

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE.

The following is from the London Weekly Chronicle of April 25:

The following extracts from a letter addressed by Mrs. Stowe to a friend in this country, in answer to an inquiry for some particulars of her early life, give an account of the origin of the world-renowned "Uncle Tom's Cabin." After a playful description of her appearance, an account of her marriage with Professor Stowe, at the age of twenty-five—her settlement at Lane Seminary, near Cincinnati, Ohio, and the increase of her family, she says:

"The most beautiful of these, (her children) and the most beloved, lies buried near my Cincinnati residence. It was at his dying bed, and at his grave, that I learnt what a poor slave-mother may feel when her child is taken from her. In the depth of my sorrow which seemed to me immeasurable, it was my only prayer to God that such anguish might not be suffered in vain.

There were circumstances connected with this child's death of such peculiar bitterness—or what might seem almost sufferings—that I felt I could never be consoled for it, unless it should appear that the crushing of my own heart might enable me to work out some great good to others.

His death took place during the cholera summer, when in a circle of five miles around me nine thousand were buried—a mortality which I have never heard exceeded anywhere.

My husband, in feeble health, was obliged to be absent the whole time, and I had sole charge of a family of fifteen persons. He could not return to me, because I would not permit it; for in many instances where parents had returned from a distance to their families and the infected atmosphere, the result had been sudden death, and the physicians warned me that if he returned, it would only be to die. My poor Charlie died for want of timely medical aid; for in the universal confusion and despair which prevailed, it was often impossible to obtain assistance till it was too late.

I allude to this bereavement because I believe that much that is in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" had its roots in the awful scenes and bitter sorrows of that summer. It has left no, I trust, no trace in my mind, except a deep compassion for the sorrowful, especially for mothers who are separated from their children.

During long years of struggling with poverty, sickness, and a hot debilitating climate, my children grew up around me. The nursery and kitchen were my principal fields of labor. Some of my friends, pitying my toils, sent some of my sketches to certain liberally-paying annuals, with my name. With the first money that I carried this way I bought a feather bed! For, as I had married into poverty, and without a dowry, and as my husband had only a large library of books, and a great deal of learning, this bed and pillows were thought on the whole the most profitable investment.

I now thought I had discovered the philosopher's stone, and when a new carpet or mattress was needed, or when at the close of the year it began to be evident that my family accounts, like Dora's "wouldn't add up," then I used to say to my faithful friend and factotum, Anna, who shared all my joys and sorrows, "Now, if you'll keep the babies quiet, and attend to all the things in the house for one day, I'll write a piece, and then we shall be out of the scrape." And so I became an authoress! Very modest at first, I assure you, and remonstrating very seriously with the friends who had thought it best to put my name to my productions, by way of getting up a reputation.

During my life in the West I lived two miles from the city of Cincinnati, in the country; and domestic service, not always to be found in the city, is next to impossible to be obtained in the country, even by those who are willing to pay the highest wages. So what will be expected for poor me, who had but very little of the world's goods to offer? Had it not been for my inseparable friend, Anna, a noble hearted English girl, who landed on our American shores in destitution and sorrow, and who gave me as Ruth unto Naomi, I had never lived through all the toil which this uncertainty and absolute want of domestic service imposed upon me. You may imagine therefore, how glad I was when about a dozen families of liberal negroes came and settled in our vicinity. They became my favorite resorts in cases of emergency.

If any body wants to have a black face look handsome, let them be left as I have been—in feeble health, in oppressive hot weather, with a sick baby in her arms, and two or three other little ones in the nursery, and not a single servant in the whole house to do a single turn. And then, if they should see any good Aunt Frankie coming in with her honest, bluff, black face; her long, strong arms, her chest as big and stout as a barrel, and her hilarious, hearty laugh, perfectly delighted to take one's washing and do it at a fair price, they would appreciate the beauty of black people.

My cook, poor Eliza, was a regular epitome of slave life in herself; fat, easy, gentle, loving, and loveable; always calling my modest house "The Place," as if it had been a plantation with seven hundred hands on it. Her way of arranging her kitchen was at first like Dinah's, though she imbibed our ideas more rapidly, and seemed more ready to listen to my suggestions than did that dignitary. She has lived through the whole sad history of a Virginia-raised slave's life. She must have been in her youth a very handsome mulatto girl. Her voice was sweet, her manners refined and agreeable. She was raised in a good family as a nurse and seamstress.

When the family became embarrassed she was suddenly sold to be sent to a plantation in Louisiana. She has often told me how, without warning, she was forced into a carriage, and saw her little mistress screaming and stretching her arms towards her as she was driven away. She has told me of the scenes on the Louisiana plantations, and how she has often been out in the night by stealth, ministering to poor slaves who were mangled or lacerated by the whip. From Louisiana she was sold into Kentucky, and her last master was the father of all her children. On this point she always maintained a delicacy and reserve, which, though it is not at all uncommon among the slave women, appears to me remarkable.

She always called her master her husband, and spoke of him with the same apparent feeling with which any woman regards her husband; and it was not till after she had lived with me some years that I discovered accidentally the real nature of the relation. I shall never forget how sorry I felt for her, nor my feelings at her humble apology—"You know, Mrs. Stowe, slave women can't help themselves." She had two very beautiful quadroon daughters, with beautiful hair and eyes—interesting children, whom I had instructed in the family school with my children.

Time would fail to tell you all I have learned accidentally of the slave system, in the history of various slaves who came into my family and of the workings of the underground railroad, which I may say ran through my barn."

From the Squatter Sovereign, an Atchison paper, the following quotations are made: "We boldly assert, that if due vigilance is not used to check the publication of incendiary papers in our midst, our slaves will be taught to be rebellious and unruly, our lives will be endangered, and our property insecure. Why do we wait for a large army to concentrate in our Territory, before we attempt to drive off the invader? We are for immediate and decisive action!"

"Let us commence in earnest, and purge Kansas and Missouri of all resident Abolitionists and Free Soil publications. The 'Kansas Herald of Freedom' should be made an example of, and its press put in the Kansas river, or made to keep company with the 'Luminary machine,' of Parkville, Missouri."

Of the lynching of Phillips, this paper says: "It is needless to say that we are opposed to lynch law, [the old song,] but we believe that this case is an exception. Here is an instance where there is justice in lynching. There is no law to punish Abolitionists, and until one is provided by the statutes of Kansas and Missouri, we shall not denounce such proceedings. 'Let justice be done, though the heavens should fall.'"

ANOTHER BAND OF ADVENTURERS.—The Louisville Courier speaks of the organization of another band of adventurers. Their particular field of operation is not known, but, according to the Courier, their design is said to be to take possession of some one of the Mexican States, to confiscate the lands and personal estate, and so to reimburse themselves for their "services in the cause of freedom." The expedition is under the command of a distinguished Southern gentleman, who has heretofore held several positions of trust. The expeditionists are said to have the sympathy, and expect the support, of a strong party in Mexico. The expedition has so far been organized with the most absolute secrecy, as none of their movements have heretofore transpired.

Caut phrases are dangerous, especially when employed in documents relating to business. Recently, a merchant, not so celebrated for the elegance of his diction as for the length of his purse, wrote to his correspondent in a distant city for a lot of flour, adding, by way of showing his impatience, that he wanted it "the worst kind." He was not less surprised than chagrined on the reception of the article to find it full of weevil, sour and musty.

Henry Clay, in his last great speech in the United States Senate, said: "I repeat it, sir, I never can, and never will, and no earthly power can make me, vote directly to spread slavery over territory where it does not exist. Never while reason holds her seat in my brain—never while my heart sends the vital fluid through my veins—never!"

The six degrees of crime are thus defined: He who steals a million is only a financier. Who steals half a million is only a defaulter. Who steals a quarter of a million is a swindler. Who steals a hundred thousand is a knave. Who steals fifty thousand is a knave. But he who steals a pair of boots or a loaf of bread, is a scoundrel of the deepest dye, and deserves to be lynched.

LONGEVITY.—Miss Anne Jackson, of Kentucky, died on Saturday last, at the extraordinary age of 108 years.

Business Cards.

C. W. ELLIS, Attorney at Law, Coudersport, Pa. Jan. 18, 1850.

F. W. KNOX, Attorney at Law, Coudersport, Pa. will regularly attend the courts in Potter county. 3-40ff

A. P. CONE, Attorney at Law, Wellsborough, Tioga county, Pa. will regularly attend the courts of Potter county. June 3, 1848.

LAND AGENCY. THE undersigned having been entrusted with the care of several large tracts of land in this county, has made himself acquainted with the lands and land titles of the county, and will give immediate attention to any business of this nature that may be entrusted to him. J. S. MANN.

ISAAC BENSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office, East side of the public square, Coudersport, Pa. By special arrangement the professional services of S. P. JOHNSON, Esq., may be engaged through him in all cases in which he is not personally concerned. N. B.—All claims due and payable to the undersigned, personally and professionally, may be found in the hands of Isaac Benson, Esq., for adjustment. S. P. JOHNSON, March 3, 1848. 1-2ff

JOHN S. MANN, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW will attend the several Courts in Potter and McKean counties. All business entrusted to his care will receive prompt attention. Office on Main street, opposite the Court House, Coudersport, Pa.

ARTHUR G. OLMSTED, ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW will attend to all business entrusted to his care with promptness and fidelity. Office—in the Temperance Block, up stairs Main street, Coudersport, Pa. 7-1

L. F. MAYNARD, Attorney & Counselor at Law, Coudersport, Pa. Office—north of the court house square, at "The People's Cash Store," up stairs. 3-47

FRANK JOHNSON, Cabinet Maker. COUDERSPORT, POTTER COUNTY PA. Wishes to inform the citizens of Coudersport and the surrounding country, that he will execute all orders in his line of business at short notice and reasonable prices. Place of business near the Presbyterian Church. 7-12 ly.

W. K. KING, Subrper, Draftsman, and Contingent, Smethport, McKean Co., Pa. Will attend to business for non-resident landholders, upon reasonable terms. References given if required. P. S. Maps of any part of the County made to order. 7-33

FOUNDY. D. BROWN would give notice to the public that he is prepared, at his Foundry in Coudersport, to do all manner of Casting, will make and finish to order all kinds of Machinery, Mill Gearing, Board and Log Cars, Sleigh-Shoes of all sizes, and every article needed by a Lumbering community. And to farmers he would say, that he has procured some of the best Plow patterns in use, both Flat Land and Side Hill, and keeps them constantly on hand. And will make to order Field Rollers, Harrows, Cultivators, and every article used by them in his line of business. He is prepared also to do all kinds of BLACKSMITHING. And from his long experience in the above business, he feels confident of giving satisfaction to those who may give him a call. N. B.—Old iron bought, or taken in exchange for work. 7-27y.

War Declared at Last.

THE long repose of Europe is about to be disturbed by the bugle's note and the rattle of the drum, calling its slumbering millions to arms in the defense of their flag and their country. England and France are calling for men and means, and sending forward their armies to battle against the aggressions of the Russian Bear; but while the Old World is convulsed by revolution, unusual peace and plenty reign in the New.

In the peaceful and quiet pursuit of our business we have formed a copartnership under the name and style of N. S. BUTLER & CO., and have taken the store in Empire Block, in the village of Olean, formerly occupied by Thing & Brother, and are now receiving a splendid new stock of goods adapted to the season and wants of the community, which we intend to sell exclusively for cash down, at prices that will cause consternation and dismay in the ranks of old fogyism that has been so long established in this section.

Our stock will consist in part of the following Goods: Hardware, Crockery, Boots & Shoes, Huts, Caps, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Drugs, Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Glass, Paints & Oils, Sash, Putty, Chairs, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Feathers, Stone and Wooden Ware, And we mean to keep such an assortment of the above goods that persons from a distance can be assured of finding everything they usually want at prices that will do them good Call and see for yourselves. N. S. BUTLER & CO. Olean, May 5, 1854. 6-51

Notice.

THE Governor of the State of New-York has appointed the subscriber Commissioner for the State of New-York, to take the acknowledgment of Deeds and other instruments, and to administer oaths pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the said State. ISAAC BENSON. Coudersport, Dec. 12, 1851.

New Goods.

T. B. TYLER has just returned from the N. E. city, and is now prepared to show the largest and best stock of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Books, Stationery, Paper Hangings, and Fancy Goods in the county. He is also prepared to sell lower than at Wellsville, and as low as any other establishment in Coudersport. April 15, 1855.

Stationery

AT Wholesale and Retail at TYLER'S. PICKLED CHERRIES at C. E. JONES'.

Coudersport Academy.

THE Summer Term of this institution will commence on Wednesday, June 20, 1855, and continue eleven weeks.

Terms. Elementary branches—Orthography, Geography, Arithmetic, Physiology, \$3.00 Higher Arithmetic, First Lessons in Algebra, and English Grammar, 3.50 Higher English branches, Philosophy, Astronomy, Algebra, &c., 5.00 Higher Mathematics and the Languages, 6.00 Drawing, extra, 1.50 Instruction on the Piano Forte, extra, 10.00 Use of instruments, 3.00 Vocal music, if desired. Pre-payment of all bills strictly required. Either higher class of studies will include any or all the lower classes. The subscriber takes this occasion to express his thanks to the people of Potter and of other sections for their liberal support during the past year, and to assure them that no pains will be spared in the future that may be required to make this school an institution worthy of the entire confidence and support of all who desire a sound rudimental as well as a thorough mathematical and classical education.

J. BLOOMINGDALE, Principal. The undersigned Officers and Trustees of the Coudersport Academy are moved by a sense of official and personal duty, to call the attention of the public, and of the people of our county in particular, to the rising and useful character of this institution of learning. When we invited the present worthy Principal to the post he occupies, we found the Academy depressed and declining. We submitted its organization and other meritorious affairs to his discretion and management; and our experience enables us with increased confidence to assure parents and guardians that he has proved faithful, efficient, and practical—just such an instructor as this community needs.

H. H. DENT, President, H. J. OLMSTED, Treasurer, T. B. TYLER, Sec'y.

IMPORTANT TO LUMBERMEN.

SKINNER'S PATENT SHINGLE-MACHINE. THE undersigned, agent for the Patentee in Potter and the adjoining counties of Pennsylvania and New-York, would respectfully call the attention of Lumbermen and others to this labor-saving machine, patented Nov., 1851, and now in successful operation in various parts of the United States. This machine will rive and shave from one to two thousand shingles per hour, and will work hemlock equally as well as pine, the practical working of which can be seen at Genesee Fork, where one is now in operation. Any information respecting the same will be given by addressing the subscriber. O. CHAMBERLAIN. Ellensburg, Pa., March 22, 1855.

SLATES, Pencils, Writing Books, Drawing Books, Account and Memorandum Books, Tracts, Sunday School Question and Class Books, Ink, Paper, and Chalk, Crayons, Sewing Wax, Tins, Tracing, Drawing and Glazed Paper; Blotting Boards, Perfected Boards, Port-Folios, and Porte-Monnaies. Call and examine at the JOURNAL BOOK-STORE.

TO PRINTERS. BRUCE'S NEW YORK TYPE FOUNDRY, established in 1813, has now on hand, ready for immediate delivery, in fonts to suit purchasers, 100,000 lb. Roman Type of new cut, 50,000 " Fancy Type, 10,000 " Scripts of various styles, 5,000 " Germans, 5,000 " Ornaments in great variety, 5,000 " Borders, 30,000 lbs. Brass and Type Metal Rules, and all the novelties in the business. All the above Types are cast by steam power, of the new metal peculiar to this foundry, and which is certainly superior to any ever used before in any part of the world. The unequalled rapidity in the process of casting, enables me to send these more durable types at the prices of ordinary types, either on credit or for cash.

Presses, Wood Type, and all other Printing Materials, except the best and most saleable Books published. They are written by the most popular Authors of the day, and whose last great work, TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM, 10,000 copies have been sold within a month of publication. These books are beautifully illustrated, (many of them with finely colored plates,) and are printed and bound in the best manner. Agents will find a pleasant and profitable employment in their circulation. For particulars address (post paid) J. W. BRADLEY, Publisher, No. 48 North Fourth street, Philadelphia. SPORTSMEN will find Powder, Shot, Lead, and everything in the line of Ammunition, and Fishing Tackle of the best quality and at low prices at TYLER'S.

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WEBSTER'S DICTIONARY—Pocket School, University, Octavo, and Quarto editions, for sale by TYLER.

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I do hereby appoint A. F. Jones my agent for the transaction and management of all or any of my business, giving him full authority and power in the same. W. T. JONES. Coudersport, September 25, 1854.

DIARIES for 1855 just received at TYLER'S

CLOVERSEED, and all kinds of Garden Seed, for sale at SPENCER'S.

THE best three milling tea and 6d sugar is at OLMSTED'S.

HONEY.—A good quality of honey for sale at C. SMITH'S.

TEAS, fresh and cheap, at TYLER'S.

HYGEANA.

Brought Home to the Door of the Million.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY has recently been made by Dr. Curtis, of this city, in the treatment of Consumption, Asthma, and all diseases of the Lung. We refer to "Dr. Curtis' Hygeana, or Inhalant Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup." With this new method Dr. C. has restored many afflicted ones to perfect health; as an evidence of which he has issued merable certificates. Speaking of the treatment a physician says: "It is evident that inhaling—constantly breathing an agreeable, healing vapor, the medicinal properties must come in direct contact with the whole of the arial cavity of the lungs, and thus escape the many and varied changes produced upon them when introduced into the stomach, and subjected to the process of digestion. The Hygeana is for sale at the druggists' through out the country."

N. Y. Dutchman, Jan. 14. The Inhaler is worn on the breast under the linen without the least inconvenience—the heat of the body being sufficient to evaporate the fluid.

Hundreds of cases of cures like the following might be named. One package of the Hygeana has cured me of the Asthma of six years standing.

Jas. F. Aesberry, P. M., Danncannon, Pa. I have cured the Asthma of 10 years standing by Dr. Curtis' Hygeana.

Margaret Eastman, Brooklyn, N. Y. Mrs. Paul of No. 5 Maunton st., N. Y., was cured of a severe case of Bronchitis by the Hygeana.

My sister had been cured of a distressing cough of several years standing, and decided to be incurable by her physicians. She was cured in one month by the Hygeana.

J. H. Gaudert, P. M., Richmond, Me. Price Three Dollars a Package.—Sold by CURTIS & PERKINS & BOYD & PAUL, No. 149 Chambers st., N. Y.—4 Packages sent free by express to any part of the United States for Ten Dollars.

N. B.—Dr. Curtis' Hygeana is the original and only genuine article, and all others are base imitations or vile and injurious counterfeits. Shun them as you would poison.

Sold by Russell & Scott, No. 138 Market street, Philadelphia, who will sell by the dozen at the Proprietors' rates.

New Books.

IDA MAY, by Mary Langdon. The Newbury. Bayard Taylor's Central Africa, Lands of the Saracens, and Poems of the Orient. Fanny Fern's last, "Ruth Hall." Life of T. Barnum.

Mr. Rutherford's Children, by the author of "The Wide, Wide World." Mary Howitt's Tales, for children. The Young American's Library, consisting of the lives of Washington, LaFayette, Franklin, Marion, and eight others in one set.

Leaves from the Tree of Life, by Martha Russell. Pericopie—Dr. Elder. Bertha and Lily, by Mrs. E. Oakes Smith. Webster and his Master Pieces—Ten Sunny Memories of Foreign Lands, by Mrs. H. B. Stowe, &c., &c. Just received and for sale at the JOURNAL BOOK-STORE. Coudersport, Dec. 7, 1854. 7-29

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TO OFFICERS, SOLDIERS, SEAMEN, &c. OF ALL WARS: THEIR WIDOWS, AND MINOR CHILDREN.

S. M. KNIGHT, Attorney for Government, Clamnum, Washington, D. C.

CONTINUES to give prompt and personal attention to the prosecution of Claims of every description to those before the Treasury Department, Pension and Bounty Land Offices, Patent and General Land Offices, and Board of Claims.

An experience of years, and a familiarity with the means of obtaining the earliest and most favorable action on Claims, with facilities for the dispatch of business, justify him in assuring his Correspondents, Clerks, Agents, and the Public generally, that interests entrusted to his keeping will not be neglected.

PENSION, BOUNTY LAND, PATENT, AND PATENT LAND LAWS. He has nearly ready, for gratuitous distribution among his business Correspondents, (and those who may become such,) a new pamphlet containing a synopsis of the existing Pension, Bounty Land, Patent, and Public Land Laws, down to the end of the late Congress—including the

BOUNTY-LAND ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855, under which all who have heretofore received less than 160 acres are now entitled to additional land; said Act grants also 100 acres to all Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, Chaplains, Soldiers, Wagon Masters, Teachers, and friendly Indians, of the Army, including State Troops, Volunteers, and Militia, and all Officers, Seamen, Ordinary Seamen, Marines, Clerks, and Landmen of the Navy, not heretofore provided for, who have served not less than fourteen days (unless in battle) at any period since 1776; and to the widows and minor children of all such persons entitled, and deceased.

This pamphlet contains "Forms of Application" more full and complete than any elsewhere to be found; adapted to the wants of every class of Claimants under the Act, with copious directions and instructions of the Department, and practical suggestions as to the course to be pursued in suspended or rejected cases.

Parties not wishing to avail themselves of the facilities afforded by this Office in securing prompt and personal superintendence of their claims at the Departments, can obtain copies of the above pamphlet by remitting 25 cents in postage stamps.

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It is within the subscriber's power to direct his Correspondents to the locality of very many persons entitled under the Act; and having obtained several thousand Land Warrants under former laws, he is in possession of data that will materially assist in securing additional bounty.

Fees, below the usual rates—and contingent upon the admission of Claims. The highest cash prices given for Land Warrants, Revolutionary Script, and Illinois Land Patents.

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THE undersigned has connected with his Tin, Sheet Iron, Copper, and Stove business, that of HARDWARE and CUTLERY—so that in addition to the business heretofore conducted by him, he is now ready to supply the public with almost every variety of hardware, Mill and Cross-Cut Saws, Hoop Iron, Nails, Cable and Ox Chains, Carpenter Adzes and Broadaxes, Manilla Rope &c. &c. A general assortment of Clock, Jeweled Ware, Toys of every description; and in short, he designs to keep all such things as the public wants in his line, which he will sell, not for less than cost, but for a small profit indeed, and hopes by a strict attention to his business to receive liberal share of public patronage.

All kinds of Produce taken in exchange for Goods, at the highest market prices; also, 25¢ per ton paid for old iron. 6-12 ly. JAS. W. SMITH.

Premium Fanning Mills.

Important to Farmers and Mechanics. THE subscriber has purchased of J. Bamborough the right to use in Potter and McKean counties his patent in the construction of Fanning Mills. He has also, at great expense, commenced the manufacture of a PREMIUM MILL which will clean from 100 to 200 bushels per hour. This Mill was patented March 20, 1847, since which time it has stood at the head of the list at all the State and county agricultural societies where it has been exhibited, and is a universal favorite with all farmers who have tried it. It took the premium at the first Agricultural Fair held at Harrisburg, Oct. 31st, 1851, when there were 30,000 people present; and at the great State Agricultural Fair at New-York, held at Rock ester Sept. 16-19, 1851, this Fanning Mill received the highest honors.

Having met with uniform success wherever tried, I confidently invite the farmers of Potter and McKean counties to call at my shop in Coudersport and examine for themselves. A supply always on hand, to be sold on reasonable terms. JOHN RECKHOW. 6-37ff

THE subscriber hereby gives notice to the public that having given PETER SMITH his note for eighty dollars, bearing date near the last of March, 1854, payable September 1, 1856, and having never received any value therefor, he will refuse to pay the same; therefore he warns any person from having the said note void and expectation of his paying it. [62]f CONSIDER STEANS.

Machine Oil.

Mill Owners will always find supply of Oil for machinery at satisfactory prices, and in any quantity, at TYLER'S Drug Store.

LIFE OF HORACE GREELEY, 1 Prayor Books, Fanny Gray. The Oracle of Flowers, and a new copy of School Books, Just received at the JOURNAL BOOK-STORE.

THE People's Cash Store, AT COUDERSPORT.

Something New, and Something Wanted. THE subscribers, having entered into partnership arrangements under the firm of "MAYNARD & WILCOX," will be happy to see all old friends, and all new friends, calling day after day, and continually, at "The People's Cash Store" in Coudersport, inquiring for DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, READY-MADE CLOTHING, and all the endless variety of articles which the People want, and must have. And the subscribers will sell to their customers, old or new, for the Cash, or other Ready-Pay, the very best bargains to be had in Northern Pennsylvania. MAYNARD & WILCOX. Coudersport, April 5, 1855.