Agricultural.

Fallacies in Building.

John Henry, Patterson, N.J., thus details some of them in the *Scientific American:*

To suppose that timber, growing in the woods or floating in the water to-day, can be placed in a building next week, and stay where it is put.

That if such timber be used, the walls will not crack.

That the base, window panels, casings, etc., made of such timber will not part company with the floors from one-fourth to three fourths of an inch in less than a year, and that the builder put unseasoned lumber in the latter.

The kiln-dried lumber is as good as lumber thoroughly air-seasoned, or that the atmosphere has no influence upon it.

That a joint once tight will always remain so.

That if trimmings be put up before plastering, or trimmed on green walls, that putty will not be in great demand when they dry.

The hot air from a furnace will not start and open every piece of wood-work with which it comes in contact, nine times out of ten.

That if partitions be not properly braced, bridged, and secured at angles, that plastering will not crack.

That ceilings are less likely to crack if cross furred.

That a pailful of lime to a cartload of sand will make mortar of any practical use, either for plastering or brick work.

That it injures mortar by mixing it some time before using it, or that if mixed one day and applied the next, it won't blister and crack.

That a cement roof, so soft that it fills the leaders in summer, or so hard cracks in winter, will not occasion the want of new ceilings in a little time.

That a "botch" can build as good a building as a thorough mechanic.

That in all cases money is saved by contracting with the lowest bidder.

That all knowledge in relation to building is embodied in every one who signs "Architect" after his name.

That architects and builders never "lay in together," and owners never get "shorn" through that little arrangement.

That architects, as a rule, get no other commissions on buildings except the traditional "five per cent. on the cost."

That builders always carry out plans and specifications to the letter.

That there are no high-minded, conscientious, competent architects, and no honest, reliable builders; and that either class does not bear a reputation equal to that of any other business men.

That a builder does not require an extended theoretical, nor an architect as extended a practical knowledge, to be successful.

That no builder can be a successful architect, or that a practical architect cannot be a successful builder.

That you, reader, without practical knowledge, know a great deal more about the details of a house than of a locomotive.

Saving and Storing Seed.

Every tiller of the soil should make calculations for saving his own seed, as well as for raising a crop. A bountiful crop cannot be produced without choice seed. As such a large proportion of farmers and gardeners neglect this important practice, it is proper to dwell on the subject, reiterating the details several times every season. From June to October, crops will be maturing. Wheat, barley, and oats, in some localities, are even now ready for the harvest. If there is any difference at all in the appearance of the standing grain at harvest time, let a small plot here and another patch there, be staked off; and let the grain stand until the seed has become fully ripe. Then let it be harvested and stored by itself, where grain of an inferior quality cannot be mingled with it.

The way to develop an improved variety of seed is to travel through the standing grain just as the ears and panicles begin to ripen; and when a head of wheat or barley, or a panicle of oats, is discovered that appears to be of an earlier variety than most of the ears around about it, tie a red string on the stem, and see that all such seed is gathered separately, and stored where mice or birds cannot devour the grain. Let such seed be sowed in rich ground, and the product cultivated, for a few years with care; and a wonderful improvement will soon be seen in the crops raised from such improved seed.

Seed of red clover is obtained from the second growth of the stems, after the first growth has been mowed or grazed off; and in many instances, the yield of seed is so small that it will scarcely cancel the expense of harvesting and hulling, simply because the first crop was allowed to grow too long before it was cut. In order to be certain of a paying crop of seed, the first crop should be cut before half the heads have blossomed. Then sufficient strength will remain in the roots to produce a fair crop of seed.

The seed of garden vegetables should be saved with care from the specimens that ripen first. The melons, squashes, pumpkins and cucumbers that ripen first, should be allowed to mature on the vines until they are dead ripe and begin to decay. Then the seed will be fully matured, and the plants which spring from it the next season, will produce much better and larger vegetables than seed which has been saved from immature products.

The seed of cabbages, turnips, parsnips and carrots, is now maturing. In order to secure large and plump kernels, clip off all the small and half-matured pods and panicles, leaving none but the large ones to mature. A few hours' labor in saving good seed, will often be the means of doubling the quantity of the crop.

WASHES FOR ROOFS AND BUILDINGS.—The following is recommended by a practical man: "Slake lime in a close box to prevent the escape of steam, and when slaked, pass it through a sieve. To every six quarts of this lime, add one quart of rock salt and one gallon of water. After this boil and skim clean. To every five gallons of this, add, by slow degrees, three quarters of a pound of potash and four quarts of fine sand. Coloring matter may be added if desired. Apply with a paint or whitewash brush.

DON'T waste the soap suds, but apply it to garden, vines, bushes, evergreens, or lawn. It is far too valuable to be turned out at the back door.

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 calling on

HENRY HARRIS,

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

H. JACOBS,

DEALER IN

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

AND

HATS AND CAPS.

All goods warranted, and sold at the lowest rates. South store in Beidleman's block, Main-st. my1871

Millinery.

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.

NEW GOODS

AT THE SIGN OF THE BIG BONNET.

B. A. PETTES & CO.,

Are now offering a Great Variety of

DOMESTIC AND FANCY

DRY GOODS, CHEAP,

SUCH AS

PRINTS, MUSLINS, GINGHAMS,

TICKINGS, &c.

LINEN AND WHITE GOODS.

BED SPREADS, &c.

DRESS GOODS,

PLAIN AND GROSGRAIN

SILKS.

Extra quality

SHAWLS, LACES, LACE COLLARS,

YANKEE NOTIONS,

REAL AND IMITATION

HAIR GOODS.

MILLINERY GOODS,

in any quantity, quality or price that the market demands.

Milliners supplied at New York prices.
Towanda, April 20, 1871—3m

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

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

PURE CIDER VINEGAR AT FOX & MERCUR'S.

DOOLEY'S BAKING POWDER! The very best ever offered to the public, sold by Jan15,71. FOX & MERCUR.

GOOD MOLASSES FOR 50 cents per gallon at FOX & MERCUR'S.
Oct. 6,'70.

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

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.

TOWANDA

Marble Works.

GEO. McCABE & SON

Have just received the largest assortment of

AMERICA AND ITALIAN

MARBLE!

Ever exhibited in this section, to which they invite the attention of the public.

They keep on hand or furnish to order

MONUMENTS,

TOMB STONES, MANTLES, &c.,

Of every style.

AT THE LOWEST TERMS.

Persons in want of anything in our line are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock.

McCABE & SON.

Towanda, May 1, 1871.

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 PAID 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.,
Towanda, June 24, 1869. Cashier.

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 15th to November 1st, 1871.
Towanda, Mar.15'71 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 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. Jessie 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.

THE OLD MAIN STREET

Carriage Factory.

JAMES BRYANT

Still continues the manufacture of

CARRIAGES AND WAGONS,

Of every description, at the old stand of G. H. Drake,

MAIN STREET, TOWANDA, PA.

His work is all of the

LATEST STYLE AND FINISH.

In the manufacture of wagons nothing is used but the

BEST STEEL AXLES,

Together with the

COMPOSITION BOXES

In Light Work.

PLATFORM SPRING WAGONS

AND

LUMBER WAGONS.

Kept constantly on hand.

The best Eastern stock is used in the manufacture of Wheels. Spokes are all rived out—not sawed.

ALL WORK SOLD

WARRANTED EQUAL TO ANY

As to finish, and as to durability,

SUPERIOR TO ANY IN THIS SECTION.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

JAMES BRYANT.

apl.19'71

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

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 full 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.
STILES & McKEAF, agents for the western part of the county.

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.
Towanda, Jan. 19,'71. HENRY MERCUR.

PLASTER. PLASTER.

PLASTER.

A full supply of Fresh Ground Cayuga Plaster from Yanger, Fitch & Co.'s beds at the subscribers mill, at mouth of Rummerfield Creek, nicely prepared and warranted a pure article.
apl.12'71-3m* JAMES ESPY.

Manufactories.

FOUNDERY & MACHINE SHOP.

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

MILL GEARINGS,

CIRCULAR SAW MILLS,

MANDRILLS,

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
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 done. We will send

DESCRIPTIVE 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 SULKEYS, 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 SCROLL
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 25
" " " hundred lbs. 4 50
" " " barrel 9 00

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

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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,

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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,

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BAUGH'S RAW BONE

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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

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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 centored 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

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SMOKING TOBACCO,

IS MANUFACTURED AT

FACTORY NO. 1,

3D DISTRICT OF MARYLAND.

See that Every Package you buy bears that inscription.

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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 Homœpathic 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.

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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,
Hair Brushes,
Bathing, Sheep, 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,

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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 receiving a large and well selected stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES

Suitable for the

SUMMER AND FALL TRADE,

Which we offer low for Cash. Consisting of

GENTS,

LADIES,

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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 WOODRUFF. 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 Burnt and Jordan Almonds, Clove Bud, Cinnamon String, Peppermint Drops and Lozenges, Mixed Candy, Japanese Color, Cinnamon Imperials, Tar, Sour and Lemon Drops, Twist 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 will 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.

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NATIONL LIFE INSUARANCE

CO. OF U.S. A.

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

Chartered by Congress, 1868.

CLARENCE H. CLARK, President;
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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;
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6. There is no possibility of misrepresentation by agents, or misunderstanding by policy-holders.
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General Agents.
B. S. RUSSELL, Manager.

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Agents for Towanda and vicinity.
Jan. 9, 1869.

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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.

IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY, *London, England.* Assets $10,000,000
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ST. LOUIS LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, *St. Louis, Mo.* Assets $5,000,000
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AGGREGATE CAPITAL REPRESENTED, OVER $20,000,000.

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, } CAMP & VINCENT.
W. S. VINCENT. }
Towanda, Pa., July 20, 1870,—ly

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LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

NO. 251 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Policies in Force $26,000,000
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.

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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 has but little to do towards their decay.

Examine our work before purchasing elsewhere. Repairing done on short notice.
M. C. MERCUR, Prest, G. W. VINCENT,
Towanda, July 20, 1870. Superintendent.

J. E. BOLLES & CO,

GENERAL PRODUCE

Commission Merchants,

SCRANTON, PA.,

Respectfully solicit consignments of

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE, VEAL, POULTRY,

And all other Farm Produce.

One of the firm having resided in Scranton for the past ten years, and having an extensive acquaintance with the business men of the city, we feel confident that we can sell produce to the entire satisfaction of consignors.

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GOLD STILL COMING DOWN!

AND EVERY THING IN THE

GROCERY & PROVISION LINE,

are now being offered at

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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 fish, corn 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 guarantee 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.

WOOLEN FACTORY FOR SALE OR RENT.—The subscriber offers his Woolen Factory, situated one mile south of Monroeton, on the Sullivan & Erie Railroad, for sale or rent. Also one or two dwelling houses near the Factory which will be disposed of. Terms made known on application to BENJAMIN NORTH,
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THE ITHACA WHEEL RAKE, Plaster and Grain Broadcast Sower combined. For raking hay or grain stubble, sowing plaster, grain, &c. A splendid success. Farmers once see the Plaster Sower work there will be no more sowing plaster by hand. For sale by R. M. WELLES,
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CANNED FRUIT very low, at FOX & MERCUR'S.
Jan. 19, 1871