD.—Mr. Benjamin Longenecker who resides near Woodbury and is about seventy years of age, was found dead in one of his fields on Monday evening last. He had gone out to work or look after farm affairs after eating his dinner and it is supposed that he had an attack of apoplexy.

Now that the County Commissioners have put a slate roof on the jail, inquiry is being daily made, as to when they will commence building the fire-proof vault in the Court House, so necessary for the safety of the invaluable records and papers within the walls of that building. The boys on the street put this distressing conundrum to the passers by—"If Rome was not built in a day, how many thousand years would it have taken the energy of our County Commissioners to have erected it, pending by the progress they have made in building a vault ordered five years since." Seriously, without the slightest means of protection for fire, is it not conceived negligence on the part of the Commissioners to thus neglect the security of the county records, on which so much depends.

MOUNTAIN CAKE.—To the yolks of six eggs, well beaten, add two cups of white sugar, three-quarters cup butter, one cup sweet milk, three-and-a-half cups flour, having in it one measure of Banner Baking Powder. Whites of two eggs, beaten stiff. Bake in jelly cake pans. When cold spread each layer with an icing made with the whites of four eggs, beaten stiff, one pound of powdered sugar and one tablespoonful extract of lemon.

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.

GREAT preparations are being made for the Convention of the Pennsylvania Teachers' Association in this city, which will be held on August 12, 13 and 14. This is the twentieth annual session of the Association, and it is expected that at least fifteen hundred of the teachers of the Commonwealth will be in attendance. The local committees have been diligently at work, and, among other arrangements, have engaged the opera-house as the place of meeting. A programme of exercises has been prepared which will prove most interesting and acceptable. During the session, addresses will be delivered by Rev. Geo. P. Hays, Charles H. Verrill, Edward Gideon, of Philadelphia, Superintendent Wickersham and others. Arrangements will be made so that members of the Association may visit the manufacturing establishments of the city, and, among other exercises, an open-air meeting will be held in one of the many groves of the suburbs. The railroad charges are not as yet fixed, but the railroad ticket agents will publish the excursion rates at an early day. A number of excursions will also be arranged, among others one to Chatauqua Lake, in which nearly the whole Association will participate.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch.*

WHY should not farmers and others raise fish for the market and for their domestic uses, as well as cattle, fowls or any other living stock? For so staple and healthy an article of food, it seems as absurd to be dependent upon chance capture in a wild state as it would be to rely for our poultry upon the fortune of the hunter or for our vegetable supply upon the finding of suitable esculents in localities in which a knowledge of botany may tell us they ought to grow. The efforts of the fish commissioners in this and other parts of the country, in stocking the waters with the spawn of valuable species of fish, will undoubtedly largely increase the numbers of the finny denizens of our rivers and streams; but the labor of securing an abundant and readily obtainable supply is thus only begun, and it seems to us that it may be continued by every dweller in the rural districts having the simple facilities requisite for the construction and maintenance of suitable fish receptacles.

Artificial incubation and the stocking of private ponds are of course no novel idea. History tells us of the vast sums expended for such purposes during the decline of the Roman empire; and pisciculture, especially in the monasteries, seems to have flourished through the middle ages. The success which has attended all modern efforts in a similar direction, even in the propagation of the trout and other delicate species, leaves little doubt but that, at a very moderate outlay of time and money, every farmer could provide himself with a well stocked pond, which he would find a constant source of valuable remuneration.

WE clip the following proceeding of the Senatorial Conferees from the Bedford *Inquirer*, of Friday last:

THE REPUBLICAN SENATORIAL CONFEREES met at Bedford, on Tuesday, July 15, 1873, as follows:

Somerset county—Josiah Shaffer, D. J. Horner and Dennis Meyers.

Bedford county—Daniel Washabaugh, Joseph Snowden and Isaiah Conley.

Fulton county—Jacob Z. Over and Jas. Pott.

Blair county—Daniel P. Ray, J. M. Stonebraker and C. S. W. Jones.

Dennis Meyers of Somerset was called to the chair, and C. S. W. Jones, of Blair county, to the position of Secretary.

On motion the Conferees from Fulton county were allowed the privilege of casting the full vote to which that county was entitled in the conference.

The selection of a delegate to represent the 21st Senatorial District in the Republican State Convention, being in order, the conferees proceeded to that business and unanimously elected Maj. D. W. Mullin, of Bedford county.

The following resolutions were then presented and adopted:

Resolved, That the Delegate elected by this Conference to represent the 21st Senatorial District in the Republican State Convention, on the 12th of August, 1874, be, and is hereby, instructed to support Hon. Samuel Henry, of Cambria county, as the Republican nominee for State Treasurer, and to use all honorable and fair means to secure his nomination.

Resolved, 1st. That the Senatorial Delegate from the 21st district to the State Convention be selected from the different counties comprising the same in alphabetical order, viz: Bedford, Blair, Fulton and Somerset. 2d, That this resolution be referred to each of the County Committees, or Conventions, for ratification.

On motion adjourn *sine die*."

D. MEYERS, Chm'n.
C. S. W. JONES, Sec.

MR. JOSIAH BRANT, on Wednesday last mowed a piece of bottom land situated at the east end of town, about three acres in extent and the heavy rains of Thursday raised the creek and carried his hay all away, not leaving a single straw.

THESE two items are from the *Salisbury Independent*:

EPHRAIM FOLK, a son, of Samuel Folk, of Elk Lick, cut his left wrist very badly on Friday last; Ephraim will have to abandon harvesting for this season.

A mild type of the Epizootic is prevailing and quite a number of horses are suffering. Attention and good care will soon put them in a fit condition for their oats.

NEW ENTERPRISE.—The Centenial Calendar, dated July 1st, 1873, good for one hundred years, and a monthly almanac, embracing eighteen months, from July 1st, 1873, to December 31st, 1874, containing much information relating to the Centennial Celebration of 1876, and the valuable properties of Simmon's Liver Regulator. Four millions are printing and all for gratuitous circulation. Send a one-cent stamp for a copy to J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia. Druggists supplied upon application.

WE clip the following from the Dale City *Record*.

MAIL ROBBERY.—On last Saturdy a mail robbery occurred at this place, the particulars of which are about as follows:

Col. J. C. Linn, Mail Messenger of the Mail Train East, had arranged his Registered packages, consisting of one registered letter package, and two stump packages, which were placed in the Receipt Book, at the proper places to be receipted.

When the train stopped at this station, the book with its contents, as is the custom with messengers, was laid in the door of the car, that the carrier should receive the packages, compare the receipts, and sign them, and then replace the book. As there is very little time between Dale City and Keystone Junction, Col. Linn received the mail pouch, which is generally pretty large from here, and took himself to distributing the matter.

After closing and handing out the Keystone Junction pouch, he reached for his Register Book, and found it missing. At Sand Patch, the next station, he telegraphed to Mr. Walter, the Messenger or mail Carrier, between the station and the Post-office. Search was made, and the book and packages were found under the old station shanty a short distance above the depot. The book and stamp packages were uninjured, but the letter was opened and rifled. It was addressed to H. R. Holsinger, Dale City, Pa., but did not give the amount of money it was to contain, but was likely not very large. No clue has yet been obtained to the perpetrator, but detectives will be put to work who will undoubtedly ferret him out. Col. Linn was here to-day and delivered the letter that had been robbed, and made the preparatory steps for an investigation.

ED. HERALD.—What has become of our local correspondents, are they all dead or have they no news worthy of notice, or were they swallowed up by "Local Option," or have they with the B. V. R. R., descended into oblivion.

Our town is certainly not dead yet; it is evidently true that our branch railroad is numbered among the relics of the past, still it might rise again at the dawn of day in a new era of energetic melioration.

Building is going on briskly and our citizens are striving hard to improve their property. E. J. Moyer is building a large house to be converted into a wholesale dry goods establishment.

The order of Good Templars played out several weeks ago. They sold out their furniture and divided the money, and some of them got glorious drunk on the head of it.

Jack Hilton (the no. 1) Miller, can beat any boy in Somerset county, playing marbles.

John Brallier just completed his new stable with room for three hundred horses. Mr. Brallier is one of our enterprising men who prepares himself in time, he is getting ready for the branch railroad, so that persons coming in to the train know where to take their horses for safe keeping.

Hay making is going on briskly and the yield is a very good one. Grain is very good this year.

A few cases of cholera-infantum made their appearance last week, but all resulted favorable. MORE ANON.

Berlin, July 17th.

Casselman Brevities.

CASSELMAN, July 14th, 1873.

No Modocs on the war path—everything quiet along the line since the chieftains at Mineral Point left the war path—that was quite a bloodless struggle—don't know whether there was any skelping done or not, but think a little something of that nature would have been very beneficial to some of the participants.

We have been having quite a wet spell the last few days, think most of our farmers have gotten in their hay &c.

The Hyndman weeklies have again made their appearance. Suppose this accounts for the sudden change in the weather, they make things extremely convenient for the patrons of this end of the road. Accommodation trains are—well don't know whether they have gone away for their health or not—they have disappeared any how.—But then they didn't forget us. Easterly through trains are quite numerous and very convenient, stopping often. Wonder they don't run them all at night so as to have use for the sleeping coaches. The day express is to have window shades on all the windows to protect the eyes of the through passengers from the unusually warm rays of the sun—good idea, ain't it.

Wonder if the S. & M. P. R. R. Co., won't put on some through trains soon—they might borrow a sleeping coach to accommodate the through custom.

Saw mills and sich are like—accommodation trains on the decline.

Don't think the ossifus of the Ursina R. R. are aware of the reappearance of the Hyndman weeklies—they ain't been making good connections with through trains or P. W. & B.—won't some one enlighten 'em—but guess will take a rest—wishing all through trains &c., success.

We are yours, &c.,
CAPTAIN JACK.

Meyers Mills Items.

Short—Oats crop.

Numerous—Potatoe bugs.

At present an abundance of rain which helps our hay and oats crop considerably.

At the Catholic Fair.—A preacher and some members of one of our prominent churches of Dale City, that are opposed to having any of their members taking part in or going to places of ille amusement.

Removal—The mammoth bakery from U. M. Beachley's, of Dale City to George Weber's, Dale City. Neighbor Henry Wolf, the proprietor of the mammoth concern, made a good exchange—you will still find him in Dale City, on the corner of north and centre streets.

Strange—One of the gay young ladies of Dale City commenced taking music lessons in Dale City, under a competent instructor, and has since taken two courses in as many western colleges—is now graduating in Meyers' Mills. Oh, Dear!

Rather dark—The lights in the German Baptist church. The sexton should know that bright as the good works of his people may shine, they assist an outsider nothing whatever in reading his hymns. A little darker and it will be hard to say who are the members.

The Narrow Gauge Railroad is now running a new engine, a six wheeler. He wheeled himself off the track one day last week next the tressling, crossing the River. There was not much injury done. He is again on duty.

On next Friday we are to have a Circus. A purely circus show is only adapted to the wants of whiskey rings and other bad people. Christians are not allowed to attend such shows. The proprietor of this circus, being aware of this fact, and to accommodate those christians that had not gone to your place to see the show, is making it known to the good people of our place, by his show bills, that he, to accommodate that portion of our people, has gathered up, and is bringing with him, a group of—of—monkeys.

The "Vinegar Bitters" and "Parney's Pancea" of the nineteenth Century, have almost puralized the world with the medicinal properties they contain. Yet in this "Dale City," is an original preparation put out that is paralizing some of our citizens to an alarming extent, it weakens the mind and knees, it is called "soda water," with *I don't care what flavor*. Some of our people have the hardihood to say that these folks are drunk, and in fact it looks a little as though it might be so. N.

In the year 1800 the first society of Methodists was organized in America with a membership of but five persons. Seven years later, in 1773, the society had increased over a thousand souls, under the care of ten traveling preachers." Today the Church has 1,421,322 members, with 9,600 traveling and 11,582 local ministers.

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-16

NOTICE.

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

JUST RECEIVED BY

J. M. HOLDERBAUM, Agent,
at Somerset, Penn'a.

"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—I [illegible] even better than your son stated. I [illegible] 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.

KORNS—WALTER.—At the Lutheran Parsonage in Jennerville, July, 16th, 1873, By Rev. Henry Seibert, Alexander Korns Esq., to Miss. Belinda Walter, Both of Jenner Township Somerset County Pa.

SOMERSET MARKET.

Corrected weekly by A. J. CASSELMAN & Co.

Apples, dried, ₩ lb	5c
Applebutter, ₩ gal	40@50
Butter, ₩ lb	20c
Buckwheat, ₩ bushel	$1 00
Beeswax, ₩ lb	30c
Bacon, shoulders, ₩ lb	8c
" sides, "	8c
" hams, "	12c
Corn, ₩ bushel	$1 00
Corn meal ₩ lb	3c
Calf skins, ₩ lb	$1 25
Eggs, ₩ doz	15c
Flour, ₩ bbl	$10 50
Flaxseed ₩ bu. (56 lb)	$1 50
Lard, ₩ lb	12@c
Leather, red, sole, ₩ lb	30@35c
" upper "	75c
" kip. "	80c
Oats, ₩ bu	50c
Potatoes, ₩ bu	50c
Peaches, dried, ₩ lb	12@c
Rye ₩ bu	$1 00
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D. MEYERS,
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EXECUTOR'S SALE.—

We the undersigned Executor's of the last will and testament of Isaac Dibert, deceased, will expose to public sale, on Tuesday, the 9th of September, at 1 o'clock, in the borough of Stoystown, the following Real Estate:

A certain tract of land situated one mile northeast of Stoystown borough, in Quemahoning twp., adjoining lands of John Bowman, Noah Miller and others, containing 100 acres more or less, having thereon erected a two-story log house, and a new bank barn. Both in good condition. Also a never-failing An orchard of choice fruit on the premises, the farm well watered.

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I can recommend Dr. Willis as a skillful 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, Cumberland, and I feel proud to say he cured her eyes sound and well. FRANK COSGROVE.

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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 eyes right and is getting well fast. MRS. C. SHAFER.
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CUMBERLAND, Md., April 22, 1873.

I feel it my duty to say that my little boy has had the scrotula 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 $60 and my money and time I failed to get my little boy cured. I then applied to Dr. Willis, of Cumberland, and he cured him sound and well.

JOHN LAW.

CUMBERLAND, Md., Jan 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 miner, 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