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**The Farmer.**  
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**Making, Saving and Application of Manure.**  
Messrs. Editors—I have something further to offer in continuation of my remarks published in the November number of the Cultivator, upon the subject of making and saving manure. They may appear somewhat racy, but I fancy they will be found to have a practical bearing upon this important matter.

**Learning to Back.**  
If you would have your cattle learn this art, put them to an empty cart and let them back it down hill. Never pull their noses, for this gives them pain and wens, and makes them hold their heads down to avoid your blows. In such a position of the head the ox has no power over the yoke, for his throat is brought to bear on the lower part of the bow, and he cannot do much if he would.

**Mr. Jonathan Rice, of Marlborough, recently told us he taught his steers to back by hitching them to a rock in front of them, and then inviting them to back away from the rock, making them back it after them, and endeavoring to avoid it as it comes along. He says they will hold up their heads and pull steadily to get away from their load in front. We have no doubt this is a good mode of using cattle to run a load back.—Massachusetts Ploughman.**

**Time of Putting Cattle to Work.**  
The common practice on this point is pretty generally wrong. It is not unusual to find cows put to harness at two years, and as three many consider them fully fit for steady work. A cow is not fitted for this at four, and his strength should never be tasked at three. The breaking process should be commenced before he is weaned; by accustoming him to the halter, and to handling. This should never be interrupted; but the animal should always know and be accustomed to his master. If this attended to, he will never be otherwise than gentle, and will never give any trouble in breaking.

**Winter-ripened Wheat.**  
Wm. Little, in the Ohio Cultivator, says that his late sown wheat on ground, was much winter-killed. That is, it was killed by frost, which he chiefly remedied by using a heavy roller, pressing the half-killed roots into the ground, which caused them again to vegetate. Such wheat yielded 20 bushels per acre.

**Philadelphia Advertisements.**  
**CHALLENGE—CHALLENGE!**  
We have observed very patiently for a year past the fevered attempt by some of our fraternity, to force a reputation which their professional skill alone might give them. And we would continue our quiet observation, making the most of our quietude, were it not more than probable that this species of fanatical and unchristianlike conduct, by a candid examination into the merits of the multitude of professors of the Daguerrean art.

**McClure & Germon's Daguerreotype Rooms.**  
No. 139 Chestnut St., south east corner of Eighth St., PHILADELPHIA.  
Portraits from the smallest breast pin to the largest size, singly or in groups. The proprietors are warranted in making portraits that have gained a reputation second to none in the world.

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**C. HARKNESS' CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT.**  
The most extensive Clothing Warehouse in the U.S. RE-OPEN FOR WINTER. 100,000 garments on hand, ready for sale. Wholesale & Retail.

**PAIN KILLER.**  
Death to Pain; relief to the sick; health to the weak. A bottle is found for the whole human race. ANDREW'S PAIN KILLER.

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MAY BE HAD AT OUR SHOP LOWER THAN IN ANY OTHER PLACE. All kinds of produce will be received in payment. Also, LUMBER of all kinds. Sept. 1. L. M. NYE & CO.

**MARBLE FACTORY.**  
H. M. BAKER respectfully informs the public that he has commenced the GRAVE-STONE business, in all its branches, at Towanda, where he will be ready at all times to attend to all calls in his line.

**TEN THOUSAND PERSONS.**  
THAT HAVE USED DR. UPHAM'S ELECTRICARY FOR THE PILES, CHRONIC, DYSENTERY, INFLAMMATORY DISEASES AND SEVERE COSTIVENESS, have given their certificates of cures made by its use, when all other remedies have failed, and the proprietors are now prepared to offer ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS to any persons afflicted with Piles, and all diseases of a similar nature, or which are found in conjunction with the Piles, if a cure is effected by the use of DR. UPHAM'S VEGETABLE ELECTRICARY.

**ANOTHER GREAT BATTLE!**  
JUST arrived at L. BATCHELOR'S CLOTHING STORE. Here is the place to get cheap clothing, at least 50 per cent. cheaper than at any other place.

**THE TOWANDA BAKERY.**  
IS now in full blast, where the public can be accommodated with CRACKERS, at wholesale & retail. Also, all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, &c. &c.

**Another Great Victory in Mexico!**  
THE news was received simultaneously with news that there had been another great effort of New Goods at the

**SAVINGS BANK.**  
And caused a Tremendous Excitement! The present proprietor, G. REED, takes this opportunity to return his thanks to his former patrons and the public generally, and also of informing them that he is now receiving a very large and general assortment of Fall and Winter Goods, of every description, which he pledges himself shall and will be sold as low as any other establishment within 100 miles of Towanda.

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