

The Potter Journal AND NEWS ITEM. No. 15. POTTER COUNTY, PA., October 29, 1873.

Table with market prices for various goods like No. 1 white, No. 1 red, No. 1 spring, etc.

How about That bridge on the Forest House road? We understood a long time ago that the job of putting it in was let and the work would be completed this fall, but as yet little progress seems to have been made.

Pardon. The following has been issued from the War Department. If it happens to meet the eye of any one affected by it we advise them to "git" and accept its offer.

Coming. Thanksgiving and Christmas, and turkeys are getting melancholy.

We Learn That the school at Lewisville under the charge of Mr. and Mrs. Slade is doing finely; that there is a good attendance and every one seems satisfied.

A Large Number Of hemlock logs have been put into the Sinnemahoning the past summer, ready for floating.

The Bridge Across the Allegheny on Seventh street that went down last spring is being replaced by a new one.

Proceedings of Teachers' Institute. The Teachers' Institute in Lewisville held its first session Tuesday, Oct. 14, in the afternoon.

Tuesday, 7 p. m.—A pleasant audience was assembled in the Methodist Church to listen to Rev. Mr. Congdon, of Condesport, on the subject of Common Schools, their deficiencies and the remedies.

Very plenty in the woods around Potter county this fall. Several have been seen here, and in some instances have indulged their taste for nut-

both natural and artificial, is being carried on, and the eggs are placed in the hatching house to develop the young trout. Mr. Ross estimates that he can raise 120,000 trout a year when his ponds are completed.

Another qualification is: Thorough acquaintance with the branches that he is to teach. He should complete his studies before attempting to teach them.

There are, meantime, many difficulties to be overcome, and among them that of compensation.

There is a nobility and a sacredness in the work of education. The marble is plastic in the hands of the sculptor and may long commemorate his genius, but the teacher's work remains in human souls.

Some of the instructors having arrived, Mr. Allen called upon Prof. Jones, of Erie, to "break the ice."

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him, since it so aroused his indignation that he resolved never to go again to that teacher for an explanation.

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Table with horse names and prices: Sobieski Ross, Emma Goodsell, G. W. Fresho, W. W. Dobb, A. B. Stillman, Jacob Klein.

Table with sheep names and prices: Almeron Nelson, E. H. Peirce, H. F. Fassett, A. L. Harvey, A. H. Peirce.

Table with poultry names and prices: Thomas Shear, A. Knapp, E. H. Peirce, H. F. Fassett, A. L. Harvey, A. H. Peirce.

Table with grass seeds names and prices: R. K. Young, S. H. Fassett, S. A. Lyman.

Table with garden vegetables names and prices: S. S. Evans Jones, Mrs. S. A. Ayres, W. S. Raymond, G. S. Greenman.

Table with orchard and garden fruits names and prices: C. C. Bremble, M. V. Larrabee, A. Abson, D. F. Glassmire.

Table with lumber names and prices: A. Sandberg, Metzger & Stevens.

Table with mechanical and farming implements names and prices: L. B. Cole & Son, J. H. Koon, Z. J. Thompson.

Table with gentlemen's discretions names and prices: C. A. Seifert, C. Reissman, W. W. Moore.

Table with household manufactures and ladies' discretions names and prices: L. Hamilton, N. C. Lyman, J. Ross, K. Koon.

Table with premiums names and prices: David Ingram, O. T. Ellison, J. W. Allen.

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Table with cattles names and prices: Sobieski Ross, F. A. Nelson, W. S. Raymond.

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