

Farmer's Department.

Hints on Drainage.

The subject of drainage is assuming new importance in this country every year, and we believe, soon to work an entire change in the methods and profits of husbandry in the older States.

There is a double advantage in draining land. It not only yields directly a good return for the capital invested—but it increases the profit of everything else done on the land.

Most of the farmers of means, have now little doubt that drainage in some lands will pay. They are about ready to try the experiment themselves, on some wet spots upon their own farms.

It has been pretty satisfactory settled, that brush, and boards should not be used for drainage, where stone and tile can be used.

As to the use of tile drain or stone, opinions are not yet unanimous. Where the land is full of stone, suitable for laying drains, and it is desirable to get rid of them, it is conceded that it may be advisable to use stone.

Then, again, stone drains are easily obstructed, unless the soil around them is very compact. It is found that sand works into them with great freedom, that the moles bore into them, and, in case of heavy showers, the dirt follows and the outlet becomes choked with the deposits.

The great hindrance to the use of the tile drain in New England, is the heavy expense of freight. Until quite recently Albany has furnished all the Eastern States, and we know of very few tile manufactories now east of the Hudson.

Some drains should be made deep and large—not less than three feet below the surface. There should also be a suitable proportion between the size of the main drains and the side drains that run into it.

WEEDS IN GARDENS.—Nearly every garden is infested with a multitude of unnecessary weeds, and that chiefly because they are allowed to go to seed before any serious attempt is made to exterminate them.

RESPECTFULLY informs his former customers and the public generally, that he has removed his office to the corner of Main and Bridge streets, opposite J.H. Phinney's store.

LEATHER.—A new supply of Sole Leather, Cow Hide, Kip and Calf Skin, at No. 2, Patton's Block, at the corner of Main and Bridge streets.

Miscellaneous. TOWANDA HARDWARE CUTLERY, IRON AND STOVE STORE.

D. C. HALL, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Hardware and Stoves, Iron and Nails, Sash, Glass, Paints and Oils, Hoots, Blows, all kinds of Carriage Trimmings, Seat Cloths and Laces, Carriage Sulkey and Seat Springs, Carriage Seats, Angers, Chisels and all other Tools—Cross Cut, Mill and Circular Saws, Blacksmith Tools, Bellovs, Axes, Vices, Hammers, Old Screw Plates, Axes, Broad Narrow, Lath and Hand Hatches—Cable, Log Trace and Halts, Chains, Crowbars, Picks, Shovels and Spades.

POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY.—Shears and Scissors, Edge Tools of all kinds, Brass and Enamel Kettles, Shovel and Tongues, Spoons and Ladles, Tin Snuggles, Mops and Washboards, and all other kinds of house-keeping implements.

STOVES. Coal and Wood Cooking, Coal and Wood Parlor, Dining Room, Six feet and eight feet heights into Northern Pennsylvania or Southern New York; all of which we are now prepared to sell at wholesale or retail, at low rates, and on good terms as can be seen by our goods.

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Business Cards. DR. CHAS. M. TURNER, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

DR. CHAS. M. TURNER, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Towanda and vicinity. Office and residence in the dwelling recently occupied by H. Booth, Esq., one door north of the Episcopal Church, on Main Street.

JAMES MACFARLANE, ATTORNEY AT LAW, TOWANDA, PA. Occupies the Office, in the building formerly owned by John C. Adams Esq. He will attend to procuring Bounty Land Warrants and Pensions. March 22, 1855.

H. J. MADILL, ATTORNEY AT LAW, TOWANDA, PA. Office over Mercur's Store, Towanda, Pa. MADILL & MORROW, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW.—Office over Mercur's Store, Towanda, Pa. Towanda, April 2, 18.

DR. E. H. MASON, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, offers his professional services to the inhabitants of Towanda and vicinity. Office at his residence on Pine street, where he can always be found when not professionally engaged.

E. B. PARSONS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, TROY, Bradford Co., Pa. Office over A. M. H. P. Long's store. Aug. 7, 1856.

HENRY B. M'KEAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, TOWANDA, PA. will pay prompt attention to business entrusted to him. Collections made on reasonable terms, with prompt remittance. Oct 19, 1855.

G. H. MORGAN, M. D., PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, having recently graduated at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, attended the Blockley Hospital, and received a Diploma from the Pennsylvania Hospital of Philadelphia, offers his professional services to the people of Monroeton and vicinity. N. B. Particular attention paid to UTERINE DYSRREGULATION. Office at his residence at Monroeton. Dec. 8, 1857.

ELIHAN SMITH, having returned to Towanda, has opened a Law Office over Mercur's Store. Dec. 1, 1857.

MCCABE'S CENTRAL MEAT MARKET, Between J. Kingsberg's & J. Powell's stores. THE subscriber would respectfully tender to his customers and the public generally his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage extended to him the past season. He solicits a continuance of the same.

TOWANDA FOUNDRY. THE subscriber continues to carry on the Foundry business in Towanda, and is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line on short notice and in a workmanlike manner.

THE GOOD SWISS SALVE IS THE GREAT CURE OF FEVER SORES. It gives immediate relief from pain, and in a quick & safe manner, it is so efficacious, to be confidently relied upon to heal the wounds gradually and safely, after extracting all poisonous matter, until a permanent cure is made.

THE GOOD SWISS SALVE, which has gained such a reputation throughout Europe and the United States, is prepared by Dr. Heinrich Gottlof, a native of Berne, Switzerland, and for many years Professor in the Berne Institute, now a resident of the United States, where several boxes may be required, as it is one half cheaper. A pot holds 8 boxes and sells for one dollar. Hundreds of families keep it in this convenient form as a necessary household article.

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Miscellaneous. JEWELRY! JEWELRY! JEWELRY!

A. M. Warner's New & Splendid Jewelry Store, one door north of Patton's Drug Store. HAS just been opened with the largest and most choice stock of FASHIONABLE JEWELRY ever offered to a discriminating public.

TOWANDA CABINET WAREHOUSE. CHESTER WELLS would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he is now receiving at his stand one door north of Laporte, Mason & Co.'s banking house, a large and extensive assortment of Sofas, Mahogany Chairs, of various patterns, Rosewood and Mahogany Side and Centre Tables, Dining Tea and Pembroke Tables, Stands of every kind, Case, Chair and Bedsteads, high Chairs, Children's Rockers, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Lounges, Gilt and Rosewood Bedsteads, Trunks, Chests, Corners and side of walnut and mahogany; Cradles, Crib, Wardrobes, Cupboards, Looking glasses, &c.

THE OLD STAND STILL IN OPERATION! THE subscriber would announce to the public that he is now receiving at his stand one door north of Laporte, Mason & Co.'s banking house, a large and extensive assortment of Sofas, Mahogany Chairs, of various patterns, Rosewood and Mahogany Side and Centre Tables, Dining Tea and Pembroke Tables, Stands of every kind, Case, Chair and Bedsteads, high Chairs, Children's Rockers, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Lounges, Gilt and Rosewood Bedsteads, Trunks, Chests, Corners and side of walnut and mahogany; Cradles, Crib, Wardrobes, Cupboards, Looking glasses, &c.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, & C. West side of the Public Square, opposite the Court House. BAILEY & NEVINS are just receiving a large addition to their stock of Groceries, Groceries, Yankee Notions, Toys, Fruit, Confectionary, &c., which they will sell at wholesale or retail, or on exchange for most kinds of country produce, at prices that cannot fail to suit purchasers. Consumers or country dealers would do well to call and examine our stock and prices.

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DR. PORTER'S OFFICE & DRUG STORE, SOUTH END OF THE WARD HOUSE, Fronting the Public Square.

THE subscriber, thankful for the liberal patronage of the past year, intends to keep constantly on hand a full assortment of the very best articles usually kept in our line, which he will dispose of on such terms as will be satisfactory to all who may patronize him. The purchases are made entirely with cash in hand, and for the CASE of customers will receive the benefit of a good article at a low price. All articles shall answer our recommendations and are warranted as represented.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND GROCERIES. Pure Wine & Liquors, for Medicinal use, London Porter & Scotch Ale. ALL THE MOST POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES. The most approved Trusses and Abdominal Supporters, Nursing Bottles, Mops, Shells, Breast Pumps, Teeth Rings, Syringes, Catheters, &c.

AMERICAN, ENGLISH & CHINESE RAZORS AND KNIVES. FRESH CAMPHENE & BURNING FLUID—NEW & BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS OF LAMPS! Superior TOBACCO & SNUFF!—Choice brands of Pure Havana, Principe and Yara CIGARS! Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass, Brushes, Perfumery, Shaving Soap, Fancy Articles, &c. &c.

FAMILY GROCERIES: Black and Green Teas; Rio and Java Coffee; Molasses, Syrups, Sugars, &c. &c. REMEMBER THE STORE—SOUTH END OF THE WARD HOUSE. Towanda, February 1, 1855. H. C. PORTER, N.Y.

NEW ARRANGEMENT. The Mammoth Hardware Store OF CHATFIELD & STORRS. OWEGO, N. Y. Is now receiving a large and well selected assortment of Foreign & Domestic Hardware.

HOUSE TRIMMINGS, of every description, Carpenters, Cabinet makers, Blacksmiths and Shoe makers' TOOLS, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS. In fact almost everything that the industry of the country requires. In addition we are constantly receiving and keep on hand a full stock of Saddlery Hardware, and Carriage Maker's Goods.

NEW ARRANGEMENT. PATTON'S PAYNE, JUST OPENED, ON THE CORNER OF BRIDGE AND MAIN STREETS, No. 4, Patton's Block, Towanda, Pa. THE subscribers would respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have formed a copartnership in the Drug business, and are now receiving at No. 4, in Patton's New Brick Block, from the cities of Philadelphia and New York, a large and well selected stock of American, French and English

CHEMICALS, DRUGS, MEDICINES, GROCERIES, PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS, DYE STUFFS, A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FANCY ARTICLES, DRESSING COMBS, PERFUMERY, FANCY SOAPS, PORT MONNAIS, &c. SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, and a variety of the most approved Trusses and Abdominal Supporters, &c., always on hand.

LONDON PORTER and Scotch Ale, and Pure Liquors, for Medicinal purposes. ALL THE MOST POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES. Brushes for the Hat, Hair, Teeth, Nails, Boots, Painting, Varnishing, Whitewashing, &c. The Lovers of GOOD CIGARS and TOBACCO, will find a large variety of choice Havana, Yara and Principe Cigars, and the finest brands of Tobacco and Snuff.

Waverly Marble Establishment. F. H. BALDWIN, having purchased the Marble Factory of this village, under the superintendence of H. Bradford, the subscriber is happy to announce that the Marble business in Waverly will now be conducted by him. He is constantly receiving ITALIAN AND RUTLAND MARBLE, for Monuments, Headstones, Tomb Tablets, and Stand Tops, Paint Stones, Malters, &c. Having secured the services of G. H. POWERS, who is well known to be the most perfect Artist in the State, he offers unparalleled inducements to persons wishing to secure any of the above articles, in cheapness, style and Artistic beauty. Waverly, N. Y., Feb. 3, 1857.

FOR RENT. THE subscriber, guardian of the minor children of Daniel O'Keefe, deceased, offers for rent the very desirable property in Bone twp., Bradford County, known as the Bone Springs Farm, a large and beautiful farm, containing about 100 acres of land, with a large and commodious house, and other buildings. There is near the house a celebrated Mineral Spring, which in the possession of a proper person would attract many visitors. The Farm contains 55 acres, about 50 of which are improved. Possession given on the 1st of April next. JOHN M'MAHON, Guardian.

WANTED.—I wish to purchase 100,000 feet of MAPLE SCANTLING 13 feet long, and 3 1/2 inches square. Any one wishing to make a contract for any or all, can do so by calling at my Furniture Warehouse in Towanda. Dec. 15, 1857. JOHN M'MAHON, Guardian.

NEW ARRANGEMENT. A Ribbons and Gloves, expressly for the Ladies, and a new stock of Lace and Ribbons, and a variety of other goods in this line, just received by W. A. ROCKWELL. Sept. 15, 1857.