THE FREEMAN.

THURSDAY, : : : FEB. 11, 1869.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

EBENSBURG AND CRESSON RAILROAD.—On and after Monday, May 11, 1868, trains on this road will run as follows:

LEAVE EBENSBURG—

At 5.25 A. M., connecting with Accomodation East and Phila. Express West.

At 7.15 P. M., connecting with Phila. Ex. East and Mail West.

LEAVE CRESSON—

At 9.25 A. M., or on departure of Phila. Express West.

At 9.31 P. M., or on departure of Phila. Express East.

The Tyrone and Clearfield railroad has been completed, and trains are now running regularly between those two points.

In our next issue we shall publish the names of such of our patrons as have paid their subscriptions in part or entire for the current year. Send on the stamps.

Andrew Dennis, a colored man, fell dead at Peters' coal bank, Indiana county, on the 3d inst. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause.

The dwel ng house of Judge Porter, near McConnellsburg, Fulton County, was totally destroyed by fire on last Saturday evening week. Loss $3,500.

A notion peddler's wagon was broken into at Williamsburg, Blair county, one night last week, and about one hundred dollars w'th of goods stolen.

A lad aged about fourteen years, residing in the family of George Rhey, Esq., at Millwood Station, Westmoreland county, dropped dead one morning week before last, immediately after getting out of bed.

An act amending the act of 1867, so as to transfer the duty of selecting juries in this and other counties back to the County Commissioners, passed the House on Tuesday.—The Senate will doubtless concur in it.

Will our friends throughout the county do us the kindness to send us without delay the names of the gentlemen elected in their several districts to-morrow? We wish to publish a complete a list next week as possible.

Jim Lewis and John Dunn, two notorious burglars, were recently sentenced in Greensburg, one to three years and one month and the other to three years and nine months' imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary.

A son of Uriah Conley, in Juniata township, Beadford county, while on his way to school a short time ago, slipped and fell on the ice, and received severe injuries in the head, from which death ensued within forty-eight hours.

Two buildings occupied as tailor shop, store and dwelling, were destroyed by fire in Irwinton, Westmoreland county, on Sunday night, 7th inst. The loss is estimated at between $3,000 and $4,000, mostly covered by insurance.

The store of Messrs. Patterson & Waite, at Yellow Springs, Blair county, was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 10th inst. The fire originated from a defective flue. A portion of the stock was saved, and the loss is coverd by insurance.

Mrs. Michael Hammer, of Napier township, Bedford county, while suffering of a fit to which she was subject, fell into the fire and was horribly burned before she could be rescued. She has nearly recovered, but the accident has left some terrible marks upon her person.

During an altercation at McConnellstown, Huntingdon county, on Saturday evening last, between a one armed soldier named Marshal Houk and a man named David Rupert, the former was stabbed seven times in different parts of the body. Rupert has been arrested.

If you appreciate good bread don't fail to buy your flour from M. L. Oatman. He sells a prime article all the time, and his customers have never yet had cause to complain. He sells at the lowest figures, and keeps only the very best flour and groceries of all kinds.

A Baptist preacher named Shorthill, says the Indiana *Democrat*, eloped with the wife of a Mr. Colkett, of Punxsutawney, a few days since, leaving behind him his own wife and several small children in destitute circumstances. Nothing has yet been learned of their whereabouts.

The special term of Court, which convened on Monday morning, adjourned on Tuesday evening, after having disposed of only one of the two cases set down for trial, that of Garman vs. James et. al., involving the title to two lots of ground in this borough, and which was decided in favor of the plaintiff.

Among the curiosities that are carried on railroads was the arrival the other day at Conemaugh Station of a bronze bust or statue of the celebrated spoon thief, Ben Butler.—It is a perfect model of the man, with several large spoons on his right shoulder. It came from New Orleans, where they know what Ben looks like, and was sent to a respected citizen of East Conemaugh.

A MAGNIFICENT PRESENT.—We dropped into the watch and jewelry establishment of our friend C. T. Roberts yesterday, and while there was shown a magnificent gold watch and chain put up in a neat mahogany case. The watch is a stem winder, an entirely new and complete arrangement which does away with the use of a key. These beautiful articles have been selected by Cham, with his well known taste and capacity, and are designed as a present from a few friends to one of the most meritorious gentlemen in this broad Commonwealth, but as the whole affair is to be a surprise to the worthy recipient, we are not at liberty to mention names. The donors have not only secured a present worthy of themselves and the gentleman for whom it is intended, but they did well in entrusting our jeweler friend with the selection of the handsome gift, and it is needless to add that he is the proper man to apply to on such occasions. The articles can be seen for a few days at Roberts' store.

BOUND FOR VIRGINIA.—Mr. Jacob Stoltz, of Chest township, and Mr. F. P. Grassberger, of Carrolltown, have caught the disease which carried off Messrs. Jos. Maucher, Jacob Leib, and others, and have made up their minds to emigrate to Virginia. They both returned from a visit to that section on Saturday last, and are loud in their praises of the country and its advantages. Mr. Stoltz has leased a farm there, and Mr. Grassberger is said to have bought eight hundred acres of land at the low price of eight dollars per acre. They both design to sell off here without delay. Mr. Stoltz will have a sale of live stock, grain, etc., on Saturday of next week, 27th inst. We are sorry to lose so many good citizens from our midst, but cannot refrain from wishing them abundant success in their new homes.

TO LUMBERMEN.—Mr. C. L. Goehring, of Irwin's Station, Westmoreland county, offers at private sale for cash, at a great bargain, or will exchange for lumber, a Portable Saw Mill and Stationary Steam Engine, both in first class condition. The Engine is of 25 horse power and the Saw is a 56 inch circular saw, and they will be sold very cheap. For further information address as above.

Local Correspondence.

JOHNSTOWN, Feb. 15, 1869.

Dear Freeman—The weather here is as warm as summer, and the roads are very muddy. If the pleasant but unseasonable weather continues long look out for sickness.

The ice crop still looks bad and will not take root fast without frost. We had two white frosts, but white frost don't make good ice.

Richard the Third being now played out, I would advise our Johnstown Dramatic Association to start up Richard the Second in opposition to the Pittsburgh troupe. Young Richard, a boy of eleven years, would make a good character, and then there would be Watt Tyler, the blacksmith, Jack Straw and Hob Carter, all representative men.—Add the Lord Mayor, Wm. Walworth, who killed the stalwart smith, and there would be characters enough. The speech of Richard to the one hundred thousand rebels would read somewhat after this fashion:

Have faythe inn youre king;—
Youre leader 's dead, weltering in his bludd,
But I will lead you, as in "auld lang syne"
Youre ancestors were led to nobler deeds
Than that of vile rebellion 'gainst your sov'rin
King, &c., &c., &c.

Petitions for a Court to be held in Johnstown are in circulation; also petitions for the removal of the county seat to Johnstown. The former may be granted under certain restrictions.

There is considerable excitement in town in regard to the borough election. There are three or four candidates out on the Republican side for Burgess, and of course the Democracy will have one out too.

We are very sorry to learn that the printing office of the Altoona *Vindicator* has been burned out. Mr. Campbell deserves and will certainly receive the sympathy of the whole community.

The Surveyor General was at home on Saturday last, looking well. Whatever objections may be urged against Gen. Campbell on political grounds, he is personally a straightforward man, and I believe has administered the office of Surveyor General with economy and prudence.

A new literary society has sprung up in our midst, and is said to be flourishing.—The society is soon to be regaled with a reading from Jas. E. Murdoch. They are to have a public debate every week.

Two more theatrical troops are announced. They will make their appearance at an early day. Thus it will be seen our town is rapidly assuming the features of a regularly built and finished city.

Dr. W. C. Burnham, of the New Jerusalem (Sweedenborgian) church, has been lecturing here on his favorite views. Elder Kinter, of the Disciples' church, is also lecturing against that doctrine. One of them *must* be *wrong*, while neither *may* be *right*.

In 1859, before the war, butter was selling at ten cents, eggs at six cents, fresh pork five cents, flour five dollars, while wages were one dollar per day. Now butter is selling at fifty cents, eggs at thirty-five cents, fresh pork at fifteen cents, flour at ten dollars, muslin and calico at eighteen cents, coffee at thirty cents, etc., etc., while wages are only one dollar and forty cents per day. We notice this because the New York *Tribune* is trying to make people believe that living is cheaper now than then. We can't see it. If greenbacks were gold the cost of living would be nearly the same, but they ain't. That's what's the matter.

Improvements are still going on here, and new houses are springing up like exhalations from the sea. We want a nail factory yet, and then a glass factory, and then a cotton factory, and then a hardware factory, and we will have them before two years, or at least before the completion of the Johnstown and Sumerset Railroad.

The United Brethren congregation are about finishing the plastering of their neat stone church. The weather has been very favorable for such work.

The sessions of the township schools are beginning to close around town. This winter's term was only four months.

Sugar-making season is on us already, and if ground-hogs know anything will remain here until the *Ides* of March.

The locomotive and tender attached to the mail train west on Wednesday jumped the track near this place, and both were badly demoralized. Another engine had to be despatched to the rescue from Conemaugh.

As my notice of the magic sign of Keller & Taylor, Painters, may have induced the belief in some minds that this firm occupies the entire Post-office building, upon the top of which the sign is perched, I would merely remark that while the sign occupies one extreme the firm occupies the other. Their paint shop is in the basement of the building, and such of your readers as wish to employ competent painters will do well to seek for them under the old Post-office. TIP.

ALTOONA CITY, Feb. 15, 1869.

Friend Mac—On Friday morning last about 1 o'clock several drovers arrived in Altoona from the west, and in coming into the city they discovered a fire just breaking out. Upon arriving at the Logan House they inquired of Dr. Johnston whether he was a resident of the place, and upon being answered in the affirmative they informed him that a fire was in progress only a short distance away. The Doctor and some other gentlemen immediately ran to the place designated, and found the rear end of the *Vindicator* building (used as a kitchen in connection with Mr. Kerr's residence) on fire. They gave the alarm immediately, and ere long the firemen and hundreds of other citizens were upon the ground, but as the building was a wooden structure it was found impossible to check the flames. The building, with types, press, and all its other contents, save a few books, soon fell a victim to the destroying element, while the large store and dwelling of Mr. Berkcowitz adjoining, with nearly all it contained was almost entirely consumed. The large and handsome residence of R. A. O. Kerr, Esq., west of the *Vindicator* office, was very badly damaged if not totally ruined. The fire was another of those deeds of incendiarism with which our city has been so terribly afflicted during the past few months. Would to God that some of the despicable villains could be caught in their hellish work. I am not prepared to say what the loss is, or how much of it is covered by insurance.—The calamity falls heaviest on Mr. Campbell, of the *Vindicator*, who has the earnest sympathy of all classes. I could tell you of several kindly acts performed in his behalf by leading Republicans here, all of which will be gratefully remembered by him and his friends for all time to come. Among the number Hon. B. F. Rose and Mr. James Currry deserve to be specially mentioned.—These and many other gentlemen have acted nobly in this hour of sorest trial to Mr. Campbell, and their kindness will not be forgotten.

On Saturday night the Democracy of the city assembled in Lowther's Hall for the purpose of adopting means for the resusitation of the *Vindicator*, which has become a party and local necessity. The meeting was large and enthusiastic, and measures were taken to assist Mr. Campbell in re establishing his paper. So you need not be surprised to see the *Vindicator* e're long based upon a firmer footing than ever. So mote it be.

Our mutual friend Dennis Sullivan, met with a mishap on Wednesday last, near Bennington Station. He had got off the engine upon which he is employed as fireman for the purpose of going forward to flag the passenger train approaching from the west, as there was some danger ahead, and after attending to this duty he thought, as he was good on a jump, he might as well take a short ride on the rear end of the train. But when he jumped for the car, like Pady's flee it wasn't there, and the result was that he sprained one of his ankles very severely, but I am pleased to say not seriously. I hope to chronicle his recoveay in a short time.

An old man named Frazer, a painter in the employ of the Company, while at work at the coal yard, on ——— last, fell and broke two of his ribs, besides sustaining other injuries of a painful character.

The Democratic Executive Committee of this city has elected S. M. Woodkok, Esq., one of the best organizers and most efficient democrats in the county, as its Chairman, and has chosen Mr. John Frantz Secretary and Mr. John J. Potter Treasurer. I think the gentlemen of the committee have displayed good judgment in the selection of their officers, and I have no doubt the organization will give a good account of itself in the coming Gubernatorial campaign.

I cannot close without informing your many readers that Mr. J. D. Hicks has again opened out in bee hive style at Jaggard's old stand, and has "slathers and gobs" of goods fit to adorn a peasant or bedeck a princess. Mr. Hicks is one of the most gentlemanly and deserving business men in this city, and with an assortment such as his and the disposition he has for doing the fair thing with all his customers, he cannot fail to prosper. Financially speaking I am really glad to see him on his forked end once more, and hope he may long continue in an upright position. Yours, &c., T. I. M.

THE PROPOSED REMOVAL OF THE COUNTY SEAT.—The wide awake and ever interesting local correspondent of that able and efficient democratic journal, the Harrisburg *Patriot*, in his "Notes from the Capitol" under date of the 13th, thus speaks of the effort being made to secure the passage of an act by the Legislature looking to the removal of the seat of justice from this place to Johnstown: "The county seat of Cambria, as everybody knows or ought to know, is situated in Ebensburg. Some of the Johnstown people, becoming alarmed at the rapid growth of Ebensburg, are petitioning the Legislature to remove the county seat to their town.—Mr. Porter, the able young member from that district, is constantly receiving petitions in favor of it and remonstrances against it.—The remonstrances are in a large majority, and I doubt very much whether the Legislature will meddle in the matter. It should not, as Ebensburg is in the centre of the county, and Johnstown near its southern boundary. Cambria county was erected by an act of assembly in A. D. 1804, with its present boundaries; the said act of assembly provided that "the place for holding the courts of justice for said county shall be fixed by the legislature at any place not a greater distance than seven miles from the centre of said county." which resulted in its location at Ebensburg. The point thus fixed has been the seat of justice for more than sixty years; that it is the exact geographical centre, being equi-distant from the northern and eastern and western boundary; that the public buildings—the court house, jail, poor house academy—have all been located here, and that public roads extend from this point to every portion of the county, including a branch railway, which brings Johnstown within two hours travel by a railway of Ebensburg, while its distance is not over twenty five miles to the most extreme portion of the county. Johnstown, on the other hand, is located within two miles of the southern boundary of Cambria county, and almost fifty miles from its northern boundary. The Hon. Robert L Johnson, Hon. A. A. Barker, Philip Collins, Esq., J. T. Hutchinson, Esq., and nearly all the prominent men of both parties are unfavorable to the removal. The reasons stated in their memorial are amply sufficient to prevent the legislature from taking any action in the matter."

CALIFORNIA SEED WHEAT.—We have received by mail, direct from Messrs. H. W. Dappleye & Co., San Francisco, California, two small sacks of *White Australian* and *Chili Club* Wheat, which contain by all odds the largest and finest samples of wheat we have ever saw. It is claimed that this grain will yield sixty bushels to the acre and sixty-five pounds to the bushel, and that the ears will grow from eleven to twelve inches in length. We have placed the samples on exhibition at the Post Office, and invite our farmer friends and others interested in wheat culture to call there and examine the grain for themselves. We shall give place to the advertisement of the above named firm in our next issue, and believe that our agricultural friends will do well to peruse it and then order sufficient seed to try the experiment of its culture in this locality.

FAIR GOODS AND FAIR PRICES.—Mr. Geo. Huntley has within the past few days, sold quite a number of beautiful articles of silver ware to ladies in our town, who design contributing them to the Catholic Fair, which will be opened on the 1st inst. Nothing more appropriate for such a purpose could be selected than can be found at Mr. Huntley's establishment, and we advise an early visit thereto. Mr. Huntley is a fair dealer, keeps a fair stock, sells at fair prices, and should receive the patronage of all fair minded people.

ADVANCING.—There is no doubt that cotton goods of all kinds are advancing in prices, and when the spring trade opens consumers will be surprised at the difference in this respect. Now is the time to buy at the lowest figures, and H. A. Shoemaker & Co.'s store is the place at which the lowest figures prevail to the greatest extent. In fact, they have low prices on the brain and excellent goods of all kinds on their shelves. Ees dna og.

MOMENTUM.—Momentum and velocity are very different things. A meteor may have velocity and but little momentum, while a train of cars may have great momentum and little velocity. Momentous is an adjective, and applies to the momentous sale of clothing made by Leopold & Bro., at Oak Hall, Main street, Johnstown.

CLIMATIC CHANGES.—Last week we had sunshine and warmth; this week we have rain sleet, wind and snow. Though all these changes, however, V. S. Barker continues to sell cheaper than the cheapest, and don't care who knows it. A prime stock of fish just received, and all other goods in abundance.

PLAYED OUT.—The indications of an early spring are played out for the present, but the chances to secure bargains at R. R. Davis' cheap cash store will never be played out—not if the court knows itself. Mr. Davis has a superb stock, and sells at the most trifling advance on first cost.

INSURANCE STATEMENT FOR 1868.—The following is the twelfth annual statement of the Protection Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Cambria county:

Am't of property insured as per 11th annual report,		$447,210 77
Am't of property insured since 11th annual report,		193,477 66
		640,688 43
Deduct am't expired and canceled since last report,		66,031 90
		574,656 53
Amount of premium notes in force as per 11th annual report,		$ 43,419 07
Am't of notes taken since the 11th annual report,		18,984 39
		62,403 46
Deduct am't notes expired and canceled since 11th annual report,		7,125 47
		55,277 99
No. policies in force as per 11th annual report,		475
No. policies issued since last report,		136
		611
Deduct am't expired and canceled since last report,		74
		537
Bal. in hands of Treasurer and agents at last settlement,		$ 919 23
Per cent. on premiums collected since last settlement,		666 29
		1,585 52
Compensat'n to officers	276 00	
Exonerations and commissions,	232 71	
Incidental expenses,	93 19	
Losses,	9 00	610 90
Bal. in hands of Treasurer and agents of Company,		974 62

JOHN WILLIAMS, President.
R. J. LLOYD, Secretary.

LUXURIES.—Fresh fish and prime fresh tub oysters are luxuries not to be sneezed at, and are particularly desirable for noonday meals during the Lenten season. A. H Faller receives excellent fresh fish every Thursday and keeps the best oysters ever brought here all the time, and charges only the most moderate prices at which these luxuries can be sold. Go to Faller for confections, oysters, fish, etc., and you will do well.

ICE.—Notwithstanding the scarcity of ice we saw one cake float down Stony Creek the other day. It was "the last cake of winter left swiming alone." It passed the day that we went to L. Cohen & Brother's New York Clothing Hall, Main street, Johnstown, to buy our new hat and other spring Sunday trimmings.

COAL AND ORE.—Coal and ore in great quantities it is said have been found in Croyle township. It is also rumored that cheap dry goods have been discovered at Leopold Mayer's New York Dry Goods Store, on Main street, Johnstown. It is also asserted that this is no *new* discovery.

DISCUSSION.—Our literary society is about to discuss the following question, which we feel assured will be decided in the affirmative: Is J. J. Murphy's Star (*) Clothing Store, on Clinton street, the place to get your money back? We say aye!

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE!—Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Ann Biglin, late of Washington township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, all persons having claims against said estate will present them in proper shape for settlement, and those indebted to the same are hereby notified that payment must be made at once.
PATRICK STORM, PETER O'NEILL, } Adm'rs.
Munster Twp., Feb. 18, 1869.-6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mrs. Margaret McKenna, late of Loretto borough, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, all persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement to
FRANCIS O'FRIEL, Administrator.
Loretto, Feb. 18, 1869.-6t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas Letters Testamentary to the Estate of Jacob Bender, late of Carrolltown borough, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all having claims against the estate of said decedent will make known the same without delay
HENRY BYRNE, MICH'L WEAKLAND, of Wm. } Ex'rs.
Carroll Twp., Feb. 12, 1869.-6t.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S OFFICE, WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, PITTSBURGH.—This is to give notice that on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of JOHN M. KING, of Johnstown, in the county of Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a Meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of the Register in Bankruptcy in Hollidaysburg before John Brotherline, Esq., Register, on the 15th day of March, A D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
W. F. BATHURST, Deputy. [feb 18.-4t.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S OFFICE, WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, PITTSBURGH.—This is to give notice that on the 10th day of January, A D. 1869, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the Estate of AUGUSTINE D. CRISTE, of Munster, in the county of Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any Debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a Meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of the Register in Bankruptcy in Hollidaysburg before John Brotherline, Esq., Register, on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
W. F. BATHURST, Deputy. [feb.18.-4t.

MULES AND OXEN FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers at private sale 14 MULES and 2 Yokes Oxen. The Mules are all young, large and unblemished.
M. M. ADAMS,
feb.4. 5t. Cresson, Cambria Co, Pa.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Expon. and Al. Vend. Expon. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at Court House in Ebensburg, on Monday, the 1st day of March next, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following real estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of John Smay of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Croyle township, Cambria county, adjoining land of Ephraim Crum, Anthony Miller and others, containing 80 acres, more or less, about 40 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story log house and log barn, now in the occupancy of John Smay.—Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Thos. Clark, for use of Isabella Clark et.al.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Lydia Bendon, (widow,) Nathaniel Bendon, Nathaniel Bendon, John Myers and Elizabeth his wife, and Lydia Bendon, vendee of Peter Camdbell and Jane his wife, late Jane Bendon, and Augustine Luther and Mary his wife, late Mary Bendon of, in and to two lots of ground situated in Carrolltown borough, Cambria county, fronting on the Ebensburg road and extending back to land of Christopher Karle, adjoining lot of Mrs. Barbara Shers on the south and an alley on the north, having thereon erected a two story plank house and frame stable, now in the occupancy of John Blum. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of William Bendon and James Bendon.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Elbridge Stiles of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the west ward of the borough of Ebensburg, Cambria counth, frontitg 66 feet on High street and extending back 132 feet to lot of Wm. S. Lloyd, adjoining lot of Robert Evans on the east and an alley on the west, having thereon erected a two story frame house, with a one story plank kitchen attached, now in the occupancy of Elbridge Stiles; and a one story frame house now in the occupancy of Mrs. E. Lloyd and Miss —— Shinafelt.—Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of George J. Rodgers, executor of John Rodgers, dec'd.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of James C. McDermit of, in and to a lot of ground situated in Summitville borough of Cambria county, fronting sixty feet on the Old Portage Rail Road and extending back two hundred feet to an alley, adjoinig lot of estate of Francis Gillespie dec'd, on the south, having thereon erected a two story frame house and plank staple, now in the occupancy of Mary Ellen Watt. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of William McConwell.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of George W. Pringle of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Summerhill township, Cambria county adjoining lands of George Rohrebaugh, Michael Lutz, and others, containing 25 acres, more or less, havin thereon erected a two story frame house, frame stable and out buildings, now in the occupancy of the said George W. Pringle. Taken in execution and to be solt at the suit of Mrs. Sarah Myers, adm'x, and Joseph Croyle, adm'r of Joseph W. Myers, dec'd. JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Feb. 11, 1869.3t

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of Vend Expon., Al. Vend. Expon. and Al. Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Foster House in Johnstown, on Saturday, the 27th day of February, inst, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following real estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of Chas. McBride of, in and to a lot of ground situated in Prospect borough, Cambria county, fronting 50 feet on Quarry street and extending back 100 feet, adjoining lot of William Lynn on the west and lot of Charles McGinley on the east, having thereon erected a two story plank house, now in the occupancy of Charles McBride.—Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of John Brown.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of David Faloon and L. Furlong of, in and to a lot of ground situated at Conemaugh Station, Taylor township, Cambria county, bounded on the south by Potts street, on the north-west by —— street, and on the north-east by an alley, (said lot being triangular in shape,) having thereon erected a two story plank tavern stand, now in occupancy of David Faloon. Taken in execution and to be sold at suit of M. Doke et al.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Robert Barklay of, in and to two lots of ground situated in 6th ward, Johnstown borough, Cambria county, known and marked as Lots Nos. 3 and 4 on the plan of heirs of John Dibert, sr., dec'd: Lot No. 3 fronting three rods on the north east side of Napoleon street and extending back the same width 150 feet to an alley, having an alley on the north-west side and adjoining Lot No. 4 on the south east; Lot No 4 fronting three rods on the north east side of Napoleon street and extending back 150 feet to an alley, having an alley on the south-east side and adjoining Lot No. 3 on the north-west side; unimproved. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of John Thomas.
JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Feb. 11, 1869.3t.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the hotel of Lawrence Schroth, in the borough of Carrolltown, on SATURDAY THE 6TH DAY OF MARCH NEXT, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate of which Mary Ann Buser, late of the borough of Carrolltown, died seized: A certain LOT OF GROUND situate in said borough of Carrolltown, county of Cambria, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Fronting five rods on Church street and extending back fourteen rods and eight feet to Middle alley, and known and numbered on the general plan of said borough as lot No. 15, having thereon erected a one and a half story LOG HOUSE, weatherboarded, and a small FRAME STABLE.

ALSO, by virtue of an order of said Court, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the same time and place, the following described real estate of which Barbara Buser, late of the borough of Carrolltown, died seized: A certain LOT OF GROUND situate in said borough of Carrolltown, county of Cambria, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Fronting five perches and five feet on Church street, and extending back fourteen perches and eight feet to Middle alley, and known and numbered on the general plan of said borough as Lot No. 16.

TERMS OF SALE—One third of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and the residue in two equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured by the mortgage and judgment bonds of the purchasers.
JOHN BENDER,
Adm'r of Mary Ann Buser and Barbara Buser.
February 11, 1868.-4t.

TRIAL LIST.—List of Causes set down for trial at a Court of Common Pleas, to be held for Cambria county, commencing on Monday, March 1st, 1869.

FIRST WEEK.

Starrick..................vs. Hubert.
Garman..................vs. James et al.
McGonigle..............vs. Burk.
Same......................vs. Same.
Dougherty..............vs. Shoenberger's Exr.

SECOND WEEK.

Gillingham & Garrison vs Weakland & Thomas; Margaret Snyder vs Weakland & Thomas; John Snyder vs Weakland & Thomas; Frederick Snyder vs Weakland & Thomas; Leighty vs Stimer; Williams vs Stimer; Williams, guardian, vs Stimer; Devlin & McNeill vs Stimer; McCoy's Ex'r vs Litzinger; Fenlon vs Duncan; Moore vs McCombie; Moore & Roberis vs McCombie; Rowley vs McHugh; McCormick vs Sanker et al; Pomroy vs Nagle; Pomroy vs Scanlan; Cooper vs Dunmire; Snyder vs Byrne, Trainer vs McCabe; Snyder vs Parke; Cooper vs Wike; Scott vs McGlade and Pa R R Co; Allison vs Myers et al; Farnsworth, for use, vs Wagner; Grue vs Barker.
J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's Office, Ebensburg, Feb. 4, '69

GOOD, BETTER, BEST.—The best and cheapest Tobacco and Cigars in town are at M. L. Oatman's. Go and see.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been passed and filed in the Register's Office at Ebensburg, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, for confirmation and allowance, on Monday, the 1st day of March next, to wit:

The first and final account of John Sharbaugh, Ex'r of Hugh F. Storm, late of Allegheny township, deceased.

The account of Joseph Daily, Adm'r of Jos. Bradley, late of Millville borough, dec'd.

The account of Samuel Shaffer, Adm'r of John Pergrin, late of Jackson twp., deceased.

The first and partial account of David Sutton, guardian of Mary A. Sutton, minor child of William Sutton, deceased.

The second account of James Clevinger guardian of Elizabeth, Margaret and Mary Ellen Allbaugh.

The first and partial account of Sarah Leidy, Adm'x of David Leidy, late of Jackson twp, deceased.

The account of Joseph Croyle, Adm'r DE BONIS NON CUM TESTAMENTO ANNEXO of Thomas Croyle, deceased.

The first and partial account of James King, Adm'r of Andrew Miller, late of Johnstown, deceased.

The partial account of James Brown Ex'r of Charles Kennedy, late of Munster twp., dec'd.

The second and final account of Francis J. Christy, trustee for the sale of the real estate of John C. McGuire, deceased, pursuant to proceedings in partition.

The first and final account of J. S. Strayer, Adm'r of Geo. H. Brown, late of Conemaugh twp, deceased.

The first and final account of P. H. Shields, Ex'r of Eleanor Dodson, late of Allegheny tp, deceased.

The first and final account of George M. Reade and Edward Roberts, Adm'rs of Edward W. Davis, late of Ebensburg, deceased

The final account of D. A. Luther, Ex'r of Jacob Luther, late of Carroll twp., deceased
JAMES GRIFFIN, Register.
Register's Office, Ebensburg, Feb. 4, 1869.4t.

GEORGE W. YEAGER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
HEATING AND COOK STOVES
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE
OF HIS OWN MANUFACTURE,
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The only dealer in the city having the right to sell the renowned "BARLEY SHEAF" COOK STOVE, the most perfect, complete and satisfactory Stove ever introduced to the public.
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FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers far sale the FARM on which they now reside, situate in Allegheny township, Cambria county, within two miles of Loretto, (formerly owned by James McAteer,) containing ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN ACRES, more or lest, 100 Acres of which are cleared—the balrnce well timbered. There is erected on the premises a good DWELLING HOUSE and splendid BARN, together with other necessary outbuildings, such as Blacksmith Shop, Corn Crib, Sheep House, &c.; also, an excellent ORCHARD of choice fruit. Title perfect. For terms apply on the premises to
B. & C SHIELDS.
Loretto P. O, Aug. 20, 1868.-tf.

HOTEL PROPERTY FOR SALE!
The undersigned will sell at private sale a HOUSE and LOT on Market street, Johnstown, known as the Downey property. It has heretofore been used as a hotel, and is situated in one of the best locations for that purpose in the town. Apply to D. McLAUGHLIN, Attorney at Law and Real Estate Agent, Johnstown, Pa. [feb.4-4t.

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A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.
The subscriber will sell the Farm on which he resides, in Allegheny twp., Cambria county. The Farm contains 145 Acres (90 cleared) and the improvements are ample and in good order. Fair terms and Indisputable title. Possession given 1st April. A. WALTERS.
Feb. 4, 1869.-tf Loretto P. O.

BETTER BARGAINS THAN EVER!—The undersigned having disposed of his interest in the Ebensburg Foundry, and retired from the business, offers for sale, to close out the remaining portion of his stock, FOUR THRESHING MACHINES and ONE TON OF METAL SLED SOLES. The Machines are well made, and will be sold for $125 each, on six months' credit, or for $112.50 cash.—The sled soles will be sold in one lot for 3 cts. per lb. E. GLASS.
Ebensburg, Jan. 14, 1869.-tf.

NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of Mary Ann Buser, Barbara Buser and Margaret Buser, late of the borough of Carrolltown, county of Cambria, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county, notice is hereby given to persons indebted to said estate to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN BENDER, Adm'r.
Carroll Twp., Jan. 14, 1869. 6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE!—Letters of Administration on the estate of Mrs. Eleanor McGuire, late of Clearfield tp., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said decedent are requested to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement. WM. H. SECHLER, Adm'r.
Ebensburg, Feb. 4, 1869.-6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE!—Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph Springman, late of Susquehanna twp., Cambria county, having been granted to the undersigned, all parties indebted to said estate are required to make payment, and those having claims against the same are requested to present them for settlement.
F. A. SHOEMAKER, Administrator.
Ebensburg, Feb. 4, 1869.-6t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Peter Sanders, late of Munster township, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber residing in Gallitzin township, in said county. Persons having claims against said estate will present them properly proven to the subscriber; and those owing the same will make immediate payment.
PHILIP J. SANDERS, Executor.
Gallitzin Tp., Feb 2, 1869.-6t.

ESTRAY.—Came to the residence of the subscriber in White township, Cambria county, on or about the 20th November last, a black and white spotted heifer, supposed to be one and a-half years old. The owner can have her by proving property, paying charges, &c.
WILLIAM McMANAMY.
Feb. 4, 1869.-3t $1p'd.

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For restoring Gray Hair to its natural Vitality and Color.

A dressing which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *Faded or gray hair is soon restored to its original color with the gloss and freshness of youth.* Thin hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed. But such as remain can be saved for usefulness by this application. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can only benefit but not harm it. If wanted merely for a
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nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich glossy lustre and a grateful perfume.
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PRACTICAL AND ANALYTICAL CHEMISTS,
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For Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Consumption.
Probably never before in the whole history of medicine, has anything won so widely and so deeply upon the confidence of mankind, as this excellent remedy for pulmonary complaints. Through a long series of years, and among most of the races of men it has risen higher and higher in their estimation, as it has become better known. Its uniform character and power to cure the various affections of the lungs and throat, have made it known as a reliable protector against them. While adapted to milder forms of disease and to young children, it is at the same time the most effectual remedy that can be given for incipient consumption, and the dangerous affections of the throat and lungs. As a provision against sudden attacks of *Croup*, it should be kept on hand in every family, and indeed as all are sometimes subject to colds and coughs, all should be provided with this antidote for them.
Although settled *Consumption* is thought incurable, still great numbers of cases where the disease seemed settled, have been completely cured, and the patient restored to sound health by the *Cherry Pectoral*. So complete is its mastery over the disorders of the Lungs and Throat, that the most obstinate of them yield to it. When nothing else could reach them, under the *Cherry Pectoral* they subside and disappear.
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Asthma is always relieved and often wholly cured by it.
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So generally are its virtues known that we need not publish the certificates of them here, or do more than assure the public that its qualities are fully maintained.

Ayer's Ague Cure,
For Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Chill Fever, Remittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical or Bilious Fever, &c., and indeed all the affections which arise from malarious, marsh, or miasmatic poisons.
As its name implies, it *does Cure*, and does not fail. Containing neither Arsenic, Quinine, Bismuth, Zinc, nor any other mineral or poisonous substance whatever, it in nowise injures any patient. The number and importance of its cures in the ague districts, are literally beyond account, and we believe without a parallel in the history of Ague medicine. Our pride is gratified by the acknowledgments we receive of the radical cures effected in obstinate cases, and where other remedies had wholly failed.
Unacclimated persons, either resident in, or travelling through miasmatic localities, will be protected by taking the *AGUE CURE* daily.
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JAMES WILKINSON.
Loretto, March 12, 1868.1y.