Agricultural Department.

December.

"If now in beaded rows, drops deck the spray,
While Phœbus grants a momentary ray,
Let but a cloud's broad shadow intervene,
And stiffened into gems the drops are seen,
And down the furrowed oak's broad southern side
Streams of dissolving rime no longer glide.
Though night approaching bids for rest prepare,
Still the fall echoes through the frosty air
Nor stops till deepest shades of darkness come,
Sending at length the weary laborer home."

BLOOMFIELD'S FARMER'S BOY.

We have now reached the shortest days of the year, and every thing stands in striking contrast with the long bright days of June.—We have bare, desolate branches, for the sea of living green; a robe of snow on every field, for the verdant turf; sheeted ice on every stream and lake, for the rippling waters; cloud and storm, for the sunny skies of Summer. Nature bids us pause and look back over the vanished months. It is a time to sum up the results of the year, not only to square business accounts with our fellow men, but to sit in judgment upon our own relations to the soil, and to society. One's manhood is measured quite as much by his farming, as by the offices he fills, by his plowing and sowing, by his building and adorning, as by his speech making and voting. We may measure ourselves quite as well by the plowshare as by the badge of official place. A Justice of the Peace may be greatly wanting in justice toward his soil. A deacon may be unrighteous toward his farm and stock. A militia colonel may be cowardly and inglorious upon his own acres. A governor may tolerate all sorts of insubordination and bad citizenship among the subjects of his farm. Weeds may grow rampant and waste the riches of his soil in riotous living. Goodness and greatness in our relations to society, do not imply these virtues in relation to the acres that are given us to be subdued, cultivated, and beautified.

We can not very well divert our minds from this theme now. The clod is frozen, and the plow will not turn it. All the implements of husbandry have gone into Winter quarters.—The flocks, the trees, the shrubs, the grasses, are all hybernating. We can do little out of doors to advantage now, but we can do a large business within, in these brief days of Winter. The weather shuts us up to self communion and to reflection upon the events of the past. The Winter with icy fingers seems to interrogate every tiller of the soil, what sort of farmer art thou? What sort of virtues does your business develop? A man's business has something to do with his character, but the principles on which he conducts it, have much more to do with it. You have reached another stage in life's journey, and have time to consider what your business and your mode of managing it, are doing for you.

Are you a *wise* man, tested by your business capacity? In the good old times when we were boys, they used to charge us with having eyes bigger than the stomach, and the heap of unused food upon the plate was an argument in favor of that position, rather hard to meet. There is not a little farming showing the same kind of wisdom. The tiller of the soil is apt to have very large eyes, supposing that he adds to his wealth as he adds to his acres.—With only capital enough to work thirty acres he buys three hundred, and his large farm keeps him a small, poor man as long as he lives. He sighs for more land, and looks to this as the remedy for his poverty. The most profitable acre that he cultivates does not pay him ten dollars above the expense of working it, while his neighbor of few acres, gets one, and sometimes two hundred dollars an acre net. Every year the large landed proprietor but small capitalist, comes out with little or nothing beyond working expenses, and this gives a sad coloring to his whole life. He succeeds in nothing that he attempts. Is this passion for more land, when we have not the means to use a little well, wise? Is the reader related to one of these large landholders and poor farmers? Now is a good time to vindicate your reputation for wisdom; to sell off your unused acres and to turn over a new leaf in husbandry.

Are you a *just* man? You received some twenty years ago, perhaps, a good farm. It was in good heart then, making fifty bushels of corn, thirty bushels of wheat, and two or three hundred of potatoes to the acre, without much manure. Possibly this farm has run down under your management, so that it does not produce half the quantity of products, or carry half the stock it did, when it first came into your possession. It has been over cropped and under manured, so that of necessity it has given out. You will say the farm was yours, and you have a right to do what you will with your own. But your horse is your own, yet you have no right to abuse him. Your house is your own, but you have no right to set fire to it. Cruelty to brutes, and arson are crimes recognized in the civil code. The soil, of course, has no sensibilities, but it may be abused neeertheless. It is combustible, and if you have reduced its productive capacity one half, you have really burnt up your farm, as if you had touched it with a match. You have sold off hay, or consumed it upon your farm, without saving the manure of your stock. The hay, corn and other vegetable products took large quantities of carbonaceous matter from the soil, and it has been dissipated in the atmosphere, through the lungs of the animals that consumed it. The process has been slow, but it has really been burnt up and scattered to the four winds through your agency.—*American Agriculturist.*

A PULPIT ANECDOTE.—Some days since we chanced to be in company with several eminent divines, who were relating numerous amusing anecdotes of the pulpit. Among others, the following struck our fancy as one deserving of record:

"I was," said the reverend gentleman, attending divine service in Norfolk, several years ago, during a season of some excitement.—While the officiating clergyman was in the midst of a most interesting discussion, an old lady among the congregation arose, clapped her hands, and exclaimed:

"Merciful father, if I had one more feather in my wing of faith I would fly off to glory."

The worthy gentleman thus interrupted immediately replied:

"Good Lord, stick it in, and *let her go*; she's but a trouble here!

That quieted the old lady.

ONE of the most important, but one of the most difficult things for a powerful mind is, to be its own master. Minerva should always be at hand, to restrain Achilles from blindly following his impulses and appetites, even those which are moral and intellectual, as well as those which are animal and sensual. A pond may lie quiet in a plain; but a lake wants mountains to compass and hold it in.

Miscellaneous.

Susquehanna Collegiate Institute,

TOWANDA, BRADFORD Co., PA.

FACULTY:

OLIVER S. DEAN, A.B. Principal, Professor of Ancient Languages, and Mental and Moral Sciences.
WM. H. DEAN, A. B., Associate Principal, Professor of Mathematics and Natural Science.
Prof. CHARLES R. COBURN County Superintendent, General Director of Normal Department.
Mrs. OLIVER S. DEAN, Preceptress.
Miss ANNA M. DEAN, Assistant Preceptress.
Miss HELEN E. DEAN, Second Assistant Teacher.
Miss MARIETTA G. DICKINSON, Teacher of Vocal and Instrumental Music.
WM. H. DEAN, Librarian.
Mr. D. CANFIELD DAYTON, Steward.
Mrs. D. C. DAYTON, Matron.

The Fall Term commences WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, and will continue 14 weeks.

TUITION, 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	$ 5 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

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.

EXTRA EXPENSES:

French	$ 3 00
German	3 00
Drawing	5 00
Board in the Institute, per week, including fuel and light	2 00
Washing, per dozen	38

The Collegiate year is divided into three terms of 14 weeks each. The Anniversary exercises will be held at the close of the Spring term.

No deduction will be made for absence, except in case of protracted illness of over two weeks.

Instrumental Music will not, as heretofore, be taught in the Institution, but by special arrangement—a class will be taught in a hall adjoining the grounds of the Institute, by the Teacher of Vocal Music.

This arrangement has been adopted for the past term, and experience has proved it to be eminently superior to the plan pursued in former years. Special pains will be taken to secure the greatest progress of those wishing to take lessons in this branch. Terms will be as heretofore:

Tuition on Piano Forte, per term	$10 00
Use of instrument on which to take lessons	50
do for practice	2 00

Pupils boarding in the Hall will furnish their own towels, &c., and the table silver at their option. It is desirable that they also furnish their own bed and bedding when it is convenient, but when otherwise, these will be furnished at a slight charge.

It is strongly recommended that students from abroad should board in the Institution, as better opportunities for advancement in study are thereby secured.

Normal Department—Special exercises are arranged without extra charge for those preparing themselves as Teachers of Common Schools. Prof. C. R. COBURN, the able and well known Superintendent of Common Schools in the county, has kindly consented to organize the Teacher's class, and direct the course to be pursued.

He will also be present to conduct its exercises as often as practicable, and will deliver frequent lectures on the Theory and Practice of Teaching, as also on other subjects connected with Normal training.

Those persons, therefore, intending to engage in teaching for the winter, will find it greatly to their advantage to be present during the Fall term.

Prof. Coburn's connection with the institution is not such as to in any way interfere with the discharge of the regular duties of his office.

No pains will be spared, on the part of the Faculty and Trustees in sustaining the high reputation the institution has hitherto enjoyed, and in rendering it more worthy of future patronage and support.

WILLIAM H. DEAN, } Principals.
Aug. 9, 1860. OLIVER S. DEAN, }

BOOK BINDERY.

THE subscriber having withdrawn from the Argus building would respectfully inform the public that he has removed his Plain and Fancy Bindery to the North Room of the Ward House, formerly occupied by the Post Office, where he is now prepared to bind all kinds of Books in the most approved and workmanlike manner.—Having to share my profits with no second person I flatter myself that my prices will meet the satisfaction of the public.

Thankful for the confidence reposed in me and the public appreciation of my work, for the last two years, I shall endeavor in the future to merit the continuance of public support.

Particular attention given to re-binding Books. All work will be warranted. Terms, Cash.

☞ Also, a large assortment of STATIONERY of the best quality, at the lowest prices. Justices' and Constable's BLANKS, of all kinds.

PICTURE FRAMES, round, square and oval; and pictures framed to order, cheaper than ever known here.

JOHANN F. BENDER.
Towanda, Jan. 11, 1860. Bookbinder and Artist.

CAUTION.

"To be, or not to be—hat is the question!
Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to suffer
The slings and arrows of outrageous *opposition*,
Or by taking up arms against a sea of *printing ink*,
And opposing, end them."

THE proprietor of the *Argus* takes occasion in advertising his Bindery to indulge in an uncalled for fling about a "sort of a concern," which is hoping "to delude the public." As I have opened a Bindery on my own account, the inference is that if the public bring their binding to me, they are in no danger of being defrauded. For two years I have worked for Mr. PARSONS, and he has taken great pains to satisfy the public I was the "best Binder in America," as the columns of the *Argus* will testify. Has he been all that time "deluding the public?" If I have been engaged in a fraud, he has been the principal. But I refer to my work during that time as evidence that there has been no fraud practiced.

Having served a long apprenticeship at the Bindery business, I have resumed business here on my own account, as I know of nothing which prevents me from following a legitimate and lawful calling for my support.—I shall endeavor by good work and attention to my business to give public satisfaction.

March 15. JOHANN F. BENDER, Binder.

LADD, WEBSTER, & CO..

IMPROVED TIGHT STITCH

Sewing Machines!

PRICES reduced to $50 and upwards, for Families and Manufacturing establishments. Let Manufacturers, Planters, Farmers, Housekeepers, or any other persons in search of an instrument to execute *any kind of kind of Sewing now done by machinery, make sure they secure the best*, by examining ours before purchasing.

A few of mady reasons why the SEWING MACHINES of LADD, WEBSTER & CO., are prefered above all others

1. They are so remarkably *simple* in their construction. A child can operate them and understand the mechanism
2. They are the *strongest* Sewing Machine made. It is almost impossible to break or get them out of order.
3. They are *sure* in their operation; finishing the work in a uniformly perfect manner.
4. They make a *light lock stitch*, alike on both sides of the work, which cannot be *unravelled*.
5. They stitch, hem, bind, fell, run and gather, without basting.
6. They sew equally well the lightest and the heaviest fabrics.
7. They sew over the heaviest seams without changing the tension or breaking the finest thread.
8. They use any No. of Cotton, Thread or Silk directly from the spool.
9. They use a *straight* needle; curved ones are liable to break.
10. The needle has a *perpendicular* motion. This is absolutely necessary for heavy work.
11. They have a *wheel feed;* none others are in constan contact with the work.
12. They run easily and almost *noiseless*.
13. They are not liable to oil the dress of the operator.
14. They do not require a screw driver to set the needle.
15. They do not have to be taken apart to oil or clean.
16. They are capable of doing a *greater range* of work and in a *more perfect manner* than any other Sewing Machine; as is proved by the result of our *challenge* for a trial, which has never been accepted.

B. F. SHAW.
Towanda, Oct. 10, 1860.

N. Y. & E. RAIL ROAD.

CHANGE of hours, commencing MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1860. Trains will leave Waverly at about the following hours, viz:

GOING WEST.			GOING EAST.		
Dunkirk Express	4.57	P. M.	N. Y. Express	11.08	A. M
Night Express	3.37	A. M.	Night Express	12.18	A. M.
Mail	8.14	P. M.	Accommodation	6.53	P. M.
Way	8.13	A. M	Stock Express.	4.55	A. M.
Express Freight	5.35	P. M.	Way	2.55	P. M.
Fast Freight	8.18	A. M	Fast Freight	10.10	A. M.
Way Freight	6.40	A. M.	Way Freight	4.20	P. M.

Cincinnati Express does not stop at Waverly. Night Express, Stock Express, Express Freight, Fast Freight (both ways,) run every day. Accommodation remains over night at Binghamton. Mail remains over night at Elmira. Night Express of Sundays, runs only to Elmira. All other trains run daily, except Sunday.

CHARLES MINOT, General Sup.
NATHANIEL MARSH, Receiver.

COFFEES, TEAS AND SPICES—The best in Town.
C. B. PATCH.

Miscellaneous.

HOTEL KEEPERS,

DRUGGISTS,

FARMERS, AND ALL

WHO WANT

PURE LIQUORS

I HAVE just received from the City, a Large Stock of

IMPORTED PURE LIQUORS,

of every variety. My stock of LIQUORS has been purchased for CASH, directly from the Importers, whereby I am enabled to furnish Farmers for the approaching Harvest, a Superior and Pure article of Liquor, of any kind whatever, at LOWER PRICES than were ever before offered in Towanda.

HOTEL KEEPERS

Will find it greatly to their advantage to examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. I have facilities for purchasing, which enables me to WHOLESALE my goods at New York

WHOLESALE PRICES!

Besides my Liquors are warranted pure and unadulterated. I have also on hand the Largest Stock and Greatest Variety of

TOBACCO AND SEGARS

Ever brought to Towanda, which having been purchased directly from the Manufacturers and Importers, enables me to compete with the Wholesale Tobacconists of the city. Hotel keepers and others are respectfully invited to an examination of my entire stock of Liquors, Cigars and Tobacco. Also,

Groceries & Provisions,

Of every description, will be kept constantly on hand, at prices LOWER than elsewhere in this town.

Confident that I am enabled to sell my entire stock of Goods, either at Wholesale or Retail, less than like goods can be purchased this side of the City, I respectfully solicit the public to an examination at No. 5, Brick Row.

H. W. NOBLE.
Towanda, June 14, 1860.

NEW ARRIVAL OF

Fall & Winter Clothing.

J. M. COLLINS,

IS now receiving, at his Old Stand on Main street, next door to Codding & Russell, one of the largest, best selected and cheapest stocks of

READY MADE CLOTHING,

ever brought into this market, to which he invites the attention of purchasers. Having had some experience in the business, he is able to offer inducements as to quality, style and price of goods not to be met with at any other establishment. His stock embraces the usual assortment of

OVERCOATS, COATS, VESTS & PANTALOONS,

of every style and price to suit the taste and pockets of customers.

To those who prefer or desiring garments made to order he would say that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS,

which will be made up, on Short Notice, by experienced workmen and warranted to give satisfaction in every way or no sale. Particular attention will be given to this class of custom, and every exertion made to please customers. Also, keeps on hand a large assortment of

Gents Furnishing Goods,

Such as Shirts, Collars, Cravats, Under Shirts and Drawers, Gents Half Hose, Hats and Caps, Carpet Bags &c.

CUTTING done as usual and *warranted* to fit, if properly made up. No charges for Cutting when the goods are bought of us.

Towanda, Nov. 1, 1860.

To Merchants and Dealers in Freight.

THE Boat 13, U. S. Express Freight, will run from the "Tozer Bridge," to Towanda and Standing Stone, three days in each week. All Freight from Waverly and other places, will be promptly delivered, and at the Captain, risk except stoves, syrup and molasses will be at the risk of the owners. But all care will be used by the Captain and proprietors. Freight will be taken at the lowest prices until the river freezes up.—Captain STONE will use his best endeavors to find a safe channel in Old Susquehanna, whose banks *will not slide out*. All orders directed to JABEZ STONE, at ithens, will be promptly attended to at all times. The Boat 13, U. S. Express Freight, will start on Tuesday, August 21, 1860.

B. F. STONE, Proprietor.
JABEZ STONE, Agt and Capt.

Direct orders to JABEZ STONE, Athens, Bradford Co., Pa.

JABEZ STONE, Agent.
Athens, Aug. 22, 1860.

Carriage Manufactory at Alba.

REYNOLDS, FELLOWS & CO., respectfully inform the people of Western Bradford and the public generally, that their operations have not been in the least disturbed by the fire, and they are as usual prosecuting their business in all its branches. They are manufacturing to order, and will keep on hand,

Carriages, Sleighs, Buggies, Skeletons, Lumber and Democrat Wagons, &c.,

made of the very best materials, and in the most substantial and workmanlike manner. They use nothing but the best of stock, their timber being mostly from the East, and everything being selected with reference to its durability.

As an evidence of the value of their work they point to the fact, that they received the first premium at the last Bradford County Fair, and at a previous Fair the first premium for Cutters.

BLACKSMITHING done in all its branches, and particular attention paid to Custom Work.

Alba, April 4, 1860.

AMERICAN HOTEL,

Near the Bridge, Towanda, Pa.

JOHN LAUGHLIN respectfully informs the public that he has leased the new and commodious Hotel recently erected near the Bridge, and having furnished it thoroughly, is now prepared to accommodate such of the travelling public as may give him a call.

He will endeavor by attention to the wants of his guests and by the reasonableness of his charges, to merit a portion of public patronage.

The Bar will be kept stocked with the best Sprituous and Malt Lsquors. Good Stabling is attached, with careful attendance. May 23, 1860.

JUST RECEIVED at the KEYSTONE STORE, an elegant assortment of Embroideries. Embroidered Collars, Embroidered Setts, Embroidered Edgings, Embroidered Insertings, Marsailles Collars, Marsailles Setts, Embroidered Flouncings, Crape Collars, Crape Setts, Crape Veils, Black Love Veils. A large assortment of Black Lace Veils.

BLACKSMITHING.

ADAM ESSENWINE respectfully informs the public that he may still be found at the old stand where he has worked for so many years, and where he is now doing all kinds of BLACKSMITHING, in the same workman like manner which has distinguished him for years past.

The public is requested to give him a trial, as by renewed exertions to please and strict attention to business he is determined to merit a share of public patronage.

HORSE-SHOEING done in the best manner, and at the lowest prices.

PRODUCE of all kinds will be taken in the payment for wrok, but *credit* positively declined.

Call at the old shop of ADAM ESSENWINE, east side of Main street opposite Bartlett's Foundry.

Towanda, May 16, 1860.

WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!—25,000 lbs. WANTED!—The highest market price will be paid rt May 23, 1860. M. E. SOLOMON'S.

☞ Wash your Wool clean before you bring it to market, on the sheep, if possible, or in tub, as one-third will be deducted for unwashed wool, as is the custom in the wool trade, and farmers can do it a good deal cheaper, as above mentioned.

CAME to the enclosure of the subscriber, in Warren township, Bradford county, Pa., on the 11th of June, five creatures, supposed to be one year old.—being 3 steers and 2 heifers,—1 jet black steer; 1 pale red steer, line back, some white under belly; 1 brindle steer with a white star th his forehead; 1 red heifer, also 1 red heifer with brindle cast, with white under belly.

Warren, July 16, 1860. WM. C. BOWEN.

CHEESE.—A fine article of Cheese always on hand and for sale, wholesale and retail, by
C. B. PATCH.

Miscellaneous.

NEW ATTRACTIONS!

At Geo. H. Wood's Gallery.

TOWANDA, PA.

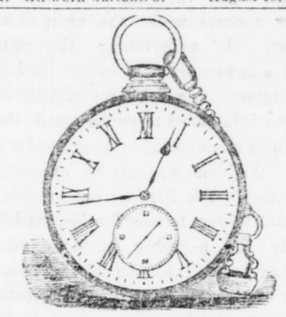
You can procure, at low prices,

PHOTOGRAPHS,

Of all sizes, up to life size, either plain or retouched, colored in oil or pastille.

Also, MELAINOTYPES and AMBROTYPES, and almost all other kinds of types. Pictures in good cases for 50 cents, and other sizes and qualities in proportion.

Melainotypes made in all kinds of weather, (except for children. All work warranted. August 10, 1859.



THIS IS THE ESTABLISHMENT where you can find a very fine assortment of WATCHES AND JEWELRY of all descriptions, also a good stock of CLOCKS, prices ranging from 10 shillings up, and warranted to give good satisfaction or no sale. I am also agent for the sale of D. E. LENTS celebrated Barometers, which every farmer should always have. Prices from $8 to $20, according to finish. REPAIRING done as usual in a neat and workmanlike manner and warranted.

WM. A. CHAMBERLIN.

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.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of CULP & KIRBY, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books, notes, accounts, and other obligations and papers belonging to said firm, are now in the hands of JERE CULP for settlement.

All accounts and notes overdue on the 1st day of February next, will be put in course of collection without respect to persons. Until that time Grain, Sheep Pelts and Hides will be received in payment.

Towanda, August 1, 1859. JERRY CULP, J. P. KIRBY.

JERRY CULP

Will hereafter carry on the HARNESS AND SADDLE BUSINESS, in all its various branches, at the old stand of Culp & Kirby, where he solicits a continuance of the patronage hitherto enjoyed. A large stock of Ready-Made articles and materials will be kept on hand, and every exertion made to deserve the favor of the public.

McCABE'S

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET.

Below J. Kingsbury's store, Main st.

THE subscriber would respectfully tender his sincere thanks to the public for the very liberal patronage extended to him, and solicits a continuance of the same.

He begs leave to assure that he intends to keep on hand as heretofore, 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.

☞ A quantity of first qualit of SALT PORK, put up by myself, cheap, by the barrel or pound.

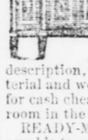
Meats will be promptly delivered, at any place within the corporation.

Towanda, August 12, 1859. J McCABE.

TOMB STONES AND MONUMENTS.

Towanda Marble Factory.

(Nearly Opposite the Baptist Church.)



The subscribers have opened the TOWANDA MARBLE FACTORY, where he will be prepared to furnish Monuments and Tomb Stones, manufactured from the best qualities of RUTLAND and ITALIAN MARBLE, and wrought into such styles and designs as will suit every variety of taste.

Persons wishing to make their selections can do so whenever in Towanda, by calling at this New Establishment.

The superior quality of the stock, the artistical beauty of the work, and the promptness with which orders will be filled, will offer inducements to visit this new shop.

F. H. BALDWIN,
MILLS BARKER,
Towanda, Jan. 2, 1860. Proprietor.

REFERENCES.

WAVERLY.	TOWANDA, PA.
Hon. Nathan Bristol,	Prof. C. R. Coburn,
C. H. Shepard, Cashier,	Rev. Julius Foster,
R. G. Crane, Merchant,	H. S Mercur, Merchant,
Alpin & Doubleday, do.	Montanyes, "
Rev. O. Crane.	T. M. Woodruff, Sheriff,
" Wm. Putnam,	Col. A. M'Kean, Prot'y,
" D. A. Shepard,	Hon. D. Wilmot,
F. Tyler, Pres't. Bank.	" J. C. Adams, "
CHEMUNG.	" Wm. Elwell, "
G. W. Buck, Esq.	E. A. Parsons, Ed. Argus.
WYSOX.	E. O. Goodrich, Ed. Reporter.
V. E. Piollet, Esq.	

New Arrival of Boots & Shoes

AT

NELSON'S.

Ladies' celebrated serge Long GAITERS, at	NELSON'S.
Ladies' serge bottomed GAITERS, at	NELSON'S.
Ladies' French kid heeled SLIPPERS, at	NELSON'S.
Ladies' kid and morocco BOOTS, (his own make and warranted not to rip) at	NELSON'S.
Misses' serge Congress GAITERS, at	NELSON'S.
Misses' kid Congress GAITERS, at	NELSON'S.
Misses' French kid heeled SLIPPERS, at	NELSON'S.
Child's copper-toed SHOES, at	NELSON'S.
Infant's SHOES, at	NELSON'S.
All kinds of BOOTS and SHOES, at	NELSON'S.
Gent's Oxford TIES, at $1 63 and $1 75, at	NELSON'S.
Gent's thick and kip BOOTS, $2 75 & $3, at	NELSON'S.
Gent's calf peg'd BOOTS, $3 50 to $4 50, at	NELSON'S.
Gent's calf sewed BOOTS, $5 and $5 50, at	NELSON'S
They are determined not to be undersold, at	NELSON'S
They have engaged the services of Mr. WEBB, of New York city, a highly finished workman, to make first class pegged and sewed BOOTS, at	NELSON'S.
Ladirs' calf SHOES and BOOTS for 88 cts., $1 00 and $1 25, at	NELSON'S.
Ladies' Kid BOOTS made to order, for $1 37½ and $1 62½, at	NELSON'S.
Call and leave your measure, at	NELSON'S.
All kinds of Repairing, done at	NELSON'S.
All kinds of Country Produce taken for Boots and Shoes, at	NELSON'S.

Towanda, April 16, 1860.

WAVERLY INSURANCE AGENCY.

INSURANCE at fair rates can be obtained of the subscriber in the following *Stock Companies*:

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,
Hartford, Connecticut.

Cash Capital	$1,500,000
Assets January 1, 1860	2,194,100
Liabilities, Claims not due	179,357

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,
New York City.

Cash Capital	$1,000,000
Assets, January 1, 1860	1,458,396
Liabilities, Claims not due	45,580

CHARTER OAK INSURANCE COMPANY,
Hartford, Connecticut.

Cash Capital	$ 300,000
Assets, January 1, 1860	336,071
Liabilities, Claims not due	21,968

AMERICAN EXCHANGE INSURANCE COMPANY,
New York City.

Cash Capital	$ 200,000

Polices issued upon Farm Dwelings, Barns, and their contents, for a term of years *without requiring a premium note.* Applications made to the subscriber at ALLEN & BANKS Law Office, Waverly, will receive immediate attention. R. A. ELMER.

Waverly, N. Y. Feb. 22, 1860. Agent.

COD FISH and Mackerel at
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Merchandize, &c.

PATTON & PAYNE,

No. 4, Patton's Block, Towanda, Pa.,

Have recently added largely to their stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINES,

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They also have constantly on hand

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,

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At the lowest rates, and BURNING FLUID, of superior quality, manufactured expressly for the *gas-jet Fluid Lamps.* They also keep all the Popular

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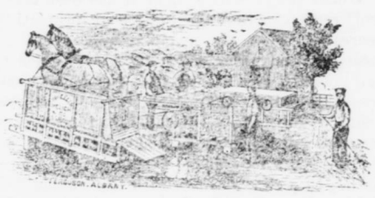
of the day. Every article going from this store is warranted as represented, and if any prove different, they will be cheerfully taken back, and the money refunded.

J. G. PATTON,
Towanda, Feb. 1, 1859. Dr. E. D. PAYNE.



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OWEGO, N. Y,

Are agents for the sale of

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WHEELER'S PATENT

Combined Thresher and Winnower.

OVERSHOT THRESHER,

(With Vibrating Separator.)

Single or One horse Power and Separator,

WHEELER'S CLOVER HULLER,

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All the above machines are manufactured by Wheeler, Melick, & Co., Albany, N. Y., and are warranted to give entire satisfaction or may be returned at the expiration of a reasonable time for trial.

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CELEBRATED DOG POWERS, FOR CHURNING, &C.

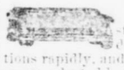
Constantly on hand.

☞ Farmers and others wishing to procure any of the above articles, will do well to call upon us before purchasing June 28, 1859.

Extraordinary Inducements

TO THE BUYERS OF

FURNITURE AND CHAIRS.



HAVING greatly increased my former stock of Cabinet Ware and Chairs, I am determined to dispose of these accumulations rapidly, and with that design offer all articles at unprecedented low prices, for Cash.

Good Sofas at $16 to $20, fine Cane Seat Chairs 75 cts each, a nice Bedstead for 75 shillings.

I have now more than 60 different patterns of Chairs, Bureaus, Desks for the farmer or merchant, Looking Glasses, Looking glass Plates, Portrait and Picture frames of gilt, Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut corner; 26 patterns of Stands; extension, dining, tea and work Tables, Hall Stands, and in fact anything that can be found in a city Ware house.

A large assortment of ready-made Coffins, with a good Hearse ready, at all times.

Purchasers will be sure to find the right place, south side of the public square, one door east of Montanyes.

Towanda, Dec. 1, 1859. CHESTER WELLS.

MYER'S MILLS.

THE undersigned having purchased the above well known mills and attached to it a Steam Engine, and also put every thing connected with it in perfect repair, with all the modern improvements now in use in first class Flouring Mills—would respectfully solicit the patronage of the community—trusting that the reputation the mill has heretofore borne may not suffer in the hands of the new firm. It shall be our aim to do all work entrusted to us promptly and in the best possible manner. Customers from a distance may rely upon having their work done at once, so as to make but one trip "to mill."

Mr. FROST will continue to give his own personal attention to the business at the mill.

CASH paid for all kinds of GRAIN; also Flour, Meal and Feed for sale at the lowest market prices.

MYER, FROST & CO.

ISAAC MYER.....J. O. FROST.....E. T. FOX.
NORTH TOWANDA, Oct. 6, 1858.

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 $3 50 to $4 50 each and other work in proportion for READY PAY.

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

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Again in Full Operation!

WE have the gratification of announcing to our friends, customers, and the public, that we are now prepared to do

BOOK BINDING,

in all its Branches in the latest and most approved styles, and on the most favorable terms.

Having secured, permanently, the services of Mr. H. C. WHITEKAR, a finished workman from Philadelphia, and having added extensively to the fixtures of the concern—giving greater facility than formerly—we can present to the public the most positive assurance of our ability to please our patrons.

☞ Customers should be particular to remember that the "Argus Bindery," is in the Argus Building, as formerly, (first building north of the Ward House) and is connected with our Book and Stationery Store and Printing Office, where all work should be delivered.

CAUTION.—We are compelled in justice to ourselves, and our old customers, as well as to prevent an imposition upon the public generally, to caution them against a sort a concern, that falsely holds out to the public that it is the Argus Bindery. This *fraud* is practiced no doubt, with a hope of deluding the Public. Against this bold and deliberate attempt to deceive, they are hereby cautioned.

☞ Particular attention paid to re-Binding. All work guarranted.

☞ Country Produce of all kinds taken in payment for work.

☞ Having made complete arrangements, we are prepared to Rule and Bind BLANK BOOKS to any style or pattern, at prices as low as elsewhere.

Sowanda, March 5, 1860. E. A. PARSONS.

FISH! FISH!! FISH!!!

THE best assortment in Pennsylvania. Consisting of Mackerel, Trout, White Fish, Blue Fish, Salmon Codfish, Pickled and Smoked Herring, Smoked Halibut &c. &c., on hand, and to be sold cheap, by

Towanda, June 20, 1860. C. B. PATCH.

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 Main Street.

E. OVERTON, JR.....G. D. MONTANYE.

OVERTON & MONTANYE, *ATTORNEYS AT LAW*—Office in Union Block, formerly occupied by JAS. MACFARLANE.

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

MADILL & MORROW, *ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW*,—Office over Mercur' 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. octl9

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

DR. H. WESTON, *DENTIST*, permanently located in Towanda. OFFICE one door south of Bailey & Nevens'. Towanda, Feb. 19, 1859.

O. H. WOODRUFF—DENTIST.

PERMANENTLY located in Towanda.—Office No. 5, Brick Row, over H. W. NOBLES' Store. Entrance one door south of Tracy & Moores. dec1.tf

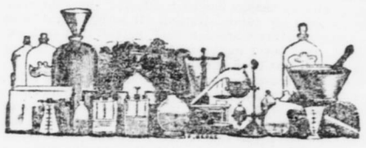
DR. G. S. PECK, *SURGEON AND MECHANICAL DENTIST*, TOWANDA, Pa. ☞ Office, No. 1, Brick Row, over E. T. Fox's store—entrance first door on Pine st. February 16, 1860.

GUY H. WATKINS, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, TOWANDA, PA.

Office opposite Laporte, Mason & Co.
☞ Collections made and remitted with promptness.
Towanda, January 2, 1860.

DR JOHN M'INTOSH, will be found at his old office, Patton's Block, during Spring and Summer. Teeth inserted on Vulcanised Rubber—the latest improvement in dentistry. Specimen piece to be seen at the office. Persons indebted to me will please pay up. JOHN M'INTOSH.

Towanda, March 20, 1860.



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Already admitted to be
The largest, safest and most approved
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An established reputation for keeping the best medicine,
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Everything in this extensive stock will be sold Cheap for Cash!

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