Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Thursday, January 18, 1872.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mrs. W. A. Thomas, who has been dangerously ill for some days past, is improving.

Rev. W. A. Hitchcock, of Binghamton, will preach in the Episcopal Church of this place, on Sunday next.

The Republican caucus on Tuesday evening, was largely attended, and the ticket nominated is a good one. It should be supported by every Republican.

The *Advocate* says that the old officers of the Waverly National Bank were re-elected last week, and a dividend of 4 per cent. declared.

There will be a Donation Party at the Parsonage, at Liberty Corners, for the benefit of Rev. C. L. F. Howe, Wednesday, January 24, 1872. All are invited to attend.

Capt. C. B. Brockway has resumed control of the Bloomsburg *Columbian*. Henry L. Diffenbach, its recent editor, takes charge of the *Lycoming Standard*.

The friends of Rev. Clark Salmon will pay him a donation visit at his residence in Meshoppen on Tuesday afternoon and evening, Jan. 26.

Mr. James R. Wilson, for many years President of the Tioga Railroad, died at his residence near Mansfield, in Tioga county, on the evening of the 24th ultimo, in the sixty-seventh year of his age.

The corrected Time Tables of the S. C. R. R. and I. & A. R. R., will be found on the outside of this paper. Both roads run in connection with the Pa. & N. Y. R. R., and are well managed.

We are indebted to Lawrence Sloan, formerly an employe in this office, for a copy of the *New Orleans Republican*, containing an account of the political troubles in that city.

We are informed by Co. Supt. Kenyy that a supply of the "Pennsylvania School Reports" for 1871, has been received, and that copies can be obtained at his office in this borough.

E. H. Rauch has retired from the editorial management of the *Keystone Good Templar*, and is succeeded by Wm. C. Henderson. Mr. R. is an able, vigorous writer, and we trust has not laid down the tripod.

E. M. Frost will again open his Photograph Gallery in Rome, on the 25th of January, when first class pictures can be had very cheap. Copying from old pictures a specialty. Gallery first door south of Browning's store, Rome, Pa.

"Scotland Yet."—We understand that a well contested game of "Curling" for an oyster supper, was played at Ulster, on Monday, the 8th inst., between three bachelors and three married men, resulting in a complete victory for the former.

Dr. J. W. Rogers will deliver a lecture in Mercur's Hall, on Monday evening, Jan. 22, 1872, for the benefit of the new Catholic Church. Subject: "How I became a Catholic." He was an Episcopal minister for twenty-five years, and is a very eloquent speaker.

The *Northern Tier Gazette* says the Antrim iron ore yields 43 per cent. pure iron. An excavation has been made to the depth of eight feet without reaching the bottom of the vein. There is talk of establishing a blast furnace near the mine.

The public will be glad to learn that Dr. Ladd has fitted up a very neat office one door north of Day, Huddell & Sanderson's, where he may be found when not professionally engaged. The Doctor's skill and experience make him almost indispensable in this community.

At a fair for the benefit of the Catholic Church of Wilkes-Barre, which closed last week, a Locomotive Engineer's Pin was sold to Mr. Costello, of the L. V. R. R. We notice also that at the same fair, Mr. F. Merriam received a handsome vote for a silver tea set.

On the first page we publish an interesting description of the Vermont Slate Quarries, from the pen of a former Bradford county lady. It was received several weeks since, but has been crowded out until the present issue. But the delay in publishing will not detract from its worth.

The numerous family relatives of Mr. Nehemiah Beach, of East Smithfield, celebrated his ninetieth birthday anniversary at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Charles B. Bingham, on the ninth inst. The occasion is said to have been a very pleasant one indeed. Mr. B. has been a resident of Smithfield for fifty-four years.

The friends of Rev. O. K. Crosby, in Sheshequin and vicinity, met at the house of L. S. Kingsbury, on the eve of the 28th ult., and after enjoying a very pleasant visit and a bountiful repast, left their pastor and his wife happier in the realization of their friends' good will, plus seventy dollars.—*Waverly Advocate.*

The religious meetings commenced last week in the Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches are still continued. On Tuesday afternoon a union meeting was held in the Presbyterian church. This afternoon a similar meeting will be held in the Methodist church; and Saturday afternoon another will be held in the Baptist church.

The *Northern Tier Gazette* says that a company, consisting of Clement Paine, Robert Young, and Mr. Bates of the Sliffer, Watts & Shriner Mower and Reaper Co., of Lewisburg, have purchased the foundry and shop of S. W. Paine, in this place, and will go into the business of manufacturing mowing machines, etc.

As David Crowley, of Wysox township, was returning from this place on Saturday evening last, when near Myers' lane his team became frightened, and running ran him from the wagon, killing him instantly. Mr. C. was an industrious, respectable citizen. His direct failing was a love of liquor, in excess of which he regret to say, he had been indulging on the day of his death.

Orwell.—Mr. Chester Hill, of Orwell, is his eighty-first year, and is blind. During the past autumn he has walked to the field alone and husked 200 bushels of corn, binding his own sheaves.

Mr. T. J. Lewis has sold his farm to Mr. Hazelton Champlin, Jr.; consideration $3,600. Mr. L. expects to leave Orwell about the middle of February.

Exaggerated reports in regard to the prevalence of small pox in this place, continue to be circulated. At the present time there are two cases of small-pox and two of varioloid, but every precaution has been taken by the authorities to prevent the spread of the disease. The council ordered thorough vaccination some weeks since, which was attended to by the physicians, and there is not a possibility of the disease becoming an epidemic. The only cases which have occurred resulted from careless exposure on the part of the patients. People from the country are as safe in coming here as they are at home.

Nothing like the woven wire Mattress.

The very interesting revival meetings which have been going forward for seven weeks in the M. E. Church in Smithfield, Rev. H. Harper, pastor, are said to be increasing in interest. Many heads of families, besides a large number of young men and young ladies, and children, have professed faith in Christ. Of those who have thus far come out, nearly or quite all have immediately united with the Church.

The year 1872 contains fifty-two Sundays. September and December each begins on Sunday. January, April and July on Monday. October is the only one beginning on Tuesday. February begins and ends on Thursday. Consequently we have five Thursdays, which will not occur again until the year 1900. In the year 1880, February will have five Sundays, which will not occur again until the year 1920. The year 1871 began on Sunday and ended on Sunday. This will occur again in 1882, and every eleventh year thereafter.

There is a merchant in Bath, named Ferrine, who sells $200,000 worth of goods annually. But then he spends between $1,000 and $2,000 every year in advertising.—*Waverly Advocate.*

Powell & Co., of this place, sell $300,000 worth of goods annually, and pay the Reporter office alone about $500 per year. Several other papers are liberally patronized. They know that advertising does pay. Taylor & Co. and Evans & Hildreth, are also generous patrons of the press, and their business does not fall much behind Powell & Co's.

H. L. Park's barn, in Orwell township, was burned to the ground last week, at about 11½ o'clock at night. Hay, grain, machinces, etc., to the value of $1,200, were destroyed. The building was insured for $1,000, which about covers its value. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary, as the dog had been poisoned, and there was no light in the barn that evening. Mr. P. is thus left in the middle of winter, without hay or grain, and with a large stock of cattle on hand.

Stephen Allen, an old man of Rome township, a few weeks ago fell from the rocks above his house, and struck upon his head. He is not expected to recover.

At a caucus held by the Republican party at the Grand Jury Room, in Towanda, Jan. 16, 1872, Nathan Tidd, Esq., was chosen Chairman, and E. F. Smith, Sec'y. The following nominations were made:

Judge of Elections.—Jno. A. Codding.
Inspector of Elections.—Henry Lamoreux.
Assessor.—Nathan Tidd.
Overseers of Poor.—Wm. Mix, Dr. T. B. Johnson.
Auditor.—J. A. Record.
School Directors.—P. D. Monroe, O. D. Bartlett.
Council.—James Bryant, James McCabe.
Constable.—Wm. K. Marshall.
High Constable.—L. T. Royse.

E. F. Smith, Sec'y.

Personal.—After the great fire in Chicago, Col. S. V. Shipman, formerly of this place, but for several years past a resident of Madison, Wis., removed to the devastated city, to aid in re-building it. His first undertaking was the Academy of Music, which was completed in *thirty-five days* after the purchase of the site. In referring to the work the *Programme* says: "The architect is Col. S. V. Shipman, that genial gentleman and prince of architects." "Great credit is due the promptness and ability of Col. S. V. Shipman, who has had charge of all the interior arrangements, and to him are we indebted for the beauty of the dress and balcony circles, which have never been excelled, while the line of sight rendering every seat in the house available, is perfection itself."

On Friday afternoon last, sparks from the gravel train set fire to a barn owned by E. B. Coolbaugh, near the railroad track, just across the river from this place. The alarm was soon given, when Linta Hose Co. and Naiad Engine Co. started for the scene of the conflagration. In crossing the ice the engine of the latter broke through, which prevented their further progress. The Lintas reached the fire, and rendered considerable service, although the barn was nearly destroyed before their arrival. Mr. C.'s loss is about $1,200, upon which there is an insurance of $700. Beside's the barn and its contents, consisting of hay and grain, a large corn-crib, containing several hundred bushels of corn, was destroyed.

Mr. Coolbaugh desires to extend his thanks to the firemen for their assistance, and to Mr. Wilson, of the Elwell House, for his generosity in furnishing a team to draw the engine.

In the *Carroll County Mirror*, published at Mt. Carroll, Ill., of the 5th inst., we find the description of the marriage of a former resident of this place. Miss Strickland has our congratulations on the happy event:

Matrimonial.—*The* wedding of the season was celebrated at the residence of the bride's father, M. B. Strickland, in this city, on Wednesday evening, the 29th ulto., upon which occasion his oldest daughter, Fannie, was joined in marriage to Mr. Chas. D. Carroll, of St. Louis, Mo. The preparations for the wedding were on a grand scale, and although the invitations were "select," the house was crowded with guests.

The hour for the ceremony was 7:30, and promptly at that time the two, destined soon to be one, entered the parlor and took their place on the floor, preceded by Mr. C. *Gregg*, of Keokuk, and Miss Lida Wilkerson, of Matamora, Ill., who "stood up" with them while the knot was being tied. Rev. Mr. Cobleigh, of the M. E. Church, officiated, and in an exceedingly brief and happy manner "shuffled on" the immortal coil of matrimony. The prayer offered by the Reverend gentleman was one of the most appropriate we ever listened to, and affected all present.

"While we have the bridal party before us, we will describe their dress for the benefit of the curious. The bride wore a heavy, corded white silk *entrain*, trimmed with valenciennes lace; flowing veil, and orange blossoms in her hair and at her throat; white kid shoes and gloves and gold ornaments.

"The groom wore black coat and pants, white satin vest, white necktie and gloves. Miss Wilkerson was neatly and simply dressed in white tarleton, with gloves and ornaments to match. Mr. Gregg wore black suit with white vest and gloves.

"After the ceremony the newly wedded couple congratulated themselves, and then received the congratulations and good wishes of their friends.

"After these came the supper, and oh! what a grand one it was. We will not attempt to describe it; we cannot do Mrs. Strickland justice, and we think all present will agree with us—and, dear reader, if you weren't there and are disappointed, it isn't our fault.

"The bride received a number of fine presents, mostly silverware."

The new Opera House at Waverly is finished, and, according to the *Advocate*, is a beautiful building. That paper says:

"The building is 100x65 feet, occupied on the 1st floor by Messrs. Manners, Crans, Shulenberg and Myers, with a grand entrance at the north end. By ease double stairways the Hall is reached on second floor. The auditorium has a height of 24 feet, and is 75x65 feet, with a stage 15x65 feet. The walls are finished in Scotch ray at present, with plaster cornices and ornaments. It is the intention of the company to fresco them next summer.

"The Hall and stage are heated by furnaces and lighted with gas. The stage has a proscenium front of 30 feet, and 25 feet deep. It is modeled after the Stanclift Hall stage, in Elmira, which is considered perfect in its design. The drop curtains are 17x25 feet and beautifully decorated. No expense has been spared to make the stage secure, and all its appliances as perfect as an audience could wish. Settees, with each seat separate, and numbered, have been provided for about 800 people, but 1,000 can be easily accommodated. Judging from the care taken in rounding the corners and ceiling of the Hall, its acoustics must be perfect. The great advantage in the building is its immense strength. There could be no weight of human beings in it to weaken it a pound. The main walls are 17 inches thick, with foundation walls 3 feet thick. The floor joists are 3x12 inches, and 12 inches apart, resting upon four solid brick walls 12 inches thick. We are told that last summer 15,000 brick, weighing 5,000 pounds per thousand, or a total weight of 75,000 pounds, were piled on the Hall floor in a space of 30 feet square, and with not the slightest strain upon the building. Should the necessities of our village demand it, the building is so constructed that a gallery seating nearly 500 people can be easily built.

"The original projectors of the Opera House were the late James Fritcher, Hugh J. Baldwin, R. G. Crans, Geo. W. Orange, J. T. Sawyer, and R. A. Elmer. We feared that the sudden death of Mr. Fritcher, in whose death Waverly suffered a great loss, might retard the work, as he was the heaviest owner, but his executors promptly carried out his plans.

"The present officers of the Opera House Association are R. A. Elmer, President, H. J. Baldwin, Agent and Treasury.

"We are informed that the grand opening will occur January 29, with a celebrated Opera Troupe, of which due notice will be given in our next issue."

C. F. Cross will sell balance of his holiday goods at greatly reduced prices, to make room for new stock.

Entrapped.—As before intimated in these columns, Mr. Charles L. Tracy has entered into co-partnership with Humphrey Bros., and the new firm are now removing to their large five story building, just erected by Jas. Bryant, corner Main and Elizabeth streets.

These young men have set an example which some of our older capitalists might profitably follow. By combining their capital, they are enabled to conduct a business requiring the services of seventy-five to one hundred men, and necessitating the expenditure for labor alone of *fifteen hundred to two thousand dollars per week*. This money is in turn paid ever to the merchants and business men, who are thus encouraged to locate here. Thus, these three young men, who could accumulate riches quite as rapidly by loaning their money, are doing more for the real prosperity and permanent growth of our town, than a score of Shylocks, who never invest their funds in business, and demand such exorbitant rates of interest that those who would use it for the benefit of their fellows, cannot afford to take it. There are men in every community who have accumulated fortunes by taking advantage of the necessities of business men, and yet who cannot be induced to invest in any enterprise calculated to promote the interests of their town, even tho' there is a certainty that they can reap as much profit as by putting their money out at a large percentage. While we have some such men, we are proud to state that a large proportion of our men of even limited means, are enterprising and unselfish. Were this not the case, we should not to-day occupy the enviable position we do in business circles. But if we are to continue to increase as we have during the past few years, or even maintain our rank, we must have more capital invested in manufactories. A few individuals here have raised funds and erected a large nail factory, which will very soon be put in operation, but more capital is needed to carry on the enterprise, and those who have not taken stock should do so, and not compel a loan. And now an effort is being made to establish glass works, and a number of experienced operators have volunteered to furnish half the capital, provided the other half can be raised here. On examining the subscription books, we observe that the very men who have already invested in manufactories, are the ones who are encouraging this new branch of industry.

The three establishments referred to above, if put in successful operation, would add to the population of our town within the next two years, one thousand, and increase the business, a million of dollars annually.

We shall refer to this subject again, when we shall take pains to point out some of the men who have been most prominent in building up Towanda, and to whom should be accorded the praise of our prosperity.

The New School Project at Smithfield.—If I do not judge amiss, there certainly is resting upon the citizens of this village and township, a strong regard for self-respect and self improvement. I never saw a more active community. Nor is their activity misdirected. Many improvements of buildings may be seen throughout the town. Dairies are thoroughly managed, and what farming is done is well done. Newspaper and magazine literature could not find a more general or more hearty welcome elsewhere. In the village itself several new and thoroughly built structures have gone up during the past season. The store of Mr. James H. Wenn, which is just approaching completion, will be as spacious, beautiful and commodious as any that could be found in larger villages. Already arrangements are being made for other new buildings the coming summer.

But among the many signs of progress in this town, is the beautiful, well built and well located Graded School building, which has just closed its first and very successful term, and is now entering upon its second. The building is of two stories, with four spacious rooms, and a central projection in front for hall and stairs. The location is on a pleasant elevation a hundred rods from the village. I trust the coming spring will witness the filling up of the spacious yard with forest or other ornamental trees. Of the school itself I cannot speak in too complimentary terms. Two hundred children and youth have flocked to these inviting halls. Four active and capable teachers have found the fullest occupation. Some of the higher mathematics and two or three foreign languages have been taught, in connection with more common branches. Nor do I think so large a company of youth could be found bearing more unmistakable promise of coming scholarship and success. They are not the sons and daughters of pampered indolence and luxurious ease. They emerge from homes of honest toil and necessitated frugality. Their very looks say, "We have learned at our fathers' hearthstones that we must make the best of our opportunities." Drones, spendthrifts and renegades do not usually come from such sources. I presume the principle of exceptions must find an occasional application in every community, but I believe it must find as small a place among the young of this town as any, when we come to the question of mental aspiration and energy. And how fully have the ample provisions of this new school measure been justified and approved by the very first term of its existence. And now if I dared venture a word further, both of commendation and advice, I would say to those my new fellow citizens and neighbors: You have commenced well; *go forward*. Remember that not only each individual is the architect of his own status, but each community; each town makes itself, and will stand just where it places itself.

H. Harper.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

Notice.—I am authorized by the Judges to notify all jurors summoned to attend Court at Troy, on the 29th day of January, 1872, that their attendance will not be required, as that Court has been discontinued.

J. P. Van Fleet, Sheriff.
Towanda, Dec. 29, 1871.

K. C. P.

Town orders neatly printed on tinted paper, for sale at the Reporter office.

K. C. P.

The Rev. Thomas Roberts, Grand Lodge lecturer, will deliver temperance lectures as follows: Towanda, Jan. 22; Monroe, Jan. 23; Athens, Jan. 24; North Towanda, Jan. 25; Smithfield, Jan. 26; Liberty Corners, Jan. 27. The several Lodges, it is hoped, will take measures to bring out the people and hear one of the best lecturers in the field.

C. M. Hall, Dist. Deputy.

K. C. P.

Who spoke? Nobody. They couldn't, because they cannot find another Insurance Co. as safe and good in all respects as the Lycoming. Insurance on desirable property, either cash or mutual, can be obtained by applying to

O. D. Bartlett, Agent.

K. C. P.

After the fire in Waverly, last summer, Van Velsor & Manners purchased a lot and commenced the erection of a building on Broad street. They have now got it completed, and have moved their extensive stock of ready made clothing and gents' furnishing goods into it. We take pleasure in recommending those of our readers who buy goods in Waverly, to give this firm a call. They have large experience in buying, and are honorable, fair dealing men.

K. C. P.

During the Franco-Prussian war a great deal of fun was poked at the New Jersey editor who read in the cable dispatches that "Bazaine has moved 20 kilometres out of Metz." He thereupon sat down and wrote an editorial, in which he was delighted to hear that all the kilometres had been removed, and that the innocent people of Metz were no longer endangered by the presence of those devilish engines of war—sleeping upon a volcano, as it were. And then he went on to describe some experiments made with kilometres in the crimes, in which one of them exploded and blew a frigate out of the water. The man who buys his groceries of McCabe & Edwards, makes no such mistake, as he is positively certain of getting the best quality of goods, and at the lowest price.

K. C. P.

A new stock of Hats and Caps next week, at the K. C. P.

F. M. Wellles is agent for the best sewing machine in the market.

Mortgages, neatly printed, for sale at this office.

Call and see the American Sewing Machine at R. M. Wellles' coal office.

The American is the most durable sewing machine in the market.

K. C. P.

W. J. Delpeuch, of North Towanda, is raising a club for the *Weekly Tribune*. Persons desiring to join it may leave their names at the Post Office in Towanda.

The Reporter office is the best place to get job work.

Wolf & Goldsmith are making preparations to have the most stylish spring suits manufactured exoressly for their trade.

If you wish the best lock stitch sewing machine, get the American.

Wanted.—Seven sign painters, to paint advertisemets through the country for Wolf & Goldsmith. None but first class workmen need apply.

The American Sewing Machine does work that no other will do, and is sold $5 cheaper than any other first class machine.

"*Hop Lite Loo*," can be seen at the Keystone Clothing Palace and the Dollar Store.

For Sale.—A House and Lot on Second street, near the Ward House. Building new, three stories high, with good well and cistern. Possession given immediately. Apply to

Isaac S. Post.

To Farmers.—A very valuable manure for compost and top dressing, consisting of lime charged with ammonia, for sale cheap by the Towanda Gas Company. Try it.

Towanda, Nov. 20, 1871.

For Sale or Rent.—My Watts' house and lot, on Towanda flats, will be for sale until Dec. 15; then if not sold it will be rented, also the Gardens adjoining.

R. M. Wellles.

Towanda, Nov. 22, 1871.

Cheap Coal.—The Sullivan Anthracite is the cheapest and best for all purposes. Also the the best Red and White Ash Coals at the Central Coal Yard. Orders left at my office, or at Jno. H. C. Porter, Son & Co's. Drug Store, will be promptly filled.

R. M. Wellles.

Sept. 27, 1871.

For Sale and to Rent.—At Ditrich's Music Store in Mercur's Block, Pianos, Organs and Melodeons. Old Instruments taken in exchange for new ones. Also for sale, Flutes, Clarionets, Banjos, Ac ordeons, Concertinas, Violins, Guitars, Strings, Sheet Music and Instruction Books.

Jan. 9, 4t.

To All Whom it May Concern.—All persons indebted to the undersigned, either by unsettled account or notes over due, will please call and settle before the first of Jan., 1872. After that time we shall leave such accounts for "collection."

L. B. Rogers & Co.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the Towanda Building and Saving Fund Association at the Grand Jury Room in the Boro' of Towanda, on Thursday evening, Jan. 18, 1872, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of effecting an organization, at which time each stockholder will be expected to pay the sum of 25 cents upon each share subscribed for. By order.

Charles F. Cross,
Sec'y *pro tem.*

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1 Grover & Baker Sewing Machine,
2 Ladd & Webster's " "
1 Wheeler & Wilson's " "
1 Franklin " "
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No agent has been able to exchange any other machine for the American, with any person we have sold to.

Wright & Baldock, Agents,
Auburn, N. Y.

Jan. 9.—tf.

Our Price List.—A fine, *stylish*

Broadcloth Suit,	$16 to $22
Overcoats, from	11 to 25
White Shirts,	.75
Wool Hats,	.60
Umbrellas,	.10
Bow or Tie,	.15
Collars per box,	.25

And if you don't read what you want, ask for it at Wolf & Goldsmith's great Keystone Clothing Palace.

To the Independent Voters of the Borough of Towanda.—At the solicitation of citizens of our Borough, of all political parties, I have consented to be a candidate for member of the Town Council, at the election on Friday next.

I have long since thought that the election for Borough offices ought not to be controlled by political parties, and I am, therefore, consistent in running as a candidate independent of political nominations and parties. I am among the oldest inhabitants of Towanda, and have never before solicited a Borough office. My fellow citizens can judge whether I am capable of taking care of their interests and protecting our tax-payers from imposition.

W. Patton.

Jan. 15, 1872.

Go and See Madame Elie Lavoie, French—The experienced and skillful Hair Dresser and Ornamental Hair Worker, from Elmira, N. Y., can be seen in the Ladies' Parlor, at the Means House, Towanda, Pa., for 3 days, commencing Monday, Jan. 22, 23, 24, 1872. Ornamental Hair Work, of every description, such as French Twist and Coils, French Long Plaits, Long Hair Switches, Long Hair Curls, Grecian Back Curls, Water Frissette, nice Plaits for the top of the head, Finger Puffs, Chatland Braids, etc., etc. Old hair worked over in the latest style and neatest manner. Hair Jewelry made to order. Elie Lavoie is the celebrated maker of the French Twist or Coils. Gents' and Ladies' Wigs made so fine in appearance as to defy detection. Beautiful Switches made of Ladies' combings. Old hair taken in exchange for work. Call and examine my hair Goods, which will be sold 25 per cent. cheaper than New York or Philadelphia prices. My business places are No. 189 Water st., Elmira, N. Y., and Elliot's Academy of Music, Williamsport, Pa. N. B.—Calls will be made, if desired, at Ladies' residences, by addressing me a note at the hotel.

Madame Elie Lavoie,
Artist in Hair.

"How to Go West."—Forty years ago, Illinois was as far West as most people wished to go, and journeys were made in the legendary "Prairie Schooner," but in these days of Progress and Improvement, the word West has come to mean Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, California and the Terntories, and the Traveler reaches almost any point therein by a splendid Line of Railroad.

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ON
HERRING'S SAFES.

Chicago, Dec. 23, 1871.

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Yours truly,
ALLAN PINKERTON.

Four large Safes of another make, belonging to Mr. Pinkerton, side by side with Herring's, were destroyed with all their contents.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN FIRMS have testified to the preservation of their books, papers and valuables, in the terrible Chicago Fire.

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MARRIED.

CHAFFEE—CARLIN.—At the house of the bride's father, Jas. Doolittle, Esq., Jan. 1, 1872, by Rev. P. R. Tower, Mr. Edwin E. Chaffee, of Potterville, Bradford Co., Pa., and Mrs. Sarah A. Carlin, of Skinner's Eddy, Wyoming Co., Pa.

KNAPP—KEENEY.—At the house of the bride's father, Luther Keeney, Esq., Jan. 3, 1872, by Rev. P. R. Tower, Mr. Charles L. Knapp and Miss Mattie A. Keeney, all of Skinner's Eddy, Wyoming Co., Pa.

DAVIS—WOLCOTT.—At Windham Centre, Pa., Dec. 19, 1871, by Rev. W. C. Peck, Mr. Richard A. Davis and Miss Charlotte E. Wolcott, both of Warren, Pa.

HILL—BIXBY.—At the residence of the bride's father, in Windham, Dec. 25, 1871, by Rev. W. C. Peck, Mr. Mortimer Hill, of Orwell, and Miss Sarah E. Bixby, of Windham, Pa.

DWIGHT—TOWNER.—In Wilson, New York, by the Rev. Wm. Barrett, Dec. 25, Mr. Albert N. Dwight and Miss Laura A. Towner, daughter of the late Dr. Towner, formerly of Pennsylvania.

SABIN—SCHLOTTERBAC.—At the house of George Emory, in Barclay, Pa., Jan. 1, 1872, by Rev. W. McCreary, Esq., Mr. David E. Sabin, of Barclay, Pa., to Miss Susan Schlotterbac, of McKean Co., Pa.

HINDS—SHERWOOD.—In Rushville, Dec. 16, 1871, by Rev. T. Thomas, Mr. Henry H. Hinds, of Stanton, Mich., to Miss Mary E. Sherwood, of Rushville, Pa.

CARROLL—STRICKLAND.—In Mt. Carroll, Ill., at the residence of the bride's father, on the 28th ult., by the Rev. Thomas Cochran, Mr. Charles L. Carroll, of St. Louis, Mo., to Miss Fannie E. Strickland, of Mt. Carroll.

WELLS—APWELL.—By Rev. E. Barrows, Dec. 25, 1871, Mr. Joseph Wells and Miss Florence E. Capwell, both of Terrytown, Pa.

DIED.

HORTON.—In Terrytown, Jan. 7, 1872, Mrs. Nancy T., daughter of Dr. G. F. and Abigail Horton, aged 25 years.

Decided in her convictions, yet with charity for all, amiable in disposition and warm in her affections, she won a large circle of friends who sympathize with her immediate relatives in this bereavement. She availed herself of every advantage afforded to store her mind with useful knowledge. Diligent as a pupil, she was successful as a teacher, exhibiting unflagging energy and patience in the school room, she surpassed most in securing the love and advancement of her pupils. She was sustained through a long and painful illness by an unfaltering trust in her covenant keeping Savior, and with her feet firmly set on the Rock of Ages by a living faith, fearlessly entered the dark valley, fearing no evil.

She referred to the following stanzas, as expressing her own hopes when near the close of her earthly existence, and which are inserted for this as well as for their exquisite beauty:

SEARCH HIM.

BY ALICE CARY.

One sweetly solemn thought
Comes to me o'er and o'er
I'm nearer to my home to-day
Than I have been before.

Nearer my Father's house,
Where the many mansions be;
Nearer the great white throne,
Nearer the crystal sea.

Nearer the bound of life,
Where we lay our burdens down,
Nearer leaving the cross,
Nearer gaining the crown!

But lying darkly between,
Winding down through the night,
Is the silent, unknown stream
That leads at last to the light.

Closer and closer my steps
Come to the dread abyss;
Clearer and clearer I feel
Pressing the awful chrism.

O! if my mortal feet
Have almost gained the brink;
If it be I am nearer home,
Even to-day, than I think;

Father, perfect my trust,
Let my spirit feel in this hour
That be it feet are firmly set
On the rock of a living power.

Stalford.—In Wyalusing, Jan. 8, 1872, Sarah, daughter of J. B. and Emily Stalford, aged 2 years, 6 months and 3 days.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

We shall be compelled to send an officer to wait on our delinquent customers, who do not pay attention to our statements. He will collect travel fees.

Copping, Kimball & Co.
Towanda, Oct. 31, 1871.

The Germania Fire Insurance Co., of N. Y., is safe, sound and reliable, and adjusts losses fairly and promptly.

John W. Mix, Agent.
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May 3, 1871. Waverly, N.Y.

After long experience in the credit trade, I am certain that great disadvantages exist therein, both to buyer and seller; therefore, desirous of certain changes in my business, I would hereby give notice that on and after the 1st day of February, 1872, I will deal only for *cash* or its *equivalent*.

It is desirous that all accounts be settled forthwith, whereby trouble and expense will be saved.

I would also take this opportunity of returning thanks to my friends for their generous patronage of the past; and in continuing business on the new plan, I would remind them that *cash* is always at a *premium*, and all advantages accruing from cash purchase and sale, will be given. I will endeavor to have constantly on hand a large and complete stock of all kinds of goods, at the *very lowest cash prices*.

All will do well to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Respectfully,
A. Lewis.

Wyalusing, Jan. 1, 1872.

Co-Partnership.—The undersigned have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of Humphrey Bros. & Tracy, for the purpose of manufacturing and jobbing Boots, Shoes and Leather. The business will be carried on at our new factory and salesroom, corner Main and Elizabeth streets, Towanda, Pa.

Ira B. Humphrey,
C. D. Humphrey,
Charles L. Tracy.

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Proclamation.—Whereas, Hon. Farris B. Streeter, President Judge of the 12th Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Bradford and Susquehanna, and Hon. Ezekiel Taylor and S. D. Elkerkin, Associate Judges in and for said county of Bradford, have issued their precept bearing date the 10th day of Jan., 1871, to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas, at Towanda, for the county of Bradford, on Monday, February 5th, 1872.

Notice is therefore hereby given to jurors, and all interested parties that they be then and there in their proper persons, under the penalties in such cases made and provided.

Dated at Towanda, the 10th day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

J. P. VANFLEET,
dec21'71—3w Sheriff.

List of the names of persons drawn to act as Jurors in a Court of Common Pleas to be held at Towanda, on MONDAY, FEBRUARY, 5, 1872:

GRAND JURORS.

Asylum, John H Chaapel; Albany, Burton Allen; John Murphey; Burlington twp., Horace H Brown; Barclay, David Haley; Canton twp., George Manley; Joan Warner; Columbia, Hollister Pomeroy; Herrick, Newton Barnes; Pike, C W Reynolds, Rome twp., Milton Wattles; Smithfield Spencer O Forrest; Siging field, Daniel R Bailey, L G Newberry; Towanda boro A G Mesmall, Anderson Gibbs; Towanda North, Wm N Foster; Troy boro., Edward H Dewey; Ulster, Evan lewis; Wysox, N N Parks; Wells, Wale Beardsley; Wyalusing, Thos Fitzgerould, Jackson A Lee; Windham, Geo Finch.

TRAVERSE JURORS.—FIRST WEEK.

Athens twp., Alfred Tozer, Isaac Gillett, Wm K Walker; Albany, R H Richards; Barclay, John Lantz, Dennis Mahaffy, Benedict Lyons; Burlington, Jr, Edward K Sabin, John Northrup; Columbia, Geo N Besley, Charles Teeter, John Cowan; Franklin, Manford Stevens, Wm B Rockwell, Daniel Green; Granville, A M Fitch; Herrick, Geo A Overpeck, A J Woodburn; Litchfield, T W Brink, Monroe boro., J F Satterlee; Orwell; John R Light; Overton, Andrew Wills, Jr.; Pike, Fred Bought; Ridgebury, Lewis M Palmer; Rome twp., James S Park; Sheshequin, John M Smith, Rufus Mallory, E O Horton; Springfield James VanKirk; Tuscarora, John Christian, Joseph Neighr; Terry, Chester Schoonover; Troy twp., Walker Pierce, James Ward; Towanda boro., Geo F Tate; Wyalusing, Erbin L Lindsley; Windham, Daniel Shoemaker, Ellsworth Osborn; Warren, Martin Mack.

SECOND WEEK.

Athens twp., Ira Elabree; Joseph McKinney, Jr., John Coleman; Athens boro., Wm B Sharpley, Asenath Wm H Decker; Albany, Huston Wilcox, Wm Hewitt; Asylum, Robert Neiley, Charles Stevens; Barclay, Levi Covey; Columbia, James C McKean; Canton boro., Nicholas VanNamee; Granville, Mat B Porter; LeRoy, F R Hickok, A W VanFleet, A G Kelley; Litchfield, A V D Teed; Daniel VanLone, Frank Maynard; E F Wolcott; Monroe twp., L A Pratt; Orwell, Rodney Prewer, E M Farrar; Pike, Wm Brink; Rome twp., W W Woodburn; Smithfield, C B Riggs; Sheshequin, P H Kinney; Towanda boro., Charles E Ward; deceased; containing fifty twn., Collins Larcum, Walter E Bullard; Tuscarora, A W Rockwell; Wyalusing, Reuad Bramhall, D K Bowen; Windham, Benj Encklepall, Nelson Tyrrell; Wilmot, Hiram B Meeks, Wm A Stoddard; Warren, Caleb Able.

THIRD WEEK.

Asylum, Myron Kellogg, James Ellis; Albany, Erick Lee; Barclay, Geo A Newman, Joseph Rockwell; Burlington twp., Daniel Lane; Canton twp., E F Buffum; Columbia, J DeWitt Wolf; Franklin, Luther Smith; Granville, Solon Saxton; Herrick, Charles Rice; Litchfield, Henry D Moss, Hyman Hazleton; LeRavaville, Wm Davies, Jr.; Monroe twp, James H Hawes, Samuel Lyon, Overton, Jas Mohlve