Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA.

FRIDAY, ... JULY 30, 1897.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Mr. Harry Wilbur, of this place, spent Sunday in Pittsburg.

—Mr. Silas Douglass, of Clearfield town, was here a few hours in town on Tuesday.

—Mr. Oliver Philips offers some fine seed wheat for sale. See miscellaneous items.

—Ex-Burgess of Ebensburg James T. Kittell, of Johnstown, was in town on Monday.

—Judge Barker returned home on Saturday evening after a sojourn of several weeks in the New England States.

—Mr. Milton Beaver, of Charleroi, Pa., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Beaver, of Carroll township.

—The deciding game of the series between the Patton and Johnstown ball clubs will be played at Johnstown on Saturday.

—Mr. R. E. Jones has an ad in this issue announcing a clearance sale of remnants, odds and ends, etc. See the ad for particulars.

—In another column Messrs. Denny & Schwartz invite proposals for tearing down and removing the old Cambria House, in this place.

—Traces of oil and gas were found in a well in Gallagher township, Clinton county, that was shot with 1,500 quarts of nitro-glycerine.

—Quite a number of our people were out between 3 and 4 o'clock on Thursday morning viewing the partial eclipse of the sun through smoked glass.

—Messrs. Barker Bros. have a new ad in this issue of the FREEMAN announcing bargains in shoes and slippers. Read their ad and see for yourselves.

—Clarence Bowman, a Centre township, this county, youth, had three fingers of his left hand with a mowing machine while harvesting last week.

—Architect George Wild, of Johnstown, was in town on Friday looking over the ground in order to complete the plans for the new hotel building on the site of the Cambria House.

—On Thursday night of last week lightning struck a tree on the farm of Samual Weis, in Adams township, and killed 18 stives that had been sheltering under its branches.

—In the second of the series of games between the baseball clubs of Johnstown and Patton, played at Patton on Saturday, the game was won by Patton by a score of 5 to 7.

—The Blair House bus was upset at the depot on Friday evening in making a return. There were no passengers in the bus and consequently no one was hurt. The top was somewhat shattered.

—Hon. Webster Davis, of Missouri, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, a native of Ebensburg, has accepted an invition to present and deliver an address at the Mercer Fair on Granger Day, Friday, September 3, 1897.

—The Alaska gold fever hasn't struck Carroll here yet, but if it does and you want to go there to make your fortune be sure to bring enough money along to buy vituals, which sell for $1 a pound, and everything else in proportion.

—The Cresson Telephone Company is constructing a line to the Cherry Tree, Rossiter township, where the road to Indiana intersects with the pike, and will connect at that point with the Johnstown Telephone Company's lines.

—John Lakey laughed so hard at a ball game near Carlisle, Pa., when the ball struck another spectator's head and bounded back in the air, that he couldn't close his mouth again and had to be carried a mile and a half to a surgeon.

—On Monday the county commissioners notified Sheriff Coulter that the county would not be responsible for the boarding of any more railroad trespassers. This will likely end the bringing of squads of railroad tramps to the county jail.

—On Saturday while Frank Krug and William Hitchoe were working on a new dwelling house which Mr. Andrew Stritt is building in the East ward, near the railroad, they fell a distance of about 30 feet by the breaking of a scaffold. Both were badly hurt but not seriously.

—Mr. Abe Hutchinson, of Patton, while digging a well about thirty feet deep was struck by a well-bucket loaded with stones, which fell from the top. He was knocked out insensible but soon became conscious. He was badly cut and bruised on the head and shoulders and had one rib broken.

—Mr. A. E. Bender, landlord of the Cambria House, has purchased the O'Hara lot, on the north-west corner of Centre and Lloyd streets, near the court house, in this place, and intends remodeling it and converting it into a hotel. Mr. Bender took possession of the premises on the 1st of August inst.

—On Wednesday night Ebensburg's borough council passed the ordinance taxing gas, telephone and electric light companies, each over the veto of Burgess Richards. The ordinance had been vetoed some time ago and was vetoed by the burgess. By the action of council on Tuesday night the ordinance becomes a law.

—Evan Francis, a native of Cambria township, where two brothers, Thomas and Albert still reside, died at his home in Delphos, Ohio, on Saturday, July 10, 1897. He is survived by his mother who resides in Cambria township, three sisters and a wife and two children. His remains were interred at Delphos on Tuesday.

—A boiler explosion Saturday evening in Schlatter mill of Clark, Kipp & Kiser, near Punxsutawney, Pa., killed one foreman and two other workmen, and severely injured eight others. The mill was totally wrecked. A fourteen-foot piece of boiler was blown four hundred feet. Two hundred men will be thrown out of work.

—Patrick Dailey, aged 83 years, a veteran of the late war, was hauling wheat on Friday afternoon of last week on the farm of Daniel Mettzgard, near Delmont, Westmoreland county, when he was struck by the limb of a tree and thrown to the road to the ground. His neck was broken by the fall, and death was instantaneous.

—Jesse Lowman, who was a brakeman on the Pennsylvania railroad, and who lives at Blairsville, has brought action against that company for $25,000 damages for the loss of an arm in coupling cars at Blairsville several years ago. He claims that the cars were not provided with proper couplers. Attorney Felt and Ewing, of Indiana, are his legal representatives.

—The fly nuisance is pretty bad this year. Here is a remedy that is said to be good one: Take a tablespoonful of ground black pepper and mix it with two teaspoonfuls of brown sugar; moisten the compound with milk, and place where are flies of light. The flies will generally be poisoned in a minute and eat greedily. If they do eat it they will be their last meal, for the least of it is poison to a fly.

—Messrs. John C. Curran and John G. Platt, assignees of William Curran, will offer for sale at the Central Hotel in Houtzdale, Pa., on Thursday, September 2nd, two lots of ground in Spangler and a half lot in Hastings. See ad in another column.

—The supper at the Walker residence on Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Congregational church, was a very successful affair, creditable in every way to those who conducted it and had the trouble—and enjoyable to those who got away with the edibles.

—William Kaylor, a Carrolltown young man, occupies a cell in the Ebensburg jail on a charge of stealing a bicycle from an Altoona man named Marshall, the theft having taken place in the Mountain City. Kaylor was arrested at his home a few days ago and at the hearing in Altoona admitted the crime. He was unable to furnish $200 bail and was locked up.—*Johnstown Democrat*

—N. A. Gobreckt, Jr., a boy about fourteen years old, caught hold of a live electric light wire on Friday evening, at Fifth avenue and Second street, Altoona, and was thrown to the ground. He couldn't let go and both hands were burnt to the bone. A man passing by at the time pried the wire from his hands with a stick. He was taken to his home and given the necessary medical attention.

—On Sunday Thomas B. Ott, son of Mr. Thomas Ott, of St. Boniface, this county, was ordained to the priesthood of the Catholic church at Covington, Ky. The newly ordained clergyman will read his first mass St. Boniface church on Sunday, August 1st, when a number of clergymen will be present and a sermon preached by Rev. Father Benedict, Abbott at Cullman, Ala., who was at one time pastor of the Carrolltown church.

—It is not near as generally known as it should be that not a few of the compounds used for washing clothes are in the highest degree injurious to cloth fabrics of almost every kind. They rot, or in some other way cause sheets, handkerchiefs, drawers and other articles of underwear to fall into holes and become worthless for any purpose. Housekeepers should inform themselves in regard to the damaging character of these compounds.

—Johnson Fitch, a farmer residing in Jackson township, was brought to jail on Monday to answer to answer to a charge of incestious fornication and adultry preferred against him by James Headrick, of that township. Fitch was arrested by Constable Snyder on Saturday and on being taken before Justice of the Peace Vincent W. Smith, at Conemaugh, waived a hearing. The victim is said to be Fitch's daughter, a girl aged seventeen.

—Suits have been brought against Sheriff Congo and Centre county to recover for the destruction of the house of William Ettlinger, the Woodward murderer and suicide, which was burned to drive him from the scene of his foul crime on March 6, 1896. The property was owned by Mrs. Emma Goodman, and now she wants some compensation for her loss. The statement has not been filed, but the amount of damages asked for will be about $2,400.

—John W. Skelly, a well-known railroad engineer, died at the home of his brother, Sylvester Skelly, in Wilmore, on Thursday, July 22, 1897, aged 42 years. The deceased was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and of the Baltimore & Ohio relief fund. He is survived by his wife, two brothers, Sylvester and C. F. Skelly, and two sisters, Ann and Milly, all of Wilmore. His remains were interred in St. Bartholomew's cemetery at Wilmore, on Saturday.

—About 2,000 miners along the Cresson and Clearfield division of the Pennsylvania railroad and the Susquehanna extension have gone out on a strike because the operators have refused their request for a checkweighman. Some time ago the request for a checkweighman was made, but 140 men who voted for the demand were discharged. This is the only trouble in this region. The mines affected by the operation are the Sterling Coal company, Barnes & Tucker and the Vintondale Coal company.

—A peculiar suit has been instituted at Huntington in which Mertie J. Norris, a country lasse, brings an action in trespass against W. G. Ewing, a merchant of Mount Union, to recover damages of $1,000. Mertie alleges that upon the advice of her physician she sent her father to Mount Union for either Epson or Rochelle salts; that Ewing negligently gave for her use pulverized saltpetre, the 480 grains of which she took within a half hour. As a result she alleges she has been afflicted in body and mind.

—The burning of the barn on the farm of Mrs John Robison, in Scotch Valley, on Sunday morning morning, was caused by spontaneous combustion. The total loss is estimated at $1,000, on which there was insurance on the barn of $1,000, $700 on the crop and $200 on the implements. The entire crop on the farm had been housed, with the exception of the oats. The reaper was in the oats field and was saved The live stock was in the pasture field and thus escaped the flames. Three calves in the barn wire cremated.

—On Monday morning someone took the brakes off a train of eight coal cars on the siding in the hollow leading to Baker's Mines. The cars ran down the grade, which there runs 70 feet to the mile, and smashed into the dinkey engine used to haul the cars out to the main line. The engine was completely demolished, and George Saeger and Thomas Gray, who were in it, were injured. Gray's right leg was very badly cut and he was taken to the Altoona hospital. William Cannon, who was also in the engine, escaped uninjured.

—Fire broke out on Tuesday evening of last week in the public school building at Scottdale, and, the water supply being shut off at the reservoir, the flames soon reduced the structure to an utter mass of ruins. The building, which was erected only a few years ago at a cost of $30,000, contained eight school rooms, large halls, principal's office, and a fine library, which was also entirely destroyed. Workmen had been repairing and renovating the building on Tuesday of last week, and it is supposed they left some fire about the place when they quit work. The building was partially insured.

—Judge Bell, of Blair county, holding court here on Saturday, cut the proceedings short in the Gallitzin strike injunction case, by deciding about 5 o'clock in the evening that sufficient evidence had been given. This being a preliminary hearing, it was only necessary to establish a prima facia case, and the plaintiffs succeeded in doing this to the satisfaction of the court, except as to five of the defendants, who were discharged. The court continued the injunction against the remainder of the strikers, and, on final hearing, will decide whether or not it should be made perpetual.

—The 4th annual reunion of the 133d Regiment Pennsylvania volunteers, will be held at Everett, Bedford county, on the 17th day of September. The members of Companies C and K, who have charge of the affair, are anxious to make this one of the most successful reunions that has been held by the regiment. They urge all the survivers who can possibly do so to be present. The ravages of time is fast thinning their ranks and there will not be many opportunities of meeting and exchanging greetings. An especial effort should be made to be present. It is expected that all the surviving officers of the regiment will be in attendance.

—James Whitehead, who was an employe of the Fisher, Guthrie & Walters' circus, which stranded Thursday in Tyrone, met with a serious accident about 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. He attempted to board a rapidly moving freight train near the station at Tyrone. He lost his hold and fell on the track, the wheels passing over his left foot, crushing it. He was taken to the Altoona hospital where it was found necessary to amputate the foet. Whitehead is a native of Farmsville, Mass., and was trying to get east when the accident happened.

—On Monday afternoon Rufus C. Crawford, owner of the Bonula mines in Allegheny county, went into court in Pittsburg and secured a preliminary injunction restraining the miners' officials and strikers from interfering with the employes or congregating about the mines. The hearing was set for Saturday. President Dolan said the miners' officials would not attempt to fight the injunction. They were not hunting trouble, he said, and would not deliberately violate the law. The sheriff of Westmoreland county has been called on for deputies to protect the miners at the Rostraver mines at Webster. The Webster company proposes to start with non-union miners on Tuesday or Wednesday.

—A Johnstown butcher, James Hudack, had a narrow escape from freezing to death in his own refrigerator. Hudack went went to his ice box after closing his shop to get a piece of meat. While he was inside the door closed and the automatic lock securely imprisoned him in his frigid cell. Realizing his peril, Hudack howled for help, but the thick walls of the ice box deadened the noise. Being clad in only light summer clothing he found himself slowly freezing in a short time. A neighbor finally heard the noise and aroused Hudack's family. The ice box was the last portion of the shop examined and there the butcher was found unconscious on the floor. Vigorous rubbing and a hot whiskey punch brought him around in a short time.

—The smoke of woolen rags is a sure cure for the most dangerous wounds. A lady ran a machine needle through her finger. She could not be released till the machine had been taken to pieces, and it was found the needle had broken into three pieces in the flesh. The process of extraction was most difficult, the pain reaching the shoulder, and danger of lockjaw was feared. Woolen rags were put on burning coals and by holding the finger in the smoke, all pain was driven away and never returned, though the finger took long to heal. The smoke and smell of the burning rags may be unpleasant, but that is a slight drawback compared with the danger of lockjaw, or great pain and consequent fever. Another instance was the cure of a wound inflicted by an enraged cat, which tore the flesh from the wrist to the elbow and bit throught the fleshy part of the hand. One ministration of the smoke extracted all pain, which had been frightful.

Real Estate Transfers.

George Duman et ux. to Henry Duman, Blacklick, consideration, $1,100.

John C. Martin et ux. to Louis Petit, Sr., Portage township, $30.

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John H. Constable et ux. to Frederic Saun, Stonycreek, $500.

Charles Anna to John Hennesey, Patton, $150.

Michael H. Nagle et ux. to George Baker, Elder, $50.

Blacklick L. & I. Co. to Trustee of Vintondale Baptist church, Vintondale, $1.

George Yeager et ux. to Charlotte Yeager, Elder, $200.

Cambria Iron company to Harvey C. Berkey, Johnstown, $450.

John N. Stein to Mary Montau, Susquehanna, $55.

L. B. Cassidy to Richard R. Lloyd, Clearfield, $120.

Anton Schumaker et vir to Stephen F. Forgaes et ux., Brownstown, $200.

Gustaf Borgerson et ux. to Frank J. Anderson, Patton, $53.

Thomas Byrne et ux. to Ann Davis, Susquehanna, $50.

Robert F. Notley to James M. Notley, Susquehanna, $5,850.

Paul Wiegand et ux. to Edward E. Levergood, Johnstown, $1.

Edward E. Levergood to Emma J. Wiegand, Johnstown, $1.

John B. Overberger et ux. to Mary Otto, Carroll, $100.

John Otto et ux. to Eliza Weber, Patton, $250.

Chest Creek Land & Improvement company to Mrs. Mary Otto, Patton, $180.

James Rodgers et ux. to Pennsylvania Railroad company, Washington $350.

George Conner et ux. to B. F. Ribblett, West Taylor, $60.

B. F. Ribblett et ux. to Elizabeth Ellen Ribblett, West Taylor, $1.

R. Gerald Adams et ux. et al. to John Montgomery, Clearfield, $25.

Likely a Double Murder.

Herminie, a little mining village at the terminus of the Hempfield branch, in Westmoreland county, was the scene On Sunday morning of what in all probability will prove a double murder. James Porter and John Hyde, two striking miners, were visiting Robert Rodgers, who is employed in the Ocean mines at Herminie. Saturday night they drank heavily and soon became intoxicated. They all lay in a stupor until Sunday morning about 3 o'clock, when Hyde awoke, and, getting an old ax which was in the room, proceeded to use it upon his two sleeping companions. He struck Rodgers on the head, fracturing his skull and rendering him insensible. He then attacked Porter, fracturing his skull, besides cutting a terrible gash in his neck. The injuries of both men will likely prove fatal. Hyde is in jail.

Killed by a Limb.

Mrs. James Bradley was instantly killed near her home, in Elder township, between 11 and 12 o'clock Friday morning She was picking berries in the woods near Hastings, when a large limb was blown off a tree, striking her on the back of the head. Tine Nagle who was cutting props near by, saw Mrs. Bradley near where the limb fell, and went to investigate whether she had been struck. Upon his arrival at the tree he found Mrs. Bradley lying dead on the ground and the limb alongside of her.

She was about 52 years of age and is survived by her husband, who is employed in Campbell & Patterson's mines, at Hastings, and seven children.

The funeral took place at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, from St. Bernard's Catholic church, at Hastings, of which Mrs. Bradley was a devoted member.

Killed at Gallitzin.

Pittsburg express struck and instantly killed Edward Luther, a young man employed in the mines at Gallitzin, Thursday afternoon of last week at the Gallitzin tower. The young man had been west and was on his way home when he attempted to alight at the Gallitzin tower and failed to notice the express. Young Luther jumped directly in front of the express, and his body was hurled a distance of fifty feet. He was dead when picked up. He was not working because of the strike at the Mitchell mines.

The deceased was 19 years of age and is survived by his father, Theodore Luther, three brothers and four sisters, namely: Urban, Raymond and Regis, and Ida, Germania, Bertha and Mary, all young and at home.

Correspondence.

Carrolltown, Pa. July 28, 1897.

ED. FREEMAN:—"Woe awaits a country when she sees the tears of bearded men," and such is the state of affairs in our vaunted land of the free at present. Strong hearty men willing to work for their daily bread, tramping through the land hungry and weary begging for work and in very many cases leaving their little ones and wives behind them to exist on the cold charity of the world. Yes, great bearded men shedding tears and bitter ones at that in sheer desperation at their situation in a land teeming with plenty.

What is the cause of this; why have we such a state of affairs in so grand a country as this? A coutry that can boast of being possessed of every cereal that can be grown, of inexhaustible mineral wealth, climate and willing people to develop it all. There is something wrong, and very wrong, and it is all due to the mismanagement of the government of this great country which the bearded men in tears will ratify sooner or later, so sure as the sun rises and sets, unless the party in power change their tactics. Why was it in the days before multi-millionaireism, if you will allow me to coin the word, we did not hear of such misery and hardships as the country is afflicted with at the present time? The epoch of millionaires dates from the close of the civil war and the complete power of the Republican party, and mark it well, we can steadily trace the gradual decay of our liberties from that epoch.

A false sense of patriotism caused many of the followers of the principles promulgated by Jefferson, to renounce them and cast their fortunes with the wearers of the bloody shirt, and richly have they reaped their reward. A country full of millionaires and starved and desperate men, ready for rebellion and anarchy. "Labor for sale," who ever heard of such a comodity in the American market before? But such is the case, we know of just such transactions as this: A man wants work, the employer says, well, I can give you work if you do the right thing, that is, my price to laborers is $1.25 per day, you take $1.00 and give me the 25 cents and you can have work, if not, pass on. Well, I am starving and I suppose I must do it, and in many cases, yes, in most of cases, he does.

Is it a wonder we have so many strikes? The men are human and human nature asserts itself. This state of affairs should not be tolerated in our fair land. The law of necessity is now asserting itself and where it will end and under what conditions, God only knows, for as yet, none of our exalted statesmen have solved the problem.

In a democracy the people frame the laws by which they themselves are to be governed. Have we that right any more? No, the laws are framed now by bosses of the party in power, regardless of the will will of the people. Citizens, why not throw off the yoke, throw aside your adherence to the party in power and elect men who will do your will and this land of liberty will no more see "bearded men in tears."

MINING NEWS.

The situation in the numerous mines in this vicinity is growing serious. It is evident the miners are growing restless. Bands of striking miners are visiting the miners in operation and inducing the men to come out. They have a great many grievances to complain of, such as reduction of wages, short weights and a disregard on the part of the employers to fulfill the semi-weekly pay act. There was a large meeting of disatisfied miners at Hastings on last Saturday and much speaking was done. James Null, Esq., of Carrolltown, addressed the meeting and strongly advised them to be a unit or else their efforts would fail. There was an affidavit signed by a number of miners of mine No 8, near Hastings, that the manager of the mine deducted every fifth ton of coal for himself as a bonus for giving the men work, thereby compelling the men to buy their job.

William Laughlin, a miner at McGonigle's mines, east of town, met with a very serious accident on Friday last. A heavy fall of slate struck him on the back injuring his spine and causing paralysis of the liver and at present writing is still unable to move his lower limbs. He has the sympathy of the entire community.

There is only one mine in operation in this vicinity and it only runs on half time.

A great many of our resident miners have left town to seek work elsewhere.

The three cent per day tax is striking the aliens hard. We near much complaint from those in our vicinity of whom there is not a few.

LOCALS.

The recent wet weather is hard on the newly cut harvest although it has pushed on vegetation in great shape.

Thomas Iilig, of Carroll township, purchased the property of the Equitable B. & L. association of Altoona, situate on St. Mary's street, in this place on Monday, from our real estate agent James Null, consideration, $525.

Another old land mark, the (X) Roads hotel, about one mile north of town, is being torn down. The old house has been the resort of many an old timer.

F. C. Sharbaugh, Esq., of Ebensburg, was in town on Saturday on business.

Ossie Wilkinson, of the firm of Wilkinson & Son, was in town on Monday.

John Stritmatter of the monastery farm had several valuable sheep worried by dogs on Sunday night.

The Twin Rocks baseball club played the Carrolltown nine on Sunday, score 15 to 10 in favor of Carrolltown.

The school examinations were held for Carroll township in the school house here on Monday. There was a large number of applicants to teach.

Peter Campbell seems to have the inside track for postmaster, although old Mr. Frank Byrnes is giving him a tight hustle.

The game of baseball between Carrolltown and Patton on Tuesday resulted in a score of 8 to 7 in favor of Carrolltown in the eighth inning. The game was then stopped on account of rain.

MORE ANON.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, July 29, 1897:

Nathaniel Teeter, Jackson township, and Angeline McMillan, Johnstown.

Dennis Hogerty, Johnstown, and Della O'Leary, Philadelphia, Pa.

Charles Werde and Julia Horwack, Johnstown.

Ruthford B. Hays Parks, Franklin, and Jesse Ora Rager, East Conemaugh.

Harry E. Shaffer, Johnstown, and Mary Ellen Fyock, Richland township.

George Schindler and Mary Jenks, Johnstown.

Levi Mishler and Louisa L. Vest, Johnstown.

Edward J. Litzinger and Margaret Alice O'Dowd, Gallitzin.

August Clock and Lizzie Woods, Summerhill township.

Mike Wick and Julia Lendoske, Washington township.

John Gage, South Fork, and Hanna B. Shiver, Piketown, Dauphin county, Pa.

About 1 o'clock Friday morning Edmund Holsopple's large barn, in Paint township, Somerset county, about a mile and a half east of Holsopple, was struck by lightning and destroyed soon after by fire. The barn which was fifty feet wide and a hundred fet long, contained about eighty tons of new hay, together with a lot of oats, wheat, rye, buckwheat, etc. Mr. Holsopple estimates his loss at $3,500. There was no insurance on the barn or contents.

Miscellaneous Notices.

EIGHT valuable properties for sale. Call on or address JAMES NULL, Atty. at Law and Real Estate Agent, Carrolltown, Pa.

FOR SALE. A lot of RED WINTER Seed wheat. Inquire of O. O. PHILIPS, Ebensburg, Pa.

WHY pay retail prices? LETTS will take your order for a First-Class sewing machine, warranted TEN YEARS for $13.00

ONE HUNDRED head "O I C" and Poland China hogs all ages and size and some fine bred sows for sale at the farm of A. E. MARSH, one mile east of Ebensburg.

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

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. oct1ly

JOS. HORNE & CO.

We are carrying on the greatest sale of seasonable goods, at the lowest prices ever known in the mercantile history of Pennsylvania. There is not a regular price, nor a usual price, nor even an ordinarily low price in this store.

EVERYTHING

is marked from 50 to 75 per cent. less than you ever saw it marked.

Whatever it is that you want, send for samples. We will send them if we can and will give you prices that will astonish you anyway.

What do you think of getting 35 cent Organdies for 15 cents; 20cent Dimities for 5 cents; $1.25 Silks for 25 cents?

And that is only a beginning.

PENN AVENUE AND FIFTH STREET, PITTSBURG.

Assignee's Sale
OF VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE!

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas, of Clearfield county, Pa., the undersigned, assignees of William Curran, of Houtzdale borough, will expose to public sale at the Central Hotel, in the borough of Houtzdale, Pa., on

THURSDAY, SEPT. 2ND, 1897,

at one o'clock, P. M., the following described tracts and pieces of land, to-wit:

All that certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Spangler, Cambria county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of Crawford avenue and South Fifth street; thence by line of said Crawford avenue, in a northerly direction 50 feet to to corner of lot No. 84, Section B., thence by line of lot No 84 in a westerly direction 141 feet and 75-100 of a foot to line of an alley; thence by line of said alley and South Fifth street by equal lines and parallel with the two first lines to the place of beginning, known as lot No. 83, Section B.

Also, that certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Spangler, Cambria county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of Bigler avenue and Baker street; thence by line of said Bigler avenue in a northerly direction 50 feet to the corner of lot No. 42; thence by line of said lot in an easterly direction 141 75-100 feet to a post on line of alley, thence by line of said alley and Baker street, by lines equal and parallel with first two lines, to place of beginning and being known as lot No. 43, Section C, in said borough.

Also, all that certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Hastings, County of Cambria, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post 75 feet southwest from the southeast corner of Beaver and Fourth streets; southward along the line of said Beaver street 25 feet to a post, thence eastward along the northern line of lot 251, 150 feet to an alley; thence northwest along the line of said alley 25 feet to a post; thence westward 150 feet to Beaver street the place of beginning, being ½ of lot or ground containing 25 feet in Beaver street and extending back 150 feet and being ½ of lot No. 252 in the general plan of said borough, having thereon erected a

TWO-STORY
FRAME BUILDING,

occupied as a store room and dwelling; also a stable and other outbuildings.

Excepting and reserving from all of the aforesaid described pieces or parcels of Real Estate the Coal and Minerals, with the Mining rights and reservations as contained in the several deeds of conveyance to William Curran, the assignor.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of bill to be paid when the property is struck off and balance to be paid when the sale is confirmed by the Court.

JOHN C. CURRAN,
JOHN G. PLATT,
Assignees of Wm. Curran.

Houtzdale, Pa., July 15, 1897 30 4t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Cambria County.

In re estate of Martin Mcdonald, late of East Taylor township, deceased.

Now, June 16, 1897, upon motion of P. J. Little, Esq., for H. S. Endsley, Esq., the attorney for the executors, James H. O'Connor is appointed auditor to distribute the funds in the hand of the said executors, as shown by their first and partial account, as well as to ascertain the rights of the widow in said estate, and report his conclusions to this Court.

BY THE COURT.

Take notice, that in pursuance of the above appointment, I will sit at my office in Wolf's Block, Franklin street, Johnstown, Pa., on TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1897, at 10 o'clock, A. M., when and where all parties interested, are required to make and prove their claims, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JAMES B. O'CONNOR,
July 16, '97 3t. Auditor.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

We the undersigned citizens of Allegheny and Clearfield townships, hereby give notice to the public not to trespass on our lands. Any one found trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

(Signed) John Sutton, H. S. Sprout, T. C. Miller, James T. Sutton, Jos. J. Weber, H. G. Conrad, Edward Ivory, Joseph A. Krise, Mrs. B. Wills, John McDermitt, Joseph Sutton, August Shellner, Theodore Storm, Alex. Ivory, John Geek, Jacob Eckenrode, Philip A. Gray, Geo. M. Sanker, D. M. Kratzer, Henry J. Conrad, William Moran, Geo. P. Krug, Robert Johnston, John E. Mansfield, Francis H. Basal, James H. Maloney, John Rabus, Geo. Sevmore, Bridget Tomlinson, Mrs. Albert Rhoa, G. B. Moyers, Josephine Huffman, Frank Feicht, Dr. W. H. Summerville, Simon P. McMullen and John McCoy, Mrs. Cornelius Sutton. May 1, 1897 1 yr.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Henry Mansfied, deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned in the estate of Henry Mansfield, late of Ashville; Cambria county, Pa deceased, notice is hereby given to all those indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN DOUGHERTY,
J. J. RHODY,
July 30, 1897. 6t. Executors.

LETTING.

The undersigned will receive sealed proposals at the Mountain House office, Ebensburg, until 12 o'clock, noon, SATURDAY, JULY 31, 1897, for tearing down and removing the old Cambria House, at Ebensburg, excavating for new building, constructing sewer and building basement wall according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Mountain House office. The undersigned reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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ORDINANCE.

Be it enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Ebensburg, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same

SECTION 1. That the borough, having determined to construct a sewer of ten (10) inches in diameter, commencing at the South side of High land avenue, and running South therefrom along Julian street to its intersection at Crawford street, thence along said Crawford street East to a lot belonging to Cambria county, thence across said lot, connecting with the main sewer on the property of the said County of Cambria, immediately North of the Jail wall.

SECTION 2 That the cost thereof be and is hereby assessed as a sewage tax upon the property adjoining or adjacent to the same, at the rate of 24½c per each foot front, according to the frontage of the several properties along the line of said Julian and Crawford streets and Cambria county lot, between the points designated in the preceding section, and the said sewage tax shall be collectible from the owner or owners of the abutting properties, as debts of like amount are now by law collectible.

SECTION 3. That if the owner or owners of any property, against which an assessment for sewage tax has been laid, as provided for in the preceding sections, shall fail or refuse to pay such assessment, within sixty days after having notice of the same, the said borough shall file a claim therefore in the Court of Common Pleas in the County of Cambria, against the property upon which such assessment is laid, and may proceed to collect the same, as provided for under the third section of the Act of the 15th of May, 1889.

Passed finally by Council, July 6th, 1897.

THOMAS DAVIS,
President of Council.

Approved by T. MASON RICHARDS, Burgess.
Attest: W. H. CONNELL, Clerk of Council.

ORDINANCE.

Be it enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Ebensburg and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same.

SECTION 1. The borough, having determined to construct a public sewer of ten (10) inches in diameter from a point on High street where the same is intersected by Cherry Alley, running eastward therefrom and connecting with the main sewer on Caroline street

SECTION 2. That the cost thereof be and is hereby assessed as a sewage tax upon the property adjoining or adjacent to the same, at the rate of 23c per each foot front, according to the frontage of the several properties along the line of said High street, between the points designated in the preceding section, and the said sewage tax shall be collectible from the owner or owners of the abutting properties, as debts of like amount are now by law collectible.

SECTION 3. That if the owner or owners of any property, against which an assessment for sewage tax has been laid, as provided for in the preceding sections, shall fail or refuse to pay such assessment with n sixty days after having notice of the same, the said borough shall file a claim therefor in the Court of Common Pleas in the County of Cambria, against the property upon which such assessment is laid and may proceed to collect the same, as provided for under the third section of the Act of 15th of May, 1889.

Passed finally by Council, July 6th, 1897.

THOMAS DAVIS,
President of Council

Approved by T. MASON RICHARDS, Burgess.
Attest: W. H. CONNELL, Clerk of Counsel.
July 16, '97. 3t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Itell, deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned in the estate of Joseph Itell, late of Portage township, Cambria county, Pa., deceased, notice is hereby given to all those indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES ITELL,
July 2 1897. 6t. Executor.

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