Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, : : : AUG 12, 1869.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

An education is a fortune. One of the best places to acquire a sound education is at the Normal School. Write for its circular. Address J. A. Cooper, Edinboro, Erie Co., Pa.

A stone pike from this place to Cherry Tree is talked of.

"Life Illustrations—No. 4," and other articles in type for this week's paper, have been unavoidably crowded out.

At Oatman's cheap store is the place to purchase extra family flour of the best quality, and at lowest market rates.

Everybody patronizes M. L. Oatman, because he sells cheap and keeps fresh and palatable groceries, provisions, flour, etc.

Buy your groceries and provisions at Oatman's, where you can always buy the right goods at the right prices from the right man.

A valuable farm is to be offered at public sale in Indiana county on the 31st inst. A rare chance for a bargain. See advertisement.

Jimmy, a little son of Mr. Thomas McBreen, of this place, fell on a sharp stone, on Sunday last, and cut an ugly gash in his under lip.

The canned lard sold by Geo. Huntley is pure, sweet and perfectly clean. It has been tried in our family, and on its own merits we can recommend it.

A girl named Rebecca Miller was considerably injured, on Monday of last week, by being gored by a ferocious bull in Hempfield township, Westmoreland county.

Some sacrilegious scoundrel broke into the Lutheran church at Adamsburg, Westmoreland county, a few nights ago, and carried off about thirty yards of new carpet of good quality.

A young man named Isaac Jones died in Cambria township, on Wednesday morning last, as we informed, from internal injuries received by falling from a swing on to a fence, a me time previously.

A freight conductor named John Stroup, a resident of Huntingdon, died very suddenly of heart disease in Harrisburg, on Wednesday of last week, while in the act of signaling the engineer to go ahead.

Miss Lizzie Posten died in Cass township, Huntingdon county, on the 25th ult., from injuries received by the explosion of a can of coal oil, with which she was attempting to kindle a fire, some two weeks previous.

A certain Virginia town does not allow old maids. When the girls arrive at thirty, the young men draw lots and the lucky ones make up a purse for the victim. Let the same plan be set up here. Wouldn't that be joyful!

The dwelling of Mr. A. Stevenson, a merchant of West Newton, Westmoreland county, was entered by burglars on the morning of the 29th ult., and sixteen hundred dollars in greenbacks stole from a bureau drawer.

James B. Sansom, Esq., editor of the Indiana *Democrat*, is the member of the Democratic State Central Committee from this district, and A. A. Barker, Esq., of this place, holds a like position on the Republican State Committee.

A lad named Zeigler Karnes was arrested in this county, on last Sunday week, with a horse in his possession which it is claimed he stole from a man named David Imler, residing somewhere in Bedford county.—Karnes was taken to the Bedford jail.

In compliance with solicitation, Dr. D. W. Zeigler, Surgeon Dentist, has concluded to visit Carrolltown on Monday, Aug. 16th, and remain a few days. Persons wishing his services will find him at the hotel of Lawrence Schroth at the time named.

A terrific rain, wind and hail storm blew down fences, broke down trees, and committed sad havoc generally in and about Huntingdon, on Wednesday evening last. The Presbyterian church at Shaver's Creek, same county, was also badly damaged.

The hook that held the tackle of a hay fork to the rafters of a barn near New Stanton, Westmoreland county, recently gave way while being used in unloading hay from a wagon, and the pulley fell and struck a man named William Sell on the head, injuring him so severely that he died in four days after.

Mr. R. R. Thomas has done us the kindness to send us a liberal treat of ripe and luscious tomatoes, for which he has our thanks. Bob intends supplying our citizens with peaches, apples, tomatoes, and all other fruits and vegetables, as fast as they appear in the Eastern markets. Supplies received daily.

Wm Giffen, of Mt. Pleasant township, Westmoreland county, was pulling at the rope of a hay-fork with all his strength, while unloading hay a few days since, when the rope suddenly gave way, causing him to fall to the floor, smashing his nose in a frightful manner, fracturing one of his wrists, and injuring him on the head.

Officers have been elected and about $31,000 of the $35,000 required to construct a railroad from Hollidaysburg to Morrison's Cove, Blair county, have been subscribed, and the Cambria Iron Company, who own considerable ore land along the proposed route, will furnish all the money needed for commencing the work without delay.

Thomas Foley, Esq., well known in the northern part of this county, and who recently completed his studies with S. M. Woodcock, Esq., of Altoona, was, on Wednesday of last week, admitted to practice law at Hollidaysburg. He is said to have passed a very creditable examination. He proposes to locate at Philipsburg, Centre county.

Two men who gave their names as McBride and Hoover, were arrested in Bedford, a few days since, charged with stealing a horse, buggy and harness from a barn near Meyer's Mills, Somerset county. They had the stolen property in their possession and were wending their way toward Cumberland when they were brought back on the plea that a party in Bedford wanted to buy the whole rig, and when they returned they were arrested and have been sent to Somerset to await trial.

The Johnstown Tribune says: Mr. Wm. Young of Conemaugh Borough about a dozen years ago placed under a rain barrel at the side of his house a log of wood. On last Saturday it was removed, and in doing this it fell in pieces from rottenness. In separating, a frog or toad jumped briskly from the heart of the log and hid itself as quickly as possible. That it came out of the log and had been imprisoned there since the log was a log or part of a tree, Mr. Young is positive; how it got there is a mystery.

On Monday night of last week, the large store house of A. M. Stewart & Co. and Wm. S. Marshall in Indiana was entered by burglars and the large fireproof safe blown open and robbed of $1,300 in money and government bonds. The same gang then proceeded to the storeroom of J. M. Guthrie, which they also entered, and the safe of which they also blew open, but obtained but little for their trouble. They committed several other petty thefts during the same night. No arrests have been made.

Local Correspondence.

JOHNSTOWN, Aug. 9, 1869.

Dear Freeman—The eclipse has come and gone, leaving but little impression upon the mass of mankind, but great joy to the hearts who have for months pondered over a labyrinth of symbolic culculations in regard to it. We heard one little girl asking another if *salvation* day had come, meaning judgment day, of course. A boy wondered how the moon could *push through* the sun without throwing it down. Others talked of a hail storm that was predicted. The eclipse could be seen here, but there were too many passing clouds for close astronomical observation.

There is another eclipse here which seems to absorb the attention of a good many people. It is called a monetary eclipse. Somehow the last pay day did not make money so plentiful as usual here. The reasons are obvious. Two theatres have been running all Spring; there were two circuses here; Anderson's gift enterprise was here; five pic-nics came off in the vicinity; there were four concerts and a strawberry festival; it is the season to buy up fruit and pay taxes; so you see the people are in debt and cannot draw as much spending money as usual. Then the place is too small to support theatres, etc.

On Thursday last, a man who worked at F. W. Hay's tinware establishment appropriated a carpetbag full of clothes and secreted it in a hay loft. It was found, whereupon he went to his boarding house, packed up his clothes, stole a watch, and started for sundown. He was pursued, threw his clothes away, hung the watch up on a bush and made good his escape. He had better worked for clothes and let the time regulate itself.

A band of gypsies encamped for a few days at Whisky Springs, about a mile out of town, on the Somerset road, told fortunes, made and sold some baskets and lace, but finding business dull, they left for parts unknown.

From a late review of taxables in the boroughs of East Conemaugh, Franklin and Prospect, we find they have eighty five, ninety-five and one hundred and forty-two taxable inhabitants respectively.

The friends of the turf had a set-to on last Saturday in the shape of a race, between the "Mountain Queen," owned by Dr. Emerson, and "Sleepy John," owned by Henry Gore. There were about two or three hundred spectators at the race grounds near Conemaugh station. "John" was too *sleepy* on this occasion, as the "Queen" of the mountain came out the winner by a good long distance. Of course the doctor went home feeling good.

Millville borough school directors had an examination of teachers on Tuesday last for their schools, which are to open about the 1st of September. There are eight teachers wanted, but we did not hear up to Tuesday night upon whom success smiled.

The Johnstown schools, which have been closed for a month, *on account of warm weather*, will open again on next Monday. The children will have been relieved from the over *flow of sperpiration* by that time. The teachers, this week, are at Greensburg, attending the meeting of the State Teachers' Association.

The old canal basin, that used to be a place of rendezvous for hundreds of boatmen, has dried out. A street is laid out along its entire length, and lots are serveyed on each side. Now is a good chance to buy lots, either here or in East Conemaugh, where a new town has been laid out on the old orchard farm.

The result of the election in Tennessee didn't effect the people here much, as H. Greely had posted them on the matter before hand. Tennessee has impeached the impeachers, and Andy Johnson, the old pet of the Republican party, will be returned a Senator for six years. He will outlive Grant yet—at Washington.

Peaches by the box are coming here in great quantities and of good quality. The peach crop in Maryland and Delaware is larger than it has been for many years, if the frosts and cold weather will only let them ripen.

The Baptists (Disciples) have taken off the old roof, which leaked, and put a close joint shingle roof on their church, situated on Main street. This improvement shows that, while they are in favor of water baptism, they do not want it in the shape of sprinkling or pouring.

The new hall above D. Diberts store, corner of Main and Franklin streets, is now finished. It will accommodate a hundred persons cleverly, and will make a good hall for a secret society such as the Ku Klux.

St Joseph's church has all the large roof timber placed safely on the brick work, and the German Lutheran church is progressing rapidly with the tower which was torn down. It is up again to the roof.

Mr. Philips is pushing forward the paving of Morris street, sixth ward, with considerable rapidity, though the weather has been greatly against success in that business.

The workmen engaged at the M. E. church are now painting the pews, and from appearances the house will ere long be ready for use. The Union Hall is now completed for a court room and will be filled with interested spectators again the October term.

Parke's Hall was leased to a New York man, instead of a Pittsburgh firm, as stated last week.

Butter is scarce and bad, blackberries plentiful and good, money middling plenty and tolerably bad.

My respects to Buz Fuz, Velo. C. Pede and T. I. M., who write very interesting letters from their respective localities.

ROB ROY.

CARROLLTOWN, August 8, 1869.

Dear Freeman—Our town has been decidedly dull for several days past, chiefly for the reason that neighboring farmers have been busily engaged securing their crops, and a great many of our residents have been assisting them.

A young German stone mason bearing the Milesian surname of Barney and the unmistakably Teutonic Christian appellation of Fogle, performed a somnambulistic gymnastic feat, one night last week, which deserves to be recorded. The young man in question is a sojourner at the Mansion House, and whether his digestive apparatus was in bad order, on the night in question, I am not prepared to say, but certain it is that he arose in his sleep and climbed out of a second story window of the sleeping apartment adjoining his own. When suspended, like Mahomet's coffin, 'twixt heaven and earth, he awoke, and his grasp on the window sill not being tenacious enough to hold him up until help arrived, he was compelled to drop. From the window to *terra firma* is a distance of about twelve feet, but beyond a few severe bruises he fortunately escaped injury.

A little girl named Hitch, about ten years of age, met with quite a severe accident, in this place, on Sunday evening last. She had followed her grandmother to the stable, and when returning, accidentally fell over a stone, fracturing one of her legs at the thigh. Drs. Oatman and Maucher were immediately summoned, and the broken limb properly adjusted. The little sufferer is doing as well as could be expected.

An infant daughter of Mr. Julias Stich fell from the high porch, in front of his residence, on Sunday evening last, and met with injuries of a painful and serious character.

A traveler, whose name I failed to learn, while on his way through this place one evening last week, took a severe fit in front of the residence of Sheriff Buck. That gentleman had the stranger conveyed to his dwelling and kindly cared for until the next day, when he appeared fully recovered. He stated that he was subject to spells of this kind and generally had no premonition of their proximity.

On Thursday and Friday mornings of last week early risers had an opportunity of witnessing the indications of a veritable frost. This, in the advent of the "dog days," is dogged singular.

Another pic-nic is on the tapis, to come off during this month. If the weather should prove favorable it will be a grand affair.

The eclipse was visible in this neighborhood. Smoked glass and lager beer were in demand. Several individals I wot of were enabled to observe a greater number of eclipses than the bills called for. They could see double.

To continue my pen pictures, I will this week confine myself to a prominent one that can be recognized by the majority of your readers. It is

THE VILLAGE SPOUTER.

In the bar room, or a store box at the street corner, or in any locality where he can secure one or more listeners, he is to be found. He does not at any time appear to be particularly busy with his own affairs, but his "best hold" is a thorough acquaintance with that pertaining to his neighbors. He is throughly posted upon every subject; can describe the process of incubation of a turkey buzzard—retail the latest and most authentic news of the rebellion in Cuba, or inform you whether Smith's financial affairs are on a firm basis. He is a knowing cuss—in his own estimation. In mechanics, medicine, or law, he is *au fait*, and men who have made these various professions their respective study can always hear something from the "spouter" that was undreamed or unthought of by them. In the bar-room, with one patient listener, he will talk to his unfortunate auditor, but at all who may be present. We heard him on the eclipse. He confidently informed us that the sun was just a little larger than the moon, otherwise the brighter luminary would have been totally obscured by the queen of night. He said that partial eclipses frequently occur, but they are not visible for the reason that the moon generally crossed the sun when the former was in its first or last quarter, and the obscuration was not noticed. Then we were in for some valuable lessons in astronomy. Constellations, planets, fixed and moveable stars, etc., were mixed up in a manner that would undoubtedly bewilder the great Architect of the Universe. Here he was invited up to drink, and we left the village spouter with the sad consciousness that our early astronomical education had been much neglected.

As my letter has already assumed too great proportions, I will conclude the subject at another time. BUZ FUZ.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—The following Deeds and Assignments have been left for record at the office of James Griffin, Esq., Register, during the two weeks ending Aug. 7th, 1869:

John G. Miller to Michael Weakland, Aug. 31, 1846, 10 acres in Susquehanna twp., $40

Michael Weakland to John M. Weakland, July 3, 1869, 60 acres in same twp., $500.

Peter Levergood to Samuel Andrews, jr., March 2, 1852, two lots in Johnstown, $140.

Isaac Jeffreys and wife to Pat'k Kelly, Oct 20, 1866, half lot and improvements in Millville borough, $925.

Geo. W. Osborne and wife to Jas. C. Murray, July 24, 1869, lot in Yoder twp., $330.

John Lytle and wife to George Elder, Aug. 15, 1859, one acre and improvements in Allegheny township, $100.

Thomas Butler and wife to Nancy Litz and Ebenezer Litz, Sept. 11, 1868, lot and improvements in Johnstown, $1,300.

Valentine Maltzi to Rev. P. Brown, May 3, 1869, lot in Wilmore, $150.

A. J. Christy and wife to Felix Jacob, July 8, 1869, lot in Loretto borough, $200.

Abram E. Litz and wife to Wilson Cramer, March 28, 1868, half lot and improvements in Johnstown, $600.

John Harold and wife to Casper Grosh, May 15, 1869, 19 acres and 15 perches in township, $950.

Samuel Reed and wife to Thomas Griffiths, July 9, 1869, 95 acres and 26 perches in Blacklick township, $1,100.

Wm. W. Harris, Adm'r, to Jacob Kieffer, Sept. 13, 1868, 29 acres in Jackson twp., $696.

Reuben Haynes and wife to Wm. Knopp, Feb. 20, 1857, lot in Johnstown, $175.

Leonard Hiller and wife to Casper Smith, March 25, 1869, lot in St. Nicholas, $30.

Jacob Horner and wife to Wm. Gearhart, June 25, 1860, lot in Johnstown, $250.

Wm. Constable and wife to John Lynett, July 3, 1869, lot in Yoder township, $75.

SENTENCED.—Thos. A. Beale, found guilty of firing the board yard of D. & C. Moore and stable of James Lowther, in Altoona, was, on Tuesday of last week, sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and undergo five years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary for each offence—making $1,000 and ten years in all—and Thomas J. Duke, convicted on the last charge and also for larceny, was sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and serve five years and six months in the Penitentiary. John Campbell, for the killing of Henry Murphy, colored, in February last, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary. All three were taken to that institution on Thursday.

PAINTING.—R. Nelse Taylor has been doing a large business in Johnstown as a painter. He has painted all the directions for the streets in that place. We saw in his office, the other day, a sign painted for "Cook & Henry," Armstrong county; also one for Lawrence Schroth, innkeeper, Carrolltown; also one for John Dibert & Co., Johnstown. The last is the sign of John Dibert and John D. Roberts, Bankers, on Main street, who have opened a Bank of Deposit and Discount on the most reasonable discounts and terms offered by any Bank. It is a much needed institution in that city. Give them a call.

FROST.—There was one or two frosts in this vicinity last week, and the weather for a few days was exceedingly raw and chilly. Since the eclipse, however, the weather has been very pleasant, though cool enough to remind people that fall and winter is approaching, and that a stove will soon become a household comfort Geo. Huntley is is the only stove and hardware dealer in Northern Cambria, and by enterprise and honest dealing has become the most extensive in the county. Go and see his assortment.

WHEN goods known as dry or aught else you would buy, at prices never too high, walk, run or fly, but ne'er go ye by, the cheap store of Fry, who has always, O my! an ample supply for either you or I; and to please all will try who for bargains doth sigh. So go there and buy, and without any lie, you will both purse and eye be sure to gratify.

[Advertisement.]

The ALTOONA VINDICATOR PICNIC.

CARD FROM MR. WM. J. RYAN.

I have no love for seeing my name in print, but the unwarranted attack made upon me in the *Altoona Vindicator* will justify me in saying a few words in explanation.

Picnics for objects of charity are common; and, with other democrats, I favored a Picnic for the *Vindicator*, whose editor has always been the almoner of the party.

The position I had at the picnic was assumed at the request of the committee and several democrats, including Campbell himself. I was directed to get the beer, furnish the glasses, etc., and spent my time in doing my duty in the premises.

What I ordered I became personally responsible for; and settled it out of the amount in my hands, as I had a right to do; and this is the great cause of Campbell's abuse.

That more money was not made at my stand is no fault of mine. At Campbell's own request I left the stand to attend to things in the city, and was absent between one and two hours—his son John taking my place. How the drawers fared in my absence I do not know. John Campbell owned up to taking three dollars out, besides a dollar he asked me for—and got. This was the case during two trips to the city.

After the picnic closed, when we returned the glasses, etc., I paid to Mr. Fettinger, the treasurer, $96.50, and stated that I had bills to pay before making a final settlement.

On Monday morning I proceeded to return the borrowed articles, and where things were broken or lost I paid for them, taking a receipt; for all of which I furnished a bill.

About noon of Monday Campbell raised the hue and cry that I was short $150 to $190, and when I requested him to wait till the committee would meet and settle my account, he abused me for paying the bills, and asserted I had no right to do it.

On Monday night the committee met, and after examining the returns I made, the allegations of Campbell were found untrue. Mr. Fettinger, the treasurer, pronounced himself entirely satisfied, and moved that the committee pass a resolution clearing Mr. Ryan from all censure. This was passed without any objections. But to put the matter at rest forever, the following, as an amendment, was offered by Mr. McKiernan, and was not only passed but was sanctioned by all present:

WHEREAS, some indiscreet persons, by insinuation and inuendo, have intimated that Wm. Ryan, one of the Committee on the "Vindicator" picnic, did not act as was expected of an honest man; AND WHEREAS, he has shown by receipts produced and money paid to the Treasurer that all these charges are unfounded in fact; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by a full committee assembled, that we do, in justice to Mr. Ryan, on an examination of his accounts, find all such charges and insinuations unjust, and the committee take pride in exonerating Mr. Ryan from all such charges.

NAMES OF COMMITTEE—Col. John Woods, Chairman; Thomas M'Bride, James Glasgow, James Pendergast, James Fagan, Sam'l Fries, Otto Rossi, Samuel Lloyd, A. F. Heess, Wm. Cassiday, Thomas Keogh, Wm. J. Ryan, John Roberts, John Hanlan.

After all this vindication, however the *Vindicator* bill was brought into a subsequent meeting of the committee, in my absence, and the committee refused to have anything further to do with it; and yet another time it was brought before the committee, when they again decided to drop the whole matter. Not so the *Vindicator*, however, nor the man who uses it for his own purposes, and who could find no *Fittinger* occasion to blast the good name of a neighbor, or exalt his own importance, than to turn the ribald columns of that ignoble sheet to such a base use.

A fool may ask more questions than ten wise men can answer, but if the foregoing is not a full answer to all the questions of the *Vindicator*, the annexed statement certainly is; and so I leave the creature to the filthy use of the types with which he was charitably furnished by the generosity of that party whose members he never ceases to assail.

WILLIAM RYAN, JR.

Altoona, Aug, 9, 1869.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF ALTOONA VINDICATOR PICNIC, Per William J. Ryan and William Cassiday.

JULY.	DR.	
16th.	To 10 kegs Beer, Friday noon, at $3 per keg,	$ 30 00
	To 5 kegs do., afternoon,	15 00
	1 box of Cigars from P. F. Drew,	2 50
	To 2 ditto from Westfield,	4 00
	To 1 ditto from Bruner,	2 25
17th.	To 3 ditto from Bruner	6 75
	To 2 lbs. Candy from J. Dunn,	60
	To 9 Beer Glasses " "	1 62
	To 5 Wood'n Spig'ts from Fries,	75
	To 3 Wooden Buckets per boy,	75
	To 3 Papers Matches " "	75
	To Candles,	1 00
	To 2 Dinners per Ryan,	1 00
	To 1 Dinner per Cassiday,	50
	To 2 Dances per Ryan,	20
	To 2 Dances per Cassiday,	20
	To Cash to little girl (Cassiday),	20
	To Cash to boy per Ryan,	20
	To Cash to Alleman,	1 40
	To Cash to Woods,	1 40
	To 10 Kegs Beer in forenoon,	30 00
	To 4 Kegs Beer in afternoon,	12 00
	To 10 Kegs Beer,	30 00
	To cash subscriptions as follows:—J. A. Doran $1, Arthur Storm $1, F. B. Stewart $1, A. J. Whitmore $1, P. Faddle 25c.,	4 25
	To cash paid M. Riley,	2 00
	To cash on hand per Ryan,	8 75
	To profit on 12 kegs Beer (supposed),	24 00
	To profit on 9 kegs Beer on Saturday,	18 00
	To profit on 4 boxes Cigars,	8 00
	To 4 dozen "Pop" sold,	4 80
	To 2 bottles Liquor used,	2 00
	To 1 box Cigars, (Fettinger,)	1 75
	To 10 lbs. Bologna Sausage not sold,	3 00
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JULY.	CONTRA—CR.	
16th.	By 1 keg Beer to Campbell,	3 00
	By 1 keg Beer ret'd to Brewer,	3 00
17th.	By 14 kegs Beer to other Stands,	42 00
	By 1 box Cigars to M'Bride's Stand,	2 25
	By ½ box Cigars to same St'd,	1 12
	By 2 lbs Candy to same Stand,	60
	By 1 box Cigars to Lynch and Fagan's Stand,	2 25
	By ½ box Cigars to same St'd,	1 12
	By 1 box " Alexander's "	2 25
	By 9 Beer Glasses broken and paid for to Dunn,	1 62
	By 1 box Cigars to other St'ds,	1 75
	By 5 Spigots, supposed returned to Campbell,	75
	By 3 Wooden Buckets do., do.,	75
	By 3 pkgs Matches used on gr'd,	75
	By Candles,	1 00
	By Cash for 2 Dinners (Ryan),	1 00
	By Cash for 1 " (Cassiday),	50
	By Cash to Boys carrying water	2 00
	By Cash to L. & F. Stand,	1 00
	By Cash for 4 Dances,	40
	By Cash for 2 bottles Liquor,	2 00
	By Cash at Alleman's,	1 40
	By Cash at Woods's,	1 50
	By Cash to Rodimer as per bill,	1 00
	By Cash to J. F. Campbell,	7 00
	By Cash to John B. Campbell,	4 00
	By 2 Dinners per Boys,	50
	By 2 half kegs Beer left at St'd,	3 00
	By 1 keg Beer ret'd to Brewer,	3 00
	By Bill of Beer per Committee,	10 00
	By Money returned, not good,	85
	By Cash to Boys and Girls,	40
	By Cash to Fettinger, Treas'r,	96 50
	By 10 lbs. Bologna (Sassage) consumed on ground,	3 00
	By Bill per Ryan, services,	15 00
		$219 24

A FRIEND who has travelled in Germany, reports the following incident, for which he vouches: During the summer, Dr. J. C. Ayer spent some weeks at Dresden, in conference with the chemists of Central Europe, where he was heralded as the inventor of the world renowned medicines that bear his name, and considered one of the American celebrities. While riding, one day, his open carriage fell in with the cortege of the King of Saxony, on a drive from the review. The Doctor soon became the chief attraction and received the marked attention of the people, who were even more demonstrative in their courtesies to him than to the King himself whom they see so constantly. King John, observing this wrapped his military cloak around him and reclined upon his seat, while our great American medicine man did the honors for the royal retinue, graciously bowing, hat in hand, on every side, until wearied by his excessive condescension to this old monarch's people.

MANY EMINENT MEN have candidly asserted their opinion that there is no remedy equal to MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS for that class of diseases peculiar to people of sedentary habits. It is a preparation of wonderful virtue in all cases of this kind, never having failed in effecting a cure, and it still continues on in its triumphant career. For all forms of diseases arising from impurity of the Blood or derangement of the digestive organs, including General Debility, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Sick Headache, Constipation, and similar ailments, it is a certain remedy. Leading physicians everywhere prescribe it for their patients, and have given the proprietors of the Bitters many testimonials of their confidence in the efficacy of the preparation as a remedy.—Sold in square glass bottles only, by respectable druggists and storekeepers. Price one dollar per bottle.

LOOKING UP.—Everybody was gazing heavenward through smoked glass on Saturday evening to get a sight of the eclipse, which came off (or on, rather,) according to appointment. The day was favorable and the exhibition entirely satisfactory—as much so in its way, perhaps, as the superb exhibition of staple and fancy goods constantly being made at the recently enlarged and always remarkably low priced cash store of H. A. Shoemaker & Co., where any number of customers can be supplied with any quantity or any kind of goods at any hour of the day or evening, almostat any price they offer.

IT GREW.—All "Topsy" could say about herself was that she "grewed." And all that can be said in answer to the often-asked question, "How did Oak Hall become so great?" is that *it grew*. There was nothing miraculous about it, nothing beyond the ordinary laws of business development and expansion. Strict integrity, close and constant application to business, an untiring study of the wants of the people must lead to permanent and large success.

DISAPPEARED.—The many customers who visit the store of Vallie Barker will miss the genial countenance of our young friend Berg, who has resigned his clerkship therein, but they *Will* never miss the chance to buy anything they want in the way of dry goods, groceries, notions, etc., at as fair figures as like articles can be purchased anywhere. Stock always full, handsome and cheap.

DOWN TOWN.—It is only a short distance from the Diamond to the store of R. R. Davis, in the East Ward, and persons living in the upper end will find themselves well repaid for the trouble of walking there if they seek merchandise of a superb and excellent quality at the very lowest cash rates. All kinds of goods can be supplied by Rowley.

HOW IT IS DONE.—Many people wonder how Leopold & Brother, Oak Hall, No 141 and 143 Main street, Johnstown, can sell made-up clothing so cheap. We will show you. They make just as much money by selling ten suits a day, at one dollar profit on each, as if they would sell one suit at a profit of ten dollars. That is the way it is done.

LOOK UP.—As you pass along Main street, Johnstown, look up, look up, and you will see "Opera House," and below that you will see "New York Clothing Hall," and below that you will see L. Cohen & Brother, two obliging gentlemen, who sell made-up clothing, argosies, hats, handkerchiefs, stockings, collars, trunks, umbrellas, etc., etc.

WHO TOLLED THAT LYE?—Who said that Murphy & Co., Houston House, Main street, Johnstown, Pa., have not the cheapest and best dry goods ever offered in this or any other market. Whoever "tolled that lye" ought to be made into soap for those who buy goods from Murphy & Co.

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MALE TEACHER WANTED.—A Male Teacher is wanted to take charge of the Male School in the Borough of Loretto, the salary to be regulated according to the qualifications of the teacher. School to open on the first day of September, or as soon thereafter as possible. Apply to

PATRICK MEALLY, Secretary.

Loretto, Aug. 12, 1869.-3t.

LIST OF CAUSES set down for trial at a Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Ebensburg, in and for the county of Cambria, commencing on the first Monday of September next:

FIRST WEEK.

Kern et. al., vs. Simon Young.

Miller, vs. M'Cleuan.

Cupps, for use, vs. Haws.

J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.

Ebensburg, Aug. 5, 1869.

IN COMMON PLEAS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.—No. 69, March Term, 1869.—William Bendon and James Bendon vs. Lydia Bendon, widow, and others.

AND NOW, 9TH OF JUNE, 1869, on motion of Messrs. Johnston & Scanlan, Jos. M'DONALD, Esq., appointed Auditor to report distribution of proceeds of Sheriff's sale of defendant's real estate in above writ. By the Court.

In pursuance of the above order of Court, I will attend at my office in Ebensburg, on MONDAY, THE 23D OF AUGUST, inst., when the parties interested may attend if they think proper.

JOSEPH M'DONALD, Auditor.

Ebensburg, Aug. 5, 1869. 3t.

VENDUE! VENDUE!!—There will be offered at Public Sale, in Washington township, Cambria county, between Planes 4 and 5, on the old Portage road, one mile from Sumtville and one from Cresson Station, Pa. R. R., on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 1st, 1869, at 10 o'clock, a. m., one TWO STORY PLANK HOUSE, 24 by 18 feet, with cellar under all the building, two STABLES, about 2½ Acres of LAND, with the best spring of water in the vicinity. A good Deed, with the right of the mineral.

Also, two Cows, one Hog, one Calf, one Hand-Cart, (made in Philadelphia,) two Revolvers, (new,) two Sabres, Bureau, Chairs, Stoves, and many other articles needless to enumerate. Terms made known at time of sale. JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Washington Twp, Aug. 12, 1869. 3t.

FARM IN INDIANA COUNTY AT PUBLIC SALE.—Will be offered at public sale, on the premises in Buffington township, Indiana county, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 31st, inst., at 1 o'clock, p. m., A TRACT OF LAND containing 100 ACRES and allowance, 75 ACRES being cleared and under good fence, and the balance being well timbered. On said Farm is erected a good PLANK FRAME HOUSE, (containing six rooms,) a LOG BARN, weatherboarded, and other buildings. There is a never-failing spring of water near the house and running water in almost every field, as well as a good bearing ORCHARD of Apple and Peach Trees and a young orchard of choice grafted fruit on the premises. The property is convenient to churches and schools, and within 1½ miles of two woolen factories, three flour mills and three saw mills, and within the same distance of the proposed new Railroad, eleven miles east of Indiana borough. The Farm is under good cultivation, and will be sold at a bargain. Terms made known on day of sale.

Aug. 12, 1869. 3t. HUGH O'SKELLY.

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 6th day of September next, to wit:

The second and final account of Evan J. Evans, Adm'r of Elizabeth J. B. Jones, late of Cambria township, dec'd.

The second account of Sarah Leidy, Adm'x of David Leidy, late of Jackson twp., dec'd.

The first and final account of Wm. James, Guardian of the minor children of David M. Evans, late of Cambria township, dec'd.

The first and final account of John Flick and John Buck, Ex'rs of Jerome Buck, late of Carroll township, dec'd.

The final account of John H. Douglass, Administrator of Dan'l Litzinger, late of the Borough of Chest Springs, dec'd.

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

The first and partial account of John A. Blair, Adm'r of D. A. Conrad, late of Ebensburg borough, dec'd.

The account of Mary E. Kaylor, Adm'x of Thomas Kaylor, late of Allegheny twp., dec'd.

The second account of George Orris, Adm'r of George Rose, late of Richland twp., dec'd.

The third and final account of J. S. Strayer, Adm'r of David Ribblett, late of Conemaugh township, dec'd.

The account of Newton I. Roberts, Adm'r cum testamento annexo of Wm. W. Gittins, late of the Borough of Ebensburg, dec'd.

The first and final account of James P. McCance, Trustee appointed by the Orphans' Court to sell the real estate of which James Platt, late of Susquehanna twp., died seized.

JAMES GRIFFIN, Register.

Register's Office, Ebensburg, Aug. 7, 1869.-4t.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of Alias 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 house of Otho Helly, at Lilly's Station, Washington township, Cambria county, on SATURDAY, 14TH DAY OF AUGUST NEXT, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following Real Estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of D. H. Bolten, of, in and to the undivided half of a piece or parcel of land situate in Washington township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of the heirs of Edward Donaldson, dec'd, William Tiley, and others, containing 195 acres, more or less, about 50 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story plank house and plank stable, now in the occupancy of David W. Fox; a two story plank house and frame bank barn, now in the occupancy of John Kelly and James Murphy, a two story frame house, now in the occupancy of Hugh Banan, and a two story plank house not now occupied, and a coal bank not used at present, situated near the foot of Plane No. 4, on the Old Portage Rail Road. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Geo. Fritz and H. A. Boggs.

JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, July 29, 1869.-3t.

ESTATE OF PATRICK MCCORMICK, DEC'D.—Having been appointed Executors of the last Will and Testament of Patrick M'Cormick, late of Summerhill township, Cambria county, deceased, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate that payment must be made without delay, and those having claims against the same are requested to present them in proper shape for settlement.

JOHN MCCORMICK, FRANCIS P. MCCORMICK, } Ex'rs.

Summerhill Twp., July 1, 1869.-6t.

ESTATE OF BARBARA CONNER, DECEASED.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of BARBARA CONNER, late of Susquehanna township, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned, who hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate that payment must be made without delay, and requests those having claims against said estate to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

WM. MCDONNELL, Adm'r.

Susquehanna Twp., July 22, 1869.-6t.*

ESTATE OF DAVID T. STORM, DEC'D.—Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of DAVID E. STORM, late of Washington township, Cambria county, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, who hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate that payment must be made without delay, and requests those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

FRANCIS D. STORM.

Washington Twp., Aug. 5, 1869.-6t.

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