Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Thursday, July 18, 1872.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

G. D. Long, of Troy, has gone to Topeka, Kansas, on business.

The Good Templars of the State repudiate the Altoona nomination.

Haying and harvesting have been commenced in good earnest in this section.

The *Item* is to be enlarged, so it says. Don't let it grow too fast, boys.

The Grant and Wilson Club of Elmira consists of over twelve hundred members.

R. K. Wallace and John Mead, two young men of Elmira, were drowned on Sunday morning while in bathing.

A company of Harrisburg gentlemen who are spending a few weeks at Minnequa, paid this place a visit on Sunday.

The Wyalusing District Camp Meeting will commence on the 28th of August, instead of the 14th, as printed last week.

We are to be cursed with another moral pestilence in the form of a circus. Prudent people will stay at home.

We regret to learn from the Elmira *Daily Advertiser*, that Gov. A. W. Ranney is lying dangerously ill in that city.

One hundred and fifteen couples "tripped the light fantastic toe" at A. A. Taylor's hotel, in Rome, on the night of the Fourth.

The Good Templars of Monroeton will hold a Festival on Thursday, (July 25) afternoon and evening, for the benefit of the Lodge. All are cordially invited to attend.

The North-eastern Convocation of the P. E. Church is in session at Athens, and Rev. Wm. McGlathery of this place is in attendance.

Straws Tell.—At a raising in Alabama on the 10th inst., out of the fifty voters present, *forty-nine* were for Grant and one for Greeley.

C. P. Welles, foreman of Naiad Fire Company, who sprained his ankle by jumping from a train of cars, on the Fourth, is slowly recovering.

Mr. Mann, the successful bidder for the new school house, has commenced operations, and will push the work to an early completion.

A terrible tornado was experienced at Camptown and vicinity on the Fourth. The frame for the Baptist Church was blown down, and many fruit trees uprooted.

Hon. P. D. Morrow, C. S. Bissell, G. D. Montanye, Esq., and N. N. Parrish, cashier First National Bank, leave this week for an excursion of a week or two, during which time they will take a sea voyage.

Rev. S. J. Lusk, of this place, and Rev. Mr. Nixon of Athens, exchanged pulpits on Sunday last. Mr. L. will be absent for the next three weeks, during which time the Baptist church will be closed.

The Grant and Wilson Club of this borough have fitted up rooms over the Post Office for their headquarters. Our friends from the country are cordially invited to call at the rooms when in town.

Our neighbor the *Argus*, has donned a new dress, and presents a neat typographical appearance. Much as we detest the political teachings of the *Argus*, we rejoice at the evidence of its prosperity financially.

The closing exercises of the Elmira Graded School, take place this evening and to-morrow evening. Prof. Hutton has made this one of the most successful schools in the country.

W. C. Bogart, Esq., for over many years leader of the Presbyterian choir, has resigned. He has discharged his duties as leader faithfully during all that time.

Max Cutler, for several years organist in this church, has also resigned.

M. C. Mercur and C. M. Sanders have purchased E. S. Hubble's coal yard, Elmira. Col. A. G. Mason is business manager for the new firm. Elmira will find Mr. Mason agreeable and pleasant gentleman to do business with.

C. M. Tingley, contractor on the road from this place to Troy, having failed to complete his contract, the route has been relet to D. D. Searle, of Montrose. Mr. S. is a skillful contractor.

W. Parks, of Rome, has taken the route vacated by LeRaysville, which was also awarded at the February letting.

Col. J. F. Means has been elected President of the Towanda Iron Company, and we are pleased to learn that there is a prospect of getting the establishment in running order soon. Most of the stockholders have increased their stock to a sufficient extent to raise the required amount of capital.

Fair Railway.—In traveling East, North and South, we marvel at the untold conveniences and comfort provided by the principal railroads. But among them all, in our view, the Erie deserves pre-eminence. Its cars are wide, easy and home-like. The Sleeping and Drawing-Room cars are superb. A luxury to ride and rest in them.—*Free Trader, Jersey City, June 25, 1872.*

Personal.—Maj. Joseph T. Pratt family, are here on a visit to Dr. Pratt.

W. Bogart, of the *World* editorial staff is at the Ward House on Monday evening.

George E. Solomon and wife were among passengers who arrived in New York from Europe on Saturday afternoon last.

We received a call yesterday from Dr. M. Ayres of Ithaca.

Charles D. Ross, of Leona, was drowned in a creek near his home, on the 4th inst. Mr. R. had been troubled with fits for some years, but his health had been improved for some time. On the morning of his death he left the house to go for the cows, and supposed was attacked by a fit while crossing the creek, and falling in the water was drowned. He was an exemplary young man, and his death is sincerely mourned by his neighbors. His age was about 32 years.

New Paper.—We unintentionally omitted to notice last week the appearance on our table of a new paper, and now the arrival of the second number of the *Grant Standard*, published at LaPorte, Sullivan county, Pa., begins to lead us to fear that we are the victim of an oversight. The *Standard* is edited by E. V. Ingham, and edited by T. J. V. Ingham, and is, as its name indicates, a Republican in politics; and is in every way so much of an improvement on the papers printed in the county, that it cannot fail of success.

The August number of the *Ladies' Home* comes to us with its accustomed promptness. While emphatically a representative agricultural paper for this section of Union, it also circulates West and South to the distinct boundaries. The information it is selling both practical and progressive is considered by many the best agricultural paper in the country. Its editor, Pascual Coleman, is a cultivator of the soil for the Ladies. A single number costs 15 cents. Published at 18 North Fifth street, Philadelphia. Terms only 50 per annum. Elegantly printed on quarto pages well illustrated.

A lady who believes she has been cured of cancer by Dr. Beach, of this place, requests us to give room to the following letter:

Towanda, June 25, 1872.

Mr. Editor—*My Dear Sir*: I would like to contribute to the columns of your well circulated paper, to bring before the public a truth that will be of benefit to the afflicted. I am sure. I owe to them to publish as widely as possible the truth I am about to lay before you. Through Mrs. Emery S. Abel, of Franklin, Delaware Co., N. Y., I learned she had been cured of a very malignant cancer by Dr. L. U. Beach of Towanda, Bradford Co., Pa., without the use of the knife, or any burning, cutting, such as "wild fire," "condurango," etc. I immediately conferred with Dr. Beach by letter, and received his reply, which was satisfactory, and I came to this place June 10, 1872, two weeks ago. I placed myself under his care and treatment. He has in that time removed the cancer from my right breast entirely, and without the use of the knife, and I am about to return to my home improved in health, and entirely rid of that terrible tumor, well satisfied that I have been treated scientifically and systematically, and by one who has shown himself a well educated medical man, and a perfect master of that terrible disease, cancer. I fully and cheerfully recommend Dr. L. U. Beach of Towanda, to all those afflicted with cancers or tumors of any kind, whatever may be their location.

Mrs. A. M. Adam,
131 West 35th Street,
New York City.

P. S. Papers will please copy the above and give as wide circulation as possible to the above truth. Yours Respectfully,
Mrs. Adam.

Liberty Corners.—The time-honored Hill still lives. Being built high and dry on a solid foundation, the past heavy rain did not materially injure it. When will people stop grumbling? Some few weeks ago the cry was rain, rain. Some thought they could stand forty days and nights rain without being troubled; but when it begins to rain two days and nights, they cry *enough*. Such is human nature—here especially. We are a model people up here, having but one "licensed hotel" in the township. That is so near the Corners that it is classed as one of the outskirts of Purgatory. I hear a great many surmises as to whom "Fred," your correspondent, is. I will try to describe him as nearly as possible. He is a boy about my size, a sort of those commonly called blockheads, none of the upper cut who can sport five hairs on their chin and who will not stoop low enough to join a Good Templars' Lodge. He is also an honest lad, but will squirm a little when some one asks him in plain English if he wrote that letter which appeared in the Reporter a few weeks ago.

Crops are reviving; there is a prospect of a large crop of oats, corn looks well, wheat middling. The prospect for Greeley is blue; wet weather don't seem to help it any. As this is enough for a boy, I will close at once.

Fred.

June 29, 1872.

Prof. Sherwood has now completed his arrangements for his concert. He has secured the first musical talent in this section, and in addition some of his pupils will participate.

The following well known amateurs will assist the Professor, all of whom are so well known that it is unnecessary for us to more than refer to them. The following is the programme:

Part First.—1. Chorus.—Selections from the Academy Vocalist. 2. Piano Duo.—Faust Waltz—Gounod—Misses Annie Elliot and Fannie Alvord. 3. Vocal Solo.—Maurine, (ballad), E. H. S.—Miss Dora Tewksbury. 4. Piano Solo.—Emerald Waltz—Hunter—Miss Alice Jackson. 5. Vocal Solo.—My Darling—Shoe—T. M. Brown—Mr. A. J. Marsh. 6. Piano Solo.—Le Torrent Waltze-Brilliante—Mrs. Delpench and Goodwin. 7. Vocal Solo.—Waiting—Millard—Miss Harnah S. Nagloe.

Part Second.—1. Chorus.—Selections. 2. Piano Solo.—Towanda Mazurka—E. H. S.—Mrs. Goodwin. 3. Vocal Solo.—Up the Glen at Watkins—E. H. S.—Miss Aramathia Fulkbownddalia—at which the audience is respectfully requested not to smile, as this beautiful and tender young lady is very modest and diffident. 4. Piano Solo.—Polaria Grande Polka de Concert—(Original), Edgar H. Sherwood. 5. Violin Solo.—Selection—Mr. Henri Stalcn. 6. Vocal Solo.—The Return—Millard—Miss Hannah S. Naglee. 7. Piano Duo.—Opos Creoles—Gottschalk—Mr. Sherwood and Mrs. Goodwin. The whole to conclude with our national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner," in which all are invited to join.

Tickets, 50 cents; reserved seats, 75 cents. To be had at the usual places and at the door. Doors open at 7:30. Concert to commence at 8.

The Piano to be used is from the celebrated Mathushek Manufactory, Messrs. Cole, Passage & Co., Towanda, Agents.

The Camptown Meeting House—To Our Friends in General.—As regards the meeting-house disaster on the 4th ultimo, it was sad and sickening for the time, but after a few days of consideration and careful investigation, the committee met in council with Mr. P. Cone, the contractor. All being possessed of a kindly spirit, and having a desire to do morally right in the matter, an amicable adjustment of the case was soon reached, and the building of the house to suffer no uncalled for delay, but be finished according to the first contract in 1872, and also to add in sustaining a part of his loss the sum of $200 in labor, money, etc. We hope and trust that our friends in general will favor our decision and also help us with their contributions. Mr. Cone has thus far manifested a willingness to do all that is fair, and shall we do less? Your humble servant has devoted a large share of his time for several months past to asking for help, and has not asked in vain. I have said that as long as I can make $10 a day for the house, I would work at begging until paid for. And I felt that I would soon be relieved of my mission, as I could see within $200 or thereabout of enough. The whole cost of the lot, foundation and house will be about $3,300. It is a close time for money, but we do want to dedicate without begging. Any who will help us in this our need, will please forward the amount to Rev. E. Bunnouons, or Chas Avery. E. B.

P. S. I have pledged on my own field of labor over $2,400 of the amount needed to finish the house.

Camptown, July 8, 1872.

Friend Alvord: I took my back track from Oskaloosa to Topeka, and by way of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe R. R. to this place. I spent one day at Topeka on my return. Visited the fair ground, and saw a large collection of fast horses which are kept there by the fast men of the city. The ground is well laid out and fitted up with large and commodious buildings, trees planted and growing, and all painted and white-washed in good style. They have 40 acres inclosed with a good fence, with suitable buildings for holding the State and county fairs. I am told that they have fine displays of blooded stock, grain, fruit and farming implements.

We spent the day pleasantly, and at nightfall returned to the city, and packed our trunks for home. The next morning at 11 o'clock, we started for this place, distance 50 miles, on our road for home. Atchison is east of Topeka, and situated on the west bank of the Missouri river, on a high, rolling piece of ground. It is a fine looking city, containing many costly buildings, and a live, busy population. It is the eastern terminus of the A. T. & L. R. R., and the home of Senator Pomeroy. We follow up the Grasshopper river, passing the town of Grasshopper Falls, which is a busy, active little town (called a city) just beginning to feel the benefits of railroad facilities. I saw a large number of new buildings going up, together with the finest waterfall for machinery in this part of the State. Coal abounds in close proximity to the town.

The country is sparsely settled between this place and Topeka, at least along the railroad. The land is the same black, rich soil as in other parts of Kansas which we visited. Along the river is a belt of timber of good quality and quite extensive; also large quantities of good stone, which crops out along the streams, on bluffs and divides. Settlement is commencing rapidly along this road, and its future greatness as an agricultural section is patent to any one passing through on the railroad. Crops are looking well, particularly corn. They are planting fruit trees of all kinds rapidly. The grape is well adapted to the soil and climate of Kansas, and will at no distant future enter largely into the export and commercial trade of Kansas.

On the way from Topeka to Atchison, we passed over large unfenced prairies, the only visible occupants being large herds of cattle roaming unmolested on either side of the railroad. We reached this city about 1 o'clock, P. M., and remained here until 7 o'clock P. M., the time the train was due for Chicago or the East. When the time arrived for our departure, we gathered up our traps and bid adieu to Kansas for the present. We went down to the banks of the muddy Missouri river (which is too thick to swim in, and not quite thick enough to walk on), and stepped aboard of the ferry boat *Pomeroy*, for East Atchison on the opposite side of the river. We soon reached there, and found the cars steamed up and waiting for the long trip to the Rock of Ages, and, passing through Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and Pennsylvania, we finally landed safely in the green hillsides and fertile valleys of Pennsylvania.

Atchison was the most violent pro-slavery town in Kansas. It was named in honor of David Atchison, the President of the Senate, who, in the days of Buchanan, was the leading representative of the aggressive spirit of the slave power, its disposition, sentiment, and unstirring, with a heart filled with wickedness and hatred of those who might differ with him in regard to the institution of slavery. For 125 miles the Missouri river flows along or borders on the State of Kansas. The marks of the slave power are still visible, and the people talk as freely and unreservedly of those outrages upon unoffending men, women and children, and upon the ballot-box, as though it had happened but yesterday. The history of all those extreme men is but a repetition of the history of like spirits in all ages of the world who have figured largely on the stage of action. But they are overtaken by the just retribution of an All-Wise Providence which rules the destinies of nations and of men. A large proportion of those wicked and false men—false to their country's best interests—are now slumbering in their graves, unremembered except as Benedict Arnolds. What few survive are marked like Cain of old, and would rejoice at a summons to meet their friends on the opposite side of the "dark valley and the shadow of death." Truly, the way of the transgressor is hard, and "the name of the wicked shall rot." This once unhappy country is changed. The sunbeams of prosperity smile propitiously upon it. God, in his goodness and mercy, has blessed the efforts of those who have struggled for the right, and to-day where the adobe houses of the border ruffians of Missouri once stood, you can see fine farm houses, surrounded with all the comforts of life—a happy and a prosperous people. The cities and small towns are well supplied with churches, school houses and seminaries of learning, with a busy, active population, zealous in support of correct principles and a high regard for moral and religious societies and Christian influences.

In a subsequent letter I shall give my views in regard to Kansas as a great agricultural State.

Atchison, Kan., June 20, 1872.

Visiting Fire Companies.—The Steamer "Naiad," from Towanda, the hand-engine "The Rooster," Mr. Welles Foreman, and the Steamer "Franklin," from the same place, McGill, Foreman, and the "Lazerne" from Kingston, were in the procession, and added much to the brilliancy of the occasion. We hope the men in each company enjoyed themselves, and will overlook any want of attention while here, owing to the wonderful amount of cares and labors imposed upon Wilkes-Barreans during that day.—*Union.*

While the firemen of this place feel flattered by the attention shown them while in Wilkes-Barre, they desire us to correct one or two errors in the above notice. First, the "Naiads" have no steamer. Second, the "Rooster" was not a Towanda machine. C. P. Welles is Foreman of the Naiad, and J. W. Dizon of the Franklin.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

C. F. Cross keeps a full line of fine stationery.

Especial attention is called to our children's line of Hosiery. Bee Hive Store.

Job work, of every description, neatly and expeditiously executed at this office.

Handsome "Jet Sets" for $1.25, at the Bee Hive Store.

The American Sewing Machine is the best.

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

Keystone Clothing Palace, Main street, next to First National Bank.

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

The best lot of Marble Tables in town. Frost & Sons.

If you want a *good* Corn Cultivator, call upon R. M. Welles for the best.

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

Nitrous Oxide Gas for extracting teeth, at Kelly & Stanley's.

Cross is supplying his customers with everything in the line of Books and Stationery.

A large assortment of Brackets just received at Frost & Sons.

The American Sewing Machine is the best.

Mrs. E. J. Mingos has the largest variety of straw goods in this vicinity.

Large stock of Red and White Wheat Flour, at McCabe & Edwards'.

The finest assortment of Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs in town, at the Bee Hive Store in Mercur's Block.

Furniture just reduced 25 per cent, at Frost & Sons.
July 15, 1872.

"Maltese," "Climax," and "Dollar Reward" Soap. Try them. For sale at M. J. Long's.

Grenadines (at cost) at the Bee Hive Store.

Imported Silks (at cost) at the Bee Hive Store.

Furniture selling at wholesale prices, at Frost & Sons.
July 15, 1872.

Ridgeway & Everett, at the Red, White & Blue Store, are the first to give notice that they have reduced the price on their Teas, Coffee and Tobacco, in accordance with the new duty law.

Beaver Brand Alpaccas, (at cost) at the Bee Hive Store.

Linen and Straw Goods at exceedingly low rates, at N. Goldsmith's Keystone Clothing Palace, Main street, next to First National Bank.

Elegant Organdies (at cost) at the Bee Hive.

Hats and Bonnets, an elegant assortment, at the Bee Hive.

Mrs. E. J. Mingos has just received the Madame Foy Corset Skirt Supporter in all the sizes.

Baby wagons are a necessity of the season, and Wickham & Black have just opened a new stock. Prices from $3.50 upward.

Hosiery and Gloves, (at cost) at the Bee Hive.

Mrs. E. J. Mingos has just received a fresh supply of ladies' ties and bows, in all the new shades.

Houses and Lots for sale, on easy monthly payments, or to Rent.
W. Bramhall.
Poplar street, Towanda, Pa.—tf.

For fine clothing, inspect N. Goldsmith's immense stock, Main street, next to First National Bank.

The best assortment of Gents' Furnishing Goods at N. Goldsmith's Keystone Clothing Palace.

More Spring and Summer Goods at N. Goldsmith's Keystone Clothing Palace.

Dolly Varden Prints and Cambrics, at Evans & Hildreth's, Bridge street.

J. O. Frost & Sons have just made a great reduction in the price of Furniture of all kinds. Come and see.
July 15, 1872.

A large and desirable assortment of Summer Goods, suitable for any key prices, at the sign of the Big Bonnet.

If you want a Refrigerator, call at Wickham & Black's and examine the "Palace," acknowledged to be the very best.

Just Received.—A fresh supply of Black Alpacas, Striped Grenadines, Zephyrs Stripes, Percals, Brown and White Linen, Grass Cloth, Prints and Shawls, for the Summer trade, at B. A. Peters & Co.

Lazarus & Morris, manufacturers of those celebrated spectacles, have changed their agency from J. Bugbenin's to Wm. A. Chamberlain's.

The Universal White Woven Tucked Skirt, and all kinds of Hoop Skirts and Bustles, can be had very cheap at B. A. Peters & Co's.

Buy your Tea, Coffee and Spices at the Red, White and Blue Tea Store, Bridge street, Towanda, Pa.

If you don't know what you want in the Book and Stationery line, call on C. F. Cross.

75 cents per pound for good Chewing Tobacco, at the Red, White and Blue Store, Bridge street, Towanda, Pa. Try it and see for yourselves.

McCabe & Edwards have Butter Tubs, Firkins, and ½ Tubs; a fine lot of Ashton Salt, sold at lowest figures.

Now is the time to buy sugar cheap, as it always advances during the Summer season. McCabe & Edward's have a large stock.

For Sale.—A large building lot on Poplar street, Size 88x131 feet. Would make two good lots. New barn on back end. Will be sold cheap, as the owner wishes to leave town. Terms easy. Enquire at this office.

For first class insurance against loss or damage, or fire or lightning, call at Wickham & Black's Agency.

Do you want a sewing machine, and do you know that the Singer never disappoints? After seven years' experience we can truly say that the Singer *does* give satisfaction.
Wickham & Black, Agents.

We would call attention to the fact that Messrs. Gore & McMahon, Merchant Tailors, have on hand the finest assortment of Cloths, Suitings, etc., ever opened in Towanda. They have a first-class Cutter, and warrant all their work. Call and see them. One door east of Mercur's Bank.

Excelsior Water Drawer, or *Improved Well Curb and Bucket.* A good demand is springing up for this convenient affair. It is a good thing. Give the Excelsior Water Drawer a trial and you will like it. R. M. Welles sells it.

J. O. Frost & Sons wish to put a Woven Wire Mattress in every house in Towanda, on a month's trial, and if it does not suit them, they will call and take it away. Now is your time to get perfect sleep. Be sure you try, and then you will buy.

The Sullivan Anthracite is the Coal for Spring and Summer use. Nothing like it. It kindles easily, makes a quick fire, and can be as small as desired, a quart burning as readily as a bushel. It never dies out, burning all down to white ashes, and renders coal stoves of no further use. The pleasantest and cheapest in this or any other market for domestic purposes.
Ward & Montanye,
Sole Agents.

Our enterprising furniture dealers J. O. Frost & Sons, have secured the agency for the celebrated Wakefield Earth Closet, and have an assortment on hand. The Earth Closet has been tested for several years, and gives universal satisfaction wherever used. For the sick room it is almost a necessity.

Fresh Flowers.—As the Summer has opened with its genial breezes and lovely flowers, B. A. Peters & Co. have the best selection of Millinery Goods and Flowers in Towanda, for the lowest prices, at the sign of the Big Bonnet.

Have you ever paid any attention to the question, "*Will it pay me to buy and use a Wheel Hay and Gleaner Rake in place of the good old Revolver?*" If not, it *is* worth your while to do so. Like a sensible farmer, send to R. M. Welles, Towanda, for a copy of his Illustrated and Descriptive Catalogue.

The edition of the Road and Poor Laws of this county, compiled by Capt. W. H. Carnochan, is limited, and township officers who desire to procure copies, should apply soon. The work is for sale at this office.

The Best Wheel Rake.—There are a number of very good Wheel Rakes, each having some good quality; but, all things considered, the Tompkins County Wheel Rake we believe to be the best; and then it has, as an attachment, the best Broad-Cast Plaster, Grain and Grass-Seed Sower now known.

Gore & McMahon have removed their Merchant Tailoring establishment to the store of N. Goldsmith, one door south of the National Bank, where they will be pleased to see their friends. They have engaged a clothes scourer and are prepared to do anything in that line.

Spring Style.—Go to Gore & McMahon's, Fashionable Tailors, for your Spring Clothing. They have the best stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, etc., in town. Particular attention paid to Juvenile Clothing. All work warranted. One door east Mercur's Bank.

In order to make preparations for our Fall stock, we will sell our Spring and Summer goods at low figures. It will therefore be to your interest to examine our stock, as we sell the cheapest at the Keystone Clothing Palace.

In these days when Summer complaints, cholera morbus, and cholera are liable to seize the system at any time, it would be wise for our readers to keep a bottle or two of Dr. Unqueary's Cholera Cordial in the house ready for instant use. This medicine has now a world-wide reputation, being largely used in all the cholera-frequented regions of the globe. It is probably the best and most reliable remedy for these complaints that the present age has seen, or will see.—*Scranton Journal.*

For Sale.—The lot now occupied by the Public School House on Second and Pine Streets, is offered for sale. The lot has a frontage of 225 feet on Second street, and 77 feet on Pine. The property will be sold in one lot, or in lots to suit purchasers.
S. W. Alvord,
P. D. Monroe,
S. W. Rodgers,
Committee.

A Card.—I take this method of returning my sincere thanks to the citizens of Bradford county for the liberal patronage they have bestowed upon me this past season; and a continuance of the same being an undoubted fact, as our goods have given, and always will give, satisfaction. We are having manufactured in Philadelphia the largest and most complete stock of Fall and Winter goods ever seen in Bradford county. Messrs. Gore & McMahon, the popular and stylish merchant tailors, are located in our establishment, and are prepared to take your orders for stylish clothes. Our stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods cannot surpass any in this market, and we shall endeavor to keep abreast with the times in this department, as in all others, during the period.
N. Goldsmith,
Keystone Clothing Palace.

Threshing Machines.—R. M. Welles is prepared to supply Horse Powers and Threshing Machines of any description, or from our celebrated and best manufacturers.

Linen, Braids and Coils, and Hair Goods, in great variety, just received at B. A. Peters & Co's.

McCabe & Edwards have received a large invoice of tea, which they will sell on the removal of the duty, and offer their customers bargains.

The famous Susquehanna Mineral Spring House, located in Rush, Susquehanna Co., Pa., is now open for the reception of guests. On account of the beauty of its scenery, the purity of its air, and its invaluable medicinal springs, has places offer greater attractions, both to pleasure seekers and invalids than this delightful summer resort. The water of the Susquehanna Mineral Spring is a specific for all kidney or urinary complaints, dyspepsia, rheumatism, constipation, liver complaint, salt-rheum, erysipelas, etc. Bath houses, stables, hacks and carriages, are kept in connection with the House. Passengers should leave the Lehigh Valley Railroad at Mehoopen, from whence stages leave for the Springs on the arrival of the Philadelphia Express. For particulars send for circular. Address,
A. D. Butterfield & Bro.,
Susquehanna Springs, Rush, Pa.
July 17, 1872, 6t.

How to Go West.—This is an enquiry which every one should have truthfully answered before he starts on his journey, and a little care taken in examination of routes will in many cases save much trouble, time and money.

The "C. B. & Q. R. R.," running from Chicago, through Galesburg to Burlington, and the "I. B. & W. Route," running from Indianapolis, through Bloomington to Burlington, have achieved a splendid reputation in the last two years as the leading Passenger Routes to the West. At Burlington they connect with the B. & M. R. R., and form the great Burlington Route, which runs direct through Southern Iowa to Nebraska and Kansas, with close connections to California and the Territories; and passengers starting from Bradford county, on their way westward, cannot do better than to take the Burlington Route.

This Line has published a pamphlet called "How to Go West," which contains much valuable information; a large correct map of the Great West, which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the General Passenger Agent B. & M. R. R., Burlington, Iowa.

The universal satisfaction that the Eureka has given to all who have used it, is a sufficient reason for farmers who intend buying machines for the harvest of 1872, to examine the many points of superiority and advantages claimed for it and give it a practical examination and test in the field before buying.

Mowing Machine Challenge for 1872.—Inasmuch as Mowing Machine Manufacturers, and their agents, have denied the points of superiority possessed by the Direct Draft Eureka Mower, to prejudice purchasers, not acquainted with its merits, therefore I am authorized by the Eureka Mower Company to make the following offer:

That the Direct Draft Eureka Mower will meet in competition during the coming harvest AND BEAT any mowing machine on the side cut principle, on the following points:

1st—Time of cutting.
2d—Power expended.
3d—Quality of work—which refers to the manner of leaving the grass by the machines for curing, and the condition of the stubble.
4th—Time of curing the grass (no tedder to be used) and quality of hay.

The choice of time and place for the trial to be drawn for.

This trial must include any or all of the following, that the committee may require:

The cutting of standing and lodged grass and heavy tangled clover. Cutting also on rough ground, stony ground, stumpy ground, in orchards, on side hills, on low bottom meadows, and on marsh or swamp ground. The contestants to deposit $1,000—that is, $250 on each of the above named points.

The successful party shall donate the amount received from the others as follows: one-half to the Home for the Friendless in Poughkeepsie, and one-half to a benevolent institution to be named by the party accepting this challenge.

That manufacturers, their agents, and purchasers not familiar with the Eureka Mower, may be assured that we mean business, I further offer a Waltham Gold Watch worth $250 to any manufacturer of mowing machines who will accept the above challenge, and if this challenge is not accepted before the coming haying, we respectfully request all persons to make no further statements as to what the Eureka cannot do, but leave the facts as to what it can do to those who know from use, and are willing others shall use and know.

ISAAC W. WHITE, President.
Poughkeepsie, Dutchess Co., N. Y., Feb. 14.
S. D. MADDEN,
General Agent,
Nichols, Tioga Co., N. Y.

It will Pay the Farmer to Buy and Use It.—"What?" Why, the Tompkins County Wheel Rake. "Prove it."

1st. To compare it with the "*Good Old Revolver.*" The Spring Toothed Wheel Rake will work better and easier over stones, stumps, boggy and rough ground.

2d. It will rake *cleaner* on *any* surface than the revolver.

3d. It is easier for the horse as well as for the driver.

4th. It leaves the hay in better condition for pitching. The Revolver packs or mats the hay together; the *Wheel Rake leaves the hay loose.*

5th. It will rake wilted or half cured clover hay—which needs to be put into cock in that condition to cure. Long or lodged stubble presents no obstacle to the Wheel Rake. "You know how it is" with the Revolver.

6th. In flooded or dusty hay, the Wheel Rake shakes off much of the adhering dust, while the Revolver keeps all on.

7th. It is far more conveniently and rapidly handled in the field; and, in consequence, will do more and better work.

8th. No use for the hand-rake in the meadow.

9th. Any 12 years' old boy, who can drive a horse, or many persons too infirm, or otherwise incapacitated for ordinary field work, can in most cases do the raking as well as a strong man.

10th. The Revolver is almost worthless for *gleaning grain fields*, while the Wheel Rake will pay for itself in gleaning 30 acres of wheat and other grain in proportion. Grain of any kind costs the farmer too much to grow it, to afford to waste it.

11th. The Wheel Rake is much better to rake dried clover seed in straw; the Revolver will waste the seed.

12th. The Tompkins County Wheel Rake will *cut-last* and *out-wear more Revolvers than the purchase money paid for the former will buy of the latter*; while the Wheel Rake has all the time been more efficient and useful in every way.

13th. The greater *reliability* and durability of the T. C. Wheel Rake, render it far safer for the farmer to depend upon it to do his raking, than upon the wooden Revolver, which is so apt, *treacherously*, to *break* when there is a large amount of hay to secure, and *every moment of time so precious.*

14th. The greater portability of the Wheel Rake will save much valuable time in moving to and from field, etc.

15th. The TOMPKINS COUNTY RAKE IS THE BEST WHEEL RAKE.

16th. Because it is the best constructed and durable.

17th. Because, it will rake a heavier windrow and then bunch it.

18th. Because, it will rake heavier uncured grass or hay and do good work.

19th. Because, it is more easily operated and handled.

20th. Because, it is *self-discharging*—the horse doing the labor in dumping, and, that too, without any gears, ratchets or brakes upon the wheels.

21st. Because, it has a first-class BROADCAST SEEDING ATTACHMENT, at an extra expense of only $25—THE VERY BEST IN THE WORLD—that will sow perfectly ALL KINDS OF GRAIN and GRASS SEEDS, *Plaster, Ashes, Lime, Guano* and other fertilizers.

I invite our farmers to give this Wheel Rake and its seeding attachment a fair trial in competition with any and all other similar machine. Price of Rake, $40. Combined machine, $65.

R. M. WELLES.

SALES & LETTINGS.

DEWOLF—LOTT.—At Wyoming, on the 4th inst., by Rev. [illegible], Mr. [illegible] DeWolf, of North Branch, Wyoming County, to Miss [illegible] Lott, of Wyoming.

LENT—FORBES.—July 4, 1872, at Rome, Bradford Co., Pa., by Rev. [illegible], Mr. Benjamin D. Lent, of Rome, to Miss Ellen E. Forbes, both of Rome.

LIBBEY—WEAVER.—At Waverly, N. Y., on the 4th inst., by Rev. W. H. Gilbert, D. D., David S. Libbey, of Elmira, Pa., and Mary E. Beneset of Waverly.

BRELL—BENNETT.—In North Towanda, July 14, 1872, by H. A. Mills, Esq., Mr. Hermon Abell and Miss Lydia M. Bennett, all of Bainbridge, Pa.

CHAFFEE—JOYCE.—At Warren Center, on the 4th of June, by Rev. E. S. Lear, Mr. Wm. P. Chaffee and Miss Ada Joyce, both of Warren, Bradford Co.

FOLK—GAYLORD.—In Pike, on the 4th of July, by Rev. E. S. Lear, Mr. Edward Folk, of Warren, and Miss Augusta Gaylord, of Pike.

JAYNE—RUSSELL.—At Russell Hill, June 5, 1872, at the house of S. H. Place, by Rev. F. S. Everett, Mr. W. H. Jayne to Miss Augusta Russell, both of Russell Hill, Wyoming Co., Pa.

RICH—ALVORD.—At the Baptist Parsonage, East Smithfield, Pa., July 2, 1872, Mr. Harris Rich, of Springfield, to Miss Helen Alvord, of East Smithfield.

BOBY—HOLCOMB.—At the house of I. F. Stokes, in Laceyville, July 3, 1872, by W. F. Rockwell, Esq., Mr. O. T. Boby to Miss Lois O. Holcomb, both of LaRoy.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Thomas Maddocks, Produce Commission Merchant, 228 Pennsylvania Avenue, Scranton, Pa. Butter, Eggs, Lard, Cheese, Fruits, Potatoes, &c., &c. Consignments solicited, and returns promptly made on sale of Goods. References cheerfully given. Correspondence solicited.

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July 19, 1872.

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J. Meredith & Co.
Towanda, July 11, 1872.—m3.

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GRAND SPORTSMEN'S CONVENTION.

The CORNING TROTTING ASSOCIATION will hold its First Annual Meeting at CORNING,

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,

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$4,000 IN PREMIUMS!

Four Premiums in Each Race.

FIRST DAY.

Purse No. 1, 3 minutes race.....$400
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Purse No. 4, 2:42 race.....$400
" No. 5, running race.....100
" No. 6, double team race.....300

THIRD DAY.

Purse No. 7, 2:30 race.....$450
" No. 8, running race.....400
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Entries will close at 12 o'clock M., July 22d.

The track has recently been widened and otherwise improved, and is now second to no track in the country.

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