

October 10, 1887.

Pay your poll tax. Our coal dealers are busy. Have we had the equinox? Pumpkin pies are in order.

Barnum's show will come from Uniontown to this place. Col. E. D. Tuttle is spending a few days in Somerset, on business.

Miss Carrie McAfee and Miss Annie Keiffer are visiting friends in Pittsburgh. The school directors have had a large meeting held on the academy building.

Miss Grace Jones, of Hinton, Texas is visiting her home, of Miss Marie Uhl. John G. Ogle, Esq., of Latrobe, is in attendance at the Somerset Court this week.

W. H. Koonitz, Esq., is having a new stone pavement placed in front of his residence. The small boy is counting the nights to sleep till Barnum's show will come to town.

The next reunion of the Fifty-fourth Regiment will be in all probability held at Somerset. The boys are already gathering nuts and it will soon be time for the girls to gather autumn leaves.

Saturday, October 8, 1887, is the last day for payment of county tax in order to secure a vote in November. A number of the members of the 54th Regiment, from this place, attended the reunion at Johnstonville, Thursday.

Since the marriage license law went into effect two years ago, there have been 472 licenses issued in this county. Miss Anna Brown and Miss Irwin of Wheeling, West Va., are visiting at the residence of J. J. Schell, on East street.

Quite a number of Somersets took advantage of the excursion rates on the B. & O. railroad to visit Pittsburgh Monday. A large herd on James G. Blair's farm, near Elizabeth, was burned Saturday. Loss, 400 bushels of wheat, 300 bushels of oats.

Transfer of Bedford Springs. Messrs. P. C. Knox, James M. Bailey, W. K. Moore and J. F. Willard arrived at Bedford on Monday to close up the contract for the purchase of the Bedford Springs. The money was paid and the deed delivered Tuesday.

Judge and Jury. Court convened at 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, September 26th, Judge J. M. Barr, presiding. The grand jury met at 10 o'clock a. m. and returned 15 indictments.

Somerset Public Schools. The Board of Public Schools opened Monday morning for the winter term of six months. Following is the enrollment by rooms.

Room No. 1, N. G. Keim, Teacher—Males 10, Females 10, Total 20. Room No. 2, H. F. Barron, Teacher—Males 12, Females 18, Total 30. Room No. 3, Minnie J. Craver, Teacher—Males 12, Females 20, Total 32.

Church Convocation at Meyersdale. A convocation of the churches of Somerset county was held at Meyersdale, October 10th to 12th, 1887. Monday, October 10th—7:30 P. M. Confirmation sermon, by Rev. R. S. Smith.

Mr. Moriah Items. Corn raising has commenced. The crop is a very good one this year, being well matured. John Stuffs last week returned from West Virginia, where he bought some very fine short-horn cattle.

Human Nature, at the Opera House. Thursday night gave very general satisfaction to the large audience present. The music was splendid, the orchestra being the finest ever heard in Somerset.

A Political Pointer. Mr. Koonitz—Senator-elect Judge is not alone, but on the other side, and sounds the tocsin of alarm, or rather danger, in time to get every Republican on his guard.

Mr. Will W. Picking last week received the appointment of Traveling Passenger and Ticket Agent for the B. & O. Railroad, vice J. W. Patton, resigned.

Wanted! Hires, Puns, Bark. I will pay the highest price for all kinds of Hires, Puns and Bark. I have now 5000 of Hires, Puns and Bark.

Through their former, G. M. Baker, report as follows: The grand jury having visited the poor house and houses of employment in the county, and having carefully examined the same, do report, that we find the farm in a good state of cultivation and well farmed.

Same vs. George Wilkins. Larceny. On information of John A. Walker, Continued. Same vs. S. R. Binehart. Horse stealing. On information of G. G. Grady. Grand jury return a true bill.

Same vs. Benjamin Huff. A. & B. On information of J. H. Letts. N. J. Pro. entered on payment of costs by defendant. Same vs. Richard Emerick. F. & B. On information of Martha M. Kennel. N. J. Pro. entered on payment of costs by defendant.

Same vs. Simon P. Switzer. Selling liquor without license and on Sunday, on information of B. Wilmoth. N. J. Pro. entered on payment of costs by defendant. Same vs. James W. Sweeney of the Peace, on information of B. Wilmoth. N. J. Pro. entered on payment of costs by defendant.

Same vs. Perry Kennel. Sed. F. & B. On information of Carrie Christner. Continued. Same vs. Isaac Simpson, erecting and maintaining a nuisance, on information of Josiah Shuster. Cont'd. same contains neither allegation of time, place or specific offense nor the name of witnesses or of responsible or reliable persons from whom said constable may have obtained information nor the averment that he has information from such a source.

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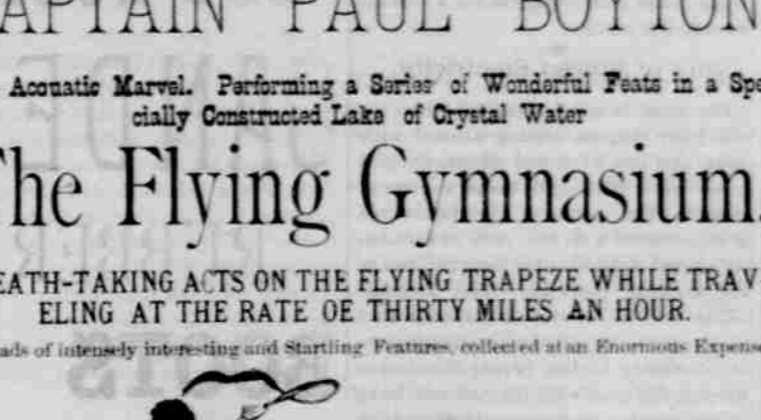


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