# Cambria Freeman.

SATURDAY, : : : FEB. 18, 1871.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

THE VERY LAST CHANCE.—There are so many of our patrons who ought to but have not yet taken advantage of the reduced terms and premiums offered in connection with our paper, that we have concluded to give them one more week in which to attend to the matter. After next week, and until the first of May, our terms will be two dollars per year in advance of 25 cents on each of the premiums, except to new subscribers. The publication of the "Roll of Honor" has according been delayed until next week, but we will positively give no longer grace.

**Scraps and Mishaps at and near Home.**

—"Antonio" will find "Consolation" in our next issue.

—Wednesday next will be Ash-Wednesday, first day of Lent

—The Johnstown Presbyterians are about building a parsonage.

—Wesley J. Rose, Esq. has resigned the position of superintendent of the Johnstown Mechanical Works.

—Nelson, the pedestrian, is to walk twenty miles in five hours at Johnstown on Monday next. He is to do it with his "west".

—A train of fifteen cars laden with silk and passed over the Pennsylvania railroad not a place. The cargo was direct from San Francisco.

—Those of our readers interested in the "Real Estate Transfers" will have to bear over another week. Want of the proper data rendered the delay unavoidable.

—The Johnstown Democrat affirms that the rumor about Mr. Geo. Bowser having been injured at his saw mill in Taylor township is without foundation in fact. Glad to hear it.

—Dr. Geo. B Hudson, of Clay township, Lancaster county, had both his feet so badly frozen while returning to his home from Carlisle barracks, Franklin county, not long since, that it is feared they will have to be amputated.

—A Millville school teacher broke through the ice on the Conemaugh river, one evening last week, and being encumbered with a shawl, was very near drowning. His own superior efforts saved him, but his escape was a close one.

—The Alleghanian says that the hoop of Peter Weakland, in Chest Springs, gave way on the ninth inst. Cause, a defective hoop. Fifteen were subdued before they had made mischief. Loss, about $200. Covered by insurance.

—Lieut. John H. Reed and his sonlough, Thos. Rees agents at Johnstown, intend moving to Chambersburg, their old home, in the spring. The commercial metropolis can well dispense with such energetic public citizens.

—The Sapes' building in Johnstown, a heavy brick edifice, is being fitted up for hospital purposes. Mr. Houston, of Houston & Co., is to be its proprietor, and he latter will pass into the hands of M. Martin, the Tribune House, Blairsville.

—The Sabbath school connected with the Methodist church in this place gave a free entertainment consisting of music, singing, tableaux, &c., in Wednesday night last, but we were not in time to attend. Have no doubt it was enjoyable, and not the less so that we were absent.

—The Alleghanian occupies quarter column relating how a man in the north eastern part of the county shot at another with a loaded rifle, the ball from which fortunately passed harmlessly by," and in the language of the late lamented," "nobody was hurt." The affair was the result of card playing. Everybody who knows Aleck Mullin, and that means all, will be glad to learn that he has been elected President of the Ashland Savings Bank, a place made vacant by the resignation of our former townsman, Hon. Peter F. Rose. Prosperity never smiled upon a man more worthy of its favor than our friend Mullin.

—Mr. Stewart Lydick, of Indiana, was seriously injured at the fire brick works of the Brick Manufacturing Company, at Backmansion, one day last week, by the premature explosion of a blast. His face and one arm were fearfully cut up, and fears were entertained that he could not recover. He is, however, improving.

—Charles Boone, of Altoona, freight conductor on the Oil Creek Railroad, while passing over the top of his train, on Monday last, between two of the cars and was run over and instantly killed. Mr. Boone, we believe, lived at the Summit in this county. At his parents lived there, and both of them are buried in the Catholic graveyard at that place, where his own remains were likewise interred on Wednesday.

—It is with double breasted gratification that we notice the fact that our good friend Capt. H. McCormick, of the Cherry Tree, has been elected President of the Homer, Cherry Tree and Susquehanna Railroad, the first mentioned which was contracted for at Homer in this county. Bob will make an excellent citizen, being a tip top man any way you take him, of course will furnish his editorials with free passes as soon as the road is finished.

—This is certainly a queer country, if the Spaniard is to be believed; for it not only tells us that "sometime one's pump gets all worn and his cow runs dry," but by the force of reasoning, leaves us to infer that the pump and the cow remain in that condition the whole year round. As a matter of degrees of the cow, of course you know how it is yourself," but as you seldom know what the pump refuses to bring up, we can't exactly see what part it plays in the affair.

—Peter Thomas Ray, of Indiana county, died a few days ago on the railroad. He had taken some six or eight feet into the air and fallen ten feet from the track and badly injured. Mr. Ray was about eighty years of age, a retired Methodist minister, and was the oldest male born in Meadville, in the county where he died. At an early age he emigrated to the west as a missionary among the Indians. He was an active minister for about 60 years, and at the time of his death was in the enjoyment of excellent health.

—One of the Blair county papers having been very enthusiastic over the forensic efforts of our young legal friend, Jas. F. Milliken, Esq., of Hollidaysburg in a recent criminal trial in that county, the Standard intimates that it was only one of his common efforts. If he had done his "level best" the administrator of the aforesaid papers would have had no bounds. Be that as it may, Jim has made a mark high up on the scroll of fame, and if he don't ere many years stand in the front rank of his profession, set us down as no judge—to ourself or anybody else.

—A young lady named Emeline Taylor, near Johnstown, after "experiencing religion" at a Methodist revival not long since, fell into a trance and remained in that condition for about a week, during which time she took no food. It is claimed that she brought glad tidings of great joy" from the world of spirits during her trance, but a writer in the Tribune intimates that it is downright blasphemy to designate her utterances as revelations from the better world, and says that she brought on no doubt by religious excitement, was the disease under which she labored.

—The Fire Commissioners of our borough have appointed the following gentlemen as officers of the new fire company, and it is fair to presume that no better selections could have been made: Chief Director, C. T. Roberts; First Assistant, Abel Lloyd; Second Assistant, Jas. Davis; Chief of Hose, Peter L. Linton; First Assistant, R. J. Lloyd; Second Assistant, Geo. Rinkead; Captain of Engine, Lewis Davis; Captain of Hook and Ladder Department, David Lewis; First Assistant, N. I. Davis; Second Assistant, James Myers.—The new engine, according to a telegraphic dispatch, was to have been shipped from New York yesterday, and will doubtless reach here in time to have a big squirt on Saturday next.

## Local Correspdence.

SUMMERHILL TWP. Feb. 14, 1871.

FRIEND MAC—On last Friday morning Rt. Rev. Bishop Domenec visited St. Bartholomew's church, Wilmore, for the purpose of administering the sacraments of Confirmation. It is well known that the performance of the duties of his sacred office is ever a source of delight to the heart of the beloved Bishop. What, then must have been the feelings of his paternal heart at witnessing on this occasion, a sight well calculated to fill the soul of a Catholic with transports of joy, viz: The reception into the church of seven persons, who of their own free will embraced the yoke of Him who said my yoke is sweet and my burden light.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the church was well filled at an early hour. At ten o'clock High Mass was celebrated by our worthy pastor, Rev. O. P. Gallagher. After the Gospel the Rt. Rev. Bishop ascended the pulpit and preached a very edifying sermon, appropriate to the solemnity of the occasion, after which the candidates for baptism recited with their pastor the declaration of that faith to which two hundred millions of Christians subscribe, and received baptism at the hands of the Bishop. It was a joyous sight to witness the devotion of those neophytes, some of whom are mothers of families; others going into womanhood, their white robes emblematic of their interior purity; some were full of hope and promise; and all had overcome numerous obstacles to follow the inspirations of their hearts.

In the afternoon at 3 o'clock, the Bishop, after an impressive discourse on the nature and effects of Confirmation, administered that sacrament to ninety-three persons, sixteen of whom had embraced the faith since the advent of Father Gallagher to this place. After confirmation the Rt. Rev. Prelate addressed a short but impressive exhortation to the recipients, which was followed by the Benediction, after which the congregation dispersed to their homes deeply impressed by the scene which they had that day witnessed and which they will not soon be forgotten. I may here remark that the Bishop was highly pleased with both pastor and people for the zeal manifested by them in repairing and beautifying the church. Besides the improvements already noted by me in former letters, the grand and side altars have been painted and gilded, by Mr. W. C. Wolf, an employee of Mr. J. G. Keller, of Johnstown, who understands his business perfectly. In addition to this, Father Gallagher has caused two beautiful statues, representing St. Joseph and the B. V. Mary, and which cost $110, to be bought and placed in position on the side altars. To form an idea of the amount of work done on the church and pastoral residence it will be sufficient to say that $3,000 have been expended in that direction since last spring, and when we take into consideration the economical management of the pastor, (whose capacity in a business point of view is as efficient as the scene which transpired on Sunday last prove him to be in ministerial point of view.) the actual value of the work is far above that figure.

Ida Miller, a daughter of Jos. Miller, Esq., died on Saturday last the victim of a lingering pulmonary disease. The dec'd was a bright, promising young lady of fourteen years, and was held in high regard by all who knew her. In her death her parents have sustained an irreparable loss, and all our people sympathize with them sincerely in their bereavement.

Mr. Campbell, the contractor for the grading of the new track on the Pa. R. R. at this place, has commenced operations, and the work will doubtless be brought to completion at a very early day.

The drawing of the buffalo robe, which I announced to take place on Feb 1st, but which was unavoidably delayed, came off at Mr. John Schroth's store yesterday evening, in presence of quite a number of persons. The lucky man was Mr. Wm. Adams, a resident of Conemaugh—a more fortunate name than that of your correspondent, SOLFERO.

JOHNSTOWN, Feb 15, 1871.

DEAR FREEMAN—Now that Judgment of Oyster has been decreed in the Supreme Court against our District Court Judges, and a bill has passed both Houses of the Legislature establishing a branch Court in Johnstown, we think the hatchet ought to be buried and the pipe of peace smoked by the Ebensburgers and Johnstowners. If our excitable citizens want a new subject for agitation let them get up an association to improve the Public Square in this place. There is not a borough in the State that has a more beautiful plot of ground in the shape of a Public Square. A few thousand dollars would fence it and plant it with evergreen trees and ornamental shrubbery. A jet of water could be thrown up fifty feet by the natural pressure of our unequalled water works, a beautiful basin could be constructed in the centre for a small sum of money; pebbled walks could be laid at a trifling cost, and that square which is now a nuisance, could be made beautiful and attractive. Let us have the matter attended to in time for spring planting.

Petroleum B. Nasby will lecture here on the 4th of March next. Barring his politics, he is a good lecturer, and as the Johnstown Library Association is at the head of the matter, we hope to hear of a good turn-out to hear him.

Our Agricultural Society is bound to prosper with such men as Mr. M'Millan and Col. Bowman at its head. Their meetings are lively and frequent.

Hon Daniel J. Morrell has liberally aided the "Young Men's Christian Association" in this place. Money could not be spent for a better purpose, nor bring in a richer reward.

Last Saturday there was like to be a free fight on Main street, opposite Fend's store. A couple of men named Walters, and a man named Shaffer, and some others, had their coats off, and had eight or ten more men holding them, so they couldn't pitch in, until the police got wind of the fracas, when the fray subsided. It is generally believed that there was not much fight in either party. They were NOT intoxicated and but few men will fight when they are SOBER.

We present a few definitions for the pupils of the schools about to close. They are short and easily memorized. If they are of any benefit to any one the public is welcome to them. We begin this week with

ORTHOGRAPHY.—A letter is a symbol of a sound; there are twenty-six letters; they are divided into vowels and consonants; a diphthong is the union of two vowels; a triphthong is the union of three vowels; letters form syllables; a syllable is a single utterance; one syllable is called a monosyllable; two syllables are called dissyllables; three syllables are called trisyllables; more syllables than three are called polysyllables; every syllable must contain a vowel; syllables form words; a word is a sign of an idea; words are divided into simple, compound, primitive and derivative; there are also contracted words, abbreviations and titles; words form sentences; a sentence is a complete proposition; sentences are simple and compound; the English language has forty-one sounds; these are called vocal, subvocal and aspirate; a vocal sound is an open sound; a subvocal sound is a broken sound; an aspirate sound is a breath sound; these sounds are marked by figures; accent is a stress of voice on a particular word; sounds are also divided into a labial, dental; guttural, lingual, palatal, and nasal sounds; letters that sound alike are called cognates; a silent letter is one that is not sounded.

The snow has again fallen about six inches and the sleighing is magnificent

The schools hereabouts are already beginning to close, just at the time they should open.

ROB ROY.

ALTOONA CITY, Feb 15, 1871.

FRIEND MAC—Tuesday of last week will long be remembered by the votaries of pleasure and innocent amusement in this vicinity, as on that occasion some twenty five or thirty couples made their debut before the terpsichorean public in the ancient village of "Newinry"—a debut which met with the most happy and auspicious results. But how could it be otherwise, for don't a pleasant calm always follow a "GUST" or a "STORM?" Av coorse it does. So when a number of our active, sociable young working men make up their minds to have a lively time they invariably have it without much Gab(e) and when they do they always make it a point to look well to the enjoyment of all whom they invite to participate with them in the festivities. And thus it was with the party in question, for I will venture to say that a happier or better looking assemblage than gathered at the hostelry of that prince of good fellows, Mr. Wm. Forbes, Esq., on the occasion, can't be scared up in any section of this illimitable kedentry.—Charming young ladies, fair and lovely, clothed in gorgeous apparel, and all of them in the most fascinating and bewitching mood, were there in all their transcendant loveliness, and each fair and happy face betokened a determination to enjoy the festivities Friel-y. Everything, you may bet was according to Coyle, if not Hoyle, even to the Big-ham with a little Green(s). Taken all together, they were a Hope-ful set, and none more so than friend Hick(cup)ey and his esteemed family, young and old, small and tall, who were present in full force, the pater families himself looking as happy as a full grown canine quadruped with a superabundance of caudal appendages. He is the fellow who always gets mixed up in the Co(r)ner. Then too the manly proportions of our friend Billy might have been seen winding their way through the mazy dance, attended by a bewitching partner in the person of a charming Miss whose surname represents the first Book of the New Testament. Near these latter might have been seen our corpulent friend D——, who increases daily in avoirdupois, if not in grace, and who would have made better time on the light fantastic had it not been for the good looking lady who engaged his attention so fully. Daddy Grimes, that good old soul, was likewise in the ring, and was as gay as a young Co(o)n-rade in a poultry yard. A Cochran (perhaps it would be more polite to say a rooster ran) and was made master of ceremonies. Ben is an excellent dancer and a good caller, and hence the honor conferred upon him. He is also a hunky boy with a ponderous handle on his face. Allen, the gay cavalier, who has an appreciative eye for pretty ladies, was there in all his glory, and did himself much credit in displaying to great advantage his new pung hat—one of the most killing of its species. But it would occupy two much space to give full details, and hence it must suffice to say that a more sociable, agreeable or better behaved party of pleasure seekers never left our city on an excursion of the kind. All were happy, and none more so than the Apostle Paul's pupil, Timothy. The supper was a superb one, and full justice was done it by all present. T. I. M.

MUSICAL.—Among the thousand and one Pianos offered to the public, we scarcely know any instrument so fully uniting all the desirable qualities sought for as the Knabe Piano It is a matter of some difficulty and perplexity to inexperienced persons to select a good instrument of any capacity. We too often rely upon the judgment of our friends in the selection of a Piano, and are thus frequently disappointed. The only sure way, in our opinion, is to go to the best maker. For this reason, we recommend to our readers to purchase Pianos of William Knabe & Co.'s manufacture. This will relieve them the vexatious necessity of wasting time in a long search. The reputation of the Knabe Pianos is an infallible guaranty of excellence. In the houses of the most accomplished and wealthy of our citizens, and in our best seminaries and colleges, these magnificent instruments may be found. Nor is this any wonder, for, in purity, depth and constancy of tone, they are unsurpassed. The gradation of scale is so exquisitely, and, at the same time, comprehensively attuned, that they are capable of expressing every emotion of the human heart and soul. Their tone is exquisitely pure and unique, and so even, sweet and sympathetic that it inspires all who listen to it, while at the same time the action is perfectly free, and the keys resound to the touch with such sensitiveness and intelligence, so to speak, as to make one almost think that the MIND of the manufacturer lingers in his work.

OUR FIFTH TOWN COUNCIL.—The fifth Town Council for Ebensburg was elected on the 20th day of March, 1829. The following named officers were chosen: Burgess, Richard Lewis; Council, James Rhoy, John Williams, James Murray, Johnston Moore, Michael Brown.—The High Constable was John Ivory, and the Town Constables were John Ivory and James Murray. Moses Canan was appointed Town Clerk; William Davis, Treasurer; Rowland Humphreys, Street Commissioner; Jeremiah Ivory, Moses Canan, and David Davis, Street Regulators; David H. Roberts, Silas Moore, and John Ivory, Firemen. Subsequently, David H. Roberts, was appointed Street Commissioner, in stead of Rowland Humphreys, resigned, and John Evans took the place of David Davis as a Street Regulator, the latter also having resigned. June 15, 1829, a committee was appointed 'to report what repairs are most necessary to be made in the borough, with the plan of making them, and an estimate of the expense." June 22, Jeremiah Ivory thought it was not such a nice thing to be a Street Regulator, so he resigned, and Dr. R. Young was appointed to fill the vacancy. Sept. 26, it was agreed "by the Burgess and Council that Reuben French be permitted to exhibit in the borough on the 24 of October next a show of living animals." March 18, 1830, the fifth council dropped the mantle of local authority, called it a day, and quit.

WHERE THEY CAME FROM.—We intimated last week that a couple of kind friends, probably mistaking us for the President the United States, had made us the recipients of two very acceptable presents. The first of these was a box of prime cigars from our old and valued friend, Capt. James Murray, of the popular book, drug and general variety firm of Lemmon & Murray, who deserves as big a puff as the puffing afforded us by his kind consideration, and would get it too if time and space permitted. As it is, he has our earnest thanks and best wishes for his own prosperity and the prosperity of the firm of which he is a member.

The other present came from our big bodied, warm hearted and universally admired young bachelor friend, John B. Hay, of the firm of Hay Brothers, dealers in stoves and tinware, Johnstown, and consisted of a neat wire egg stand, which needs only the eggs to make it serviceable. John is as sure a crop as if his name was Timothy, and if we were a young lady with a vacant heart (not a hollow one), we would glory in stuffing it with Hay of that kind, fully assured that it would be no fault of the filling should we ever be left a GRASS widow.

A HASH STORY.—The Pittsburgh Leader perpetrates the following toothsome joke at the expense of the "great commercial metropolis": Out in Johnstown, the other day, one of the inmates of a boarding house was horrified upon finding in his hash a human tooth! When he disclosed this fearful discovery the boarders held a secret meeting, during which it was declared as the solemn conviction of the assemblage that the boarding-house mistress had been guilty of forcing her boarders to practice cannibalism. A committee proceeded at once to a magistrate to have the matter investigated, so as to ascertain where the wretch procured the dead bodies from which she manufactured her bill of fare. While the magistrate was examining the tooth, with hair standing on end, a policeman stepped up and declared that the tooth was a false one of his. He said he lost it the day he kissed the cook up at the boarding house, and she acknowledged that she was making hash at the time. The landlady says she will make that cook wear a cast-iron muzzle after this when she is at work.

BRAKEMAN KILLED.—A brakeman named James Brady, employed on the Middle Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, was killed in the Yard, at this place, on yesterday morning, about eleven o'clock. He had been in the employ of the Railroad Company in the Yard, at Harrisburg, for some time past, but when he met the grim monster Death was making his first trip through on the Middle Division. His train, the fourth stock, had been made up, and was about to leave for the East, when it is supposed that he fell off the train and was struck by one of the trucks and thrown between the tracks, breaking his neck and otherwise injuring him internally. His body was conveyed to the "dead house," and the Coroner being notified, summoned a jury and held an inquest, rendering a verdict in accordance with the above facts. Mr. Brady was about 30 years of age, and has a wife residing in Harrisburg, to which place his body was subsequently forwarded for interment.—Alt. Tribune, 15th.


**UTERINE DISEASES.**

By this term we understand those diseases peculiar to females, such as obstructions, irregularities, cessations, derangements, immoderations, and disorders which are so common, and which exercise such a powerful influence in the destruction of female health.

It is all important that the physician should be able to discriminate closely between these affections, as some of them are directly opposite in the nature, and each requires a specific treatment different from the other, a mistake in which would be dangerous and perhaps fatal.

That the urine in these disorders is of a peculiar character and quality, every physician in this way knows, and can at once perceive the difference between these excesses and deficiencies.

And in treating these complaints especially, he must keep in mind these pathological differences, and prescribe such remedies as will check up the excessive or restore the diminished secretions; remove the morbid conditions, and reinvigorate the whole system.

The good effect of this kind of treatment will be observed in a very short time, and as a general thing the patient recovers entirely in a few weeks.

We have had hundreds of these cases where the good effect of our remedies were observable in a very few weeks. The dull, languid expression of the eyes begin to disappear, the dark-colored circle beneath them gradually lessened, the skin became more natural, the complexion improved, the appetite returned, the strength increased, the palpitation ceased, the nervousness wore off, the shortness of breath became less troublesome, the puffed face was no longer observed, and the disposision became less irritable and more cheerful, and the general health entirely restored.

Many of these changes are among the first signs of improvement after commencing the treatment.

Afflicted women, brighten your hopes and try our remedies.

Our daily practical observation enable us to determine the precise conditions of the system in every case, and to prescribe the appropriate remedy in every disease.

DR. OLDSHUE.
132 Grant street, Pittsburgh.

WE HAD RATHER SELL AT A POSITIVE LOSS NOW

THAN CARRY OVER OUR PRESENT STOCK!

Therefore, we will sell the following goods at cost rather than carry them over another season; Silks, Shawls, Velvets, Black Alpacas, Colored Alpacas, Empress Cloth, Silk Poplins, Black and Col'd French Merinos, Waterproof Cloth, Striped Reppelants, Ladies' Cloth, White and Gray Blankets, Fancy and White Coverlets, Canton Flannels, Sheeting Muslins, Delaines, Calicos, Ticking, Shirting Flannels, Cassimeres, and Table Linen Also, an immense stock of Ladies' and Children's Furs, as well as a large stock Ladies' Misses,' and Children's Bonnets and Hats, trimmed and untrimmed to suit customers, Chinchilla Beaver and Velveteen Sacks, Children's Riding Hoods and Infants' Dresses.

P. S.—We also intend to close out our immense stock of Men and Boys' Winter Clothing, positively at cost, to make room for spring purchases. We have on hand over one hundred Overcoats, two hundred Dress Coats, one hundred Boys' Suits, five hundred Pants and Vests, Gloves, Undershirts and Drawers, Trunks of every description, from the smallest traveling bag to the largest Saratoga Trunk, as well as one hundred other things usually kept in first class Clothing Establishment.

L. & H. MAYER,
Proprietors New York Dry Goods, Millinery, and Clothing Hall, 212 and 214 Main street, under the Opera House, Johnstown, Pa.

"HOW'S THAT FOR HIGH?" has reached a popular definition at last, and the way it has been done is just this: M. L. Oatman, & Co. keep a store—a cheap cash store; said store is on *High* street, No. 109; the only thing high about it is the street; *that* fixes the *high*. Then the *how* is explained by the fact that they have become general agents for the unsurpassed and unsurpassable *Home* Sewing Machine, which will do a greater variety and better kind of work than any machine dreamed of in the philosophy of women. If you don't know *How* it is yourself, go to Mart, who presides over the cheapest dry goods and grocery mart in the county, and he will enlighten you on this interesting topic.

THE ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, according to its late statement, has a capital of over six millions of dollars, securely invested for the benefit of its policy holders. This Company has stood for the past fifty years at the head of the Fire Insurance Companies of the country in the matter of capital, promptness and reliability. Alexander Brothers, 139 Eleventh Avenue, Altoona, are its only authorized agents for this section of the State. They will insure property at lower rates than can be obtained from any other truly reliable company. Give them a trial and be convinced of this fact ere you insure your property with any other of the many instrance agents. [2-11.-1m.]

STILL IN THE FIELD.—John Dougherty, sr., the veteran tailor and clothier, is still as well prepared as ever to furnish his friends and the public generally with the best articles in the way of Ready-made Clothing of the very best quality and at the lowest cash rates. His assortment of wearing apparel is made of excellent material and well sewed, and will be sold at remarkably low prices in order to make room for his spring stock. He has also on hand a superb line of excellent Cloth, from which he is prepared to make suits to order, for either men or boys, in the most stylish manner and at the most moderate rates. No fit, no pay. [2-11-tf.]

ALL RIGHT.—This sublunary sphere of ours, which, according to Webster's proprietary, was knocked into a cocked hat one day last week, still continues to hold its own pretty well, and that part of it occupied by the cheap cash store of A. J. Christy in the borough of Loretto, still continues in the same old place, and is as popular a spot for seekers after cheap goods of all kinds as any in the county. A jolly chap and a clever one is Andy, and he deserves lots of customers.

STILL ON IT.—We are still fighting it out on that line about Vinroe's new boot and shoe store. Well, if he just keeps on telling people that he has a big stock and a very choice one, and that he wants to win custom by selling cheap, it ought to do as much good as if he himself told it. The best way, however, is not to bet too high on either of us, but go to the new store in the Cambria House and see what is to be seen in the way of boots, shoes, gaiters, etc., for young and old.

"THE RIGHT MAN," &c.—C. T. Roberts has been chosen Chief Director of the new fire engine that is to be, but the appointment will not interfere in any way with his chief directorship of the large and fully stocked clock, watch, jewelry, notion and periodical store over which he presides with such grace and dignity. Cham will run with the machine, of course, but he will nevertheless continue to run his fine establishment on the same liberal principles as heretofore.

A NEW ERA.—A neighboring county paper talks about the sale of heating stoves at reduced prices as being a new era in the history of a certain village down that way; but up here such an event is accepted as a matter of course, although it may be a little on the new ero style to say that George Huntley is running out articles of that kind at a reduction on reduced prices that savors very much of giving them awaf. Now is the time to buy heating stoves.

—The Altoona correspondent of the Pittsburgh Leader tells about a German named John Krauff, living near that city, who, on Monday night last, mistook and partook of a bottle of oxalic acid under the impression that it was medicine, and came very near "handing in his checks" on the head of it. Medical aid and the proper antidotes, however, saved him.

BILL VETOED.—We understand that one of our citizens received a telegraph dispatch on Friday announcing that Gov. Geary has vetoed the bill extending the jurisdiction of the District Court of this county. It is also rumored that the Governor has appointed Cyrus Elder, Esq., President Judge of said Court.

MILLS.—Rolling mills, grist mills, saw mills, coffee mills and other mills are plentifully scattered over our county, but of mercantile Mills we have only one, and he keeps a flour and feed store on High street, and not only sells the best flour and feed at lowest prices, but keeps the best patent lamp that was ever invented.

TIME.—There is a time for all things, but the time of all times for buying cheap goods at V. S. Barker's popular cash store is just now, for he has a fine stock of seasonable goods which he wants to exchange for cash, and will give great odds to cash customers in the dicker. Give Vallie a call.

☞ Beware of counterfeits in purchasing Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. The genuine has a private revenue stamp, three inches long, with likeness of Dr. Hall upon it, over the cork.

**To the Trade.**—I desire to call the attention of the trade to my stock of Lake Fish, having made this branch of business a specialty. My stock, at this time, is the largest ever held in this city. I am prepared to furnish dealers, promptly, by the dray or car load, and have made arrangements for shipping by the car load, at special rates, from Detroit, Sandusky, Huron, Vermillion or Cleveland, and also from Pittsburgh, to any points in Pennsylvania or Ohio, as shippers may wish. I would also call the attention of dealers to my extensive stock and assortment of corn brooms, broom corn and broom material, all of which I can supply at very low rates. JAMES CONNON,
Wholesale Grocer,
2-4.-5t. No. 355 Liberty street, Pittsburgh.

KINDLY GREETINGS.—John J. Murphy, of the cheap corner, Johnstown, sends greeting and compliments to all the people far and near and respectfully requests the pleasure of their company at the old Mansion House corner, on next Saturday, and every day of the week, month and year, Sundays excepted. No cards, except the cards on his dry goods, which tell of enormously low prices. For instance: Muslin at 10 cts. per yd.; calico at 9 cents; delaines at 12 cents and upward, according to quality and extent of the purchase. Give Murphy a pleasant call.

N. F. CARROLL is no relation to Carl Shurz, or the people of Carrolltown, or Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, one of the immortal signers of the Declaration of Independence, but he wants everybody to come and see his immense stock of dry goods, dress goods, notions, groceries, and family furnishing goods, at No. 215 Main street, Johnstown. He wishes to close out his superb assortment, and will almost give away his dry goods and furs. Now is the time for great bargains, such as have never before been dreamed of in our philosophy.

FALLEN PARIS.—Alas! poor Paris has fallen! So also have prices at Hess & Brother's wholesale and retail Ready-made Clothing Store, No. 241 Main street, Johnstown. People crowd to Hess's every day to buy cheap clothing, which is going like hot cakes at a husking. Now's the time to buy wearing apparel cheap, before the new tariff raises the price of goods. They can supply the entire county with overcoats, pants, vests, shirts and all other kinds of mens' and boys' over or under clothing at reduced prices.

JUDGE BLACK'S LETTER.—After you have finished reading the magnificent letter of Judge Black, read this notice, and then go to James J. Murphy's Star Clothing Store, No. 109 Clinton street, Johnstown, and purchase a *black* suit of clothes, and a white shirt, and a blue blouse, and drab drawers, and a velvet vest, and a pair of pants, and a nice neck-tie, and self-adjusting suspenders, and a useful umbrella, and a tip-top trunk, and after paying for them all you can go your way rejoicing, with Murphy's blessing.

HOW ARE HATS?—Have you heard how hats have been buried headlong from hideous high prices down to almost nothing at all by the competition of Cohen & Brother, at Cohens' Hat Parlor, No. 227 Main street, Johnstown? Cohens can control the consciences of cruel contractors and compel competitors to come down to common compensation. This firm has the best stock in the market, and keep fully supplied with the very latest styles. Pay them a visit

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. Sold by Lemmon & Murray, Ebensburg, and by Druggists and Country Store-keepers generally. [June 15, 1870.-1y.]


### MARRIED.

MAYER—SCHLOSSMAN.—In Chicago, Ill., on Sunday last, 12th inst., by Rev. Adler, Mr. M. H. Mayer, of Johnstown, to Miss Carrie Schlossman, of the former city.

### DIED.

ZAHM.—In this place, on the 13th inst., Edith Frances, infant daughter of James B. and Hattie A. Zahm, aged 4 months and 17 days.

"E'er sin could blight or sorrow fade,
Death came with friendly care—
The opening bud to Heaven conveyed,
And bade it blossom there."


HOTEL FOR SALE.—The *Exchange Hotel* at Loretto, now in the occupancy of Mr. Felix Beck, is offered for sale on accommodating terms. If not sold previous to the 20th day of March next, it will then be offered for rent. P. H. SHIELDS.
Loretto, Feb. 18, 1871.-5t.

F. P. TIERNEY.....JAMES NULL.

LAW AND COLLECTION OFFICE
—OF—
TIERNEY & NULL,
Colonade Row, Ebensburg, Pa.
☞ Special attention paid to collections in all parts of the United States. [2-18-71.-tf.]

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, as Wagner & Little, in the Lumber and Planing Mill business, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted by John Wagner alone, who is authorized to settle up the business of the late firm. JOHN WAGNER,
D. C. LITTLE.
Chest Springs, Feb. 8, 1871. [2-18.-3t.]

FOR RENT.—The large and comfortable MANSION HOUSE known as "*Belmont*," formerly the residence of E. V. Shoemaker, dec'd. Also offered for rent. There is also on the premises and will be leased a TENEMENT HOUSE, 65 Acres of Ground, Orchards, &c. The FARM adjoining, known as the "Davis Place," and containing 112 Acres, is also offered for rent. Possession will be given on the 1st of April. For further information apply on the premises to
*Mrs. E. S. MURRAY, Executrix.*
Ebensburg, Feb. 18, 1871.-6t.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.—Notice is hereby given that the following Appraisement of certain Personal Property of decedent, selected and set apart for the widow of an intestate under the Act of Assembly of 16th of April, 1851, has been filed in the Register's Office at Ebensburg, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court for approval on **Wednesday, 8th day of March next**, to wit:
The inventory of the goods and chattels appraised and set apart for Ann Doyle, widow of James Doyle, late of Allegheny township, deceased—$900.
*GEO. W. OATMAN, Clerk O. C.*
Clerk's Office, Ebensburg, Feb. 11, 1871.

VALUABLE FARM NEAR LORETTO FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale on fair terms and easy payments, that most desirable and excellent FARM recently occupied by him, adjoining the Borough of Loretto, containing **146 Acres**—100 *Acres* of which are in a good state of cultivation and the balance well timbered. There is a comfortable *House*, a good *Barn*, and an excellent *Orchard* on the premises; also, an abundance of *pure water*. It is a desirable property, beautifully located, and is convenient to churches, schools, market, etc. Title indisputable. For terms and other information apply to or address *A. WALTERS*,
Feb. 18.-tf. *Carrolltown, Cambria Co., Pa.*

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.—The undersigned Executors of M. LEAVY, Esq., late of Loretto Borough, dec'd, offer at private sale, on accommodating terms,

A FINE TRACT OF LAND

in Allegheny township, Cambria county, situated on the road leading to St. Augustine and about one mile from Loretto, containing **71 Acres**, fully **40 Acres** being cleared, well fenced, well watered and in a good state of cultivation, and having a first rate LOG BANK BARN thereon erected. The balance of the land is covered with chestnut, oak, sugar, and other valuable timber. For terms and other information apply to either of the undersigned.
MARGARET LEAVY, Loretto,
AUG. WALTERS, Carrolltown,
Feb. 18.-tf. *Executors of M. Leavy, dec'd.*

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—There will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House in Ebensburg, on **Wednesday, the 8th day of March next**, at 1½ o'clock, P. M., the following described Real Estate, to wit:

**No. 1**—A PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND situate in Susquehanna township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Francis Bearer, and others, containing ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE ACRES and FOURTEEN PERCHES, about SIXTY ACRES cleared, having thereon erected a two story Dwelling House, a Bank Barn, and a Water Saw Mill.

☞ The Farm of **95 Acres**, and the Water Saw Mill, with **24 Acres**, will be offered to purchasers separately and together.

**No. 2**—A PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND situate in the Township aforesaid, adjoining lands of Charles Weakland, and others, containing SEVENTY-TWO ACRES and ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVEN PERCHES, about *Ten Acres* of which are cleared.

*Terms of Sale*—One-half the purchase money to be paid on delivery of Deed, and the balance in one year, with interest, to be secured by the bonds and mortgage of the purchasers.
JOHN A. BLAIR,
Feb. 18.-3t. *Assignee of Jacob Luther.*

E. H. PLANK, M. D., tenders his professional services to the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity. Office on High street, opposite the new Congregational church, East Ward. Night calls can be made at the late residence of Dr. R. S. Bunn, West Ward. [my12.]

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of *Vend. Expon., Al. Vend. Expon.* and *Fieri Facias*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House in Ebensburg, on **Monday, the 6th day of March next**, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following Real Estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of A. G. Fry, of, in and to a Lot of Ground situate in the west ward of Ebensburg borough, Cambria county, fronting 60 feet on Ogle street on the north, running back 204 feet along Mary Ann street, to Triumph street, adjoining Lot No. 2 on the west; known on Plan of said Borough as Lot No. 1, on Square 57, having thereon erected a two story Plank House, with Shed Kitchen attached, now in the occupancy of John J. Jones. *Also*, a Lot of Ground fronting 66 feet on Ogle street on the north, adjoining Lot No. 1 on the east, Triumph street on the south, and Lot of defendant on the west; known on the Plan of said Borough as Lot No. 2, in Square 57, improved. *Also*, a Lot of Ground fronting 66 feet on Ogle street on the north, Lot No. 2 on the east, Triumph street on the south, and Lot of John J. Jones on the west; known on the Plan of said Borough as Lot No. 3, on Square No. 57, having thereon erected a large Frame Stable, now in the occupancy of John J. Jones. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of E. Roberts.

**Also**, all the right, title and interest of Geo. Litzinger, to wit: Of, in and to that certain piece or parcel of Land lying and situate in Allegheny township, Cambria county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an ash stump, south 89½ degrees, east with land of Peter J. Little 60 perches to a post, thence south ten degrees, west 12 perches, to a post, thence south 42½ degrees, west 36 perches, *ninety-six perches* along Philipsburg road to a post, *to a post* on line of land part of William Weakland, thence north one-half degree, east 83 perches with line of land of said Wm. Weakland to the place of beginning, containing 19 Acres, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Margaret McMullin and Alexander McMullin, Executors of Samuel McMullin.

**Also**, all the right, title and interest of A. G. Fry, George Duerr and William Holzner, of, in and to a piece or parcel of Land situate in Susquehanna township, Cambria county, adjoining land of J