## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

EBENSBURG AND CRESSON RAILROAD. -On and after Monday, October 31, 1864, trains on this road will run as follows: LEAVE EBENSBURG-

At 6.00 A. M., connecting with Pitts. & E Ex. West and Fast Mail East. At 5.25 P. M., connecting with Pitts. & E Ex. East and Mail Train West. LEAVE CRESSON-

At 11.27 A. M., or on departure of Harr. Accommodation East. At 8.40 P. M., or on departure of Mail Train West.

## Letter from Our Soldiers.

ETTER FROM CO. C, 209TH P. V .- THE HOLI-PAYS IN CAMP-SOMETHING WRONG WITH THE MAILS-SOLDIERS' LETTERS, AND WHAT THEY OUGHT TO BE, &c. &c.

Correspondence of The Alleghanian. MEADE'S STA., VA., Jan. 3, 1865.

Well, the holidays have come and gone. Previous to Christmas, the weather was cold, but the day itself was pleasant. The sun shone bright, the air was mild, and one could easily fancy that the rigors of winter were abated out of deference to that day on which, either correctly or indied that we might live. But the outgoing of the old and the incoming of the new year were different. The last day of the expiring year was full of driving, howling, chilling wind, filled at times either with rain, snow or sleet. As night | was buried on Saturday. came on apace, the fury of the storm rather than being diminished, was increased. There was no quiet, modest retirement of the old, nor gentle advance of the new year, as though the dying lingered awhile welcome the newly-born. Nay, the one, as if loth to go, and full of envy at course. its successor, seemed anxious to combat is entrance to life by all the fury of a vinter storm. Meanwhile the moon hid her face, the stars refused to behold the trife, and all nature robed herself in darkest darkness, till it seemed as if she had clad herself in the habiliments of mourning. But as the soldier in his tent thanked his stars that he was not a soldier on picket, and looked in the glowing fire before him, he could see, or at least he would think he could see, in its blazing abrightness of hope that bade him rejoice in the raging storm without. It was fancy-of course it was only fancy-but that fancy seemed to whisper in the tones of a prophesying angel that the fury the old year was spending in its dying agonies was only to show us the wrath, as foolish as it is mighty, of an expiring treason against

Liberty. I have a word to say about letters, letter-writers, and the mails. There is an impression, deep and strong, that there is something wrong with the mails; but where, or with whom, it is not my province to say. To be sure, a soldier will growl, and if he fails to growl at one thing, it is only because he has fixed his attention on something else; but when he ex ercises his growling prerogative at the mails, he does so with apparent good reason. "Is there a large mail to-day?" is a common inquiry. "None from Ebensburg," is a common answer. Then there comes, "What's the matter with the mails?" "There must be something wrong with the mail ?" "Why don't we get our letters?" &c., &c. Poor soldier! who wonders that he growls? Consider the case of a man who has a dutiful wife's assurance that she writes him twice or thrice a week, while he gets not more than one letter out of three. But that's only one case. Poor soldier! oughtn't he to growl? Ab, Mr. Delinquent Mailman, try come up to time hereafter.

But, seriously, what is a soldier's letter? or, if you prefer, what ought it to be?-That boy wearing his country's uniform was as well reared as any. He looks rough just now, for he has rough work to to, but among the comfortable homes of New England, or amid the hills of Pennsylvania, is a spot about which is enshrined all that human memory holds sacred, and that spot is that boy's home. When letter sent thence reaches him, a new are lights up the eye, a new vigor starts the blood to quicker action, the soul reteives new life, and joy fills the heart, as he seal is broken. A soldier's letter carhes him back to the scenes of home and areside. It carries the boy to the parental roof, and the father to that circle of which he is head. It is read, not once, but over and over again, and ere he lays down o rest, it is read still another time. In these dreams take shape in accordance with the influence potently tho' silently elerted by the letter from home. Does it bring bodings of ill, and does it wear dreariness of tone? Or is it a sprightly, lively letter, full of news, but not of tat- hereabouts.

tling? The latter is what it ought to be. A plague upon all dull, prosy, gloomy, the doings at and about home, bearing bria county, to Miss Susan Jane WILgood will towards all men, and recounting LIAMS, of Bloomington, formerly of Ebthe labors of the provost marshals and their crippled soldiers with all skulkers from the service. Only such a letter is ness, our friends were not forgetful of ye worthy to be sent to a Union soldier. He | Printer. No. They remembered us, and privations, and wishes not to have them fying. For this, taken in connection with

brigaded, and now form a part of the first brigade, third division, ninth army corps. This brigade is formed of the 200th, 208th and 209th regiments of one year troops, and is commanded by Col. Diven, of the first named regiment. The 205th, 207th and 211th regiments, also one year troops, form the second brigade, under commond of Col. Matthews, of the 205th. The two brigades form the third division, commanded by Brig.-Gen. Hartranft.

Letters for us, in order to avoid all correctly, is placed the birth of Him who mistake, should be addressed to Co. C, 209th Pa. Vols., 1st Brigade, 3d Division, 9th Army Corps.

> The health of the company continues excellent. The deaths in the regiments by sickness are only three, of whom one

> On Saturday, 24th ult., we were glad to welcome the arrival amongst us of our Chaplain, Rev. J. S. Lemmon. The following day, he commenced what beyond doubt will prove a career of usefulness by delivering a brief but appropriate dis-GAMMA.

ETCHINGS .- Wm. Roberts, a young man resident in Cambria township, who enlisted in Co. D, Capt. Lowman, 204th P. V., last summer, died in hospital at Alexandria, Va., about a week since. An accident occurred to the train on which his remains were being brought home, on the Northern Central RR., on Saturday, resulting in the utter demolishing of the coffin wherein they were enshrined. The remains arrived here Sunday, and were consigned to the grave on Monday .... Joseph Williams, of Blacklick tp., a member of the 110th P. V., died in hospital a couple of weeks ago. His remains were brought home for interment. He had been in the service about fifteen months. ... Charles Albert Mills, son of Capt. David Mills, of Gallitzin, this county, who was captured by the rebels in the Shenandoah Valley some fourteen months ago, and has been a prisoner ever since, has been exchanged and arrived home. He is well, but reports that he suffered beyond description in the rebel coal-holes .... Mr. James F. Campbell has retired from the editorial management of the Johnstown Democrat, and is succeeded by Messrs. H. D. Woodruff & Son, of Perry county. Both the outgoing and incoming editors have our best wishes for their future success .... Quartermaster E. Frank Lytle, of the 209th P. V., was home here on brief leave of absence last week. His personal appearance left the impression on our mind that sogering agreed with him to a constitutional nicety.... See a number of new advertisements in to-day's paper .... We understand that diptheria is again prevailing to a great extent in this vicinity. In one family, named Kane, living about three miles east of this place, four children have died of this disease within

RR. Schedule .- A slight change as to schedule went into effect on the Penna. Railroad on the 26th ult. Trains now

the past three weeks.

| 7 | leave Cresson station as lonous. |    |             |
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| 1 | West-Balt. Express leaves at     |    | *9.18 A. !  |
| 3 | " Phila. Express                 | ** | *10.08 A. I |
| , | " Fast Line                      | ** | *9.59 P. 1  |
| - | . Mail Train                     | ** | 8.38 P. I   |
| 1 | " Pitts. & Erie Ex.              | "  | 8.13 A. 1   |
| • | " Emigrant Train                 | "  | 4.30 P. I   |
|   | East-Phila. Express              | 44 | *7.36 P. !  |
|   | " Fast Line                      | "  | *1.46 P. 1  |
| , | " Fast Mail                      | 46 | 7.05 A. I   |
| 3 | " Pitts. & Erie Ex.              | 44 | 6.32 P. 2   |
|   | " Harrisb. Accom.                | 44 | 11.27 A. I  |
|   | [*Don't stop.]                   |    |             |
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See corrected schedule for Eb. & Cresson Branch at head of first local column.

E. & C. RR. Co .- At an election of the stockholders, held on Monday last, the following named officers were elected by the Ebensburg and Cresson Railroad Company, to serve during the ensuing year: President, A. A. Barker. Directors, J. Moore, E. Roberts, H. Foster, the night, when the mind revels in dreams, James Myers, Jno. Williams, Thos. Griffiths, H. J. Lombaert, Geo. J. Rodgers, Abel Lloyd, Richard Jones, Jr., Isaac Evans, Robert Davis.

MARRIED: On Tuesday, 3d instant, at Bloomington, M'Lane county, Illinois, by ill-foreboding, bemoaning letters, when Rev. Mr. Bailey, pastor of the New School sent to a man wearing the Union blue !- Presbyterian Church of that place, Mr. Let a letter be full of little bits of news, DAVID D. PRYCE, of Cambria tp., Cam-

ensburg.

In the midst of their new-found happiknows his danger, knows his labor and after a manner that was peculiarly gratimorosely recounted, for he lives rejoicing the high degree of esteem we have ever in the hope of the final triumph of his entertained for the bridegroom and bride, we tender them our thanks and congratu-On the 15th ult., we were permanently lations. May happiness, prosperity and contentment encompass them ever. May they live to the green old age of the Psalmist, and may each succeeding year only rivet the tighter the bonds which bind them together. May they, in short, fully realize the truth of the poet's remark, that "Marriage, rightly understood, gives to the tender and the good a paradise below."

> MARRIED: At Summitville, Cambria county, on Tuesday, 3d inst., by Rev. Mr. Ryan, Mr. JAMES S. TODD, of Ebensburg, former editor of the Democrat & Sentinel, to Miss Annie M'Connell, of Summit-

> Accompanying the above notice, we received a liberal share of the wedding cake, for which favor the happy couple have our warmest thanks. If our prayers for their happiness and prosperity thoughout life were of avail, then indeed would theirs be a never-ending pathway of roses, full of sweets and fragrance, and abounding in ambrosial delights.

> NOT VISIBLE TO THE NAKED EYE .-We intended making a number of improvements in the general appearance of The Alleghanian during the holidays, and paper two weeks for that purpose, but unlooked-for events asserted themselves upon our notice, to the prevention of our cherished purpose. We are sorry for this, but assure our readers that at an early day these improvements, from mere idealities, will be reduced to the compass of accomplished facts.

THE SHERIFFALTY .- During the last week of December Court, Mr. Jas. Myers. the newly elected Sheriff of Cambria county, was duly "sworn in," vice Mr. John Buck, whose term of office had expired. Candor compels us to say that Mr. Buck made an excellent Sheriff, and from the well known character and ability of Mr Myers, we are sure the reins of office will descend to a most worthy successor.

MARRIED: At the residence of the officiating clergyman, on Tuesday, 20th ult., by Rev. Solomon Benshoof, Lieut. Thos. DAVIS, 19th U. S. I., to Miss SUSAN DAVIS, 19th U. S. I., to Miss Susan Sharp, West Liberty, and recommended to me Burkhart, both of Jackson tp., Cambria by my physician, Dr. F. Smith, I concluded to give them a fair trial. I purchased one

MARRIED: At Fallen Timber, Cambria county, on Christmas evening, by Rev. T. Van Scoyoe, Mr. MARTIN SHOFFNER to Miss REBECCA G. POWELL, all of Cambria county.

T ETTERS REMAINING UNCLAIMED IN THE POST OFFICE, At Ebensburg, State of Pennsylvania, January 1, 1865.

Thomas M'Gahey Miss Lizzie Mitchell Daniel L. Brown A. H. Miles David Crook Timothy Maxwell Gust Christey Mrs. - Rorgdone Joseph Conway Mrs. Jane Roberts Mrs. Rachel Davis Thos. Dodd Nancy Rodkay Mrs. Susan Rager John Davis n George Sowers Mrs. Margaret Holl Mrs. Mary Shoomake John Itle Miss Maggie E. Jones George Shrom Miss Mary Settlemir Mrs. Jane Johnston Mrs Cath. J. Langdon Wm. D. Jones Robert D. Thomas Thomas Kevill James Thomas Rev. Edger Lemmon Miss Charlotte Walt Mrs. Flora Lemmon Miss Susan Wissinger John Lemon

JOHN THOMPSON, P. M.

January 12 1864. UDITOR'S NOTICE.-The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to eport distribution of the funds in the hands of Wm. Palmer, Esq, administrator of the estate of Frederick Knepper, deceased, hereby notifies all persons interested that he will attend to the duties of said appointment at his office, in the borough of Ebensburg, on THURSDAY, the 26th day of JANUARY, at one o'clock, P. M., at which time all persons are required to present their claims, or be debarred from coming in for a share of the JNO. E. SCANLAN, Auditor.

Ebensburg, Jan. 12, 1865. A UDITOR'S NOTICE .-A The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to report distribution of the funds in the hands of J. M. Campbell, surviving administrator of notifies all persons interested that he will attend to the duties of said appointment at his office, in the borough of Ebensburg, on THURSDAY, the 2d day of FEBRUARY next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at which time all persons are required to present their claims or be -The sleighing continues excellent debarred from coming in for a share of the fund. JNO. E. SCANLAN, Auditor. Ebensburg, Jan. 12, 1865.-3t.

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From A. Cushing, Druggist, S. Bend, Ind. D. S. OWEN, Esq.—Dear Sir—In reply to your favor of the 13th instant, I would say that the sale of Sellers' Medicines has far exceeded my expectations; and in no case have they failed to produce the desired effect. The Cough Syrup is a cure for coughs, colds, &c., and the cheapness of the article places it within the reach of all, which, together with its efficacious qualities, renders it a universal favorite. Not a day passes without numerous calls for "the one thing needful," at this season of the year, viz, Sellers' Cough Syrup. A. G. CUSSING.

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From Rev. S. Wakefield, former Pastor of the Liberty street M. E. Church.

MR. R. E. SELLERS-It is from a sense of duty, as well as with great pleasure, that I bear testimony to the virtue of your justly celebrated Vermifuge. I procured a single bottle, and gave it to three of my children, who had been ill tor several weeks. The eldest was seven years old, the next four, and the youngest eighteen months. The first the estate of James S. Clark, deceased, hereby passed fifty-six worms, the second forty-seven, and the third a considerable number, not distinctly recollected. Since then they have been doing well, and are now in good health.

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INSURANCE AGENCY.— James Purse, agent for the Blair county and Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Companies, Johnstown, Pa.

Will attend promptly to making insurance in any part of Cambria county upon application by letter or in person. March 12th, 1863-tf.

DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.— Letters of Administration on the estate ot Evan D. Davis, late of Cambria township. Cambria county, dec'd., having been granted the subscriber by the Register of said county, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present

them, properly authenticated, for settlement,
RACHEL DAVIS, Administratrix.
Cambria tp., Dec. 15, 1864-3t.

QTRAY COW.— Came to the residence of the subscriber. in Croyle township, on or about the 1st of September last, a red cow with considerable white about the belly and legs, and long, wide herns, and apparently about 5 years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.

December 1, 1864.

CTRAY COW. Came to the residence of the subscriber, on or about the 1st day of November. a large Black Cow, about 12 or 14 years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law.

JASON CRUM.

ANDREW DUNMIRE. Nov. 24, 1864.

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