THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

Ebensburg, Pa.,
FRIDAY, - - MAY 28, 1875.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Here, There, and the Other Place.

—Decoration Day has been made a legal holiday by the Legislature of this State.

—John Daugherty, the younger, caught a fourteen and a half pound "tapping snortle" in Sechler's dam on Wednesday.

—For reasons which will be obvious to many of our readers, we issue the *Freeman* this week one day in advance of the usual time.

—Forest fires are raging in various localities in the neighborhood of Johnstown, and indeed in many other places throughout the county.

—All donations of provisions, clothing, &c., for the Osceola sufferers will be shipped over over the Pa. R. R. Do you hear that, Ebensburgers?

—Engine No. 260 ran 100,589 miles on the Pa. R. R., during a period of three years, one month and one day, before being sent to the shop for repairs.

—Everybody has turned over a new leaf in the weather topic, complaints about the cold weather having given place to growlings about the excessive heat.

—Several glorious showers have this week been poured upon Mother Earth here and vicinabouts, and vegetation, as a consequence, is bumping itself quite lively.

—The "Burnt Cork Minstrels" is the title of a home-made troupe which is to spread itself promiscuously at Union Hall, Johnstown, on Saturday night next.

—Messrs. Johnston and Freidhoff, the men who were shot at Summitville on Monday of last week, are both rapidly recovering from the effects of their wounds.

—Out of the fifteen hundred persons rendered homeless by the recent fire at Osceola, it is estimated that at least one thousand are utterly destitute and in great distress.

—The Jubilee promulgated by Pope Pius IX for the year 1875 will commence in the Church of the Holy Name, in this place, on Sunday, June 13th, and continue fifteen days.

—Mr. Martin Foster, father of Mr. Andrew Foster, of the firm of Geis, Foster & Quinn, Johnstown, died rather unexpectedly at his home in Altoona, at an early hour on Saturday morning last.

—A young man named Mowry was struck by lightning at Jenner X Roads, Somerset county, on Sunday afternoon last, and instantly killed. A horse which he was riding at the time shared the same fate.

—Harry, a little son of Mr. Wm. Davis, of this place, fell from a box swing, at the residence of Mr. E. J. Humphreys, in the West Ward, on Tuesday afternoon, and fractured his right arm between the wrist and elbow.

—Attention is invited to the call of the chairman of the Democratic County Committee for a meeting of that body on Monday, June 14th. The names of the gentlemen composing said committee will be published in our next issue.

—A farm house owned by Mr. George Eby and occupied by Mr. Laban Hall, two miles east of Huntingdon, was burned to the ground, with all its contents, on Thursday last. A spark from a locomotive is supposed to have set the house on fire.

—The local editor of the Osceola *Reveille* lost everything except his wife and six or seven children in the late fire at that place, and now it is proposed to raise collections specially for him in every "print shop" in the county. All right—he shall have our mite.

—The body of Mrs. Wm. Zimmerman, of Somerset county, who was interred in a graveyard between Stoystown and Jenner X Roads about one year ago, was taken up for removal the other day, when it was found that the remains were perfectly petrified.

—A new time table went into effect on the Pa. R. R. and Branches on Sunday last, but it is thought to be only a temporary arrangement. Under its provisions the morning train leaves Ebensburg at 6 o'clock precisely, which is ten minutes earlier than heretofore.

—A child is reported to have been suffocated to death in one of the burning buildings at Houtzville, near Houtzdale, Clearfield county, on Thursday, and the wife of a woodsman, name not given, is said to have been driven to death in her log cabin in the forest near Osceola.

—Our bosom friend, as it were so to speak, Jas. J. McKiernan, of Altoona, whose name went in blind to some extent until we got a capital I in it in mistake for a J., is, we note with regret, just now, or at least was a few days ago, suffering with a severe attack of sore throat.

—A domestic in the employ of Rev. Jesse Akers, in West Huntingdon, attempted to end her mortal career, on Saturday last, by cutting several veins in one of her arms.—The interposition of Mr. Akers saved her life, however, and she was afterwards sent to her home in Lewistown.

—Daniel Naptzinger, of Oliver township, Mifflin county, heard the report of a gun the other day while plowing in one of his fields, and soon after discovered that a rifle ball had penetrated his pantaloons and, breaking a knife in his pocket. Whence the missile came he failed to discover.

—To-day (Thursday) being the feast of Corpus Christi, or the "Body of Christ," a holiday of obligation, it will be observed with the usual pomp and ceremony at the Catholic church in this place. Mass at 8 and 10 o'clock, a.m., and Vespers, Benedictions, &c., at 7 o'clock, p. m.

—Joseph Grimes, of Tyrone, Blair county, was found seriously ill and in destitute circumstances in an outhouse in Johnstown, on Friday last, and was taken in charge by Poor Director Bloch and removed to his private establishment for medical treatment, but died between five and six o'clock the next morning.

—A Kernevillian named Koons very imprudently took a bath in the Conemaugh river on Monday evening last, while overheated, and as the water was decidedly frigid at the time, he harvested a heavy crop of cramps and came very near being a gone coon before morning. Prompt and untiring efforts saved his life, however.

—No better opportunity for men of capital and enterprise to engage in a business that cannot fail to prove remunerative if properly conducted, was ever presented in this community than is now offered in the proposed sale of the planing mill advertised in another column, and we hope that the right man for the emergency will soon present himself.

—Mr. Henry Bender, of Carroll township, and Mr. Martin Sanders, of Cambria township, desired us to insert their respective names this week as aspirants for the office of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, but as we overlooked the matter until too late, we thus briefly announce the fact of their candidacy, but will give place in our next issue.

—Messrs. Geis, Foster & Quinn of Johnstown, who have recently opened a magnificent stock of dress goods, dry goods, millinery, etc., are now offering for sale a job lot of good prints, fast colors, in ten and fifteen cent pieces, at seven and a half cents per yard. New Plaid Suitings, elegant styles, at the remarkable low price of 25 cents a yard, and good black alpacas at only 30 cents.

—It never pays to fret and growl when fortune seems our foe; the better bred will push ahead and strike the braver blow, especially as they are anxious to get full value for their money, which can always be done at the cheap cash store of Myers & Lloyd, who have lots of nice goods for the Spring trade and a very commendable desire to sell everything at the lowest possible figures. Give them a chance.

—The Altoona *Mirror* announced that Dorsey King, of the lightning rod firm of King & Jones, Johnstown, was in that city on Monday, and then very considerately added that Dorsey is not like other lightning rode men; he don't call people out of bed at one o'clock in the morning and tell them that their house will be struck by lightning in less than ten minutes if they fail to contract for lightning rods instanter.

—Good luck is work, and those who shirk should not lament their doom, but yield the play, and clear the way, that better men have room—to save money by buying all they need in the matter of dry goods and groceries at E. J. Mills' cheapest of cheap cash stores.

—The best investment is one that will result in permanent benefit to the investor. A fair instance of this is the economy practised and the satisfaction gained by purchasing clothing at Godfrey Wolf's great Clothing Bazaar, next door to the Post-Office, Altoona, where garments elegant and seasonable, to suit every taste and every pocket book, are now displayed in abundance greater than anywhere else in the country.

—An attempt was made on Sunday last to burn the residence of Mr. Arther Fowler, between Larimer and Penn station, Westmoreland county, and while that gentleman was subduing the flames several shots were fired at him, fortunately without effect, nearly fifty of which entered the house, but strange as it may seem injured no one. The incendiary attempt is said to have been the result of the mining troubles in that vicinity.

—Our band boys can now plume themselves on the possession of handsome blue caps, with very pretty red, white and blue plumes standing guard in front and towering above them, and the letters "E. C. B.," enclosed in a wreath, and all wearing a bright silver sheen, emblazoned on the front. The caps, which were gotten up by Mr. Ben. Thompson, are real "sniptious," and will add very much to the *tout ensemble* of our already good looking friends of the horns, cymbals and drums.

—Beautiful Spring! it is of thee we would sing, although we confess that your gentle caress is a rather coquettish thing; and yet it is true if it were not for you the styles and the shades, the textures and grades comprised in the stock cheap and new so finely displayed, so neatly arrayed on well-filled shelves at Oak Hall, would not be so rich, so cheap and all sich, were it not for your annual call. Hess & Bro.'s Oak Hall Clothing Bazarr, 241 and 243 Main street, Johnstown.

—Our "sojer boys" have adopted the $12 25 uniforms, same as those worn by the Juniata Rifles, Hollidaysburg, and recommended by Lieut. Col. Milliken, who came here Saturday evening fearfully and wonderfully gotten up in gorgeous regimentals, accompanied by two members of said company, for the purpose of getting an expression of opinion on the uniform question. The suits will be forthcoming in due time, and we hope they will give satisfaction, though we are not very sanguine on that score.

—It is well to be merry and wise; it is well to be honest and true; it is well just now to surprise yourself with a suit cheap, tidy and new; and to all of these wells we beg leave to append an advice that you'll do well to heed, and that is, if you have a little money to spend, to Star Clothing Hall you should speed, where you'll find Murphy, James J., the smile on his face always sweet, and an elegant stock in endless array will your wants and your purse promptly meet. Star Clothing Hall, 109 Clinton street, Johnstown.

—Altoona has already contributed two car loads of provisions and other needful articles to the Osceola sufferers. All honor to the generous people of Altoona. Ebensburg, we may add by way of parenthesis, is—yet to be heard from, save and except a small collection taken up for the family of Mr. ——— Walters, whose wife, formerly Miss Mary Davis, grand-daughter of Mr. Robert Roberts, was raised in this place, and who barely escaped with their lives from the terrible conflagration which totally destroyed the above named place on Thursday of last week.

—The Mountain House at Cresson will be opened for the reception of guests on Thursday, June 17th, under the superintendence of Geo. W. Mullin & Co, the associates in the firm being Mr. Geo. K. Mullin, the senior member, and Mr. Frank A. Barr, of Pittsburgh, both of whom have been connected with the house for several years past. We welcome our genial friend, Geo. K., back to the mountain, knowing as we do that under his personal supervision Cresson Springs will continue to flourish, as heretofore, like a green bay tree.

—We don't know that the fact has ever before found its way into print, but it is a fact none the less that there is, or was a few years ago, a large hemlock tree with a pine top growing in the vicinity of Portage, this county—a freak of nature, if it can be called such, which has long puzzled the denizens of that vicinity, the only solution of the problem being that the pine top must have been grafted on the hemlock trunk by the Indians fully a century ago. The tree is or was at the time referred to, in the full vigor of life, but it bore no limbs other than the pine ones which surmounted it.

—The new chapel at Mt. Gallitzin Seminary will be dedicated Friday forenoon by Bishop Domenec, and in the afternoon the Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred by the same degnitary upon quite a number of children connected with the Church of the Holy Name in this place. Both these ceremonies will be interesting and impressive, and while each will no doubt attract large audiences, we trust that those who attend the dedication services will go prepared to manifest in a substantial way their appreciation of the good Sisters of St. Joseph and the noble work they have in hand.

—The meeting on Monday night to make arrangements for the decoration on Saturday next of the soldiers' graves in this vicinity did not prove a success, and since then nothing has been done in that direction; still we do not doubt that the programme will be carried out in good style when the time comes, even though the necessary preliminaries should be delayed to the last moment. The absence of Rev. Father Christy, the "fighting parson" as he is called, seems to be much regretted by all patriotic spirits at this particular juncture, as this would not be thus if he was here to take a hand in the matter.

—We congratulate our good old boss Traugh on the attainment of his thirtieth year in the harness as editor and proprietor of the "gay and incomparable" Hollidaysburg *Standard*—a congratulation which we extend with special unction inasmuch as we footed it around town as the carrier boy of the initial as well as many succeeding numbers of that sterling sheet, then as now under his control, having entered the venerable and venerated O. S. O. as "printer's devil" on Tuesday morning, April 15, 1845. Therefore it is that we take particular pride in recording the long continued success of the *Standard* and its editor, the latter of whom we hope will for many years yet be spared from the burning—no, the turning of the last leaf in his eventful life history.

—Many acts of heroism were performed during the recent fire at Osceola. A young man named E. De Beck, formerly a State policeman, heard that a woman who had just been confined was lying helplessly in a shanty in the woods, across the creek from Moshannon Mills. The mill had caught fire and was burning fiercely. There was a narrow passage leading to the woods between the mill and a pool in which logs were stored. The logs were burning even while they floated in the water. De Beck, with four or five others, whose names could not be ascertained, started over this passage through the flames and smoke, reached the woman's house, and putting herself and her child on an old sofa, carried them safely out on their shoulders. De Beck's eyes were severely burned.

—The beautiful side altars recently placed in position in the Catholic church at Carrolltown are receiving the hearty commendation of all who have seen them, being entirely in keeping with the interior of that spacious and elegant edifice and exceedingly creditable to the builder, Mr. Charles Oswald, of Johnstown, who, it is proper to say, had little or no previous experience in work of that kind. The altars, which cost only $400 and were built at a considerable loss to Mr. Oswald, are each twenty feet high and ten feet wide. They are Gothic in style, and are constructed of dark chestnut wood, sparsely decorated with gilt ornaments. The same gentleman has also recently completed a high altar for the Catholic church at Sharpsburg, besides building several altars for churches in and about Johnstown, all which are eminently worthy of a master hand and reflect great credit on the genius and skill of Mr. Oswold, who, by the way, was raised at Carrolltown and is much esteemed in that community, as indeed he is wherever known.

AN APPEAL FOR RELIEF.—The terrible fires in Clearfield county have left a thousand people without suitable food, shelter or raiment. Such a calamity is beyond adequate relief in its immediate vicinity and therefore appeals to a wider sympathy for prompt and generous aid. Will the people of Cambria see so many citizens of an adjoining county suffering for the necessaries of life without lending a helping hand to the amelioration of their deplorable condition? We certainly hope not. On the contrary, we trust that the following appeal, issued by the Osceola Relief Committee, will find a generous response from all who have hearts to feel and the ability to assist their fellow creatures in distress:

TYRONE, May 22.—*Fellow Citizens:* The fire-fiend has been once more abroad in the land, and a whole community are mourning over their desolate hearth-stones.

A terrible conflagration has swept over the prosperous and happy town of Osceola, Clearfield county, Pa.

Between 1,200 and 1,500 people have been made houseless and homeless by this great calamity, one-half of whom are entirely destitute, not only of food, but of the commonest clothing, likewise.

These people must be assisted, and helped to re-establish their former homes and rebuild their ruined town.

The object of this circular is to direct the attention of all charitable disposed persons and communities, to the great necessity of prompt and immediate measures for the relief of the sufferers.

Six hundred people, deprived of everything they possessed, and destitute of all means of subsistence, appeal with hopeful hearts to the sympathies of their fellow citizens of other places, and ask of them food, clothing and money. Shall not this appeal meet with a generous and a cheerful response? Let the people answer as one man, and let supplies pour in to these deserving and unfortunate citizens.

All moneys should be sent to the Phillipsburg banking company, at Philipsburg, and all other supplies to the Osceola relief board, at Osceola.

"The Lord loveth a cheerful giver."

L. G. LINGLE, President.
G. M. BRISBIN, Secretary.

The above call is also signed by the following gentlemen: W. A. Crist, T. R. Blandy, J. P. Hale, Osceola; Chester Munson, O. P. Jones, George H. Zeigler, Philipsburg; A. W. Lee, Rev. W. H. Dill, E. A. Bigler, Clearfield; ex-Governor A. G. Curtin, Hon. P. Gray Meek, E. Perks, J. W. Furey, B. Sternberg, Bellefonte; Z. M'Naul, J. P. Irvin, Curwensville; D. D. Wood, A. B. Hoover, D. T. Caldwell, Tyrone; Wm. Cunningham, H. G. Fisher, Huntingdon; Thos. M'Cauley, John Lloyd, S. I. Fries, Altoona; L. A. Mackey, Wm. Simpson, Lock Haven.

SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION—*Order of Exercises.*—J. C. Martin, Esq., Secretary of the Cambria County Sabbath School Association, has sent us a circular containing the following order of exercises to be observed at the sixth annual session of said Association, which is to be held in the Lutheran church, Wilmore, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 1st and 2d, proximo:

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION.

10:15.—Devotional Exercises, conducted by Wm. Stewart, Johnstown.
10:30.—Objects of the Convention, by C. T. Roberts, President.
10:40.—Order and Ventilation for Sunday Schools. Rev. G. W. Swaney, Johnstown.
11:30—Reports of Sabbath Schools, &c.
11:55—Adjourn.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:00—Devotional Exercises, conducted by A. Y. Jones, Ecensburg.
2:15.—Reports of Committees, &c.
2:15—The Superintendent's Tongue. A. J. Haws, Johnstown.
3:30.—Recess.
3:40.—The Teacher's Face. G. A. Kinkead, Ebensburg.
4:20.—The Best Financial System for the Sunday School, For What Purpose Should Collections be Used. Rev. T. R. Jones, Ebensburg.
5:00.—Adjourn.

EVENING SESSION.

7:30.—The Model Sunday School Teacher. J. C. Martin, Portage.
8:15.—Educational Power of the Sunday School. Rev. R. A. Fink, D. D., Johnstown.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION.

9:30.—Devotional Exercises. W. W. Pike, Johnstown.
9:45.—Should Teachers who Persistently Neglect Preparation for Teaching be Retained in Service? Rev. W. Settlemyer, Wilmore.
10:30.—Report of Delegate to State S. S. Convention. A. A. Barker, Ebensburg.
10:45.—Are the Wants of the Sunday School Real or Imaginary? Rev. James Shearer, Wilmore.
11:30—Reports.
11:55.—Adjourn.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2:00.—Devotional Exercises. N. S. George.
2:15.—Sacred Geography. Henry Ely.
3:30.—What Right has a Teacher to Enforce Obedience? P. M. Woleslagle, Wilmore.
4:15.—Question Box. D. J. Jones.
4:50.—Adjourn.

C. T. ROBERTS, President.
HENRY WALTERS, M. S. JONES,
P. M. WOLESLAGLE, JOHN J. DAVIS,
N. S. GEORGE, Executive Committee.
J. C. MARTIN, Secretary.

—We were visited on Tuesday last by Mr. Charles Johnston, one of the parties to the Summitville shooting affray, who desired us to correct an alleged mistatement in our report of the transaction in last week's issue, wherein we were led by our informant to say that Mr. Linton was in a stooping posture and in the act of putting a box in the spring when he was struck and knocked down, while the truth of the matter, according to Mr. Johnston, is that Mr. L. was not near the spring at all nor even inside of Messrs. Johnston's field when the blow was dealt him, he being at the time on the opposite side of the fence from the Johnstons, who were on their own premises, and was rushing towards Charles Johnston as if intending to assault him with the box, when the latter struck him, not with a club, as has been alleged, but with a small hickory withe which he held in his hand. Mr. Johnston also declares that Mr. Myers was the first to break the peace, inasmuch as he commenced tearing down Messrs. Johnston's fence and when remonstrated with threatened to shoot Charles Johnston—a threat which he did not attempt to carry out, however, until Mr. Linton had been knocked down, when he fired two shots at each of the Johnstons, one of which inflicted a wound in James Johnston's side and another passed through the sleeve of his coat. Deeming the Johnston brothers worthy of a hearing in their own behalf we freely give place to this their denial of certain alleged facts connected with the unfortunate affair.

—Among the innumerable monuments, tombstones and other works of art which have left the hands of Mr. James Wilkinson, marble manufacturer at Loretto, this county, there is not one, we venture to say, which does not reflect entire credit upon his skill and ingenuity as a master workman. In nearly every cemetery in Cambria county, and in many outside of it, can be found evidences of his handiwork, all of which point to him as a mechanic who has no superior anywhere and who can be relied on for a perfect job at honest prices. In proof of this it is only necessary to refer to the beautiful monument just completed by him and soon to be erected in the Catholic cemetery at Bedford over the remains of the father and mother of Mr. F. D. Saupp, or to the monuments and tombstones which surmount the last earthly resting places of Mr. Wm. Callan, at Summitville, Mr. Thos. Adams, at St. Augustine, and Mr. Wm. Kaylor, at Loretto, and to equally creditable jobs throughout the county. Mr. Wilkinson is once more conducting business on his own hook, and no one desiring work in his line need be afraid of being cheated in either style or price if they entrust the matter to him.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—The well established hotel property at Summitville, Cambria county, known as the National House, is offered for sale at a big bargain until May 29th, after which, if not sold, it will be rented on accommodating terms. The house is well adapted to the business and has always enjoyed a remunerative patronage. For further information call on or address

JOHN C. BOLAND, Proprietor,
[5-21.-3t.] Summitville, Pa.

EXCURSION TO WILMORE.—The following communication fully explains itself:

PHILADELPHIA, May 25, 1875.

J. C. MARTIN, Esq., Sec'y Cambria Co. S. S. Association:—We will sell excursion tickets to S. S. Convention, to be held at Wilmore, from all Stations in the county, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, good to return until June 3d.

THOS. STECHER,
Gen'l Ticket Agent P. R. R.

"A CENTURY AFTER."—The first number of this elegant memorial book has just been received in advance of regular publication, and we cannot withhold our tribute to its perfectness as an artistic or literary work, or as a specimen of typographical beauty.

Among its many large and exquisitely engraved illustrations are—"The Old Swedes' Church, 1700;" "The State House in Midwinter;" "Observatory at Fairmount Park;" Christ Church, 1727;" "New Public Buildings;" "Independence Hall," and many other equally interesting.

Now, should some enterprising book publisher a century hence be fired by a laudable ambition to demonstrate the superiority of the American of 1976 in scientific attainments, art culture, mechanical ingenuity, and all the improvements and appliances known to an advanced civilization, over his less fortunate relative of to-day, and with this end in view prepare an illustrated book, every page perfected under his careful and loving supervision, we are possessed of just sufficient curiosity to desire to live long enough to ascertain how far the old fellow (a man must be old to be alive in 1976) would succeed in the difficult task of improving on the surpassing excellance displayed in this first number of "A Century After." We put on record here our want of confidence in his ability to do it.

The purpose of this work of art—the art of the *literateur*, the artist, the engraver, and the bookmaker—is to depict in its pages the picturesque features of Pennsylvania scenery, landscapes, and other views in Philadelphia and environs, and *fac simile* representations of venerable edifices and localities, hallowed with memories of the past, which yet remain to us, and, as a contrast, the architectural improvements of the present day.

The engravings are supplemented with a running commentary, written in a style at once graceful and entertaining, on the men and events of the century which draws to a close with the fourth day of July, 1876.

About two hundred and fifty superior engravings on wood—which will equal anything of the kind heretofore produced in this country—will be contained in the completed volume.

The work is deserving of all praise, and a copy of it should have a place in every home in our State.

Published in Philadelphia, at No. 233 South Fifth Street, by Allen, Lane & Scott and J. W. Lauderbach, and to be completed in fifteen semi-monthly parts, at fifty cents each. For sale only on subscription.

RULES FOR PARDON APPLICATIONS.—The Board of Pardons has issued a series of rules which it would be well that persons applying for pardon for convicts should understand. We condense them as follows: The Board will sit for the purpose of hearing applications on the first Tuesday of each month; proof of notice of application for pardon must be shown to have been published for two consecutive weeks in a county newspaper, the affidavit of the publisher of the journal being required; notice of application having been made must be furnished the Judge who tried the case and the District Attorney who prosecuted it; a certified copy of the whole record, including docket entries, etc., as well as a brief statement of the reasons upon which the application is based, notes of evidence taken in the trial, and letters from responsible parties, must be produced; no applications will be considered which are presented to individual members of the Board; all applications and correspondence must be addressed to or filed with the Recorder of the Board, at Harrisburg, so that the same may be prepared for presentation to the Board at the next session; and no application will be heard or considered unless the same, and papers upon which it is based, have been filed at least *ten* days before said session, *and in no instance will this rule be relaxed*; no application that has once been rejected will again be placed upon the record or heard by the Board without the consent of the Board first obtained therefor, and when submitted the second time, additional reasons, petitions, and proof of notices to Judge, District Attorney, and the public must be furnished anew, and no party will be permitted to occupy more than fifteen minutes in the oral discussion of any application unless by special request of the Board.

The Board of Pardons consists of the following named gentlemen: John Latta, Lieutenant Governor; M. S. Quay, Secretary of the Commonwealth; Samuel E. Dimmick, Attorney General, and William McCandless Secretary of Internal Affairs.

DEDICATION OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ALTOONA.—*Schedule of Special Trains.*—As heretofore announced in these columns, the dedication of St. John's (Catholic) church, Altoona, one of the largest and most imposing religious edifices in the State, outside the large cities, will be dedicated to the service of the Triune God on Sunday, May 30th, on which occasion the dedication sermon will be delivered by Rev. S. Wall, who is not surpassed for learning and eloquence by any clergyman in the State, and in the evening Rt. Rev. M. Domenec, Bishop of the diocese, will deliver a lecture appropriate to the occasion. Admission tickets either to the dedication ceremonies or the lecture, fifty cents each. Special trains on the Pa. R. R. and the Hollidaysburg Branch will run on that day as follows:

SPECIAL TRAIN FROM JOHNSTOWN.

Leaves Johnstown at	8:00	P. M.
" Conemaugh at	8:08	"
" Summerhill at	8:35	"
" Wilmore at	8:43	"
" Lilly's at	9:03	"
" Cresson at	9:13	"
" Gallitzin at	9:23	"
" Summit Furnace at	9:30	"
" Kittanning Point at	9:45	"
Arrives at Altoona at	10:00	"
Returning, leaves Altoona at	2:20	P. M.

SPECIAL TRAIN FROM MARTINSBURG.

Leaves Martinsburg at	8:30	A. M.
" Roaring Springs at	8:50	"
" Rodman at	8:55	"
" McKee's at	9:01	"
" Kladder's at	9:17	"
" Hollidaysburg at	9:32	"
" Y Switches at	9:37	"
" Canan's at	9:47	"
Arrives at Altoona at	10:05	"
Returning, leaves Altoona at	4:00	"

—We were mistaken in saying that T. C. Myers, the man who did the shooting at the Summit a few days, was under $500 bonds for his appearance at Court to answer the charge of shooting one of the Johnston brothers and firing two shots at the other. The sum should have been stated at $1,500, himself and two sureties being bound in the sum of $500 each. This correction we deem due as well in behalf of truth as in justice to our good friend James Condon, Esq., whose presumed acceptance of $500 on part of the man who did the shooting and the requirement of $1,000 from each of the Johnston brothers, who are charged by Mr. Linton with assault and battery with intent to kill, and by Mr. Myers with assault for a like purpose, might seem like favoritism in the dispensation of justice.

IS YOUR LIFE WORTH TEN CENTS?—Sickness prevails everywhere, and everybody complains of disease during their life. When sick, the object is to get well. Now we say plainly that no person in this world who is suffering with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and its effects, such as Indigestion, Costiveness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Palpitation of the Heart, Depressed Spirits, Biliousness, &c., can take GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER without getting relief and cure. If you doubt this, go to your Druggists, Lemmon & Murray, Ebensburg, or P. M. Woleslagle & Son, Wilmore, and get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try it. Regular size 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.—Will be offered at Public Sale, at the residence of WILLIAM COLE, in Carroll township, on TUESDAY, JUNE 1st, proximo, the following described personal property, to wit: 1 span of dark bay Stallions, three years old, 16 head heavy draught Horses, 2 Cows, 3 head Young Cattle, 12 sets heavy Harness, 1 double set Buggy Harness, 1 Threshing Machine, 1 Mower and Reaper, 1 Hay Rake, 2 Farm Wagons, 1 Spring Wagon, 1 Windmill, 1 Cutting-Box, Bob Sleds, and a great variety of Farming Utensils, Household Furniture, &c.

☞ Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., and to continue until all the property is sold. Terms made known on day of sale.

May 21, 1875.-2t. W. J. BUCK, Assignee.

[Written for the Cambria Freeman.]

DECORATION DAY, MAY 29th, 1875.

I.

Strew the flow'rs above their graves—
Cull the choicest and the fairest—
And above the hallow'd mounds
Softest requiems chaunt and rarest.
Blue and Gray lie mould'ring there,
'Neath one sod together sleeping,
While the nation mourns to-day.—
Either's mem'ry sacred keeping.

II.

Deck alike each verdant mound.—
Friends they now are, foes no longer;
We have proven in the fight
Not the braver, but the stronger!
Well the victor can afford
Hated memories to smother,
And his whilom foeman love
As a brave, if erring, brother!

III.

Bravely each the fight hath fought,
And with honor each hath fallen;—
From their flow'r-decked graves to-day
Both the nation loudly call on:
"Bury here the bitter Past!
Let not hate nor faction sever!
Here we now together rest,—
One be ye, like us, forever!" C.

OBITUARY.

DAVIS.—Died, at the residence of Mr. Martin Pringle, sr., near Wilmore, on Friday, May 21, 1875, Miss MAGGIE DAVIS, aged about 23 years.

Her disease was consumption, her death serene and tranquil, cheered as she was by the assurance of a blissful immortality beyond the tomb. Possessing all those excellent qualities which ennobles the female character, her loss will be sincerely lamented.

That mother's heart, so sad and weary—
It is aching at her loss;
She is bowed and nearly fainting
'Neath the heavy, crushing cross;
For she dreamed not that her Maggie
Would so soon be called away,
Till the silver cord was loosened—
Broken from her life's short day.

Early have her footsteps faltered,
Walking in the way of life;
Early wearied, she is resting
From the tumult of the strife.
She has left a world of sorrow,
Full of toil, and grief, and pain,
And our loss, though deep and heartfelt,
Infinitely is her gain.

We too shall hear the summons—
Hear the angels whisper "Come!"
And we'll pass the pearly portals
Of our bright, eternal home.
There may we meet our darling Maggie,
Who has only gone before;
There within our Father's mansion
May we meet to part no more. M.

Trustee's Sale.

THE undersigned Trustee will expose to Public Sale, on the premises in Cambria township, Cambria county, Pa., on

Monday, JUNE 21st,

proximo at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following real and personal property, to wit:

425 ACRES OF TIMBER LAND,

situate on the Turnpike, 2¼ miles west of Ebensburg, with a

Stationary Steam SAW MILL,

3 one-and-a-half story HOUSES, a large FRAME STABLE, and about 1,000,000 feet of peeled HEMLOCK LOGS, all on said tract. Also,

191 ACRES OF LAND

situate on the Blacklick, known as the "Morgan Tract," about three miles from Ebensburg, well timbered with CHERRY, POPLAR and HEMLOCK, and properly located for logging down the Blacklick or for manufacturing purposes. Also, the

Undivided One-Half of 106 Acres Land

situate in Barr township, Cambria county.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the delivery of the Deed, and the balance in one year thereafter with interest, to be secured by bonds and mortgage.

JOHN A. BLAIR.
May 28, 1875. Trustee of OWEN CUNNINGHAM.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
OF VALUABLE
COAL AND TIMBER LAND.

BY VIRTUE of an *alias* order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, the undersigned will offer at Public Sale, at Lilly's Station, on the Pa. R. R., on

Saturday, June 5, 1875,

at 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., the following described Real Estate, to wit:

A PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND,

situate in Washington township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of the Cambria Mining and Manufacturing Co., heirs of Jeremiah McGonagle, and others, containing

Two Hundred and Ten Acres,

more or less, about FIFTEEN ACRES cleared, having thereon erected THREE TENANT HOUSES. The land is well timbered, and is underlaid with

Three Veins of Coal.

A four-foot vein is opened, and the coal is of superior quality for manufacturing purposes. It is so located as regards dip and drainage that the coal can be taken out at comparatively little expense. A tram-road connecting this land with the Pa. R. R. was built by Otho Styner and the Mining and Manufacturing Co., at a cost of $7,000. The interest of the estate of Otho Styner, dec'd, in said tramroad, will be sold with the land, or separately.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two equal annual payments, with interest, to be secured by the judgment bonds and mortgage of the purchaser.

F. M. GEORGE,
JOSEPH CRISTE,
[5-21.-3t.] Executors of OTHO STYNER, dec'd.

PLANING MILL
FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offer at private sale the property recently occupied by the "Ebensburg Mining and Manufacturing Co.," situate in Ebensburg, Cambria county, Pa., consisting of

ONE ACRE OF GROUND,

fronting on the Ebensburg and Cresson Railroad, having thereon erected a

LARGE PLANING MILL,

42x60 feet, three stories high, with Boiler Shed attached, 12x53 feet. The machinery consists of one

40-HORSE POWER ENGINE AND BOILER,

1 **Combined Planer,** 24 inches wide, for surfacing and grooving; 1 **Surface Planer,** 20 in. wide; 3 **Circular Rip Saws,** with lift tables; 2 **Circular Cross-cut Saws,** with slide tables; 1 **Swing Circular Cross-Cut Saw;** 1 **Double Headed Shaping Machine,** with iron frame; 1 **Centric Lathe;** 1 **Hand Lathe,** with complete set of Tools, 1 **Polishing Drum,** 12 feet long 1 **Moulding Machine,** with slide heads. The above machinery, with necessary shafting, belting and pulleys, is in good working order, with an abundant supply of running water on the premises. Said building was erected specially for and has been used in the manufacture of flooring, siding, all kinds of handles, brush blocks, ballusters, etc. Cherry, ash, poplar, lime, sugar, beech, maple and white pine lumber to be had at moderate prices. There is also erected on the premises a

Two Story Frame Dwelling House

CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND A CELLAR.

☞ For terms apply to

JOHN A. BLAIR, Ebensburg,
JOHN LEWIS, "
W. B. HONACKER, Johnstown.

Ebensburg, May 14, 1875.-2m.

LICENSE NOTICE.—Petitions for License have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the County of Cambria by the following named persons, and will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of said County at June Sessions, 1875:

TAVERN LICENSE.

Chest Springs Borough—S. A. McGough.
Clearfield Township—John L. Swires.
Carrolltown Borough—Lawrence Schroth, Andrew H. Haug, Paul Ellwanger.
Chest Township—Thomas Ott, George Crook.
Croyle Township—And'w Adams, Frank Kurtz.
Ebensburg Borough—Mrs. L. H. Linton, East Ward; Michael Latterner, John Fitzharris, West Ward.
Gallitzin Borough—Albert Bender, Col. John Woods.
Gallitzin Township—Michael McMorris, M. F. Kelly, Matthew Dignam.
Loretto Borough—F. X. Haid, Florian Bengele.
Summitville Borough—Christ. Reich, John C. Boland.
Washington Township—Geo. W. Mullen, Christopher Robine, Patrick Dowd, Jacob S. Kiel.
Wilmore Boro'—Geo. Wenderoth, Jos. Horner.

EATING HOUSE LICENSE.

Carrolltown Boro'—Henry Blum, Julius Stich.
Gallitzin Borough—Nicholas Smeltzer.
Washington Township—M. B. McLaughlin.
Wilmore Borough—P. F. Kirby, John Schroth.

B. McGOLGAN, Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's Office, Ebensburg, May 10, 1875.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of *Vend. Expon., Al. Vend. Expon., Fi. Fa.,* and *Al. Fi. Fa.,* 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 7th day of JUNE next, at one o'clock, P. M., the