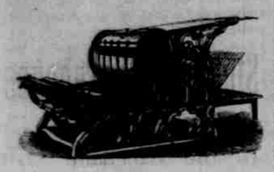
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY ..... July 25 1877.



TIME TABLES.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after February 11, 1877, trains on this road will depart from and arrive at depot, corner Grant and Water Streets as follows:

EAST. Mail.			WEST. Mail.		
Leave Pittsburgh	8.34 a. m.		Leave New York	8.25 p. m.	
Braddock	8.54 "		Philadelph'a	12.40 a. m.	
McKeesport	9.46 "		Baltimore	6.15 "	
West Newton	10.17 "		Richmond	10.45 p. m.	
Connellsville	10.07 "		Washington	7.50 a. m.	
Mt. Pleasant	10.39 p. m.		Harper's Ferry	10.47 "	
Uniontown	10.54 a. m.		Martinsburg	11.34 "	
Ohio Pyle	10.45 p. m.		Cumberland	1.30 p. m.	
Mineral Point	11.41 "		Bridgeport	2.27 "	
Bridgeport	1.05 "		Mineral Pt.	3.32 "	
Cumberland	1.40 "		Ohio Pyle	4.50 "	
Martinsburg	4.21 "		Uniontown	5.38 "	
Harper's Ferry	5.06 "		Mt. Pleasant	6.56 "	
Washington	7.20 "		Connellsville	5.37 "	
Richmond	7.50 a. m.		West Newton	6.25 "	
Baltimore	9.30 p. m.		McKeesport	6.57 "	
Philadelphia	3.10 a. m.		Braddock		
New York	6.25 "		Pittsburgh	7.20 "	

All trains run by Baltimore Time, 14 minutes faster than Pittsburgh Time.

Mail trains daily except Sunday.

Magnificent Day Cars through to Washington and Baltimore without change.

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

Ticket offices, corner Fifth Avenue and Smithfield Streets, and depot corner Grant and Water Streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.

L. M. COLE, General Ticket Agent.
E. K HYNDMAN, Supt., Connellsville

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On and after May 14th, 1877, 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.
Mail West ..... 2.50 p. m.	4.30 p. m.
Mail East ..... 10.35 a. m.	12.20 p. m.

Mail East connects with Local West.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

Way Passenger East	12.00 a. m.
Way Passenger West	12.44 p. m.
Mail East	11.41 p. m.
Mail West	3.57 p. m.

W. S. TEMPLE & CO.,
PRODUCE
Commission Merchants,
47 S. HOWARD ST.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

Special attention given to the sale of BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, WOOL, and Leather. We advise farmers not to unwash their wool, as whole Fleeces will sell best this season.

We refer to Farmers & Merchants Nat. Bank, Baltimore, and to Peoples Bank, of Baltimore.

Currants.

Dog days.

Harvest home.

Huckleberries next.

Pic-nics in abundance.

Hay making still goes on.

Fair time will soon be here.

Our farmers have all got the hay fever.

Roses are in abundance and at their best.

The number of summer visitors is still on the increase.

This is the season to untwist your boy from around the green apple.

That was a delightful hop at the Somerset House on Thursday night.

Don't fail to go on the excursion to Ohio Pyle on Wednesday the 25th.

A crabbed old bachelor says women are the greatest thieves in existence because they steel their petticoats, bone their stays, crib their babies and hook their dresses.

GIRARD HOUSE.—By authority of Mr. McKibbin, of the Girard House, Philadelphia, we announce that the price of transient board has been reduced to $3.00 per day.

The band fellows are determined to make that organization a grand success. They have taken in six additional members, and expect their uniforms in two or three weeks.

A gallon of warm water poured on a pailful of walnut leaves will make a safe wash for horses and cattle, and save them the annoyance of flies. We recommend its use daily until we hear of something better.

One of the most deplorable features of the severe storms that have visited this neighborhood recently, is the destruction of fruit. The ground under the apple trees everywhere is covered with the green fruit that was switched off by the gales.

A fine of five dollars and not more than one hundred, with imprisonment not less than twenty nor more than sixty days, is the penalty provided by law for stealing fruit or breaking, clubbing, stoning, or otherwise injuring fruit or ornamental trees.

A Normal and Select school will be opened at Somerset, Pa., on Monday, July 30, 1877, and continue for a term of ten weeks. Good boarding can be had at very reasonable rates.

S. U. TRENT,
Principal.

BERLIN HOUSE.—Late Brollier House. J. C. Davis, Prop. This house has been newly furnished and refitted throughout. Its location is the best in Berlin, being in centre of town and nearest B. V. R. R. Boarding by the week, day or meal. Good stable attached.

An exchange says: "To keep a bouquet fresh, drop a tablespoonful of powdered charcoal into the water intended for flower stalks, and they will keep their freshness and perfume for several days, and smell the same as those just gathered. The charcoal settles to the bottom of the vessel and the water remains clear.

She kicked up her dress with her right foot and showed the stripes on her left ankle, and the little rascal saw it and yelled, "Say, Cully, there goes another woman that's string haltered; watch her h'ist her foot like a hoss." And they watched her until she kicked again, when they both yelled. "Whoa, Nancy." and rolled off the curbstone into the gutter.

An exchange says the time was when "lovely woman stooped to conquer." She has become too proud to do that now, and for fear that she might, on extraordinary occasions, be induced to condescend to stoop, she dresses herself so tight, that hard as the times are, she can't get down to pick up a nickel. She, however, still continues to conquer, but she manages it some other way—to stoop is out of the question.

Miss Belle Barrone, a daughter of Moses Barrone, is entitled to the belt as the champion snake hunter. While passing along the road the other day a black snake had the audacity to run across directly in front of her and secrete himself under a log. Miss Belle, not relishing his impudence, procured a switch eight inches in length with which she succeeded in driving his snakeship from his hiding place, when she jumped upon his back and pinioned him fast until her little sister brought her a club with which she dispatched it. The snake measured five feet and one inch.

Arrivals at the Somerset House.

Mr. Mrs. D. B. Wilson, Allegheny; Mrs. Beamer, Pittsburgh; M. Ullman, Williamsport; J. Weil, Hollidaysburg; C. G. McMillen, Philadelphia; Geo. W. Wakefield, Pittsburgh; Dr. Singer, Connellsville; John Barron, Connellsville; T. V. Kessler, Barton; W. J. Marshall, Philadelphia; D. E. Bayard, Pittsburgh; Thomas J. Grimison and wife, Chambersburg; Harry Strickler, Chambersburg.

A few days ago a man by the name of Samuel Yorty, of Somerset county, while working in the harvest field for Mr. J. G. Albright, of Ligonier township, Westmoreland county, fell over and instantly expired. He had eaten his dinner in good health and had gone to the field, and about ten minutes after commencing work was whetting his scythe. While asking one of the party if he wanted the rubber, he fell to the ground and in a moment was dead.—*Johnstown Tribune.*

DR. VAN DYKE'S SULPHUR SOAP.—Dr. Van Dyke, whose life long specialty, and world wide reputation for curing skin diseases, has endeavored for years to combine an external treatment. He has accomplished this desirable result in the preparation of his compound "Sulphur Soap," the merits of which are spoken of by thousands; it is highly recommended to all our readers. Price 25 cents, by mail, 35 cents a box; 3 cakes 60 cents., by mail, 75 cents. Office 50 N. 5th street. Wholesale Depot, 400 N. 3d street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by all Druggists.

THE NEW PENSION DISTRICT.—By lessening the number of pension agents in the country, the districts of those remaining in office have been very considerably increased. Major McGregor, hereafter will have to pay the pensioners in forty counties in this State, as follows—those marked with a star having heretofore been patrons of the Philadelphia Pension Office. *Adams, Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, *Bedford, *Blair, Cambria, *Cameron, *Chester, Clarion, *Clearfield, *Clinton, Crawford, *Cumberland, *Elk, Erie, Fayette, *Foster, Franklin, *Fulton, Green, *Huntingdon, Indiana, Jefferson, *Juniata, Lawrence, *Lycoming, *McKean, Mercer, *Mifflin, *Perry, *Potter, *Snyder, *Somerset, *Tioga, *Union, Venango, Warren, Washington, and Westmoreland.

THINK FOR YOURSELF.—Thousands lead miserable lives, suffering from dyspepsia, a disordered stomach and liver, producing biliousness, heart-burn, costiveness, weakness, irregular appetite, low spirits, raising food after eating, and often ending in fatal attacks of fever. They know they are sick, yet get little sympathy. The unfailing remedy, which is yearly restoring thousands, is DaCosta's Radical Cure.

For sale by G. W. Benford.

A 25c bottle will convince you of its merits. Don't delay another hour after reading this, but go and get a bottle, and your relief is as certain as you live. Will you do it or will you continue to suffer? Think for yourself.

Also Agents for Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup, which never fails. Pleasant to take, and requires no physic. Price 25 cents.

REDUCING THE SALARIES.—We observe that in many places throughout the State the school boards have reduced the salaries of the teachers, more or less, thus showing that times are affecting even our educational interests. We doubt whether it is policy to fix the wages of teachers at too low a figure, as by so doing the risk is run of having very inferior talent apply for the positions. Finely educated and practical teachers would hardly care to undergo the labor and worry of the school room for a mere pittance, unless reduced in circumstances to the extremest necessity. We believe that school boards ought to be as economical as possible these times, but it is well not to attack the salaries of the teachers until all other means of retrenchment are exhausted. It will be a bad day for the common school patrons when School Boards find themselves unable to render an equivalent in money for the best talent in the teacher's chair.

WHAT THE BILIOUS REQUIRE. Since torpidity of the liver is the chief cause of its disorder, it is evident that what the bilious require is an alterative stimulant which will arouse it to activity, an effect that is followed by the disappearance of the various symptoms indicative of its derangement. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters invariably achieve the primary result mentioned, besides removing the constipation, flatulence, heart-burn, yellowness of the skin and whites of the eyes, pain in right side and under the right shoulder, nausea, vertigo and sick headache, to which bilious invalids are peculiarly subject. As a remedy for chronic indigestion, mental despondency and nervousness the Bitters are equally efficacious, and as a renovant of lost vigor, a means of arresting premature decay, and a source of relief from the infirmities to which the gentler sex is peculiarly subject, they may be thoroughly relied upon.

EXCURSION TO OHIO PYLE.—Mr. Chas. Porter, the gentleman in charge of excursions on the B. & O. R. R., called at our office the other morning to say that an excursion will leave Cumberland, Wednesday, July 25th, for Ohio Pyle Falls. A special train, leaving Somerset at 8.50, will be run on the Somerset & Mineral Point road to connect with the excursion train, which passes the Point at 9.49 a. m. The return train will leave Ohio Pyle at 5 o'clock p. m. Tickets will be sold at the very low price of 50 cents for the round trip on the Pittsburgh Division, and 50 cents for the round trip on the S. & M. P. Railroad. Children between five and twelve years of age half price. This is certainly a splendid opportunity for those who have never seen the beauties of the scenery along the Casselman and "Dare Devil" Yough. Only a dollar for the round trip, which places it in the reach of every one. All should avail themselves of this opportunity of seeing what is called the "Switzerland of America."

Chief Justice Agnew, in company with Dr. McKenny, Charles Townsend and other gentlemen, of Beaver, went out gunning on the Fourth, and prepared themselves for a good day's sport in bagging woodcock. But it seems that this variety of "game" did not exist in the locality traversed, and some of the party fell to bringing down pheasants, forgetting for the time, that to do so at this season was unlawful. Between twenty and thirty of the birds were "bagged" and brought home, and all hands seemed well pleased with the day's enjoyment. The Chief Justice and his companions were, however, somewhat astonished a few days afterwards upon receiving a summons from Squire Glass, of New Brighton, to appear before him on Thursday next to answer a suit of the Sportsmen's Association for violating the game laws. The affair has created a sensation in Beaver county, the home of the Chief Justice, and though some are disposed to think the prosecution malicious, they still regard it as a pretty good joke on the Supreme Court. It is understood that at the hearing the Chief Justice will plead guilty as accessory before and after the fact.

THE RAILROAD WAR.—The excitement caused by the strike of the brakemen on the various railroads throughout the country did not escape Somerset. For several days past small crowds of excited men gathered around the corners discussing the situation, and city papers were eagerly sought after. On Saturday evening Company G received orders from Maj. Gen. Gallagher to be ready to march at a moment's notice, and at an early hour on Sunday morning Capt. Kimmel received orders to report with his command to General Pearson at Pittsburgh. The long roll was beat and the company assembled at their armory where they were placed under arms and ten rounds of field cartridges were issued to each man. A large number of citizens, many of them being ladies, accompanied the G boys to the depot. The train moved off amid loud cheers and the soldiers were bound for the scene of action. On their arrival at Mineral Point they found that the train that had been sent there to convey them to Pittsburgh had been ordered off. All day long the boys lay around the depot at the Junction waiting for orders. The time was passed in drill, singing, and longing for the arrival of the train. About five minutes before the mail, westward bound, was due, a telegram was received from Capt. Hyndman saying that he could not furnish transportation for the Company, also that Capt. Morrow's company, which was lying at the depot in Connellsville, were in the same fix.

The boys returned home on the 4:30 train. The members of the Company deserve a great deal of credit for the promptness and unanimity with which they responded to the call, every piece was in the ranks and officers were pestered by numbers of volunteers, who were anxious to have a hand in sustaining the law.

The *Lutheran Observer* of last week contains a five column account of the dedication of the new Lutheran Church at this place from which we take the following extracts:

"The congregation numbers 180 members, composed of many of the most intelligent, pious and influential citizens of the town and neighborhood. The Sunday-school has 200 scholars and teachers, and is conducted with order and efficiency. It also owns a fine lot, on which a large and comfortable double parsonage has been erected, a part of which is occupied by the bachelor pastor as a boarder in the family of W. H. Ruppel, Esq. As Paul made special mention of "those women" who were his "helpers" in the work of the Lord at Philippi, we take pleasure in giving public recognition to the valuable services rendered by the Christian women composing the Ladies' Sewing Society, at Somerset. They proved themselves ecclesiastical help-meets to the men, and faithful "helpers" of the pastor. They undertook the entire work of furnishing the church, raised by their handiwork and donations about 1,200, and sent their pastor to the city to purchase everything necessary, according to his judgment. And to them and him, therefore, is due the credit of the appropriateness and richness of the church furniture. And as there are twelve Lutheran pastorates, composed of about forty congregations, in the county, this congregation occupies a position which will give it a representative character, and cause the elevating influence of its example in church erection to be felt throughout the entire Allegheny region.

Somerset is the seat of justice of Somerset county. It is located on one of the highest points of the Allegheny mountains, 2,200 feet above the level of the sea. It is regularly laid out along the turnpike leading to Bedford, 38 miles distant, and has connection, through a local railroad 9 miles long, with the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Mineral Point. Twice desolated, within the last five years, by the devouring flame, it has twice risen from its ashes. Through the enterprise and indomitable energy of its citizens, it has in a great measure been rebuilt. Four new churches, several large blocks of business houses, as well as many beautiful and commodious private residences, have been put up in modern style and with improved facilities. A fine, large and well planned hotel has also just been finished, which is comfortably and tastefully furnished, and admirably kept, offering to invalids and seekers of rest and recreation the best accommodations at the most moderate rate. The county contains upwards of 30,000 inhabitants, distinguished for thrift and economy. It abounds in fertile valleys, adapted to the raising of stock, fruits and cereals. Its business centre is Somerset, which contains about 1,300 inhabitants, characterized by industry, enterprise, intelligence and morals. The scenery around it is romantic, the atmosphere rarefied and sociable. On these accounts, it has become a favorite summer resort to many, who have been led to visit it and enjoy its exhilarating climate.

Somerset is also noted as either the birth-place, or residence and introduction to the bar, of a number of distinguished lawyers, jurists and statesmen, Hon. Jeremiah S. Black, L. L. D., ex-Attorney-General of the United States, and Hon. Walter Forward, ex-Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, were born and entered upon the practice of the law there. Hon. Joseph Williams, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Iowa; Judge Pershing, of the Schuylkill judicial district; Hon. Moses Hampton, ex-Judge of the District Court of Allegheny county; Hon. S. B. Wilson, of Beaver county, Pa.; and Hon. S. G. Bailey, of Illinois, were admitted to the bar in Somerset. And their legal mantle has fallen, and is honorably borne by Generals Koontz and Cofroth, the Hon. W. J. Baer, and others.

LIST OF PASTORS.—Notwithstanding the destruction of the church records in the conflagration of 1872, we are able to present the following list of pastors who have ministered to the Lutheran church of Somerset, from the beginning of the present century. The congregation was organized about the year A. D. 1800, by Rev. P. W. Long, who officiated as pastor until 1812; from 1813 to 1818, Rev. Ernest H. Tiderman; from 1819 to 1820, Rev. John Rebenack; from 1821 to 1824, Rev. P. Schmucker; from 1825 to 1828, Rev. C. F. Heyer; from 1829 to 1831, Rev. D. Heilig; from 1836 to 1838, Rev. H. Haverstick; from 1839 to 1847, Rev. P. Rizer; from 1848 to 1852, Rev. W. Uhl; from 1853 to 1857, Rev. A. Babb; from 1860 to 1861, Rev. G. M. Pile; from 1862 to 1866, Rev. L. Gerhard; from 1867 to 1871, Rev. J. P. Hentz; from February 1872, until the present time, Rev. A. M. Whetstone. It will be noticed that between 1831 and 1836, five years, no pastor's name was given.

At a meeting of the members of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church of Somerset, Pa., the undersigned were appointed a committee to prepare suitable resolutions relative to the building of the church dedicated a short time since.

Your committee report as follows.

WHEREAS, The house of worship of the Evangelical Lutheran Church at Somerset has been fully completed; and whereas, the character, style and workmanship of the edifice, as well as the enterprise displayed in its erection, call for a special recognition. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we duly recognize and highly appreciate the energy, zeal, enterprise and taste exhibited in the erection of this building by our beloved Pastor, Rev. A. M. Whetstone; and that for the anxiety and interest he has manifested in the success of the undertaking, as also the welfare of the congregation, he deserves, and is now tendered the unfeigned thanks of the members of his pastorate.

Resolved, That we hereby tender our sincere thanks to the contractor, Franklin Friedline, Esq., for the faithful fulfillment of his contract; and that we accord to him much of the honor for the substantial manner in which the building has been erected; and beauty of this structure which is a is a master-piece of workmanship.

Resolved, That we place a high estimate on the labors and efforts of the members of the Ladies' Sewing Society connected with this church; and that we tender them our thanks for the aid they have rendered in procuring furniture, and otherwise.

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to Rev. A. M. Whetstone, Oliver Knepper, J. M. Holderbaum, W. B. Frease Noah Casebeer, and H. A. Flick, the members of the Building Committee, for the interest they have taken and the sacrifices they have made in the discharge of the onerous duties assigned them.

Resolved, That we tender the thanks of this congregation to all persons at home and abroad, who, though not members of our congregation, have kindly contributed of their means to aid in the erection and completion of this building.

Resolved, That we return our thanks to the Ministers who so kindly encouraged us by their presence at the Dedicatory Service on Sunday, July 8th, A. D. 1877.

Resolved, That we esteem it a great favor to have had the Rev. F. W. Conrad, D. D. with us at the Dedication of our church, and we highly appreciate the good he did, as well as the able and eloquent sermons delivered by him while with us.

Resolved, That whilst we congratulate ourselves on the completion of this, our House of Worship, and feel a high pride in having contributed our several mites and in other ways rendered assistance, and whilst we are gratified for the aid others have given us; yet in all we recognize the hand of Divine Providence, and to our Creator and Benefactor would we especially ascribe praise.

W. H. RUPPEL,
CURTIS KOOSER,
J. J. HOFFMAN,
Committee.

The committee reported and their report was adopted July 18 1877.

ASK YOURSELF THESE QUESTIONS.—Are you a despondent sufferer from Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart? Have you dizziness of the head? Is your Nervous System depressed? Does your Blood circulate badly? Have you a Cough? Coming up of food after eating? &c., &c. All of these and much more are the direct results of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion. Green's August Flower is now acknowledged by all Druggists to be a positive cure. 2,400,000 bottles were given away in the U. S. through Druggists to the people as a trial. Two doses will satisfy any person of its wonderful quality in curing all forms of Indigestion. Sample bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents. Sold positively by all first-class Druggists in U. S.

A box of Glenn's Sulpher Soap, which contains three cakes and costs only sixty cents, is sufficient to supply material for at least twenty Sulpher Baths which would eradicate a whole catalogue of rheumatic and cutaneous maladies. Sold by all Druggists.

Depot, Crittenton's No. 7 Sixth Avenue, New York. Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye, black or brown, 50 cts.

JURY LIST

Names of person drawn to serve as jurors at August term, 1877.

GRAND JURORS.

Addison, Wm. Endsley, Wm. Lenhart.
Brothersvalley, Philip Reamiser.
Conemaugh, Henry Wolford, Fred. King.
Elklick, Josiah M. Hay.
Jenner, Jacob Kline, Chas. H. Lohr.
Lower Turkeyfoot, Jeremiah Snyder, A. J. Lenhart, Andrew Hyatt.
Middlecreek, Daniel Wetzell, Josiah Gerhard.
Milford, Jacob B. Crichfield.
New Baltimore, F. A. Luken.
New Centerville, Albert McMillen.
Somerset Twp., Wm. J. Rhoads, Derrick Phillippi.
Stonycreek, Samuel Spangler.
Summit, Milton Horner, Peter Bowser.
Upper Turkeyfoot, Jacob Gerhard.
Ursina, Geo. M. Anderson.

TRAVERSE JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

Addison, Hiram Hartzell, George Wass, James Hileman, Daniel Mitchell, Andrew McClintock, Samuel Wright.
Allegheny, Wm. M. Spencer, Henry Curley.
Berlin, Emanuel Atchison, Isaac Stoner.
Conemaugh, John J. Kauffman.
Elklick, Wm. F. Garlitz, Samuel Compton, Abraham Ringer.
Greenville, Daniel Deal.
Jefferson, Casper Jacobs.
Jenner, Jesse Walter, Henry Rauch, Henry S. Picking, John Stuff.
Lower Turkeyfoot, A. J. Moon.
Meyersdale, Milton Lewis.
Middlecreek, Jacob Heckler.
Milford, Francis Hoover.
New Baltimore, T. A. Werner.
Northampton, James P. Pcorbaugh, Quemahoning, Wm. Snyder.
Shade, John B. Richardson.
Somerset Bor., Wilson Hartzell.
Somerset Twp., Lewis Weigley, Jetome F. Fritz, Herman H. Flick.
Southampton, Daniel Everline, Jacob Kennell.
Summit, Daniel Gnagy, Benton F. Miller, Joseph Speigle.
Wellersburg, John Heiner.

TRAVERSE JURORS—SECOND WEEK.

Addison, John Wilkins.
Berlin, John Weyand.
Confluence, G. G. Groff.
Elklick, John Lentz, Elijah Livengood, Wm. M. Crechman.
Greenville, Jeremiah Glodfelty.
Jefferson, John G. Hay.
Jenner, George M. Stanton.
Larimer, Joseph J. Baldwin, Jacob Zufall.
Lower Turkeyfoot, Henry Meyers.
Meyersdale, Urias Brougher, R. Lee Frantz, Frank Wolf.
Milford, Henry Crichfield, John C. Weller, Jacob S. Phillippi, Jacob F. Walker.
New Baltimore, Francis Topper.
Northampton, Adam A. Hammer, Jesse Crichfield.
Paint, Thomas Hayes, Jonathan Weible.
Quemahoning, Hiram Miller, Jacob S. Miller.
Shade, Jacob Brubaker, Samuel Geisel.
Somerset Bor., Charles B. Colborn.
Somerset Twp., Joseph Horner, Levi Walker.
Stonycreek, Daniel Snyder, Daniel H. Walker.
Stoystown, Levi Shafler.
Summit, Henry D. Saylor,.
Upper Turkeyfoot, Francis May.
Wellersburg, Alf. Wilmoth, Eli Uhl.

MARRIED.

TOSPON—KUSTER. — July 12th, at the Reformed parsonage of Somerset, by Rev. A. E. Truxal, Mr. John Tospon, of Bakersville, to Miss Matilda Kuster, of Somerset.

MOSTOLLER — BARNHART.—July 18, 1877, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. J. Welch, Mr. John Mostoller to Miss Kate Barnhart, both of Quemahoning Twp., Somerset Co., Pa.

DIED.

WALKER. — July 13, 1877, at his home in Friedensburg, George P. Walker, aged 79 years, 1 month, and 22 days.

OUR NEW-YORK LETTER.

NEW YORK, July 21, 1877.

THE LAST OF THE TILTON-BEECHER MATTER.

Theodore Tilton sailed for Europe last Saturday, with his son and daughters, who are to remain in Germany to be there educated. And Tilton and his fast friend Moulton have quarrelled! Think of that! Think of Frank Moulton's saying that he was a "blasted fool for throwing over so good a friend as Beecher, for such a d——d scoundrel as Tilton!" What it is all about no one as yet knows. Tilton denies it, but there is no doubt but that there is a coldness between the men, and one that cannot be warmed into the old time friendship. Moulton suffered terribly by his staunch standing by Tilton, for it not only threw him out of the society that he delighted in, but it ruined him in his business He was compelled to leave the firm in which he had a controlling interest, and was idle during the entire time of the fight. And now, to build himself up, he has commenced business again as the agent of a Liverpool salt house, and is working like a Turk. After making the sacrifices he did for Tilton he was entitled to all the gratitude a man could show, and if there is a split Tilton must have been very cold-blooded toward him. Beecher's salary as editor of the *Christian Union* has been cut down from $10,000 to $5,000, which is still to much, considering the work he does. And while Theodore makes his $20,000 a year in the lecture field, and Beecher gets $20,000 from his church, $5,000 from the *Christian Union* and $30,000 from lectures, Mrs. Tilton weeps over her struggles with boarders in a small house in Brooklyn. She is the real sufferer, and always will be. She has lost her husband, the man for whom she lost him has abandoned her, and the society who professed to believe in Mr. Beecher's innocence treat her as though she were guilty. It's a queer world.

THE MEAT BUSINESS

has been temporarily checked by an advance in the price of beet on foot. There was but a very slight margin when the steamers were fitted up for the business, and a raise of two cents a pound spoiled it. The steamers have been for several trips carrying butter to Europe, on which there is a profit made. And, by the way, America exports an enormous amount of cheese to England. The Johnny Bulls have discovered that the American cheese is finer in flavor and very much cheaper than their own, and they take it in large quantities. A cheese dealer in the city told me that ninety per cent. of the "imported" Swiss and German cheese was made on the Western Reserve in Ohio and in western New York, and that the only difference was, the native product was better than the genuine imported. And speaking of German products, America produces better

LAGER BEER

than Germany. In this city the consumption of lager beer is enormous, and is increasing every day. Whiskey and stronger drinks are being thrown out of the market, and the Americans are consoling themselves with the favorite drink of Teuton. New York does not make good beer, as her manufacturers find it to their profit to make it cheap for the working classes. The beer that is drank by the better classes, or, rather, the more wealthy people is shipped from Toledo, Ohio, Cincinnati and Milwaukee, the beer of the three cities ranking in the order I have set them down. One brewer in Toledo ships three car loads a day, to this city alone, for city consumption, and as much more for suburban use. The effect upon the morals of the drinking people has been good. One can't drink enough of the foaming lager to intoxicate him, very well, and if he does, the intoxication is not that furious, frantic kind that whiskey produces. If men will drink, it is a good thing they prefer the mild beer to the fiery whiskey out of use. The beer from the west is shipped here in refrigerator cars, so that it lands in as good order as it left its brewery. The business is increasing every day; all bars keep it bottled, and thousands of whiskey bars now draw it from the wood, the same as the exclusive German saloons.

POLITICAL

The President's order compelling federal office holders to abstain from political management is creating a vast amount of trouble in this city, where the federal offices have been held as rewards for political work. Several Republican organizations in the city were officered exclusively by Custom-House appointees, and they have all resigned their positions—not in the Custom-House but in the clubs—and are now high privates. The *Times* growls about this, and predicts all sorts of trouble in the fall. Boss Kelly professes to see in it an opportunity for carrying the Republican districts in the interest of Tammany, and boasts that he will control the next Legislature. They will all find themselves mistaken. The citizens who are not office holders will take the leadership, and they will do the work more effectually than the political bummers ever did. In fact, the impudent and arrogant control of the Custom-House has done the party more harm than good, from the beginning. It was not pleasant for a good Republican to go to his ward caucus, and find the machinery set up by paid Hessians, and a ticket arranged which to him was as distasteful as though it had all been made of Democrats. For these professional politicians are all of them "on the make" and they cared very little who paid them. In the old Tweed days they would bargain with the Boss as to what kind of a Republican they would send to the Legislature, until there grew up a class of Tammany Republicans who had much better have been seen in the ranks of the Democracy, for they acted with them in everything essential. The assumption of control by these men drove out of politics the better class of Republicans, for they saw the party in the hands of unworthy men, who used their power for their own advantage, and they were unable to cope with the trained cohorts. I predict that the politics of the city will be run to better advantage than ever before, and that instead of losing we shall gain seats in the Legislature. The work of purifying the Custom-House goes on steadily and faithfully. Fifty-seven dead-beats were discharged last week, making the whole number discharged come very close to five hundred, and the saving to the government quite $600,000. And besides abuses are being stopped, and men are being put in who will run the business on a strictly business basis. The President has done a splendid work for New York.

THE DOGS

are still being persecuted, over 1,500 having been drowned to date. The city has paid for over five thousand. The catchers managing to pass the same dog through three or four times, getting the 30 cents for it each time. There is a swindle in everything connected with the city, from drowning a dog to cleaning a street. Yesterday there were 765 dogs waiting identification or death. Their howlings were pitiful. They seem to know what is going to happen to them and they act about as men would. Some howl for mercy, others put on a stoical look and go to their deaths with a bold front, and others fight desperately to the last. One keeper was bitten through the hand six times, and was compelled to go to the hospital. The most vicious bitters are the little spitz dogs, which are more susceptible to hydrophobia than any other variety. The dogs are getting scarcer in the city, and the catchers are extending their search farther into the country.

PIETRO.

SOMERSET MARKET

Corrected by COOK & BERKITS, DEALERS IN

CHOICE GROCERIES, FLOUR & FEED,

Apples, dried, ℔ ℔	8c
Applebutter, ℔ gal.	40@50c
Bran, ℔ 100 ℔	$1 50
Butter, ℔ ℔ (log)	18@20
Butter, ℔ ℔ (roll)	25
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	50c
" meal, 100 ℔s	$300
Beeswax, ℔ ℔	27c
Bacon, shoulders, ℔ ℔	12c
" sides, "	12½c
" country hams, ℔ ℔	12c
Corn, (ear) ℔ bushel	50c
Corn, (shelled) ℔ bushel	50c
Corn meal ℔ ℔	2c
Calf skins, ℔ ℔	8c
Eggs, ℔ doz.	12½c
Flour, ℔ bbl.	$9 50
Flaxseed ℔ bu., (56 ℔)	75c
Hams, (sugar-cured) ℔ ℔	13c
Lard, ℔ ℔	12½@15c
Leather, red sole, ℔ ℔	30@35
" upper "	35@70c
" kip, "	75@90c
Middlings, white, 100 ℔s	$1 10
Oats, ℔ bu.	50c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	80@90c
Peaches, dried, ℔ ℔	16c
Rye ℔ bu	$1 00
Rags, ℔ ℔	2c
Salt, No. 1, ℔ bbl, extra	$2 00
" Ground Alum, per sack	$2 00
" Ashton, per sack	$4 50
Sugar, yellow ℔ ℔	10@12½c
" white	12½@14c
Tallow, ℔ ℔	7c
Wheat, ℔ bus	$2 20
Wool, ℔ ℔	40@50c

New Advertisements.

Valuable Property

IN MT. PLEASANT.

FOR SALE.

The First National Bank of Mt. Pleasant, Pa., offers for sale the following property at said place, viz:

One lot of ground on corner of Main and Church streets, 60 feet front by 130 back, having thereon erected a three story brick Hotel, with all necessary outbuildings and known as the "Hitchman House."

ALSO, one lot adjoining the above, fronting 60 feet on Main street and 130 feet back to an alley.

ALSO, one lot on other corner of Main and Church streets, 60 feet front and 131 back, having thereon a large frame stable on the alley.

ALSO, one lot fronting 40 feet on Church street and running back 133 feet to an alley, having thereon a two story brick and frame dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings.

ALSO, one-half interest in the four lots and Foundry Buildings formerly owned by McCaleb & Hurst, near the Railroad.

These several properties are offered at **Private Sale** and if not previously disposed of, will be offered at public sale on Friday, the 31st day of August, 1877, on the premises. Title perfect. For price and other particulars apply to the officers of said Bank, Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

July 7.

ASSIGNEES' SALE

By virtue of an order of Court, I will sell at public sale in Somerset Borough, on

Saturday, August 18, 1877,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the real estate of David Ankeny, situated in Somerset township, Somerset county, Pa., within one mile and a half of Somerset, adjoining lands of Jacob Walter, Gillish Koontz, M. A. Sanner, Roberts, and Turkeyfoot Road, containing 120 acres, more or less, about 100 clear, with two good houses and an elegant barn thereon erected.

This is a very desirable farm, convenient to market, schools, churches and about one half mile from the Somerset & Mineral Point Railroad.

TERMS.—One-third in hand, one-third in six months from day of sale, one-third in one year from day of sale with interest on the deferred payments from the day of sales payments to be secured by judgment bonds. Ten per cent. of hand money to be paid on day of sale.

H. L. BAER,
Assignee.

New Advertisements.

DR. VAN DYKE'S SULPHUR SOAP,

Makes the SKIN Soft, Clear, Pure White and Healthy! is Cleansing, Deodorizing, Disinfecting, Soothing, Healing and purifying; removes Dandruff, Chafing, Ulcers, Sores, Eruptions, Roughness and redness of the SKIN; relieves Bathing, burning and stinging of the Skin, and irritation of biting and stinging insects; will relieve ITCHING PILES where nothing else will have any effect; is FREE FROM ALL OFFENSIVE ODOR, and prevents Contagious Diseases, and as an External Medical and Toilet Preparation it has no EQUAL. Price, 25 cts.; by mail, 35; Box, 3 Cakes, 60 cts.; by mail, 75. Sold by Druggists. E. S. WEBSTER, Proprietor. Office, 55 N. 5th St., Philad'a, Pa. Wholesale Depot, 400 N. Third St., Phila., Pa.

July 25.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Peter Coleman, late of Jenner 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 on Saturday, Sept. 1, 1877, at the late residence of deceased.

NOAH S. MILLER,
Administrator.

July 25.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Somerset Co., Pa., to the undersigned directed, there will be exposed to sale, by public outcry, on

Thursday, August 16, 1877,

at 1 o'clock, at the Court House, in Somerset borough, the following described valuable real estate, late the property of Cyrus Meyers, Esq., deceased, viz:

No. 1. A certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Somerset, adjoining another lot of decedent on the north, Main street on the south, East street on the east, and an alley on the west, with a large new one story brick cottage house, with a mansard roof, finished in the most complete style, with furnace, range, water-tank, bathroom, water and gas pipes and all the modern improvements, thereon erected; said lot fronting on Main street about 123 feet, and extending back toward Union street about 172 feet, being the late residence of deceased. The location is one of the most desirable in this portion of the State. There is a spring of good water on the premises.

No. 2. A lot of ground situate in the Borough of Somerset, adjoining No. 1 above described on the South, and fronting on Union St., said lot being —— feet front on Union St., and extending back —— feet to No. 1.

No. 3. The undivided one-twentieth part of all that property known as the "Confluence Town Property," said property originally consisting of four tracts or parcels of land.

No. 1. A tract of land situate in Turkeyfoot Tp., Somerset Co., Pa., known as the Nicola tract, containing 191 acres.

No. 2. A tract of land situate in the same Tp., known as the Lenhart tract, and containing about 106 acres.

No. 3. A tract of land situate in the same Tp., known as the Tissue tract, containing about 95 acres.

No. 4. A tract of land situate in Addison Tp., Somerset Co., Pa., known as the Sterner