Agricultural.

The Potato and its Uses.

The potato occupies a very important part in domestic economy, commerce, and the arts; not only in the United States, but over the civilized world it holds a prominent place. In the bill of fare of every household, from the rich man's mansion to the poor man's cot, you find the potato claiming its place on the table, oftentimes morning, noon, and night. Boiled, baked, roasted, or fried, it is welcomed by the epicure and the laborer. Our good housekeepers can tell of its value in bread-making, and other parts of their work.

It is estimated that not less than 150,000,000 of bushels are consumed annually in the United States as an article of food.

The potato contains a great amount of nourishment. This has been proved by chemical analysis and careful experiments. Many of the Irish peasantry subsist almost entirely upon potatoes, and the average amount consumed per day, in such cases, is about eight pounds.

In the year 1840, in Glasgow Prison, some experiments were made on the effect of different diets. Ten young men and boys were put on a diet of boiled potatoes—two pounds for breakfast, three pounds for dinner, and one pound for supper. At the end of the experiment there was a gain, on an average, of nearly three and one half pounds per prisoner.

Other illustrations of the value of the potato as an article of food might be given. No farmer can afford to overlook the value of his *small potatoes* for feeding stock. When boiled, and especially if a small portion of meal is mixed with them, pigs, chickens, and cattle will thrive on them in the severe weather of winter. Thrifty farmers will yet find that a large barn-cellar for storage of potatoes and other root crops, with a furnace for steaming and cooking them before they are fed to the stock, will be essential on every well-ordered farm.

In the manufacture of *starch*, both in Europe and in this country, potatoes are largely used. The average yield of starch is said to be from eight to twelve pounds from one bushel of potatoes. In Stowe, Vt., there are no less than five factories, which use about 100,000 bushels of potatoes yearly in the manufacture of starch. Another starch factory in Kingsford, N.Y., contains more than six acres of flooring. When we learn that one calico print-works used 60,000 pounds of starch in a single year, the importance of the potato as a staple in the manufacture of starch will be readily seen.

The price at which the potato crop of this country is sold, annually shows that it is among our most useful crops.

THE MOST PROFITABLE FOWLS.—It is a well conceded fact that there is great advantage in improved stock—horses, cattle, sheep, and hogs. A thorough, progressive farmer aims to secure and propagate these. If we examine the various reports, we will learn that poultry is a great interest in this country; and to secure the most profit on this species farmers should obtain improved varieties. Instead of bringing to the market long-legged, small-bodied chickens of the shite-poke model, weighing, say, two pounds, they should supply our markets with a stock weighing four or six pounds, and these should be sold by weight. The little, lank scrawny chickens that many of our farmers have now, and which furnish eggs above the size of pigeons' eggs, should give place to chickens laying eggs twice as much, and the eggs should be sold by weight. This done and we should soon be rid of the degenerated race of fowls and small eggs now brought to the market. With the same feed and better care the farmer might realize more than double what he now does for his chickens, and more for his eggs. Few realize the profits on a good stock of fowls. The produce of one hen will pay for your newspapers; of half a dozen, will pay for your tea and coffee, and so on. And hence no farm should be without its stock of fowls. We like to hear the crow and see the strut of the cock—the confiding regard for its harem of beauties—we like to pick the bones of the rich juicy chicken, and the eggs are always in order.

POLISHING SHIRTS.—The *Scientific American* says: Put a little common white wax in your starch, say two ounces to the pound; then if you use any thin patent starch, be sure you use it warm, otherwise the wax will get cold and gritty and spot your linen, giving it the appearance of being stained with grease. It is different with collar starch—it can be used quite cold; however, of that anon. Now then, about polishing shirts; starch the front and wristbands as stiff as you can. Always starch twice—that is, starch and dry, then starch again. Iron your shirt in the usual way, making the linen nice and firm, but without any attempt at a good finish; don't lift the plaits. Your shirt is now ready for polishing, but you ought to have a board the same size as a common shirt board, made of hard wood and covered with only one ply of plain cotton cloth. Put this board into the breast of your shirt, then take a polishing iron, which is flat and beveled a little at one end—polish gently with the beveled part, taking care not to drive the linen up into wave-like blisters; of course this requires a little practice, but if you are careful and persevere, in a short time you will be able to give that enamel-like finish which seems to be so much wanted.

MULCHING.—There is no operation more important in the summer treatment of trees and plants than mulching. Newly planted trees will make more than double the growth when mulched than when the surface of the ground around them is exposed through the summer to the scorching rays of the sun, and the drying winds. Many trees that die the first season after they are planted might be saved by this simple treatment. With a covering of from two to four inches of old straw, hay, sawdust or tan-bark a uniform moisture is kept up in the soil during summer, however dry the weather may be. The growth of the tree too, is much more healthy, and better able to withstand the severe changes of winter than when it is prematurely and suddenly checked in summer by drouth, and ready for a new and vigorous fall growth as soon as rain sets in, leaving the stem and branches in the fall filled with unripened sap. [illegible] not already been attended [illegible] no longer be delayed [illegible] around the trees should [illegible] taken up, and a [illegible] litter.

Clothing.

NEW FIRM.

ROSENFIELD & WOLFF.

We the undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Towanda and vicinity, we do hereby proclaim that our stock of

SPRING GOODS,

Comprising everything in the line of

CLOTHING

AND

GENTS FURNISHING,

Such as

BEAVER, CHINCHILLA, DOESKIN, AND CASSIMERE

OVERCOATS,

And all of the Latest Style of

COATS, PANTS, AND VESTS,

And all of the Latest Styles of

HATS, CAPS, &c., &c.,

Which will be sold at such reduced prices that it will astonish the community.

Come to the store of ROSENFIELD & WOLFF and examine our goods and prices before purchasing, and satisfy yourselves. We guarantee all to give entire satisfaction. We are thankful to our numerous customers and friends for their past liberal patronage and solicit a continuance of the same.

ROSENFIELD & WOLFF,
115 MAIN STREET, TOWANDA, Pa.
feb.1'71 (Next to Fox & Mercur's).

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

EIGHTEEN 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 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 [calli]ng on

HENRY HARRIS,
Merchant Tailor, Bridge St., Towanda, Pa.
Aug.10,'70

Millinery.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS.

MRS. J. D. HILL

Is now offering a large stock of

MILLINERY GOODS,

AND

FANCY GOODS,

Consisting of the latest imported styles of

BONNETS, HATS, RIBBONS, &c. KID GLOVES, THREAD AND GIMPURE LACES, CORSETS, CUFFS AND COLLARS, HANDKERCHIEF JEWELRY,

Of all the latest styles.

ALSO A LARGE STOCK OF HAIR.

Store first door east of the Red, White and Blue Store, Bridge Street.
Towanda, April 26, 1871.

MISS E. J. KINGSLEY,

Wishes to inform the ladies of Towanda and vicinity that she keeps constantly on hand a large supply of

MILLINERY

Goods, suitable to the season. Thanking her patrons for their liberal patronage heretofore, she assures them that no exertions will be spared to ensure a continuance of the same. She also has a fine selection of

HAIR AND FANCY GOODS,

Such as
Kid Gloves,
Linen Collars,
Cuffs,
Handkerchiefs.
Real Laces,
Corsets,
&c. &c.

I have also reopened, in connection with the above my DRESS MAKING establishment, and I am now prepared to do

CUTTING and FITTING

in the latest fashionable styles on short notice.
Entrance next door to Fox & Mercur's, up stairs.
April 4,'71.

18 SPRING 71

CROCKERY.

A full line and extensive assortment now ready.

WICKHAM & BLACK.

GLASSWARE AND CHINA

In full variety, both staple and fancy.

SILVER PLATED WARE

From

ROGERS & BROTHER,

EVERY PIECE WARRANTED. CALL AND LOOK IT OVER.

TABLE CUTLERY,

A full line.

CHAMBER SETS,

In White or Decorated patterns.

BABY WAGONS FROM $3 UP.

Agents for

SINGER SEWING MACHINE.

mar.1'71

SUGAR OF ALL KINDS RETAILing at wholesale prices at FOX & MERCUR'S.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR AT FOX & MERCUR'S.

Books and Stationery.

DIARIES FOR 1871

PAPER & ENVELOPES

NEW-YORK PAPERS

SCHOOL BOOKS

PENS, INK, MUSIC, STATIONERY AND PICTURES

BLANK BOOKS

YANKEE NOTIONS.

AT CROSS' BOOK STORE.

Towanda, Nov. 19, 1868.

Miscellaneous.

THE "DOMESTIC"

LOCK STICH

SEWING MACHINE!

THE "DOMESTIC" is a Shuttle Sewing Machine, which has been used for the last five years in the West, and is now introduced for the first time in this section.

It runs faster than most, easier and more quietly than any, doing the lightest as well as the heaviest work done on any Sewing Machine.

ALL ARE INVITED TO CALL AND SEE IT.

Plain Machines - - - $65.
Half Case - - - - $70.

All Machines have Blake's Patent Table.

Agents wanted in unoccupied territory. Address, BLAKE & CO., Scranton, Pa.

For sale by
TAYLOR & GORE, Towanda, Pa.
A. A. KINNER, Athens, Pa.
ACKLEY, LLOYD & BLOKER, Wyalusing.
May 12, 1870.—1y

CENTRAL MARKET.

The subscribers still continue to keep constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of everything pertaining to their business, consisting mainly of

BEEF, PORK, FRESH AND SALT

SUGAR CURED HAMS,

MUTTON, BEEF, LAMB, VEAL, POULTRY, SAUSAGE, LARD, BOLOGNA, DRIED BEEF, TALLOW, &c., &c. Also,

FISH

FRESH FROM THE LAKES.

OYSTERS RECEIVED DAILY

In their season.

Parties wishing Oysters in large or small quantities will be furnished on short notice, at the old stand, CENTRAL MARKET, Montanye's Block, first door north of Dr. Porters.

CHAS. G KELLUM, THEO. MULLOCK. } KELLUM & MULLOCK.
Feb. 24, 1870-tf

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

OF TOWANDA.

CAPITAL..............$125,000.
SURPLUS FUND......... 40,000.

This Bank offers UNUSUAL FACILITIES for the transaction of a

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

INTEREST AID ON DEPOSITS ACCORDING TO AGREEMENT.

SPECIAL CARE GIVEN TO THE COLLECTION OF NOTES AND CHECKS.

Parties wishing to SEND MONEY to any part of the United States, England, Ireland, Scotland, or the principal cities and towns of Europe, can here procure drafts for that purpose.

PASSAGE TICKETS

To or from the old country, by best steamer or sailing lines, always on hand.

FAMILIES BROUGHT OVER AT REDUCED RATES.

Highest Price paid for U.S Bonds, Gold and Silver.

J. POWELL, President. N. N. BETTS, Jr., Cashier.
Towanda, June 24, 1869.

PERSONS IN SEARCH OF

HOLIDAY PRESENTS,

Must not forget that

JULES HUGUENIN,

JEWELLER & SILVERSMITH,

One door north of

MERCUR'S NEW BLOCK, TOWANDA, PA.

Is constantly receiving additions to his stock of goods suitable for presents, such as

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. 8, 1870.

"TOWANDA."—This high bred Stallion was sired by Ah-wa-ga Chief; grand sire, Rysdyk's "Hambletonian;" dam, Vermont Black Hawk; grand dam, Messenger; one white pastern behind, black points, dark bay, 15 hands and 3 inches high, 4 years old in July. He is one of the most remarkable animals the country has produced. He is beautiful, kind, and blood like, action perfect, possessing great strength. He is in close proximity to two of the most notable stallions in this nation: "Hambletonian" and "Ethan Allen," a most fortunate cross.

TERMS—$100 to insure, $25 at time of service, which will not be refunded in any event, and $75 when proven in foal. We have fine stabling and pasture, on reasonable terms. Best possible care taken of Mares. All accidents and escapes at owners risk. Season, March 12th to November 1st, 1871.

Towanda, Mar.16'71 MIX & MONTANYE.

TRY OUR TEAS AND COFFEE, COWELL & MYER.

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

Groceries and Provisions.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING

Purchased the entire interest of

R. H. PATCH,

In the firm of J. 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. Josse 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.

Towanda, March, 12, 1867. C. B. PATCH.

GROCERY AND PROVISION

STORE.

McCABE & EDWARDS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

FAMILY GROCERIES

AND

PROVISIONS,

MERCUR'S NEW BLOCK, TOWANDA, PA.

We do not deem it necessary to enumerate all the different articles we keep. Our assortment is

ALWAYS COMPLETE.

We sell nothing but

FIRST CLASS GOODS.

Cash paid for Farmers Produce.

March 1, 1870. JAMES McCABE, WM. EDWARDS.

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.

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 28, 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.

WYALUSING.

C. W. CLAPP

Having leased the Storehouse and coal fixtures belonging to the Messrs. Welles, would notify the citizens of Wyalusing and vicinity that he will keep constantly on hand a full stock of

COAL,

EGG, STOVE, CHESTNUT, PEA AND BARCLAY.

LIME,

IN BULK OR BY THE BARREL.

SALT,

IN SACKS, BBLS., AND BAGS.

CEMENT,

PLASTER AND KEROSENE OIL,

Which he will be pleased to supply them with at reasonable prices. None but the BEST QUALITY will be offered for sale, consequently cannot fail in giving entire satisfaction and meeting the wants of the community.

CASH PAID FOR GRAIN,

On delivery, and for every description of

FARMER'S PRODUCE,

Or taken in exchange for Coal, Lime, Salt, Plaster, Cement and Kerosene Oil.

IS DIOYT, as my agent, will always be at the Warehouse to attend to customers.

Wyalusing, Aug. 10, 1870.

Furniture.

FURNITURE.

NEW FIRM! NEW GOODS!

We are now offering at our Wholesale and Retail

FURNITURE EMPORIUM,

NO. 107 MAIN STREET,

The greatest inducements to those in want of

FIRST-CLASS FURNITURE!

Ever offered in this market.

The attention of the public is especially called to our recent heavy purchases from the late Great Auction Sales of

CHAMBER AND PARLOR

FURNITURE!

We are now offering

WALNUT MARBLE TOP SETS

AT $75 00. And

NICE PARLOR SETS, At $50 00,

Together with our Complete Stock of

BEDSTEADS, BUREAUS, CHAIRS TABLES, STANDS, SPRING-BEDS, MATRESSES, LOOKING-GLASSES,

And in fact everything to be found in a First-class Furniture Store,

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

REMEMBER THAT WE ARE NOW MANUFACturing, and do offer goods of our own manufacture cheaper than you can buy city-made goods elsewhere. Lumber taken in exchange for goods.

We also furnish

ROSEWOOD CASKETS,

METALIC BURIAL CASES, AND COFFINS

Of every description.

BURIAL ROBES, CAPS, &c.,

And we also have the

FINEST HEARSE

In this section of country.

Goods delivered to the Depot free of charge.

JAMES O. FROST & SONS.
Towanda, Jan. 11, 1871

Miscellaneous.

M. J. LONG.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

WOOD, WILLOW, AND STONE WARE,

FLOUR, FEED, MEAL, &c.,

No. 1 PATTON'S BLOCK,

COR. MAIN AND BRIDGE STS.,

TOWANDA, PA.

I desire to call the attention of the public to my assortment of goods, which is always full and complete, and will be sold to my customers at lowest market rates.

My stock of

TEAS, COFFEES,

AND

SPICES,

Have been purchased since the late reduction in the tariff on them, and are offered at prices to correspond.

Orders by mail or otherwise will receive careful and prompt attention.

Thanking the public for the liberal patronage they have given me, I wish a continuance of the same.

CASH PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

feb.20'71 M. J. LONG.

RAWSON

Mowing Machine.

HARVEST OF 1871.

A NEW INVENTION.

PATENTED NOVEMBER 29, 1870.

And applied to every Machine; is so constructed that you do not have to use the lever in turning either way. It will run on any line just as easy as on a straight line, taking all the side pressure from the horses. It has a fall joint and will describe a full circle either way, saving half the labor for the horses and driver. The upper frame is so jointed or attached to the lower frame, as to form a lifting lever taking a large part of the weight of the bar from the ground and placing it back upon the driving-wheels, and lessening the draft of the machine, making one of the lightest draft machines in use.

The machine has been greatly improved and is manufactured by using wrought iron and steel in the place of cast iron. The Castor Wheel is upon a steel spring with wrought iron holders, making it light and strong. We can say to farmers that they can depend upon having a machine that has no equal. It has cast steel shafts, and both shoes plated with cast steel. Machines are warranted in every particular. If any part breaks from defects in material or workmanship new parts will be sent without extra charge.

The Finger Bar is carried at both ends on wheels; can change the wheels so as to cut three heights of stubble. The machine has a flexible finger bar, and will conform to the inequalities of the ground over which it is drawn, doing as good work upon uneven ground as upon even ground.

THE REAR BAR MACHINE

Has a double folding Finger Bar, having a longitudinal, oscillating motion. This machine has wheels at both ends of the finger bar, and is so arranged that you can set them to cut any height, and can back out without raising the lever.

SULKY RAKES.

We have also two manufactories of the Sulky Rakes; the well-known Taylor Rake and the Dayton Manufacturing Company Rakes, making two of the best Rakes in use, at wholesale or retail.

Manufactured at Almond, Allegany county, N.Y., by I. & S. RAWSON.

C. F. NICHOLS, Gen'l Ag't.
apl.26'71 TOWANDA, Pa.

FOX & MERCUR are now receiving a fresh stock of Goods in their line, bought since the 1st January, to which they invite the attention of their friends. We keep the largest stock in town. Our goods are fresh and desirable. We sell at lowest market prices.
Jan. 19, 1871.

FRESH AND NEW TEAS, bought since the recent decline in price, and selling cheap at retail. FOX & MERCUR.
Jan. 19, 1871.

FOX & MERCUR are selling Groceries at retail. Jan. 19, 1871.

FOX & MERCUR are selling New and Fresh Goods. Jan. 19, 1871.

FOX & MERCUR are selling Groceries cheap. Jan. 19, 1871.

FOX & MERCUR are selling first-class Goods only. Jan. 19, 1871.

FOX & MERCUR are selling cheaper than ever. Jan. 19, 1871.

REMEMBER that we are selling Goods at
RETAIL!
And that we won't be undersold.
Jan. 19, 1871. FOX & MERCUR.

MICHIGAN FINE-CUT TOBACCO—very choice—at
Jan. 19, 1871. FOX & MERCUR'S.

FOX & MERCUR do not deal in Shoddy Goods. Jan. 19, 1871.

OUR CUSTOMERS can rely upon getting the very best the market affords and at lowest prices. E. T. FOX, HENRY MERCUR.
Towanda, Jan. 19,'71,

PORK, Hams, Lard, Dried Beef, Mackerel, Ciscoes, Mackinaw Trout, at retail.
Jan. 19, 1871. FOX & MERCUR.

CANNED FRUIT very low, at
Jan. 19, 1871. FOX & MERCUR'S.

FARMERS, bring your produce and sell to FOX & MERCUR.
Jan. 19, 1871.

Manufactories.

FOUNDERY & MACHINE SHOP.

The undersigned having purchased the Foundry and Machine Shop lately owned by John Carman, are prepared to do all kinds of work appertaining to their business, with promptness and dispatch.

MILL GEARINGS,

CIRCULAR SAW MILLS,

MAN DRILLS,

And all kinds of

MILL IRONS

MADE TO ORDER.

ENGINES REPAIRED,

And all work warranted to give satisfaction.

SHINGLE MACHINES

Of the latest and most improved kinds manufactured and kept constantly on hand ready for use.

PLOUGHS,

SIDE-HILL, IRON AND WOODEN BEAMS

Of all kinds,

CULTIVATORS, CORN PLOUGHS

AND

PLOUGH POINTS

Of all kinds, and the latest improvements kept constantly on hand.

CHURN POWERS,

LARGE AND SMALL SIZE.

STOVE CASTINGS

CELLAR GRATES,

SLED AND SLEIGH SHOES,

LARGE IRON KETTLES

And all kinds of castings furnished to order.

March 30, 1870. MEANS & ROCKWELL.

BLOOD & CO.

Still continue to manufacture their celebrated

HORSE POWERS & CLEANERS,

and will sell a better machine, for less money than can be had elsewhere in the world. We claim for our machines that they will do as much, or more, than any other, and are more durably built. We personally superintend our work and see that it is well down. We will send

DISCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES,

of our machines, on application.

ONE AND TWO HORSE POWERS,

One & Two Horse THRESHER & SEPERATORS,

THRESHER and CLEANERS,

FANNING MILLS,

CIRCULAR AND DRAG SAW MILLS,

SAW AND GRIST MILL work done to order.

Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

ATHENS, BRADFORD CO. PA.

BLOOD & CO.

Aug. 2, 1869.

NEW CARRIAGE FACTORY!

On Pine, between Main and Second Streets, back of G. F. Mason & Co.'s Bank,

TOWANDA, PENN'A.

HENRY STULEN & CO.,

Respectfully announce to his friends and patrons, that they have built a

NEW BRICK CARRIAGE FACTORY,

where they will constantly keep on hand a full assortment of

FAMILY CARRIAGES,

TOP AND OPEN BUGGIES,

PLATFORM WAGONS,

TROTTING SULKYS, AND SKELETONS,

Made of the best material and finished in the best city style. His long experience in city Carriage Factories gives them a decided advantage over others in the

Finish, Style and Durability

of his Wagons. All they ask is an

INSPECTION OF HIS WORK

previous to purchasing elsewhere.

ALL WORK WARRANTED TO GIVE PERFECT SATISFACTION.

Thankful for the liberal patronage formerly extended and respectfully ask a continuance of the same.

REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO

reduced prices.

HENRY STULEN.
H. S. CLARK.
Towanda, May 24, 1870.—tf

NEW PLANING MILL.

The undersigned having built a large and commodious Mill in the Borough of Towanda, and filled it with the most modern and improved machinery, for the manufacture of

WINDOW SASH AND BLINDS.

Are prepared to fill orders, whether large or small, upon the shortest notice. We have also a large variety of MOULDINGS, of the latest style and pattern, which we can furnish much cheaper than they can be worked by hand.

PLANING,
TONGUEING,
GROOVING,
AND SCROOL SAWING,

And all other work pertaining to Joinery, will be done to suit our customers.

Persons building, and not living more than twelve to fourteen miles distant, will find it largely for their interest to buy of us, or bring their lumber and have it worked by our machinery. Bring your grist of Flooring, or other lumber, and while your team is feeding, have it ground out and take it home with you.

We will pay CASH for PINE AND HEMLOCK LUMBER delivered at our lumber yard. Come and see us, or if you can't come, write.

Towanda, Feb., 1864. L. B. RODGERS & CO.

BOOK-BINDERY.—THE PUBlic is respectfully informed that the Book-Bindery has been removed to the "Reporter" 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, Magazines, 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.

BAKERY AND DINING ROOM.

First block north of Ward House.

BREAD, PIES, CAKE, CRACKERS,

BAKED DAILY,

And sold at Wholesale and Retail.

In our DINING ROOMS we will accommodate the public with either a lunch or a good meal at all times of the day and evening.

OYSTERS AND ICE CREAM ON HAND DURING THEIR SEASON.

Also a fine assortment of Groceries, Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts, &c.

may19'70-tf D. W. SCOTT & CO.

PRICE LIST—CASCADE MILLS.

Flour, best quality, per sack..........$2 12½
" " " hundred lbs........ 4 25
" " " barrel............ 8 50

Custom grinding usually done at once, as the capacity of the mill is sufficient for a large amount of work. H. B. INGHAM.

Camptown, July 23, 1870.

THE BEST KEROSENE OIL IN town by the quantity or retail at FOX & MERCUR'S.

COFFEE, TEA, SUGAR, FISH, &c., wholesale and retail.
July 1. McCABE & MIX.

ALL KINDS GROCERIES AND Provisions at wholesale and retail, at
May 20. C. B. PATCH'S.

COAL TAR, by the Gallon or Barrel, for sale by the GAS COMPANY.

Hardware.

MARSHALL BROTHERS

HARDWARE STORE,

MERCUR'S NEW BLOCK,

TOWANDA, PA.,

Is the place to buy all kinds of

HARDWARE

For cash. We have on hand and are receiving a large stock of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

DOORS, SASH,

BLINDS, GLASS, PUTTY,

AND LEATHER BELTING.

Our Paints, Oils, &c., are of the best quality and will be sold very low. We are also agents for the Great

AMERICAN STEAM SAFE,

(SANBORN'S PATENT),

The only reliable Fire Proof Safe made. Also

FAIRBANKS'S SCALES,

SCHAGHTICOKE POWDER CO.,

BAUGH'S RAW BONE

SUPHER PHOSPHATE.

Our stock of

TINWARE

Is very large and manufactured out of the best material.

We are also prepared to do Jobbing of all kinds. We are the only agents for the celebrated new

EMPIRE COOKING STOVE,

The best cooking stove in use, and every stove warranted to give satisfaction. March 10, '70.

THE LARGEST

AND

MOST COMPLETE

Assortment of

JEWELRY,

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

PLATED WARE,

SILVER WARE, GOLD RINGS,

GOLD CHAINS, &C., &C.,

Ever opened in this market, is now on exhibition and for sale at the well-known store of

W. A. CHAMBERLAIN.

Mr. C. has just returned from the city, and flatters himself that his stock has been bought at bottom figures, and that he can offer better inducements to purchasers of first-class goods than any establishment in the country. Dec.8,'70.

IMPORTANT TO ALL WHO VALUE THEIR SIGHT!

The sight of the aged assisted, the weak strengthened and the perfect preserved.

PHILADELPHIA OPTICAL INSTITUTE,

For the manufacturing of the

CONCAVE CONVEX, CRYSTAL LENSES, LONDON

SMOKED AND TINTED GLASS FOR WEAK OR INFLAMED EYES.

The Concave Convex Crystal Spectacles, made by the above institute are now a long time before the public, and the rapid and increased demand for them combined with the universal acknowledgment of their clearness in vision and ease to the eye, shows plainly that they are superior to any other glasses in the market.

The majority of Spectacles, (mostly imported) and no matter how fine the frames, contain but a poor and worthless article of glasses, (generally cast or pressed;) they are made to be sold only! without any calculation respecting benefit to the eye, and therefore the great complaint of poor and weak sight. Thousands are using glasses now which tire and fatigue the eye, where the objects get dim after short usage, or require an intensely strong light and therefore destroying the sight, which, were they properly suited, would be preserved a life time.

The advantages claimed for the Concave Convex Crystal Glasses are the following:

The Lenses are ground of the best material, pure and hard, and made only for optical purposes, they are therefore not liable to get scratched or dim.

They confer a brilliancy and distinctness of vision not found in any other glass.

They can be used equally well by day or candle light without tiring or fatiguing the eyes.

They are ground mathematically true in the concave convex mirror, according to the philosophy of nature, and shape of cornea of the eye therefore assisting nature only instead of forcing it.

That the lenses are centered correct into the frames.

They can be used longer than any other glasses without changing to a higher power.

The frames are made strong and durable by experienced workmen and warranted to give satisfaction.

WM. A. CHAMBERLIN,

Dealer in Watches, Jewelry and Silver Ware, Towanda, Pa., has the sole Agency for these glasses in Bradford county. No Pedlers employed.

July 12, 1870-tf

THE BEST AND CHOICEST

SMOKING TOBACCO,

IS MANUFACTURED AT

FACTORY NO. 1,

3D DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.

☞ See that Every Package you buy bears that inscription.

Dec. 14, 1870.

Drugs and Medicines.

DR. H. C. PORTER, SON & CO.,

AT THE

OLD CASH DRUG STORE,

ESTABLISHED TWENTY YEARS,

Corner Main and Pine Streets, Towanda, Pa.,

Have recently added largely to their 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,

ALCOHOL AND TURPENTINE,

SASH, PAINT, VARNISH, WHITE-WASH,

And all kinds of Brushes,

KEROSENE OR COAL OIL,

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-Dyes, Perfumery,

POCKET BOOKS, PORTMONAIS,

Pocket Knives, Razors,

TOOTH, SKIN AND HAIR PREPARATIONS,

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS,

For Medicinal use,

TOBACCO, SNUFF, PIPES AND CIGARS,

Garden, Field and Flower Seeds, Trusses, Supporters, Suspensories, Shoulder Braces, Breast Pumps, Teething Rings, Nursing Bottles, Nipples, Nipple Shells and Shields, Syringes, Bed Pans, Self-Sealing Fruit Jars, Thermometers, Flavoring Extracts, Stone Jugs, Glass Ware, Bottles, Vials, Corks, Bath Brick, and Stove Blacking, Fish Tackle, Ammunition, &c., Botanic, Eclectic and Homeopathic Medicines, and all the popular Patent

MEDICINES.

All articles warranted as represented. Persons at a distance can receive their orders by stage or mail, which will receive prompt and careful attention.

Medical advice given gratuitously at the office, charging only for medicine.

☞ Thankful for past liberal patronage, would respectfully announce to their friends and the public, that no pains shall be spared to satisfy, and merit the continuation of their confidence and patronage.

☞ Open Sundays for prescriptions from 9 to 10 a.m., and 12 m. to 1, and 5 to 6 p.m.

H. C. PORTER, SON & Co.
July 1, 1870.—yr.

F. W. BROWN,

137 MAIN STREET, TOWANDA, PA.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

DRUGGIST.

The subscriber respectfully announces to the public in general that he has on hand a large and well selected stock of

DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OIL, VARNISHES, WINDOW GLASS, DYE STUFFS &c., &c.

All the popular Patent Medicines of the day.

PURE WINE AND LIQUORS

For Medical purposes only.

PERFUMERY.

Fancy and Toilet articles.
Soaps of every description,
Thermometers,
Bathing, Surgeons, and Common Sponges,
Hair Brushes,
Tooth Brushes,
Dressing Combs,
Pocket and Fine Combs,
Toilet Powder,
Puff Boxes,
Tooth Powders,
Tooth Washes,
and Tooth Soaps.

And other articles belonging to the Drug trade too numerous to mention. Having the Agency of the

GREAT U. S. TEA COMPANY,

I CAN OFFER

GREAT INDUCEMENTS

To purchasers of goods in their line.

Physicians prescriptions and family receipts compounded by persons thoroughly competent, at all hours of the day or night.

Thankful for the past liberal patronage, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, pledging myself that no effort shall be spared to make my establishment second to none in this section.

Dr. T. F. Madill may be consulted at this store as heretofore. F. W. BROWN.
Jan. 31, 1870.

Boots and Shoes.

GREAT BARGAINS IN

BOOTS & SHOES

AT THE

NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

South end of Ward House.

The undersigned are recieving a large and well selected stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES

Suitable for the

SUMMES AND FALL TRADE,

Which we offer low for Cash. Consisting of

GENTS,

LADIES,

MISSES,

AND CHILDREN'S WEAR.

SEWED AND PEGGED BOOTS

MADE TO ORDER.

REPAIRING NEATLY DONE

AND READY WHEN PROMISED.

Thankful for past favors, we solicit a continuance of the same.

SAMUEL WOODFORD. GILBERT M. CLARK.
Towanda, April 5, 1869.

CANDY! CANDY!! CANDY!!!

MANUFACTURED FROM PURE SUGARS.

Wholesale and Retail, at prices that defy competition. Consisting, in part, of

"*HOLIDAY GIFTS,*"

Candy Apples, Peaches and Pears, Gum Drops, Chocolate Drops, Chocolate Caramels, Molasses Taffa, Cream Bars, Cream Bonbons, Smooth Burt and Jordan Almonds, Clove Bud, Cinnamon String, Peppermint Drops and Lozenges, Mixed Candy, Japanese Color, Cinnamon Imperials, Tar, Sour and Lemon Drops, Peanut Bar, Almond Bar, Rose Balls, Mottoes, Fig Paste, Juba Paste, Cream Dates, Conversation hearts Lozenges, Napolean Bon Bons, Grained, Clear, and Sugar Toys, Candy Hearts, Plain and Gilt, &c. Oranges and Lemons, Chewing Gum, Peanuts, Pecan Nuts, Filberts, Almonds, Brazil Nuts, English Walnuts, and every thing kept by Confectioners in general,

J. S. & C. S. FITCH,

Opposite Codding, Russell & Co's No. 121, Main-st.

P. S.—Remember we sell the Family Favorite Weed Sewing Machine.

Towanda, Dec. 13, 1870.

BOOTS AND SHOES MADE AND REPAIRED.

L. C. NELSON,

Has made arrangements to accommodate customers that are constantly calling with boots and Shoes for new soles, etc., and have had to leave them, to their great disadvantage, until another day. The constant call for this kind of work, and the desire to have it done immediately, has induced me to make such arrangements that you need not return home

Without your sole being renewed and your heels set square,
For prices that are honest and perfectly fair,
Ladies that have gaiters that are broke at the toe,
To this repair-shop is the place for to go
To get them re-vamped, neatly tipped or half-soled,
And your feet well protected from the wet and the cold
New work we can make you with the above double quick,
We can make them for you thin, or we can give them to you thick,
We can make them with high heels, or we can give them to you flat,
So you need not stager with a brick in your hat.

N.B.—Good cider vinegar for sale by barrel or gal. Front of Methodist church, Main street.

Towanda, Dec. 13, 1870. L. C. NELSON.

FISH, PORK, HAMS AND LARD at COWELL & MYER'S.

Insurance.

NATIONL LIFE INSUARANCE

CO. OF U.S. A.

CASH CAPITAL, $1,000,000—PAID IN FULL.

Chartered by Congress, 1868.

CLARENCE H. CLARK, President;
JAY COOKE, Chairman Finance and Ex. Com.;
HENRY D. COOKE, Vice President;
EMERSON W. PEET, Secretary and Actuary.

The advantages of the National Life Insurance Co. are:

1. It is a National Company, chartered by Congress;
2. It has a paid up capital of One Million Dollars;
3. It offers low rates of premiums;
4. It furnishes larger insurance than other Companies, for the same money;
5. It is definite and certain;
6. There is no possibility of misrepresentation by agents, or misunderstanding by policy-holders;
7. The policies are plain contracts, so much insurance for so much money;
8. All policies are non-forfeiting;
9. The policies are exempt from attachment.

E. W. CLARK & CO., Bankers, Philadelphia,
General Agents.
B. S. RUSSELL, Manager.

N. C. ELSBREE & A. G. MASON,
☞ Agents for Towanda and vicinity.
Jan. 9, 1869.

CAMP & VINCENT'S

INSURANCE AGENCY,

TOWANDA, PA.

Policies written in all of the following popular and reliable Companies. LOSSES settled and paid at our office. FARM PROPERTY, (including LIVE STOCK), and dwellings in town insured against ALL DAMAGE BY LIGHTNING as well as FIRE.

LIFE INSURANCE affected in one of the *Oldest, Largest and Safest* Companies in this country.

Company	Assets
IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY, *London, England.*	$10,000,000
ANDES INSURANCE COMPANY, *Cincinnati, Ohio.*	$1,000,00
CLEVELAND INSURANCE COMPANY, *Cleveland, Ohio.*	$515 674
WYOMING INSURANCE COMPANY, *Wilkes-Barre, Pa.*	$250,000.
LANCASTER INSURANCE COMPANY, *Lancaster, Pa.*	$245,000
CITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, *Hartford, Conn.*	$573,437.
NORTH AMERICAN INSURANCE CO., *Hartford, Conn.*	$491,450.
FULTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, *New York.*	$361,224.
INDEPENDENT INSURANCE COMPANY, *Boston, Mass.*	$630,000
NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, *New York.*	$13,000,000

AGGREGATE CAPITAL REPRESENTED, OVER $25,000,000.

Strict attention to business, fair dealing, and prompt settlement of Losses, is OUR MOTTO.

Come and try us.

Office on Main street, opposite Court House, up stairs.

Mr. VINCENT at Mercur's Bank from 9 a.m. till 3 o'clock, p.m.

T. B. CAMP, W. S. VINCENT. CAMP & VINCENT.
Towanda, Pa., July 20, 1870.—1y

THE PENN MUTUAL

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

NO. 921 CHESTNUT STREET, PHILA.

INCORPORATED 1847.

ACCUMULATED FUND, OVER $3,000,000.

INCOME FOR 1869, $966,235.19.

DIVIDENDS HAVE AVERAGED ANNUALLY ABOUT 50 PER CENT.

POLICIES ISSUED ON ALL APPROVED PLANS.

Premiums may be paid annually or semi-annually or a loan will be made for part of the amount.

SAMUEL C. HUEY, President,
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H. S. STEPHENS, Secretary.

Jly13,'70tf M'KEAN & TRACY, General Agents.

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 PAID	500,000

All approved forms of Policies issued.
Liberal modes for payment of premiums.
Policies non-forfeitable by their terms.
The entire profits of the Company divided equitably among the insured.

ANNUAL DIVIDENDS.

WALTON H. PECKHAM, PRESIDENT.
WILLIAM T. HOOKER, VICE PRESIDENT.
LUCIUS M ADAMS, SEC'Y AND ACTUARY.

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DREXEL & Co., Bankers.
JOHN WOODSIDE & Co., Tea Merchants.
S. A. MERCER, Prest. Farmers' & Mechanics' Bank.
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Jly12,70-tf J. A. RECORD, Agent. Towanda, Pa.

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 RUSSIA IRON SEATS,

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

[illegible] work before purchasing elsewhere. Repairing done on short notice.

M. C. MERCUR, Prest. G. W. VINCENT, Superintendent.
Towanda, July 20, 1870.

GOLD STILL COMING DOWN!

AND EVERY THING IN THE

GROCERY & PROVISION LINE,

are now being offered at

COWELL & MYER'S

at prices that cannot fail to satisfy all, that they are determined not to be undersold by any one. They have enlarged their Store by building so that they now have room for the fresh supplies that are daily received by them. They have connected with their store a Market where they now keep fresh meats to sell by the quarter or piece, and a full supply of Groceries and Provisions, to which they would call the attention of all cash buyers. Come and examine our Goods and Prices, before purchasing and satisfy yourselves. We guarentee all goods to give entire satisfaction. We are thankful to our customers for their past liberal patronage and solicit a continuance of the same. COWELL & MYER.

Dec. 20, 1869.

FOR SALE AND TO RENT,

AT

W. DITTRICH'S

MUSIC STORE.

ONE HUNDRED FIRST-CLASS PIANOS.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MELODEONS.

TWO HUNDRED CABINET AND CHURCH ORGANS.

Five Hundred Violins, Clarionets, Flutes, Banjos, Guitars, Concertinas, Accordeons. Strings for all String Instruments. Drums, Bones, etc.

SHEET MUSIC AND INSTRUCTION BOOKS FOR EVERY INSTRUMENT.

PIANOS

From the only first-class makers in the United States, as F. C. Lighte & Co., Decker Bros., Stineway, Weber, New York; Hallett and Cumston, Boston; Mathewshek, New Haven Ct.; C. Meyer, Philadelphia, and Knabe in Baltimore. Melodeons from B. Shoninger, New Haven, Ct.; Pelonbet, Pelton & Co., New York. Organs, the celebrated Golden Reed American Organ, and the Bardett Combination Organ. One door east of Mercur's Bank, the only store of the kind in Towanda.

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