Remarks of Mr. Packer, of Lycoming County,

In the Senate, February 4, 1850.

MR. PACKER on presenting a petition signed by citizens of Lycoming County, praying for the repeal of the law passed last session, exempting from levy and sale on execution property to the value of $300, said—

Mr. Speaker:—A few days since, when the subject of discharging the committee on the judiciary system from the further consideration of the petitions presented by the Senator from Potter relative to a homestead exemption, was before the Senate, I took occasion to express my entire satisfaction with the law of last session, exempting from levy and sale on execution, property to the value of $300. It seems that my remarks on that occasion, have roused those of my constituents who differ with me in opinion, for I find on my table this morning, a petion, praying, that inasmuch "as the act of the 9th of April, 1849, affects injuriously the interests of the *poor* and *middle* classes of community, causing credit and confidence to be withdrawn by the more opulent"—that therefore the law should be repealed.

Mr. Speaker, I do not sympathise with prayer of the petition I have just presented. I do not believe that the law of last session will injure the "*poor* and *middle classes* of community." I do not believe that by exempting the last three hundred dollars worth of property of the poor unfortunate debtor from levy and sale on execution, and by driving from the door of poverty and distress, the Sheriff and the constable, urged on by a close-fisted, miserly and heartless creditor, that you injuriously effect the interests of the poor. Sir it cannot be true. Do you for a moment suppose, that you would benefit the "poor and middle classes of community" by exposing their last article of household furniture—their last bed—their last stove—or their last cow—to the tender mercy of an avaricious creditor? If Senators entertain such an opinion, let them comply with the prayer of the petitioners, and vote for the repeal of the law of last session, together with all exemption laws previously enacted, and they will promote the interests of the poor and middle classes, to the heart's content of the rich. Sir, so far from sympathising with the petitioners, I would extend the exemption law still further. And permit me to say, which I do with all confidence, that the day is not far distant when it will be carried further. The day is dawning when every family will be protected in their little home, in defiance of the bad conduct of an intemperate father, or a profligate husband. The day is coming, nay it is now here, when it will be conceded that the man with a comfortable, permanant home, will much sooner pay his honest debts than he who is almost distracted with impending troubles, and who is ever at the mercy of an *execution*. Many of the States of this Union have led the way in this humane reform. Maine exempts a homestead to the value of $500, and in the absence of a homestead, personal property to that amount. Vermont exempts a homestead to the value of $500—Iowa and Minnesota forty acres of land or a lot.—California exempts 320 acres of land, or a lot worth $2000. Deseret, the proposed Mormon state, it is said secures a home to every family. All the States and territories named having acted on this subject within the past few months. Georgia, Texas, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Connecticut, have long since enacted liberal exemption laws. New York, always among the foremost in popular reforms, is also pressing onward in this matter. I have before me the annual message of Governor Fish, to the present legislature of that great State; to which I beg leave to call the attention of Senators. On the subject of homestead exemption, the Governor says:

"While it is admittedly a primary duty of the legislature to enact laws for the punishment of vice, it is no less its duty to remove the causes which frequently lead to the commission of crime. The impression made upon the youthful mind, by the gentle love of paternal authority and example, and by the associations of the family circle, are among the most active and endearing of the influences which control the conduct of after life. Much of the vice that we are called upon to deplore, may be traced to the early removal of its subject from the reach of that authority and example, and from the innocent, but wholesome association of a home, however humble. The cause of morality, no less than the dictates of humanity, demand the preservation of the family circle, and the maintenance of the family home, as efficient preventives of vice, and sure and permanent contributors to individual virtue and happiness, and to public prosperity and order."

Such, Mr Speaker, are the views of the Governor of New York. They are the sentiments of a humane and far-seeing statesman—and I honor him for his manly independence in giving them the weight and sanction of his official station. Sir, I go with the governor of the Empire State. I would secure to every family a home and a hearth. I would not permit the coveteous and hard hearted creditor to drive his unfortunate debtor, naked and penniless, out upon the cold charities of an inhospitable world. The laws that authorize such a procedure should be blotted from the pages of the statute books of every State in this Union—they are repugnant to the spirit of the age, and revolting to humanity. Like the laws sanctioning imprisonment for debt, they should be repudiated by every philanthropic legislator—they should exist but in the history of the past—an obsolete idea. It has been truly said, Mr. Speaker, that he who sells out the last little property of a wife, and family of small children, of a rash, heedless, or perhaps intemperate husband and father, and afterwards with a cheerful countenance, goes home to feast on human hearts! Sir, money thus obtained has a damning curse upon it!

Entertaining these views, Mr. Speaker. I cannot go with those of my constituents who demand the repeal of the exemption law of last session; nor can I believe that any considerable number of them desire it.

ANOTHER STRIKE ON THE CANAL.—*Probable Intendiarism—Ten Valuable Horses Burned Alive.*—On Tuesday last, the laborers employed on the Canal near Ferguson's, in Herkimer County, 'struck' and abandoned their work, and yesterday they proceeded in a body down the line of canal and drove the laborers from several other sections—amounting in all to about 400 men. Yesterday afternoon, one of the disaffected laborers threatened that he would burn out Nicholar Vandebogat, of Schenectady, a contractor who has a section about five miles from this city, and accordingly about 7 o'clock last evening, his barn, containing twelve valuable horses, a quantity of oats, tools, harness, &c. was discovered to be in flames. The fire spread so rapidly that, despite every exertion, ten of the horses were consumed alive. They were valued at $1,500. The entire loss of Mr. Vandebogat will probably not be less than $3,000. In the mean time, this large body of laborers, without any other means of support, remain idle, and the prosecution of the public work on some five miles of the canal is entirely suspended. We learn that a large number of them would prefer remaining at work and have only left through fear of the rest.—Warrants were in the possession of an officer this morning, and it was expected some arrests would be made to-day.—*Union Observer, 7th.*

☞ AT a meeting of the colored citizens of Bradford county, held in Towanda boro. on the 18th of January, inst., we the undersigned, were appointed a Committee to solicit aid in building a church and school house, to be located in this Borough, for the benefit of the colored people of this county; and as we feel deeply the importance of this enterprise to the end we have in view, of advancing our moral, religious and intellectual culture, and as our numbers are few and our means inadequate, we take this method of appealing to the liberality of the white citizens of Bradford for assistance; hoping that in the more favored situation in which Providence has placed them, they will be mindful of those upon whom His bounty has been more sparingly bestowed, and that they will give us countenance and support in this struggle for the improvement of our condition.

In addition to the subscribers, Timothy Coggins and David Jones, are authorized to receive contribution for the above mentioned object.

SOLOMON COOPER,
J. C. JOHNSON,

Died.

In Monroeton, February 8th, HENRY, son of Jenkins Scovell, aged 12 years and 7 months.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.

A valuable Farm situated in Wyalusing township, containing one hundred acres, seventy acres under improvement, with fruit trees of all kinds. For terms apply to J. M. Peck, Towanda, or Mason Brown on the premises.

Brownlown, Feb. 12, 1850. 3w.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

STOLEN from the stable of the subscriber, in the town of Nichols, county of Tioga, and State of New York, on Saturday night, the 9th of February, inst., a large BLACK MARE, 8 or 9 years old.—Said Mare is particularly heavy made, and has a remarkably slender tail, is marked in one eye, on close inspection, with a white rim on its outer edges; in the centre of one of her fore feet there is a slight crack; she is rather hollow-backed, and has a roman nose. The mare has undoubtedly been taken into the State of Pennsylvania.

The above reward will be paid, $25 for the return of the Mare, and $25 on the conviction of the thief.

Nichols, Feb 11, 1850. JOHN CORYELL.

ANNUAL STATEMENT of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Borough of Towanda, for the year 1849.

RECEIPTS AND ASSETS.

Due from J. D. Goodenough late Tres'r.		$ 10 00
" Woodruff et al,		10 00
Balance of Duplicate for 1849,		41 65
License for shows,		24 50
Am't of Duplicate for 1849,		759 31
Am't of Orders issued 1849.		137 50
		$989 50

EXPENDITURES.

Work done on the streets,	$735 14
Curbing, Flagging and plank walk,	40 50
Expenses of boro Election,	11 75
Printing report and notices of Appeal.	6 50
Justices fees,	2 00
Clerks Salary and Stationery,	25 75
Serving notices of Appeal,	3 00
Paid Wm. Mix, & Wm. Elwell, street commissioners & Poor Masters,	49 00
Paid Stephen Powell judgment,	11 82
Judgment Evans, Thomas & Co in aid of Poor fund,	61 94
Orders returned and cancelled,	247 67
	$694 57

ASSETS.

Due from Woodruff et. al. Judg't	$ 10 00	
J. D Goodenough late treasurer,	10 00	
On Duplicate of 1849,	260 81	
In Treasury,	14 12	$294 93
		$989 50

BOROUGH ORDERS.

Outstanding January 27, '49,	$225 74
Issued up to Feb. 2d. 1850,	134 03
	$359 77
Returned and cancelled Feb. 2d. '50,	247 67
Outstanding Feb. 2d. 1850,	$112 10

POOR FUND.

Am't due from J. D. Goodenough, Treas'r	$ 17 04	
" J. E. Geiger collector,	4 84	
" From Athens township,	8 56	
" Of Duplicate for 1849,	274 41	
		$303 55

EXPENDITURES.

Paid T. O'Day for support of paupers,		$133 15
C. K. Ladd. medical attendance.		15 25
Samuel Huston, "		17 00
Luke Gallespie, digging grave,		1 50
For Dewy Case transient pauper,		4 00
Mrs. Shores. pauper,		5 92
T. P. Woodruff keeping transient pauper,		1 50
Stage Fare of transient pauper,		1 25
Jos. Hemsley, keeping G. Snowden, pau.		2 00
Exonerations on Duplicate,		5 03
		$186 60

ASSETS.

Due from J. D. Goodenough, late, Treasurer,	$ 7 04	
Of J. E. Geiger, Collector,	3 84	
Of Athens township,	8 56	
On Duplicate 1849,	69 16	
In Treasury,	28 35	$116 95
		$303 55

DUE FROM POOR FUND.

To Henry Butler,	$8 00

We, the undersigned Burgess, and Town Council of the Borough of Towanda do hereby certify the above to be a true statement of the Receivals and Expenditures of said Borough from the 27th Jan. 1849, to the 2d day of Feb. 1850.

H. MIX, Burgess.

O. D. BARTLETT,
E. O. GOODRICH,
M. C. MERCUR,
C. L. WARD,
E. D. MONTANYE, } Town Council.

CAUTION.

MY son WILLIAM JOHN, having absented himself from my house, without reason, I hereby forbid any person, harboring, employing or trusting him, under penalty of the law.

Wysox, Feb. 15, '50. GEO. LANNOX.

NEW WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GROCERY, CLOTHING, DRY-GOODS AND LIQUOR STORE!

T. & W. HAYDEN have opened a store on the west corner of Main and Bridge streets, Towanda, at the store lately occupied by J. Kingsbery, and now offer for sale their large assortment, purchased in New York, and to which they invite the attention of the public. To Landlords and others they particularly recommend their stock of

LIQUORS,

which have been selected with great care, and are warranted pure without any combustible or other ingredients whatever. In consists in part of Champagne, Old Port, Maderia, Malaga, Pale sherry, Stout Malaga, Raspberry and Ginger Wines; Otard, Champagne and American Brandy; Holland and Common Gin; Jamacia, St. Croix and New England Rum; Stoughton Bitters, Lemon Syrup, and Cordials, all of the best qualities, and cheaper than ever before offered.

GROCERIES.

Grocers and other persons would do well to call before going to New York and Elmira, and see if they cannot be supplied twenty per cent. cheaper than elsewhere. Their Teas are warranted of a superior quality, Sugars of every quality, exceedingly cheap; also, Molasses, Pepper, Spice, Starch, Raisins, &c. with every article in the line. Call and see. Money saved is money made. Cigars and Tobacco of the very best brands.

☞ Domestic and Dry Goods: a large supply of Boots and Shoes; Ready made Clothing; a splendid assortment of Crockery, for sale.

Wanted, 200,000 feet Pine Lumber, and 150,000 best Pine Shingles, for which a good price will be given.

Towanda, January 21, 1840.

When Shall we have an Engine!

Another Fire broke out at

THE TOWANDA BAKERY.

A FEW DAYS SINCE, but as it was confined to the Oven, no serious loss will be sustained, as it will enable me to furnish my old customers and as many new ones as will give me a call, with CRACKERS, BREAD, RUSK, &c., upon such terms as must and will give satisfaction. CAKES, of every description, furnished to order. R. C. SMALLEY.

Towanda, January 22, 1850.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of LIBBEUS JOHNSON, deceased, late of Troy township are hereby requested to make payment without delay and those having claims against said estate will please present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JAY C. JOHNSON, Administrator.

Troy Jan. 21 1850.

Legal Advertisements.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of John Mather, dec'd.

THE undersigned having been appointed an Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Bradford County, to distribute the funds remaining in the hands of the Administrators of said decedent, among the lawful heirs, will attend to the duties of said appointment at his office in Towanda Borough on Monday the 11th day of March, A D. 1850, at 1 o'clock P. M., of which all persons interested will take notice. H. BOOTH,

Towanda Feb. 9th 1849. Auditor.

SHERIFF SALE.

BY virtue of writs of Vend. Expo. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford county and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in the boro. of Towanda, on Saturday, the 2d day of March, 1850, at one o'clock, P. M., the following lot piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Ulster, and bounded as follows: on the north by lands of Herman Van Vleck, on the east by the Susquehanna River, south by lands of Mary Ann Lockwood and west by lands of Herman Van Vleck. Containing seventy-four acres or thereabouts, about thirty acres improved with two framed houses, one framed barn and some other out buildings, and one large shanty thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of E. W. Baird vs. Isaac Cash, Davidson & Mingle terre tenants.

ALSO—A certain piece or parcel of land lying in the township of Burlington, and bounded as follows: north by lands of Joshua Baker, east by Jas. Phillips, south & west by Abiram Pierce. Containing fifty and a half acres and twenty two and a half perches, being part of lot No. 66 recently contracted for with Stephen Pierce and others, with a log house thereon erected.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of D. M. Bull vs. Madison Heath.

WM. S. DOBBINS, Sh'ff.

Sheriff's Office, Towanda, Feb. 7, 1850.

NOTICE OF APPEALS.

THE Commissioners of the county of Bradford hereby give notice that they have fixed upon the following places and days respectively for hearing the appeals of those who may think themselves aggrieved by the assessment of A D 1850, and are desirous of appealing from the same to wit:

Ulster at T. B. & W. B. Holcomb's Tuesday, Feb. 26.
Athens tp. and bo. at J. Whitbeck's Wednesday 27th.
Smithfield at A. J. Gerould's Thursday 28th.
Ridgbery at S. Harman's Friday March 1st.
Springfield at O. A. Vincent's Saturday 2d.
South Creek at Asa Gillett's Monday 4th.
Wells at Wm. S. Ingalls' Tuesday 5th.
Columbia at Isaac Strait's Wednesday 6th.
Armenia at John S. Becker Thursday 7th.
Canton at Nathan Tuttle's Friday 8th.
Troy tp. & boro. at V. M. Long's Saturday 9th.
Burlington at Cyrus Pratt's Monday 11th.
Granville at John Vroman's Tuesday 12th.
Leroy at Perley Morse's Wednesday 13th.
Franklin at Ezra Spalding's Thursday 14th.
Monroe at J. V. Wilcox's Friday 15th.
Albany at Arunah Ladd's Saturday 16th.
Sheshequin at D. Brink's Jr. Monday 18th.
Litchfield at R. Parks' Tuesday 19th.
Windham at Henry Russell's Wednesday 20th.
Warren at R. Coopers Thursday 21st.
Pike at Thomas Ransom's Friday 22d.
Orwell at Justin A. Russell Saturday 23d.
Herrick at N. B. Wetmore's Monday 25th.
Rome at Hugh Hicks' Tuesday 26th.
Wysox at the Academy Wednesday 27th.
Standing Stone at Stephen Canfield Thursday 28th.
Wyalusing at John H. Black Friday 29th.
Springhill at D. D. Black Saturday 30th.
Asylum at Jesse Carman's Mon'ay April 1st.
Durel at the centre school house Tuesday 2d.
Towanda tp. at the Com'rs. Office Wednesday 3d.
" bo. " " Thursday 4th.

At each of which places respectively they will attend between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M. By order of the Commissioners,

C. P. RUSSELL, Cl'k.

Commissioners Office, Towanda Feb. 5, '50.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

BY an order of the Orphans' Court of Bradford County, will be exposed to public sale at the premises in Rome township in said county, on Saturday the 9th day of March 1850, at two o'clock P. M., all that messuage and tract of land situate in said Rome township, bounded and described as follows to wit: beginning at a Buttonwood twenty eight perches south 30° west from the south west corner of a lot formerly surveyed to Joseph Vought, thence north 65° east 120 perches to a stake, thence south 24° east 60 perches to a stake, thence south 65° west 104 perches to a beech, thence north 48° west 66 perches to the place of beginning. Containing forty two acres strict measure, being the same lot of land contracted by Vincent & Le Ray de Chemaunt and sold to Eli Morris, the said premises has a small frame house and a good well thereon & is nearly all cleared.

Attendance given, and terms made known on the day of sale.

E. P. COBURN,
POLLY MORRIS,
Rome, Feb. 7. 1850. Administrators.

ESTRAY.

CAME to the enclosure about the middle of December, a spotted red STEER. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away. R. H. MASON.

Towanda, Jan. 30, '50.

FOR RENT.

A FARM and Tavern Stand in Orwell township, applications made to C. Frisbie of Orwell or the subscriber at Wilkes-Barre Pa. Possession given first of April next. Jan. 30, '50. H. Z. FRISBIE.

TELEGRAPH.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Susquehanna Telegraph Company, that in pursuance of article 3d, of the Association, they will be required to pay $20 on each and every share of stock in ten days from the date hereof; $20 more in thirty days thereafter, and the balance in thirty days from the expiration of the aforesaid 30 days. Stockholders are requested to make payment at the office of J. C. Adams.

J. F. MEANS, } Trustees of co.
J. C. ADAMS. }
C. P. WELLES, Trustee of T. F. Allen.

February 2.

CLOVER SEED, 35 bushels choice, clean, large seed, for sale by WELLES & HARRIS.

Athens, Jan. 30, '50.

MESS PORK.—112 bbls, corn fed mess pork, for sale very cheap, by the barrel or pound.

Athens, Jan. 30, '50. WELLES & HARRIS.

TOWANDA CHEAP
CLOTHING STORE.

GEO. H. BUNTING, respectfully informs the public that he is just receiving from New York an assortment of ready-made Clothing, to which he invites the attention of purchasers. Among his stock may be found

Over Coats, Sack Coats, Business Coats, Frock and Dress Coats, Cloaks, Pantaloons, Vests, Roundabouts, &c., in all styles and all prices.

He is determined to sell his Clothing at unusually low prices for Cash, and believes he can make it the interest of those wishing to purchase to give him a call.

☞ At the old stand, between Bartlett and Kingsbery's Stores, up stairs.

Cutting and making up, done as usual in the most fashionable manner, promptly and to order.

Towanda, October 30, 1849y.

L. B. HYATT,
SURGEON DENTIST,
Of Troy, Bradford county, Pa.,

PROPOSES making periodical visits at Towanda during the session of every court. He may be found at the house of J. B. Cross, commencing on the 3d of September. Reference can be had from any part of the county. All work warranted. ap 3m3

BENSON, KENDALL & CO.,

WILL be at WARNER'S HOTEL, in Monroeton on Friday, the 25th of January, 1850, and every second Friday till further notice, with a good Band of Music. Bill for music, room and lights, 50 cts. Oysters or other refreshments furnished at 25 cents apiece when called for.

Miscellaneous.

NEW STORE!

D. BRINK & CO. have opened a store at HORNBROOK, with a splendid lot of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hardware, Hats and Caps, &c., &c., to which they invite the citizens of Bradford county to come and look for themselves. As we have no rent to pay, we are determined to sell goods right—we shall leave it to the people to judge.

Hornbrook, December 8, 1849.

STOVES, STOVES!

D. C. HALL respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has now for sale at his STORE, a general and choice assortment of STOVES, of all sizes and patterns, which he is prepared to sell at wholesale or retail, or exchange for country produce upon the most accommodating terms.

For stoves, sheetiron, copper and tinware, his assortment is complete. He returns his thanks to his old customers, to whom, and the public he renews his invitation to give him a call before purchasing elsewhere; *Don't mistake the place*—but remember HALL'S south side of the Public Square, in Montanye's Block.

☞ Those indebted to me, are hereby notified that I am now closing my books, and unless they come voluntarily and settle, they will be compelled to do so, without further notice. D. C. HALL.

Towanda Dec. 12, 1849.

NEW ARRIVAL AT THE
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, Dyestuffs, Fancy Goods, &c.

which will be sold at unusually low rates. They also offers 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. They have also the agency of most of the genuine *Patent Medicines* extant.

Towanda, November 29, 1849.

SPERM and Tallow Candles, by the box or pound, at HUSTON & PORTER'S.

ORRICK'S VERMIFUGE, by the dozen or vial at HUSTON & PORTER'S.

DEAD SHOT, for bed bugs, at the Drug store No. 1, Brick Row. H. & P.

ERASIVE SOAP, for removing tar, paints, oils, &c. warranted, at H. & P'S.

SUPERIOR Wines and Liquors—30 bbls. that superior WHISKEY just received at H. & P.

CAUTION.

WHEREAS my wife *Margaret* has left my bed and board without any just cause or provocation, this, therefore, is to forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

Wysox, Dec. 25, '49 JOHN COTTER.

THIS WAY FOR
GREAT BARGAINS.
No. 2 Against the World!

JUST RECEIVED a splendid assortment of Goods, by the subscriber, at No. 2, Brick Row, which can be seen at all hours, and will be sold at the lowest prices. Our friends will please favor us with a call, at least. We will charge you nothing for looking, and very little if you buy. We intend keeping constantly on hand a large assortment of

Cloths,	Alpaccas, [styles.
Cassimeres,	Worsted dresses, various
Sattinets,	Sugars,
Tweeds,	Teas,
Jeans,	Coffee,
Vestings,	Saleratus,
DeLaines,	Spices,
Merinos,	Ginger, &c.,

Also, a large assortment of Crockery.

WALLIS BULL, No. 2, Brick Row.

Towanda, Nov. 5, 1849.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of HUSTON & PORTER, are hereby requested to call and settle at their office No. 1, Brick Row, without delay.

HUSTON & PORTER.

Towanda Feb. 7, 1850.

SALT—A new supply of SALT just received by Feb. 9, 1850. MERCUR'S.

NEW GOODS AT THE
CENTRAL STORE!

NOW opening at the above establishment a very large and desirable assortment of SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, which will be sold at very low rates. Business at this establishment conducted upon fair and honest principles. You have our thanks for past favors and we hope for a continuance of the same as we are bound to sell Goods Cheap.

Towanda, July 4, 1849. N. N. BETTS.

CORN.—1000 bushels CORN wanted at the People's Barge, No. 6, Main-st. Towanda.

Jan. 1, 1850. D. LORD.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of GEORGE SERGEANT, deceased, late of the township of Springfield, are hereby requested to make payment without delay, and those having claims against said estate willplease present them duly authenticated for settlement.

ADELAIDE SERGEANT.
Springfield, Jan. 21 1850. Administratrix.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of HORATIO LADD deceased late of Albany township, are hereby requested to make payment without delay, and those having claims against said estate will please present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MOSES A. LADD,
ARUNAH LADD,
Albany, Jan 23, 1850. Executors.

TEAS.

IMPERIAL, Young Hyson, Hyson Skin and Black Teas, of superior flavor, for sale at prices that will suit judges of the article, at MERCURS'.

TO SPORTSMEN!

JOHN E. GEIGER respectfully informs the public that he has removed his Shop to Main street, next above Wm. Watkin's, and a few rods above the Ward House, where he continues the business of

Manufacturing and Repairing Guns, Pistols, &c

After his long experience in the business, he is confident he can perform all work entrusted to him, in a satisfactory style. JOHN E. GEIGER.

Towanda, Nov. 17, 1849.

LERAYSVILLE ACADEMY.

THIS institution pleasantly located in the village of LeRaysville, Bradford County, Pa., is now in successful operation under the supervision of Rev. H. J. NEWELL, A. M., Principal, and Miss Maria C. Shepard, Preceptress.

TUITION.

Primary studies per quarter,	$3 00
English branches, class commenced,	3 50
do do do advanced,	3 00
Higher English branches,	3 50
Languages and Higher Mathematics,	4 00
Drawing and Painting, each extra,	1 50
Incidental expenses, per quarter,	25

TERMS.

First Quarter commences Sept. 5, 1849.
Second quarter commenced Nov. 21, 1849.
Third quarter commences Feb. 13, 1850.
Fourth quarter commences May 1, 1850.

☞ All bills must be paid by the end of the quarter

JAMES HODGE, Pres't. of Trustees.
J. E. BULLOCK, Secretary. 27tf

GROCERIES of all kinds, for sale at low prices at the Drug Store of H. & P.

OLD WHISKEY.—60 bbls Old Whiskey, just received by TIFFANY & KINGSBERY.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Of the Receipts and Expenditures of the County of Bradford, for A. D. 1849, from January 1st. to December 31st, inclusive.

EXPENDITURES.

Auditors for Auditing public Accounts,	$42 00	
Assessors	1006 75	
On bridge contracts,	200 24	
For fuel,	128 13	
Justices fees,	5 37	
Grand Jurors,	491 71	
Public books for public offices,	73 00	
Criers fees,	62 50	
Traverse Jurors fees,	1713 47	
Various incidental expenses,	113 79	
Bills for printing,	356 75	
Public buildings ordinary repairs,	23 51	
Support of convicts in the E. S. Pen'tary,	117 46	
Stationary,	31 54	
Township views,	3 00	
Prothonotary & clk. quarter sessions fees,	146 01	
On wild cat certificates,	6 00	
Bridge views,	15 00	
Sheriff's Fees for Summoning Jurors &c.,	$175 00	
Sheriff's fees for conveying prisoners to E. S. Penitentiary,	250 00	$425 00
Road views,	9 00	
Costs in commonwealth suits,	750 98	
Election expenses,	573 98	
Total,		$6,863 65

Brought forward,		$6,863 65
Costs in civil suits,		5 04
Money refunded which was paid on redemption of unseated lands in 1846,		1,000 00
Hire of court room in 1848,		84 05
Erection of new court house,		8,287 76
Justices and coroners inquisitions,		23 49
Constables for making returns and attending court,		247 45
Prisoners support,		632 20
Counsel fees,		32 00
Interest upon loan,	$ 898 28	
In payment of loan,	6,825 00	$7,723 28
A. L. Cranmer balance for services as Commissioner in 1848,		50 00
J. H. Black for services as Commissioner in 1846,	$88 70	
" " 1847,	237 59	$326 29
Hiram Spear, 1848,	41 63	
" " 1849,	100 00	$141 63
Simeon Decker, 1848,	29 00	
" " 1849,	129 00	$158 00
C. S. Russell clk. to Com'rs, bal. for services, 1848,	87 50	
" " 1849,	425 00	$512 50
Whole amount,		$26,272 57

Account with the several Collectors of County Taxes for the County of Bradford.

Townships &c.	Collector's Names.	Year.	Am't Charged.	Am't Re'd.	Am't Returned.	Am't Exon'd.	Col. Present.
Towanda tp.,	Richard Horton,	1840	$ 131 35	$	$131 35	$	$
Sheshequin,	Elijah Horton,	1841	22 96		22 96		
Columbia,	Henry Sherwood,	1843	103 05		103 05		
Asylum,	Jason Horton,	1844	4 36		4 36		
Franklin,	Sam'l Annable,	1844	9 42		9 42		
Std'ng Stone,	Isaac Westbrook,	1845	18 38		18 38		
Towanda tp.,	David Rutty,	1845	21 58		21 58		
Albany,	James Wilcox,	1846	32 42		32 42		
Ridgbery,	Hiram Dewy,	1846	14 53		14 53		
Std'ng Stone,	George Vanness,	1846	37 76	20 00	17 76		
Towanda bo.	Wm. Bogart,	1846	60 66	60 66			
Wysox,	Wm. D. Strope,	1846	31 26		31 26		
Athens bo.,	Wm. Kiff,	1847	54 11	32 83			
Granville,	Jno. Vroman,		11 59	11 59			21 26
Monroe,	Jonas P. Smith,		1 75	1 75			
Pike,	G. W. Humphrey,		4 20	4 20			
South Creek,	J. L. Philips,		18 65	8 12			10 48
Towanda tp.,	S. B. Foster,		272 65	272 65			
Ulster,	J. L. Gorseline,		65 06		65 06		
Wysox,	Isaac Post,		51 41	24 68		4 95	21 78
Athens bo.,	L. S. Ellsworth,	1848	409 06	369 02		14 94	26 00
" tp.	N. Edminster,		558 07	447 22	110 85		
Albany,	Williams Lee,		187 83	66 00	121 83		
Burlington,	David A. Ross,		382 46	328 40		18 09	36 97
Canton,	S. H. Fitch,		235 64	200 08			33 56
Columbia,	C. Furman,		297 58	208 00	89 58		
Granville,	D. L. Saxton,		145 53	119 77		8 62	17 14
Herrick,	Arad Goodill.		92 52	48 00	44 52		
Litchfield,	A. P. Wolcott,		212 55	90 50	110 98	11 04	
Monroe,	J. B. Smith,		206 53	162 22	8 73	68	36 58
Pike,	G. W. Humphrey,		67 65	82 09	1 42	4 14	
Rome,	S. Spalding,		204 92	126 00	61 03	1 89	
Ridgbery,	Hiram Dewey,		75 90	53 84			22 14
Sheshequin,	Wm. Post,		171 62	112 14		16 84	42 64
South Creek,	Chas. Lewis,		112 71	5 53	74 02	36 16	
Std'ng Stone,	Charles Roof,		62 80	25 00	37 80		
Towanda bo.	L. W. Tiffany,		637 23	266 65	370 48		
" tp.	Reuben Delong,		19 00	19 00			
Ulster,	J. L. Gorseline,		364 29	340 23			24 06
Warren,	Wm. Bradford, Jr.		127 68	96 72			30 96
Wells.	J. M. Edsall,		95 79	69 23	3 64		22 80
Windham,	Wm. Sibley,		140 61	135 47	5 14		
Wyalusing,	A. P. Siles,		116 16	69 81		11 75	34 64
Wysox,	A. C. Hinman,		36 37	36 37			
Athens bo.	Wm. Hancock,	1849	480 23	298 00	182 23		
" tp.	N. Edminster,		1359 45	734 52	624 93		
Albany,	James Allen,		301 69	240 00	61 69		
Armenia,	C. H. Webber,		75 07	62 28	7 42	1 70	3 67
Asylum,	John M. Horton,		456 04	413 32		20 97	21 75
Burlington,	D. A. Ross,		767 17	402 00	383 17		
Columbia,	Wm. Gernet,		732 14	690 99		4 75	36 36
Canton,	John Gray,		688 35	637 73		17 06	33 56
Durel,	M. T. Vangorder,		417 37	267 00	150 37		
Franklin,	S. Lattimore		267 81	227 56		23 49	11 66
Granville,	Harrison Ross,		371 73	85 00	286 73		
Herrick,	E. Carr,		294 08	171 00	116 79	6 29	
Litchfield,	Wm. Bostwick,		427 74	306 00	121 74		
Leroy,	Ansel Tillotson,		358 45	328 19	1 21	11 72	17 34
Monroe,	Henry B. Myer,		617 01	407 00	240 01		
Orwell,	A. G. Mathews,		659 45	418 00	221 44		
Pike,	R. Brink,		988 38	830 97	151 11	6 30	
Rome,	Isaac P. Towner,		489 16	220 00	253 95	15 21	
Ridgbery,	Hiram Dewey,		448 55	306 00	142 55		
Sheshequin,	John M. Smith,		870 66	823 33		4 00	43 33
Smithfield,	M. B. Gerould,		811 37	751 01		20 79	39 57
Springfield,	L. Leonard,		638 68	450 94	178 62	7 12	
South Creek,	Wm. Goldsmith,		325 18	266 00	60 51		
Std'ng Stone,	Isaac Van Ness,		397 15	285 00	112 15		
Springhill,	Thos. Taylor,		295 15	273 46		7 30	14 39
Towanda bo.	P. L. Shaw,		1571 95	888 98	682 97		
" tp.	Dennis M'Gill,		648 94	552 55	91 70	4 59	
Troy, "	Geo. P. Freeman		829 45	762 61		26 71	40 13
" bo.	H. J. Hoyt,		301 91	277 62		9 68	14 61
Ulster,	J. L. Gorseline,		472 36	335 36	137 00		
Wysox,	A. C. Hinman,		608 22	483 00	109 88	15 34	
Wells,	Wm. S. Ingalls,		479 23	451 05		4 59	22 59
Wyalusing,	Benj. Ackley,		536 55	544 47	81 08	8 00	
Warren,	C. H. Sleeper,		620 07	586 13		3 09	30 85
Windham,	A. Dunham, Jr.		493 34	459 30		9 86	24 18
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