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RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURES OF CAMBRIA CO., from the 27th day of January, 1871, to the 31st day of January, 1872, inclusive.

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditures. Receipts include County Taxes, Poor Taxes, and various fines. Expenditures include Salaries, Court Costs, and various expenses.

Amounts Due Cambria County on Judgments.

Table listing amounts due on judgments from various individuals and entities, including John Kinney, M. Treahley, and others.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS due from Collectors of Taxes for the year 1871 and previous years.

Table listing outstanding debts from various townships and individuals, including Wm. McDermitt, Henry Lloyd, and others.

LIABILITIES. ASSETS.

Summary table of liabilities and assets, showing outstanding orders in favor of individuals and amounts due from judgments.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Ebensburg, this 26th day of January, A. D. 1872.

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"Once upon a time there was in Japan a poor stout cutter, a simple workman in the quarries. His life was rude, he worked much, gained little and was not at all contented with his fate.

"O, if I could only be rich enough to rest, to sleep on thick matting, wrapped in a kimono of soft silk!" Such was the sigh he breathed to heaven. An angel intercepted it.

"It shall be according to thy desire," said the angel to him. And he at once became rich, and he rested, wrapped in thick matting, and wrapped himself in a kimono of soft silk.

"It happened that the emperor passed by. He was preceded by heralds on foot and horseback, followed by a brilliant escort of cavaliers, and surrounded by persons who held over his head an immense parasol resplendent with gold.

"What good does it do me to be rich?" murmured the man, "as long as I have not thought to go out with an escort, and my head protected by a golden parasol? Why am I not the emperor?"

"Thou shalt be," said the angel. "And, indeed, he became the emperor. He had an escort of cavaliers before and behind him, and people who held above his head an immense parasol resplendent with gold.

"However, the sun with his ardent beams dried up the country, and the dusty road, quivering with his brightness fatigued the eyes.

"It is a great advantage to the emperor," cried the man, "when the heat of the day exhausts you, and the sun never ceases to make you feel his power! But if one could be the sun!"

"Behold! Are you satisfied?" the angel asked. For he had become the sun, and he darted his beams up and down, right and left, and all around him. And he scorching the herbage of the earth and the faces of the princes upon the earth.

"But now a cloud thrust itself between the earth and him; it held back the rays of the sun, and prevented them from falling upon the earth's surface.

"There is strength," cried the sun—"a cloud capable of resisting my power. It would be better if I were a cloud."

"Very well," said the angel.

"And the transformation was at once accomplished. The new cloud placed itself lightly between the sun and the earth, and so thoroughly intercepted the rays of the sun that it soon saw the earth covered with its shadow. Then it caused big drops of rain, and pouring showers and waterpots to fall on the lands, so that the torrents burst their bounds and the rivers spread over and devastated fields.

"Nothing resisted the force of the inundation; only a rock defied it, perfectly motionless. In vain the following waters beat it in their fury, the rock yielded not, but the foaming waves died at its foot.

"A rock, then, is my superior," said the cloud; "I would rather be its place."

"You shall be," said the angel.

And he was transferred into a steep, unshaken rock, insensible to the rays of the sun, indifferent to the torments of rain, and the shock of the tumultuous waves.

Nevertheless he distinguished at his feet a man of poor appearance, hardly clothed, but armed with a chisel and a hammer; and the man, with the help of these instruments, struck off pieces of the rock, which he dressed into stones proper for cutting.