bria Freeman.
...SBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.
... DECEMBER 25, 1896.

AL AND PERSONAL.

...he no SHERMAN issued next

...s O'Hara of Cresson town-
...town on Monday.

...to our readers a Merry
...a Happy New Year.

...county has paid out over
...damages the last year.

...eight inches of snow fell on
...and Wednesday morning.

...ivery school in Cambria town-
...on account of typhoid fever.

...Snyder, of Carroll town-
...visitor to this place on Mon-

...Freihoff, of Munster town-
...visitor to Ebensburg on Tues-

...s Foley, of the Carrolltown
...a few hours in Ebensburg on

...e O'Neill, of Pittsburg, who
...last few weeks in Ebens-
...home on Saturday.

...county's Forty-fifth Annual
...is in session this week
...hers answering to the roll

...efficient for sleighing fell on
...in that evening the jingle of
...heard for the first time this

...first time in many years the
...to the last term of the Bedford
...was discharged one day ahead

...Jones, a native of Ebens-
...the past fifteen years a resi-
...Cresson, is seriously ill at his

...Evans, a former resident of
...borough, but for the past year
...Johnsburg, was visiting friends

...ing for a horse" was the
...Act of Richard III, king of
...your readers must recollect
...not have seen the poor

...Welsh, a director of the
...railroad and president of the
...company, died at his home
...on Saturday, December

...county's election the working
...for a "re-adjustment" of
...formerly called a "reduction
...adjustment sounds better
...same answer.

...from Washington on Tues-
...the First National bank of
...which closed its doors re-
...ability be permitted to re-
...by Comptroller Eckles.

...past week Mr. W. W. Ams-
...in the Cresson & Coalport,
...closed the deal and paid the
...for the coal right of about
...land in Cresson, Allegheny
...considerable.

...Thompson, of Curwens-
...a rattlesnake. It was cap-
...and is now three feet
...from over the floor and will
...killed it and stroke it
...the same as they do a kitten.

...an employe of the Cam-
...mines at Johnstown, while
...a pile of frozen ore
...on Monday night, got under
...falling material and was in-
...He leaves a wife and

...was shot in the
...while on his way
...to his home in Gallitzin
...discharged from the Al-
...on Sunday. The bullet was
...Mr. Ramer recovered re-

...Sandifer, a hotel keeper
...residing at Somerset, Pa.,
...penitentiary in the Somer-
...week. Sandifer during the
...in which he was plaintiff
...trial grew out about the case,

...Moore, aged about thirty
...the name of his mother, Mrs
...Twelfth ward, Johnstown,
...Moore was a son of Michael
...was hanged in Ebensburg on
...December 1872, for the murder
...he was at Mineral Point on
...January, 1872.

...has been issued for the ar-
...Stoner, a cigar maker, of
...charged with violation of the
...liquor laws. Stoner raffled a
...some of the ticket holders
...unfairly treated, made
...charges he will make a
...against all who took

...Peterson, of Reade township,
...was amputated at the Al-
...on Tuesday, as a result of a
...which he received about five
...Several fingers were amputa-
...in the hope of saving
...the wound refused to heal
...it necessary to amputate

...Grady, of Tyrone, a Pennsyl-
...railroad, had his hand was almost in-
...at Port Wednesday while at
...that place. The unfortunate
...fell from the track to another
...passing freight train and in do-
...the fingers of a passenger train,
...which struck and mangled
...manner.

...Kinsey, aged 4 years, a daugh-
...Kinsey, at Westmoreland
...Cambria county, met with a
...on Tuesday. Her clothes
...grate in the absence from
...the other members of the
...when formed the little one's
...almost burned from her body.
...a little while after in great

...Fire was discovered on the
...Wednesday night about half
...and the firemen and peo-
...parts of the town hurriedly
...the call. Their services were
...however, as the alarm was
...burning chimney in the resi-
...R. E. Jones, which after
...extinguished without doing any

...Park Record says: The
...mining districts have been stead-
...during their output for the past
...week will be some time before
...their real time figures of the
...last week. The mountain dis-
...shipped in the last month at
...about a thousand tons a week.
...the change in the shipments
...figures being about the same

...Shoemaker, of Hollidaysburg, de-
...information concerning his son John,
...home on April 26, 1896, and
...been heard from since that
...boy is 19 years old, 5 feet 5
...weight, has black hair, blue eyes,
...complexion, is lame in the right leg
...a running sore on same leg. He
...a lisp in his speech. Ten dol-
...will be paid for information of
...Coroda.

—Messrs. A. J. Leib and Fred. Lambour, of Nicktown, spent several days in town last week attending court.

—An exchange says parties wishing their letters to go in a hurry should always write "in haste" on the lower left hand corner of the envelope. When the magic words appear on the envelope connected with the postal service jumps around lively. The cart driver whips his horses into a trot, the postmaster dances a jig and the route agent rushes forward and tells the engineer to pull the throttle wide open and let her go.

—St. John's new Catholic church at Johnstown, which is said to be one of the most handsome churches in the Pittsburg diocese, was dedicated on Sunday with imposing ceremonies. Rt. Rev. Bishop McGovern, of Harrisburg, Rt. Rev. Bishop Phelan, of Pittsburg, Rt. Rev. Bishop Mullen, of Erie, Arch Abbot Schneer, of Latrobe, and a number of other clergymen were present. The church costs in the neighborhood of $75,000.

—The Pittsburg *Dispatch* of Thursday morning prints the following from its Harrisburg correspondent: Representative Reese, of Johnstown, and Senator-elect J. C. Stineman, of South Fork, were also here. Stineman was chosen senator after signing an agreement to vote for Wanamaker. In all other matters he will be on the reform side. Reese is looking wise and talking in enigmas about the senatorship, but he will vote for Penrose.

—John A. Nash, for almost half a century a prominent figure in journalism in the Juniata Valley, died at his home in Huntingdon on Monday, after an illnes of some length, aged seventy years. He had been connected with the same paper—now the Huntingdon *Journal*—since 1855, until last July, when he disposed of it on account of declining health. He was treasurer of the county in 1880 and postmaster of Huntingdon from 1890 to 1894.

—John Smith died at the Memorial hospital in Johnstown, on Monday evening, of injuries received on the Pennsylvania railroad, near the South Fork station, on Saturday evening, October 24th. Smith, on the evening mentioned, attempted to get on a moving train when he was thrown under the wheels and his left arm horribly crushed and his head and body cut and bruised. He was taken to the hospital where his arm was amputated the next day above the elbow. He was 30 years of age and single.

—State Zoologist Warren has mailed a circular containing a series of questions to all the leading sportsmen in Pennsylvania asking them for certain information relating to game and fish. The information obtained through this circular, with other data bearing on the subject of game and its protection, will be placed at the disposal of the state board of game commissioners and published in a report to be issued early in the new year. The board will meet in Harrisburg next week to draft a series of bills for the protection of game and fish to be presented to the legislature.

—The law prohibiting the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine in Pennsylvania has been vigorously enforced and the sale of imitation butter greatly reduced, says Major Levi Wells, state dairy commissioner, in his annual report to Governor Hastings. In the eastern part of the state, however, many of the dealers, who formerly did business openly, have set up establishments across the line in New Jersey, and clandestinely shipped goods to private families, cheap restaurants and boarding house keepers in Pennsylvania. As private parties buying for their own use are not amenable to the law when they go outside the state to purchase the commissioner has not action against the seller.

—There is considerable trouble brewing in Hollidaysburg concerning the suspended banks and their depositors. A meeting of sixty-nine depositors of the Gardner, Morrow & Co. bank was held last evening, and among other business the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, That the chairman appoint a committee of three to wait upon Colonel William Jack, A. S. Morrow, and John Cree, assignees of Gardner Morrow & Co., and demand of these parties in the name of the depositors of Gardner, Morrow & Co.'s bank a public account between the First National bank and the bank of Gardner, Morrow & Co., and further, that the First National bank return to Gardner, Morrow & Co.'s bank all securities and funds due the latter institution. The chair to be chairman of the committee."

Obituary.

Mr. Joseph Sharp, an old and respected citizen of Munster township, died at his home on Friday, December 11, 1896, in the 86th year of he rage.

Mr. Sharp was born in Germany in 1810 and came to this country in 1826 and settled in Richmond, Va., where he remained for about two years. He afterward removed to Chicago and from there to Dayton, O., where he remained only a short time and returned to Germany about 1840, where he married Margaret Mary Deney, returning to this country he took up his residence in Cumberland, Md. Mr. Sharp afterwards lived in Hollidaysburg and from there removed to a farm in Allegheny township, where he has since resided.

Mr. Sharp is survived by his aged wife, one son, John, who lives at home, and one daughter, Mrs. Jerome Flick, of Allegheny township. After the celebration of a Requiem High mass by Rev. Father Kittell, of Loretto, his remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery, in that place, on Monday. May he rest in peace.

Railroad Construction.

The annual statement of construction to be published by the Railway *Age* this week will show that during 1896 only 1,802 miles of railway lines were built in the United States. This is one mile less than the total reported for 1895 and the smallest mileage built in any one year since 1875. The number of lines on which this track was laid is 163, which is eleven less than the number of new lines added in the previous year. Track was laid in 38 of the 49 States and Territories. The longest mileage was built in California, 187 miles on eight lines. No track was added in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Nebraska, South Dakota, Wyoming, Arizona, Nevada, Idaho or New Mexico. The Railway Age states that many railway enterprises were under way early in the year which would have added hundreds of miles of track, but were stopped by the financial agitation preceeding the election. Fully 2,500 miles would have been built in 1896 but for the uncertainty developed from the political campaign.

Bertha Fled as a Boy.

Bertha Roderman, a pretty 19-year-old miss, was arrested at McGhee's Lycoming county, on Friday, while enroute to Altoona from her home in Punxsutawney. She way dressed in boy's clothing, having appropriated a brand new suit belonging to a young man in the household where she was employed.

She also had in her possession $15 that she had taken from her mistress. She escaped from her bedroom window during the night, leaving all her own clothing behind. She had her hair cropped short and dressed in boy's clothing, made a decidedly natty appearance.

She left home to find a recreant lover who had deserted her, and was then at Altoona. The girl broke down when arrested and confessed that she was a girl instead of the fashionable young man that she looked.

Death of Doctor Griffith.

Dr. Abner Griffith, one of Ebensburg's best known citizens, died at his winter home near Ocala, Florida, on Thursday night of last week, from consumption.

Dr. Griffith was a son of the late Thomas Griffith, Esq., for years an extensive lumberman who carried on a large business in Cambria and McKean counties. The doctor was born on his father's farm, near Ebensburg, on the 5th of August, 1855, and when a boy and young man took an active interest in his father's business, assisting him greatly in the management of his large business affairs. On attaining manhood he concluded to study medicine and adopted it as his profession. For this purpose he entered the office of the late Dr. Lemon, in Ebensburg, and after the usual course he graduated from the Pennsylvania University at Philadelphia, and soon after opened an office and began the practice of his profession at Kane, Pa. He afterwards removed to Ebensburg and soon after was in the enjoyment of a large, lucrative practice, which, abont ten years ago, he was compelled to abandon on account of declining health. Since that time the doctor usually spent the winters in Florida, where he had a fruit farm and where the warmer climate seemed better acapted to his declining health.

On the 19th of June 1879, he was married in Ebensburg to Miss Elizabeth Evans, daughter of Mr. John Evans, of the East ward, who with two young daughters survive him. He is also survived by one brother, Mr. Webster Griffith, of Ebensburg, and one sister, Mrs. Annie Lyte, of Kane, Pa.

The death of Dr. Griffith will be felt by many people of Ebensburg outside of his immediate family. Being possessed of wealth, with liberal views and a kind and charitable disposition, his death is a loss to the whole community. His remains arrived in this place on Monday morning and on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the funeral left his late residence, and after services in the Congregational church, proceeded to Lloyd'scemetery where his body was laid to rest.

Dr. Griffith was a member of the Masonic order and his funeral was attended by the members of the Ebensburg lodge as also by a large number of members from other neighboring towns.

Tours to Florida.

No district in America presents, during the winter season, so many various attractions as the state of Florida. Besides its delightful climate which to one escaping from the cold and unhealthful changes of the North seems almost ethereal, it is pre eminently a land of sport and pleasure. Along its eleven hundred miles of salt water coast and in its twelve hundred fresh water lakes are fish of almost every conceivable variety, from the migratory tribes common to Northern waters to the tarpon, pompano and others of a more tropical character. Nowhere in all our broad land can the angler find a greater variety of game or better sport.

Here also the most enthusiastic hunter finds satiety. Deer, turkeys, bears, panthers, and wild cats roam at large through the more sparsely settled regions, while birds of all kinds may be found in abundance throughout the state. The more novel sport of alligator and manatee hunting may also be indulged in by the more adventurous tourist.

With its matchless climate, its orange groves, its rivers and lakes, its boating and bathing, its fishing and hunting, and its extensive forests, Florida presents unrivled attractions for the valetudinarian, the lover of nature, the sportsman and the explorer.

To this attractive state the Pennsylvania Railroad company has arranged four personally-conducted tours during the season of 1897, leaving by special train January 26th, February 9th and 23d, and March 9th. The first three tours will admit of a sojourn of two weeks in this delightful land; tickets for the fourth tour will be valid to return until May 31st by regular trains.

Rates for the round trip, $50.00 from New York, $48.00 from Philadelphia, and proportionate rates from other points.

For tickets, itineraries, and other information, apply to ticket agents, special booking offices, or address Geo. W. Boyd, assistant general passenger agent, Broad Street station, Philadelphia. 12 18 4t.

Gagged and Robbed.

As Miss Sarah J. Sadler, a maiden lady who lives about two miles east of Delmont, Westmoreland county, was preparing to go to bed Saturday night, a rap on the door caused her to inquire who was there, on being given the name of a neighbor, she opened the door and two masked men, with drawn revolvers, pushed their way in, demanding her money.

Miss Sadler declared she had no money about the house, and one of the robbers asked, "What did you do with the money you were to give to Mr. Cook?" She replied, "I have paid Mr. Cook all the money I owed him." "We know better than that," said the spokesman, and then threateaed to commit a nameless outrage upon her if she refused to tell. At this point Charley Fry, a fourteen-year-old boy who stays with Miss Sadler, put in an appearance, and he was backed into a corner at the point of a revolver by one of the men, while the other gagged the woman and tied a small shawl around her throat so tight that she nearly choked to death. He then ransacked the house, but secured only $3.

While the search was being made, the mask fell from the face of the robber who was standing guard, and Miss Sadler and the boy recognized the man as Presley Klingensmith, son of Reuben Klingensmith, a neighbor. The men then threatened to kill them and burn the house if they made the matter public and took their departure. Miss Sadler and the boy were almost frightened to death, beside the former being badly injured in her scuffle with the bandits.

Klingensmith was arrested on Monday, after a desperate struggle with Constables Washabaugh and Sondels, and committed to the Greensburg jail by by 'Squire Eicher. He refused to give the name of his confederate, but a certain party is suspected and he will be arrested as soon as found, being now in hiding.

Correspondence.

Gallitzin, Pa., December 22, 1896.

The desire that is born in some people to gain notoriety through the columns of a newspaper is shown in its most glaring character in the writings of the Loretto correspondent to the Cresson *Record*. Think of a man with a skull so shallow as not to be able to report the news from his town without lying on some one. Then to grossly aggravate the same by a fruitless effort to prove his falsehoods by the good citizens and little children of the town. Such a man should only be allowed to run at large when wearing a muzzle similar to that worn by the rabid canine. The above mentioned device should be furnished him by the good people of the town for their common protection. As for myself, should I hear any more of this skulker's mistaken wisdom, I shall feel it duty to see that he is at least provided with a safety valve that will control and regulate his actions for a time at least. Now it grieves me that the necessity has arisen for me to write the above lines, and I have only done so after having made an earnest but fruitless effort to have him correct through the columns of the Cresson *Record* his malicious mistakes.

F. J. D.

—Mr. Joseph Priser, of Barr township, was a visitor to Ebensburg on Wednesday.

Reversed 2,066 Cases.

The report of Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reynolds for the present year shows the policy pursued in the administration of pension affairs. It states that the important changes were in the rulings and practic eand the following out of a general plan for securing equity, uniformity and justice in the determination of appeals. The assistant secretary says the liberal and generous spirit which prompted the enactment of the pension laws has been the guide of the department in their construction. Former adjudications have not been disturbed save where fraud, error in law, or mistake were apparent.

The number of pending appeals on the docket, April 15, 1893, when the assistant secretary took charge of this work, was 4,965. Since that date 17,755 new cases have been filed, making a total of 22,720 to be acted upon by the department. Of this last number, 22,191 have been disposed of, leaving 529 now pending, with the work of the office during the last year devoted to the consideration of current appeals, this condition existing for the first time in the last eight years.

The actiod of the bureau was reversed in 2,066 of the cases since April 10, 1895.

The amount of work has been unprecedented in the history of this branch of department business, showing that about 9,000 more cases were disposed of since April 15, 1893, than had been in any like period to that time.

"General satisfaction has followed the recommendation of last year for such legislation as would secure better protection to the pension fund due incompetents and others, followed by the law directing all quarterly payments to be made by check," says the assistant secretary.

"Gratifying results have followed the passage of the act of March 2, 1895, which secured an extension of the cases wherein payments of accrued pension could be made, as well as that of the act of March 6, 1896, relating to the commencement of pension under the act of June 27, 1890.

"The suggestion is again made as to the advisability of such legislation as will lodge in the federal courts the right of any one on behalf of the government to ask better protection to the pension fund of those laboring under legal disabilities. The following also are suggested: That justice demands the universal application of the common law rule in proof of marriage; state laws govern and lead to denial of title in cases which are equally meritorious; that the pensionable rights of minor children who claim under the act of June 27, 1890, should be defined with more certainty where the soldier dies leaving no widow surviving.

"The act of August 5, 1892, relates to pensionable title of those women who served as nurses during the war of the rebellion. Title is confined to those who served in regimental, post, camp, or general hospitals. The refusal of the war department to recognize those as properly employed who served in the first three classes mentioned tends to defeat their title and renders this portion of the act nugatory. Attention is invited to this in order that proper legislation may be enacted to relieve any deserving claimants of unjust and unintentional discrimination."

The secretary of the interior, in commenting upon the work of the assistant secretary, says in his report:

"The report of Assistant Secretary Reynolds gives evidence of the pains taking care with which that official has endeavored to be both liberal and just in passing upon the many troublesome questions of administrative policy in pension matters. Almost the entire time of the assistant secretary is required to attend to the affairs of this branch of the department."

Real Estate Transfers.

Annie E. Shaffer et al. to Frank M. Shaffer, Johnstown; consideration, $1.

Annie Finnegan et vir to Frank M. Shaffer, Johnstown, $1.

Frank M. Shaffer et ux. ro Ada Musser et al., Johnstown, $1.

Henry Brown et ux. to Annie Walls, Portage township, $27.

Treasurer of Cambria county to W. I. Stineman, Conemaugh, $46.

John Ashcroft et ux. et al. to Edward O'Brien, Cresson township, $500.

Sheriff of Cambria county to Washington Building & Loan association, Patton, $50.

Ephraim Wissinger et ux. to Robert J. Wissinger, East Conemaugh, $450.

Treasurer of Cambria county to E. F. Spencer, Hastings, $5.

E. F. Spencer to Harvey Roland, Hastings, $155.

Treasurer of Cambria county to E. F. Spencer, Hastings, $7.

E. F. Spencer et ux. to Harvey Roland, Hastings, $157.

Joseph S. Yoder et ux. to David G. Kneper, Adams, $80.

David Atherton et ux. to Joseph Faverio, Barnesboro, $150.

Thomas Barnes et ux. et al. to John Barnes, Jr., Barnesboro, $50.

Philip Hopfer et ux. to Pennsylvania Railroad company, Portage borough, $1.

Sarah C. Watt et vir to Pennsylvania Railroad company, Portage borough, $1.

Joseph Hopfer, assignee, to Pennsylvania Railroad company, Portage borough, $1,500.

Rose McGough et vir to Philip Hopfer, Portage borough, $1.

Ellen B. Hopfer et vir to Pennsylvania Railroad company, Portage borough, $1,500.

Ann Plunket to John Plunket, Tunnelhill, $1,500.

Simon Grimes et ux. to John Montgomery, Patton, $900.

John J. Weakland to Milton Kirkpatrick, Carroll, $10.

David M. Lewis et ux. to R. E. Creswell, Johnstown, $1.

Cambria Iron company to George W. Hamilton, Westmont, $800.

Citizens' Cemetery association to George W. Hamilton, Grand View, $135.

Thomas Barnes et ux. et al. to William Hoole, Barnesboro, $200.

A. J. Buck to Frank Willebrand, Gallitzin borough, $650.

Administrator of Samuel J. Horner to David Ott, Stonycreek, $200.

Administrator of Samuel J. Horner to Daniel J. Rose, Stonycreek, $345.

Sheriff of Cambria county to John Widman, Conemaugh, $800.

John Widman et ux. to John C. Hildebrand, Conemaugh, $950.

Christena Pfister et al. to Cambria county Railroad company, Carroll, $200.

Theres Zollner to Cambria county Railroad company, Carroll, $45.

John Krug et ux. to Cambria County Railroad company, Susquehanna, $300.

John C. Martin et ux. to John G. Klinsky, Portage township, $125.

Cambria Iron company to Elias Rorabaugh, East Conemaugh, $350.

Local Institute.

A joint institute of Reade and White townships will be held at Mountaindale, January 2, 1897. The institute will begin at 9 o'clock sharp, and the following program will be rendered:

Address of Welcome, Dr. Ruthranff; Response, J. J. Mitchell. Lip Study—How to Prevent, E. P. Hadden and Miss Stroup; Evidence of a teachers Succes or Failure, A. H. George and R. C. Van Scoyoc; Can an Ungraded school be Graded and Taught according to the adopted Course of Study? Rachael Leidy, Emma Rodkey and D. E. Hollen; The Teacher's Position in the School room, W. H. Troxell and J. E. Brown.

—A simple remedy for neuralgia is to apply grated horseradish, prepared the same as for table use, to the temple.

Miscellaneous Notices.

FARM FOR RENT.—Farm in Lower Washington township. For partiedlars call on JOHN A. LAHEY, Lilly, Pa.

WANTED.—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg Pa. mch22

WANTED.—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Ocalport, Pa. mch29tf.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the Rey Building, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in December, $2,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, President.
LESTER LAKIMER, Secretary.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to all parties interested not to sell anything to my wife, Cecilia Gettings, or any of her family on my account as I will not pay any debts contracted by them or either of them.
THOMAS GETTINGS.
St. Augustine, Pa., Dec 21, 1896 29 3t.

AT THE OLD RELIABLE.

Everybody, and especially the oyster-loving people of Ebensburg, are invited to call at Robt. McBreen's Old Reliable Restaurant, when they want good, fresh Oysters, by the pint, quart or gallon Or you can have them Stewed or Fried, all at the lowest price. Fresh Oysters every day. oct11tf

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphan's Court of Cambria County.
In the matter of the first and final account of John Spencer, executor of Christopher Hornick, late of Richland township, deceased.
And now, December 14th, on motion of Jacob Zimmerman, Esq., attorney for John Spencer, executor of the estate of Christopher Hornick, late of Richland township, deceased, James M. Walters, Esq., appointed auditor to report distribution of the fund in the hands of the accountant to and among the parties entitled to the same and to report upon exceptions if any be filed.
BY THE COURT.
Extract from the record, Certified December 14, 1896.
F. B. JONES Clerk O. C.
Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the above appointment, I will sit at my office, Rooms No Alma Hall, Main street, Johnstown, Pa., on THURSDAY, the 18TH day of JANUARY, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all persons interested may appear if they deem proper or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.
JAMES M. WALTERS,
Dec. 18 3t. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county.
In the matter of the assigned estate of Walter Bowling, et ux. to Herman Baumer, for the benefit of creditors, the undersigned gives notice that he has been appointed auditor to distribute the funds to and among those entitled, as well as to pass upon exceptions to said assignee's account, if any be filed, and for the above purpose he will sit at his offiee, Room No. 7, Wolf Block, Johnstown, Pa., on TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1897, at 10 o'clock, a. m., when and where all persons interested may attend or be forever debarred from any share in the distribution of the funds in the hands of said assignee.
JAMES B. O'CONNOR,
Dec 25 3t. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county.
In the matter of the assigned estate of John F. Dewling to Herman Baumer for the benefit of creditors, the undersigned gives notice that he has been appointed auditor to distribute the funds to and among those entitled, as well as to pass upon exceptions to the said assignee's account, if any be filed, and for the above purpose he will sit at his office, Room 7, Woolf Block, Johnstown, Pa., TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons interested may attend or be forever debarred from coming in on said funds.
JAMES B O'CONNOR,
Dec. 25, 3t. Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration having been granted to the under igned by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, in the estate of Michael Guisler late of Summerhill borough deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate to make payment and all persons having claims against the same to present them to the administrator without delay.
JOHN T. LONG,
Administrator.
J. F. McKENRICK, attorney for administrator.
Summerhill, Pa., December 10th, 1896. 11 6t

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Main Line Express, daily	10 59 a m
Altoona Accom., week days	1 00 p m
Harrisburg Accommodation, Sundays only	1 07 p m
Mail Express, daily	5 17 p m
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WEST.

Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 14 a m
Pacific Express, daily	8 37 a m
Way Passenger, daily	2 09 p m
Mail Train, daily	3 55 p m
Pittsburg Express, daily	3 58 p m
Fast Line, daily	8 28 p. m
Johnstown Accomodation, week days	8 34 p m

Ebensburg Branch.

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From Hastings and the North	7 36 a m
From Cresson	10 05 a m
From Vintondale	2 37 p m
From Cresson	5 03 p m
From Cresson	5 56 p m
From Vintondale	7 20 p m
From Cresson	9 10 p m

TRAINS LEAVE

For Cresson	7 39 a m
For Hastings and the North	10 02 a m
For Vintondale	10 15 a m
For Cresson	2 35 p m
For Vintondale	5 06 p m
For Hastings and the north	5 59 p m
For Cresson	7 29 p m

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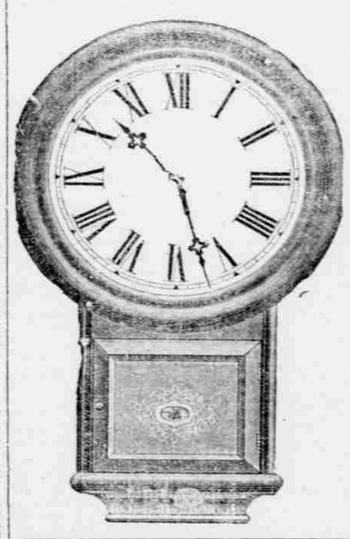
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