

THE FREEMAN.

THURSDAY, OCT. 20, 1868.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

YOUNG MAN, go to school; you will never regret it. Go to the best school. Write for a circular of the State Normal School. Address J. A. Cooper, Ellipton, Pa.

BRIEF MENTION.—We invite attention to the legal card of Messrs. Kopein & Dick. The senior is one of the most talented practitioners in the State, and the junior is a worthy young gentleman who is determined to win his way to success.—Mr. E. Oberbets has opened out in his new, handsome and commodious store room, and may now consider himself the possessor of one of the finest business houses in Cambria county.—Prof. H. H. Hughes, who recently returned from a visit to the West, is making an effort to get up classes in vocal music. He is an excellent teacher, and should have no difficulty in securing scholars.—Our young friend Jacob Zimmerman, Jr., of Johnstown, paid us a pop visit on Tuesday. Jake is an earnest and talented young Democrat, and his voice has been frequently heard during the present campaign in advocacy of the good cause.—R. W. Hunt, of Johnstown, and it is said, has prosecuted J. F. Campbell & Son, of the Altoona Vindicator, for libel in publishing a statement to the effect that Mr. Hunt had attempted to hire a man named Coleman to work for the Cambria Iron Co., with the understanding that he should vote for Mr. Morrill.—Wm. King, who came from the Greensburg jail on election day, stole another horse near Laurelville, in that county, and was traced to Ligonier, but there succeeded in eluding his pursuers, and both him and the horse are still missing.—A man named Painter was recently committed to the Indiana jail for teaching fence and using the rails for fire wood, and it is now suspected that he is the same individual who was arrested in 1865 on suspicion of poisoning his wife and killing his child in Westmoreland county, but who then escaped from the officers who had him in charge.—Nine cars of a stock train, consisting of hogs, were wrecked, and a number of cattle and hogs killed, five miles below Altoona, on Sunday last, in consequence of the train being thrown from the track by the bursting of a wheel.—Mr. William Hileman, of Frankstown, Blair county, was thrown from a wagon at Huntingdon, on Wednesday, and had his collar bone broken and was otherwise injured.—Four or five sections of the Conellsville Railroad have been awarded to Messrs. P. & T. Collins.—The Champion, heretofore published at New Castle, Pa., has been removed to New York City, and is now published by John M' Coy, Carroll tp., will sell horses, cattle, &c., Nov. 10th.

AN APPEALING SUICIDE.—The usually quiet village of Summitville was painfully excited, on Sunday last, by the discovery that Mrs. Catharine Oterson, a most estimable widow woman residing in that place, had committed suicide by hanging herself to a bed post in her own dwelling. The deed was doubtless committed while her neighbors were at church, and as she lived alone at the time, no one of course was present to prevent the act or give the alarm in time to save her life. Some of her friends called at the house on the way to church, but found the outside doors fastened, and on their return, the doors being still fastened, broke one of them open, and entered to find in one of the upper chambers, the unfortunate woman in a sitting posture, with her head thrown back, the rope tightly drawn about her neck, and in lifeless condition.

Mrs. Oterson has been a resident of Summitville for fully twenty years, but a few months ago she disposed of her personal property and departed for California, where, two or perhaps three, of her sons and one of her daughters have been living for several years. From this visit she returned only about two weeks previous to her tragic death, since which time it has been apparent to her friends that she was somewhat deranged in mind, but nothing serious was apprehended from her condition. The unfortunate woman owned the property she occupied, and was otherwise comfortably circumstanced, but she even has it that between five and six hundred dollars in gold and a couple of hundred in greenbacks were found secured about her person after her death. It is also said that she lost considerable money (a deceased brother in California having bequeathed her several hundred dollars) when she returned from that State, and this loss, if it be true, may have preyed upon her mind and induced the terrible act which ended her existence.

We knew Mrs. Oterson for many years, and always esteemed her a kind mother, a good neighbor and an exemplary Christian. It is therefore with feelings of sincere sorrow and regret that we chronicle her deplorable and tragical death. Two of her daughters (married) reside in this county, and among her relatives may be numbered some of the best citizens Cambria can boast of.

CLING CLOSE TO THE ROCK.—A long train of cars, fourteen or fifteen, were recently passing over the Allegheny Mountains, on their way eastward. They were crowded with passengers. As the iron horse snorted and rushed on, they began to descend, and needed no pushing or pulling, but by the gravitation to send them down with terrific swiftness. Just as the passengers began to realize their situation, they came to a short curve out of the solid rock, a wall of rock lying on each side. Suddenly the steam whistle screamed as if in agony. "Put on the brakes, put on the brakes," was the apparent exclamation of the cars. Every window flew open, and every head that could be thrust out to see what the danger was, and every one rose up in their places, fearing sudden destruction. What was the trouble?

Just as the engine began to turn in the curve the engineer saw a little girl and her baby brother playing on the track. In a moment the cars would be upon them. The shriek of the whistle startled the little girl, and every one looking over could see them. Close to the track in the upright rock was a little niche, out of which a piece of rock had been blasted. In the instant the cars were thrust into this niche, and as the cars came thundering by the passengers, holding their breath, heard the clear voice of the little sister, on the other side of the cars, ring out, "Cling close to the rock, Johnny, cling close to the rock!" And the little creature snuggled in, and put his head as close to the rock as he could, while the heavy cars whirled past him. And many were the moist eyes that gazed, and a silent thanksgiving went up to heaven.—Indiana Messenger.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A young man named Peter Kinney, aged about 22 years, was instantly killed, on Friday last, by the upsetting of a wagon, while returning from Johnstown to his home in Jackson township. The bed of the wagon fell upon his neck and either broke it or strangled him to death. His mother was riding with him at the time, but fortunately fell under the wagon bed in such a way as to escape injury.

Johnstown Letter.

WRITTEN BY PETROLEUM V. NABBY, JR.

Mr. Editor.—Circumstances sometimes alter cases. I had a monstrous big letter wrote for you, but owing to a defect in the judicious of the election machinery, the letter didn't suit, and so the labor was all lost. Hoar's the election news I tucked suddenly in with cramp, cold, and didn't get it. I tucked a tramp, the "Confederate Cross Roads" we see my Uncle. He told me few jine the Tanners agin and he would stick tew the Democrats, and ef he got an offis I must sheer with me, and ef I got a gun back the committee of three hundred was waitin' fur me with one hundred in greenbacks. They sed that was mine ef I'd write fur them tew the election in November. So I jined the Tanners agin. The first man I seed was Mr. McDonald, head center fur Ebernsburg. Sez I, "J-o-o-s-e-p-h," speekin' as sweetly as I could. Sez I, "J-o-o-s-e-p-h," how's the election? He was a settin' on a split bottom chair with one elbow on one knee and t'other elbow on t'other knee, and his hands embracin' his chin, and as I hadn't hearn the news, sez I, "J-o-o-s-e-p-h," how's the election? Sez I, "Umph!" Sez I, "How are you District?" Sez I, "It's an up-hill bizzness runnin' on the Radical ticket, isn't it?" Sez he, "Umph!" That's all he would say. He reminded me of Mr. Evans readin' the "Raven" and sayin' "Never more!" But as J-o-o-s-e-p-h was always clever, I thought I'd take the day for it, and buy all things that I could. Evans has just received a full, complete and varied assortment of dry goods, dress goods, notions, groceries, and innumerable other articles, at his extensive store in that village and is now better prepared than ever to compete in stock and prices with any dealer in the place. He has a clear, clean, bright, neat, pure fresh and sweet, on famous High street. So, don't fail to call, good people all, for his prices are down, and his stock is the best in the town.

EVEN SO—EVANS, O!—Such of our readers as do their shopping at Wilmore, will be created in knowing that Mr. E. Evans has just received a full, complete and varied assortment of dry goods, dress goods, notions, groceries, and innumerable other articles, at his extensive store in that village and is now better prepared than ever to compete in stock and prices with any dealer in the place. He has a clear, clean, bright, neat, pure fresh and sweet, on famous High street. So, don't fail to call, good people all, for his prices are down, and his stock is the best in the town.

WORTH REMEMBERING.—Amid all the turmoils of political strife and every day life it is worth while for every farmer, mechanic, laboring man, and all other classes, to bear in mind that at the great house, shop and farm furnishing emporium of George Huntley every article of hardware, tinware, glassware, woodware, and almost every other kind of ware, can be had in large quantities, at as low prices as any dealer in the place. Mr. Huntley has everything worth keeping, and permits no dealer to undersell him.

Go when the morning shineth,
Go when the sun is bright;
Go in all kinds of weather,
And go with all your might—
And a little of your money—to Spence's New Gallery, Ebernsburg, and have a few pictures taken. You can get any style you wish, either Photographs, Ambrotypes, Ferrotypes, or large Pictures for Framing. A good assortment of Frames and Albums for sale. So come one and all, both great and small, and be convinced of the truth—have a picture taken, and go your way rejoicing.

LOOK AT THIS!—White country blankets, white Eastern blankets, white country flannel, white Eastern flannel, gray country flannel, barred Eastern flannels, heavy gray army blankets, heavy dark blue blankets, coverlets, counterpanes, ladies' misses' and children's shawls, together with a full stock of all kinds of winter goods, which will be sold at the lowest Eastern prices, now at great variety at Leopold Mayer's New York Dry Goods and Millinery Store, Paic's Hall, Johnstown.

COME fair or foul weather—
Come sleet or come snow—
Alone or together,
Let's to Shoemaker's go;
For their stock is the best,
And their prices are down
Below all the rest.
Of the dealers in town.
A large array of seasonable dry goods, dress goods, notions, groceries, &c., now in store and offered very cheap for cash.

WILL HE?—Gov. Seymour on his way from Pittsburg to Philadelphia, will scarcely find time to address the citizens of Johnstown, but it might not be amiss, and it would require but a moment or two, for him to advise the people thereabouts to buy all their winter clothing at the famous establishment of M. Olsen & Bro., Park iron front building, Main street, Johnstown. The advice would be excellent, and for fear he should fail to do it we hereby give it on our own responsibility.

LIBERTY OR DEATH.—Friends and countrymen now is the time to prepare for the "cold, chilly blasts of December" and the other winter months. Very little money is needed to buy warm, handsome and serviceable clothing at the renowned "Star Clothing Hall" of James J. Murphy, Clinton street, Johnstown. His goods are of the best quality and material, and his prices are down to the lowest notch.

NEW STOCK.—Judge Murray has but recently returned from Philadelphia, and the result of his visit may now be seen at the extensive store of Messrs. Lemmon & Murray, in shape of a most exquisite display of valuable and magnificent jewelry, a complete stock of books and stationery, drugs of all kinds, tobacco and cigars which excel in quantity and quality any like stock ever brought to this place, and a almost endless profusion of fancy goods and notions of all descriptions. We never saw such beautiful sets of jewelry as are now displayed in the show case at this establishment, and we are sure the entire stock just received will please the tastes and suit the wants of the many people who patronize this liberal and enterprising firm.

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RADICAL TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION ON FRIDAY NIGHT. A Big Barker and Little "Cur" on the Rampage!

A Radical Ex-Congressman appears in his natural character of Carpet-Bagger from the State of Maine!



The Radicals of this place, on last Friday night, got up a very small torch light procession in honor of their very small triumph at the recent election. It was witnessed by all our citizens, and it is not therefore necessary that we should give a full description of it. The most noticeable and prominent feature of the display was the performances of Ex-Congressman A. A. BARKER and his little "Cur," which are as accurately sketched above as our special artist could perform his task.

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ERYSIPELAS, Or, St. Anthony's Fire, can be most effectually eradicated by the use of Roback's Blood Purifier in conjunction with Roback's Blood Pills.

OPHTHALMIA, Or, Inflammation of the Eyes, not unfrequently arises from a disordered state of the stomach; a few doses of Roback's Blood Pills will in most cases, effect a cure by removing the cause.

KEEP YOUR BLOOD PURE. There are no remedies, now before the public, so well calculated to purify the blood and re-construct (so to speak) the whole system as Roback's Blood Purifier, Blood Pills and Stomach Bitters.

BAD TASTE In the month in the morning is one of the symptoms of a bilious condition, or disordered state of the liver, and should not, for a single day, be neglected, as it is the premonitory symptom of a train of evils and the very seeds of disease. Procure at once Roback's Blood Pills, administer them according to the directions accompanying each box, and the difficulty and danger of disease will at once be removed.

NOT A BEVERAGE. Unlike most of the bitters of the present day, Dr. Roback's are not intended as a pleasant stimulating whisky beverage, but are perfectly medicinal, containing only sufficient pure tonic bon whisky to hold in solution the medicinal extractive matter from which they are composed.

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