Bradford Reporter.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

☞ Whortleberries are very abundant, and are selling at 8 cents per quart.

☞ C. T. Smith, of the Ward House, has purchased a half interest in the Alwa-ga House, Owego, N.Y.

☞ Arrangements are being made to have the Collegiate Institute re-opened with an efficient corps of teachers.

☞ Orrin Delano has placed a neat and substantial muzzle on his dog. This is an example which should be followed by every dog owner in town.

☞ In another column will be found the list of prizes to be given away by Lin-ta Hose Company. Some of them are very valuable.

☞ A sneak thief was captured near Luther's Mills, Saturday night last, while in the act of stealing clothes from Mr. Atlas. The thief gave his captors twenty-five dollars to be "let alone."

☞ A new serial story by a distinguished American writer, whose name is held in reserve, is to be begun in the August *Galaxy*. The tale is said to be full of incident, dramatic, novel in scene and character, and admirably adapted for serial publication.

☞ J. H. Orcutt, who was formerly in the employ of John Biddleman, has entered into partnership with D. O. Hollon in the building and contracting business. Persons wanting first-class work done in their line, will find Messrs. Hollon & Orcutt the right kind of men to deal with.

Almost a Fire.—About 9 o'clock on Friday morning last, Mr. Thurber's barn, situated on the Northern Liberties, was discovered to be on fire, but the flames were extinguished before the firemen reached the spot. A short time after the alarm was again sounded, and it was ascertained that the barn was burning. The firemen were promptly out and succeeded in confining the fire to the building, although it was in close proximity to several dwelling houses. Had the fire spread to any one of the adjoining buildings, the destruction of property would have been very great.

☞ The dwelling of Mr. S. C. Hovey, of Ulster, was entered a few days since, during the absence of the family, and a pocket-book containing a small amount of money and about $1,500 in notes and valuable papers taken. A neighbor soon after discovered the robbery. A suspicious appearing individual had been seen about the premises. Search was at once made for him, and about 12 o'clock the same night he was overtaken near Athens, and proved to be the thief. Mr. H. recovered his stolen property, and the guilty party was brought to this place and lodged in jail. He gives his name as Kelly.

Personal.—N. N. Betts, Jr., the popular cashier of the First National Bank, with his wife, is spending the heated term at Shoal Island.

—Hon. F. B. Streeter and wife, and Mrs. E. O. Goodrich, left for Cape May on Saturday last, where they will stop at the Stockton House.

—M. H. Laning and wife, and Miss Annie Goodrich, are at Congress Hall, Avon Springs.

—We are pleased to learn that John H. Kingsbury has been appointed a clerk in the Census Bureau, Washington.

—Gen. L. B. Pierce, general agent for the Phœnix Mutual Life Insurance Company, was in town on Monday. Although the General has been a resident of the South since the close of the war, he is still sound politically.

Judge Mercur arrived from Washington on Saturday last.

Orwell.—A most distressing accident occurred in Orwell on Wednesday evening. The particulars, as we learn them from a correspondent, are as follows: As Mr. Wilson Jones was driving his team along the road, they became frightened and ran, throwing him to the ground and dragging him for some distance. He was so badly injured that he died on Sunday morning. Mr. Jones was one of the first men in the county to respond to the call of the Government for men to suppress rebellion, and proved himself a brave soldier. He was a good citizen, an affectionate husband and father, a kind neighbor. His untimely end is deeply mourned by the entire community. He was thirty-five years of age, and leaves a wife and two small children to sorrow over his death.

☞ The correspondent of the Elmira *Advertiser*, in speaking of the business growth of Towanda, pays a merited tribute to one of our most enterprising citizens:

"The prosperity and wealth of this place is steadily and inevitably increasing. The whilom lethargy which characterized our citizens has entirely disappeared, and been superseded by very apparent activity and energy. We are now to have an extensive iron manufactory, the capital stock having all been subscribed and the board of directors organized. The work will be pushed. Much of this is due to Col. G. F. Mason, the President of the Board, who, we are proud to record, is an able, sagacious, *practical* financier, and, notwithstanding all these usually soul-narrowing qualifications, a gentleman of large heart and liberality. In the midst of his affairs he always finds time to lend a willing ear and helping hand to the deserving poor, and on almost any pleasant evening may be seen actually *enjoying* a game of croquet on the pleasant grounds fronting his spacious residence. Such men a community should be proud of, and such men will long live in the memory of those they leave behind."

☞ We find the following card in the last Tunkhannock *Republican*. "Rev." Mr. Warren visited this place last winter, and succeeded in making quite a raise:

As I professed.—A man by the name of E. H. Warren, professing to be a minister, a physician, and a dentist, late from Texas, having fled there from with his family to save their lives, his wife and children stopping at Alexandria, while he came north to get means to bring them north, has been traveling through parts of the East Genesee and Wyoming Conferences professedly endorsed by a number of our ministers, lecturing, preaching, practicing medicine and dentistry, and raising money thereby. He is a well dressed and looking man of about fifty years of age, and so well skilled in the several arts practiced, as to be able to deceive "the very elect." After a careful effort to secure of Methodist ministers in Texas information concerning said Warner, not a word, recognizing even the existence of such a man, has been obtained. And from other evidence which has recently come to us, we are forced to believe that we have been most grossly imposed upon, and that the said man is one of the best executed counterfeiters out of State's prison. His power to deceive is beyond description; he can pray or weep, be a saint or a martyr, just as best suits his purpose. We believe him a deceiver and a very dangerous man, whose word is false, whose designs are dark, and men and women everywhere are warned against him as an unscrupulous villain.

DeWitt C. Olmstead,
P.E. Wyoming District.
Samuel F. Brown,
Pastor M.E. Church, Tunk.

Watkins Glen Excursion.—A party of Towandians visited the Glen last week, and speak of their excursion in glowing terms. Others, we learn, are contemplating the same destination the present week. The party numbered 22, and embraced the following gentlemen and ladies: Wallace Kingsbury, Joe Patton, Frank Decker, Mel Spalding, Will Hawes, Charlie Cross, Walter Tracy, Frank Goodman, Misses Mary Bartlett, Hattie Bartlett, Helen Tracy, Ettie Barstow, Hrunah Naglee, Sarah Balan, Annie Cox, Mary Mix, Jessie Phinney, Clara Holcomb, Dane Sterling, Maria Parsons, Mrs. Frank Goodman, and Mrs. Dr. Allen, of Elmira.

Mr. Elwood, in speaking of the Glen, says: "There is not to be found in this country, perhaps in the world, a more strikingly wonderful and beautiful freak of nature than the *Watkins Glen*. Differing essentially in all its characteristics from any other remarkable locality of natural interest, it has as distinct an individuality as the Falls of Niagara or the Mammoth Cave.

"The Glen is situated in Schuyler county, at the head of Seneca lake, and is 22 miles from Elmira. It consists properly of a number of glens rising one above another, and extending more than two miles, forming a series of rocky arcades, galleries and grottos, subterranean at times, and again widening out into vast amphitheatres, the grandeur and magnificence of which cannot be fully realized by description. It forms the channel for a limpid stream, which follows its eccentric course, making the descent by a myriad of cascades and rapids, the beauty and variety of which is unequaled anywhere."

Watkins Glen.—Upon the arrival of our party of five ladies at the hotel, it was discovered that two were in such a dilapidated condition as to render it advisable that they should be "left to shamer," as Dickens expressed it, in a room by themselves; while the rest proceeded, in company with a lively party from Elmira, to explore the far-famed Glen. Being one of the *dilapidated*, we cannot say much of their adventures except that they came back in a high state of excitement, mud, and admiration!—the first being caused by the grandeur of the Glen, the second by a violent shower, the third by the artless gambols of an inebriated youth, who was inclined to perform gymnastic feats down the stairs and off from the verandahs of the Glen Mountain House (overhanging frightful precipices); and who, upon being forcibly detained from his perilous undertakings, gently reassured the nervous spectators by informing them that "he was never drunk before and never would be again," which must have been comforting. Early next morning our whole party were on their way to the Glen; and as we entered what we may call the ante-room of this enchanted mountain castle (for by no other name can we call it), seemingly some giant might have here entrenched himself; and we can almost imagine guardian water sprites retreating before us in the green gloom, as we assail one after another of the rocky entrenchments that guard his castle keep. Towering walls of rock rise around us, and at the farther side a stream of water, churned to foamy whiteness, pours within, not *through*, a narrow crevice in the rocks. We are astounded at being told that the Mountain House lies far, far above; and not yet being invested with wings, wonder how ever the height is to be obtained, and are shown a long and steep staircase, the ascent of which is uncommonly like that of Trinity Church Steeple. Now begins our journey of delight; here we cross narrow rustic bridges with hand-rails of silver birch, spanning such deep chasms as one would only expect to find among the Alps; there scrambling up rocky steps so difficult as to be almost unattainable except by the aid of a helping hand; again a long staircase, and then the picturesque Glen Mountain House with its foundations of eternal rock, its broad verandahs rising one above another, shadowed by grand old trees. Oh! what a place for flirtations, and for dancing, too; provided any should have *vim* enough left after climbing so many steps. Very inviting look the cosy little ice cream tables and the more substantial extension table which stands among them like *pater familias* among his prancing young people (it is not advisable that *any* should *escort* elsewhere in the Glen than here); very inviting these tables, and the counter where drinkables are dispensed to such tourists as "hunger and are athirst." And last but not least, let us mention the kind host (the right man in the right place) and his obliging family and assistants.

Leaving superfluous articles of dress and purchasing tickets, we proceed to go "higher," like the nice young man who bore a

"Banner with a strange device"—

which, however, we *didn't*. Oh! the wild delight of dashing cascades, dripping rocks, vivid mosses! Beauty everywhere! Here a rustic seat; there a platform for picnics; in this place a rocky pavement—a suitable stone floor to this temple "not made with hands." How many pilgrims seek this mountain fastness, as shown by the names carven on every accessible rock and available piece of wood, as well as upon the register at the house below. On and up till we come to the Cathedral, too grand for description. Here two of our party become too nervous to go farther, and remain, while the other three, blind to all sense of danger in their delight, dash over slippery precipices, through narrow defiles, clinging to rods of iron fixed in the walls of rock, scaling dizzy staircases and looking back at their companions, who, in the high-pointed hats of the period and enveloped in black waterproofs, resembled nothing so much as a couple of amiable brigands, waiting innocent travelers in that lonely mountain pass, and the modest demand, "Give us your *brains* or we'll blow your *money* out!" would not have been at all surprising under the circumstances. On again under the dripping spray of the "Rainbow," and we come to a glen smaller than the Cathedral, but to my mind more beautiful: the walls almost circular, sloping inward at the top, the formation somewhat resembling brick work, great roots of giant trees overhanging the upper edges, everywhere clinging vegetation, and through it foaming water dashing in cascades, eddying in green pools of great depth and singing through narrow defiles on its downward way. The first arriving in this glade stood silent with uplifted face of awe; the next, reading its expression, could but exclaim, "The Glory of the Lord!" "Even so!" was the quiet response, and we turn to pass through Glen Difficulty, crossing another rustic bridge this time with an iron railing. We come upon a path which looks hardly to afford footing for a mountain goat; but clinging to the friendly iron rod fixed in the rock, and looking carefully to our footsteps, we pass it safely (but are sadly puzzled to find it on our return). On again over slippery ledges, and a wall of rock seems to bar our way; but we see an iron handle fixed on its extreme point, and swinging ourselves by it around a jutting corner, come upon "Pluto Falls," the last available portion of the Glen. The water plunges down into a basin

"Dark and deep,
Where water kelpies their watch may keep"—

but we shouldn't care to keep it with them.

Since we could go no farther we turned regretfully back, consoled only at the thought of the beauties to be seen in our descent. Down and down again, leaning inward against the rocks to avoid the falling spray, gathering ferns and mosses as mementos, down to our waiting friends, and getting mildly "blown up" by them for what they are pleased to term our foolhardiness! Down to the Mountain House with its friendly faces, its pictures and hand-books, which last should be purchased before going up. Here we arrange our ruffled and bedraggled plumage (one of us resembling "Dorothy Dragletail" of the ancient ballad) to be as presentable as possible, and descend to the village through the beautiful cemetery. Beautiful indeed! but oh! why must the grave ever be so repulsive? Why cannot we bring ourselves,

"Since the Saviour hath lain there,
To fear not its gloom"?

With me it is impossible. Many were the beautiful resting-places that we saw; also the vault of the Fenan family, probably the former owners of the Glen. If the grave is terrible, how much more so a vault, where one is suspended like Mahomet's coffin between heaven and earth.

As we slowly descend we enjoy a view of the lovely Seneca lake, and only regret that our limited time prevents us from enjoying a voyage upon it. We are again hospitably received at our temporary home, the "Fall Brook House," by mine host and his gentlemanly clerk, and after making our toilet partake of an excellent dinner and depart homeward well pleased with our excursion. Mary N. Rockwell.

Rights of Newspaper Publishers.—There are many people who seem to think they are entitled to unlimited puffery in the newspapers because they happen to be engaged in ostensibly charitable enterprises. They arrogate to themselves the sole right of judging what is of a benevolent nature. These men are not infallible, and occasionally err greatly. As the Cincinnati *Commercial* remarks: "The manager of a newspaper is entitled to his judgment as to what enterprises are really charitable and judicious. He is entitled to regard the columns of reading matter under his control as valuable for the information of the public, and, so far as he can make them so, sacred from intrusion, even under pretense of pure benevolence. He has large expenses, and has a right to look upon his advertising columns as sources of revenue not to be abated at the suggestion that it is done in the name of charity and sweet good will to mankind. And the manager of a newspaper has a right to regard himself as engaged in a legitimate private business. He is not necessarily a public character, and is as clearly entitled to his privacy, and the exclusive conduct of his own business, as the keeper of a grocery or drug store. If he is prosperous it is reasonable to expect him to be charitable; but he must claim the privilege of discriminating in his charities as other people do, and of doing his share of the work of good will to men in his own way. He will probably prefer to pay his subscriptions in aid of charitable enterprises in cash, and to demand for the advertising that is done for those enterprises the regular rates; and if he understands editing his newspaper, he will resist the tendency to ruin his local department with stupid notices that belong among the advertisements. It may be well to add that we mean these observations especially for a large number of most worthy people in this city who have misunderstood, as we think, the relations of the newspaper to society."

SUMMARY LOCAL.

A Card.—The firemen and citizens have my sincere thanks for their successful efforts to save my dwelling house, which was in imminent danger from the burning of hay barn on Friday morning last.

R. Taylor.

☞ A. S. Hale & Co., Hartford, Conn., have just issued a work full of interest to every American, entitled, "The Home of Washington," by Benj. Lossing. The work is written in the peculiarly attractive style of Mr. Lossing, and should be in every family. Osee Hancock is now canvassing for the work in this county, and will undoubtedly sell a large edition.

☞ Attention is called to the advertisement of the State Normal School, Mansfield, Pa., to be found in another column.

☞ There lives in Indiana a married couple who have not spoken to each other for twenty years. Their whole conversation is carried on through the children. The cause of this strange conduct is said to be a little misunderstanding between the parties in regard to the management of household affairs. If these Indians parties lived hereabouts and purchased their Groceries at McOmber & Mix's, the lady would be compelled some morning to ask her spouse where he found such elegant tea, splendid coffee and magnificent flour.

☞ Keeler's new Store on Bridge street proves to be a very attractive place, as he is daily securing new customers, and we are informed they all go away perfectly satisfied with the way in which George does business.

☞ The finest Tea one dollar and forty cents, at Keeler's. Good at 50 cents.

☞ Patterson & Kinney, in Patton's Block, Main street, still claim to have the best assortment of Groceries, and to sell them at lower figures than any other establishment this side of New York. A call will satisfy any one that they understand the business.

☞ Brown, in the Drug Store, Patton's Block, endures the heat of summer quite complacently, and is selling all the drugs and popular medicines of the day at low prices. Everything on hand that is usually kept in a first-class drug house.

☞ Go to Keeler's for the best Teas in the market.

☞ Now that a bloody war is being waged in the old world, everybody is anxious to get a daily paper with the latest news. Cross has made arrangements to supply the wants of all in this particular. He also keeps the largest and best assortment of literary papers, miscellaneous books, stationery, &c.

☞ Strictly pure Ground Spices, at Keeler's.

☞ Bramhall & Rideoway, of the Red, White and Blue, have contributed in the last six months nearly one hundred and fifty dollars to the different churches. Persons in want of Teas and other groceries, should bear this in mind: one per cent. of all the sales goes for the support of the gospel.

☞ Tapioca, Sago, Farina, Table Oil, Canned Fruit, Pearl Barley, Oat Meal, &c., at Keeler's, on Bridge street. Tea at wholesale and retail.

☞ W. A. Chamberlin has a large and splendid assortment of watches and jewelry. He is also special agent for the celebrated Concavo Convex Crystal Spectacles, manufactured by the Philadelphia Optical Institute, which are believed to be the best in use. All those with impaired sight will do well to give him a call.

☞ Camp & Vincent, insurance agents, represent a number of the most popular and reliable fire and life companies. The senior of the firm has had long experience, and completely comprehends the business in all its ramifications. He may always be found at their office, ready and willing to give any information on the subject desired. See their advertisement.

MARRIED.

WOOD—BARNES.—At the M.E. Parsonage in Lellayville, June 29, 1870, by Rev. S. E. Walworth, Olin D. Wood, of Pike, and Miss Ella D. Barnes, of Orwell.

THOMPSON—CANFIELD.—By the same, July 3, 1870, at the home of the bride, in Pike, Samuel L. Thompson and Miss Florine E. Canfield, both of Pike.

ALLEN—OWEN.—In Wysox, July 6, 1870, by Rev. H. J. Crane, Frank E. Allen, of Williamsport, (son of the late Jesse Allen, of Wysox,) and Miss Frances J. Owen, of Wysox.

CLARK—OGDEN.—July 3, 1870, by the Rev. S. P. Gates, Mr. W. Colburn Clark, of Granville, to Miss Polly Ogden, of Union, Tioga Co.

DIED.

MEAD.—In Athens, July 14, 1870, Harriet, wife of James E. Mead, aged 25 years.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ Henry Harris, Merchant Tailor, Bridge street.

☞ Taylor & Gore, Merchant Tailors.

☞ Vanvelsor & Manners, Merchant Tailors, Waverly, N.Y. June 2—1m.

☞ If you desire a prompt payment of your loss after fire, insure in Phœnix Fire Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn.

Office Mercur's Block, north side Public Square, Towanda.

Cavalry Officers, War 1861.—"Cavalry line officers are entitled to an allowance for use and risk of horses between July 22, 1861, and July 17, 1862." Call on H. B. McKean, attorney-at-law, office Patch's Block, Towanda, Pa. July 14, 1870—4w.

☞ A meeting of the trustees of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute will be held at the office of G. D. Montanye, in Towanda, on Monday, the 25th day of July, A.D. 1870, at two o'clock, p.m. Business of importance will be brought before the Board. A full attendance is desired. M. Fox, President.

Notice.—Costs will be made on all unpaid deeds and unsettled accounts of H. J. Madill, late Register & Recorder, unless settled by the first of September. The deeds and accounts may be found at my office.
Towanda, July 19, 1870-3w.* J. N. Calipp.

Select School.—P. L. Chrispell, assisted by Miss Clara Young, will open a Select School in the Academy at Rome borough, August 1, 1870, and continue 13 weeks. No pains or expense will be spared to make the school rank among the first in the country. Accuracy in recitation, and a thorough comprehension of the subject in hand, will be insisted upon, and any haste incompatible with these ends will be carefully avoided. Every effort will be made to render the term's work thorough and profitable.

For further information, inquire of L. A. Ridgeway, at the Drug Store in Rome borough.
July 14, 1870.*

C. O. D.—I beg leave to inform my old friends, and the public generally, that I have opened A NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE IN BEIDLEMAN'S BLOCK, BRIDGE STREET, and respectfully invite an inspection of my goods and prices. As my stock has been purchased entirely for CASH, and as I propose to sell for READY PAY, I feel confident that my prices will compare favorably with any establishment in the country.

I have paid particular attention to the selection of Ground Spices, and warrant them pure.

My assortment of TEAS is complete, and ranges in prices from SIXTY CENTS to ONE DOLLAR AND FORTY CENTS. Coffee ground to order, and sold at the lowest price. Give me a call.
Towanda, July 13, 1870. GEO. L. REELER.

Notice.—The M.E. Church at New Albany will be dedicated to the Most High God for His worship, on Wednesday, August 3, 1870—the first sermon by Rev. B. I. Ives, of Auburn, N.Y., at 11 o'clock, a.m., and the second by Rev. Wesley Cochran, Presiding Elder of the Troy District, at 3 o'clock. Brethren from abroad are invited to attend and enjoy with us.
Rev. E. G. McConnell.
July 14, 1870—3w.

☞ Get your spoons, forks and tea sets engraved at Morton's, Wickham & Black's Store. June 30, 1870.

☞ Watches accurately regulated at Morton's, Wickham & Black's Store. June 30, 1870.

☞ The Cascade Mills determined to compete with western flour. Now sell it retail, delivered free, the choice brand made of our own soil, at the bare cost of the wheat and its manufacture into flour. No profits to middle men or third hands. No charge for handling or use of money. For cash only.
March 23-4m

☞ Crackers manufactured daily and for sale wholesale and retail, at the Bakery, first door north of Ward House.
March 30, 1870. D. W. Scott & Co.

☞ Choice Mackerel, only one shilling per pound, at M. J. Loxo's.
June 16, 1870.

For Sale.—A two-horse tread power Thresher and Cleaner. Has been used two seasons. Will be sold at a bargain.
North Towanda, July 13, 1870.* James Foster.

☞ "Sea Moss Farine" for Puddings and Custards, for sale by M. J. Loxo.
June 16, 1870.

☞ I hereby give notice that hereafter, persons wishing artificial teeth on Rubber, can obtain them at my office; and also, that the price of full upper or under sets is reduced to twenty dollars.

W. B. Kelly, Dentist.
Office over Wickham & Black's.
June 23, 1870.

To Those Getting Their Clothing Made to Order.—You should study two things: First, to get them where first-class clothing is made; secondly, where they are sold cheap. And in order to be able to sell a good article cheap, the merchant must understand his business, and know how, where, and what to buy, as a practical man does; and a practical tailor in all its branches I profess to be, having had 18 years experience in the business. Have been a cutter in some of the best houses in New York city. I do my own buying, selling and cutting, and have to divide my profits with no man, so that less of it will do—and with low rent and other expenses in proportion, thus making the cost of carrying on the business very small.

In reading the above you will see why it is that I can sell goods cheaper than men following the business, and having no knowledge of it themselves, have to employ others at large salaries to attend to it, and customers must pay accordingly—as they, like myself, do business to live by it. If you doubt the above statement, be convinced by calling on

Henry Harris,
Merchant Tailor,
Bridge Street.

1826. MONTANYES. 1870.

Constantly on hand and arriving, seasonable goods of every variety, domestic and foreign manufactures. Goods bought exclusively on the cash system, and sold at a correspondingly low figure. Going out of the Hardware trade; are offering a lot of goods in that line at astonishingly low rates. Great bargains for builders and contractors.

No. 1 Mercur's Block.—Gloves at $1,50—Lace Shawls—Latest Fashions.—Miss Brandt informs her patrons that she has just received from Europe a supply of Jouvin's Gloves, which she can offer at $1,50 retail.

Also Shawls and Barlocs in Lama and Chamy Lace.

Miss Brandt calls especial attention to her fashion plates and patterns. She regularly receives the Berlin "*Bazar*" (the original of Harper's), as well as the Paris "*Moniteur des Modes*."

A fine stock of the latest Hats and Bonnets always on hand. May 4, 1870—tf.

☞ Second-hand Sewing Machines for sale at a bargain by Wickham & Black.

Also, Machine Needles, Oil, Thread, Silks, &c., &c. April 29, 1870—tf.

☞ W. Dittrich's Music Store, east of Mercur's Bank, first door, where you will find Pianos, Melodeons, Organs, Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Strings, Accordeons, Clarinets, Flutes, Sheet Music, Instruction Books for all Instruments, Music Books and all kinds of Musical Merchandise. April 14,'70.

☞ We guarantee satisfaction in all the work we do. We cut, make, and trim clothing for men and boys wear.

H. Harris & Co,
4 Bridge Street, Towanda, Pa.

☞ Burnett's celebrated flavoring extracts, for sale by M. J. Loxo.
June 16, 1870.

☞ Parties, picnics, festivals, and private families, furnished with Ice Cream, on short notice, at Hart's.

New Merchant Tailoring Establishment.—Messrs. Taylor & Gore have opened, in connection with their Clothing Store, a Tailoring Department; and having secured the services of a "first-class cutter" and competent workmen, they are now prepared to make up work in the best style and latest fashions to order. Having just received a new and fresh stock of cloths, they are prepared to offer better inducements than ever before offered in Towanda. The public will find it to their advantage to give us a call before buying elsewhere. Remember we warrant our work and guarantee good fits. Repairing done on short notice.
March 12, 1870.

☞ Two good, active book canvassers wanted in every town in Bradford county, for five new and attractive books. Those having experience desired.

C. F. Cross, Towanda, Pa.

☞ Clocks and Jewelry of all kinds and styles repaired with the greatest possible dispatch, at G. A. Morfoot's, Wickham & Black's Store. June 30, 1870.

New Advertisements.

Waverly Institute!
The 52nd Term under A. J. Lang, A. M., opens AUGUST 23, 1870.
English, Classical and Commercial Departments.
Normal Class in which twenty pupils receive free tuition organized at the beginning of Fall Term.
Send to Principal for Catalogues and particulars.
N. Kinney,
July 20, 1870—4t. Pres't. Board of Trustees.

Caution.—Whereas, my wife, Matilda, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, this is to forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
E. W. Burdick.
Albany, Pa., July 20, 1870.—3t*

Towanda Agricultural Works still alive!
The superintendent of this shop is now offering some of the best

LUMBER WAGONS,
PLATFORM WAGONS,
COVERED AND OPEN BUGGIES,

ever offered in this market. Best selected

OAK AND HICKORY TIMBER

used, and all work made by the most

EXPERIENCED WORKMEN.

We have the

PATENT RUSHIA IRON SEATS,

very light, and so durable that even time has but little to do towards their decay.

Please examine our work before purchasing elsewhere. Repairing done on short notice.
M. C. Mercur, Prest. G. W. Vincent,
Towanda, July 20, 1870. Superintendent.

Pennsylvania State Normal School!
(Fifth District),
MANSFIELD, TIOGA COUNTY, PA.
Fall Term begins September 7th, 1870.
Winter Term begins December 12th, 1870.
Spring Term begins March 27th, 1871.
For catalogues or admission, address
CHAS. H. VERRILL,
Mansfield, July 20, 1870. Principal.

STRAYED, OR STOLEN, FROM the premises of B. F. Bowman, in Towanda township, about the 9th or 10th of July, a three year old Mare Colt, medium size, hoy and black mixed, with white in the face. Any information in relation to it will be thankfully received, and any person returning said colt will be liberally rewarded.
July 20, 1870.

A. M. WARNER,
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,
135 Main Street,
Respectfully informs the public that he keeps constantly on hand all kinds of
AMERICAN AND SWISS WATCHES,
Also a fine assortment of
GOLD, SILVER AND PLATED JEWELRY,
Consisting of Chains, Rings, Thimbles, Napkin Rings, and other articles too numerous to mention. A great variety of the most approved Clocks. The WATCH REPAIRING is done by himself, personally, and he flatters himself that with his twenty years experience in Towanda, he will be able to please all who may favor him with their patronage. Thanks for the past liberal patronage, he assures the public that his charges shall be reasonable, and no pains spared. Remember the place, 135 Main-st., Patton's Block, two doors south of Powell & Co's Store.
Towanda, Pa., July 12, 1870.—tf

R. M. WELLES'
COAL YARD.
Until farther notice prices at yard, are
Egg.....$5 00.
Stove.....$5 00
Nut.....$4 75
Pittston Nut.....$4 50
☞ Leave Orders at my Coal Office, No. 2, Mercure New Block, south side.
☞ Orders must in all case be accompanied by the cash.
Towanda, June 1,'70. R. M. WELLES.

CASH PAID FOR HIDES AND PELTS at COWELL & MYER'S

New Advertisements.

Grand Gift Enterprise.

$4,306.95 IN PRIZES

TO BE GIVEN AWAY AT THE

MAMMOTH GIFT BALL!

TO BE GIVEN BY

LIN-TA HOSE COMPANY, No. 3,

AT MERCUR'S HALL, TOWANDA, PA.

THE PROCEEDS TO BE USED IN PURCHASING

A STEAM FIRE ENGINE!

The Company take great pleasure in presenting to the public, the following splendid LIST OF GIFTS, which they flatter themselves has never been equaled. Many of the Prizes, which have been contributed by the business men and property holders of Towanda, can be seen at the several places of business. The distribution of Prizes will take place at Mercur's Hall as soon as the tickets are disposed of, under the supervision of a committee selected at that time by the ticket-holders.

THE LIST OF GIFTS:

Articles.	*Value.*
1 Lot in East Towanda	$300 00
1 First-class Sewing Machine	150 00
1 Ladies' Gold Watch	100 00
20 Dollars in Gold,	23 20
1 Churn Power,	15 00
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1 Iron-beam, Side-hill, Plough,	10 50
1 Wood-beam Evans Plough,	9 50
1 Bradford county Plough,	9 50
1 L Plough,	7 50
1 Cultivator,	8 00
1 "	8 00
1 "	6 00
1 Suffolk Pig,	25 00
Greenbacks,	5 00
1 Suit of Clothes, to order,	50 00
1 Cook Stove,	60 00
1 Large Chromo,	35 00
1 Globe,	18 00
1 Dozen White Shirts,	25 00
1 Caddy of 10 lbs. Choice Tea,	15 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Set Double Harness,	75 00
1 Cow,	75 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 50
1 " of Stove Coal,	5 50
1 " of Chestnut Coal,	5 25
1 Globe Hemisphere,	15 00
1 Box Cigars,	5 00
5 Boxes of Toilet Soap,	5.00
1 Dressing Case,	10 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Fair Lava Vase,	5 00
1 Oil Painting,	25 00
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Globe Hemisphere,	15 00
1 Silver Watch,	26 00
1 Library Ink Stand,	7 50
1 Large Album	3 00
20 Dollars in Gold, 16 cts premium,	23 20
1 Small Chromo,	2 00
1 Open Buggy,	125 00
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Oil Painting,	10 00
1 Chester White Hog,	50 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Chester White Sow,	50 00
1 Globe Hemisphere,	15 00
1 Suit of Clothes,	40 00
1 Large Steel Plate Engraving,	40 00
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
(25 prizes) 1 copy each, 1 yr., Bradford *Reporter*,	50 00
1 Silver Watch,	25 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 four Lamp, Gas Chandelier,	40 00
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
(25 prizes) 1 copy each, 1 yr., Bradford *Argus*,	50 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	3 00
(6 prizes) Gent's Pocket Books, $1 50 each,	9 00
1 Case Congress Water,	12 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
(3 prizes) Ladies' Velvet Purses, $2 each,	6 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	6 00
1 Jar Pomade,	2 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	5 00
(5 prizes) Fancy Iron Match Holders, $1 each,	5 00
1 Toilet Set, four brushes each,	5 00
1 Oil Painting,	12 50
1 Marble Mantle Shelf,	6 00
(27 prizes) Box each 100 Garibaldi Cheroots,	27 00
1 Large Rocking Horse,	50 00
1 Pair Napoleon Grain, Waterproof Boots,	15 00
(10 prizes) Kerosene Oil Lamps, $1 each,	10 00
1 Barrel of Crackers,	5 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Set Sash and Blinds, for a house,	125 00
1 Marble Mantle Shelf,	9 00
1 Case of Hair Restorer,	10 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	6 00
1 Jar of Pomade,	1 50
1 Toilet Case,	2 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	2 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
20 Dollars in Gold, 16 cts premium,	23 20
1 Marble Mantle Shelf,	5 00
10 Dollars in Silver,	10 00
(20 prizes) 1 pound Tea each,	20 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	3 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 Fancy Watch Holder,	1 00
1 Jar of Pomade,	1 50
1 Bottle of Perfumery,	2 00
1 Case of Canned Peaches,	10 00
1 Marble Mantle Shelf,	10 00
1 Case of Perfumery,	3 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 Jar of Pomade,	2 00
1 Oil Painting,	12 50
1 Marble Mantle Shelf,	6 00
1 Toilet Set, four brushes each,	5 00
1 Borough Lot, 50x150,	400 00
1 Ton of Coal,	4 00
1 Merino Dress Pattern, 10 yds. at $2 per yd.	20 00
1 Pair of Gaiter Boots, to order,	12 00
1 Box of Cigars,	6 00
1 Set of Single Harness,	40 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 Yeaman's Patent Cutting Box,	13 00
1 Merino Dress Pattern, 11½ yds. at $2 per yd.	23 00
20 Dollars in Gold, 16 cts, premium,	23 20
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Yeaman's Patent Cutting Boxes,	13 00
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 Merino Dress Pattern; 10 yds. at $2 per yd.	20 00
1 Box of Cigars,	6 00
1 Complete Set of Tinware,	7 40
1 Rifle, (warranted)	25 00
1 Box of Cigars,	5 00
1 Set of Chamber Furniture,	75 00
1 Point Lace Shawl,	75 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 Box of Cigars,	10 00
1 Dress Pattern,	8 00
1 Shawl,	5 00
1 Merino Dress Pattern, 10 yds. at $2 per yd.	20 00
1 " " " " " "	20 00
1 Box of Cigars,	6 00
1 Velocipede,	50 00
1 Small Chromo,	10 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	15 00
1 Large Steel Plate Engraving,	20 00
1 Set of Single Harness,	70 00
1 Barrel of Flour,	10 00
1 Roll of Brussels Carpet,	8 00
1 Churn,	6 00
1 Barrel Churn,	18 00
1 Box of Cigars,	20 00
(12 prizes) Cedar Pails, $1 50 each,	18 00
$1000 Life Insurance Policy,	25 00
1 Plough,	9 00
Boxes Soap,	4 00
1 Map of Towanda, by Morgan,	
Total amount of Prizes,	$4,306 95

Whole Number of Tickets, 6,000.

PRICE FOR SINGLE TICKETS, - - - - $1 00

REFERENCES:

M. C. Mercur, Joseph Powell,
Hon. F. F. Streeter, Hon. P. D. Morrow,
John F. Means, Geo. D. Montanye,
Hon. Ulysses Mercur,
James M. Ward, Maj. Alex. Diven,
John A. Cobding.

Tickets may be procured at

Porter & Kirby's Drug Store,

Members of the Hose Company,

and at the established Agencies named in small circulars.

All communications addressed to

C. B. Porter, Towanda, Pa.,

Chairman of Committee, will receive prompt attention.

Towanda, July 20, 1870.

Dissolution.—The copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm name of Grant & Robinson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

John G. Grant,
Thos. M. Robinson.
Colley, Sull. Co., Pa., April 1, 1870. 3ly12-4

Guardian Mutual Life Insurance Company,
NO. 251 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Policies in Force	$25,000,000
Assets, over	2,000,000
Annual Income, over	1,000,000
Losses Pa