Bradford Reporter

Towanda, Thursday, February 8, 1872.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

☞ A new map of Sullivan county is being made.

☞ The attendance at Court this week is larger than we have witnessed for several terms past.

☞ The Linta boys give their third annual reception in Mercur's Hall, this (Wednesday) evening.

☞ The friends of Rev. S. BARNER will make him a donation at the Town Hall, in Orwell, Friday evening, Feb. 16. A general invitation is extended.

☞ Quite a fall of snow was experienced in this section, on Saturday last. It was well improved on Monday and Tuesday, but has nearly all disappeared now.

☞ We are under obligations to the Committee of Naiad Fire Co., for a very neatly printed complimentary ticket to their Sociable to come off on the 21st inst.

☞ The new board of councilmen organized last week by the election of Col. A. G. Mason, Burgess; JOHN MEREDITH, Assistant Burgess; G. D. MONTANYE, Secretary and Treasury.

☞ Dancing having been introduced at the Episcopal Mite Society meetings the Rector, Rev. WM. MCGLATHERY gave notice last Sabbath that the meetings of the Society would be discontinued.

☞ Rev. H. HARPST, of Smithfield, has been requested by members of his congregation to repeat his sermon recently preached from Ecclesiastes xii: 13. He has consented to do so on Sabbath evening next, Feb. 11.

☞ By referring to the advertisement of the Lecture Committee, it will be observed that ANNA DICKINSON has changed her subject from "Joan of Arc" to "Demagogues and Working Men."

☞ The coroner's jury summoned to hold an inquest over the bodies of the victims of the late railroad accident on the L. V., rendered a verdict exonerating the company and employes from any blame in the matter.

☞ A large sleighing party from this place, visited Greenwood on Monday evening last. They were entertained at the "Cottage" by mine host NEAL, in a satisfactory manner.

☞ The County Convention I. O. of G. T., meets at Wyalusing next week. The following named persons have been elected representatives from Northern Lodge of this place: C. P. WELLES, S. W. ALVORD, O. A. BEACH, J. F. SANDERSON and Miss MARY CASH.

☞ The WARD trial was brought to a close on Friday morning last. His motion for arrest of judgment and new trial was denied, and Judge ELWELL sentenced him to undergo an imprisonment of nine months in the jail of Wyoming county, pay a fine of three hundred dollars and costs of prosecution.

☞ We are informed by Hon. JOHN F. CHAMBERLIN, that he has received full sets of Bates' History, and is prepared to furnish one copy to each of the following towns, to be deposited in some convenient place, for the use of soldiers and others: Wyalusing, Tuscarora, Orwell, Herrick, Standing Stone, Wilmot, Albany, Terry, Asylum, Ulster, Sheshequin, Monroeton.

☞ A precious work of God's saving grace is being enjoyed in the vicinity of D WELLS', Terrytown. Meetings were continued nearly six weeks, and many precious souls found Jesus; sixteen of which were baptized in the river at Terrytown, Jan. 21, and others are in waiting. Truly God is good to Israel, and he saves the contrite sinner.

E. BURROUGHS, Pastor.

DEATH OF WM. M. ELY.—The Hon. WILLIAM M ELY, member of Assembly from Broome county, died at his residence in Binghampton yesterday. His disease was pneumonia, and was but of short duration. Mr. ELY, we believe, was serving his fourth term as member of the Legislature, and was a man of high social and business character. Appropriate notice was taken of his death in the Legislature yesterday.—*Elmira Advertiser, Feb. 7.*

☞ A serious accident occurred on the P. & E. R. R., near Lock-Haven, on Monday evening, Jan. 28. The cause of the accident was a broken rail. The baggage car, two passenger coaches and the sleeper were thrown down an embankment and burned. All the passengers escaped, and but few of them received serious injuries.

Among those who were injured, we notice CHAS. BATTERSON, of Troy, and JOHN W. PHELPS formerly of this place.

☞ The Philadelphia *Press*, in speaking of HENRY WARD BEECHER's lecture, which is soon to be delivered in this place, says:

"The lecture delivered last evening at the Academy of Music by the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher on "The Redemption of the Ballot," was full of brilliant thoughts and epigrammatic sentences, but unlike some of the bright speeches and writings of the present day, under the pearl-beaded glitter was to be found a solid foundation of practical common sense, and we doubt not that every intelligent man and woman present took away with them from the lecture a new subject matter for deep and weighty thought."

☞ A meeting of the farmers of Pike township was held on February 2, 1872, for the purpose of organizing a "Farmers' Club." The meeting was called to order, and J. BURROWS, Esq., elected President, and S. W. BECK, Secretary. After listening to an able address on the subject of agriculture by Col. V. E. PRUTZMAN, the following officers were elected: President, JOHN BALDWIN; Vice President, SAMUEL BECK; Treasurer, WM. B. STEVENS; Secretary, S. W. BECK. The next meeting of the Club will be held at LeRaysville, on Saturday, Feb. 17, at 2 o'clock P. M., when a full attendance of the farmers is earnestly requested. By order of the Club,

S. W. BECK, Sec'y.

☞ The following officers have been installed in Rome Lodge No. 469, for the present quarter:

W. C. T.—JOHN MORAY.
W. V. T.—BERNICE WATTLES.
W. S.—M. D. CARY.
W. A. S.—A. KUDEL.
W. P.—J. B. EDDY.
W. T.—MELISSA CHAFEE.
W. C.—S. E. SELLY.
W. M.—FRANK HIGHENBERG.
W. D. M.—LETTIE ALGER.
O. G.—JAMES PARKS.
I. G.—EUGENE PRINCE.
R. S.—OLIVIA MAYNARD.
L. S.—DELLA WOODBURN.

☞ By a recent decision of the Post Office Department, the law regarding sending newspapers by mail has been more clearly defined, than it has heretofore stood. No name or memorandum can be made on a newspaper inside of the wrapper on which the paper is written. It is barely permissible to mark an article with pen or pencil. More than this subjects the paper to letter postage, and the violator to a fine. No printed card, handbill or advertisement, no written notice, letter, or slip of any kind whatsoever must be folded in the paper. To do any of these things is to violate the law. Printed slips pasted on the outside or folded in papers or periodicals, soliciting notices, are also violations of the law. Senders of transient papers can send bundles of printed matter by weight, or transient postage charges, but must not send any written matter in such bundles. It will save expense and inconvenience to parties concerned to bear this ruling of the department in mind.

PERSONAL.—J. M. COLLINS has accepted a situation in a large establishment in Detroit, Mich., and leaves this week to enter upon the discharge of his duties. Mr. C. is an excellent business man, and carries with him the warmest regards of this entire community. His family will remain here for the present.

—L. M. SHERWOOD, of LeRaysville, has been appointed assistant superintendent of the folding room of the State Senate.

—We regret to learn that neighbor HESTON, of the *Athens Gleaner*, is again ill.

☞ The following are the officers of Northern Lodge I. O. of G. T., No. 223, for current quarter:

W. C. T.—N. P. HICKS.
W. R. S.—Miss M. CASH.
W. L. S.—Miss ETTIE PECKHAM.
W. V. T.—Miss BESSIE HOWES.
W. Sec'y.—JOHN F. SANDERSON.
W. A. S.—JOHN W. CODDING.
W. P. S.—C. B. SATTERLEE.
W. T.—Miss EMMA COLE.
W. M.—D. L. PRATT.
W. A. M.—Miss HATTIE PIERCE.
W. Chap.——
W. I. G.—Miss CLARA LEWIS.
W. O. G.—H. HOWES
P. W. C. T.—S. W. ALVORD.

THE HOME OF WASHINGTON.—For nearly a quarter of a century past, BENSON J. LOSSING, the artist-author of "Field Book of the Revolution," "History of the United States," "History of the Civil War," "The Hudson," etc., has been one of the most diligent and successful laborers in the rich field of American history. During that time he has traveled more than thirty thousand miles, extending to almost every portion of the Union, in order to procure sketches of various scenes and objects of historic interest; for it is his good fortune to be equally happy in the use of both pen and pencil.

Attractive and popular though all his works have been, Mr. LOSSING's latest volume is justly considered the crowning success of his life. Its title is as follows: "THE HOME OF WASHINGTON; or, Mount Vernon and its Associations, Historical, Biographical and Pictorial." It is a subscription book, being sold through agents entirely. A copy now lies upon our table, from that enterprising firm, VIRTUE & YONSTON, 10 & 12 Day street, New York.

No more beautiful book has gladdened our eyes for many months, than this shapely quarto, printed on superfine and elegantly-tinted paper, and gotten up in the highest style of the typographic art. A steel-plate portrait, from the celebrated painting of GILBERT STUART, and an engraving of Mount Vernon, also on steel, embellish the front of the book, while the text of the work is illustrated with no less than one hundred and forty-eight of LOSSING's charming pictures, *fac similes* of interesting MSS., etc. The binding is both elegant and substantial.

"The Home of Washington" is undoubtedly the most complete, satisfactory and delightful record ever prepared of the domestic and private life of the "Father of his Country." Every American is, of course, familiar with the General, the Statesman, and the President, but this work reveals to us the Man, in all the dignity and beauty of his personal character. It also furnishes a great amount of fresh and interesting matter, not attainable from any other source, and is the only work extant describing fully the condition, past and present, of Mount Vernon. Many of the illustrations describe articles of which the originals are now lost to the world forever—swept ruthlessly away by the storms of civil war.

The publishers announce a large and rapidly increasing circulation of this delightful volume. We are not surprised at this. Its national character, the reputation of its artist-author, and its low price, together with the unexcelled beauty of its mechanical execution and its perfect wealth of illustrations, are all calculated to make it one of the most popular and rapidly-selling books of the age. We commend this "household treasure" to the attention of our readers, whether book agents or book buyers. VIRTUE & YONSTON, the publishers, are a firm who publish only first-class works, and equip their agents in the very best style.

OBITUARY.—We published under the head of "deaths," in the REPORTER some weeks since, the name of JOHN F. DODGE, of Terrytown. But since that announcement the question has been asked many times, and by many, "Is that all? Shall nothing more be said of so valuable a man?" It isn't so important to know how a man died—the cause and manner—as it is to know how he lived. His life tells loudly in the community in which he lived and died; and as there are many things worthy of notice in his character, I am called upon to give them to the public.

My text is this: Mr. DODGE was a Man; that is, he was possessed of those virtues and principles which constitute a man in the truest sense in this life—not faultless, but watchful over his faults, frank to own them, thankful to be shown them, and ever laboring to subdue them. First, in common with others, by nature a sinner and lost without a Saviour, he was led to see and fully realize this in the strength of his earlier manhood; and as he was very decided and yielding to everything clearly right, he gave up all to be saved by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. And secondly, he was a Christian man, and then united with the Braintree Baptist Church; this was in 1843. Baptized by Elder DIMOCK, known more extensively in Susquehanna and Wyoming, and in 1855 he became one of the constituent members in the organization of the Baptist Church in Terrytown, in whose love and fellowship he labored and died. And we can say in truth the most devoted, earnest, decided, consistent and liberal member, according to his means, the Church ever had.

He was a very close Bible student; the doctrine of the atonement was the summit; he had been very much tried with the doctrine as preached by some—the unconditional election of a part of the human family. Such was his early training. Consequently he pointed out those texts of Scripture that clearly proved the freeness and fulness of salvation, a few of which I will mention: "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." John iii: 16. "For the Son of Man is come to save that which was lost." Luke xix: 10. "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature; he that believeth and is baptized shall be saved, and he that believeth not shall be damned." Mark xvi: 15, 16. And then choosing his funeral text lest it might not be fully understood: "This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the chief." 1st Timothy, i: 15.

Last winter he took aver; active part in the revival meeting at Terrytown. Though not able to attend much of the time, his soul was full of labor. His own dear children were his greatest burden, and he did not plead in vain: one was happily converted and joined the church, and others are under the influence of those earnest prayers, and we expect to see them converted.

As a husband, he was one of the best, and no one so keenly feels that loss as does his dear widow. God is her stay. As a father, the children can stand up and call him blessed. As a neighbor, kind and obliging; as a citizen, ever striving to build up in good principles, and finally radical in everything he considered right. Very decided and active in the temperance cause, and a Republican in his political principles. And as was remarked to me this morning while writing this, by an old friend of Mr. DODGE, "we can't say too many good things of him." He left his light shine before men, that they might glorify his Father in Heaven. Everybody that really knew Mr. DODGE loved him.

And as a church we feel deeply our loss; but it is a Father's voice that called him home, and all is well. The community in general must, and I think they do, feel much as we do. Therefore, let us cherish his memory by imitating his virtues.

"High in yonder realms of light
Bests our brother, now above,
Far beyond our feeble sight,
Happy in Immanuel's love."

E. BURROUGHS.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON THE L. V. R. R. —SEVERAL PERSONS KILLED—OTHERS FATALLY INJURED.—We take the following particulars of a distressing accident on the L. V. R. R., from an extra of the *Carbon Democrat*, dated Feb. 1:

The eastward bound passenger train No. 3, on the Lehigh Valley R. R., due at Mauch Chunk at 10:40 A. M., on Thursday, Feb. 1, 1872, while passing a point about distance west of Rockport (a small station 17 miles above Mauch Chunk), running at the rate of 25 miles an hour, was thrown from the track by the sudden breaking of a rail—caused by the intense cold—precipitating the two rear passenger cars down an embankment, some 20 feet on to the ice in the middle of the Lehigh river, which flows by the side of the railroad to its terminus.

The North Pennsylvania railroad car upon which the patent safety heating apparatus was attached, was totally consumed; and while many of the passengers were killed or wounded, not a single one was burned! The other one, the New York car, was badly wrecked.

Assistance was immediately telegraphed for to Mauch Chunk and in a short time a train arrived with Doctors DeYoung, Ebert, Smith, Shoemaker and a host of helping friends, with a physician from Wilkes-Barre whose name we are unable to learn, and who was on the train at the time of the accident, together rendered every available assistance to the injured. The officers and employes of the company were promptly on hand, and were untiring in their efforts to soothe the wounded and take charge of the dead.

Those who were but slightly injured were sent to their respective homes, while the remainder were brought to the Mansion House, Mauch Chunk, where cosy rooms, comfortable beds, careful nurses and skillful medical attendants were provided for them by the officers of the railroad company. Messrs. Wm. C. Morris, jr., Cashier; R. A. Packer, Supt. P. & N. Y. R. R.; R. M. Sayre, Pres. of Co.; John Taylor, Gen. Freight Agent, and H. Stanley Goodwin, Gen. Supt., deserve especial mention for their unceasing efforts in behalf of the sufferers. Mr. E. T. Booth, the proprietor of the Mansion House, assisted by his efficient clerks, Messrs. Woodring and White, threw open for the accommodation of the wounded the best rooms in the house.

The following is the only reliable list of the wounded and dead:

Judge Dana, Wilkes-Barre, slightly injured; Able Kelsey, Hickory Run, slightly injured; P. H. Gillick, Hickory Run, seriously; James Morrison, Lehigh Tannery, very slightly; Sheriff Whitaker, White Haven, arm broken and cut about the head; John Cox, Bethlehem, slightly injured; Miss Spayd, Wilkes-Barre, badly injured about the face; Mrs. Rivel, Philadelphia, slightly injured; Mrs. Montanye, Philadelphia, badly injured about the face; George Yonnker, Philadelphia, brakeman, N. P. slightly injured; Luther Woodward, Mansfield, Tioga Co., slightly injured; A. H. McHen, Wilkes-Barre, slightly injured; Geo. Brader, White Haven, seriously; Conductor Seigfried, Easton, badly injured about the face; Miss Traxell, Wilkes-Barre, seriously injured; Mr. Wolf, White Haven, fatally injured.

Mrs. D. Prestor ons, Wilkes-Barre, sister of S. M. Line, of Mauch Chunk, killed; Mrs. Rex, (colored), and child, Reading, killed; Mr. Inlins Smith, Wilkes-Barre, killed; Miss Elizabeth Miller, teacher, Lehigh Tannery, killed.

A little colored child, about six months old, was taken charge of by kind friends at this place, while its mother, Mrs. Rex, and an elder sister lies stark and cold at the depot.

This is the first instance in which a passenger was killed on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, since its opening in 1835. No blame can possibly attach to any of the employees of the railroad, as this was one of those unforeseen accidents, against which no human precaution can guard.

The Special Train, under the charge of R. A. Packer, Esq., conveying the sufferers from the scene of the disaster, arrived at this place about 4 o'clock P. M., bringing the dead and surviving passengers of the fated train, together with Messrs. R. O Butler, John Painter, John Conway, John Sherry, Henry Ranch, and Walter Conway jr., who had kindly volunteered their services on this occasion.

An immense throng awaited their arrival at the depot, all seeming anxious to render assistance to the officers of the road, in the performance of their sad duties. Hundreds of strong hands bore the bodies of the injured ones to the comfortable quarters furnished them by the Company. The efforts of the officers were most praiseworthy, and deserving the highest commendation.

Our reporter, at a late hour this evening, visited the sufferers in their rooms, at the hotel, and found them all comfortable situated.

The females are under the kind care of Miss Carrie Thompson, Mrs. Stearns and Mrs. E. M. Boyle. Under their careful charge we have no doubt of their speedy recovery.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

FOR SALE.—A good Safe. Enquire at this office.

☞ Nitrous Oxide Gas for extracting teeth, at KELLY & STANLEY'S.

☞ Fine boots made to order at L. L. MOODY & Co's.

☞ Ground Plaster $6.00 per ton, at Towanda Steam Flour Mills.

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

☞ Flour and Feed at retail, at Towanda Steam Flour Mills, delivered free.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A Woolen Factory. Enquire of BENJ. NORTH, near Monroeton.

☞ Mortgages, neatly printed, for sale at this office.

☞ Linen goods will be at a discount next Summer, at N. GOLDSMITH'S K. C. P.

☞ R. M. WELLES is agent for the best sewing machine in the market.

☞ All persons indebted to WOLF & GOLDSMITH, will please make payments to N. GOLDSMITH before the 15th of this month.

☞ The REPORTER office is the best place to get Job Printing.

☞ NATHAN GOLDSMITH will have the greatest Spring stock ever seen in Towanda, at the "K. C. P."

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

☞ A fine assortment of Gents' Furnishing Goods, at N. GOLDSMITH'S great Keystone Clothing Palace.

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

FOR SALE.—The undersigned has for sale a good farm in Burlington borough.

J. J. GRIFFITHS.

Towanda, Pa., Feb. 6, 1872.

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

☞ C. F. CROSS wants it distinctly understood that he is selling all goods in his line at lower figures than any other establishment in Northern Pennsylvania.

☞ Madame ELIE LA VOIE desires to return her thanks to the ladies of Towanda and vicinity, for the generous patronage received during her recent visit to this place.

FOR RENT.—The house now occupied by THOS. DESMOND, on Main street. Possession given April 1. Enquire of M. H. LANNING.

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

☞ 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.

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.

☞ J. O. FROST & SONS still continue to lead the furniture trade in Northern Pennsylvania. Their assortment is unsurpassed by any retail establishment in the large cities, and their prices are much lower.

LOST.—On the 6th of January, between the residence of JOHN BEIDLEMAN, in South Towanda, and the Barclay depot, a chased Gold Bracelet. The finder will be liberally rewarded on leaving it at this office.

Towanda, Feb. 1, 1872.—2w.

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.

☞ ALEXIS continues to enjoy himself at the South, as the guest of cities which delight to do him honor, notwithstanding all the rumors of a rupture between the government of his and of our country. Nor is the young man to go home as abruptly as was rumored a few weeks ago. His papa is content to have him remain and be instructed in the simplicity and purity of our ways. ALEXIS has a very sensible governor, and every other man who buys his groceries at MCCABE & EDWARD'S is ditto.

GREAT REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF COAL.—From after February 1, J. H. PRENDY will sell all qualities of coal at a reduction of 50 cents per ton.

DONATION PARTY.—The friends of the Rev. D. CRAFT will make him a donation visit at the Academy in Wyalusing, on Friday evening, February 2, 1872. All are cordially invited to attend. By order of Committee.

"A SNOW-BALLING AFFAIR."—Mr. H. BROWN, commonly known as "Shoo Fly," was snow-balled in the most terrific manner at the post-office, Monday last, while carrying an advertisement for N. GOLDSMITH'S Clothing Palace.

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.

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 Dr. H. C. POMEROY, SON & Co's. Drug Store, will be promptly filled.

R. M. WELLES.

Sept. 27, 1871.

☞ The firm heretofore existing as WOLF & GOLDSMITH, has been this day mutually dissolved.

WOLF & GOLDSMITH.

I will carry on the business at the Keystone Palace Clothing Hall. Thanking the public for past favors, and trusting a continuance of the same. Yours truly,

NATHAN GOLDSMITH.

FOR SALE AND TO RENT.—At DITTRICH'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, Accordions, Concertinas, Violins, Guitars, Strings, Sheet Music and instruction Books.

Jan. 9 4t.

☞ The well known firm of CAMP & VINCENT has been succeeded by CAMP & NOBLE, who will continue the business at the old stand. The senior member of the firm is well and favorably known in insurance circles, and needs no commendation from us. Mr. NOBLE is one of our most energetic business men, perfectly reliable, and persons wanting insurance will do well to give the new firm a call.

☞ We have on hand and offer at bargains:

1 Grover & Baker Sewing Machine,
2 Ladd & Webster's " "
1 Wheeler & Wilson's " "
1 Franklin " "
1 Leather " "

Call at the agency of

WICKHAM & BLACK.

CLOSING OUT SALE.—Miss BRANDT offers her stock of Millinery Goods at retail, at cost, for the next 30 days; or she will dispose of her entire stock together with the store fixtures, at a great bargain, to any one who may wish to engage in the business. The location is one of the best in town, and Miss B. has been doing a paying business. Satisfactory reasons given for desiring to sell. For further particulars call at the store, one door east of Mercur's Bank.

☞ The Quarterly Convention of I. O. of G. T. meets at Wyalusing, February 14, 1872. A full attendance is expected. Rev. THOMAS ROBERTS, Grand Lodge Lecturer, will be present and lecture on the evening of the 14th inst.

S. C. GAYLORD, Sec'y.

Wyalusing, Jan. 16, 1872.—3w.

☞ After selling over $20,000 worth of American Sewing Machines, it affords us great pleasure to state that not one cent has been expended for repairs on one of them, and every one gives entire satisfaction. No agent has been able to exchange any other machine for the American, with any person we have sold to.

WRIGHT & BABCOCK, Agents,
Auburn, N. Y.

Jan. 9.—tf.

☞ We have examined J. N. VALLEY's patent reversible clothes-bar, and take great pleasure in recommending it as the best thing of the kind ever offered the public. It is light, durable and convenient, and should be in every house. JOHN ROGERS, sole agent for this county, is now canvassing for the sale of this useful piece of furniture, and we have no doubt will secure for it a large sale. Price $2.50.

☞ Now, after all that has been said and written by interested parties, we are compelled by the decision of the people, who certainly ought to be able to judge, to still claim that the Singer Improved Sewing Machines are not surpassed. They do any work that any sewing machine does, as easy and simply. They do not *tear out*. They will work as easily after years use as at first.

WICKHAM & BLACK,
General Agents.

☞ The Bradford County Teachers' Association will meet at East Smithfield, Feb. 9 and 10. The following are the appointments for the session: Lecturer, H. H. HUTTON; Declaimers, FRANKLIN PIERCE and WALTER PHILLIPS; Essayists, MARY PLOWMAN and ENNA GATES; Business Committee, Hon. J. H. WEBB, Dr. J. D. UNDERWOOD, L. D. FOREST, EDITH PHELPS and SUSIE PHELPS.

LILIAN M. BIDEWAY, Sec'y.

Romy, Jan. 6, 1872.—2w.

"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 Territories, and the Traveler reaches almost any point therein by a splendid Line of Railroad.

This Line of Railroad is the Burlington Route, which starts from Chicago over the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R., from Indianapolis over the Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western Short Line, and from Logansport, over the Toledo, Peoria & Warsaw R. R., and running thro' Burlington, reaches Omaha, Lincoln, Nebraska City, St Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth and Kansas City, connecting with the Union Pacific, Kansas Pacific and other Railroads running from those cities.

Always go "By way of Burlington," and you will be sure to be right.

The Burlington Route has admirably answered the question, "How to go West?" by the publication of a truthful and interesting document, filled with facts in regard to Time, Connections, accommodations, rates of fare, and other interesting items, and illustrated by a large map, truthfully showing the whole West, which they distribute free of charge. Copies with additional information, can be obtained by addressing General Passenger Agent, D. & M. R. R., Burlington, Iowa.

☞ "I shall in future use none but HERRING'S Safes."

DETECTIVE PINKERTON
ON
HERRING'S SAFES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23, 1871.

Messrs. Herring & Co., Chicago:

GENTLEMEN: I had two of your "Herring Patent Champion Safes" in my office at the time of the Great Fire of the 8th and 9th of October. One was on the second floor and the other on the third floor. Both Safes fell to the basement, and when we got them out, after the fire, I found all my account books and papers—in fact, the entire contents of both Safes—in splendid condition; the melting of the glue of the binding of the books was all the damage done. I shall in future use none but Herring's Safes.

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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SNELL—HEVERLY.—In New Albany, Jan. 28, 1872, by A. Heverly, J. P., Frank Snell to Miss Secelia Heverly, both of Albany.

SHIPMAN—MINARD.—In LeRoy, at the house of the bride's father, by Rev. I. S. Lake, Mr. Charles R. Shipman, of Farmington Hill, Tioga Co., Pa., and Miss Rose J. Minard, of LeRoy.

BUCK—SHUART.—At the residence of the bride's father, Feb. 3, by Rev. P. S. Everett, Mr. Herman E. Buck, of Canisteo, N. Y., and Miss Elbertine Shuart, of East Smithfield, Pa.

DIED.

LEWIS.—At Franklin, January 8, 1872, Jane Lewis, wife of Deacon Wm. Lewis, deceased, in the 79th year of her age.

OWEN.—At the residence of his parents in Canton, on Tuesday night last, of Typhoid fever, D. Will. Owen, aged 23 years.

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.

CODDING, RUSSELL & 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.

Office, Mercur's Block.

☞ VANVELSOR & MANNERS,
Merchant Tailors,
Clothing, Hats and Caps,
Furnishing Goods.
68 Broad street,
May 3, 1871. Waverly,

New Advertisements.

SEASON OF 1871-2.

I. O. OF G. T. LECTURES.

The committee have made the following engagements:

I.
OLIVE LOGAN,
Date—WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18.
Subject—"Nice Young Men."

II.
Dr. J. G. HOLLAND,
(TIMOTHY TITCOMB.)
Date—TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1871.
Subject: "The Social Undertow."

III.
JOHN B. GOUGH.
Date—TUESDAY, April 16, 1872.
Subject—"Will it Pay."

IV.
PETROLEUM V. NASBY.
Date—JANUARY 31, 1872.
Subject—"The Mission of Skinewaugh."

V.
Henry Ward Beecher.
Date—FEBRUARY, —1872.
Subject—"The Ballot."

VI
ANNA E. DICKINSON.
Subject: "Laboring Men and Demagogues."
Subject—"Joan of Arc."

The other lecturers will probably be HENRY WARD BEECHER, E. H. CHAPIN and ROBERT COLYER.

THE MENDELSSOHN QUINTETTE CLUB will give a Concert DECEMBER 1.

General admission	$ 50
Reserved Seats	75
Season Tickets	$ 50

Tickets for sale at PORTER & KIRBY'S Drug Store.

Sale of Reserved Seats will commence two days before each lecture.

COMMITTEE:

JNO. F. SANDERSON, WM. FOYLE,
L. B. FROST, N. P. HICKS,
J. W. VAN TUYL.

Towanda, Oct. 5, 1871.

* PHOTOGRAPHY! *

The undersigned would inform the public that they have purchased the

GALLERY OF ART,

of

HARDING & GUSTIN,

on Main street, first door south of the First National Bank, and mean, by strict attention to business, and by the addition of every improvement in the Art of Photography, to make the place worthy of patronage. Mr. GUSTIN is to preside with us, and give his whole time and attention to the making of

IVORYTYPES,

PAINTINGS IN OIL AND WATER COLORS,

As well as PENCILING IN INDIA INK.

Particular attention given to the enlarging of pictures, and to the finishing of all kinds of work, so as to secure the best results, and as much time as possible given to making negatives of small children.

Those wanting pictures will please give us a trial, and we think that they will be satisfied.

GEO. H. WOOD & CO.

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AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL

FOR DISEASES OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS, SUCH AS COUGHS, COLDS, WHOOPING COUGH, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA AND CONSUMPTION.

The few compositions, which have won the confidence of mankind and become household words among not only one but many nations, must have extraordinary virtues. Perhaps no one ever secured so wide a reputation or maintained it so long as AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. It has been known to the public about forty years, by a long continued series of marvellous cures, which have won for it a confidence in its virtues, never equalled by any other medicine. It still makes the most astonishing and effectual cures of *Coughs, Colds, Consumption*, that can be made by medical skill. Indeed THE CHERRY PECTORAL has really robbed these dangerous diseases of their terrors, to a great extent, and given a feeling of immunity from their fatal effects, which is well founded, if the remedy be taken in season. Every family should have it in their closet for the ready and prompt relief of its members. Sickness, suffering, and even life is saved by this timely protection. The prudent should not neglect it, and the wise will not. Keep it by you for the protection it affords in sudden attacks, and by its timely use.

PREPARED BY
DR. J. C. AYER & CO., LOWELL, MASS.,
PRACTICAL AND ANALYTICAL CHEMISTS.

And sold by Druggists all round the world.

DR. H. C. POETER, SON & CO., Wholesale Agents at Towanda, Pa., and for sale by dealers throughout the county.

dec.7, '71.—4m.

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.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, wishes to inform the citizens of Towanda and vicinity, that he will give particular attention to drawing plans, designs and specifications for all manner of buildings, private and public. Superintendence given for reasonable compensation. Office at residence N. E. corner of Second and Elizabeth streets.

J. E. FLEMMING,
Box 511, Towanda, Pa.

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DR. C. K. LADD, PHYSICIAN and Surgeon, Towanda, Pa. Office one door north of Dug, Ruddell & Sanderson's coal office.

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A FULL ASSORTMENT OF DRESS AND CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS at March 10, 1869. LONG & KELLERS.

New Advertisements.

GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE
OF
BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS,
at the
METROPOLITAN STORE.
No. 3 Griffiths & Pattons Block, Bridge street, Towanda, Pa.

The entire stock to be closed out during the next sixty days, and I hereby offer my entire stock of BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS, and STORE FIXTURES FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN. This is a grand chance for an enterprising man to enter into a go d paying business. My reason for selling is that I have purchased an interest in a Ladies Fine Shoe Manufactory in New York, and I propose establishing a Jobbing House in the interior of the State for the sale of those goods call early and secure bargains.

Special inducements offered to the trade. The entire stock shall be sold by April 1st.

ELLIS H. NOE,
Bridge street.

Jan. 31.

EVANS & HILDRETH,

Will, for the next sixty days offer great bargains in

DRESS GOODS,

SHAWLS,

HORSE BLANKETS

BLANKETS,

FLANNELS,

SPRING GOODS!

We also have the best

BLACK ALPACAS,

Which we are selling at cost prices.

EVANS & HILDRETH.

jan11'72y1 Bridge street, Towanda, Pa.

Miscellaneous.

TAYLOR & GORE

FASHIONABLE TAILORS,

Opposite Public Square,

Keep always on hand a full assortment of

CLOTHS,

CASHMERES

AND COATINGS.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

In all the latest styles,

HATS CAPS AND UMBRELLAS,

GENTS'

Furnishing Goods

In great variety.

CUTTING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

6 6 MAIN STREET,

TOWANDA, PA.

MONTANYES

Are offering

BUFFALO ROBES

AND

CLOAKS,

BLANKETS,

FLANNELS,

&C., &C.,

To make room for

GREAT BARGAINS.

Dec. 14, 1871.

TO THE PUBLIC!

The undersigned would most respectfully say they are now prepared in every way to attend to the

UNDERTAKING BUSINESS

In all its branches. And we trust can give satisfaction to the services of any one in that line.

Having spared no expense or trouble in procuring from the shop of H. Stulen & Co., of our place, a hearse which cannot be surpassed or even equaled in elegance, this side of our largest cities. We have also secured the services of a most reliable, careful, and gentlemanly person to attend to this branch of the business.

J. S. ALLEN, one of our firm, will be found at the Furniture Store, on Bridge street, and C. M. MANVILLE, the other member of the firm, at his residence on Third street, or about the office of Dr. J. W. Lyman, a very reliable and celebrated physician; whose office is on Park street, near the Elwell House.

J. S. ALLEN,
jan25'72tf C. M. MANVILLE.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of Humphrey Bro's. & 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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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF BRADFORD COUNTY, FROM JANUARY 1st to DECEMBER 31st, 1871.

EXPENDITURES.

Auditors	$ 221 00	For Justice's Inquisitions	$ 79 26
Assessors	2,200 25	For Public Printing	571 00
Bridge Contracts	2,229 01	Prothonotary and Clerk of Sessions	397 25
Bridge Views	20 00	Repairs on Public Buildings	428 72
Commonwealth Cost	1,757 07	Relieved as per Act of 1869	120 00
Crier	173 00	For Summoning Jurors	941 20
Constables attending upon Court	625 25	For Rent of House for Court at Troy	225 00
Counsel to Commissioners	50 00	State Lunatic Asylum	816 60
District Attorney	223 00	Teachers Institute as per Act of 1867	250 00