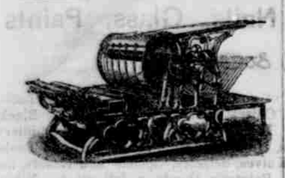
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY.....May 19, 1876.



TIME TABLES.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after February 20, 1876, trains on this road, will arive and depart as follows: (Baltimore time—14 minutes faster than Pittsburgh time.)

EAST.

	3	5	11	1
Leave Pittsburg	7.00 a. m.	9.20 a. m.	2.00 p. m.	8.15 p. m.
Mt. Royal	8.03 "	10.16 "	2.56 "	9.12 "
West Newton	8.47 "	10.54 "	3.34 "	9.56 "
Connellsville	10.40 "	12.49 "	5.44 "	11.50 "
Meyers Tunnel	11.00 "	1.00 p. m.	6.00 "	12.00 a. m.
Bridgeport	3.26 "	3.26 "	8.25 "	4.25 "
Cumberland	4.20 "	4.20 "	9.00 "	5.00 "
Washington	7.27 "	7.27 "	12.00 m.	8.00 "
Richmond	3.50 a. m.		1.00 p. m.	1.00 a. m.
Baltimore	9.00 p. m.		6.20 p. m.	12.20 p. m.
Philadelphia	12.10 "		9.15 "	3.40 "
New York	3.10 "		12.00 m.	6.50 "

WEST.

	10	12	16	8
New York	3.35 p. m.			8.35 a. m.
Philadelphia	11.30 "			12.15 p. m.
Baltimore	7.30 a. m.			6.10 a. m.
Richmond	10.00 p. m.			2.40 "
Washington	8.15 a. m.			7.45 "
Cumberland	2.50 p. m.			1.30 p. m.
Bridgeport	7.35 "			2.15 "
Mount Pt.	8.11 "			3.00 "
Connellsville	8.40 "	7.34 a. m.	4.11 p. m.	3.32 "
West Newton	7.56 "	8.40 "	4.29 "	4.18 "
Mt. Royal	8.25 "	9.32 "	5.19 "	5.35 "
Pittsburg	9.15 "	10.15 "	5.49 "	7.20 "

☞ Trains leave Connellsville for Uniontown, 7.30, a. m. 12.54 a. m. 3.30, p. m., and 6. 48, p. m. Trains No. 5 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. REPERT, Passenger Agt., Pitts'b.
E. K. HYNDMAN, Supt., Connellsville.

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On, and after May 7th, 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 10 a. m.	4 40 a. m.
Mail West	3 50 p. m.	5 00 p. m.
Mail East	1 10 p. m.	3 00 p. m.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

Express East	12 p. m.
Express West	3:55 a. m.
Mail East	2:9 p. m.
Mail West	4:25 p. m.
Accommodation East	12:30 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, wills, agreements &c., entrusted to him. Collections of notes and book accounts made, estates settled, land titles examined and abstracts of titles furnished.

Office up stairs in Cook & Beeritz' 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. Dean.
Allegheny, Geo. 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.
Jennertown—J. A. Sipe.
Larimer—Jacob Zufall.
Lower Turkeyfoot—D. Shoff.
Meyersdale—J. C. Yutzy.
Middlecreek—John Boucher.
Milford—Samuel Critchfield.
New Centreville—Wm. Flick.
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. Scull.
Somerset Tp.—Charles Meiser.
Stonycreek—J. M. Schrock.
Stoystown—C. W. Pugh.
Southampton—H. Maitz.
Summit—Con. Shoemaker.
Upper Turkeyfoot—Freeman Younkin.
Ursina—W. H. Berger.
Weilersburg—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, 1876, 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.

A Widely Applicable Remedy.

Few remedies are applicable to such a wide range of disorders as are Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and this not because it has special properties adapted to the cure of each—such a pretence would be manifestly absurd,—but on account of its wonderfully improving effect upon the general tone of the system, and its alterative action upon the organs of nutrition, secretion and discharge. Besides its well known properties as a remedy for internmittent and remittent fevers, dyspepsia, constipation, torpidity of the liver, general debility, urinary and uterine difficulties, it invariably proves to be highly serviceable in overcoming anæmia, hypochondria, rheumatism, insomnia, and many other disorders and disabilities originating in poverty or impurity of the blood, nervous weakness or over-excitement, or an imperfect performance of the physical functions.

Mr. E. H. Wardwell, with the firm of Rouse, Hempstone & Co., will be in Somerset county about the 15th inst., and will supply any and all our merchants with Hosiery, Gloves, Notions and all other goods in his line. E. H. sells the best line of fishing tackle in the market. His well known reputation as an angler is an assurance that he uses nothing but the best of tackle and he supplies his customers with the same kind he uses himself.

In ladies' dress goods you will find at Patton's, silks, poplins, plaids in variety, alpaccas, cashmeres, linen suitings, Long Branch suitings.

OUR CENTENNIAL FIRE!

THE WINGS OF THE "PHOENIX" SINGED.

Two Squares and Several other Buildings Destroyed.

The 9th of May '72 has a rival in the 4th of May '76.

TOTAL LOSS $150 000

It is probable that if there is ever a history of Somerset written the month of May will come in for a good share of the attention of the historian. Most of our readers will remember, we are sure all that live within the limits of Somerset county will, that on the 9th day of May, 1872, a large portion of our beautiful but old fashioned town was destroyed by the agency of fire. Our citizens with commendable energy immediately commenced the erection of new homes and business houses of a more modernn style, and on Thursday morning last there were but three of the lots that had been denuded of their buildings that were vacant. At 1:10 P. M. on Thursday last, (of course it was Thursday, we were burnt out on Thursday in '33, and on Thursday in '72,) a fire broke out in the pattern shop of the foundry of Davis, McCoy & Co. The alarm was sounded and soon there were a crowd of earnest, determined men on the ground ready to risk life and limb to stay its progress. The origin remains a mystery, though the most probable supposition is that it originated from a spark from the forge in the blacksmith shop in the foundry. The wind was blowing a regular gale from the southeast at the time and the flames immediately spread to the adjoining shops, the wind bearing them far in advance. The shed between the patern shop and the residence of Prof. George Schaefer was torn down, but before the fire could be got under control it leaped across the street to the carriage shed and stables attached to the Somerset House.

The buildings were as dry as paper and burned as readily. Though the wind carried the fire directly before it, it also by its gasts and eddies extended it, and a number of stables on Patriot street were soon on fire. Hugh masses of burning material were taken up by the wind and carried far in advance and whenever they fell they produced a fire. One of those torches lit on and ignited the residence of Frank Weimer and another fired a frame back building attached to the residence of Geo. Holderbaum almost simultaneously. The Somerset House was soon on fire at the east as well as at the west side and the men who had been trying to save it turned their attention to saving the goods. The crowd next took up the fight at the residence of H. I. Baer, struggling as only men who have been rendered homeless under like cirmustances can, but all in vain; they might have as well attempted to arrest the very wind, for at this time the fire and wind were one and the same thing. Slowly and doggedly they were driven back to the next building, the dry goods store and dwelling house of Geo. R. Parker, drug store of A. G. Miller and dwelling house of Solomon Baer. This building soon became too hot for occupancy and had to be abandoned to destruction. Another rally was made on the west side of Church alley at the house occupied by the store of W. W. Davis & Bro., and the families of W. B. Coffroth and W. J. Baer. As it approached this large building with its galvanized iron cornice and flat tin roof there was a universal sigh of relief, for there it was thought it could certainly be stayed despite the wind. The hope however was futil and of but short duration, for the treacherous wind suddenly veering around to the south the flames reached across the street and licked up the Grocery store of Flick & Kregger as though it were a dainty morsel. A moment after, the residences of H. A. Flick and Valentine Hay were in flames. The doom of the North side of Main street now appeared to be sealed, but still the brave men who were doing yeoman's service in the hopes of arresting the progress of the fire fiend despaired not. At just 40 minutes past 2 o'clock the large wash house in the rear of the residence of John H. Uhl was enveloped in flames, and in less time than it takes to write it his dwelling and that of Dr. Henry Brubaker and the Barnet House were wrapped in such a sheet of flame as to make futile all efforts to save them. Meanwhile the fight on the Baer & Coffroth Block was not given up, but men with their hands and faces singed and their eyes invaded by cinders and smoke worked on in the living hell *and conquered.*

The large stables in the rear of the Barnet House caught a few moments after and the major part of the buildings between Church alley and West street were blazing at the same time. From any point except directly in front a good view of the fire could be obtained. Great tongues of flame shot far into the heavens, while a volume of smoke hung over the north eastern part of the town like a funeral pall. It was grand, but the effect so far exceeded anything of the kind we had ever seen before as to defy description. It was sublime yet terrific, magnificent yet appalling. Even while the watchers on the Court House steeple made the old bell peal forth its notes that were to arouse and bring to the assistance of their stricken brethren the stout hearted farmers of the adjoining district, a burning brand alighted on the roof and he was obliged to leave the iron tongue hang silent while he outcoed the flames.

When the Barnet House and adjacent buildings took fire:

"Brave hearts who fought, in slow retreat
The bands of fire from street to street,
Turned, powerless, to the blinded stare,
The dumb defiance of despair."

Well might the bravest quake and the ruddiest cheek turn pale. The wind had increased in violence and was scattering fire brands in all directions. With no engines, and not even a hook or ladder, with the water running short in many places it was enough to make the most sanguine despair. But the good old Pennsylvania Dutch teaching of our people had learned them no to "cry over spilt milk," and instead of giving up they made one more effort at Hay's Block, on the corner of Union and Main Cross streets, to check the fearful destruction. The Meat Market of John Young was manned and all to go with an energy born of dispair to prevent the flames from crossing Main Cross St. Water lines were formed to the well in front of the Hill House and the one in the rear of Mammoth Block. It was a useless fight, however, as far as the saving of Hay's Block was concerned, for hardly had the men gained their station until the dwellings of W. P. Foust, J. W. Patton and Barnet Picking were in flames, and as they were all frame the flames did not spend much time in crushing them. The intense heat broke in the windows of the Hay Block and it commenced to burn at several places simultaneously and was soon beyond any human means of control, and as the pitch of the gravel roof of the building commenced to seeth and boil, the volume of smoke became so dense as to obscure from view all the part of the town in the course of the flames, and though watchers had been placed on all the houses it was feared that under the cover of the thick canopy of smoke, a flying brand might light on one of them, and before discovered gain such headway as to place it beyond control.

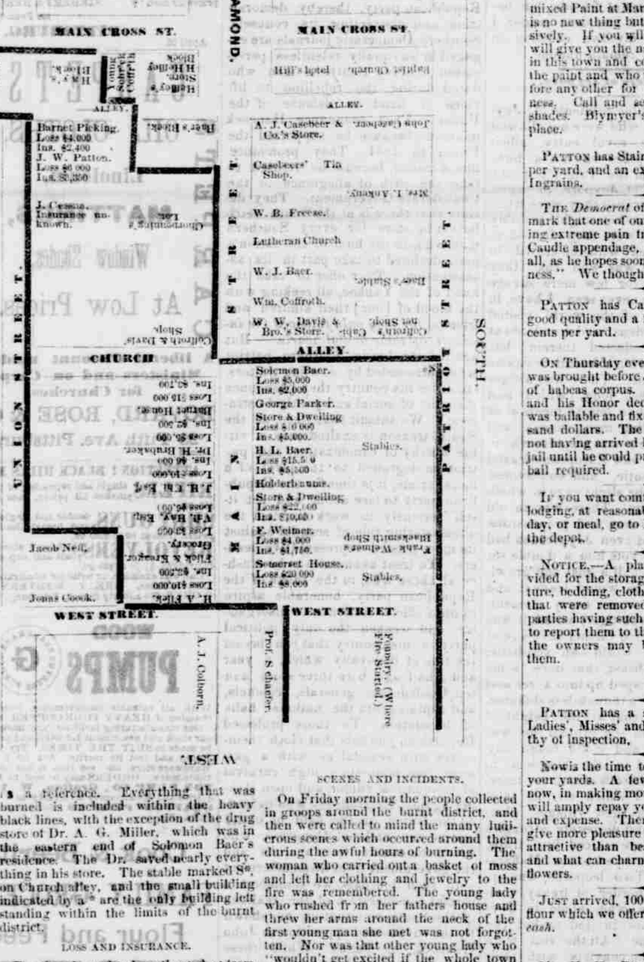
The fight on Young's Meat Market was kept up all the time the Hay Block was burning and was only relinquished when one of the walls of the latter building fell and crushed it so badly as to make it worthless. Long before Hay's Block was burned a destroying brand had been flung into the garret of Mrs. Emily Ogle's house on the noth side of Union street. The roof had been partially torn off in the morning and at the time the alarm of fire was sounded the carpenters were busily engaged in tacking on a new roof. The blazing brand lighting amid the old dry shingles on the garret were ignited and in a turious blaze in a second. This was the oldest house that was destroyed and one around which many memories of our oldest citizens were entwined.

The scene presented when the fire was at its height is almost indescribable. The splendid brick structures melted before the fierceness of the flames as melts the snowflakes on the river.

The Barnet House and Bare's residence, two of the largest building destroyed, disappeared the one in 15 the other in 17 minutes by the watch. The flames would attack the rear of most of the buildings and appear almost simultaneously in the front. The windows would redden for a moment and then great billows of fire would belch out and meeting each other shoot up into the air a vivid, quivering column of flame and poising itself in awful majesty, hurl itself bodily a hundred feet and kindle still other buildings. The intense heat created new currents of air and spread the fire out of the direct course of the wind.

BUSINESS.

We annex a small plot of a part of the town including the burnt district. We do not claim that it is a fine specimen of artistic skill, but think it will prove valuable



SCENES AND INCIDENTS.

On Friday morning the people collected in groops around the burnt district, and then were called to mind the many ludicrous scenes which occurred around them during the awful hours of burning. The woman who carried out a basket of moss and left her clothing and jewelry to the fire was remembered. The young lady who rushed from her fathers house and threw her arms around the neck of the first young man she met was not forgotten. Nor was that other young lady who "wouldn't get excited if the whole town would burn down;" no she *never would get excited*, who threw her arms around the neck of the gentleman who tried to pass her on the stairs, and by him was carried up to the landing and placed on a chair.

Another young lady was so intent on saving her brothers wedding suit that she forgot all else.

Men carried out chaff ticks and articles of similar value and allowed mattresses, bed clothing and furniture to be destroyed.

A gentleman from Rochester, N. Y., who was in town on Thursday, delivering fruit trees, had gone to his room in the Somerset House a short time before the fire broke out, to take a nap, and was awakened only in time to make his escape.

At the Barnet House some one threw a large lot of china out of the second story window and then carefully carried down stairs a large armful of bed clothes.

A number of persons who had come to town on business stood around with their hands in their pockets refusing to work unless they were paid exhorbitant prices. One man asked sixteen dollars for the use of his team to haul out a single load of goods. Others proved themselves men indeed and went to work with a will, scorning all offers of pay, but laboring hard where they thought it would do the most good. The latter have the thanks of the persons whose property they helped to save, coupled with prayers for their future prosperity. The former have, we hope, an approving conscience, though they receive, as they deserve, the just invective of their fellow men.

Mr. G. W. Tayman can claim to be the first to have rallied from the effects of the fire, as he had a canvas tent erected on the site of his former home, the Somerset House, on Saturday.

THE RUINS BY MOONLIGHT.

As viewed by moonlight the ruins present a weird and picturesque scene. The moon, just rising over the mountain tops, casts an uncertain lustre over and throws fantastic shadows among the naked walls. No sound is heard save the steady footfall of the sentinels, varied now and then by the slower tread of some romantic sightseer. Ruined wall and shattered masonry are softened and refined by the mellow light. At every turn are dark nooks and shady recesses, that might well be the abodes of spirits or goblins damned, that in daylight would appear as but empty blanks. The old house on Union street, nestled down among its forest of trees, its white walls showing through the interlaced branches reminds one of the ruins that dot the banks of the Rhine, the Arno and the Danube.

In the moonlight all things are old, and all things are strange. The cupola of the foundry stands like a watch tower overlooking the desolation; telegraph poles, charred and blackened, look like stately forest trees denuded of their branches. There are slight, faint sounds to be heard which might be immagined the voices of the night or the sigh of a spirit that had visited the smouldering embers that marked the place of its abode when upon earth.

Standing at the corner of West and Union streets, one can faintly distinguish broken walls and piles of stone and brick. There they lie, in one chaotic mass, dumb witnesses of the terribleness of the conflict. By the light of day we could tell how recent had been their overthrow; but now, by the uncertain light of the moon, we cannot tell but that they are as old as the seven hills of Rome, and standing there we can reconstruct them as we will. Story upon story rises the airy pile. Bright lights gleam from its windows and the strains of the music mingle with the tread of feet upon its spacious floors. But the flickering flame, still fitfully burning in the centre of the ruins, suddenly dies out, the lights disappear, and the building goes down as suddenly as it rose, and with it the guests that thronged its rooms.

To the buildings left partly standing, there is a wonderful expression, varying with there condition. There are those which seem to implore and those which seem to threaten. Some are weary of the contest with fortune, while others are still obdurate and unwilling to give way, and at such the eye loves to linger fondly over hanging cornices and projecting pinacles, one moment bright with the moon, and then shading away into darkness. Fitful gleams of fire are to be seen all around. All other sounds, all other sights have died away, and there remains only a sense of desolation and ruin.

LOSS AND INSURANCE.

The loss is variously estimated at from $150,000 to $200,000, while the insurance will not exceed $75,000. The heaviest looser among the insurance companies is the Lycoming, and next the Fayette Mutual. The loosers are:

Davis, McCoy & Co., foundry and machine shop, loss $20,000, insurance $13,700, divided among the following companies: Aetna, Lycoming, Canadian Royal, Atlas, Home, of Columbus, Patterson, of N. J., and one other company; Somerset House, Mrs. E. A. Flick proprietress loss $20,000, insured in Lycoming $3,000 and in Schuylkill Valley $5,000; Francis E. Weimer, dwelling house and blacksmith shop, loss $4,000, insurance Lycoming $1,750; Ezra Giffin, dwelling house, loss $6,000, insurance Lycoming $1,500 and Fayette Mutual $1,500; C. & G. Holderbaum, store room and goods, loss $12,000, insurance Lycoming $3,500 and Fayette Mutual $3,000; H. I. Baer, Esq., dwelling house, loss $13,000, insurance Lycoming $5,500; George R. Parker, dwelling house and dry goods store, loss $10,000, insurance Franklin $2,000 and North America $3,000; Solomon Baer, dwelling house, loss $5,000, insurance Waynesboro $2,000; H. A. Flick, dwelling house, loss $10,000, insurance $5,500; Flick & Kreger, grocery, loss $3,000, no insurance; Val. Hay, Esq., a brick dwelling, on Main street and Hay's Block, on the corner of Union and Main Cross streets, loss, $15,000, no insurance; John H. Uhl, Esq., brick dwelling, loss $12,000, insurance Fayette Mutual $3,000. York $3,000; Dr. Henry Brubaker, dwelling house, loss $4,000, insurance Lycoming $2,500; Barnet House, B. Picking owner, loss $12,000, insurance Lycoming $700 and Fayette Mutual $3,000; John Cessna, Esq., loss $3,500, no insurance; J. W. Patton, dwelling house, loss $5,000, insurance Lycoming $1,000 and Fayette Mutual $2,350; Barnet Picking, dwelling house, loss $5,000 insurance $2,400; Mrs. Emily Ogle, dwelling house, loss $4,000, insurance Watertown, N. J. $2,400.

Besides the above losses of realty, the following persons lost personal property of no inconsiderable value:

W. P. Foust, $400; T. J. Picking, $1,000; Rev. A. E. Truxal, $1,000; Jacob S. Picking, $800, insurance Waynesboro $300; N. B. Snyder, George Snyder, and Sol. Uhl, $1,600, insurance $1,275;

Messrs. Snyder and Uhl occupied the northern part of Hay's Block.

Fred Naugle, lessee of the Barnet House, loss $1,500; Mrs. Frank Chorpenning, stable, $250; George Chorpenning, $1,000; John Young, meat market crushed by the fall of the walls of Hay's Block, $800; Mr. Young's policy of insurance had expired the day before. Davis & Coffroth's shop, $500; Mrs. J. B. Tredwell, $500.

Damages by water and removal of furniture, W. J. Baer, $1,500; W. B. Coffroth, $1,200; A. J. Calhoun, $800; Prof. Geo. Schaefer, $1,000.

The wood shed and stables in the rear of the jail, the residence of W. H. Koontz, Esq., the residences of Ed. Scull, E. M. Schrock, F. C. Sampsell, the Academy, and the stable at the residence of Samuel King came very near times, but were put out before any damage was done.

Although the loss has been severe our people have reason to congratulate themselves that it was not greater, considering the many disadvantages that they labored under. Without engines, or any kind of fire apparatus, an insufficiency of water at many places, and a fierce wind to carry the burning brands, it is indeed marvelous that the entire east end of town was not destroyed.

WILD RUMORS.

After the fire had fairly started the telegraph operator sent word to the office at Bedford that the town was on fire and the office would have to close. The lightning flashed the intelligence all along the Connellsville railroad and across the country to Bedford, Johnstown and other neighboring cities.

As a specimen of the rumors we publish the following from the *Johnstown Tribune.*

SOMERSET BURNING!

THE FLAMES STILL RAGING!

Telegraphic Communication Cut Off!

FOUR HOTELS AND BAER'S BLOCK BURNT!

The Court House on Fire.

BERLIN, May 4, 1876

A large fire has been raging at Somerset all afternoon, but telegraph communication being cut off it is impossible to obtain particulars. The flames are distinctly visible here—a distance of nine miles.

SECOND DISPATCH.

BRIDGEPORT, May 4, 1876. 5 o'clock, P. M.

The following hotels have been burned to the ground: Somerset House, Hill House, and Barnet House, with all the buildings embraced within these points. It is also reported at this hour that Bear's block has fell a prey to the flames, and that the Court House is on fire.

The conflagration started at the same place, and in the same manner that the one of May 9, 1872 did, and it seems now that the results will be equally, or perhaps more disastrous.

The fire started at one o'clock.

[The fire has evidently taken a more northerly direction than before, as the Barnet House, northeast of where the fire originated, and the Somerset House on the same line, were not touched in 1872, although the point of origin is the same.—ED. TRIBUNE.]

EAST.

New Advertisements

Dr. Finneys' Compound Syrup of Buchu is guaranteed to cure Inflammation of the Kidneys and Bladder, painful or suppressed urination so frequent in old age, painful or suppressed menstruation, leucorrhœa or whites, gravel, gleet, stricture, bloody discharges, Bright's disease, brickdust deposits, dropsy, pain in the back or side, sick headache, pimples, blotches and eruptions on the face, and all diseases of a specific or constitutional nature, regardless of duration, age or sex. Compound Syrup of Buchu is a positive and radical cure. For sale by Geo. W. Benford & Co., Somerset, Pa., and Mountain & Co., Confluence, Pa. sep15

SOMERSET MARKET

Corrected by COOK & BEERITS.

DEALERS IN

CHOICE GROCERIES, FLOUR & FEED,

Apples, dried, ℔ ℔	12½c
Applebutter, ℔ ⅛a	10@60c
Bran, ℔ 100 lbs	$1 40
Butter, ℔ ℔ (keg)	20@22
Butter, ℔ ℔ (roll)	25c
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	70c
" meal, 100 lbs	$2 50
Beeswax, ℔ ℔	25c
Bacon, shoulders, ℔ ℔	12½c
" sides, "	14c
" country hams, ℔ ℔	12c
Corn, (ear) ℔ bushel	80c
Corn, (shelled) ℔ bushel	40c
Corn meal ℔ ℔	2½c
Calf skins, ℔ ℔	8c
Eggs, ℔ doz	15c
Flour, ℔ bbl	$7 50@8 50
Flaxseed ℔ bu. (56 ℔)	$1 00
Hams, (sugar-cured) ℔ ℔	17c
Lard, ℔ ℔	15@18c
Leather, red sole, ℔ ℔	30@35c
" upper "	60@70c
" kip, "	75@80c
Middlings, white, 100 lbs	$2 00@2 25
Oats, ℔ bu	45@50c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	25@35c
Peaches, dried, ℔ ℔	15c
Rye ℔ bu	$1 00
Rags, ℔ ℔	2c
Salt, No. 1, ℔ bbl, extra	$2 25
" Ground Alum, per sack	$2 25
" Ashton, per sack	$4 75
Sugar, yellow ℔ ℔	10@12c
" white "	12½@14c
Tallow, ℔ ℔	5c
Wheat, ℔ bus	$1 40
Wool, ℔ ℔	40@60c

New Advertisements

E. H. WARDWELL,

WITH

ROUSE, HEMPSTONE & CO.

285 Balt. St., Baltimore, M. D.,

Would respectfully ask the merchants' of Somerset county, to send him their orders for

NOTIONS, FURNISHING AND FANCY GOODS.

assuring them satisfaction both as regards price and quality of goods. Merchants visiting Baltimore are urgently requested to call and see me before making purchases.

May 10.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Boaz Pew, late of Stony Creek Twp., 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 Friday, June 9, A. D 1876.

SAMUEL FOX,
May 10. Executor.

BACK PAY.

Having lost our residences by the late fire, we earnestly urge all knowing themselves indebted to us, to come forward promptly and settle. We need money to provide homes for our families.

May 10. PATTON & HURST.

NOTICE.

The first account of D. H. Wolfersberger and A. G. Will, assignees of Philip Wolfersberger, has been filled and will be presented to the Court for confirmation on the 9th day of June, 1876.

E. J. KOOSER,
May 10. Pro.

ASSIGNEES NOTICE.

Jacob P. Zegler, having executed a deed of Voluntary Assignment to me for the benefit of Creditors. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and accounts whether of record or otherwise to present them to me duly authenticated, at my office on or before Saturday, June 17th A. D. 1876, at which time there will be a meeting of all the creditors.

JAS. L. PUGH,
May 10. Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Jacob Rose, late of Paint Township, 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 Thursday, the 15th day of June, A. D. 1876.

DAVID J. SHAFFER,
May 10. Administrator.

NOTICE.

Samuel Weaver hereby gives notice that he has made application to the Secretary of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania for a warrant for about 25 acres of improved land in Paint Tp., Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands of Thomas Hays and Jacob Rose on the east, Jacob Knable on the south, Abraham Weaver, land David Shaffer on the west, and Abraham Weaver on the north.

ASSIGNEES NOTICE.

J. N. Fichtner, of Berlin, having executed a deed of voluntary assignment to me, for the benefit of creditors. I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said J. N. Fichtner to present them duly authenticated to me, at my office in Somerset, Pa., on Saturday the 10th day of June, 1876, and all persons owing said J. N. Fichtner, shall make immediate payment to the undersigned.

John H. Uhl,
May 3. Assignee.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

Estate of Jacob Cober, late of Berlin, borough, deceased.

Letters testimentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted to it to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it, to present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, June 10, 1876, at my residence in Brothersvalley Tp.

ISRAEL J. COBER,
Executor.

TREASURER'S SALE Of Unseated Lands.

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. 1831, and the 20th of March, A. D. 1824, and the 6th day of March, A. D. 1847, the Treasurer of the County of Somerset hereby gives notice to all persons concerned, herein, that unless the county, State, school, road and building taxes due on the following tracts of unseated lands, situate in Somerset county, are paid before the day of sale, the whole or such parts of each tract as will pay the taxes and costs chargeable thereon, 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 included in the following list must in all cases be paid before the day of sale, with cost of advertising, or the property will be sold as advertised.

ACRES.		TAX.
	ADDISON TOWNSHIP.	
400	Biddle James	$26 40
208	Bell William	19 20
247	Chew Alex	16 28
400	Cherry Aaron	26 40
100	Cherry Jane (½)	7 10
417	Cherry Mary K	27 40
156½	Moore Mary	10 22
100	Moore Hiram (east half)	13 55
400	Meyers Martin, in trust for Wolfersberger	26 80
408½	Meyers Martin, in trust for Wolfersberger	26 93
271½	Meyers Martin	11 25
400	Ogle Charles B	26 40
400	Tom Phillip	26 40
400	Tom Jacob	26 40
400	Tom Joseph	26 40
400	Tom Benjamin	26 40
400	Mood Joseph	26 40
400	Cherry K Jerry	26 40
400	Hood Able	26 40
	Kerr Elias P	57
	McClatchy Charlotte	90
	ALLEGHENY TOWNSHIP.	
294	Brown Thomas	22 30
138	Beam Thomas	6 71
440	Black John	21 02
265	Dew William	12 73
145	Derry James	6 96
375	Gibson George	18 75
406	Gibson John	38 97
200	Hahn John	19 20
400	Meyers Jacob	22 60
107	Miles James	9 22
102	Musser John	4 87
200	Eillnger Fred	12 00
200	Smith George	9 60
411	Ackerman William	19 67
146	Tom Samuel	8 91
304	Wells John E	15 20
200	Wells Rachael	19 20
420	Wells Mary	20 51
95	Witt & Kohler	4 39
992	Thomas Tracts	7 40
40	Wolf & Co	1 92
110	Schell Co	5 28
300	Vowers Peter	28 80
67	Coffroth & Schell	5 25
140		4 64
419	Ling Peter	20 00
128	Hay Val	6 40
138	" "	2 16
	BROTHERSVALLEY TOWNSHIP.	
412	Luffborough Mathew	8 22
297	Stine Abraham	11 20
150	Will F. & Forward	3 00
12	Young Francis	27
160	Potter Sarah	2 00
	CONFLUENCE BOROUGH.	
2	Davis & Sanner	3 82
30	Wilhelm Francis	4 20
LOTS.		
2	Augustine John	4 20
7	Burns Patrick	3 68

New Advertisements

SOMERSET BOROUGH.

2	Colborn S. J	3 15
1	Creighton Theodore	2 10
1	Boulton Alex	1 58
1	Fullerton & Brothers	3 20
2	Fox James	2 10
1	Draper James	3 40
1	Huffman George	1 05
2	Loyd George W	3 40
2	Loyd W. T	1 80
1	Morrison Josiah	84
1	Meyers Peter	84
2	McPherren Duncan	1 68
2	McHenry John	1 68
1	Patton R. C. Mrs	1 26
1	Roberts A. N	1 12
2	Sullivan Thomas E	1 68
1	Sharp D. A	84
2	Smith Val	1 26
2	Shell W M	1 68
2	Uhl C F	1 68
2	Vinter Fred	1 99
2	Vollrich Charles	2 31
2	Vinter Charles	1 68
2	Welsh Samuel	1 10
2	Wieting H C	1 10
2	Wilson Samuel	1 10
2	Johnston Catharine	1 10
2	Piper William	4 95
	CONEMAUGH TOWNSHIP.	
ACRES.		
357	Bennington George	7 82
358½	Brown Allen	8 49
400	Elliot John	8 60
341½	Jones Israel	8 19
139	Lane Morris	3 32
408½	Moore Abraham	12 30
400½	"	10 57
440	Moore Thomas	16 32
450	Moore Joseph	10 13
420	Moore George	10 13
200	Turnith Thomas	6 00
449	Williams Israel	9 45
441	Shaw Roberts	10 56
	ELKLICK TOWNSHIP.	
400	Ball Joseph	7 80
400	Bertram Moses	7 80
112	Chary William	3 17
401½	Cary James (½)	4 00
400½	"	7 80
	Cary Enos	7 80
400	March Leonard (½)	3 90
400	Moore Thomas	7 80
400½	Moore John (½)	3 90
400	Moore Peter	7 80
	Meyers Martin in trust for Wolfersberger	7 80
	GREENVILLE TOWNSHIP.	
401½	Johnson Thomas Jr	12 80
411½	Thompson Jacob	8 49
	JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP.	
265	Rush Benjamin (½)	4 26
262	Ball John	8 50
403	Gillbreth Wairy	11 55
400	Gibbins John	11 55
209	Denten Thomas	8 37
	JENNER TOWNSHIP.	
400	Hubby Frederick	8 95
400	Humbert Christina	8 95
400	Mishler John	8 95
420	Miller Jacob	9 23
292	Oli