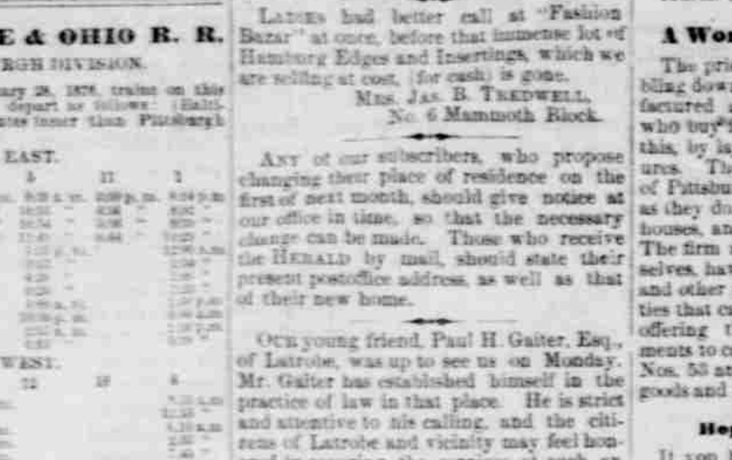
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY, ... March 29, 1876.



TIME TABLES.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after February 28, 1876, trains on this road, will arrive and depart as follows: (Baltimore time—24 minutes faster than Pittsburgh time.)

EAST.

	3	5	11	1
Leave Pittsburgh	7.34 a. m.	9.20 a. m.	2.00 p. m.	9.24 p. m.
McKeesport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
West Newton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Connellsville	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mineral Point	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]
Bridgeport	[illegible]			[illegible]
Cumberland	[illegible]			[illegible]
Washington	[illegible]			[illegible]
Richmond	[illegible]			[illegible]
Baltimore	[illegible]			[illegible]
Philadelphia	[illegible]			[illegible]
New York	[illegible]			[illegible]

WEST.

	20	22	22	4
New York	8.00 p. m.			[illegible]
Philadelphia	[illegible]			[illegible]
Baltimore	7.30 a. m.			[illegible]
Richmond	[illegible]			[illegible]
Washington	[illegible]			[illegible]
Cumberland	[illegible]			[illegible]
Bridgeport	[illegible]			[illegible]
Mineral Pt.	[illegible]			[illegible]
Connellsville	[illegible]	7.50 a. m.	3.14 p. m.	[illegible]
West Newton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
McKeesport	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pittsburgh	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

☞Trains leave Connellsville for Uniontown, 7.25 a. m., 11.54 a. m., 3.30 p. m., and 6. 48, p. m. Trains No. 1 and 10 run daily. No. 8, daily except Monday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullman Palace, Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars, on night trains.

Seventy-five miles the shortest, and the only route between the East and West via Washington City.

T. M. COLE, General ticket agent.
W. E. REPPERT, Passenger Agt., Pittsb'g.
E. K. HYNDMAN, Supt., Connellsville.

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On and after February 28th, 1876, trains will run as follows, connecting with all passenger trains on the P. W. & B. R. R. (Mail trains daily, Express daily except Monday.)

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.
Express West	2 50 a. m.	4 30 a. m.
Mail West	4 10 p. m.	5 45 p. m.
Mail East	1 30 p. m.	2 45 p. m.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

Express East	22 p. m.
Express West	2:15 a. m.
Mail East	2:4 p. m.
Mail West	4:50 p. m.

J. HARRY FRITZ, County Surveyor, will give special attention to all surveying, writing of deeds, mortgages, bonds, wills, agreements &c., entrusted to him. Collections of notes and book accounts made, estates settled, land titles examined and abstracts of titles furnished. ☞Office upstairs in Cook & Beerits' block, near the Court House, Somerset, Pa.

TAKE NOTICE.—He will be found in his office every Saturday.

NOTICE.

All communications intended for publication must be accompanied by the name of the author. The name is not intended for publication, but simply as a guarantee of good faith. Persons who do not follow this rule are advised not to waste their paper, ink and postage stamps, as we will in no case deviate from it.

Go to C. B. Colborn & Co., for your No. 1 Clover and Timothy Seed.

Buy your Cooking Stoves at
CASEBEER & SCHELL'S.

For Clover and Timothy Seed go to Cook & Beerits.

Gen. Schall and daughter of Norristown, are visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Episcopal Services will be held in the Good Templars' Hall, Tuesday evening, March 28, 1876, at 7 o'clock.

Country Bacon, Sugar and Oats wanted in exchange for goods.
COOK & BEERITS.

200 bushels Oats for sale at 40 cents per bushel, (32lbs) by C. B. Moore, New Lexington, Pa.

House Furnishing Goods, in Brass, Copper and Enameled Ware, at
CASEBEER & SCHELL'S.

Buy your Groceries, Flour, Grain and Feed at the Grocery and Feed Store of Cook & Beerits.

Cooking Stoves at prices to suit the times, at
CASEBEER & SCHELL'S.

Why is the Somerset Herald like a new shirt? Because when you get one you can't help going through it.

Buy your choice Groceries, Flour, Grain and Feed, at the Grocery and Feed Store of
C. B. COLBORN & CO.

Country Bacon, Sugar and Oats wanted in exchange for goods.
C. B. COLBORN & CO.

Stevens' Patent Stove Shelves at $1 50 per set by
C. B. MOORE,
New Lexington, Pa.

A large lot of Shoes for ladies and gentlemen. Spring Styles, received at Walter & Truxals Store, Gebharts. They sell cheap. Give them a call.

It is reported that the next encampment of the 8th and 9th Divisions of the National Guards of Pennsylvania, will be held at Saltsburg, Indiana county, in May.

Two hundred trains pass over the Pennsylvania railroad between New York and Philadelphia. A train leaves Jersey City every seven minutes night and day.

The Democratic party had better get a lantern and play Diogenes, hunt for an honest man within their ranks who would be available as a Presidential candidate.

Notice.—All persons indebted to us either by book account or note are requested to call and settle at once and save costs.
SNYDER & UHL.
Somerset, Pa., March 15, 1876.

The first arrival of Ladies' Spring Hats just received at "Fashion Bazar."
MRS. J. B. TREDWELL'S,
No. 6, Mammoth Block.

We were very sorry indeed to hear of the serious illness of Casper W. Easly, the local editor of the Johnstown *Tribune*. We hope that Mr. Easly will be able to resume his accustomed place in the *Tribune's* sanctum in a short time.

The next reunion of the Pennsylvania Reserves, will be held in Philadelphia, in June. Generals Geo. B. McClellan, A. E. Burnside, and Fitz Hugh Lee, and other noted military men are expected to be present.

We have still a large number of unpaid accounts on our books, on which we will bring suit within the next few days, if they remain unpaid.
MRS. J. B. TREDWELL,
No. 6, Mammoth Block.

Attention.—A large lot of fresh Shore Mackerel Fish, consisting of barrels, half barrels, quarter barrels, and kits. Prices to suit the times, or in exchange for Country Bacon, Lard, Sugar, and Oats. Call and see us.
C. B. COLBORN & CO.

We have now tested the Cash System for five months, to the satisfaction of ourselves and, as we believe to the benefit of our patrons. This season we propose to greatly enlarge our stock, and sell goods at further reductions. Come with your cash and see how cheaply you can buy goods.

Fashion Bazar,
MRS. J. B. TREDWELL,
No. 6, Mammoth Block.

We call the special attention of dealers and consumers to the advertisement of White Lead (in another column). They will find the parties liberal and accommodating to deal with, and their goods are the best in the market. Try them.

Keep it mind that you can procure first class accommodations at my house at cheap rates. Those attending court please give this fact your attention. You will find it to your interest to give me a call, my house is near the court house opposite M. A. Sanner & Co's. Banking House, Somerset, Pa.
J. H. PISEL.

A large assortment of Ladies' and Childrens Job Lot of Hose is still on hands at "Fashion Bazar." If you want to buy these goods cheap, for cash. Call before they are all gone.
MRS. J. B. TREDWELL'S,
No. 6. Mammoth Block.

Ladies had better call at "Fashion Bazar" at once, before that immense lot of Hamburg Edges and Insertings, which we are selling at cost, (for cash) is gone.
MRS. JAS. B. TREDWELL,
No. 6 Mammoth Block.

Any of our subscribers, who propose changing their place of residence on the first of next month, should give notice at our office in time, so that the necessary change can be made. Those who receive the Herald by mail, should state their present postoffice address, as well as that of their new home.

Our young friend, Paul H. Gaiter, Esq., of Latrobe, was up to see us on Monday. Mr. Gaiter has established himself in the practice of law in that place. He is strict and attentive to his calling, and the citizens of Latrobe and vicinity may feel honored in securing the services of such an eminent attorney.

The above complimentary notice is from the Greensburg *Democrat*, and the person referred to is none other than our old friend P. H. Gaither. As the Gaiter fits we suppose Paul will put it on.

We have been informed by a gentleman from Garrett, that Captain Samuel Adams, brother of Capt. M. R. Adams, a gentleman well known to our people, has made arrangements to open a new coal mine in the Buffalo Basin near Garrett. It is expected that the capacity of the new mines will be from one hundred and fifty to one hundred and seventy-five tons a day. It is to be hoped that freights will be so lowered that Capt. Adams and the operators along the Pittsburg division of the B. & O. railroad, may have a bonanza in their black diamonds.

License Fees.—A bill in which much interest is felt has been introduced in the Senate. It declares that it was and is the act approved the 12th of April, 1875, entitled "An act to repeal an act to permit the voters of this commonwealth to vote every three years on the question of granting licenses to sell intoxicating liquors and to restrain and regulate the sale of the same," that all fees paid for license under the provisions of the act were and are for the use of the State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby required that every city or county treasurer who has heretofore received or shall hereafter receive any fee or fees for license as aforesaid, shall pay the same into the State Treasury in the manner provided by law.

The new bill pending in the Legislature for the consolidation of the game laws, prohibits the killing or taking of game and fish as follows:

Squirrels between the 1st of January and the 1st of August; rabbits between the 1st of January and the 1st of November; plover between the 1st of January and the 15th of August; partridges between the 1st of January and the 1st of November; woodcock between the 1st of January and the 4th of July; speckled trout between the 1st of May and the 15th of August; black bass between the 1st of March and the 1st of July, &c. Fishing with nets, seins, fish baskets, and other devices, save hook and line only, is forbidden; hunting or fishing on Sunday is prohibited under a penalty of $25. Suitable penalties are imposed for violation of the law.

A christian convention of ministers and laymen, under the conduct of Messrs. Moody and Sankey, will be held in the Hippodrome, in New York City, on Wednesday and Thursday, March 29th and 30th. Morning and afternoon sessions of three hours will be held; practical topics relating to christian and ministerial work will be discussed, Mr. Moody presiding, and Mr. Sankey conducting the service of song. Each evening the Convention will be suspended and the evangelists will conduct their usual service. Tickets of admission to the Convention will be furnished to delegates on presentation of their credentials at the office of the Committee. The number of lay delegates from each church must not exceed five. Each church is cordially invited to appoint one or more laymen besides their pastor, and every one so accredited will be entitled to a delegate's ticket.

A Romeo and a Juliet fair, wrapped tightly in and protected from the cold north wind by numerous buffaloes, afghans and blankets, indulged in a sleigh ride one night of last week. Juliet was not a native to the mannor born and as they passed along within the dominion where our too stern Cæsar rules, the residences of Aldermen, Members of Council, and other prominent citizens were pointed out to her admiring gaze. Soon the town was left behind and the subject of conversation changed to the one that young people universally discuss under the same circumstances. Bucephalus dashed on. The young people were squabbling as to whether toll was collectable for crossing a bridge over a small run. The sleigh struck a stone at the foot of Coal Hill and as he gathered her out of the snow he forgot all about toll. The head of Bucephalus was turned homeward, but by the time they reached East street the damsel's fears had been quieted and they concluded to try the Stoystown road. All was lovely and serene until they neared the bridge, when the discussion on tolls was renewed. The youth became so infatuated with his argument that he neglected to look out for drifts. One side of the sleigh suddenly started on a visit to the moon and two young people gathered themselves out of that snow bank, and while the cold north wind dallied through their dishevelled locks, solemnly

Resolved, That hereafter we will neither give nor take any toll, but such as is the gate keepers of right, and that we will never give that except on compulsion, while we will reserve or take all we can.

And they never will.

Horror of Horrors.—The most brutal experience with burglars, is described in a Hossville, Pa., letter, and in substance is about as follows: For many years past an old German, named Beilman, lived there, and every morning regularly, he was in the habit of walking to the village to purchase a quart of beer. The other morning he did not make his appearance, which excited such general remark that some of the villagers went to his house in the hollow to see what was the matter. The window curtain was drawn, and nothing could be seen from the outside. Entering the house, they found the old German bound down in a chair with a bed cord and gagged. The room smelt strongly of smoke and kerosene, and burned remnants of paper, rags and straw were strewed about the floor. Under the old man's chair the floor was burned nearly through, and the legs and bottom of the chair were badly charred, showing that a fire had been built beneath it. What clothing the German had on was saturated with kerosene. He was at once released, when he broke forth in a strain of the most heart-broken lamentations. He had been broken in upon in the night-time by the masked marauders, who saturated his clothing and bed with kerosene, and threatened to burn him up if he did not reveal the whereabouts of all his money. The old man refused to do it at first, but upon seeing the flames curling about him he yielded, his courage forsook him, and he called out to his despoilers to put out the fire and he would tell them where they could find his money. They made him swear on the Bible, that he would give up every hiding-place, however before they extinguished the flames. They then followed his directions, and in different places, in chinks and under boards, they searched until they got about two thousand dollars. They accepted Beilman's declaration that he had no more, after prosecuting further search on their own account, but they left behind them over eight thousand dollars, which was hidden under a flat stone in an outbuilding. After turning things topsy turvy, they again gagged and bound the old man and secured him in the chair, where he was found in the morning.

Wanted for Cash.

100 tons of Hay. Delivered latter part April, at Somerset depot.

For price and particulars call on W. W. Hartzell at Cotborn's Grocery, Tuesday of 1st week April Court.

For Sale or Rent.

Several houses and lots of ground, including coal and farming lands in, and adjacent to the borough of Somerset. For particulars call on or address
D. WEYAND.
Somerset, Pa., March 8, 1876.

"Took Notice!"

Will arrive this week. A large lot, of fresh Shore Mackerel fish, consisting of barrels, half barrels, quarter barrels, and kits. Prices moderate for cash, or in exchange for country Bacon, Lard, Sugar, and Oats.
COOK & BEERITS.
March 8, 1876.

A Word to the Shoe Trade.

The prices of Boots and Shoes are tumbling down in common with other manufactured articles, and wholesale dealers who buy for cash, are taking advantage of this, by laying in their stock at low figures. The house of J. H. Borland & Co., of Pittsburgh, buying exclusively for cash, as they do, obtain goods lower than other houses, and sell lower to cash customers. The firm also manufacture largely themselves, having extensive factories at Lynn, and other points in the East, with facilities that cannot be surpassed, they are now offering the most extraordinary inducements to cash buyers. Call at their house Nos. 53 and 55 Wood Street, and examine goods and prices. See card in this paper.

Hope for the Despondent.

If you have been coughing all winter and begin to despair of recovery, or if you have taken a recent cold, go at once to the Drug store of Geo. W. Benford & Co., and get a bottle of Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound. Take it and be well. No other medicine acts so promptly and effectually in Coughs, Colds, and all diseases of the throat, lungs and chest, leading to Consumption. Hundreds who once thought they had that dread disease have been restored to health by the use of this almost magic remedy. It is also the best known specific for Croup, and never fails in Whooping Cough. Trial size 10 cents, large size 50 cents per bottle.

Sensible Advice.

You are asked every day through the columns of newspapers and by your Druggists to use something for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint that you know nothing about, you get discouraged spending money with but little success. Now to give you satisfactory proof that Green's August Flower will cure you of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint with all its effects, such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water-brash, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, &c., we ask you to go to your Druggists G. W. Benford & Co. and get a sample bottle of Green's August Flower for 10 cents and try it, or a Regular Size for 75 cents; two doses will relieve you.

Prompt Reinforcement.

When the physical energies are overtasked or flag through weakness or disease, they need prompt reinforcement. Renewed vigor is most speedily supplied through the medium of a tonic stimulant, and among medicinal resources of that class, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters assuredly deserve a prominent place. Weakness, whether constitutional or arising from disease or over fatigue, cannot be better compensated for than by a resort to this prime strengthening cordial. The enfeebled invalid, the convalescent and the aged and infirm find that it is an untailing source of vigor and comfort. Its combined tonic and alterative properties also constitute it an invaluable remedy for indigestion, weakness of the organs of urination, constipation, torpidity of the liver, and many other irregularities and disabilities, and render it an invaluable protection against malaria, as well as disorders of the stomach and bowels.

Church Notes.

Rev. J. A. Grimm, of the Evangelical Association, has been re-appointed Presiding Elder of this district. Rev. Grimm is deservedly very popular in this district, not only with the members of the Evangelical Association, but with all whom he is brought in contact.

At the recent session of the M. E. Conference, at Canton, Ohio, the following appointments were made for this county:

Presiding Elder, A. J. Endsley.
Smithfield, C. W. Smith.
Somerset, J. B. Taylor.
Meyersdale, J. C. Castle.
Confluence, O. A. Emerson.
Addison, N. Luccock.

Rev. W. A. Stewart, for a long time pastor of the Methodist Church at this place, has been assigned by the Conference, to Brownsville, Fayette County.

Rev. A. C. Johnson has been assigned to the Homer, Indiana County, circuit.

M. D. Lichtliter has been assigned to the Wesley Chapel.

A. H. Norcross has been appointed to expound the gospel to the people of Cadiz, Ohio.

The Lutheran congregation of this place have commenced work on the audience room of their church. They have a fine lot of stone on hand for steps in front of the church. The bell, which was damaged the time the church was struck by lightning is to be replaced by one five hundred pounds heavier.

The bell for the Presbyterian Church arrived on Thursday last. It was cast at the McShane Bell Foundry, of Baltimore, Md., and bears the inscription: "Presented by the ladies of the congregation as a memorial of the fire of 1872, which destroyed this church, and of the Centennial year of 1876, in which it was rebuilt." The bell weighs one thousand pounds. McShane & Co., it will be remembered by readers of the Herald, are the gentlemen who are casting the chime of bells for the centennial buildings.

THE UNION MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The fine old corporation whose name appears at the head of this article commends itself to the public on several excellent grounds. By its long and highly honorable career, not less than by its superb financial standing and praiseworthy policy toward its patrons, its name is, and has been for years past, the synonym for whatever of good inheres in the life insurance profession. For twenty-six years it has been before the people—the most of the time as a representative company—and during all of that period it has been able to successfully challenge public scrutiny and favorably compare its records with any other institution of similar age.

It has a membership at the present time of more than twenty-one thousand, and gross assets of more than nine million dollars, invested in a most substantial and profitable manner. During the year 1874 the company increased its assets by $1,046,809 84, and received in premiums from new business $483,229 43, which was an increase over the new business of 1873 of $165,727 10. The gross premiums received during 1873 aggregated $1,670,205 13, and during 1874, $1,850,161 00, a gain of $179,955 87. The interest receipts during the latter year amounted to $558,588 74, and the death losses to $453,681 00 showing an excess of interest receipts over death losses to the amount of $104,907 74, or, to put the matter still stronger perhaps, for every one hundred dollars which the company paid for death losses, it received as interest on its investments $123 13. The instances are rare indeed where such a splendid exhibit in this latter particular can be made. Only the few companies, and those among the oldest and stanchest in the land, are able to make their interest returns even keep pace with their death losses. The great majority of the companies are compelled to draw upon still other sources of profit than interest receipts in order to meet these claims. It is the ambition of every company from its earliest days to realize this point of strength and progress, but the Union Mutual, as we have shown, not only enjoys this measure of success, but has gone a long way beyond it, being able to contribute a large percentage of its interest earnings, after satisfying death claims out of them, to the increasing of its assets, and the enhancing of dividends to policy-holders. For some years past, the profits from this source have materially aided in the development of the very creditable surplus which the company now possesses, and it needs no argument to show that such a condition of affairs is in the line of the highest welfare of both the policy holders and the company.

By the last Massachusetts Insurance Report it appears that the Union Mutual's ratio of assets to liabilities at the beginning of the present year was 115.59 per cent against 111.85 per cent in the corresponding date of 1874, and that the surplus over all liabilities reached the creditable sum of $1,166,730 against $801,890 on January 1st, 1874. It also appears in the same official record that the average rate of interest realized by the company during 1874 was 8.46 per cent—the highest rate obtained by any company out of the large number reporting to the Massachusetts insurance department,—and that the net gain in the number of policies in force on January 1st of the present year over the number of one year previous, reached 2,950—a showing which was equalled by only one other company in the country.—*United States Review*, a leading Insurance Journal.

The above Company on the 19th of February, 1875, organized what is known as the Somerset County Local Board of Directors, whose duty it is to watch the interests of the Company and to loan in the county, all monies collected as premiums. One loan of $1,500 was made last fall and another of $3,500 will be effected on April 1st. Those wishing insurance would consult their own interest by examining the records of the Union Mutual. No other company not working under the laws of Massachusetts can give you a strictly Non-Forfeiting Policy.

The members of the Board are A. H. Coffroth, John Hill, Herman L. Baer, Oliver Knepper, J. O. Meyers, W. H. Meyers, M. D., A. F. John, A. E. Fyan, and J. M. Hay. E. V. Goodchild is the special agent for the county.

We are sorry for John H. Uhl, Esq., and regret exceedingly that he didn't have better luck. Why did you allow yourself to be put on that electoral ticket for anyhow? Take it easy until November, and then you can join that innumerable caravan that moves toward the head waters of Salt River.

Public Schools of Somerset.

The following is the result of an examination of the pupils in room No. 1 held on Saturday, March 23, 1876.

NAMES OF SCHOLARS.	Orthography.	Reading.	Geography.	Grammar.	History, U. S.	Arithmetic.
CLASS A ARITHMETIC.						
Ed. E. Kiernan	50	50	49	50	50	48
Clara J. Schrock	47	50	47	49	48	45
Clara J. Hicks	48	50	48	47	49	42
Newton Walter	48	50	48	50	50	48
Alfred C. Boyle	48	49	48	48	50	48
Mary C. Kline	48	50	45	49	48	47
Sidney Connelley	45	48	44	49	48	47
Ira W. Kimmell	45	49	43	49	50	44
A. B. Conrad	48	50	48	50	49	49
Marie Benford	44	49	44	47	48	40
A. J. Colborn, Jr.	44	50	48	50	49	48
Lottie Weimer	37	48				31
CLASS B ARITHMETIC.						
Harry Uhl	42	50	45	47	49	48
Phoebe Schrock	41	49	30	47	47	45
Minnie Cramer	48	49	43	48	48	48
Amelia Pile	33	48	43	38	47	45
William Cole	34	48	31		39	29
Oura Knepper	42	47	43	42	44	44
Ada Knepper	37	48	44	44	48	42
Nora Cunningham	34	44	30			30
Ellie Schrock	39	49	38	48	43	48
Jacob Cramer	34	42	36			42
George Baer	38	30	39	33		42
Edith Sebell	33	48	49	41		46
Carrie Schrock	32	49	31	38	48	48
Fannie Baer	44	49	46	48	47	48
Fina Conrad	47	50	43	41	48	40
Amanda George	38	47	28	38		43
Annie Scull	37	48	43	43	47	41
Florence Snyder	37	43	30			38
D. Boon Trent	39	49	37		48	38
Herman Stahl	29	44	31	31		43
Harry Holderbaum			31	38		
Kinnie Cunningham			31	42		

The marks class A and B, only indicate a division in the arithmetic class. About a dozen of the questions that were required to be answered by class A were dropped for class B. In all other branches the examination was the same and the figures are of equal value.

For the HERALD.

Berlin Items.

The concert given by the schools of our town on last Friday evening, taken as a whole, was a success. The exercises consisted, as is usual on such occasions, in orations, declamations and dialogues. Reading and spelling, two of the most important branches taught in our common schools, were entirely overlooked. We have no desire, however, to enter into any detailed account of the performances, but in our humble judgment the object of the exhibition, which we prefer to call it, could have been equally as well attained, if some of the nonsensical and positively absurd exercises had been dispensed with. We like fun as well as anybody else, but we doubt whether school exhibitions are the proper place to retail it, unless it is of the most innocent character. It is but justice to say that the younger performers acquitted themselves admirably, both as regards preparation, and their deportment while on the stage. The music was furnished by the string band, and was very good, and appropriate to the occasion.

Mr. Dively under whose management our schools made fair progress this winter, is a gentleman and a teacher of considerable experience. We understand he leaves town in a few days to take charge of a Soldiers' Orphan school in the eastern part of the State.

Mr. Price, from Dauphin County, who has been in our midst the past winter superintending his coal mines, has bought the Brallier Tavern Stand. He intends to refit it and open a boarding house of the first order. We rejoice that the house has fallen into the hands of a perfect gentleman, who has the means and business qualifications to make it a success. Mr. Price's business transactions and gentlemanly dealings with everybody, has won him a reputation of which he can justly be proud. Old Dauphin, can't you send us more like him?
OCCASIONAL.

Report of Confluence School.

	M.	F.	T.
No. enrolled during term	54	63	117
No. att. every day during term	20	11	31
No. enrolled during month	44	40	84
Average att. during the month	33	33	66
Per cent. of att. during	75	85	80
Per cent. during term till date	85	85	85

School closed March 15th. The attendance during the latter part of the term was rather irregular, owing to several causes; quite a number we did not enroll; this is the case in about all the schools of Somerset county at the closing up of a school, attendance irregular—parents and child on get careless.

I can truthfully assert that I never received better treatment at the hands of any community, and I have taught at many different points in the county, than I did from the citizens of Confluence. In return for their kindness and hospitality shown toward me while teaching among them as a teacher. May they always be blessed with good teachers and flourishing schools and a realization of their brightest hopes for the future. "Josh Billings" says "if their is any person on the top of the ground that he would take his hat off to, it is the common school teacher." Confluence is full of Josh Billings'—May God bless them for their respect and generosity.

To the Children.—You have proved yourselves worthy of our regard in the strict attention you have paid to your duties as students. You have evinced a desire for improvement that entitles you to our consideration; and the speed of your advancement has been commensurate with the efforts you have made. But there are other reasons why we deem you worthy. We have reason to believe you are dutiful to your parents. You have ever acted kind to your school-mates and shown in all things a determination to win the approbation of your teachers.

Children you go to school that you may grow wiser and better. You do not go simply to learn how to read and write and to recite lessons; for he who learns much without becoming more pious and humble makes bad use of his learning; you should also learn to be obedient, faithful kind, and true; and you should be willing to study, because it will strengthen and improve your minds, and make you more useful and happy. Remember, that children who do not obey their teachers and parents will not very likely do anything that is good, and grow up and not respect the rulers, nor the laws of their country or of God. Children I hope that you will choose the path of obedience and of goodness, and you will find it in the end to be a path of pleasantness and peace. But there is another teacher, children, higher and better than the teachers who taught your school, and can do more for you than all others. Over eighteen hundred years ago he was a teacher upon this earth. You must go unto him and be his disciples.

I. J. MILLER,
ANNIE VANHORN,
Teachers.

MARRIED.

HOUPT—SHIVELER.—On Tuesday, the 14th inst., by Rev. N. B. Critchfield, Mr. Andrew Houpt, of Somerset, and Miss Shiveler of Donegal.

DIED.

COULTER.—On the 29th day of January, 1876, in Quemahoning township, Mrs. Nancy Coulter, aged 80 years, 2 months, and 25 days.

SHAFFER.—In Quemahoning township, March 13, 1876, Mrs. Hannah Shaffer, aged 88 years, 3 months, and 30 days.

BELL.—On the 18, inst., Catharin Bell, wife of Zachary Bell of Jenner Tp. this county, aged 22 yrs., 4 mo. and 13 days.

Marsh Again.

Washington, March 23.—C. P. Marsh was again before the sub-committee of the Judiciary Committee this morning. His attention was called to the article in the New York *Tribune* of March, 1872, in relation to the post-tradership at Fort Sill, stating that Evans had paid Marsh $12,000 a year for the place, etc. Marsh said he called Gen. Belknap's attention to the article, and asked who could have written or in-pired it, when Belknap replied that he supposed it was the work of Gen Hazen. Marsh explained the reason why he went to Montreal after giving his testimony before the Committee on Expenditures in the War Department. He apprehended when he read the debate in the House which appeared on the morning of the day he left New York, that he might be indicted for a criminal offense; and hence his anxiety to get out of the way of arrest.

Flood in Arkansas.

Little Rock, March 24.—This section has been visited by a heavy rain, which proves very disasterous to all railroads. The Arkansas river is rising rapidly. The Guachita, Saline and White are out of their banks, and flooding the country. The Iron Mountain Railroad is badly damaged in several places. A southern bound train this morning ran into a wash-out six miles south of Malvern, ditching the engine, baggage, mail, express and one passenger car, injuring Thos. Elliot, mail agent, and Wm. Casseler, express messenger. North of Little Rock two wash-outs are reported. The Hot Springs Railroad is badly damaged, and trains will be detained a few days. Texas trains are all delayed.

Goods for the Centennial.

Philadelphia, March 25.—Yesterday afternoon the steamer Labrador arrived here from France, bringing a cargo composed entirely of works of art, for the French department of Centennial Exposition. The Labrador is probably the largest vessel that ever entered this port. The steamer Donati, from Rio de Janeiro, bringing goods for exhibition in the Brazilian department, also arrived yesterday afternoon.

Shot Dead for Turning State's Evidence.

Albany, March 22.—Conroy one the Utica masked burglars who had turned State's evidence was shot dead yesterday, during a parley between the officers who had him in charge and a party of men who claimed him, asserting they were officers, but who are supposed to have belonged to the gang of burglars.

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Eggs, ₩ doz	[illegible]
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Flaxseed, ₩ bu., (56 lb)	$1 50
Hams, (sugar-cured) ₩ lb	[illegible]
Lard, ₩ lb	[illegible]
Leather, red sole, ₩ lb	[illegible]
" upper	[illegible]
" kip	[illegible]
Middlings, white, 100 lbs	$2 00
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Rags, ₩ lb	[illegible]
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" Ground Alum, per sack	[illegible]
" Ashton, per sack	[illegible]
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TERMS.—$8 00 to insure a foal to be paid as soon as the mare is known to be with foal. Parting with a mare before she is known to be with foal forfeits the insurance money. Mares must be brought regularly, and if put to any other horse the insurance money will be claimed. If colts are lost through colting at the proper period half the insurance money will be refunded. N. B.—Good care will be taken, but no responsibility for accidents or escapes.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Henry Berkey, late of Somerset Twp., 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 Saturday, the 6th day of May, 1876.
MRS. LOUISA BERKEY,
Executrix.
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A CARD.

I take this means of notifying my friends and patrons and the community in general, that I have again supplied myself with medicine, &c., so that I am again prepared to practice all branches of my profession, and ask a liberal patronage. All those having accounts with me will please call and settle the same promptly, as I am obliged to settle up all accounts, having lost all my medicines, instruments, books, &c., by the late fire.
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The following persons have filed in my office their petitions for license to keep tavern in the houses they now occupy, which petitions will be presented to the Court for allowance on Thursday, April 6 1876:

Samuel Ferrel, Berlin borough.
Samuel S. Shaffer, " "
Solomon J. Baer, Brothersvalley Tp.
August Koehler, Conemaugh Tp.
Scott Sterner, Confluence borough.
Wm. H. Bishoff " "
Jonathan Frantz " "
Daniel Carnes " "
S. P. Sweitzer, Larimer Tp.
Robert Guthrie, Meyersdale borough.
Henry S. Denges, " "
Walter J. Jones, " "
Catharine Walker, " "
Jacob N. Beal, Milford Tp.
George Pile, " "
Joseph Schrock " "
Christian M. Stauffer, New Baltimore borough.
Dennis Wagner, Salisbury borough.
Daniel Burchus, " "
Elias A. Fluck, Somerset borough.
John Hill, " "
Frederick Naugle, " "
Jacob J. Schrock, Stonycreek township.
Joseph Stull, " "
John H. Hite, Stoystown borough.
Samuel Custer, Stoystown bor.
Jerome Bowman, Summit Tp.
John H. Benford, Ursina borough.
Thomas Hill " "
Joseph P. Miller " "
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George DeHaven, Wellersburg borough.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of David Landis, late of Quemahoning Tp., deceased.

Letters testamentary 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 late residence of the deceased, on Saturday, April 29, 1876.
SAMUEL BRUBAKER,
W. H. LANDIS,
Executors.
March 22.

NOTICE.

The firm of Eash & Swank having been dissolved on the 1st of February, 1876, the books have been placed in the hands of J. J. Eash, for settlement. The business will be carried on by J. J. Eash.—The firm return their thanks for past favors and hope for a continuance of the same.
JACOB J. EASH.
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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between Wike & Young in the Butchering business has been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons knowing themselves indebted to us will please call and settle at once. The business will be continued at the old stand on Main Cross St., by John H. Young.
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SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of common Pleas of Somerset County, Pa., and to me directed, I will expose to sale by public outcry, at the Court House, in Somerset, on

Friday, March 31, 1876,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, viz:

All the right, title, interest and claim of Henry Barnhart, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Conemaugh Township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 80 acres, more or less, of which there are about 25 acres clear with a saw mill and a one story frame dwelling house and stable thereon erected, adjoining lands of Joseph Mishler, Levi Kaufman, Daniel Yoder and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Henry Barnhart at the suit of John Thomas and Joseph Thomas, trading as John Thomas & Co.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Alex. Walker, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain lot of ground situate in Meyersdale borough, Somerset county, Pa., containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with a two story frame dwelling house and stable thereon erected, adjoining Main street on the north, Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad on the east, and alley on the west, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Alex. Walker at the suit of Peter Meyers' ex'rs use of First National Bank Meyersdale.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of George Brant, of, in and to the following real estate, viz:

A certain lot of ground situate in Brothersvalley Township, Somerset county, Pa., containing one-fourth acre, more or less, with a one story frame dwelling house and shoemaker shop thereon erected, adjoining lands of Mrs. Aron and Levi Ringer, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of George Brant at the suit of Abraham Landis.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Daniel S. Betz, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract or parcel of land situate in Jenner township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 7 acres, more or less, about 4 acres cleared, the balance well timbered, adjoining lands of Joseph Rhoads, Mary Betz and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Daniel S. Betz at the suit of Abraham Beam.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Jonas Wirick, of, in and to the following real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Paint township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 150 acres, more or less, of which there are about 15 acres cleared, and about 6 acres in meadow, with a one story log dwelling house and a log barn thereon erected, adjoining lands of John Rogers, Ephraim Wentworth and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Jonas Wirick at the suit of H. F. Schell.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of H. J. Picking, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Somerset borough, Somerset county, Pa., containing 5 acres, more or less, all cleared, with a one story dwelling house, stable and other out buildings thereon erected, adjoining Somerset & Stoystown road on the north, Samuel Deitz on the east, and A. H. Coffroth on the south, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of H. J. Picking at the suit of Levi Walker.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of W. H. Sanner, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A two story frame dwelling house or building, situate in the borough of Somerset, in the county of Somerset, State of Pennsylvania, in size 30x[illegible] feet, adjoining Ed. W. Rhoades on the east, Race street on the south, alley on the west and lot on the north, and the lot or piece of ground and curtilage appertenant.

Taken in execution as the property of W. H. Sanner at the suit of Shank & Walker.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of David Enbright, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

One story frame dwelling house, situate in the borough of Somerset, in Somerset county, Pa., being a one story frame house 18x22 feet and is erected on a lot adjoining West street on the east, —— Zimmerman on the north, and Curtis Kooser's lots on the south and west, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of David Enbright at the suit of Shank & Walker.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Jacob Berkright, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

Two certain lots of ground situate in Confluence borough, Somerset county, Pa., known on the general plan of said town as lots Nos. 22 and 23, with a two story frame dwelling house and other out buildings thereon erected, adjoining lots No. 20 and 21 and fronting on Oden street, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Jacob Berkright at the suit of T. O. Jenkins.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of the Kennell's Mill Coal Co., of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

No. 1. A certain tract of land situate in Southampton township, Somerset county, Pa., known as the Sparks farm, containing 208 acres, of which there are about 200 acres clear and about 15 acres in meadow, with a two story log dwelling house and bank barn thereon erected, adjoining lands of Ad. Lepley, Daniel Carnes and others.

No. 2. A certain tract of land situate in the county and township aforesaid, known as the Hoyman farm, containing 216 acres, about 100 acres clear, 20 acres in meadow, with a 1½ story log dwelling house and bank barn thereon erected, adjoining lands of Jacob Kennell and Henry Martz, No. 1 and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Kennell's Mills Coal Co., at the suit of Wm. Deitz and August Penn.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Samuel H. Hauger, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Somerset Tp., Somerset county, Pa., containing 112 acres, more or less, of which there are about 90 acres clear, about 14 acres in meadow, with a two story log dwelling house and bank barn thereon erected, adjoining lands of Hiram Beam, Jonathan Prettiman, Isaiah Harnish and Wm. Knepper, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Samuel H. Hauger at the suit of Samuel C. Livengood.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Peter Phillippi, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

No. 1. A tract of land situate in Milford Tp., Somerset county, Pa., containing 200 acres, more or less, of which there are about 190 acres clear, and a part in meadow, balance well timbered, adjoining lands of Val. Hay, Noah Scott, David Younkin, Daniel D. Miller, and others, with the appurtenances.

No. 2. A tract of land situate in same township, containing 12 acres, more or less, all cleared, with a frame cottage house and stable thereon erected, adjoining lands of Jacob S. Phillippi, John Sheaf and others, with the appurtenances.

No. 3. A lot of ground situate in Mineral Point, Somerset county, Pa., containing —— acres, with a dwelling house thereon erected, bounded by Casselman river and hotel property, and railroad, with the appurtenances.

No. 4. Two lots of ground in Mineral Point, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining the store house property and Casselman river, known as the Poitar property, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Peter Phillippi and Jacob S. Phillippi at the suit of Israel Pinkey et al.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Josiah H. Fleet, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain three story brick house and back building, situate in the borough of Somerset, in the county of Somerset, Pa., and a three story frame back building attached, 22½x116 feet, situate on a lot bounded on the east by A. Hoske and John J. Hoffman, on the west by Alex. Stutzman, on the north by Wm. M. Koontz and south by Main street, and the lot or piece of ground or curtilage appurtenant to said building, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Josiah H. Fleet at the suit of Washington Megahan use of Megahan & Zern.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of John Reed and Adeline Reed, of, in and to a certain tract of land in Stonycreek township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 68 acres, more or less, of which there are about 20 acres clear, and about 6 acres in meadow, with a two story dwelling house and log barn thereon erected, adjoining lands of David Hagman, Josiah Walker and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of John Reed and Adeline Reed at the suit of Daniel Speicher, use of Peter Speicher.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of John D. Roddy and Hiram Findlay, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

All those pieces or parcels of land lying and being in Southampton township, Somerset county, Pa., which are more fully and particularly described by metes and bounds, courses and distances in a deed from Adam Shirer to the said Roddy and Findlay, bearing date 24th March, 1868, as by reference thereto will more fully and particularly appear, containing —— acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Jacob Troutman, Jacob Leydig, Andrew Emerick and others, together with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of John D. Roddy and Hiram Findlay at the suit of William Shirer & George Shirer, ad'mr of Adam Shirer, deceased.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Ludwig Koob, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Brothersvalley township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 221 acres, more or less, of which there are about 200 acres clear and about 6 acres in meadow, with a one and a half story log dwelling house, log barn, and spring house thereon erected, adjoining lands of Jonas Schrock, Daniel Weyand, Henry Altfather, Joseph Croner, Charles Miller and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Ludwig Koob at the suit of John Ellman's use.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of John D. Roddy and Hiram Findlay, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

All that piece or parcel of land lying and being in Southampton township, Somerset county, Pa., which is more fully and particularly described by metes and bounds, courses and distances, in a deed from Andrew E. Emerick to the said Roddy and Findlay, bearing date 24th day of March, 1868, as by reference thereto will more fully and at large appear, containing 116 acres and 111 perches, adjoining lands of Israel Emerick, George and Adam Shirer and others, together with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of John D. Roddy and Hiram Findlay at the suit of Andrew E. Emerick, use of Wm. S. Shirer and George Shirer, ad'mr of Adam Shirer, deceased.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Frederick Deetrick, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain lot of ground in the village of Davidsville, Somerset county, Pa., containing one-half acre, more or less, with a two story plank house, stable and other out buildings thereon erected, being 30 feet in length and 40 feet in depth, erected on lot No. 20 in said village, adjoining Joseph Swank on the north, Solomon Boyer on the south Josiah Swank on the east, and Main street on the west, and the lot or piece of ground curtilage pertinent to said building, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of defendant at the suit of Wm. S. Gilbert.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Urias Bowman, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Summit Tp., Somerset county, Pa., containing 162 acres, more or less, of which there are about 100 acres clear, having thereon erected a frame one story house and bank barn and other out buildings, adjoining lands of Henry D. Saylor, John Hersh's heirs, Sally Berkley, heirs of Peter Meyer's deceased, and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Urias Bowman at the suit of Jonas Sayler, Jacob J. Blitner, trustee for the sale of real estate of Samuel P. Blitner.

ALSO

All the right, title, interest and claim of Calvin Ankeny, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Lower Turkeyfoot Township, Somerset county, Pa., containing about 2 acres, more or less, with a new two story frame dwelling house thereon erected, adjoining lands of David Ankeny, John Davis, and township road, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of C. H. Ankeny, at the suit of Samuel Shafer, use of Wm. Hetley & Bro. use of Hurst & Bro.

TERMS.—Any person purchasing at the above sale will please take notice that ten per cent of the purchase money will be required as soon as the property is knocked down, otherwise it will again be exposed to sale. The residue of the purchase money must be paid on or before the 6th day of April, 1876, the day fixed by the Court for the acknowledgment of Sheriff's deeds, and no deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full.

GEORGE W. PILE,
Sheriff.
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March 29, 1876.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned as legatees, creditors or otherwise, that the following accounts have passed register and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance at an Orphans' Court, to be held at Somerset in and for Somerset County, Pa., on

Thursday, April 6, 1876,

where all persons interested may attend if they think proper.

Account of Daniel P. Walker, ad'mr. of Jona. F. Walker, deceased.

Account of John L. Emerick, ad'mr. of Alex. Emerick, deceased.

Account of J. Show & W. H. Reiber, ad'mr. of John Reiber, deceased.

Account of Oliver Knepper, ad'mr and trustee of Frederick Knepper, deceased.

Account of Samuel A. Maust, ex'r of Wm. M. Horner, deceased.

Account of John H. Uhl, ex'r of William May, Sr., deceased.

Account of A. M. Whetstone and J. Tomlinson, ex'rs of C. F. Hyer, deceased.

Account of Abraham D. Miller, guardian of Franklin Ringler.

AARON F. DICKEY,
Clerk.
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WM. COLLINS,

DENTIST,

Office above Casebeer & Fraser's store, Somerset, Pa. In the last fifteen years I have greatly reduced the prices of artificial teeth in this place. The constant increasing demand for teeth has induced me to so enlarge my facilities that I can make good sets of teeth at lower prices than you can get them in any other place in this country.—I am now making a good set of teeth for $8, and if there should be any person among my thousands of customers in this or the adjoining counties that I have made teeth for that is not giving good satisfaction, they can call on me at any time and get a new set free of charge.
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NOTICE.

My wife Rebecca, having left my bed and board without just cause, I hereby give notice that I will not pay any debts of her contracting after this date. I also caution any person from buying a large black mare, with foal, and about 8 years old, that my wife took with her.
mar15 CHRISTIAN C. MEYERS.

LIST OF CAUSES

for trial at April Term, 1876, commencing 1st Monday of April, 1876, (3d day.)

FIRST WEEK.

Jerome B. Jennings and wife vs Israel Rhoads' admr.
John R. Jennings vs Israel Rhoads' admr.
Gardner and Berkey vs Ebenezer Griffith.
Sebell & Reed's assignee vs Daniel Weyand.
Samuel Wolford vs J. B. Richardson.
John Neff vs Caroline Beck et al.
Harriet J. Colborn vs Isaac A. Jenkins.
Joseph Thomas vs Daniel Weyand.
George L. Layman vs M. A. Sanner.
Joseph Smith's ex'r vs Peter Phillippi.
F. L. and D. R. Carpell vs Porter, Hubsteell Co.
Jonas Weaver vs Aaron F. Baker et al.
John O'Connor vs Henry C. Miltenberger.
Isaac Holsopple vs A. F. Baker et al.
Same vs A. F. Baker et al.

SECOND WEEK.

L. R. Norton vs Daniel Carns.
Henderson & Bro. vs Allen G. Miller.
Samuel Cable vs John O'Connor.
Isaac Jenkins vs E. D. Yutzy.
German National Bank vs R. J. Baxer & Co.
J. D. Van Horn vs P. & C. R. R. Co.
Stern & Klein vs J. P. Miller.
Same vs. Same.
John M. Rice vs. Home Ins. Co.
Charles Lytle vs Gehring Bros.
E. J. Fadely vs Catharine Fadely.
Nathan Bros. vs Barnet Picking.
Van Horn & Liston vs Andrew Bowlin.
Abraham Beam vs Christopher Beam.
Peoples' Fire Insurance Co. vs S. J. Corer & Bro.
Same vs Edmund Kiernan.
Same vs Thomas Gallagher.
Isaac Jones vs E. M. Kimmel et al.
Isaac Hugus vs Moses Burkholder.
Benj. Schrock vs Peter Kinsinger et ux.
Isaac Hugus vs Henry Beart.
Samuel Walker vs S. Palmer & Co.
C. Yeager & Co. vs J. B. Lyons & Co.
John H. May vs John Hanna.
Jacob S. Phillippi's use vs Jacob and John Lentz.
Wm. H. Godfrey vs Wm. Bowman.
Gunnison & Arbuckle vs Wm. M. Schrock.
E. S. Bowne's use vs Dennis Meyers et al.
Schell & Wilson vs Peter Long et ux.
R. Reich vs Daniel Shultz.
Noah Berkecker vs James Parsons.
S. Philson & Co. vs Dennis Meyers.
Keystone Coal and Manufacturing Co. vs Hobitsell & Hocking.
Same vs Salt Lick Fire Brick Co.
Same vs Same.
G. W. Black vs W. W. Davis & Bro.

F. J. KOOSER,
Prothonotary.
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COURT PROCLAMATION.—

Whereas, the Honorable William M. Hall, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas of the Counties composing the sixteenth Judicial District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District, and Lewis A. Turner and Josiah Mowry, Esquires, Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Somerset, have issued their precept and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery and Courts of Oyer and Terminer, at Somerset

On Monday, April 3, 1876.

Notice is hereby given to all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables within the said County of Somerset, that they be then and there in their proper persons, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices and in that behalf appertain to be done; and also, they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Somerset County, to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Somerset, March 8. } GEORGE W. PILE, Sheriff.

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $1 free. STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed and will be presented to the Court for confirmation on Thursday, April 6, 1876.

Wm. Critchfield, assignee of D. Critchfield.
Peter Suder, committee of Henry Suder.
F. J. Anspach, trustee for sale of Salisbury & Baltimore Railroad.
M. F. Smith, S. C. Keim and L. D. Livengood, assignees of John Smith.

F. J. KOOSER,
Prothonotary.
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NOTICE.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE

SPECIAL TAXES,

May 1, 1876, to April 30, 1877.

The Revised Statutes of the United States, Sections 3232, 3237, 3238, and 3239, require every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a special tax, to procure and place conspicuously in his establishment or place of business a stamp denoting the payment of said special tax for the special-tax year, May 1, 1876, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1876.

The taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above quoted are the following, viz:

Rectifiers	$200 00
Dealers, retail liquor	25 00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100 00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50 00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20 00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25 00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco	500 00
And on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5 00
Manufacturers of stills	50 00
And for each still manufactured	20 00
And for each worm manufactured	20 00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10 00
Manufacturers of cigars	10 00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two horses or other animals)	50 00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two horses or other animals)	25 00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class (one horse or other animal)	15 00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance)	10 00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100 00

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to Ed. Scull, Collector of Internal Revenue at Somerset, and pay for and procure the Special Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1876, and without further notice.

D. D. PRATT,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 1, 1876.
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March 15, 1876.

ELECTION NOTICE.

The stockholders of the Salisbury Railroad Company are hereby notified to attend an election to be held at their office, in the borough of Somerset, on Saturday, April 8, 1876, for the purpose of electing a President and Board of Directors for the ensuing year.
NOAH SCOTT,
Secretary.
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WRIT OF PARTITION! FACIENDA.

Wm. J. Baer vs. Wm. Earnest. } No. 1 Jan. T., 1876. The Common Pleas of Somerset County.

To Wm. Earnest, defendant above named, you are hereby notified that a writ de partitione facienda issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset county, tested the 29th day of January, 1876, to me directed, commanding me to make partition of the premises in said writ named, in the presence of the parties interested in said lands, if they will be present after having been duly warned and notified.

You are therefore notified that an inquisition will be held on the premises, situate at and near Garrett, in Somerset county, in the State of Pennsylvania, on the 18th day of March, 1876, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, to make partition between the said plaintiff and you, the said Wm. Earnest of the following lands which you and the said plaintiff undivided so hold, to wit:

No. 1.—A tract of land known as the Peter P. H. Walker tract containing 360 acres more or less.

No. 2. A tract in the name of Lewis Mennicger containing 434 acres.

No. 3.—A tract in the name of John Stilwagon containing 433 acres.

No. 4. A tract in the name of Charles Marque dant, containing 440 acres.

No. 5. A tract in the name of Martin Dubbs containing 427 acres.

No. 6. A tract in the name of Nathan Lafferough, containing 437 acres.

No. 7. The southern portion of a tract in the name of Abraham Stein, containing 229 acres and 37 perches.

No. 8. A tract in the name of Peter Bender containing 428 acres.

No. 9. A tract in the name of Wm. Johnson, containing 434 acres.

No. 10. A tract in the name of Thomas Wilson, containing 425 acres.

No. 11. A tract in the name of George Bargh, containing 291 acres and 38 perches.

No. 12. A tract in the name of Henry Baker, containing 223 acres and 22 perches.

No. 13. A tract in the name of Rachael Tom and Dinah Tom, containing 146 acres.
feb9 GEORGE W. PILE, Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Phillippi, late of Milford Twp., deceased.

Letters of administration 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 duly authenticated for settlement without delay to A. Evans, Mineral Point.
A. EVANS,
Administrator.
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VOLUNTARY ASSIGNMENT.

M. K. Johns and Ezra Kauffman, partners trading in the name and style of Johns & Kauffman, of Shade township, Somerset county, Pa., having made an assignment to me of all their estate, real and personal, for the benefit of their creditors, I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said Johns & Kauffman to make immediate payment to me, and those having claims against them to present them duly authenticated for settlement.
CHARLES RODGERS,
mar1 Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Hechler, late of Middlecreek 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 at the late residence of deceased on Saturday, April 8, 1876.
AARON HECHLER,
mar1 Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Catharine Beal, late of Southampton 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 at the residence of the administrator, in Larimer township, on Saturday, May 6 1876.
JACOB S. BEAL,
mar8 Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Fair, late of Allegheny Twp., 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 and allowance, at the late residence of the deceased, on Saturday, April 22, 1876.
JOHN HOWRY,
mar8 Executor.

SEND 25c. to G. P. ROWELL & CO., New York, for Pamphlet of 100 pages, containing lists of 3000 newspapers, and estimates showing cost of advertising.
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NOTICE.

Proposals for building a new Methodist Episcopal Church, at Somerset, Pa., will be received by the undersigned until Monday, April 3, 1876. Proposals received for the building as a whole, or separate proposals for excavation, mason work, including dressing of stone, brick work, plastering, carpenter work, slating and inside painting or graining. Plan and specifications can be seen at the office of Dr. H. Brubaker.
HERTZ KEISER,
JOHN F. BLYMYER,
HENRY BRUBAKER,
mar22 Building Committee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Daniel Baird, late of Somerset Bor., 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 Friday, March 31, 1876, at the office of John H. Uhl.
FRED. A. SMITH,
feb23 Administrator.