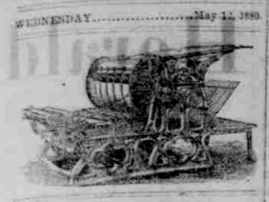
The Somerset Herald.

WEDNESDAY.....May 12, 1880.



TIME TABLES.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after Dec. 1st, 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:	
Pittsburg	8.45 a. m.	New York	8.50 p. m.
Bradock	9.41 "	Philadelphia	11.30 a. m.
McKeesport	9.55 "	Baltimore	7.10 "
West Newton	10.35 "	Richmond	10.15 p. m.
Broad Ford	10.49 "	Washington	8.30 a. m.
Mt. Pleasant	10.58 "	Cumberland	2.30 p. m.
Connellsville	11.35 "	Hyndman	3.11 "
Connellsville	10.25 p. m.	Rockwood	4.47 "
Ohio Pyle	10.59 "	Ohio Pyle	5.46 "
Rockwood	11.52 p. m.	Connellsville	7.01 "
Hyndman	1.36 a. m.	Broad Ford	8.35 "
Cumberland	2.45 "	Mt. Pleasant	8.47 "
Washington	7.20 "	Connellsville	8.59 "
Richmond	11.55 a. m.	West Newton	9.16 "
Baltimore	8.20 p. m.	McKeesport	9.52 "
Philadelphia	3.10 a. m.	Bradock	———
New York	6.35 "	Pittsburg	9.35 p. m.

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

The Express train leaves Pittsburgh at 8.55 P. M., arriving at Connellsville 10.01 P. M., Mineral Point 10.10 A. M. In return the Express leaves Cumberland at 1.20 A. M., arriving at Mineral Point 3.05 A. M., Connellsville 3.19 A. M., Pittsburgh 4.15 A. M.

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

Through Mail leaving at 7.45 A. M., daily, arrives at Washington at 7.20 A. M.; Baltimore, 8.20 P. M.; Philadelphia 3.10 A. M.; New York 6.45 A. M.; Richmond 11.55 A. M.

Through Express, leaving 8.55 P. M., daily, arrives at Washington at 7.20 A. M.; Baltimore, 8.20 A. M.; Richmond, 10.15 A. M.; Philadelphia; 1.40 P. M.; New York, 6.30 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. A. SCULL,
E. H. MINDMAN, Supt., Connellsville.

P. W. & B. R. R.—PASS MINERAL POINT.

SOMERSET & CAMBRIA RAILROAD.

On and after Monday, Nov. 17, 1879, trains will run as follows, connecting with Mail trains on Pittsburgh, Div., B. & O. R. R. (except Sunday).

	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Mail East.....	10 30 a. m.	12 15 p. m.
Mail West.....	5 30 p. m.	8 30 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 2:30 P. M. to connect with the Mountain Express east on the B. & O. R. R., and on Monday at 8:45 A. M. to connect with same train west, which arrives in Pittsburgh at 9:45 A. M.

J. B. FRITZ, Passenger & Ticket Agt.
W. H. SANNER, Superintendent.

Way Passenger East		12:15 p m
Way Pa	West	1:10 p. m
Mail East		11:32 a. m.
Mail West		4:47 p. m.
Express East		12:37 a m
Express West		3:55 A. M

SALE REGISTER.

June 5.—Estate of Peter Berkeybile, late of Paint township, deceased.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Addison—S. A. Dean.
Allegheny—A. P. Hillegas.
Berlin Bor.—Charles Swope.
Brothersvalley—A. G. Kimmel.
Conemaugh—Isaac Yoder.
Confluence Bor.—T. B. Frantz.
Elklick—Jacob S. Livengood.
Greenville—A. J. Stoner.
Jefferson—Fred. Shaulis.
Jennertown Bor.—Jos. Duncan.
Jenner—B. S. Fleck.
Larimer—A. W. Bowman.
Lower Turkeyfoot—C. S. Youskin.
Meyersdale Bor.—Samuel Foust.
Middlecreek—J. R. McMillen.
Milford—R. H. Dull.
New Centreville Bor.—Wallace McMillen.
Northampton—S. P. Poorbaugh.
Paint—D. R. Brubaker.
Quemahoning—C. H. Dickey.
Salisbury Bor.—Samuel Lowry.
Shade—David E. Wagner.
Somerset Bor.—D. J. Horner.
Somerset Twp.—A. F. Dickey.
" North—Perry Umberger.
Southampton—Israel Emerick.
Stonycreek—Romanus Baldwin.
Stoystown Bor.—Henry Bowman.
Summit—C. M. Hostetler.
Upper Turkeyfoot—Alex. Rhoads.
Ursina Bor.—Jerome Jennings.
Wellersburg Bor.—Michael Long.

JOSIAH KELLER, Chairman.
ED B. SCULL, Secretary.

Fine Joint Rods at Boyd's

Fishing Tackle at C. N. Boyd's.

Silk Fishing-lines at C. N. Boyd's.

Nice Fish Baskets at C. N. Boyd's.

The apple trees are commencing to bloom.

Hooks, Rods, Lines and Reels at C. N. Boyd's.

The best five and ten cent cigars in town at Orton's.

Our Sunday-schools will soon discuss the picnic question.

Orton's "Silver Cliff" and "No Name" Chewing Tobaccos.

A new lot of Fishing Tackle has just been received by C. N. Boyd.

A fine, new lot of Watches, Clocks, and Silverware at E. M'Dowell's.

New Millinery Goods this week at May 11, 1880. MRS. A. E. UHL'S.

If you would be successful in catching trout, buy your Fishing Tackle of C. N. Boyd.

Go to E. M'Dowell's and examine his twelve dollar Elgin watches; the best in the county.

I will receive a new assortment of Hats and Bonnets on Thursday.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

For a good new watch, go to E. M'Dowell's, two doors west of Somerset House, Somerset, Pa.

FARMERS, LOOK HERE.—For your Grass Seeds, Clover and Timothy, call at the Flour Depot of

COOK & BEERITS.

FARMERS, LOOK HERE!—I am again in the front with a full line of Mackerel Fish—to sell at bottom prices—for cash or produce. All fish sold are guaranteed.

JOSIAH KELLER.

MEAT MARKET, MAIN CROSS ST.—I will have on hand at all times, Beef, Pork, Mutton and Sausage, at reasonable prices. Open daily; will run a meat wagon three times each week.

HENRY KREGAR.

Always on hand—the celebrated Golden Fleece Flour, made at Springfield, Ohio. Best in market. A full line of Family Groceries and Grain, cheap for cash.

JOSIAH KELLER.

CEMENT, WHITE-WASH & FERTILIZER—Land Plaster, Calcined Plaster, Lime and Cement. Have in stock car load, and offer for sale by the barrel or pound, at moderate prices.

COOK & BEERITS.

SOMERSET, PA., April 12, 1880.

NOTICE.—I have this day sold to Mrs. M. M. Pile, my entire stock of goods in store, consisting of Groceries, Colectioneries, Jewelry, Tobacco and Cigars, and all fixtures belonging to said store. Persons indebted to me will please call at the store and settle their accounts with S. R. Pile.

G. W. PILE.

A STRANGE PEOPLE.—Do you know that there are strange people in our community, we say strange because they seem to prefer to suffer and pass their days miserably, made so by Dyspepsia, and Liver Complaint, Indigestion, Constipation, and general debility, when SHILOH'S VITALIZER is guaranteed to cure them.

Sold by GEO. W. BENFORD, Somerset, Pa.

ANNUAL MEETING

At Lanark, Ills., June 1.

First-class round trip tickets, from Somerset to Chicago and return—good from May 1st till July 8th, 1880—for $20. You can also buy cheap tickets West, from Chicago to Lanark, Dixon, Waterloo, Falls City, Lincoln, Nebraska, and other places, from J. H. Fritz, Passenger and Ticket Agent B. & O. R. R., at Somerset, Penn. Special office days on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday until 10 a. m. Write or call for information at once.

The trial of the balance of the untried bribers has been postponed until the August court.

To be called a vandal may not be pleasant, but the man that ties a horse to a shade tree is one.

For the past four or five days the weather has been remarkably warm, for this season of the year.

The weather was warm and pleasant Sunday, and in consequence, our churches were well attended.

There is a prospect of a new Democratic newspaper being started in Bedford. So says the Bedford *Inquirer*.

Loving hands are busily engaged, during the fine days, in fixing up the graves of those gone before, at the cemetery.

The first appointment made by Census Supervisor Miller, of this District, is U. M. Housel, to be the enumerator of Greenville.

Mr. J. G. Harvey, of Baltimore, so well and favorably known to most of our people, is spending the present week in town.

Among the postal changes for the week ending Saturday last, we notice that Chestnut Hill, this county, has been changed to Forward.

Bear in mind and give the Committee on Decoration all the support and encouragement in your power. The cause is a worthy one.

We are indebted to our old friend and patron, Ed. B. Gilbert, of Butcher's Ranche, Cal., for copies of San Francisco papers sent us.

Our genial German friend, Mr. Henry Keuster, met with a great misfortune in the loss of his celebrated stallion "Phœnix," last week.

Our burgess intends to enforce the borough ordinance prohibiting the throwing of coal ashes, rubbish, etc., on the streets and alleys, and he means business.

There is a man in New Oxford, Adams county, that the doctors pronounce a leper. This is the first case of leprosy that has ever been known in this section of the country.

Pittsburgh's public building are to cost three quarters of a million dollars, the bill which passed the House providing for their erection, appropriating that amount of money for the purpose.

During the fire in the mountain, near Arendtsville, Adams county, recently, the men engaged in preventing the spread of the fire were somewhat surprised to see six large deer emerge from the burning district.

We tender hearty thanks to our various correspondents, this week for their budgets of local news. It may have cost them a little time to compile the same, but they will be amply compensated in feasting on the gossip of each other.

The hands employed by Mr. Spiller, who has the contract for 9 sections of the S. & C. R. R., at this end, went out on a strike Saturday evening. As they had not worked sufficient to pay their transportation, they were forced to again resume work.

In the first column of this page will be found the names of the Republican County Committee, appointed by Chairman Keller to serve during the present year. They are all staunch, reliable Republicans, and men that will work for the best interests of the party.

A young man by the name of Coleman captured a young cub bear on the ridge, some three miles southeast of town, one day of last week. He was going through the woods when he saw two cubs "a basking in the sun." He seized one of them and "brought it in alive."

The Greensburg *Argus* says that a bogus lottery-ticket agent is prowling around through the adjoining counties. In one of the towns visited by the rascal he scooped in $300 and then suddenly disappeared. The pianos, organs, carriages, &c., that were to be sent by freight never arrived; not will they under the present schedule.

SUFFERING WOMEN.—There is but a very small proportion of the women of this nation that do not suffer from some of the diseases for which Kidney-Wort is a specific. When the bowels have become costive, headache torments, kidneys out of fix, or piles distress, take a package, and its wonderful tonic and renovating power will cure you and give new life.

Henry Lear, Patriot, Ohio, writes:

I was taken sick last Wednesday with a very severe Rheumatic pain in my left shoulder; I was so unwell that I could not even turn myself around in bed. Having heard of the curative qualities of St. Jacobs Oil, I concluded to try it. The first application brought relief, and on the subsequent day I was able to go to work. I therefore recommend this excellent remedy to all sufferers with Rheumatism.

At the meeting held in the Court House Tuesday evening it was decided to place a neat iron fence along the south and west fronts of the grave yard on the hill, and to repair the paling fence along the east and north sides, as there had not been sufficient money subscribed to enclose the entire ground with iron. The following named gentlemen were appointed a committee to superintend the work: A. Flick, S. F. Picking, C. N. Boyd, W. B. Mier and Val. Hay.

Saturday afternoon as Mr. Will Meyers and Mr. Frank Gilbert were driving down Union street, their horse, a handsome bay which they had but recently purchased, took fright and ran off. In attempting to jump from the buggy, Mr. Meyers' right leg was caught in the wheel and was badly broken half way between the knee and ankle. Both bones were broken entirely off. The wound is what doctors term a "compound complex fracture." Mr. Meyers was terribly bruised, but sustained no other serious injury. He was carried into Mr. Curtis Grove's carriage shop, where Dr.'s Ed. M. and H. S. Kimmel dressed his wound. He was then carried to his home on Main street by a party of friends. Mr. Gilbert escaped with but slight injury. The horse was badly hurt in several places. The one shaft of the buggy ran several inches into his left shoulder, inflicting a very ugly gash. The buggy was a complete wreck. Mr. Meyers is doing as well as could be expected, but it will be a long time before he will be able to be about again. He is the Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company at this place.

Saturday evening the negotiations which have been pending for a long time between the proprietors of the Somerset House and Mr. F. E. Weimer, for the purchase of the lot of ground adjoining the Somerset House, was brought to a successful close. We have not learned the price paid. Mr. Tayman informs us that he expects to commence work immediately and will place a handsome fence around the lot, will cover the ground with sod, and will "stick it full" of shrubbery and ornamental shade trees. He also proposes to build a sixteen foot wide veranda along the entire east side of the house, which will add considerably to the appearance thereof, and will lend greatly to the comfort and pleasure of guests of the house. The east side will be latticed and fast growing vines will be planted along it; on the north side will be placed a rolling canvas curtain, during the summer evenings the veranda will be used for dancing purposes. Mr. Tayman has engaged Prof. von Lenssing, the celebrated violincellist, for the summer, and will have a full band of first class musicians to furnish dancing music during the entire season. Quite a number of strangers have already made application for boarding, and the prospects for a "full house" are very good. The Somerset House has a well deserved reputation that always insures it a liberal patronage.

We are indebted to General M. A. Ross for a copies of Cincinnati papers containing an account of the first day's proceedings of the General Conference of the M. E. Church, now in session at Pike's Opera House in that city. The body will be in session during the present month. Over four hundred delegates from all parts of the world are in attendance. We would like to publish extracts from the proceedings if space would permit. We take the following from the Cincinnati *Commercial* of the 2nd inst:

Yesterday morning, May 1, witnessed the gathering of the law-makers of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Pike's Opera house, in this city, from all parts of the world where this Church has established missions and is carrying on the work of spreading the Gospel. From the East and the West, from the North and the South, have assembled together one of the most august and influential bodies in the world. From the Bishop who travels round the globe to the circuit rider of the great Northwest, from the scholarly man and the eloquent orator to the Chinaman, the Hindoo and the *real live Indian*,—you can find them all in this great congregation. Doctors of divinity and doctors of law, editors and authors, preachers and laymen; from the sage in years and experience to the novice from the islands of the Pacific Ocean.—here they are assembled in their quadrennial session to deliberate and *do* in such a manner as to effect in some sense, at least, the whole religious world. It may be safely said that never before in the history of Pike's have so many literary and noted men been gathered within its walls at one time. Morley Punshon, the British orator, has lectured here, and John B. Gough, and other celebrities, in the play and the opera, delighting their brilliant audiences, but here is an assembly that beats them all, and from henceforth renders this hall one of the historic spots of Methodism.

METERSDALE, Pa., May 6, 1880.

ED. HERALD—DEAR SIR:—Perhaps a few lines from our thriving village, on the Casselman, will be acceptable to the readers of your paper:

I have used the adjective *thriving* to express the condition of affairs as now existing here. Everything appears to be booming. Merchants are busy in disposing of their lately arrived new stock, and receive in lieu thereof crisp, new bills—the issue of our National credit, or the ringing silver "dollar of our Dads." Money seems to be as abundant as the potato, and they are selling at two shillings a bushel, with no demand at that. Mechanics too, are having booms; new houses are building, and old ones being repaired. *Labor waits the mate.*

Then too, the *Commercial* has had a boom. The *Commercial* is our town organ. It's a "Smith American," but it has only two sets of reeds of four octaves compass. The Editor claims that *he* is capable of handling the keys, and sometimes he does seem to manipulate them well, but when he attempts a difficult piece with either B (oe) or C (see) sharp, then he realizes the inferiority of the instrument as well as the incompetancy of the performer. With his own recommendation, he *dispatches* it to various places to be tested, and expects people to be satisfied with the cheap music that can be ground out of it. Some time ago the *instrument* was used for a school purpose; now it serves the "Blaine Club," with chord accompaniments to "Marching Through Georgia" and "Grant's the Man"—two very popular songs just now. Perhaps, Mr. Editor, you are not aware that these times—specially the latter—are very popular in Meyersdale, even though our organ hasn't sufficient compass to allow the accompaniment. Immediately after the 2nd of June the Democratic stockholders will add to it an additional octave, a sub-bass, and a grand organ knee swell. Then we shall expect to hear both chords and dischords. Mr. Editor, Don't take it for granted that because a baker's dozen of our townsmen responded to the call of the would be Blaine Club, (said call understood to have been by Hon. Wm. H. Koontz,) that they represent the entire strength of the Republican party in and about Meyersdale. We have a goodly number of stalwart *true* Republicans—who do not fear monarchy in a "third term" but look to the best interest of the party, and believe that we need the same strength now that we needed from 1864 to 1876. The number of Grant men in this community includes doctors, mechanics, bankers, teachers, photographers, hotel keepers, butchers, contractors, mechanics and laboring men—the bone and sinew of a staunch party. The Blaine men are our politicians, and Pickwickian like, they understand how to howl. After a while they'll join hands with us and we'll all "keep the ball rolling."

Respectfully &c.,
A GRANT MAN.

FROM URSINA.

EDITOR HERALD: We, in reviewing that original poetry in the HERALD of the 28th ult., headed, "The Devil Fishing," are lead to wonder what variety of bait that adept angler is using to catch such minnows as "Immemorial M" and "Ike Marvel," of *Democrat* notoriety. Doubtless the old angelic back-slider will have use for minnows as well as large fish.

In reviewing the late correspondence under various *nom de plumes*—"Ike Marvel," "Immemorial M," &c., &c.,—we find that happy Hydra headed "Trio of Mystic Hemaphrodites," lately petered out in a coarse, vulgar attempt at being personal, in doing which it disgraced the columns of the *Democrat*.

This Trio of Liliputian souls reminds us of the ancient proverb—"Whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad." "Scribe" seems to be the continual watchword of this specimen of the genus Homo, and its coarse jokes from their vulgar frequency, have caused us to almost doubt the words of the poet when he penned these lines:

"The world goes up and the world goes down,
And the sunshine follows the rain,
And yesterday's sneer and yesterday's frown
Can never come over again,
Dear Ike,
No, never come over again."

As regards "Immemorial M's" supposition that Mr. Hunter was likely to get a partner, we will just inform that literary aspirant that Mr. Hunter is abundantly able to run his own business. He says "he has no need of a partner in business, unless, in imitation of some other business firms, he'd employ a "member of the church" to do the swearing for the concern.

We would inform "Immemorial M" and "Ike Marvel," who seem to entertain a deadly hatred towards "Mac" and "Jake," that neither of us ever had occasion to return from a sojourn in the West, in consideration of a financial plum being bestowed upon us, in order to quiet certain little waves of discord in the stream of domestic felicity; and further, in view of the advice given us by "Ike" on finances, we will say in self defense, we never let our old man (who has had a heavy share of trouble) stick for $800 or $1,000. "Ike" and "M" think us insane as to writing a book. We think we'll write a question book for "M" as well as a parody on a "Teacher's Retreat," via the Ursina lime kilns, escorted by a corporal's guard, consisting of one lady and a small boy, to shield him from a possible attack by those dreadful "Ursina Utes." We think it would take, provided t'was sung to the air of Bonaparte's Retreat

One of our aged citizens, Mrs. Doreas Younkin, wife of Jacob Y. Younkin, died May 9, 1880. Mrs. Younkin's maiden name was Hartzell. The deceased leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her departure. The interment will take place at the Jersey Church, on Tuesday.

John P. H. Walker had a slight stroke of paralysis last week. He is better at the present writing.

MAC.

May 10, 1880.

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.

FISH! FISH!—In exchange for country produce, or for Cash. We offer the largest stock of Extra Shore, No. 2. Mackerel in town.

COOK & BEERITS.

ADDISON TOWNSHIP.—

EDITOR HERALD, SIR: It is a little amusing to read the editorial page of the Meyersdale *Commercial* and note its opposition to General Grant, and its support of the bolters of this county from the Harrisburg Convention. Two years ago the Berlin *Bulletin* was the organ of the Greenbackers and the bolters, and after having defeated our Congressional and Senatorial candidates, so far as its influence could effect such a result, evaporated like the dews of the morning and is no more.

The *Commercial* then lent its columns to the support of a well-known farce brought about under party usages, but since remedied in the regular and proper way, against which we make no complaint; but we are a little singularly impressed to see that delectable sheet, the *Commercial*, two years later take up the cry of its defunct contemporary, the *Bulletin*, manifestly for a purpose no more Republican than was the object of the defunct organ.

The names of some noble spirits, who were such important factors among the malcontents of two years ago and disposed of Campbell in a manner very discreditable to the Republicans of this county, for a mess of potage present or prospective, are conspicuously connected with the present bolter movements. There are, of course, some worthy exceptions, but when we carefully examine the character of the leaders in both movements, we find that they spring from about three classes:

1st. Those whose appetite for office is unstiable.

2d. Those who have been hopelessly shelved for want of party recognition.

3d. Those who are so far in the rear that they are willing to ride to the front, even on a rail, it it needs be, to gain some party celebrity.

How many of the bolters from the Harrisburg Convention that are known outside of their immediate communities have not some real or imaginary wrong of which to complain? Every American citizen has an undoubted right to make known his preference of men for party honors and to support those men by publishing their virtues and abilities; but it is unkind and unrepublican in spirit and in fact, to attempt to elevate one man above another by heaping honor upon the one and slandering the other. Six weeks ago the friends of Blaine outnumbered those of Grant two to one in this township, but I am safe in saying that the friends of the latter are now in the majority, all of which is the result of the ill-advised course of the friends of Maine's great Senator. It is said "that the bird that fouls its own nest is dirty," and it is equally true "that the bird that fouls another bird's nest is 'mean'"—and it appears that the friends of Blaine in this county have acted the part of both birds. The Grant men have gone to work in a quiet and regular way, relying upon the merits of their favorite for success without assailing the character of Blaine,—and such a course will win in the end. Your correspondent was a Blaine man two months ago, and to-day cherishes as high a regard for Maine's great and distinguished Senator as any man in the county, but will not stand by and see America's proud est son abused and slandered by a pack of men who are no more worthy than bootblacks, as compared with him, without offering some protest, humble as it may be.

The very idea that General Grant is a formidable candidate for a third term, against some of our most distinguished statesmen for a first term, is enough to convince any sane man that he has a deep hold upon the hearts and minds of the people.

No Republican candidate for the Presidency can carry New York without the unqualified support of such men as Gov. Cornell and Senator Conkling. Blaine or no other United States Senator can get their undivided support—but Grant can. Grant and Washburn as our standard bearers in the coming contest would be the signal of victory. With Blaine as our candidate we would have to fight our battles upon the bloody shirt issue, but with Grant, sectional harmony would be the rallying cry.

It is to be regretted that so many of our Somerset friends have fallen in with the bolters; especially General Koontz—who has as many warm friends in this county as any man in it, of either party. He is too good a man to become the head-light of a bolting faction, in whose service he can win no laurels.

He no doubt has party grievances of which he can justly complain, but the fault does not lie at the door of the people of this county. Our Somerset friends, who enjoy the benefits of three-fourths of the county office holders residing within the limits of the borough, should not complain for want of party patronage, especially not after being almost entirely responsible for the defeat of Campbell two years ago. It will do for General Koontz to complain a little, in view of his past service to the party, but it is very much out of taste for some of the smaller lights who figured in the boiters' meeting and who whine after office like a child after its mother's breast after it is much too old to be weaned. It is useless for the Republicans to nominate a United States Senator for President, and if the bolters will examine the history of the past, they will find no successful precedent.

X.

May 11, 1880.

FROM LOWER TURKEYFOOT.—

Since our last nothing of importance has transpired—health good and weather fine.

Mrs. Eli McMillen, of whom we made mention a few weeks ago, is getting along finely. She will in a short time be able to leave for her home, in Maryland.

We learn that quite a number have lately made applications (from our neighborhood) for enumerator of census. That noted correspondent of the *Democrat*, "Ike Marvel," is among the list.

Will "M" please give us something new and original in this "neck of the woods?" We are not in the employ of Mr. Hunter, as "M" claims; he is able, financially, to run the machine himself, without getting a "one horse banker" and other parties to run it for him. Should we go into partnership with him we will give "M" a call to assist us in the boot and shoe manufactory.

Rev. Long and Elder Ploughman, of the Church of God, are holding a series of meetings in Ursina, as was mentioned in last week's issue by "Mac." Quite able discourses are being delivered. Mr. Ploughman is an old pulpit orator, a man of experience, and a good man—it we are any judge—and is giving the folks of Ursina and vicinity sound doctrine. In days gone by, where the meeting is being held, the little chapel was filled with eager listeners, but how different at the present day. Our churches are almost empty, in this "neck of the woods," during preaching.

We have business men who mean business in every enterprise they put their hands to. They rise each day and gird up their minds for another round of toil in the field of their chosen vocation. They make ready to face the strife, and struggle and care. Almost any one can feel enterprising when their body is vigorous, trade brisk, and money abundant.

Whilst we are so busily engaged in worldly service, we should not forget to make it our first business to serve Christ. It becomes us, as servants of Christ, to give diligence, to make our calling and election sure. Let us strive for the mastery. If men labor so tirelessly for the bread that perisheth, ought not we to work as constantly for that which endureth to everlasting life.

We should gird ourselves daily for the duties before us—let us faithfully strive to follow the example of Jesus, and to please Him who hath chosen us to be His servants and soldiers. Refrain from doing what you would blush to be found engaged in, were Christ to come suddenly and mark your deed. Zealously and patiently continue to do that which you would feel joy and assurance in doing, were the Lord to appear and find you thus laboring. Oft times you will perhaps feel dull, and be in heaviness through manifold temptations. But faint not, nor give back, nor be discouraged. Do men who expect to gain wealth act in a weak, sluggish and indifferent, childish way.

If they wish to achieve success in matters of business, they cultivate the gift of continuance. May the joy of the Lord be our strength, so that we may run and not be weary, and walk and no faint.

Yours truly,
JAKE.

NOTICE TO SUPERVISORS.—Nearly $1,000 of the county funds have been expended within the last two years in repairing bridges, owing to the negligence of Supervisors in not taking proper care of the structures, as required by law.

Notice is hereby given, that unless Supervisors make all needed repairs on bridges by the 1st day of September next, the law will be enforced without fear or favor.

By direction of Commissioners.

WM. M. SCHROCK, Clerk.

CONFLUENCE ITEMS.—

The apple trees were never known to be fuller of bloom than they are at this time.

Mrs. Valentine, an enterprising lady of this place, has opened a knitting school. She has quite a large class of young ladies. Some of the young men think of joining the class.

A. G. Black & Son have commenced charcoaling in earnest. They have about 5000 cords of wood chopped and are still at it. They give employment to a large number of laborers.

A very curious piece of machinery was unloaded here one day last week. Its hight is a trifle over six feet and its width and depth from six to ten inches and bears marks of service. No one appears to know its use, but it is said to be the property of the Camp train under the control of Barney's department, who will no doubt solve the mystery when he comes.

There is quite an excitement along the reigon of the Upper Yough, in Garrett county Maryland, over the finding of some ores that are supposed to be valuable. Silver and lead has been found in the eastern portion of the county, where shafts are now in process of being sunk. Every indication at present, is that thin metals are abundant in this locality, andalong the range of mountians extending from Shelbysbort into West Virginia. The geological formation as about the same as that of the savage region.

"Little End" has finally opened fire along the whole line, "Jho." Dixter, Shank and a respectable physician of this place, Mountaineer of Addison and U. S. Grant, whom he designates as the "coming emperor," have been the mostvigorously assailed. All have been heard from except Grant and Mountaineer andsome tears are entertained about their safety. That respectable physician, "Grant's friend" evidently Dr. M. whom we are creditably informed was a good, true honest and faithful soldier and has never defrauded the Government for want of service or by false representation.

OCCASIONAL.

May 8, 1880.

EDITOR HERALD.—SIR:—Your "Washington Letter," by "Picket," published in last week's HERALD, contains a paragraph regarding the injustice done a Somerset county pensioner, which requiresa passing notice. "Madary was discharged from the army on account of Valvular disease of the heart, and Dr. Miller, of Berlin, I understand reported him as intitled to one fourth pension, two dollars a month." The part of the above paragraph relating to the rating of this claimant, is false, as might be supposed from the fact that "Picket" only *understands* it to be one-fourth.

"He was examined by medical experts here at the pension office, a day or two ago, and I am told they rated him at eighteen dollars a month." We suppose the information concerning the high rating by the experts, was received from the same source as that regarding the low and unjust rating from the claimant himself. As "Picket" makes his bold statement altogether on hear say, we shall await further developments. In conclusion however, let us say that the paragraph from which we have quoted, is in the most vital points false in fact, the whole of it malidous in spirit and altogether gratuitous.

Very truly, yours.
J. K. MILLER.

Berlin, Pa., May 10, 1880.

ED. HERALD.—The lenthy, and very ungentlemanly communication in this week's Meyersdale *Commercial* from "An Outsider," causes quite a ripple here—of surprise that the Editor had given it place in his columns. "Outsider" is "well known in this locality" but not favorably. The *non de plume* he happened to choose "fits him like a cap the head it was made for," as he is generally *outside* of the truth, and *outside* of three or four "fingers" of cheap whiskey. His general character in this community, and elsewhere, for veracity stands 0, and his morals are as loose as the bowels of a young, healthy, and enthusiastic Indian, after, three days green corn dance. His "piece" is, of course, full of *mistakes*! "And sich." In fact a par of patent double million magnifying gas microscopes of hexter power, would be needed to find even a reasonable sized "grain of truth" in it. And even those he considered his friend, those he is trying to please, those who believe in the cause he attempts to champion, are astonished at, and ashamed of the article, as they are and always have been, of the writer.

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Confluence, Pa., May 8, 1880.

JENNERTOWN, PA., May 4, 1880.

EDITOR HERALD:—I see in your last week's issue an offer of $1,000, by one H. A. Hartzell, who evidently would like to display his wit and acquired knowledge in a debate upon the subject of Infant Baptism, or Immersion, or—?

I desire no controversy upon this oft and long disputed question. Neither do I ask for the $1,000 offered.

But our Savior did indirectly command that Infants should be baptized, as well as taught. Proof, Matt. 28:19.

We base our declaration upon the fact that infants constitute a very important part of "all nations," and are therefore included in the command. But if the above is denied. Will some one disprove it, and give us chapter and verse where Christ or the Apostles, or an Evangelist ever forbade the baptizing of "an infant or an unconscious babe?" Till this is done, the afore mentioned challenge is *superfluous*.

Respectfully,
KATE GARVEY.

FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND STRONG.—In the past few months there has been more than 500,000 bottles of *Shiloh's Cure Sold*. Out of the vast number of people who have used it, more than 2,000 cases of *Consumption* have been cured. All Coughs, Croup, Asthma and Brenchitis, yield at once, hence it is that everybody speaks in its praise. To those who have not used it, let us say, if you have a Cough, or your child the Croup, and you value life don't fail to try it. For Lame Back, Side or Chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster.

Sold by G. W. Benford, Druggist, Somerset, Pa.

COLOR YOUR BUTTER.—Farmers that try to sell white butter are all of the opinion that dairying does not pay. If they would use Wells, Richardson & Co.'s Perfected Butter Color, and market their butter in perfect condition, they would still get good prices, but it will not pay to make any but the best in color and quality. This color is used by all the leading creameries and dairymen, and is sold by druggists and merchants.

We have a speedy and positive Cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker mouth, and Head Ache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal Injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health, and sweet breath. Price 50 cents.

Sold by GEO. W. BENFORD, Somerset, Pa.

PROPOSALS.—Sealed Proposals will be received until Monday, May 17, 1880, for hewn locust post, rail and base boards for Cemetery fence. Specifications and particulars can be had on application to the Committee.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE,
Somerset, Pa.

Just received, at Paul G. Nowag's Shoe & Hat Store, Berlin, Pa., a full assortment of Shoes, Hats, Leather, Furnishing Goods, Jewelry, Notions, &c., &c., &c. Cheaper than ever. Call and examine stock and prices.

PAUL G. NOWAG.

MARRIED.

FRIEDLINE—HIMBER.—On the 14th ult., at the residence of Mr. Jacob Friedline, Friedline's Mills, by Rev. Wm. M. Spangler, Mr. William L. Friedline to Miss Julia A. Himler, both of Westmoreland Co., Pa.

BALDWIN—SHAFFER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, in Jenner township, May 2d, 1880, by Rev. A. S. Baumgardner, Mr. William C. Baldwin to Miss Mary Shaffer, both of Somerset Co., Pa.

DIED.

HORNER.—On the 1st of May, Albert Cyrus Addison Horner, aged 6 months and 10 days.

ZIMMERMAN.—In Stoystown, April 18th, 1880, Daniel Zimmerman, aged 74 years, 11 months and 6 days.

SOMERSET MARKET

Corrected by COOK & BEERITS.

DEALERS IN

CHOICE GROCERIES, FLOUR & FEED

Apples, dried, ℔ ℔	5c to 6c
Applebutter, ℔ gal	35@40c
Bran, ℔ 100 ℔s	$1 25
Butter, ℔ ℔ (keg)	15c
Butter, ℔ ℔ (roll)	20c
Buckwheat, ℔ bushel	50c
" meal, 100 ℔s	$2 00
Beeswax, ℔ ℔	25c
Bacon, shoulders, ℔ ℔	7c
" sides, " "	8c
" country hams, ℔ ℔	10c
Corn, (ear) ℔ bushel	50 to 70c
Corn, (shelled) ℔ bushel	70c
Corn meal ℔ ℔	2c
Calf skins, ℔ ℔	5c
Eggs, ℔ doz	9c
Flour, ℔ bbl	$5 50@6 50
Flaxseed ℔ bu. (56 ℔)	75c
Hams, (sugar-cured) ℔ ℔	12c
Lard, ℔ ℔	8c @ 10c
Leather, red sole, ℔ ℔	30@35c
" upper " "	65@70c
" kip, " "	75@80c
Middlings, and chop 100 ℔s	$1 00
Oats, ℔ bu	40@45c
Potatoes, ℔ bu	25@30c
Peaches, dried, ℔ ℔	5 to 10c
Rye ℔ bu	70c
Rags, ℔ ℔	1c
Salt, No. 1, ℔ bbl, extra	$2 25@2 40
" Ground Alum, per sack	$1 65@1 75
" Ashton, per sack	$1 05
Sugar, yellow ℔ ℔	5@10
" white " "	10@12½c
Tallow, ℔ ℔	7c
Wheat, ℔ bus	$1 15@1 25
Wool, ℔ ℔	35@40

NEW ADVERTISEMETNS.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

OF

SOMERSET BOROUGH,

For the Year Ending March 31, 1880.

RECEIPTS OF THE BOROUGH.

Am't received from W. H. Welfley, Col.	$705 62
" " " J. H. Huston, State Col.	20 12
" " " Fines, &c	77 00
" " " Borough scales	186 64
Total	$987 38

EXPENDITURES.

Am't of orders issued for labor on streets and	$231 36
" " " " police services &	256 25
" " " " lamps, oil, &c	88 21
" " " " fire engine and fixtures thereon	950 79
" " " " chemicals for engine	36 08
" " " " engine house	176 04
Miscellaneous expenses, including printing office rent, advertising, &c	105 39
Salary of Burgess, Clerk and Treasurer	125 00
Total	$1867 12
Of which amount there has been paid	967 38
Leaving the amount of outstanding orders	899 74

LIABILITIES AND RESOURCES OF THE BOROUGH.

Unpaid orders yet outstanding	$899 74
Amount due from tax collectors	$160 19
Excess of liabilities over resources	839 55
Total	$999 74

Of the above sum of $999 74 which represents the indebtedness of the Borough, $710