Farmer's Department.

(For the Reporter.)

Plowing for Wheat.

MR. EDITOR :—It may be difficult in these times, when one-half the people are either preachers or lawyers and the other half politicians, to call the attention of any considerable number of them to a subject which bears directly upon their business and interests.—Yet I will venture the experiment.

In preparing ground for wheat, it has formerly been the practice to "summer fallow" it—that is, break it up in June—turning under a fair crop of grass or clover for decomposition ; then, immediately before sowing to turn it all up again to the action of the sun and air—thus exposing to waste, by evaporation and otherwise, much of the sustenance designed for the plant. And some farmers, as though fearing the work of improvement had not been fully accomplished, stir up the soil a third time before seeding. The consequence of such superabundant and wasteful labor was, that nearly all the vegetable matter put beneath the surface at the first plowing and designed as food for the plant, made its escape from the soil in the form of gases. True, the warmth of the soil consequent upon frequent stirring, and the presence of extremely volatile food stimulated a fair growth in the fall, but when the time came for making the *kernel*, which is the great desideratum in wheat growing, the plant was found enfeebled for the want of the nutriment, which, the fall previous had been "wasted on the desert air." An imperfect and light berry was usually obtained. Much of the failure in wheat growing may be traced to this system of "summer fallowing."

When farmers will learn that their plants have not teeth wherewith to masticate their food, and that therefore, before they can absorb it and appropriate it to their growth and development, it must undergo decomposition and assume that gaseous form in which it can easily escape beyond their reach, then will they take steps to retain that food within the sphere and reach of their growing crops.

A good way to secure that very desirable result is to plow the ground but *once* and *well*, and that too about two weeks before sowing. Plowing ground *well* is a thing not *well* understood by many farmers. But I will not offer a dissertation on that subject now. Very rough ground, of course, should be plowed twice until it is made smooth,—afterwards but once. Immediately before sowing it should be harrowed *thoroughly* that the surface may be mellowed and pulverized. Put the wheat in with a two horse cultivator if to be had, if not then drag it well, as the full growth of the crop depends much on having the ground well pulverized with the harrow.

The advantages of this practice are simply these : The manures turned under will not decompose and pass out of the soil in the fall, as it so generally does by the former practice ; and consequently they are on hand the following season when their presence is so essential to the growth and perfection of the berry. A few well tried experiments will establish the above facts, and give a decided preference to the latter system of wheat growing.

Yours, K.

WEANING CALVES.—This, and the next month are the usual seasons for weaning calves from their dams when they have been so far reared at the teat, or for cutting them altogether off from their milk diet—say at the age of four months. We presume they have had plenty of grass and water meantime, both of which they partake freely. But they sadly miss their accustomed milk diet when deprived of it, and to insure their continued growth, a substitute must be given in the shape of corn, oat, or oil meal. The three mixed in about equal quantities are best given at the rate of a pint of the mixture each morning and evening—a quart a day. It may be laid dry, in a capacious trough, and with a slight sprinkling of salt on it, they will soon eat and love it. The pasture should still be fresh and sweet, and after a month of the meal diet it may be gradually discontinued.

Calves, about weaning time, are apt to get lousy, if not in high condition Look to this, and if any be found, apply the remedies we published page 279 of last volume, which will prove effectual. That is ; rub on the lousy places, a little *soft* grease mixed with a sprinkling of common Scotch snuff, which will cause the lice to leave at once. If you have not the snuff, the grease alone will do. The lice take up their abode on poor animals where there is not an abundance of natural oil exuded.

As the season progresses, feed them green corn-stalks, finely cut up if necessary. Pumpkins, when ripe, are capital food for calves ; green turnips, beet, and carrot tops, or any other green food they will eat. And so they should progress till ready to go into Winter quarters. A good three-year-old calf which has grown right along from the time of its birth without check or hindrance, will be worth two poor, stunted things. One comes out a fine cow, bull or bullock, while the others are pinched, deformed by poverty, and unsatisfactory altogether.

We have raised hundreds of calves, and in all sorts of ways. A third less *pure milk* drawn from the teat by the calf, is quite as good as the full quantity milked by hand, and then fed the calf. We know this by trial.—Sucking is the natural way—feeding is not. But in feeding, skimmed milk and other food may be added, answering good purposes, and rearing the calf at less expense.—*American Agriculturist.*

RATS.—Agricultural writers estimate that every rat eats and destroys on an average, one pint of grain, or its equivalent in other food, per week.

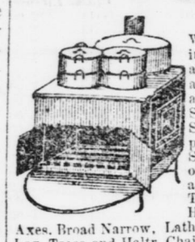
A farmer who has been troubled with this species of vermin, calculates that, on an average every farmer in the State of Pennsylvania (taking that State as a sample) supports ten rats on his premises. Ten rats, at a pint each per week would consume eight bushels of grain per year ; or, take 150,000 as the number of farmers in the State, one million two hundred thousand bushels annually to support the rats of Pennsylvania ; a very considerable contribution towards the maintenance of a nuisance.

☞ A tubful of soapsuds, farmers should remember, is worth as much as a wheelbarrow of good manure. Every bucket of soapsuds should not be lost. The garden is a convenient place in which to dispose of it ; but around the roots of grape-vines, young trees, or anything of the sort, will do as well.

☞ A fine coat may cover a fool, but never conceals one.

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, House Trimmings—all kinds of Carriage trimmings, Seat Cloths and Laces, Carriage Sulkey and Seat Springs, Carpenters' and Joiners' Planes, Saws, Augers, Chisels and all other Tools—Cross Cut, Mill and Circular Saws, Blacksmith Tools, Bellows, Anvils, Vices, Hammers and Screw Plates, Axes, Broad Narrow, Lath and Hand Hatchets—Cable, Log, Trace and Haltr, Chains, Crowbars, Picks, Shovels and Spades.

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

In the HARDWARE line, Brass, Brittania, Jappaned and Plain Tin Ware, single or in setts, Bar, Band, Scroll and Hoop Iron, Steel of all kinds, Nail Rods, &c. Pumps, Lead Pipe and all the necessary fixtures for water works. Patent, Stretched Leather Belting and String Leather, and 10,000 other articles too numerous to mention, that we are now receiving direct from the hands of manufacturers and importers, including the largest assortment and greatest variety of

STOVES

Coal and Wood Cooking, Coal and Wood Parlor, Dining-Room, Six Plate and Cylinder, ever brought into Northern Pennsylvania or Southern New York ; all of which we are now prepared to sell at wholesale or retail, at as low rates, and on as good TERMS as can be found this side of New-York, from the fact that all our goods were bought of first hands and in full packages and large quantities, that gives us an advantage over smaller purchasers and Dry Goods dealers, that will enable us to sell from 5 to 15 per cent. less than any of them, which advantage we shall offer to any who will favor us with a call before purchasing elsewhere.

A large quantity of Tin ware, Stove Pipe and Elbows always on hand, wholesale and retail. All kinds of Job Work done to order, on short notice and warranted.

Don't mistake the place to buy STOVES and HARDWARE cheap—one door South of Fox's, and nearly opposite Tracy & Moore's, Main street, in the new Wood Building, *lettered all over.*

Grain and Country Produce, old Iron, Brass, Brittania and Copper, Dried Fruit of all kinds, Feathers and Beeswax wanted for goods.

10,000 Sheep Pelts wanted, for which the highest price in Cash will be paid.

Towanda, April 2, 1857.

R. WATROUS.....H. M. SEWARD.....E. H. COOK.

R. WATROUS & Co., *DEALERS IN HEAVY & SHELF HARDWARE*, No's. 1 & 3, Water st. Elmira, N. Y.

We have recently made large additions to our extensive stock, and have now on hand a complete assortment of every description of Hardware, which we offer at the lowest cash prices; consisting of Mechanic's Tools, Building Materials, Iron and steel, Nails and spike, Ropes and Cordage, Paints, Oils and Glass, Mill saws of every size and shape, either Mulay Gang or Circular.

Machine Belting, of all widths, both of India Rubber & leather, Glass at wholesale. We are prepared to supply Merchants with Glass, Nails, scythes, Forks, &c., at Manufacturers prices. Tin, sheet iron, and Copper work on hand or made to order.

CONTRACTOR'S TOOLS—Wheelbarrows, Ames' Shovels, Blasting Powder, &c.

Agents for Rich & Wilder's Patent Salamander Safes, Fairbank's Platform Scales, and Welch & Griffith's Circular saws.

Large sizes up to 60 inch, always on hand and sold at Factory Prices. Particular attention paid to orders by mail.

Elmira, April 7, 1856. n-44-12m

Susquehanna Collegiate Institute,

TOWANDA, BRADFORD CO., PA.

INSTRUCTORS.

DAVID CRAFT, A. B., Principal, Professor of Ancient Languages and Mental and Moral Science ;
OLIVER S. DEAN, A. B., Professor of Mathematic and Natural Science.
MISS A. ELIZA FRITCHER, Preceptress ;
MISS EMILIE A. BUTLER, Assistant ;
MISS O. LOUISA JENKS, Instructor on Piano, and of Drawing ;
Mr. CANFIELD DAYTON, Steward.

The Fall Term commences on Wednesday, AUGUST 25, and will continue 14 weeks.

EXPENSES PER TERM.

Payable invariably in advance, or one half on entering the school, and one half at the middle of the term—Fuel and contingencies included :

Primary, per term	$ 4 00
Preparatory	6 00
Higher, 1st year, per term	7 00
Higher, 1st and 2d year, per term	8 00
Classical, 1st year, per term	7 00
Classical, 2d and 3d year, per term	8 00
Collegiate, per term	10 00

N. B. Pupils will be classed by the most advanced branch they respectively pursue.

Pupils using scholarships are charged $1 per term for fuel and contingents ; for instrument on which to take lessons, 50c, or for practice $2.00.

EXTRAS.

French	$5 00
Drawing	3 00
Tuition on Piano Forte with use of Instrument	12 00
do do per quarter of 11 weeks	10 00
Board in the Institute, per week, including fuel and light	2 00
Washing, per dozen	38

No scholar, whose parents or guardians shall reside within two miles of the Institute shall be admitted to tuition therein upon any permanent scholarship rented or loaned by such pupil, his or her parent or guardian.

The arrangements for Boarding will be under the entire control and management of the Steward, while the Principal and Teachers residing in the Institute, will be able to exercise a constant watch over the pupils, mingling with them as members of the same family ; as a Boarding School for youth of both sexes, the Institute will afford increased and superior advantages. Parents and guardians may be assured that all due care will be exercised over the health, the manners and morals of those entrusted to their care, and all suitable aid rendered at all times in promoting their advancement in study.

Pupils boarding in the Hall, will furnish their own beds, bedding, towels, &c. and the table silver at their option.

Pupils entering the Institute are pledged to the observance of the regulations, and none will be admitted on other terms.

Special exercises are arranged without extra charge for those qualifying themselves as teachers for common schools.

S. F. COLT, Secretary. C. L. WARD, President.
July 7, 1858. A. WICKHAM, Treas.

NOW IS THE TIME
TO GET
MELAINOTYPES & AMBROTYPES CHEAP !
G. H. WOOD

Has reduced his prices of all kinds of Pictures with Cases, 25 per cent. for the Winter.

Frames of all kinds kept on hand also at reduced prices. Good Cases with Melainotypes, 75 cents ; all other kinds in proportion. Remember the reduction is only for the Winter, and so improve the time. Rooms open at all hours. Pictures taken in all kinds of weather (except for children.) All work warranted.

Towanda, Dec. 8, 1857. G. H. WOOD.

H. A. BURBANK'S BAKERY

One Door North of the Ward House.

TOWANDA, PA.

WHERE you can find a constant supply of Bread, Rusk, Crackers, Cookies, Jumbles, and all kinds of Fancy Cakes.

☞ OYSTERS furnished by the quart or keg, or cooked to order.

☞ Particular attention paid to filling orders for parties

Returning our sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed upon us during the past year, and hoping by close application to business to merit a continuance of the same, we remain as ever, your humble servant,

March 16, 1857. H. A. BURBANK.

GEO. H. BUNTING,

RESPECTFULLY informs his former customers and the public generally, that he has removed his

TAILOR'S SHOP,

To one door south of Tracy & Moore's store and immediately opposite D. C. Hall's Stove and Tin Store Main st.

He flatters himself that from his long experience in business he will be able to please all who may favor him with their custom. Owing to the *low pressure* in the money market, he will make Coats from $2 50 to $5 50 each and other work in proportion for READY PAY.

Country Produce in payment, will not be refused, if offered. Towanda, March 20, 1858.

WANTED.—I wish to purchase 100,000 feet of MAPLE SCANTLING 13 feet long, and 3½ inches square. Any one wishing to make a contract for any or all, can do so by calling at my Furniture Ware Rooms in Towanda.

Sept. 15, 1857. CHESTER WELLS.

SUMMER GOODS, Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Hats, Caps, Hosiery, &c., &c., at

June 9, 1858. HUMPHREY & WICKHAM'S.

Business Cards.

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 Maine Street.

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

H. J. MADILL.....P. D. MORROW.

MADILL & MORROW, *ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW*,—Office over Mercur's Store, Towanda, Pa.

Towanda, April 2, 18. n-43-tf

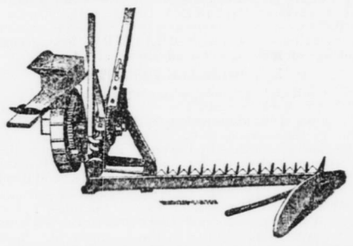
DR. E. H. MASON, *PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON*, offers his professional services to the people of Towanda and vicinity. Office at his residence on Pine street, where he can always be found when not professionally engaged.

E. B. PARSONS, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, TROY, Bradford Co., Pa. Office over V. M. & H. F. Long's store. Aug. 7, 156.

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 remittances. oct19

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

Tioga Point
Agricultural & Junction Iron Works,
AT
Athens, Bradford County, Pa.
WELLES, BLOOD & CO.



KIRBY'S MOWER AND REAPER.

WE are manufacturing the above mentioned excellent machine for Eastern Pennsylvania and the neighboring Counties in New York, and invite the particular attention of farmers to the following features of Kirby's Mower and reaper, which we believe to be superior to all others in use, in the following particulars :—It is the lightest in use ; strong and durable ; simple in construction ; easily worked ; adapted for horses or oxen ; require much less draught than other machines ; has no side draught though it cuts a wide swath ; will work on rough ground where no other machine can follow it ; very difficult to be clogged in any kind of grass, be it wet or dry ; not liable to get out of repair ; is composed principally of iron ; *is a perfect combined machine, working equally well whether mowing or reaping ; and is the cheapest in price,*—Mower being only $100, and the combined Machine $120,—making it altogether the most desirable Mower and Reaper in market.

☞ Farmers wanting RELIABLE Mowers and Reapers, should by all means see our machine before making up their minds to buy any other. Additional and interesting information concerning the Kirby machine is contained in our Illustrated Catalogue, which also describes our other machines and implements : among which are

EMERY'S PATENT CHANGEABLE RAIL ROAD HORSE POWERS ;

TIOGA POINT IMPROVED THRESHERS & CLEANERS, THRESHERS & SEPARATORS, PORTABLE SAW-MILLS, PLOWS, CULTIVATORS AND HORSE HOES, CIDER MILLS, DRILLS.

OUR PORTABLE DOG POWER

is a valuable machine, and much superior to the common inclined wheel, and is adapted for dairies of from 5 to 20 cows.

Send for copies of our Catalogue and Price List for yourself and neighbors.

WELLES, BLOOD & CO.

Athens, Pa., June 10, 1858.

THE MOWING MACHINE
That Everybody Likes!

ALLEN'S PATENT IMPROVED MOWER AND MOWER AND REAPER COMBINED. Strong and simple in construction, not liable to get out of order, compact, light, easy of draft, so easy as to be comforable all day work for a light team ; safe to the driver, and may be worked at a slow gait by horses and oxen.

No clogging of knives ; works well on side hills, and in any kind of grass, heavy or light, coarse or fine, lodged or standing, ripe or unripe, wet or dry, long or short, or sanded.

Not confined to localities where other machines work, but will do good where others operate indifferently, or none at all.

It is believed that no person can be found having one, that would exchange it for the best of other kinds, and fifty dollars.

☞ Every machine warranted to give entire satisfaction. For sale by P. P. PECKHAM.

Columbia X Roads, Bradford County, Pa.

May 18, 1858.

McCABE'S
CENTRAL MEAT MARKET,

Between J. Kingsbery'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.

He would say to the public that he intends to keep constantly on hand a choice selection of MEATS of all kinds, the best the country affords, which he intends to sell for very small profits, either by the side, quarter or pound.—Please give me a call.

☞ Meats, &c., will be delivered on short notice, when ordered, at any place in the Corporation.

Towanda, Feb. 12, 1857. J. McCABE.

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. He will keep on hand or make to order Plows, Stoves, Mill Irons, Sleigh Shoes, Wagon-Boxes, and any article of cast iron that may be required. Turning and fitting up work will be done on short notice and on reasonable terms. Persons wishing to purchase Stoves of any kind will find it much to their advantage to buy at the Foundry, as they can be repaired much cheaper. Please call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Old cast iron and Grain taken in payment.—Don't mistake the place—one door east of Mercur's Block.

☞ I would also say to those having accounts standing over six months, that they must be settled without delay, and those having notes that are due will do well to pay up and save cost. JOHN CARMAN.

Towanda, Oct. 22, 1856.

NEW TIN SHOP!

THE undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has opened a new

TIN WARE & SHEET IRON ESTABLISHMENT

in the Foundry, first door below Mercur's Store, where he is prepared to conduct the business in all its various branches.

Tin Ware and House Spouting of all kinds, made to order, on short notice. Stoves of various styles constantly for sale. Particular attention paid to Jobbing. Old Iron, Copper and Brass taken in exchange for goods.

June 1, 1858. JOHN CARMAN.

ARE YOU INSURED?

Susquehanna Mutual Insurance Co.,

TOWANDA, BRADFORD COUNTY, PA.

THIS Company insures against loss or damage by Fire. Dwelling houses, Furniture Warehouses, Stores and Merchandize, &c., on the most reasonable terms.

DIRECTORS.

H. W. TRACY,	ALLEN M'KEAN,
JOHN F. LONG,	GUY TRACY,
EZRA HOLCOMB,	JOB KIRBY,
JUSTUS LEWIS,	DANIEL BAILEY,
ISAAC MYER,	WM. KINGSLEY,
PRECEPTOR FORBES,	JOSEPH POWELL.

H. W. TRACY, President.

ALLEN M'KEAN, Vice President ; JUDSON HOLCOMB, Secretary ; LAPORTE, MASON & CO., Treas.

A LARGE assortment of Ladies Fancy Baskets, Childrens Willow and Empire Cabs, &c., at No. 2 Pattons Block.

April 21, 1858. WM. A. ROCKWELL.

FLOUR ! FLOUR !—A first rate article of Western Flour, may be had at SOLOMON'S in Mercur's Block, lower than can be purchased in this vicinity.

April 26, 1858. M. E. SOLOMON.

Miscellaneous

JEWELRY! JEWELRY! JEWELRY!

A. M. Warner's

New & Splendid Jewelry Store, one door north of Pattons Drug Store,

HAS just been opened with the largest and most choice stock of FASHIONABLE JEWELRY ever offered to a discriminating public. Indeed, he can safely say that with the opening of his new store has been inaugurated a new era in the Jewelry line, inasmuch as along with the choice and elegant assortment he gives the most reliable assurance of an almost incredible reduction in prices ; the rich and tasteful articles having been all bought with ready cash.

A. M. W., when he reflects how, for the past years, with a far less attractive stock, he has enjoyed so large a share of public patronage, flatters himself that the immense increase of Goods he now offers, which have been bought so much more advantageously, will enable him to increase the generous confidence which has hitherto been vouchsafed to him. He therefore solicits a continuance of the favor of his old customers, and invites the public generally to come and see the fashions.

☞ THE WATCH REPAIRING DEPARTMENT will continue to be distinguished by the skill and despatch which has heretofore enabled it to enjoy the enviable reputation of being the most reliable in town.

Towanda, September 24, 155.

TOWANDA CABINET WAREHOUSE

CHESTER WELLS would respectfully inform his friends and the public that he is now receiving at his old 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, Cane, Flag and Wood seat Chairs, high Chairs, Children's Rockers, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Lounges, Gilt and Rosewood Picture Frames, Iron Hat Stands, Corner and Side do.

of walnut and mahogany ; Cradles, Cribs, Wardrobes Cupboards, Looking glasses, &c.

☞ COFFINS, of every size and quality, and will attend on all occasions when required.

The public are invited to examine my assortment before purchasing elsewhere, as I will sell cheaper than any other establishment in Northern Pennsylvania.

Towanda, August 8, 1855.

THE OLD STAND
STILL IN OPERATION!

THE subscriber would announce to the public that he has now on hand, and will make to order all kinds of CABINET FURNITURE such as Sofas, Divans, Lounges, Centre, Card, Dining and Breakfast Table. Mahogany, Walnut, Maple and Cherry Bureaus, Stands of various kinds, Chairs and Bedsteads of every description, which are, and will be made of the best material and workmanlike manner, and which they will sell for cash cheaper than can be bought in any other Ware-room in the country.

READY-MADE COFFINS, on hand on the most reasonable terms. A good HEARSE will be furnished on Funeral occasions. JAMES MACKINSON.

Towanda, January 1. 1857.

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 Provisions, Groceries, Yankee Notions, Toys, Fruit, Confectionary, &c., which will be sold wholesale of retail for cash, or in exhange 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.

GROCERIES.

Black and Green Tea, Rio and Java Coffee, Chocolate, Cocoa, Sugar, Molasses, Syrup, Ginger, Pepper, Spice, Cloves, nutmegs, Mace cinamon, Ground Mustard, Pepper Sauce, Soda, Saleratus, Cream Tartar, Sperm and Tallow Candles, Bar Soap, Vinegar, Starch, &c.

PROVISIONS.

Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Rye Flour, Corn Meal, Feed, Pork, Hams & Shoulders, Mackerel, Codfish, Shad, Lake Trout, Pickeled and Smoked Herring, Cheese, Rice, Beans, Onions, Potatoes, Butter, Lard, Crackers, &c. &c.

FRUIT.

Prunes, Citron, Figs, Eng. Currants, Raisins, Lemons and Oranges, Green and Dried Apples, and Peaches, Almonds, Pecan nuts, Brazil nuts, Grenoble and Madeira Walnuts, Filberts, Pea nuts, Chestnuts, Hickory nuts, &c.

GERMAN, FRENCH and AMERICAN TOYS, FANCY GOODS &c.—Boys' Sleighs, Tin Wagons, China, Pewter & Wood Tea Setts, Dolls, Trumpets, Toy Guns, Accordians, Harmonicas, Glass, Paper and Wood Inlaid Work Boxes and Toilet Cases, Toy Bureaus, Secretaries, &c, Pearl, Ivory, Papier Mache and Leather Port Monaies Wallets, Purses, Ivory, Horn and Wood Pocket and Toilet Combs, Tobacco and Snuff Boxes, Cigar Cases, Tooth, Hair and Cloth Brushes, Fancy Mirrors, Perfumery, Hair Oil, &c.

FOOLS CAP, Letter, Commercial Note and Bath Post Paper, Envelopes, Wafers, Sealing Wax, Ink, Inkstands, Water Cups, Sand Boxes, Penholders, Pens, Wafer scales, &c. &c.

TABLE AND DAIRY SALT, Salina and Rock Salt, and Cayuga Ground Plaster. BAILEY & NEVINS.

Towanda, November 26, 1855.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN,

CLOCK & WATCH REPAIRER.—The undersigned is constantly receiving from New-York by Express, new additions to his Stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver ware, and Fancy Goods, comprising in part—Gold and Silver Lever, L'Epine and Plain Watches, with a full and complete assortment of Fine Gold Jewelry such as Gold chains, Lockets, Bracelets, Gold Pens, Keys, Breast-Pins, Ear-Rings, Finger-Rings, etc. etc. Also, a large variety of Silver ware, such as Table and Tea Spoons, Cream spoons, Butter knives, Salt spoons, Spectacles, together with an extensive assortment of Plated Ware—All of which will be sold very low for CASH.

CLOCKS.—A large assortment Clocks just received, of all descriptions, ranging in prices from 75 cents to Fifty Dollars.

☞ Watches repaired on short notice, and WARRANTED to run well. Also, all kinds Clocks repaired.

W. A. C. would beg leave to say, that he is prepared to execute the most difficult Jobs, such as can be done at no other Shop short of New-York city.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN.

Towanda, February 1, 1857.

Patronize a Home Enterprize!

A Book-Bindery in Towanda!

WE would respectfully announce to our friends and the public generally, that we have connected with our Printing Office and Book & Stationery Store, a Plain and Fancy BOOK-BINDERY, and earnestly solicit the patronage of all who desire anything in the line.

Having secured the services of one of the best binders in the United States, we flatter ourselves that we can give universal satisfaction both in workmanship and price.—Therefore we present to the public the strongest assurances that we are prepared to bind in a workmanlike manner, all kinds of BOOKS, among which we may name Bibles, Histories, Music, Magazines, Pamphlets, Periodicals, Law and School Books, to order or pattern in

French, Italian, German and English style ; in Velvet, Silk, Cloth, Leather and Paper.

upon the most reasonable rates, for CASH, or ready pay

☞ Give us a trial.

Particular attention given to re-binding Books. All work warranted to be properly executed.

☞ Plain and Fancy Paper Boxes made to order.

Jan 1, 1858. E. A. PARSONS.

BOOKS & STATIONERY!

☞ The attention of the public is requested to the very general and excellent assortment always on hand at the Argus Book and Stationery Store, first building north of the Ward House. Call and examine our stock.

BARCLAY COAL.—THE BARCLAY RAIL ROAD AND COAL COMPANY have now on hand, and will keep constantly for sale at TOWANDA, a large supply of their coal, at

$2 50 *per ton for Blacksmith Coal, and*
$3 00 *per ton for Raked Coal.*

Apply for coal at Towanda to O. D. BARTLETT. Coal will also be sold at the MINES at

$2 00 *per ton for Blacksmith Coal, and*
$2 50 *per ton for Raked Coal.*

A liberal discount will be made on sales by the boat load.

Oct. 7, 1857. J. MACFARLANE, Gen'l Sup't.

EXTRACTS for flavoring, for sale cheap at FOX'S.

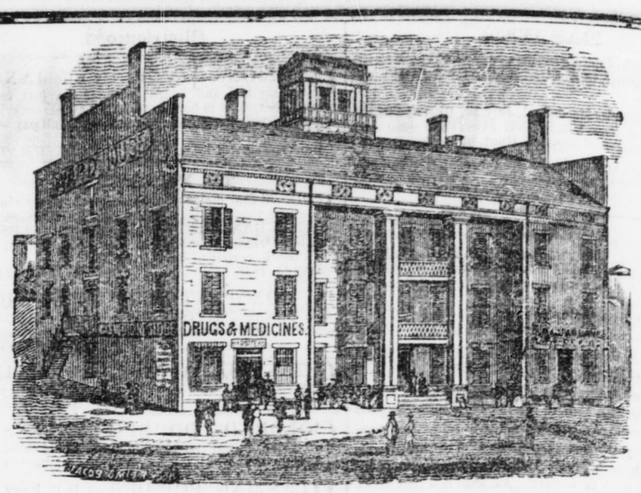
LADIES' DRESS GOODS.—Just receiving the present week, a large assortment of Ladies' Dress Goods, Shawls, Fringes, Lawns, Robes, Challis, Prints, Ginghams, &c., Cc., which we offer very low for Cash.

June 8, 1858. HUMPHREY & WICKHAM.

Attention! Dentists! Teeth!

JUST received, an assortment of Superior MINERAL TEETH—warranted to stand fire, riveting, mastication, &c. They are good imitations of Nature and present every variety of form, size, color and arrangement, from a single tooth to an entire set, with or without artificial gums, with desirable large sized and extra long platina pins. For sale by

Towanda, June 15, 1858. DR. H. C. PORTER.



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 sortment 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 CASH customers will receive the benefit of a good article at a low price. All articles *shall* answer our recommendation *and are warranted as represented.*

☞ Medical Advice gratuitously given at the Office, charging only for the Medicines.

The stock consists of a complete and select assortment of

DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND GROCERIES,

Pure Ale & Wines, for Medicinal use, London Porter & Scotch Ale.

ALL THE MOST POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES!

The most approved Trusses and Abdominal Supporters, Nursing Bottles, Nipple 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 Havanna, Principe and Yara CIGARS !

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass, Brushes, Perfumery, Shaving Soap, Fancy Articles, &c. &c.

Hair Dyes, Hair Restorer, Fancy Soaps, Shaving Cream, Tooth Powder, Extracts for the Handkerchief, Italian Whisks, Port monnais, Purses, Bay, Colonge, Rose and Lavender Waters, Tobacco and Snuff Boxes, Indellible Ink, &c.

FAMILY GROCERIES:

Black and Green Teas ; Rio and Java Coffee ; Molasses, Syrups, Sugars, Spices, &c. &c. Salmon, Mackerel, Sardines, &c.

REMEMBER THE STORE—SOUTH END OF THE WARD HOUSE

Towanda, February 1, 1855. H. C. PORTER M. D.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

The Mammoth Hardware Store
OF
CHATFIELD & STORRS.
OWEGO, N. Y.

Is now receiving a large and well selected asfortment of

Foreign & Domestic Hardware

Consisting of

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

Swedes and American Iron, Horse shoe Iron, Nail rods, &c.

Warranted of the best quality, and sold as cheap as can be purchased of any establishment west of New York. Parker mill Nails, Lead Pipe, Glass, Sash, Putty, White Lead, Linseed Oil, which is warranted perfectly pure.

Saddlery Hardware, and Carriage Maker's Goods.

COAL AND WOOD COOK AND PARLOR STOVES.

Parlor and Cook Wood and Coal Stoves, Regulators and Sheet Iron Stoves, Stove Pipe, &c. Now receiving a supply of the celebrated Cook stove GOVERNOR, which is pronounced by all judges as the best cook Stove in market. It is especially adapted to the Farmer's use.

As we have the largest and most complete Hardware Store on the New York and Erie Railroad, and we intend to purchase goods in the best markets, and by keeping a full assortment, selling as cheap as possible, we hope to merit the patronage of those doing business in this market.

Owego, N. Y. Oct. 21, 1856. STORRS & CHATFIELD.

NEW ARRANGEMENT

PATTON & PAYNE,

JUST OPENED,

ON THE CORNER OF BRIDGE AND MAIN STREETS

No. 4, Pattons' lock, Towanda, Pa.

THE subscribers would respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have formed a co-partnership 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 MONNAES. &c.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, and a variety of the most approved Trusses, 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.

Camphene—Particular Attention paid to the Manufacture of BURNING FLUID.

And a fine assortment of LAMPS, of all sizes and descriptions, Bird Cages, Cups, Nests and Stands.

All of which is offered for sale at greatly reduced rates. Our stock being large and mostly purchased from the Importer and Manufacturer at the lowest rates, and with Cash, enables us to sell at reduced prices, that must be satisfactory to all. We invite the attention of the public to an especial examination of our stock of goods and prices.

Our Motto is—"THE CASH SYSTEM—QUICK SALES—SMALL PROFITS."

Our Goods are selected with the utmost care and warranted to be what they are represented ; if any should be the contrary, we are not only willing but request our customers to return them, and the money shall be refunded. MR. PAYNE will give his special attention to the preparation of PREBCRIPTIONS, which will be compounded accurately on the shortest notice.

Towanda, June 26, 1856. JOSEPH G. PATTON, EDWARD D. PAYNE.

WAVERLY

MARBLE ESTABLISHMENT.

F. H. BALDWIN, having purchased the Marble Factory of this village, under the superintendence of H. Hanford, 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, Head-stones, Tomb Tabels, and Stand Tops, Paint Stones, Mullers, &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 Artistical beauty.

Waverly, N. Y., Feb. 3, 1857.

Arrangements for 1858!

AT M. E. SOLOMON'S CLOTHING STORE.

M. E. SOLOMON has just received the most extensive and elegant assortment of

Spring and Summer Clothing

ever offered in this market, which was bought for CASH and will be sold at prices which cannot be equalled elsewhere.

Persons desirous of purchasing any article of Clothing are requested to give him a call, as he pledges himself that no person anxious to buy shall go away without being satisfied..

☞ A good assortment of Gentlemen's FURNISHING GOODS will be kept on hand.

Towanda, April 26, 1858.

HATS AND CAPS.—A large assortment.

WM. A. ROCKWELL.

LIQUOR STORE.

S. FELTON would respectfully inform the public that he is now ready at his old stand, in Hall & Russell's, south side of the public square, to wish those wanting PURE LIQUORS, with almost everything in that line. He has lately made large additions to his stock, purchasing of the best importers, and in original package. He has on hand, and for sale in quantity from a quart upwards :—

Brandy.—Signette, Cogniac, old Henne-sy, and Otard.
Gin.—Swan, American, and Scheidam Schnapps.
Whiskey.—Scotch, Old Rye, Monongahela and Bourbon.
Wine.—Currant, Port, and Brown Sherry.

Fresh Camphene and Burning Fluid kept constantly on hand. Also 95 per cent. Alcohol.

CIGARS of the best brands. Jugs of all sizes, Wine flasks, and a large quantity of empty barrels.

Binghamton Ale by the gallon or barrel.

Those favoring me with their patronage may be sure that all articles will be what they are represented.

N. B. The person who borrowed my "Wantage Saw" is requested to return it.

Towanda, January 18, 1856.

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS—Double and single fold worsted and linen and cotton damasks, moreens, cotton damasks, bleached and unbleached table linens,