THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

EBENSBURG, PA.,

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Here, There, and the Other Place.

—Ho to the St. Augustine pic-nic next Tuesday.

—Abundance of much needed rain Tuesday night.

—Don't forget the delegate election Saturday week.

—John Sanders has made up his mind not to die after all.

—The Cresson Springs' summer resort will be opened for visitors next Tuesday, 17th.

—Eight hundred and ten tons of steel rails were made at the Johnstown steel works last week.

—For reverential sa well as prudential reasons we issue our paper this week one day in advance of the usual time.

—The Dauntless Fire Company has secured the services of the Ebensburg Cornet Band for their Fourth of July pic-nic.

—A fall of coal killed a miner named Maxwell, in one of the Derby Coal Co.'s mines, Centre county, on Friday morning last.

—The Bedford Springs postoffice has been discontinued, and mail matter for that place will henceforth be delivered at Bedford.

—As hay-making time approaches the best in Huntley's big stock of scythes, mowing machines, hay rakes, hay forks, &c., increaseth.

—Aspirants for political honors, ourself only excepted, have been doing their "level best" among attendants at Court during the present and past week.

—A heifer was struck and killed by a locomotive at Tipton, one morning last week, and then carried all the way to Huntingdon on the cow-catcher.

—In the case of Mrs. Virginia Black vs. Samuel Horrel, damage in civil suit for slander, on trial this week, each party was required to pay one-half the costs.

—About one hundred and fifty cords of wood were destroyed by fire, communicated by a passing locomotive, at Partage Station, on Saturday evening last.

—Mr. Peter Collins, one of our oldest and best citizens, is confined to his bed by sickness, but, in common with all his friends, we hope for his speedy recovery.

—Cambria county has just been relieved of a rattlesnake thirteen feet long and six inches in circumference, a man named Young having killed it and four rattlesnakes the same day.

—The Johnstown *Tribune* is responsible for the assertion that an illicit child, whatever that kind of a child that is, with only one name was born at Plans No. 5, O. P. R. R., last week.

—The back-hair on a young Hollidaysburg lady recently married cost $125.—Some chap who married her is wondering how he'll do when she wants to be refitted, as he only gets $8 per week.

—Daniel Devlin, son of our old-time friend John Devlin, of Conemaugh borough, was among the number raised to the dignity of priesthood at St. Michael's Church, Pittsburgh, on Saturday last.

—A young man named Samuel Reininger, son of Jacob Reininger, of Chest township, died of spotted fever, on Saturday morning last, after ten or twelve hours' illness. His age was about twenty years.

—Wm. Campbell, a freight brakeman, was run over by several cars near New Germantown, on Tuesday afternoon, and died from his injuries in less than two hours thereafter. The deceased resided in Lagrange, Indiana.

—John Price, alias Miller, of Altoona, was found dead in the casting house of the Bell charcoal furnace, Lebanon county, one night last week. He had come to the furnace the evening before his corpse was discovered.

—The following is the ticket nominated on Monday in Indiana county: Assembly, Hon. Daniel Ramey; Treasurer, Geo. Thompson; Commissioner, Samuel G. Jones; Jury Commissioner, John Robertson; Auditor, Joseph Griffith.

—Mrs. Mary Farrell, wife of James Farrell, of Marklesburg, Huntingdon county, walked down and run over by a train on the Broad Top Railroad, while on the track Wednesday evening last, and was instantly killed.

—Judge Dean was called home by the serious illness of his wife on Tuesday night last, and his place on the bench on Wednesday morning has been occupied by Judge Hall, of Bedford, who is said to fill the position with entire satisfaction to all concerned.

—The Westmoreland county Democrats have nominated Dr. H. P. Piper and James Cree for Assembly, R. W. Singur for Prothonotary, Simon S. Miller for Treasurer, Geo. W. Frick for Clerk of Courts, and other unobjectionable men for the balance of the offices.

—Wm. Grahm, conductor of the Tyrone freight train, was caught between two cars at Hollidaysburg, on Monday evening last, and had his right leg so terribly crushed that it survived his injuries only about two hours and a half. He leaves a wife and child, who reside in Tyrone.

—Hon. John Evans, of this place, was last week admitted to the practice of the law, after having undergone an examination which did infinite credit to himself and his preceptor, Geo. M. Reade, Esq. We wish the newly-fledged a long and prosperous career in his chosen profession.

—Dr. Satcher, of Huntingdon, has invented what he calls an electric railway signal, which by means of ordinary telegraph wires operating on signal bells enables moving trains to announce their own approach for several rods, or several miles in advance, or in the rear of them.

—"Putting a head" on a man rather mars than improves his appearance, but putting a head on a paper, especially if it is such a neat head as the one donned this week by the Altoona *Morning Tribune*, adds muchly to its beauty, even when, as in this case, there seemed no room for improvement.

—Samuel McCreary, a brakeman on the Pennsylvania Railroad, residing in Franklin borough, this county, had one of his arms crushed last Friday, near Derry, by having it caught between two cars which he was in the act of coupling. The bone was not broken, but the flesh was torn and lacerated severely.

—The base of a cast-iron sand-box fell from the top of a locomotive boiler, in the Pa. R. R. Co.'s machine shop, Altoona, on Tuesday, and striking a man named Roseberry, crushed him to the floor and lacerated his head, arms, legs, and two of his toes in a shocking manner, so much so indeed that his life is despaired of.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has issued, for free distribution, a valuable illustrated guide book, which gives the distances to various points, cost of travel, and other information valuable to tourists, relating to the regions traversed by its extensive and picturesque lines. Ticket agents will supply the books on application.

—We learn with pleasure that Miss Maggie Rhey, the accomplished and handsome daughter of our townsman, John S. Rhey, Esq., was married in Chicago, May 27th, to Lieut. Col. Michael Sheridan, brother of Gen. Phil. Sheridan. She has the best wishes of her many friends in Cambria county for a long and happy wedded life.

—Capt. Wm. Linton, ye popular landlord of the Summit House, has a spy-glass which it is said will fetch a common sized porker, fully two miles away, so close to the instrument that he (the porker) can be heard squealing very distinctly. The Captain tried the machine on J. T. H., of the Altoona *Tribune*, and that's the way the thing was found out.

—John M. Hite was almost instantly killed at the saw-mill of Mr. Louis Plack, on the Allegheny Mountains, five miles west of Altoona, on Friday morning of last week, by being caught by a belt and drawn into a revolving wheel, which carried him around several times in rapid succession and injured him so terribly that he died soon after. He leaves a large family.

—Here he comes. Mr. George Heller, resident of Pennsylvania Furnace, Huntingdon county, aged seventy-seven years, cuts and ranks two and a half cords of wood per day, which is not so slow for a gentleman of his age. The same man missed the train and walked from Altoona to Tyrone Forges, a distance of some seventeen miles, from nine o'clock till four, a week or two since.

—A German named Michel was sitting on a log in the vicinity of the Johnstown depot, on Saturday night last, waiting for the Fast Line West, upon which he intended taking passage, when two men approached, and knocking him down, robbed him of $168. The name of the person who relieved him of this amount is Joseph Redgate, but his accessory is not known. So says the *Tribune*.

—A German named John Early, a resident of Conemaugh borough, died very suddenly, on Saturday night last, under circumstances which induced the belief that he had been poisoned, and that too by his own wife. A coroner's inquest was held and the deceased stomach taken out and sent to Pittsburg for analysis, and in the meantime the suspected woman has been left to come and go as she pleases.

—A married man named William Huff, and a "grass widow" named Angeline Davis, *nee* Haynes, eloped together from Johnstown, on Wednesday night of last week, the former leaving a sickly wife and four children unprovided for, and the latter leaving many relatives and friends to blush for her infamous conduct. The arrest of Huff in Cincinnati has been announced, but the report lacks confirmation.

—John Boylan, the young man whose arrest and subsequent trial and conviction before the U. S. District Court at Pittsburgh on the charge of cutting open a mail bag at Cresson has already been noted in these columns, was on Friday last sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary. Boylan's age is a little past sixteen years, which prevented him from being sent to the House of Refuge instead of the Penitentiary.

—Geo. W. Lloyd, jr., and Wm. Baum, of Susquehanna township, found guilty last week on two indictments for receiving stolen goods, were sentenced, on Monday evening last, to pay a fine $10 and costs, and undergo one year's imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary on each indictment; and Martin Oaks, of same township, convicted of larceny, was sentenced to pay a fine of $20 and costs, and undergo two years' imprisonment in the same institution.

—Horace Atkins, the lad whom we noticed last week as having sustained a severe fracture of his right leg, caused by falling from a wagon loaded with lumber, and being caught under one of the wheels and dragged for some distance, died at the residence of his parents in the East Ward about 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning last, from lock-jaw, the result of his severe injuries. His age was about 9 years, and he was a bright and promising lad. The afflicted parents have our sympathies.

—A Gallitzin correspondent sends the Altoona *Tribune* the following item: "Mr. Gilson, of this place, is the owner of a piece of paper money of the value of twenty shillings. This script was issued in accordance with a provision of a resolution of the Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed November 18, 1775, that being the sixteenth year of the reign of George III, King of England. It is dated Philadelphia, December 3, 1775, and is signed by Messrs. Kenleer, Griffith, and Leach. This is a genuine document, and no copy. Any body who can beat this is requested to speak out."

A GHOSTLY CONVENTION.—"Ye local" of the Johnstown *Tribune*, who goes in on sensations with a vim that is perfectly astounding, dishes up a hair-straightening chapter on ghosts in Tuesday evening's issue of that paper, but very considerately leaves the reader to form his own opinion as to the truth or falsity of the blood-curdling story. The scene of the ghostly exploits is laid near Lilly's Station, this county, at a point where not less than nineteen persons, all told, are said to have been hurried into eternity through the agency of railroad accidents and like casualties. We extract:

"On Thursday evening of last week, a reputable watchman, who has been in the habit of carefully avoiding that portion of his beat, concluded to pass over it, and it was not many minutes until he was back in the village, and waking up a landlord, he told a most horrifying tale. He said that as he approached the locality where so many had met with a violent death, he noticed a form bearing the semblance of a man, but yet wanting in many important particulars. He was minus both legs, and various large-sized chunks of flesh were missing from different portions of his body. The most singular part connected with this apparition, or whatever it might be called, was the fact, that in one hand he held a large-sized bag, and while apparently floating along on space, he came to a point where two mangled limbs were lying. These were hastily thrust into the bag, as also several pieces of human flesh that were found lying in the vicinity.

"Such was the story told by the affrighted watchman, and when morning dawned his tale soon became public property. It was now resolved to enter into an investigation of this serious matter, and accordingly three of the boldest spirits in the village of Hemlock appointed themselves a committee to watch during the following night for the re-appearance of the ghostly visitant. It must have been a good night for ghosts, for scarcely had the hour hand pointed to the figure twelve, when not one disembodied spirit, but nineteen, made their appearance. They assumed the shapes which had belonged to them in life, with the trifling exception that a general assortment of limbs were missing, and one of the spirits cut rather a ridiculous looking figure by appearing without a head. They slowly and solemnly arranged themselves along the track, and at a given signal all were seated. The three watchers were not alarmed at this unusual proceeding, in fact they appeared to relish the strange view thus brought out in bold relief as the bright moon shone down upon the ghastly spectacle. What might have resulted from this convention of spirits the sequel will not relate, for about the time the spokesman appeared to be in the act of calling the meeting to order the shrieking whistle of an approaching engine threw them into a violent agitation, and before the committee, who were anxiously waiting for proceedings to open, had time to rub their eyes, the nineteen spirits had vanished into thin air.

"We don't ask any person to believe this on our say so. The story was told us at Cresson, on Sunday last, by a man who could not be persuaded to utter an untruth—particularly on the Sabbath. Any person unwilling to credit it can go up to Lilly's and examine into the matter for himself."

AN EBENSBURGER KILLED NEAR HARRISBURG.—It will be remembered by our readers that a note was made of the fact some months ago that Mr. Wm. D. Davis, of this place, who some time previous had become sadly demented in mind, had been removed to the Insane Asylum, near Harrisburg, for medical treatment. Since then nothing was heard in regard to him, except by those immediately interested in his welfare, until Tuesday last, when a telegram reached his friends here announcing the finding of his dead body near the Susquehanna bridge, six miles east of Harrisburg, on that morning. Later advices by mail inform us that the unfortunate man's head was almost severed from his body, and the presumption is that both a freight and passenger train had passed over his neck some time during the night. The deceased had escaped from the State Lunatic Asylum two days previous, and a search had been instituted for him by the officers of the institution, but without avail. It is thought he was trying to make his way home when overtaken by the fearful accident which so tragically ended his joyless life. The remains were brought here and interred in Lloyd cemetery yesterday afternoon. The carelessness which permitted his escape from the asylum, where he was taken for safe keeping, has elicited considerable comment in this community, and an explanation from the authorities of that institution, if they have any to make, would seem to be called for.

—We are glad to learn that a good oil strike Las recently been made near Petrolia, Butler county, by a company of Cambria county gentlemen, prominent among whom is our patron and friend, Mr. Jas. D. Plummer, of Summerhill, Croyle township, the other members being D. W. Luke, Dr. John Luke and Elias Paul, of the same place. It is not known, as yet, what the capacity of the well really is, but enough is known to indicate that it will prove what is termed a good paying well, and we are sure we are glad to note the success of the gentlemen named, who well deserve the good luck that has befallen them.

—A young man in our neighboring town of Indiana, seduced a young lady, under promise of marriage, more than two years ago, and left suddenly for the West, in order to escape the consequences of his villainy. A half brother of the injured lady procured a requisition from Governor Geary, and following the fellow for two years, finally captured him at Lincoln, Nebraska, a couple of weeks ago. He returned with his prisoner last week, and had him put under bail for trial.

—On the Western Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, a few days since, a child two and a half years old crawled from a house to the track, in front of an approaching train. The train was checked after the engine and four cars passed over it, when the child was rescued without receiving serious injury. The mother was prevented by a workman from rushing under the cars after her babe while the train was still in motion.

R. H. SINGER, one of Johnstown's most energetic business men, is in town attending Court as a juror. If you want a good spring or road wagon, or a tip-top buggy, Mr. Singer is the man to see or write to about the matter, as he can supply your wants on the most reasonable terms. Years ago he began business in Ebensburg, but believing that there was a good opening in Johnstown, he removed to that place, and is now doing the best business in that line in the county.

THE MAN in the moon was looking at the made-up clothing of James J. Murphy, 109 Clinton street, Johnstown, the other night, with the evident intention of making a purchase. He can't shine without a new suit from Murphy, neither can the young men of Cambria county shine unless they go and do likewise. Murphy is the cheapest and clevcrest man to buy from you ever read about.

Communications.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8, 1873.

MR. EDITOR—The traveler, in passing through a country, frequently observes beauties or defects, which, from having become familiarized to the citizens, are unobserved. Thus the writer, recently passing from Cresson to Ebensburg, was feasted upon the sublime beauty of the natural scenery, and could not help exclaiming:

"For the beauty of the hills we bless Thee, Our God—our Father's God!"

But, turning from natural advantages to the condition of fields, fences, and dwellings, the contrast was painful in the extreme. The whole country denuded of the glorious old forests and farmed—to death. Orchards hoary with moss, fences tumbling down, and buildings sinking in decay.

When the train stopped at the station the whole story was revealed—selling lumber, and buying bread and meat!

You who know me can well understand that I am writing in no fault-finding or captious spirit, but to rouse the good citizens of the county to the spirit of improvement. One word here. No one respects the citizens of the county more highly than the writer, who knows that whenever their country has called them to defend her rights, they have ever been in the front. Through the snows of winter and the heats of summer they toil on—ever frugal and honest, virtuous and intelligent.

But they have been laboring without that judgment and forethought which they should exercise, and the time has now come to *stop and think*. The first thing is to STOP cutting timber. This has gone too far already. The next thing is to *make manure* and keep the land in grass as much as possible. These points shall be more fully wrought out in a future number; but there is a suggestion which it is proper to make here. The fields look so targe and desolate, and the winds sweep over them with such fury as to carry away the protecting and fertilizing snows of winter into the "cuts" of the railroad. The remedy lies close at hand. There are thousands of fine stocky hemlocks, from two to five feet high, growing in the ravines and all over the woods which have been "chopped" over. These could be planted in close rows through the fields, at suitable intervals, forming most excellent screens or wind-breaks. If hedges of this kind were planted along the cuts of the railroad, they would almost entirely save the "blockades" which have become so troublesome. They should be planted about twenty or twenty-five feet from the edge of the road, leaving room for the snow to lie on the bank.

Having made these suggestions, perhaps it is best to stop for the present, in order that they may be considered. W. L. A.

MR. EDITOR—The experience of former County Conventions has fully demonstrated the impossibility of keeping the delegates in the Court room after the important nominations have been made. All interest in the further proceedings of the convention is then cast aside and delegates, as well those who are pleased as those who are dissatisfied with the result as far as ascertained, leave the room—some returning at intervals, but many not again putting in an appearance. The consequence is, that some of the nominations are made by a *minority* instead of a *majority* of the convention. There is a sure and effective remedy for the cure of this evil. Let the coming County Convention, as soon as it is organized, adopt a resolution that in making the nominations it will begin *at the bottom of the list and go up in regular order to the highest office*. If this is done, the delegates can be held together by the strongest personal motives, and if it is *not* done, the scenes at former conventions will be reenacted. Under this *reversed* mode of proceeding, the following would be the order of business and nominations: 1st. The election of a delegate to the State Convention. 2d. The election of three conferees to choose a Senatorial delegate to the State Convention. 3d. The election of a Chairman of the Executive County Committee. 4th. The nomination for County Auditor. 5th. Coroner. 6th. Poor House Director. 7th. County Commissioner. 8th. Treasurer. 9th. Sheriff. 10th. Assembly.

I recommend this matter to the serious consideration of the Convention, and trust that a resolution of the kind indicated will be adopted. As no possible harm can result from it, but much substantial benefit, it ought not to encounter any opposition.

A FORMER DELEGATE.

MR. EDITOR—Although the office of County Auditor is not generally regarded as of much consequence, it is really one of very great importance, and requires a first-rate man intelligently to discharge its duties. It is an office of honor and not of profit, and one which no man in the county ought to be ashamed to fill, or refuse to accept. It is, therefore, to be hoped that the next County Convention, in the selection of a candidate, will not act hastily, but with due deliberation. I want to see a Board of County Auditors assemble next January which can discharge its duties *without the aid and assistance of a clerk*, as has been the case for some years past. The Auditors have no legal right to employ a clerk at the expense of the county. If they cannot perform their duties, and are compelled to have a clerk, they ought to pay him themselves out of their own salaries. The nomination by the County Convention of a man of sound judgment and good clerical qualifications will obviate the necessity of and remove the excuse for the appointment of a clerk, or *fourth* Auditor. Trifling as the matter may appear to some persons, it is nevertheless one in which the people of the county have a deep interest, and ought therefore to be carefully considered and judiciously disposed of by the Convention. A DEMOCRAT.

COMMENCED ITS THIRD YEAR.

We are in receipt of the Pittsburgh PEOPLES MONTHLY (Illustrated), for June. This number keeps fully up, in the excellence of its illustrations and the variety of its reading matter, with those which have gone before. A new serial called "Scarlet" is commenced and many original contributions from writers of repute promised. June begins this monthly's third year. The publication of an illustrated 16-page paper out West, was rather a hazardous enterprise, but we are glad to know that the venture is a successful one. The circulation is over double that of last year, and it bears on every page the impress of prosperity. With its beautiful illustrations for the home; its fine tinted paper; its "Household" and "Boys and Girls" departments, we don't know a paper in the country which surpasses it in elegant appearance, or attractiveness. It now *gives away* to every subscriber a very choice and rich chromo, or a 24x30 inch engraving. The fact that it has over one thousand ministers on its lists, should be a sufficient guarantee to families that, as a paper for the *home*, it is arrayed on the side of virtue, purity, and morality. Price only $1.50 per year. Agents wanted, on big commission, in every section. Address PEOPLES MONTHLY, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WHAT NEXT?—This brilliant little magazine is enlarged, beginning with the June number, and now presents an amount of excellent reading and illustrations that seems quite marvelous, considering the trifling price asked for it. It also brings out a new Chromo, called *Wealth of the Woods*, representing a Winter Wren perched on a ground work of Wood Moss, with a cluster of Autumn Leaves in the back-ground, and a delicate little Vine with green leaves, and richly-colored Winter Berries in front. It is a picture of extraordinary beauty. Terms of the Magazine, 40 cents a year, with the Chromo free to each subscriber. JOHN B. ALDEN, Publisher, Chicago, Ill.

I. T. COPPOCK, under the Opera House, Main street, Johnstown, No. 112, is the topic. I. T. Coppock is the topic—well that's poetry, but we may as well say that his big show window outshines the June roses themselves. Who can paint like nature? Coppock. Who can lose these beautiful colors in each other? Coppock. Nature's self is outdone in the flowers, ribbons, silks, satins, hats, bonnets and dress goods of I. T. Coppock, who is about as clever a man to buy from as ever wielded a yardstick.

HE that steals my purse steals trash, but he that buys made-up clothing from S. J. Hess & Bro., Johnstown, gets the genuine stuff, strong, well made, well cut, and well sewed. Hess might have taken the prize at the Vienna Exposition, for cleverness and tact in selling ready-made clothing at No. 141 Main street, Johnstown, but then he didn't want it. He would rather have lots of good fellows from the mountain swoops down on him and buy every man a full suit at honest prices.

M. BOSSART & Co., successors to John J. Murphy, Johnstown are doing a rushing business in the dry goods line. The people flock to see their charming new goods, like pigeons resort to a buckwheat field in September. And no marvel, for they keep choice and cheap dry goods, and are adepts in the art of selling at popular prices. Give them a call.

SOME people may talk about the big stock of flour, feed and groceries they keep; and others may try to induce persons to buy by declaring they sell very cheap. Yet this bear in mind, nowhere will you find, though you seek o'er and o'er, better flour and feed, and other things that you need, than at E. J. Mills' cheap store. Try his choice teas.

THE RIGHT WAY.—The way to get rich is to spend less money than you earn, and the proper way to do this is to buy where you can buy the cheapest, and buy only what you need. Myers & Lloyd's great mercantile mart offers the best inducements to cash purchasers in this region. Goods very cheap, very select, and very abundant.

Local Correspondence.

JOHNSTOWN, June 11, 1873.

DEAR FREEMAN—There are three landscape views from Ebensburg, one south, one east, and one west, that cannot be excelled anywhere, either by nature or art, which I rise to remark is admired not only by your correspondent, but by T. J. C. and all other persons of good taste.

A. Blain, of Ebensburg, has the neatest barber-shop in Western Pennsylvania. There are one hundred and forty private boxes, with mugs and sponges, all as clean as a new pin. Mr. Blain has been for fourteen years a barber in your town, which accounts for his prosperity.

The bar of Ebensburg is composed of as noble a set of good-looking men as can be found in the State of the Glades, or any other State. They are kind, genial, social, sober, intelligent, unsophisticated, and anti-pre-desti-digatatorial gentlemen, any one of them, and all as hearty-looking as the editor of the *Freeman*. But the bench exceeds the bar in good looks fully as much as the heathen Chinee exceeds the swarthy Modoc.

Politicians are indigenous to the soil of Ebensburg, and are as abundant as lightning bugs in June, only not so full of light.

The case of Trefts *vs.* Pitts occupied the first day and part of another in Court. This was an action of ejectment to recover some land near Johnstown. The case was tried twenty years ago. Verdict for *defendants*.

It tried to rain in Ebensburg, on Tuesday, but that place being 20,000 feet above the level of the sea, it couldn't rain.

While your correspondent was at the county-seat, the good people of Conemaugh borough were shocked by the sudden death of a German resident of that place named John Early, and it was hinted that poison was the cause. You will no doubt obtain the facts before you issue your paper.

The bridge across the Conemaugh river, near the Johnstown station, has been condemned as not safe, and a fording opened over the river below.

Cham. Roberts, of Ebensburg, has the biggest window in existence, except the windows of heaven. He is an enterprising man and a sociable gentleman. Mr. Zahm, of the same place, has taken the *stay* on his big window for one year.

The "exaggeration of nothing" was in your town, but I couldn't get a glimpse of him. So was the man that eats eggs.

The Modoc war still continues between the editors of the Johnstown papers, but this is none of our business.

A case of elopement took place in this borough last week, which aroused the wonder of all our citizens. A woman, named Angeline Davis, formerly Angeline Haynes, of a very respectable family, eloped with one William Huff, boss of the engine shop of the Cambria Iron Company. Mr. Huff had a wife and four children, but, tempted in an evil hour by the charms and fascinations of an *Angeline*, he borrowed $100 from one man and $60 from another, and left with his darling duleinia for Chicago. We understand he has been arrested in Cincinnati. His bereaved family lives in a house on Franklin street, adjoining the store of M. P. Meagher. The wife is almost crazed by this sad event. It is thought that Huff will return, even if he is not arrested, as soon as his money runs out. Angeline Haynes, once a lovely girl, has forfeited the trust and confidence of all her relatives and friends, and will never be able to retrieve her character. She visited Pittsburgh some time ago in the capacity of a ——. Let all young girls take warning!

John R. Ross, Esq., of Blacklick township, informs us that the township aforesaid always pays its debts, and still has a little money left. This is right. A township that sent ninety-six men to the war out of one hundred and fifteen voters deserves a favorable notice. Sorry, Mr. Ross, for that little mistake, but you must blame the Squire. You and the School Board are all O. K.

A letter from a Chinese friend in California states that blackberries were ripe on the 25th of May, and that harvest would commence on the first of June.

Presuming that you will have your hands full this week electioneering, and hoping for your final success on the day of nominations, I remain

Yours, in *Chinese*, PO YANG.

The Beautiful New Chromo, "Pet."

This is the appropriate name of a *new*, superb, and *wonderfully taking* 16x20 inch chromo, made in Boston by the best chromomaker of the country, and now the *exclusive* property of the Pittsburgh PEOPLES MONTHLY, the popular, *illustrated* paper for the *home*. Large and elegant as it is, it is *given* away "in the sheet" to every subscriber at only $1.50 a year. Everybody has by this time heard of this monthly. It has just entered its third year, has a very rapidly-growing circulation, and over one thousand ministers on its list; universally popular, and with its tinted paper and elegant typography, it is as beautiful a paper as is published in this, or any other country. It makes *home* matters a specialty; its illustrations are generally in that line, and once taken, it becomes *indispensable* to fond mothers and children. Good agents are allowed a very large commission and are now netting on it from *ten to twenty dollars per day*, depending on the agent and locality. *Exclusive* territory allotted *live* agents if applied for at once, and good references given. Send for sample and agents' circular. *The best chance out for good workers.* Address PEOPLES MONTHLY, Pittsburgh, Pa.

For Loss of Appetite, Dyspepsia, Indigestion Depression of Spirits, and General Debility, in their various forms, PERRO-PHOSPHORATED ELIXER OF CALISAYA made by CASWELL, HAZARD & CO., New York, and sold by all druggists, is the best tonic. As a stimulant tonic for patients recovering from fever or other sickness, it has no equal. If taken during the season, it prevents fever and ague and other intermittent fevers. [5-16.-ly.]

HYMENEAL.

SMITH—HUGHES.—Married, on Tuesday afternoon last, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. G. Thomas, Mr. THOS. SMITH, of Altoona, and Miss MARY J. HUGHES, daughter of Morgan Hughes, Esq., of this place.

REILLY—MCCORMICK.—Married, on the 23d ult., at the residence of Rt. Rev. Bishop Shanahan, Harrisburg, by Rev. Father M'Bride, Mr. THOMAS E. REILLY, of Lewistown, and Miss LENORE M'CORMICK, of Allegheny City.

OBITUARY.

EVANS.—Died, on Saturday afternoon last, at the residence of her son-in-law, Ex-Sheriff Blair, Mrs. MARY EVANS, relict of Thomas O. Evans, aged 76 years, 2 months and 21 days.

The deceased, whose maiden name was Brawley, a family well and favorably known in Cambria and adjoining counties, was born in the County Derry, Ireland, but was brought to this country when a mere child, her parents first locating for a few years in Lancaster county, from whence they removed in the year 1805 to the place now owned and occupied by a brother of the deceased, Mr. Michael Brawley, near Portage, this county. Mrs. Evans was therefore a resident of Cambria county for fully sixty-eight years, and may be said to have witnessed its rise and progress from earliest infancy to its present prosperous maturity.—Throughout her long and eventful life she conscientiously fulfilled all the duties of daughter, sister, wife, and neighbor, and having been earnest and sincere in her religious devotions, a model of Christian charity and true piety, there is every reason to hope that she has received the crown of immortal life and never-ending felicity. Her remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery in this place on Monday, the funeral being one of the largest ever witnessed in our midst. May she rest in peace eternal.

EVANS.—Died, in Cambria township, on Monday last, Mrs. ELIZABETH EVANS, wife of David Evans, aged about 80 years.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified not to interfere in any manner with a BAY MARE purchased by us and left with AUGUSTINE CRAVER, of Susquehanna twp., Cambria county, during our pleasure.

HIPPS & LLOYD.

Susquehanna Twp., June 11, 1873.-3t.*

Estate Notice.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the Estate of MICHAEL M'CARTY, late of Clearfield township, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified that payment of their respective accounts must be made without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement. JOHN H. DOUGLASS.

Clearfield Twp., June 13, 1873.-6t.* Adm'r.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—The undersigned, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county an Auditor to distribute the funds in the hands of the Sheriff of Cambria county arising from the sale of the real estate of Lloyd & Craver, will attend to the duties of his appointment, at his office in Ebensburg, on MONDAY, the 1st day of JULY, A. D. 1873, at 1 o'clock, P. M., when and where parties interested may attend, if they think proper.

JOSEPH M'DONALD, Auditor.

Ebensburg, June 13, 1873.-3t.

STATEMENT of the Auditors' Settlement with the Supervisors of Susquehanna Township for the year 1872:

THOS. J. BYRNE, Supervisor.... DR.

To amount of Duplicate $529 86

CR.

By Work done by Taxables.....	$496 53	
" Exonerations	10 24	
" one Stone Sledge	1 00	
" personal services, 51 days	76 50	—$584 27
Due Supervisor		$ 55 41

WM H. LAVERTY, Supervisor.... DR.

To amount of Duplicate $742 88

" " due at last settlement 49 79

$792 67

CR.

By Work done by Taxables	$337 70	
" am't pd. T. J. Byrne, Super'r.	23 47	
" " John Somerville, Aud'r.	1 50	
" " paid for Printing	2 50	
" " " John Bearer, Tp.Clk.	9 00	
" " " G. W. Myers, Aud'r	3 00	
" " " P. Helfrick, Auditor.	3 00	
" Personal services, 75 days....	112 50	—$702 67

We, the Auditors of Susquehanna Township, do hereby certify that we have carefully examined the above accounts and find them as above stated.

JOHN SOMMERVILLE, }
PETER HELFRICK, } Auditors.
GEORGE W. MYERS, }

Attest—JOHN BEARER, Twp. Clerk. [6-13.]

SUSQUEHANNA SCHOOL DISTRICT in account with the Collector and Treasurer of said district for the year 1872:

S. J. LUTHER, Collector, ... DR.

To amount of Duplicate $1,649 77

" " on last year's Duplicate..... 347 52

$1,997 29

CR.

By cash and orders paid—		
John Bearer, Treasurer.....	$ 995 04	
By Lands ret'd to Co. Com'rs..	90 36	
" Exonerations	22 50	
" Commission for collecting..	92 48	—1,190 38
Due District		$ 806 71

JOHN BEARER, Treasurer, ... DR.

To amount received from S. J. Luther.$ 975 04

" " State appropriation 140 12

" " Unseated Lands, ... 67 76

$1,182 92

CR.

By Orders paid.	$1,185 62	
" am't due from last year's settlement	54 75	
" Interest	2 55	
" Commission, 2 per cent ...	23 71	—1,267 32
Due Treasurer from District		$ 84 40

We, the School Board of Susquehanna Township, have examined the accounts and find them correct, as above stated.

E. P. BASE ET,
CHAS. WEAKLAND,
JOHN PORTER,
JOHN SOMMERVILLE,
PETER GARMAN,
JOHN BEARER,
Directors.

May 31, 1873. [5 13.-3t.]

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Ebensburg, June 6, 1873.-tf.

STRAY HORSE.—Came to the enclosure of the subscriber, in Chest township, Cambria county, on the 23d day of May, a DARK BAY HORSE, about 7 years old, 12 hands high, and having a little white on his forehead. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away; otherwise he will be disposed of according to law.

ADAM LEIDEN.

Chest Twp., June 6, 1873.-3t.

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June 6, 1873.-3m.* Johnstown P. O.

WILLIAM KITTELL, *Attorney-at-Law*, Ebensburg, Pa. Office in Colonnade Row, Centre street. [4-29.-tf.]

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