THE FREEMAN.

THURSDAY, : : : FEB. 13, 1868.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

EDITORIALITIES, LOCAL AND GENERAL.—

Our *Greensburg* correspondent is informed that the *Freeman* office is *not* for sale.

"The Elevation of the Teacher's Profession" has been received and will appear in our next issue.

Our very "promising" friend MacShane has "gone back" on us again. As Hal said of Falstaff, "we could better spare a better man."

Our friend ——, in Huntingdon county, has our thanks. Should like much to meet you in your pleasant Burg, and call with you upon our mutual friend, "Rye," senior.

The Democratic voters of Ebensburg are requested to meet at the Court House this (Wednesday) evening, for the purpose of nominating a Borough ticket to be supported at the election on Friday.

In Jenner township, one of the most Radical spots in the grossly Radical county of Somerset, says the *Democrat*, were lately married Solomon Boyer (white) to widow M'Kelvey, (colored,) and David Deetz (colored) to Polly Thomas (white.)

The Tyrone *Herald* says that Mr. Sample Anderson has discovered what is said to be a rich gold mine near that place. The jewelers can pronounce it nothing else. Nitric acid produces no visible effect on the metal. So pile in, ye gold worshippers, to the new Eldorado.

The city charter was adopted in Altoona, on Saturday last, by a majority of 235.—That portion of Logan township which made a "dead set" against the city at previous elections, was "left out in the cold" on this occasion, and hence the majority if not the success of the movement. How are you, city?

There is a great want felt in this community just now for tenant houses. We have learned of several families who know not where they are to find a roof to shelter them when moving time comes. Would it not be a paying investment for some of our monied men to erect suitable tenements to meet this growing want?

Persons requiring the services of a good painter may rest assured that our friend, Richard Rowan, of Altoona, is fully competent to execute work in the best style and at the lowest prices. We say it, without fear of contradiction, that he is one of the most competent mechanics in the State. See his card and then see him if you want a tip-top job.

Mr. James M. Riffle has leased the "Mansion House," his well known hotel stand at the Summit, to Mr. John H. Herbert, of Coalmont, Huntingdon county. Mr. H. will take possession the latter part of next month. Mr. Riffle will offer at public vendue, on Monday, March 23d, a large lot of personal property pertaining to said hotel. See advertisement and handbills.

Patrick Duggan, who was so seriously injured and his wife killed by the recent accident on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Mill Creek, died on Wednesday night from his injuries. Mr. and Mrs. Duggan were newly married, and were on their way to California at the time the accident occurred. The death of this unfortunate couple excites the sympathies of a large circle of friends.

We notice by the Altoona *Tribune* that the Red Lion Hotel in that place, Mr. P. Murphy, proprietor, has been finished and licensed, and is now open for guests. Mr. Murphy fully understands how to "keep a hotel," and we know of no man in that goodly borough more worthy of success. We commend the "Red Lion" and its landlord to the patronage of all persons visiting Altoona.

The dwelling house of Mr. John Evans, near Riddlesburg, Bedford county, was consumed by fire, on the 4th inst., and his two little children perished in the flames. Both parents were absent from the house (the mother at a near neighbor's,) when the fire broke out, and when the latter reached the scene of destruction it was impossible to rescue the little innocents. It was difficult to keep her from rushing into the flames.

Sheriff McKeage, of Blair county, lodged in the Penitentiary, on Tuesday of last week, the following convicts: Washington Lett, convicted of rape on Mrs. L. Wilt, sentenced to an imprisonment of eight years; Edward Simms, the ungrateful Englishman, who shared the hospitality of old Mr. Barkley, watchman on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and then robbed him of his watch while at prayer, sentenced to four years imprisonment; John Williams, larceny, one year and three months' imprisonment.

The card of our young Cambria friend, Mr. A. C. Dibert, appears in our columns to-day, and we not only direct the attention of all our mercantile readers to the announcement he makes, but heartily commend him to their most liberal patronage. We know Abe to be entirely worthy of confidence and encouragement, and also know that there is no more reliable and fair dealing firm in the boot and shoe trade in Philadelphia than the one he represents. None of our friends can do better with any salesman in the business than they can with Mr. Dibert.

DEATH OF L. S. CANTWELL, ESQ.—This brave soldier and true gentleman died at Kittanning, Pa., on Sunday, the 9th inst., and his remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery at Blairsville on the Tuesday following. Mr. Cantwell was a lawyer by profession, and commanded by his ability and professional acumen a most lucrative practice. At the commencement of the rebellion, however, he deserted the Bar and raised a company, of which he was elected Captain, and joined the 8th Pa. Reserves, serving with the most distinguished bravery throughout the greater part of the war, and only returning to civil life when impaired health rendered him unfit for service as a soldier. After retiring from the army he again resumed the practice of his profession in his former home.

We knew the deceased long and intimately. He combined a high order of talent, and a most persuasive eloquence, with those rare social gifts which endear the possessor to society. Kind, generous and forgiving, he leaves a host of mourning friends—not a single enemy. May he rest in peace!

FIRE.—On Saturday last the dwelling house of Mr. James Clevinger, on Laurel Hill, in Jackson township, took fire, and before aid could be procured, was consumed with all it contained. The accident occurred from a stove pipe passing through the roof. This deplorable disaster has left Mr. C. and his family in exceedingly destitute circumstances, and their condition strongly appeals to the charitable instincts of the human heart.

FALLING METEORS.—A friend informs us that while standing on one of the streets of Carrolltown, a few evenings since, he distinctly saw several brilliant meteors fall to the ground in his immediate vicinity. Other persons present also witnessed the phenomena, which continued for several minutes, and excited no little surprise and trepidation for the time being.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

St. Valentine's Day—Stabbing Affray—Larceny—Burglary—The Castigator of the "Old Man" Heard From—The Hull Murder Trial—Closing of Public Schools—Exhibition—Left Town—A Curiosity—Municipal Elections, &c., &c.

JOHNSTOWN, FEB. 17, 1868.

Dear Freeman—Friday last was the day on which the feathered songsters are popularly supposed to choose their mates, after having previously done the usual amount of "billing and cooing;" and in connection with the occasion it is the invariable custom of newspapers, in making their comments, to give a few bread hints to their bachelor friends to profit by the example of the birds, and forthwith proceed to a choice of some fair one to sew on buttons and perform the other little *eceteras* which in our day and generation is supposed to be the natural sphere of woman. With all due respect for the sage advice gratuitously offered on the annual recurrence of the day, I feel rather disposed to enter my humble protest against anything of the kind, and would most respectfully suggest that if the birds feel inclined to do their sparking and mating at a time when the thermometer ranges in the neighborhood of zero, why let them do it—it's "their own funeral"—but as for me, I would vastly prefer the dreamy autumnal evenings in which to do the preparatory soft soldering, and the first icy breath of winter for popping the question and calmly subsiding into a realization of the oft repeated injunction that "it is not good for man to be alone." This day is also dedicated to the sending of tender missives or coarse caricatures, as the case may be, to the object of your love or dislike, and although the custom has sadly degenerated, there are still a great many who take advantage of the license allowed, and make their friends or enemies the recipients of beautiful sentiments or disagreeable caricatures. It is a matter of much regret that the practice is not confined to its legitimate purpose of love making and the offensive custom growing out of it discontinued.

A serious stabbing affray occurred at Conemaugh on Friday morning last, in which a man named Moore, a resident of that place, received several severe stabs from a penknife in the hands of a young man named Henry Roberts. From what I can learn it appears that Moore had been quarreling with another party during the early part of the evening, and in this quarrel Roberts finally became involved. It is alleged that at this juncture Moore went to the "Round House"—a building used for housing and cleaning engines—and procuring a hammer, returned and struck Roberts on the shoulder; the latter then drew a large pen-knife and made several lunges at Moore, cutting him twice on the breast and once on the back. The gashes, although severe, will not necessarily prove dangerous. Roberts had a hearing the same day, and was committed for assault and battery with intent to kill. He then instituted a cross suit against Moore for the same offense. A hearing in the latter case will be had to-day.

A gay and festive young chap named McGowan, who resides in Cambria borough, went to Pittsburgh recently, and about the time he thought of returning, came to the conclusion that he needed a watch and suit of clothes; and being of a covetous disposition, he found that a fellow boarder had the very articles he wanted. The watch and clothes were appropriated, and McG. came on his way rejoicing, but a Nemesis in the shape of a detective officer was soon on his track, and nabbed him on Friday evening in a saloon in Cambria borough. The aggrieved individual, whose time and dry goods were so surreptitiously spirited away, was on hands to prove property, and had no difficulty whatever in recognizing his vest and pants, in which his late fellow lodger was at the time "sporting." The bracelets were attached to McG.'s wrists, and he was taken to Pittsburgh—booked, no doubt for a passage across the river.

The house of Mr. C. Suppes was entered one night last week, by some burglarious individual, and three pocket-books abstracted from the pockets respectively of Mr. and Mrs. C. and a servant girl in their employ. The thief doubtless thought he was making quite a haul, but the contents of the combined pocket-books only amounted to five dollars and eighty cents.

The house of Mr. Unverzagt was also entered a few nights since, but it is supposed the burglars were frightened off, as nothing had been taken.

The young man whom I noticed last week as having been indulging in a little rencontre with his father, and injuring him to such an extent as to induce the old man to have him bound over for assault and battery, has been effecting a change of base, and has succeeded in getting up a little by-play which gives a rather livelier aspect to the position of affairs. He has returned no less than seven *shebeen* shops for selling on Sunday, &c., and among the number is the "tavern" of his own *pater familias*. The parties were all bound over to Court.

A large number of our most prominent citizens are attending the trial, at Greensburg, of Hull, who killed Parker, the conductor of the Accommodation Train, a short time ago. They were subpœnaed for the purpose of breaking a portion of the evidence given by a witness from this place, for the defence, and whose testimony is, I believe discredited.

The public schools of this town will close in two weeks from to-day, and it is the design of the teachers to give a general exhibition on the following Thursday.

The new school house in the 3d Ward is now completed, and will be ready for occupancy as soon as the desks are located.

Capt. James H. Gageby took his departure last week to rejoin his command, which is stationed some two hundred miles south of Santa Fe, New Mexico. The Captain has hosts of friends in this locality, who unite in wishing him a safe journey and a pleasant time generally.

Mr. L. Furlong the popular landlord of the Union House, at Conemaugh Station, has on exhibition a mechanical curiosity in the shape of a pair of shoes which measure about 16 inches in length, and are large in proportion, and which are just a neat fit for a gentleman in that neighborhood who must be a lineal descendant of "Big Foot."

Our Municipal elections take place on Friday, and there are quite a number of persons whose ambition runs as high as Burgess, or Councilmen. Not wishing to prove a false prophet I will not attempt to prognosticate.

SKU BAL.

ALTOONA CITY, Feb. 17, 1868.

Friend Mac—There is no telling what a day may bring forth. On Saturday I made a brief visit to the mountain. I left the *borough* of Altoona at 8.40 A. M., and arrived on my return in the *city* of Altoona at 9 P. M. Our population was some eight or nine thousand when I left in the morning—when I returned in the evening it had increased an hundred fold.

When I think what now we is,
And what we used to was,
I think we've thrown ourselves away
Without sufficient cause.

In hopes that it may convey to your mind a faint idea of what *our* city now is, I enclose a letter received from a very intelligent gentleman, in which he details his experiences and impressions in a most vivid manner. I submit the epistle without comment, as the writer is fully competent to tell his own story. Yours, &c., T. I. M.

"Altoona city!" shouted the conductor at one end of the car. "Altoona city!" yelled two brakemen and three water carriers at the other end. We seized our baggage and jumped from the car. We noticed that all the other passengers did likewise. Everybody stopped at Altoona. What a mass of people were about the station house and platform! What miles of Railroad cars were strung out in all directions! We became bewildered. Wondered if there could be two Chicagoes, and if we had got into the wrong car and been landed at one of them. But no! the conductor shouted Altoona city. There was no mistake, so we soon found our way home and rested until the following morning. In the morning we procured the services of a friend, and went forth to take a look at the city. There were omnibuses and drays, and milk wagons in the streets everywhere. We passed by whole blocks of four story salesrooms and warehouses, but saw no person that we knew. We met six policemen with stars on their coats and ugly looking sticks in their hands. We also met a colored boy with a bell in his hand, crying out, "Lost Child!" "Lost Child!"—were stopped thirteen times by as many Jew dealers in ready-made clothing, and invited to "step in and buy something." We saw two fights and heard fourteen organ grinders. Also, saw several strangely dressed people on the side walks, and asked our friend why they dressed so queerly. He told us that they were Chinese, Japanese and Hottentots, who resided in the city. Heard our friend say, "good morning Andy" to a gentleman who was riding by in an open carriage. Asked what "Andy" and were informed that it was the Ex-Governor of the State—that the Executive Mansion was on Thirteenth street. Got tired of the noise and confusion, and requested our friend to stop somewhere for the night. The next morning we made some further inquiries about the city of Altoona. Found that the Great Central Railroad from sunrise to sunset passes through the centre of the city, and that all other Railroads and Plank roads centre at this point.

Altoona city is the Railroad centre of the whole country. Nearly all the plank roads and stone roads in the Union terminate here, including one from Wopsononick. We have been informed that very important changes have taken place (politically) during our absence. The Capitol of the State has been moved to Altoona, and the name of the State itself has been changed to *Altoona*. All the neighboring towns around about, have been annexed to Altoona city—Hollidaysburg forms the 9th Ward, and Tyrone the 21st. Muncytown has been fenced in and has become another *Beulah*. The total population of Altoona city is about 500,000, more or (a good deal) *less*. There are 109 newspapers published in Altoona city—110 of them are daily. Of the former number is the *Tribune*. It is ably edited and has a large subscription list. There is a paper published in the 9th Ward that's very singular—one-half is printed in the South African language and the other half in the Caffraira. It circulates extensively among the *colored people*.

There are 149 fire engines in Altoona city, besides a large number of hook and ladder companies. The City has 400 Street Commissioners and 5 Scavengers. Each of the former is required to station himself at a street corner and keep strict watch over that portion of the street that extends to the next corner. Dogs and hogs are not allowed to run at large, but are kept in cellars under the Chinese hotels. Desirable building lots have become very scarce, owing to the rapid growth of the city. Within the past few years we had thought of purchasing, but now fear we shall not be able to get nearer the heart of the city than the 9th Ward. Our present address is No. 1556, Altoona street, City of Altoona, State of Altoona.

LITERARY.—We have received from the publishers, the "Hand-Book of Internal Revenue." It is a pamphlet of some hundred pages, and is an invaluable companion for lawyer, merchant, clerk, manufacturer, and indeed, almost "any other man." It is the latest and most systematic work upon the subject it treats of.

The Speech of Hon. Daniel J. Morrell on the "Financial Condition of the Country," is a well written paper, and enters at considerable length the best manner of putting the public debt of the country in process of liquidation. It deals in frequent allusions to the law givers of antiquity, a subject which is treated with the author's well known familiarity.

OF INTEREST TO EVERYBODY.—Since the advent of the Star Shuttle Sewing Machine in the market, about one year ago, the manufacturers have sold about Fifteen Thousand, and such unprecedented testimonials of their intrinsic worth has prompted them to enlarge the machine, and otherwise improve it, that now the Star Shuttle Sewing Machine stands without a rival. Mr. Wilson deserves great credit for assuming the responsibility in putting a Lock Stitch Shuttle Sewing Machine in the market at such a very low price, in direct competition with all the first-class and high priced machines.

A CAMBRIAN.—Our old Cambria friend, Joseph Gill sends greeting from Earlville, Delaware county, Iowa. He says, "We have very little snow here, but good sleighing all along. When old winter sets in here it keeps right along, not breaking up every few days. Yesterday (Feb. 11th) was the coldest day here since I have been in Iowa. The thermometer was down to 30, yet I was out sleighing all day, and did not think it half so cold as it used to be in Cambria. We want Pendleton for President, and down with the non-taxing bond-holders party." Joe does not forget to send us a greenback.

DEMOREST'S MONTHLY.—Mr. Demorest has won the hearts of the ladies this year, by giving them all sorts of silverware, silk dresses, and other valuable things, for premiums. We have seen some of these "inducements," and find them really beautiful and valuable, like the Magazine itself. One lady has supplied herself with a sewing machine, a parlor organ, and a set of silver spoons and forks, in less than three years. We don't wonder that it is easy to get subscribers to "Demorest." The book is worth the money without any premium. Publication Office, 473 Broadway, N. Y. Send for a circular.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Borough officers takes place on Friday. It is to be hoped that good men will be elected, and that the Borough fathers, as well as all other fathers, mothers, sons and daughters, will not forget to patronize the cheap store of V. S. Barker, on Main street.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY has past and gone, and we trust that a goodly number of our young friends have taken advantage of the occasion to make arrangments for emigrating to the state of matrimony, setting up on their own hook, and buying all their household supplies at Thompson's cheap store.

[Advertisement.]

HOME, Feb. 12, 1868.

MR. JOHNSTON—*Dear Sir*:—In your last paper I notice a statement purporting to be an inventory of articles remaining at the Poor House after I left it. As this statement is false throughout, and sure to be construed, as it is intended, to my injury, I feel bound, reluctantly, to notice it. I will briefly enumerate a few articles of such a character that all persons will see that they were wilfully omitted, which were there when these men made out that list and are there now: At the barn—a cart, set hay ladders, log sled, chain and spreaders, sleigh bells, wagon whip, rakes, forks, etc. At the house—a small amount of meat, (more than three tons,) a large lot of potatoes in the field, in pits, 11 coal stoves, in use, 2 wood stoves, 8 wooden bedsteads, with good bedding, (does Thomas, who ran this job, know anything of this?) 8 good tables and 1 old one, a bureau, (Mrs. Wesner's, insane,) a churn, a cross-cut saw, a spinning wheel and reel, and lot of rolls, sausage cutter and stuffer, apple parer, 2 coffee mills instead of one, carving knife and fork, iron vise, wood screw, sugar kettle, five gallon brass kettle, chest in office, 3 axes, 1 hatchet, (2 buffalo robes on the list—no such things were there,) kitchen stove furnished with everything, 6 tin buckets, 3 wash bowls, 5 dish pans, 3 coffee pots, 1 coffee pitcher, 2 large tin waiters, 2 stone cream crocks, 1½ dozen stone milk crocks, iron bread pans to bake twenty-three loaves, 1 large and 1 dozen small cake pans, pudding pan, collander, 2 graters, 2 cake cutters, 1 gallon and 1 quart measures, 2½ dozen fruit cans, dippers, lifters, 1 dozen candlesticks, egg beater, an unbroken tea set, 2 sets candle-moulds, flour sifter, large steelyards, counter scales, clothes basket, 200 feet galvanized wire for clothes-line, 30 lbs. white sugar, 1 caddy tea, nearly full, a lot of glassware, a lot of shirts and blouses in office chest, (every inmate had a change of clothing,) 31 iron beds, with bedding, and table ware sufficient for all the inmates. In fact, everything was there when we left necessary to conduct the house as we understood it. Further, 600 bushels of oats were put in the granary on the first of November, and the stock has been fed since. There was certainly twice as much corn as is put down. If this thing was necessary, it should have been done right, should have been done at once, and I should have had notice. If there is any dispute about my statement, I will show the articles named to any respectable person wishing to see them.

I will only say to Mr. Myers: You have lent yourself to this scheme of defamation; now take your choice of these positions—either these articles were at the house on Jan. 7th or they were not. If they were there why did you omit them?—if they were not there how came they there since? You will explain this, I hope. To the Directors: If you thought it right to buy all McDermitt's property, you should have the manhood to father the act instead of trying to create the impression that a necessity existed for so doing, which was not the case—and this, too, at the expense of the absent, and, as you thought, the defenceless. With respect to this arrangement I will only say that no such thing was ever done in the State before. To you, Mr. Johnston: I appeal to your love of fair play to publish this paper, promising that it will be the last time I will trouble you, and trusting that you will not allow your paper to be made the instrument for the destruction of any man's reputation without giving him a chance to defend himself.

With respect, I remain
Yours, &c.,
JAMES J. KAYLOR.

ARITHMETICAL QUESTION.—A correspondent propounds the following arithmetical problem for the Common School students to solve through the columns of the *Freeman*:

Two friends, A. and B., residing 3243 miles apart, and wishing to have an interview, started at the same time—A. traveling at the rate of twenty miles per day, and B. at the rate of 10 miles the first day, 10½ the second day, 11 miles the third day, and so on increasing one-half mile each successive day. But when within one day's journey of meeting each other, B. got disabled and had to stop. A. continued on until he reached his friend at his stopping place. Required: The number of miles traveled by each, and how many days from the starting time until they met. PLEBIAN.

JUST SO.—We spend half our lives in making mistakes, and waste the poor remainder in reflecting how easily we might have avoided them. If we buy our books, stationery, clocks, watches, jewelry, fancy goods, &c., from Cham. Roberts, we may be sure we will not have anything to repent of on that score anyhow.

AT IT YET.—Don't think because we said nothing about it last week that Mills & Davis have ceased to offer those astonishing bargains which people have been running after with such great avidity for some time past. They still have plenty of seasonable goods at greatly reduced prices.

DIED.

BUCK.—In Carroll township, on Saturday, 15th inst., Mr. Christian Buck, an old and much esteemed citizen of Cambria county, aged about 70 years.

GOUGHNOUR.—At Conemaugh, on Friday afternoon last, of dropsy, Margaret Goughnour, aged — years.

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS!—Intending to retire from the business of hotel keeper at the well known "Mansion House," Summit, Cambria county, I will offer at public vendue, on *Monday, March 23d*, 1868, and on following days until everything is disposed of, the personal property pertaining to said house, consisting of Beds, Bedding, Tables, Chairs, Washstands, Stoves, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Sofas, Settees, Looking-Glasses, Cupboards, Sideboards, and a general variety of glass and queensware, and many other articles needless to enumerate. Also, 2 Horses, 3 Cows, 1 Hack, 1 Carriage, 2 Buggies, Sleighs, Sleds, Harness, &c.

Sale to commence at 9 o'clock A. M., when terms will be made known.

Feb. 20.-2t. JAS. M. RIFFEL.

TOWN AND COUNTRY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale his FARM, located at Allegheny township, Cambria county, about one mile west of Loretto. The Farm contains 145 ACRES, 90 Acres of which are cleared, fenced and well cultivated—the balance being heavily timbered. There are erected on the premises a two story *Dwelling House*, comfortable and commodious, an excellent *Bank Barn*, and all necessary outbuildings. There is also a large orchard of choice Fruit Trees on the property.

The subscriber also offers sale a Dwelling House and two Lots of Ground located on Main street, in the borough of Loretto.

All the above properties will be sold on fair terms and indisputable titles will be given. Possession given on the 1st of April.

A. WALTERS.

Allegheny Tp., Feb. 20, 1868.-3t.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given to all parties concerned that the co partnership which existed between H. Omit and Jonathan Barrett, who carried on the business of manufacturing sawed lumber in Alleghe ny township, Cambria county, Pa., under the firm name of Omit & Barrett, was dissolved on the 19th day of September, 1867, at which time I disposed of my interest to James Henry, who with Johnathan Barrett, has been carrying on the business under the name of Henry & Barrett, who are to pay all the debts of the late firm of Omit & Barrett. H. OMIT.

Harrisburg, Feb. 19 1868. 3t.

LICENSE NOTICE.—The following Petitions for Tavern and Eating House Licenses will be presented to the Judges of our Court of Common Pleas on the second Monday of March next:

Tavern Licenses—Peter Keelan, John Quinn, Cambria Bor; Dominic Egar, Carrolltown Bor; Joseph J. Duncan, 2d ward, Conemaugh Bor; Wm. C. Fitzimmons, Patrick O'Connell, Mrs. Cath. McKenna, Bernard M'Caffrey, 2d ward, and James H. Benford, And. Henning, John Raub, 3d ward, Johnstown Bor; Joseph Bradley, Pat'k M'Cauley, Ann Daily, Millville Bor; Daniel Confer, Taylor Tp; John H. Herbert, Summitville Bor; Richard Detling, Washington Tp; Valentine Maltzie, Wilmore Bor.

Eating House License—John Pearson, Taylor Tp. GEO. C. K. ZAHM.

Ebensburg, Feb. 20, 1868. Clerk.

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LIST OF CAUSES set down for trial at an adjourned Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, commencing on *Monday, the 24th day of February next:*

Brotherline	vs. Smith et. al.
Fenlon	vs. Duncan.
Burgoon	vs. Noel.
Truby	vs. Duncan.
Kriss	vs. Noel et. al.
Morley	vs. Duncan.
Calvin	vs. Noel et. al.
Altimus	vs. Cooper.
Litzinger	vs. Davis & Litzinger.
Hare	vs. Cooper.
Bendons	vs. Bendons.
Smith et. al.	vs. Adams.
March Term—First Week.	
Christy	vs. Christy.
White, Trustee,	vs. McGlade.
Same	vs. Same.
Campbell	vs. McKenzie et. al.
Shields	vs. McMullen.
Crossman, Solomon & Co.	vs. Hughes & Co.
Storm	vs. Adams.
Pomeroy	vs. Nagle.
Same	vs. Scanlan.
Crossman, Solomon & Co.	vs. Hamilton.
Pomeroy	vs. Carr.
M'Clenahan	vs. Woodcock.
Runnion	vs. George.
Bonnett	vs. McMillan.
Christy	vs. Collins.
SECOND WEEK.	
Shoemaker, Ass'ee,	vs. Kleinmyer
Pringle, Adm'x,	vs. Pringle
Christy	vs. Smith
Hoffman	vs. Colclesser
Baird	vs. Black
Com'th, for use,	vs. Heyer et al
Luden	vs. Wehn
Hamberger	vs. Zimmerman
Calvin et al	vs. Burgoon
Garretson	vs. Cole et al
Dunmyer	vs. Boody's Adm'rs
Litzinger et al	vs. Litzinger et al
Walters	vs. Penna R R Co
Robson	vs. Cowan
M'Crossin	vs. Lewis et al
Taylor	vs. Cambria Iron Co
Storm	vs. Penna R R Co
McGlade	vs. Same
Carr	vs. Lynch et al
Fronheiser et al	vs. Ribblett et al
Lemon, Adm'r,	vs. Davis et al
Cooper	vs. Dunmyer et al
Starrick	vs. Hubert
Bloodgood, Ex'r,	vs. Morrison, Ex'r
Burk	vs. Allenbaugh
Litzinger	vs. McGough et al
Dunmyer	vs. Southworth et al
Mitchell	vs. Jackson et al

GEO. C. K. ZAHM, Proth'y.
Proth'y's Office, Ebensburg, Jan. 27, 1868.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN TOWN AND COUNTRY FOR SALE.—By virtue of sundry orders of sale issuing out of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, I will expose to sale, at the Court House in Ebensburg, on WEDNESDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF MARCH, 1868, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., by Public Vendue, the following Real Estate, of which Robert Davis died seized, to wit: A CERTAIN TRACT OF WOOD LAND, situate in Cambria township, about one mile west of Ebensburg, adjoining the Turnpike, lands of Alex. McVicker, and others, containing 7 ACRES, 110 PERCHES. Also, ALL THAT BODY OF TIMBER LAND situate in Blacklick township, surveyed on warrants in names of Nathaniel Simpson and Joseph Conn, containing about 600 ACRES—valuable as Coal and Timber lands. Also, A CERTAIN LOT OF GROUND situate in the Borough of Ebensburg, fronting on Ogle street 66 feet, and thence extending along Cherry alley 128 feet, to Lot now owned by John E. Evans, having thereon erected a new FRAME STABLE, and a number of young Fruit Trees. Also, the HOUSE AND LOT situate on the south side of High street, in said Borough of Ebensburg, adjoining property of John Dougherty on the west, Geo. C. K. Zahm on the east, and extending back to an alley. The House is a TWO STORY FRAME BUILDING, in excellent repair, and there are good outbuildings on the premises. This is one of the most desirable properties in town.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and the balance in one year, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage.

GEORGE M. READE,
Adm'r of Robert Davis, dec'd.
Ebensburg, Feb. 13, 1868.-4t.

FARMERS ATTEND!—The undersigned offers for sale one of the most desirable Farms in Cambria county, situate in Summerhill township, within two miles of the Pa. R. R. at Wilmore, containing 200 ACRES, half of which is cleared, with a splendid apple orchard and a good LOG HOUSE and BARN on the premises. The property will be sold together, or in lots to suit purchasers. The terms, which are easy, will be made known by R. L. Johnston, Esq., Ebensburg; and an indisputable title made to the purchaser.

JEREMIAH M'GONIGLE.
Jan. 23, 1868.-tf.

NOTICE.—The account of Wm. Palmer, Esq., Committee of Sarah Benson, a Lunatic, has been filed in the Prothonotary's Office of Cambria county, to be presented to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of said county for confirmation, on the first Monday of March next.

GEO. C. K. ZAHM, Proth'y.
Proth'y's Office, Ebensburg, Feb. 13, 1868

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of *Fieri Facias, Venditioni Expon.* and *Levari Facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House in Ebensburg, on *Monday, the 2d day of March* next, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following Real Estate, to wit: All the right, title and interest of Demetrius Weakland, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Cresson township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Joseph Dysart, George Bingham, and others, containing 170 acres, more or less, about ten acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected two one and a half story house, now in the occupancy of James Weakland. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Lewis Plack et. al.

Also, All the right, title and interest of William Gittens, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the borough of Ebensburg, Cambria county, fronting on Main street and extending back to lands of Stephen Lloyd, adjoining lands of William Kittell on the North and an alley on the South, having thereon erected a two story frame house, now in the occupancy of John Griffith. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Ebensburg & Cresson Rail Road Co., for use of Philip Collins.

Also, All the right, title and interest of John J. Trefts, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in 3d ward, Johnstown borough, fronting on Bedford street and extending back to an alley, adjoining lot of Mr. —— Griffith on the North and an alley on the South, having thereon erected a two story plank house, frame stable and slaughter house, now in the occupancy of the said John J. Treftz Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Robert Smith.

Also, All the right, title and interest of Charles Plitt, of, in and to the following described building and lot of ground of Charles Plitt, to wit: "A dwelling house of two stories, (frame,) having a front of twenty-four feet and depth of thirty-two feet, situate on Stony Creek street, at the foot of Levergood street, in the borough of Johnstown and built upon a certain lot of ground belonging to said Charles Plitt, which said lot is triangular in shape, and bounded by Stony Creek street, (at the foot of the Levergood street,) Stony Creek river, and an alley which divides the lot of said Charles Plitt from the property of Jacob Levergood." Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Charles Helfrick.

Also, All the right, title and interest of Peter Soley, of, in and to a lot of ground situate in Cambria borough, Cambria county, fronting seventy feet on Chestnut street and extending back thirty-three feet to a lot of Mr. —— Hagely, adjoining —— street on the one side and an alley on the other, having thereon erected a two story plank house and plank stable now in the occupancy of Joseph Soley.

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