

AN INHUMAN FATHER.

He Chained up the Children in Dismal Apartments Nude. St. Louis, December 19.—A horrible tale of the alleged barbarous cruelty of George A. Guenther, the aged and defenseless old man who was slain by his sixteen-year-old son Tuesday morning, was related to-day by Charles Guenther, an elder brother of the murderer, who called at the office of the Chief of Police at 9 o'clock this morning to secure permission to interview the prisoner in his cell, in the "Hold Over," the murderer having surrendered himself yesterday afternoon.

The son's story brands the dead man as a savage fiend incarnate, who delighted in acts of inhumanity toward his children, delighting in torturing them by methods practiced only by the most barbarous.

Among other barbarities alleged was the chaining up of the children in dismal apartments nude, and while in that condition torturing them with all the cruelty practiced in the institution.

"I haven't lived at home for five years," began Charles Guenther. "In 1884 I left the place on Franklin avenue, because I could not stand the way I was treated by my father. Since then I have had but little conversation with the family at home, but I am convinced by what I heard from those who know of what was going on there that his savage cruelty toward my sisters and Emile has been kept up.

"Before I left home my father was guilty of the most horrible treatment of his children that can be imagined. I left the place after one period of slow torture that made me desperate. It was in 1884. I had done something that my father did not like. In fact, it was rarely that any of us could do anything he did like.

"It was a small offense, but the way my father tortured me would have made anyone believe that either he was crazy or that I had committed some terrible crime. My father was stronger than I, then, and when he announced that he was going to punish me, and commanded me to go with him, I had to obey. He made me go upstairs with him to a room in the back part of the house, but was seldom used. He shoved me in, and came in himself and locked the door behind him.

"Then he brought out some chains that he had hidden somewhere, and when I caught sight of them I set up an outcry that must have almost cleaved the ceiling, but no one heard me, or if they did, they were afraid to come to me. My father shouted to me to stop that infernal noise, and when he found he could not frighten me he jumped at me, and we had a regular fight. I hit and hit about me, and struggled to throw him off, but he was the more powerful, and finally got the better of me, and by threatening to do me even greater violence, compelled me to keep quiet.

"Then he brought out those chains and began to bind me with them. I thought he had finished then, but taking up another one he fastened it around my neck and fixed it so I could hardly move my head. Then he left me. I suffered fiendish tortures then, but I was compelled to submit more, however.

"After the lapse of a few hours I heard him coming up the stairs again. He opened the door, and when he stepped inside I noticed he had a bottle of whisky in his hand. He released me from the chains and compelled me to strip from head to foot until I stood nude before him. Then he chained me up, and the most horrible thing that could ever be endured then ensued.

"He took a good sized pin and began picking me with it from head to foot until I was bleeding all over. Then he took the whiskey bottle and held it for awhile, leaving me to surmise what he intended doing, and increasing my anguish doubly by the anticipation of torture to which I was to be subjected. Then my father wet his fingers from the bottle and rubbed over what seemed to me every sore he had made on my body.

"He did not rub it all over my body at once, but rub over a small space until the stuff had been rubbed in, when he would wet his fingers again and begin on another place. The pain was terrible and excruciating. I must have fainted from it, I think, for I remained in that room all night chained up, and did not know anything until the next morning, when my father came up and released me. After that I ran away."

The boy Emile, who is held for beating his father to death, acts like an imbecile, and it is believed that he has been driven insane by the cruelty of his father and the tragedy of yesterday. To-day he failed to recognize his own brother, and when he was appealed to almost supplicatingly for recognition, there was a silly smile about the murderer's mouth, but nothing to indicate that he was any more than a idiotic creature, disturbed in the silly contemplation of some vagary of a disordered brain.

The Young Men's Christian Association of this city desires to publicly acknowledge the receipt of books for the contemplated circulating library, as follows: Fleming H. Revel, publisher, New York City, five books; W. H. Miller, City, one; Wm. Beutman, City, two; Rev. James Johnson, F. S. S., London, Eng., two; A. B. Anderson, Lyme, Conn., six; Wm. W. Hambricht and friends of Pittsburgh, eighteen; Y. M. C. A., Harrisburg, Pa., fifteen; C. B. Myers, McVeytown, Pa., two; Harry D. and Warren B. Thomas, City, fifteen; John Fulton, City, six; Wm. G. Hager, City, cash \$2.50; C. B. Clark, publisher, one copy city directory.

A CRUSHING BLOW.

The Trouble that Has Led to Banker Dittman's Disappearance. PHILADELPHIA, December 19.—The troubles of Joseph G. Dittman, for whom search is now being made in this city, began when he was elected President of the Quaker City National Bank. Just previous to the election, and while he was working for the position, an anonymous circular containing very damaging statements against the expectant President was sent to nearly all the banks in the city. This attempt to prevent Mr. Dittman's election was unsuccessful, but later the circular apparently hindered the bank's progress and that of Mr. Dittman.

Immediately after the new bank had applied for admission to the Clearing House Association the initiation was raised from \$2,000 to \$5,000. The bank paid the money and was admitted, but still Dittman was pursued by a powerful retarding influence. A few months ago he began to work for re-election, but was surprised and worried to find that there was much opposition. At that time he had only 50 shares of the bank stock, valued at \$5,000, and, hoping to gain influence, he began to purchase more stock. All the money he could get hold of during the past month and a half he put into bank shares, and had 1,370 shares, worth \$137,000. He was then confident of re-election, but on the day on which he disappeared he was told that he could not possibly be president again. This assurance of his approaching defeat was a crushing blow to his ambition and pride.

CONEMAUGH BOROUGH.

Special Meeting of Council Thursday Night. Council met in special session and was called to order by the President. Members answering to roll call were Messrs. Cuthbert, Gerber, Kist, Matthews, Riser, and Freidhoff, President: Mr. Widman being absent.

Minutes of the previous special meeting were read and approved.

The President stated the object of the meeting was to consider agreement and ordinance presented by the Cambria Iron Company in regard to vacating streets and alleys, also paving and curbing of Centre street.

Agreement and ordinance were read. On motion of Mr. Cuthbert, committee on Streets and Alleys be instructed to confer with the authorities of the Cambria Iron Company in consideration of vacating Portage street and alleys to place a thirty-six inch sewer on Centre street, and in consideration of vacating Fenlon street and alley, to pave Ridge avenue in accordance with contract made with Mr. Richard, also pave Church avenue extension; the committee to report at the next meeting. So ordered.

On motion of Mr. Matthews meeting adjourned at 8:30. J. N. M.

It Rained Crabs in Frisco. SAN FRANCISCO, December 19.—Since Thanksgiving Day heavy rains have been the rule every day in this city and many floods have occurred in the interior. Today, however, the city showed the scientists of the country what she could do. About 7 o'clock this morning during a light shower pedestrians on Kearney street, near Market, were startled by seeing myriads of crabs descending with the rain. In a moment an area over twenty feet square was covered with the shell-fish, which ranged in size from a dime to a half-dollar, and they were alive. Halfpence were gathered and some were placed on exhibition at the newspaper offices.

At the same hour, on California street, near Sanson, nine blocks away, more crabs fell, but not to such an extent as at the other locality. Specimens were sent to the Academy of Scientists and a report on the peculiar phenomenon will soon be expected.

Sale of the Foundry at Sheridan Station. Mr. Louis When has secured, by purchase, almost the entire stock of the Johnstown Steel and Iron Casting Company, whose plant consists of a large and well-constructed foundry at Sheridan Station, just west of the Pennsylvania Railroad station. The foundry is now being operated by Mr. E. C. Wills, the Company, from some cause or other, having failed to make a success of the enterprise. Prior to the flood the establishment was turning out radiator loops for steam heating, but a lack of capital forced the management to cease operations. Mr. When is acting for outside parties, thought by some to be the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, but the future of the plant is not at present to be made public.

Not Much of a Joke About This. A corked half-pint bottle was recently taken out of the Conemaugh river, some distance below Sang Hollow, having in it the following note:

This poor unfortunate baker's blood was spilt by Ed. Bartholomew and Martin H. Taylor, two plumbers of Johnstown; dumped in at Bedford street, November 18, 1890.

As the young men mentioned are both respectable and enjoy the confidence of their acquaintances, it is believed that some one intended perpetrating a joke. There is not much, except finchiness, in such jokes.

New and Rapid Machine. Editor Woodruff, of the JOHNSTOWN DEMOCRAT has purchased a new and rapid printing machine from the Scott Press Company and proposes to make a great many improvements in the DEMOCRAT.

MORE TROUBLE IN CHURCH CIRCLES.

This Time It is at St. John's—Serious Charges Against Father Tabaney. As stated on Thursday morning DEMOCRAT the Very Rev. Stephen J. Wall, Vicar General of the Pittsburgh Catholic diocese, was in the city on Wednesday. His mission at first was not known, although there were suspicions, but yesterday publicity was first given to the fact that he was here to investigate some matters concerning the relations of Fathers Tabaney and Sheehan, while the latter was assistant at St. John's Church. There have been stories going the rounds quietly, but it was not until it was reported that Father Tabaney's conduct was to be investigated that the charges were made public.

Father Sheehan, it is said, states that ever since the flood an undue amount of the labors connected with the church have fallen upon him. The two reverend gentlemen are reported to have become somewhat estranged by incompatibilities of temper, or from some other cause. Father Sheehan alleges that about two weeks ago last Saturday evening he was accused by the senior pastor with improper conduct. This the junior reverend gentleman denied quite vigorously, which enraged Father Tabaney, and the two came near exchanging blows. Father Sheehan, it is said, then went to the third story of the convent building, which, since the flood, has been used as the pastoral residence, to escape his irate superior, but the latter followed him. Just what took place there has not fully transpired, but Father Sheehan ran out hatless and with marks of violence on his face. He sought and found shelter with a member of the church living near, and on the following morning left for Pittsburgh. The case was laid by Father Sheehan before Bishop Phelan, who has been led to consider the matter more seriously since several priests have been offered the position of Assistant Pastor here and have refused to accept.

Father Tabaney, some say, denies having struck Father Sheehan, but it is not known what defense he made to the Vicar General. There are plenty of stories afloat, many of which, no doubt, have diverged very far from the truth in their being circulated by so many different parties.

AN INTERESTING INSTRUMENT. Mr. David Peelor, the Surveyor Procures a Self-Recording Thermometer—A Description. Mr. David Peelor on Tuesday last received from a New York firm one of Dr. Draper's self-recording thermometers. The instrument is also self-recording.

The instrument looks much like a clock, and like a clock, has a dial. It, when wound, will run for eight days. On the dial, or rotating disc, is placed a movable chart, which lasts for one week. The hours of the day and the days of the week are told by radiating divisions and the temperature, which may be recorded from twenty degrees below zero to 110 above, is denoted by concentric circular divisions.

The pen that does the recording is supported on an axis, and is carried by the expansion and contraction of bi-metallic strips so that the pen moves in or out as the temperature changes, drawing a line on the surface of the disc or chart, which shows the temperature at any given time.

It is interesting to note the fluctuations that the pen makes in the course of a couple of days, as told by the red line which it has made since it has been in operation.

An Important Point in Caring for Children. In lifting a child, both hands should be used and so placed as to clasp the body about the waist, or hips, and the body raised without any force being exerted upon the arms.

Every day upon our streets can be seen little children just able to toddle along, who have to be carried across the street or over and around obstructions, and the torture that they oftentimes have to endure from the thoughtlessness of those who attend them, causes many a heart-ache to a careful observer who feels for the mother. Usually, with a hand grasped by the mother or other person caring for the child, it is hurried along faster than its little legs can carry it, a portion of its weight being lifted and causing a constant strain upon the arm; when the crossing is reached the mother takes a stronger pull, the child dangles by one arm until the opposite side is reached, and then the feet are allowed to partly rest on the ground again. Sometimes the process will be varied by two persons taking the child between them, and each taking a hand, when the weight of the child will be divided between two arms, which is only one-half as bad. But such practices should never be allowed. The arms of a child were never intended to serve as handles for the purpose of lifting or carrying. Strains, dislocations and fractures causing deformity and imperfect use of arm or shoulder or both, result from such careless use of the arms of a child, which were designed for the child's use in doing things within its strength. It would be impossible for a child weighing thirty pounds to so exert its strength as to lift that amount with one or even both hands, and yet that is what it is compelled to do when the arms are made the handles whereby the child is lifted.

Feet Down a Stairway. GREENSBURG, Pa., December 19.—Mrs. W. A. Baer, of Joe street, fell down a flight of stairs this morning and sustained internal injuries that render her recovery extremely doubtful.

AFTER A BITTER FIGHT.

North Dakota's Legislature Passes the Prohibition Bill. BISMARCK, N. D., December 19.—The Prohibition Bill was called up in the Senate yesterday afternoon, and after a bitter fight was passed by a vote of twenty-three to eight. It was hurried to the House, where the amendments were concurred in and the bill passed.

Before the bill could pass the Senate it was necessary to strike out the emergency clause putting it in effect May 1. It now takes the regular course and will go into effect July 1st.

Senator Fuller introduced a joint resolution for the amendment of the constitution by striking out all of the prohibition articles. The supporters of this resolution say the fact that the Prohibitory Bill passed by so large a majority is not good ground for believing that the proposed amendment will have no strength. They say many members who believe that the prohibition article in the constitution should be enforced are in favor of submitting the proposition for amendment, believing that the proposition was not fairly presented at the last election.

ANOTHER ELOPEMENT. A Vanport Couple this Time—Distress of Another Girl. VANPORT, Pa., December 19.—An elopement has taken place in this village, which is just now causing no little excitement.

The parties interested are well connected and have each a host of friends, who are greatly surprised over the affair. The young man whose name is George Sebring, is a tax collector and constable, and the young woman is Miss Myra Laney, a teacher in the public school. The couple left here last Monday night or early Tuesday morning, and it is believed they have gone to East Liverpool, G. Sebring, it is claimed, had been paying attention to another young lady, and the latter is considerably distressed over the matter. Nothing has been heard of the couple since their departure.

Miss Laney, who is a handsome brunette 18 years of age, and a recent graduate of Beaver High School, left a note addressed to her parents, in which she said:

"Love has conquered after a struggle with filial duty, and I am gone with the only man I ever loved or ever will. Mama, I hope you will forgive and not think harshly of me, and remember that you see once young yourself."

THE INFLUENZA SPREADING. Citizens of Boston Sneezing Under the Disagreeable Russian Epidemic. BOSTON, December 19.—When the city physician visited the jail this morning officers in charge informed him that it looked as if the influenza had got a foothold among the inmates. The physician found that twelve of the inmates were suffering with a bad form of the complaint. The patients all complained of pains in the head and back and in the legs. They experienced considerable nausea and there was more or less rise in their temperature. Their symptoms vividly recalled those which marked the horses when the epizootic raged so extensively. There are also sufferers with the influenza in different parts of the city.

Hon. Ed. Scull and His Mother. The Washington correspondent of the Greensburg Press speaks as follows of our Congressman and his mother:

Congressman Scull is one of the most popular men in Washington. He lives at the Ebbitt and is always with one or more Ohio men. Yesterday he was visited by his son, Charles O. Scull, Passenger Agent of the Baltimore & Ohio, and although never far apart and with railroad passes plenty, the father and son have not met for over a year until yesterday. Congressman Scull is remarkably well preserved for his years. His venerable mother is now ninety-four, but bids fair to celebrate her centennial. Sometime ago she complained of nervousness, which interfered with her sleep, and her son suggested that a small quantity of spirits would be beneficial. "Yes, I know," she said, "but I've been afraid to use much for fear that the habit might grow on me."

Mr. Scull was born and raised in Westmoreland county, near Irwin, part of the old homestead being still in possession of his brother, George R. Scull. He had his legal training in Pittsburgh, under Hon. John F. Beaver, who, in his day, was among the best legal talent of the country.

Many of the older residents of North Hindon township will be pleased to learn of the continued good health of his mother. The hope is entertained that this "Mother in Israel," who she truly is, may be spared to celebrate her centennial.

Wears a Bigger Coat. Altoona Times. The Johnstown DEMOCRAT under its present judicious and careful management has enlarged its size and is giving every evidence of prosperity. We know no inter-state journal more deserving, and we not only congratulate the DEMOCRAT on its growth and success, but we heartily wish that the solid coin may roll into Brother Woodruff's coffers until he can't rest. With his usual nerve and energy, and despite the calamities of the flood, he has steadily forged to the front, giving Cambria county readers honest, intelligent doctrine, and always standing by principles of integrity, manhood and honor. Here's good luck neighbor.

Banker Dittman's has been found on the bank of the Schuylkill and his friends are more than ever convinced that his body is at the bottom of the river, in spite of the fact that the stream has been dragged.

MARRIED.

ENGLE-MILLER.—At the residence of Rev. W. H. Mingle, No. 666 Horner street, December 19, 1889, Mr. Daniel Engle, of Marietta, Pa., and Miss Bella Miller, of Johnstown.

WILLIAMS.—In the Presbyterian Church, on Wednesday morning, December 18, 1889, by Rev. D. J. Beale, Mr. Russell T. Williams and Miss Sadie, daughter of Mr. Eben James, of Johnstown.

DEED. CARLHEW.—In Minersville, on Thursday evening, December 19, 1889, of typhoid fever, John L. Carlhaw, aged 23 years 9 months and 10 days.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock; interment in Grand View Cemetery.—On Tuesday evening, December 17, 1889, in the sixth ward, at 623 o'clock, Charles Curtis, son of Charles W. and Annie L. Brown, aged 6 weeks and 2 days.

WOLFORD.—At East Conemaugh, on Wednesday morning, December 18, 1889, Joseph Hale, of Coopersdale, aged 19 years.

WOLFORD.—At East Conemaugh, on Wednesday morning, December 18, 1889, Oliver Norton, infant son of W. H. and Rachael Wolford.

WOLFORD.—At East Conemaugh, on Wednesday morning, December 18, 1889, Mary Jane Warfel, infant daughter of Robert and Mary Jane Warfel.

WOLFORD.—Near Hudson in Blackhawk county, Iowa, December 14, 1889, Emily O., wife of John C. Strayer, aged 44 years, 2 months, and 11 days.

WOLFORD.—Suddenly at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, Bertha A., daughter of Dr. Horace H. and Annie N. Kistler, aged 2 years and 6 months.

WOLFORD.—The funeral will take place from the family residence, on Adam street, at 2 o'clock this forenoon; interment in Grand View.

WOLFORD.—Is here where you are? Is the remark heard every five minutes in the day as one by one old friends and patrons greet us at our door, "How do you get on in this town?" The flood certainly did not discourage the Economy—for your place looks better than ever—what a neat clean and bright store you have—how is clothing? Well we are selling our goods cheaper than ever, we have not the largest stock in the world yet our stock is of the choicest in the market, and we are willing to sell close. Will you do us a favor? We have just now an elegant fine overcoat at \$8, \$10, \$12 and \$15 for superior to any ever shown for the money. Boys and children's overcoats for \$1.00 and upwards. Our invitation for both boys and girls. Clothing can be easily bought for after looking over our stock. We are now complete at our New Store, No. 302 Main street.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE. Valuable Real Estate. By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, the undersigned, Administrator of JOHN KANE, late of Johnstown, deceased, will expose to sale at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises, on

Saturday, Jan. 11, 1890, at 2 O'CLOCK P. M. The following LOTS or PIECES OF GROUND, situated in the TOWNSHIP OF UPPER YODER, Cambria county, Pa., and described as follows:

No. 1. Fronting fifty feet on the Johnstown & Pensacola Pike, running back 120 feet, having lot of John P. Hayes on the one side, and is known as lot No. 4 on plan of lots laid out by Sarah Melander.

No. 2. Fronting fifty feet on pike, running back 120 feet to an alley, having lot of William Frey on the one side, and is known as lot No. 5 on plan of lots laid out by Sarah Melander.

No. 3. Beginning at the corner of an alley and a street, thence along said alley north 70 degrees east 120 feet to an alley, thence along said alley north 90 degrees west 100 feet to a street running at right angles with the pike, thence along said street south 70 degrees west 120 feet to corner of said street, thence along said street south 20 degrees east 100 feet to the place of beginning, and known on same plot as lots Nos. 9 and 10.

There is erected on part of said premises a new and convenient dwelling house. The property will be sold separate or as a whole.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of bid when confirmed is paid, the balance of one-third on confirmation of sale, the balance in two equal installments, at six and twelve months respectively, to be secured by notes or mortgages of the purchaser, at the option of the Administrator.

JOSEPH KUNTZ, Administrator.

Assignee's Sale OF REAL ESTATE. By virtue of an order issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, the undersigned, Assignee of DAVID TEETER, will expose to sale, on the premises, on

Tuesday, January 14, 1890, at 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

All that certain LOT OF GROUND situated in the borough of Conemaugh, Cambria county, Pa., fronting on the Frankstown road and running back 50 an alley, having lot of Cambria Iron Company on the west, and having thereon erected a TWO-STORY PLANK HOUSE. Also,

AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M. A TRACT OF LAND situated in the Village of Morellville, Lower Yoder township, Cambria county, Pa., fronting one hundred and fifty-four (154) feet on Fairfield avenue, and running back one hundred and fifty-one (151) feet to an alley, having Elk street on the one side, and an alley on the other side. This property will be offered as a whole or sub-divided in parts. And on

Wednesday, January 15, 1890, at 10 O'CLOCK A. M. A LOT OF GROUND situated in West Taylor township, Cambria county, Pa., having a front of twenty (20) feet on the public road leading to Rossdale, running back one hundred and forty-six (146) feet to a post. Reserving to Cambria Iron Company all the iron ore, coal, and other minerals in said lot.

Also, ALL THE INTEREST OF David Teeter in the PLANKING ACADEMY, on which Two Hundred Dollars are yet due and unpaid. Cambria county, Pa., said interest being the one-third; and some PERSONAL PROPERTY. Also,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M. A TRACT OF LAND situated in the borough of Coopersdale, Cambria county, Pa., fronting three hundred (300) feet, more or less, on Walnut street, running back more or less, on Walnut street, running back one hundred (100) feet to an alley; and TWO LOTS, each fronting sixty (60) feet on Church street, and running back one hundred and fifty-five (155) feet to a ten-foot alley. These lots will be offered as a whole or sub-divided in parts.

Also, FOUR SHARES OF STOCK IN THE COOPERSDALE ACADEMY, on which Two Hundred Dollars are yet due and unpaid. TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money when the property is sold, the balance of one-third at confirmation of sale, and balance in two equal payments at six and twelve months respectively, with interest, to be secured by notes or mortgages, at the option of Assignee.

JOSEPH KUNTZ, Assignee.

Johnstown, December 18, 1889.

In the Philadelphia Methodist Conference there are 256 preachers, 165 of whom have to live on salaries ranging from \$250 to \$1,000 per annum. And yet there are congregations who expect all the carnal virtues for \$5 a week.

ST. JACOBS OIL. BALL. ALL OUTLET COMPLETE WITHOUT IT. Sprains, Strains, Bruises, Wounds.

For Cure of SPRAINS & STRAINS USE St. Jacobs Oil. Cures PROMPTLY AND PERMANENTLY WITHOUT RETURN OF PAIN.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. ESTATE OF DAVID CREED, DECEASED.—Letters of administration on the estate of DAVID CREED, late of Johnstown, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to EDWARD F. CREED, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of Thomas Walsh, late of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to James B. O'Connor, to whom all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make them the same without delay to the undersigned.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. ESTATE OF DAVID EDWARDS, DECEASED.—Letters of Administration on the estate of David Edwards, late of Johnstown, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to HARRIE EDWARDS, Administrator.

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Orphan's Court Sale. BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER ISSUED OUT of the Orphan's Court of Cambria county and to be directed, I will expose to public sale or outcry, on

SATURDAY JAN. 4, 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises following described property, to wit: All that lot or piece of ground situated in Prospect borough, having front of forty feet on Center street and running back same width one hundred (100), to a thirty-foot street, having lot No. 6 on easterly side, and lot No. 7 on westerly side, and known as lot No. 7, in the McCabe plan of Lower Prospect.

Terms of sale Twenty-five per cent. on day of sale and balance on confirmation of said sale. Administrator cum testamento annexo de bonis non, of the estate of Thomas Steacie, deceased.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.—Margaret Miller, by her next friend, Frank Sully, vs. Frederick Miller, No. 2, December Term A. D. 1889. Libert in Divorce.

And now to wit, the Second day of December A. D. 1889, on motion of M. B. Stephens, Esq., Ed. T. McNeel's is appointed Commissioner to take testimony in above case, and to certify the same in the Record of said Court, certified the second day of December A. D. 1889.

In Pursuance of said order, notice is hereby given that I will sit for the purpose of taking testimony in above case, at my office in Room No. 7, Anna Hall, Johnstown, Pa., on Tuesday the seventh day of January A. D. 1890, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all parties interested may appear, they serving as counsel.

FURNITURE Medium & Fine Upholstering, All of the best make. 180 VANDERBILT FEDERAL ST.; Bed Room, Parlor and Dining Room Sets.

Gloves and Corsets. A Specialty. First Floor, LADIES AND CHILDREN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT. 31 Sixth Street, PITTSBURGH, PENNA.

ESTRAY.—Came to the premises about the 1st of July, a dark-colored cow, about four years old. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay charges, and take her away, or she will be disposed of according to law. PHILIP SKELLEY.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE. THERE WILL BE EXPOSED BY PUBLIC OUTRY at the Mansion House, on Broad street, in the Third ward, of Johnstown borough, on

MONDAY, JANUARY, 20, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M. the following described real estate to wit: One half lot in the borough of Cambria, Cambria county, fronting 100 feet on Walnut street and extending back a distance of 100 feet to an alley, bounded by lot of Daniel Engle, on the east, and lot of Mrs. J. H. Whitton, on the west. The above described lot or parcel of land being the property of THOMAS WALSH, late of said Cambria county, deceased, and will be sold in pursuance of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Cambria county, directing the undersigned to sell the same for payment of debts of said decedent. T. W. WALSH, Administrator of Thos. Walsh, deceased.