The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY, - - - - - May, 26, 1875.

TIME TABLES.

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On, and after Monday, Nov. 16th, 1874, trains will run as follows:

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Mail East.....11:20 a. m.	1:30 m.
Mail West.....2 19 p. m.	2:30 p. m.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

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

BUFFALO VALLEY RAILROAD.

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Mail East.....11:35 a. m.	1:45 p. m.
Mail West.....2:45 p. m.	4:45 p. m.

FRANK FORNEY,
Agent.

Pittsburgh & Connellsville RAILROAD.

Pittsburgh, Washington & Baltimore

"SHORT LINE."

ALTERATION OF TIME.

Mail and Accommodation Trains daily, except Sundays. Express Trains daily.

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On and after Sunday, Nov. 16th, 1874, Trains on this Road will Depart and Arrive from Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, as follows:

DEPART.	PITTSBURGH TIME.	ARRIVE.
Uniontown Accom	6:30 a.m.	McKeesport Accom	8:45 a.m.
Through Mail	7:20 a.m.	McKeesport Accom	7:35 a.m.
Mixed Way	9:25 a.m.	W. Newton Accom	8:25 a.m.
M'Keesport Accom	11:00 a.m.	Through Ex.	3:50 a.m.
McKeesport Accom	2:15 p.m.	Uniontown Accom	10:15 a.m.
Uniontown Accom	2:45 p.m.	McKeesport Accom	12 m.
McKeesport Accom	4:20 p.m.	M'Keesport Accom	2:00 p.m.
W. Newton Accom	5:15 p.m.	McKeesport Accom	6:10 p.m.
McKeesport Accom	6:20 p.m.	Uniontown Accom	6:40 p.m.
Through Ex.	8:00 p.m.	M'Keesport Accom	7:35 p.m.
McKeesport Accom	11:15 p.m.	Through Mail	3:50 p.m.
West Newton Church Train	12:45 p.m.	West Newton Church Train	10:05 p.m.

Central Ticket Office, 43 5th Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

R. K. HYNDMAN, Gen. Sup't. Connellsville. R. B. SOWERS, Ticket Agent.

SAM'L C. HOUGH, Gen. Pass. Ag't.

Feb. 10.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

E. M. Schrock, Somerset Borough, Chairman.
Addison—S. A. Dean.
Allegheny—Alex. Ware.
Berlin—Tobias Fisher.
Brothersvalley—D. S. Meyers.
Conemaugh—Levi Yoder.
Confluence—Jonathan Frantz.
Elklick—J. N. Davis.
Greenville—Joel Yutzy.
Jefferson—Daniel Bowman.
Jenner—J. R. Griffith.
Jennertown—John A. Sipe.
Larimer—Samuel P. Geiger.
Meyersdale—G. D. Lichty.
Middlecreek—Philip K. Moore.
Milford—Joseph Schrock.
New Baltimore—John George.
New Centreville—George W. Phillippi.
Northampton—D. S. Bowman.
Paint—Joseph J. Lehman.
Quemahoning—Samuel Barnet.
Salisbury—Samuel Mier.
Shade—Jacob McGregor.
Somerset Borough—John I. Scull.
Somerset Twp.—Charles Menser.
Stonycreek—W. M. Schrock.
Southampton—Noah Sturtz.
Stoystown—C. W. Pugh.
Summit—Cornelius Shoemaker.
Upper Turkeyfoot—Freeman Yoemkin.
Lower Turkeyfoot—Alex. Nicola.
Ursina—W. H. Berger.
Wellersburg—Michael Long.

The Republican Primary Election will be held on Saturday, May 29th, 1875.

The following resolutions, adopted at the meeting held on May 4th, 1870, are still in force and are published for the instruction of those holding the elections, viz:

1st. That the polls be opened only at the usual places of holding elections fixed by law.

2d. That the Republican voters of each district shall elect their member of the County Committee and the two additional officers to hold the primary election.

3d. That when they were not elected at the previous election, the committeeman for each borough and township, shall select the two other persons to assist in holding the primary election in their respective districts, and the committee-man shall act as judge and make the return of election.

4th. That the committee-man be required to make a list of the Republican voters of the borough or township in which he lives, and have the same present at the election, and designate thereon every person; and if any person not named thereon be judged entitled to a vote, his name be added to said list and the fact stated, and that the said list be produced before the return judges when they meet.

5th. That all Republicans be required to vote in their proper districts.

6th. That no person be allowed to vote unless known to have voted with the Republican party, or who can produce satisfactory evidence of that fact.

The return judges must place the returns in the hands of the Chairman on or before Monday evening, May 31st.

E. M. SCHROCK,
Ch'm. Co. Com.

COOK & BEERITS are again in the field for Potatoes.

HIGHEST prices paid for Wool in cash or trade at Morgan's

ALWAYS bear in mind that business neglected is business lost.

FINE Ashton Salt for sale at
E. J. BEECHLEY'S.

A YOUTHFUL friend suggests that "it isn't only the early bird that catches them."

JOHN G. FISHER, of the Bedford *Gazette* was to be seen on our streets last week.

W. F. ALTFATHER & Co. have no old stock on hand; all goods fresh and of best quality.

WORKMEN are engaged in erecting large stables for the Hill House back of that hostelry.

MR. FRANK COUNTRYMAN is having a handsome iron fence placed around his lot on Gravel Hill.

THIS is the last week of the canvass and the candidates are all endeavoring to "hoop em up lively."

EVERY Republican should go to the primary on Saturday next and vote for the candidates of his choice.

CIRCULARS for the National Musical Institute, to be held here during July and August, are being distributed.

W. F. ALTFATHER & Co. have just received another lot of extra No. 1 and No. 2 Mackerel. For sale cheap.

WANTED.—All the Potatoes that are for sale. Bring them right along.
COOK & BEERITS.

FARMERS, buy your Seed Oats at E. J. Beechley's, he has just received a large lot of Oats and Corn.

J. H. FRITZ, County Surveyor. Special office day, Saturday. Office in the Court House, Somerset, Pa.

TO FARMERS.—Don't delay bringing in your Potatoes till the bottom falls out of the market.
COOK & BEERITS.

W. F. ALTFATHER & Co. are receiving new supplies almost daily. All stock fresh and of best quality. Call and examine stock.

CANDIDATES will find it to their interest to canvass in a suit of Morgan's home-made Summer Cassimeres. Somerset Co. isn't much for Shoddy.

O. W. Sadler, M. D. Oculist and Aurist No. 256 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. All diseases of Eye, Ear and Throat, and Catarrh, specialties. Operations for Cataract, "Crossed Eyes," "Weeping Eye," "Wild Hairs," Polypus in Ear or Nose, enlarged Tonsils, &c., performed. Spectacles fitted. Artificial Eyes inserted.

AND now some philanthropist has discovered that "you hit the wrong nail on the head when you hit your own."

AND now the fond mother promises her fishing loving son a new chip hat if he'll spade that "little piece of garden."

SHIRTS, Collars, Neck-ties, Suspenders, Socks, and Handkerchiefs, also a nice line of mens underwear at Steck's. *Cheap.*

IF you want to buy Knives, Forks and Spoons or in fact anything in the Hardware line Blymyer's is the place to get it.

PEACH, Cherry, Plum and other fruit trees are blossoming, and the landscape is much more pleasing to the eye in consequence.

W. F. ALTFATHER & Co. are still receiving Clover, Timothy and Grass Seed. Farmers call we can supply any grass seed you want.

THE Republican State Convention meets to-day, (Wednesday.) The delegates from this county are Gen. W. H. Koontz and Joseph D. Miller.

How in the Hell-o! do you account for this. A Dauphin county juror answered "hello" to his name and the judge fined him for contempt.

SINGLE ladies should make it a point to be at church early so as to be on hand when the minister gives out the hymns. They might get one.

JUST received, a fine lot of Lake Herring; also No. 1 and 2 Mackerel fresh from the shore.
E. J. BEECHLEY.

JOHN F. BLYMYER has now on hand a large lot of the celebrated McVicker's Dry Ridge Red Hames, which he will sell at wholesale or retail.

WINDOW-BLINDS of Paper, Cloth and Holland, figured and plain, also the "Western Fixture" at Steck's. Come and examine before buying elsewhere.

A CONFIDENCE operator has been taking in some of the Cambria county farmers. His game is to get money advanced on a check. Look out for him.

BROTHER Hoffman, of the *Democrat* has his new residence nearly finished. It is a handsome dwelling and furnished with all the modern improvements.

HATS & CAPS, for men and boys, of silk, fur, wool and straw, of all prices and styles for Spring and Summer wear at Amos Steck's. Call and look at them.

WALL PAPER the largest stock, best and cheapest wall paper ever brought to Somerset is at Steck's. He takes pleasure in showing the samples. Give him a call.

LOST.—On the Bedford pike, a small leather book containing fishing tackle, (snoods, flys, &c.) A liberal reward will be paid any one who will return the same to this office.

JOHN F. BLYMYER is prepared to supply building Hardware at the very lowest prices; Nails, Locks, Latches, Hinges, Glass, Oil, Paint, &c. Sugar taken in exchange for goods.

MR. HENRY WOOLEY is building himself a house on Main Street opposite the residence of ex-Sheriff John A. Walter. We understand that it is to be used as a "tomb stone factory."

MESSRS. Cook & Beerits having purchased the lot and stable in the rear of the residence of Maj. Alex. Stutzman, are having the stable raised and refitted and will use it as a wareroom.

AN unknown tramp fell down in an epileptic fit in front of the court house on Saturday morning. He was removed into the court house yard where he soon recovered and departed on his way.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to us by note or book account will call and make settlements at once.
SNYDER & UHL.
Somerset, Pa., May 26th, 1875.

THE effect of the new license law, throughout the State, has been to close up quite a number of small houses in each county. The high rate of license and the bond required are the causes of this result.

THE *Miners' Journal* says an intoxicated Pottsville man, while driving along in a carriage, saw a dead snake on the road side, and jumping out of the vehicle, grabbed the reptile, and tore it to pieces with his teeth.

MESSRS. C. O. Hurst and G. W. Tayman of Somerset, and Major E. H. Wardwell, of Baltimore, captured over five hundred trout in the streams of Laurel Hill mountain during the early part of last week.

MR. AMOS STECK has had a neat new sign placed in front of his store room, in the Mammoth Block, in order that should he be suddenly gathered to his fathers, it might not be said of him, "he died and left no sign."

"FASHION BAZAAR," has had a beautiful new sign put up over its entrance. The sign is in the shape of a semicircle, with the simple word "Tredwell" in white letters in a blue field, on either side of the name is the number 6.

MORRISON & BRO's. Cough Syrup has given the best satisfaction for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Phthisic, Asthma, and for relief of Consumption. It cases the cough in such diseases. It has cured hundreds of cases when taken in time.

AN exchange says: If any of our lady friends feel unable to purchase a new spring hat this season, all they have to do is to shroud their old one in a grenadine veil, look as distinguished as possible, and nobody will be able to discern the difference.

NOTICE.—The books of C. F Rhonds & Bro. are in my hands for settlement and collection. All persons interested will please call at once and save further trouble.
JAS. L. PUGH.

BUTLER county is not troubled with a superabundance of disinterested patriots who are willing to serve their country by holding office. Only some eighty-six announcements are published in the *Citizen* of last week; of these thirty are for Sheriff.

OUR town presented a busy appearance on Saturday last. The streets were filled with the teams of our rural friends who came to town to dispose of produce and make purchases. The merchants all agree in saying that business is slowly reviving.

THE Loyalhanna strikers, who made an attack on the railroad laborers, that had been put in to fill the strikers' places, were tried at Greensburg, last week, and a verdict returned, in which they found eight of the rioters guilty. The sentence was deferred.

THE Connellsville *Tribune* says: "The boys gathered round the composing stone." We had a local that said that once, and we *imposed* our foot beneath his coat tails and *composed* the seat of his breeches. But perhaps the devil *imposed* on the credulity of the *Tribune* man.

ED. HERALD.—Please withdraw my name from the list of candidates for the nomination for Register and Recorder. I am thankful to my friends for the encouragement I received, but circumstances will not permit me to continue the canvass.
GEO. M. SAYLOR.

THE Commissioners of Bedford County, were in town last week to examine our court house preparatory to making some improvements on the one at Bedford. They called to see us on Friday. They are clever gentlemen, and we have but one objection to find to the board, it ought to have two more Republicans in it.

A CHESTER Gentile advertises that in the identical building and in the identical room to which Lafayette was removed in order to have his wounds dressed after the battle of Brandywine, he has for sale a choice stock of domestic wines and liquors. It is thus that patriotic America perpetuates the memories of the time that tried men's souls.

CUSTOMERS wanted to call at William Heffley's new store, in the brick building on Parker's corner. Splendid line of dry goods. Clothing a specialty. Clothing made to order. The place to get a Singer Sewing Machine to make them up. Needles, oils and attachments kept for all Sewing Machines.

AL. ROW, of the Clearfield *Raftsman's Journal*, is spending a few days with his friends and relatives at this place. His Clearfield friends can rest assured that he is being well taken care of. He has not reported whether that huge amount in his possession as Treasurer of the State Sunday School Convention, $1.50 has been increased or not.

THE town council having fixed the grade of Main Cross Street, work was commenced on it between Main and Union. It has been raised several inches and new pavements are being laid down. Would it not be a good idea for the town council to fix definitely the grade of all the streets in the town and make the pavements and roads compare with it.

BATEMAN—COFFROTH.—At St. Peter's P. E. Church, by Rev. Dr. Julius E. Grammer, assisted by Rev. Samuel McD. Richardson, WILLIAM B. BATEMAN, of Pittsburgh, Pa., to ELLA E., daughter of Geo. R. Coffroth, of this city.—*Baltimore American.*

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bateman, in this place, join with us in wishing them a life of uninterrupted prosperity.

THE *American Manufacturer*, of Pittsburgh, states that a sheet of iron was rolled so thin in that city recently that it would require 10,000 such sheets to make an inch in thickness by laying them together. If the statement did not come from such a respectable source we would feel inclined to take it with a grain of allowance. A sheet of iron rolled down to 1-10,000th of an inch may be considered pretty thin.

WHITE RAT.—Joseph Sleaseman last week had on exhibition at his confectionary on the Diamond a nearly full-grown white rat, with red eyes and black tail. It was Mr. S's intention to domesticate the quadruped, but it made its escape on the Sunday last. His ratship was captured on the farm near this place belonging to the heirs of George Wiles, dec'd.—*Waynesboro Record.*

A CORRESPONDENT writes us: "A farmer living in Cambria county, near the Somerset county line, has a dairy of twenty-one cows. A few mornings ago on milking them they were found to be dry, with but two exceptions. The strangest thing is that they were all fresh milk cows and had given their usual amount of milk the evening before. The same farmer lost two horses the same week. What does it mean?

Confluence Poultry Yards.

For sale Fowls and Eggs of Fancy Poultry, bred from imported stock, Buff and Partridge Cochins, Light and Dark Brahmas, Gold and Silver Speckled Hamburghs, Polands, Black Spanish, Bantams and Bronze Turkeys. For particulars address
W. A. KOONTZ,
Confluence, Pa

OUR farmers will do well to remember that a late, cold spring, is very often compensated for by a late, warm fall. They should not be discouraged, therefore, over injured crops, but replant promptly, trusting that the season will be long enough for harvest. With some things, to be sure, you run the risk of losing both seed and labor; but you stand, on the other hand, a good chance of selling a crop at unusually high prices.

THE Washington *Republican* prints a fac simile of the signature of Mr. New, the recently appointed United States Treasurer, and remarks that it looks like a combination of tea chest hieroglyphics struck by lightning and twisted into intermingling and confused circles, braided together and twisted up like the ringlets of a curly headed school girl, who has succeeded in accomplishing an incomparable friz.

PROFESSOR Taylor, of the agricultural bureau, advises the Western farmers to get rid of the grasshoppers by eating them. They are largely consumed in the East, and the Indians of our plains find them excellent eating. General Sherman has tried them, and says they are by no means to be despised. There is a Scriptural precedent for putting the pests to this use. John the Baptist lived on them, with the addition of a little honey.

THE *United Presbyterian* makes this suggestion to ministers, for spending their vacations:

"As for ministers, perhaps no better method can be thought of than that of judicious exchange—the country pastor going to the city and the city one taking his place in the country. This would be good for both pastors, and for all the people interested, while it would avoid the trouble growing out of churches shut up and communities left without the gospel."

Kinsey Copper Lightning Rod.

This celebrated pure Copper Rod will be erected this season by the undersigned. All work put up in the best manner and satisfaction guaranteed. Send in your orders.
RHOADS BROS.
Somerset, Pa.

P. S.—Also Ornaments for Buildings, Fine Gold Plated Darts, Weather Vanes, and Balls.
May 12th, 1875.

ON Sunday morning Charles Gorman and wife, of the Fifth Ward, this city, says the Altoona *Radical*, had a little playful set-to, in which Mrs. Gorman, in sport, introduced the woman's favorite weapon, the broomstick, and Mr. Gorman, in dodging it, lost his balance and fell to the floor upon his back, and in falling a revolver which he had in his hip pocket, was discharged, the ball entering his leg near the hip, producing an ugly, although not dangerous wound. They must have lots of fun in that family.

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING CHEAP.—Best Prints at 10 cents, Honesdale and Shirt Muslin, yard wide, 15 cents; other Muslins, yard wide, 10 cents; Dress goods at 12½cents; 20 cord Alpaccas 25 cents; Ginghams 10 cents; Striped Shirting at 15cents worth 25cents. All wool Suits at $12.50 worth $15.00. Pants from $1.00 to $1.25 per pair. Dry Goods and Clothing will be sold at bottom prices during the next 40 days. Please call at H. Heffley's Frame Building, next door to Beeghleys.

THE side-walks in many places about town are in an exceedingly bad condition and need repairing sadly. Good pavements are something that are much needed in our town and a thing that would add much not only in the estimate of our own people but in that of strangers. As it is now ones ears are continually assailed by the growl of "bad pavements." People in comparing our town to others of its size in the State are continually saying "but your town is so badly paved." All this might be remedied at a small cost. "Let our people push on the good work.

ON Monday evening, 10th inst., during the storm in the northern part of this county, a son of Mr. William Campbell, of Venango township, was struck by the lightning in a singular manner. He had taken shelter in a barn, which was struck, the lightning passing down to a post against which he was standing and the electricity passed around his body twice, rendering him insensible. Although not dead, there are little hopes of his recovery, as the shock has almost paralyzed him. The barn, a new and good one, took fire and was burned to the ground. The loss is a serious one to Mr. Campbell. —*Butler Citizen.*

As this is the last issue of our paper before the primary we wish to say a few words to the Republican voters of the county. The offices to be filled are important ones, and as in a county as strongly Republican as this, where a nomination is equivalent to an election, it is important that we put in nomination good men and true. There is an abundance of good material to choose from, so let the ticket be such a one as will lead the county to roll up an unprecedented large majority on the 9th of November next.

Let a determined effort be made to make the nomination as much as possible, the voice of the Republican party throughout the county, and after the primary is over, no matter on whom the choice may fall, if it be "my man" or not, let us close up the ranks and lend the nominees our hearty and undivided support.

THE Attorney General decides the 29th of May a legal holiday in response to an inquiry on the subject. He says the act making decoration day a legal holiday declares that the 30th day of May, commonly called decoration day, or when that day falls on the first day of the week, the day preceding it shall be a holiday, and provides it shall be lawful to require payment of all notes, checks and bills of exchange due and payable on such holiday on the secular day next previous thereto, and in default of such payment the same may be protested, etc. The law is clear. Saturday, the 29th of May, is a legal holiday.

THE American Exchange and Review for the month says: The conflagrative character of the simple one-day commemoration of our national independence is well known. A measure of anticipation and preparation has so far in our history avoided the great possible calamity; no large city has been laid waste, even Portland did not burn all up; but the great jubilation of 1876 is to be judged by a scale of vaster possibility. If the excitement and fire works of a day shall have anything of like proportion during the half year of the Centennial, the fire liability will be proportionally enhanced, and it remains for the underwriter to calculate for a new contingency, with indefinite factors for his computation.

As they entered a Main street dry goods store the other day you would have said that love dwelt in both hearts and that a dove of peace roosted on every shingle on the roof of their abiding place. She saw a lovely dress, and she begged him to buy, but he replied:

"I can't, darling, not before next week."

"Can't you, dear?" she smiled. "Well, I will wait."

They had hardly passed out the door before he said.

"I'd like to see myself getting that dress?"

And she answered:

"You couldn't buy one side of it, and if you could, you are too stingy and mean to do it!"

THE past few days of warm and pleasant weather has wrought a wonderful and marked change in the face of nature, and under its genial and revivifying influence the country is rapidly putting on its vernal robes and casting aside the sombre habiliments reminding us of the long and rigorous reign of Winter. The fields are assuming a greener hue, and the trees are rapidly putting forth their leaves and being covered with a wealth of fragrant blossoms, while the wild flowes are timidly peeping forth amid the emerald verdure of the fields and meadows. Everything denotes the arrival of warm weather, and the change is a most gratifying one from the rough and unpleasant weather experienced throughout the months of March and April.

WELL, now! this is something like benevolence and kindness and Christian charity, that great rarity under the sun! There is to be a baby exhibition at Memphis, and a prize of $50 is to be awarded. To the most beautiful? By no means! The premium is to be bestowed on the Ugliest! We do not know exactly how the mother of the monster may relish its success; but it is understood that the premium will not be awarded without the maternal approval. There is another infant excellence which, to our surprise, the promoters of these baby shows have not hit upon. What honors would be too great, what prizes too costly, what triumph too tremendous, for the baby who cries least? as silent as it is sweet, as quiet as it is beautiful? Of course the competition would be by affidavit signed and sworn to by disinterested parties domiciled with the entered infants, and at the exhibition little experiments might be made with an oiled silk moon arranged as a temptation.

SAYS the Philadelphia *Press* of Saturday: California is now actually suffering from the too sudden influx of population, and her papers are discussing the question: What is to become of the people who are inconsiderately rushing into her borders. Indeed, the wave of emigration to wards California just now is one of the most singular chapters in the history of the movement of population. Without any exciting cause without any one impulse that is traceable, people are now flooding out over the Union Pacific Railway at the rate of from five hundred to one thousand a day, and have been doing so since January. The movement came quietly, without any heralding and excitement and is going on steadily without organization. It extends all the country over, and its inception was simultaneous, or nearly so, in all parts of the country. Of course, California cannot bear this burden, and the thoughtless emigrants must temporarily suffer. The great West, however, will be the gainer, as the bulk of them on ascertaining the situation will drop off and settle in other States or Territories.

THE Reading *Times* and *Dispatch* says that a meeting of the People's Freight Railroad Company was held in that city on Wedesday afternoon of last week. In the absence of the President, William M. Welgley, Esq., Hon. John C. Smith, of Pottstown, presided, and the Secretary, Hon. Esaias Billingfelt, having been called away by the sickness of a relative, C. P. Steinmetz, Esq., served as Secretary pro tem. A number of gentlemen who have manifested a deep interest in the project since its inception were present, although a number of farmers residing along the route in Berks and adjoining counties were prevented from attending, owing to the pressure of spring work. The engineer, Nathaniel McConaughy, presented a very encouraging report of the progress that had been made since the last meeting. The route west of the Susquehanna had been fully determined, and the survey would be finished during the summer months. The completed profile of the route east of the Susquehanna was presented to the meeting and explained. After an interchange of views by the gentlemen present, the meeting adjourned to re-convene at the Keystone House, in that city, on Tuesday, June 10th.

THE PEOPLES FREIGHT RAILWAY CO.—As per previous announcement a meeting of the friends of this enterprise was held here on the evening of the 22d inst., and, notwithstanding the fact that some one neglected to post the hand bills, a very fair attendance was had. Hon. E. D. Yutzy was called upon to preside. The chairman in a few remarks presented the object of the meeting to the audience and then introduced Mr. Nathaniel McConaughy, the engineer of the company, who in an address of considerable length covered the history of the enterprise, its object, route, cost, and system of management, Mr. McC. is a good speaker, arguing the question in a plain, common sense business like way that cannot fail to carry conviction to his hearers. The following committee was elected to obtain subscriptions or money for defraying the cost of making the surveys on Laurel Hill Creek and the Youghiogheny River districts.

Hon. E. D. Yutzy, Ursina, Chairman;
Norman B. Lichtliter, "
Noah Scott, "
Jonathan Frantz, Confluence.
Barney Winslow, "
M. A. Ross, "
Ursina, Pa., May 24th, 1875.

AMONG the various nurseries and seed establishments from which radiate to all parts of the country information of the latest improvements and the most desirable new varieties of flowers, fruit and vegetables, with the best method of growing them, we wish to call the attention of our readers to the well known firm of Edward J. Evans & Co., whose extensive nurseries and fruit farm are located about one mile south of the thriving city of York, Pa. These gardens are among the most complete in the country. Special attention is given to the seed department, and in it may be found one of the largest and most complete assortment of standard flower, vegetable, tree and hedge and agricultural seeds to be found in the market, which they offer for sale by the paper, ounce, pound or bushel. Their trade in the agricultural seeds is very large; the variety embraces seed wheat, seed oats, seed corn, seed potatoes, orchard grass, Kentucky blue grass, herds (red top) grass, finest mixed lawn grass, red clover, white clover, Alsike clover, Lucerne and other grass seeds, millet, Hungarian grass, buckwheat, tobacco seed, beet, parsnep, carrot, turnip, ruta baga, and other seeds for field culture, etc.

They also have a large stock of plant stands, hanging baskets, wire designs, terra cotta ware, etc.

For the sale of their productions Messrs. Evans & Co., own and operate an extensive Seed and Horticultural Store at 108 South George Street, York, Pa., where all orders should be addressed.

MR. ED. MAURER, a son of Jonas Maurer, of Jenner Twp., while on his way to attend divine service, at the Casebeer Church, on Saturday last, was struck by lightning, killing him and his horse instantly. The horse of a companion was also knocked down by the electric fluid, but recovered. This is one of the saddest accidents that it has been our fortune to record for some time, that a young man in good health and but just entering on the battle of life, should be thus struck down seems sad beyond measure.

The People Want Proof.

There is no medicine prescribed by Physicians, or sold by Druggists, that carries such evidence of its success and superior virtue as BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP for severe Coughs, Colds settled on the Breast, Consumption, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs, a proof of that fact is that any person afflicted, can get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try its superior effects before buying the regular size at 75 cents. It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures are astonishing to everyone that use it. Three doses will relieve any case.—Try it. Sold by G. W. Bentord & Co.

THE base ball season was opened with us on Saturday last by a social game between the Glades and Minor Glades of this place. The Glade nine with one or two changes is the same as last year. Game was called at two o'clock and continued until about four, resulting in the defeat of the Minors. The score standing: Glades 34; Minors 17. The game was characterized throughout by poor playing on the part of both clubs. Several good fly catches were made and the batting was tolerably good. The Minors though so badly beaten need not be ashamed of the game they played. A number of their nine give promise of being No. 1 players after they have a little more muscle and experience.

The Somerset Brass Band was on the ground and added much to the enjoyment by their lively airs. After the game was over, the clubs, with the band at their head and followed by the spectators, formed in a procession and marched into the Diamond. Where after expressing their thanks to the band, the clubs dispersed with the best of feeling toward each other.

Mr. Jacob P. Kimmel acted as umpire of the game and by his prompt and uniformly fair decisions won the esteem of all parties concerned.

BOOKS WHICH ARE BOOKS.—In our younger days we remember to have pondered long and lovingly over the oddity of the above caption, which stood always as a head line, on the first page of many rare and readable volumes, issued by an old publishing house now long retired from business. The experience of maturer years has taught us that the odd quotation carried the weight of a thoughtful criticism condensed in a single sentence; for while "of the making of many books there is no end," the additions to a good and healthful literature bear but a trifling relation to the sum total of publication.

These reflections are naturally caused by the appearance of the first number of a new work, quaintly styled "A Century After," which, oppositely enough, is a handsomely illustrated example, in its own pages, of the subject with which it deals—the astounding advance of our people in the arts and all scientific and industrial pursuits in the first century of their existence as a nation.

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CENTENNIAL.

Hannastown Resolutions of a Hundred Years Ago.

Celebration in Greensburg, on Saturday, May 15th, 1875.

The centennial celebration at this place on last Saturday, was a very creditable affair for the time our people had to make the arrangements (only about fifty days), and showed that our people, not only in this county but throughout Western Pennsylvania, are patriotic and ready to do honor to the worthy ancestry that laid the foundations of this Republic.

Gen. Cameron, the venerable United States Senator, and the long tried and ever true Pennsylvanian arrived on Friday and accepted the invitation to become the guest of Hon. H. D. Foster. Gen. Foster and Gen. Cameron have been warm and intimate personal friends. The truth is we never knew any fair and honorable man who had opportunities of becoming acquainted with Gen. Cameron, who did not become a warm personal friend of his. He is a whole souled, high toned, warm hearted, old fashioned gentleman. Gen. Jno. Williamson, of Huntingdon, also arrived on Friday and put up at the Zimmerman House.

It was learned shortly before the arrival of Gen. Cameron, that James Veech, Esq., who had been invited to preside, was ill and could not be present.

It was therefore unanimously agreed to invite Gen. Cameron to take his place, which was accordingly done.

A delegation of the City Council of Philadelphia put in an appearance on Saturday morning.

Under the direction of the Chief Marshal, the celebration was commenced at 6 o'clock in the morning by firing a salute of thirteen guns. Soon after the firing of the cannon people began to appear on the streets, and by seven o'clock every thoroughfare of the town was crowded. Liberal displays of flags and banners were everywhere to be seen, and men, women and children were dressed in holiday attire. Bands of music were kept busy during the forenoon escorting visitors from the depot to Main street, where the grand procession was formed.

At ten o'clock a. m., the column moved in the following order:

Gen. Dick Coulter, Chief Marshall, and eight aids, all mounted; Gen. Leasure, of Allegheny county; Great Western Band and Heflick's Drum Corpse; Knap's Battery, Captain J. D. Walker; Company F, Duquesne Greys, Lieut. Dickey commanding; Company D, Fourth Regiment, Captain Heckert; Latta Guards, Captain Barr; Company F, Fourteenth Regiment, Captain Perchment; Gallagher Greys, Latrobe, Captain Wood, with Latrobe band; one hundred citizens of Latrobe with banner and flags; Heath Zouaves, Captain Batchlor; Hutchinson Battery; Philadelphia Councilmen in carriages; twenty citizens of Pittsburgh on foot, with red badges; Mt. Pleasant Band and delegation of citizens; a large number of carriages, containing citizens of Allegheny and adjoining counties.

After marching through the principal streets, the procession halted in front of the Court House, and it being now about noon, the visitors were taken charge of by the people of Greensburg.

The military were then marched to Floral Hall in the Fair Grounds, where they were provided with a bountiful dinner by the people of Greensburg, Ludwick and the surrounding country.

MARRIED.

ZUFALL—CALDWELL.—May 23d, 1875, at the bride's uncles, by Rev. P. Felix, Mr. William Zufall, to Miss Cordie Ellen Caldwell, both of Casselman, Somerset County, Pa.

BISEL—MASON.—On the 20th inst., by the Rev. J. S. N. Sibert, S. P. Bisel to Miss M. E. Mason, all of Somerset Co., Penn'a.

DIED.

NEDROW.—May 20th, Mrs. Lydia J. Nedrow of Upper Turkeyfoot, aged 17 yrs, 5 mos. and 7 days.

GLESSNER.—Mrs. Catharine Jane Glessner, of Ligonier, Westmoreland Co., formerly of Jenner, this county, on the 21st of May; aged 35 years, 2 months and 26 days.

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Calf skins, ℔ lb	10c
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Eggs, ℔ doz	15c
Flour, ℔ bbl	$7 50
Flaxseed ℔ bu., (56 lb)	$1 50
Lard, ℔ lb	15c
Leather, red sole, ℔ lb	30@33
" upper "	70c
" kip, "	80c
Oats, ℔ bu	70c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	80c
Peaches, dried, ℔ lb	14c
Rye ℔ bu	$1 00
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AUDITORS' NOTICE.

Livengood and Ollinger, Augustus Rosenberger, Henry Rosenberger, Godfrey Rosenberger.	In the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, Pa. No. 91 Aug. T. 1874.

The undersigned having been appointed auditor in the above case, to make distribution of the funds arising out of the sale of defendant's personal property to and among those legally entitled thereto, hereby gives notice to all parties interested that he will meet them at his office in the borough of Somerset on Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1875, at 10 o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of said appointment.
JOHN H. UHL,
may26 Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

A. J. Colborn, Isaac Kauffman and others, vs. W. H. Picking et al.	

11th February, 1875, on motion of Williams H. Koontz, attorney for Sheriff, the Court appointed J. H. Uhl, Esq., auditor to make distribution of the funds in court arising out of the sale of defendant's real estate to and among those legally entitled thereto. 19th April, 1875, commission enlarged to authorize distribution of the funds realized on further sales made by the Sheriff amounting to $9,655, and also to ascertain payments or deductions to be made on judgments.
E. M. SCHROCK, Pro.

All persons interested will take notice that the undersigned auditor will sit at his office in Somerset, Pa., on Friday, the 11th day of June, 1875, to attend to the duties of the above appointment.
JOHN H. UHL,
may26 Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Noah Barnett, 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 at the office of the undersigned, in Stoystown borough, on Saturday, July 10, 1875.
ROBT. H. PATTERSON,
may26 Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Mong, late of Quemahoning 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 will present them to the undersigned, at the late residence of the deceased on Friday, the 23d day of July, 1875.
CATHARINE MONG,
Executrix,
MARTIN V. SORBER,
may26 Executor.