Agricultural.

Notes and Suggestions for the Month.

This is the month of cold when it is most piercing, of winds when they are harshest, of hunger when it is most distressing—of firesides when it is most cheerful, of snug warm houses when most agreeable, and of good fare when it is most satisfactory. If the cattle of any well-to-do farmer are shivering under the lea of the corn-stack, if his sheep are shrinking away from the gale in the fence-corners, and if the young stock are gnawing frozen sods or cornstalks for a living, we would be glad to have their lowings and bleatings so constantly in his ears that he could take no comfort of his own pleasant things till he had made his stock as comfortable as possible. The lessons of the happy Christmas time, and of the closing year have their application in the farm house and in the stock-yard, as well as in the church and in the class room.

Accounts.—Devote sufficient time to a thorough going over all accounts, and begin the new year with a clear statement of your debts and dues.

Animals.—In our latitude, the present is a trying month for animals of all kinds.—In many places they are passing from grass to fodder. Every animal, from the work horses down to late chickens, should receive special attention. What every animal needs at this season of the year is, enough to eat and protection from storms. When cold weather first comes on, young animals in particular often suffer much more than after their systems have become used to it.

Ashes.—Leached or unleached, wood or coal (if free from slate and clinker,) are excellent for top-dressing lawns, meadows and pactures; and the more there are scattered where they are needed, as soon as convenient quantities accumulate. Ashes heaped up against young trees will often destroy the bark and kill them.

Barns.—If not already attended to, delay not to put every building in order for winter. Loose shingles and boards should be nailed; the large cracks between ridge boards need closing up with long nails; and the siding should sometimes be taken off, jointed and replaced, to exclude snow and keep rain from rotting the timbers.—Wherever the ground descends towards the foundation walls, a few loads of earth should be hauled in, to turn the surface water off before the ground freezes, as the expansion of the earth will often crowd walls inwards, after freezing a few times. If the ground descends *from* the wall, the water will be carried away and the expansion will be less forcible against the wall. Make a little mortar and stop all crevices, not only in the walls, but between the sills and foundation, to exclude cold air from the apartments of animals.

Barn-yards.—Before the ground freezes, scrape all the fine manure into heaps and haul it to meadows, or pastures for a top-dressing. It will act as a mulch to the grass roots. Clean out all surface ditches near the yards, and cut shallow channels where they are needed to prevent surface water from flowing into any part of the yard. Remove all stones and sticks liable to be covered with manure and hinder pitching.

Beans.—Dry and shell all that are unripe before freezing, as they will make good feed for sheep; freezing before they are ripe, spoils them.

Beeves.—Bullocks or dry cows should be confined a large proportion of the time in close yards, or spacious stalls, well littered. Feed with hay, corn meal and some pumpkins, or roots. Better feed bountifully and fatten rapidly, than to give a small allowance and fatten slowly. Bear in mind that it is estimated to cost to maintain the animal heat of a bullock during one cold night in the open air, not less than one pound of the best meat.

Calves and Colts.—Do not fail to provide comfortable winter quarters for these young animals, lest they lose flesh, run down, get off their feed, and become what is called spring poor.

Cows.—Beef is scarce and the price high, and for this reason we consider it a bad policy to sell good cows for beef, as many people did last season, because they commanded a high price. Better hold on to good cows for breeding.

Corn.—Spread all soft ears on a floor in an airy place, where it will shortly be dry enough to grind for feed. Save best ears for seed.

Drains.—Clear the outlets of under-drains by shoveling out all sediment that will obstruct the flow of water from the drains during winter, and protect them against being entered by mice.

Eaves Troughs.—Before freezing weather remove leaves and all other sediment which settle in the eaves troughs. When cistern water is not used for drink, for culinary purposes, or for stock, it is a good plan to paint the troughs over with gas or coal tar, applied hot after boiling it an hour; it is a good preservative.

Fodder.—Vary the fodder of all kinds of stock as much as possible with reasonable limits. It is better to change it on different days, or even at different meals, than to make too great mixtures. Hay and straw may be mixed; ground grains, bran, oil meal, etc., may be mixed with hay, straw, stalks or roots. Feed different kinds of roots separately.

Fuel.—Begin early to look out for next season's supply from the wood-lot. It is poor economy to burn green wood; better to let it stand in a hot place, or lie in the stove oven to dry well. Water put upon the fire only tends to put it out.

Grain fields.—It is a rare thing when grain fields are not more or less damaged by "feeding off" in the autumn. Sometimes it seems useful, but is risky.

Horses.—Keep brood mares in loose boxes, 10 feet square, and when possible give each one a sunny yard to go to at pleasure in all weathers, when it is not too slippery. Be careful of their slipping on the ice.—Keep all work horses well shod and sharp caulked, but do not let horses play together if shod.

Implements.—If there is no room in the sheds for implements, pack them together and improvise a roof of boards tacked together; by no means leave them exposed to the weather to be rotted.

Manure.—Save every particle of liquid manure. If short of litter in the stables, use soil or muck as an absorbant. See that no water runs into the barnyard.—Keed the manurs in one or more compact, well formed heaps, so placed that the leachings may be pumped over it.

Meadows.—Avoid feeding off the meadows too close, let no heavy animals go on the grass land at all in soft weather, when they will poach up and injure the sod.—Turn water from the highways or uplands upon the meadows and pastures, where it will deposit much manurial matter.

Oxen.—Keep them in sheltered sheds, or better, in good warm stables, well fed and carded frequently. Spring poor oxen, or young cattle, are a disgrace to any farmer. Do not neglect shoeing in frozen weather.

Poultry.—Fill a box before the snow covers the ground, with a bushel or two clean gravel, but if this cannot be found, pound uy some large stones, best sand stones.—Give pounded bones and other animal food with the grain, and see that they all have sheltered roosting places. If in warm houses well lighted, they will lay if well fed.

Sheep.—December is the most important month in the year, in this latitude, to effect anything in improving sheep. Good protection from storms, and regular feeding are most important. It is better to commence now feeding lambs and all kinds of sheep a little grain daily, than to wait unthey begin to lose flesh.

Swine.—Keep fattening hogs in comfortable apartments and feed regularly. So long as swine will increase in weight, half of one per cent. daily, they are doing well. When they eat little and do not increase in weight, the sooner they are slaughtered the better. Platform scales, with an extra platform for a hog to stand on, are convenient for weighing fattening swine, to know how fast they gain.

Water.—See that water does not stand on winter grain, nor for a long time on grass ground. A few hours' work with spade and shovel will often release numerous small ponds, which would materially injure vegetation. Surface water frequently settles and remains a long time in low places near fruit trees, vines, or bushes, to their great injury.

Good Walks.

The season is upon us, when good hard walks about our dwellings, barns and outhouses generally are very desirable on many accounts—*health* and convenience being among them. How many of our farmers neglect this home duty. How many allow the paths even to their houses to be almost impassible in moist weather, and as with the barn, or different stable doors, to the pens, cattle yards, &c. We know of persons who wade through the water, mud, and soft manure for eight months in the year, to got at these several places, instead of providing a footway of stones, coal ashes or boards, either of which can be made at small expense and a few hours of time in labor.

Especially is this neglect to be condemned where the females of the family are the sufferers, wearing out their nerves and spirits in drudgery which might be avoided if their husbands, sons, and brothers, would do their duty. If any think that there is economy in this, he is greviously mistaken. To say nothing as to the loss of time in wading through the mud, the wear and tear of shoe leather and injury to other clothes, would alone pay the entire expense of providing good, dry walks; but when the question of health, of suffering and doctors bills are taken into account, they ought to be sufficient to drive every negligent, unsympathizing proprietor whetner in town or country, to follow the suggestions herein made. A man who will not look after the reasonable needs and comforts of the family does not deserve to have a family.

Maxims for Sheep Farmers.

Sheep do better in small flocks. By small flocks we mean from thirty to fifty, and even if a farmer keep this number they should be separated—the lambs and decrepid sheep being yarded by themselves that they may receive extra care.

It is better to keep sheep confined in yards at this season of the year than to allow them to range at will over pasture and field. Seperate yards should always be provided for sheep and cattle, where practicable; but if not so they should never be turned in the yards together, as accident and loss often result therefrom.

Convenient and suitable arranged houses or sheds are indispensable, in successfully wintering even a small flock of sheep.—Shelter being provided, the sheep ought never to be allowed out in a storm or rain or snow, nor in damp weather.

All houses or sheds should be properly ventilated and well lighted. Attention to the first of these is of great importance.

Yards should be provided with pure water in order that the sheep will not have to seek it at a distance from the buildings, nor obliged to eat snow to obtain moisture. They will eat snow if they cannot get water, but it is injurious to them.

Racks in sheep houses are of great importance, as the sheep can be fed therein in stormy weather without wasting the forage. Yards should also be provided for them, and also with grain troughs. But in clear, cold weather, when the snow in the yard is clean sheep will eat their fodder better and waste less if fed upon the snow than in any rack ever made.

Give some kind of roots twice a week to the entire flock—feeding the lambs and weak sheep, barley, corn, or some kind of provender, every other day. Feed with regularity, and tend your flock with gentleness and kindness.—*Wisconsin Farmer.*

Kitchen Manures.

One of the amusing inconsistencies of agricultural existence is the fact that one—one!—why, hundreds and thousands indulge in the practice—purchase a bag or of some advertised mercantile manure in town, at an expense of from three to ten dollars, haul it twelve miles at a cost of five dollars, and while they are doing this actually throw away home fertilizers of double the value, that might be saved and prepared for application at a cost of seventy-five cents.

For all manurial purposes, where any of the ordinary garden vegetables, melons, grape vines, and fruit-trees are sought to be benefitted, a barrel of mingled soap-suds, greasy dishwater, kitchen-scrapings, and chamber slops is of more worth than a bag of the best Pacific guano ever brought around Cape Horn.

There are always enough old barrels and tubs knocking about, often needlessly knocked to pieces at every farm house, to save all such material in. If not it were better economy to expend five dollars for a few second hand barrels to store such kitchen offal in, than to let it go utterly to waste, and spend fifteen dollars for some mercantile adulterations of not a quarter of the value.

FOOD FOR FATTENING POULTRY.—The cheapest and most advantageous food to use for fattening every description of poultry is ground oats. These must not be confounded with oatmeal, or with ordinary ground oats; the whole of the grain is ground to a fine powder; nothing of any kind is taken from it. When it is properly ground, one bushel of the meal will more effectually fatten poultry than a bushel and a half of any other meal. The greatest point in fattening poultry is to feed them at daybreak.

CARROTS FOR HORSES.—Experiments have shown that the best way to feed carrots to horses, is in connection with oats. Alone, carrots are not as good as oats alone, but in conjunction, they are better than each fed separately. If you are in the habit of feeding four quarts to a mess, give two of oats and two of sliced carrots, and the result will be more satisfactory than if each were fed separately.

Clothing.

SOLOMON & SON,

No. 2 Patton's Block, Towanda, Pa.,

Invite attention of the public to their New Stock of

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING.

Our goods were most of them bought before the recent great advance in prices, so that we feel confident that we can give our friends, and the public generally, as good bargains as can be received anywhere.

Thankful for past favors we would solicit an early call and examination of our assortment, which consists of all the new styles.

OUR STOCK OF BOYS' CLOTHING,

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,

UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS,

NECK TIES, COLLARS, SUSPENDERS,

HATS, GLOVES AND MITTENS,

Cannot be beat. Call and get the worth of your money at

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The largest, best and cheapest

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Can be found at the Store of

GEORGE W. COON & CO.,

Also, a very fine assortment of

BLACK CLOTHS AND DOESKINS,

CASSIMERE SHIRTS,

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HANDKERCHIEFS, SUSPENDERS,

COLORS, TIES, SCARFS, GLOVES,

TRAVELING BAGS AND SATCHELS,

in great variety for sale cheap, at

GEORGE W. COON & CO'S,

No. 3 Patton's Block,

One Door South of Barstow & Gore's Drug Store.

Oct 23, 1865.

GOOD NEWS. REBELLION ENDED!

THE PRICE OF CLOTHING

GONE DOWN WITH GOLD!

The best stock of good, well made Clothing ever brought to this market is now open for inspection at the

STORE OF R. W. EDDY,

Bought since the fall of Gold and the Rebellion, which will enable him to give his customers the benefit of very low figures, and the decline in prices. My goods as usual are stylish, and *a la mode*. No second rate shoddy goods, every article guaranteed as represented or no sale. My goods are all

THE LATEST FASHIONS,

And equal to the best city custom made, and fit to a T. As usual the best quality all wool

Business Suits,
Black Frock Coats,
Black Doe Pants and Vests,
Linen Coats, Dusters, and Pants,
The Latest Style Fine Silk Hats, Soft, Straw, Panama and Cloth Hats, White and Negligee Shirts, Collars Neck Ties, Gloves, Suspenders, Under Shirts and Drawers, Best quality English Half Hose, Over Alls, Over Shirts, Linen Handkerchiefs, Ladies Fine Morocco Travelling Bags. In fact everything usually found in a First Class Gentleman's Furnishing Store. My motto is good Goods at a fair price are cheaper than poor goods at any price. All goods sold at one price, no bantering nor teasing to make an offer, but every one gets the same goods at the same price, which is the bottom of the market. All old goods marked down to the gold base, and will be sold regardless of sacrifice. If you want good goods at a fair price, go to EDDY'S, where you will find him ready to show his goods and sell them too at the lowest figures to correspond with Gold. Bear in mind the place to buy good, well made, reliable Clothing is at R. W. EDDY'S, next door to Powell & Co.

R. W. EDDY.

Towanda, Jan. 7, 1865.

CHEAPNESS, STYLE AND BEAUTY.

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO

YOUR CLOTHING CHEAY AT YOUR OWN PRICES.

PROCLAIM IT TO THE PEOPLE.

Just received—a large stock of Fall and Winter Clothing at J. CORN'S Elmira Branch Clothing Store. He Says coolly, boldly and deliberately, that he takes the foremost of the Clothing Merchants of Towanda.

Eigtheen hundred and sixty-one has come, and the light and beauty of Spring shines upon us, with all its radiant splendor. I shall continue to sell Clothing, for Cash, cheaper than any other man, as my goods are all bought cheap for cash, and they will be sold cheap for cash.

My goods are all manufactured in Elmira, therefore I can warrant them well made. Enough for me to say have everything in the line of

CLOTHING, GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, &C., &C.

That is kept in any other Store in town.

This is a free country; therefore it is free for all to do their trading where they can do the best, regardless of the cross and sour looks of old fogy merchants. I invite you to come and see me—country as well as the city are invited—every person, rich or poor, high or low, bond or free are invited to call.

At JOHN SHLAM'S Clothing Store, next door to H. S Mercur's Dry Goods Store, Main Street, Towanda, Pa.

N. B.—We wish to be understood, that we are not to be undersold by any man, or combination of men.

☞ No charge for showing our Goods.

Towanda, March 12, 1862. J. CORN.

NEW FIRM. GREAT INDUCEMENTS.

FELLOWS, CRANDALL & CO.,

Successors to Reynolds, Fellows & Co., are now offering and prepared to furnish on short notice, Wagons, Carriages and Sleighs, of all descriptions and of the latest and most approved style and of the best material, at the old stand opposite the Union House, in the centre part of Alba Borough, Bradford County, Pa.

The public are assured that the reputation the shop has acquired during the last six years under the superintendence of J. H. Fellows, will be more than maintained, as he will superintend the work as heretofore, he having long been and having had much experience as a Carriage and Sleigh Builder, would assure the public that no pains will be spared by the above firm to make the establishment worthy of their patronage. Thankful as one of the old firm for the patronage thus far extended, we hope to merit a continuance of the same.

N. B.—We, the undersigned, being practical mechanics can manufacture and offer to the public at prices that will defy competition.

JAMES B. FELLOWS,
D. W. C. CRANDALL,
J. G. MERITT.

Alba Borough, March 30, 1865.

NEW PLANING MILL.

The undersigned having built a large and commodious Mill in the Borough of Towanda, and filled it with the most modern and improved machinery, for the manufacture of

WINDOW SASH, & BLINDS,

are prepared to fill orders, whether large or small, upon the shortest notice. We have also a large variety of MOULDINGS, of the latest style and pattern, which we can furnish much cheaper than they can be worked by hand.

PLANING,
TONGUEING,
GROVEING,
AND SCROLL SAWING,

and all other work pertaining to Joinery, will be done to suit our customers.

Persons building, and not living more than twelve or fourteen miles distant, will find it largely for their interest to buy of us, or bring their lumber and have it worked by our machinery. Bring your grist of Flooring, or other lumber, and while your team is feeding, have it ground out and take it home with you.

We will pay CASH for PINE & HEMLOCK LUMBER delivered at our lumber yard. Come and see us, or if you can't come, write.

L. B. RODGERS & CO.

Towanda, Feb. 8, 1864.

NEW AND FRESH GOODS!

Just received,

A FULL STOCK OF GROCERIES,

Bought for Cash,

WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT A SMALL ADVANCE.

Thankful for past favors, I would respectfully say to my old friends that I hope by strict attention and fair prices to merit a continuance of their favors.

Towanda, Feb. 2. E. T. FOX.

Drugs and Medicines.

BARSTOW & GORE'S DRUG STORE!

NEW FIRM, NEW GOODS,

AND NEW PRICES!

The undersigned having formed a co-partnership in the Drug business, under the name of BARSTOW & GORE, at the old stand No. 4, Patton's Block, where they are daily receiving additions to their stock, from the most reliable importers and manufacturers, respectfully ask for a liberal share of public patronage. A large stock of

FRESH DRUGS AND MEDICINES

Has just been received, and we are now prepared to supply the

WANTS OF THE PUBLIC WITH ALL ARTICLES

BELONGING TO THE TRADE.

PURE WINE AND LIQUORS, FOR MEDICAL USE

ONLY. A FULL ASSORTMENT OF CONCENTRATED

EXTRACTS, ECLECTIC AND HOMŒPATHIC MEDICINES.

ALL THE POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES.

PAINTS, OIL, VARNISH,

PAINT AND VARNISH BRUSHES,

DYE-STUFFS AND GLASS.

FANCY AND TOILET ARTICLES OF EVERY KIND.

TILDEN'S ALCOHOLIC AND FLUID EXTRACTS,

ALKALOID AND RESINOIDS.

All the Best Trusses,

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS,

Shoulder Braces,

BREAST PUMPS, NIPPLE SHELLS, AND SHIELDS,

Nursing Bottles, Syringes and Catheters.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF RAZORS, STROPS, POCKET KNIVES,

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS OF LATE STYLE

AND BEST QUALITY.

A large supply Brushes for the Hat and Hair. Also for the Teeth and Nails, Tooth Powders and Pastes, Oils, Perfumery, Soaps, Combs, Hair Dye, Invigorators, &c., Kerosene, Kerosene Lamps, Shades, Chimneys, Wicks, &c., all of the latest styles.

CHOICE CIGARS, TOBACCO AND SNUFF.

☞ Physicians supplied at reasonable rates. Medicines and Prescriptions carefully and accurately compounded and prepared by competent persons at all hours of the day and night. Sunday hours from 9 to 10 o'clock in the forenoon, 1 to 2 in the afternoon.

D. H. BARSTOW. W. H. H. GORE.

Towanda, Aug. 1, 1865.

DR. PORTER'S OLD DRUG STORE.

Already admitted to be

The largest, safest and most approved

DRUG HOUSE IN NORTHERN PENNSYLVANIA,

WITH

An established reputation for keeping the best medicine

UNEQUALLED

In its facilities and apparatus for compounding and preparing

MEDICINE AND PRESCRIPTIONS,

Conducted by thoroughly competent persons, who do so the most careful attention, pay the strictest regard to accuracy, and use only selected articles, and medicines of unquestioned purity, has become

THE CASH DRUG STORE

With prices revised to correspond with the market.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

ALL ARTICLES WARRANTED AS REPRESENTED.

By recent arrangements with the Manufacturers, Importers or First Holders of Goods and Cash Purchases, the prices will always be at the lowest point for Prime Goods.

LOWER FIGURES THAN EVER IN

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GLASS, DRUGS AND DYE-STUFFS.

Everything in this extensive stock will be sold Cheap for Cash!

PRICES REDUCED, VIZ:

OF SOAPS PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, COMBS, POCKET KNIVES AND RAZORS,

LAMPS AND MATERIALS FOR LIGHT.

TRUSSES & SUPPORTERS,

WINES AND LIQUORS, ONLY FOR MEDICINE.

TOBACCO AND SNUFF.

ALL THE POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES,

TOOTH, SKIN AND HAIR PREPARATIONS,

FANCY ARTICLES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

Eclectic, Botanic and Homœopathic Medicines

Spices, Bird Seed, Lamp Shades and Garden Seeds.

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Constituting the most complete assortment, embracing the great wants of the People, reduced in Price, and revised for the Cash System.

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Dr Porter's Blackberry Balsam	" 35	"
Dr Porter's Tooth Ache Drops	" 25	"
Dr Porter's Cephalic Snuff	" 25	"
Dr Porter's Tooth Powder	" 50	"
Dr Porter's Tricogene	" 50	"
Dr Porter's Tricophile	" 50	"
Dr Porter's Shampoo	" 50	"
Dr Porter's Horse and Cattle Lotion	" 50	"
Dr Porter's Horse and Cattle Powder	" 35	"
Dr Porter's Bed Bug Poison	" 35	"
Dr Porter's Black Ink	" 25	"
Dr Porter's Cleansing Fluid	" 37½	"
Dr Porter's Rat and Mice Poison	" 35	"
Dr Porter's Citrate Magnesia	" 35	"
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BROOMS AND PAILS, WHOLESALE and retail, at FOX'S.

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HAVE A

LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF GOODS.

To which additions are daily being made, which they offer cheap for Cash. A large assortment of

COOKING STOVES,

Among the many desirable and beautiful patterns is the CELECRATED AMERICAN.

This beautiful stove is unsurpassed for economy in fuel; is a perfect baker; is the best COOK STOVE in the market. Among their heating Stoves may be found a great variety suitable for every place where stoves are used.

STOVE PIPE AND SHEET IRON WORK.

Always on hand and made to order.

TINWARE,

A large stock manufactured from the very best material and by experienced workmen. A very full assortment of

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At New York prices.

HOUSE AND CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS,

TOOLS FOR THE FARMER,

Tools for the House Joiner and Carpenter—Tools for Blacksmiths'—Tools for everybody.

WINDOW SASH AND GLASS, PAINTS, OILS AND VARNISHES, MACHINE OIL AND BENZOLE,

KEROSENE OIL, LAMPS, WICKS AND CHIMNEYS

BELTING, TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY,

BRITTANNIA AND PLATED WARE,

Pumps, Lead Pipe, Chain Pumps, Water Pipes, Grindstones and fixtures,

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JOB WORK done with dispatch. Lamps repaired. Fluid Lamps and Lanterns altered and fitted to burn Kerosene.

Grain, Old Iron, Casting and Wrought Scraps, Copper, Brass, Brittannia, Beeswax, Feathers and Rags taken in exchange for goods.

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Towanda, March 10, 1863.

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HARDWARE!

TIN, COPPER, SHEET IRON, AND

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

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TOWANDA, PENN'A.

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Wish to call the attention of the public to their new Stock of

HARDWARE,
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BLACK SMITHS' TOOLS,
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Also, a large assortment of

Window Glass, Sash, Paints, Oils, Putty, Varnishes, and Paint and Varnish Brushes

of all kinds, which will be sold for the lowest Cash price.

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Lamps repaired and changed from Oil and Fluid to Kerosene.

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with improved self-sealing corks, and

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A superior stock of

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Goods for Gentlemen of

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And all the known Styles to suit this Market, which will be sold at

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL

TO SUIT CUSTOMERS,

At prices that cannot but please.

Returning thanks for past favors, we invite attention to our Large Stock of Goods.

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Sept. 4, '65.

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