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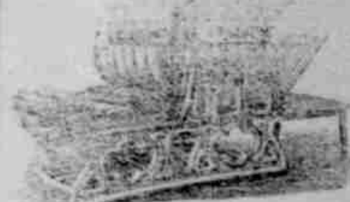

WEDNESDAY ....June 22d, 1881.

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John R. Scott, Secretary. Geo. W. Pile, Chairman.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION.—The Republican voters of Somerset County are requested to assemble at the places selected in their several election districts, on Saturday, June 25th, 1881, for the purpose of nominating a county ticket and expressing the choice of this county for a candidate for President Judge of the XVI Judicial District.

J. R. Scott, Secretary. Geo W. Pile, Chairman.

"Peruna" at Boyd's.

"Hop Bitters" at Boyd's.

See Boyd's advertisement.

Boyd sells Fishing Tackle.

"Kidney Wort" at Boyd's.

Pound Soda Water at Boyd's.

New ties at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

Pure Drugs and low prices at Boyd's.

Trusses and Shoulder Braces at Boyd's.

Lightning Rheumatism Remedy at Boyd's.

Hops, fresh and warranted pure, at Boyd's.

A good Hat for 50cts., at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

Ladies' Linen Ulsters for sale, at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Money saved by buying your drugs at Boyd's.

Alpaca and Silk Umbrellas in full variety at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Glassware at cost, at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

Men's working pants at 90 cents, and Boys' at 75 cents, at Heffley's.

New stock of Ladies' Ties and Collars, just received, at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Call and see our new lot of Ladies' and Misses' Hosiery, cheap at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

Newest styles of Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Plumes and Flowers, at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Fringes in all colors, at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

Full stock of all kinds of fashionable goods, at Mrs. A. E. Uhl's.

The Newest and Freshest and Nicest Goods in town, at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

Just received a splendid line of Dress Goods, latest style, at J. B. Snyder & Co's.

Agents and canvassers make from $25 to $50 per week selling goods for E. G. Rideout & Co., 10 Barclay street, New York. Send for their Catalogue and terms.

For the richest, best, and most durable Chewing Tobacco, ask for Star, and take no other. For sale at the Grocery, Flour and Feed Store of Josiah Keller.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is the most reliable article in use for restoring gray hair to its original color and promoting its growth.

A new lot of Clothing at J. B. Snyder & Co's, very cheap. Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

Meat Market, Main Cross Street.—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, Somerset, Pa.

Hair Work.—I am prepared to make all kinds of hair work, except hair jewelry. Switches, fronts, etc., at the rate of 40 cents an ounce for silk and from 30 to 15 cents an ounce for cotton. No work under 30 cents guaranteed. Work can be sent through Somerset Post Office, or left at late residence of Rebbies Shaulis, dec'd. Alice A. Shaulis.

Notice.—All persons are hereby given notice that visitors will not be entertained at the Poor House farm on Sunday, and are respectfully requested not to infringe on this notice. By order of the Board of Directors. Franklin Launtz, Steward.

Here we are again with our pure celebrated Star Copper Rod. Anyone wishing their buildings protected against lightning should call on us at once. Satisfaction guaranteed or no pay. Rhoads Bros. Somerset, June 13th, 1881.

Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.—Is it not worth the small price of 75 cts. to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Geo. W. Benford, Druggist, Somerset, Pa.

Attention Farmers.—T. S. Marcher agent for the Blake Beebe Champion Fanning Mill, Grader and Separator combined is now canvassing this county and intends to call on nearly every farmer once, showing and testing said Mill.

We, the undersigned, do cheerfully and heartily recommend it as being the best machine of the kind ever introduced into this county; having witnessed its operation we speak with assurance.

Jac. J. Zorn,	Josiah Brant,
Calvin Hay,	James Parson,
Joseph J. Baldwin,	Daniel Keller,
S. S. Schrock,	A. J. Spangler,
Alex. Musser,	Joseph Irwin,
Michael Weyand,	George Cobaugh,
John Shaffer,	Daniel T. Kimmel,
Samuel Rhoads,	John A. Groff,
Alex. Hunter,	S. S. Shaffer,
J. J. Coleman,	John S. Gumbert,
Andrew Way,	J. M. Marshall,
A. G. Will,	J. H. Hite,
Wm. Suter,	G. F. Schmucker.

Saturday tells the tale.

Take a last good look at the announcements.

An adjourned court will be held on Thursday, the 30th day of June, 1881.

The glorious Fourth is coming on apace, and how will our citizens celebrate the day?

Josiah Saylor was incarcerated in the county jail last Saturday for ill treating his wife.

Our streets were crowded with our country brethren Saturday. It was a field day for the candidates.

What has become of our Street Commissioner? Isn't it about time to put the street scrapers at work.

Although the streams in this county were much swollen by the recent heavy rains but little damage has been reported.

Dr. James O. Kiernan has been spending the past week in visiting relations at Latrobe. He will return home this week.

Considerable portion of the wheat in this county has been broken down by the recent heavy rains. But the promise is good for a large crop.

Just think of one man in York county picking daily from twenty to thirty bushels of strawberries for the Harrisburg market. It seems almost impossible, and yet it is actually the case.

Mr. A. H. Coffroth, Jr., is having a neat iron fence placed in front of his residence on Patriot street, and is making other improvements that will greatly add to the beauty as well as the value of his property.

The two lodges in Johnstown of the Independent Order of Red Men will meet the Berlin lodge in Somerset within a few weeks at a grand pic-nic. It is anticipated that a great crowd will come up from Johnstown.

While returning from "Break-Neck," on Sunday, Mr. McClure, of Washington, and Ham McGriff, killed a black rattlesnake, a short distance below the rocks. It measured about two and one-half feet in length and had five rattles.

Hon. Jacob M. Campbell, of Johnstown, Congressman elect from this district, spent several days of last weeks with his friends in Somerset. Gen. Campbell has many warm friends in this place, and is deservedly one of the most popular men in the district.

Our esteemed friend Mr. Josiah Keller is sorely afflicted with a very painful carbuncle in the palm of his left hand. The hand is terribly swollen, the swelling extending some distance up the arm and is so troublesome that he is compelled to carry it in a sling.

Mr. John Rose, one of Johnstown's most popular young men, spent the greater part of last week in Somerset, and while here paid several friendly visits to the Herald sanctum. Mr. Rose is a genial gentleman, and one whom we will always be pleased to have call.

The only secret about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is in the selection of the best materials for the cure of coughs and colds and skillfully combining them by chemical processes. This all medical men are aware of, as they are furnished with the formula of its preparation.

Hon. F. M. Kimmel, of Chambersburg, formerly a resident of this place and Judge of the old Somerset, Bedford and Franklin district, is visiting in town, and is the guest of F. J. Kooser, Esq. The Judge is looking hale and hearty and as young as when he left Somerset, some twenty years ago.

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 cts. Sold by Geo W. Benford, Druggist, Somerset, Pa.

Mr. John H. Morrison, of Bakersville, had on exhibition at the Diamond Saturday afternoon, one of the Hollingsworth Patent Hay Rakes, for which he is the agent. The rake has two levers, one to be worked by the foot and the other by the hand. It is the most complete rake we have yet seen.

Why Are You Bilious?—Because you have allowed your bowels to become costive and liver torpid. Use Kidney-Wort to produce a free state of the bowels, and it will stimulate the liver to proper action, cleanse the skin of its yellowness, cure billious headache, and cause new life in the blood. Druggists have it, both dry and liquid.—*Zion's Herald.*

The small boys and some of larger growth behaved in a most disgraceful manner at the concert Saturday night. Hereafter when there is to be a public entertainment, unless there is an officer of the law present to make them behave, no boys under twelve years of age should be admitted, or if admitted they should be muzzled so that they cannot yell nor whistle.

Notice.—The Lutheran Sunday School of the Lavansville Charge have decided to celebrate the Fourth of July in the grove near Lavansville, on Saturday, July 2d. Committees have been appointed on preparation of the grounds, music, programme, decorations, refreshments, and invitations to other schools. Further announcements will be made next week.

The Johnstown *Tribune* says, "A number of ladies and gentlemen of this place are already making arrangements for an excursion to Somerset on the coming anniversary of American Independence. If all who are talking of going to that town will go it will require a train of half a dozen or more cars, and will tax the capacity of the Somerset hotels.

The City Band, of Johnstown, accompanied by a number of their friends paid a visit to Somerset last Thursday, and treated our citizens to some very choice music. The party numbered about thirty and they were a well behaved, jolly set of young men. The Herald makes its bow for the beautiful serenade tendered it and hopes that the organization will visit our town soon again.

Nature's Sluice-Way.—The kidneys are nature's sluice-way to wash out the debris of our constantly changing bodies. If they do not work properly the trouble is felt everywhere. Then be wise and soon as you see signs of disorder get a package of Kidney-Wort and take it faithfully. It will clean the sluice-way of sand, gravel or slime and purify the whole system. Druggists sell it, both liquid and dry, and it is equally efficient in either form.—*Independent.*

Saturday morning Mr. Jacob Pletcher was arrested at his home by a detective from Pittsburgh, charged with having stolen several barrels of whiskey from his bonded warehouse, sometime last winter. He was taken to Pittsburgh on the mail train Saturday night and will shortly be tried before the U. S. Court on the above charge. Perhaps the trial of this case will throw some light on the price of "Pletcher Whiskey," which for some time so puzzled the brain of the intelligent editor of that journal that is "so eagerly sought after and extensively read."

Oh, What a Cough!—Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease Consumption. Ask yourself if you can for the sake of saving 50 cts., to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's Cure will cure your Cough. It never fails. This explains why more than half a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves Croup, and Whooping Cough, at once. Mothers do not be without it. For Lame Back, Side or Chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Geo. W. Benford, Druggist, Somerset, Pa.

Let every Republican voter in the county go to the polls Saturday and vote to place in nomination for the various offices the men of his choice.

An "Old Folks Concert" was given in the Court House Saturday evening, by a number of ladies and gentlemen from Johnstown. There were quite a number of fine voices in the troupe, and that their songs were appreciated by their large audience, the rounds of applause with which each was received gave abundant testimony.

Mr. J. P. Kimmel, freight and passenger agent of the S. & C. Railroad here, has received a supply of tickets for the several stations along the route between Somerset and Rockwood, and Somerset and Johnstown. It will be necessary for passengers to the various points to secure the requisite pasteboard before taking seats on the cars, as the extra percentage will otherwise be collected by Conductor Smutz.

Let every Republican voter, when he goes to the polls next Saturday, closely scan his ticket, and unless it contains the names of *all* the candidates destroy it. The new rules provide that "The names of *all* the candidates shall be placed on the ticket." We do not know that any tickets that do not contain the names of all will be circulated, but we know that it was done last year and it is well enough for the voters to be placed on their guard. The regular tickets together with the blanks, etc., for holding the primary election have been sent to the committeemen of the different townships by Chairman Pile.

It is reported that charters have been granted by the State Department, at Harrisburg, to the Fulton & Washington and the Southern Tier railroad companies. The length of the former is to be 203 miles, and to have a capital stock of $1,218,000, and to run through the counties of Washington, Allegheny, Westmoreland, Indiana, Cambria, Bedford and Fulton. One of its termini is at Washington, Pa., and the other in Fulton county. The Southern Tier is to run from Waynesboro, Franklin county, to West Elizabeth, Allegheny county. The road is to be 208 miles long, and to pass through the counties of Franklin, Fulton, Bedford, Somerset, Westmoreland and Allegheny. The capital stock is $1,248,000.

Last Thursday some forty-five members of the Post of the Grand Army of the Republic from Johnstown, came to Somerset for the purpose of assisting in organizing a Post at this place. The Post was named in honor of the gallant Colonel Robert P. Cummins who fell with face to the foe at Gettysburg. His dead body was picked up only a few feet distant from the spot where General Reynolds lost his life. In naming the Post in honor of him, his surviving comrades have paid a handsome and fitting tribute to his memory. The number of the Post is 210, and from the judgment displayed in selecting officers, and from the kind of material it is composed of, we feel assured that it will be a long lived and successful organization.

We are almost persuaded to accept the doctrine held by some, that children are born liars, and have to be educated in the paths of truth. Men are but children of a larger growth, and we have positive evidence that the education of some of them has been sadly neglected in this particular, as witness the story now being diligently circulated by some of our County officials—to their shame be it spoken—as well as by others, that a caucus was held in this place last week, in which the editor of this paper and others participated, whereat, a selection from the candidates was made, and a ticket "fixed up" or agreed upon.

We have simply to say that no caucus was held of which we have knowledge, no ticket or set of candidates agreed upon, that the story is a lie made of whole cloth, known to be so by the parties circulating it, and that the voter or candidate who permits himself to be influenced by it, is as green as a gosling.

R. P. Cummins Post, 210, G. A. R., consisting of 30 members, was organized at Somerset, Pa., in I. C. O. F. Hall, June 16th, 1881, by Captain George F. Randolph, accompanied by Commander W. F. Houpt, Adjutant George W. Gageby, and 43 comrades, Post No. 30, Johnstown, Pa. The following officers were selected and mustered:

Colonel J. R. Edie, Post Commander; A. C. Davis, Adjutant; Capt. W. M. Schrock, Vice Commander; Dr. John Bills, Junior Vice Commander; Capt. R. R. Sanner, Chaplain; Geo. H. Tayman, Quarter Master; John H. Huston, Quarter Master Sergeant; Geo. M. Holderbaum, Sergeant Major; Capt. C. J. Harrison, Officer of day; Maj. J. B. Tredwell, Officer of the Guard.

The Post is now in good working order, and extends a cordial invitation to all old soldiers of the County to become members. Send in your applications.

A. C. Davis, Adjutant.

The July number of the *North American Review* bears the usual characteristic of timeliness. Carl Schurz leads off with a suggestive paper on "Present Aspects of the Indian Problem", in which he discusses the Indian obstacle in the way of the country's development, the harmonizing of the habits, occupations and interests of the red men, the necessity of educating their youth, the making of the men themselves small land proprietors, and the offering of inducements to them to sell for a fair compensation the lands they do not cultivate. Next a caustic writer gives the views of "A Yankee Farmer" on "The Religious Conflits of the Age", to the discomfiture of the modern Agnostic, Moralist and Evolutionist. Another trenchant article is "The Power of Plunder", by James Parton, which appeals to the sons of our men of character and wealth, on patriotic grounds, to enter into politics, and become the safeguards of their country against rings and bosses. Mr. Henry George dwells on the "Common Sense of Taxation." "The Cost of Cruelty" is presented by Mr. Henry Bergh, and a "A Study of Tennyson" comes from the pen of Mr. Richard Henry Stoddard.

Religious Convention.—The Ministerial and Sunday School Convention of Somerset district, Evangelical Association, met at Rockwood, Tuesday morning, June 7, at 8 o'clock, to hold their tenth annual meeting. In the absence of the Chairman, Rev. L. M. Boyer, the convention elected Rev. R. P. Vanmeter, of Salisbury, President, *pro tem.*; J. Portch, of Stoystown, Vice President; Rev. W. F. Shannon, of Hyndman, Secretary, and A. S. Baumgardner, Assistant Secretary.

The ministers present spent three days together very profitably in discussing questins pertaining to Sunday School work, ministerial efficiency and Theology. The Presiding Elder was detained on account of a heavy rain on Tuesday morning, but came in the afternoon to the joy and pleasure of his many friends.

The weather was extremely wet during the Convention and many friends were thereby prevented from attending these interesting services.

A very interesting feature of the Convention was the vocal and instrumental music which was interspersed between the reading of the essays. Prof. W. F. Frederick, of Meyersdale, is eminently qualified by natural and acquired skill to render the musical department of a Convention a success. He being secured for the purpose, this feature of the Convention was exceptionally interesting.

Resolutions of condolence in behalf of the sick at Rockwood, and of thanks to the friends who entertained the Convention, and on the subjects discussed, were adopted.

The Convention closed on Thursday evening, June 9th. The closing verse of the last hymn sung was the following:

"No more we'll reach the parting hand,
In yonder bright and happy land,
No more will sad farewells be given,
In yonder blessed home in heaven."

Reporter.

DUNKARD MEETING AT ASHLAND.

Ed. Herald:—Having some business calling me to the state of Ohio, I availed myself of the low rates of travel granted to those who wished to attend the Annual Meeting of the Dunkard Brethren, at Ashland, and so, leaving Somerset county on Friday, the 3d inst., I took the overland route to Mt. Pleasant, Pa., where I left horse and buggy, and on Saturday morning took the cars for Orrville, Wayne county, Ohio, where I arrived on Saturday evening and remained over Sunday. On Monday I went to Mansfield, and on Tuesday morning reached Ashland, 16 miles north-west of Mansfield, on the New York, Penn'a. & Ohio railroad.

Nothing that would interest your readers occurred on the way out; but as a matter in which all are interested it may be well to mention the fact that finer prospects for an abundant wheat harvest were never known than are now to be seen in the portion of the state of Ohio through which we passed. Beginning with Columbiana county and continuing to the end of the journey, hundreds of acres of wheat were to be seen on either side of the road, which for promise of yield could not be surpassed.

When we arrived at Ashland we found teams in readiness to take us to the grounds where the meeting was in session, which were reached by a drive of about one mile. Here we found two tents erected. The one in which the meeting was held was circular in form and capable of seating from three to five thousand persons. This tent was of heavy sail-cloth, and was erected on a spot of ground rising in every direction from the centre. In the centre was a platform elevated about two feet from the ground, occupied by the delegates and standing committee. The seats were so arranged that the faces of all within the tent were turned toward this point. At one end of the platform was the editors table, where the press-reporters and editors of the various church papers published by this denomination were seated.

The other tent was square in form. The walls were made of boards and the covering was heavy canvass. This tent was used for the boarding hall, and had the capacity of seating 1,482 persons at the tables at one time. Its length was 225 feet, and its width was 75 feet. At the end of this tent was the kitchen, constructed of boards, and containing a furnace, on which were three large pans, similar to the sugar pans used in Somerset county. One of these was used for making coffee and the others for other cooking purposes. The extent of the culinary department can only be imagined when it is known that two large beef cattle were slaughtered daily, and eight barrels of flour were consumed.

The number of persons in attendance was variously estimated at from 7,000 to 10,000. Any one not accustomed to attend these meetings would be struck with the venerable appearence of the persons, the men especially, that were present. I have never seen in any assembly so large a proportion of gray beards as was to be seen in looking over this assembly.

The executive committee was composed of a body of men that would compare favorably with any ecclesiastical body we have ever seen in session. They were all men past middle age, of dignified appearance, and decided ability in discussion.

A noticeable feature of the meeting was the liberal responses made to calls for contributions for church work. A collection was taken during the meeting to erect a mission chapel in Denmark and aid the mission work at that place which amounted to $2,880.50.

The Ashland College, one of the educational institutions recently started by this denomination, was a point of interest to most persons who were in attendance at the meeting. The buildings are beautifully located, and while they possess the characteristic plainness of this people the style of architecture is fine. The main building is 100 feet front and also 100 feet deep with a beautiful cupola rising from the front centre. Detached from this building, and at a distance of perhaps 300 feet, is a wing with a front of 40 feet, and a depth of 110 feet. Both of these building are three stories and built of brick, with stone sills for doors and windows. The plan for the buildings when completed comprehends another wing corresponding to the one already built on the opposite side of the main building and the same distance from it. The entire cost of the building now completed is a little more than $40,000.

The almost constant rain during the meeting was a great interruption to the enjoyment of those present; yet, taking it all in all, it was a time of pleasant association and one that will long be remembered by the many who were present.

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POLITICAL.

To the Public.—A report having been put in circulation that I had withdrawn from the canvass or intended to do so, I take occasion to inform the public that such is not the case, that I mean to fight it out to the bitter end, and hope by a united effort of my friends to receive the nomination.

J. Robert Walter.

A Card.—I hear that a report is being circulated by some unscrupulous candidates and their friends, that John J. Spangler had taken the advantage of me in a business transaction resulting in my personal embarrassment. I will here say that the report is unfounded, and that there is no truth in it.

Jefferson Rhoads.

☞ Meyersdale *Commercial* please copy.

Rep. County Central Committee, La Porte, Ind., March 24, 1881.

Josiah Keller, Esq., Somerset, Pa.,

Dear Sir:—Understanding that S. U. Trent, Esq., is a candidate for the office of Prothonotary of your county and that you are the Republican Chairman, I am impelled by motives of gratitude for his invaluable services during our late campaign to write you this word in his behalf. As Republican Chairman of LaPort county, I feel that much of the credit of our recent *victory* in this Congressional district is due to him. We had plenty of noted speakers but no one did more effectual work than your brilliant young orator from Pennsylvania, and I in common with his many other friends here would be glad to know that his great services are in some way properly rewarded.

Believing that our party ought to encourage such young men, I write this, hoping that your people will honor themselves by honoring him with the office he now seeks.

This is unknown to Mr. Trent, and you can use it as you desire.

Yours very truly,
C. B. Simmons,
Chairman Rep. Com. La Porte Co., Ind.

The Reformed Church.—The Somerset Classes, of the above church, held its annual session in Berlin, from June 8th to June 13th. Rev. F. R. Schwedes, of Cumberland, was chosen President; Rev. Bridenbaugh, of Berlin, Treasurer; Rev. J. S. Wagner, of Stoystown, Corresponding Secretary, and Rev. H. F. Keener, of Berlin, Recording Secretary. Besides the usual business, other measures of importance were taken. Among these is the division of the Meyersdale charge, now consisting only of Meyersdale and Greenville churches. Whiteoaks, Mt. Lebanon, Hyndman and Fair Hope churches are made to be "The Will's Creek charge."

Steps have been taken towards publishing a history of the church in this classes. The classes was organnized as a separate judicatory in 1872 with seven pastors, now it has room for twelve. The increase in membership is some 800.

The following statistics are of interest: Pastors, 12; Churches, 36; Members, 2,771; Baptisms during the year, infants 210, adults 14; Confirmation, 136; Received by renewed profession or certificate, 87; Communicants, 2370; Deaths 52; Sunday Schools, 77; S. S. Scholars, 2,676; Students, 4; Benevolent contributions, $1,729.60; Local purposes, $9,232.

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Elklick, Penn'a., May 31st, 1881.

Superintendent's Report.—In submitting this my last report to the Department, I am gratified still to be able to report progress. Although our schools in many respects are not what they should be, yet it is evident that they are improving. It is especially gratifying to be able to report that the year just closed was marked by more interest manifested in the welfare of our public schools than the preceding year, and that in many cases teachers salaries were increased.

SCHOOL HOUSES.

Ten good, substantial houses were erected during the year. Greater care was exercised in their location than formerly; but while the grounds are generally large enough, in a number of instances they are not improved as they should be. The new houses have a good black-board surface and suitable furniture, and in some instances old houses have been remodeled and fitted up with desks of the most approved style. The plan already adopted in some townships of furnishing one house every year until all are supplied, should be speedily followed by all the districts still in need of better furniture. There are still some houses in which may be found the long desk against the wall and *backless* bench of the olden time, but happily these are rapidly disappearing.

TEACHERS.

I am glad to state that the great majority of our teachers are morally, intellectually and socially well qualified, that they have labored faithfully to promote the best interest of the cause which they have espoused. They do not generally receive a compensation commensurate with their fidelity, but we feel certain from present indications that a better day is rapidly dawning for these worthy pedagogues. As I have before intimated, there are, and always will be some who shirk the labor of the school room, simply putting in time for money. Should such be remunerated as they ought, they would receive less compensation than the teamster or the servant girl.

EXAMINATIONS.

Fifteen public examinations were held during the year. Two hundred and sixty-two provisional and five professional certificates were issued. Forty-seven applicants were rejected. The majority of the applicants this year were older and better qualified than those of the two preceding years.

THE COUNTY INSTITUTE

was held at Somerset, commencing December 27th, and continuing five days. It was in many respects a great success, more so than usual. Rev. Charles Steck, of Homer City, Rev. Reynolds, of Mt. Pleasant, Profs. T. B. Noss and D. C. Murphy, of "California State Normal School," were the instructors from abroad. Several local institutes were held at different points in the county, which gave general satisfaction, and I am convinced that such institutes can be made a most effective aid in awakening a good educational sentiment.

CONCLUSION.

Sixteen years of my life have been devoted to the cause of common schools, six of which I have officiated as Superintendent. In laying aside my responsibilities, I wish to say that I have endeavored to do my duty without fear or favor. I am fully conscious that many of my duties have been imperfectly performed, that I have made many mistakes; but ask that these failures be attributed to the head rather than the heart. The schools of our boyhood are not the schools for the present. This progressive age demands a higher, nobler, broader education than they afforded. American education ought to be the best in the world. It ought to train our boys and girls to be the wisest, noblest and most virtuous men and women on earth; such an education can only be guaranteed to the youth of our beloved land, through the agency of live schools, taught by live teachers. In all our schools the tendency of the teacher's instructions and example should be to give pupils just views of the real dignity of labor, of the infinite superiority of virtue, and the unspeakable worth of life, and the spirit which should control its conduct. Let the schools and the Bible go hand in hand, and when they shall have lighted up the minds and warmed the hearts of our people, injustice shall forever cease, and our nation will hail the glorious dawn of a brighter and better day.

For six years I have been the recipient of many acts of kindness from directors, teachers and citizens throughout the county, year after year as I traveled and labored among them. I universally received their aid and support in advancing the educational interests of the county; for all of this I tender them my sincere and heartfelt thanks; and with the request that the same kindness be shown my successor, I leave the office without any regret except that which is naturally felt on parting with many long-tried and true friends.

J. B. Whipkey,
County Superintendent.

A BIG BOOM IN BARGAINS AT HEFFLEY'S OLD RELIABLE CORNER!!—From now until the 1st of September, the following bargains are offered, to make room for Winter Goods:

Mens' Heavy Pants	@ 90cts.
Boys' " "	@ 75 "
Good Heavy Suits	@ $3 50
Mens' and Boys' Vests	@ 50cts.
Navy Blue Shirts	@ 85 "
Mens' Good Overshirts	@ 35 "
" Gauze Undershirts	@ 25 "
" Good Heavy Suspenders	@ 12 "
Boys' " " "	@ 10 "
Valises @ 50 cts—22 inch	@ $1 25

The Best Wool Hat in the county @ 50cts. Clocks and Looking Glasses at less than cost to close out. Remember that all goods will be sold cheaper than the cheapest to make room for another stock.

N. E. Cor. Diamond, Somerset, Penn'a., June 29, 1881. H. Heffley.

MARRIED.

DEATRICK—BALLIET.—On Wednesday evening, June 15th, at the residence of the bride, Milton, Northumberland county, Pa., Rev. W. W. Deatrick, of New Centreville, this county, to Miss Emma J. Balliet, of Milton, Pa.

RICKENBACH—GREENAWALT.—On June 11, at the residence of the bride's parents, at Rockwood, by the Rev. E. F. Dickey, C. W. Rickenbach, of Reading, and Miss Charlotte Greenawalt, of Rockwood.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Solomon Kauffman, late of Conemaugh township, dec'd.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority: notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, the 29th day of July.

EMANUEL KAUFFMAN, Executor.

June 22

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of Henry Miller, late of Northampton Twp., dec'd.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned by the proper authority, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it to present them duly authenticated for settlement on Saturday, July 30th, 1881, at the late residence of the deceased.

J. H. MILLER, J. K. KESLER, Executors.

June 22.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of Samuel Zerios, Sr., late of Stoneycreek Twp., Somerset Co., Pa., deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it to present them duly authenticated for settlement on or before, the 5th day of July, 1881, at the late residence of dec'd.

C. A. BRANT, Executor.

June 22.

LOST.—A note calling for $30, given some time between the 25th of May and the 4th of June, 1879. Jac. A. Shaffer, principal, Daniel F. Shaffer, bail. The finder will be rewarded by returning the above to Benjamin Miller, Scalp Level. Notice is hereby given that the above note will not be paid unless presented by Benjamin Miller. June 8-3t.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE
OF
UNSEATED LANDS
IN
SOMERSET COUNTY, PA.

THE Commissioners of Somerset County hereby give notice that they will sell, at public sale, in the Court room in Somerset Borough, on

Tuesday, July 5th, 1881.

the following enumerated tracts of unseated lands, which have been purchased from the Treasurers of said county, and have remained unredeemed for five years and upwards. Agreeable to the Act of Assembly of March 13, 1815, and the supplemental act thereto of March, 1824.

Names of tracts.	*Number of Acres.*
ADDISON TOWNSHIP.	
Wright, John	400
Cherry, Aaron	400
Bell, William	228
Meyers, Martin	271½
Hood, Josey	400
Chew, Alexander	247
Hood, Abel	430
Cherry, K. Jerry	400
Cherry, Jane	419
Tom, Benjamin	400
ALLEGHENY TOWNSHIP.	
Baer, Ludwick	300
Wells, Rachel	200
Wells, Mary	229
Derry, James	145
Ackerman, William	411
Witt and Kohler	95
Wolf & Co.	49
CONEMAUGH TOWNSHIP.	
Berrington, George	300
Elliot, John	400
CONFLUENCE BOROUGH.	*Lots.*
Logan, W. P.	2
McFerson, Duncan	2
McKernan, John	2
Boulton, Alexander	2
Fee, James	1
Shaff, D. A.	1
Uhl, C. F.	2
Vinter, Charles	2
Creighton, Theodore	1
Johnson, Catharine	2
Starch, Valentine	3
Welsh, Samuel	2
Sullivan, Thomas E.	2
Shull, W. M.	2
Lloyd, G. W.	2
Morrison, Isaiah	1
Drape, James W.	8
Wilson, Samuel	2
Colborn, A. J.	2
ELKLICK TOWNSHIP.	*Acres.*
Bell, Joseph	400
Bartram, Moses	400
Moore, Thomas	400
Cherry, William	312
	Lots.
Humberson, John	1
McBriel, J. S. F.	1
Meyers, William	1
Fullerton, Andrew	1
Brown, Henry	1
Wetmiller, Henry	1
Pile, John	1
JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP.	*Acres.*
Shaulis, David	17
Gibbon, John	400
Galbraith, Mary	400
LOWER TURKEYFOOT TOWNSHIP.	
Wells, John and R. Brown	153
Patrick, Alexander	400
MIDDLECREEK TOWNSHIP.	
Miller, Jacob A.	180
Farner, Lewis	103¾
Campbell, William	417½
MILFORD TOWNSHIP.	
Kennel, John	230¼
Searight, Thomas B.	100
Jennings, John	400
Shoemaker, William	400
McCarter, John	100
Enes, Frank	25
NORTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP.	
Cross, William	392
PAINT TOWNSHIP.	
West, Matthias	415
Faith, John	200
May, James	275
Moore, Thomas	433
Jones, James	200
Richard, Samuel	400
Moore, Joseph	275
Christ, Hugh	100
SHADE TOWNSHIP.	
Carodine, Thomas	392¼
Lenard, John	298
SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP.	
Cupp, Edward	400
STONYCREEK TOWNSHIP.	
Wells, John	100
Marguand, Mary	411
SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.	
Showman, Benjamin	219
Black, James	100
SUMMIT TOWNSHIP.	
Stein, Jacob	446½
Meng, John	18¾
UPPER TURKEYFOOT TOWNSHIP.	
Joels, William	400
King, John	419
Harrah and Miller	20
Reid, Henry	400
Hillegas' heirs	400
	Lots.
Snyder, Peter	2
Wolfensberger & Zufall	3
Coleman, Doran	2
Keim, John	1
Weimer, Jacob P.	1
Snyder, Levi	2
URSINA BOROUGH.	
Dedrow, James	1
Russel, John	1
Rugart, O. W.	20
Page, John H.	20
Lavan, David	1
Spinger, James	2
Ream, John	2
Snyder, Daniel	2

☞ Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., and to continue from day to day until all the lands are disposed of.

Wm. M. Schrock, Clerk.

DENNIS COOK,
J. C. CRICHFIELD,
JONAS McCLINTOCK.

June 8-4t

TIME TABLES.

SOMERSET & CAMBRIA R. R.

Commencing Monday, May 23d, 1881, trains on the Somerset and Cambria Branch will run daily except Sunday. Leave Johnstown 10:20 a. m. Hooversville 11:35 a. m. Stoystown 11:51 a. m. Somerset 12:41 p. m., arriving at Rockwood 1:20 p. m. Leave Rockwood 1:50 p. m., arriving at Somerset 2:35 p. m. Leave Somerset 5:00 p. m. arriving at Rockwood 5:45 p. m. Leave Rockwood 6:15 p. m. Somerset 6:55 p. m. Stoystown 7:14 p. m. Hooversville 8:04 p. m., arriving at Johnstown 9.18 p. m.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

PITTSBURGH DIVISION.

On and after May 23, 1881, 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	10:00 a. m.	Baltimore	8:00 a. m.
Braddock	10:28 "	Washington	10:40 a. m.
McKeesport	10:36 "	Cumberland	3:32 p. m.
West Newton	11:10 "	Hyndman	4:27 "
Broad Ford	11:54 "	Rockwood	6:04 "
Mt. Pleasant	1:00	Ohio Pyle	7:06 "
Connellsville	11:58 "	Connellsville	7:48 "
Uniontown	12:41 "	Uniontown	8:08 "
Ohio Pyle	12:57 "	Broad Ford	7:54 "
Rockwood	1:41 p. m.	Mt. Pleasant	8:32 "
Hyndman	3:08 "	West Newton	8:37 "
Cumberland	3:32 "	McKeesport	9:14 "
Washington	9:25 "	Braddock	
Baltimore	10:50 p. m.	Pittsburg	9:45 p. m.

The Express train leaves Pittsburgh at 8:19 P. M. arriving at Connellsville 10:05 P. M., Rockwood 11:40 P. M. In return the Express leaves Cumberland at 2:35 A. M., arriving at Rockwood 4:33 A. M., Connellsville 6.04 A. M., Pittsburgh 7:45 A. M.

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

Through Mail leaving at 10:31 A. M., daily, arrives at Washington at 9:25 A. M.; Baltimore, 10:35 P. M.; Philapelphia 3:10 A. M.; New York 6:45 A. M.; Richmond 11:35 A. M.

Through Express, leaving 8:05 P. M., daily, arrives at Washington at 6:30 A. M.; Baltimore, 7:40 A. M.; Philadelphia; 1:15 P. M.; N. Y., 4:45 P. M.

Through Mail trains daily.
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Accommodation trains and Fayette Express daily except Sunday.

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L. M. COLE, General Ticket Agent.

GREAT SALE
OF
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AT HANNASTOWN FARM.
Three Miles Northeast of Greensburg Westmoreland County, Pa.
ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8th, 1881.

FORTY-EIGHT HEAD OF FEMALES and FIFTEEN HIGH BREED BULLS AND BULL CALVES.

Representatives of the following known families, viz:

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The sale is made on purpose to reduce the herd which by its actual increase carried it beyond the extent of the farm to maintain and in order to make such an attractive list, many favorite animals are included.

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CAPT. P. C. KIDD, Auctioneer.

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GREENSBURG P. O. Penn'a.

May 18, 4t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Having been appointed Auditor in the estate of Benjamine Bittner, deceased, to ascertain the advancement of heirs, fix the amount due the widow, examine the judgments that have usury therein, with full power to hear and determine all questions that may affect parties and the estate, and make a distribution of the funds in the hands of Dr. W. A. Garman, executor, &c., to and among those legally entitled thereto; I hereby give notice that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office in Somerset, Pa., on Saturday, the 18th day of June, 1881, when and where all persons interested can attend.

W. H. RUPPEL, Auditor.

May 25

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For the June Republican Primaries.

We are authorized to announce the following names as candidates for the various offices designated at the Republican Primary Election, to be held on Saturday, June 25, 1881:

☞ FOR JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. A. J. Colborn, of Somerset, as a candidate for President Judge of the 16th Judicial District. Subject to the decision of the Republican Voters and Republican Convention.

☞ FOR JUDGE:

Davidsville, May 13, 1881.

Mr. George W. Pile, Chairman Republican County Committee:

Dear Sir:—Please do me the favor to announce that Wm. M. Hall will be a candidate at the Republican Primary Election for re-election as President Judge of this Judicial District, as he has agreed to be a candidate for re-election.

ISAAC KAUFFMAN.

☞ FOR PROTHONOTARY.
DENNIS MEYERS,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican primary election, June 25th, 1881.

☞ FOR PROTHONOTARY.
S. U. TRENT,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR PROTHONOTARY.
J. ROBERT WALTER,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican primary election, June 25th, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
JAMES S. CLARK,
OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
FREDERICK NAUGLE,
OF MEYERSDALE BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
W. H. FRITZ,
OF BROTHERSVALLEY TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
RUSH S. McMILLEN,
OF MIDDLECREEK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
MAHLON MILLER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
JOHN WINTERS,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
JOHN J. SPANGLER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
A. J. SCHELL,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
MARTIN SHANK,
OF STONYCREEK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF.
J. M. SALER,
OF MILFORD STATION.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR SHERIFF,
VALENTINE J. MILLER,
QUEMAHONING TWP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, Saturday, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR REGISTER and RECORDER,
JOHN C. HOSTETLER,
OF MEYERSDALE BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR REGISTER and RECORDER
Wm. PARK KOOSER,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR REGISTER and RECORDER.
A. A. STUTZMAN,
OF STONYCREEK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican primary election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR REGISTER and RECORDER.
J. F. BEACHY,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
I am a one-armed man. I lost my left arm in the War—in defense of my country.
J. F. B.

☞ FOR REGISTER and RECORDER,
J. R. BOOSE,
OF BROTHERSVALLEY TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR TREASURER.
GEORGE J. BLACK,
OF MEYERSDALE BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR TREASURER.
JOHN H. WEIMER,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
ADAM C. LEPLEY,
OF ELKLICK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
JOSEPH HORNER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
SAMUEL BUCKMAN,
OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
PETER ZUFALL,
OF UPPERTURKEYFOOT TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
F. J. COUNTRYMAN,
OF BROTHERSVALLEY TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
ADAM S. SHAFFER,
OF JENNER TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

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A. P. MILLER,
OF BROTHERSVALLEY TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

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D. M. FIKE,
OF ELKLICK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
PETER WEIMER,
OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
SOLOMON J. BAER,
OF MEYERSDALE BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER.
SAMUEL SMITH,
OF SOMERSET TWP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881

☞ FOR COMMISSIONER,
JACOB STERNER,
OF ADDISON TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
JOHN H. SNYDER,
OF STOYSTOWN BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
JOHN M. GLESSNER,
OF STONYCREEK TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
SAMUEL WALKER,
OF ALLEGHENY TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
SAMUEL SNYDER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE,
WILLIAM COLLINS,
OF SOMERSET BOROUGH.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR,
JOHN J. BAKER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR,
JESSE HOOVER,
OF MILFORD TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR,
ALEX. COUNTRYMAN,
OF LAVANSVILLE, SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR,
JACOB ZEIGLER,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881

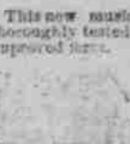
☞ FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR
DANIEL KIMMEL,
OF SOMERSET TWP.,
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

☞ FOR AUDITOR.
JOHN P. RHOADS,
OF SOMERSET TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican primary election, June 25th, 1881.

☞ FOR AUDITOR,
ISRAEL EMERICK,
OF SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP.
Subject to the decision of the Republican Primary Election, June 25, 1881.

THE AUTOPHONE.

This new musical instrument has now been thoroughly tested and is offered to the public in improved form.



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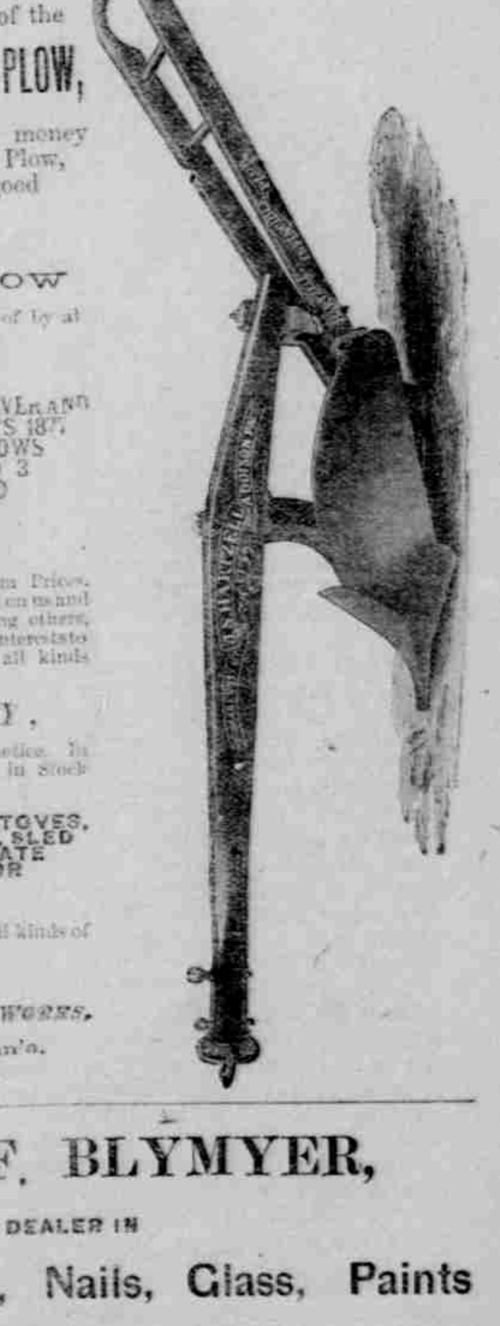

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January 26, 1880.