Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.,

FRIDAY, - - SEPT. 16, 1881.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

The Democratic voters of Cambria county will meet at their respective places of holding elections on Saturday, September 24, 1881, and vote by ballot for the nomination of a county ticket, as follows:

One person for County Treasurer.
Two persons for Associate Judges.
Two persons for County Commissioners.
One person for Poor House Director.
One person for Coroner.
Two persons for Auditors.

A County Committeeman will also be elected in each district.

Each voter can vote for two persons for Associate Judges, two for County Commissioners, and two for Auditors. They are to vote for only one person for County Treasurer, one for Poor House Director, and one for Coroner.

The election will be open from 1 o'clock, P. M., until 7 P. M.

Tickets and necessary papers for conducting the election will be furnished to each Committeeman.

The Committee men will take the returns of the election to Ebensburg on Monday, September 26.

A meeting of the Committee will be held at 1 o'clock, P. M., of that day in the Court House, when the votes will be counted and the names of the successful candidates announced.

Also, the gentlemen who will be elected members of the County Committee on the 24th inst. for the ensuing year, are requested to meet at the Court House in Ebensburg on Monday, Sept. 26th, 1881, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing a Chairman, and transacting such other business as may be deemed necessary.

W. H. McMELLEN, Chairman.

Here, There and the Other Place.

—A case of small-pox is reported from Gallitzin.

—Democratic primaries on Saturday of next week.

—Next Argument Court will be held on Tuesday, November 1st, proximo.

—A good cow, nearly dry, can be bought cheap by applying at this office.

—The drouth in this county has been so long and so great that little plowing or sowing has been done here, of late.

—The weather last week was as warm as perdition; but, lo! what a change!—we're all now in a shiv'ring condition.

—The summer hotels and boarding-houses in this neighborhood are nearly if not entirely depopulated of their guests.

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

—I paid $150 to my doctor and was no better. I then took a few bottles of PERUNA, which cured me. At the new drug store.

—John Nichols fell under the wheels of a freight train at Derry, Westmoreland county, on Saturday last, and had both legs amputated.

—Exhausted and enfeebled constitutions suffering from dyspepsia, nervousness and general weakness, cured by Brown's Iron Bitters.

—A load of kindling wood, cut to lengths, will be needed at the FREEMAN residence in the course of a week or ten days. Who'll bring it?

—A bear and its cub were seen in Warriorsmark, Huntingdon county, a few days ago. No warrior, however, marked them for their own.

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

—The Carrolltown *News* says that Engelbert Bender, of Clearfield township, had a twelve-ton stack of hay destroyed by fire a week ago last Sunday.

—The only way to account for the fact that V. S. Barker & Bro. sell more groceries than any other firm in town is that they sell cheaper than other dealers.

—It has of late been so fearfully dry, hereaway that we are willing, torsooth, that the spell should be spelled with a g or without—as in drought or in drouth.

—The corner-stone of the new Presbyterian church in this place was laid on Friday last without any special ceremonies, and the brick work commenced to-day (Thursday.)

—Mr. John Crouse, proprietor of the Dexter Hotel at Chest Springs, has lately erected a large and commodious stable and wagon-shed for the convenience of the traveling public.

—A Carroll township lad named Rudolph Miller, aged about six years, fell from the roof of a spring house on Monday of last week and fractured his right arm between the elbow and wrist.

—A rare chance to buy grist-mill machinery very cheap is offered to-day in our advertising department. Read the screed, and if you have any need for things of that kind, now's the best time indeed.

—We agree with the Altoona *Advance* that it would be a capital idea for the capitalists of our county capital to invest their spare capital in a summer resort. But, all the same, they will never do it.

—V. S. Barker & Bro. have opened a large stock of seasonable clothing for men and boys, among which is a fine line of wearing apparel for boys from five to ten years of age that cannot be excelled anywhere.

—Taken in its literal sense, the remark of Brother Rynder about our town being "regularly laid out" might be construed as the "unkindest cut of all," though of course it was not intended for anything of that sort.

—Wm. H. Kepperly, formerly of Martinsburg, Blair county, was killed in a railroad accident on Thursday night last at Silver Creek, on the Philadelphia and Erie road, on which he was employed as a freight engineer.

—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, only $1.

—We designed printing the list of officers of the J. V. P. A., recently elected at Bedford, but other matters certainly of not less importance to our readers have unavoidably held it out.

—Two representatives of the rowdy element of Johnstown, both drunk, made a groundless assault on Mr. Richard Gittings, of Cambria township, last Monday afternoon. In default of the usual fine, they went to jail for twenty-four hours.

—Remember when you need shoes for your feet that V. S. Barker & Bro. have just opened the largest assortment ever brought to Ebensburg. You can see at their store all styles of ladies' and children's fine shoes, at prices lower than anywhere else.

—Our old friend and correspondent, Maj. D. Nelson Smith tarried with us for a few hours on Wednesday, going back the same evening to Cresson, from whence he intends returning to his home in Philadelphia to-day or to-morrow. Long life and benediction.

—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 planing mill in this place, with all the machinery and fixtures thereto pertaining, is to be offered at public sale on Tuesday, Sept. 27th, and we trust that somebody will be necessary funds and energy will be found to purchase. See advertisement and prepare.

—Charles Reck, of Lansdale, Montgomery co., who had been employed on the repair of the railroad company's yard, at Altoona, for the two months previous, was run over by a train of eighteen cars on Thursday morning, receiving injuries which terminated in death two hours later.

—A number of dogs owned by Messrs. John Eger and Edward Evans, of Barr township, made short work about two weeks ago of a fine young steer belonging to the first named gentleman. The dogs were all killed, however, soon after, though we can't say that that balanced the books.

—Women that have been bedridden for years have been entirely cured of female weakness by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets. [9-16.-2t.]

—Drs. M. R. B. Creery, of this place, and J. Q. Creery, of Cherrytree, have just supplemented their brotherly relations by entering into business relations as surgeon dentists, with their official headquarters in Ebensburg. What we think of the new departure will appear further along—say a week hence. Meantime success to the new firm.

—Letters addressed to the following named persons remain uncalled for in the Ebensburg post-office: Miss Alice J. Bradley, F. S. Brady, Harriet Griffith, Thomas Huber, Mrs. Mary A. Jones, Miss Ellie Keyler, Mrs. Annie S. Phillips, Evan Roberts (2), Mrs. David Reese, V. L. Schneider, Mrs. L. A. Thompson.

—Mr. Wm. Glass, of Munster township, will be a candidate before the next Republican convention for County Commissioner, though if only one candidate for the office is named, which at present seems probable, he will likely fail to secure the prize. It seems to be conceded that Commissioner Sam Davis will be his own successor on that side of the house.

—When you go to Altoona in quest or pursuit of coat, pants or vest, or an entire new suit, don't forget to remember that Charley Laterner is there, and that for Anderson & Co., as perhaps you're aware, he sells clothing, the best, at prices so low, that you'll make a mistake if elsewhere you go. Store in Jaggard's new building, Eleventh avenue, Altoona, Pa.

—Mrs. Frank Kahn, of Ligonier, Westmoreland county, fell into a cistern thirteen feet deep, on Friday last, while attempting to draw a bucket of water, and it was only by standing erect for fully an hour, or until her family, who had missed her but could not discover her whereabouts, came to her rescue, that she succeeded in saving herself from drowning.

—We acknowledge the compliment paid us by Brother Lindsay, of the Huntingdon *Local News*, when he says that we "can't set up any stereotyped plates that will hold as good food for thought as comes from your (our) own mill," but as our boys couldn't picnic at Bedford and pick type at home in the meantime, we were obliged to make up the deficiency in some way.

—Mr. John Collopy received the Franciscan habit at St. Francis' Monastery, Loretto, on Thursday evening of last week, and on the following day departed for Germantown, near Philadelphia, to aid in the good work of instructing the youth of that city. Our best wishes are with the promising young man who has so wisely chosen to serve God and instruct his fellow creatures without hope of reward in this life.

—We are sorry to learn that our townsman, Mr. H. Berg, late County Superintendent of Schools, has determined to remove permanently from our midst. He will dispose of his personal property at public sale next Wednesday, and immediately afterward, with his family, will go to New York city, where we understand he has secured a responsible position in a bank. We trust all manner of prosperity may accompany him.

—City Solicitor Flanagan, of Altoona, was among the welcome and frequent visitors to our town during the early part of this week. And the attraction wasn't a fee either, tho' if one "e" were dropped and "my 0" added the cause of his coming would cease to be a mystery. Still, we didn't start out to give "Jeems" away, and we ain't going to do it even though he should continue to drive in and out of our town with his coach and two for a month or more to come.

—Among the notables who were in town this week attending Court either as interested parties, attorneys, or witnesses, may be mentioned ex-Congressman Coffroth, of Somerset, ex-Congressman Speer, and Attorney Bailey, of Huntingdon, and F. W. Hay and Howard J. Roberts, Esqs., of Johnstown. Geo. W. Mullen, Esq., of the St. Cloud Hotel, Philadelphia, was also here for two or three hours on Monday, but neither Court nor courting had anything to do with his coming.

—A short time ago V. S. Barker & Bro. placed a lot of dress goods on their counters, and marked them at 5 and 10 cents per yard. They were all sold in a few days, and this week they have sorted over their stock again, before buying their new supplies for the fall trade, and picked out a lot of Summer goods and remnants, which they have marked down to 5 and 10 cents per yard. These will last only a few days; so if you want any of them, now is the time to call and secure a bargain.

—What seems to be fitly styled "the latest and most wonderful invention" is Edison's Instantaneous Guide to the Piano or Organ, of which an advertisement setting forth its extraordinary merits will be found in another column. If all that is claimed for this new musical innovation be true, and the Company which offer it for sale have no hesitation in pledging the payment of $1,000 if they fail to make good their promises, the demand for the "Guide" will be as unprecedented as the invention itself.

—"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. [4-8.-e.o.w.1y.]

—Dr. J. J. Krise, of Altoona, formerly of this county, where we believe he was born and raised, has taken up the cudgel on behalf of that infamous traffic known as the speculative life insurance business, in which he is engaged, and pours his maledictions upon the newspapers which have had the nerve to expose the unrighteous doings of the dastardly sharks. We incline to the opinion, expressed by the Huntingdon *Local News*, that Dr. Krise will be wiser in a few weeks, and all that is necessary for him to do to bring further odium upon himself is to write a few more letters.

—On what we believed to be reliable information and certainly without and thought of giving offence, we published a wedding notice in our last issue and dated it six days in advance of the interesting ceremony, which did not take place until Tuesday of this week. All the same, we wish the happy couple, one of whom hails from Cambria borough, while the other and fairer one has her home in this place, all the bliss that is presumed to attend the wedded state, and ask them to forgive us for having unintentionally placed them in what might seem to be an awkward position.

—About 10 o'clock on Monday night last, a young man named Geo. O. Bowers, of Kittanning, Pa., was killed by the Fast Line west near the Johnstown station. He was walking on the railroad track at the time, having taken that route under the impression that the Fast Line was late and that it was the nearest way back from the Cambria Iron works, which he had been visiting, and did not discover the fatal mistake he had made until, in attempting to avoid an east-ward-bound freight train, he stepped to the north track and immediately in front of the Fast Line, the wheels of which passed over both of his legs and part of his body, killing him instantly. The unfortunate man was aged about 28 years and we believe unmarried. His remains were sent home to Kittanning, where he intended to return on the day following his terrible death.

—Though the attendance at Court this week was the reverse of large, yet High street presented a most animated appearance during a portion of Monday and Tuesday afternoons. Two horses drawing a farm wagon, driven by a son of Mr. William D. Price, of Cambria township, undertook to emulate the rate of speed attained by Maud S. and ran away, but were checked before a distance of more than a square had been achieved—this, Monday afternoon; and Tuesday afternoon, a one-horse livery rig from Loretto started homeward "bell to split" (to quote from John Hay's "Little Breeches") without a driver, in the course of time coming down to a walk of its own volition for want of breath. No damage.

—The Hollidaysburg correspondent of the Altoona *Tribune* says that on Thursday evening last William Frank and his wife, who live on Newry street, Gaysport, met with a serious accident that in all probability will prove fatal to the former. Mr. Frank is 82 years of age and the wife 72 years. Just before retiring Mrs. Frank went into the yard and was frightened by a strange dog, which chased her into the house. Mr. Frank became greatly excited and started up stairs, followed by his wife. Just at the second floor Mr. Frank fainted and fell back, striking his wife, and both went down to the bottom together. Mr. Frank has several ribs fractured and was also injured internally. Mrs. Frank escaped with a badly bruised arm and leg.

—The wife of General Carr, who, about two weeks ago, was incorrectly reported to have been massacred, together with nearly all his command, near Fort Apache, Arizona, by the White Mountain Indians, is a daughter of Capt. John Maguire, of St. Louis, who is closely related to the Maguires who were the first settlers of Allegheny township, this county, then a part of Huntingdon county. In his early days, Capt. Maguire was the manager of certain iron works in Huntingdon county owned by Mr. Peter Shoenberger, and subsequently removed to Cincinnati, where he continued in the employ of said Shoenberger as manager of a wholesale iron store. From there he went to St. Louis, where he still resides and is one of its best known citizens. Our impression is that he is a cousin of the late Michael Maguire, of Allegheny township, who died two or three years ago.

—A blacksnake which is said to have measured fourteen feet in length was killed on the farm of Jacob Thomas, in Elder township, one day last week. And that reminds us of the fact that Daniel Burtnett, of Creole township, alleges that he recently saw a blacksnake near the village of Summerhill, in said township, the head and tail of which extended each about one foot beyond the log upon which it was sunning itself—said log, in his estimation, being not less than fourteen or sixteen feet, we forget which. The exact length of the log was subsequently measured however, to be only twelve feet, which of course reduced the snake to the same dimensions as the one above noted. Even then temptation to discredit Mr. Burtnett's story was almost irresistable, and had any other person been present when that gentleman saw the snake, it is almost absolutely certain that no stack at all would have been taken in the story.

—The Carrolltown *News* tells of a ragged old man and boy who appeared about three weeks ago on the farm of Mr. Francis Huber, in Carroll township, during the absence of that gentleman, and attempted to drive off two of his cows, which they alleged belonged to them and had strayed away. A thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. Huber ordered the intruders off the premises, but as they refused to obey she set the dog on them, when they left in a hurry. On the Saturday following, or about a week after their first visit the same parties reappeared on the farm and again attempted the same game, Mr. Huber, as before, being absent from home. The little girl succeeded once more, however, in frightening them away by threatening to set the dog on them, but not until they had given her to understand that if she did so they would set fire to her father's barn. A short time afterward one of the cows swelled up and died. On Tuesday, while Mr. Huber was working in one of his fields, the young girl ran to him from the house with a revolver, and Mr. Huber's little girl credits him with saying: "You did not get much good of your cow, for my father gave it an apple with poison in it." The dog was again called into requisition, and while the boy was trying to get away the entire force the girl shot the dog to poison Huber, who is at a loss to account for this mischievous and heartless raid upon his premises, has taken measures to capture the villains.

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HORSE THIEVES ARRESTED.—On Monday of this week, Deputy Sheriff Kinkead received a verbal description of two horses which had been stolen about a week prior in Clarion county. It made no special impression on his mind at the time, but the circumstance was recalled the evening of the same day when he saw two strange men riding down Centre street on horses which answered the general description of the stolen animals. He kept an eye on their movements, and eventually, after following them around several unfrequented streets, located them at Blair's hotel, where they dismounted and tied the horses. A closer inspection of the animals convinced Mr. K. that, if not the very ones he was after, they bore a close resemblance to them, and he promptly took the two men into custody and locked them up to await developments. They made no resistance. Upon searching them at the jail, there was found upon them a six-barreled revolver a knife, a deck of cards, two jewsharps, and several other minor articles. They told a number of places they had been in Mansfield, Ind., hearing that work was plenty and wages good in this locality, had concluded to ride over and see about it; that they had bought the horses just before starting, though one was unable to tell the name of the neighbor from whom he purchased, till prompted by the other; that they came in town from the east, though Mansfield lies westward, had ridden a long distance, etc. A conversation of greater or less length ensued, marked at the outset by an emphatic denial of the of the crime charged against them, but in the end both made a full acknowledgement of their guilt. They said, further, that they had started on a tramp from Ohio, and, passing through the oil region, had concluded to freeze on to the animals found in their possession. That they are good judges of horseflesh is evidenced by the fact that the horses are pronounced by good judges to be worth no less than $300. They were unable to give the name of the town were the theft was committed, but it was subsequently ascertained to be Corsica, in Clarion county, and that Mr. A. M. Hindman is the owner of the stock. The saddles and bridles, which are not of much value, were stolen from another party. One of the self-confessed criminals said he lived in Venango county when at home; the other insisted on a fixed place of residence. Neither is much over 20 years of age. The reward offered for the capture of the horses is $100.

On Tuesday morning, one of the prisoners was discovered by Jailor Griffith attempting to crawl from his cell into the corridor through what is known as the "grub hole"—the aperture through which food is passed into the cell for prisoners. He would likely have failed in the effort; but in case of success, he would have found the corridor as safe a cage as the cell. To prevent a repitition of the experiment, the blind door was closed on him and locked.

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AN UNPRECEDENTED AFFLICTION.—We copied an account from the Johnstown *Tribune* last week of the deaths from diphtheria of three children of Mr. William Boyle, of Summitville, this county, which, added to the others that had preceded them within a period of less than three weeks, made six deaths in all up to that time in this greatly afflicted family. Now it becomes our painful duty to add two more to the terrible list, one of whom, the youngest of the family, died on Monday night or Tuesday morning, and the other, the eldest son, Adolphus Boyle, aged about 22 years, died at an early hour on the following morning. Both of the unfortunate victims were buried a few hours after death, The last named, Adolphus Bovle, was a telegraph operator at Cresson, a most exemplary and much esteemed young man, and his sad and untimely death will be a source of deep regret to a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The only remaining child, a little girl of weak mind, is at present afflicted with the merciless malady, and her death, if it has not already occured, is thought to be inevitable. A more heart-rending bereavement than has befallen this unfortunate family it has never been our province to record, and as their condition is such as to appeal to the charity of all, we trust that many willing hands will be extended to aid them.

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COL. A. WOOD MERRYWEATHER, whom everybody in Scranton, Pa., knows, writes and says: "I had long suffered from a derangement of the bladder and kidneys; it had made my general health very poor. I also was troubled with severe indigestion; pills gave me only temporary relief, and I experienced great anxiety of mind, as well as physical distress. A friend recommended Brown's Iron Bitters. I have used it with most gratifying results, and just now my health never was better, and I feel that the cure is permanent."

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TURN OUT to the primaries, Democrats, and vote for the best men. That is the way to secure a ticket that can't be defeated.

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DOINGS IN COURT.—The Court report left off last week with the case of the Commonwealth vs. Charles Dobbins, charged with selling liquor on Sunday and without license, the verdict being not guilty, but that defendant and plaintiff, Daniel M. Saylor, each pay half the costs. Sentenced accordingly. Saylor was unable to meet the assessment imposed on him, and went to jail to board it out, while Dobbins, who had been previously found guilty of keeping a disorderly house, was sentenced to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for the term of sixty days.

Commonwealth vs. Eliza Brisbon and Wm. Johnston. Charge, concealing the death of a bastard child. *Nol. pros.* entered as to Johnston, and a verdict of acquittal for Eliza on motion of District Attorney Sechler.

Commonwealth vs. Daniel Saylor—larceny. *Nol. pros.* entered on payment of costs by defendant.

Mrs. Barbara Rapp was charged with surety of the peace, but some doubts of her sanity being entertained she was remanded to jail to await developments.

Commonwealth vs. Michael D. McCabe—fornication and bastardy. Not taken.

Commonwealth vs. Hudson Trout—fornication and bastardy. Not taken.

Commonwealth vs. Jacob Jacoby, John Jacoby, and William Schrock, forcible entry and detainer, was continued.

The indictment in the case of Henry Beard, *alias* Henry Wolfe, charging larceny and receiving stolen goods, was ignored by the Grand Jury.

This completed the criminal calendar, and the only civil case on the list, that of Lovell vs. Davis, was taken up. It was a case of trespass arising out of disputed boundary lines. The jury awarded the plaintiff damages in the sum of $5.

Court adjourned for the week on Thursday evening.

COMMON PLEAS.

Court met at 11 o'clock on Monday morning, with a full bench present. The following cases were continued: Mrs. White, vs. Martin & Stonebeck; Margaret Glass vs. John H. Kennedy; John Hyles vs. Louis Hartman; Benjamin Yeagley vs. S. & C. R. R. Co; Cover vs. same; Foster vs. same; Herzog vs. same.

The case of Albert Harker vs. Anne B. McGonigle *et. al.* was continued.

In the afternoon the case of John Neff vs. The Cambria Farmers' Union Association and Fire Insurance Company of Cambria and Somerset Counties was taken up. This is an unincorporated association, doing business on the mutual plan. The plaintiff was insured in the concern, and one night during the summer of 1877 his barn and contents were destroyed by fire. This action was brought to recover the insurance money. In the testimony for the defense it was developed that some time in the year 1878 the barn of plaintiff had become badly infested with rats, and in order to get rid of the pests he had conceived and carried into execution the novel idea of setting fire to the manure heap contiguous to the barn and reducing it to ashes! Some time during the same night the barn caught fire and burned down. In addition to this piece of alleged carelessness the proof for the defense went to prove put in the plea that the company was not an incorporated one and therefore the plaintiff could not recover; which point was reserved by the Court. The jury went out at supper-time, and not long after agreed on a verdict of $851.31 for plaintiff, bring his claim, with interest from September, 1878.

Tuesday morning, the case of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for use of Isaac C. Bole, vs. Daniel Williams was taken up. The defendant is conductor of a freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the offense charged against him was that of obstructing a crossing near East Conemaugh by permitting his train to stand thereon an unreasonable length of time. Verdict for plaintiff for $25 and costs.

A verdict for the plaintiff was rendered in the case of John Martin, administrator of William McDonald, vs. Peter Garman—ejectment.

Stephen Goughnour vs. Margret Goughnour—action in divorce. The story of the plaintiff, in brief, was that Margret had unfortunately rejected to perform her household duties, was accustomed to use vile and profane language; had attempted to poison him and his sons, and was guilty of undue familiarity with other men. Per contra, Margret swore that she always attended to her household duties to the best of her ability, cooking what there was to cook, and at the proper time; that she never attempted to poison any person, but that the shoe was on the other foot—that her husband had tried to poison *her*; that her necessities compelled her to take a border and to open a shop to mend shoes in, which accounted for the presence of men in her house sometimes; that she used no profane language, and that, in out-door work, she was a perfect paragon of a woman so to speak. The jury, after due liberation, decided to not allow Stephen's prayer for a dissolution of the marital copartnership.

At the conclusion of the foregoing trial, which occurred at noon Wednesday, the case of William Berry vs. Robert Jones—assumpsit—was taken up, but a nonsuit was taken and it fell through.

Blough vs. Speicher—scire facias to revive judgement. By consent, judgment in the sum of $1,000 for plaintiff was confessed, and under direction of the Court the jury rendered a verdict to that effect.

In the case of Bernard Rishar, Alvin Evans, Esq., was appointed referee.

Madden's use vs. Woodvale School District—last case—on deck Wednesday and Wednesday night, and still in progress as we go to press Thursday afternoon.

SENTENCES.

Robert Hagan—receiving stolen goods. Sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for the term of two years.

Charles King—highway robbery and robbery. Sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for the term of six years.

Nathaniel Benson—larceny and receiving stolen goods. Sentenced to pay a fine of $20 and costs and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for the term of one year.

Alexander Davis. Aggravated assault and battery, and assault and battery. Sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs and undergo imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for the term of two years.

The prisoners were removed to their new quarters this (Thursday) morning.

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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 wretched. 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.]

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AN employe on the P. R. R. named Wilson, whose home and occupation is at Derry, claims to have been knocked down by two men, gagged and robbed of his watch and $92 in money while crossing the bridge at Blairsville on Wednesday of last week. The highwayman, whom Mr. W. says he had seen at Derry and can readily identify, had a revolver drawn and threatened to shoot him, he says, if he offered any resistance.

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SKILL IN THE WORKSHOP.—To do good work the mechanic must have good health. If long hours of confinement in close rooms have enfeebled his hand or dimmed his sight, let him at once, and before some organic trouble appears, take plenty of Hop Bitters. His system will be rejuvenated, his nerves strengthened, his sight become clear, and his whole constitution be built up to a better working condition.

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THE Huntingdon *Globe* says that Mrs. George Spranklе, of Porter township, that county, picked up a little pig the other day, one of a litter belonging to a sow owned by her husband, when the old sow attacked her ferociously, tearing her clothing and biting her on the side and one of her limbs, and would probably have killed the lady had not her screams brought to her rescue some men who were a short distance away.

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DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT.—Is it 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.]

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AN APPLICATION for a rehearing of the case of Allison, the Indiana county parricide, convicted at the March term of Court, has been granted and set down as the first for argument at the October session of the Supreme Court, which will convene in Pittsburg on the first Monday of next month.

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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.

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—Dr. Lemmon is having a French roof put on his fine residence on High street.

CENSUS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.—*Population by Districts.*—From an advance sheet of the first census of population of Cambria county by districts, as furnished by the enumerators who were engaged in taking the last census, the Johnstown *Tribune* compiles the following interesting table of the population of the several boroughs, townships, villages, etc., of the county. The villages being unincorporated and their limits indefinitely drawn, their population, which is enclosed in parenthis, as for instance St. Nicholas (57), is only given approximately after the name of each. It will be seen that the population of the borough of Johnstown, which now comprises seven wards, as well as all the other boroughs containing wards except the borough of Conemaugh, is simply given in the aggregate. Here is the table:

Adams township	1,004
Allegheny township	1,431
Barr township, including the village of St. Nicholas (57)	899
Blacklick township, including the village of Belsano (50)	587
Cambria township	1,047
Carroll township	1,995
Carrolltown borough	502
Chest Springs borough	303
Chest township, including the village of St. Lawrence (68)	276
Clearfield township	1 24
Conemaugh borough—First ward....1,561 / —Second ward...1,943	3,504
Conemaugh township	418
Cooperdale borough	409
Croyle township	894
Dean township	216
East Conemaugh borough	736
Ebensburg borough	1,122
Elder township, including the village of St. Boniface (74)	579
Franklin borough	734
Gallitzin borough	799
Gallitzin township	437
Jackson township, including the village of Fairview (71)	1,004
Johnstown borough	8,380
Loretto borough	280
Lower Yoder township, including the village of Morrellville (559)	957
Millville borough	2,409
Munster township	846
Portage township, including the village of Portage (274)	786
Prospect borough	700
Reade township, including the village of Lloydsville (370)	1,532
Richland township	906
Stonycreek township	900
Summerhill borough	246
Summerhill township	620
Summitville borough	159
Susquehanna township, including the village of Germantown (28)	949
Taylor township, including the villages of Mineral Point (134), Stringtown (89) and Upper Prospect (144), and the hamlet of Benshoof's Mills (58)	1,374
Tunnelhill borough	224
Upper Yoder township, including the village of Grubtown (286)	916
Washington township	1,445
White township	583
Wilmore borough	316
Wood'ale borough	620

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INTERESTING TO LADIES.—Our lady readers can hardly fail to have their attention attracted this week to the latest combination of improvements in that most useful of all domestic implements, the "sewing machine."

As we understand it, a machine for family use should meet first of all these requirements: It should be simple in its mechanism, so as to be easily managed; it should run easily, so as not to weary the worker unduly; it should do a wide range of work, that the owner need not wish for any other machine; it should be as nearly noiseless as possible, that it may not be a nuisance; it should be light, handsome, durable, and as cheap as is consistent with excellence throughout.

These conditions the "Light Running New Home" certainly meets.

It has also several very important and useful attachments and "motions" of its own, which go far to make good its claims to popular favor.

Now a great many families have been and are still using the old machines—waiting for the times to improve; waiting for the latest improvements in designs and mechanical excellence.

But why delay longer? Considering the low price at which good machines are now sold, and the improvements that have been made, now is a good time to buy, and the "New Home" specially recommends itself to purchasers on account of its superior mechanical construction, ease of management and reasonable price. Nearly half a million have been sold in the last three years, all of which are giving universal satisfaction. This unrivalled machine is manufactured by JOHNSON, CLARK & CO., 30 Union Square, New York, who wish us to say that all who will send for their new illustrated catalogue and enclose their advertisement (printed on another page), will receive a set of fancy advertising novelties of value to those collecting cards, etc.

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PENNSYLVANIA STATE SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The Seventeenth Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Sunday-school Association will be held in the Presbyterian church, in the city of Johnstown, commencing on Tuesday, October 18, 1881, at 2:30 P. M., and continuing Wednesday and Thursday, October 19 and 20. Each county association is entitled to send six delegates from their respective counties. The cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh are accorded six delegates each, and cities of 20,000 inhabitants three delegates each in addition to the county representation. All delegates will be entertained. Application for entertainment must be made to Mr. John Fulton, chairman of the local committee.—Upon their arrival in Johnstown the delegates will report to Mr. D. J. Jones, at the Presbyterian church, when homes will be provided for them. Special railroad rates are being prepared from all parts of the State. Orders for the same may be procured by addressing the chairman of Railroad Committee, Mr. James M. Gamble, Williamsport, Pa. These orders may be had by all parties who desire to attend the convention, but entertainment will be provided only for duly accredited delegates. Special rates at the hotels are made for all persons attending the convention Sunday-school superintendents, teachers, workers, and all others interested in the cause, are invited to attend. An instructive and attractive programme of special helpfulness to Sunday-school workers is being prepared, and eminent speakers from all parts of the State will participate. It is earnestly recommended that Sunday, October 16, be observed as a day of prayer for the divine blessing upon the approaching convention and upon the Sunday-school work throughout the State.

By Order of Executive Committee.

R. WARNER HARE, *Acting Chairman.*

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COMPLIMENTARY TO EBENSBURG.—Brother Rynder, of the Altoona *Advance*, who was tempted hither on Monday of last week by the Greenback convention, pays the following handsome compliment to our town and the people who live in and about it. He also administers a plentiful supply of very toothsome taffy to the writer hereof, but as his remarks personal are too utterly utter for our columns, we substitute a few asterisks for the kind encomiums bestowed on us, not being so foolish asterisk our reputation for modesty by handing around the taffy for general consumption. As to the rest, however, here it is:

Ebensburg is a delightful town. Beautifully located on the mountain top, regularly laid out, with broad streets, fine churches, a handsome convent, and good hotels, it is no wonder it is becoming a fashionable summer resort. Its people are social and cultivated, and make one who has been there desire to go again. The farmers of Cambria are a sturdy, clear brained set of men, as any one will learn who mingles with them at Ebensburg for a day or two during court. The new court house, when finished, will be a handsome, convenient and much-needed structure. * * * * * * * If the Ebensburg capitalists would build a fine summer resort they would do a wise thing.

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THERE was a young fellow named Tanner
Tried to fiddle the "Star Spangled Banner"
With a wood-saw upon
A mule's tail. He's gone
Where they never play tunes in that manner.

We are glad to be able to say that no fellow named Tanner with autocratic ambition to those described above, is enrolled among the hosts of customers of Godfrey Wolf, clothier, next door to the post-office, Altoona. On the contrary, all who have been in the habit of buying their clothing go there to go to get the most for their money. There may be other men of sense who read the FREEMAN and yet have never bought from Mr. Wolf. If so, we can say that we have never heard of a sale he has made which has failed to give satisfaction, both as to quality and price. He deals accorably with all and sells at figures which are their own recommendation, and if you give him one order, we feel sure it will be followed by another in due course of time.

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THE bride was led up the broad aisle,
Got up in the most killing staisle,
When asked if she'd be
A true wife to he,
She promptly replied: "I should smaisle."

The "he" aforesaid was "dressed to kill" in one of those immaculate suits sold only by Simon & Bendheim, next door to the first National Bank, Altoona, and that accounts for the alacrity with which she pronounced herself willing to slip her head into the silken noose. By the way, S. & B. have lots more clothing of the same elegant quality left, so that would-be bridegrooms know where to go to buy attire that will produce the desired effect on their intended. The balance of their stock just now is for the Fall season, and they defy any other establishment in the diggings to show as full shelves, as free reachable styles, as good material and make-up, and as low a price-list as theirs.

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Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning, the signal, perhaps, of the near approach of that 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 Shiloh's Cure will cure your cough. This will explain why *more than a million bottles* were sold the past year. It relieves Croup and Whooping Cough at once. Mothers, do not be without it. For Lame Back, Side, or Chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plasters Sold by E. James, Ebensburg, Pa. [4-8.-e.o.w.1y.]

COMMUNICATION.

THE RIGHT MAN FOR CO. TREASURER.

Editor Cambria Freeman:

DEAR SIR—In common with my fellow Democrats of Cambria county, I feel a very great interest in the matter of selecting candidates for office at the coming primary election, and especially so, in regard to the nomination for Treasurer. It will not do for our party to make any mistake in this matter, as the Republicans are desirous of taking advantage of any such error on our part, knowing as they do that Democratic folly is the only thing that will enable them to gobble the important office of Treasurer as it has already secured to them the offices of Sheriff, Prothonotary and Register and Recorder. Indeed it is an open secret that the gentleman to whom the Republican nomination for Treasurer has by common consent been conceded is very anxious to have a certain prominent aspirant for the position nominated on the Democratic ticket, believing as he does that his own election will thereby be assured. In view of all these facts the question of *feasibly* in this Democratic stronghold sinks into utter insignificance when compared with the question of *availability*. What we want to see is all mere local and personal considerations subverted in the more important one of putting forward a man who has at least a reasonable prospect for overcoming all the efforts and schemes of our adversaries. Now, the vital question is, where shall we find the right man? It is evident that all the aspirants for the office do not fill the bill, inasmuch as the Democrats of the county are as a rule opposed to this thing of a town monopolizing all the offices, and should any such get a majority at the primaries it is our deliberate opinion that a Barker or some other Republican scheme would have a fair if not a decided chance to secure the prize. It is worse than folly, in my estimation, to attempt to elect a man who now owns but will then *rent* to hold a life lease to office.

We have a candidate, however, now prominently before the Democracy of the county upon whom not only the entire strength of the party can be concentrated, but who I feel assured can draw to his support the independent and wavering vote of the opposition. The aspirant to whom I refer, and who has a record perfectly clean and possesses the most unquestionable claims on the score of consistency as a Democrat and entire fitness as a man, is John W. Wonders, of Johnstown. Having had an intimate acquaintance with Mr. W. for a number of years, I can truly say that no truer Democrat or more honorable man can be found in the county. This is the first time he has ever aspired to a public office, and backed as he manifestly is by a solid south, coupled with the fact that he is strongly favored by some of the best men of both parties in localities where he is well known and appreciated, it seems to me it would be a grievous mistake—nay, worse, a fatal one—to confer the nomination on any one else. Born in