Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, - - - SEPT. 2, 1881.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

National Greenback Convention. The members of the National Greenback-Labor Party of Cambria county, are hereby notified to meet at their respective polling places in each ward, borough and township, on *Saturday, Sept. 3, 1881*, between the hours of 1 and 7 o'clock, P. M., and elect two delegates to represent each district in a convention, to assemble at Ebensburg on *Monday, Sept. 5, 1881*, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to nominate a County Ticket and transact such other business as may come before them.

F. S. DYSART, Chairman.

Johnstown, Aug. 19, 1881.

Here. There and the Other Place.

—Apple-dumplings will soon be ripe.

—Big boom in flour—as much as $1.50 per barrel.

—Blank books, stationery, toilet articles, etc., at the new drug store.

—The corn crop in this county will be the next thing to a failure this year.

—If you have chills, take Peruna. If you expect or fear them, take Peruna.

—It is said that Ebensburg ought to have a street-sprinkler these hot days.

—The poor we always have with us, but the rich summer visitors have nearly all departed.

—Stoking Valley, Blair county, boasts of a hen that cackles first and lays her egg afterwards.

—Throw up your hat and rejoice as before, for the oyster season, you know, is with us once more.

—The walls of the new Court House were squared last week, and work on the roof has been begun.

—Eighty-five to ninety-three degrees in the shade, is the thermometrical record this week has made.

—Lew Rodgers is willing to *stock* his reputation on the assertion that he runs the best *restaurant* in Ebensburg.

—There is said to be less water in the Susquehanna river at Cherrytree just now than there has been for forty years.

—Four of the inmates of our county almshouse, all of whom are insane, were added to that institution in 1858.

—"Lindsey's Blood Searcher"—the great medicine for fever and ague, malaria, and all blood poison. Don't fail to use it.

—The coal miners at South Fork are still holding out for fifty cents per ton, and the operators are holding in for forty.

—The Pringledale camp-meeting, near Hilmore, this county, which closed on Monday last was very largely attended.

—The printers to Bedford are bound on an excursion this week, and that's the reason the FREEMAN so early its readers doth seek.

—Ex-Register James M. Singer, of Jackson township, has recently been made happy by the receipt of $1,200 in shape of back pension.

—The hot weather has driven the deer north, and the probabilities are that Cambria will be sort of infested with them the coming winter.

—The brick-work on the new Presbyterian church was begun Tuesday of this week. It is expected the structure will be completed by October.

—Voters should see that their names are on the registry list. Next Thursday, Sept. 8, is the last day on which this duty can be attended to.

—It is simply marvelous how quickly constipation, biliousness, sick headache, fever and ague, and malaria, are cured by "Solomon's Liver Pills."

—Gibbons, the grocerman's friend, our man on last Tuesday went through, but didn't poke his nose in our door long enough to say, "How do you do?"

—The soda fountain at the new drug store about the only cool comfort Ebensburg had these awful hot days. Go and get five cents' worth of the Arctic beverage.

—Mrs. Emma Bell, wife of Sheriff Bell, of this county, died of consumption at her home in Pleasant Valley, near Altoona, on Sunday last, aged thirty-three years.

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—Studies were resumed at St Francis' college, Loretto, yesterday (Thursday), and students are respectfully requested to report themselves as possible, so that classes may be formed to their advantage.

—Mr. Allen Crum disappeared from Hollidaysburg, Huntingdon county, several years ago, and the only Crum of comport his name has had from him since was a postal card he mailed at Mansfield, Ohio.

—Michael Campbell, a young man only a few weeks from Ireland, was taken with apoplexy on Friday last while employed as a laborer at the C. I. Co.'s rail mill, and died at 11 o'clock the same night.

—It is fully to buy drugs or patent medicines which have stood on the shelf until their usefulness has departed. Buy at the new drug store, where we assure you a fresh article can always be obtained.

—Fresh drugs and patent medicines received every few days at James' new drug store, Ebensburg. Therefore when you need anything of the kind go there and you will be sure to get a fresh and pure article.

—Mr. J. A. Shoemaker, who for the last months has been connected with an engineer corps in Elk county, returned to his sons of his family in this place on Friday last and departed again on Thursday morning.

—Joe. Kidd, Jr., a Williamsburg, Blair county, carpenter, is credited with tearing the roof of a stable in that place and putting on thirty-five hundred new shingles all in a day recently. That Kidd must go at work lively.

—Johnstown has a case of alleged infanticide. The remains of a new born infant, inclosed in a sheet, were found last Tuesday evening on the premises of a family residing in what is known as Hornerstown. The matter is being investigated.

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—We are in receipt of a piece of music entitled "God Bless the Little Woman." The poetry is founded on the fact that immediately after President Garfield was shot he dictated a telegram to his wife, informing her of the sad occurrence, remarking, in the most affectionate manner, to those beside him, "God bless the little woman." The music can be had by sending 35 cents to F. W. Helmick, 180 Elm street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

—Joseph Clark, aged about 19 years and recently from Ireland, was run over and instantly killed by a freight train at Allegripps, a short distance east of Gallitzin tunnel, at an early hour on Thursday morning of last week. The unfortunate young man was on his way home to Altoona from Braddock, where he had been visiting a foster-brother, and fell from the train at the point stated and was run over and horribly crushed about the abdomen.

—Immense as the Mountain House at Cresson is now, its capacity is to be doubled by additional buildings in anticipation of next year's boom. Over four hundred applicants for accommodations at the famous resort had to be turned away in two weeks time, simply because the house and cottages, which together have a capacity for seven hundred, were already filled to overflowing. The turning away of such a number means a loss of $1,200 per day.

—Many of the young men who read the FREEMAN, and not a few of the older ones, will be interested in learning, if they do not know it already, that Mr. Chas. Latterner, who enjoys the respect of everybody, has recently transferred his allegiance to the extensive clothing house of A. J. Anderson & Co., on Eleventh avenue, Altoona, where he will always be glad to welcome his friends and furnish them with the best of clothing at the lowest possible prices.

—It was certainly a happy thought which suggested to our friend Godfrey Wolf, of the pioneer clothing house, Altoona, that Mr. Ed. Miller, of this place, would be the right man to take into his employ at this particular juncture, and acting on that impulse he had the good fortune to secure his services. Mr. Miller is not only a thorough business man, but he is clever, courteous and gentlemanly, and we are sure that his Cambria friends, whose name is legion, will not pass him by when they go to Altoona to purchase good clothing at honest prices.

—After a visit of two or three weeks to his son-in-law, Mr. A. Y. Jones, and family, in Kane, McKean county, our townsman 'Squire Kinkead returned home last Friday. He reports all the Cambrians out in that section as being prosperous and happy.

—The only candidate mentioned on the Republican side for Co. Treasurer up to date is Mr. F. H. Barker, of Ebensburg. He will likely have a walk-over so far as the nomination is concerned, even Mr. Sam Criste, of Gallitzin, hesitating to to enter the lists.

—Clear head and voice, easy breathing, sweet breath, perfect smell, taste and hearing, no cough, no distress. These are conditions brought about in catarrh by the use of Sanford's Radical Cure. Complete treatment for $1. [9-2.-1m.]

—Do you suffer from sick or nervous headache, neuralgia or sleeplessness? If so, do not delay, trusting that in time nature will restore you, but go at once to E. James, Druggist, Ebensburg, Pa., for Dr. Faust's German Cure. [4-8.-e.o.w.1y.]

—The barn on what is known as Mill Run farm, three miles west of Altoona, was burned to the ground on Wednesday night of last week, involving a loss to the owner, John Campbell, of $700 or $800, and to the lessee, A. J. Duck, of from $450 to $500. No insurance.

—Our worthy townsman, ex-Sheriff James Myers, wishes the fact kept prominently before his fellow Democrats of Cambria county that he is a candidate for Associate Judge and hopes to be found worthy of favorable consideration at the approaching primary election.

—We don't know whether the printers' excursion prompted the thought, but the Hollidaysburg *Standard* says that the funniest thing connected with a picnic is thinking about it before you start, and the next funniest thing is congratulating yourself when it is over.

—A brother of Mr. T. H. Heist, landlord of the Mountain House, has received the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Bucks county. It is a close county, politically speaking, but if the candidate is as good a fellow as the landlord, we feel confident that he will be able to pull through.

—We record with pleasure the marriage of our young friends Thomas Carroll and Annie Canny, of Conemaugh borough, who were united in the holy bonds at St. John's church, Johnstown, on Tuesday last, by Rev. Father Gallagher. May God bless and prosper them in their new relations.

—Thousands of ladies to day cherish grateful remembrances of the help derived from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It positively cures all female complaints. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets. [9-2.-2t.]

—Geo. W. Jones, chief clerk in the P. R. R. car-record office, recently removed from Altoona to Philadelphia, died of consumption at Swarthmore, near the latter city, on Saturday last, aged about 41 years. His remains were brought to Altoona and buried from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. Dan. Laughman, Monday forenoon.

—It is said that Mr. John Owens will in the spring remove his stock of goods immediately across the way and take possession of the Freidhoff store-room, therein to continue the merchandising business on an enlarged scale. John is a good citizen and a worthy gentleman, and we hope his prosperity will keep pace with his enterprise.

—A postal card from Dr. M. A. Wesner informs us that he has removed from Loretto to 519 Pine street, Philadelphia, where he intends to remain. The Doctor is one of that class of men whom we would rather see come than go, but as we can't always have our own way in this world, we can only hope that the change will pan out pleasantly and prosperously for the Doctor.

—Rebecca, daughter of Mr. George Adams, of Coopersdale, aged about seven years, was severely burned about the lower part of her body on Wednesday last. The child, assisted by a young companion, was burning some rubbish in her father's yard, and her clothing caught from the fire. Fortunately, her situation was noticed in time to save her from fatal burning. So says the Johnstown *Democrat*.

—The Devotion of the Forty Hours commenced at the Church of the Holy Name, in this place, on last Sunday forenoon, and closed on Wednesday forenoon. The resident pastor, Rev. Father Reardon, was assisted by Rev. Father Ryan, of St. Augustine, Rev. Father McHugh, of Wilmore, and Rev. Father Otto, of Carrolltown, and comparatively few of the congregation failed to approach the sacraments.

—The beautiful grove about midway between Cnest Springs and St. Augustine is to be enlivened on Tuesday of next week by a grand harvest home picnic for the benefit of the Catholic church at St. Augustine, and it is almost needless to say that those who attend for the sake of innocent enjoyment and a good square meal or two will be sure to go away satisfied. Let there be a big turn out, then, as well for the cause as the occasion.

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THE best preventive of consumptive diseases of the lungs, bowels or kidneys is Brown's Iron Bitters. It checks all decay.

—Mr. William Mullen, a former well known citizen of Summerhill township, died of consumption at the residence of his brother Francis, at Portage station, a few days ago, aged about 41 years. The deceased served his country well and faithfully during the late civil war, and it is supposed that he contracted the disease which caused his death while in the army. May he rest in peace.

—Mr. McKay, of Cambria township, this county, was arrested in Ebensburg on the 13th proximo, on the charge of buying and feloniously keeping a stolen horse. On the 15th proximo Mr. McKay, after having first given bail for his appearance, went to Huntingdon to attend a Court of Quarter Sessions there and then convegable. Since then we at least have been in total ignorance of his whereabouts, and we are prone to ask for information on that point.

—A little daughter of Mr. Henry Leister, of Huntingdon, was seriously burned on Friday last by her clothes taking fire from a lighted candle, with a number of which herself and some other children were playing in the cellar of the Leister House, and the *Local News* very complacently adds that "she is dying well." Of course the "intelligent comp." thought he was "doing well" when he set up the last sentence, but can easily tell "y" the mistake was made.

—A colored girl named Annie Smith, aged about 13 years, who was regently adopted from our county almshouse by Mr. James Burris, of Altoona, left for parts unknown a week ago last Thursday night, since when no tidings have been obtained as to her whereabouts. The truant girl looks more like an Indian than a negro, her complexion being of a brownish cast and her hair black and long. Any information regarding her will thankfully be received by Mr. Burris.

—No less than thirty-seven criminal indictments will be laid before the Grand Jury next week by District Attorney Sechler, though a large majority of them are for charges of a minor character. It is the general opinion that a good many of these cases might have been disposed of satisfactorily by the respective Justices, had a disposition tending that way been thought advisable. But the Justices, maybe, think they know on which side their bread is buttered.

—Mr. Peter Stoltz, of Barr township, had the misfortune to loose about seven hundred rails by fire one day last week. The fire communicated from burning stump, which to all appearances had no fire about it, and catching in the parched up vegetation spread with such rapidity tha it was with great difficulty kept away from the buildings of Mr. Henry Krumenacher, who occupies an adjoining farm, and who with his wife was at the time on a visit to Philadelphia.

—We are very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Lynch, wife of our worthy friend and patron, Mr. Edward Lynch, of Summerhill township, which occurred on Saturday last. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Timothy O'Keefe, deceased, a former well known citizen of what is now Portage township. We did not learn her age, but presume it to have been about 40 years. We tender our sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband and family, and our earnest prayer for the repose of her soul.

—An old and valued friend of the FREEMAN, Mr. John McCoy, of Allegheny township, was stricken by paralysis on Wednesday of last week, while at work in one of his fields, and falling to the ground lay exposed to the scorching hot sun for fully four hours before his sad plight was discovered. When found and carried to his house he was totally unconscious, and in that condition he remained until Saturday, when he revived sufficiently to speak a few words, and it is now thought he is in a fair way of recovery.

—"Guaranteed to cure," is the inducement offered to you to call at James' new Drug Store, Ebensburg Pa., and buy a bottle of Dr. Faust's German Cough Syrup. It is based upon chemical laws, and is prepared with the most scrupulous care. This medicine is warranted to cure consumption, coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, and all pulmonary diseases. Remember an ordinary cough leads to consumption if allowed to continue without relief. Price, 25c., 50c. and $1 a bottle.

—There seems to be a disposition to criticize the acts of Burgess Humphreys in assessing disturbers of the peace in our boro'. He puts on what is known as "the tariff," it is true, and sees that all fines of offenders are collected or the equivalent thereof are made good. But too frequently he is rather lenient than otherwise, and the disposition of our citizens is to see to it that his extremest measures toward the preservation of the peace shall be preserved. This is only a warning to rowdies. Decently-disposed persons may pass along on the other side.

—Mr. Thomas Reilly, passenger train despatcher at the P. R. R. depot, Philadelphia, who with his wife and family spent a couple of weeks among their many friends in this county, left for home on Tuesday last. Mr. Reilly is a brother of Hon. John Reilly, Superintendent of Transportation, P. R. R., and like him is a very active gentleman, and his wife is a daughter of our good old friend, Prof. S. B. McCormick, formerly of Johnstown, but now of Stanislaus county, Cal., from whence he sends us a very interesting letter, which will be found on our editorial page to-day.

—As one of the incidents of the season we may mention that the maple tree which stands immediately in front of the Mountain House saloon, on Centre street, has drooped its leaves, passed in its checks, packed its trunk, is about to retire from the shade business on a large scale, and in fact, unless a miracle should happen, will be dead a month or so hence. Harry Engelhart, liquid clerk of the establishment, has been for some time in the fashion of piling up beer and ale barrels against the tree in question, which, Henry Ward Beecher being authority that beer and ale intoxicate, may account for the maple passing in its checks.

—A little son, aged five or six years, of Mr. John Feight, of Barr township, had his skull crushed in by being kicked by a horse on the forehead last Sunday morning, and although still living, there is little hope of his recovery. We have not been able to learn the particulars of the affair, but have heard nothing as to his condition, no hopes whatever were then entertained as to his recovery. The little unfortunate was playing in the barnyard at the time, his mother meanwhile being engaged in milking a short distance away, and in his childish glee approached too near one of the horses, which kicked him in the forehead with the sad result stated.

—On Saturday evening last, Mrs. Rebecca Kephart, the aged mother of J. B. Kephart, warden of the Blair county jail, fell down the stone steps in front of the jail and fractured both arms near the wrists. The lady, who is 70 years of age, was seated in a rocking chair on the large stone step, when one rocker slipped over the edge of the stone, causing her to fall with the above serious result. She has had several similar accidents, at one time fracturing one of her shoulders, and only a few months ago fell and broke her collar-bone. So says the Hollidaysburg correspondent of the Altoona *Tribune*.

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INSURANCE BUZZARDS.—We had thought, as intimated elsewhere, says the Tyrone *Herald* of last Thursday, that the bone-yard sharks were about giving our town the cold shoulder, but we were mistaken a few, if not more so. An insurance raid was made on the town yesterday, for a purpose that will herein appear.

Manx Kauffman, who is lingering on the very edge of the grave, was recently insured for $700,000. Yesterday it was quietly intimated by some one in the interest of the grave-yard agents, that Manx was about ready to go, when a crowd of Huntingdon county agents appeared on the scene, and after consultation, it was decided that he couldn't die easy unless a few more policies were issued. These papers are called "death policies," and there is no word-fooling about it. They are just what they claim to be.—When a subject is in the act of dying, his "friends," the death hawks, pounce upon him like buzzards upon a putrid carcass, and fasten him with the grappling irons of their insurance machinery. Kauffman was "fixed" over again, and as near as we can ascertain, is now insured for about $200,000.

The outcome of all this will be, old Manx will die some of these days, and his charitable "friends," the ghoulish policy holders, will come in for the spoils, say $200,000.—This may or may not be a legitimate business. At any rate these fellows follow it up with impunity. Somebody ought to apply the legal nippers to these death speculators, and if it is all right, let them go ahead. Let them enjoy their constitutional rights.—There are, no doubt, cases where these men, or members of their gang, help their subjects out of the way. A good plan and a just one, to settle the account with them, would be to get them heavily insured through their own agencies, and then hang them.

A GREAT WORK.—Mr. A. D. Criste, an ex-Treasurer of this county and a gentleman well known to most of our readers, and who only a few days ago returned from St. Louis, where and in other portions of the west he has been canvassing for the most of the time during the past two or three years for "Gaskell's Compendium," certainly the most valuable book of the kind ever issued, has secured the right to sell said work in Cambria and Blair counties, and in pursuance of that purpose will call upon our citizens at an early day. The "Compendium" contains seven Dictionaries, comprising no less than one hundred thousand valuable facts arranged in tables, enjoys is the cheapest and best encyclopedia of reference for the home, counting-room and office that has ever been offered to the American public. Mr. C introduces and urges the sale of his book in a quiet, modest way, quite different from the usual routine of the ordinary book agent, and our readers will find upon examination of the work that it is in every sense deserving of the highest commendation.

HAY FEVER.—For Hay Fever I recommended Ely's Cream Balm. It entirely relieved me from the first application; have been a sufferer for ten years. Going from home and neglecting to take the remedy, I had an attack; after returning I immediately resorted to it, and found instant relief. I believe, had I begun its use earlier, I should not have been troubled. Have stood heat, dust and draughts as well as during other months. J. COLLYER, Clerk, 118 Broad St., Elizabeth, N. J.

FOR YEARS I have been afflicted with Hay Fever, from early in August until frost. I was induced to give Ely's Cream Balm a trial. The relief was immediate. I regard myself cured. G. SCHREIBER, Supt. of Cemetery, Cor. Elizabeth, N. J., Sept. 25, 1880. Price 50 cents. For sale at the new drug store, Ebensburg.

NEW VARIETY OF WHEAT.—Mr. William H. McGarvey, a Logan township farmer, in the year 1878 discovered in one of his fields sown with wheat, two heads differing from all the rest and of a variety which he had never seen before. These were carefully preserved and sown in the fall, and from this small beginning thirty-four bushels of clean wheat were harvested this year. It is a beautiful white wheat, very thin in the hull, and has six rows, many of the heads containing from eighty to one hundred grains. Mr. McGarvey has shown the wheat to many of our farmers, but none of them have been able to tell him to what variety it belongs. A sample has been left at this office for inspection and is certainly the prettiest wheat we have ever seen. Mr. McGarvey has a few bushels for sale.—*Altoona Tribune.*

IT has been long known that Beulah, the "deserted village," two miles west of Ebensburg, enjoys the reputation of being peopled by ghosts. When folks go by there, they point out the ruins and say they are "haunted." We will not investigate too closely the principle involved herein, but content ourselves by saying that last Monday a stranger whose residence is in Pittsburg went out there and sat himself down in close proquinquity to the bridge where the ghosts are supposed to keep boarding-house. He afterward stretched himself at full length, and still further along, went to sleep. When he woke up, a basket of fish weighing five lbs. was missing! And yet some folks say there are no ghosts at Beulah.

SNAKES.—On Sunday a week, George Friedly and John Sturtzman while walking along the road leading to Warm Springs, discovered a large copperhead snake lying at the side of the road. One of them picked up a stone and dispatched it, and upon examining the body saw a number of sacks in it.—Upon opening the sack a live young copperhead about six inches long, rolled out. They found twenty-five little ones thus hid away in the snake's body, and having killed them all, they claim the championship for the biggest hour's work in the snake killing line.—*Huntingdon Local News.*

A TRAVELER'S STORY.—After spending months at European and American watering places and thousands of dollars looking for health, I returned home disheartened and benighted. I had consulted the best physicians and traveled far and near without benefit, and expected to die. A friend urged a trial of Parker's Ginger Tonic. Three bottles and careful diet have worked wonders and brought me excellent health and spirits, and you may publish my experience for the benefit of similar sufferers.—*A Cincinnati Lady.* [8-22.-1m.]

THE Blair county Republican convention convened at Hollidaysburg on Monday last and endorsed Judge Dean for renomination, selected Hon. Samuel McCamant for Senatorial delegate, with power to appoint his own conferees, named Messrs. J. W. Johnson and D. S. Brumbaugh as their Representative delegates, and constructed a county ticket composed of Messrs John S. Calvert and Joshua H. Roller for Commissioners, David Bell for P. H. Director and H. P. Lorenz and A. T. Wilson for Auditors.

IS IT POSSIBLE that a remedy made of such common simple plants as Hops, Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., make so many and such marvelous cures as Hop Bitters do? It must be, for when old and young, rich and poor, Pastor and Doctor, Lawyer and Editor, all testify to having been cured by them, we must believe and doubt no longer. See other column.—*Post.* For sale at the new drug store, Ebensburg.

THE Republican County Committee will meet in the Court House, this place, next Monday afternoon, at the hour of one o'clock. Delegates to the State Convention will be then chosen. For that distinguished position—or those distinguished positions, as the case may be—we beg leave to suggest the names of Mr. John Smith, Mr. John Brown, and Mr. John Jones. They are said to be all poor Republicans.

DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT.—Is i not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself from every symptom of these distressing complaints? If you think so, call at E. James' Drug Store, Ebensburg, Pa., and procure a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it. Use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. [4-8.-e.o.w.1y.]

DR. OSTRANDER, of West Pittston, Pa., a brother of the chief of a corps of engineers recently operating on the Blacklick, in this county, committed suicide a few days ago, on account, it is said, of a diseased mind superinduced by excessive smoking.

NO HUMAN agency can so speedily cleanse the blood, clear the complexion and skin, restore the hair and cure every species of itching, scaly and scrofulous humors of the skin, scalp and blood as the Cuticura Remedies.

IMPORTANT TO TRAVELERS.—Special inducements are offered you by the BURLINGTON ROUTE. It will pay you to read their advertisement, to be found elsewhere in this issue. [3-18.-10m.]

A THOROUGH and safe remedy is DR. METTAUR'S HEADACHE AND DYSPEPSIA PILLS. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25 cents. [8-21.-1m.]

WORMS. WORMS. WORMS.

Tape Worm removed alive, head and all complete, in from two to three hours. No fee till cured; or if prepared medicine is desired, can be taken at home. For Tape Worm, the patient must consult the doctor personally or by mail.) Send three cent stamp for information by mail. For Stomach, Seat, Pin, Round or Thread Worms, use E. F. Kunkel's Worm Syrup. Fifty per cent, of cases of Dyspepsia and disorganizations of liver are caused by stomach and other worms in the alimentary canal. I have a vegetable remedy which effectually removes them, and cleanses the liver and kidneys. Numbers of prominent citizens of Philadelphia, who have been treated for various diseases—dyspepsia, consumption, bronchitis, female weakness, etc.—can certify that my treatment has cured them and that they had been treated for wrong diseases. Common sense teaches if Tape Worm can be removed, all other worms can be readily destroyed. Advice at office and store free. The doctor can tell whether or not the patient has worms. Thousands are dying daily with worms and do not know it. Fits, spasms, cramps, choking and suffocation, sallow complexion, circles around the eyes, swelling and pain in the stomach, restlessness at night, grinding of the teeth picking at the nose, cough, fever, itching at the seat, headache, foul breath, the patient grows pale and thin, tickling and irritation in the anus—all these symptoms and more come from worms. E. F. Kunkel's Worm Syrup never fails to remove them. Price, $1.00 per bottle, or six bottles for $5.00. (For Tape Worm, write and consult the doctor.) For all others buy of your druggist the Worm Syrup, and if he has it not, send to E. F. Kunkel, 250 N. Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa. Advice by mail free; send 3 cent stamp.

E. F. KUNKEL'S BITTER WINE OF IRON.

The great success and delight of the people. In fact, nothing of the kind has ever been offered in the American people which has so quickly found its way into their good favor and hearty approval as E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron. It does all it proposes, and thus gives universal satisfaction. It is guaranteed to cure the worst cases of dyspepsia or indigestion, kidney or liver disease, weakness, nervousness, constipation, acidity of the stomach, etc. Get the genuine. Sold only in $1 bottles, or six bottles for $5. Ask for E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron, and take no other. If your druggist has it not, send to proprietor, E. F. Kunkel, 250 N. Ninth St., Philadelphia, Pa. Advice free; send three cent stamp. Aschenbach & Miller, Sole Agents, 3d and Callowhill Sts., Philad'a.

THAT NEW RAILROAD.—At last we have something definite about that "mysterious railroad" which is supposed, after it is completed, to run past or in the near neighborhood of Ebensburg. Mr. A. T. Pindle, of this place, agent for the Rex tracts of land in Blacklick township, last week paid a visit to the Vice President of the road, at Waynesboro, Cumberland county, and now that he is at home again tells something like the following:

That the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad design "gridironing" the northern part of this State; that they have run a line northward of this county through Clearfield county, another immediately south of Ebensburg, coming by way of Chambersburg and the Broad Top Railroad; and still another at a point south of said line. These several routes cost something in the way of $3,000,000 for charter privileges, ten per cent. of which, or $300,000, has been paid into the treasury of Pennsylvania. The expense of running the experimental lines is set down at $50,000. "Do you think," queried Mr. Pindle, "that the men at the head of the road in question would spend $350,000 without knowing how their money would come back to them?" In a word, Mr. Pindle gave it as his opinion that a railroad past Ebensburg, running through or near Hollidaysburg, in Blair county, on the east, and striking the West Penn road in the west above Freeport, *en route* to Pittsburg, will shortly be an accomplished fact. As to where the shops of the new railroad will be located Mr. Pindle has no knowledge.

OVERCOME BY THE HEAT.—Yesterday morning, Mr. John Kinney, an engineer on the road in the mountains started with his engine the 255 to pull ahead on St. Louis day express up the hill west from Conemaugh to Gallitzin. When near Portage and while the train was going at full speed he was taken sick suddenly and fainted. He fell over the hot boiler, burning his left hand and bruising his head. The fireman pulled him back on the tender and immediately wheelled down brakes. The train was stopped and Mr. Kinney was taken on board one of the coaches and sent to this city. Mr. Tom Wilson who was hauling the train took charge of Kinney's engine as far as Gallitzin, and left his engine in charge of his fireman and assistant road foreman, Mr. John Bowman, who happened to be on board. Mr. Kinney's injuries were dressed by the company's physician and he returned home on the way passenger. He was probably unwell when he started, having lost considerable sleep which together with the intense heat, prostrated him. We do not remember of a similar occurrence on the road.—*Altoona Tribune, 22nd.*

A FIENDISH FATHER.—Our people will not have forgotten, says the McConnellsburg *Democrat*, Daniel B. Mellott, who over six years ago was tried in court for burning three of his children, in Belfast township. If reports which have lately reached us are true, Daniel will again figure in the courts, this time in Bedford county, on a charge almost as grave as the one on which he was tried here. As the story runs, a few Sundays ago Mellott gave his child a penny or other small coin to put in the Sabbath school contribution box. It seems the child failed to do this, but took the money home again. This angered the father, and he took the little one out and hung it up by the heels. Some one passing by found the child and took it down before life was extinct. A physician was called as soon as possible, but before he arrived the child was dead.

FIRE AT LLOYDSVILLE.—The people of Lloydsville were greatly alarmed on Thursday and Thursday night, at the destructive configration raging in the mountains around that village. The fire had is origin in some refuse matter in the yard of Flack & Grant's sawmill. Everything being intensely dry, the devouring element spread rapidly in every direction, endangering the mill, as well as the mills of Reynolds & McFarland. Besides the destruction of timber, about forty rods of tramway and a great deal of bark were burned. The people kept watch all Thursday night lest the flames might attack the village. In fact, the smoke of the conflagration was so dense that many feared suffocation if they retired to bed. Parties who have been on the ground represent the fire as widespread and destructive.

A pretty young girl full of pique,
Got down in the mouth, so to speak,
And when people laughed
She thought she was banished,
And she stayed in the house for a week.

Jonah, as well as the girl, was cast down in the mouth—we read. But that was long ago. Had he lived in the present age, we might much if he wouldn't at once proceed to get into spirits by going to Jas. J. Murphy's, 109 Clinton street, Johnstown, and buying one of those splendid hot weather suits he has for sale. We tell the even and exact truth when we say that Mr. Murphy's stock, for both men and boys, is the largest and most complete as well as the cheapest ever brought into Cambria county.

There was a young fellow from Lisle
Sat down on a three-cornered file;
With a sorrowful wail
He pulled out the nail,
And departingly said, "I should smile."
(But he didn't.)

Neither did the man smile who went elsewhere than to Godfred Wolf's, next door to the postoffice, Altoona, to buy a suit of clothing. Nor any other man. Lisle and file have nothing to do with it, but if you, reader, want to buy a rig suitable to the Fall season, and want to get a good rig, and a rig stylish and cheap as well, our advice to you is to patronize Mr. Wolf. He belongs to that class of clothiers who give you the full worth of your money.

Men of Eminent Ability.

Scholars and chemists, have devoted years of time and skillful labor that they might, in a measure, relieve human suffering. Dr. Faust's German Aromatic Wine is the result of the most patient and careful experiments. It is prepared with the most scrupulous care from pure Grape Juice and the choicest Fruits, Roots and Herbs, and stands preeminently without an equal for the use of ladies suffering with private disorders, aged or feeble and debilitated persons, and those recovering from the effects of exhausting disease, or mental or physical overwork. Guaranteed to promote digestion and invigorate and give new and permanent vital force. In no way can it be used as an intoxicant. Ask druggists. For sale at E. James' new Drug Store, Ebensburg, Pa. [4-8.-e.o.w.1y.]

A flirting young woman once coughed
And her feminine friends called her scoughed.
But she turned up her nose
And made them her foes,
And her motto became, "I look aloughed."

The foregoing is a species of aesthetical poetry which may be either irritated or rejected. But it is going against one's interest to reject the information contained in what is told and sworn to that Simon & Bendheim next door to the First National Bank, Altoona, sell ready-made clothing cheaper than anybody else. Their stock is fresh and made to order, and they say that during the rest of this month and all of next they will deliver packages at prices to suit the customers. Try them.

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning, the signal, perhaps, of the near approach of the most terrible disease. Consumption? Ask yourself if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that