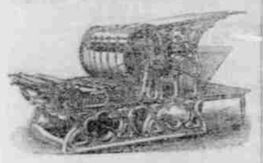
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY ... April 26, 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: (Railroad time—14 minutes faster than Pittsburgh time.)

EAST.

	6	5	11	4
Leave Pittsburg	7.30 a. m.	10.30 a. m.	3.30 p. m.	6.30 p. m.
Arrive Rockwood	9.56 "	12.55 "	5.55 "	8.54 "
" Somerset	10.30 "	1.30 "	6.30 "	9.30 "
" Meyersdale	11.10 "	2.10 "	7.10 "	10.10 "
" Mineral Point	11.40 "	2.40 "	7.40 "	10.40 "
" Confluence	12.05 p. m.	3.05 "	8.05 "	11.05 "
" Connellsville	12.30 "	3.30 "	8.30 "	11.30 "
" Uniontown	1.00 "	4.00 "	9.00 "	12.00 m.
" Brownsville	1.30 "	4.30 "	9.30 "	12.30 a. m.
" Washington	2.00 "	5.00 "	10.00 "	1.00 "
" Wheeling	4.45 "	7.45 "	12.45 a. m.	3.45 "
" Bellaire	5.05 "	8.05 "	1.05 "	4.05 "
" Zanesville	6.45 "	9.45 "	2.45 "	5.45 "
" Columbus	8.30 "	11.30 "	4.30 "	7.30 "
" Newark	9.15 "	12.15 p. m.	5.15 "	8.15 "
" Parkersburg	6.30 "	9.30 "	2.30 "	5.30 "
" Grafton	8.30 "	11.30 "	4.30 "	7.30 "
" Cumberland	10.30 "	1.30 p. m.	6.30 "	9.30 "
" Hancock	11.30 "	2.30 "	7.30 "	10.30 "
" Washington	1.30 p. m.	4.30 "	9.30 "	12.30 a. m.
" Baltimore	4.40 "	7.40 "	12.40 a. m.	3.40 "
" Philadelphia	7.45 "	10.45 "	3.45 "	6.45 "
" New York	10.35 "	1.35 a. m.	6.35 "	9.35 "

WEST.

	29	12	18	8
Leave New York	8.30 a. m.	12.00 m.	5.00 p. m.	8.00 p. m.
" Philadelphia	11.40 "	3.10 p. m.	8.10 "	11.10 "
" Baltimore	2.55 p. m.	6.25 "	11.25 "	2.25 a. m.
" Washington	3.30 "	7.00 "	12.00 m.	3.00 "
" Hancock	5.30 "	9.00 "	2.00 a. m.	5.00 "
" Cumberland	6.30 "	10.00 "	3.00 "	6.00 "
" Grafton	8.30 "	12.00 m.	5.00 "	8.00 "
" Parkersburg	10.30 "	2.00 p. m.	7.00 "	10.00 "
" Newark	3.45 p. m.	7.15 "	12.15 a. m.	3.15 "
" Columbus	4.30 "	8.00 "	1.00 "	4.00 "
" Zanesville	6.15 "	9.45 "	2.45 "	5.45 "
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" Washington	10.30 "	2.00 a. m.	7.00 "	10.00 "
" Brownsville	11.00 "	2.30 "	7.30 "	10.30 "
" Uniontown	11.30 "	3.00 "	8.00 "	11.00 "
" Connellsville	12.00 m.	3.30 "	8.30 "	11.30 "
" Confluence	12.25 p. m.	3.55 "	8.55 "	11.55 "
" Mineral Point	12.50 "	4.20 "	9.20 "	12.20 m.
" Meyersdale	1.20 "	4.50 "	9.50 "	12.50 "
" Somerset	2.00 "	5.30 "	10.30 "	1.30 "
Arrive Pittsburg	2.30 "	6.00 "	11.00 "	2.00 "

Trains leave Connellsville for Uniontown, 7.20, a. m. 11.35 a. m. 4.50, p. m. and 8, p. m. Trains 2do, 4 and 18 run daily, Nos. 8, daily except Monday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Fullman 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. HEPBURN, Passenger Agt., Pittsb'g.
E. K. HYNDMAN, Supt., Connellsville.

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On, and after April 17th, 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..... 3 40 a. m.	4 40 a. m.
Mail West..... 2 20 p. m.	3 40 p. m.
Mail East..... 1 40 p. m.	2 50 p. m.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PAW MINERAL POINT.

Express East.....	2 p. m.
Express West.....	2.15 a. m.
Mail East.....	2 p. m.
Mail West.....	1.25 p. m.
Accommodation East.....	12.10 p. m.
Accommodation West.....	12.40 p. m.

J. HARRY FRITZ, County Surveyor, will give special attention to all surveying, writing of deeds, mortgages, bonds, selling agreements &c., matters in him, collection of notes and book accounts made, estates settled, land titles examined and abstracts of titles furnished.

Office up stairs in Herald block, near the Court House, Somerset, Pa.

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

REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

E. M. Schrock, Somerset Borough, Chairman.
Addison—S. A. Bean.
Allegheny—Gen. G. Walker.
Berlin—J. H. Knepper.
Brothersvalley—Joseph Hauger.
Conemaugh—Levi Yoder.
Confluence—W. A. Koontz.
Elklick—John H. Davis.
Greenville—Joel Yutzy.
Jefferson—Joseph L. Miller.
Jenner—F. G. Neff.
Jennerstown—J. A. Sipe.
Larimer—Jacob Zufall.
Lower Turkeyfoot—D. Shaff.
Meyersdale—J. C. Unger.
Middlecreek—John Boucher.
Milford—Samuel Critchfield.
New Centreville—Wm. Fiock.
New Baltimore—John George.
Northampton—D. G. Bowman.
Paint—Peter Hoffman.
Quemahoning—W. H. Barnhart.
Salisbury—J. C. Livengood.
Shade—Joseph Cable.
Somerset Bor.—John I. Snell.
Somerset Tp.—Charles Messer.
Stonycreek—J. M. Schrock.
Stoystown—C. W. Pugh.
Southampton—H. Marks.
Summit—Gen. Shoemaker.
Upper Turkeyfoot—Freeman Tressler.
Ursina—W. H. Berkey.
Wellersburg—M. Long.

OFFICES TO BE VOTED FOR:

One person for Congress.
One person for Senator.
Two persons for Assembly.
Two persons for Associate Judge.
One person for Poor House Director.

The Republican Primary Election will be held on Saturday, June 3, 1876.

The following resolutions, adopted at the meeting held on May 4, 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 committeeman shall act as judge and make the return of election.

4th. That the committeeman 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 committeemen are requested to strictly enforce the 6th resolution.

The return judges must place the returns in the hands of the Chairman on or before Monday evening, June 5th.

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

New Goods at Walter & Truxal's, Gebharts.

CALL and see Grove & Dennison's new Patent Top Buggy.

SALT at $2 per barrel at Walter & Truxal's.

FOR Clover and Timothy Seed, go to Cook & Beeriis.

LATEST styles of Ladies' Hats at Walter & Truxal's

READ our too true "Jollus" proclamation, to be found in another column.

CONCERTS.—In the Court House Friday and Saturday evenings of this week.

WE are compelled to hold several interesting communications over until next week.

BUY your Groceries, Flour, Grain and Feed at the Grocery and Feed Store of Cook & Beeriis.

CALL at Grove & Dennison's if you want a first class Buggy or Springwagon.

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

A PIANO and Organ have been placed in the Court House for the Concerts on Friday and Saturday evenings. Various other instruments will be brought into requisition. Don't fail to be there.

EPISCOPAL SERVICE will be held in the Good Templars' Hall, Tuesday evening April 24th, at 7 o'clock.

MUSIC.—You will miss an enjoyable time if you fail to be at the Concerts next Friday and Saturday evenings.

WE understand that the school opened by our young friend Miss. Baer, at Berlin, is meeting with great and well merited success.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made by the citizens of Johnstown for a grand parade, illumination and pyrotechnic display on the Fourth of July.

DON'T forget that notice with regard to accounts due us and save trouble.

Mrs. J. B. THEWELL,
No. 6, Mammoth Block.

WE have opened out an entire new stock of Groceries opposite the Somerset House, on Main street. Call and see us.

H. A. FLICK & Co.

IF any of our readers have WET flowers that need cleaning, all that is necessary is to put them out in a drizzling rain and the work will be done effectually.

NEW lot Spring Hats will be received at Fashion Bazar this week.

Mrs. JAS. B. THEWELL,
No. 6 Mammoth Block.

CENTENNIAL dead-head tickets to the great exhibition for exhibitors, members of the press, employees, &c., will contain the photographs of those to whom they are issued.

ON Friday last the engine on the branch railroad struck a cow belonging to Mr. Jacob Pile, at Davis' brick yard. Fresh meat can be purchased at a very reasonable rate.

EX-SHERIFF Knepper has fifty-five thousand (55,000) brick which he wishes to dispose of at private sale, in quantities to suit purchasers. Apply to George F. Hemmingar.

SOME of our exchanges are already calling upon the public to make arrangements for celebrating Memorial day in an appropriate manner. It don't occur until the 30th of next month.

SAN Francisco has adjourned her schools for want of money, and the children now go around throwing stones at heathen Chinese to their heart's content. "No compulsory education for us," say they.

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.

HAD that paragon of a lover "Romeo" seen "them gloves" on Thursday last, he would have thought twice before he muttered:

"Oh, that I were a glove."

THE Ghard *Cosmopolite* says: One of our best farmers sold on Friday last several loads of excellent peach blow potatoes at ten cents per bushel! For the seed of the same potatoes he last year paid one dollar per bushel.

ON Monday last Harry, a young son of John H. Snyder of Stoystown, while engaged in cutting hay on a Deater cutting machine had the misfortune to have the two middle fingers of his left hand cut off at the second joint.

BETTER times in Huntingdon. A crowd of about three hundred more or less, followed a wagon loaded with about 127 pounds of butter to a grocery, where it was found out at 30 cents per pound, with a rising prospect. Some got it, but a goodly number didn't.

AT the examination of applicants for the West Point cadetship, held at Altoona on Wednesday last, seven applicants presented themselves, and were examined in all the ordinary branches of an English education. M. F. Harmon, of Altoona, was the successful competitor.

PHILIP NORMAN, of Bevver county, recently discovered hidden among the trees, a book published in Philadelphia in 1731, by Benjamin Franklin. Between the leaves were several receipts for the treatment of rheumatism and seven dollars in centennial money.

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.

IT is suggested that all the principal cities and towns in the country have their population counted, so that it may be known how many people there are in the United States in 1876, by way of comparison with one hundred years ago, and to show the country's wonderful growth.

GREEN county has a cat that lost a kitten by death, that now in her bereavement is raising three squirrels, with all the assiduity and care before manifested for her feline progeny. She fondles them, feeds them, carries them in her teeth out of danger, and in every way exhibits the maternal instinct.

THE Council of Johnstown borough at its meeting on Tuesday evening, appropriated $1100 to warrant expenses of the Centennial celebration of the Fourth of July in that city, and ordered the planting of a row of Centennial trees around the Public square. All of which will be approved of by the people.

WHEN a man mistakes the height of a chair he is about to occupy by about an inch and a half, it is remarkable the amount of momentum he will start in making that little distance. He strikes that chair with nearly as much force as if he has sat down in it from the roof of a two story dwelling.

"Moving Day" in Pennsylvania should be postponed until the 10th of April or the 1st of May. There are more fatal chills taken on "Moving day" than all the balance of the year. A few weeks delay would find the weather much more moderate and subject those who have to change their residences to much less risk.

DON'T fail to call and examine my new stock of Dress Goods, Calicoes, Brown and Bleached Muslins, Sheeting and Pillow Case Muslins, White Goods, Neck Ties, Scarfs, Linen Collars and Cuffs, Lisle Thread and Kid Gloves, Balbrigan and English Hosiery, at prices to suit the times.

G. R. PARKER.

Fishing Tackle.—An immense lot of Fishing Tackle at Fashion Bazar, just received, and very cheap. Rods, Baskets, Ball Boxes, Lines, Flies, Snoods, Leaders, Hooks, Fishing Books, &c., &c., very cheap.

Mrs. J. B. THEWELL,
No. 6, Mammoth Block.

A SET of Chamber Furniture for sale at Fashion Bazar. Includes French Bedstead with solid carved head and foot boards, Dressing Bureau, closet Wash Stand, Table, 4 cain seat Chairs and Rocker, all to match. Latest style. Will be sold for cash at cost and freight.

Mrs. JAS. B. THEWELL,
No. 6 Mammoth Block.

AGRICULTURAL MEETING.—The members of the Agricultural Society will meet at the court house on Friday evening next, for the purpose of fixing the time of holding the next Fair, and transacting other important business.

JOSIAH MOWRY, President.
E. M. SCHROCK, Secretary.

DOUBLE TRACK.—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, we learn, propose laying another track between Pittsburg and Connelsville as soon as the work can be accomplished. When this is completed the business of the road will be greatly facilitated, and the comfort and safety of travelers over it greatly increased.

"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.

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 devote time to it.

WELL-executed bogus five-cent nickel pieces are reported in circulation. This piece is worth less than the genuine, because it is bogus, for it is identical in fineness with the genuine coin, and worth just as much had it been made at the mint. The only way to detect the spurious coins is by the imperfect impression in the legend, "In god we trust."

WE understand that one of the young men of our town has established a glove factory, and will manufacture all styles and varieties of the article. He was to be seen on the street on Thursday evening with his arms filled with samples. Like the man who drew the picture of a horse, he was obliged to explain what they were intended for, and this he usually did in "them's gloves."

WE learn that the friends of song held a meeting on Thursday evening last, and unanimously resolved to give Prof. Johnson a call to come to Somerset during the coming summer, to conduct a normal class in vocal music. The class will probably be held during the summer vacation in the public schools of the place, and before the normals authorized by the county superintendent commence.

SILVER and plated articles should be placed about ten minutes in the hot water in which potatoes have been boiled (with salt), and then be rubbed with a woollen rag, and rinsed in pure water, when the articles will not only be free from tarnish but perfectly bright. Potato water that has become sour by standing several days answers still better, and is also excellent for cleaning articles of steel and glass.

THE planets Mars and Venus, can now be seen, when the evenings are favorable, among the bright stars of Aries, apparently near each other. Mars is behind the latter, and is now distant 145,000,000 miles from the earth, but even at this great distance it can be detected by its ruddy light. Venus sets soon after Mars, and further to the north each evening. Venus will be brightest on June 7th, and after July 15th will cease to be an evening star.

J. F. BLYMYER is now prepared to fill orders for the celebrated Cleveland ready mixed Paint at Manufacturers prices. This is no new thing but has been used extensively. If you will call upon Blymyer he will give you the names of many persons in this town and county who have used the paint and who will recommend it before any other for durability and cheapness. Call and see the handsome card of shades. Blymyer's Hardware Store is the place.

PERRY township, Berks county, lays claim to the healthiest men of his age and probably the healthiest man in the State. He is seventy odd years, never rode in the cars and says he never will. His morning ablutions are performed at a spring fifty yards from his residence, which he visits, rain or shine, without shoes or hat on. During the winter season he breaks ice with his bare feet. He possesses an erect, robust and healthy frame. So says the *Tribune and Dispatch*.

LOST.—A boy by the name of John Shaft, whose age is seventeen years; is five and one half feet in height; is entirely deaf and quite nervous. He strayed away, is supposed, from mental derangement, on Wednesday, April 5th, since when nothing has been heard of him. Any information of his whereabouts will be kindly received and duly appreciated by his parents, at 1209 Ridge Road, Harrisburg, Pa. ANDREWS SHARPF.

Exchanges will confer a favor by copying the above.

ONE of the best and cheapest places to buy goods in this county is at the store of Walter & Truxal, at Gebharts. They not only sell goods at low prices, but they sell the best goods the market affords. Their line of Calicoes, Muslins Linens, and in fact, of everything that is usually sold in a country store is worth going to see. Call on them and learn that men who have the enterprise to advertise have the right to sell goods at rates that can not be equaled by merchants who adopt and follow old fogy ways.

WHEN a young man, who has just reached the years of gosslinghood, has his beard blackened regularly twice a day, puts on a new paper collar before each meal, trims his finger nails every half hour, wears his three fuzz power mustache perfumedly dyed and scented, and his hair solemnly done up and elaborately parted behind, semi-occasional practising of graceful attitudes and seductive smiles to the reflective bosom of new thrave, you can bet your last "rag money" that some girl's heart or his'n is in a state of gentle hoffmannixment.

CONCERTS!

Two concerts of vocal and instrumental music will be given in the Court House on Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. The exercises will consist of solos, duets, trios, quartetts and choruses, secular and sacred, the whole to be interspersed with choice instrumental music. The entertainment will be given by home talent, the most available of which has been engaged for the occasion, and the managers have labored unceasingly to make the affair a success in every respect. An entire change of programme for second night. No lover of music should fail to attend. Admission 25 cents, children 15 cents.

VIOLIN STRINGS.—One of the great troubles of those who play the violin is to procure good strings, that will stand being drawn up to the proper pitch, and produce a fine quality of tone. We are prepared to furnish Violin Strings that will answer these requirements that will give satisfaction in the important qualities of tone and durability. Our price for the very best Italian String is 25 cents each, or 75 cents per set of four Strings.

We have also a most excellent grade of Strings, good toned and durable at 15 cts. each or 50 cts. per set.

Single Strings or sets mailed on receipt of price

MELLOR & HOENE,
79 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburg.

THE following act has passed the House and is likely to become a law:

"An act to amend an act entitled "An act regulating boroughs, approved the 3d day of April, A. D. 1851, and extending the provisions of the said act to surveyors of boroughs to levy and collect annually for borough purposes, a tax not exceeding one cent on the dollar on the valuation assessed for county purposes, requiring the bureau and council of every borough to levy in the month of May following the municipal election in each and every year and limiting the right to levy and collect such a tax to one-half of one cent on the dollar, unless a higher rate of taxation shall be necessary to defray and extinguish debts previously incurred or to defray expenses of permanent improvements.

SPRING.—During the present month we may confidently look for refreshing Spring visitations. The earth will open its bosom soon to the rains and dews of heaven, the trees begin to bud and blossom, the fields put on their robes of green, and the birds sing their joyous music in the morning and at twilight. This is the month for all these—heralding the glories of the year, the birth of the flowers, the awakening of life and beauty in the forest and by the stream, and the advent of that season of delight when the soil is brought nearer to the creator in the contemplation of the grandure and glory of His works. The present season promises to be an abundant and fruitful one, and we should be thankful for the hope that is before us.

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. MOFFAT'S SYRUP OF TAR, WILD CHERRY AND HONEHOUND. Take it and be well. No other medicine acts so speedily 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 try something for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint that you know nothing of that kind. He fixed the excess in a little pen with but one opening to it, and then arranged three steel traps around it, each of which was fastened to a stake by several feet of a surveyor's chain. He went to the traps the next morning and found one of them missing, and on following up the others nobbling a large hawk by the leg. The hawks were taken to the house and dispatched. This was on Friday the 24th. On the next Monday a large hawk was seen passing over the premises of Mr. Ammons, with the missing trap and chain hanging to its leg. The hawk passed down to the next farm—that of Mr. Eichelberger—and alighting there was shot, and the steel trap taken from its leg and returned to Mr. Ammons. This may look like a pretty big hawk story, but we are assured of its entire truth.—*Waynesborough Messenger.*

Re-Union of the Tenth Regiment P. R. V. C.

The Fifth Annual Re-union of the Tenth Regiment, Pennsylvania Reserve Volunteer Corps, will be held at Franklin, Venango county, Pa., on Wednesday, May 17, 1876.

A full attendance of all the surviving members of the regiment is requested.

A meeting for the election of officers, etc., will be held at 2 o'clock P. M. The speeches at 7.30, and banquet at 10 o'clock P. M.

The Committee of Arrangements will leave nothing undone that will add to the enjoyment of those who attend.

Invitations have been extended to Governor Curtin, and Generals Ord, Seymour, Crawford, McCandless, Warner, Allen, and Kane, to attend.

The oration will be delivered by Col. Jas. B. Knox. James L. Black, historian.

COL. J. S. MCCALMONT,
President, Franklin, Pa.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Secretary,
10 Sixth St., Pittsburg, Pa.

WHAT A BOOM IS.—Doubtless a large number of our citizens are or soon will be enquiring "what is a boom?" since our State legislature has brought the matter before the public by its investigation into the allegation that bribery secured the late passage of the boom bill through the body. A boom consists of a number of timbers or spars fastened together, one end of which is attached to the shore, the other end extending up and out into the current of a stream for any required distance, so that it acts as a sort of floating tray to catch all large substances floating on the surface of the water. Persons engaged in cutting timber for rafting above the boom fell their trees, saw off the logs and put their brand or trade mark upon them, after which they are hauled or rolled to the bank, and tumbled into the river, down the current of which they float till caught by the boom, when they are collected, each man taking those of his brand, and formed into rafts. It will be observed that the boom is of advantage to the lumbermen, as they could not profitably take each log out, and haul it to those previously cut, to be at once added to the slowly growing raft; but, by the aid of the boom, a lumberman cuts till he has trimbled a sufficient number of logs into the stream, when he proceeds to the boom, where his material is all collected and ready to be formed into rafts or sent to other dealers. The objections of the lumbermen are not to the boom but to the high rates charged for boomage.—*Ex.*

HORRIBLE IN PAINT.—It becomes our duty to chronicle a sad tragedy, that was enacted in Paint township, on Wednesday last, wherein Jacob Rose was killed by John Sease. Rose was the owner of a saw mill and it appears from all the information we have been able to gather on the subject, that on the day named Sease went to the mill to get some lumber which belonged to him and which had been sawed at the mill. The owner of the mill and one of his sons were at work at the mill at the time, and Sease and the boy got into a wrangle. After some bad words had been handled between them, the former picked up a piece of lath about four feet long and nine inches wide for the purpose of striking the boy. At this stage of the proceedings the elder Rose interfered and told Sease not to strike the boy, when Sease quickly struck him on the head, inflicting a wound several inches in length and fracturing the skull.

Doctor S. L. Oxendorf was called upon and did all for the suffering man that medical skill could devise. Mr. Rose appeared to be perfectly free from any alarm that the wound would prove fatal as he obtained a horse and rode to the office of John E. Sease, Esq., to make an information against Sease, but before finishing his statement he became so weak that he was compelled to abandon it, and started for his home, on his way thither he became so sick and the unfavorable symptoms increased so rapidly that it was evident that his lease upon life was but short. About 8 o'clock in the evening the unfortunate breathed his last and his death is directly attributed to the injuries inflicted by John E. Sease.

Mr. Rose was a man of about fifty years of age and was universally esteemed in the community in which he lived.

Sease was arrested and brought to the jail at this place on Friday last, and the matter will doubtless undergo a judicial investigation at the August term of our court. He is a man of about fifty years of age, near six feet high and weighs upwards of two hundred pounds, broad shouldered, well developed muscles and has a long black beard and black hair. The nose is rather prominent and the eyes large and bright. Taken altogether he is a fine physical specimen of manhood. This account of this disastrous affair is not near full, we know, as our readers would desire, nor is it as comprehensive as we would like to make it, but that *beautiful statute* (?) in the criminal jurisprudence of the State which disqualifies a man who has intelligence enough to read and think about a case of the kind from serving on the jury, precludes the giving of the circumstances in full. When our law makers in their great wisdom will determine the limit of intelligence are not to be prevented from fulfilling their sworn obligations to "give a verdict in accordance with the evidence" by any account of such affairs that they may read of hear, then and not until then can enterprising journals fournish their readers with full and minute accounts of such tragedies.

The New History of Pennsylvania.

No want in our literature has been so widely felt and so universally acknowledged as that of a complete and compact history of the State of Pennsylvania, adapted to the popular perusal through its attractive, and accepted as an authority through its full and accurate presentation of all the facts in her career as a State. This singular lack has been made apparent more than ever before by the completion of the first Centennial of American Independence.

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ENGELHA—OCHERMAN.—At the house of Joseph Miller, April 14, 1876, by Samuel Custer, Esq., Mr. Franklin Engelha, of Allegheny tp., to Miss Catharine Ocherman of Northampton tp., Somerset county, Pa.

DIED.

BEAM.—On the 19th of April, 1876, Mrs. Sarah Beam, wife of Joseph W. Beam, in Jenner tp., Somerset county, Pa., aged 25 years, 10 months, and 23 days.

BLOUGH.—April 11, 1876, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Geo. Gardner, near Dibertsville, Mrs. Sarah Blough, aged 66 years, 7 months, and 19 days.

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By direction of the Town Council of Somerset Borough I will receive sealed proposals for Stone, for use on the streets of the Borough, for the coming year. The quantity of stone required will reach one thousand perches. Bidders must state the price per perch in plain figures, and the stone must be broken to such size as the council may order. Proposals must be endorsed, "Proposals for breaking stone."

I will also receive proposals for plank in such quantities as may be needed for sluice ways and crossings. The plank must be of first class quality, and all bidders must state their price per hundred feet, board measure. Proposals must be endorsed, "Proposals for Plank."

I will also receive proposals for such street labor as may be required. The labor must conform in all particulars to those now in use. Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for street labor."

The right of rejecting any or all bids is reserved to the borough.

Proposals for any or all of the above will be received until 8 o'clock, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, 1876.

WM. H. WELFLEY,
April 26. Burgess.

VOLUNTARY ASSIGNMENT.

Jesse Long and Elias Long, having made a voluntary assignment to me by deed dated the 21 day of April, 1876, of all the estate, real and personal, of the said Jesse Long, for the benefit of his creditors, I hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said Jesse Long to make immediate payment to me, and those having claims against him to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.

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ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

MR. EDITOR.—The people want another new candidate for Associate Judge. Please announce the name of C. C. Shoemaker, of Somerset Twp., as a suitable person for that office.

CITIZEN.

We are authorized to announce the name of Josiah Mowry as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of L. S. Turner, of Summit Twp., for the office of Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican primary county convention.

Fellow citizens, encouraged by your hearty support on a former occasion, as a candidate for Associate Judge, I only thankfully for the same. I offer myself again as a candidate for the same office, hoping to share your co-operation in securing my nomination at the ensuing Primary election.

DANIEL STUFFT.

ASSEMBLY.

We are authorized to announce the name of John Mostoller, of Quemahoning Tp., as a candidate for the office of Assembly, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

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Agreeably to the provisions of an act of Assembly, directing the mode of selling unseated lands for taxes and other purposes, passed the 13th day of March, A. D. 1815, and the supplement thereto passed the 16th day of March, A. D. 1846, and the 26th day of March, A. D. 1847, the Treasurer of the County of Somerset does hereby notice to all persons concerned herein, that unless the county, township, school, road and building taxes due on the following tracts or unseated lands, charge in Somerset county, are paid on the day of sale which will be such parts of such tract as will pay the taxes and costs charged on the same, will be sold at the Court House in Somerset borough, Somerset Co., Pa., on Monday, the 12th day of June next, for the arrearages of taxes due and the costs accrued thereon, and the sale will be continued from day to day until all are disposed of. All taxes due and in the following list must be all cases be paid before the day of sale, with c