THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

EBENSBURG, PA.,

Friday Morning, - - Dec. 7, 1877.

WHAT SAY YE TO THIS!

A Proposition to Reduce the Price of the FREEMAN and put it on a Cash Basis.

Now that the eleventh volume of the FREEMAN is rapidly approaching completion, and our books are fairly groaning, as it were, under the weight of accumulated accounts, scattered in small sums all over the country, we deem it a proper time to make an effort to dispense with the credit system and put our business on a strictly cash basis. With that object, therefore, in view, we ask all our old patrons to pay as many new ones as possible to let us know on or before the first day of January next whether they are not willing to pay $1.50 in advance for the coming year, those outside of the county to pay 15 cents extra for postage. We ask, he be in or out of debt to us, need hesitate about accepting this proposition, as these are times, if unable to pay, can at least settle by giving their notes, although we earnestly urge upon all to pay up in full or in part, if at all possible. We ask no one for the present to sell us the money for the coming year, but we do ask all our patrons not only to let us hear from them on this subject, but to advise their friends not now receiving the FREEMAN to accept of our proposition. There are plenty of good men in all the towns and townships who will take pleasure in enrolling the names of all who are willing to take our paper on the terms offered, but where that or some similar proposition is not available, a penny postal card addressed to us will serve to inform us in regard to the matter. Of course all who have paid beyond the present year will be entitled to the same proportion of a reduction in price. Now, friends, let us hear from you on this subject on or before the 1st of January ensuing.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Here, There, and the Other Place.

—Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1878, has been fixed upon for Argument Court.

—Deer and pheasant shooting will be unlawful after the last day of this month.

—A double-bitted axe can be bought for $1 at A. A. Barker & Son's. Terms cash.

—David Black, of Huntingdon, claims to have killed twenty-three wild turkeys this season.

—It is estimated that there are fifteen thousand tramps in this State, not counting Mike.

—Ten pounds of white sugar for one dollar at A. A. Barker & Son's cheap cash store. Cash.

—The Hollidaysburg *Register* says that Miss Pettit is happy—it's a fine girl. Well, Miss Pettit.

—Mr. Tom Myers, of East Conemaugh, has concluded after all not to take any girl in his'n.

—The breezes are balmy, which, it is well to remember, is exceedingly rare for the month of December.

—The Johnstown *Tribune* is still indulging in conjectures as to what kind of weather we are going to have next.

—Ridpath's History of the United States has been adopted as a text-book in the schools of Franklin borough.

—The Peerless Plug and Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco should be found in every store in the country, (Pittsburgh).

—There is not a miner in the country who doesn't prefer W. & D. Rinehart's No. 1 Long Cut Smoking Tobacco, (Pittsburgh).

—A deer weighing 160 pounds was shot and killed on Laurel Hill, a few days ago, by Mr. Samuel Bridges, of Cambria borough.

—All the sweet things you need for the holidays can be bought very cheap at the confectionery establishment of E. C. Parrish.

—Whether in Ebensburg or Carrolltown you seek bargains to find, A. A. Barker & Son are the merchants to keep always in mind.

—A splendid Christmas present for the young folks—a Smithography Outfit, which we give as a premium for subscription to this paper.

—The Johnstown *Democrat* wants money. Its delinquent subscribers are like a large county of our own it will be apt to keep coming it.

—Zachariah Pool, aged ninety-eight years, died in Greensburg a few days ago. During long life the Pool was never disturbed by Nature's illness.

—The Hollidaysburg *Register* is responsible for the assertion that Smith has dairies in 1878. People whose cows have gone dry please take notice.

—John Baird accidentally shot himself in the arm on Saturday last, producing an ugly wound, while hunting on the mountain near Kittanning Point.

—Roasted coffee only 20 cts. per pound at the great cheap cash store of A. A. Barker & Son, who sell everything else equally low for cash and cash only.

—Wherever you see Iron Works, Coal Works &c., you will find the Long Cut Chewing Tobacco of W. & D. Rinehart, (Pittsburgh), the most popular.

—Life is but short, but we should do all we can to prolong it. Check a cough or cold at once and use an old reliable remedy such as Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

—An immense stock of candies, nuts, fruits and canned fruits, sweetmeats, etc., of every description, just received at the little store of E. C. Parrish, on High street.

—Ask your grocer, or your merchant, for the Peerless Plug and Fine Cut Smoking Tobacco, manufactured by W. & D. Rinehart, Pittsburgh, best in the United States. Show me the man who has not used W. & D. Rinehart's Peerless Plug or Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco, and I'll show you one whose education has been sadly neglected.

—Kind old Santa Claus has commissioned E. C. Parrish to act as his agent in the distribution of nuts, candies and other delicacies among the little folks of this vicinity.

—Ladies' and misses' furs and muffs and gents' fur collars, gloves and ruffs can be bought very cheap for cash from E. C. Parrish, at his little store round the corner on High street.

—Michael Gallagher, a former resident of Johnstown, plead guilty in Pittsburgh, on Saturday, to a charge of larceny preferred against him, and was sent to the workhouse one year.

—You needn't go to foreign parts, or even from home, to buy furs of any kind this winter, as E. C. Parrish has just received a fine lot to be sold very cheap on commission. Call and examine them.

—Boots, shoes, clothing, dress goods, dry goods, groceries, and almost everything else desirable for the daily wants of man, woman, or child, can be bought very cheap for cash from A. A. Barker & Son.

—Don't forget to bear in mind and keep remembrance that Dr. Hoffman will be in Carrolltown to morrow (Saturday), fully prepared and equipped for a successful raid on decayed teeth and diseased gums.

—Ladies whom the Hollidaysburg *Register* states do not wish her name mentioned has $500 as a thank offering to the President of the Permanent Exhibition, Philadelphia, for shutting up shop on Sundays.

—Parents cannot be too careful in guarding the health of their babies. Only a good and reliable medicine should be given to them. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is known not to contain anything injurious. Price 25 cents.

—The concert on behalf of the Ebensburg Cornet Band, which was announced to take place on the evening of New Year's day, has been postponed until Friday evening following, January 4th. Further particulars next week.

—We learn with sincere regret that our young friend and patron, Mr. Wm. Ryan, of this station, was badly injured by a fall from a "horseback" while at work, on Tuesday afternoon, in Tiley's coal bank, near that place. We have no particulars.

—Three of the four children of Deputy Sheriff H. A. Shoemaker, of this place, are sick at present, we regret to say, very seriously, though we hope not dangerously, afflicted with the scarlet fever, which of late has been quite prevalent in this vicinity.

—A Mr. Union, Huntingdon county, lad shot Benj. Himes was accidentally shot in the face, on Thanksgiving day, by a young fellow named Robert Rodgers, and as a result of the shot took effect in one of his eyes it is feared that the sight has been destroyed.

—A fourteen-year old daughter of Mr. Thomas Harrold, residing near Youngwood station, Westmoreland county, was so terribly burned on Friday morning last by her clothes taking fire from a grate, that she died in great agony on Saturday afternoon.

—It is seventy-eight years to-day since the boy with the little hatchet, otherwise known as George Washington, also as the Father of his Country, and likewise as "first in war, first in peace," etc., paid the death of nature, he having died on the 14th of December, 1799.

—A little child of Dennis Gardner, of Osceola, was burned to death one day last week by its clothes taking fire during the temporary absence of its mother, who returned only to find the clothing of her darling entirely consumed and the body reduced to a blackened crisp.

—A grand shooting match for a splendid new rifle will come off in this vicinity on Saturday of next week, Dec. 22d, the proceeds from which are to be devoted to a good purpose in every way worthy of that generous aid of which it stands much in need. Sharp-shooters, please take notice.

—On Friday evening last a piece of iron accidentally slipped from the hand of one of the men employed on the roof of the new blooming mill of the C. I. Co. at Johnstown, and striking Edward Ott, who was ascending a ladder at the time, on the head, knocked him down and fractured his left leg at the ankle.

—The Johnstown *Democrat* understands that Dr. Andrew Yeagley, of that city, will be a candidate for County Treasurer before the next Democratic county convention. Well, the more the merrier, but if the Doctor gets a chance to turn his attention from physic to finances it will be because we can't help it between now and the convention.

—The Supreme Court of the State decided not a great while ago that when a party gives a note waiving the exemption clause he cannot claim the right to have his real estate appraised when seized by the Sheriff, and hence it is that several properties in this county have recently been knocked down at less than two-thirds of the appraised value.

—In Hollidaysburg, on Saturday last, Wm. Charles, ten years old, quarrelled with Wm. Lewis, a couple of years his senior, about the possession of a "shinney stick," and in order to simplify matters drew a pocket-knife and stabbed young Lewis in the left eye, cutting clear through the pupil and totally destroying the sight. No arrest reported.

—We note the fact with sympathizing sorrow that Brother James, of the *Herald*, is once more in the merciless grip of that relentless scourge, the quinsy, which of late seems to have given us a very welcome go by and turned its attention exclusively to our less fortunate neighbor, whose speedy escape from its terrible clutches we most earnestly hope for.

—Mr. David Mock, of Bell township, Clearfield county, is the owner of a young chicken of last Spring's brood which not only has a double body, craw, viscera and tail, but four legs and four feet, all of which are surmounted by a single head. This living manstrosity is doing well and has attained a size commensurate with its days. It must be admitted, however, that it is a Mock chicken for all that.

—We were troubled with a very annoying cold in the head a few days ago, caused by wet weather and a pair of leaky boots, but found almost immediate relief by going to A. A. Barker & Son's cheap cash store and buying a pair of Arctic overshoes, which we got at a very low figure. Nothing like them to prevent and even cure a bad cold. No cash, no remedy, however.

—Two tracts of land in Barr township, owned by Egedius Levi and containing 80 and 160 acres respectively, the sale of which was postponed from Monday previous, were sold by the Sheriff on last Monday afternoon to John E. Scanlan, Esq., who paid $555 for the first tract and $115 for the latter. A difference in the title is what caused such a great disparity in the price.

—J. Nixon Kinkead, son of H. Kinkead, Esq., of this place, who some weeks ago was appointed a clerk in the registered letter department of the Baltimore post-office, has just been promoted to the position of issuing clerk in the money order department of the same office. Mr. Kinkead's upward progress carries with it an increased salary, and his many friends hereabouts no doubt feel like congratulating him on his well deserved promotion.

—We noticed last week that an Express car had been broken open and robbed of a number of valuable packages between Blairsville Intersection and Altoona, and now have the satisfaction of announcing that a man named Seymour J. Hawk was arrested near Haley's station on Friday last and taken to Harrisburg on suspicion of being concerned in the robbery. A number of articles identified as among the goods stolen were found in his possession.

—A young man named Wissinger, aged about sixteen years and living at Scalp Level, this county, was accidentally shot in the windpipe, on Friday last, by another party named Myers, the wound inflicted being a serious though not necessarily fatal one. The two had been on a hunting expedition together, and Myers' gun, which he was carrying at half cock, very naturally went off without giving any premonitions as to its intentions. Hence the accident.

—The Johnstown papers record the death at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Edward Lynch, at No. 2, in Washington township, on Sunday last, of Mrs. O'Keefe, relict of Timothy O'Keefe, deceased, aged about 75 years, but as Mr. Lynch resides in Summerhill township, and as the venerable lady was still living, though near death's door, on Sunday afternoon, the announcement of her demise would seem to be somewhat premature—more a matter of presumption than conviction.

—The wind blows high and the wind blows low in its wild career as we write, but it can't get down to the level, we know, at which, by day and by night, all kind of goods are sold for the cash and honesty alone is employed in inducing people to at once make a dash for that cheapest of stores, kept by Myers & Lloyd, where clothing, and dry goods, and groceries, and all that makes up a most elegant stock can be bought by those who at any time call with money about them, ready to "sock."

—Mr. Patrick Green, of Prospect borough, while on his way home on Tuesday evening last from work he had been employed in doing on the C. I. Co.'s railroad track on the south side of the Conemaugh river, and after he had crossed the bridge which spans that stream between Millville and Cambria boroughs, was struck by the "Cambria" engine and instantly killed, both of his legs being broken and other serious injuries inflicted upon him. The unfortunate man, who was aged about eighty years and quite deaf, leaves a wife, but no children.

—In pursuance of a decree of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, an election was held on Saturday last by the citizens of Washington township and a portion of Summerhill township on the question of the erection of a new township out of parts of Washington and Summerhill, which resulted in the casting of ninety-one votes for and nine against the proposed measure. That settles the question pretty definitely. We understand the new township is to be called Portage, with the county seat, so to speak, at the village of that name.

—A grand sacred concert is to be given at St. Augustine's church, St. Augustine, on Sunday evening, Dec. 30th, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to paying the debt on that edifice. We have not learned whether home or foreign talent is to be employed, nor do we know anything in regard to the programme, but under the auspices of the worthy pastor, Rev. F. X. McCarthy, who as a musical and literary connisseur has few superiors, we are sure that the entertainment will be first class in every respect. Further particulars next week.

—We learn from the Altoona *Tribune* that Mr. Jas. Harper, brother of 'Squire Harper, of Lloydsville, this county, made a narrow escape from instant death on Saturday last. He was working about an air hole at the mines, and fell down the shaft a distance of thirty feet. Here two cross-sticks intercepted his further descent, upon which he caught with one hand and held fast until rescued—his other hand being useless from dislocation of the shoulder. He was eventually drawn up to the top of the shaft. From where he caught upon the sticks to the bottom of the shaft is thirty feet.

—We fain would unravel the Riddle so queer, that with George on the stage doth seem to appear, but as the "M" is still missing, or at least is not in, the name as we read it looks almost as thin as the play-bill that tells us, in letters so black, that George has got up on his little "Hunchback," and as Sir Clifford, the bold, in the tightest of tights, has made his *debut* behind the footlights; yet it all may be true, and if not a sell or sham-ah! we should all go to "Phil" and see Riddle take in his dram-ah!

—Dress up for the holidays. Go to Jas. J. Murphy and dress up. Call at 109 Clinton street and dress up. Visit Star Clothing Hall and dress up. Slip down to Johnstown, enquire for Murphy's cheap clothing store, drop in, and then dress up. Take the boys along and dress them up too. Dress up all round. Money is well spent and not a little of it saved by dressing up at Jas. J. Murphy's Star Clothing Store, 109 Clinton street, Johnstown. Dress up in the rear and clothes up in front. Dress up, everybody!

—It is a wonder of the day, and yet af act o'er true, that heavy banks are washed away by too much "falling due;" and thus oftimes from honest hands is swept each dime and cent, which, as many a case then stands, had better far been spent in buying clothing cheap and good, of finest make and style, from Godfrey Wolff, who long has stood, with welcome word and smile, prepared to sell to those who call, what none can fail to prize, the best of suits for one and all, of every texture, shade and size. Store on Twelfth street, next door to the post-office, Altoona, Pa.

—The eleventh annual session of the Cambria County Teachers' Institute will convene in Johnstown on Monday, Dec. 24th, and close its sessions on Friday evening following. Teachers of both public and private schools, and those preparing themselves for the profession, are respectfully solicited to become members of the Institute, and all are cordially invited to attend. Excursion tickets will be sold at all railroad stations without exhibiting orders, and reduced rates for accommodation have been obtained at several hotels and private boarding houses in Johnstown.

—Dr. E. Donnelly, of Pittsburg, occupies about a column of Monday's *Dispatch* in telling what he knows about Brazil, where he resided for several years, and concludes by advising the Messrs. Collins to take no one to that country, white or black, who has not passed a thorough medical examination and been found fit for the venture, as he says that the climate of Madeira and Beni is very unhealthy, particularly in the rainy season, when fevers are prevalent and the unacclimated suffer severely. He also declares that a good supply of medical stores and a first class corps of physicians and surgeons are absolutely necessary. Don't want a posish, we presume.

—J. D. Hicks, Esq., of Tyrone, and H. H. Herr, Esq., of Altoona, two young and able members of the bar of Blair county, showed very plainly the kind of stuff they are made of as counsel for plaintiff in a case which came before our county court on Tuesday evening last, but in which, through no fault of his attorneys, their client was forced to take a nonsuit. Mr. Hicks was particularly happy in having the opportunity and possessing the peculiar knack of eliciting all the evidence that could be adduced in the case, and the way he popped the questions to the defendant very naturally led to the conclusion that he is about as sharp as they make 'em. Not many years hence, we venture to say, the people of Blair county, if not of the entire State, will have to look to the top of the legal ladder to find Mr. Hicks, who has the ability and determination to reach that altitude and stay there.

—One of the most amusing cases that has ever been on trial in this county, and perhaps the only one of the kind that has ever been before a jury anywhere, was that of "Kiper vs. Blum," which will be found briefly reported under the head of "Court Proceedings." The parties to the suit, both of whom are Germans, reside in Adams township, and the action was brought to recover $150 alleged to have been promised to the plaintiff for and in consideration of imparting to a son of the defendant a full and perfect knowledge of a certain art which shall here be nameless, but the existence of which is very frequently and painfully brought to the knowledge of horses, cattle and other domestic animals. During the trial spectators, jury, lawyers, and even the Court itself, were forced to "smile many a smile" loud and deep, the testimony, to say nothing of the questions and remarks of the counsel, J. P. Linton and J. H. Brown, Esqs., for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Johnston & Scanlan for defendant, was for the most part so ludicious that few if any of the large crowd present could restrain their risibilities.

—Mr. J. H. Coogan, of Clearfield township, whose barn, tenement house and other outbuildings were destroyed by fire the latter part of September, had another experience of a similar nature between 5 and 6 o'clock on Sunday morning last, when a stable, erected for the temporary shelter of his stock, etc., until a new barn could be put up, was burned to the ground, with a small quantity of corn-fodder stored therein. A couple of horses, cows and other live stock were in the stable at the time, but as the fire was started in the mow instead of on or under the first floor, Mr. Coogan succeeded in getting the animals all out safely, though not until he himself had been considerably burned between the shoulders and one of the horses was slightly scorched. There was no insurance on the structure. The impression is very general among Mr. Coogan's neighbors that the party or parties who are thus wantonly destroying his property could be pointed out without any difficulty, but as that gentleman cannot be induced to believe what seems plain enough to every one else, the probabilities are that the burning will go on as long as there is anything to feed the flames, the dwelling house perhaps excepted.

—A correspondent in the northern part of the county writes us to say that we were mistaken in announcing two weeks ago that Barney Fogle, of Barr township, whose illicit stills were confiscated by revenue officers on the Monday previous, was not at home at the time the raid was made, the fact being that he was not only to the fore, but that the officers of the law had succeeded in putting the "jewelry" upon him. That they did not keep them on him, however, is equally true, but why they did not our correspondent does not pretend to say, though we learn from another source that it was because some of the lookers-on made fun of them for using such precautions when they were two to one in the contest. Be that as it may, as soon as the handcuffs were removed Barney, as our informant facetiously remarks, struck for higher wages, and that is how the milk came to be in the cocoanut, though the victimized minions of the law seem to have been too modest to mention it. The same correspondent assures us that if rumor be true there are no less than ten illicit stills in operation along the Susquehanna river, five of which are run by steam and the other five by water power. If this is thus, the question very naturally suggests itself, where are the detectives?

AN ELEGANT CHRISTMAS GIFT.—The time is now about at hand when old Santa Claus will be paying us his welcome visit, and already the hearts of the young folks all over the country are full of expectations and surmises as to what he will be bringing for them individually.

We hope we are not betraying confidence when we state that after a consultation with our old friend, we have effected such an arrangement with the Smithograph Manufacturing Co. that we now offer one of their Outfits, consisting of a Smithograph and a complete assortment of drawing materials, together with a year's subscription to our paper, for the sum of $2.50.

We can think of no more acceptable Christmas present than one of these elegant Instruments, and to avoid the rush and press of business in the approaching holiday season, orders should be sent in at once. This will give us time to have them all put up and ready for dispatch; but we shall not deliver them (unless desired to the contrary) until just before Christmas, so that they will reach their destinations at the proper time.

THE slippery season has come,
The sprawliest time of the year,
When the man who goes down on his—some-
Thing, is sure to get up on his ear.

CRIMINALS SENTENCED.—On Monday night last Judge Dean imposed the following sentences on the several parties who, with a single exception, plead guilty in our county court last week of arson, burglary, larceny, bigamy and riot. On behalf of Mrs. Kyle, Wm. Vannett and David Huber appeals to the mercy of the Court were made by John Fenlon, Esq., and for young Goughenour and Austin Launtz like efforts were made by John P. Linton and Daniel McLaughlin, Esqs., respectively. We give the sentences in the order in which they were imposed, Judge Dean in the abundant goodness of his great heart taking occasion to impart to each of the culprits in his turn a few words of good counsel and kind admonition, which we trust they will not fail to cherish and profit by:

Franklin Goughenour, who plead guilty to eleven different indictments for burglary and larceny, was sentenced on five of them, his Honor suspending sentence as to the other six. For one of the five offenses to which he confessed, the prisoner was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs of prosecution, and to serve for a term of two and a half years in the Western Penitentiary, while for the four remaining crimes the penalty imposed was $100 fine and two years' imprisonment on each indictment, or ten and a half years in all.

Austin Launtz, found guilty of riot in connection with the railroad troubles of last July, was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs of prosecution and remain in the county jail for a term of three months.

Elizabeth Kyle, who plead guilty to the charge of bigamy, was sentenced to pay $100 fine and costs and to be imprisoned in the county jail for six months.

Wm. Vannatt, for a like crime confessed, was sentenced to pay a similar sum, with costs, and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for one year and three months.

David Huber, who plead guilty to an indictment for larceny, his offense being the stealing of ten chickens, was required to pay a fine of $5 and costs of prosecution and take up his abode in the county jail for the term of twenty days.

Henry Louier, charged with larceny on two counts, to both of which he plead guilty, was sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs of prosecution, and undergo solitary confinement in the penitentiary, with hard labor, for one year and six months.

George Townsend, guilty by his own admission of the crime of arson in setting fire to the stable of Mr. John Phillips, in Johnstown, received the same sentence that was imposed upon Goughenour—$500 fine, costs of prosecution, and ten years and a half in the penitentiary.

Samuel Ream, prosecutor in a case that was ignored by the Grand Jury at his expense, was remanded to prison until the costs against him are liquidated, which may be for aye, but is not apt to be forever.

During the time occupied in imposing the various sentences an almost death-like stillness pervaded the entire assemblage, and so far as we noticed not even a smile was indulged by any one except the two young men Townsend and Goughnour, who above all others should have been impressed with the solemnity of the occasion, but who, judging from the fact that they frequently whispered to each other and apparently found more in the proceedings to amuse than dishearten them, seemed to have little conception of the enormity of their offenses or the long imprisonment which awaits them, and which, if some fortuitous circumstance does not intervene to prevent, will deprive them of what should, and if honestly employed would, be the happiest days of their lives. When all was over, young Goughnour drew a cigar from his pocket, which he lit in the Court House, and securely handcuffed to two other companions in guilt, marched out with the air of a conqueror rather than the crushed spirit of a condemned criminal.

"D—N NICE WAY OF LANDING PASSENGERS."—The Altoona *Tribune* of Wednesday last relates the following adventure by flood and field of a well known citizen of this county, but as the gentleman referred to denies that portion of the soft impeachment which relates to the contents of certain bottles, we take the liberty of suppressing his name:

The other evening a citizen of Lilly's, named ——, took homeward passage on the Mail, laden with a bundle, a pair of boots and some bottles. He had either a vague notion of the topography of the country in his own bailiwick, or the contents of the bottles so confused his ideas of home and distances that when the train reached Lilly's he did not know it. After the train had again proceeded on its way, he suddenly aroused to the fact that somebody had called out "Lilly's," and made for the car door. He was hailed by the conductor, who said he would stop the train; but Mr. —— wouldn't put any more faith in conductors, and jumped off the platform of the moving car. Just beyond the station is a culvert spanning Benn's creek, and over this went the unfortunate man into several feet of water. The train was stopped and conductor Vick went to look for his late passenger. His attention was soon arrested by the shivering cry of "bring that light here; in some way you have of landing passengers." The light was held so that he could see his way out, but the irate —— declared he wouldn't quit floundering in the water until he found his bottles and "sich." However, the water would not yield them up, and when he was informed that by going down to Conemaugh he might intercept his plunder, he came up out of the waters and sought his home, the wettest, both inside and out, if not the wisest man in Cambria county. And now he wants the P. R. R. company to pay for his foolishness by which he lost his property.

PROCEEDINGS OF COURT.—The second and last week of the present term of our county court, which is now drawing to a close, was from Monday at 11 o'clock until yesterday at noon engaged in disposing of the following business:

Samuel Horner vs. William J. McLaughlin—feigned issue. Surprise alleged by defendant and case continued until next term.

John Hipps and Uriah Lloyd vs. William H. Armstrong and Edward Blanchard—ejectment. Jury find for defendants the land described in the writ; to be released on payment of $35.625.

George Rex vs. F. A. Shoemaker—assumpsit. Court directs the plaintiff to become nonsuit.

A. J. Christy vs. Thomas McEnrue—feigned issue. Verdict for the defendant.

John Clark vs. Herman Baumer, Sheriff, Peter Garman and Daniel McNulty—trespass quare clausum fregit. Jury find for defendants.

J. A. Olmsted vs. John H. Homer—assumpsit. The plaintiff becomes nonsuit.

Jacob Kiper vs. Nicholas Blum—assumpsit. Jury find for the defendant.

Murphy & Moore vs. John Boes—appeal. Jury find for plaintiffs in the sum of $72, with interest from Oct. 12, 1876.

Mary Bendon and John C. Bendon vs. Joseph Trexler—action on trespass. This case has been before the courts for about twelve years, and this is the third or fourth time it has been up for trial. Jury and for plaintiff one dollar damages.

Peter Stoltz vs. B. G. Williams—action on contract. Case on trial.

THE symptoms of worms in the intestinal canal and abdomen are, the parts bloated and swollen, and itching of the anus. This is indicative of small or thread worms, which are very painful and annoying to both children and adults. These worms have been expelled in very large quantities from children who were unable to sleep or enjoy life at times, because of the great annoyance caused by the worms. The Sweet Worm Powders never fail to help or permanently cure those who follow the directions.

The Powders are guaranteed to be perfectly harmless, and recommended by many of our best physicians in their practice.

The name, E. K. Thompson is blown in the glass vials. Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale at wholesale by E. K. Thompson, Druggist and Chemist, Titusville, Pa., by Lemmon & Murray, Ebensburg, and by respectable druggists generally.

IMPORTANT TO HOTEL KEEPERS.—The postmaster general has written a letter with reference to letters delivered at hotels, in which he says:

"Under a uniform ruling of the postoffice department the right to forward letters by mail to a second destination without additional postage applies to such letters as have not left the custody of the postal officials. When a letter carrier calls at a hotel with letters for parties who have given the proprietor instructions to forward their mail to another address the proprietor should at once direct such letters and return them to the carrier, in which case they may be forwarded without additional charge, but if the carrier is allowed to leave them at the hotel, or if they are taken out of his presence, they are regarded as having been legally delivered and cannot be again mailed without prepayment anew of at least one full rate of postage (three cents) by stamps affixed."

SALLY LUNN.—Take three pints of flour, one and a half measures of Banner Baking Powder, two teaspoonfuls of salt; mix thoroughly, and sift; then rub in one-half cup of cold butter, add two eggs, well beaten, and one pint cold sweet milk; bake in square or long pan; eat hot, with butter. Each can of Banner Baking Powder contains a measure, to use instead of a spoon. Ask your grocer for the Banner, and take no other.

STILL IN THE FIELD, AND THE BARS DOWN!

When You Visit Carrolltown,

Which you should do if for no other purpose than to secure big bargains at the

PEOPLE'S CHEAP CASH STORE!

BE SURE TO CALL BEFORE GOING ELSEWHERE ON

S. TEITELBAUM & BRO.,

WHO HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM THE EASTERN CITIES WITH A LARGE STOCK OF

ELEGANT NEW GOODS FOR FALL SALES!

WHICH THEY HAVE OPENED THIS WEEK AND ARE NOW OFFERING AT

PRICES NEVER BEFORE TOUCHED!

REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD DEAL WITH US:

We bought $10,000 worth of Goods for $5,000 cash from the stock of a Wholesale House in New York city which was closed out at Assignee's sale, and are determined to give the people a remedy for hard times by selling them Goods 35 per cent. cheaper than they have ever before or can now buy elsewhere.

CALL AND SEE OUR GOODS,

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As we have the largest assortment and greatest variety in the county, and are prepared to give BETTER BARGAINS than can be obtained at any other establishment.

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Oct. 5, 1877.—3m. CARROLLTOWN, CAMBRIA CO., PA.

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To secure the above give our

NEW CHEAP CASH STORE

A CALL BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE.

WE SELL THE BEST OF GOODS CHEAPER

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LARGEST and HANDSOMEST STOCK

EVER BROUGHT TO NORTHERN CAMBRIA, WE CAN SUIT ALL PARTIES.

MAUCHER & WEAKLAN,

CARROLLTOWN, PA.

Store in Dr. MAUCHER'S New Building.

TEITELBAUM & BRO.—We need scarcely invite attention to the mammoth advertisement of this enterprising Carrolltown firm, as it is big enough to speak for itself, but it is well to note what they propose to do for their customers, as plainly and temptingly set forth in the following partial list of

WONDERFUL LOW PRICES.

Men's All-Wool Cassimere Suits	$8.00	and up.
" " Pants	2.25	" "
Boys' " Suits	4.00	" "
Men's Hats	60	" "
" " Boots	2.60	" "
Women's Shoes	1.00	" "
Misses' "	50	" "
Woolen Blankets	1.50	per p'r.
Horse "	1.25	" "
Waterproof Cloth, 63 inches wide	65	" "
Cashmeres	35	per y'd.
Alpacas (all colors)	18	" "
Best Washingron Prints	5	" "
Lancaster Ginghams	8	" "
Muslins (bleached and unbleached)	5	" "
Ticking for overalls	15	" "

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE,

Commencing this day, Dec. 7th, at

HUGUS & HACKE'S,

Fifth Ave. and Market St., Pittsburgh.

Unprecedented bargains will be offered in Dress Goods and Silks.

BONA FIDE REDUCTIONS on the following:

On all our elegant Silks, Black and Colored.
On all our Paris and Berlin Dress Novelties.
On all our Black and Colored Cashmeres.
On all our Medium and Cheap Dress Fabrics.
On our Lace Curtains.
On all our fine Carriage Robes.

This is a rare chance for those contemplating purchases for the Holidays, as we shall offer decided bargains in all the above mentioned goods.

HOW IT IS DONE.—The first object in life with the American people is to "get rich"; the second, how to regain good health. The first can be obtained by energy, honesty and saving; the second (good health) by using GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER. Should you be a despondent sufferer from any of the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Indigestion, &c., such as Sick Headache, Palpitation of the Heart, Sour Stomach, Habitual Costiveness, Dizziness of the Head, Nervous Prostration, Low Spirits, &c., you need not suffer another day. Two doses of AUGUST FLOWER will relieve you at once. Sample Bottles 10 cents. Regular size 75 cents.—Positively sold by Lemmon & Murray, Ebensburg, P. M. Woleslagle & Son, Wilmore, and by all first-class Druggists in the U. S.

A Rare Old Book.

"THE WILDERNESS, or BRADDOCK'S TIMES," a thrilling historical story; 450 pages; newly bound in cloth, $1 50 by mail. Only a few copies. Address A. MATTHIAS, 67 Ninth Street, Pittsburgh, Pa. [12-14. 4t.]

ESTRAY NOTICE.—Came to the premises of the subscriber, in Croyle township, some time during the month of July, a BRINDLE HEIFER, supposed at that time to be about one year old, with the right ear cropped and a hole in the same. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away; otherwise she will be disposed of as the law directs. JOHN OREBAUGH.
Croyle Twp., Dec. 10, 1877.-3t.*

STRAY BULL.—Strayed from the premises of the owner in Susquehanna township, on or about the 15th of May last, a red bull, one year old in April, with white under the belly, a white ring round the tail near the end, and a few other white spots on body or face, or both. Any information leading to his recovery will be thankfully received and suitably rewarded by JOSEPH FARABAUGH.
December 7, 1877. 3t.

WANTED—12 GOOD HOOP SHAVERS, to whom employment can be given for 2 or 3 months. Will pay cash and guarantee payment. Apply at once to DIEHL & Co., Box 20, Altoona, Pa., or at Duncansville, Blair county. Pa., by letter or in person.
December 7, 1877.-3t.

M. E. BUCKLEY,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
EBENSBURG, PA.
Office with F. A. Shoemaker, Esq., on High st.
All business pertaining to the profession promptly attended to, and collections made a specialty.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of *Vend. Expon.*, 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

Saturday, January 5th, 1878,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following real estate to wit:

ALL the right, title and interest of Milton Jones, Edwin Burkhart and Lemuel Jones, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situate in Jackson township, Cambria county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a beech, on line of tract in name of George Jacobus; thence partly by said tract and partly by tract in the name of Nathaniel Simpson, west 178 perches, more or less, to a post; thence by tract in the name of William Hall, south 410 perches, more or less, to the original line; thence south 68¼ degrees, east 39 perches; thence east 94 perches; thence north 57 perches; thence south 71 degrees, east 10 perches; thence south 39 degrees, east 10 perches; thence south 29 degrees, east 20 perches; thence south 15 degrees, east 10 perches, to a post; thence east 36 perches to an original corner on tract of Robert Bucannon; thence by said tract, north 415 perches, more or less, to the place of beginning—containing 451 acres and 2 perches, more or less, having thereon erected a steam saw mill. *Also*, all the right, title and interest of Milton Jones, Edwin Burkhart and Lemuel Jones, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situate in Jackson township, Cambria county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, the north-west corner of the tract, in the name of John Bucannon; thence west, partly by tract in the name of Nathaniel Simpson and partly by tract in the name of Joseph Conn, west 192 perches, more or less, to a post; thence south 335 perches, more or less, to a post; thence south 6¾ degrees, east 204 perches, more or less, to the corner of the tract in the name of John Bucannon; thence north to the place of beginning—containing 457 acres and 76 perches, more or less. *Also*, another tract with the following description: Beginning at a post situated 56 perches west from the south-east corner of the said tract of land; thence north 15 degrees, west 10 perches, to a beech; thence north 39 degrees, west 20 perches, to a post; thence north 71 degrees, west 10 perches, to a birch; thence west 7 perches to a post; thence south 27 perches to a post; thence east 50 perches to the place of beginning—containing 8 acres, 146 perches, and allowance, more or less. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Jane Jones.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid when the property is knocked down, and the remaining two-thirds *before* the confirmation of the deed.

JOHN RYAN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Dec. 10, 1877.

FARMS AT PRIVATE SALE.—The undersigned offers at private sale the following properties, to wit: A tract of land in Snyder township, Blair county, 1½ miles from East Tyrone, containing 188 acres, well improved, having thereon all the necessary farm buildings. This farm will be divided into two or three parts, if desired by purchasers, and if not sold before the 1st first of March next, it will then be rented.

Also, the farm on which I now reside, in Logan township, 3½ miles from Altoona. This property is in a high state of cultivation and has a splendid house, barn and other buildings thereon erected.

Also, a tract of improved land situated partly in Blair and Cambria counties, containing 278 acres. This tract is underlaid with coal of excellent quality, well covered with timber, and has a railroad built to it, ready for shipping coal.

These lands will be sold as a whole or divided, and on terms to suit purchasers, or will exchange for Altoona city property. For further information call on or address WM. DECKER.
Nov. 28, 1877.-4y. Box 369, Altoona.

HOTEL PROPERTY AND FARM FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers at private sale on liberal terms the well known Mountain House, two doors west of the Pa. R. R. depot in the borough of Gallitzin. This property is well situated and well designed as a hotel and boarding house, and any person wishing to secure a good bargain will find it here.

Also, will be sold on terms equally satisfactory to the purchaser, a FARM of 112 acres, nearly all cleared and with a comfortable HOUSE and BARN thereon erected.

For conditions of sale and other particulars call on or address MARGARET WHELAN,
Nov. 30, 1877. Gallitzin, Pa.

LORETTO PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale at a low price and on easy terms TWO LOTS OF GROUND, well improved, in Loretto borough, on which is erected a comfortable and desirable two story DWELLING HOUSE, 18x36 feet, with a good KITCHEN attached, as well as a substantial STABLE and other necessary OUTBUILDINGS. There are also on the premises, which are located on St. Mary's street, the principal thoroughfare of the town, a thriving Orchard of choice fruit and an abundance of excellent water. For further information call on or address FRANCIS O'FRIEL, Esq., attor