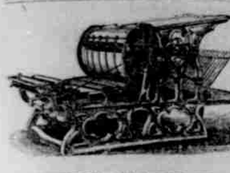
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY.....July 31 1878



TIME TABLES.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after May 13, 1877, trains on this road will depart from and arrive at depot, corner Grant and Water Streets, as follows:

EAST		WEST.	
	Mail.		Mail.
Leave Pittsburgh	8.45 a.m.	Leave New York	8.55 p. m
Rockwood	9.02 "	—Philadelp'a	11.30 a. m
McKeesport	9.17 "	Baltimore	7.40 "
West Newton	9.50 "	Richmond	8.00 p.m.
Connellsville	10.40 "	Washington	9.55 a. m.
Mt. Pleasant	11.15 "	Cumberland	2.50 p. m.
Meyersdale	11.66 "	Hyndman	3.17 "
Rockwood	12.28 "	Mineral Point	4.46 "
Mineral Point	12.39 "	Ohio Pyle	5.08 "
Cumberland	1.40 p. m.	Uniontown	7.04 "
Hyndman	2.25 "	Mt. Pleasant	7.11 "
Ohio Pyle	7.00 "	Connellsville	6.25 "
Uniontown	5.15 a. m.	West Newton	7.10 "
Rockwood	6.10 p. m.	McKeesport	7.47 "
Philadelphia	3.10 "	Rockwood	
New York	4.45 "	Pittsburgh	8.20 p. m

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

The Express train leaves Pittsburg at 8.45 P. M. arriving at Connellsville 10.40 P. M., Mineral Point 12.16 A. M. In return the Express leaves Cumberland at 2.40 A. M., arriving at Mineral Point 4.3 A. M., Connellsville 6.12 A. M., Pittsburgh 8.00 A. M.

The most direct and pleasant route to the East and South via Washington City.

Through Mail leaving at 8.45 a. m., daily, arrive at Washington at 6.00 p. m.; Baltimore, 9.10 p. m.; Philadelphia, 3.10 a. m.; New York, 6.25 a. m.; Richmond, 8.15 a. m.

Through Express, leaving 8.45 p. m., daily, arrive at Washington at 7.55 a. m.; Baltimore, 8.40 a. m.; Richmond, 3.15 p. m.; Philadelphia, 1.40 p. m.; New York, 5.10 p. m.

Through Mail and Express trains daily, Accommodation trains and Facette Express daily, except Sunday.

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

L. S. ROBLE, General Ticket Agent.
E. K HYNDMAN, Supt., Connellsville.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

SOMERSET & MINERAL POINT RAILROAD.

On and after May 13, 1878, 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 35 p. m.	5 30 p. m.
Mail East	11 25 a. m.	1 00 p. m.

Mail East connects with Local West.

Way Passenger East	12 00 m
Way Passenger West	12.44 p. m
Mail East	11.35 p. m.
Mail West	4.45 p. m.
Express East	
Express West	8.08 A. M

Austrian coffee, at Schrock's.

Buy your Flour at the Flour Depot of Cook & Beerits.

Buy your Grass Seeds and Fish at the Flour Depot of Cook & Beerits.

Ten thousand pounds of roll butter wanted at Schrock's. Butter must be delivered fresh.

Dr. Sadler, Oculist and Aurist, No. 256 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Eye, Ear, Throat and Catarrh Specialties.

Save money by buying the Enameled Iron Water Tubing from W. H. Platt, who will furnish and fit it all sizes and lengths.

Faith is generally represented as a bedraggled female, clinging to a sea-washed rock; but for simple, trusting, undefiled faith, point us to an editor paying postage on the paper of a delinquent subscriber.

Farmers Look Here!

I can furnish you with either the Plain, Enameled, or Galvanized Wrought Iron Water Tubing of any size or length.

W. H. PLATT.

A newspaper man wants a new survey of the distance to the sun. He says that the last one put it down at about 90,000,000 miles, whereas he didn't think it was more than 200 miles away last week, no how.

Snake stories are coming in, The death of several monster black snakes has been reported. But we await more full returns before giving them publication. We only want to note one this season, the biggest one.

Moths may be driven from carpets and floors by sprinkling the parts infected with cayenne pepper, tea and salt; and ironing the carpet on the wrong side, after dampening it with tea, will destroy the eges of the pestilent invader.

Last week was magnificent for haymaking. One farmer remarked that it was almost impossible to get hay in too soon after the grass is cut. All that was mowed in the forenoon, was amply cured to be winrowed in the afternoon.

Dr. W. F. Fundenberg, Oculist and Aurist, from Cumberland, Md., is now stopping at the "Glade House," where all those suffering from diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat can consult him. All consultations free! Office hours from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

According to a late fashion writer a new bonnet for blondes is composed simply of a bow of wide black ribbon, the loops and ends forming the back, while the knot forms the front. We suppose that, as with many other bonnets, the bill is the largest part of it.

NEW GOODS.—I will receive this week, a new assortment of Silk and Silk-lace Ties; Silk, Satin, Fringe, and Buttons for dress trimming; Crepe and Ruchings; Notions and Fancy Goods.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

"At the end of the first year after the cotton wedding," "Yes?" exclaimed a young man who has been there, "that is just the only thing that comes at the end of the first year. Sometimes poverty comes, sometimes the mother-in-law, and sometimes twins."

NORMAL SCHOOL.—The undersigned will teach at Hooversville, Somerset county, Pa., beginning Monday, August 5, 1878, a session of nine weeks normal school. Tuition three to five dollars.

J. W. HAMER,
Teacher.

The harvest now being gathered in this county is an abundant one. It next Thanksgiving will be celebrated in a manner proportionate to the weight and measure of the crop now being stored away, there will be a jollier season of thankfulness than ever indulged in since the days of the Pilgrim fathers.

NOTICE.—Having sold my boot and shoe store to George Snyder, I am determined to settle up my books at once, and all parties having bills with me will find it to their interest to call and settle without delay.

SOLOMON UHL.

SOMERSET, Pa., July 29, 1878.

Mark Twain has sent for his pastor, the Rev. Mr. Twitchell, of Hartford, to join him in a tour through Switzerland and Germany at Mark's expense, and this pastor the Rev. Mr. Twitchell, will go. This is the reward held out to the rising generation of American humorists—the successful cookie man will not only be able to afford a pastor, but to take him around Europe and hang the expense. The pastor may, however, be careful that his humorous friend does not use him as material for some new "Innocents Abroad," because it might then turn out that the trip was at the pastor's expense after all.

The National Guard of this State expect to be uniformed with the regulation uniform before fall this year. Besides the uniform required by law, a new dress uniform has been adopted. The suit consists of a cadet gray coat and pants with black trimming. The coat is made in dress style, with three rows of buttons on the breast, and the skirts and sleeves ornamented with black trimming and gilt buttons. The pants have a black side band. The cap is the regular army cap with pompoon. The belts are white, altogether making it a neat and attractive uniform.

MEYERSDALE.—The excursion and picnic at Meyersdale was a very decided success, about two thousand persons being present. The Connellsville Grays, company "G," of this place, Cumberland fire companies Nos. 1 and 2, the Cumberland Band and the Tenth Regiment Band entered the scene. The Tenth Regiment Band carried off the prize, a handsome clarionet, for the best band. No. 1 fire company the fireman's prize, and the Grays the flag as the best drilled company. The procession through the principal streets was one of the features of the day. The Tenth Regiment Band led the procession followed by the "Connellsville Grays," twenty-three strong. Then Company "G's" Drum Corps, followed by the company, thirty-three files in line. Cumberland's "Queen City Band" came next, and then the Pioneer Hose Company. The Cumberland Hose Company brought up the rear, twenty men in uniform, with their hose-carriage neatly decorated. The procession came to a halt in a shady grove on the south of town, the place selected for the festivities. Here dinner was had, and the excursionists joined together to have a jolly good time. A dancing platform, in the centre of the grounds, claimed the attention of a very large number of young people during the entire day. About 1 P. M. the musical tilt between the Queen City Band and the Tenth Regiment Band, of Connellsville, took place. Three airs were played by each band. The judges took their positions upon the platform with the bands. The advantage of eighteen pieces, in favor of the Connellsville Band, was quite perceptible. The presentation speech was made by Colonel Alfred Spates. It was received in great good humor amid hearty applause.

The Cumberland *Daily News* says: "The competitive drill came next upon the programme, and took place in a field adjoining the pic-nic grounds. The Connellsville company wore gray uniforms with white belts, with the old army style hat and white plume. There were twenty-six muskets in line, and they went through all the movements of company drill with great precision, and in a very soldierly manner. Their manoeuvres lasted about forty minutes. The Somerset company next took its turn upon the drill ground. The uniform of this company was regulation blue, white belts, the same style of hat worn by the Connellsville boys, with blue pompon. They likewise made a handsome appearance, indeed it was frequently remarked that they made a better display than their competitors. Under Captain Scull they went through the same movements executed by the other company, but the judges decided that their performance was not quite up to the standard, and the prize, a beautiful stand of colors, was awarded to the Connellsville Grays. Colonel Horace Resley made the presentation speech, which was responded to by Colonel Stewart, of Uniontown. Both speakers were heartily applauded."

The trial of speed between the fire companies was well contested, though hardly a "fair shake," as in the Cumberland Company there were only seventeen men at the rope, while thirty-six of the red shirts tugged at the rope of the Pioneer. The Pioneer boys won by two seconds—distance, one-eighth of a mile. Time, Pioneers, thirty and Cumberland thirty-two seconds.

Climbing the pole and other amusements of that ilk were indulged in by the younger ones.

Hochspetler, Kegg, Hudson, Finegan, and other of the managers were ubiquitous, and did everything possible to make the time pass pleasantly for the guests. The gambling fraternity was represented by several "real wheels of fortune" at which the unwary were relieved of their spare change. All-in-all it was an enjoyable affair.

DAIRY MARKETS.—Butter — Receipts for the past week, twenty-eight thousand one hundred and fifty kegs; Exports, sixteen thousand one hundred and ninety-eight kegs. There is more demand for creameries for export, and the market is fully one cent higher and firmer at the close. Creamery butter takes the precedence and lead in the market almost as much as factory cheese, and the uniform style and quality of it enables shippers to pay fair prices, increases the volume of exports and steadily stiffens the character and rating of American butter in England. Feed throughout the New York butter district is good; the flow of milk keeps up almost beyond precedent, and the market so far is large. In this State the flow of milk has decreased. In this county it has fallen off fully one-fourth. Fresh creamery sells at 19c to 22c; fresh dairy, 12½c to 15c; early made, 5c to 8c.

Cheese—Receipts for the week, one hundred and forty-five thousand three hundred and twenty boxes; exports, one hundred and twenty-four thousand seven hundred and sixty-five boxes. A large business, firm feeling, and the tendency of the market continues strong. Quotations same as last week.

RIOT.—On Saturday last Michael Farley, Patrick Sullivan, Wm. Henry, Peter Donnelly, and one other, whose name we did not learn, were arrested on a charge of riot, and taken before Esquire Wolf, of Meyersdale. The three first named were committed to jail, and the other two admitted to bail. On Friday night these parties got into a scuffle in front of the Dale House; pistols were drawn and "billies" used. Policeman Lechner was hit on the side of the head in such a manner that his eye was jarred from the socket; he was also badly cut about the face and head. Mr. Lechner's son received a number of serious injuries, and several other persons were badly cut by being struck with "billies." The matter will come up for adjudication at the August term of Court.

One of the ludicrous things that occurred at Meyersdale on Friday was the invasion of a bumble bees' nest by the military companies while engaged in the competitive drill. The Grays ran into the nest first and made just disturbance enough to get the bees' mad up. "G" followed and the bees settled down to business. Officers slashed at them with their swords, men charged bayonets at them, and one sergeant was compelled to resort to a handkerchief to check his pesky assailants. The crowd cheered, the bees got their work in, and for a short time there was a regular monkey and parrot time. The wounded numbered eight.

On Monday evening Maj. James B. Tredwell received a letter from Harmon White, a policeman, saying that on Saturday he had arrested a man who gave his name as George Raymonds, who had been offering a lot of jewelry, the description of which, given by the Cumberland *Daily News*, tallies exactly with the property stolen from "Fashion Bazar" on the night of Saturday, June 8, 1878. Raymonds was committed to jail in Cumberland to await identification. We understand that Maj. Tredwell will go to Cumberland for the purpose of identifying the jewelry and having the man brought here for trial.

In this and adjoining counties the weather, except for heat, has been exceptionally favorable for harvesting this season. The hay, wheat, barley and rye have all been put up in excellent condition. Farmers inform us that all the crops will yield most abundantly. This is especially so with the wheat, with the exception of some of the earlier fields, which were injured by the frost. The oats crop is about ready to cut, and the next week will likely see it gathered.

Our reporter says a terrible dearth exists now in the way of news. He comes in to the office numerous times throughout the day with his face as long as a shingle, and reports no deaths, no marriages, no runaways of man or beast, no sun strokes, no fires, no accidents or escapes, no separations or elopement, and not cucumbers enough to produce the ordinary doubling off.

One day of last week the dwelling-house of Mr. Ed. Shafer, in the northern part of Somerset township, was entirely destroyed by fire. Most of the household goods were saved. We understand that the loss is not very heavy, and that the house was an old one which Mr. Shafer had intended to move out of as soon as he could finish a new house now building.

I certify that Hon. John R. Edie, Hon. W. H. Koontz, and Josiah Keller, Esq., have been appointed conferees to the Congressional Conference for this district by the proper authority.

ED. B. SCULL,
Ch. Rep. Co. Com.

When a Main street young lady loses a curl, hadn't she better wait until daylight to hunt for it, instead of starting out on a search with a coal oil lamp?

The District Attorney announces that there is enough criminal business on hand at present to occupy the entire first week of the August term of Court.

A simple method of preventing houses from being struck by lightning, as practiced in some parts of France, consists of placing bundles of straw, attached to broom handles or other sticks, upon the roofs of the houses in an upright position. In the Tarbes district a large number of farm-houses have, it is said, been completely protected from lightning in this manner.

A few commercial doses like the balance of trade for 1877—8 will go far to prove to somebody's satisfaction that protection does really protect something, after all. If we stick to that philosophy, we shall in a few years owe Europe nothing, and be receiving payment in gold for our exports. Our ruined commerce somehow has a very healthy sort of look. Ruin seems to agree with it.—*North American.*

Love, which laughs at locksmiths, turns out to be no respecter of creed or race in Cincinnati. The handsomest daughter of Rabbi Wise fell in love with a young Irish attorney, and they were secretly engaged to be married. The rabbi had forbidden him to enter the house; but the couple were made man and wife by a Unitarian preacher. The rabbi, who has now disowned his daughter, is one of the best-known Israelites in the United States.

A letter was received at the Waynesburg post-office recently, addressed as follows:

To Lewis Day, Green county Pa.,
This letter must wing its way.
The county is good, the State is better;
But without the town he won't get the letter.

So ship it to Waynesburg without delay,
For it takes three hours over the Narrow Gauge way.

A lady in Springfield, Massachusetts, according to the *Union*, has been making some interesting experiments in putting up canned goods without cooking. Heating the fruit tends more or less to injure the flavor, and the lady referred to has found that by filling the cans with fruit, then with pure cold water, and allowing them to stand until all the confined air has escaped, the fruit will, if then sealed perfectly, keep indefinitely without change or loss of original flavor.

Not long ago the steamer Strasbourg discharged at Castle Garden, New York, 653 Mennonites. These emigrants were from the southern part of Russia, and are spoken of as the cleanest and healthiest party that has ever arrived at Castle Garden. The families were large, averaging eight persons. There were few old persons among them. They brought seeds, bedding, cooking utensils, and considerable money. The whole company went West—some to Kansas, some to Nebraska, and others to Minnesota.

MISERABLENESS.—The most wonderful and marvelous success, in cases where persons are sick or pining away from a condition of miserableness, that no one knows what ails them, (profitable patients for doctors), is obtained from the use of Hop Bitters. They begin to cure from the first dose and keep it up until perfect health and strength is restored. Whoever is afflicted in this way need not suffer, when they can get Hop Bitters. See "Truths" and "Proverbs" in another column.

NOTICE.—I wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that I have purchased the Boot, Shoe and Hat store from Solomon Uhl. I will continue the business at the old stand, where I will be glad to see all the customers of the store, and the public generally. I will conduct the business strictly on the *Cash System*, and will under no circumstances vary from the rule. I will sell all city made Boots and Shoes *at cost for thirty days.* Shoes and Gaiters made to order on short notice.

GEORGE SNYDER.

SOMERSET, Pa., July 24, 1878.

The Uniontown Dollar Savings Bank suspended last Friday morning. The demands on the bank were heavier than it could meet. It was compelled to refuse checks because of lack of funds to pay them. The liabilities are estimated at $135,000, and the assets at $139,000. The latter consist almost exclusively of notes, which, with few exceptions are good. All doubtful ones have been charged up, and outside of them sufficient can be realized from the assets to meet all claims and leave some $15,000 over for the stock holders.

The time designated for the meeting of Agricultural Societies of Western Pennsylvania for the fall of 1878, are as follows:

Pennsylvania State Fair, Erie, Sept. 23-27; Indiana County Agricultural Society, Indiana, October 1-3; Monongahela Valley, Monongahela city, September 18-20; Chartiers Valley Agricultural Society, Cannonsburg, September 24-27; Mercer County Agricultural Society, Mercer, September 9-12; Somerset County Agricultural Society, Somerset, September 25-27; Westmoreland County Agricultural Society, Greensburg, September 24-27.

FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS.—If you need a carriage, buggy, spring-wagon, or farm-wagon, before throwing your money away on shoddy work, go to Curtis Kooser's shops and examine the material he uses. His stock of goods and finished work are cheerfully offered to the inspection of every one, and examination will satisfy you of their superiority.

Besides the stock of buggies and spring-wagons on hand, the demand for the celebrated Lewrys' CHAMPION FARMING MILL, has induced Mr. Kooser to build a large number, which he offers for sale at the shops, at prices to suit the times.

Send in your orders soon.

Nothing is more surprising than the success of the 4 per cent. loan, and it now seems almost certain that the rate of interest all over the country must come down. This is a blow at "Capital" struck by this Republican Administration, which was "never dreamed of in our philosophy," and never promised in the bills. It is peculiarly the work of Hayes and Sherman, for it had been tried by Messrs. Grant and Morrill without success. So triumphant is the measure that we see it stated several States and city governments are about to try the experiment of refunding their bonds at four per cent. Now that Sherman has demonstrated how it can be done we do not doubt their success if their municipal credit is worth anything.—*Ex.*

One of the largest and most expensive light-houses ever erected by the United States is now in process of construction on Fowey Rocks, on the northern extremity of the Florida Reefs. It is a peculiarity of these reefs that they are so precipitous that their locality can scarcely be discovered by the most careful soundings. This new light-house is composed wholly of iron, and improved methods of illumination render it, perhaps, the most perfect in the world. The light will be visible in clear weather about eighteen nautical miles, and is composed of both glass and metalic reflectors, constructed so as to send a blaze of light along the whole horizon of the ocean. It is estimated that this structure will last three or four hundred years.

Judge Dean, at the recent term of the Blair county court, in sentencing the Tyrone druggists for selling liquor without license, took occasion to remark substantially as follows:

"Druggists are authorized to sell liquor for medical purposes, subject, however, to indictment. A physician's prescription is not of itself a safeguard for the druggist. If the latter, even on the prescription of a regular physician, sells liquor to persons of known intemperate habits, or to those who are known to use liquor as a beverage, he is liable to indictment, and if found guilty will be punished to the extent of the law. In short, in the opinion of the court, a druggist who sells liquor for any purpose whatever, or upon the prescription of the most eminent physician in the county, does so at his own risk."

BODY SNATCHING AT BROOKVILLE.—The Brookville *Democrat* of last week says: "We learn upon good authority that the body of R. P. Montgomery, who was killed near DuBois, several months ago, was stolen from its grave in the Bellview cemetery, three days after its interment. It appears that upon the third night after the burial, several men were observed prowling about the cemetery, and this coming to the ears of Montgomery's friends, aroused their suspicions. Accordingly, the following night they uncovered the coffin only to find it tenantless. Thinking that by raising no stir about the matter, they were more likely to obtain some clue to the resurrecting, they kept the secret to themselves, but as several months have passed by without any developments, they have evidently allowed the facts to transpire.

COUNTERFEITS.—There is scarcely a business man in Johnstown but has taken in recently counterfeit half dollars which were believed in each instance to be a genuine article, and it may not be wondered at that so many have been deceived by the debased metal, for more perfect imitations of the genuine were never "shoved" in this locality. We were standing in a store the other evening when a gentleman came in to make a small purchase, in payment for which he threw down what purported on its face to be a fifty-cent silver piece. It had the ring of the true metal, and the milling could not have been more perfect. But the tradesman had been taken in several times recently by trusting to appearances, so the coin was put in a small testing machine, and it failed in weight as compared with the genuine.

"The half dollar is counterfeit," he remarked.

"Oh no, that can't be," was the answer, "I got it from Mr. ——," mentioning the name of another merchant.

The storekeeper quietly went to his till, brought out a genuine coin, and asked his customer to see if he could note the difference in weight by balancing the good and the bad in his hands, when the latter at once acknowledged that slight as the difference was he could detect it.

Almost every day a new batch of these bogus halves find their way into circulation, and it is not alone the ordinary person, not familiar with handling money, is taken in, but even those who should be considered as experts, are sold very frequently. The counterfeit is a dangerous one, and from the number afloat it would seem that some person or persons are engaged in keeping up the supply. The greatest care should be exercised in handling coin of the half dollar denomination, and we write this for the purpose of putting our readers on their guard. We have not noticed any good imitations of a lesser denomination than the half, but it would be well to keep a sharp lookout for all coins purporting to be silver.—*Johnstown Tribune.*

WHAT THE MARSHAL OF NEW YORK SAYS:—The following indorsement will be of interest to many who have not yet tested these essential aids to the full development of the speed of a trotter—BENTON'S SPEED ACCELERATORS—the price of which has been reduced to $3 per pair or $5 for two pairs:

OFFICE OF PATRICK DAILY,
City Marshal,
New York, June 11, 1878.

WILBER C. BENTON, Esq., Brownstown, Indiana—*Dear Sir:* I have given your SPEED ACCELERATORS a thorough test, single, double, attached them to the reins, to the saddle, overdraw and check rein. In my judgment they are the most excellent thing ever invented to produce speed and comfort for horses.

Horsemen and humanitarians have for years sought to invent attachments for horses' mouths, the former looking principally to speed, the latter seeking relief for the horse from the strain of checks and bits on the mouth. The ACCELERATORS accomplish both, for they remove the permanent strain of checks and bits from the mouth and head of the horse by imparting the proper elasticity, which the horse feels immediately, and improves at once in style and speed. Owners of horses, whether trotters, roadsters, coach or business horses, should use them. Any horseman who gives your ACCELERATORS a trial will not only indorse what I say, but recommend them to every one owning horses.

Hoping you will succeed in establishing what I firmly believe to be the best thing ever devised for horses, is the wish of one thoroughly convinced of their usefulness.

Yours truly,
PATRICK DAILY, City Marshal.

Send for an illustrated circular.

HOW SCALP LEVEL GOT ITS NAME.—A "Resident" of Scalp Level thus discourses on the origin of the queer name by which the romantic village is known: The ground upon which the place is built was owned originally by Jacob Esch, and is situated on the forks of the Little and Big Paint Creeks, seven miles from Johnstown, and is the terminus of the Scalp Level and Johnstown Turnpike. There was a custom among the earlier settlers, and in fact is still kept up by some of the people, to make a party, or what they call a frolic, which was to invite the community on a certain day to come to help chop down trees, roll logs and clear off the land. The one story runs thus: Jacob Esch made a frolic, and while some of the men were engaged in cutting down small trees, Mr. Esch came along and told them to scalp them low—cut them close to the ground—and there are some of the old men who claim that from this the place got the name of Scalp Level. Others say that at one of these frolics two men got to fighting, which was a very common thing in that day, when the one who got the best of the fight jumped up and yelled out, "Hurrah for Scalp Level!" Which is the correct one of these two stories the writer can't say, but one thing is certain, that from one or the other, the place is called Scalp Level.—*Johnstown Tribune.*

WHENEVER AND WHEREVER Diseases of a choleratic type prevail, or there is cause to apprehend a visit from them, the system should be toned, regulated and reinforced by a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Perfect digestion and a regular habit of body are the best safeguards against such maladies, and both are secured by this most inestimable tonic and alterative. The bitters are also extremely serviceable in remedying such disorders. It promptly taken in bilious colic, diarrhoea and cholera morbus, the disease is usually frustrated. In diarrhoea cases it is only necessary to restore the tone of the relaxed bowels, and this is one of the specific effects of this medicine. Wind on the stomach, heartburn, biliousness, nausea, headache and other symptoms, of disturbance in the gastric and hepatic regions are also speedily relieved by this excellent remedy. As a family medicine it is invaluable, since it promptly and completely remedies those ailments which are of most frequent occurrence.

SHOOT THE PROPHET.—Some wretched Canadian named Vennor has assumed the *role* of weather prophet, and announces a cheering programme of atmosphere as follows: He predicted that July would enter with intense heat, which would prevail until about the 18th, when a cool and cold change was to set in, with, probably, frost at night, and heat again during the last few days of the month. It strikes us there was no frost last Thursday night, and we are willing to be qualified there wasn't on the following one. He says August will also enter exceedingly hot and dry, and continue so up to the middle of the month, after which cool weather, with frosts at night and northern gales, may be expected for a large portion of the remainder of the month. This, he informs us will end the dry term. Let some rifle team consider it their business to make a target of that prophet—distance, ten paces. He had a right to throw in a little snow.

AN ASTONISHING FACT.—A large proportion of the American people are to day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western Continent.

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, 25 cents a box; 3 cakes 60 cents., by mail, 75 cents. Office 50 N. 5th street. Wholesale Depot, 400 N. 5d street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by all Druggists.

Friend, a word with you! If you are troubled with any skin disease or other cutaneous irritation, use GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP. Do likewise if your complexion be pimpled, blotched or sallow. You won't regret it.

Sold by all Druggists.

HILL'S HAIR AND WHISKER DYE, Black or Brown, 50 cents.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.—At a meeting of the Pine Hill Union Sunday-school the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, it has been the will of Divine Providence to remove from us Rufus W. and Alice Bittner, whom we loved and respected, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Rufus W. Bittner our school has lost a faithful teacher and the community one of its brightest young men.

Resolved, That in the death of Alice Bittner our school has also lost a faithful and obedient scholar.

Resolved, That while we deeply feel the irreparable loss of our brother and sister, and sadly miss them in the school-room, we also sympathize with the bereaved families and friends in the great loss which we and they have sustained.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved families, and that they be published in our county papers.

The above are the first deaths that have occurred in this school since its organization, over eight years ago.

JOSEPH WALKER,
SIMON P. FRITZ,
AMOS WALKER,
Committee.

YOU MUST CURE THAT COUGH.—With Shiloh's Consumption Cure you can cure yourself. It has established the fact that Consumption can be cured, while for Coughs, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Asthma, and all diseases of Throat and Lungs, it is absolutely without an equal. Two doses will relieve your child of Croup, it is pleasant to take and perfectly harmless to the youngest child, and no mother can afford to be without it. You can use two thirds of a bottle and if what we say is not true we will refund the price paid. Price 10cts, 50cts. and $1.00 per bottle. If your Lungs are sore or chest or back lame use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Geo. W. Benford, Somerset, Pa.

Have you Dyspepsia, are you Constipated, have you a Yellow skin, Loss of Appetite, Head Ache, if so don't fail to use SHILOH'S SYSTEM VITALIZER. It is guaranteed to relieve you, and will you continue to suffer when you can be cured on such terms as these. Price 10 cts. and 75 cts. Sold by Geo. W. Benford, Somerset, Pa.

Wells' Persian Perfume "HACKMETACK" is rich and fragrant, try it. Sold Geo. W. Benford, Somerset, Pa.

THINK FOR YOURSELF.—Thousands lead miserable lives, suffering from dyspepsia, a disordered stomach and liver, producing biliousness, heartburn, 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 is DaCosta's Radical cure.

For sale by G. W. Benford, Somerset, and Mountain & Co., Confluence.

A 25 cent 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.

Trial size 25 cents. Large sizes 50 cts. and One Dollar.

Also Agents for Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup, which is perfectly safe. Extremely palatable. No physic required. Costs 25 cents. Try it.

MARRIED.

FRITZ—MILLER.—July 21, 1878, at the Lutheran parsonage, Berlin, Pa., by Rev. J. W. Poffinberger, Mr. John W. Fritz, to Miss Rebecca Miller, both of Somerset Co., Pa.

DIED.

SPENCER.—At Steubenville Ohio, on Monday, June 29th 1878. Miss Jane Spencer, aged 78 years.

BROUGH.—At her husband's residence, near Bakersville, July 4, 1878, Lizzie A. Brough, aged 29 years.

"Yet, again we hope to meet thee;
When the day of life is fled:
There in Heaven with joy to greet thee,
Where no farewell tear is shed."

HEIPLE.—July 23, 1878, Rebecca J., eldest daughter of Franklin and Anna Heiple, aged 7 years 8 months and 29 days.

HEFFLEY.—In Berlin, Pa., July 18, 1878, Austin Glenn Heffley, aged 13 years, 11 months and 1 day.

BITTNER.—July 15, 1878, Isabella, wife of Aaron Bittner, aged 38 years, 9 months and 25 days.

PICKING.—July 4 1878, of diphtheria, Marian M., youngest daughter of Worth J., and Dorathea Picking, aged 1 year 10 months and 8 days.

Marian was a sweet and lovely child; one of those bright and sparkling gems that light up the shadowy pathway of life. She was obedient and warm-hearted, and her overflowing affections won the hearts of her parents and of all whom she knew, and entwined around them with such tenderness that this unexpected separation caused so keen a wound that more than human sympathy is needed to sustain and comfort the hearts of the parents in their sad and unexpected loss.

But there is no shadow so gloomy that the comforting light of God's smiling countenance cannot dispel. The submissive disposition and pious turn of her bright little mind seemed to indicate the careful training by her parents and that the grace imparted by Holy Baptism was already developed in a trod-loving life.

Seemingly too pure for earth she was transplanted, a beautiful flower, in the spring-time of life, into God's celestial garden above, to bloom forever in the paradise of heaven. The parents of the deceased have the sympathy of the people in this community in general.

H. P. C.

SOMERSET MARKET

Corrected by COOK & BEERITS.
DEALERS IN
CHOICE GROCERIES, FLOUR & FEED

Apples, dried, ℔ ℔	4c to 5c
Applebutter, ℔ gal	50@60c
Bran, ℔ 100 ℔s	$1 25
Butter, ℔ ℔ (keg)	10c
Butter, ℔ ℔ (roll)	10c
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	45c to 50c
" meal, 100 ℔s	$2 25
Beeswax, ℔ ℔	25c
Bacon, shoulders, ℔ ℔	6c to 7c
" sides, " "	8c
" country hams, ℔ ℔	8c to 10c
Corn, (ear) ℔ bushel	50@ 60c
Corn, (shelled) ℔ bushel	40c to 50c
Corn meal ℔ ℔	2c
Calf skins, ℔ ℔	10c
Chickens, ℔ doz	10c
Flour, ℔ bbl	$6 00
Flaxseed ℔ bu., (56 ℔s)	75c
Hams, (sugar-cured) ℔ ℔	12c
Lard, ℔ ℔	8c @ 10c
Leather, red sole, ℔ ℔	30@40c
" upper " ℔	40@50c
" kip, "	75@90c
Middlings, and chop 100 ℔s	$1 50
Oats, ℔ bu	25@30c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	30@35c
Peaches, dried, ℔ ℔	10c
Rye ℔ bu	45c to 50c
Rags, ℔ ℔	2c
Salt, No. 1, ℔ bbl, EXTRA	$1 75
" Ground, fine, per sack	$1 50
" Ashton, per sack	$1 60
Sugar, yellow ℔ ℔	8@10
" white "	10@12c
Tallow, ℔ ℔	7c
Wheat, ℔ bus	$1 1c
Wool, ℔ ℔	35@40

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Catharine Walker, by her next friend, Samuel Sheets, vs Alexander Walker.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset Co. Pa. Subpoena in Divorce to No. 44 Jany. T. 1878. Alias subpoena in divorce to No. 30. April term, 1878.

To Alexander Walker, the defendent above named:

You are hereby notified and required to be and appear at the next term of the Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Somerset, on the 4th Monday, (28th day) of August, 1878, to answer the complaint of the said Cathariene Walker, the plaintiff here named.

Sheriff's Office, July 31, 1878. } GEO. W. PILE, Sheriff.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—

WHEREAS, the Honorable WILLIAM M. HALL President of the several Courts of Common Pleas of the Counties composing the sixteenth Judicial District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District, and DANIEL STUFFT and C. C. MUSSELMAN Esquires, Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Somerset, have issued their precepts and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery and Courts of Oyer and Terminer, at Somerset

On Monday, August 26, 1878,

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

GEORGE W. PILE, Sheriff.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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

Friday, August 23, 1878,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, viz:

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

A certain tract of land situate in Larimer Twp., Somerset county, Penna., containing 85 acres, more or less, of which there are about 50 acres cleared, of which about 5 acres are in meadow, with a one and one-half story frame dwelling house and log stable thereon erected.—Adjoining lands of Christian Minkemyer, Augustus Strasp, Jacob Zufall, John Bittner and others, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of William Fisher, at the suit of Christian Fisher, use of Peter C. Meyers.

ALSO.

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

Two certain lots of ground situate in Ursina Bor., Somerset county, Pa., containing one fourth acre, more or less, with a two story frame dwelling house and stable thereon erected, fronting on Park street, and adjoined by Henry Zimmerman on the east, alley on the north, and alley on the west, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of George W. Anderson, at the suit of J. P. Miller use of Daniel Augustine.

ALSO.

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

A certain tract of land situate in Shade Twp., Somerset county, Pa., containing 100 acres, more or less, of which there are about 6 acres are cleared, with a two story plank dwelling house, and stable thereon erected. Adjoining