E CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

Ebensburg, Pa.,

RIDAY, - - - OCT. 31, 1873.

OCAL AND PERSONAL.

..., There, and the Other Place.

...e-en to-night.

...look out for the boys in the cabbage

...f you don't want your doors banged ...hat, take them in out of the cold.

...last year the first snow fell on the 16th ...of November, and this year on the 7th ...ber.

...trained bear enlivened the dull mo... ...of our town for a short time on Sat... ...evening last.

...Frank Specht, of Shade township, ...st county, was thrown from his horse, ...day last week, and had his skull frac... ...It is feared that he cannot recover.

...two peddlers were arrested in Hunting... ...last Friday on the charge of being en... ...in the sale of goods procured in a New ...store whose proprietor had taken the ...ent law.

...friend and subscriber, Mr. Aaron ...berty, of White township, the renown... ...hunter of the Alleghenies, shot and ...1,200 pound deer in Clearfield county ...day last.

...was mighty hard up for locals, but ...enough off to wish for the shooting ...of the boys who will be in the door... ...business to-night. Too long till ...as you know.

...new time table, only slightly varied ...edule now in force, is to go into ...on the Pa. R. R. on Sunday next. ...change, if any, it will make on our ...road we have not learned.

...Mountain House Company, at Cres... ...erecting an extensive dam between ...ir grounds and the Callen House, ...purpose of securing ice for the use ...hotel during the ensuing season.

...Hollidaysburg *Register* was thirty... ...years old last week, and yet it is not ...average as it is *Over* editor. May ...he over a hundred, and may Over ...over it for fully half that time.

...ph Davis, son of Rev. Jas. Davis, ...ville, was found dead in his bed on ...afternoon last. The young man ...ect to fits, which may have had ...ing to do with his sudden death.

...hundred men have been thrown ...employment by the suspension, on ...last, of Rogers & Burchfield's roll... ...at Apollo, Armstrong county. The ...is thought to be only temporary.

...k shooting was all the go among the ...s in this vicinity on Friday and Sat... ...About forty of the feathered ...were shot in the first day's sport ...the several mill-dams near town.

...ty-four car loads of coal, aggrega... ...bushels, were shipped by the ...oal Company from Irvin Station ...day of last week—the largest ...ver made from that place in one

...kstown, Blair county, boy named ...twright fell from the second floor ...new building, about eighteen feet, ...day week, and was injured very ...about the head and legs. He will

...essor Light made his fourth balloon ...n from Altoona on Friday, accom... ...by Thomas Bell. The party landed ...or's Mark, Huntingdon county, in ...and a quarter. The distance travel... ...irty-six miles.

...Matilda J. Hindman, who is not ...oman on the female suffrage ques... ...eatens to give Johnstown a lecture ...en's rights some time during the ...winter. Miss H. was formerly a ...ton in that place.

...regret to note that our friend and ...Mr. Jacob Fronheiser, of Johns... ...suffered the loss of a gold watch, ...overcoat and a pair of boots, all of ...steriously disappeared from his ...a few nights ago.

...ty-five head of livery and draught ...excellent condition, will be sold ...ms by Messrs. L. & S. W. Davis, ...ce, who have no further use for ...ng to the closing for the season of ...y stables at Cresson.

...rge black bear weighing over 400 ...was killed in Logan township, Blair ...on the mountain above Glen White, ...Sunday week, by Mr. John Grove, ...of the luckiest if not one of the ...best hunters on the Alleghenies.

...ng the months of November and ...r. M. L. Oatman proposes to pay ...way of change $1,000 in gold and ...his customers. So bring on your ...and save 15 per cent. on the goods ...and stuff" to jingle in your pocket

...P. Ryan, of Bedford county, was ...last found guilty in the U. S. ...rt at Pittsburgh of moving dis... ...from the distillery warehouse ...ing the government tax thereon. ...been suspended at the instance ...Attorney.

...fellow jumped from the Mail ...rain, while in motion, near Der... ...day, to recover his hat, which ...from his head, and it is safe to ...won't try the experiment again. ...ured, of course, but to what ex... ...unable to say.

...named Valentine has been ar... ...Altoona on the charge of shooting ...and two cows near Blair Fur... ...Friday last. One of the mares, be... ...Michael McCullough, died on the ...morning, but the other mare and ...cows will recover.

...Johnstown *Tribune* says that there ...woman residing in Woodvale bor... ...was injured over a year ago in ...of the Cambria Iron Company, ...limbs are paralyzed from the hips ...ot. He has no feeling whatever in ...affected, and it is remarkable that ...arrived so long.

...Jackson township man is said to have ...into very serious trouble, the al... ...against him being for no less a ...as rape; but as we have not been ...certain anything definite in regard ...matter, we forbear giving names, not ...but what the rumor may be false. ...ies are married.

...substantial improvements have ...in and about Cresson this fall, ...which we note four new cottages on ...tain House grounds, two new ...houses a short distance east of the ...depot, and a very fine residence ...pleted on the pike leading to the ...and not far from Cresson station.

—We have had a foretaste of winter in the shape of snow, hard freezing, and cold, blustry winds, during the present week.

—A young man named Charles Zeigler, while at work at a new school building in West Huntingdon, on Saturday last, was accidentally struck on the head by a brick and knocked headlong into the cellar, a distance of about ten feet. His brain was injured by the blow, and although slowly recovering, his condition is yet deemed critical.

—Michael Dillon, a former resident of Huntingdon, now engaged at coaling on the mountain near Freedom Forge, Mifflin county, took violently ill a few days ago after partaking of some coffee, whereupon he examined his coffee boiler and found a dead copperhead snake coiled up in the bottom of it. How the reptile got there is a mystery.

—Eight persons charged with violating the local option law in Blair county plead guilty before the Court on Tuesday last, three others were found guilty, and three more forfeited their recognizances by failing to put in an oppearance. One man had no less than nine indictments against him, but the District Attorney entered a *nol. pros.* in all but two of them.

—Mrs. Caroline Street, sister of Mr. Geo. Wolff, of this place, died very suddenly of cramp colic at the residence of her father in New Germany, Croyle township, on Monday night last. She was in her usual good health, we believe, up to the very moment of her death. The husband of the deceased, to whom she was married about a year ago, is a leather dealer in Altoona.

—Three dwellings and two stables were destroyed by fire in Huntingdon about 4 o'clock on Wednesday morning last. The houses were owned by Messrs. John Mattern, J. R. Carmon and Andrew Johnston, and the two stables belonged respectively to Mr. Carmon and Mr. Smearman. The total loss is estimated at $10,000, on which there was an insurance of about $6,000.

—The tightness in the money market does not seem to effect the sale of goods at Myers & Lloyd's cheap cash store, for go there when you will, they are always busy as nailors dealing out bargains to delighted customers. But fine goods at fair prices is what attracts buyers in abundance, and that's just what's the matter at Myers & Lloyd's low priced, well filled mercantile mart. Go and see how it is yourself.

—An amateur Nimrod not more than a thousand miles from this place borrowed a new shot-gun from a hardware store the other day, just to try how it would shoot, but as he forgot to say "with your leave" before taking it, one of the clerks went in pursuit of the sportsman and reclaimed the gun before he had time to test its calibre. Of course it was all intended for a joke, and would have been a successful one had ye hardware man been able to see the point.

—A special dispatch to yesterday evening's Johnstown *Tribune* says that the banking houses of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co. in New York, Altoona, Tyrone, Bedford, Latrobe, Greensburg and this place have been forced to suspend, owing to the impossibility of realizing on their securities, and that all the other banks, eleven in number, with which Mr. Lloyd is connected will soon follow suit, if they have not already done so. It is believed that the suspension will be but temporary—a hope which we trust will be fully realized.

—The sacrament of confirmation was administered to one hundred and twenty-two persons, by Rt. Rev. M. Domenec, Bishop of Pittsburg, at St. Mary's and St. Michael's (Catholic) churches, Hollidaysburg, on the 17th inst., and on the following day the same rite was administered to about one hundred more at Gallitzin, this county, after which the Bishop, assisted by Rev. Ryan and Hackett, followed by a large procession of the congregation, proceeded to the new grave-yard, half a mile distant from the church, which he consecrated with the usual ceremonies.

—Come in your majesty, come in your might; come in the morning, come before night; come when you please, come when you can, and bring all the folks if you're a family man, for Spence, we are sure, will be awfully glad to welcome you all, man, matron and lad, not forgetting the lassies, whose pictures he'll take in less time than a lamb its appendage can shake, and do them so cheap that you'll wonder the while that pictures at the price can be made in such style. Gallery in the rear second story of G. G. Owens' building, High street, opposite Johnston, Collins & Co.'s bank.

—Two horses belonging to Mr. Jas. Borlin, of Greensburg, were drowned in the Allegheny river, near Freeport, a few days ago. The horses, which were attached to a heavy wagon, were on their way to the oil regions, and while being taken across the river on a flat-boat the leaders became frightened at some floating drift-wood and jumped into the water, dragging the other horses and the wagon with them, when all four became entangled in the harness and were drowned. The driver was also precipitated into the river, but managed to escape minus his hat. Mr. Borlin estimates his loss at $1,000.

—The door of the Altoona lock-up is minus a knob on the inside, a fact which Messrs. Burley and Howard, policemen of that city, forgot to their great discomfiture about one o'clock on Wednesday morning last. The two worthies named paid a visit to the aforesaid lock-up for the purpose of seeing that a prisoner therein confined was as comfortable as circumstances would permit; but thoughtlessly closing the door upon entering, they found soon after that it was much easier to get in than get out—the latter of which they failed to do until fully an hour had elapsed, when some of the "comps" of the *Morning Tribune*, homeward bound, happened that way and released them from their involuntary confinement.

—A young man named Walker, of Garrett, Somerset county, is the latest victim reported. He was at the Connellsville depot in Pittsburgh last Monday, where he made the casual acquaintance of a pleasing young man and took a walk with him. His companion was suddenly called on by another person to pay a bill, and with the usual preliminaries borrowed $22 from Walker, who was at once asked to run back to the ticket office and watch a trunk marked E. C. Meyers to prevent it being stolen. Walker dilligently obeyed instructions, and waited until a glimmer of the truth came into his brain, when he reported the events at the Mayor's office. Every cent he had in his pocket was gone. The detectives enabled him to reach home. Had the victim been less in the Garrett, and more of a Walker or traveler of some sort, he would have known better than to have bit at such a bait.

—Hon. D. J. Morrell, general manager of the Cambria Iron Works, at Johnstown, has given notice to the employes that the company finds it impossible to make collections for iron sold, or to sell for cash, or to raise money in any other way to make the usual monthly cash payments, and therefore informs those to whom cash balances are now due, that they shall be paid as soon as money can be obtained. He further states that in view of the uncertainty of obtaining orders on any satisfactory basis to keep the works running, it is deemed proper to give notice that "while the company will guarantee to employes all necessary supplies to the extent of their earnings, no regular cash payments need be expected until cash can be obtained for products of the works. Those who are not satisfied to continue work under this arrangement can give due notice, when they will be paid off in full as soon as funds can be secured for the purpose."

—A party of Germans, six in number hailing from Altoona, paid a visit to the coal mines in the vicinity of Gallitzin, on Saturday evening last, where they were set upon by some of the miners, who probably thought that they had come there to displace them in their employment, and two of the number, named Ettinger and Hartranft, were both roughly handled, the former receiving very serious injuries. Subsequently two young men returning from a church fair were attacked by a party of ruffians, one of them receiving a shot through the first finger of his right hand, inflicting a painful wound. These outrages have been charged to the account of an alleged organization styled the "Mollie Maguires," but as we have every reason to believe that no such society exists at Gallitzin, the charge is of course without any foundation in fact. These depredations, like others that have gone before them, have been committed by a few lawless spirits common to all communities, and none we are sure more fully regret or more earnestly denounce such violence than those who by imputation at least might be subject to the suspicion of having participated in them. Let us hear of no more such baseless imputations.

UNAUTHORIZED BOUNTY BONDS.—We present below a summary of an important case from this county heard before the Supreme Court of Pittsburgh on Tuesday:

Henry J. Little and John J. Troxell vs. Sebastian Fry. Error to the Common Pleas Court of Cambria county. Argued by R. L. Johnston for plaintiff in error, and George M. Reade contra. A difficulty existing in filling the draft in Allegheny township, this county, in the fall of 1864. By authority of a legislative act, the School Directors met and agreed to issue bonds and assess a tax for the payment of the same. The President, John J. Troxell, the plaintiff in error, was not present at the meeting. Afterward he was called on and informed of the resolution of the Board and he signed a number of bonds but never stamped or uttered any. The bond in suit was afterward stamped and uttered by Henry Little, the Secretary, and the funds were applied to payment of a drafted citizen. In 1868, the plaintiff below, S. Fry, called upon the Board at a regular meeting and was informed that the bond would not be paid, as there was no authority for its issue. He afterward brought an action against the directors before a justice of the peace, on coupon attached to the bond for interest, and on appeal the case was tried. The jury found against the plaintiff in error, when the case was carried to the Supreme Court. It is claimed that Troxell was not a party in this case, either as a citizen or Director, as the district having been erected in the meantime, of which he was a resident. Decision reserved.

CHASED BY A BEAR.—Michael Fetzer, of Snow Shoe township, Centre county, went out hunting the other day, having with him a couple of dogs that were in for fun and full of expectation and eagerness. Much to Michael's surprise and the discomfiture of the dogs, however, almost the first thing they ran against was a huge bear, which showed fight. Michael shot at and wounded the animal, but did not disable it, and Bruin made an attack upon his assailants so vigorous and rapid that Michael did not get an opportunity to reload his gun and directly found himself in the close hug of the ugly monster. A desperate fight ensued, the hunter using his gun as a club and the dogs straining every muscle to create a diversion in favor of their master. After some time, Mr. Fetzer, badly hugged and hurt, succeeded in tearing himself loose from the bear's embrace and escaped, with his dogs, to safer quarters. Bruin won the battle, but his bearship had better keep himself out of sight, as the hunters of that region are on the alert and a dozen bullets are ready for him as soon as he shows his shaggy hide.—*Watchman.*

DIED FROM INJURIES RECEIVED.—On Friday last, a man named Charles Smith, a brakeman on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was struck by the Johnstown Accommodation at Turtle Creek, Allegheny county, and terribly injured. He had been on the locomotive of a train which was not in motion talking to the engineer and fireman, and stepped down on the track immediately in front of the train that struck him. What is extraordinary about the circumstance is that he got off the locomotive with his face toward the approaching train, his failure to see it in time to get out of the way being inexplicable. The terrible mishap was witnessed by the crews of three or four freights standing by, who unite in pronouncing it one of the most fearful sights they ever witnessed. The injured man was removed to his residence, at Lawrenceville station, where he died the following Sunday. The deceased originally belonged to Cambria county, where his remains were removed for interment on Monday. He was a married man, his wife's parents being residents of Gallitzin.—*Altoona Tribune.*

DISTRESSING AFFAIR.—About 8 o'clock on Monday morning the alarm of fire resounded through our streets and the several companies were promptly in motion. The fire proved to be in the house of H. Ayres, on Union street, and, according to our information, was communicated to a bed in the second story by a stove pipe which passed through the room. At all events, when the fire was discovered the bed was in flames. But the saddest part of the affair is that a sick child, about eighteen months old, was lying on the bed, and, when carried out by those who came to the rescue, was discovered to be dead. It is supposed that the little unfortunate was suffocated by the smoke, although the fire had reached and terribly burned one side of its face. There seems to have been gross carelessness somewhere, but it is presumed the Coroner's inquest will develop all the facts in the case.—*Hollidaysburg Standard.*

DIBERT, WAYNE & CO.—John Dibert, the banker, Harry Wayne, formerly of the firm of Benton & Wayne, and George Dibert, jr., have gone into a wholesale and retail hardware business. The immense room where John Dibert used to sell dry goods and groceries, No. 224 Main street, Johnstown, is fitted up, where they are now selling an immense stock of hardware and cutlery, all new, having been bought in the East only a month ago. They have nails, glass, putty, paints, wood-work for wagons, willow ware, agricultural implements, iron, steel, and indeed everything that one can think of in the hardware line. Two immense signs adorn the front of the building, one above the other. The firm are perfect gentlemen and sound business men. They have large warehouses crammed full of things, from a pistol to a mill-saw. Give them a call.

TRADE WINDS.—Tell me, ye winged winds that round my pathway roar—tell, oh! tell me where, oh! where I'll find the cheapest store? The winds replied and this they said, I never yet in all my trade have had the luck to suit my mind more fully in goods of every kind than at Myers & Lloyd's cheap store complete, whose stock and prices none can beat.

IMPORTANT TO INSURERS.—Insurance placed in companies that have not complied with the laws of the State where the property insured is situated (either by the company direct, or through agents or brokers) cannot, in case of loss, be sued and recovered, in any of the State courts, and the assured is left entirely at the mercy of such companies, and without legal remedy.

The statute of all the States imposes certain conditions upon all insurance companies (chartered by other States) to enable them to obtain authority to transact within the State, and without having first complied with such laws, and obtained the legal authority to do business, all insurance written by them is illegal and void.

The following is an abstract from a recent opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Indiana upon the subject: "As the statute prohibits any foreign insurance company, directly or indirectly, to take risks, or transact any business of insurance in the State, without first procuring legal authority, this includes a prohibition upon any person or corporation (not duly authorized) from acting in any capacity as insurance agents, either by soliciting applications or collecting money upon premiums. A policy issued by an agent in violation of a law, declaring his act to be criminal, has been decided by the Supreme Court to be void, after destruction by fire of the property insured (20th Indiana, P. 220), and in a recent case not yet reported in Indiana, (Hoffman vs. Banks) the general doctrine is confirmed."

This opinion is clear and decisive, and has since been confirmed by judicial decisions in that State (People vs. Plessner), and the principle again recognized by the Kentucky Court of Appeals, and by Judge Davis of the Supreme Court of the United States, presiding in the United States Circuit Court in Indiana, and is now held to be well-settled law.

Insurers may, therefore, well understand that in accepting policies in such companies they are wholly without indemnity against loss, except at the caprice of the companies whose illegal and void policies they hold.

ST. NICHOLAS FOR NOVEMBER.—The first number of the ST. NICHOLAS has just been issued. Pictorially, it is one of the most beautiful magazines in the country, being enriched by designs from the pencils of Miss Hallock, Sol Eytinge, Miss Ledyard, Sheppard, Stephens, Bolles, Beard, and others.

The reading matter is varied and bright. There are thirty-three articles, some for the very little ones, some for the oldest of young people, and some for every age between. We find in its broad, well-printed pages, poems by William Cullen Bryant, Celia Thaxter, Lucy Larcom, and others. There is a capital human-fairy sketch by Rebecca Harding Davis. Donald G. Mitchell contributes a characteristic article, entitled "Who Wrote the Arabian Nights?" and the first chapters of a serial story by Frank R. Stockton are given. A salutatory by the conductor, Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge, is sure to reach the heart of every child-reader—and the hearts of their fathers and mothers as well. Among the stories we find a charmingly-told account of a fairy's visit to a bee-hive, by Annie Moore; an exceedingly funny little story by Margaret Eytinge, and lively tales by Paul Fort and J. S. Stacy. Lucretia P. Hale tells the adventures of a doll, Noah Brooks has a capital article for boys, called "By the Sea," and Olive Thorne talks about a certain "Old Fashioned Hat."

There are also interesting descriptions of zebras, passenger-pigeons, the curious inhabitants of the Farallone Islands, and the Piute Indians, besides bright little "Jingles" and a whole page in large type for little children with big eyes. We must not forget to mention as an admirable feature a short story in German, for the benefit of youngsters who are learning that language. A similar French story is announced for the next number. Then "Jack-in-the-Pulpit," a curious fellow who is full of little bits of wit and wisdom, holds forth most entertainingly; and there are capital notices of juvenile books, intended for those who will read the books, and a puzzle department that will certainly sharpen the wits of the youngsters.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The following circular has been issued by the Executive Committee recently appointed by Co. Supt. Chapman to make arrangements for the forthcoming Teachers' Institute, which is to be held in Johnstown, commencing on the 24th of next month:

To.....

The Seventh Annual Meeting of the Cambria County Teachers' Institute will be held in Johnstown, commencing on Monday, the 24th day of November, 1873. The exercises will be varied and interesting, consisting of class-drills, essays, reports, discussions, select readings, lectures, &c. No person will be called upon for any exercise who has not previously consented to appear in the programme. This remark is made, that none need fear being asked to do something for which he or she is not prepared. *Strict reference will be had to the part taken in the Institute, in granting Professional Certificates hereafter.*

Among those who will contribute to the success of the Institute, are Hon. S. G. Boyd, of York, Pa., Prof. T. T. Morrell, Chemist to the Cambria Iron Company. A series of *free evening Lectures* by the above-named gentlemen will be arranged for the Institute.

Comfortable boarding places will be provided at very moderate rates. For railroad excursion tickets, apply personally or send postage stamp and address to the County Superintendent, at Ebensburg, Pa.

Wednesday, the 26th day of November, will be set apart as "Directors' Day." School directors throughout the county are invited to be present.

The Teachers' Institutes of Cambria County have been heretofore unsurpassed; we trust that all interested will strive to make the approaching one equal to its predecessors in spirit and usefulness.

The undersigned committee solicit your presence at the Institute, and will consider your attendance a personal favor.

MOLLIE R. DAVIS, Teacher Ebensb'g U. Schools,
M. A. SHEPHERD, Teacher Johnst'n U. Schools,
MARY GRIFFIN, Teacher Millville U. Schools,
T. C. MYERS, Teacher Summitville School,
B. B. PATTERSON, Supt. Johnstown U. Schools,
T. J. CHAPMAN, County Superintendent.
Committee.

THE OLDEST TAILOR OF THEM ALL.—Ebensburg lays claim to the oldest tailor—that is to say, the tailor who for the greatest consecutive number of years has followed the business of tailoring—in this or any other State, not excluding Tennessee, where Andy Johnson lives. In a copy of the *Olive Branch and Cambria Record*, published in Ebensburg, and dated December 23, 1819, appears an advertisement whereof the following is a copy:

John Dougherty, Taylor and Habit-Maker, respectfully informs the inhabitants of Ebensburg and its vicinity that he intends to carry on the above business in all its branches in the house lately occupied by John Lloyd, and immediately opposite the printing office. Being well instructed in the new mathematical and compass rule, he hopes by strict attention to merit a share of the public patronage.

That was nearly fifty-four years ago, and Mr. Dougherty had then been engaged in the tailoring business a year or more. He has worked at the same trade uninterruptedly ever since, all the time in Ebensburg with the exception of about one year, and to-day he continues to twirl his goose and ply his needle in the same town. Though eighty years of age, the old gentleman is healthy and hearty, and bids fair to remain in the land of the living for many years to come. Is he not the oldest tailor of them all?—*Altoona Tribune.*

POETRY.—I. T. Coppock is a very safe buyer, and a good judge of goods, whether capes, shawls or hoods, cloaks, dresses or hats, carpets, oil cloths or mats, ribbons, flowers and lace, and even rouge for the face. And Coppock can sell his choice goods very well, because he is kind and speaks out his mind; and all who will try can undoubtedly buy at the Opera Hall, where he invites one and all, to 212, where he has every shelve crammed full of choice winter goods, which will be sold in a trice at a very low price. 212 Main street, Johnstown.

A KISSING SCENE.—"Oh! kiss me and go," said the maid of his heart, as she proffered her lips as his pay to depart; "the morn is approaching, my mother will know, my kindest and dearest, just kiss me and go!" And the smack that he gave her was tarnation loud, as they parted that morning at the steps of the door, and soon the brave "lover" was lost in the crowd that was rushing pell mell to S. J. Hess & Bro.'s cheap clothing store, 141 Main street, Johnstown.

RIGHT ON THE RECORD.—Now and then a rumor reaches the public ear that somebody, generally a resident of the rural districts, has been "taken in and done for" on a sewing machine, or some other labor-saving invention. In a few instances these dishonest dodges have been ventilated through the newspapers, one or two cases having recently been reported, wherein a sewing machine agent is said to have been granted the privilege of leaving machines at certain houses until he would call for them, receiving in return what purported to be an acknowledgment of such fact, duly signed by the proprietors of such houses, but what afterward proved to be exemption notes, payable within a specified time. We say stories of this kind have been told time and again, but whether true or false it is not our purpose now to inquire. We merely wish to say that, if true, Mr. M. L. Brown, of this place, agent for the renowned and unsurpassable Singer Sewing Machine, is *not* the man who did the swindling. He has a machine that can and does recommend itself, and he has come among us to make an honest living in an honest way, and would not resort to any disreputable dodges if a fortune could be made in the operation. We know these statements to be facts, and while we can truthfully say, after an experience of several years in our own family, that the Singer machine is without a superior, we can just as emphatically declare that Mr. Brown is above and beyond a mean or mercenary act of any kind. He believes, as we believe, that no family should do without a sewing machine, and thus believing he offers, on the most liberal terms, a machine that never has and never will fail to give entire satisfaction in every instance, and if the parties whom he solicits do not see fit to purchase that is the end of the transaction. He deals fairly and squarely, and deserves to be dealt with in like manner. Let him be encouraged.

APPLE DUMPLINGS, BAKED.—Three and a half pints of flour, one quart of sweet milk, one tea-spoonful of salt; mix together; then add two measures Banner Baking Powder; take one dozen sour apples, pare and core them whole; grease well with lard one dozen common cups, fill them half full with batter, then place the apples in, fill the cavities in the latter with sugar and a little grated nutmeg, or ground cinnamon; cover with the remainder of the batter; bake about one hour, in a moderately hot oven; if no cups, use a large dish.

Each can of the Banner Baking Powder contains a small measure, to be used even full according to printed directions. If you cannot obtain this really valuable article from your grocer, send twenty-five cents by mail, addressed to Banner Baking Powder, P. O. Lock Box 317, Pittsburgh, Pa., and you will receive, postage paid, a quarter pound package, together with a list of fifty valuable recipes.

PREPARE FOR WINTER.—The present cold snap may not last long, but if you put off buying an overcoat or your supply of warm clothing you may find that winter has come before you are ready for it. Buy in time, then, and buy from James J. Murphy, 109 Clinton street, Johnstown, who has a very complete, a very handsome, and a very cheap stock of winter clothing just now on his shelves, and can please any man's taste and suit any man's purse.

GOOD SUNDAY suits for goood boys, at Oak Hall, Sixth and Market, Philadelphia. WANAMAKER & BROWN have the largest stock on the Continent.

OBITUARY.

DONAHOE.—Died, at her residence at Portage Station, on the 23d inst., Mrs. MARY DONAHOE, in the 65th year of her age.

GORDON.—Died, in Johnstown, on Monday last, Mrs. MAGDALENE GORDON, aged 85 years and 6 months.

EVANS.—Died, in Johnstown, on Saturday last, ROGER EVANS, aged 72 years.

NOTICE.—I have this day bought from ROMAN EBIG, of Carrolltown borough, the following property, which I have left with him and for his use until further notice; 1 cow, 1 hog, 1 bureau, 1 table, 1 stand, 6 chairs, 1 cooking stove, 1 heating stove, 2 bedsteads and bedding, 1 cupboard, 1 sink, 1 clock, and a set of dishes. I hereby warn all persons against meddling or in any way interfering with said property. PETER STOLTZ.
Barr Twp., Cambria Co., Oct. 18, 1873.—31-3t.*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of MARY DONAHOE, dec'd.
Letters of Administration on the estate of MARY DONAHOE, late of Washington township, Cambria county, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.
THOMAS DONAHOE, Adm'r.
Washington Twp., Oct. 31, 1873.-6t.*

ESTATE OF PAT'K DONAHOE, DEC'D.—Letters of Administration on the estate of PATRICK DONAHOE, late of Allegheny township, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified that payment must be made without delay, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
SUSANNA H. DONAHOE,
ALFRED P. DONAHOE, } Adm'rs.
Allegheny Twp., Oct. 31, 1873.-6t.*

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county to report distribution of the money in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of the defendant's real estate in the case of Richard H. Tudor vs. Evan E. Evans, No. 71, September Term, E. D., *Vend. Expon.*, notice is hereby given to all parties interested that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office with the Recorder of Deeds, &c., in Ebensburg, on MONDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1873, at 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., when and where they may present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. J. GALLITZIN LAKE.
Ebensburg, Oct. 31, 1873.-3t.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.—TO ROBERT DONALDSON, one of the heirs and legal representatives of EDWARD DONALDSON, late of Washington township, Cambria county, deceased:
Take notice that an Inquisition will be held at the late dwelling house of Edward Donaldson, late of Washington township, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, deceased, on FRIDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1873, AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said deceased to and among his children and legal representatives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling the whole; otherwise to value and appraise the same—at which time and place you are requested to attend if you think proper.
W. B. BONACKER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Oct. 28, 1873.

Trustee's SALE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises in Blacklick township, on

FRIDAY, November 1st, 1873,
AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

by public vendue or outcery, the following described Real Estate, of which ABRAHAM C. MAKIN, late of said township, died seized, to-wit:

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situate in the Township of Blacklick, County of Cambria, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock on line of tract George Slough, south 26½ degrees, west 150 perches, more or less, to a hemlock; thence north 64 degrees, west 167 perches, to a post; thence north 26¾ degrees, east 150 perches, to a beech (down); thence south 64 degrees, east 167 perches, to the place of beginning—containing

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with the usual allowance of six per cent. for roads—85 ACRES of which are cleared—having thereon erected a two-story PLANK HOUSE and a small LOG STABLE.

TERMS OF SALE.—The costs incident to partition and sale to be paid on confirmation of sale; two-thirds of the balance of the purchase money to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives of the said deceased, or the parties entitled thereto, in one year thereafter, with interest; and the remaining third to remain as a lien on the premises until the death of Elizabeth Wilson, late Elizabeth Slaffin, widow of said deceased, the interest whereof to be paid annually and punctually to her during her lifetime, and at her death the said remaining third to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives aforesaid, or the persons then legally entitled to the same—the purchaser to enter into recognizance in the Orphans' Court, with sufficient surety, to be approved of by the said Court, for the payment of the purchase money aforesaid.
Oct. 31-3t. W. B. BONACKER, Trustee.

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ESTATE OF JANE WHERRY, DEC'D.—AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria County to hear and decide on exceptions to the account of Geo. J. Rodgers and William Kittell, Executors of the last will and testament of Jane Wherry, late of the Borough of Ebensburg, County of Cambria, deceased, hereby notifies all persons interested that he will attend to the duties of his appointment, at his office in Ebensburg, on FRIDAY, NOV. 14TH, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where they must attend and present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. JAMES NULL, Auditor.
Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County, to report distribution of the money in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of defendant's real estate, in the case of George Wehn, sr., vs. Mary Constable and Alfred Constable, No. 75, September Term, 1873, Ex. Doc., *Vraditioni Exponas*, notice is hereby given to all parties interested, that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office in Ebensburg, on WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19TH, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where they must present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.
GEO. W. OATMAN, Auditor.
Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to report distribution of the funds in the hands of Jane Mullen, (now intermarried with C. Lahey,) Administratrix of the estate of John Mullen, late of Washington township, deceased, as shown by her second and final account, all parties interested are hereby notified that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office in Ebensburg, on THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where they must present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.
GEO. W. OATMAN, Auditor.
Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-3t.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE!—SARAH ANN TURNER, by her next friend, SAMUEL TREES, vs. SAMUEL TURNER—Common Pleas of Cambria County, No. 58, March Term, 1873.—*Libel in Divorce.*
Oct. 24, 1873, the Court appoint W. HORACE ROSE, Esq., a Commissioner to take testimony in this case. From the Record.
Notice is hereby given, that, pursuant to the above appointment, I will sit at my office, in the Borough of Johnstown, on WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19th, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which time all parties interested can attend if they see proper. W. HORACE ROSE,
Johnstown, Oct. 22, 1873. Commissioner.

NOTICE.—IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY—SARAH ANN TURNER, by her next friend, SAM'L TREES, vs. SAMUEL TURNER—No. 58, March Term, 1873, —*Pluries Subpœna in Divorce.*
To the respondent above named: You are hereby required to appear at a Court of Common Pleas to be held at Ebensburg, for the County of Cambria, on the first Monday of December next, to answer the complaint of the libellant in the above stated case.
W. B. BONACKER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-4t.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.
Estate of WM. CALLAN, dec'd.
Letters Testamentary to the estate of WILLIAM CAL