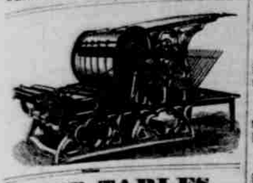
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY.....July 23, 1879.



TIME TABLES.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after May 19, 1879, trains on this road will depart from and arrive at depot, corner Grant and Water Streets, as follows:

EAST. MAIL.		WEST. MAIL.
Leave:		Leave:
7:55 a. m.	New York	6:35 p. m.
9:00 "	Philadelphia	11:00 a. m.
9:12 "	Baltimore	7:10 "
9:00 "	Richmond	8:00 p. m.
10:35 "	Washington	9:35 a. m.
11:00 "	Cumberland	2:40 p. m.
11:04 "	Hyndman	2:20 "
11:15 "	Rockwood	4:35 "
12:12 p. m.	Ohio Pyle	3:47 "
1:40 "	Uniontown	7:05 "
2:15 "	Mt. Pleasant	7:17 "
3:00 "	Connellsville	6:20 "
3:11 a. m.	West Newton	7:16 "
3:30 p. m.	McKeesport	7:52 "
3:16 a. m.	Braddock	
4:45 "	Pittsburg	8:25 p. m.

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

The Express train leaves Pittsburgh at 7 P. M., arriving at Connellsville 11:07 P. M., Mineral Point 12 A. M. In return the Express leaves Cumberland at 7:00 A. M., arriving at Mineral Point 4:28 A. M., Connellsville 5:08 A. M., Pittsburgh 9:34 A. M.

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

Through Mail leaving at 8:25 A. M., daily, arrives at Washington at 6:00 P. M.; Baltimore, 9:20 P. M.; Philadelphia 3:10 A. M.; New York 6:25 A. M.; Richmond 2:15 A. M.

Through Express, leaving 12 P. M., daily, arrives at Washington at 7:50 A. M.; Baltimore, 9:05 A. M.; Richmond, 5:15 P. M.; Philadelphia, 1:45 P. M.; New York, 3:10 P. M.

Through Mail trains daily.

Express trains daily except Sunday.

Accommodation trains and Fayette Express daily except Sunday.

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

E. M. SMITH, General Ticket Agent.
E. H. BYNDMAN, Supt., Connellsville.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

SOMERSET & CAMBRIA 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	3 35 p. m.	5 30 p. m.
Mail East	11 10 a. m.	1 00 p. m.

Mail East connects with Local West.

Supplement to Regular Time Table, to take effect Saturday, June 28, 1879, and continue in force during the Summer.

Train will leave Somerset every Saturday at 7:10 a. m. to connect with the Mountain Express east on the B. & O. R. R., and on Monday at 5:15 a. m. to connect with same train west, which arrives in Pittsburgh at 9:45 a. m.

W. H. SANNER,
Superintendent.

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	5:08 A. M

Keep cool.

Daylight is waning.

Vanity Fair at Orton's.

Lone Fisherman at Orton's.

Dogdays commenced Sunday.

The days are growing shorter.

Buy your Drugs at C. N. Boyd's.

Go to C. N. Boyd's for fruit can cement.

Comfort knows no fashion this weather.

Drugs pure and prices reasonable at C. N. Boyd's.

A new beau at night is the maiden's delight.

Drugs pure and prices reasonable at C. N. Boyd's.

The shady side of the street is much sought after.

Thanksgiving Day will be the next legal holiday.

The city of Reading is threatened with a water famine.

Those who buy their Drugs at C. N. Boyd's will save money.

Datis Bros. are the cheapest Sign Painters in Western Pennsylvania.

Physicians Prescriptions and Home Receipts a specialty at C. N. Boyd's.

There is a most flattering prospect for an abundant crop of chestnuts the coming fall.

The fine weather we are having this week will enable our farmers to get in their crops.

Cholera morbus is the prevailing complaint at present, especially among the urchins.

There is nothing which gives a tone to the stomach like ripe cherries swallowed whole.

The best place to buy White Lead, Oil, Varnish, Paints &c., at Byers & Barnett, Somerset, Pa.

Be it ever so humble there's no place like your best girl's house when the old folks are away.

WANTED.—500 customers for cucumber seed.

COOK & BEERITS.

Always on hand—the Oliver Chilled plows and repairs at Byers & Barnett, Somerset, Pa.

Try Morrison & Bro.'s Cough Syrup and Liniment, and get something good, cure. Price moderate.

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

Call and get prices of Nails, Iron, Glass, Shovels, Hoes &c., before purchasing elsewhere. Byers & Barnett, Somerset, Pa.

Heavy winds and rains have done a great deal of damage to property and crops both East and West during the last ten days.

Raspberries are said to be very plenty this season, and the prospect for a fair crop of blackberries is also said to be very good.

The weather is hot. The girls in the parlor are considerably annoyed by hearing their mother complain of heat in the kitchen.

A Western editor in noticing a church choir, said it is like drift wood in a stream, it drags on the bars and yet don't amount to a dam.

If you can't paint, see that your fences and outbuildings are white-washed. A little attention and work in this direction will greatly to the appearance of your property.

Most of us pass our lives in regretting the past, complaining of the present, and indulging false hopes of the future, when it would be vastly better for us to cut a pole, dig some baits and go a-fishing.

This valuable information for ladies has been handed us: To set the colors in lawns take one dessert spoonful of sugar of lead, dissolve it well in two gallons of soft water, and the colors will remain fixed and bright.

Governor Hoyt has appointed James A. Hunter, of Greensburg, President Judge of Westmoreland and Indiana counties, in place of Judge Logan, who resigned to accept the position of Assistant Solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Fast driving during the hot weather should be prevented in some way. Livery men and others who hire out horses should go for the heartless Jehus who hire horses and because they are required to pay for them drive the horses almost to death.

State Superintendent Wickersham states that there is now over $200,000 ready for distribution to the public schools of the Commonwealth. He requests all the newly elected treasurers of the several townships to send him their reports and names and he will at once remit their respective quota.

Cherries have been a drug in the market this season.

The board walk leading to Gravel Hill is being repaired.

The world grows older every day; but that isn't so of the average maiden.

Our streets present quite a gay and animated appearance in the evenings during this pleasant weather.

The school report of County Superintendent, J. P. Whipkey, was received too late for publication this week.

Geo. W. Zimmeman was committed to jail on Saturday last on a charge of seduction *et cet.* A Miss Zerfoss is the prosecutrix.

We notice the familiar face of Frank Johnson, of the firm of Joseph Horn & Co., Pittsburgh, among the many visitors in town.

Why is it that we so rarely hear any music from our band? These lovely evenings are quite favorable for such entertainments.

A large party of young folks picniced at Break Neck Rocks, Friday, and still a larger party of younger folks at Maple Grove on the same day.

The new awnings over the windows on the east side of the Somerset House add greatly to the appearance of the house and to the comfort of the guests.

The lately-plastered columns at the Court-house are as hard to wash as bad calico. After repeated scrubbings they appear nearly as dirty as ever.

The farmer with the longest stalk of wheat or rye has not put in an appearance yet this season. What's the matter—ain't there any long stalks to exhibit?

According to the Greensburg *Herald* the young men of that place are impecunious and don't pay the liverymen for the teams with which they take their girls riding.

The drum corps, with their two trained bears, gave quite an amusing entertainment in front of the Tobacco House, Friday evening, to a large and admiring crowd.

Canicular days, more commonly known as dog days, commenced Sunday, and will continue for forty days. During that period Sirius or the dog star rises and sets with the sun.

The repairing of the exterior of the Court House is finished and the appearance thereof greatly enhanced. The Davis Bros., are laboring day and night on the interior endeavoring to complete it till court.

Within twenty hours one day last week the thermometer fell from 90 degrees to 55. Blankets were decidedly comfortable. We notice in our city exchanges that the weather is cooler, but the change is not so marked as in the mountains.

Meyersdale is to have a grand picnic on the 8th of August. Excursion rates have been secured on the B. & O. road, and all its branches. Prizes to military and fire companies and bands will be awarded. It is to be the affair of the season for Meyersdale.

The note of warning must be sounded. This mundane sphere has but two years more to play its part in the world of space according to Mother Shipton, whose prophecy ends as follows:

"England shall at last admit a Jew;
The world to an end shall come
In eighteen hundred and eighty-two."

A Mr. Hamilton Maxwell, of Steubenville, Ohio, died at the Somerset House at about half past 11 o'clock Friday morning. Mr. Maxwell had been suffering from consumption for some time and had come out here with the hopes of improving his health. His remains were taken to his former home on the mail train the same afternoon.

We have before us on our table Vol. 1, No. 1 of the Keystone *Courier*, published by the Keystone Publishing Company, at Connellsville, Pa., with E. V. Goodchild and H. P. Snyder, as Editors and Managers. The *Courier* is an eight column paper, Democratic in politics, and presents a good typographical appearance. We hope it may meet with better success, financially than its predecessors.

Prof. M. J. Pritts will open a Normal School in Lavansville for the instruction of those who are ambitious of becoming teachers and for all others who may wish to attend. The term will commence August 4th and continue nine weeks. Prof. Pritts has taught for a number of years with marked success in different sections of the county, and has acquired an enviable reputation as an educational instructor.

Berlin is organizing a military company and all necessary arrangements have been made for holding a grand fair and festival, the proceeds of which are to go toward equipping the company. The principal prize is to be a large swinging Silver Ice Pitcher. We have been invited by the Committee to be a candidate for the prize, but have thought it wise to decline. Berlin has the material to make one of the best military companies in the State, and we hope to soon see the troop thoroughly organized and fully equipped.

The visit of that genial and popular young man, Selmer Harrison, to his many friends in this place, was unexpectedly cut short by a mysterious dispatch received Friday morning. It is rumored that his sudden departure was owing to an engagement with a celebrated Pinafore troupe, and again, that his reputation as a clarinet soloist had occasioned a telegram from the leader of Gilmore's Band. He was serenading with a party of young gentlemen, Thursday evening; hence the pain(s) with which he took his departure.

The following are among the guests who have registered at the Somerset House during the past week, viz: Edwin Scully, R. Shaffer, M. Kline, J. Lengerfelso, E. Bard, Mrs. A. M. Vought, A. M. Vought, Miss B. Phillips, E. F. Graff, Pittsburgh; G. P. Hays, J. N. Hays, Washington, D. C.; R. Kent, H. D. Smith, Philadelphia; Chas. H. Fisher, Village; A. J. Dill, Indiana; Albert L. Gill, Trenton, N. J.; Mrs. G. R. Coffroth and daughter, Baltimore; Isabella Davidson, Connellsville; W. H. Davidson, Cincinnati; Benj. F. Jennings and wife, Miss Maria Jennings, Allegheny city.

Mrs. Jacob M. Fike, who resides on the old Arisman Farm, a few miles east of town, met with a very serious and painful accident Friday afternoon. Mrs. Fike was assisting her husband to harvest the wheat crop; they had started for the barn with a load when the horses became unmanageable and started to run. Mrs. F. was thrown violently from the wagon, the wheels of which passed over her left leg crushing the bone from the knee to the ankle. Dr. Brubaker, of this place, was sent for, who, with the assistance of Dr. A. P. Brubaker, of Philadelphia, did what they could to relieve the sufferings of the unfortunate woman.

A black racer, measuring between five and six feet in length, was killed by Mr. Frank Countryman, of Gravel Hill, in front of the dry goods store of John Holderbaum, in the west end of town, about six o'clock, Saturday evening. His snakeship came out of the meadow on the opposite side of the street and started in the direction of Mr. H's store, perhaps with the intention of making a few purchases and laying in a stock of supplies for over the Sabbath, when he was spied by Mr. C., who started in pursuit and after racing him for a considerable distance, succeeded in dispatching him. This species of snake is very seldom seen in this region and this is the first one that has been killed in this vicinity for years.

A party of railroad engineers, in charge of Mr. Roberts, (a son of Wm. Milnor Roberts, the celebrated engineer), has lately been surveying a route from Pittsburgh to Harrisburg, the line passing through this county, near this town and in proximity to Berlin. The proposed route scales Laurel Hill by running on the western side up an affluent of Indian Creek, thence by a tunnel of half-a mile to the head waters of Lohr's run and down that stream to Laurel Hill Creek. The Allegheny mountain is passed by the Deeter run gap. We are not well posted at present as to the prospects of this new route, but will apprise our readers it we discover that a railroad is likely to be built.

PERSONALS.

Aaron F. Dickey, returned home from his Western trip Saturday noon.

Rev. Wakefield preached to a well filled house in the Methodist church, Sunday evening.

Ed. F. Earl, of the old and reliable firm of Johnson, Eagey & Earl, Pittsburg, is in town.

Rev. Wm. Schell preached in the Disciples' church Sunday morning and evening.

Hon. Jeremiah S. Black and wife are visiting in town. They are the guests of General Koontz.

Mr. George F. Baer and family, of Reading, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Baer's father, J. O. Kimmell Esq.

Mr. Joe Herr, who has been spending the past few months at home, returns to his place of business, Petrolia, on Friday.

J. D. Zimmerman, and J. P. Knable, of Pittsburg, came upon the Mountain Express, Saturday evening, spent Sunday with their friends and relations and returned to the city Monday.

Mr. Will W. Picking, a graduate of the *Herald* office, who has been employed on the Allegheny *Mail* for the past few months, came home Saturday evening, to stay during the heated term.

Mr. F. J. Kooser, Esq., last week received from Columbus, Ohio, a beautiful pony phaeton, and having previously purchased the celebrated Egyptian from Mr. T. J. Picking, has now one of the nobbiest turnouts in town.

SOMETHING NOT JUST.—ED. HERALD: I noticed something in the HERALD, dated July 9, which took every teacher by surprise, when they noticed the tuition of the coming normal schools, to be $7. We, as a body of teachers, were looking for the tuition to come down, rather than go up, and, if it moves on in this way, before a few terms more, it will be equal to a college term. The tuition has been $6 for the last twelve or fifteen years. And one dollar now will buy as much as two dollars would have bought, when the tuition of the normal schools were only $6. And I think any normal teacher who charges more than $6 does not consider the standing of many of the teachers. Some of our first-class teachers only received $22 per month last year. And I am certain that the wages will still be lower for the coming winter. And I do hope that the normal teachers will look into this matter and bring the tuition down to the old standard where it stood long before.

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New Lexington, July 18, 1879.

THE NATIONAL COMPLAINT.—Dyspepsia is the national complaint. Almost every other man or woman you meet has it, and the result is that the number of pseudo-remedies for it is as numerous as Pharaoh's host. They are for the most part worthless. There is, however, a searching eradicant of this distressing and obdurate malady, one whose genuine merits long since raised it to a foremost place among the staple medicines of America. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters extirpates dyspepsia with greater certainty and promptitude than any known remedy, and is a most genial invigorant, appetizer and aid to secretion. These are not empty assertions, as thousands of our countrymen and women who have experienced its effects are aware, but are backed up by irrefragable proofs repeatedly laid before the public. The Bitters also promote a regular habit of body and give a healthful stimulus to the urinary organs.

SOMERSET NORMAL SCHOOL.—Will open July 28th, 1879, continuing nine weeks. Special attention given the Common Branches and the preparation of teachers. Classes will be formed in the Languages, Higher Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Drawing and Book-Keeping. Terms: Normal Department, $6.00; Model Department, $3.50. One-half payable at entrance, balance at middle of the term.

Boarding ranging from 12½ to 15 cents per meal, including furnished rooms. No labor will be spared to make the school first-class in every particular. For further information address

R. R. SANNER
or J. JAY MILLER, } Principals.

Since the opening of the woodcock season, on the 4th, several of our sportsmen have taken to the woods with their breech-loading fowling pieces and bird dogs of high degree. In New York the Legislature has shortened the season for these birds one month, taking off July. There is reason in this step. The 4th is too early, as the young woodcock are barely old enough at that time to hunt food for themselves, while the old ones, just getting through hatching are yet poor. The editor of the Forest *Republican* says it is scarcely a month since he saw a nest with the old bird still setting on the eggs. Such a fact argues that to shift the season further along would give more and better woodcocks.

It seems almost impossible to convince people that there is danger walking on a railroad track, and seems equally impossible to instill common sense into the minds of people during a thunderstorm. Seeking shelter under a tree is the last resort that ought to be made, for if lightning strikes near such a place it is almost sure to strike the tree. In this way one person was instantly killed and three badly if not fatally injured by getting under a cherry tree from which they had been picking cherries near Mowry's Mill, Bedford county. A barn filled with new-made hay and grain is also dangerous, and ought to be avoided if other shelter can possibly be obtained.

Our farmer subscribers will take notice of the following account of how traveling frauds are treated in Berks county, and practice the same when an opportunity is presented: A smooth-spoken stranger attempted to bull-doze farmer John Witmoyer into buying a patent right and signing a note for $390, but the farmer was a shrewd man, and soon detected the fraud; so he called his two big sons, and together they carried the visitor to the watering-trough in the barnyard, where they baptized him, then they gave him a number of kicks apiece, and finally set the dogs on him.

We would like to make a plea for the poor horse this hot weather. Do not drive fast, nor let horses stand in the sun. Provide them with nets. A wet sponge kept upon the head or a sort of canopy fastened above them is a good contrivance. Take care of your animals. Do not put them under the control of boys, who are ambitious to make speed the most desirable quality. We are often pained to see boys abusing horses by the use of a whip, when their owners no doubt think the animals are being well taken care of.

The proprietors of the Bedford Springs have concluded to tax visitors who do not board at the Springs hotel for the use of the waters. They demand $5 50 a week, 50 cents a day, or $15 00 for the season, whereat hotel keepers in the town and vicinity complain. It is thought this effort to coerce visitors to board at the Springs hotel will keep many away from the place altogether, and there is talk of resisting the imposition.

A travelling show out West announces itself as "the mightiest, most overwhelming, opposition annihilating, combined gorgeous and rival crushing cluster of superb and bewilderingly perfect show the entire world ever looked upon." It has the electric light, and that light is "a glorious illuminator" and sheds "a halo of unspeakable glory." And yet the children are admitted at half price, as usual.

Miss Ella Kuhns, of Greensburg, on Monday afternoon, the 14th inst., had occasion to do some shopping at a store opposite her residence, some boys had built a fire in the street, and while passing her dress was caught in the flames, and before assistance could be rendered, she was so badly burned as to cause her death in great agony on the following morning.

Butter-making is getting to be a real science. When the pastures fail by reason of drought to yield the proper feed, dairymen must see that their cows have something more and in the churning it the butter is too light colored, use a little of Wells, Richardson & Co.'s Perfected Butter Color to keep up the bright gold of June.

The love of home was a virtue especially cultivated by the ancients, says an exchange. If the same virtue were cultivated in these days the streets would not be thronged with young boys and girls at night, and there would be less vice and fewer criminals.

THE LATE COMMENCEMENT AT FRANKLIN AND MARSHALL COLLEGE.—More than usual interest was manifested in connection with the commencement exercises of Franklin and Marshal College, of Lancaster, Pa., held the latter part of June. The Baccalaureate sermon by the President of the College, Dr. Thomas G. Appel, is said to have been a clear and forcible presentation of the truth of his theme and very appropriate to the occasion. The address before the literary societies was delivered by Rev. Hepburn Hargis, pastor of the oldest M. E. Church of Frankfort, Philadelphia, who held the close attention of a large and appreciative audience, while he discoursed, for a full hour, in a historical, scientific and theological manner on the question, "Why are we here?" His address gave entire satisfaction to his intelligent hearers. The alumni orator, the Hon. C. A. Magee, having lately and suddenly gone to Europe, the evening set apart for the reception of his address was devoted to the triennial greeting of the Goethean Literary Society, which proved to be a very enjoyable affair to all who had the privilege of participating in the festivity. The commencement exercises were largely attended by alumni and friends of the institution.

At a meeting of the alumni association it was, on motion of Rev. C. U. Heilman, resolved to appoint a committee to make arrangements for the holding of a centennial celebration of Franklin College, in 1887, and a semi-centennial celebration of Marshal College, at the same time. These two institutions, the former located at Lancaster, and the latter at Mercersburg, were in 1853 united, and thus Franklin and Marshal College took its rise. The year 1887 may therefore be expected to be one full of interest to the friends of the College, and, it is to be hoped, of profit also to the institution itself.

It has for years been the custom of the ladies of Lancaster city to give, in connection with the commencement festivities, what is called an alumni dinner, to which the Board of Trustees, Faculty, Alumni, Students of the College and visiting friends are invited. This year the large dinner-room of Harbaugh Hall was literally packed with ladies and gentlemen who partook of a rich repast and then shook their sides with laughter at the wit and humor of the post-prandial speeches. Gen B. F. Fisher, of Philadelphia, presided on the occasion.

Everybody who was in attendance speaks well of the last commencement. The prospects for a large addition of new students at the opening of the next term are very good. A half-dozen or more young men of this county expect to answer roll-call at Franklin and Marshall during the next collegiate year. When "Wilhelm Academy" will once be established in Somerset county, then our boys will have the opportunity of attending college at Lancaster tuition free. It is to be hoped that no unnecessary impediments will be thrown in the way of the establishment of a permanent academy in the Glades.

ALBERTUS.

AN ACT.—The following is a correct copy of an Act entitled:

An Act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of the peace and regulating the fees of constables making sales under this act.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted, &c.*, That the aldermen, magistrates and justices of the peace in this Commonwealth shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the courts of common pleas of all artions arising from contract, either express or implied, and of all actions of trespass and of troyer and conversion wherein the sum demanded does not exceed three hundred dollars, except in cases of real contract, where the title to lands or tenements may come in question, or action upon promise of marriage.

SEC. 2. In all actions brought before any justice of the peace, magistrate or alderman on any contract for the payment of money, either expressed or implied, if the plaintiff shall file at any time before the issuing of the summons, in any such case, an affidavit stating the amount he verily believes to be due from the defendant, together with a copy of the book entries or instrument of writing upon which the action is brought, or where the claims are not evidenced by writing, if the plaintiff shall file as aforesaid an affidavit setting forth a full and detailed statement of the same, it shall be the duty of the justice, alderman or magistrate to make a copy of such affidavit, duly certify the same and deliver it to the constable to whom the summons is issued, which certified copy shall be served at the time and in the manner that service is made of the summons in the case, and the justice, magistrate or alderman shall render judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the amount of his claim, unless the defendant, at or before the time which the summons is made returnable, shall have filed with the justice, magistrate or alderman an affidavit of defense, setting forth fully the nature and character of the same: *Provided*, That the affidavit required by this section may be made by the agent of the party, where such agent is cognizant of the facts constituting the cause of action or defense, or other matters set forth: *And provided further*, That nothing contained in this act shall be construed to alter, impair or abridge the right of any person to appeal from the judgment of the justice of the peace, magistrate or alderman, or to certiorari the proceedings to the court of common pleas of the proper county, as in other cases: *And provided further*, That nothing contained in this act shall apply to magistrates in cities of the first class: *And provided further*, That the fees allowed to constables under this act on all sales made be as follows: For all sales amounting to less than fifty dollars, three per cent.; for all sales amounting to less than one hundred dollars, two per cent.; for all sales above one hundred dollars, one per cent.

SEC. 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

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.

$25 REWARD.—Lost on the afternoon of Saturday, July 5th, between Somerset and the Bowman cheese factory, a Russia leather pocket book containing $22 in bills and a number of papers of value only to the owner. The above reward will be paid for the delivery of the pocket book and contents at the office of the Somerset Dairy Co., in Somerset.

E. A. SAGE.

Somerset, July 14, 1879.

The weather during the past week has been extremely warm, the thermometer uniformly standing at over 70 in the morning, rising to 83a90 in the afternoon, and mostly standing over 80 at 6 p. m. The thermometer from which these data are derived is thoroughly shaded, and no reflection can reach it: another and more exposed marked from 4 to 6 degrees higher than the above figures.

A perfect simoon of shocking crimes seems to be now sweeping over the land. From North, East, South and West come daily accounts of murder, outrage, suicide, and the like, and if one were to judge from the columns of the newspapers, it would be impossible to avoid the conclusion that the bottomless pit had cast out into the earth its agents of evil, who are now working destruction to humanity.

"I am All Played Out!" is a common complaint in hot weather. If you feel so, get a package of Kidney-Wort and take it and you will at once feel its tonic power. It keeps up the healthy action of the Kidneys, Bowels and Liver, and thus restores the natural life and strength to the weary body.

The post offices will take all your three and 5 cent silver pieces for postage stamps and forward them to Washington, from whence, under the recent act of Congress, they will be forwarded to the mint to be melted up and used in the manufacture of other coins of a higher denomination.

WANTED.—100 Barrels of Maple Sugar.
1,000 Bushels of Potatoes.
1,000 Bushels of Wheat.
For cash, or in exchange for goods.

COOK & BEERITS.

By direction of the Board of School Directors of Somerset Borough, I will receive sealed proposals for the putting down of a four foot pavement, of stone or plank, along the west side of the Academy lot. Proposals must be handed in on or before Monday the 4th day of August next, and must state whether they are for stone or plank. Specifications will be furnished on application.

W. H. WELFLEY.

As "fly-time" is upon us, we may remind our readers that it is said that if three or four onions are boiled in a pint of water, and the liquid is brushed over glasses and frames, the flies will not alight on the articles thus washed. This may be used without the least apprehension, as it will do no injury.

Now, if ever, is the time when cellars should be carefully inspected and divested of every particle of decaying matter, especially that of the vegitable order. Thorough ventilation and a good coat of whitewash will greatly assist in maintaining that part of the household in a healthful condition.

The common sunflower is claimed to be a powerful absorbent of noxious and malarious odors, and its growth is recommended as a preventative of malarial diseases. An old physician says: "You never knew of a case of any kind in a house that had sunflowers growing about it." The advice is worthy of consideration.

Young man, if she smiles on you more sweetly than usual; if she remarks that 11 o'clock isn't a bit late; if she confidently invites you to call again; if she bids you good night with a gentle pressure of her little hand, be not deceived—the festival season cometh, when all these things must needs be.

A CARD.—SOMERSET, May 26, 1879.—Wm. Heffley has removed to Meyersdale, where he will be pleased to accommodate all who are in want of a first-class suit; burglars not included.

Go to Holderbaum's to buy your carpets; 1,000 yards just received, consisting of Ingrains, Cottage Hemp, Rag, Stair and Floor Oil-cloth's.

The hay crop is panning out better than was at first anticipated. Prime timothy is selling in this market at twelve dollars per ton.

MARRIED.

SCHNEIDER—LEIBERY.—June 10, by Rev. B. Knepper, John Schneider, to Margaret Leibery, both from near Mt. Savage.

DEGNAN—POOLE.—June 24, by the same, Mr. M. J. Degnan to Miss Annie Poole, both of Cumberland.

MILLER—PRESSMAN.—On the 1st inst., by the same, Mr. Cornelius Miller to Miss Annie Pressman, both of Cumberland.

DIED.

REIBER.—On the 3d inst., Norman, son of William Reiber, aged 1 year, 11 months and 3 days.

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 15 to $1 25
Butter, ℔ ℔ (keg)	16c
Butter, ℔ ℔ (roll)	18c
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	75c
" meal, 100 ℔s	$1 75 to $2 00
Beeswax, ℔ ℔	28c
Bacon, shoulders, ℔ ℔	8c
" sides, "	7c
" country hams, ℔ ℔	10 to 11c
Corn, (ear) ℔ bushel	50c
Corn, (shelled) ℔ bushel	60c to 65c
Corn meal ℔ ℔	2c
Calf skins, ℔ ℔	6c
Eggs, ℔ doz	10c
Flour, ℔ bbl	$5 00 to $5 50
Flaxseed ℔ bu., (56 ℔)	75c
Ham, (sugar-cured) ℔ ℔	12c
Lard, ℔ ℔	8c @ 10c
Leather, red sole, ℔ ℔	30@36
" upper "	45@75c
" kip, "	70@80c
Middlings, and chop 100 ℔s	$1 50
Oats, ℔ bu	40@45c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	40@50c
Peaches, pared, ℔ ℔	9 to 7c
Rye ℔ bu	60c to 70c
Rags, ℔ ℔	1c
Salt, No. 1, ℔ bbl, extra	$1 75
" Ground Alum, per sack	$1 60 to $1 75
" Ashton, per sack	$4 00
Sugar, yellow ℔ ℔	8@10
" white	10@12½c
Tallow, ℔ ℔	7c
Wheat, ℔ bus	$1 00
Wool, ℔ ℔	35@40

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

F. K. Hall and Sarah, his wife. to John M. Olinger. | In the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset Co. Pa., No. 105 April Term, 1879. (Voluntary Assignment.)

And now 31st May, 1879; on motion of W. H. Koontz, Esq., attorney of the Assignee, the Court appoint L. C. Colborn, Esq., Auditor to distribute the fund in the hands of the Assignee to and among those legally entitled thereto.

SOMERSET COUNTY, ss:

Extract from the record, certified 2nd June, 1879. [SEAL.] H. F. SCHELL, Pro.

The undersigned hereby gives notice, that he will meet to attend to the duties of the above appointment, on Thursday, the 14th day of August 1879, at his office in Somerset, Pa., when and where all parties interested may attend if they think proper.

L. C. COLBORN,
July 23 Auditor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Philip Shaver, Jr., late of Somerset 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 his late residence in said township, on Saturday, August 9, 1879.

DR. ROBERT H. PATTERSON,
JOSIAH SHAVER,
July 2

SELLERS' LIVER PILLS

Have been the *standard remedy* for the cure of **Liver Complaints, Costiveness, Fever and Ague, Sick Headache,** and *all* derangements of the stomach and liver for over *fifty years.* Read this: *"Sellers' Liver Pills cured* me of an attack of Liver complaint of eight years' standing."—Wm. Evans, Joliet, Ills. Price, 25 cts. a box. R. E. Sellers & Co., prop'rs., Pittsburg, Pa. Sold by all druggists.

CHARLES C. ORTON'S
TOBACCO STORE.

Citizens and visitors will find it to their interest and comfort to buy Cigars and Tobacco at my store.

I believe I can undersell any establishment in the county, and am certain that my stock cannot be excelled in quality. Cheroots and cigarettes for beginners in the practice of smoking, and Tobies and Pipes for those accustomed to narcotics, are kept on hand. Very choice brands of Chewing Tobacco and Cigars have just been received and are disposed of at less prices than have been heard of since the war began. A choice lot of Pipes on hand. The best Fine Cut in the market is sold over my counter.

CALL AT THE SIGN OF THE
INDIAN GIRL,
NO. 3, MAMMOTH BLOCK.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of Somerset Borough School District for the year ending June 1, 1879:

RECEIPTS.

To amounts received—	
From State appropriation	$304 52
On duplicate of John R. Scott	84 37
On dup. of W. H. Welfley, 1877	355 71
On duplicate of same, 1879	869 64
	$1614 30

EXPENDITURES.

For repairing	$ 107 65
For fuel and contingencies, including janitor's pay and insurance	294 60
For salaries of teachers	1250 00
For secretary and treasurer	56 65
	$1614 30

W. H. Welfley, collector for the year ending June 1, 1879:

DR.	
Whole amount of duplicate	$1412 12
CR.	
Amount paid over	$ 869 54
Exonerations allowed	30 21
Commission for collecting	67 65
Balance due (uncollected)	415 62
	$1412 12

RESOURCES OF THE DISTRICT.

Amount due from Henry Kreager	$ 25 71
" " on duplicate of 1878 (uncollected)	100 21
" " on duplicate of 1879 (uncollected)	515 62
Total resources of the District	$641 54

NOTE.—This is subject to such other exonerations as may be allowed.

We, the undersigned, auditors of Somerset borough, have examined the vouchers of the foregoing account and found them correct in all particulars. Witness our hands and seals, June 30, 1879.

CHAS. C. SHAFER,
GEO. SNYDER,
M. J. PRITTS,
July 9. Auditors.

$2500 ... Sold. Best ... circulars free. ... Louis, Mo.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS *NEW ADVERTISEMENTS*

STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER

Now invite especial attention to the

DRESS GOODS STOCK,

As representing an assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Fabrics,

Never before shown in Philadelphia.

WE HAVE OVER
300 PIECES SUITINGS AT 18c,
Comprising
MOHAIRS, DIAGONALS, CASHMERES, NOVELTIES, BEIGES, ETC.

WE HAVE OVER
500 PIECES SUITINGS AT 20,
Comprising
ARMURES, BEIGES, MOHAIRS, BOURETTES, STRIPES, PLAIDS, ETC.

WE HAVE OVER
1000 PIECES SUITINGS AT 25.
Comprising
MOMIE CLOTHS, CASHMERES, SILK MIXED SUITINGS, ALL-WOOL CHECKS, PURE MOHAIRS, SOFT-WOOL BEIGES, CAMEL'S HAIR, STRIPES, PLAIDS, ETC., ETC.

WE HAVE OVER
300 PCS. ALL-WOOL BEIGS AT 25.
BOTH TWILLED AND PLAIN.

WE HAVE OVER
300½ PCS. FOREIGN FABRICS AT 37½.
Comprising
NOVELTIES, MOMIE CLOTHS, CAMEL'S HAIR, MONO CLOTHS, PLAIDS, STRIPES, ETC.

WE HAVE OVER
300 PCS. FRENCH TEXTURES AT 50.
Comprising
SILK MIXED, PEKINS, CHECKS, SATINS, CAMEL'S HAIR, FOULES, ETC.
Single and double width, at
62½, 75, 87½, $100,
And upwards. We have

THOUSANDS of PIECES

Comprising
BEIGES (22, 36 and 46 inches wide), FRENCH CASHMERES, PARIS NOVELTIES, CASHMERE DES INDES, SHOODAS, FANCY BUNTINGS, PLAIDS, CHEVRONS, ETC., ETC.

WE ALSO HAVE
ONE THOUSAND PIECES
BLACK HERNANIES & GRENADINES,
At prices from
20 cents to $2,50 per yard, and in assortment of styles quite extraonry.

PLEASE NOTE: We employ no agents. Send direct to the house for samples of whatever you may need, and secure the advantages of our low prices.

STRAWBRIDGE & CLOTHIER,
N. W. COR. EIGHTH AND MARKET STS.,
PHILADELPHIA.
Apr 30

AT C. N. BOYD'S

MAMMOTH BLOCK, SOMERSET, PENN'A.

You can get

CARBOLINE, COD LIVER OIL, BULL'S COUGH SYRUP, HAMBURGER TEA, HALL'S HAIR RENEWER, HOP BITTERS, AUGUST FLOWER ST. JACOB'S OIL, GARGLING OIL, AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP, JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT, HAMBURGER DROPS, FINK'S MAGIC OIL, FOUR FOLD LINIMENT,

BASE BALLS, GARDEN SEEDS, FINE STATIONERY, CLOTH BRUSHES, TOILET GOODS, FISHING TACKLE, POCKET BOOKS, PENS & PENHOLDERS, TOOTH BRUSHES, SACHET POWDERS, TOILET SOAPS, LEGAL BLANKS, SCHOOL BOOKS, NAIL BRUSHES, HOYT'S COLOGNE, LUN