News of the Week

—Several delegations of Indians, representing the Miamis, Greeks, Cherokees and other tribes, are expected to visit Washington during this winter for the purpose of securing additions to existing treaties between them and the Government relative to the cessions of lands and the improvement of their domestic condition generally.

—Late advices from Government sources in Cuba represent that the revolutionists were recently severely punished in an engagement near Puerto Principe. The same authority says that strychnine was found among the baggage captured from the revolutionist, and that it was their vowed intention to use it in poisoning the Spanish troops. The revolutionists' account of the fight differs materially from this, but does not deny the success of the Government troops, The insurgents have destroyed the lighthouse at Lucretia Point. Another despatch says that 800 fillibusters have landed in Santiago, and that they have joined the revolutionary forces. The number of Government troops in that vicinity is only about 1,800, and they are surrounded by 10,000 rebels.

—Rev. John Black, of the Red River Relief Committee, reports that there are there 484 families comprising 2,342 persons, who are in absolute want, and must receive assistance or starve. In addition there are several hundred others who will need assistance before Spring. The buffalo hunters are returning empty handed, the fishing is a failure, and of rabbits, usually very plentiful in Winter not one is to be seen. He asks for 4,000 barrels of flour and other supplies to preserve the lives of these unfortunate people.

—Col. Albert Barnitz, Captain of the Seventh Cavalry, who was supposed to have been mortally wounded by the Indians in Gen. Custer's recent fight with them, is now out of danger. The rifle and the ball with which he was wounded are said to have been presented to the Indians last Summer by the Peace Commissioners.

—A fire which occurred at Erie, Penn., on Tuesday night, destroyed the St. Clair Hotel and several other buidings.

—Three vessels of the Glocester, Mass., fishing fleet were lost during the past fishing season, involving the loss of thirty lives. Seven other Glocester fishermen were lost by being knocked overboard, and three were lost from coasting schooners.

—A serious fire occurred in Lynn, Mass., Saturday. It broke out in Lyceum Hall, and before it was extinguished several buildings, including the Post Office, were destroyed. The loss is estimated at about $300,000. As several shoe manufactories were destroyed, many people, about 600, are brown out of employment.

—Ex-Gov. Charles Moorhead, of Kentucky, died at Greenville, Mass., on Christmas day. He was a violent advocate of the rebel cause, and for his efforts to bring about the secession of Kentucky, was arrested and confined in Fort Lafayette for some time, He was 66 years of age at the time of his death.

—One of the crew of the wrecked schooner *Eugenie*, who has arrived at Galveston, Texas, reports that the gale of Nov. 6 and 7, in which the *Eugenie* was lost, more than twenty vessels of various nationalities shared the same fate between Minatitian and Vera Cruz.

—Senator Sawyer publishes a letter, denying the statemen, recently published, chainging Gen. W. T. Benett with having obtained his appointment as Revenue Supervisor for North and South Carolina, on fraudulent recommendations. He also pronounces as false, the statement that Gen. Bennett has been called to Washington to answer these or any other charges.

—The Supreme Court of Georgia has just given a decision sustaining the decision of a lower Court which held that the consideration of a note given for borrowed Confederate money was a good and valid one. The plea was the failure of consideration, in that Confederate money was an illegal currency—not money or any other thing of value.

—The muncipal election in Knoxville, Jenn., was held on Saturday, and created much excitement. The colored candidate for Mayor was defeated by a large majority, but two negroes were elected to the Board of Aldermen.

—Ten brick stores, nearly all containing heavy stocks of goods, were on Friday evening, burnt in Bangor, Me., causing a loss of over $250,000. The principal occupants were; E. P. Baldwin, Emery, Wing & Co., Charles Howard & Co., Connor & Fuller. T. T. Farmington, Fogg & Bridges, George C. Pickering, George W. Ladd, C. H. Dunning, and S. H. Dale & Co.

—The Indiana Legislature meets at Indianapolis on Thursday next. A United States Senator is to be elected in place of Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks. The Legislature is Republican.

—The trial of Gen. Mank, charged with robbing the United States mails while acting as an agent of the Government, is progressing at New-Orleans, and attracting considerable attention. The United States District-Attorney is assisted in the prosecution by Mr. Henry C. Miller, formerly Confederate State District-Attorney, and it is said that Col. Field, for the defence, who objected to every juryman who had ever had any connection with the Confederacy, expects to make a strong point before the jury upon Mr. Millers antecedents.

—A District school teacher at South Action, Mass., named Luther W. Piper, was knocked down and considerably injured, on Friday, by Levi Dow, proprietor of the villiage hotel, whose boys he had whipped at school. Mr. Dow was arrested.

—Vice-President Wade has received the official Presidential votes ot all the States by mail, although only half of the messengers appointed to bring the votes to Washington have arrived. Next Wednesday is the last day on which these votes can be received. It is generally known that the law provides that those messengers who fail to deliver the vote in Washington by the first Wednesday in January are subject to a fine of $1,000. In case all the messengers do not arrive with the votes, those received by mail will be counted on the third Wednesday of February by Mr. Wade.

—The Mayor of Newburyport, Mass., has offered, in behalf of the citizens, several rewards, amounting in the aggregate to $10,500, for the detection and arrest within four months of incendiaries operating within the limits of the city or the town of Newbury, or of the person or persons who set fire to the several churches, buildings and barns recently burned.

—Judge Watts, of the Fourth Judicial District of North Carolina, has granted an injunction to the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Company, forbidding the Treasurer of the State to issue any bonds in aid of the Chatham Railroad Company, under the act of the Legislature recently passed appropriating $2,000,000 for the completion of that road. The injunction is granted on the alleged ground that the act is unconstitutional, and virtually stays all further proceedings until that question is decided by the courts.

—The jail in Putnam county, Ohio, has had no inmate for six months.

Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Thursday, Jan. 7, 1869.

THE NEW YEAR.

With the twilight of Thursday last, the shadows of time closed on 1868—the old year, whose familiar numerals seemed almost to have interwoven themselves with our very life, as day by day they noted the passage of our fears and attempts and deeds and hopes.

The conventionalities of the day demand a boisterous salute to the new-comer, but it is doubtful if they are not the prompting of a forced and unnatural merriment. The milestones of time rarely are counted with solid pleasure. The spring time shows less of brightness every year, and the snows of winter grow ghastlier and colder in their whiteness with each succeeding season. Men fights with fate the unequal battle, and year by year, as he holds the ever-weakening lines, drinks by order and rolls the hollow drums of mirth to conceal his loss and sure decay.

But let the dead bury their dead, and the past braid its own immortelles and garlands. To-day we stand on the threshold of an impatient year, bright with hope and full of promise. Let us render it the homage of Custom, doubtless the child of a wise expediency.

As a nation we take with 1869 a new start and hold in our own hands the reins of destiny. With the disappearing traces of the graves and earthworks die out the passions and rancors of the war, perpetuated so long only by the indiscretion of an Administration of which good men cannot yet speak in measured terms. A new Administration, in sympathy and unison with the people, ensures the smooth working of the wheels of government and promises peace and confidence. With these come industry and plenty and prosperity, the brave ring of axe and anvil throughout the land and the cheerful song of the reaper.

From indications, which already thicken until they almost take the form of promise, we have the right to expect among the gifts and bounties of the New Year,

A good crop, North, South, and West.

The settlement of our national financial position.

An honest and economical administration of the Government.

Peace at home and abroad, with all the attendant host of blessings which follow in its train.

For these grand hopes—for the mercy of being allowed to look forward to the speedy consummation of such great good, and to strive towards such glorious ends—let us be devoutly, and if it is our wont, demonstratively thankful. Few of the opening years have broken under a more auspicious sun.

EUROPE.—It is now confidently asserted that both Turkey and Greece will participate in the Peace Conference, which will be held in Paris on the 9th inst. It is stated that the Turkish Minister of Foreign Affairs, Fuad Pacha, will represent his Government, and that Alexander Riza Rangabe, an eminent Grecian poet, will represent Greece. Should the Conference fail to agree upon a basis of settlement, and bring about peace, it is said that Russia will demand strict non-intervention on the part of the European Powers. It is reported that the Turkish Admiral has formally demanded the surrender of the Greek steamer EROSIS, and war is considered inevitable.

The recent disturbances at Malaga, in Spain, were more serious than heretofore reported. Gen. Kada had had a sharp fight with the rebels in the streets of the city, and the war vessels in the harbor took part in the engagement. It is stated that the official reports place the loss of the insurgents at four hundred.

The Emperor of France has instructed the Spanish Envoy to convey to his Government the warmest wishes both of himself personally and of France for its happiness and prosperity.

The workingmen of Lambeth presented Mr. Reverdy Johnson with an address on Saturday evening, in return for which that gentleman favored them with a few remarks.

☞ The Freedmen's Bureau is now blotted out—excepting the Department of Education, which still continues in existence. A year ago Congress provided for its termination within the year 1868, and though an effort was made a few weeks since to secure its continuance, no action was taken on the subject before the holidays, and so it has expired by limitation. No attempt will be made to revive it again when Congress again meets, and consequently its history can now be written.

☞ The electors of Georgia failing to meet and cast their votes for SEYMOUR and BLAIR on the first Wednesday in December, their votes are necessarily lost and the democratic aspirants lose the empty honor of receiving the electoral vote of a State which was carried for them by violence and fraud. The democrats feel sore at missing what was so disgracefully won.

☞ The official vote of Missouri for Presidential electors is announced as follows: Republican, 84,116; Democratic, 59,685; Republican majority, 24,431. Of Oregon: Republican, 10,961; Democratic, 11,125; Democratic majority, 164. It is said that there is great indignation among the Democrats of Missouri at the refusal on the part of Secretary RODMAN

FROM HARRISBURG.

Harrisburg, Jan. 4, 1869.

This ancient town, usually quiet enough, becomes occasionally the centre towards which the politicians of the State take their way, and then the hotels are crowded to overflowing with a restless, busy, talking crowd, who discuss matters with as much earnestness as if the welfare of the Nation depended upon the efforts of each individual.—Just now, the political caldron is seething and boiling at a furious rate. The Legislature of Pennsylvania convenes to-morrow, and most of the Republican members have been here some days in advance of the time of meeting, for the purpose of being posted as to the situation, or to make such arrangements as shall be to their advantage, pecuniary or otherwise.

There is a great deal said now-a-days, about the profligacy of Legislatures and the corruption prevalent at State Capitols. That there is some foundation for these allegations, there is no question—but it is wrong to include in a sweeping condemnation, all the men who enact our laws, or any great portion of them. The great majority of the members sent here, are honest, intelligent men, who endeavor faithfully to discharge their duty to their constituents and to the Commonwealth. Another, but a much smaller portion seek an election for the express purpose of selling their votes for money,—and this latter class bring upon the Legislature all the odium which attaches to rascality and corruption. The popular designation of these scamps, is that of "Roosters,"—though why they should be thus called, I was never able to ascertain.

These latter gentlemen, with the *foul* designation, *form* themselves into a "ring," regularly constituted and organized. This "ring" may consist of ten or twenty members, as the material is abundant in the Legislature. Their business is to promote or prevent the passage of important Legislation, as they are paid. For instance: Legislation is desired for some interest, which is of great value to the parties concerned. Suddenly the bill is stopped in its progress towards becoming a law, and a serious and probably fatal opposition to the measure develops itself. The friends of the proposed legislation are informed that the matter can be "put through" for a certain amount proportioned to the value or importance of the proposed enactment. The "ring" once propitiated, their opposition ceases, and the bill passes readily and quickly to a law.

This is unquestionably an alarming and disgraceful state of affairs, but it has existed for years and is likely to continue, so long as men are corrupt. The operators are well known to every member of the Legislature, and to most of the frequenters of the Capitol. How the evil is to be remedied, is beyond the ken of the best and shrewdest men. The remedy dies with the people. If they would send to the Legislature, only honest men, who could stand the manifold temptations which beset poor, frail, human nature, the evil would be lessened, if not entirely wiped out.

The assembling of the present legislature is an occasion of unusual interest, from the fact that almost one of the first acts to be performed, is the election of a Senator to succeed Mr. Buckalew. The organization of the House was supposed to have an important influence upon the decision of the Senatorial question, and the contest for Speaker has been lively for some weeks.—Two candidates for the Speakership have been prominent. Mr. Strang, of Tioga county, and Mr. Clark, of Philadelphia.—The former was alleged to be in the especial interest of Mr. Kemble, of Philadelphia, whose Senatorial aspitations were to be aided by his election. The latter was a candidate unpledged to any Senatorial aspirant, and was supported with zeal by the Camerons. The result has been for some time a foregone conclusion, and Mr. Clark will be nominated for Speaker without a contest in the caucus which meets to night, and elected when the Legislature convenes to-morrow.

The friends of the different candidates for United States Senator are here, marshalling the forces, and endeavoring to advance the interests of the persons named for that high position. Of the result, it is impossible to speak with any degree of certainty. It is generally conceded that the election of Mr. Grow would be generally received with more favor, than that of any other man named. He is recognized as the representative of the radical, live, earnest Republicans of the State; while his honesty and integrity are admitted on all hands. The West presents Moorehead, Marshall, Schofield and others, who have each their warm supporters, and as yet there are no indications which point certainly to the result.—It is generally conceded, that never before was a Senatorial election in such a state of uncertainty.

The peculiar position of the Senatorial contest has called together an unusually large number of the politicians of the State. The near incoming of Grant's administration has aroused a crowd of greedy and needy expectants who are extremely anxious to be reckoned as the supporters of the new Senator whoever he may be. Just how to be for half dozen candidates, taxes the powers of some of these gentlemen, to the utmost. They vibrate from the head-quarters of one to the other, volunteering aid and advice, disclosing important secrets, known only to themselves, and bustle about, convinced at least of their own importance and shrewdness.

The North is well represented here. The friends of Mr. Grow from Tioga, Bradford and Susquehanna are present, to represent the unanimous voice of our people, and to ask that our Republican majorities shall have some weight in deciding the question. Many good Republicans from other sections of the State, have also come voluntarily to press the importance of his election, as a measure calculated to advance the welfare of the State, and the interests of the *Republican* party. He has reason to be proud of the support given him, even if it should not avail to elect him.

The Representatives from Bradford have engaged rooms at the Brady House. I am much gratified in knowing that Messrs. Webb and Chamberlin have, as they deserve, the unbounded confidence and respect of their colleagues. Mr. Webb being returned for a third term, gives him a position and influence enjoyed by but few members. Mr. Chamberlin, too, has the advantage of one winter's experience. Both are above the suspicion of anything wrong, and are accordingly respected.

Senator Osterhout has rooms at the "Lochiel." His experience in the Legislature, will be of great value to him, and his Legislative career will undoubtedly be useful and acceptable to his constituents.

Harrisburg, Jan. 5, 1869.

The caucus of the House last evening, terminated in the unanimous selection of Mr. Clark for Speaker. A lively fight took place over the Chief Clerkship between the old clerk, Gen. Selfridge and Col. Stumbaugh, of Franklin. The former was successful, however, by a vote of 33 to 26 for his opponent.

The excitement over the Senatoral contest culminated this morning, in the rumor that Mr. Grow had retired from the field, and that John Scott, of Huntingdon, and Moorehead, of Allegheny, would be the chief contestants for the place. There is undoubtedly some grounds for the rumor, and we shall probably see a "big fight," between the supporters of these two gentlemen. My impression is, that Scott will take the place of Buckalew on the 4th of March next, as the colleague of Gen. Cameron.

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to give certificates to Messrs. Shields and Switzler, elected to Congress in the Sixth and Ninth Districts. It is done on the plea of illegal registration in several counties. Both gentlemen will claim their right to seats.

A PROCLAMATION.

Amnesty Proclamation by the President—Pardon of all Rebels without Distinction.

[By Telegraph to The Press.]

Washington, Dec. 24, 1868.

Whereas, The President of the United Stotes has heretofore set forth several proclamations offering amnesty and pardon to persons who had been or were concerned in the late rebellion against the lawful authority of the government of the United States, which proclamations were severally issued on the 8th day of December, 1863; on the 26th day of March, 1864; on the 29th day of May, 1865; on the 7th day of September, 1867, and on the 4th day of July, of the present year; and

Whereas, The authority of the Federal Government having been re-established in all the States and Territories within the jurisdiction of the United States, it is believed that such prudential reservations and exceptions as at the dates of the said several proclamations were deemed necessary and proper, may now be wisely and justly relinquished, and that a universal amnesty and pardon for participation in said rebellion, extended to all who have borne any part therein, will tend to secure permanent peace, order, and prosperity throughout the land, and to renew and fully restore confidence and fraternal feeling among the whole population, and their respect for and attachment to the National Government, designated by its patriotic founders for the general good:

Now, therefore, be it known that I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, by virtue of the power and authority in me vested by the Constitution, and in the name of the sovereign people of the United States, do hereby proclaim and declare unconditionally, and without reservation, to all, and to every person who directly or indirectly participated in the late insurrection or rebellion, a full pardon and amnesty for the offence of treason against the United States, or of adhering to the enemies during the late civil war, with restoration of all rights, privileges, and immunities under the Constitution and the laws which have been made in persuance thereof. In testimony whereof I have signed these presents with my hand, and have caused the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the city of Washington the 25th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1868, and of the Independence of the United States of America the ninety third. Andrew Johnson.

By the President.
F. W. Seward,
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" arrives at Erie.......... 9 30 P. M.
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" " Williamsport... 8:50 P. M.
" arrives at Erie........10:00 A. M.
Elmira Mail leaves Philadelphia... 8:00 A. M.
" " Williamsport... 6:38 p. m.
" arrive at Lock Haven.. 7:45 p. m.

EASTWARD.

Mail Train, leaves Erie..........10:55 a. m.
" " Williamsport.....12:55 a. m.
" arrives at Philadelphia..10:00 a. m.
Erie Express leaves Erie.........6:25 p. m.
" " Williamsport.......7:50 a. m.
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EVER BEFORE HEARD OF!

We know we can please you, so give us a call. All kinds of

FARMERS PRODUCE

Taken in exchange for goods.

WICKHAM & FROST,
Successors to L. L. Moody.
O. D. WICKHAM. ED. FROST.
Rome, Pa., Nov. 12, 1868.

HURRAH! HURRAH!

HERE IT IS AT LAST!

P. W. COWELL

HAS IT!

Anything you want in the Grocery line. See what they have:

FLOUR, FEED, FISH, SUGAR,

PORK, TEA, SPICE, BUTTER, EGGS, LARD,

DRIED AND CANNED FRUIT!

FRESH FRUITS IN THEIR SEASON.

SALT BY THE SACK OR BARREL.

TOBACCO AND SEGARS.

We are sole agents for the best brands of Virginia and

CAROLINA SMOKING TOBACCO,

Wholesale and Retail.

Lastly, everything in the GROCERY and PROVISION line.

☞ Remember the place, No. 51 Main street first door below Beidleman's Block.
Towanda, Nov. 19, 1868.

MUSIC, OR ANY OTHER ARTICLE in our line, ordered at short notice by calling at the NEWS ROOM

Miscellaneous.

JUST RECEIVED

AT

MONTANYE'S STORE!

A

LARGE AND WELL SELECTED STOCK

OF

Fall and Winter Goods!

AT THE PRESENT

Depression of the Market!

Which will be sold secondly at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL!

Also, direct from Liverpool,

FIVE CRATES OF CROCKEKY!

Towanda, Oct. 5, 1868.

STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!

Just received new line Stoves at

THE METROPOLITAN HARDWARE STORE,

ORWELL, PA.

Are attracting much attention. An immense variety of Stoves

ALWAYS ON HAND!

Stoves, coal or wood, that will suit you for

PARLOR, OFFICE, STORE, SCHOOL, SHOP,

CHURCH, BOAT, OR COOKING STOVES

Come and see the new patterns—at least.

ONE LOOK BEFORE BUYING!

We keep all leading first-class Stoves for the opulent, or cheaper variety Stoves for the humblest. Examine for yourselves, your own interest.

S. N. BRONSON.
Oawell, Pa., Oct. 21, 1668.

PACIFIC HOTEL,

170, 172, 174 & 176 Greenwich Street,

NEW YORK, Oct. 10, 1868.

The undersigned takes pleasure in announcing to his numerous friends and patrons that from this date, the charge of the Pacific will be $2,50 per day.

Being sole Proprietor of this house, and therefore free from the too common exaction of an inordinate rent, he is fully able to meet the downward tendency of prices without any falling off of service.

It will now, as heretofore, be his aim to maintain undiminished the favorable reputation of the Pacific, which it has enjoyed for many years, as one of the best of travelers' hotels.

The table will be bountifully supplied with every delicacy of the season.

The attendance will be found efficient and obliging.

The location will be found convenient for those whose business calls them in the lower part of the city, being one door north of Cortlandt st., and one block west of Broadway, and of ready access to all Rail Road and Steamboat Lines.

JOHN PATTEN.
Nov. 17, 1868.—6m.

SOMETHING NEW!

AGAIN IN MOTION!

Having purchased the stock of Tobacco belonging to Randall, Compton & Co., and having built a shanty on the same ground, we are prepared to offer to the public

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

A variety of

CHEWING TOBACCO,

Such as

Gold Leaf, Sunny Side, Pine Apple, Michigan Fig, Rose Leaf and Star, which we offer for sale in quantities to suit customers Packages in Barrels, halfs and quarters.

FANCY SMOKING.

The celebrated Lone Jack, Pride of the United States, Virginistie, Gold Leaf, Navy and all kinds of Killicknick.

BRANDS OF CIGARS.

American Eagle, Gen. Grant, Leboquet, Imperio, Tycoon and the very choicest brands of Yaras.

We will keep constantly on hand a variety of Pipes, Cigar Cases, Tobacco Boxes and Pouches and everything usually kept in a Tobacco Store,

Landlords supplied with [illegible] Foil Tobacco on liberal terms.

All orders promptly filled [illegible] notice.

Oct. 27, 1867. A. BARNER.

CONFECTIONERY, TOYS, NUTS

AND FRUITS.

A. HART,

Calls the attention of the public to the fact that he manufactures and sells at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

All kinds of Confectionaries, Foreign and Domestic Nuts, &c. Dealers in the country wishing anything in his line will do well to send their orders to him, and they will be promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. Store in south side of Mercur's New Block, Towanda, Pa.

Feb. 24, 1868.—tf.

FLOUR.—Wheat Flour of all grades, Bucewheat Flour, Bran, Corn, Meal, Feed, &c., at
Dec. 15. W. A. ROCKWELL'S

CRANDALL & HILL'S BLOCKS, at ALVORD & BARBER'S.

Codding & Russell.

COSMOPOLITAN,
AMERICAN,
EMPIRE,
STERLING,
ORIENTAL,
AMERICAN BASE BURNER,
& LIGHT HOUSE,

STOVES,

AT CODDING & RUSSELL'S HARDWARE, IRON AND STOVE STORE, TOWANDA, PA.

TIN WARE,
ROGERS' BROS. & MERIDEN CO.
Silver Plated Ware,
AND
House Furnishing Goods,

SPRINGS, AXLES,
HUBS, RIMS, SPOKES
AND
Carriage Trimmings.

LIME, CEMENT, SASH, DOORS,
AND THE VERY BEST BRANDS OF
PAINTS & OILS.

LEAD PIPE,
GAS PIPE, BRASS, WOOD AND
IRON PUMPS!

TUCKER'S CHANDELIERS, PARLOR,
HALL AND
TABLE LAMPS!

Corn Shellers, Plows
THRESHERS, AND
FANNING MILLS!

Guns, Revolvers,
POWDER, SHOT, AND
CARTRIDGES.

Hot Air Furnaces,
ORIENTAL
IMPERIAL
FIRE PLACE HEATERS,
AND ALL KINDS
BASE BURNERS!

FAIRBANKS'
PLATFORM
AND
COUNTER SCALES!

KEROSENE OIL,
WINDOW GLASS,
NEWARK VARNISH
DUPONT'S POWDER,
SUN BURNERS AND CHIMNEYS.
ELMIRA IRON
AT WHOLESALE.

AT CODDING & RUSSELL'S HARDWARE, IRON, AND STOVE STORE, TOWNDA, PA.

Miscellaneous.

ASPINWALL

Is now receiving at his

NEW HARDWARE STORE

No. 129 Main Street,

The most complete

STOCK OF STOVES

Ever brought to this place, among which will be found the following

CELEBRATED ONES,

For which I am

The Only Agent in Towanda

MORNING GLORY,

RATHBONES BRILLIANT,

BALTIMORE HEATER.

Which are, without exception, the best Heating Stoves made.

I am also agent for the Cook Stoves

OUR OLD HOME,

GARDEN CITY,

GOOD BAKER,

And they cannot be Excelled.

I am also agent for

Platform and Counter Scales.

Kerosene Oil,
Window Glass,
Sash, Doors, Nails

All of which will be sold at

Manufacturers Prices

To the trade.

I also keep constantly on hand a complete

STOCK OF HARDWARE,

Of all kinds, consisting in part of

Springs,
Axles,
Fellces,
Spokes,
Iron,
Horse Shoes,
Nail Rods,
Tin Ware,
Belting,

And all kinds of Shelf Hardware, which will be sold at the lowest prices. I would say to Merchants that I will at all times meet Elmira prices.

Towanda. Oct. 22, 1868.

SEMI ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF WYOMING INSURANCE COMPANY.

July 1st, 1868.

ASSETS.—BONDS.

United States Sixes of 1881	$ 33,000	
STOCKS.		
100 Shares First National Bank, Wilkes-Barre	$13,500	
100 Shares Second National Bank Wilkes-Barre	12,500	
103 Shares Wyoming National Bank, Wilkes-Barre	6,400	
150 Shares Wilkes-Barre Gas Co.	8,550	
58 " " Bridge Company	4,750	
		44 300
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Cash Loans and Bonds	$40,000	
Stock not called in	25,000	
Judgments	3,500	
Cash in Bank	5,365	
Cash in hand and due from Agents	17,450	
Other property	1,500	
Real Estate	1 500	
		94,315
		$171,615
LOSSES.		
Losses paid in ten years		$145 [illegible]
LIABILITIES.		
Unsettled Losses, not due		3,550

T. B. CAMP. Agent.
First block below Ward House, 2d story.
Towanda, Sept. 2, 1868.—3m.

FURNITURE!

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

NEATLY FINISHED

AT

POPULAR PRICES!

Consisting of

CHAMBER SETS, PARLOR SETS

DINING ROOM SETS,

MIRRORS, PICTURE FRAMES,

Photograph Frames, for everybody.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT FURNITURE,

Suited to this market. I have the best upholsterer in the country, and manufacture our own upholstered work.

REPAIRING AND JOBBING,

Done to order. Having an experience of 20 years in the business, I can confidently hope to please all who patronize me.

Don't forget the place. No. 155, Main st. two doors south of Beidleman's Block, Towanda, Pa.

S. T. DECKER.
Towanda, May 30, 1868.—tf.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN!

The subscriber wishing to change his occupation, offers for sale his Store and Stock of Goods, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Yankee Notions, &c. Will exchange for a well improved Farm, or sell stock and lease store.

The store is situated in Litchfield, Bradford County, Pa. The only store in the town in operation. For particulars call on or address

S. M. LAYTON.
Sept. 7, 1868.

CHOICE TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, SYRUPS, in fact all kinds of Family Groceries, cheap for Ready Pay, at McCABE & MIX'S.

JACK FOR SALE.—A splendid Jack twelve and one half hands high, and a good teaser.
December 10, '68.—tf.

A NICE STOCK OF CHROMOS and Engravings at FROST'S.

RUMMERFIELD CREEK HOTEL.

PETER LANDMESSER,

Having purchased and thoroughly refitted this old and well known stand, formerly kept by Sheriff Griffis, at the mouth of Rummerfield Creek, is ready to give good accommodations and satisfactory treatment to all who may favor him with a call. Dec. 23, 1868.—tf.

FOR SALE AT SCOTIA TANNERY Plastering Hair at wholesale and retail also Soap and Wagon Grease by the pound and barrel. Cash paid for Bark and Hides.

ADAM INSEN.
Granville Centre, Pa., July 16, 1868. 6m.