The Alleghanian.

THURSDAY.....DECEMBER 19.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

EBENSBURG AND CRESSON RAILROAD.—On and after Monday, April 29, 1867, trains on this road will run as follows:

LEAVE EBENSBURG—
at 6 00 A. M., connecting with Day Exp. East and Phil. Exp. West.
at 7 25 P. M., connecting with Phila. Exp. East and Mail Train West.

LEAVE CRESSON—
at 8 30 A. M., or on departure of Phil. Express West.
at 8 40 P. M., or on departure of Phila. Express East.

THE sad cause of the delay in the publication of this number of *The Alleghanian* is told by an announcement elsewhere.—We extend our sincere thanks to several good friends for their kind assistance in the office during the week. No paper will be issued till January 8th, proximo. The omission will be made good at the end of the Volume.

BROKINGS.—On Saturday last the term of James Myers, Esq., Sheriff of Cambria county, expired, and John A. Blair, Esq., elected last fall, entered upon the duties of the office, after being sworn by the Register and Recorder...Several bears are said to have made their appearance in the north of the county...There is still a scarcity of English preachers in Ebensburg...The Johnstown schools adjourn on Friday, the 14th inst., for a period of three weeks...A. C. Mullin, Esq., removed his family and "other" household goods to Ashland the past week. Success to Aleck...On Tuesday, the snow—now twenty inches deep—began to melt, and people to talk of a thaw and flood, but by night the mercury was below the freezing point. We now have the best of sleighing, and the merry bells are constantly ringing...The Huntingdon county Teachers' Institute convenes in the Court House at Huntingdon on Tuesday, Dec. 27th...A holiday week appears to be discarded this year by the Teachers' Institutes, owing to the fact that each of the holidays occurs on a Wednesday...The jury for the next court will be selected by the Jury Commissioners under the new law...A boy nineteen years old husked one hundred and four bushels of corn in one day in Blair county a short time since...There will be a vacation in the Ebensburg schools between the holidays...A prisoner in the Greensburg jail knocked down the jailor the other day and escaped, but was again arrested...Corn is selling in Blairsville at fifty cents and pork at seven. Send the news this way...The Pennsylvania R. R. Company may be a "grasping monopoly," for all that, but the erection by it lately of station houses at Munster and Kaylor stations, on the line of the Ebensburg branch, proves that it at least has got a heart...A foolhardy fellow jumped off a passenger train at Cresson the other day while it was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour. He might have been killed but was only slightly bruised.

CAMBRIA VS. PENNA. R. R.—It will be remembered that on Sept. 14th, 1866, the special train bearing President Johnson and his companions was stopping at Johnstown, a large platform belonging to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company was in the way, precipitating the concourse from it a distance of twenty feet to the ground, and resulting in the death of several persons and the injury of perhaps one hundred others. About two hundred and twenty of those injured instituted legal proceedings against the Company. Among this number was David Gill, whose case was made a test case, and was tried last week, resulting, under the instructions of the court, in a verdict for the defendant, on the ground that the Company was not bound to maintain a structure more than sufficient for its own ordinary purposes.

It is not probable that had the case gone adversely to the Company, the damages to be paid by it would be less than a quarter of a million of dollars. The court began the case on Monday afternoon, and closed it on Saturday about five o'clock. It will be taken before the Supreme Court.

DIRECTORS AND TEACHERS.—Again we call the attention of Directors and Teachers to the fact that the first annual Institute of Cambria county will be held in the Court House, at Ebensburg, on Monday, the 7th day of January, and will continue for four days. The law authorizes directors to grant teachers the four days of the Institute, to pay them for the same as if they were teaching, and to include the days in the four months of school requisite to obtain the State appropriation. By not having vacation *between* the holidays, directors can do this, and have more than the usual vacation. There is no better school for teachers, and especially young teachers, than a good Institute. Turn out.

A CAMBRIA COUNTY PEDESTRIAN.—Weston's Portland-Chicago tramp has created considerable interest on the subject of fast walking in general, and some of the newspapers tell of Captain Barclay, an English pedestrian, who, in the last century, walked eight miles in an hour, and also got over 100 miles on foot in 19 hours. A friend tells us of some of the tramping exploits of an Allegheny mountaineer, named Singer, who lived in Cambria county, and was a tinner by occupation. He traveled several years ago, and being over six feet tall, his long legs enabled him to march at about as rapid a pace as any one we have heard of. He once walked from Jefferson to Ebensburg, a distance of nine miles, in 61½ minutes. He had endeavored to make it in an hour, but failed by a minute and a half, on account of being worried along the route by persons on horseback, who were interested in money staked on the result. He also tramped from Pittsburgh to Cresson, 84 miles, between daylight and dark on a summer day. He enlisted at Loretto during the late war, and was frozen to death while going to Cresson, on a sled, on the way to the army.

The foregoing, copied from the Hollidaysburg *Register*, is in the main a correct statement.

THE CONCERT.—The Choir who will sing in the concert in aid of the Mountaineer B. B. Club are hard at work practising. They comprise some of the best musical talent in this section, and, under the leadership of Prof. H. H. Hughes, cannot fail to render most charming music. In addition to the vocal music, an orchestra band, under the direction of Mr. Andrew Maguire, will discourse sweet strains, and lend variety to the entertainment. All in all, the concert promises to be *the best* ever gotten up in this place, and we hope to see it properly sustained.—The concert will be held in the Court House on *Wednesday Evening, January 8th*, next. Tickets—25 cents each—will be ready for sale in a day or two.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Friday morning of last week, Samuel Croyle, Esq., an old man residing at Summerhill, this county, was run over by a freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and was so seriously injured as to cause his death in a few hours. He was nearly deaf, and did not know of the approach of the train until he was struck. He was a Justice of the Peace, and a worthy man.

DEMOREST.—Elsewhere we print the prospectus of "Demorest's Monthly Magazine," and that of "Demorest's Young America." The "Magazine" is universally acknowledged to be about the best parlor companion in America, while the "Young America" is just the thing for juveniles. Subscribe for them.

MUSIC.—Our Ebensburg readers will be glad to learn that Prof. H. H. Hughes purposes opening a school of instruction in the rudiments of vocal music, here, shortly.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

LETTER FROM JOHNSTOWN—ALL THE NEWS FROM THE SOUTH OF THE COUNTY.

JOHNSTOWN, Dec. 16, 1867.

To the Editor of The Alleghanian:

A fire occurred in the tailor shop of John Hughes on Saturday morning. A few buckets of water, judiciously applied, extinguished the flames before much damage could be done.

The Cambria Iron Company have notified their employees, by handbills posted around the works, of a reduction of wages of ten cents on the dollar.

Lieut. R. P. Robinson, of this place, has been appointed Auctioneer of the borough by Gov. Geary.

The Catholics of this place will hold a fair in Parke's new building, on Main street, adjoining the old Mansion House building, commencing on Christmas Eve and to last for two weeks. A good time is expected—hope your readers will attend and have a jolly time.

The Methodists intend holding a fair and festival in their new church during the holidays. A good time is also anticipated in this case.

A prize fight came off here on Friday evening, conducted according to the rules of the London Prize Ring. No person killed or badly hurt.

The two engines of the Cambria Iron Company were off the track for a considerable time during the past week, on account of the deep snow.

Our worthy and talented young friend James Craver has resigned his position in the store of Wood, Morrell & Co., to accept a position in the wood and willow-ware house of Franciscus & Co., Philadelphia. Success to Jimmy wherever he may go.

The Forest Dramatic Association was organized on Saturday evening by a number of our young men. DIO.

WATCHMAN.—Ebensburg has concluded to support a watch-man; and by the way, he is one of the best of his kind. His headquarters are at C. T. Roberts' Jewelry Store, High street. If you need a watch or a clock, a trinket or a trunk, try him.

A BENEFACTOR.—Our race has had but few benefactors, but those few it delights to honor. The reason V. S. Barker is honored with so many customers is because he is their benefactor by offering them so many bargains.

SHOOK.—Since the snow fell, strangers coming to town have wondered at the immense quantity of shook that are sledded to town. They are all of the first quality, as is everything else kept, dealt in, or sold by A. A. Barker at his mammoth store.

A GOOD MILL.—A singularly ingenious and wonderful mill may be seen at Mills & Davis' store. It will turn out to order anything you wish, from cheese to calico. It is called the E. J. Mill of Mills & Davis.

LOST.—A golden opportunity to those who have purchases to make and do not go to the well filled and handsome storeroom of Jas. M. Thompson. "Quick sales and small profits" is his motto.

ASTONISHING.—The amount of stoves sold by T. W. Williams, at his new establishment, is astonishing. Not very, either, for he sells them and everything else on the cheap system.

SEE our first page for the prospectus for 1868 of the New York *Tribune*. It is admitted by all unprejudiced persons that the *Tribune* is the best paper published in America.

DIED—Lately, in Blacklick township, Mr. David Leidy, aged about 60 years.

DIED—At the residence of his father, in Ebensburg, at 2 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, 19th instant, WILLIAM EDWARD BROOMISON, Publisher of *The Alleghanian*, aged 19 years, 10 months, and 12 days.

[OFFICIAL]

In Bankruptcy.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

IN the matter of ARTHUR W. GREEN, Bankrupt, Western District of Pennsylvania, ss:

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That on the 13th day of December, 1867, a Warrant of Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, against the estate of ARTHUR W. GREEN, of Chest Springs, in the county of Cambria, in said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own Petition: That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Court House in Ebensburg, before JOHN BROTHERLINE, Esq., Register for said District, on the 23d day of January, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

THOS. A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal,
By S. Thos. Evans, Deputy Marshal.

Dec. 19, 1867-2t.

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EBENSBURG & CRESSON R. R. CO.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Ebensburg and Cresson Railroad Company, that the annual election for a President and twelve Directors of said Company will be held at the office of Hon. A. A. Barker, in the borough of Ebensburg, on the second *Monday*, 13th day of *January*, 1868, beginning at the hour of one, and closing at four o'clock, p. m.

D. J. JONES, *Sec'y.*

Dec. 19, 1867.

NOTICE.—I intend leaving the Summit in a short time, and am desirous of having my Books settled. All knowing themselves indebted will please call, as you can settle on better terms with me than with any one else.

WALTER BELL.

Summit, Dec. 12, 1867-2t.

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An excellent assortment of BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, OVER-SHOES, STATIONERY, HARDWARE, GROCERIES FISH, SALT, TRUNKS, NOTIONS, QUEENSWARE, CARPET-SACKS, &c., &c., &c.

A large stock of *Flour, Bacon, Cheese, Syrups, Molasses, Herring, Mackerel, and Cod Fish, Iron and Nails, Cedar and Willow Ware, Oils, Drugs and Medicines, &c., &c.*

In fact, he keeps *anything* and *everything* usually kept in a No. 1 Country Store—all which will be disposed of at prices to suit the times.

Buying twice as large a stock as any other merchant in town, he buys cheaper, and can therefore *sell* cheaper, than any competitor.

CALL AND EXAMINE GOODS! CALL AND EXAMINE GOODS! CALL AND EXAMINE GOODS!

The public is invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. No charge for showing goods, buy or not buy.

Customers waited on by polite and attentive Salesmen.

☞ Cherry, Poplar, Spruce, Pine, and other Lumber, Butter, Eggs, and Country Produce generally, taken in exchange for Goods. [jan24] A. A. BARKER.

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C. T. Roberts has constantly in his store a well selected and varied assortment of articles, which he offers cheap for CASH; viz:

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CLOCKS of every style and finish, at reduced prices.
JEWELRY of the very best material, warranted.
Ancior and Lepine WATCHES, one-third cheaper than in 1866.
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RIFLES and SHOT GUNS, that will kill at every pop.
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Gents' Shirts,	Sewing Baskets,
Gloves, Cravats,	Hand Baskets,
Neck ties, Canes,	Rugs,
Suspenders,	Arnold's best Writing Fluid,
Handkerchiefs,	Red and Black Ink,
Perfumery, Soaps,	Ink Stands, Pen Racks,
Pocket Books,	Miscellaneous & Blank Books,
Checkers & Boards,	Pass Books, Diaries,
Dominoes, Paints,	Almanacs, Deeds,
Table Knives,	Summons, Notes,
Pocket Knives,	Paper, Envelopes,
Razors and Strops,	Tobacco,
Gun Caps, Puzzles,	Cigars—
Dolls, Beads,	
Amber Beads,	

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Thankful for past favors, the subscriber hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of public patronage. [jan24] C. T. ROBERTS

BOOT AND SHOE EMPORIUM!—The subscriber begs leave to inform the public that he has opened out a Boot and Shoe Store in the rooms formerly occupied by Davis & Evans, on Center street, Ebensburg, where he will carry on the business on an extensive scale.

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☞ The public are invited to give me a call. I will sell cheap as the cheapest, and warrant my stock and make to give satisfaction. [jan8] JOHN G. EVANS.