# Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Thursday, September 12, 1872.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The GRANT and WILSON Club of Herrickville, now numbers 115 members, and is still increasing.

A new and beautiful engine has been put upon the Erie, named in honor of the Vice President and General Manager of the road, Gen. A. S. DIVEN.

We understand the Waverly Cornet Band has been reorganized, and purchased new instruments. They are now prepared to furnish music for meetings, celebrations, etc., on reasonable terms.

We learn that the attendance at the Collegiate Institute, in this place, is unusually large this term. A number of new Assembly Room Seats and Desks have been ordered to accommodate the students.

We were shown the other day a handsome sky-terrier, presented to Mrs. Parr, of Binghamton, by her father, Hon. E. O. Goodrich. His dogship has only been in this country a few weeks, having been imported by a firm in Philadelphia.

The camp-meetings held in this vicinity during the present season, have been well attended, and we have no doubt productive of much good. The one near Liberty Corners was a complete success, and it is believed that many were "born into the Kingdom" through its influence.

F. WATTS has again placed us under obligations, by leaving on our table several bunches of delicious grapes, grown in his garden. Our subscribers will please take notice that while we are a teetotaler, we have no conscientious scruples about eating any quantity of grapes.

P. C. VANGELDER, who has been connected with the Wellsboro *Agitator* for the past seven years, has disposed of his interest in the establishment. The paper will hereafter be conducted by BARNES & ROY, and will continue to advocate Republican principles. The *Agitator* is one of our most valued exchanges, and we heartily wish the new firm abundant success.

From present indications we judge the County Teachers' Association to be held at Orwell, on Friday and Saturday of this week, will be largely attended.

Dr. COLT has consented to deliver an address before the Association on Friday evening.

The business committee have prepared a programme which, if carried out, will make the session one of the most interesting ever held in the county.

We announce with deep regret, that Dr. Linde, who has been lying in a critical condition for several weeks past, died yesterday (Wednesday) at about 12 M. He had been suffering for some time with a complication of disorders, which have baffled the best medical skill that could be summoned to his aid. Our readers will join with us in lamenting the fatal issue of his illness, which not only deprives the community of an estimable citizen and faithful physician, but his family of a kind husband and loving father.

The following are the officers of the GRANT and WILSON Club, at Overton, Bradford county, Pa.:

President—JOHN MATTHEWS.
Vice Presidents—ANDREW WELLS, jr., ARNOLD [illegible], CHARLES MCKENZIE, JOSEPH ROSSMOTER, [illegible] MCGARRY, MAX MATTHEWS, REUBEN ROSSMOTER.

A former resident of this county, enclosing the subscription price of the REPORTER, writes the following item of political news:

[illegible] Ga., Sept. 5, 1872.

I often see a copy of the *Reporter*, and from the Judge you are torturing it severely. Democratic men in this section are like the [illegible], affected with the dry rot.

I visited in the Shiloh section of Towanda, under cover of Mr. PECK. I hope his services in the cause will be forgotten now. A. J. H.

We are informed by County Superintendent A. A. KIDNEY, that Prof. HUYSER, of Troy, Profs. RYAN and QUINLAN, of Towanda, and Profs. VERMILE and ALLEN, of Monroeton, will give instruction at the Teachers' Institute this Fall; and that addresses are also promised by Profs. HUTTON, RYAN, VERMILE, DE LOS ROCKWELL, Esq., of Troy, and Rev. O. L. GIBSON, of Towanda.

The session at Troy is to be held in the graded school building; at Towanda, in the court house.

A USEFUL DOG.—There is a small dog at Columbia X Roads, Pa., who comes to the depot every morning in the week, on arrival of the early train from Elmira. His owner is a conductor for the *Daily Advertiser*, on one trip, the baggage-master throws the paper off the platform. The dog will pick it up and carry it home. Some time ago a large package of papers were thrown off, and as no one was near to claim them, the little fellow thought he must and did carry the bundle home at least a mile, and had to give it up and go home with his mouth empty-handed.—*Carbon Democrat.*

Pursuant to call, the teachers of the several Sabbath schools of this borough met in the Lecture Room of the Presbyterian church on Monday evening last, for the purpose of perfecting an organization. The committee appointed at last meeting reported a constitution, which was adopted after some amendment. The following officers were elected for the ensuing six months:

President—O. A. BLACK.
Vice President—G. H. WOOD.
Secretary—A. F. COWLES.
Library Committee—Revs. J. S. STEWART, T. [illegible] O. L. GIBSON and WM. MCGARVEY.

The third Monday of each month is the time for the election of officers.

PERSONAL.—We are pleased to learn that our esteemed young friend, WM. FOYLE, has formed a matrimonial alliance with the fair daughter of Wyalusing. We congratulate the happy couple on their prospects, and wish them all imaginable happiness.

Mr. MOSS MATHEWS leaves town today, for his annual vacation, and will be gone three weeks.

HENRY WOLFE and WILLARD D. LANE, both of this county, are candidates for the legislative nomination for District Attorney of Bradford county, Kansas. They are excellent men, and we wish both might be elected.

Neighbor HOAGLAND, of the *Northern Tier*, has been and gone and *married* it.

L. S. MAYNARD, Esq., formerly of Rome, but now a resident of Lock-Haven, gave us a call on Monday.

A. T. DAVIES, Esq., has moved into his new house on Second street.

Mail Agent D. W. GOFF, has tired of boarding and returned to Waverly, where he is "housekeeping" again.

Mr. N. D. CORTRIGHT, jr., of Frank Chunk, accompanied by his sisters, Mrs. GUTHIE and EMMA CORTRIGHT, left this place with the 11.45 L. V. R. R., train on Monday, the guests of Mr. A. E. KAEP, of Cincinnatiland, one of the Directors of the road, joining the party at Rochester, at which place were Mr. KAEP and family, with friends from Baltimore, going to Niagara in the handsomely fitted out Director's car of the railroad.

They stopped at the Cataract House, and saw the beauties and wonders of that resort, they went to Buffalo, and occupied three hours of Wednesday afternoon in "doing" that city. Moving on to Rochester, on Thursday they remained over night, and left for Canandaigua by the early train on Friday morning, and visited the famous Watkins Glen. From there they went to Elmira and on to Towanda, where they were met by Mr. T. DEMOND, the gentlemanly Asst. Supt. of the Pa. N. Y. R. R., who was unceasing in his endeavors to please them. During their sojourn at that place they stopped at the "Means House," enjoying a merry dance the same evening, in the capacious parlor of that excellent hotel. On Friday, accompanied by Asst. Supt. DEMOND, they were shown all the points of interest along that well managed railroad.

On arriving at the L. & B. Junction they were met by Mr. BOUND, Supt., who had a special engine in readiness to transport our car to Kingston, where we enjoyed three-quarters of an hour at the residence of Mr. BOUND in the agreeable company of his wife and daughter, who made a very lively accession to our excursionists, remaining with us until we reached Northumberland, where we again received another specimen of the warm-hearted hospitality of our host, Mr. KAEP.

It was truly a delightful trip, and will long be remembered by all, and particularly, by one who was there.—*Carbon Democrat.*

DRESSING FOR CHURCH.—There was a time when good taste demanded the use of the plainest clothes in the sanctuary, when the wealthiest were distinguished for their conspicuous absence of personal adornment, and sartorial display was a mark of vulgarity at such times and place. But now it would almost appear as if, whatever might be thought of a modest garb in other places, the proper costume for the house of God, where, theoretically, we all go to be reminded of our common origin and destiny, were an agglomeration of all the jewelry, and all the chignons, and all the panniers, and all the feathers and furbelows in one's wardrobe. The wearer is to carry all this piled agony to the sanctuary as to a fair—as if her errand were not so much to praise as to be appraised—and there employ the sacred time in envious comparison of her own mountain of millinery with the Himalayan triumphs of her neighbor.

BRADFORD COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY.—The annual meeting of the Bradford County Historical Society was held in this place on Monday last. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

*President*—J. A. CODDING.
*Vice Presidents*—WM. PATTON and EDWARD MILLS.
*Secretary*—Dr. E. P. ALLEN.
*Treasurer*—L. P. STALFORD.
*Librarian*—H. L. SCOTT.
*Publishing Committee*—D. CRANT, S. W. ALVORD, SIDNEY HAYDEN.
*Finance Committee*—J. J. GRIFFITHS, G. P. MONROE, EDWARD MILLS.
*Literary Committee*—EDWARD HERRICK, W. H. H. GORE, J. H. CODDING.

J. M. WATTLES was elected a member. J. M. SMITH, D'A OVERTON, R. H. LENNING and C. G. GIBBONS were proposed for membership.

Gen. PATTON presented the society with a copy of his essay entitled, "Origin and Relative Status of the White and Colored Races." Maj. HALE was appointed a committee to confer with the commissioners of the county with reference to allowing the society to place a book case in the Grand Jury Room.

On motion adjourned to meet in Towanda, on Monday, December 9, 1872, at 2 o'clock.

E. P. ALLEN, Sec'y.

It will not be forgotten that on the 27th day of September, the "Great Mastodon," with its beautiful procession, strange Arab visitors, ferocious and docile animals, antiquarian curiosities, and army of riders, leapers, tumblers and funny fools, will pitch in city of canvas tents among us. Of the marvelous performances of the Arab Athletes, the Cleveland *Herald* says:

"But, after all, superior as is the general circus performance, it is completely overshadowed and almost eclipsed by the feats of the Arab Athletes, whose wild equestrian embraces a multitude of frantic gymnastic essays, not dreamed of in the Gymnasium philosophy of Christendom. Such bewildering and erratic evolutions as they dive, whirl and vault into, under the apparent impulse of ungovernable impulse, would alone seem impossible to one of their native sand storms, while, superadded to these dizzy conceptions are feats of tremendous strength and delicate equipoise, which evidence the possession of physical powers little less than miraculous. These, it will be remembered, are positively the only performers of their race in the country, and as this is their last visit in response to their return to Arabia, the opportunity to see them should be improved.

On Thursday afternoon last, at half-past three o'clock, at the residence of Mr. F. P. WILSON, at Fountain Hill, South Bethlehem, Miss GUSSIE LOCKHART, the handsome and accomplished daughter of the late A. H. LOCKHART, of Mauch Chunk, was married to Mr. HARRY E. PACKER, of the same place. The wedding took place in the parlor of Mr. WILSON'S mansion, the imposing nuptial ceremony being performed by the Rev. LEMONTON COLEMAN, of St. Marks P. E. Church of this place.

The bride was beautifully attired in a heavy white satin dress with long train, orange blossoms entwined in her hair, and a long white lace veil flowing down over her shoulders; she wore white kids with three buttons. The groom was tastefully dressed in the conventional cut of broadcloth.

The members and some friends of the family numbering about forty persons, were present. At the conclusion of the ceremony the party were invited to partake of the luscious refreshments of all kinds that were tastefully arranged on a large table in a side room, consisting of cakes, ice creams, water ices, nuts and fruits of all kinds, and wines in abundance.

The bridal party left for New York with the six o'clock P. M. train. They intend to make a tour to the White Mountains and the principal places in the East as well as to Canada, Omaha and the Pacific slope.

The wedding gifts were both handsome and costly, and presented quite a formidable appearance, among which we noticed the following:

Case of solid silver spoons and forks, containing three dozen, presented by Mr. R. A. PACKER, the brother of the groom.—*Carbon Democrat.*

COURT PROCEEDINGS.—The September term of the Bradford County Court convened on Monday, September 2. Hon. P. D. MONROE and Associates FRISBIE and HARKNESS on the Bench.

The usual routine business was transacted in the forenoon.

In the afternoon the list of jurymen was called over, and the following named Grand Jurors sent out, after listening to the charge of his honor Judge MONROE:

FRANK E. JANE, *Foreman*. C. N. BEERS, W. F. COLE, Albert Cordell, F. B. Ford, Jas. J. Furman, John Gordon, Lemuel H. Gleason, W. A. Gunsalus, Aden Callihan, Wm. Kelly, Leslie Lawrence, Benj. S. Landon, John Mathews, Charles Thompson, Wm. Torry, J. A. Whittle, Asa Wilcox.

The Grand Jury remained in session until Wednesday, and disposed of the following cases:

TRUE BILLS.

Commonwealth vs. Cephas Bowman—Selling liquor without license.
Com. vs. Timothy Hurley and James Collum—Aggravated assault and battery.
Com. vs. Ledgard Claflin—Larceny.
Com. vs. Harry Mix—Fraud.
Com. vs. Benjamin Lewis—Assault and battery.
Com. vs. G. E. Hewlett—Arson.
Com. vs. Michael Coyle—Selling liquor without license.
Com. vs. A. H. Stone—Assault and battery.
Com. vs. M. T. Carrier—Selling liquor on Sunday, and without license.
Com. vs. Owen Carey—Selling liquor without license.
Com. vs. L. V. Ellis—Selling liquor without license.
Com. vs. Sophia Smith—Selling liquor without license, and on Sunday.
Com. vs. J. Brackney—Selling liquor without license.
Com. vs. Mike Pyne—Selling liquor without license.

NOT A TRUE BILL.

Com. vs. Orin Wentmuller—Malicious mischief. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Frank Green—Assault and battery. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Robert Furneson—Aggravated assault and battery. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Ziba Morse—Making threats. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Smith Nichols—County to pay costs.
Com. vs. John Schoonover—Assault and battery. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Samuel O. Ackley—Assault and battery. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Michael Doyle—Selling liquor on Sunday. County to pay costs.
Com. vs. James and Rachel Davis—Assault and battery. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. S. McCracken—Assault and battery. Prosecutor to pay costs.
Com. vs. Owen Carey—Selling liquor on Sunday. County to pay costs.
Com. vs. L. V. Ellis—Selling liquor on Sunday. County to pay costs.
Com. vs. J. Brackney—Selling liquor on Sunday. County to pay costs.
Com. vs. Mike Pyne—Selling liquor on Sunday. County to pay costs.

The following cases were disposed of by the Court:

Com. vs. M. A. Forest—Charged with selling liquor on Sunday, and to persons of known intemperate habits. Complaint withdrawn. Defendant to pay costs in both cases.
Com. vs. Michael Carmody—Charged with violating surety of the peace. Settled upon defendant paying costs.
Com. vs. Chas. G. Rode—Settled.
Com. vs. J. R. Cowell—Indicted at May term on a charge of forgery. Defendant arraigned and pleads not guilty. Jury called, and after a full hearing return a verdict of not guilty. Prosecutor, Nelson Northrup, for costs.
Com. vs. B. Golden—Bill found at May term on charge of selling liquor without license. Defendant pleads guilty, and is thereupon sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and costs, and stand committed until sentence is complied with.
Com. vs. Geo. W. Dickerson—Surety of peace. After a hearing the Court sentence defendant to pay costs of prosecution, or give bail for payment of same within ten days.
Com. vs. S. G. Berry—Indicted at present term on complaint of A. H. Kingsbury and E. C. Shaw, for surety of peace. After a hearing Court sentence defendant to pay costs of prosecution, and give bail in the sum of $500, conditioned that he keep the peace toward all men, and especially toward complainants for the period of one year, and stand committed until sentence is complied with.

The tavern license of the Greenwood Cottage was transferred from E. W. Neal to John T. Brewster.

The eating house license of Owen Carey, Towanda Boro., transferred to Mike Pyne.

The tavern license M. B. Calkins, Burlington Boro., transferred to E. H. Jacoby.

Grand Jury approved of report of jury on a bridge in Troy Boro. Exceptions filed.

The Court fixed the following additional places for holding elections in Towanda Boro.: First Ward, at the Hotel of D. Sullivan; Third Ward, at the house of Francis Watts.

Court appointed Orlando Vosburg constable in place of M. B. Calkins resigned.

Court appointed J. G. Scudder constable of Canton Boro., in place of C. Andrus resigned.

Isaac Smalley was appointed Judge of Election, and S. W. Rodgers and L. S. Case Inspectors for the Third Ward of Towanda Boro.

O. D. Bartlett was appointed Judge, and J. H. Phinney and C. S. Russell Inspectors of Election for First Ward, Towanda Borough.

TOWANDA.—We find the following description of our town in the Philadelphia *Evening Star*. When "K. V. C." visits us again, we hope the other half of our glories will be depicted:

TOWANDA.

The Summer roads were white with heat,
The August sun was pouring down,
We fled the dusty city street,
And sought a quiet country town.

It stood upon a gentle hill,
A river murmured at its base,
Beyond its waters, calm and clear,
A mountain showed its hoary face.

Above the glancing moonbeams made
A fairy track from shore to shore,
And boats shot out from covert shade
And danced those silvery waters o'er.

There, fresher to our weary eyes,
The grass that shone with dewy spray;
And kinder, to our fond surprise,
The friends who met us day by day.

Old household songs, with cadence sweet,
Rang soft upon our willing ear;
We almost heard remembered feet,
And deemed at times our loved ones near.

We walked along, past bar and gate,
At morn, at eve, at thirsty noon;
Yet thought the daylight came too late,
And night came on too soon.

Yes still, with calm delight, we saw
The sunshine shift over hill and vale,
And evening, in her beauty, draw
Over all a starry trail.

The little town was busy, too,
It had its share of wine and lain,
Wise gathering at the corners knew
More than the common ken.

Why "wheat was high" they all could tell,
With zeal predict the coming weather;
And at their finger-ends, as well,
Held politics in closest tether.

Off, round about the court house green,
With willing auditors, they set
Explaining how some villain been
Laid plots in this, or that.

The honest farmers, sternly grave,
Then solidly muttered, "If I'd thought
That Lawyer Green was such a knave,
Squire Brown so easy bought!"

The village merchant spread his ware,
He had no time for idle story,
He made obeisance to the fair,
And counted money—more than glory.

The "common round," tho' somewhat small,
Was much like that of larger places:
And so we left them, one and all,
And countryward we turned our faces.

With "Daisy" harnessed sure and fast,
We found a hill the sunlight reaches,
And there, beneath the shade, we cast
Our upward, longing eyes at peaches.

Towanda nestled at our feet,
Half hid by gentle undulation,
Beyond the stream, in valley sweet,
Fair Wyoux wooed our contemplation.

The Allegheries, range on range,
Were piled as they would meet the skies;
And all above the rosy change
Of rising sun made glad our eyes.

Some happy day go view the spot,
Unknown to fame, unheard in story,
And you will say that we have not
Depicted half Towanda's glory.

K. V. C.

## BUSINESS LOCAL.

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

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

The American Sewing Machine is the best.

The Gardner Chair Seat is the best.

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

Fine boots made to order at L. L. MOODY & CO'S.

EVANS & HILDRETH call attention to their advertisement of new Fall Goods.

The best lot of Marble Tables in town. FROST & SONS.

All the novelties of the season just received at EVANS & HILDRETH'S.

HOUSE TO RENT.—Enquire at R. M. WELLES' Coal Office.

New style Hats and Caps just received at ROSENFIELD'S.

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

A large assortment of Brackets just received at FROST & SONS.

The American Sewing Machine is the best.

Large stock of Red and White Wheat Flour, at MCCARE & EDWARDS'.

Rooms over MOODY & CO.'S Store for rent. Enquire of W. A. CHAMBERLIN.

Fruit Jars, Tumblers, Bowls etc., by the jelly, at WICKHAM & BLACK'S Store.

Grenadines, Alpacas, Organdies and Black Silks, at the Bee Hive, 2 doors east of Mercur's Bank.

Mrs. E. J. MINGOS is now receiving her new Fall Styles in Hats, Bonnets and Fancy Goods, in every variety.

FOR SALE.—13 car loads of Tomphins Coal, on the track, the very best, at $4.75 per ton (of 2,240 lbs.) L. S. CASE.

All persons indebted to me are notified that they *must* make payment before September 13. S. M. GARDNER.

Furniture just reduced 25 per cent, at FROST & SONS.
July 15, 1872.

More Spring and Summer Goods at N. GOLDSMITH'S Keystone Clothing Palace.

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

"Maltose," "Climax," and "Dollar Reward" Soap. Try them. For sale at M. J. LONG'S.

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

Furniture selling at wholesale prices, at FROST & SONS.
July 15, 1872.

The best assortment of Gents' Furnishing Goods at N. GOLDSMITH'S Keystone Clothing Palace.

For first class insurance against loss or damage, or fire or lightning, call at WICKHAM & BLACK'S Agency.

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

A large and desirable assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets, at very low prices, at the sign of the Big Bonnet.

We have seen GARDNER'S patent chair seat, and know it to be the best. FROST & SONS have them.

S. WOODFORD has been making large additions to his stock of Boots and Shoes. Give him a call on Bridge street.

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

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

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

H. A. COWLES advertises in another column that he has added to his Bakery establishment an assortment of Family Groceries, which he will sell cheap.

A splendid assortment of Shawls for the Fall trade, just received at B. A. PETTIS & CO.'S, Towanda.
Sept. 11, 1872—2w.

M'lle. J. LEQUIN has resumed her classes in French and Drawing. Tuition, $4 per term.
August 26, 1872.

THRESHING MACHINES.—R. M. WELLES is prepared to supply Horse Powers and Threshing Machines of any description, or from our leading and best manufacturers.

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

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

LAZARUS & MORRIS, manufacturers of those celebrated spectacles, have changed their agency from J. HUGUENIN'S to WM. A. CHAMBERLAIN'S.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN not only has the best arranged Jewelry Store in Northern Pennsylvania, but also keeps the largest assortment of goods.

REMOVAL!—HUGUENIN BROS. will remove their Jewelry Store from BENDER'S to BEIDLEMAN'S Block, opposite of Means House, Towanda Pa.

Many families are troubled about getting a good quality of flour. The best way to obviate all difficulty in this respect, is always to buy the superior brands sold by MCCARE & EDWARDS.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A large Building Lot on Poplar Street, Towanda. Would make two good lots. New barn on back end. Will be sold at a bargain. Enquire of F. W. KELLEY at the REPORTER Office. tf.

If you want a good pair of Boots or Shoes, go to S. WOODFORD'S, on Bridge Street. His stock is now full, and he is selling at prices which should attract all who want anything in his line.

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

Mrs. J. D. HILL is now in the city, buying a large and extensive stock of Fall Millinery Goods. The latest styles will soon be on exhibition at her store on Bridge Street. Sept 1—2w.

If you want anything in the line of Millinery Goods, call at B. A. PETTIS & CO.'S, at the sign of the big Bonnet, where you will find the new Fall Styles of Hats and a splendid line of Flowers and Feathers, together with a general assortment of goods in that line.
Sept. 11, 1872—2w.

FOR SALE.—A large building lot on Poplar street. Size 83x131 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.

AT LAST IT HAS BEEN FOUND.—The chair seat that will never wear out, J. O. FROST & SONS are now prepared to put seats in all kinds of chairs with Gardner's patent chair seat, which is the best and most durable seat in the world. Call and see 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.

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.

CROSS is now selling off his stock, preparatory to filling up for fall trade. If you want wall paper, now is your time to buy it cheaply. And if you want a good book you should select it now, while the stock is being disposed of.

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.

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.

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.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—The house now occupied by W. H. FULLER, on Main St., opposite IRA B. HUNTSMAN'S. Possession given first of October. Also the house on Plank Road known as Hughes' house. Enquire of FOX & MERCUR.

D. W. HUGHES, of this place, has prepared an excellent furniture varnish, and is now offering it to the people of the county. Messrs. FROST & SONS recommend it as the best article of the kind known. Every house-keeper should have a bottle.

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.

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.

FOR SALE.—House and Lot in Towanda Boro., near Collegiate Institute, for sale cheap for cash or on time. Abundance of good fruit, a well of soft water, etc.; house has 11 rooms. Also house and lot on "Northern Liberties." Enquire of J. N. CALIFF, Towanda, Pa.
Sept. 1, 1872.

The North Branch Association of Universalists, will hold its annual session at Orwell, Bradford county, Pa., on the fourth Wednesday and the following Thursday, being the 25th and 26th days of September, 1872. A general attendance is solicited.

G. H. BALLARD,
Standing Clerk.

B. A. PETTIS & CO. are now receiving their new Fall styles of Ladies' Hats and Bonnets, and are prepared to furnish their old customers and the public generally with everything in the millinery line at the lowest prices, at the sign of the big Bonnet, opposite the Court House.
Sept. 11, 1872.—2w.

TO THE VOTERS OF BRADFORD COUNTY.—I respectfully offer myself as an independent candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, and would solicit the support of those who believe that a share of the public favors should be given to the laboring man.

W. G. ALGER.
Towanda, Pa., Sept. 11, 1872.

FOR SALE.—A handsome and well built house, one door west of Forest's Hotel, in Ulster. Lot 84 feet front, depth 765 feet, covered with delicious fruit; good well and outbuildings. It is most desirably located; terms easy and a rare opportunity offered. Apply to J. CONKLIN, Lock-Haven.
August 30—3w.

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.

TO THE VOTERS OF BRADFORD COUNTY.—I respectfully offer myself as an independent Republican candidate for the office of Sheriff of Bradford county, pledging myself, if elected, to perform the duties of the office with fidelity. I am induced to take this step by the advice of friends who, like myself, believe that the combination of politicians, used to hold the Sheriff's office among themselves, deserves to be broken. I make no claim greater than that of any other citizen who might choose to ask for this position. The report that I am a candidate in the interest of the ring candidate, is utterly untrue. W. J. TORREY.
Towanda, Pa., August 29, 1872.

One of the greatest luxuries of the present day is a large well warmed by a good furnace. Among the latest and best of these, are the Oriental, Base Burning and Reynolds' Wrought Iron. These furnaces have been placed where other furnaces failed to please, and as an evidence of their excellence, the dealers in them, Codding, Russell & Co., would refer, without permission, to the following gentlemen using the Reynolds' Sheet Iron Furnace: Thos. Desmond, Hon. V. Mercur, W. Bramhall, and National Bank; and to the following using the Oriental: D. S. Platt, J. O. Frost, N. S. Betts, Taylor & Co., Powell & Co., Chas. Mercur, Mrs. H. S. Mercur, Mrs. D. Cash.

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 the 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 next Fall will surpass any outside of the large cities, as it is my intention to have a stock of the period.

N. GOLDSMITH,
Keystone Clothing Palace.

The circus having gone, and the Fourth of July being over, it is certainly natural to have some excitement to occupy the minds of the people. The Presidential election is far distant yet; so we must have something in the meantime to divert the attention of the citizens of Towanda and surrounding country. Therefore, be it resolved by the citizens of Towanda that we unanimously nominate for Clothing Prince of Bradford County, M. E. ROSENFIELD, of Towanda. He having merited this honor by his sterling integrity and fair dealing during his business career in Towanda. And furthermore, that we ask the citizens of the county to call on Mr. ROSENFIELD, for everything pertaining to the clothing line. Mr. ROSENFIELD is constantly receiving a full line of Clothing for Men and Boys, Gents' Furnishing Goods, and Hats and Caps; in fact a full and complete line, which he will offer cheaper than the cheapest, and will guarantee to sell better and finer made goods than any other house in Towanda. By all means give him a call opposite the Means House.

The Bradford County Teachers' Association will meet at Orwell Hill, Sept. 13. The following appointments have been made: Lecturer, Hon. GEO. LANDON. Declaimers, JOHN ELLSWORTH and L. E. CHURBUCK. Essayists, Miss M. A. PRATT and Miss CHLOE DIMMICK. Business Committee, O. L. CHURBUCK, J. P. COBURN, H. CHAMPLIN, jr., Miss A. C. PENDLETON and Miss FLORA HUTCHINSON. The following topics are reported for discussion: "Is more secular education a safeguard to free institutions and free government?" "Should the chief effort in teaching be to discipline the judgment or to furnish the memory?" "Can Grammar be successfully taught without drill in both oral and written composition?" "Have School Boards authority to control the method or manner in which the teachers shall give instruction, in the several branches taught?" All friends of education are invited to take part in the discussion.

L. M. BISHAM, Secy.
Rome, August 24, 1872.

"Winter is here, and I must certainly get my stock of clothing. Let me see. I want an overcoat, a dress coat, pants and vest, a hat, a pair of suspenders and some shirts. Now, what do you think—where shall I go to procure these necessary articles?"

"Why, son! by all means, and right quick at that, go to M. E. ROSENFIELD, the Champion Clothier of Towanda. Why, I am astonished! everybody talks of his fair dealing and cheap goods,—and what do you think! the citizens of Towanda nominated him for Clothing Prince, and they say he is sure to be elected, because he sells so cheap and treats all alike, CHARLES, by all means hitch up Charley and Nell and go over to town, and buy your clothing of M. E. ROSENFIELD, Towanda. Put the horses up to stop on the road and call in the JENKINS boys and take them with you. I heard them say they wanted some clothing and would buy them there in preference to any other place in Towanda."

The Bradford County Sunday-School Association will hold its annual meeting in Towanda, commencing Sept. 16, at 7 o'clock P. M., and continuing through the two following days. The committee have secured the services of some of the best Sunday-school men in the nation, viz: Rev. G. A. PELTZ, the Secretary of the State S. S. Association, and Mr. TYLER, of Philadelphia, and others. Now let the Sunday-school workers rally to this annual gathering. Let every school in the county be represented. It is desirable that every superintendent should be present, with statistics in hand to represent his school. Will not all the Pastors now at once take the matter in hand, and preach on Sunday-school topics on Sunday the 15th, and see that delegates are appointed. The people of Towanda will give all a hearty welcome and furnish entertainment to all pastors, superintendents, delegates, and all friends of the cause. But that things may be properly arranged, let all who intend coming, report their names as soon as possible to S. W. ALVORD, Esq., who is the Chairman of the Committee of Entertainment.

C. L. F. HOWE, Pres.
O. A. BLACK, Sec'y.

COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—It has been deemed expedient to hold but two sessions, of a week each, of the County Teachers' Institute the present school year: one session to be held at Troy, beginning Monday, September 16, at 2 o'clock P. M., the other to be held at Towanda, beginning Monday, September 23, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Prof. P. A. ALLEN, of Mansfield, will be present at all the sessions, and will be assisted by the leading teachers in the county.

Several able speakers have also promised to deliver addresses before the Institute, and such arrangements are in progress as will, it is believed, make the sessions this year compare favorably with those of any former year.

It is hoped that teachers will use every effort to comply with the law which makes attendance at the Institute a part of their official duty. All friends of education are cordially invited to be present.

A. A. KIDNEY,
Co. Supt.
August 19, 1872.

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.

WM. DITTRICH, our popular and intelligent music dealer, now makes his headquarters at the store of T. EMMONS, on Main street. Mr. DITTRICH is fully posted in regard to the various musical instruments, and persons desiring to purchase should consult him.

## MARRIED.

BISHOP—JENNINGS.—At the house of the bride's father, in Standing Stone, Pa., Sept. 1st, 1872, by Rev. L. Parr, Esq., Mr. Steven T. Bishop and Miss Corinna M. Jennings, both of Standing Stone, Bradford Co., Pa.

COON—VANAUSTINE.—At the Central Hotel, Burlington, Sept. 5, 1872, by J. V. Rice, Esq., Mr. Idelbert Coon, of Leroy, Pa., to Miss Fannie Vanaustine, of Springfield, Pa.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Thomas Maddock's Produce Commission Merchant, 229 Pennsylvania Avenue, Scranton, Pa., Butter, Eggs, Lard, Cheese, Fruits, Potatoes, Ac., Ac. Consignments solicited, and returns promptly made on sale of produce. Reference to shippers given. Correspondence solicited.

The Fall term of Wyalusing Academy will open on Monday, September 2, 1872, and will continue twelve weeks. Thirteen competent teachers will be employed. Attention given to pupils desiring to teach. Good board can be obtained near the Academy on reasonable terms. Students wishing to lessen their expenses can do so by renting rooms and boarding themselves. Its surroundings will characterize the institution; the motto being, "Not how much, but how well." For further information address A. TYLER, Sec'y Board of Trustees, Wyalusing, Pa. G. W. BROWN, Principal.

COOPER'S celebrated Balcony and Sewing Chairs, are gaining a wide reputation. JOHN E. FOX, Agent.

Those indebted to the estate of JAMES ESRY are hereby notified that they must pay immediately, or cost will be made. This is positively the last notice that will be given. T. P. & B. M. ESRY,
Executors.
Sept. 10, 1872.

Tickets for all points West via Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway for sale at Freight Depot of Pa. & N. Y. R. R. Co.
Aug. 14—3m.

## New Advertisements.

WEEKLY ARRIVAL OF ANTHRACITE COAL

On the Railroad, at Canal Street, which will be sold by the car load or less quantity, and delivered on reasonable terms. Please call at the Coal Yard.

JAMES WILBER, Salesman.
Aug. 28, 1872. L. S. CASE, Proprietor.

CAUTION.—All persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a note given by the undersigned to Wilson & Maxwell for five dollars, dated June 5, 1872, as I will not pay the same unless compelled by law.

J. V. JONES.
Towanda, August 6, '72.—w3

FARM FOR SALE.—Situate in Asylum township, about 3½ miles from Towanda, on Allis Hill, containing about 93 acres, more or less, 60 acres under improvement, good buildings, well watered and fenced. Plenty of all kinds of Fruit. Terms one third of purchase money will be required at time of sale, balance to suit purchaser. For further particulars apply at the office of OVERTON & ELSBREE, Towanda, Pa.
August 5, 1872.

TAKE NOTICE.—All persons indebted to the late firm of J. MEREDITH & CO., will please call at J. Mair & Co.'s store and settle immediately, or costs will be made. The accounts are in the hands of T. Meridith for settlement. J. MEREDITH & CO.