Bradford Reporter.

CALENDAR FOR 1869.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

TIME TABLE.—The following is the Time Table of the Pennsylvania and New York Canal and Rail Road Company, which took effect on Monday, Nov. 23, 1868:

SOUTHWARD.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
WAVERLY	6.35	12.30	8.40
ATHENS	6.50	12.65	8.52
MILAN	7.03	12.58	9.08
ULSTER	7.18	1.13	9.23
TOWANDA	7.40	1.35	9.45
NORTHWARD.			
WAVERLY	8.10	12.00	6.00
ATHENS	7.50	11.40	5.40
MILAN	7.37	11.27	5.27
ULSTER	7.23	11.12	5.12
TOWANDA	7.00	10.50	4.50
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.

JOHN P. COX, *Superintendent.*

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN TROY.—Our sister village of Troy was visited by a terrible conflagration, which broke out, Sunday morning, about half past one o'clock, and before its ravages were stayed, destroyed at least one-half of the business part of the village. The fire was first seen in the brick store on the corner opposite the "Troy House," occupied by S. M. Leonard's Dry Goods Store, and soon the entire block was in flames. As there was no fire apparatus in the place, the fire had a full range, until it fairly exhausted itself. The following list of the losses, is from the *Elmira Advertiser*, V. M. Long, & Co., Troy House. Loss $15,000.

O. P. Ballard's Block, next to the Hotel, was somewhat injured.

Dowey & Winston, occupants, moved out their goods.

Also John H. Grant, Jeweller, property removed and a good deal damaged. Mr. Grant was absent from home.

Brick store, occupied by S. M. Leonard, and owned by Pomeroy Bros. Loss $15,000. The fire caught in this building.

A wooden building, on Canton street, also owned by Pomery Bros. Loss $10,000.

This building was occupied by Mitchell, Parsons & Co., Grocers and Druggists.—Loss $15,000.

Also by M. A. Gates & Co., clothing, loss $6000, and F. J. Calkins, clothing, loss $6000.

James Adams, Tailor, occupied a room in the second story.

Pomeroy's Bank. Loss $10,000. The books and papers were secure in the vault which is one of the best in the country.—This bank building was entirely new, and had just been fitted up in most elegant style, surpassing in expensive ornamentation any bank building in this region.

A building owned by V. M. & H. F. Long, and occupied by Davidson & McCabe, Grocers and Produce Dealers. Loss $8,000.

G. D. Long, Dry Goods. Loss $10,000 also $10,000 worth of butter, the butter having been insured the day before for $6,000.

Meat Market of F. H. Person, Building owned by Pomeroy Bros.

Hobert & Porter, Harness shop, stock mostly saved.

C. T. Merry & Co., Jewelers. Goods mostly saved.

A. S. Hooker & Co., *Northern Tier Gazette*, damaged my water and removal.

This is the third great fire by which the village of Troy has suffered. The first was about twenty years ago, and the second about ten years ago. They seem to come at intervals of about ten years. The ground burnt over has been the same in each instance.

There being no Fire Department in the village, as soon as it became apparent that the fire was to be dangerous and destructive, a telegraph dispatch was sent to Elmira calling for help. There is no night operator employed on the Northern Central Railway Telegraph Line at that place, but Mr. F. Ellery Fitch, the Train Master, who resides at 52 Fourth Street, has a wire running to his house and an instrument there to use in case of emergencies in the night business of the road. He was sound asleep when the alarm was given, but the signal for "Elmira" which the Troy operator was loudly giving woke him up. He immediately sought out Mr. G. A. Gerow, the wide awake and efficient Engineer of Steamer No. 1, who hastened that steamer to the Depot ready for Troy. Besides Steamer No. 1, H. W. McIntyre, Foreman, Hose Company No. 2 J. E. Nicks, Foreman, Our's 4, George Robinson, Foreman, also went down. Mr. Fitch meanwhile hastened to the Car Shops of the Northern Central in Southport, and had an Engine fired up to take down the Steamer and Firemen. The train went down in forty-three minutes. The Firemen were received with open arms, and most generously treated, but the fury of the fire was spent before their arrival. Nevertheless they did a vast deal of good, working about three hours. There is no Fire Department in the village of Troy, not even a hand engine. A good steamer would have stopped the fire in the first building. The people of Troy will save money by promptly securing an efficient Fire Department.

Although this is a severe blow to Troy, yet the enterprise and capital of its business men will be sufficient to overcome it, and a new Troy will rise, Phœnix like from the ashes. The "burnt district," we have no doubt, will be speedily rebuilt.

☞ A valuable property in Shesequin, is offered for sale in our advertising columns.

DONATION.—The friends of Elder E. Burroughs will pay him a donation visit at his residence in Rome Borough on Friday, Jan. 29, 1869. All are invited to attend

☞ Prof. C. R. COBURN and Prof. F. A. ALLEN are expected to be present at the meeting of the Teachers' Association at Ulster, February 12th and 13th.

☞ We regret to learn that Ex-Mayor, E. N. FRISBIE, of Elmira, met with an accident on a New Jersey Railway which has confined him to the house for several days. His injuries are not serious, and he will probably be out again in a day or two.

VISIT TO BARCLAY COLLIERIES.—*Retrospective View—Glimpse of Barclay—View of the Mines and Miners—Character of the Coal—Coal Traffic—Future Developments—Officers of the Company.*—It affords us great pleasure to chronicle all matters relating to the mining interests of this favored region, and in taking a retrospective view,—comparing the estimation in which the coal fields of Barclay, Bradford Co., were held, not many years since, with the value now placed upon them, the reader will be amazed at the rapid development of mineral wealth which is now being made under the auspices of the Towanda Coal Company.

A recent visit to Barclay has thrown a flood of light on what before we had only an inadequate idea. Our former explorations in this locality—dating back some few years, left us with the erroneous impression that it was now as then, a wilderness. The "Coal Bed" at "Gatisville" was only reached by a circuitous, declivous route, studded by stumps and interlaced with fallen trees—a by-road only frequented by hunters and pioneers during Spring and Autumn, and traversed in winter by a few adventurers who went thither to supply the blacksmith's demand, for a radius of ten miles around.

Two log houses alone marked the spot now teeming with hundreds of workmen, and the coal that only supplied the smith's forge in the immediate neighborhood, now speeds the machinery and rolls with almost lightning velocity the locomotives of the great Erie Railway Co. Indeed, it seeks the marts of the East and West, even to the broad prairies leading to the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, threaded by the great Pacific Railway, it seeks an avenue.

The market for the Barclay Coal is extensive, and rapidly increasing in the Northwestern cities, and manufactories, where it is very popular. It can be used for all purposes for which anthracite is available, and is applicable in place of the coals containing a larger percentage of volatile matter.

Like all other detached basins of the Allegheny coal fields, this is an assemblage of coal deposits separated from each other by erosions, but formerly part and parcel of the great original coal-field which once existed unbroken throughout this vast region—now broken into detached basins and elevated plateaus by the denuding action of the water.

The Barclay Coal makes an excellent steam fuel—has no tendency to coke, contains but a small amount of bitumen and is remarkably free from impurities, such as sulphuret of iron—bands of slate, and that quasi coal denominated bone.

A trip to Barclay mines will satisfy the most casual observer, that great changes have been wrought since the Towanda Coal Co. (the present lessees) have had possession. A large force of miners and outside laborers find constant employment at good wages, receiving their pay promptly on the 15th of every month. This Company has now about three hundred houses (with gardens attached) much superior in point of comfort and convenience to any we have ever seen in mining districts,—all of them painted or whitewashed, giving the villages a clean and healthful appearance. There are in addition to these, two new commodious school houses, where schools are open nearly all the year. A new Church has just been completed by the Presbyterians where services are regularly held. The Catholics have also a very fine chapel.

The Coal Company have just completed a fine large store, which we found well supplied with the necessaries and luxuries of life, under the supervision of Messrs DICKEY & BROWN.

A broad plank walk extends from one end of the town to the other, and there is also one leading to the village of Graydon, half a mile distant. The arrival and departure of a daily mail is a matter of great convenience. An excellent Physician, (Doct. HULLS), if we take the opinion of the citizens, has permanently located there, and taking all in consideration there is no mining town we have ever visited that offers so many inducements to the miner, as Barclay. The business of the Company is being gradually increased, so that applicants find employment at prices fully equal to those paid in any other mines, but the applicants must be good, industrious and practical miners. It is a noteworthy fact that many of the miners at Barclay have been there since the inception of the work—some fourteen years, and unlike many of their nomadic brethren, have made themselves pecuniarily very comfortable—owning snug farms and possessing property. A telegraph line has recently been constructed, under the supervision of ED. T. WARD, which places the mines in direct and rapid communication with the Head Quarters Office at Towanda, and all orders are transmitted by telegraph.

The Company is now mining five hundred tons per day, which can be increased to one thousand tons when desired.

Our subterranean trip (viz, a prep into the mines) well repaid us. I am almost at a loss to describe my feelings and admiration while groping my way among labyrinths of "pillars" and in the vacuum of "chambers." I pondered, when and how all this hidden treasure! Geologists tell us that it is composed of an aquous flora and carbonic acid gas, &c., &c., and was formed during the palaeozoic or carboniferous era. Be that as it may, our wonder and admiration for Him the great giver of all good, was intensified at every step as the strange, fantastic and sombre scenes were brought in review by the lurid gleams of the miners lamp. The longer we seriously contemplated the great works by which we were surrounded, the more mystified and desirous were we to become better acquainted with the origin and uses of coal. The miner who delves for black diamonds day after day, sees no beauty in the many beautiful fossils interculated among the strata.

Ovate seals, stigmaria shale, serial coals, and serial conglomerates are alike to him, with the aid of lamp and pick in these dark caverns he earns his daily bread, and does not care to speculate otherwise than as to the amount of coal he can cut at tonnage prices, but to the lover of science, this is a most inviting field, where his tastes can be indulged to the fullest extent.

The Barclay mines are regularly laid out and the coal ranging from three to six feet thick is worked with ease on the "post and breast" system. Three drifts are being worked and some of the gangways are extended underneath the surface over a mile. Extensive preparations are contemplated during the approaching spring to unite all the different workings and effect a complete system of drainage. After peregrinating the mines—spying out every nook and cranny—lost in bewilderment—collapsing our new Alpine hat against horse back roofs and bedashing our best broad-cloth with oxide of iron—car grease and oil, we begged the little black imp—(sobriquet miners devil or guide) to take us out, with a sardonic grin he informed us that we must pay our footing, which we gladly did, and once again welcomed day light.

In the nature of events we predict a brilliant future for Barclay. In the quality of its coal is only second to Staffordshire, Yorkshire and Wales. Its ferruginous fields of mineral fuel is a sure guarantee of success. Situated on the borders of the great Empire State, connected as it is by rail with every portion of that wealthy, commercial and manufacturing community, each succeeding year must add to its already incalculable worth.

I cannot bring this rambling sketch to a close without reverting to the felicitous and hospitable manner in which we were received by the officers and employees of the Company at Barclay. To Mr. I. O. BLIGHT, outside manager, Mr. THOS. MUIR, Mine Sup't, and Maj. MCDOWELL, Mine Eng'r., we tender our thanks, and to Mr. J. M. WARD, Gen. Sup't., Maj. A. DIVEN, Treasurer, JOHN D. MONTANYE, Chief Clerk, and M. H. SCOTT, we are deeply indebted.

Messrs WARD & DIVEN have been long and intimately connected with coal operations in this region, and in no better hands could the large and increasing responsibilities of conducting an enterprise of this magnitude be entrusted.

YOURS TRULY,

TOURIST.

THE ROLLING MILL question is disposed of, we should judge, by the following announcement in the *Elmira Advertiser*. Great Bend, Binghamton and Waverly have alternately felicitated themselves upon the prospect of the location of the Rolling Mill of the Erie Company in their vicinity. We presume the project has taken the following shape:—

"The transfer of the Rolling Mill from the old to the new Company has now, we understand, been fully perfected. The new proprietors are connected with the Erie Railway Company, and it is their design to vastly increase the capacity of the works. The manufacture of steel rails is one of the new branches to be introduced. It is understood that the number of men employed will be more than doubled. This Rolling Mill has been a most fortunate investment. The original capital was fifty thousand dollars. It is now sold for three hundred thousand, a profit of six hundred per cent., besides the dividends, which have been as much more. The works, we are assured, will pay ten per cent. on a million of dollars."

☞ The skating on the ice in the pool of the dam is first rate, and to enjoy it thoroughly, skatists should visit ASPINWALL's and procure a pair of his splendid skates, which he is now selling at low rates.

Housekeeper's can obtain Stoves at reduced rates, and should avail themselves of an opportunity seldom offered for a great bargain.

☞ At the stated meeting of Roman Lodge, No. 418, A. Y. M. Rome, Pa., held Dec. 25, 1868, the following officers were installed for the ensuing Masonic year.

D. R. Woodburn, W. M; E. M. Farrar, S. W; D. S. Maynard, J. W; L. A. Ridgway, Sec'y; John Passmore, Treasurer; M. K. Taylor, S. D; J. H. Towner, J. D; A. F. Taylor, S. M. C; Chas. Forbes, J. M. C; Geo. C. Farrar, P.; Albert Wilmot, P.

PAREPA ROSA.—The people of the city of Elmira have been putting on airs over an expected visit from Parepa Rosa. She was advertised to sing in the Opera House, on Saturday evening last, and the seats were disposed of early in the week, producing a great excitement, and some swearing. But alas! PAREPA made a false step in Baltimore, and sprained her ankle, so that she was unable to come to time. She was to sing under an engagement with the Y. M. C. A., and the managers now find themselves with about $2,000, received for tickets, which must be returned. PAREPA, however, promises to come in March, if possible.

☞ At the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Waverly, C. H. Shepard; H. D. Elmer, Wm. Manners, Selim Kirby, R. A. Elmer, John A. Perkins, and Howard Elmer, were chosen Directors for the ensuing year. At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, Howard Elmer was re-elected President and C. A. Thompson, Assistant Cashier.

TO NEGLECT DUTY is a CRIME.—It is every man's duty to insure his life. The inducements offered to any one who has not already insured his life, are such as to deprive him of every excuse for not at once performing that duty.

Messrs. RUSSELL & BURDANE are agents for the best Companies in the United States. Call and see them at CODDING, RUSSELL & Co's. Hardware Store.

☞ There will be a conference of the North Branch Association of Universalists at Smithfield, Bradford Co., Pa., Feb. 3d and 4th, 1869. All are invited, especially the clergy. Conveyances will be at Milan, to meet the train leaving Waverly at 8 A. M. on Wednesday.

MAYNE REID'S MAGAZINE ONWARD.—The February number of this new candidate for public favor is on our Table. Its contents are: The Lost Sister; Land Alee; Happy New Year; Brother Against Brother; Watching the Wave; The Chuchona; The Swe t Secret; The Bitter Secret; Bayed by Bull Dogs; The Love Test; Dear Cousin Josey; The Yellow Chief, etc. Address 33 Union Square, New York.

☞ GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—The February number of the inimitable fashion guide is now on our table, and is certainly all the publishers can desire, or the public expect. The steel plate engraving, "Hush he Sleeps," is most beautiful. The Schoolmaster's Valentine is equally pretty, while while the fashion plates in colors, tints and forms, cannot be excelled. Children's dresses in six plates is all very beautiful. We could hardly suppose that any young lady would like to see what the fashionable world is doing, could get along without Godey.—Price $3 a year. Address L. A. GODEY, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE NEW THREE STORY BRICK BLOCK ON BRIDGE STREET.—We observe this splendid Block, which is in a favorable business part of our borough is rapidly progressing towards completion, and we understand that the stores, fronting on Bridge Street, will be ready for occupancy by the first of April; and that applications have already been made for some of them. From the scarcity of buildings caused by the great increase of business, this noble structure was much needed; and our community is indebted to the enterprising spirit of Messrs PATTON & GRIFFITH's for its timely erection.

☞ J. O. FROST will hold an Auction Sale at his ware-rooms, on Monday next, to close out a portion of his large stock, in order to make room for new purchases. A grand opportunity to furnish a house, at low rates.

☞ Rev. E. P. HAMMOND is holding meetings in Rochester, N. Y.

Special Notices.

FOUND.—On the sidewalk, in the streets of Towanda, a Port-monnaie, (supposed to belong to a lady) containing a small amount of money; which the owner can have by calling on the subscriber, proving property &c. ERNEST B. PIERCE.
Jan. 17, 1869.-2t.

FOR SALE, A RARE CHANCE.—A second hand grand piano, London make, of sweet, fine tone, good action. Will be sold at a bargain on account of owner leaving the country. Can be seen at Mr. PETER MCCLELLAND's, Columbia X Roads, Penna.
Jan. 20.

☞ Everybody interested in the merits of Sewing Machines should call at the Agency of Wickham & Black and read the report in full of a *three day* trial had at Lancaster city, between the Howe and Singer Machines. The result was as usual, Singer Improved Machine first best. Full instructions given at the Agency. Machines let out on trial. Every Machine *warranted*. Jan. 26.—1t

☞ We will pay, in the Spring, fourteen dollars per thousand feet, board measure, for good sound White and Rock Oak Logs, and seven dollars per thousand feet, board measure, for good sound Hemlock Log delivered at the Outlet Lock below Wilkes Barre. Oak should be cut from ten to twenty feet long, and Hemlock from ten to forty feet long. All logs must be rafted in lockages not to exceed fifteen feet wide and seventy feet long. A number of the lockages may be coupled together in one raft.
J. B. PATTERSON & Co.
Wilkes Barre, Pa., Jan. 28.—2t

A VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The subscribers wishing to change their business, offer a part or the whole of their property for sale, situate in Tuscarora, twp. Bradford county, Pa. on Main road leading from Stevensville to Laceville. Said property containing upwards of two hundred acres. One hundred and eighty acres improved. and under a good state of cultivation. Has two good dwelling houses and three large barns, and all necessary outbuildings attached. For particulars and terms enquire of the subscribers.
H. S. & H. B. ACKLEY.
Tuscarora, Jan. 26.—tf

☞ Sewing Machines for sale and to rent at the Store of Solomon & Wolf, one door North of Taylor & Co., Market, Towanda. Stitching, Binding, embroidery, &c., done.
W. S. JOHNSON, Ag't.
Jan. 20.

LECTURE.—The friends of Hon. Geo. Landon will be happy to learn that he will deliver a lecture at the M. E. Church, in Rome borough, on Thursday evening, Jan. 28, 2869. Subject: "Horace Greeley's Recollections of a Busy Life." The public are invited.
M. K. TAYLOR, Sec'y.

JOHN PASSMORE, } Com.
L. A. RIDGWAY, }
L. L. MOODY, }
Jan. 20.

☞ List of the names of persons drawn to be Grand and Travers Jurors for February Court 1869.

GRAND JURORS.

Sherman H Cole, Asylum; Philip P Sweet, Burlington; Robert Bailey, Granville; Noble Leavenworth, Herrick; Theodore W Brink, Litchfield; Henry Gibbs, John Gibbs, Orwell; Henry S Taylor, Pike; David G. Gilbert, Geo W Pudney, Ridgbury; M Frances Ransom, Charles O Elliott, Litchfield; William Lattimore, John Taylor, Tuscarora; Lemuel A Taylor, Troy boro; Edward Caso, Troy twp.; William K Hill, Towanda boro; Alphonso Loyd, Henry Brown, Levi P. Stalford, Wyalusing; Morris J Coolbaugh, Wysox; Geo H Birney, Wilmot; George Coffin, Windham; Otis Hamilton, Warren.

TRAVERS JUROS—1ST WEEK.

Geo Burchard, John Morley, Isaac Gregary, Timothy Hireen, Athens twp.; Russell Miller, Albany; Russell Culver, Asylum; Moses Ross, Burlington twp.; John Tompkinson, Thomas Blakewell, West Burlington; Horace Ballard, George R Corey, Columbia; William Patrick, Charles W Landon, Canton twp.; A Vanrenseller Trout, Samuel Benedict, Canton borough; A W Gurnsey, Granville; Charles Sill, John Wolfe, Herrick; Douglas McCausey, Leroy; Darling, LeRoy; George Morse, Litchfield; Samuel Lyon, Wm A Kellogg, Monroe twp.; Sames P Cowles, Isaac Marsh, Orwell; Horace B Chaffee, Ingham Stone, Wm S Davies, Pike; John B. Parcel, George Carr, Ridgbury; Edwin A Ridgway, Rome twp.; Finley Furman, Sylvania; Dennis Espy, Jonathan Stevens, Standing Stone; James Mattock, Springfield; Orrin D Kinney, Sheshequin; John A Codding, Henry A Cary, Towanda boro.; Giles F Velie, Troy boro.; Andrew Jackson, Edwin B White, Terry; John H Black, William Snyder, Tuscarora; Edward Lockwood, Ulster; John B Hinds, Wysox; Paul Hunsinger, Leander Gamble, Wilmot; Samuel B Chaffee, Warren.

TRAVERS JUROS—2ND WEEK.

Chas H Spalding, N C Harris, Athens boro.; Horace Hutchinson, John I Murray, Athens twp.; Benjamin Wilcox, Albany; Christopher M Belknapp, Barclay; Job Morley, Burlington boro.; Mortimer Knapp, Burlington twp.; Frances S Elliott, Canton; Wm L Lyon, Franklin; Hamilton Morrow, Herrick; Cheeney B Stone, LeRoy; Ahasuerus Munn, Smith Stone, Litchfield; James R Irvine, James W Irvine, Monroe twp.; A Griswold Mathews, Lafayette G Pendleton, Geo B Frisbie, Carlos J Chubbuck, Orwell; James Ford, Pike; Sawyer Tailor, Rome twp.; Harmon W Brownson, Rome boro.; Joel Adams, James Yerkes, Springfield; Samuel Osborn, Sheshequin; A N Thompson, South Creek; Percival Powell Wm C Bogart, Towanda boro.; Charles C Paine, Troy; John B Horton; J H Horton, Terry; Ethan B Tuttle, Ulster; J Myer Reed, Wysox; Bascom Taylor, Wyalusing; James Finch, Windham.

TRAVERS JURY—3D WEEK.

Henry Westbrook, Asylum; Alexander Elsbree, Athens twp.; Ralph Stevens, Albany; Thomas Seinerson, Armenia; Wilber D Gamage, West Burlington; Ezekiel Newman, Canton Borough; Oliver Rockwell, Canton twp.; Wm B Rockwell, John Lantz, Franklin; John Vroman, David Sayles, Granville; Stanley W Little, LeRaysville; John McKean, Litchfield; Charles M Brown, Jos ph Johnson, Hiram W Northrop, Monroe twp.; Alonzo Northrop, Monroe boro.; Luther J Pendleton, Orwell; Knapp Burch, Wm S Humphrey, Bradford Beecher, Pike; John W Woodburn, Rome boro.; Amos B Fanning, A Wilshire Berry, Orrin P Harkness, Springfield; Marshall Bullock, Smithfield; Sevellen Ackley, Standing Stone; Philander Lent, Towanda boro.; Jesse Mercerat, Ulster; John Irving, John Vaughn, James Gaylord, Wyalusing; Hezekiah Darling, Windham; Howell Howell, Philip Rogers, Miles Prince, Warren.

ORGANS, MELODEONS, AND PIANO FORTES.—As the co-partnership heretofore existing between Maynard & Finley is dissolved, the undersigned would say that he is prepared to furnish Church, School, and Parlor Organs and Melodeons from the best Manufacturers at greatly reduced prices.—Full satisfaction guaranteed in every respect, and every Instrument warranted for five years. He is also prepared to furnish Piano Portes from the best New York or Eastern Manufacturers at reduced prices.—Any orders by mail promptly attended to.
Jan. 4, 1869.-3w CHAS. FRALEY.

☞ The Bradford County Teachers Association will hold its next session at Ulster, on the 12th and 13th of February, commencing Friday, at half past 10 o'clock.
A. T. LILLEY, Sec'y.
Jan. 20, 1869.

TOWANDA COAL YARD.—Orders for Coal accompanied with cash, left at the Old Established Drug Store of Dr. H. C. PORTER, corner of Main and Pine Streets, Towanda, will receive prompt attention.
Jan. 20, 1869.—tf WARD & DIVEN.

☞ Melodeons, Organs, and Piano Fortes of every kind and style of manufacture will be sold at a very large discount.—Send for circulars which will be sent free to every address.
MAYNARD MELODEON CO.
Jan. 4, 1869.-5w* Towanda, Pa.

KEYSTONE CLUB.—Will you join it? do you ask "what for?" I will answer—Do you want the American Agriculturist, the Harper's Weekly or Monthly, the N. Y. Evening Post, the New York Tribune, Nasby's Toledo Blade, Our Young Folks; or Oliver Optic's Weekly Magazine? then send to me your subscriptions with Club Price and you shall have the paper you want, sent directly to you from the office of publication. Or, if you send the regular subscription price, I will pay, next Spring, a premium to each subscriber, worth from 60 cents to 75 cents, at lowest cash prices, in Strawberry or other small Fruit Plants, or in any Nursery Tree, Shrub or Plant.
Send for Circular and Price List.
R. M. WELLES.
Towanda, Pa. Jan. 1869.

FACTS ARE STUBBORN THINGS.—LOOK AT THE FACTS BELOW.—Number of Sewing Machines sold by six leading Companies in the United States.

Singer Mfg. Co., 43,053; Wheeler & Wilson, 38,055; Grover & Baker, 32,999; Howe Co., 11,053; Florence Co., 10,534; Wheeler & Gibbs, 14,152.

WICKHAM & BLACK, Agts. for Singer Improved, Towanda Pa. Jan. 20.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO CASH BUYERS AT LONG & KEELERS.—Call and examine prices and quality of their Teas, Coffees, Sugar and Flour which they offer cheap for cash. Jan. 14.-4t

PARK RESTAURANT.—G. W. COON, proprietor. Meals served at all hours, and in every style. Ale drawn from the wood. Under Chamberlin's Jewelry Store, Main St., Towanda Pa. Dec. 23.

HAIRDRESSING.—Miss C. A. HYDE, would respectfully inform the Ladies of Towanda and vicinity, that she is prepared to furnish them with Switches, Curls, and Frizzetts. Hair-Flowers made to order.—Miss H. is stopping at the residence of Jos. Y. Wilcox, on Maple Street, where she will remain for three or four weeks.
Towanda, Jan. 11.-3t

TOWANDA COAL YARD.—The Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of D'A. Overton & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
D'A. OVERTON,
JAS. M. WARD,
ALEX. DIVEN.
Towanda, Pa. Dec. 31st, 1868.

The business of the late firm will hereafter be conducted by WARD & DIVEN, who will pay all liabilities contracted by D'A. OVERTON & Co. upon presentation—and to whom all debts due said firm are to be paid—an immediate settlement is requested.
WARD & DIVEN.

TEMPERANCE LECTURES.—We call the special attention of our readers to the Lecture appointments for Western Bradford, for the State Lecturer, Rev. JAS. A. DAVINSON, who has the reputation of being one of the ablest champions in the great Temperance movement of the day!

West Burlington, Thursday Jan. 21st.
Burlington Boro, Friday Jan. 22nd;
East Troy, Saturday Jan. 23rd;
Granville Centre, Sunday Jan. 24th;
" Monday Jan. 25th;
Alba, Tuesday Jan. 26th;
Canton, Wednesday Jan. 27th;
LeRoy, Thursday Jan. 28th;
Wesd Franklin, Friday Jan. 29th;
Franklindale, Saturday Jan. 30th;
Monroeton, Monday Feb'y 1st;
Barclay, Tuesday Feb'y 2nd;
Towanda, Wednesday Feb'y 3rd;

Pastors of Churches in the above named localities will please announce the time and place of Lecturing from their pulpits.

By Order of the G. W. C. T.
W. PATTON, D. D.
for Bradford Co.
Jan. 7, 1869.

QUARTERLY REPORT of the condition of the First National Bank of Towanda, on the morning of the first Monday of January 1869:

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$149,563 41
U. S. Securities deposited with the Treasurer United States	190,000 00
Do ..... bank	3,500 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	8,000 00
Expenses	947 47
Overdrafts	259 29
Cash items	5,384 29
Due from National Banks	52,625 97
Other Banks and Bankers	3,878 74
Legal Tender Notes on hand	28,487 00
Bills of other National Banks	1,577 00
Fractional Currency (including Nickels)	1,552 75
Specie	445 37
	$446,221 29

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$125,000 00
Surplus Fund	32,000 00
Circulation	110,425 00
Individual Deposits	149,357 87
United States Deposits	20,884 18
Due National Banks	365 28
Dividends unpaid	91 00
Profit and loss	8,097 96
	$446,221 29

I, N. N. BETTS, JR., Cashier of the First National Bank, Towanda, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
N. N. BETTS, JR., Cashier.
Sworn and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1869.
W. H. WATKINS, Notary Public.

A semi annual dividend of seven per cent. free of all taxes paid Nov. 1, 1868.

☞ Trial List for February Term, 1869.

SECOND WEEK.

Stowell vs. Oliver ..... issue.
Decker et. al. vs. Conklin et. al ..... issue.
Mingos vs. Pollock's heirs ..... eject.
Smith vs. Storrs et. al ..... tres.
Vanderpool vs. vonderpool ..... rep.
Chilson vs. Sweet et. al ..... rep.
Smith vs. Hudson et. al ..... debt.
Gregory & Co. vs. Morran et. al ..... tres.
Elsbree vs. Blood et. al ..... sp.
Patterson vs. Griffin et. al ..... tres.
Sackett vs. Spencer & Co ..... eject.
Goodrich vs. Smith ..... case.
Wilcox vs. Ayers ..... sp.
Bliven vs. Ball ..... sp.
Lapham vs. Lapham et. al ..... case.
Johnson vs. Vanderpool ..... sp.
Ball vs. Griffis ..... tres.
Brown vs. Allen ..... case.
Briggs vs. Nichols ..... tres.

Subpeonas for Second Week returnable on Monday, February 8th, and for Third Week on Monday, February 15, 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.
WM. A. THOMAS,
Jan. 13. Prothonotary.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, *For restoring Gray Hair to its natural Vitality and Color.*—A dressing which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *Faded or gray hair is restored to its original color with the gloss and freshness of youth.* Thin hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed. But such as remain can be saved for useful ness by this application. Instead of foiling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can only benefit but not harm it. If wanted merely for a hair dressing, nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich glossy lustre and grateful perfume.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass. Price $1,00.

Sold by Dr. H. C. Porter Towanda, & all Druggists & Dealers in medicines every where. Nov. 26, 1868.y

GREAT BARGAIN.—The subscriber, wishing to change his occupation, offers his property in West Warren for sale cheap, consisting of one acre of land, with house, barn, shop and store with goods. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber.
JOSEPH PRASE,
West Warren, Bradford county, Pa.
Dec. 22, 1868.—4w*

A HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A splendid House and Lot for sale, situate on Second street, opposite the College, close to good schools, very pleasantly located.—The house is new, just finished from top to bottom in first class style. For further particulars enquire of D. R. BARTON, on the premises. Towanda, Oct. 5, 1868.tf

CAUTION.—This is to caution all persons against hireing, trusting, or harboring my son Wm. G. Chilson, a boy aged 19 years, as I wish him to return home.
J. W. CHILSON.
Monroe, twp. Jan. 7, 1869. 3t*

MARRIED.

BRAINE—DEMUN—At the residence of the brides father, Dec. 30, 1868, by the Rev. J. L. Watson, Mr. Marcus W. Braine to Miss Ella I. Demun.

SMITH—BAILEY—By the same, at the residence of T. O. Hallis, Dec. 1, 1868, Mr. Hartford Smith to Miss Augusta Bailey.

COOLBAUGH—DECKER—At the Liberty Corners Parsonage, Jan. 14, by the Rev. Charles Meeks, Jefferson Coolbaugh, of Monroeton, to Miss Savannah Decker, of Asylum, Bradford Co., Pa.

TUTTLE—COOK—In Windham, Jan. 17, 1869, by the Rev. Wm. C. Peck, Mr. L. A. Tuttle, of Orwell, to Miss Amanda Cook, of Windham, Bradford Co., Pa.

New Advertisements.

THE NEW AND IMPROVED ELIAS HOWE, *FAMIL