Bradford Reporter.

REMOVAL.—The building occupied by the REPORTER, has been removed a few rods east of its former location, where our friends will find us, ready to attend to all their wants in the line of Printing.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

☞ The *Reporter* is printed upon CAMPBELL'S Country and Job Press, Office No. 56 Gold st., New York. Thomas H. Senior, agent.

☞ Rev. T. B. HUDSON, Presiding Elder of Troy Dist. will preach the Centenary Sermon in the M. E. Church, Towanda, Pa., on Sunday Evening, Oct., 28.

☞ Miss GRIFFIN has returned from New York with a fine assortment of Millinery to which the attention of the ladies is invited. See her announcement in another colum.

☞ Highest price paid for coupons due November 1st at First National Bank Towanda.

For the Bradford Reporter.

MR. EDITOR.—The first meeting of the Ministerial and Laymens' Association of Troy District, for the current conference year, was held on the 16th and 17th inst. at Canton, Pa.

The time of the meeting was exceedingly fortunate—the weather being of surpassing loveliness, and the landscape scenery, on all sides, beyond expression beautiful.

It is not, however, in these circumstances alone—nor, indeed, chiefly—that the members of the Association find cause for mutual gratulations; but in the polite cordiality with which they were welcomed to the homes and the hearts of the dwellers in that ancient and honorable town.

From the very first the exercises of the meeting took of a more than ordinarily spiritual character, and many seasons of "refreshing from the presence of the Lord" were enjoyed by those who were privileged to attend.

It would be safe to affirm that at no previous meeting of this Association has its prime object been more nearly or satisfactorily reached, namely—"The improvement of its members in all things pertaining to the work of saving souls."

The citizens of Canton and vicinity quite generally attended the several sessions, and were cordially invited to participate in the miscellaneous discussions and interests which were from time to time called up.

The Sunday School Convention, of Wednesday afternoon, was a time of marked interest; as was also the Centenary Missionary meeting on the evening of the same day. The former was most liberally—and happily too—favored with a full "baker's dozen" of *short* and telling addresses among which were those of Rev. T. B. Hudson, the Presiding Elder of Troy District. Rev. Mr. Gates, and Rev. Mr. Loomis, Presbyterian, and Baptist clergymen of Canton.

At the close of the Missionary meeting a little episodic occurence took place, which it may interest your readers to have related.

On his way to the meeting of the Association, the Rev. R. L. Stilwell, of the Monroeton charge had the misfortune to lose his horse. By some of his friends this fact was brought to the notice of the congregation, and, by way of giving point to the christian benevolence which had been so fully inculcated and so heartily approved, the handsome sum of $110 was soon contributed, by the ministers and friends present.

Adopting a resolution of thanks to the good people of Canton for their many kindnesses, and accepting an invitation from the people of Mainsburg to hold its next meeting there, the Association adjourned. J. T. BROWNELL, Sec'y.

☞ The Burlington Base Ball Club, "champions of Bradford County" herepy give notice that they will close the season for field exercise Oct. 31st.

H. R. HILL,
Capt. MASON LONG, } *Directors.*
S. K. ROSS,

Burlington Boro, Oct. 26, 1866.

DEATH OF CHARLES COOK.—Hon. Charles Cook expired on Tuesday evening, at the residence of his brother in law, Gen. Chedell, of Auburn, from a stroke of paralysis, in the 65th year of his age. He had in a good measure recovered from the first attack received about two years ago. He had long occupied a prominent position in this section of the State in financial and political circles. Within a few years past he had retired from the more active duties of life, in which, at an earlier period, he engaged with a singular foresight, energy, and success. He had frequently attained important political positions, which he honored by his ability and sagacity. He was for a long time the recognized political leader, who controlled large the political patronage of Southern Central New York. Through his instrumentality, the flourishing village of Havana has been built up and tenderly fostered. To him she owes her finest public buildings, her hotels, churches, and schools. He was the founder of the People's College, and was a liberal patron of benevolent and educational institutions. He always remained unmarried. Still his pleasant and genial disposition always surrounded him with many friends, and in his own town he was revered as a benefactor and a sympathizing friend of the people. His large property, through default of will, we believe, descends to his legal heirs. The funeral takes place to-day, at Havana. Great preparation have been made to render proper obsequies to one so honored and so worthy of the lasting memory of his fellow townsmen, who have to mourn his untimely death.—*El. Advertiser.*

THE IMMENSE COAL TRADE.—We were informed by one of our principal dealers yesterday, that never in the history of the coal trade in this place had the same quantity been brought to this market by canal and railroad as during the present season. Several circumstances have favored the trade. The mining labor has been rather in excess. If any were inclined to strike, there were many to take their places. And in some instances coal operators have been able to reduce wages, in place of being compelled to make advances. The navigable condition of the Junction canal, during the entire season, the absence of floods and breaks have combined to make the coal passage quite unprecedented over this route, while the railroad has furnished increased facilities, by the ending of the war, of coal freighting by that route. It is estimated that at least two hundred thousand tons will have been brought to this market by the close of navigation. With these facilities and fortuitous circumstances combining, the wholesale operators have been able to keep a step in advance of the demands of retail dealers, and kept the market fully supplied. Consequently prices have been growing somewhat easier, and a further advance is looked for with the opening of winter. This favorable exhibit will be gratifying intelligence to coal consumers.—*Elmira Advertiser.*

For the Reporter.

MR. GOODRICH,—*Dear Sir.*—Many of the readers of the Reporter will be gratified to learn that a thorough Sunday School canvass of Bradford County is just completed.

It was undertaken chiefly with a view to ascertain what the Spirit of God has done for the Sunday Schools and what the Sunday Schools have done for the Churches in our midst since the beginning of the present year. The general summary of schools and renewal results is now before me.

Much care has been taken to avoid any overestimate of parts. I am confident that the figures fall below the truth.

It was found impossible to gather reliable returns of hopeful conversions. This item was consequently thrown aside.

Individuals added to churches but not connected with Sunday Schools, together with *estimated* accessions to churches in townships which failed to make full returns are not included in the County summary.

Our aim has been to procure such *facts in figures* as would truthfully exhibit the measure of God's estimate of the value of efforts for the saving of the young. It is therefore with devout thankfulness to God that we acknowledge his great goodness and power in the hopeful salvation of *eight hundred and twenty* souls connected with the Sunday Schools of Bradford County.

The whole number of persons in all the schools is ten thousand six hundred and thirty nine—of which therefore, about eight per cent has been received in full communion by the churches within the past eight months. Of communities which, two years ago, were without either Sunday Schools or preaching, fifteen are now known to enjoy both these means of grace. Thus it is that the great head of the Church is everywhere planting the sweet "rose of Sharon."

Brethern, verily, verily, "Hitherto the Lord hath helped us." Work on, pray on, and, ere long, instead of hundreds, we shall be able to report thousands of youthful witnesses for Christ and workers in his vineyard. R. CRITTENDEN.

Oct. 18th, 1866.

☞ The members of the Towanda Lyceum will meet agreeably to adjournment at the Free School House on Friday evening, Oct. 6th. All are desired to attend, in order to organize for the season. A cordial invitation is extended to all wishing to join the society, or who feel interested in the same to be present. W. H. WATKINS, Sec'y.
Gen. W. PATTEN, Pres't.

WHO CAN BEAT IT.—A farmer (W. Warren) of West Granville, Bradford Co. thinking he could dig a hundred bushels of potatoes a day, on the morning of October 10th, he took his potatoe hook and commenced his days work. He was out of the field nearly an hour while at dinner, finished digging in time to help his hired men pick up over one third of the potatoes he dug, and finished his days work by covering them with straw, the men (N. Loomis and D. Worden,) who measured them, testifies that he dug one hundred and forty one and one half bushels, besides doing the other work mentioned, between the hours of 8 a. m., and 6 p. m.

GRIST MILL BURNED.—The steam grist and saw-mill of George E. Humphrey, in Sheshequin township, was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night last. The mill was closed at 6 o'clock, and about 11 o'clock, when the fire was discovered, the upper part of the mill was in flames. The loss is about $10,000, upon which there is no insurance.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A CARD.—In justice to MR. FLEMING, we wish to say to the public that, after an interview with that gentleman, we are satisfied that he received his information in reference to our correspondence with Messrs Ivision, Phiney, Blakeman, & Co., from a member of our firm, who misunderstood the import of the letter sent from them. We supposed, however, that Mr. F. understood the matter fully from a conversation had with the other member of our firm. In this we were mistaken.

Upon examining his article again, and from information received from him we are convinced that he had no allusion to us in his application of the epithet "cats paw." Neither had he any intention of charging us with employing Mr. K. to attend the Teachers Institutes. ALVORD & BARBER.

Towanda, Oct. 21, 1866.

☞ A large assortment of Oval and Square Gilt Picture Frames at BENDER'S Photographic Gallery.

☞ As we have seen some statements in the REPORTER, concerning the adoption of the "Union Series," of Readers at the Teachers Association held at Sylvania, which we believe are designed to deceive; we wish to make the following statements. Nearly every member present voted for the adoption of the "Union Series," the *nays* were called for, but no one responded. There was an average attendance so far as we are able to judge. There was no "lobbying." It J. K. Fleming thinks that the teachers of Bradford Co., are simple enough to be influenced in such a manner, we think he is as much deceived as he has deceived others. This is not the first time that he has misrepresented us; he does not seem satisfied by falsely stating that we would use the books for which he is agent in our High School at Austinville, but now accuses us of not calling for the negative of a resolution, thus insinuating that we were trying to force the adoption of the "Union Series." He has deceived many with regard to the adoption of his books, but as near as we are able to learn, he is doing better service to the one whose colors he bears, than he is for English & Co., His "*best information*," and the "*colors*" no doubt came from the same source. We use the "Union Series," and wish that no others were in use in the County.

A. T. LILLEY.

Austinville, Oct. 16, 1866.

SHELDON'S COMPOSITION FOR FRUIT TREES.—A correspondent at Troy, Pa., asks us relative to P. B. Sheldon's composition for the destruction of borers and other insects on fruit trees. On inquiry we learn from reliable parties in Steuben county, that the composition has been tested in that section and is approved. Though at first inclined to look upon it as a nostrum, the testimony before us—mainly elicted by our inquiries—is such that (with the addition of a knowledge of the ingredients of the composition) we are inclined to regard the preparation of Mr. Sheldon as valuable. The composition, which has been patented, is advertised in this paper.—*Moore's Rural New-Yorker.*

WICKHAM & BLACK are again on hand with New Goods, just suited to the season. Call and see their stock.

HELP FOR THE LADIES.—A good Sewing Machine is the best investment to be found.—Wheeler & Wilson's, for family use, is by far the best. For tailoring get Singers. Call at Wickham & Black's and see the work for proof.

PENSIONERS.—The instalment of Pensions due on the 4th of Sept., paid to Pensioners upon bringing their Pension certificate to the undersigned. J. N. CALIFF.
Pension Agent.

THE AMERICAN COOKING STOVE.—Is manufactured with certain improvements secured by letters patent, under date of May 5, 1863, and December 5, 1865. One of these improvements covers the arrangement of fitting a portable ash pan in the hearth of a cooking Stove, to receive the ashes as it passes down from the grate. All persons are cautioned against manafacturing, vending or using other Stoves made in *imitation* of the *American*, as suits have been commenced for infringement of these patents, and all persons manufacturing, selling or using said *imitations*, will be liable for damages for infringement on these letters patent. SHEAR, PACKARD & CO.,
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The AMERICAN is for sale by Codding and Russel Towanda.

MARRIED.

McDOUGAL—TAYLOR—In Troy township at the house of the brides father, Oct. 18th 1866, by Rev. E. Loomis, Mr. Hanford McDougal of Granville, to Miss Adaline Taylor.

McKINNEY—HOUSTON—On the 2d inst. by the Rev. Wm. Harris, Mr. Charles T. McKinney of Elmira, to Miss Martha R. Houston of Towanda.

GRAY—LATHROP—In Rush, Oct. 6th, by Rev. H. H. Gray, Mr. John B. Gray and Mrs. Mary E. Lathrop, both of Auburn, Susquehannah Co. Pa.

BOWMAN—STEVENS—By Rev. R. L. Stilwell, Oct. 24th, Mr. G. W. Bowman of Monroeton, and Mrs. Henrietta Stevens, of Franklin, Pa.

BLYMYER—GUYER—Monday evening, Oct. 22, at the house of the brides father, by Rev. J. T. Brownell, Mr. Andrew P. Blymyer, of Lewistown Pa. to Miss Lizzie Guyer, of Highland, Bradford Co. Pa.

DIED.

LINDLEY—In Canton, Oct. 6th, Chettie F. only son of Shelden H. and Josephine Lindley, aged two years and six month.

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SATTINETTS, DOUBLE AND TWIST CASSIMERES, Plain and Check all wool filled Kentucky Jeans, and other Fancy Goods for Boys wear.
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FLANNELS.—PLAIN RED, GREY, AND BLUE TWILLED, MINER'S Checks, Fancy Shirting, Colored and White Domestic, and all grades of White and Shaker Flannels.
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HOOP SKIRTS.—*Bradley's Celebrated Duplex Eliptic Skirt*, in all the different numbers of springs. THE FAVORITE SILVER SKIRT. Together with our usual variety of other makes in lower grades.
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CARPETINGS.—Brussells, Three Ply, Extra Super and Super Ingrain, Kidder and Hemp Carpets, Cocoa Mattings, Floor Oil Cloths all widths, Druggetts, Mats, &c.
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HATS AND CAPS.—We are now prepared to exhibit the Fall Styles of Hats and Caps.
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LADIES FINE SHOES, of the celebrated Busts manufacture. Also a full assortment of Ladies, Misses and Childrens Shoes, both fine and heavy, manufactured specially FOR US.
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October, 1866.

Humphrey Brothers' Column.

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Towanda, September 1, 1866.

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SCHOOL YEAR 1866-7.

1866.

Sept. 5—First Term begins, Wednesday.
Dec. 7—First Term ends, Friday.
Dec. 10—Second Term begins, Monday.
Dec. 25—Christmas Holidays begin, Tuesday.

1867.

January 1—Christmas Holidays end, Tuesday.
March 22—Second Term ends, Friday.
March 25—Third Term begins, Monday.
June 27—Commencement—Exercises of Graduating Class.—Thursday.

The Examination of the Graduating Class will occur one week previous to Commencement.

EXPENSES PER TERM OF 14 WEEKS.

For Fall or Spring Term, including Board, Room Rent, Tuition, Book Rent, Fuel and Washing	$58 00
For Winter Term	60 00
For Day Students, Tuition per Term	8 00
Book Rent per Term	1 00
Total Expenses for a School year	176 00

No Extra Charges.

Student's rooms are furnished with Stoves, Chairs, Tables, Stands, Pails, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Pillows and one Comforter. All other things needed for comfort and convenience must be furnished by those occupying rooms. All articles of bedding and clothing should be distinctly marked with full name.

P. A. ALLEN, Principal.

Mansfield, Aug. 26, 1866.—3m.

EXAMINATIONS.—The examinations of Teachers for the several districts of this county will be held as follows:

Warren, Friday, Oct. 5, at Bowen school house.
Windham, Saturday, Oct. 6, at Kuykendall school house
Wysox, Wednesday, Oct. 10, at Myersburg school house.
Towanda, North and Borough, Oct. 11, at boro' school house.
Ulster, Oct. 12, at Village school house.
Sheshequin, Oct. 13, at Lower Valley school house.
Standing Stone, Oct. 16, at Stevens school house.
Asylum, Oct. 17, at Laporte school house.
Terry, Oct. 18, at Terrytown school house.
Wilmot, Oct. 19, at Sugar Run " "
Albany and Overton, Oct. 20, at Bear school house.
Franklin, Oct. 22, at Varney school house.
Granville, Oct. 23, at Taylor school house.
LeRoy, Oct. 24, at Carner school house.
Canton and Borough, Oct. 25, at Boro' school house.
Troy and Borough, Oct. 26, at Borough school house.
Litchfield, Nov. 5, at Centre school house.
Athens and Borough, Nov. 6, at Borough school house.
Smithfield, Nov. 7, at Centre school house.
Springfield, Nov. 8, at Centre " "
Ringbury, Nov. 12, at Burnham school house.
South Creek, Nov. 13, at Gillett " "
Wells, Nov. 14, at Rowley Hill school house.
Columbia, Nov. 15, at Austinville school house.
Burlington's, Nov. 16, at Borough school house.
Monroe twp, and Borough, Nov. 17, at Boro' school house.
Herrick, Nov. 20, at Herrickville school house.
Herrick South, Nov. 21, at Camp " "
Wyalusing, Nov. 22, at Camptown school house.
Tuscarora, Nov. 24, at Spring Hill " "
Pike and LeRaysville, Nov. 24, at Boro' school house.
Orwell, Nov. 27, at Orwell Hill school house.

Teachers will attend in the District in which they reside or expect to teach. Should any one be prevented from attending some one of the above, he can by complying with the requirements found on the 139th page of the School Law, be inspected at one of the following places: Towanda, Dec. 1, Troy, Dec. 8, or Orwell Dec. 20. Examinations will commence at 9 o'clock a. m. None admitted after 10, unless unavoidably detained. Teachers must invariably procure certificates valid in this county, before commencing to teach. Directors are requested to attend.

O. J. CHUBBUCK,
County Superintendent.

Sept. 20, 1866.—3t.

NEW BOOKS!

SANDER'S UNION READERS

AND

ROBINSON'S MATHEMATICS,

Have been adopted by the School Directors of Towanda Borough as Text Books. Other townships desiring to change their Text Books, can be supplied with these books on lower terms than any other Publishing House can offer.

Read the following testimonials from the County Superintendent, and Mr. Kingsbury, Principal of the Towanda Graded school:

MAY, 1866.

I have examined Sander's Union Readers with much satisfaction. The selections are admirable, well graded interesting and of high moral tone. These Readers are not excelled by any with which I am acquainted. I can cheerfully recommend them for use in the schools of this county. O. J. CHUBBUCK,
County Superintendent.

MAY, 1866.

After a careful examination of Sander's Union Speller and Readers, I am fully persuaded that they are much superior to any others with which I am acquainted, both in their attractive appearance, and in their admirable selection and arrangement of matter.

J. H. KINGSBERY,
Principal High School, Towanda.

For further particulars call at the Book Store of ALVORD & BARBER, Towanda, Pa. Aug. 29

OSGOOD'S PROGRESSIVE READERS

AND

DEAN'S ARITHMETICS,

AND OTHERS,

Having been largely adopted in the County of Bradford, we invite the attention of School Boards and educators generally, to the following testimonials among many others, some of which have been received from those who have those who have not only *examined* the books, but *tested* them in the school room.

ORWELL, July 13, 1866.

I have examined Osgood's series of Readers, they are well graded, the selections are good, and I think them calculated to give satisfaction to all who may have occasion to use them. O. J. CHUBBUCK.

WYALUSING, Sept. 1, 1866.

MR. J. K. FLEMING—I have examined with some care the copy of Public School Arithmetic you sent me. I am much pleased with it, and think such a work is needed in our Academies and High Schools. We cannot speak too highly of the Osgood Readers. We have adopted the books in our school and the change has not with universal approbation. Yours, truly,

W. H. BROWN, Principal of Academy.

MONROETON, Oct. 21, 1866.

J. K. FLEMING—Sir: We have introduced Osgood's series of Readers, Burtt's Grammar and Dean's Arithmetic into the Monroeton High School, and after having tested them for two months, I am prepared to say that they take rank with the very best. They give entire satisfaction. Yours, &c.,

HALLECK ARMSTRONG,
Principal of Monroeton High School.

ORWELL, Sept. 5, 1866.

MR. J. K. FLEMING—Having examined Osgood's series of Readers, and found them admirably adapted to the wants of our schools, I take pleasure in recommending them to teachers and friends of education generally. My short acquaintance with the books has impressed me so favorably, that I am almost constrained to say with others, "They are emphatically the cheapest and best series now published.

Yours, respectfully,
MRS. H. G. SALMON.

SHESHEQUIN, Sept. 3, 1866.

MR. J. K. FLEMING—Sir: I have looked over the specimen books you left with me, and am much pleased with all of them, particularly so with the series of Osgood's Readers. They are emphatically *Progressive* works, and moreover the steps of their progression are so carefully taken, and so securely planted, that I cannot see how any teacher who follows the directions of the author can fail of the highest success.

The exercises in articulation at the opening of all the lessons in the Primary numbers, afford a pastime as pleasant as it is profitable to those pupils whose teachers enter upon them with a spirit and a relish, and the rules and exercises in Inflection, Emphasis, &c. in the more advanced numbers, are so definite and plain that all who attend to them can not fail to become good critics as well as good readers.

I cannot express "briefly" my high appreciation of these works, and while I would by no means depreciate the Sander series for the good they have done, I yet rejoice that so great an advance on them has been reached by the Osgood Progressive Readers.

Yours, &c.,
MRS. S. ELIZA GIBSON.

oct. 22.—8t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—*Harding & Lee's use vs. Marcus, F. G. & A. S. Manley, and Ira B. Greenleaf.* In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County. No. 32½ February Term, 1860.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by said Court, to distribute moneys arising from Sheriff's sale of defendants real estate, (confirmation in this case taken off from former report of auditor and sent back to the same auditor by the Court,) will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Towanda, on Friday, the 23d day of November, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at which time and place all persons having claims upon said moneys must present them or be forever debarred. W. T. DAVIES,
Oct. 23, 1866. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—*In the matter of the Final account of B. F. Knapp, guardian of George Knapp, minor so of Amos Knapp.* In the the Orphan's Court of Bradford County.

The undersigned, an Auditor, appointed by said Court to distribute money in the hands of Guardian, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Towanda, on Thursday, November 15, 1866 at 1 o'clock, p. m., where all persons having claims upon said monies will attend or forever be debarred from the same. BENJ. M. PECK,
Oct. 20, 1866. Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of Lucinda Vanderpool, late of Leroy tp. dec'd, are requested to make immediate payment, and all having claims upon said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

HIRAM H. HOAGLAND,
Oct. 22, 1866.* Administrator.

TEAS of very fine quality, by the chest or at retail, bought before the recent advance, and for sale cheap at FOX'S.

Legal.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.—NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of Job Hulet, late of Athens twp., dec'd, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having demands against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

CATHARINE HULET,
Sept. 13, 1866. Executrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the estate of S. B. FOSTER, late of North Towanda twp dec'd., are requested to make immediate payment and those having demands against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

ELIJAH HORTON,
W. H. FOSTER,
Sept. 20, 1866. Administrators.

ADMINISTR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of JOHN HOWE, late of Warren twp., Bradford County, dec'd, are requested to make payment without delay and all having claims against said estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

GEO. LYONS,
Sept. 13, 1866. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the estate of Jonathan Payne late of Windham twp., dec'd. are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

WM. C. PECK,
Sept. 13, 1866. Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the estate of HARRISON CARLISLE, late of Smithfield tp. are requested to make payment, without delay, and those having claims against said estate must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

SAMUEL NILES,
Sept. 24, 1866.* Administrator.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—*In the matter of the estate of Samuel Walls deceased, late of Armenia.* In the Orphan's Court of Bradford County.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed to distribute the monies in the hands of the administrator of the said estate raised by the sale of decedent's real and personal property will attend to the duties of his appointment at the Troy House, in the Borough of Troy, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of OCTOBER, 1866, at 2 o'clock, p. m., and all persons having claims upon said monies must present them or else be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said funds.

H. B. McKEAN,
Oct. 2, 1866. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—*Daniel Curran vs. Mary Ann Bishop.* In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, No. 434, Sept. term, 1864.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by said Court to distribute moneys arising from Sheriff's sale of defendants real estate, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Towanda, on Friday November 16, 1866, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons having claims upon said moneys must present them or be forever debarred.

E. OVERTON, JR.,
Oct. 15, 1866. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—*L. H. Bronson vs C. R. Darling.* In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford county, No. 381, February Term, 1866.

The undersigned an auditor appointed by said Court to distribute moneys arising from Sheriff's sale of defendants real estate, will attend to the duties of his appointment, at his office in Towanda boro', on Friday the 26th day of October, 1866, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons interested can attend if they think proper or be forever debarred from the same.

H. B. McKEAN,
Oct. 2, 1866. Auditor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the estate of JOHN BIXBY, late of Sylvania borough, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

PETER MONROE,
JOHN BIXBY,
WM. G. BRADFORD,
Oct. 2, 1866.* Executors.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Bradford County, the undersigned guardian of Jessie, minor child of John J. Ward and Emily Ward, the last of whom is deceased, will sell on the premises November 24, 1866, at 1 o'clock, p. m., one undivided fifth share of certain lands situate in Penn twp., Perry county, Pa., bounded and described as follows:

On the south and west by lands of George Dan Rel and Gilbert Branagan and Alexander Galley, on the north by land of Wm McIlvaine. Containing 240 acres, be the same more or less.

ALSO—One undivided fifth part of all that measuage or tract of land situate in Juniata twp., Perry co., Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a white oak, thence by land of Solomon Strauple and Christian Fisher, north 15° west 157 per. to stones, thence by lands of Geo. Meshler heirs south 77° east 47 per. to stones, thence north 70° east 50 per. to stones thence by land of Solomon Strauper, south 75° east 29 per. to a hickory, thence south 6° east 30 per. to a white oak, thence southerly 56 per. to the place of beginning. Containing 47 acres, 145 perches, net measure.

TERMS—$50 to be paid on each piece of land on its being struck down, the balance on confirmation.

HARRY MIX,
Oct. 15, 1866. Guardian.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Bradford County, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Alvah Heath, late of said county, will sell on the premises, November 24, 1866, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described lot piece or parcel of land situate in Terry twp., beginning at a post she north-west corner of the warrant, (formerly a hemlock) thence east 53 per to a post and stones, thence south by a lot formerly belonging to John Beaucit, 235 per to a stone heap in warrant line, thence west 57¼ per to a white oak, thence north 1½° east 236 per. to the place of beginning. Containing 86 acres and 41 perches, more or less, about 15 acres improved, framed house and barn and a few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—All the right, title and interest of the said Alvah Heath in and to the following described piece or parcel of land situate in Terry twp., bounded north by lands of J. W. Dennison, east by lands of Daniel Welles south by lands formerly owned by Samuel Hilhouse, west by lands now in possession of J. W. Dennison. Containing about 100 acres, more or less, about 15 acres improved, with framed barn and a young orchard thereon. Said land now in possession of J. W. Dennison

TERMS—$50 dollars shall be paid down on the day of sale, one half the balance on confirmation of sale, the balance in one year thereafter, with interest from the confirmation.

O. F. PARSONS,
Oct. 15, 1866. Administrator.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Bradford County, the undersigned administrator of the estate of Sally Olmstead, late of said county, deceased, will sell on the premises, on November 24, 1866, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Ulster twp., bounded on the east by the public highway leading from Towanda to Athens on the north by lot of William Bowman, west by lands formerly belonging to Wm. Gibson, now in possession of C. Rockwell & Co., south by the school house lot. Containing about one fourth of an acre, more or less, one framed house and shed and a few fruit trees there n.

TERMS—$50 to be paid on the day of sale and the balance on final confirmation.

GEORGE MORLEY,
Oct. 15, 1866. Administrator.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Bradford county, the undersigned administrators of the estate of A. J. Carr, late of Albany twp., will sell on the premises on Saturday, November 24, 1866, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following described lot, piece or parcel of land situate in Albany twp., beginning at the centre of the Califfin Road, thence south 51° west 57,3 per. to a post, thence north 60° west 38 per. to a post, thence north 30° east 62 per. to a post, thence along Califfin Road south 67° east 12 per. thence south 5½° east 16 per. thence south 37° east 22 per thence south 45° east 9 4-10 per. to the place of beginning. Containing 19 acres, be the same more or less.

TERMS—$25 be paid on the property being struck down and the balance on confirmation of sale.

R. H. RICHARDS,
J. N. CARR,
Oct. 15, 1866. Administrators.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of a writ of Vend. Expo., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford county, to me directed and delivered, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Boro' of Towanda, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1866, at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described lot piece or parcel of land situate in Monroe township, bounded as follows—beginning at a post and stones of a tract of land in the warrantee name of James Simmons, thence east 60 perches to a white pine an original corner of Robert Rogers warrant, thence south along the west original line of Hiram Vanderlice warrant 464 perches to a white oak tree for a corner, thence by the Peter North warrant north 58° 30 min west 322 perches to a white oak, the north east corner of Jas North's warrant, thence south 81° 45 min west 21 perches more or less to a post corner, thence north 58° 15 min east by the north line of James North 326 4-10 perches to a post and stones corner of James North warrant, thence by the same north 31° and 45 min east 248 5-10 perches to a post and stones corner, thence south 58° and 15 min east 87 perches to a post and stones corner, thence north 1° and 45 min east 259 perches to the place of beginning. Containing 1800 acres or thereabouts, be the same more or less, all unimproved.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Gorden F. Mason vs. The Susquehanna and Elmira Coal Co.

ALSO—The following described lot piece or parcel of land situate in Alba boro', bounded north by the public highway, east by the Baptist Church lot, south by Jefferson Witherall, west by J. & T. Loughhead. Containing ¼ acre of land, more or less, all improved with one framed barn and a few fruit trees thereon.

ALSO—One other lot situate in said borough of Alba, bounded north by land of A. J. Merritt, east by A. Jefferson Witherall south by the highway, and west by Iram Wilson. Containing ¼ acre of land, more or less, all improved, with one framed house thereon.

Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Z. Annables executors vs. Philip S. Miller.

J. MONROE SMITH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Towanda, Sept. 24, 1866.

CAUTION.—Whereas, my wife Clarissa has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation. I hereby forbid any person trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date. GEORGE M. GRAB.

Herrick, Oct. 2, 1866—4w.