

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 East Mail East. At 5.25 P. M., connecting with Pitts. & E. Ex. East and Mail Train West.

LEAVE CRESSON.—At 11.37 A. M., or on departure of Harr. Accommodation East. At 8.40 P. M., or on departure of Mail Train West.

DAMPHOOLS AND RAILROADS.—The question above all other questions that used to agitate the public mind was, "Have we a Bourbon among us?" Latterly, this has given way to another inquiry, of like magnitude and importance—"Have we a Damphool among us?"

We think we have a Damphool among us; and, not to be tedious about it, we offer as the grounds whereon we base this belief a "squib" which appeared in last week's issue of the Dem. & Sent.

"THE BRANCH RAILROAD.—This Branch Road comes into town on some Saturday evenings, and then leaves us and we don't hear of its arrival again for some time."

"The Branch Road" means the Ebensburg & Cresson Branch Railroad; and when this Road "comes into town," it comes into Ebensburg. The members of the E. & C. R.R. Company will be glad to hear that their Road is possessed of the power of picking itself up and transporting itself, at will, into and out of a town.

For, should it ever become a non-paying institution,—which the Fates forbid!—it will be gratifying to know that, through the exercise of this power, the Road, in and of itself, will ultimately be able to make both ends meet.

—It was kept open these other winters past without much difficulty,— More snow has fallen the present winter, accompanied by severer storms of wind, than during the entire period of existence of the Road:

—"and was getting along very well, but like every other small institution in our midst, it had to be made a political machine of.— Like the County Superintendency, for instance, and the Stewardship of the Poor House:

—"Had the Republican party let the Road alone, and went in for the benefit of the community and themselves, we would have the Road in full operation this winter as well as heretofore.—

This is a bold charge, to the effect that the Clerk of the Weather is a Republican, and has blocked up the Road at the instigation of his "party." Or does it mean that he is a Democrat, and has visited this affliction upon us as a rebuke for mismanagement with regard to the Road?

—"No Democrat interfered with the running of the Road.— Ah! Then this settles it: the Weather Clerk is a Republican. As accredited mouth-piece of the Republican party, we hereby repudiate that personage. We disown him: We take him by the nape of the neck and the straps of his boots, and unceremoniously kick him out into the cold. The Republican party cannot at this late day afford to falsify its record, and become identified with an attempt to place an embargo upon any industrial interest:

—"by trumping up charges against employees on the Road, and having them dismissed because they did not come up to their political standard.— The key to this is that an employee of the Road, doubtless for good and sufficient reasons, was lately relieved from duty, and another, of the same political belief, placed in his stead.

—"Now, when the Road is stopped for the time being, we trust the Republican party of this town are gratified."

Very much gratified, we assure you! If the Road had not been "stopped," it is possible the question whether we have a Damphool among us might never have been fully determined. Now it is settled—we know we have a Damphool among us, and we further know he is at present editing the Dem. & Sent. Very much gratified, indeed!

DISCHARGED FROM ARREST.—The finding of the court-martial in the case of Capt. D. W. Fox, Co. A, 55th Pa. Vols., charged with defrauding his men out of large sums of bounty money, has been made public. He is honorably discharged from arrest, and returned to his command. Capt. F. is a Cambria county man, and his friends will be glad to hear that his skirts are thus cleared of the charges preferred against him.

—See advertisement of "Roberts Oil Company" elsewhere.

CAMBRIA COUNTY AND THE DRAFT.—

We published last week the quotas of the several sub-districts of Cambria county under the draft, but lest some of our readers may not have noticed them, we herewith reproduce the figures:

Table with 2 columns: District Name and Quota. Includes Allegheny, Loreto, Carrolltown, Susquehanna, Chest, Clearfield, White, Washington, Munster, Croyle, Summerhill, Wilmore, Richland, Taylor, Conemaugh tp., Yoder, Johnstown, Conemaugh bor., Millville, Cambria tp., Blacklick, Jackson, Ebensburg, Gallitzin.

Total number to be drafted.....405 With regard to Ebensburg, we believe the quota to be excessive.

Under the call of last July, for 500,000 men, our quota was set down at 22. These men were put into the service; after which it was discovered our quota ought to have been only 16. A credit was thus allowed us of 6 men on future calls.

Our real quota on the 500,000 call was therefore 16. Now, for only 300,000 men, our quota, after deducting the foregoing credit, is given as 16. We may add that our enrollment list is now twenty-five per cent. less than it was last July.

How it is possible for our quota to be heavier under a call for 300,000 men than it was under a call for 500,000 men, we cannot see. Provost Marshal General Fry sees it, however. He is ingenious in figures—a perfect mathematical magician.— He is probably equal to the task of proving that two and two make five.

The late call was made to fill deficiencies under the call of last July. Ebensburg had no deficiency under that call, and therefore ought not now to be drafted.

ETCHINGS.—Mr. Joseph Parks, engineer of the locomotive which blew up at Wilmore a week or so since, was so badly injured by the explosion that he died shortly afterward. He resided at Conemaugh, this county, and leaves a large family.—The immortal J. N. Free, having undergone a short voluntary incarceration in the Franklin county, Ohio, jail, and thereby assumed all the "pressure," is again adrift on the world. He proposes visiting this State shortly, to elucidate the knotty War-Peace problem.—On last Sunday week, four boys went into a coal-mine in the neighborhood of Johnstown, and set fire to a keg of powder! The result was, that one of the boys was instantly killed, another will die of his injuries, and the other two were badly hurt.—The Exchange Hotel in Hollidaysburg was burned to the ground on the morning of the 2d inst. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary. There was no insurance on either house or furniture, and the loss of the landlord, Mr. Aultz, will be about \$10,000. The hotel was filled with guests at the time of the occurrence, most of whom also sustained considerable loss in money and clothing.—The quota of Blair county under the draft is 451; that of Huntingdon, 459; that of Mifflin, 289; that of Cambria, 405. Total quota of the district, 1,604.—It is reported that the borough of Carrolltown, this county, has put in its quota under the draft.

A RASCAL.—A fellow calling himself William H. Roland, supposed to be from Massillon, O., arrived in Johnstown some time last October, and, after a short courtship, married Miss Louise Stremel, daughter of a shoemaker of that neighborhood. He remained with his new-made wife a couple of weeks, and then went to Tyrone, ostensibly on business, since which time nothing has been heard of him. Mr. William H. Roland is evidently a gay deceiver, and has no intention of ever returning to gladden the heart of her whom he promised to cherish and protect. It is to be hoped the hand of the law may be laid heavily upon him.

QUIT AND IN.—John Dean, Esq., of Hollidaysburg, Assessor of Internal Revenue for this district, has been removed from that position, and J. Sewell Stewart, Esq., of Huntingdon, appointed in his stead.

THE PLACE.—If you want to buy winter goods, of any description, go to J. M. Thompson's, P. O. building, Ebensburg. He keeps the largest and best assortment in town, for sale at prices which will admit of no cavil.

CONVENTION OF PUBLISHERS.—A

meeting of the publishers of newspapers in this State was held at Harrisburg, on last Thursday. Col. W. W. H. Davis, of the Doylestown Democrat, was called to the chair, and B. Y. Hamsher, of the Cambria Valley Spirit, was appointed Secretary. There was a good representation present.

After a call of the representatives present, on motion, a committee of seven was appointed to draft a series of resolutions expressive of the sense of the convention upon the repeal of the duty upon printing paper.

The committee submitted the following, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, At the commencement of the war the price of printing paper was from 7 1/2 to 9 cents per pound: And whereas, The same quality of paper cannot now be purchased for less than 27 cents per pound, being an increase of 200 per cent., notwithstanding the price of the raw material used in the manufacture of paper has not increased more than 50 per cent.: And whereas, The high price of printing paper, and the enhanced value of everything consumed by printers, have operated to raise the price of books and newspapers in such a degree that a large portion of the reading community can no longer afford to buy the former or subscribe for the latter, and have in many cases caused the suspension of the publication of newspapers, thus placing a serious obstacle in the way of the dissemination of wholesome reading and striking at the very foundation of our republican system, the intelligence of the masses; therefore, Resolved, That we earnestly recommend to our Senators and Representatives in Congress, the repeal of the duty on printing paper.

Resolved, That we condemn the conduct of such book and newspaper publishers as are engaged in the manufacture of paper and are now endeavoring to prevent the repeal of the duty on paper, in order to hinder competition with their own circulation. Resolved, That we hereby pledge ourselves to oppose the re-election of every Senator and Representative in Congress who unites with the monopoly of the paper manufacturers, in preventing the passage of the bill for the repeal of the duty on printing paper. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State.

On motion, the convention then adjourned.

THE SNOW BLOCKADE.—As we went to press last week, we mentioned that the snow here was three feet deep on the level. This quantity has since been augmented, till it is now fully four feet deep. All last week, the winds remained out on a holiday, and innumerable monuments in the shape of monstrous snow-drifts attest the fact that they improved to the extent of their abilities the time allotted them. All the roads in this bailiwick, excepting the "pike" to Cresson, were hermetically sealed for days. No Northern mail went out nor came in for a period of over one week. The Eb. & Cresson Branch continues shut up. A gang of workmen are now engaged shoveling it out, however, and speedy resumption of communication "by rail" may be confidently looked for.

Till then, passengers and the mails will go to Cresson and return on runners. This is decidedly the deepest snow and the severest winter we have had since '55-6. When old Hyems comes to abdicate his scepter in the Spring in favor of the Goddess of Flowers, there will be the rushing of many waters from the mountains. In other words, when the snow goes off, there will be a "flood." The people of Johnstown and the valleys thro' which the torrent must pass should be warned in time, and look up their life preservers.

QUICK SALES, QUICK SALES, QUICK SALES, AND AND AND SMALL PROFITS! SMALL PROFITS! SMALL PROFITS! BARKER'S CHEAP STORE! BARKER'S CHEAP STORE! BARKER'S CHEAP STORE! THE LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS, THE LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS, THE LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS, THE BEST SELECTED, THE BEST SELECTED, THE BEST SELECTED, EVER BROUGHT TO TOWN! EVER BROUGHT TO TOWN! EVER BROUGHT TO TOWN!

LARGEST! CHEAPEST! BEST! LARGEST! CHEAPEST! BEST! LARGEST! CHEAPEST! BEST! GO AND SEE! GO AND SEE! GO AND SEE! BARKER'S, EBENSBURG, PA. BARKER'S, EBENSBURG, PA. BARKER'S, EBENSBURG, PA.

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BLOOD-SEARCHER!

For the cure of all diseases arising from an impure state of the blood, such as Scrofula, Cancerous formations, Cutaneous diseases, Erysipelas, Boils, Pimples on the face, Sore Eyes, Scald Head, Tetter affections, Old and stubborn ulcers, Rheumatic disorders, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Mercurial diseases, General Debility, Liver Complaint, Loss of Appetite, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach, Female Complaints, Together with all other disorders from an impure condition of the circulatory system.

As a general Tonic, its effects are most benignant, and it cannot fail to benefit where used perseveringly, and according to directions.

PREPARED AND SOLD BY R. E. SELLERS & CO., PITTSBURGH, PA.

JOHNSON'S RHEUMATIC COMPOUND AND BLOOD PURIFIER!

This great internal remedy is the best medicine ever offered to the public for the effectual cure of Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, and as a Blood Purifier, it has no equal for all diseases arising from an impure state of the blood, such as Scrofula or King's Evil, Scald Head, Tetter, Ring Worm, Female complaints, and all break-outs on the face or body. The vast number of rub-on medicines which formerly have been used for these diseases were merely temporary in their effects, and of doubtful virtue, but the RHEUMATIC COMPOUND reaches the source of all trouble, and effectually banishes the disease from the system by its immediate action on the blood. We advise one and all to give it a trial, and become satisfied of its wonderful power.

PREPARED BY K. E. SELLERS & CO., Sole Proprietors, Corner Wood and Second sts., PITTSBURGH, PA.

To whom all orders must be addressed. Price, One Dollar per bottle, or six bottles for Five Dollars. For sale, wholesale and retail, by druggists everywhere.

SELLERS' LIVER PILLS!

Read and judge for yourself. SILVER CREEK, Ohio Co., Virginia, March 20, 1849.

Mr. R. E. SELLERS—Dear Sir—I think it a duty I owe to you and the public generally to state that I have been afflicted with Liver Complaint for a long time, and so badly that an abscess formed and broke, which left me in a very low state. Having heard of your celebrated Liver Pills being for sale by A. R. Sharp, West Liberty, and recommended to me by my physician, Dr. F. Smith, I purchased one box, and found them just what they are recommended—the best Liver Pills ever used; and after taking four boxes, I find the disease has entirely left me, and am now perfectly well. Respectfully yours, D. H. COLEMAN.

PRICE 25 CENTS.

SELLERS' COUGH SYRUP!

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. Yours, A. G. CUSEING.

SELLERS' VERMIFUGE!

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 for several weeks. The eldest was seven years old, the next four, and the youngest eighteen months. The first 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. Truly, S. WAKEFIELD.

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HIGHLY IMPORTANT TO BLACKSMITHS.

Four-fifths of time and hard labor saved by using ISAAC C. SINGER'S NEW AND COMPLETE TIRE AND BAND BENDER.

Patented March 10, 1863. Its chief advantages are: 1st. Having strong gear wheels to obtain power, one man can operate it to bend cold wagon tire, any size under 1 by 4 inches.

2d. Having movable collars, to hold the bar square on the portable rollers, it takes all twist out of the bar, while bending in a regular circle. 3d. It can be shifted to bend to any desired circle, from one up to twelve feet, in one minute. 4th. Having a movable centre post, which can be quickly taken off, tires and bands are easily taken out. 5th. The upper ribbed roller will always draw the bar through. 6th. Being gauged and numbered, a card with directions accompanies it.

The Machine in good (all the journals) running order, bolted upon a strong piece of timber, without legs or crank, for \$25, or with legs and crank for \$30. All cash orders promptly attended to. State and County Rights for sale. ISAAC C. SINGER. Ebensburg, April 14, 1864-tf.

TAYLOR & CREMER, AT THE HUNTINGDON NURSERIES, HUNTINGDON, PA. Sell Fruit & Ornamental Trees, Vines &c. of better growth, larger size, and at lower prices than any of the Northern or Eastern Nurseries and warrant them true to name.

Standard Apple trees at 1 1/2 cents each—\$16 per 100. Peach trees, 15 to 20 cts each—\$12.50 to \$15 per 100. Standard Pear trees, 50 to 75 cts each. Dwarf Pear trees, 25 to 50 cts each—20 to \$6 per 100. Dwarf Apple trees, 50 to 75 cts each. Standard Cherry trees 37 1/2 to 75 cts. Dwarf Cherry trees 50 to 75 cts. Plum trees 50 cts. Apricot trees 40 to 50 cts. Nectarine trees 25 cts each. Grape Vines 25 cts to \$1. Silver Maple trees 62 1/2 to \$1. European Ash, 75 to 1. European Larch, 75 cts to 1.50. Norway Spruce, 50 cts to \$1. American Balsam Pine, 75 cts to \$1.50. American & Chinese Arbor Vite, 50 ct \$1.50. Strawberry Plants, \$1 per 100, &c. &c. Huntingdon, Jan. 25, 1860-tf.

PATRONIZE YOUR OWN! The Protection Mutual Fire Insurance Co., OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.

LOCATED AT EBENSBURG, PA. THE above named Company, organized April 6th, 1857, will effect insurances on property at safe rates. Being particularly careful in the risks taken, this Company presents a reliable and cheap medium, through which persons may secure themselves against probable losses by fire.

Office on Centre Street nearly opposite Thompson's "Mountain House." JOHN WILLIAMS, Pres't. D. J. JONES, Sec'y. & Treas.

Agents: EVAN ROBERTS, Johnstown. JAMES PURSE, " JNO E. ROBERTS, Ebensburg. Ebensburg, Aug. 25, 1859.

WOOD MORRELL & CO., JOHNSTOWN, PA. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF MECHANISMS.

Keep constantly on hand the following articles: DRY GOODS, HATS AND CAPS, CARPETINGS, OIL-CLOTHS, CLOTHING, BONNETS, NOTIONS, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, PROVISIONS, BOOTS & SHOES, FISH, SALT, GROCERIES, FLOUR, BACON, FEED OF ALL KINDS, VEGETABLES &c.

Clothing and Boots and Shoes made to order on reasonable terms. Johnstown March 1 1860-tf.

COAL! COAL! COAL! The subscriber is now carrying on the Colliery of Wm. Tiley, Sr., at Lilly Station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, Cambria county, and will be glad to fill all orders, to any amount, of citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity. Satisfaction as to quality of Coal guaranteed in all cases. WM. TILEY, Jr. April 28, 1864-6m

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.

NOTICE.—In the matter of the petition of Thomas D. Moore and William K. Piper, for the specific performance of the contract made between Richard Lewis, deceased, and George J. Rodgers, for the conveyance of the undivided one-half of a tract of land situate in Jackson (now Blacklick) township, Cambria county.

To the heirs and legal representatives of Richard Lewis, deceased, residing outside of the limits of Cambria county: Take notice, that you and every of you are commanded to be and appear at an Orphans' Court to be held at Ebensburg, in and for the county of Cambria, on the first MONDAY of MARCH next, to show cause, if any you have, why the said contract should not be proven and performance thereof decreed. JAMES MYERS, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, } January 26, 1865-3t }

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the estate of William Todd Sloan, late of Ebensburg borough, deceased, having been granted the underscriber by the Register of Cambria county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment of their respective accounts, and those having claims against it will present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. RACHEL A. SLOAN, Adm'r. Ebensburg, Jan'y. 12, 1865-6t

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—The notes and books of Edmund Miller, lately doing business in Munster, have been left with me for collection. This notice is given to apprise the parties indebted of the fact. All accounts remaining unpaid after the first of March next will be sued for. WM. KITTELL.

EBENSBURG, PENNA.

Post Office, EBENSBURG, June 2, 1864.