FARMER'S COLUMN.

Wheat Bran for Horses.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Under the above caption, you copy, on Dec. 16, an article from the "Spirit of the Times," which is full of errors. Bran is not "almost the dearest food a horse can live on even when his work does not demand more substantial food." On the contrary, it is one of the cheapest. I will not call it substantial until I know what meaning one the writer attaches to that word. It is of the most nutritious in its true sense. Given alone, copiously, in the form of a mash, it is laxative; but fed moderately on cut hay, it may, especially in winter, be given every day, morning and evening, to horses which do hard work, provided it is not fast work that is required of them. In performing fast work the animal requires more hydro-carbons for combustion in the lungs than bran affords. It is really too rich in nitrogen. I deny emphatically that it passes through the bowels with its nutritious portion undigested. Of the 33 per cent which the writer gives it of starch and albumen, so large a portion is gluten (which in vegetable substances is equivalent to casein and fibrin in animal food) that notwithstanding the large per-cent, of woody fibre, (54 per cent,) bran on analysis, valued as a tissue-builder, is 14 times as nutritious as fine wheaten flour; and of all subtances fed to animals, gluten is perhaps the easiest of digestion. The misapprehension arises no doubt, from the presence of the scales of the outer coat in the feces, being mistaken for the whole bran; and hence such phrases as "insoluble bran" applied to it, as if nothing but a gizzard could succeed in appropriating to the animal's sustenance the valuable nutriment which it contain. But when the writer in the "Spirit of the Times" asserts "that bran, weight for weight, is inferior to oat-straw as a food for horses," his absurdity goes beyond my reach. Ten years' experience in using bran, has confirmed for me the truth of the teachings of the microscope and of the laboratory.—*Cor. of Country Gentleman.*

Keeping Cattle in the Stable.

One of our neighbors, however cold or stormy the weather, turns his cows out of the stables, and into a large meadow with a stream on the furthermost side, each winter day, at about nine o'clock, where they generally remain till four in the afternoon, when they are put up for the night.

His theory is that they want air and exercise. They get air, but rarely take the latter, for after finding their way back from the brook, the remainder of the day is generally spent with their tails turned toward the only shelter in the lot, and that is a wall, on its northernmost side, about four feet high.

We believe that the loss in consequence of failing to shelter stock is an annual tax on the farmers of this country amounting to millions of dollars. It requires more food, and what they eat fails to benefit their pinched and chilled and shrunken bodies as much as it does those animals that are kept constantly or nearly so in a warm stable.

Our plan for years has been to give them say two hours out in mild winter days, but when it is cold and windy never more than one, and if it storms, only time to drink—a half hour at the most. This for the winter months. When the milder March comes, and the cows are heavy with calf, we give them the range of an acre lot, well protected on its northern side, which furnishes them considerable shelter.

Our stables are well ventilated, and always well littered, and if we can gather any thing from the desire of the cows to get back to their quarters after drinking, they are perfectly satisfied with the confinement. Certain it is that our cows have come out in better condition in the spring since this practice was adopted, than ever before, and the cost of keeping has been estimated from five to ten per cent less.

The Use of Straw.

That straw, as a winter feed for all kinds of stock except hogs, will save much grain, none will deny who have given it to their animals. But we do not propose to speak of it as *animal* food, but as food and protection to trees, vines, plants, bushes, etc. I never permit, (as many farmers do) my straw to go to waste. What is not needed for stock I apply over the ground in my orchards and gardens. Over the orchard I spread it broadcast, four to six inches deep, about the middle of December, or a little earlier if the winter weather sets in soon. Over my strawberry beds I put it one to two inches thick. Over my raspberries I put it on the ground about three or four inches deep. The same around currants and gooseberries, allowing a considerable quantity of it to hang in the branches, which I place on the ground around the bushes early in April. In this way the plants are kept warm in winter, and moist and cool around the roots during bearing season. By the time the fruit is gathered the straw is sufficiently rotted to be spaded or forked in. Meantime, this straw mulching keeps down weeds and grass, much labor is saved, and more and better fruit produced.

A few wagonloads are enough to use on a large garden and orchard. If the straw is in a half rotted state, all the better; and to obtain this, it is well to have an old stack or pile laying out exposed to the weather, which may be scattered or turned over several times during the year, which greatly facilitates the rotting.—*Correspondent Prairie Farmer.*

Don't Whip A Frightened Horse.

Never whip your horse for becoming frightened at any object by the roadside; for if he sees a stump, a log, or a heap of tan bark in the road, and while he is eyeing it carefully and about to pass it, your strike him with the whip it is the log, or the stump or the tan bark, that is hurting him, in his way of reasoning, and of course he will act more frightened. Give him time to examine and smell of all these objects, and use the war bridle to assist you in bringing him carefully to these objects of fear. Bring all objects, if possible, to his nose, and let him smell of them and then you can commence to accustom him to them.

Broom Corn was introduced into our country by Dr. Franklin. While examining a corn whisk, (imported) he accidentally discovered a single seed, which he planted in his garden, and from which the corn was propagated.

THE YOUNG FOLKS.

A Profitable Trade in Riddles-Translated from an Old German Paper.

Nine persons sailed from Balse down the Rhine. A Jew who wished to go to Schalampi, was allowed to come on board and journey with them, upon condition that he would conduct himself with propriety and give the captain eighteen kreutzers for his passage.

Now, it is true something jingled in the Jew's pocket when he had struck his hand against it; but the only money there, was a twelve kreutzer piece, for the other was a brass button. Notwithstanding this, he accepted the offer with gratitude. For he thought to himself—"something may be earned even upon the water. There is many a man who has grown rich upon the Rhine."

During the first part of the voyage the passengers were very talkative and merry, and the Jew with his wallet under his arm, for he did not lay it aside, was an object of much mirth and mockery as alas! is often the case with those of his nation. But as the vessel sailed onward, and passed Thurengen and Saint Velt, the passengers one after another grew silent, and gaped, and gazed listlessly down the river until one cried—

"Come, Jew! Do you know any pastime that will amuse us? Your fathers must have contrived many a one during their long journey in the wilderness."

"Now is the time," thought the Jew, "to shear my sheep!" And he proposed that they should sit round in a circle, and propound various curious questions to each other, and he with their permission would sit with them. Those who could not answer the questions should pay the one who propounded them a twelve kreutzer piece, and those who answered them pertinently should received a twelve kreutzer piece. This proposal pleased the company, and hoping to divert themselves with the Jew's wit or stupidity, each one asked, at random, whatever chanced to enter his head.

Thus, for example, the first asked: "How many soft boiled eggs could the giant Goliath eat on an emptystomach?"

All said that it was impossible to answer that question, and each paid his twelve kreutzers.

But the Jew said—"One; for he who has eaten one egg, cannot put a second upon an empty stomach," and the other paid him twelve kreutzers.

The second thought—"Wait, Jew, I will try you out of the New Testament, and think I shall win my piece! Why did the Apostle Paul write the second epistle to the Corinthians?"

The Jew said—"Because he was not in Corinth—otherwise he would have spoken to them." So he won another twelve kreutzer piece.

When the third saw that the Jew was so well versed in the Bible, he tried him in a different way. "Who prolongs his work to as great a length as possible, and completes it in time?"

"The ropemaker, if he is industrious," said the Jew.

In the meantime they drew near to a village, and one said to the other—"That is Bamlach." Then the fourth asked—"In what month do the people in Bamlach eat the least?"

The Jew said, "In February, for it has only 28 days."

The fifth said, "There are two natural brothers, and still only one of them is my uncle."

The Jew said, "The uncle is your father's brother, and your father is not your uncle."

A fish now leaped out of the water, and the sixth asked, "what fish have their eyes nearest together?"

The Jew said, "The smallest."

The seventh asked, "How can a man ride from Basle to Berne in the shade, in the summer time, when the sun shines?"

The Jew said, "when he comes to a place where there is no shade, he must dismount and go on foot."

The eighth asked, "When a man rides in the winter time from Bern to Basle, and has forgotten his gloves, how must he manage so that his hands shall not freeze?"

The Jew said, "He must make fists out of them."

The ninth was the last. This one asked, "How can five persons divide five eggs, so that each man shall receive one, and still one remain in the dish?"

The Jew said—"The last man must take the dish with the egg, and he can let it lie there as long as he pleases."

But now it came to his turn, and he determined to make a good sweep.—After many preliminary compliments, he asked with an air of mischievous friendliness—"How can a man fry two trouts in three pans, so that a trout may lie in each pan?"

No one could answer this, and one after the other gave him a twelve kreutzer piece.

But when the ninth desired that he should solve the riddle, he rocked to and fro, shrugged his shoulders and rolled his eyes, "I am a poor Jew," he said at last.

The rest cried—"What has that to do with it? Give us the answer."

"You must not take it amiss, for I am a poor Jew."

At last, after much persuasion and many promises that they would do to him no harm, he thrust his hand into his pocket, took out one of the twelve kreutzer pieces, that he had won, laid it upon the table, and said—"I do not know the answer any more than you. Here are my twelve kreutzers."

When the others heard these words, they opened their eyes, and said that this was scarcely according to the agreement. But as they could not control their laughter, and were wealthy and good-natured men, and as the Jew had helped them to while away the time from Saint Veit to Schalampi, they let it pass; and the Jew took with him from the vessel—let a good arithmetician reckon up for me how much the Jew carried home with him. He had a twelve kreutzer piece and a brass button when he came on board. He won nine twelve kreutzer pieces by his answers, nine with his own riddle, one he paid back, and eighteen kreutzers he gave to the captain.

A LADY who had boasted highly at a dinner party of the good manners of her little darling, addressing him thus: "Charlie, my dear won't you have some beans?" "No," was the ill-mannered reply of the petulant cherub. "No!" exclaimed the astonished mother. "No what?" "No beans," said the child.

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Apr. 2, '69-1f

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JACOB METZ.

Bloomsburg, April 26, 1867.

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SHARPLESS & HARMAN,

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STOVES & PLOWS WHOLESALE & RETAIL

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Castings and Fire Brick for repairing city Stoves. All kinds of Brass or Iron casting made to order upon short notice.

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Mar. 19, '69-tf.

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The undersigned desires to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has rebuilt and enlarged his Foundry and Machine Shop, and removed all his business from Light Street to the above named place, where in connection with his Foundry he will continue to manufacture Wheeler's Railway Chain Horse-Power and Thresher, (improved), Carnell's Patent.

THRESHER AND CLEANER,

either overshot for Tread-Power or undershot with Lever-Power. He also manufactures to order and fits up all kinds of

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Thankful to his friends and patrons for past favors he would still continue to solicit the same.

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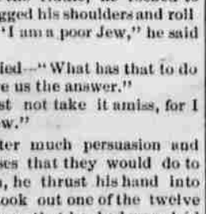

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Bloomsburg, Jan. 21, '68-tf

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at the old stand on Main Street, Bloomsburg, a few doors above the Court House. His stock is composed of the very latest and best styles ever offered to the citizens of Columbia County. He can accommodate the public with the following goods at the lowest rates. Men's heavy double soled stogs boots, men's double and single tap soled kip boots, men's heavy stogs shoes of all kinds, men's fine boots and shoes of all grades, boy's double soled boots and shoes of all kinds, men's glove kid Balmoral shoes, men's, women's, boys's and misses' lasting gaiters, women's glove kid Polish very fine, women's morocco Balmorals and calf shoes, women's very fine kid buttoned gaiters. In short boots of all descriptions both pegged and sewed.

He would also call attention to his fine assortment of

HATS, CAPS, FURS AND NOTIONS.

which comprises all the new and popular varieties at prices which cannot fail to suit all. These goods are offered at the lowest cash rates and will be guaranteed to give satisfaction. A call is solicited before purchasing elsewhere as it is believed that better bargains are to be found than at any other place in the county.

Dec. 5'67

Drugs and Chemicals.

PHŒNIX PECTORAL CURES COUGH!
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It has cured cases of the most painful and distressing cough, of years standing.

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Many physicians recommend it, and others use it themselves and administer it in their practice while others oppose it because it takes away their business.

We recommend it to our readers and for further particulars, would refer you to the circular around the bottle where you will find numerous certificates given by persons who have used it.

It is so pleasant to the taste that children cry for it.

It is a stimulating expectorant, giving strength at the same time that it allays the cough.

The proprietor of this medicine has so much confidence in its curative powers from the testimony of thousands who have used it that the money will be refunded to any purchaser who is not satisfied with the effects.

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dec. 10, '69-6m,

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Coal Oil Lamps and Lanterns, Lamp Shades and Fixtures generally, for repairing the worn, Coloring and Dyeing material furnished to suit, any quantity, and for any Shade or Color.

Particular attention paid to putting up Physicians' and Family Prescriptions. Thankful for past favours, he would solicit a continuance of the same. Remember the New Stand, on Main Street, west side, below Market.

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To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis etc. The object of the advertiser, in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, will please address

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Bloomsburg, Feb. 2, 1870-tf.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF VALENTINE CHRISTIAN DEC'D.

Letters of administration on the estate of V. Christian late of Madison twp., Columbia Co. deceased, have been granted by the Register of Columbia county to Franklin Christian of Madison township. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent are requested to make them known, and those indebted to make payment.

FRANKLIN CHRISTIAN

feb4'70-6w. Administrator.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF GEO. KELLER, DEC'D.

Letters testamentary on the estate of George Keller, late of Fishingcreek township Columbia county dec'd, have been granted by the Register of said county to Susan Keller of Fishingcreek, Columbia county, Pa. All perso s having claims against the estate are requested to present them to the Executrix in Columbia county. Those indebted to the estate either on note, judgment, mortgage or book account will make payment to the Executrix without delay.

SUSAN KELLER,

feb4'70-6w. Executrix.

TO THE WORKING CLASS.—We are now prepared to furnish all classes with constant employment at home, the whole of the time or for the spare moments. Business new, pay for and profitable. Persons of either sex easily earn from 50c. to $5 per evening, and a proportional sum by devoting their whole time to the business. Boys and girls earn nearly as much as men. That all who see this notice may send their address, and test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To such as are not well satisfied, we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing. Full particulars, a valuable sample, which will do to commence work on and a copy of *The People's Literary Companion*—one of the largest and best family newspapers published—all sent free by mail. Reader if you want permanent, profitable work, address E. C. ALLEN & CO., Augusta, Maine.

Jan. 21'70-3m

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On and after Jan. 17, 1870, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

	Going North. Arrive	Arrive	Going South. Leave	Leave
	p. m.	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
Scranton	8.45	11.00	4.00	7.20
			Leave	
Pittston	8.14	10.30	4.32	7.50
Kingston	7.50	10.03	5.00	8.20
Plymouth	7.38	9.48	5.10	8.36
Shickshinny	7.26	9.09	6.10	9.09
Berwick	6.05	8.39	6.50	9.42
Bloom	5.28	7.53	7.30	10.17
Danville	4.50	7.13	8.10	10.55
	Leave	Leave	Arrive	Arrive
North'd	4.12	6.40	8.45	11.35

Connection made at Scranton by the 10.40 a.m. train for Great Bend, Binghamton, Albany and all points North, East and West.

D. T. BOUND, Sup't.

CATAWISSA RAILROAD—On and after MONDAY, Sep. 6, 1869, Passenger trains on the Catawissa Railroad will run at the following named hours:

Mail South.	STATIONS.	*Mail North*
Dep. 8.45 a.m	Williamsport,	Arr. 6.00 p. m.
" 9.15 "	Muncy,	Dep. 5.28 "
" 9.47 "	Watsontown,	" 4.57 "
" 10.05 "	Milton,	" 4.40 "
" 10.45 "	Danville,	" 4.00 "
" 11.05 "	Rupert,	" 3.40 "
" 11.17 "	Catawissa,	" 3.32 "
" 12.22 p.m.	Ringtown,	" 2.35 "
" 12.58 "	Summit,	" 1.50 "
" 1.08 "	Quakake,	" 1.40 "
" 1.20 "	E. Mahony June.	" 1.30 "
" 2.15 "	Dine, Tamaqua, Dine.	" 1.10 "
" 4.25 "	Reading,	" 10.40 a.m.
Arr. 6.45 "	Philadelphia,	" 8.15 "
" 9.25 "	To New York via. Reading or Mauch Chunk. From New York via. Mauch Chunk.	6.55 "

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1869.

Great Trunk Line from the North and North-West for Philadelphia, New York, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Ashland, Shamokin Lebanon Allentown, Easton, Ephrata, Litiz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.,

Trains leave Harrisburg for New York, as follows: At 5.35, and 8.10 a. m., 12.20 noon and 2.35 p. m., connecting with similar trains on Penna. Railroad, and arriving at New York at 12.15, noon, 5.40, 9.30 and 10.00 p. m. respectively. Sleeping cars accompany the 5.35 a. m., and 12.20 noon trains without change.

Returning: Leave New York at 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon and 5.00 p. m. Philadelphia at 8.15 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. Sleeping cars accompany the 9.00 a. m., and 5.00 p.m., trains from N. Y. Without change.

Leave Harrisburg for Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Minersville, Ashland, Shamokin Pine Grove, Allentown & Phila'd. at 8.10 a.m., & 2.05 & 4.10 p.m., stopping at Lebanon and principal way stations; the 4.10pm. train connecting for Phil'a Pottsville and Columbia only. For Pottsville Schuylkill Haven and Auburn, via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, leave Harrisburg at 4.40 p.m.

Way Passenger Train leaves Philadelphia at 7.30 a.m., connecting with similar train on East Pa. railroad returning from Reading at 6.35p. m. stopping at all stations.

Leave Pottsville at 5.30and 9.00 a.m.,and 2.45 p.m. Herndon at 9.30 a. m., Shamokin at 5.40 and 10.40 a. m., Ashland at 7.05 a.m. and 12.30 noon Tamaqua at 8.55 a. m., and 2.30 p. m.for Philadelphia and New York.

Leave Pottsville via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad at 8.45 a.m. for Harrisburg, and 11.30 a. m., for Pine Grove and Tremont,

Reading Accommodation Train leaves Pottsville at 5.40 a. m., passes Reading at 7.30 a. m., arriving at Philadelphia at 10.20 a. m. Returning, leaves Philadelphia at 4.45 p. m., passing Reading at 7.40 p.m., arriving at Pottsville at 9.30 p.m.

Pottstown Accommodation leaves Norristown Pottstown at 6.45 a.m., returning, leaves Philadelphia at 4.00 p.m.

Columbia Railroad Trains leave Reading at 7.15 a.m., and 6.15 p.m. for Ephrata, Litiz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.,

Perkiomen Rail Road Trains leave Perkiomen Junction at 9.00 a. m., 3.00 & 5.30 p. m. returning; leave Schwenksville at 8.05 a.m., 12.45 noon, and 4.15 p.m.? connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.

Colebrookdale Railroad trains leave Pottstown at 8.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m., returning leave Mount Pleasant at 7.00 and 11.25 a. m., connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.

Chester Valley Railroad Trains leave Bridgeport at 8.30 a. m. and 2.05 and 5.02 p. m. returning, leave Downingtown at 6.0 a. m., 12.45 noon and 5.15 p. m., connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.

On Sundays, leave New York at 5.00 p.m., Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. and 3.45 p.m., (the 8.00 a.m. train running only to Reading;) Pottsville 8.00 a.m.; Harrisburg at 5.35 a. m. and 4.20 p. m. and Reading at 7.15 a. m. and 10.05 p. m. for Harrisburg, at 7.25 a. m. for New York, and at 9.40 a. m and 4.25 p. m. for Philadelphia.

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Reading, Pa., Dec. 27 1869.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA, & WESTERN RAILROAD.—Winter arrangement, Jan. 17, 1870. Trains leave as follows:

EASTWARD. Accom.	Mail	STATIONS.	Mail	WESTWARD. Accom.
	P.M.	Via M. & E. Divis.	A.M.	
	Ar.	New York.	Lv.	
	5.00	(*Foot Barclay St.*)	8.00	
	5.00	Christopher St.	8.00	
	4.45	Hoboken.	8.15	
	4.30	Newark.	8.40	
	1.09	Washington	11.30	
		via Cen. RR. of N.J.		
		New York.		
	3.50	(*Foot Liberty St.*)	9.00	
	1.23	New Hampton	11.15	
	12.55	Oxford	11.45	
	12.45	Bridgeville.	11.55	
	5.10	Philadelphia.	7.30	
	3.46	Trenton	8.45	
	1.30	Phillipsburg	11.05	
	12.38	Manunka Chunk	12.05	
	12.33	Delaware.	12.20	
	12.15	Mount Bethel	12.30	
	12.00	Water Gap.	12.45	
	11.46	Stroudsburg	1.00	
	11.36	Sprague ville	1.10	
	11.26	Henryville	1.20	
	11.09	Oakland	1.38	
	10.51	Forks	1.55	
	10.32	Pohybanna	2.16	
	10.19	Scott Siboro	2.31	
	9.55	Moscow	2.52	
	9.45	Dunning	3.05	
6.12	9.15	Scranton.	3.45	A.M. 9.30
6.50	8.45	Clark's Summit.	4.07	8.58
7.40	8.35	Abington	4.15	10.18
8.27	8.19	Factory ville	4.31	10.40
8.55	7.55	Nicholson.	4.55	11.02
9.28	7.28	Meshoppen	5.15	11.28
9.59	7.15	Montrose.	5.35	11.51
3.35	6.54	New Milford	5.55	12.15
3.15	6.40	Great Bend	6.10	12.33
P.M	A.M.		P.M.	P.M.

CONNECTIONS.

At Binghamton with Erie Railway. Mail Train from New York connects with the N. Y. Express Mail, leaving Binghamton at 8.37 P. M., with a sleeping Coach attached, stopping at all stations, and reaching Buffalo the next morning at 6.30.

Accommodation Train from Scranton connects with Way Train leaving Binghamton for Owego and Ithaca and the West at 2.00 P. M.; also connecting with Train on Syracuse, Binghamton & N. Y. R. R. for Syracuse, Oswego, &c., at 5.10 P. M. and with Train on Albany & Susquehanna R. R. for Albany and the North at 2.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Binghamton after the arrival of the N. Y. Express from Buffalo.

Accommodation Train leaves Binghamton after the arrival of the Day Express, leaving Buffalo at 7.00 A. M.; also, Train leaving Syracuse at 8.15 A. M.

At Scranton, with Lackawanna & Bloomsburg R. R., and Delaware & Hudson Canal Co. R. R., Mail Train from New York connects with Trains for Pittston, Wyoming, Bloomsburg, Danville, Northumberland, Olyphant, Archbald, and Carbondale. Mail Train to New York, and the Accommodation to Binghamton also connect with trains on the above-named roads. The Accommodation from Binghamton connects with Lackawanna and Bloomsburg for Pittston Wyoming, and Wilkes-Barre.

At Manunka Chunk, with Belvidere Delaware R. R., Mail Trains from New York and from Binghamton connect with the train from and to Philadelphia, stopping at all stations.

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