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LIST OF RETAILERS OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE, as appraised in Cambria County, for the year 1879:

| Class. Name | Lic'se. | Class. Name | Lic'se. |
|---|---|---|---|
| ADAMS TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 Daniel Gohn | $7.00 | 14 John P. Gohn | $7.00 |
| ALLEGHENY TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 C. P. & H. Himmelright | 7.00 | 14 Wm. P. Buck | 7.00 |
| BARR TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 Casper Leib | 7.00 | | |
| BLACKLICK TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 Isaac Michaels | 7.00 | | |
| CARROLLTOWN BOROUGH. | | | |
| 13 A. A. Barker & Son | 10.00 | 14 Mancher & Weakland | 7.00 |
| 14 John Buck | 7.00 | 14 P. L. Eck | 7.00 |
| 13 S. Teitelbaum | 10.00 | 14 Andrew Houck | 7.50 |
| CAMBRIA BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 Michael Hallaran | 7.00 | 14 Peter Saly | 7.00 |
| 14 Marg't Stebich | 7.00 | 14 John Kinty | 7.00 |
| CONEMAUGH BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 Jacob Widman | 7.00 | 14 Albert Laymyer | 7.00 |
| 14 Louisa Aaron | 7.00 | | |
| CLEARFIELD TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 Cooper & Mellon | 7.00 | 14 Mathias Denney | 7.00 |
| CHEST SPRINGS BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 J. Perry & Son | 7.00 | 14 Cooper & Mellon | 7.00 |
| CROYLE TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 J. D. Plemmer | 7.00 | 14 John Brown | 7.00 |
| 14 P. H. Brown | 7.00 | 14 S. B. Stineman | 7.00 |
| 14 Dunmire & Burtnett | 7.50 | 14 Daniel Murphy | 7.50 |
| COOPERSDALE BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 G. W. Stutsman | 7.00 | | |
| EAST CONEMAUGH BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 P. & D. L. Shaffer | 7.00 | | |
| EBENSBURG BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 E. Roberts & Son | 7.00 | 14 E. C. Parrish | 7.00 |
| 14 Geo. Huntley | 7.00 | 14 N. J. Freidhoff | 7.00 |
| 14 John Thompson | 7.00 | 14 John Owens | 7.00 |
| 14 David Evans | 7.00 | 13 Barker & Son | 10.00 |
| 14 C. T. Roberts | 7.00 | 14 A. Strittmatter | 7.00 |
| 14 M. L. Oatman | 7.00 | 14 Thomas Griffith | 7.50 |
| 14 Wm. Lemmon | 7.00 | 14 Edward Griffith | 7.00 |
| 14 John Lloyd & Co | 7.00 | 14 Davis & Bro.'s | 7.00 |
| FRANKLIN BOROUGH. | | | |
| 13 S. Paul | 10.00 | 14 Martin Custer | 7.00 |
| 13 A. & J. L. Custer | 10.00 | 14 Peter Rubritz | 7.00 |
| 14 W. Coulter | 7.00 | | |
| GALLITZIN BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 F. J. Christy | 7.00 | 14 Thomas Bradley | 7.00 |
| 14 John Troxell | 7.00 | | |
| JOHNSTOWN BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 Chas. S. Raith | 7.00 | 14 Wm. Updegrave | 7.00 |
| 14 W. H. Pfack | 7.00 | 13 A. Roland | 10.00 |
| 14 G. Bostard | 7.00 | 14 John Gearhart | 7.00 |
| 14 M. S. Maloy | 7.00 | 14 Christ. Kreiger | 7.00 |
| 14 Jas. J. Murphy | 7.00 | 14 C. R. Cover | 7.00 |
| 14 A. A. Horne | 7.00 | 14 A. & A. Beck | 7.00 |
| 14 Geo. Foster & Quinn | 15.00 | 13 F. W. Hay & Son | 10.00 |
| 14 E. L. Edwards & Bro | 7.00 | 14 L. F. Leitenberger | 7.00 |
| 14 Frank Malloy | 7.50 | 14 George Heiser | 7.00 |
| 14 Bailey & Fromheiser | 7.00 | 14 David Creed | 7.00 |
| 14 C. T. Fraser | 7.00 | 14 John Jordon | 7.50 |
| 14 Scott Dibert | 10.50 | 14 L. T. Beam | 7.00 |
| 14 John Strayer | 10.00 | 14 A. Montgomery | 7.00 |
| 14 A. Nathan | 7.00 | 14 Kinney & Campbell | 7.50 |
| 14 J. H. McKinney | 10.50 | 11 John Thomas | 15.00 |
| 14 M. Swellenburg | 10.50 | 13 L. M. Wolf | 10.00 |
| 14 S. J. Hess | 10.00 | 13 Jno. Dibert & Son | 10.00 |
| 14 E. & G. Gallagher | 10.00 | 14 B. Mosante | 7.50 |
| 14 C. E. Jacob | 7.50 | 14 C. O. Luther | 7.00 |
| 14 Louis Luckhard | 10.00 | 13 D. C. Parker | 10.00 |
| 14 Geo. Unverzagt | 10.00 | 14 J. L. Bammer | 7.00 |
| 14 Fred. W. Kress | 10.50 | 14 J. Q. A. Benshoff | 7.00 |
| 14 Luther & Green | 12.00 | 14 W. W. Fike | 7.00 |
| 14 L. Zang | 7.00 | 14 Samuel Given | 7.00 |
| 14 Fred. Wild | 7.00 | 14 H. D. Brinker & Bro | 7.00 |
| 14 J. Barrall | 7.00 | 14 H. D. Brinker & Bro | 7.00 |
| 14 Nolier & Heiss | 7.00 | 14 Mike Glashill | 7.00 |
| 14 J. & H. Swank | 12.50 | 14 Osburn & Conley | 7.00 |
| 14 Wm. Caldwell | 7.00 | 13 Singer M'f'g Co. | 10.00 |
| 14 A. Metz | 7.00 | 14 L. Rohrs & Co. | 7.00 |
| 14 W. H. Levergood | 7.50 | 14 George M. Hay | 7.50 |
| 14 Emil Young | 7.00 | 14 J. A. Hood | 7.00 |
| 14 Jacob Fend | 7.00 | 14 Wm. Ankeny | 7.00 |
| 14 Jacob Raposile | 7.00 | 14 T. W. Carlan | 7.00 |
| 14 J. C. Pfeifer | 7.00 | 14 Geo. W. Moses | 7.00 |
| 14 S. P. Bailey | 7.50 | 9 G. T. Stewart & Co. | 25.00 |
| 14 Ebell Jones | 7.50 | 14 Jacob Jacoby | 7.00 |
| 14 Wm. S. Jones | 7.50 | 1 Wood, Morrell & Co. | 200.00 |
| 14 David & Ross | 7.50 | | |
| 14 Henry Richards | 7.00 | 14 M'Clellan & Stuff | 7.00 |
| 14 Geo. C. Orth | 7.50 | | |
| 14 John Mulfer | 7.00 | 14 Philips & Co. | 7.00 |
| 14 Dr. A. M. Wakefield | 7.50 | 14 A. Cohen | 7.00 |
| 14 The People's Store (limited) | 12.50 | 14 L. Lockhardt, jr. | 7.00 |
| 14 Tucker & Laverty | 7.00 | 14 Carl Linn & Co. | 7.00 |
| | | 14 Harry Wayne | 7.00 |
| | | 14 Kimpel Vieting | 7.00 |
| 14 K. Skypeck | 7.00 | 14 W. D. Marshall | 7.00 |
| 14 Rech & Statz | 7.00 | 14 John Fenn | 7.00 |
| [illegible] | | 14 C. Elsaesser | 7.00 |
| [illegible] | 7.00 | 14 John Henderson | 7.50 |
| 14 Geo. Hochstein | 7.00 | 14 Emanuel James | 7.50 |
| 14 A. M. Croyle | 7.00 | 14 A. H. Bloch | 7.50 |
| 14 J. H. Kantz | 7.00 | 14 H. D. Kennedy | 7.50 |
| LORETTO BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 F. P. Bradley | 7.00 | 14 Wm. Litzinger | 7.00 |
| 14 W. W. McAteer | 7.00 | 14 M. J. Tettelbaum | 7.00 |
| 14 M. McDonald | 7.00 | 14 F. O'Friel | 7.00 |
| 14 A. J. Christy | 7.00 | | |
| MILLVILLE BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 F. W. Green | 7.00 | 14 G. W. Stutzman | 7.00 |
| RICHLAND TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 George Conrad | 7.00 | | |
| SUMMITVILLE BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 Wm. McConnell | 7.00 | 14 John Eager | 7.00 |
| 14 Jos. M. Gillen | 7.00 | 14 John Riffle | 7.00 |
| TUNNEL HILL BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 P. Murray | 7.00 | 14 R. M. Johnston & Co. | 7.00 |
| 14 Patrick Smith | 7.00 | | |
| TAYLOR TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 S. P. Morrell | 7.00 | | |
| WILMORE BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 Mrs. H. B. Kephart | 7.50 | 14 O. J. Evans | 7.50 |
| 13 W. J. Wolesslagle | 10.00 | 14 John McColgan | 7.00 |
| WOODVALE BOROUGH. | | | |
| 14 W. I. Adams & Brownfield | 12.50 | John Clark | 7.00 |
| WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 M. B. McLaughlin | 7.50 | 14 J. A. Maher | 7.00 |
| 14 C. & J. Lahey | 7.00 | 14 Mentzer & Leib | 7.50 |
| 14 C. Thompson | 7.50 | 14 R. L. George | 7.50 |
| | | 14 John Leap | 7.00 |
| WHITE TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 A. R. Fiske & Co. | 7.00 | 11 Jas. E. Palmer | 15.00 |
| 14 A. S. McCarty | 7.00 | 14 John C. Gates | 7.50 |
| UPPER YODER TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 Jacob Beam | 7.00 | | |
| PORTAGE TOWNSHIP. | | | |
| 14 Wm. Pringle, jr. | 7.00 | 14 Martin & Co. | 7.00 |
| 14 S. McKenzie | 7.00 | | |

LIST OF RETAILERS OF SPIRITOUS Liquors, as assessed in Cambria county, for the year 1879:

| Name | License. | Name | License. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Allegheny Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] O'Brien | $50.50 | | |
| *Barr Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] Lambour* | 50.50 | | |
| *Chest Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] Kinsly* | 50.00 | | |
| *Carrolltown Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] Bender* | 50.00 | Lawrence Schroth* | 50.00 |
| [illegible] Buck | 50.50 | Julius Stich* | 50.50 |
| *Carroll Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] M. Reed | 50.50 | | |
| *Clearfield Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] Dempsey | 50.00 | | |
| *Chest Springs Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | John P. Litzinger | 50.50 |
| [illegible] Decker* | 50.50 | | |
| *Cambria Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Charles Boyle | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Peter Roth | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | George Aigner | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Edward Howe | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Michael Stelbich | 50.50 |
| *Conemaugh Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Lawrence Furlong | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | John Marton | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Peter A. Hoffman | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Lawrence Reten | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Hugh Greenwood | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | John Gearhardt | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | | |
| *Croyle Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] Brown | 50.50 | John Metzar* | 50.50 |
| *East Conemaugh Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Mary Ellen Kelly | 50.00 |
| *Ebensburg Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Michael Latterner* | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Thomas H. Heist* | 50.00 |
| *Elder Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | | |
| *Franklin Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | | |
| *Richland Township.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Bernard Ness | 50.50 |
| *Gallitzin Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] Bender* | 50.00 | James Maulis* | 50.50 |
| *Johnstown Borough.* | | | |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | John T. King | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | W. H. Thompson | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Jacob Crouse | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Thomas S. Davis | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Joseph Boxler | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | John Fritz | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | David Falcon | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Joseph Shoemaker | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Stephen Quirk | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Mrs. J. Weigand | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Henry Shaffer | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Catharine Werner | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Eckhart Phle | 50.50 |
| [illegible] | 50.50 | Oscar Graeffe | 50.00 |
| [illegible] | 50.00 | Henry Fritz* | 50.50 |
| *Loretto Borough.* | | | |
| F. J. Christy* | 50.00 | Florian Bengle* | 50.00 |
| *Millville Borough.* | | | |
| Henry Van Alt | 50.50 | Hugh McGrory | 50.50 |
| Emanuel James | 50.00 | Richard Dowling | 50.00 |
| Joseph Fieldhouse | 50.50 | Robert Sagerson | 50.00 |
| *Portage Township.* | | | |
| Jesse McGough | 50.50 | | |
| *Richland Township.* | | | |
| Henry Bauerly | 50.00 | | |
| *Summitville Borough.* | | | |
| Christian Reich | 50.50 | | |
| *Tunnelhill.* | | | |
| Mathew Dignam* | 50.50 | Patrick O'Dowd | 50.00 |
| Michael McMorris* | 50.50 | Anthony McCue* | 50.00 |
| *Washington Township.* | | | |
| M. B. McLaughlin | 50.50 | Mrs. M. Helly* | 50.00 |
| Elias J. Unger* | 50.50 | C. A. George* | 50.00 |
| John H. Clark | 50.50 | Christ. Robeni* | 50.00 |
| *Wilmore Borough.* | | | |
| George Wendtroth | 50.00 | | |
| *Upper Yoder Township.* | | | |
| Jacob Boehm | 50.00 | | |

EATING HOUSE LICENSES.

| Name | License. | Name | License. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Carrolltown Borough.* | | | |
| F. & C. Ezer* | 20.00 | Wm. C. Schroth* | 20.50 |
| Henry Bloom* | 20.00 | | |
| *Chest Township.* | | | |
| George Cook* | 20.50 | | |
| *Gallitzin Borough.* | | | |
| Andrew Gengler* | $20.00 | | |
| *Johnstown Borough.* | | | |
| Jacob Fend | 20.00 | John A. Stemmer | 20.00 |
| Mary Crossen | 20.50 | Charles Wehn | 20.50 |
| Mrs. E. Kohler | 20.50 | | |
| *Loretto Borough.* | | | |
| F. X. Hald* | 20.50 | Peter Brown | 20.00 |
| *Wilmore Borough.* | | | |
| John Schroth* | 20.00 | F. F. Kirby | 20.00 |
| *Washington Township.* | | | |
| George J. Schwaderer | 20.00 | | |

Those marked * have paid their licenses in full.

QUART LICENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| John Ludwig, Johnstown | 25.00 |
| Fisher & Co., " | 25.00 |

| Class. | BREWERIES. | License. |
|---|---|---|
| 9 | F. & C. Ezer, Carrolltown | 15.00 |
| 9 | Henry Bloom, " | 15.00 |
| 9 | Anuken, Bauer, & Gagle, Gallitzin Bor. | 15.00 |
| 9 | Florien Bangle, Loretto Boro' | 15.50 |
| 9 | G. J. Schwaderer, Washington Twp | 15.00 |
| 9 | John Emmerling, Johnstown Boro' | 15.00 |
| 9 | Charles Wehen, " " | 15.50 |
| 9 | Max. Henbach, " " | 15.50 |
| 9 | Jacob Goenner, Cambria Boro' | 15.00 |
| 8 | Lembert & Kress, Conemaugh Boro' | 25.00 |
| 9 | Joseph Cost, Conemaugh Twp | 15.00 |

BILLIARD TABLES.

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|---|---|
| E. J. Unger, Washington Twp., 4 tables | 15.50 |
| John Jordon, Johnstown Boro', 2 tables | 40.50 |

TEN-PIN ALLEYS.

| | |
|---|---|
| E. J. Unger, Washington Twp., 2 alleys | 10.50 |
| Thos. H. Heist, Ebensburg Boro', 1 alley | 30.50 |
| Abel Lloyd, Cambria Twp., 1 alley | 30.50 |

Take notice, all who are concerned in this appraisement, that an appeal will be held at the Treasurer's Office, Ebensburg, on *Monday, the 2nd day of June, 1879*, when and where you may attend if you think proper.
THOMAS CALLAN,
Mercantile Appraiser.
May 2, 1879.-4t.

WHITE TOWNSHIP.—Statement of settlement with the Supervisors of White Township for the years ending April 22d, 1878, and April 14th, 1879:

HENRY H. GARDNER, Supervisor (1877), Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amount of duplicate | $780 85 |
| " order on Superv'or for use of tools (hammers, sledges, picks, etc.) | 10 00 |
| " order on Commissioners for personal services | 107 50—$898 35 |
| Cr. | |
| By exonerations | $20 47 |
| " work done by taxables | 758 88 |
| " personal services, 109 days at $1 | 109 00 |
| " use of his own tools (hammers, sledges, picks, etc.) | 10 00—$898 35 |

DAVID HOLLES, Supervisor (1877), Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amount of duplicate | $628 16 |
| " order on Supervisors | 8 00 |
| " " " Commissioners | 12 0 |
| " " " | 50 00 |
| " " " Supervisors | 59 57—$767 53 |
| Cr. | |
| By tax returned to Commissioners | $24 18 |
| " exonerations | 5 51 |
| " work done by taxables | 596 84 |
| " personal services, 141 days at $1 | 141 00—$767 53 |

HENRY H. GARDNER, Supervisor (1878), Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amount of duplicate | $778 11 |
| " order on Supervisors for personal services at $1 per day for 116 days | 116 00 |
| " order on Commissioners for use of tools on roads | 10 00 |
| " order on Commissioners for services and mileage on the case of G. W. Bowman *et al.* vs. David Holles *et al.* | 17 28—$921 39 |
| Cr. | |
| By exonerations | $9 89 |
| " work done by taxables | 768 22 |
| " use of his tools on roads | 10 00 |
| " his services and mileage in the case of G. W. Bowman *et al.* vs. D. Holles *et al.* | 17 28 |
| " personal services, 116 days at $1 | 116 00—$921 39 |

NATHAN GATES, Supervisor (1878), Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To am't of duplicate | $618 65 |
| " order on Supervisors for personal services, 124 days at $1 | 124 00 |
| " order on Supervisors for postage, paper, etc. | 40—$743 05 |
| Cr. | |
| By exonerations | $2 25 |
| " tax returned to Commissioners | 24 74 |
| " work done by taxables | 578 75 |
| " exonerations for Chas. Ranstead | 12 01 |
| " personal services, 124 days at $1 | 124 00 |
| " paper, postage, etc. | 40—$743 05 |

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWNSHIP.

| | |
|---|---|
| Orders in favor of the Supervisors for personal services for 1877 and 1878 | $419 28 |
| Bal. due on Ed. Mann's judgment | 108 92 |
| " " " Gates' " | 522 50 |
| Outstanding orders | 101 92 |
| Costs on case of G. W. Bowman *et al.* vs. David Holles *et al* | 249 98—$1082 60 |

HENRY FOSTER, A. GATES, Auditors.
Attest—E. W. LOUDEN, Twp. Clerk. [5-2.-3t.]

CLEARFIELD TOWNSHIP—Statement of settlement with the Supervisors of Clearfield township for the year ending April 14, 1879:

CONRAD CARL, Supervisor, Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To am't tax duplicate | $357 72 |
| " " cash from taxables | 3 50 |
| " " plank sold Wash. Douglass | 4 00 |
| " " cash order for balance | 56.56—$421.78 |
| Cr. | |
| By exonerations | $ 70 |
| " personal services | 58 65 |
| " one day making duplicate | 1.50 |
| " work done by taxables | 345 43 |
| " " Wash. Douglass for plank | 4 00 |
| " one day attending settlement | 1.50—$421.78 |

JOHN M. LITZINGER, Supervisor Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To am't duplicate | $365 01 |
| " " drawn from Co. Treasurer | 25 00 |
| " " cash order for balance | 62.72—$552.73 |
| Cr. | |
| By work done by taxables | $332.74 |
| " exonerations | 1.08 |
| " taxes ret'd to Commissioners | 8.41 |
| " cash orders lifted | 114.02 |
| " amount paid for duplicate | 15 |
| " personal services 44 days @ $1.50 | 66.75 |
| " attending township business | 8 00 |
| " attending settlement | 1.50 $552.73 |

Amount of cash orders issued $147 29

WM IVORY, JOHN DURBIN, H. B. NOEL, Auditors.
Attest—A. J. M'CONNEL, Twp. Clerk. [5-8-3t]

CROYLE TOWNSHIP.—Statement of settlement with the Supervisors of Croyle township, April 14th, 1879:

SAMUEL PLUMMER, Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amount of duplicate | $382 74 |
| " cash tax on unseated lands | 30.00—$412.74 |
| Cr. | |
| By work done on roads | $329 34 |
| " exonerations | 17 0 |
| " 25 days' services, at $1.50 per day | 37 50 |
| " cash paid for plank | 75 — 384.59 |
| Balance due township | $28 15 |

PETER BROWN, Dr.

| | |
|---|---|
| To amount of duplicate | $315 75 |
| " cash tax on unseated lands | 30.00 |
| " " received for road tax | 9 53—$355.28 |
| Cr. | |
| By work done on roads | $273 31 |
| " exoneration | 5.00 |
| " 31½ days' services, $1.50 per day | 47 25 |
| " four chains for fixing bridge | 50—$326.06 |
| Balance due township | $29 22 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Balance due township from A. Sherbine, Supervisor for 1877 | $2 80 |
| Whole amount of outstanding orders | 13 79 |

We, the undersigned, do certify that the above statement is correct.
JOHN BROWN, JOHN NEFF, J. W. PRINGLE, Auditors.
Attest—D. A. M'GOUGH, Twp. Clerk. [5-9-3t.]

ALEXANDER TAIT, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office and residence adjoining Post-Office, St. Augustine, Cambria county, Pa. [4-4.-'81*.]

## SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of *Vend. Expon.*, *Alias Vend. Expon.*, *Levari Facias*, *2d Plu. Levari Facias*, *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

**Friday, May 30, '79,**

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

ALL the right, title and interest of Isaac Crawford, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the East ward, Ebensburg borough, Cambria county, Pa., fronting on Centre street on the west, Crawford street on the north, an alley on the east, and lot of Thomas Davis on the south, having thereon erected a two story frame house and frame stable, now in the occupancy of H. A. McPike. *Also*, all the right, title and interest of Isaac Crawford, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the West ward of Ebensburg borough, Cambria county, Pa., fronting on High street on the north, Julian street on the west, Lloyd street on the south, and lots of John D. Thomas and M. L. Oatman on the east, having thereon erected a two story frame house (used as a hotel), frame stable, ice house, etc., now in the occupancy of Isaac Crawford. *Also*, all the right, title and interest of Isaac Crawford, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Cambria township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of A. A. Barker, John F. Tibbott and Thos. Griffith, containing 10 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a stone house and board stable not now occupied. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of John H. Hite, administrator of the estate of J. K. Hite, deceased.

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 situated 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 68½ degrees, east twenty perches; thence east 94 perches; thence north 27 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 43 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 situated in Jackson township, Cambria county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, the northwest 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 235 perches, more or less, to a post; thence south 68½ degrees, east 234 perches, more or less, to the corner of the tract in the name of John Bucannan; 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 36 perches west from the southeast 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 3 acres, 149 perches and allowance, more or less. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Jane Jones.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of John Hollis, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in White township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of James Gallagher, Charles Banstead, John Glasgow, and others, containing 33 acres, more or less, about 18 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story plank house and log stable, now in the occupancy of John Hollis. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of C. Flanagan, for use of Aaron Dougherty, now for use of C. Houser.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Jacob Thomas, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Elder township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Francis Yahner, William Noel, Finney & Barrows, and others containing 319 acres, more or less, about 70 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story log house, frame stable, grist mill, and saw mill, now in the occupancy of Jacob Thomas, and a two-story plank house, in the occupancy of Andrew Young. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of J. & H. Mellon.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of C. A. Langhein and Jacob Thomas, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the village of St. Lawrence, Chest township, Cambria county, Pa., fronting on township road on the east, adjoining lot of Joseph Rhoddy on the south, and having an alley on the west and north, having thereon erected a two story plank house and plank stable, now in the occupancy of C. A. Langhein. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Henry Linke.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of James F. McMullen, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Clearfield township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of M. McMullen, John Durbin, L. Storm, and others, containing 16 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a one story plank house, now in the occupancy of Charles McMullen. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Wm. Litzinger.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of John Younkin, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in White township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Joseph Van Ormer, Sam Troxell, and Thomas Powell, containing 5 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a two story plank house and log stable, now in the occupancy of John Seibert, and a two story plank house not now occupied. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of John Beers, who was subrogated to the rights of S. E. Burns, endorsee of F. M. Flanagan.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of William Noel, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Elder township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Jacob Kirkpatrick, Lewis Bartman, Francis Yahner, and others, containing 80 acres, more or less, about 5 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story log house, weather boarded, and frame stable, now in the occupancy of Anthony Noel. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Herman Baumer.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of A. J. Durbin, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Clearfield township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of John Durbin, Luke Durbin, Wm. Ivory, and Lewis Storm, containing 70 acres, more or less, about 20 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story plank house, not now occupied. Taken in execution and to be sold at suit of Peter Trexler, for use.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Anthony Marks and Alois Marks, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Blacklick township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of A. Prenter, P. Hoffman, M. Fronk, and others, containing 100 acres, more or less, about 30 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story plank house and log stable, now in the occupancy of John Knorr. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Lewis R. Edwards, for use of Edward Roberts.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of David L. Conrad and Mary J. Dearmitt, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Clearfield township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Lamue Myers, James McDermott, M. Ivory, and James Litzinger, containing 50 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a two story plank house and frame stable now in the occupancy of Robert Conrad. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Wm. P. McKenzie, for use of John E. Scanlan.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of John J. Beckel, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Barr township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of John Sherry, Frederick Beckel, M. Schierth, and others, containing 50 acres, more or less, about 30 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two-story plank house and frame barn, now in the occupancy of John J. Beckel, and a one-story log house in the occupancy of William Beckel. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Martin Sanders.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of S. McFarland, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in White township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of George Rickards, George Bowman, Aaron Younkin, and others, containing 65 acres, more or less, about 25 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one story log house, not now occupied. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of D. McAnulty.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Joseph Trexler, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Dean township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of David Trexler, James Peery, Mary Bendon, and others, containing 40 acres, more or less, about 20 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story plank house and bank barn, now in the occupancy of Joseph Trexler. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Peter Trexler, for use.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of John Hipp and Uriah Lloyd, of, in and to the following tracts of land situated in Susquehanna township, Cambria county, Penn'a, bounded and described as follows: *1st Tract*—Beginning at a poplar stump; thence north 2¾ degrees, east 120 perches, to an ironwood; thence by other lands of Hipp & Lloyd, south 87½ degrees, east 20 perches, to stones; thence by same, north 2¼ degrees, east 112 perches, to a post; thence south 87½ degrees, east 149 perches, to post on original line; thence south 2¼ degrees, west 232 perches, to a post; thence north 87 degrees, west 169 perches, to place of beginning—containing 217 acres, 31 perches, and allowance. *2d Tract*—Beginning at a stone pile; thence by M. Platt's land, north 1¼ degrees, east 120 perches; thence south 89 degrees, east 154 perches; thence by C. Driskel's, south 1¼ degrees, west 120 perches, north 89 degrees, west 154 perches—containing 109 acres and 154 perches. *3d Tract*—Beginning at a post on line of R. Nagle, south 89 degrees, east 164 perches, to a gum; thence by other land of Lloyd, south 1 degree, west 104 perches, to a post; thence by C. Driskel's, north 89 degrees, west 164 perches, to a post, north 1 deg., east 104 perches, to place of beginning—containing 100 acres and 93 perches, having a dam thereon built. *4th Tract*—Beginning at a poplar, north 2 degrees, east 120 perches, to pointers; thence by C. Driskel's, north 88 degrees, west 160 perches, to pointers; south 2 degrees, west 120 perches, to post; south 88 degrees, east 160 perches, to beginning—containing 120 acres. *5th Tract*—Beginning at a hemlock; thence by M. Boslet's, north 88 degrees, west 160 perches, to pointers; thence by S. Byrnes, north 29 degrees, east 41 perches, to pine; south 88 degrees, west 160 perches, to stone; south 2 degrees, west 41 perches, to beginning—containing 40 acres. *6th Tract*—Beginning at a stone pile; thence by Lloyd's, north 2½ degrees, east 71 perches, to pine; north 87½ degrees, west 180 perches, to post; south 2½ degrees, west 71 perches, to post; south 87½ degrees, east by lands of Burkhart 180 perches, to beginning—containing 79 acres and 140 perches. *7th Tract*—Beginning at a stone; thence by public road 119 perches to stones; thence by Keirn's lands, north 89 degrees, west 157½ perches, to maple; thence north 1 degree, east 106 perches to post; thence by Gooderham's, south 89 degrees, east 138 perches, to beginning—containing 90 acres and 138 perches. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of M. L. Boice, for use of F. A. Shoemaker.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of John Kelly, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Jackson township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of John Ager, David Rodgers, and others containing 120 acres, more or less, about 35 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a log house and log barn, now in the occupancy of John Kelly. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of John J. Kelly, for use of George Wehn, sr.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Joseph Bardine, with notice to Jacob Z. Nagle, terra tenant, and Nicholas Nagle, tenant, in possession, of, in and to a certain tract of land situated in Allegheny township, Cambria county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner adjoining lands of William M. Lloyd and P. H. Shields; thence north 44 degrees, west 176 perches, by lands of Elizabeth McGuire, to a post; thence north 72½ degrees, east 72 perches, by land of the heirs of Matthew Ivory, to a post; thence north 2 degrees, east 46 perches, by the same, to a post; thence south 88¾ degrees, east 31 rods, by lands of the heirs of William Gibbons, to a corner adjoining lands of Wm. M. Lloyd, to the place of beginning—containing 74 acres, be the same more or less. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Isadore Lilly, Administrator C. T. A. of Francis A. Gibbons, dec'd.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Thomas Gorman, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the township of Allegheny (now Gallitzin), county of Cambria, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a chestnut tree; thence west 169 perches along Mary Brown's and Venus Lewis' land; thence north 84½ degrees, west 448 perches, to a post to Richard Whitehead's; thence north by Hortner's land, north 46 degrees, west 5 perches, to a sugar, north 28 degrees 8 perches along Dilworth and Hortner's to a spruce; thence south along John Knuckle's land 87 degrees, east 392 perches, to a beech; thence south 75 degrees, east 130 perches, to a sugar; thence by Hammon and Dilworth's land, south 63½ degrees, east 267 perches, to the place of beginning—containing 485 acres and 98 perches and the usual allowance and appurtenances, having thereon erected a steam saw mill. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Henry Ginterman.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Wm. A. Stewart and Sarah Stewart, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Jackson township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Wm. Byers, John Gittings, heirs of John Reger, and others, containing 124 acres, more or less, about 35 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story plank house and plank stable, now in the occupancy of Wm. A. Stewart. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of S. P. Dunmire.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of John McDonnell, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Susquehanna township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Anthony Rieger, George Snyder, William Keith and others, containing 56 acres, more or less, about 20 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story log house and log stable, not now occupied. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Peter Garman.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Wm. D. Shinafelt, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the West ward of Ebensburg borough, Cambria county, Pa., fronting on Sample street on the north, adjoining lot of Joseph Hininger on the west, lot of John Keshner on the south, and lot of Christ. Shinafelt on the east, having thereon erected a two story plank house and plank stable, now in the occupancy of Edwin Thomas. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Dr. J. J. Oatman.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of George Duman, Jr., of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Blacklick township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of George Duman, Sr., heirs of Thos. J. Lloyd, dec'd, and others, containing 100 acres, more or less, about 30 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story plank house and plank stable, now in the occupancy of George Duman, Jr. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of George Duman.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Adam Rose, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Jackson township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Barbara Colaugh, Martin Munday, Joel Simmons and others, containing 114 acres, more or less, about 40 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a two story plank house and log barn, now in the occupancy of Adam Rose. *Also*, all the right, title and interest of Adam Rose, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Jackson township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Ben. Rager, Jacob Rippie, Francis Rager, and others, containing 150 acres, more or less, about 12 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a one story log house and log stable, not now occupied. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Luther Stiles.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Wm. Donahoe, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Washington township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of Bernard Bigin, Lucy Gardner and Michael Brawley, containing 131 acres, more or less, about 25 acres of which are cleared. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of John Thomas for use of John Dibert & Co., now for use of M. Thomas.

**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, May 5, 1879.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of *Levari Facias* and *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 hotel of Conrad Raab in Johnstown, on *Saturday, May 31st, 1879*, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following real estate, to wit:

ALL the right, title and interest of Augustine Donnelly and P. J. Braddock, terra tenant, of, in and to a certain lot of ground, situated in Cambria borough, in the county of Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, being the same lot designated and described as lot number twenty (20), Walnut street, on a plan or plot of the town of Cambria, now in the possession of James M'Conaughy—said lot having a front of fifty (50) feet on Walnut street and being in depth one hundred (100) feet to an alley, and having lot number eighteen (18) on the south—East and Fourth street on the north-west, being the same lot of ground which Frank Kurtz and Annie, his wife, conveyed in fee to Augustine Donnelly, party hereto, by deed dated July tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy five (1875). Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Johnstown Building and Loan Association.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Alfred Constable, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Stonycreek township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of A. Griffith, Joseph Hoffman, Charles Von Lewnon, and H. Speicher, containing 100 acres, more or less, about 65 acres of which are cleared, having thereon erected a dwelling house and plank barn now in the occupancy of Henry Laventry. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of A. Burgraff.

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, May 5, 1879.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of a writ of *Testatum Vend. Expon.*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin county and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the hotel of Conrad Raab, in Johnstown, on *Saturday, May 31st, 1879*, at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following real estate, to wit:

ALL the right, title and interest of South Fork Coal and Iron Company, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Croyle township, Cambria county, Pa., bounded on the north by Penn'a Railroad, and on the east, west and south by lands of Jacob C. Stineman, containing 7 acres, more or less, having thereon erected a one-and-a-half story plank house and stable, now in the occupancy of Thomas Keelan, and a coal bank opened thereon. *Also*, all the right, title and interest of the mineral right of the lands owned by Joseph Croyle and J. C. Stineman, adjoining lands of Cambria Iron Co., Ross' heirs, and Findley Bro.'s, containing 60 acres, more or less. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.
JOHN RYAN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Johnstown, May 5, 1879.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—Mary Ann Bradley, Executrix of John Bradley, deceased, vs. Edward Mullen, John Mullen, Margaret Mullen and Peter Mullen. In the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, No. 110, December Term, 1878, E. D. *Alias Vend. Expon.*

Having been appointed Auditor by the Court to report distribution of the money in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of the defendants' real estate, notice is hereby given that I will attend to the duties of my appointment, at my office in Ebensburg, on *Wednesday, May 21st, 1879*, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where those interested are requested to appear.
WM. H. SECHLER, Auditor.
Ebensburg, April 21, 1879.-3t.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE!—In the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County—Jacob Johnston vs. Catharine Johnston; No. 58, March Term, 1879. C. D. Libel in Divorce.

And now, March 3, 1879, on motion of F. A. Shoemaker, Esq., E. G. Kerr appointed Commissioner to take testimony. By the Court.
From the Record.
[L. S.] C. F. O'DONNELL, Prothonotary.

In pursuance to the above order of Court, I will sit at my office in Ebensburg, for the purpose of taking the testimony of witnesses, on *Thursday, the 22d day of May*, proximo, at 2 o'clock, P. M.
E. G. KERR, Commissioner.
May 2, 1879.-3t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that John O'Connell, of Cambria township, Cambria county, Pa., and Bridget, his wife, by deed of voluntary assignment, have assigned all the estate, real and personal, of the said John O'Connell to N. J. Freidhoff, of Ebensburg, Pa., in trust for the benefit of the creditors of the said John O'Connell. All persons, therefore, indebted to the said John O'Connell will make payment to the said Assignee, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.
N. J. FREIDHOFF,
Assignee of John O'Connell.
April 11, 1879.-6t.

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### MAN'S MORTALITY.

Like as the damask rose you see,
Or like a blossom on a tree,
Or like a dainty flower in May,
Or like the morning to the day,
Or like the sun, or like the shade,
Or like the gourd which Jonah had—
Even such is man, whose thread is spun,
Drawn out and out, and so is done.
The rose withers, the blossom blasteth,
The flower fades, the morning hasteth,
The sun sets, the shadow flies,
The gourd consumes, the man—he dies.

Like the grass that's newly sprung,
Or like a tale that's new begun,
Or like the bird that's here to-day,
Or like the pearled dew in May,
Or like an hour, or like a span,
Or like the singing of a swan—
Even such is man, who lives by breath,
Is here, now there, in life and death,
The grass withers, the tale is ended,
The bird is flown, the dew's ascended,
The hour is short, the span not long,
The swan's near death, man's life is done.

Like to the bubble in the brook,
Or in a glass much like a look,
Or like the shuttle in the weaver's hand,
Or like the writing on the sand,
Or like a thought, or like a dream,
Or like the gliding of the stream—
Even such is man, who lives by breath,
Is here, now there, in life and death,
The bubble's out, the look forgot,
The shuttle's flung, the writing's blot,
The thought is past, the dream is gone,
The waters glide, man's life is done.

Like to an arrow from the bow,
Or like the swift course of water flow,
Or like that time 'twixt flood and ebb,
Or like the spider's tender web,
Or like a race, or like a goal,
Or like the dealing of a dole—
Even such is man, whose brittle state
Is always subject into fate.
The arrow shot, the flood soon spent,
The time no time, the web soon rent,
The race soon run, the goal soon won,
The dole soon dealt, man's life soon done.

Like to the lightning from the sky,
Or like a post that quick doth hie,
Or like a quartern in a song,
Or like a journey three days long,
Or like the snow when summer's come,
Or like the pear or like the plum—
Even such is man, who heaps up sorrow,
Lives but this day, and dies to-morrow.
The lightning's past, the post must go,
The song is short, the journey so,
The pear doth rot, the plum doth fall
The snow dissolves, and so must all.

—*Philadelphia Times.*

### SOMEHOW OR OTHER.

Life has a burden for every man's shoulder,
Some may escape from it's trouble and care,
Miss it in youth and 'twill come when we're older,
And fit us as close as the garments we wear.

Sorrow comes into our lives uninvited,
Robbing our hearts of their treasures of song;
Lovers grow cold and friendships are slighted,
Yet somehow or other we worry along.

Every-day toil is an every-day blessing,
Though poverty's cottage and crust we may share;
Weak is the back on which burdens are pressing,
But stout is the heart that is strengthened by prayer.

Somehow or other the pathway grows brighter
Just when we mourn there were none to befriend;
Hope in the heart makes the burden seem lighter,
And somehow or the other we get to the end.

### TRUE STORIES OF ADVENTURE.

NINETEEN DAYS ON A WRECK.

Victorine Roper is a Portuguese sailor, of wonderful strength and courage. He has followed the water from the day of his birth, which event happened within a few feet of the waves. He is about 39 years old. On the 23d of last month he shipped on a schooner, which left San Francisco, bound north, on a seal-buying voyage. He had 11 messmates. There also was on board a pretty-faced cabin-boy. When six days out from the Golden Gate a heavy southeast gale threw the schooner on her beam-ends and water logged her. Her masts gave way, and as she righted up the captain was swept from the deck and five of the crew were drowned in the forecastle. The others got up to the foretop-gallant and lashed themselves there. Their sufferings from hunger and thirst were beyond description. On the second of April they caught enough rain-water in an old oil-cloth coat during a heavy shower to go around and leave a drink or two for the next day. Again on the fifth it rained and this time they caught more. A few potatoes had been washed about and these they picked up. The mate, O'Brien, died first, and was soon followed by Peter, a nineteen-year-old seaman; then one after another died from hunger, Roper and the cabin boy remaining. On the morning of the 18th of April the boy died and washed away. At noon on the 18th Captain Harding, of the ship Otago, sighted the water-logged craft in latitude 42 degrees 14 minutes, longitude 129 degrees 47 minutes, and rescued the survivor, who was mad from hunger and thirst. It is believed that Roper must have lived on the bodies of the dead men from the 10th to the 18th. He was placed in a hospital at Port Townsend, W. T., on April 23, and is doing well.

A SINKING SENSATION.

There runs between Tampa, Florida, and Fort Meade, ten miles apart, what is known as the "telegraph road." As Henry Wellock was riding on a mule, just east of Tampa and on the telegraph road, last Thursday two weeks ago, he felt a strange sensation, as though the world were rolling from under him. The mule also observed that something was wrong and refused to budge. Wellock dismounted and the ground trembled slightly under him, as though he were walking on the back of an elephant. He whipped the mule back towards Tampa, arousing some negroes along the route. A number of Tampa people, headed by the Tampa *Tribune* man, rode to the spot upon Wellock's representation. They found that the earth had sunk somewhat. Towards evening the sink was deeper. The *Tribune* says:

"The road ran near about through the centre of the sink, which is about forty feet in diameter and as round as a circle. A pine tree, fully seventy feet tall, that stood by the road, went down, and its top is now a few feet below the surface of the ground. The sink has filled up to within six or seven feet of the surface of the surrounding ground with water, out of which the tree top stands some three feet. There seems to have been a sinking also of the surrounding ground for a distance of fifty yards all around the margin of the hole. The water which has appeared in the sink is of a deep azure color and very clear. On account of the light rainfall since last autumn the lakes are getting low, and it is supposed that the water support to the vault of some subterranean passage from the nearest lake being no longer present the earth gave way and dropped into the subterranean vacuum."

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE.

William Langley, a cotton planter of Gwinnett county, Georgia, was standing in a field on his farm on the evening of the 23d of April. Around him were several men, a woman and three children, all breaking the soil for cotton. The sky was clear and the air quiet, there being about both a hint of sultriness. The children had just stopped work and thrown themselves, tired as tired could be, on the top of a pile of guano sacks, when a peculiar roaring was heard in the field. The sound bore some resemblance to that of an approaching train, but as no railroad was near the workers looked at one another in amazement. In a moment they saw a small column, not larger in circumference than a barrel, skim rapidly along the ground. The wind-column or spout appeared to be filled with dust, and in the centre contained what looked like a ball of fire. The mother rushed towards the children, who crouched low in fright, but before she could reach them the pile of guano bags, children and all were scattered right and left. In its course, always eccentric, the column struck a stump fairly from butt to roots, and tore it from the ground, the wood splitting into three pieces and dropping twenty or thirty yards away. Mr. Langley was sucked in as the whirling thing bolted by and thrown into a ploughed gully some distance away. In the next instant the strange visitor had gone, passing up over the tops of the trees. It was seen plainly by the ladies at the Langley house, appearing to them like the smoke that rushes up in circular volumes from the smoke-stack of a locomotive. Mr. Langley related the circumstances of his adventure to the Lawrenceville *Herald* of last week.

WHAT CAME OF ADVERTISING.

The recent matrimonial adventure of a young New York miss who went to Georgia in answer to the advertisement of "a well-to-do-planter," but found a broken-down, lazy-bones bachelor in waiting, leads the Dallas *Herald* to speak of a more successful affair of the kind which culminated in that Texas city the other day. A lady of Dallas advertised in a literary paper that "a Southern widow, not over 32 years of age, of good family and well off in property, desires to correspond with a middle-aged gentleman with a view to matrimony." A contractor of Watertown, N. Y., answered the advertisement and several letters passed. On his arrival at Dallas the New Yorker found the lady what she had represented herself to be. She was not only the owner of a rich farm, but what pleased him most was that "she was the possessor of a fine physique and of a more handsome face than the photograph had indicated." The New Yorker, as an evidence of good faith, deposited $2,000 in a Dallas bank to her credit and they were married.

HOW TWO GIRLS BEAR-LY ESCAPED A GOOD HUGGING THAT MAY HAVE BEEN BRUIN FOR THEM.

A few nights ago a bear carried off a sheep from the yard of James N. Hall, at Rumford, Me., and dragged it into a swamp near by. Miss Lizzie Hall, a daughter of Mr. H., and Miss Hattie Lovejoy took their male relatives' guns and started into the swamp on a little hunt. They were rewarded with a sight of and a shot at bruin, but the beast fled to the neighboring mountain. The young ladies could not pursue him, but several men followed his trail—the bear leaving blood on the snow—and caught him after a three hours' run. He weighed 310 pounds, and was served in Rumford last week.

### QUICKENED CONSCIENCE.

A correspondent of the Nashville *American* repeats the following story, which was told him by a Georgian who witnessed the scene described:

Georgia has a stringent pistol law.—The penalty is forfeiture of the pistol and a fine of $50, and, at the discretion of the court, imprisonment for thirty days. A short time after this law went into effect Judge Lester was holding court in one of the mountain counties of Georgia, and right in the midst of the trial of a cause, he asked the attorneys to suspend a few moments and told the sheriff to lock the court house door and let no man pass out without permission from him. Then said the judge, in a firm, decided way: "Gentlemen, I saw a pistol on a man in this room a few moments ago and I cannot reconcile it to my sense of duty as a peace officer to let such a violation of the law pass unnoticed. It may be that it is my duty to go before the Grand Jury and indict him, but if that man will walk up to this stand and lay his pistol and a fine of $1 down here, I will let him off this time, otherwise I will go before the Grand Jury and testify against him."

The judge paused and an attorney who was sitting down just before the stand, got up, slipped his hand in his hip pocket, drew out a neat ivory handled Smith & Wesson six-shooter and laid $1 down before the judge.

"That is all right," remarked the judge, "but you are not the man that I saw with the pistol."

At this another attorney, sitting immediately in front of the judge, got up and, drawing out a small Colt's revolver, laid it and a $1 bill upon the stand.

"This is right again," said the judge, "but you are not the man I speak of."

Thereupon a large man just outside of the bar walked around, ran his arm into his bosom and, drawing out a huge old arm pistol, laid it and $1 on the stand.

"I declare," exclaimed the judge, "if this don't beat all; you have done right, my friend, but you are not the man that I saw with the pistol."

This process went on until nineteen pistols and $19 were lying on the judge's stand. Then there was a pause and it appeared as if the crowd were pretty well disarmed; at least if there were any more pistols in the house their owners did not seem disposed to give them up.

"Gentlemen," resumed the judge, "here are nineteen persons who have acted like men in this business, but the man I saw with the pistol has not come up yet; and now," he continued, pulling out his watch and looking toward the far side of the court house, "I will give him one minute to accept my proposition and if he does not do it in that time I will point him out to the sheriff and order him to take him into custody."

Immediately two men from the back part of the house began to move toward the judge's stand. Once they stopped and looked at each other, and then, coming slowly forward, laid down their pistols and their dollars. As they turned to leave, the judge said:

"This man with the black whiskers is the one that I saw with the pistol."

Then Judge Lester gave a short lecture upon the cowardly, foolish and wicked habit of carrying concealed weapons, and assured his audience that in the future the law would be strictly enforced. The court proceeded with its regular business, and it is needless to add that in that county the habit of carrying pistols was broken up.

DID you ever hear a carpenter plane the piano?

### THE MAN-EATER.

A STRANGE BUT TRUE STORY.

On the 14th of September, 1823, there might have been seen two travelers making their way on foot across the hill country to the east of Macquaire harbor, Von Dieman's Land. Of all parties consisting of two persons moving at the same time upon the earth's surface, or at sea, we may safely affirm that there was none placed in such strange circumstances as were the men me write of. Others, like themselves, might have been escaped criminals, dreading lest they should be pursued, and brought back to chains and labor; others, like themselves, might have been suffering the acutest pangs of hunger, not to be appeased by grass and nettle-tops, boiled in a tin pot, which was all the food they could procure; but even their circumstances would have been commonplace compared to the position of the two in question. By reason of faintness and the difficulties of the way, their progress was very tardy; yet, slowly as the leader advanced, who carried an ax (or they would never have made their way at all), the other man kept well in the rear—for he was afraid of being killed and eaten.

A few weeks back, these men who were called Greenhill and Pierce, had three companions—Traverse, Badman and Matthews—who had fled with them from the penal colony, in hopes to make their way across the island to some of the eastern settlements. They were soon safe enough from pursuit of man, but starvation, with it slow but certain step, gradually overtook them. They had drawn lots which of the five should die, and the fatal slip had fallen to Badman. Then they drew lots which should kill him, which fell to Traverse, who put him to death while the others collected wood for the fire. This dreadful provision lasted them some days, and then it became Matthews' "turn to die." "By the time he was all eaten," says Pierce, for we have his own confession, "Traverse, through fatigue, fell lame in his knees—so much so that he could not proceed; Greenhill proposed that I should kill him, which I agreed to."—But now even this supply was exhausted and the two men were alone in the wilderness, each pretending friendship, yet seeking the other's life, in order that he might prolong his own. Neither of them dared to sleep. The struggle resolved itself into which could hold out the longer against the overpowering desire for repose; and Greenhill's constitution was the first to give way. Pierce snatched his ax and slew him, and with recruited strength and carrying his ghastly victuals with him, made his way to a human habitation.

Convict to begin with, it is probable that this man had but little sensibility of any sort, but the rapidity with which he became demoralized was frightful. Having been remitted to the penal colony he again made his escape from it in company with one Thomas Cox. This man had very eagerly pressed the attempt, although Pierce, from experience, knew something of its utter hopelessness. "I had irons on at the time, but Cox knocked them off for me with the ax. We came to King's river, which Cox said he could not swim. I remarked that had I known that he should never be my companion. The arrangement for crossing the river created words, and I killed Cox with the ax, and ate part of him." They had been in straits for provisions, but there seemed really to have been no necessity for such diet. Had not Pierce already partaken of this food four times he would certainly not have touched it; nay, he even appears to have been actuated by the very feeling that prompts the savage, he desired the flesh of his enemy.

After a day of lone wandering and privation, Pierce's heart failed him, and he determined to go back, and give himself up. "I threw most of the flesh away; but some I carried in my pocket to show the commandant that Cox was dead." One of the wardens at Macquarie harbor, therefore, upon perceiving a signal-fire in the direction of King's river—which was a common enough sign of some escaped convict getting tired of his freedom—took boat thither, and found out the anthropophagite.—Having confessed that he killed Cox, Alexander Pierce was executed, June 21, 1822.

HOW TO CHOOSE A HUSBAND.—That woman is wise, says the Springfield (Mass.) *Republican*, who selects for her husband a man who desires to find in his home a place of rest. It is the man with many interests, with engrossing occupations, with plenty of people to fight and with a struggle to maintain against the world, who is the really domestic man in the wife's sense, who enjoys home, who makes a friend of his wife, who relishes prattle, who feels in the small circle where nobody is above him and nobody unsympathetic with him, as if he were in a heaven of ease and recreation. The drawback of home-life, its contained possibilities of insipidity, sameness, and consequent weariness, is never present to such a man. He no more tires of his wife than of his own happier moods. He is no more bored with home than with sleep. He is no more plagued with his children than with his own lighter thoughts. All the monotony and weariness of life he encounters outside of his home. It is the pleasure-loving man, the merry companion, who requires constant excitement, that finds home life unendurable. He soon grows weary of it and considers everything so tame, and so like flat beer, that it is impossible for him not only to be happy but to feel that he is less unhappy there than any where else. We do not mean that the domestic man, in the wife's sense, will be always at home. The man always at home has not half the chance of the man whose duty is outside of it, for he must sometimes be in the way. The point for the wife is that he should love home when he is there, and that love we contend belongs first of all to the active and strong, and deeply engaged worker, and not the lounger, or even the easy man. In marriage, as in every other relation in life, the competent man 's the pleasantest to live with and the safest to choose, and the one most unlikely to prove an unwearied friend, and who enjoys and suffers others to enjoy when at home the endless charm of mental repose.

A LITTLE GIRL of three, wanting to help set the table, was given an article to carry, but doubt was expressed as to her ability to reach high enough to place it on the table. By standing on tip-toe it was done, and running to her mother she cried out: "I did it mamma; but I had to stand on my hind legs."

WHY was a mother of one of the old Peruvian rulers like a piece of rubber? She was an incaraiser.

### EMOTIONAL INSANITY.

A remarkable murder trial has been going on lately in Chicago. It is a case of wife murder. The victim was Mrs. Mamie Young Stevens. The slayer was Mr. Peter Stevens. The fact of killing is not denied. Mr. Peter Stevens admits that he killed his wife. But his defense is that he was crazy—"emotional insanity," they call it in the cant of the courts. Mamie Stevens was thirteen years of age when she was married. She was seventeen years old—a mere child yet—when her affectionate husband put a pistol to her head and blew out her brains. About a year after her marriage, being then a dignified matron of fourteen, Mamie engaged in an illicit correspondence with somebody who was not her husband. What love-letters she wrote we do not know. Perhaps it was a lop-sided correspondence. The love-letters which she received were the things that did the business for her. A married woman of fourteen cannot have had much experience of that kind. She was fond of these letters, and kept them, no doubt, to solace her lonely hours during the intervals of Peter's absence from home. Peter was not an amiable man. In fact he was quite the reverse. He had a habit of beating his wife, and knocking her down, and locking her up in her bedroom, or the cellar, or the attic, or any other place that came handy for the purpose. It is no wonder that Mamie thought it a nice thing to get love-letters from persons who did not or could not beat her and knock her down or lock her up. Finding these letters so nice, she put them in a trunk with the intention of keeping them. There Peter found them. He found them and read them, and thought about them for two years. Then he made up his mind to become a raving maniac. He became a raving maniac, and then and there proceeded to blow out Mamie's brains with a pistol. Now he says he was emotionally insane. Generally emotion is a pretty rapid phenomenon. But in Peter's case it seems to have been extremely slow. His personal equation must be something extraordinary. It took him twenty-four months after reading these love-letters to become a raging lunatic. Probably if somebody were to stick him with a pin, or hit him over the head with a cane, he would not feel it for a year. These tests were not applied in the course of the trial; but they ought to be made use of in the case of a man who passes two years in making up his mind to go crazy. Towards the end of the two years Peter had symptoms of insanity. He says so himself. He declares that he "felt very bad," and that when he feels bad he is dangerous, and not accountable for what he does. So he thought he would just go and blow out Mamie's brains and then he might feel better. In point of fact, after he had performed this little operation with neatness and dispatch he felt a great deal better, and began to grow fat at once.—There is something in all this that reminds one of the celebrated Mrs. Sherman, who managed during her career to get rid of a good many husbands, and children and stepchildren. Mrs. Sherman was of a melancholy turn of mind. She was subject to fits of depression; she was easily discouraged. Whenever she got discouraged she took a notion to poison somebody, and when she had accomplished this, by means of her favorite expedient of a little arsenic in a cup of tea, she immediately recovered her spirits. So too an ingenious member of our state convention told an interviewing reporter that if the state debt should not be repudiated "the people would be very much mortified." He did not tell us that, after becoming very much mortified they would go to work to hang the bondholders; but we suppose that this would be the natural result on the Stevens and Sherman theory. On the whole we may say that Mr. Peter Steven's is a little thin. Two years consideration on the propriety of getting to be a temporary lunatic and then killing a woman, as a remedy for feeling bad, are not exactly consistent with the theory of emotional insanity, whatever that theory may be worth.—*N. O. Picayune.*

HOW A BEGGAR COULD HAVE SECURED A FORTUNE.—Not long ago, says the Louisville (Ky.) *Courier-Journal*, there was an old man in Louisville who died several years on the western side of three-score and ten. He was an upright, church-going, influential citizen, a successful business man and the father of a bright and happy family of children. A short time before his death he became involved in some unfortunate business venture, by which he lost nearly all his property. After he died it was naturally supposed that he had left his family penniless. What must have been their surprise when they found that he had left a will in which the following clause appeared: "And I do give and bequeath to my dearly beloved children, Margaret and Augusta, the sum of $11,502, now in the —— Bank of Louisville, the same being the sum of money which I accumulated in this manner: Fifty years ago, when I first started in business, instead of giving alms to any of the numerous young mendicants who came to my office daily, I determined to lay aside twenty-five cents every day, as a kind of sinking fund, the whole of which I made a vow to give to the first beggar under 15 years of age who had the originality to come to me and tell me any other story than that one which begins with: "My mother is sick, and my little brother and sisters is cryin' for somep'n t'eat," etc. To this good day I have never had an opportunity of giving this money away, and through the daily additions and judicious investments it has grown to the sum above named.

TWO BEAUTIFUL BLACKSMITHS.—Two beautiful blacksmiths have been discovered by an enterprising reporter of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*. Over the door painted in modest letters, was the sign, "Blacksmithing, by Corine and Nellie Blair." From the interior of the shop came the pleasant ring of the anvil and the dull sound of working bellows. Right in the center stood an anvil, and upon it lay a red-hot iron, into which a young lady was endeavoring to weld the link of a large log-chain. She was a blonde, her complexion being as fair as that of any petted belle of society, and the lovely tinge of pink and red which ever and anon spread over face and neck not only served to heighten her natural beauty, but gave evidence of an excellent constitution and robust health.—Her eyes were of a beautiful dark brown, shaded by lovely lashes of the same hue. Her lips were red as coral, and her teeth as firm and white as pearls. She was dressed in a very becoming attire of large Turkish pantaloons and loose blouse coat; her sleeves were rolled up to the elbow, exhibiting a beautifully rounded white arm.