# Cambria Freeman.

THURSDAY, : : : SEPT. 29, 1870.

## Democratic Meetings.

In addition to the meeting held at Belsa-on Wednesday evening, the following es and places have been fixed upon for holding of Democartic meetings during present and coming week:

At Summerhill, on Thursday, Sept. 29th, 7 o'clock, P. M.

At Wilmore, on Friday, September 30th, 7 o'clock, P. M.

At Hemlock, Saturday, Oct. 1st, at 7 lock, P. M.

At St. Nicholas, on Monday, Oct. 3d, at 7 o'clock, P. M.

At Carrolltown, on Monday, Oct. 3d, at 7 lock, P. M.

At Glosser's, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th, at 2 lock P. M.

At Garman's Mills, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th, 7 o'clock, P. M.

At St. Lawrence, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th, at o'clock, P. M.

At Fallen Timber, on Wednesday, Oct. at 7 o'clock P. M.

At Plattville, on Wednesday, Oct. 5th, at o'clock, P. M.

At St. Augustine, on Thursday, Oct. 6th, 7 o'clock, P. M.

At Loretto, on Friday, Oct. 8th, at 7 lock, P. M.

At Gallitzin, on Saturday, Oct. 8th, at 7 lock, P. M.

At New Germany, on Saturday, Oct. 8th 7 o'clock, P. M.

A German speaker will be present and ress the meetings at St. Nicholas, Glos-and New Germany.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

ANOTHER APOLOGY.—We have made sever-pologies of late, and no doubt our readers gin to weary of them. This week, however, are compelled to apologize for the failure get our paper out at the proper time, and we say that we have been struck in the with the quinsy, one of the most pain-diseases that human flesh is heir to, our ders will readily forgive and we hope pray our speedy recovery.

**Ups and Mishaps at and near Home.**

—Autumn weather has set in in good earnest.

—Buckwheat cakes will be plenty this sea-

—The cider making season has come once in.

—Chestnuts are unusually large and plenti-on the mountain this year.

—A deer weighing 118 pounds was shot r Williamsburg, Blair county, on the 13th.

—The Blairsville Presbytery of the Presby-an church will hold a session in this place, mencing on Tuesday next.

—Indiana county boasts the finest court se in the State. Johnstown will beat her hollow—when she gets the chance.

—Gov. Geary has been stumping Indiana ays on behalf of the the Republican candi-for Congress. His wages go on just the e.

—Thomas Burchinell, a machinist at the sport Foundry, had his right hand terribly ngled, one day last week, by being caught a planing machine.

—The farm of G. C. K. Zahm, Esq., will be ered for sale at 2 o'clock instead of 3, on ednesday, October 19th. The live stock, ain, etc, will be sold at 10 o'clock, A M

—A man named Michael McCarthy was sted in Johnstown and taken to Hollidays-g, on Tuesday of last week, charged with ing $210 from James Valentine, near Gal-n.

—Mr. J. M'Gonigle, of Hemlock, proposes ose of the well known James Burk farm, Wilmore, or one half thereof, by public ry, on Thursday, Oct. 13th. Also, live k, produce, farm implements, and many er articles.

—A cat was seen falling from the limb of e in Williamsburg, a few days ago, and examination of the cause led to the discov-that she was enfolded in the coils of a huge snakeake. The snake was killed and pussy ped of its unpleasant embrace.

—Zeisler's drug store in Altoona, with ntry all it contained, was destroyed by fire on nday last. An explosion of benzine in the r, caused by one of the clerks tripping and ling with a lighted lamp, led to the disaster. s about $10,000—Insurance not known.

—The Philadelphia Trade Journal recom-nds the Huntingdon Globe as a good medi-for city advertisers seeking patronage in ntingdon and Cambria counties—which, so r as Cambria county is concerned, is pretty ood for high, to say the least. Try again, Mr. rade Journal.

—Michael Bechtel, brother of ex Sheriff chtel of Hollidaysburg, residing near Wood-y, Bedford county, was recently thrown m his horse and dragged a considerable dis nce, and also trampled upon, whereby one of s ribs was broken and crushed and he was erwise severely injured.

—The stereoscopticon exhibition at the Pres-terian church, on Thursday evening last, ected quite a large assemblage, and must e realized a handsome sum for the Sabbath ool. The explanatory lecture of Rev. B. Kerr was worthy of that gentleman as an tor and a scholar, and done much toward ndering the exhibition intelligible and inter-ting.

—Two young men named Navling and ed got into a quarrel on the turnpike lead-from Tyrone, Blair county, to Glen Hope, erfield county, on the 10th inst., and the ult was that the former struck the latter on head with a stone, inflicting injuries which used his death on the 16th inst. Navling d several others have been arrested and con-ed in the Clearfield jail.

—Our correspondent "Amicus" will be sur-ed to learn that he is "an old political ," and that he "has run for more offices been oftener defeated than any other poli-n you (Johnstown) have, Mr. Pershing e excepted." A correspondent of the nstown TRIBUNE says so, and as none of removalites ever lie, we suppose "Amicus" ll have to accept the situation.

—A lad named Roberts, about 12 years of , had one of his legs so badly crushed by ng run over by the local freight train, op-te the Mechanical Works, at Johnstown, Tuesday week, that the leg had to be am-tated. He had jumped on the train while motion and in attempting to jump off met th the sad mishap stated. He was only dis-tened in time to save him from a worse fate, the next train, due in a short time thereafter, ght have killed him outright.

—Vallie Lutringer's head is level on the oral question, he having removed his tin-re establishment to the newly fitted up ding on High street, opposite the Mountain use and betwee the stores of J. P. Thomp-n and A. A. Barker & Son. Vallie expects receive a full stock of stoves and other ds in his line during the present week, and ch of our readers as need what he can sup-y, and desire to patronize an honest, industri-s and enterprising man, we say call on Vallie d take your selections. His work and his ces are right and his prices ditto.

—The public schools of this borough will en on Monday next and remain open for a od of nine months, the teachers selected to ndict them being J. W. Patterson, A. B., rincipal; W. S. Campbell, Room No. 2; s. Jennie Evans, Room No. 3; Miss Ellen ris, Room No. 4; Mrs. Jane Clark, Room o. 5. The principal, Mr. Patterson, is a duate of Jefferson College, and his examin-ns and credentials proved him fully compe-t for the position. Mr. Campbell comes to n Williamsburg, Blair county, and is e a first class teacher. The ladies selected e already made their mark as teachers, and ust fail to perform their duties well and fully.

## "FAIR PLAY" AT FOUL WORK.

**Seven Base Falsehoods about the Poor House and the Catholic Pic-Nic Exposed and Refuted!**

"THE HEAD OF THE AFFAIR" HEARD FROM.

*A SOLDIER-PRIEST AFTER A COWARDLY KNOW-NOTHING!*

EBENSBURG, Sept. 26, 1870.

EDITOR FREEMAN—Dear Sir: Not having seen the last Johnstown *Democrat* in time to write and have published in the present week's issue of that paper the following reply to a communication falsely and impudently signed "Fair Play," I ask you to give place to it in your columns, hoping that there is yet *honesty* and *genuine "fair play"* enough in the *Democrat* office to induce the editors thereof to publish the letter given below. R. C. CHRISTY.

*To the Editor of the Johnstown Democrat:*

Justice to myself and to the congregation over which I preside demands the following "Card to the Public":

In the last number of your journal the undersigned was vilely attacked by a *sneaking* KNOW-NOTHING, (writing apparently from Chest Springs,) in which communication seven *barefaced lies* are openly and shamelessly asserted; yet the writer would have your r ders believe that he "desires that every citizen of the county should be made acquainted with the facts." Here they are, unvarnished and indisputable:

1st. The pic-nic was gotten up by the undersigned for the benefit of the new Catholic church erected by himself in this place, and not for "the jovial people of Ebensburg."

2d. Not at the "people's expense," but by the liberality of Messrs. Hoover, Farrens, Dishart, Elig, Doyle, and others, members of my congregation.

3d. Not "started by a half dozen boys and girls," but by the respective parties above named, with many other liberal Protestants and Catholics.

4th. No "word was sent to town" or "from town" by any "planners." We were driven from the grounds by a terrific rain; I asked Col. McDermitt if we could go to the barn of the Poor House for shelter. He answered in the affirmative, providing we would appoint a few persons to prevent smoking, etc. I went to the paupers, who were in the dining room, and asked them whether they would agree to postpone their supper until we could get ours, and then we would give them an elegant supper. They willingly consented.

5th. "Two teams from the Poor House" did not come out. Mr. Elig's wagon, one from the Poor House, and my buggy, "transported the concern."

6th. The Poor House team did not run "back and forward to Ebensburg to bring out the elite."

7th. "The head of the affair" left before seven o'clock, to attend a sick man who was seriously injured.

The balance of the article may go for what it is worth. I only want to defend myself as a citizen, a soldier, and a clergyman—a Catholic priest—from the contemptible calumnies, asserted in the correspondence in your last paper signed "Fair Play," regardless of the "*Ebensburg Ring*" or the "*Johnstown Junto.*" I am a native of the county and pay my taxes, hence I have a right to vote, and do so, and generally the Republican ticket. I served over three years in the army—not in Sanitary Commission tents, but at the front. Ask your estimable fellow citizen, Mr. A. J. Haws, where he heard I kept myself, also ask Joseph Uhl, and others of my regiment now in your place. Also, members of the 15th, 16th, 18th and 19th Regulars where I was at Stone River, Chicamauga, Mission Ridge, Buzzard's Roost, Dallas, or New Hope Church, Kenesaw, &c. Finally as a clergyman, I have a right to appeal to the honest citizens of Cambria county for a public condemnation of this cowardly attack upon me, and upon the base attempt to drag a clergyman into politics and classify him along with those who are said to be "thieves," "rascals," "corrupt," "dishonest," etc. R. C. CHRISTY.

Pastor Church Holy Name, Ebensburg, Pa.

THE CENSUS.—The following statement, with the remarks appended thereto, will exhibit the census of Cambria county in 1860 and 1870, and also show the comparative increase and decrease in the several districts;

| *Districts.* | 1860. | 1870. | *Dec'se.* | *Inc'se.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allegheny Twp..... | 1922 | 1260 | 762 | |
| Blacklick " ..... | 656 | 646 | 10 | |
| Cambria " ..... | 1116 | 1038 | 90 | |
| Carroll " ..... | 1895 | 1780 | 115 | |
| Clearfield " ..... | 1196 | 1531 | | 335 |
| Chest " ..... | 612 | 870 | | 258 |
| Chest Springs Bor... | 183 | 269 | | 86 |
| Conemaugh Twp.... | 1866 | 728 | 1138 | |
| Croyle " ..... | 795 | 1887 | | 92 |
| Ebensburg Bor..... | 991 | 1241 | | 250 |
| Jackson Twp..... | 854 | 903 | | 52 |
| Johnstown Bor..... | 4131 | 6029 | | 1898 |
| Loretto " ..... | 255 | 281 | | 26 |
| Millville " ..... | 1583 | 2105 | | 522 |
| Munster Twp. ..... | 692 | 598 | 94 | |
| Richland " ..... | 1650 | 868 | 782 | |
| Summerhill Twp.... | 892 | 752 | 140 | |
| Summitville Bor.... | 176 | 177 | | 1 |
| Susquehanna Twp.. | 879 | 1106 | | 227 |
| Taylor " .. | 1391 | 1424 | | 33 |
| Washington " .. | 1212 | 1727 | | 515 |
| Wilmore Bor..... | 403 | 393 | 10 | |
| White Twp..... | 761 | 969 | | 208 |
| Yoder " ..... | 1831 | 1022 | 799 | |

Gallitzin township, since the census of 1860, was formed out of Allegheny township, and now has a population of 977. Since the census of 1860 Carrolltown borough was formed out of Carroll township and now contains a population of 446. Adams township, since the census of 1860, has been formed out of Richland, and now contains a population of 835. Cambria borough, since 1860, was formed out of the adjacent territory, and now contains a population of 1744. Also, Conemaugh borough, containig a population of 2,336, and Prospect borough, containing a population of 576, and Franklin borough, containing a population of 426, and East Conemaugh borough, containing a population of 381, and Coopersdale, containing a population of 246, have all been formed since the census of 1860; and this explanation of the figures of the census of 1860 and of 1870, in reference to these new townships and boroughs, will explain themselves to our readers. The total census of Cambria county for 1870 is 36,572. The census of 1860 was 29,155 showing an increase of population since 1860 of 8,407.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE.—The work upon the new buildings, and other improvements, on the grounds of the Altoona Park Association, will be completed in a day or two, and all things ready for the reception of stock and articles, and the opening of the exhibition. The new building is 16 feet wide, 80 feet long, 12 feet high to the square, comb roof covered with shingles, and well floored. It will be much better lighted than the other buildings, and is intended specially for ladies' work, paintings, and fine articles. The construction of this building gives almost double the amount of room the Association had last year, consequently there will be less crowding of articles, and all will be exhibited to much better advantage.

A train of passenger cars will be run between the depot, in front of the Logan House, and the grounds, every half hour, during the continuance of the Exhibition.

The driving course is in excellent condition and in constant use—quite a number of horses entered for speed being now in the stables on the ground, as also others that are under training. The Exhibition opens Oct. 4th, and closes Oct. 7th.

BRILLIANT.—The display of the Aurora Borealis on Saturday night last was of a most brilliant character, but the display of brilliant goods of every description at the cheap cash store of M. L. Oatman & Co., is so far ahead of all natural or unnatural phenomena, that they shouldn't be talked about the same day. The firm in question not only keeps a mammoth stock and an infinite variety of the very best kind of goods, but they can supply almost any personal or household want and do it in such a way and at such prices as not only attracts customers, but holds them as permanent patrons ever after. When two such accommodating salesmen as Mr. Oatman and his right bower, Mr. Berg, fail to sell such goods as they do sell and at such prices as they sell them for, it will be time for the rest of creation to shut up shop and quit business.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK FOR OCTOBER.—The illustrations of this number are a very fine engraving of "The Village Doctor," a very full set of fashion plates and patterns, including dresses for children, with a sea piece, "After the Storm." The work department furnishes models, with full descriptions, for a great variety of fancy work. A new song with piano forte accompaniment, is an additional attraction. The literary matter affords the usual variety of good stories, with an "acting charade" very well suited to domestic theatricals.

You can afford to have several changes of Summer clothing this year, for Wanamaker & Brown will sell you three suits now for what one cost a little while ago.

### Local Correspondence.

ALTOONA CITY, Sept. 27. 1870.

FRIEND MAC—The last few days have been marked by an unusual number of accidents and violent deaths in this city and surroundings that is truly terrible to contemplate.

On Thursday last a young man named Potter, son of Mr. J. J. Potter, while on a visit to some friends west of the city, at Vaughn's brick yard, and while standing on an embankment, that was being undermined, suddenly the earth gave way, and by the fall he had his leg broken near the ankle.

Edward Moran, an old and esteemed citizen employed in the grading of Eleventh Avenue, while assisting other workmen in handling some heavy irons, accidentally got one of his hands caught between two of the bars, taking one finger entirely off and lacerating the others very severely. His foot was also badly hurt.

On Thursday night a stranger named Zimmerman was instanly killed near Kittanning Point by being struck by an engine. His head was terribly crushed and one leg broken.

On Saturday night two more shocking deaths occurred. Two men, one named Sanders and the other Clark, while going through the Tunnel at Gallitzin, were both killed by a train of cars. Both the unfortunate men left families dependant on them for a livelihood.

In the Pa. R. R. lumber yard, this (Monday) morning, while a number of laborers were engaged in loading some very heavy timber, and had about completed their labors, and while a young man named Monroe Ake was examining the standards, they suddenly broke, causing most of the heavy timber to fall on him, killing him instantly.

The Democrats have nominated their city ticket, and it is considered by all classes one of the strongest that has been put in the field for a long time. It is particularly gratifying to all good citizens to know that that bold, true, indomitable, persevering and enterprising Democrat, R. A. O. Kerr, Esq., has been renominated for Council by acclamation. His election is a foregone conclusion, for the lion-hearted Democracy in that ward will not stultify themselves by voting for such an old fogy as that GOOD (for nothing) that is running in opposition to him, and there is enough Democrats in his ward to secure his triumphant election.

Quite an interesting episode or incident occurred here on Sunday morning last, and one that will bear putting into print. A gentleman who resides in the 4th ward is the owner of a very disabedient cow that is remarkably fond of keeping late hours, like some creatures that are not cows, on Saturday nights especially. On Sunday morning, as was his wont, the owner of the cow arose quite early to wander forth in quest of his unruly quadruped.—While sauntering along, whistling that favorite air, "The girl I left behind me," he had occasion to approach near unto an apple orchard, and while gazing at the luscious fruit his eyes discovered another gentleman filling a large basket with the tempting fruit, which he was evidently borrowing while the owner of the orchard was wrapped in the arms of Morpheus. The gentleman in quest of the cow gave one of his most unearthly yells, which vibrated through the trees like a clap of thunder in the month of May. I dare say there was never such a sound heard before or since. The man with the apples took to his heels and oh! ye gods, Dexter would have been nowhere in the fast time which followed. Over fields, fences, ditches and swamps he went like a streak of forked lightning. The gentleman watching him making the short corners soon discovered he had lost his basket; so following in his tracks as rapidly as possible, he found the basket filled with apples buried in a sand bank, and on the principle that "to the victor belongs the spoils," he forthwith conveyed them to his own domicil, and is now ready and anxious for another such adventure. The individual who "borrowed" the apples has no doubt realized by this time that

"There is many a slip
'Twixt the cup and the lip."

P. S. The owner of the basket, if he has succeeded in checking his headway yet, can have his property by calling at 1230 Fourth Ward, and no questions will be asked.

Yours, &c., T. I. M.

CARROLLTOWN, Sept. 26, 1870.

*Dear Freeman*—The Ladies' Fair continues. It is well patronized, and deservedly so, as I am sure no effort is neglected to make the festival pleasing and attractive. On Saturday it was visited by a delegation from Chest Springs and St. Augustine, bringing with them a martial band. The party remained until late in the evening, and all went home apparently satisfied with their virit. One of your former correspondents, "Zig Zag," lent the light of his countenance to us and our Fair on Saturday. He was welcome and will always be.

A considerable amount of sickness prevails here yet, and our skillful physicians have their hands full, yet so far they have proved very successful. Typhoid and nervous fever appears to be the dominant trouble.

Mr. Benjamin Wertner's fine brick house is now being roofed. It is one of the finest houses in the county, and when finished will make a comfortable and convenient house for one of our best citizens.

Adjutant Rose, our candidate for the Legislature, spent a few hours with us on Saturday, as did also Capt. Bonacker, the candidate for Sheriff. They both made good impressions among our people, as indeed they could not help but do, being perfect gentlemen in every sense of the term. Their vote here will be unanimous. Col. McDermitt and C. W. Easly, two whole souled gentlemen, as everybody knows who knows anything, also paid us a visit during the past week.

Before closing my letter I desire to inform your readers that our Fair will continue until Friday evening. On Thursday, weather permitting, there will be a pic-nic on the grounds near town, and at which the drawing of articles and so forth will take place. If the weather is unfavorable the Fair hall will be open as usual. The evening plays and performances, which have made the Fair so attractive, and which reflect great credit on the young gentlemen who get them up, will be continued every evening during the fair. The voting on the various articles is spirited and active. Politicians on every side solicit votes for the plow, the axe, or the doll bride. Come and see how we can conduct a Fair in Carrolltown and I wager you will not be disappointed. E.

ON THIN ICE.—The young man who drinks, swears, gambles and idles away his time, is on a very thin place on the ice, and if he knows what's good for him he will abandon his evil ways, go to work, save his earnings, get himself a good wife and buy all the requisite articles for housekeeping in the hardware and stove line from Geo. Huntley, who is prepared to furnish anything from a cook stove to a nutmeg grater at as low prices as any other dealer in the county or out of it. There is no doubt about Huntley being the right man to buy from.

SONG OF THE NEWSPAPER.—I am the newspaper, and carry the news to all of your dwellings, or wherever you choose; I tell you of many things you ne'er heard before—of things good and bad, and of Christy's cheap store, which throughout all the county has won great renown, and contains such a stock as ne'er in Loretto town has been opened for the people to look at and buy, where each customer at low prices all his wants can supply.

DOING WELL.—We understand that Dr. A. P. Fields has obtained a very large practice in this vicinity, and has been exceedingly successful, having lost only three cases since coming amongst us. He seems to be the right kind of a man for any emergency demanding medical skill. He holds himself ready to go anywhere he may be needed at any hour of the night.

**Twisting.**—When a twister a twisting would twist him a twine, for the twisting a wist he three times doth entwine, and then straightway he goes on a perfect bee line, for goods very cheap and goods very fine, to the store of Messrs. Shoemaker, always obliging and kind, who sell more for less money than any other dealer you'll find—and who are now particularly anxious to close out their splendid summer stock at figures that cannot fail to induce all people to buy who appreciate good goods and great bargains.

**About Clocks.**—One of the first inventions in the way of clocks was the *clepsydra*, or water clock, a contrivance of the Assyrians and used as early as the second Sardinapalus, if you know when that was. The very latest inventions in the same line, as well as in the watch, jewelry, sewing machine and fancy goods line, can be found and bought, if buy you want to, at the splendidly stocked emporium of C. T. Roberts, who can tell you all about his goods you may wish to know.

**A Striking Example.**—When one man strikes another; also, when Leopold Mayer, dry goods merchant of Johnstown, strikes high prices in the head. Mr. Mayer has now an immense stock of new goods of all kinds—dress goods, hats, bonnets, laces, brilliant ribbons of every hue, etc.—at the Opera House, No. 212, Johnstown. He made a good point in purchasing when goods were at their lowest price, but he is determined to make a better one by selling very low for cash.

**Don't Mind It.**—If there is a savage war going on between France and Prussia, don't mind it, but go to Leopold & Brother and buy some suitable made-up clothing for fall and winter, before Mr. High Price arrives from the seat of war. Leopold & Brother keep at 241 Main street, cheap side, Johnstown. Let Europe spend money for powder and lead, but spend your dimes for the adornment of the outward man, and spend it at Leopold & Bro.'s.

**Going to Wilmore.**—At the solicitation of a number of citizens of Wilmore, Mr. T. R. Evans, photograph artist, has concluded to open rooms for a couple of weeks at that place, commencing on Friday of this week, and as a consequence his Gallery here will be closed until Monday Oct. 14th. Our friends in and about Wilmore should avail themselves of the chance afforded them as Mr. Evans is master of his business and cannot fail to please.

**Aldermanic.**—Let all who want good dry goods, fancy goods, good dress goods, and good groceries, call with our aldermanic friend, N. F. Carroll, No. 215 Main street, Johnstown, where they will be entertained in an obliging manner by a perfect gentleman, who can sell goods as low, and also as many of them, as any man can between Dan and Bersheeba. Carroll is ready and willing to sell good goods at the lowest figure in the market.

**Commotion.**—What has caused this great commotion the country through. It is the ball a rolling on for John J. Murphy, with goods so cheap at the Mansion House corner, Johnstown. Murphy's new dry goods have produced a wonderful commotion indeed. Hundreds—nay, thousands—rush to Murphy's, because that is the place for bargains. Then, reader, rush thou thither also and get the full worth of your money.

**A Wonderful Dream.**—I had a dream the other night, when all arund was still; I dreamed I saw a great big crowd of folks go rushing down the hill; and how they fared no one can fail to guess, for at Davis' cheap cash store they all did halt, and, entering, bought goods, more or less—and in buying from Rowley they all got the best of goods at the very lowest prices, and went their way rejoicing.

**Look Here.**—For men and boys! For men and boys! Made-up clothing at M. H. Mayer's renowned Clothing Emporium, Opera House, No. 214 Main street, Johnstown. Ready-made clothing for men, boys, and children. A new stock of ready-made has Mr. Mayer laid in, cheaper than ever, better than ever, and neater than ever before—for men and boys.

**Trunks Full.**— L. Cohen & Brother have just received twenty-five trunks, at Cohen's Hat Parlor, filled with choice new hats and caps and gent's furnishing goods. The scene presented by the arrival was like that of a Saratoga flitting. This beautiful array of new styles can be seen at No. 227 Main street, Johnstown, the like of which cannot be seen every day. Do call!

**Italy.**—The late revolutionary news from Italy made it necessary for James J. Murphy to buy in a new stock of ready-made clothing at No. 109 Clinton street, Jonnstown, so that he might be enabled to sell at his former low prices, even if the war should go on. He has now a fine assortment of all kinds of clothing for men and boys, which he will sell at a small profit.

**Not There.**—"Brought into this breathing world scarce half made up" cannot be said with truth of the stock of clothing kept by V. S. Barker, for his assortment comprises not only a fine variety, but every article is well made and of the very best material. Unprecedented bargains are now offered by Vallie in the way of summer clothing and summer goods generally.

**STONEROAD'S CATHARTIC SYRUP,** used in all cases instead of PILLS, EPSOM SALTS, CASTOR OIL, &c. Highly flavored. Pleasant to take. Children like it. Price 50 cents. Wholesale, R. E. SELLERS & CO., 45 Wood Street, Pittsburgh, Pa. [June 16, 1870.-1y.]

STRASBURG was surrendered to the Prusians on the evening of the 28th inst., and Montmedy is reported to have been captured on the same day.

### MARRIED.

HUMPHREYS—VAUGHN—On Tuesday, September 27, 1870, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. B. M Kerr, Mr. RICHARD J. HUMPHREYS, of Johnstown, and Miss MARY A. VAUGHN, of this place.

Bless ye both, happy husband, happy wife. May your union, like that of the States, be "one and inseperable." May love constantly pervade your household, and may neither jealousy or dissension ever cross your threshold. May each year that adds to your "responsibilities," also bring with it the strength to *bear* them. May the springtide of your love never ebb until the dissolving hand of death shall unite you once again in the better world to come. May you, in short, know nothing but peace and contentment here and hereafter.

COLLINS—RILEY—At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. Father Brown, Mr. E. W. Collins and Miss Lizzie A. Riley, all of Johnstown. No cards.

### DIED.

DOPP—At St. Louis, Mo., of congestion of the brain, Mrs. ANN DOPP, wife of the late Col. J. H. Dopp, aged 56 years, 8 months and 9 days.

Mrs. Dopp was born in Loretto, and was the sister of James M. Riffel, of Summitville, in this county. Her husband was a prominent citizen of Cambria county and removed to the State of Missouri about fifteen years ago, where he died some ten years after. They were both well known in this section of Cambria county and were highly esteemed and respected. May she rest in peace.

EVANS—In Cambria township, on Wednesday, 17th inst., of inflamation of the lungs, Robert Elvert Evans, aged 18 years, 9 months and 8 days.

GRIFFITHS—On Wednesday, 21st inst., Mrs. Jane Griffiths, wife of Mr. John Griffiths, of Cambria township, aged about 75 years.

## New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration upon the estate of Capt. Mark M'Laughlin, dec'd, late of Washington twp., Cambria county, have been granted to the subscriber residing in Summitville borough. Those having claims against said estate will please present them properly proven, and those indebted to the same are requested to come forward and make payment.
PAUL MCKENNA,
Summittville, Sept. 27, 1870. Adm'r.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration upon the estate of William Gwinn, M. D., dec'd, late of Loretto borough, have been granted to the subscriber, residing in said borough. Those having claims against said estate will please present them properly proven, and those indebted to the same are requested to come forward and make payment.
A. J. CHRISTY,
Loretto, Sept. 26, 1870.-6t.* Adm'r.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county to report distribution of the funds in the Sheriff's hands arising from the sale of the real estate of Terrence and Frank Hughes, No. 8 Sept. Term, 1870, to and amongst the lien creditors, hereby gives notice that he will sit at the Prothonotary's Office, Johnstown, on *Saturday, Oct. 22, 1870, at 2 o'clock, P. M.*, when and where all parties interested must present their claims or be debarred from coming in on said fund.
C. W. EASLY,
Johnstown, Sept. 26, 1870. Auditor.

**GOOD FARM FOR SALE.**

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