

ORIGIN OF THE ST. LOUIS FIRE—The St. Louis papers publish the affidavit of Henry Fredericks, the watchman of the steamboat White Cloud, in which the recent fire had its origin. On the night of the conflagration he went on board the boat at 9 o'clock, and met an Irishman coming off, who told him he had been looking for a friend. On examination he did not discover that the Irishman had done any injury, but about two hours after the fire broke out. While it was burning, Charles Blount, carpenter of another boat, came and told him that he had known for three days that the White Cloud was to be burned, and wished he had the money paid for setting her on fire. This Charles Blount has left St. Louis for New Orleans, but the authorities have taken measures to secure his arrest.

THE SAFE CREEVAISE, at New Orleans, has been abandoned. The labors of Mr. Grant having proved fruitless. The river, however, was falling.

New Advertisements.

AGAIN!

H. S. & M. C. MERCUR, ARE NOW RECEIVING ANOTHER ASSORTMENT OF GOODS,

which were purchased since the late reduction in prices; they will therefore be sold unusually cheap. Towanda, June 15, 1849.

All Concerned will please take Notice! THE co-partnership heretofore existing between Thos. Elliott and N. C. Tomkins, in this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to said firm are to be paid to the subscriber, who is authorized to receive the same. All liabilities of said firm are to be paid by him. All indebted are requested to call and settle their respective accounts. Also, all indebted to the late firm of Elliott & Mercur are desired to call and settle without delay. The subscriber will continue the business in his own name, and will be happy to accommodate his old friends and the public generally, on the most reasonable terms. Towanda, June 7, 1849. THOS. ELLIOTT.

NEW GROCERY & VARIETY STORE.

J. MEYER & KINGSBERRY inform the public that they are now receiving direct from New York and opening in the store lately occupied by H. Mix, one of the best of B. Kingsbery & Co., a large and general assortment of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, LIQUORS, FANCY GOODS, Yankee Notions, Confectionery, &c., to which the attention of purchasers is invited. Their assortment of Groceries and Liquors is complete, and will be sold at unusually low rates. Call and examine. L. W. TIFFANY, B. L. KINGSBERRY. Towanda, June 18, 1849.

OLD DRUG STORE, No. 1, Brick Row.

HUSTON & PORTER are now receiving, at No. 1, Brick Row, a large addition to their former stock, consisting of Drugs, Medicines, Groceries, Liquors, Oils, Paints, Hyacinths, Fancy Goods, &c., which will be sold at unusually low rates. They also have for sale the splendid and genuine Teas of the PEKIN TEA COMPANY, for which they are agents, and which they do not hesitate to recommend as being superior to any other imported. Having been appointed agent for most of the genuine Popular Patent Medicines, we assure the public we will not offer any that are counterfeit, as we will not buy or accept an agency from those speculators, who, by such imitations impose upon the country with their spurious Drugs. Towanda, June 18, 1849.

DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between M. H. & G. H. WELLES, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Those having accounts with the firm are requested to settle them without delay. M. H. WELLES, Wyalusing, May 30, 1849. G. H. WELLES.

The business will be continued by M. M. WELLES at the old stand, where a well selected stock of GOODS is arriving, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Salt, Nails, &c., &c. To be sold cheap for prompt pay. M. H. WELLES.

2000 DOZ. EGGS wanted at FOX'S, at 10 cents per dozen.

BONNETS AND BONNET TRIMMING—Florence, red, white, and French lace Bonnets and trimmings, also straw color lace and crape in fact, everything desirable in the shape of Bonnet Trims, at FOX'S.

AN APPRAISEMENT

AND Classification of the amount of the sales of Ware and Merchandise, in and for Bradford County, with the amount of License heretofore annexed, in and for the year 1849.

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
John Horton	no liq.	14	\$7 00
Elmer Horton	do	14	7 00
Bullman & Brown	do	14	7 00
Wenzels & Gardner	do	14	7 00
John Watkins	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
W. H. Baird	do	12	15 50
Welles & Harris	do	13	15 00
H. S. Chamberlain	do	13	15 00
J. H. Welles & Co.	do	13	10 00
G. A. Perkins	do	13	10 00
Phelps & Walker	do	13	15 00
C. Park	no liq.	14	7 00
George Merrill	do	14	7 00
Horace Carner	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
Corryell & Gee	do	13	15 00
A. & S. H. Morley	do	13	10 00
J. V. Daniels	do	14	7 00
Job Murley	do	14	7 00
E. Overton	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
Newman & Co.	do	13	15 00
C. E. Rathbone	do	13	15 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
Augustus Austin	do	14	7 00
G. N. Card	do	14	10 50

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
U. Moody & Co.	no liq.	14	7 00
O. D. Chamberlain	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
J. W. Mercur	no liq.	14	10 50
E. Hawley	no liq.	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
Bullock & Presho	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
I. H. Brownson	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
H. Lomb & Leland	do	14	7 00
Parhurst & Co.	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
J. J. Warford	do	14	10 50
J. H. Phinney	do	13	15 00
S. & J. B. M. Hinman	do	13	15 00
Robert Fowler	do	14	8 00
J. B. & G. Smith	do	13	10 00
Allen & Conbaugh	do	14	7 00
John Hanson	do	14	7 00
Brown & Rockwell	do	14	7 00
D. C. Nagle	do	14	7 00
Vannost & Northrop	do	14	7 00

Names of Retailers.	With or without liq.	Class.	Am't of lic.
Thophilus Humphrey	do	14	7 00

Miscellaneous.

PIKE.	do	13	10 00
A. S. Smith	do	13	10 00
G. H. Little	do	13	10 00
D. Bailey & Son	do	13	10 00
RIDGEBURY.	do	13	10 00
I. H. Webb	do	13	10 00
Calvin West	do	13	10 00
ROME.	do	13	10 00
L. S. Maynard	no liq.	13	10 00
D. M. Wattle	do	13	10 00
F. W. Maynard & Co	do	14	7 00
E. & G. Nichols	do	14	7 00
SHEPHERD.	do	11	7 00
Wm. Campbell	do	11	7 00
Kinney & Satterlee	do	13	10 00
SMITHFIELD.	do	12	18 75
Lyman Durfee	do	12	18 75
H. Bullock & Co.	do	12	18 75
E. S. Tracy	no liq.	12	12 50
SPRINGFIELD.	do	13	10 00
Hiram Spear	do	13	10 00
Pine & Bennett	do	14	10 50
W. T. Daly	do	14	10 50
Enos Hubbard	no liq.	14	7 00
Lucius French	do	14	7 90
STANDINGSTONE.	do	12	18 75
H. W. Tracy	do	12	18 75
E. W. Baird	no liq.	13	10 00
Mears, Storrs & Co.	do	14	7 00
TOWANDA BORO.	do	10	20 00
H. S. & M. C. Mercur	do	10	20 00
Montgomery & Co.	do	10	20 00
J. Kingsbery	do	10	10 00
N. N. Betts	do	13	10 00
Daniel Lord	do	13	10 00
Tracy & Moore	do	12	18 75
E. T. Fox	no liq.	12	12 50
Kingsbery & Co.	do	12	12 50
D. D. Bartlett	do	13	10 00
H. S. & M. C. Mercur	do	12	12 50
O. C. Hall	do	14	7 00
S. S. Bailey	do	14	7 00
Tiffany & Kingsbery	do	14	10 50
Hiram Mix	do	14	10 50
Huston & Porter	do	14	10 50
H. W. Tracy, Assignee	no liq.	11	7 00
J. C. Reed	do	11	7 00
J. P. Bull	do	11	7 00
H. O'Hara	do	14	7 00
C. Coleman	do	11	7 00
Miles Carter	do	11	7 00
TROY BORO.	do	11	22 50
G. P. Reelington	do	11	22 50
S. W. & F. Pomeroy	do	11	22 50
E. & R. Eynon	do	11	15 00
Baird & Stephens	no liq.	11	15 00
T. Maxwell	do	12	12 50
Herrick, Hyatt & Pomeroy	do	12	12 50
E. F. & F. L. Ballard	do	13	10 00
Fitch & Ballard	do	13	10 00
M. W. Jones	do	14	7 00
M. W. Payne	do	14	7 00
ULSTER.	do	14	7 00
Guy Tracy	no liq.	14	7 00
Wm. Gibson	do	13	10 00
Peckham and Mather	do	13	10 00
Welles & Co.	do	13	10 00
D. Myer	do	14	7 00
WARREN.	do	14	7 00
Benj. Robinson	do	14	7 00
Robert Cooper	do	14	7 00
WELLS.	do	14	7 00
James P. Taylor	do	14	7 00
WYALUSING.	do	14	7 00
E. & A. Lewis	do	14	7 00
M. H. & G. H. Welles	do	13	10 00
C. F. Fisher	do	13	10 00
WYSOX.	do	14	10 50
Judson Holcomb	do	14	10 50
Coolbaugh & Co.	do	14	10 50
WINDHAM.	do	14	10 50
E. Smith & Co.	do	14	10 50

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SUBVEYING. LEVELING, Laying out Roads and Lots, Dividing Estates, Measuring Mines, Embankments, &c., accurately done by E. G. NICHOLS. Office at Rome Bradford county, Pa. 6m48

TAKE NOTICE! THE books of the late firm of HUSTON & MONTAGNA & PORTER, are hereby removed to my hands for settlement. I am instructed to say, that prompt attention on the part of debtors will save them COST. D. VANDERCOOK, J. P. Towanda, May 14, 1849. Argus copy.

GREAT POVERTY IN TOWANDA, MERELY FOR THE WANT OF A LITTLE MONEY. L. D. WEST would inform the citizens of Towanda, that he has located on the corner of Water and South sts., where he will attend exclusively to Mending Boots & Shoes, and that the shoemakers here to mend, he flatters himself that by care and attention, he shall give plenty of work. Towanda, June 12, 1849.

LEIGHORN AND PALM LEAF HATS—Pedal also Muslin, times wrought and French lace collars a splendid lot of Ivory Handled Fans, also white sun Bonnets, Bonnet fronts, linen and cotton lace, and jacquet Muslin edgings and insertings, cheap at my 23 FOX'S.

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