Agricultural.

What I Know of Farming.

BY HORACE GREELEY.

Will Farming Pay?

I commence my essays with this question, because, when I urge the superior advantages of a rural life, I am often met by the objection that *Farming don't pay.* That, if true, is a serious matter. Let us consider:

I do not understand it to be urged that the farmer who owns a large fertile estate, well-fenced, well-stocked, with good store of effective implements, cannot live by farming. What is meant is, that he who has little but two brown hands to depend upon cannot make money, or can make very little by farming.

I think those who urge the point have a very inadequate conception of the difficulty encountered by every poor young man in securing a good start in life, no matter in what pursuit. I came to New York when not quite of age, with a good constitution, a fair common-school education, good health, good habits, and a fair trade (that of printer.) I think my outfit for a campaign against adverse fortune was decidedly better than the average; yet ten long years elapsed before it was settled that I could remain here and make any decided headway. Mentime, I drank no liquors, used no tobacco, attended no balls or other expensive entertainments, worked hard and long whenever I could find work to do, lost less than a month altogether by sickness, and did very little in the way of helping others. I judge that quite as many did worse than I as did better; and that of the young lawyers and doctors who try to establish themselves in their professions, quite as many earn less as earn more than their board during the first ten years of their struggle.

John Jacob Astor, near the close of a long, diligent, prosperous career, wherein he amassed a large fortune, is said to have remarked that, if he were to begin life again, and had to choose between making his first thousand dollars with nothing to start on, or with that thousand making all he had actually accumulated, he would deem the latter the easier task. Depend on it, young men, it is and must be hard to work and earn your first thousand dollars. The burglar, the forger, the blackleg, (whether he play with cards, with dice, or with stocks), may seem to have a quick and easy way of making a thousand dollars; but whoever makes that sum honestly, with nothing but his own capacities and energies as capital, does a very good five-years' work, and may deem himself fortunate if he finishes it so soon.

I *have* known men do better, even at farming. I recollect one who, with no capital but a good wife and four or five hundred dollars, bought (near Boston) a farm of two hundred mainly rough acres for $2,500 and paid for it out of its products within the next five years, during which he had nearly doubled its value. I lost sight of him then; but I have no doubt that, if he lived fifteen years longer, and had no very bad luck, he was worth, as the net result of twenty years' effort, at least $100,000. But this man would rise at 4 o'clock of a Winter morning, harness his span of horses and hitch them to his large market-wagon, (loaded over night), and drive ten miles into Boston, unload and load back again, be home at pretty fair breakfast-time, and, hastily swallowing his meal, be fresh as a daisy for his day's work, in which he would lead his hired men, keeping them clear of the least danger of falling asleep. Such men are rare, but they still exist, proving scarcely anything impossible to an indomitable will.—I would not advise any to work so unmercifully; I seek only to enforce the truth that great achievements are within the reach of whoever will pay their price.

An energetic farmer bought, some twenty-five years ago, a large grazing farm in Northern Vermont, consisting of some 150 acres, and costing him about $3,000. He had a small stock of cattle, which was all his land would carry; but he resolved to increase that stock by at least ten per cent. per annum, and to so improve his land by cultivation, fertilizing, clover, &c., that it would amply carry that increase. Fifteen years later, he sold out farm and stock, for $45,000 and migrated to the West. I did not understand that he was a specially hard worker, but only a good manager, who kept his eyes wide open, let nothing go to waste, and steadily devoted his energies and means to the improvement of his stock and his farm.

Walking one day over the farm of the late Prof. Mapes, he showed me a field of rather less than ten acres, and said:

"I bought that field for $2,400 a year ago last September. There was then a light crop of corn on it, which the seller reserved and took away.—I under-drained the field that Fall, plowed and sub soiled it, fertilized it liberally and planted it with cabbage; and when these matured, I sold them for enough to pay for land, labor, and fertilizers altogether."

The field was now worth far more than when he bought it, and he had cleared it within fifteen months from the date of its purchase. I consider that a good operation. Another year, the crop might have been poor, or might have sold much lower, so as hardly to pay for the labor; but there are risks in other pursuits as well as in farming.

A fruit-farmer on the Hudson above Newburg, showed me, three years since, a field of eight or ten acres, which he had nicely set with Grapes, in rows ten feet apart, with beds of Strawberries between the rows, from which he assured me that his sales exceeded $700 per annum. I presume his outlay for labor, including picking, was less than $300 per annum; but it cost something to make this field what it then was. Say that he had spent $1,000 per acre in under-draining, enriching and tilling this field, to bring it to this condition, including the cost of his plants, and still there must have been a clear profit here of at least $360 per acre.

I might multiply illustrations; but let the foregoing suffice. I readily admit that shiftless farming don't pay—that poor crops don't pay—that it is hard work to make money by farming without some capital—that frost, or hail, or drought, or insects, may blast the farmer's hopes, after he has done his best to deserve and achieve success; but I insist that, as a general proposition, Good *Farming does pay*—that few pursuits afford as good a prospect, as full an assurance of reward for intelligent, energetic, persistent effort, as this does.—*Tribune.*

[illegible] poor man's purse may be empty [illegible] in the sun-set, and [illegible] as much silver in the purse as he holds.

Rail-Roads.

ERIE RAILWAY.

1300 MILES UNDER ONE MANAGEMENT. 800 MILES WITHOUT CHANGE OF COACHES. BROAD GUAGE—DOUBLE TRACK

FOR CLEVELAND, TOLEDO, DETROIT, CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE, ST. PAUL & OMAHA.

And all points West and Northwest.

MANSFIELD, GALION, URBANA, DAYTON, CINCINNATI, INDIANAPOLIS, LOUISVILLE, ST. LOUIS,

And all points South and Southwest.

NEW AND IMPROVED COACHES ARE RUN THROUGH WITHOUT CHANGE TO ROCHESTER, BUFFALO, DUNKIRK, CLEVELAND AND CINCINNATI.

On and after Monday, Nov'ber 15, 1869, trains will leave Waverly at about the following hours, viz:

GOING WEST.

4:55 a.m., NIGHT EXPRESS (Mondays excepted) for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Cincinnati, connecting with the Lake Shore, Michigan Southern, and Grand Trunk Railways at Buffalo, Dunkirk and Cleveland for the West; also at Cleveland with the C. C. C. & Ind. Railway for Indianapolis; and at Cincinnati with the Louisville Short Line Railway, and the Ohio & Mississippi Railway for the South and Southwest; also with connecting lines at principal stations on main line.

5:15 a.m.—NIGHT EXPRESS, daily, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Cincinnati, making direct connection with trains of the Grand Trunk and Lake Shore Railways at Buffalo, Dunkirk and Cleveland for all points West, and at Cincinnati with the Ohio and Mississippi and Louisville Short Line Railways for the South and Southwest; also with all connecting trains at principal stations on main line.

8:28 a.m.—MAIL TRAIN, Sundays excepted, for Buffalo and Dunkirk.

4:00 p.m.—ELMIRA ACCOMMODATION, Sundays excepted.

6:17 p. M.' DAY EXPRESS, Sundays excepted, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland, Cincinnati and the South. Stops at principal stations and connecting points on main line.

New and improved Drawing Room Coaches accompany this train from New York to Buffalo, and Sleeping Coaches are attached at Hornellsville, running thro' to Cleveland and Galion without change.

10:33 p.m.—EX. MAIL, Sundays excepted, for Buffalo, Dunkirk and Cleveland, connecting with trains for the West.

A Sleeping Coach is attached to this train running through to Buffalo.

7:25 a.m.—WAY FREIGHT, Sundays excepted.

3:50 p.m.—EMIGRANT TRAIN, daily for the West.

GOING EAST.

2:20 a.m.—NIGHT EXPRESS, Sundays excepted, connecting at New York with afternoon trains and steamers for Boston and New England cities.

Sleeping Coaches accompany this train from Buffalo to New York.

5:58 a.m.—CINCINNATI EXPRESS, Mondays excepted, connecting at Jersey City with afternoon and evening trains of New Jersey Railroad for Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington; and at New York with steamers and afternoon Express trains for New England Cities. Also stops at principal stations and connecting points on main line. Sleeping Coaches accompany this train to New York

9:38 a.m.—BINGHAMTON ACCOMMODATION, Sundays excepted.

12:32 p.m.—DAY EXPRESS, Sundays excepted, connecting at Middletown for Unionville, and at Jersey City with midnight express train of New Jersey Railroad for Philadelphia.

New and improved Drawing-Room Coaches accompany this train from Buffalo to New York.

12:45 p.m.—ACCOMMODATION TRAIN, daily, connecting at Owego for Ithaca.

6:38 p.m.—N. Y. MAIL, Sundays excepted.

9:00 p.m.—LIGHTNING EXPRESS, daily, connecting at Paterson for Newark; at Jersey City with Morning Express Train of New Jersey Railroad for Baltimore and Washington; and at New York with Morning express train for Boston and New England cities. Also stops at all principal stations and connecting points on main line.

Sleeping Coaches accompany this train through to New York.

5:05 p.m.—WAY FREIGHT, Sundays excepted.

BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH.

☞ A revised and complete "Pocket Time Table" of Passenger Trains on the Erie Railway and connecting lines, has recently been published, and can be procured on application to the Ticket Agent at the Company.

L. D. BUCKER, Gen'l Supt. WM. R. BARR, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.

PA. & N.Y. CANAL & R.R. CO.—

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS,

Commencing Sept. 13, 1869.

TRAINS GOING NORTH WILL

Leave Towanda at 7:00 a.m., 4:00 and 6:28 p.m. Returning, leave Waverly at 8:40 a.m., and 12:45, 7:05 p.m.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH WILL

Leave Towanda		9:30 a.m.
Arrive Tunkhannock		11:53 "
" Pittston		1:15 p.m.
" Wilkes-Barre		1:45 "
" Mauch Chunk		4:20 "
" Allentown		5:45 "
" Bethlehem		6:00 "
" Easton		6:20 "
" Philadelphia		8:35 "
" New York		9:25 "

Dine at Pittston.

RETURNING,

Leave New York		6:35 a.m.
" Philadelphia		7:45 "
" Easton		10:00 "
" Bethlehem		10:30 "
" Allentown		10:45 "
" Mauch Chunk		12:00 m.
" White Haven		1:32 p.m.
" Wilkes-Barre		2:50 "
" Pittston		3:15 "
" Tunkhannock		4:23 "
Arrive Towanda		6:38 "

Dine at White Haven.

Passengers for Harrisburg and Pittsburg will change cars at Allentown, have time for supper and take the Through Fast Express, with sleeping cars attached, at 8:40 same evening.

JOHN P. COX, Superintendent.

Books and Stationery.

DIARIES FOR 1870

PAPER & ENVELOPES

NEW-YORK PAPERS

SCHOOL BOOKS

PENS, INK, MUSIC, STATIONERY AND PICTURES

BLANK BOOKS

YANKEE NOTIONS.

Towanda, Nov. 19, 1868.

Sewing Machines.

THE NEW AND IMPROVED ELIAS HOWE

FAMILY SEWING MACHINES,

Were awarded the First Prize at the Paris Exposition, 1867, over 82 other Machines.

Also, the following State Fairs of 1868 have awarded this Machine the first premium:

New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Wisconsin, and Indiana.

At the County Fairs of Madison, Onondaga, Oswego, Wayne, Orleans, Tompkins, Seneca, Monroe, Herkimer, Schuyler, Livingston, and a host of others.

Report of the Committee on Sewing Machines, at the State Fair held in Rochester, fall of 1868: "Your Committee have examined the different Sewing Machines, to which their attention was called, and would recommend as the best Family Machine for all work, Elias Howe's Sewing Machine, and for the following reasons: 1st—Simplicity of construction. 2d—Regularity of tension on both upper and lower threads. 3d—Ease of management. 4th—Great range of work upon all materials. 5th—The perfect attachments to the Machine for felling, hemming, tucking, braiding, quilting, binding and cording, and the ease with which they are applied. 6th—The durability of the Machine, it being made of hardened steel, and adjusted in its bearings. We recommend a medal."

New style Hemmer, Braider, Tucker, Quilter, Corder, Embroiderer, Binder, Feller and Improved Tuck Marker.

It will use any and every kind of thread, from the finest to the coarsest, with a much smaller needle than other machines. Be sure and examine one before you purchase. Price from $60 to $200, and every machine warranted. The real value of our Manufacturing Machines for Tailors, Boot, Shoe, Harness and Carriage Makers, is too well known to require comment. Don't fail to call and see them.

SHEPARD & TERNEUR, General Agents, 20 Lake Street, Elmira, N.Y.

For sale by CODDING, RUSSELL & CO., General Agents, Towanda, Pa

Miscellaneous.

GREEN HOUSES, TOWANDA, PENN.

I have received a large and full assortment of IMMORTALLES, or the Dried Flowers of Everlasting, of a most beautiful variety of colors. I am now prepared to furnish, for parties, weddings, or funeral occasions, on short notice, Wreaths, Crosses, Anchors, hand and basket Bouquets. Also the same with natural flowers. I have also a few imported Wreaths or Crowns, formed of Immortalles.

No. 1. nine inches in diameter, - - $1 50
No. 2. ten " " " 2 00

All orders will receive prompt attention, and prices reasonable.

Nov. 15, 1869. HARRY MIX.

PREPARE FOR WINTER

BY PAPERING YOUR ROOMS!

NO NEED OF USING OLD NEWSPAPERS ANY MORE!

Save money by selling your old papers and buying some of that beautiful

WALL PAPER OF F. J. CALKINS.

He has just marked down his entire stock and is prepared to sell Wall Paper of every description, to suit the times, that it has ever been offered in this market for cash. Nov 2, 1869.

Groceries and Provisions.

WHOLESALE GROCERY AND PROVISION HOUSE OF

F. S. M. & CO.

113 MAIN STREET, TOWANDA, PA.

The undersigned, encouraged by the success which has thus far attended their new enterprise, desire to make acknowledgment for the very liberal patronage they have received, by giving their customers the advantage of their years' experience, together with the benefit of their greatly increased facilities for doing business.

They keep constantly on hand a very large and complete assortment of everything in their line, and are daily receiving such additions to their stock as the wants of their trade requires.

They have now in store, Sugar, Syrup, Molasses, Coffee, Rice, Tobacco, Fish, Salt, Cheese, Fruits, Crackers, Candy, Matches, Brooms, Wrapping Paper and Twine, Flour Sacks, Seeds, and a great variety of other goods, which have been recently bought at the lowest point in the market, and are offered at wholesale, at rates to correspond.

They desire to call especial attention to their large stock of Fine Teas, which they are selling at New York Jobbing prices,—guaranteeing the quality in all cases.

Have also on hand a good assortment of Flour, Pork, and Kerosene Oil.

They still continue to have the benefit of a resident Partner in New York, who is constantly in the market, and prepared to turn to our advantage any favorable changes in the price of goods.

FOX, STEVENS, MERCUR & CO.

May 12, 1868.

PATTERSON & KINNEY,

(Successors to THOMAS J. JONES)

Dealers in

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, FRUITS, &c.,

NO. 2, PATTON'S BLOCK,

TOWANDA, PENN'A.

Having purchased the entire stock of

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

of T. J. JONES, and having added largely thereto by recent purchases, they take pleasure in announcing to the public that they are prepared to sell anything and everything in the

GROCERY AND PROVISION LINE,

Such as

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES, SYRUPS, MOLASSES, FISH, FLOUR, FEED, CORN MEAL, KEROSENE, WOODEN AND WILLOW WARE, STONE WARE, &c., &c.

As cheap as the cheapest. We guarantee perfect satisfaction to all who may favor us with a call.

CASH PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

J. S. PATTERSON. W. S. KINNEY.

March 10, 1869—tf.

PEOPLE'S

GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE,

SOUTH CORNER BRIDGE AND MAIN STREETS.

A new and complete stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Which will be sold at the lowest possible prices.

CODFISH, MACKEREL, HERRING, PORK, MUTTON, HAM, FRUIT OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS, MODERN STONE WARE, YANKEE NOTIONS, FLOUR, FEED, MEAL, GRAIN, &c.

Bring on your produce, which we pay cash for.

&c.

DAIRYMEN,

A constant supply of Ashton Salt, all sized Churns, Butter Firkins, Tubs, &c.

Please call and look through our stock, and we will do our best to please you. W. A. ROCKWELL.

Towanda, April 29, 1869.

THE MOST CONVENIENT place in town to get a

GOOD MEAL

Is at the

EATING HOUSE,

Two doors south of the National Bank.

G. B. ALVORD having purchased the above well-known establishment, is now prepared to wait upon all who may favor him with a call.

He also keeps a full supply of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

Which he is prepared to sell cheap.

Towanda, May 20, 1869.

CANNED FRUITS OF ALL kinds at C. B. PATCH'S. May 20.

Groceries and Provisions.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING Purchased the entire interest of

R. H. PATCH,

In the firm of C. B. PATCH & CO., is now prepared to offer to the citizens of Bradford County and vicinity, a large and well selected stock of

GROCERIES,

Which I have purchased for Cash, and feel confident that I can sell at as low figures as can be purchased elsewhere. I now offer to the public a splendid stock of

TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS,

STARCH, SALERATUS, SPICES, &c.

Have on hand a large stock of

AKRON FLOUR, GRAHAM DO.

RYE DO., BUCKWHEAT DO.

I keep constantly on hand, PORK, HAMS, LARD, and all kinds of FISH. Would call the attention of the public to our Can't Be Beat

STOCK OF TOBACCO,

In quality or price. Jesse Oakley's Celebrated Laundry, New York Chemical and Brown Soap.

Please call and examine our stock of

WOODEN WARE.

Large assortment of YANKEE NOTIONS, TOILET SOAPS, &c., &c. I will pay the highest cash price for

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Farmers, give us a call before selling elsewhere.

C. B. PATCH.

All persons indebted to the late firm will please call and make immediate payment.

C. B. PATCH.

Towanda, March, 12, 1867.

L. AND K.

CORNER MAIN AND BRIDGE STREETS.

TOWANDA, PA.,

Dealers in all kinds of

GROCERIES,

PROVISIONS,

FLOUR,

Feed and Meal,

WOOD, WILLOW and STONE

WARE!

We would call special attention to our stock of

FLOUR, SUGAR, TEA & COFFEE,

Which we WARRANT to give satisfaction in

QUALITY AND PRICE.

CASH paid for desira'le Country Produce.

M. J. LONG. G. L. KEELER.

Tapioca, Vermacelli, Maccaroni, Sago, Pearl Barley and Hominy. Oakley's, Taylor's, and Ford's Family Soaps. Holman's, Talmadge, and Royal Baking Powder.

"Burnett's" Standard Extracts. Hecker's Farina. Hops. Cox's Gelatine. "The Gem" Fruit Jar. Baker's Chocolate, Cocoa and Broma. "Titus" Cream, Lemon and Extra Soda Crackers. "Grant's" Wafer, Milk, Boston, Egg and Butter Crackers.

LONG & KEELER.

Towanda, June 23, 1869.

McCABE & MIX

RECEIVING NEW GROCERIES DAILY!

Splendid Assortment! Wholesale and Retail!

Fresh and fine quality of Groceries as can be bought

PRICES RANGE LOW FOR THE MARKET!

All kinds of

NATIONAL FIRE WORKS!

Wholesale and Retail.

Country Merchants will do well to call. Our prices shall be, "with the reasonable," satisfactory.

CALL AND SEE US.

CASH PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Goods shown with pleasure. We shall pay strict attention to all parts of our trade.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Accept our thanks for past favors.

Towanda, June 14, 1869.

LOOK HERE!

COWELL & MYER,

At the old stand of BRAMHALL & COWELL, are now receiving a large and well selected stock of

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

Which they offer to cash buyers at prices that defy competition.

Cash paid for all kinds Farmers' Produce.

April 21, 1869—tf.

Tea and Coffee.

GLORIOUS NEWS!

TEAS GIVEN AWAY

AT THE

GREAT AMERICAN TEA STORE

No. 1 GRIFFITH & PATTON'S NEW BLOCK,

BRIDGE STREET, TOWANDA, PA.,

At the sign of the

AMERICAN FLAG!

And the

RED, WHITE AND BLUE STORE

Samples of Teas GIVEN AWAY FREELY, to satisfy the people that this is the place to save money.

PRICES LOW AS THE GREAT AMERICAN TEA COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

Fresh Ground Coffee received daily from New York, or ground to order. Also whole Coffee, green and roasted, all styles, whole and ground Spices, Dried Fruits, &c., at equally low prices.

The subscriber begs leave to return his thanks for the very liberal patronage extended to him while in the Grocery business in this place, and respectfully solicits a trial in his new enterprise. The business will be conducted strictly on the

CASH SYSTEM!

So you will not have to pay extra prices to make up for the losses of a credit business.

If you can't spare the money to pay for a pound, buy an ounce and pay for it. Be independent—then you will be worthy to walk under the

AMERICAN FLAG

Into the

American Tea Store!

And buy your Goods cheap. ☞ Remember the Red, White and Blue Store, new Block, Bridge Street.

July 1, 1869. BRAMHALL & RIDGEWAY.

ALL KINDS GROCERIES AND Provisions, at wholesale and retail, at

May 18, 1869. C. B. PATCH'S.

DRIED FRUITS OF ALL KINDS McCABE & MIX.

Clothing.

VAN TELSOR & MANNERS,

MERCHANT TAILORS!

DEALERS IN

HATS AND CAPS,

AND

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!

68 Broad Street,

WAVERLY, TIOGA CO., N.Y.

We have a Fashionable Cutter from New York city, and take all the risk in giving you a good fit.

We make at our own establishment. We give particular attention to Youths', Boys', and

CHILDRENS' CLOTHING

And always have a good assortment.

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,

From 82 cents to $5.00 per yard (all wool).

Best Stock of Hats and Caps

Kept within 20 miles. Come and look, and prove for yourself.

☞ Will be at the Ward House every Thursday, with samples of Goods, and prepared to take measures. VAN TELSOR & MANNERS,

68 Broad-st., Waverly, N.Y.

Feb. 20, 1869.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

CLOTHING!

If you want to buy good Fall and Winter

CLOTHING,

and as unheard of

LOW PRICES?

Go strait to

ROSENBURG & WOLFF'S,

at the Clothing Regulator,

133 *Main St., Patton's Block.*

Towanda, Nov. 17, 1869.—tf

F. F. C.

Fine are the Garments made for Fall, [Store.
In the splendid rooms of the popular One Price
Newest and choicest, rich and rare,
Elegant Clothing for men and boys' wear.

Fall in, gentlemen, fall in all,
After the clothes at the popular One Price Store,
Look and you'll find no clothes at all [Store,
Like the splendid Clothing at the popular One Price

Clothing in season, all marked down
Lower than anywhere else in town;
Overcoats, both for boys and men,
Try them once and you'll come again.

Hurry along, for the people push
Into our doors with a heavy rush,
Nobby and nice are the garments all,
Great is the Stock at the popular One Price Store,

CONTINUAL RECEPTION!

INCREASING ENTHUSIASM!

SHOCKINGLY LOW PRICES!

IN MEN, BOYS, AND YOUTHS CLOTHING, UNDERWEAR,

HOSIERY,

GLOVES AND MITTENS,

NECK-WEAR,

FINE DRESS SHIRTS,

HATS AND CAPS.

my Stock is complete. Every lot marked in plain figures, and no deviation, all treated alike. Every garment guaranteed to turn out as represented.

Call and look at our goods and prices. Save money and time.

NO SHODDY! NO HUMBUG! NO DARKEENS!

at the popular One Price Store of

ALEX. SOLOMON,
123 Main street.
Opposite Codding, Russell & Co's.

Towanda, Nov. 22, 1869.

☞ The highest cash price paid for Wool, Hides, and Pelts.

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

R. W. EDDY,

Would announce to the citizens of Towanda, and the public generally, that he has in store and daily receiving new and

FRESH GOODS,

In his line, suitable to the wants of the people, which he will sell for Currency at former

GOLD PRICES!

Consisting as usual of good, well and reliable made

CLOTHING,

(No Shoddy of any kind) consisting of

BUSINESS SUITS,

all grades,

COATS, VESTS AND PANTS,

all Wool.

DRESS COATS, PANTS & VESTS,

Linen Coats, Dusters and Pants.

Overalls and Overshirts, Linen and Paper Collars, Linen, Cassimere, and Flannel Shirts, Neck Ties, Suspenders, Gloves, Canes, Leather Bags, Spring Style Silk, Soft and Straw Hats. All first-class. Remember that good Goods are cheaper at a fair price than poor goods at any price. Call and examine my goods before buying. One door south of Aspinwall's Hardware Store.

Towanda, Nov. 18, 1869. R. W. EDDY.

THE TEMPLE OF FASHION!

NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS!

An entire new stock of Clothing, bought as cheap as before the war, to be sold with

SMALL PROFITS!

The undersigned would respectfully announce to the citizens of Towanda and vicinity that he is now ready to offer them Clothing, such as

FINE BEAVER OVERCOATS,

CHINCHILLAS, PILOTS.

Also t'o

FINEST DRESS AND BUSINESS SUITS,

HATS AND CAPS.

Furnishing Goods, &c., and that these goods, bought at very low figures, will be sold with very small profits. I intend to establish a permanent trade in this place, and in order to gain the confidence of purchasers, will deal on a basis of

HONESTY AND INTEGRITY!

And all goods sold be warranted for what they are represented to be. Come and examine, and convince yourself. Don't forget the place, Temple of Fashion, opposite the Means House, south end of Beldleman's Block.

Towanda, Oct. 17, 1867. H. JACOBS.

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

THE BEST FRUIT JARS IN USE at McCABE & MIX'S.

THE GEM FRUIT JARS, THE best in use, wholesale and retail. McCABE & MIX July 1.

Clothing.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!!

TAYLOR & GORE,

Successors to J. M. Collins,

Would call the attention of friends and the public to their large stock of

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING

which having been purchased for cash, they are prepared to sell cheaper than any other Store in Northern Pennsylvania. Our stock consists of

OVER COATS

of every style and price, such as

ENGLISH BEAVERS, MELTONS,

UNIONS, CASTOR BEAVERS,

CHINCHILLAS, SATINETS, &c

With the largest stock of

Men's, Youths', and Boys' Clothing,

ever offered in Towanda.

A full line of

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,

HOSIERY, GLOVES AND MITTENS.

HATS & CAPS,

LINEN AND PAPER COLLARS,

CUFFS, SUSPENDERS, HANDKERCHIEFS, &c. &c.

Also a large stock of

CLOTHS, VESTINGS, TRIMMINGS, &c.

All Goods warranted as represented. Call and examine our stock before purchasing. Remember the place 96 Main street, one door north of Chamberlin's Jewelry Store.

HIRAM TAYLOR. FRED. C. GORE.

Towanda, Dec. 2, 1869.

Tobacco and Cigars.

GEORGE V. MYER,

Having purchased the

TOBACCO AND CIGAR STORE,

One door south of the First National Bank, is now selling everything in his line, wholesale and retail

He keeps constantly on hand a complete stock of

CHOICE CIGARS,

FINE CUT, PLUG, AND SMOKING TOBACCO,

Put up in all styles. The best qualities of

BROWN, BLACK, AND SCOTCH SNUFFS,

The most celebrated brands of

FANCY SMOKING TOBACCO,

in great variety.

PIPES,

TOBACCO BOXES AND POUCHES,

MATCH SAFES

And all goods usually kept in a first-class

CIGAR STORE!

Dealers will do well to call and examine his large and well selected stock.

Towanda, April 29, 1869.

Jewelry.

JULES HUGUENIN,

JEWELLER & SILVERSMITH,

One door north of

MERCUR'S NEW BLOCK, TOWANDA, PA.

Has just received from New York a new assortment of fine Gold

LADIES' WATCHES,

AMERICAN WATCHES

SWISS WATCHES,

of all descriptions. Also a selected assortment of

GOLD CHAINS, FINE GOLD

JEWELRY,

all new.

CLOCKS OF ALL STYLES FROM THE CHEAPEST TO THE BEST.

GOLD, SILVER AND STEEL SPECTACLES AND EYE-GLASSES to fit all cases of impaired sight.

NEW PATENT ACCOMODATING SPECTACLES.

By this patent I am enabled to exchange Glasses at any time without extra charge. Call and see.

CLOCKS, WATCHES AND JEWELRY REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.

Towanda, Dec. 16, 1869.

Miscellaneous.

NEW HARDWARE AND STOVE STORE AND TIN SHOP AT WYALUSING!

R. F. SULZER,

Has just received a full supply of

COAL AND WOOD COOKING STOVES, COAL AND WOOD HEATING STOVES, ELEVATED OVENS,

BASE BURNERS, &c. HORSE SHOES, NAIL RODS,

HORSE SHOE IRON, HORSE NAILS, CORN KNIVES,

Apple Pearers, &c. All sizes of Nails and Horse Trimming Goods.

REPAIRING AND JOBBING OF ALL KINDS

of the most approved styles, done at short notice.

All kinds of Cutlery, Scissors, Razors, Carpenters', Blacksmiths, and Wagon Makers' Tools. Glass, Shovels, Scoops, &c. Give me a call, I will sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Wyalusing, Nov. 3, '69. R. F. SULZER.

TOWANDA MEAT MARKET!

OYSTERS, FISH AND CLAMS,

Each in their season.

The subscribers will keep constantly on hand a full stock of

OYSTERS, FISH AND CLAMS,

at wholesale and retail where all parties can be supplied at reasonable rates. Also a full stock of Meats consisting of

BEEF, PORK MUTTON, LAMBS, SAUSAGE, HEADCHEESE, BOLOGNA, TALLOW, LARD, &c.

Market first corner south of Ward House, Main-st. Towanda, Pa.

ap'21,69-3m SHAW, BRAUND & CO

SENT FREE!

M. O'KEEFE, SON & CO.'S

SEED CATALOGUE

AND GUIDE TO THE

FLOWER AND VEGETABLE

GARDEN, FOR 1870.

Published in January. Every lover of flowers wishing this new and valuable work, free of charge, should address immediately M. O'KEEFE, SON & CO., Elwanger & Barry's Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Oct. 21, 1869.—1yn 1

Hardware.

HARDWARE!

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

More one door north of the Post Office.

MARSHALL BROTHERS & CO.

MARSHALL BROTHERS & CO.

Would inform their friends and the public that they have added to their stock a large variety of

HARDWARE,

FARMING IMPLEMENTS,

BLACKSMITHS' TOOLS,

and CARPENTERS' TOOLS.

Also, a large assortment of

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

Of all kinds, which will be sold for the lowest Cash price. Also, a fine assortment of

KEROSENE LAMPS,

Of every style and pattern to suit the public.

Lamps repaired and changed from Oil and Fluid to Kerosene.

Particular attention paid to the manufacturing of all kinds of

TIN WARE.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

We have on hand a fine article of

GLASS FRUIT JARS,

With improved self-sealing corks, and

HERMETICAL SEALING CANS.

Which is one of the best cans used.

June 20, 1868.

GO TO S. N. BRONSON'S FOR

HUBBARD MOWING MACHINES,

None better, and parts for the same, an important announcement.

SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS!

No better quality can be found, and at prices attainable. Tons of

STOVES, IRON AND HARDWARE,

As low as the tide of the market, &c., &c., at

METROPOLITAN HARDWARE STORE,

Orwell, Pa.

June 24, 1869—y1

Furniture.

LOOK HERE!

There is now on exhibition at the

Mammoth Furniture Store,

IN TOWANDA, PA.,

The largest and best stock of

FURNITURE!

To be found in Northern Pennsylvania, which is being sold at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

My stock consists in part of Parlor, Library, Dining-room and Chamber sets, Parlor, Library, Extension, Dining and Office Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Washstands, Sofas, Lounges, Tete-a-tetes, What-Nots, Cradles, Cribs, &c., &c. A full line of Mattresses and Bedding, Pier, Mantel and Common Mirrors, Oval and Rustic Frames and Brackets, &c., &c. In fact, everything

In the Furniture Line!

Which must be seen to be appreciated, and which will be sold at

LOWER PRICES!

Than the same quality of goods can be purchased elsewhere.

Thankful to the public for their past liberal patronage, and determined to merit a continuance of the same by offering inducements not to be found elsewhere, I invite them to call and examine my goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere. No charge for showing goods, and I

WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD!

COUNTRY DEALERS supplied as usual at the lowest market prices.

I also keep on hand a large assortment of Ready Made Coffins, from the most common to the finest Rosewood. Also Burial Robes, Crapes, &c., and I am the sole agent in Bradford county for Shuler & Fisk's

METALIC BURIAL CASES, CASKETS, &c.

A good HEARSE always in readiness when required.

Towanda, Dec. 10, 1868. JAMES O. FROST.

SELLING OUT BELOW COST!

A wonderful opportunity all who wish to

PURCHASE FURNITURE CHEAP

S. T. DECKER

will from this date sell all his goods consisting of

PARLOR SETS,

DINING ROOM SETS,

CHAIRS,

BEDSTEADS,

MIRRORS,

&c. &c.,

BELOW COST!

☞ The store a present occupied by me is for rent or sale. It is one of the best business stands in Towanda.

Towanda, July 24, 1869. S. T. DECKER.

FURNITURE WARE-ROOMS.

JAMES MAKINSON announces to the public that he still continues to manufacture and keep on hand a large assortment of

CABINET FURNITURE.

Bureaus, Tables, Bedsteads, Stands, Chairs, &c., of every description, which are made of the best materials, and in the most workmanlike manner.

I invite the inspection of the public to my work, which shall not be surpassed in durability at any shop in the country, and my prices will be found to be as low as the times will admit.

Ready-made Coffins constantly on hand or made to order. A good Hearse will be furnished when desired.

Aug. 15, 1868.

Miscellaneous.

BOOK-BINDERY.—THE PUBlic is respectfully informed that the Book-Bindery has been removed to the Argus Building, third story, where will be done

BOOK-BINDING!

In all its various branches, on terms as reasonable as "the times" will allow. The Bindery will be under the charge of

H. C. WHITAKER.

An experienced Binder, and all work will be promptly done in a style and manner which cannot be excelled. Music, Machines, Newspapers, Old Books, &c., bound in every variety of style. Particular attention will be paid to the Ruling and Binding of

BLANK BOOKS,

To any desired pattern, which in quality and durability will be warranted.

All work will be ready for delivery when promised.

The patronage of the public is solicited, and perfect satisfaction guaranteed.

Towanda, August 2, 1866—tf.

NEW TAILOR SHOP.

AMOS PENNEPACKER

Has opened a shop in the room back of the Rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, second story, over Eddy's Clothing Store, where he is now prepared to do all kinds of

TAILORING,

In the best and most fashionable manner. An experience of many years, a determination to keep up with the fashions of the times, and a desire to please his customers, he believes will enable him to give satisfaction.

☞ Cutting done on short notice and reasonable terms. Towanda, Oct. 17, 1867.

LIME! LIME!! LIME!!!

The undersigned hereby announces to the public that he keeps constantly on hand at his KILN in BROWNTOWN, Pa., a full supply of fresh burned NEW YORK LIME, which he will sell as cheap as it can be bought at any point along the Canal.

May 1, 1869—tf. DAVID BROWN.

MACKEREL, CODFISH, BLUE Fish, Mackinaw Trout, Claoses, Pickled and Smoked Salmon, Smoked Halibut, and Dried Beef, at LONG & KEELER'S.

Drugs and Medicines.

DR. H. C. PORTER,

AT THE

OLD CASH DRUG STORE,

ESTABLISHED TWENTY YEARS.

Corner Main and Pine Streets, Towanda, Pa.,

Has recently added largely to his stock, a full and complete assortment, constituting an extensive variety, embracing many articles used in the Arts for mechanical purposes, carefully selected with regard to the progressive wants of the public, which will be kept constantly supplied with fresh purchases, and offered on the most reasonable terms at Wholesale or Retail, consisting of

DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS,

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,

BENZINE AND TURPENTINE,

SASH, PAINT, VARNISH, WHITE-WASH,

And all kinds of Brushes,

KEROSENE OR COIL OIL,

Alcohol and Burning Fluids,

LAMPS, SHADES, WICKS, CHIMNEYS,

Sperm, Lard, Whale, Neats Foot,

TANNER'S AND MACHINE OILS,

Fancy and Toilet Articles in all their variety,

SPONGES, BRUSHES, SOAPS, COMBS,

Pomades, Hair-D