Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Pa., Thursday, Dec. 14, 1876.

REPORTER CLUBBING LIST FOR 1877.

In order to give our subscribers the benefit of CLUBBING RATES for most of the popular publications of the day, we have made arrangements by which we can furnish the REPORTER and any of the following papers and magazines at prices named. All orders must be accompanied by the cash:

REPORTER	and	Harper's Magazine,	$4 50
"	"	Harper's Weekly,	4 50
"	"	Harper's Bazar,	4 50
"	"	Galaxy,	4 70
"	"	Lippincotts' Mag.,	4 50
"	"	Littell's Magazine,	7 50
"	"	Appletons' Journal,	4 00
"	"	Pop. Sci. Monthly,	5 50
"	"	Godeys' Magazine,	3 75
"	"	Nursery,	2 50
"	"	American Agri'ist,	2 50
"	"	Country Gentleman,	3 75
"	"	Atlantic Monthly,	4 70
"	"	Eclectic Magazine,	5 50
"	"	N. Y. Weekly Times,	2 60
"	"	N.Y. Weekly Tribune	2 60
"	"	Semi-Weekly Post,	3 50
"	"	Semi-Weekly Times,	4 00
"	"	Semi-Weekly Trib'e,	4 00

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE friends of Rev. D. COOK will give him a donation at the parsonage, in Merryall, on Friday, Dec. 22. All are invited.

FATHER HUNT, the eccentric preacher and temperance lecturer, who was well-known in this section, died in Philadelphia last week, aged 84 years.

THE NEXT sociable of the Presbyterian society, of Monroeton, will be held at the house of Mr. HIRAM SWEET, on Thursday evening, Dec. 21. All are invited.

IF OUR citizens would take pains to clean the snow off the sidewalks in front of their premises, once in awhile, we would doubtless hear less profanity on the streets.

CHINCHILLA is to be the fashionable fur this season. A silk cloak lined with this material costs only $400. New seal-skin saques will be lined with chinchilla fur.

OUR carrier boy will present the patrons of the REPORTER with a handsome Address on New Year's morning. FRED hasn't it in his heart to refuse small change, even.

MR. J. MCAFFEE, of Athens, informs us that he has eight hens which laid eleven hundred and nineteen eggs, in six months, from April 1 to October 1, inclusive. Next!

WE REGRET to learn that the publication of the Sullivan county *Standard and Free Press* has been discontinued, but we suppose brother INGHAM has grown weary of printing a paper for glory.

THE subject for discussion at the next meeting of the Troy Farmers' Club, is one that concerns everybody connected with it and should call out a general attendance. It is this: "What shall be done to make farming pay in Western Bradford?"

AS THE Holidays draw near, everybody is interested in knowing where he may buy the choicest goods at the lowest figure. Those wishing anything in the line of gift books, stationery, and fancy articles, will find an elegant assortment at WHITCOMB & SHAUT'S.

THE first Quarterly Conference of the North Branch Association of Universalists, will be held in Athens, Bradford county, Pa., Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 27 and 28, 1876. The friends are cordially invited to be present.

J. L. KENT, Standing Clerk.

THE revival meetings at Sylvania still continue with marked interest, the attendance being large each evening. Rev. S. L. CONDE and Rev. JOEL JEWELL still carry on the work, and there is a deep and earnest interest in the work, and the citizens second the efforts with heartiness. Quite a number have already professed conversion and there are others seeking.

ROLL of Honor at the Towanda Graded School, or names of students with perfect record in attendance, department and studies, for the week ending Dec. 8:

LIZZIE COSGRIFF, FRANKIE HARRIS, RALPH MERCUR, FRED SMITH, KITTIE BRYANT, BELLE HUNTLEY, MARIA LOCKABEE, CARRIE PRINCE, DAVID CASH, LAURA BLAKE.

PERSONAL.—Senator DAVIES will make his headquarters at the "Lochiel" during his stay in Harrisburg this winter. His constituents and other friends will always find his latch-string out, when not officially engaged.

—Hon. THOMAS RYAN, of Topeka, Kan., a Congressman elect to the 45th Congress, was in town on Monday. He was looking hale and hearty. Western atmosphere evidently agrees with him.

SEVERAL blunders appeared in the notice of the Benevolent Association last week. The amount deposited in the box at the Post-Office was *one dollar and sixty-seven cents*, instead of *sixteen dollars and thirty-seven cents*, as our types made us say. We also wrote, there are numerous calls on the *treasury*, but the types made it Secretary, and so it was printed. The Association gets the benefit of another notice through these blunders, however.

THE students of the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute, will give an entertainment, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, declamations, recitations, tableaux, dialogues, essays and orations, Friday evening, Dec. 22, in Mercur's Hall, commencing at 7:30 P. M. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Reserved seats, 25 cents. Unreserved, 25 cents. Proceeds to be applied to purchase of anatomical models for use of classes in Physiology.

THE congregation of the Presbyterian Church of Troy, completed an elegant new church edifice sometime last summer, but owing to the fact that there was a small debt due on it, have not been occupying it. An amount sufficient to cancel the claims against the church having been raised, the dedicatory services will take place on Wednesday next. The entire cost of the building, organ and furniture was something over thirty thousand dollars.

MASTER GUY DAVIES, son of Senator DAVIES, had a narrow escape from drowning on Saturday morning last. In company with several other small boys he was skating on the river, when he came upon a place where the ice had been removed, and only a very thin coating had formed, which was not sufficient to bear his weight. A faithful dog which had followed the lad, made strenuous efforts to rescue his young master, but failing to do so attracted the attention of Mr. NEVINS, who happened to be passing near the spot, and took Master GUY from his cold-water bath.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK still occupies the front rank in its peculiar branch of literature. As a fashion magazine, it is accepted authority all over the world. Although well advanced in years, its vigor and usefulness are unimpaired and its selections and original articles keep pace with advancing civilization. As an additional inducement to subscribers, Mr. GODEY has prepared a beautiful chromo, "Mother's Darling," which is in itself worth the small price asked for the magazine. Subscription, $3 per annum including chromos. We will furnish the REPORTER and *Lady's Book* for $3.75.

PATRON Past Master J. L. JONES, Esq., charter member of New Era Grange, No. 620, at New Era, Bradford county, Pa., died Dec. 7, 1876, at the age of 59 years. By his death the Grange loses an intelligent, useful and upright officer and member, and the community a good citizen. We not only mourn his loss, but sympathize with the bereaved family. We trust he has found a better and happier home beyond the shores of time.

JONATHAN BUTTLES,
E. B. WHITE,
J. O. DYER, } Com.

New Era, Dec. 8, 1876.

THE NEWS WITHOUT POISON.—The *New York Observer* claims to publish the best family newspaper, and repudiates all unsound or objectionable teaching. Even its advertising columns are free from all quackery and dangerous advertisements; and the whole paper, both in its religious and in its secular department, is filled with pure and entertaining reading. While we commend the position of the *Observer* in this matter, we also heartily endorse it as one of the most desirable periodicals for any household. The price, $3.15 a year post-paid, can hardly be made to return as much good spent in any other way. S. I. PRIME & CO., 37 Park Row, New York.

THE following sensible suggestion from the Huntingdon *News* is applicable to this town, and especially at this time:

"The most deserving poor are often the very last to make known their condition, and not unfrequently a false delicacy prevents them from appealing for aid when they are really suffering from hunger and cold, Our people, generally, know the families and persons who would be likely to want attention, and they should not be backward in looking after them. It should be proper for each church to look after its own members. Help rendered in this way is often more readily and cheerfully received."

THE following paragraph is going the rounds of the press, and as every locality is liable to the contagion, we print it, hoping it may prove useful to some one, if the dreaded disease should prevail in this vicinity:

"I am willing to risk my reputation as a public man," wrote EDWARD HINE to the Liverpool *Mercury*, "if the worst case of smallpox cannot be cured in three days, simply by the use of cream of tartar. One ounce of cream of tartar dissolved in a pint of water, drank at intervals, when cold, is a certain never-failing remedy. It has cured thousands, never leaves a mark, nor causes blindness, and avoids tedious lingering."

GEM LODGE No. 1,113, I. O. of G. T., at Luther's Mills, met Nov. 25, 1876, and passed the following resolutions on the death of Miss FRANKIE BENNETT, a worthy member of the order:

WHEREAS: It has pleased Almighty God, in his wisdom, to remove our friend and sister, FRANKIE BENNETT, in the bloom of youth; therefore,

Resolved, That in her death we lose a devoted friend and faithful sister.

Resolved, That we hereby extend to the bereaved parents our heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved, That our hall be draped in mourning for thirty days; that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the parents of the deceased sister, and also be published in the BRADFORD REPORTER and *Towanda Journal*.

W. S. GUSTIN,
SUSIE GUSTIN,
ELLA ESSENWINE, } Com.

AT A REGULAR meeting of Franklin Steam Fire Engine Co., No. 1, of Towanda, held on the evening of Wednesday, Dec. 6, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—IRA B. HUMPHREY.
Vice President—C. F. TAYLOR.
Secretary—A. S. MACDONALD.
Fin. Secretary—M. CARMAN.
Treasurer—J. V. GEIGER.
Trustees—C. E. ANDRUS, JAMES BRYANT.
Foreman—ED. FROST.
First Ass't—A. J. DOWD.
Second Ass't—M. M. PARSONS.
Engineer—J. C. LANG.
Ass't Engineers—JAMES SHELP, EUGENE HANIFER, CHARLES BARNES, HENRY WALBRIDGE.
Pipemen—JOE WAGNER, ED. WILLIAMS, JOE MITCHELL, O. D. LYONS.

HANDSOME PRESENT.—Last Summer Franklin Engine Company, of this place, participated in the Scranton Firemen's parade, as the guests of Franklin Fire Engine Company No. 1, of Hyde Park. As a remembrancer of the pleasant occasion, several of the Towanda "boys" have presented to their Scranton friends a beautiful frame containing their photographic likenesses, accompanied by the following resolutions, artistically engrossed, as a centre-piece to the group:

WHEREAS: Franklin Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 1, of Towanda, by special invitation from Franklin Engine Co. No. 1, of Hyde Park, took part in the annual parade of the Scranton Fire Department, on Monday, June 12, 1876, and

WHEREAS: We met with such reception at the hands of our hosts on that occasion as should receive from us special recognition; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we tender to the officers and members of Franklin Engine Co. No. 1, of Hyde Park, our sincere and heartfelt thanks for the hearty and abundant hospitality, and the many brotherly and friendly acts extended to us during our stay in Scranton.

Resolved, That we take this opportunity to express our thanks to the ladies of Hyde Park who so nobly responded to the call of the Firemen, and who succeeded so well in making our visit pleasant and full of happy recollections; said visit will always remain a green spot in our memory, as it has been the brightest and best in our history as firemen.

ALLEN S. MACDONALD, } Com.

AN EXCELLENT lady and model mother requests us to print the following "Short Sermon to my Students," by Prof. EASTMAN, believing it applicable to young men in all professions:

"You are the architects of your own fortunes; rely upon your own strength of body and soul. Select some specialty for your life's work, and adhere to Paul's precept, 'This one thing I do.' Let your star be Industry, Self-Reliance, Faith and Honesty, and inscribe on your banner, 'Luck is a fool, Pluck is a hero.' Earnest effort in one direction is the surest road to wealth and high position. Don't take too much advice, keep at the helm, steer your own ship, and remember that the great art of commanding is to take upon yourself the largest share of the work. Don't practice too much humility, think well of yourself—strike out—assume your position. It is the jostlings and joltings of life that bring great men to the surface. Put potatoes in a cart over a rough road, and small potatoes go to the bottom; turn a raft of logs down a mill-race, and the large logs come on top. Rise above the envious and jealous. Fire above the mark you intend to hit—ENERGY, INVINCIBLE DETERMINATION, with a right motive, are the levers that move the world. Don't drink. Don't chew. Don't Smoke. Don't swear. Don't deceive. Don't read novels. Be in earnest. Be self-reliant. Be generous—there are two sides to every balance, and favors thrown in one side of the scales, are sure to be reciprocated in the other. Be civil. Be a gentleman:—it is a foolish man who does not understand that molasses will catch more flies than vinegar. Read the papers; they are the great educators of the people. Advertise your business. Keep your own counsels, and superintend your own business. Make money, and do good with it. Love your God and fellow-man Love truth and virtue. Love your country and obey the laws."

BURLINGTON.—However much the Republican party neglected its duty in other sections of the country—here, I am proud to say, it did its duty. Had it done the same all over this great country, as it had the power and the right to do, such a majority would have been rolled up for President HAYES as would have caused the dry bones of treason to rattle in their very boots!

I sometimes think that there is a Providence in the course the Republicans are taking, to lead those rebellious scoundrels of the South on to a punishment, such as they never yet have experienced, nor even dreamed of.

When Providence lays plans for the scourging of a community, whose cup of iniquity is permitted to fill up to the brim, as they seem bent on filling theirs at the South, the punishment is swift and severe. Although the Democratic party has never been known to offer, or even think of anything good, for the promotion or benefit of good government, during the last fifty years; and though to-day it still continues to lift up its hollow voice against, and to reach out its bony fingers to clutch at and to tear down the best, the most magnanimous and glorious government the sun ever shone upon, (or in all probability ever will), since that old serpent the Devil entered the Garden of Eden, yet I firmly believe that it is the will of God that this Republic, though tried, will come out of every trial brighter and stronger, and will stand as long as long as the world stands; and that to this end sufficient intelligence and virtue will [illegible]

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HERRICKVILLE.—Thinking perhaps you may have a space in your columns that you can devote to a country article, I will attempt to give you a few items of passing events.

In the recent political campaign, Herrick stood by the side of Right and Loyalty. Her soldiers think that a bloodless battle fought and won at home is far better than thousands slain on distant fields.

The present is a season of general health with our people.

Many neighborhoods have given Sunday-school concerts, in which young and old participated. Anthems of praise were sung and recitations given expressive of reverence and gratitude to the Giver of all good.

Winter has shrouded the rugged hills and pleasant valleys, reminding us that the year 1876, with all its momentous events, is drawing to a close, and will soon be among the things that were.

The new school building in Herrickville is completed, and contains ample room for all the youth of the place. The upper school is conducted by Mr. CASWELL, and embraces the older pupils who speak many good words for their teacher; while the younger ones are delighted with Mis. DIMMICK, their teacher. The interest manifested in their studies, is the best evidence of the successful management of the school.

The good people of this place are entertained twice each week by the Cornet Band. Toil is lightened and trouble dissipated by the cheering influence of the music. They have completed a new band room, and have just organized a singing-school for general cultivation, conducted by Prof. G. F. WARNER. Hoping it may be a success, and of benefit to all who may attend, as well as the public generally, we wish them God-speed.

Dec. 5, 1876. JEPTHA.

A CORRESPONDENT suggests that the following notice from the *American Agriculturist*, for December, may throw some light upon the letter published in the REPORTER of Nov. 30, in regard to the death of a Mr. ROCKWELL:

"THAT DANGEROUS HOTEL,

which was formerly in New York, appears to have moved over towards sundown. Persons going to Nevada City, Cal., should be very careful in the choice of their hotel, as there is one at which people die so suddenly, that they have not even time to tell where their friends live, or what shall be done with their baggage. A few years ago we described the hotel dodge, but as it will be new to many we relate a recent case. A gentleman in Cylon, Wis., received a letter as follows: "Nevada City, Sept. 16, 1876. W. G., Esq, Dear Sir: On the 19th of last month, a gentleman stopped at my hotel, registering his name (we give only initials) as D. F. G. Two days ago he

DIED VERY SUDDENLY

of apoplexy (how very precise). Not knowing anything of his relatives, I examined his trunk, and found it to contain a very fine gold watch and chain, two silver mounted revolvers, a gold ring, and many other valuables. I also found some papers addressed to W. G., Cylon, Wis. On seeing this, and supposing you to be some relative, I concluded to write to you, as the trunk is a very valuable one, and you are evidently the proper person to have it. I would also say that Mr. G. owes me a balance of $20.50, for board bill, etc. Please remit to me the above amount by registered letter, with instructions to what point you want the trunk shipped, and I will forward it to you at once. Address, T. A. LAPIERRE, Nevada City, Nevada county, California."

The Wisconsin gentleman who received the above, having a relative in California, did not wish to ignore the matter altogether, but took the precaution to place the letter in the hands of a business man in Nevada, who of course found it to be a bare-faced attempt at swindling, and that great numbers of similar letters had been sent out all over the country. The instigator of the scheme is well known in Nevada, as a person who formerly had a "lottery" with its headquarters in that place. The thing is so transparent, that the mere exposure of it is sufficient to deter sensible persons from sending money in response to such letters; as for persons of the other kind — nothing will deter them. It is now five or six years since one COLLINWATER was sending out letters from New York, that were almost word for word like the above. It is a little short-sighted in these would-be swindlers, not to know that the first question of a relative who received such a letter, would be, "What have they done with the body?" If buried there were charges, and a trunkful of valuables would not be sent off on the mere payment of a board-bill. We have, first and last, seen a number of these letters, and find that in every case, the person who died suddenly, has "a valuable gold watch and chain, silver-mounted revolvers, gold ring," etc. This leads to an important deduction. If you would avoid sudden death, don't travel with valuables in your trunk.

COURT PROCEEDINGS — CONTINUED.—Thursday, Dec. 7.

The Grand Jury disposed of the following additional cases:

TRUE BILLS.

Com vs Simon Russell — Assault and battery.

Com vs Henry Hebird — Disturbing a religious meeting.

Com vs Frank A. Brink—Breaking into a dwelling house.

Com vs Perry Wheeler—Forcible entry and detainer.

Com vs G. Smith Post —Forgery.

Com vs Samuel Depue—Forgery.

Com vs G L Blackman — Assault and battery; 2 cases.

NOT TRUE BILLS.

Com vs Frank Chilson—Burglary.

Com vs O D Covey—Larceny.

Com vs Frederick Tabou—Larceny.

Com vs Landers Granteer—Larceny.

Com vs Josiah Hamburg — Malicious mischief. George Griffith for costs.

Com vs Louisa Brister—Malicious Mischief. S M Gregory for costs.

Com vs W E Armstrong — Selling liquors without license. F H Sherman, L L Brainard and S B Carmer for costs.

Com vs Daniel Hoover — Assault and battery. David Keene for costs.

Com vs W T Daily, Muller Daily, and Irvine Burgess—Forcible entry and detainer.

The Grand Jury were discharged on Saturday.

Com vs Wm Isabel—Rape. The Jury find defendant not guilty.

Com vs F A Brink — Breaking into a dwelling house. Dist Att'y Califf and J H Shaw, Esq., for Com. H N Williams and W H Carnochan, Esqs., for defendant. The Jury find defendant not guilty.

Com vs Alonzo Pool—Larceny. 2 cases.

Com vs J A Lee and Jas Taylor — Larceny 5 cases. The defendants in each of the above cases plead guilty.

Com vs Perry Wheeler—Forcible entry and detainer. District Att'y Califf and Overton & Mercur for Com. S W Little, Esq., for defendant. The jury find the defendant guilty of forcible detainer.

Com vs Henry Hebird — Disturbing a religious meeting. Dist Att'y Califf and E F Goff, Esq., for Com. W H Thompson, Esq., for defendant. The jury find defendant not guilty, on the ground of insanity, and the county for costs.

Com vs George L Blackman — Assault and battery. Dist Att'y Califf and Jas Wood, Esq., for Com. J A Wilt and E Overton, jr., Esqs., for defendant. The jury find the defendant not guilty, but that he pay the costs.

Com vs same — Assault and battery. Same counsel. The jury find the defendant not guilty, but that he pay one-half of the costs, and Frank Sweet, the prosecutor, the other half.

Com vs G Smith Post — Forgery. Defendant pleads guilty.

Com vs Phineas Pond—False pretenses.

Com vs C D H Cole—Nuisance.

Com vs George Acla — Fornication and bastardy. Each of the above cases continued to February term.

Com us Wm Melvin and Kate Melvin—Selling liquors without license. Defendants plead guilty. Court suspend sentence upon payment of costs.

Com vs John Barrows — Surety of the peace. Court direct the defendant to enter into a recognizance to keep the peace.

Court appint Giles N DeWolf, Treasurer of Pike twp., to fill a vacancy.

Deborah Wheeler vs Walter Wheeler. M G Palmer vs Fannie Palmer. Sarah Morse vs M K Morse. Court direct a subpœna in divorce to issue in each case.

Lina Haynes vs Charles Haynes. Julia A McCarthy vs F S McCarthy. Court direct an alias subpœna to issue in each case.

Eli Dunsmore vs Celestia Dunsmore. Court make Sheriff to make proclamation.

D L Gamble vs C A Gamble. On motion Court make the usual order and decree of divorce.

[illegible] cause why plaintiff shall not pay an allowance to the respondent.

W T Squires vs S Squires. Rule on defendant to show cause why he shall not perfect his appeal.

Edward Smith's use vs W Price. W E Armstrong vs A Kinney and L M Rogers. Rule to show cause why judgment shall not be opened and defendant let into a defense in each case.

S Homet's use vs M Vanderpool. Rule to show cause why execution shall not be set aside.

Henry Carl vs F H Person. Rule discharged.

O E Harris vs W H VanSyckle and M G Vansyckle. Rule made absolute.

Andrew Fletcher vs L H Lynn. Court direct record to be amended.

A C Wright et al vs J A Bloom et al. Plaintiffs, by leave of Court, discontinue this case.

E W Hale's use vs D D Maynard. Sarah Strauss' use vs George Lenox. Auditors' Reports in each case filed and confirmed *ni si*.

In re the assignment of Moses Watkins for the benefit of his creditors. Final account confirmed finally, and Court appoint L Elsbree, Esq., an Auditor to distribute money in the hands of the Assignee.

C J French vs C A Brown and George Lenox. Court vacate the appointment of Henry Peet, Esq., on account of illness, and appoint Delos Rockwell, Esq., Master and Examiner in his place.

G V Kendall vs Eliza Kendall — Court set aside order appointing a Commissioner, grant leave to Sheriff to amend his return, and direct an alias subpœna to issue.

B W Lane vs J F Sanderson and Wm Griffis' security. Auditor's report filed and confirmed *ni si*.

Sarah Strauss' use vs Geo Lenox. Exceptions filed on the part of John Lenox. In re. the final account of E T Fox, trustee of the estate of David Wilmot, deceased. Chas Burgess' Ex'r vs J P Fosburg. Jas Stether's use vs Richard Graham. Auditors' Reports in the above cases confirmed finally.

Wm Brain vs W A Porter. Court direct a writ of *Habere facias possessionem* to issue.

H W Strong et al vs Henry Roberts et al. Court direct a third plus *habere facias possessionem* to issue.

The following Sheriff's Deeds were acknowledged in open court:

To Athens Building and Loan Association, house and lot in Athens Boro', sold Dec. 1, as the property of A B and Mary Stone, $50.

To same, ¼ acre in Athens twp., sold Dec. 1, as the property of T W Lucas, $60.

To Alfred Bennett, 30 acres in Athens twp., sold Dec 1, as the property of J B Wiggins, $100.

To Jas Crofut, 2 lots in Franklin twp., sold Dec 1, as the property of E W Crofut, $30.

To J E Chilson, 148 acres in Albany twp., sold Aug 31, as the property of Henry Ward, $145.

To W S Davis, 25 acres in Pike township, sold Dec. 1, as the property of Preston Wilson, $250.

To Hiram Elsbree, 50 acres in South Creek twp., sold Dec 1, as the property of Geo Kinsman, $220.

To John Ellis, house and lot in Athens twp., sold Dec 1, as the property of C F Hamer, $100.

To R A Elmer, 110 acres in Athens twp., sold Dec. 1, as the property of J B and Clara Wiggins, $300.

To J H Griswold, house and lot in Towanda Boro', sold Aug 31, as the property of W Bramhall, $1,015.

To Wm Hutchinson, 6 acres in Pike twp., sold Dec 1 as the property of J A Harrington, $90.

To N C Harris, ¾ acre in Athens Boro', sold Dec 1, as the property of H C Smith and J M Ely, jr., $50.

To J R Lyon, 37 acres in Monore twp., sold Dec 1 as the property of F L Wilcox, $5.

To B W Lane, 78 acres in Asylum twp. sold Dec 1, as the property of M Hottenstein, $15.

To Job Morley, 102 acres in Burlington Boro', sold Dec 1, as the property of Reuben Morley, $150.

To John McKean, house and lot in Troy Boro', sold Dec 1, as the property of J B Adams, $400.

To Henry Morgan, house and lot in Canton Boro', sold Dec 1, as the property of Wm Crooks et al; t. t's, $400.

To Eleazer Pomeroy, 225 acres in Columbia and Armenia twps., sold Dec 1, as the property of John and Lydia Tomlinson, $300.

A GRAND Holiday Fair, for the benefit of the Catholic Church, of Towanda, will be held in Mercur Hall, commencing on Christmas, (Dec. 25, 1876), and continuing one week, closing Jan. 1, 1877. A fine time is anticipated. A splendid watch and chain is to be presented to whichever of the two following named gentleman shall receive the largest number of votes: Mr. JOHN BUCK, conductor on the S. & S. L. R. R., and Mr. J. RUS. PARSELS, of the Barclay R. R. From the popularity of the contestants, we predict a very lively time. All are cordially invited to attend.

AS WE go to press, the weather from being intensely cold has become warm and spring-like, the ice melting on the river and the snow fast turning to slush in the street. It is n't exactly like spring, nor winter, nor Indian summer, nor any other summer, but it reminds us somwhat of an old-fashioned January thaw. Don't be angry with us, darling, but you won't get that sleigh-ride just yet!

BUSINESS LOCAL.

☞ 95 Cent Goods at WHITCOMB & SHAUT'S Store, opposite the Public Square.

☞ Music Boxes at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ New prints at KENT & BLISS. [sep7

☞ New goods received daily at HENDELMAN'S

☞ Engraving done at HENDELMAN'S Jewelry Store.

☞ New Dress Goods at KENT & BLISS'. [sep7

☞ HENDLEMAN offers a great reduction in Silver-Plated Ware.

☞ Handsomest assortment of Jewelry in town at HENDELMAN'S

☞ New Goods in every Department at KENT & BLISS'. [sep7.

☞ Holiday Goods at CHAMBERLIN'S. [nov29]

☞ Goods received every day at CHAMBERLIN'S. [nov29].

☞ Goods sold cheaper than ever at CHAMBERLIN'S. [nov29].

☞ Call at KENT & BLISS' for your table Damask, Napkins, &c., &c. [sep7

☞ Buttrick's Patterns at KENT & BLISS.'

☞ Gold Opera Guard and Vest Chains at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ HENDELMAN has good goods and his prices are very low. That is the place to buy.

☞ Dollar-and-a-half books for 99 cts.: Mercur Block.

☞ Ladies' Ties in great variety, at KENT & BLISS'. [sep7

☞ Ladies' Collars and Cuffs at KENT & BLISS'. [sep7

☞ New Bazar Patterns for December at Mrs. MINGOS'.

☞ Sterling Silver and Silver Plated Cups at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ Diamonds, Rings and Stud Pins at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ Look at Mrs. MINGOS' Gloves and Hosiery for the ladies.

☞ Mrs. MINGOS has new French shapes in Hats and Bonnets.

☞ Call at KENT & BLISS' and see their new Dollar Corset. [sep7

☞ New Cloths and Cassimeres at KENT & BLISS'. [sep7

☞ One more case of those cheap Quilts, at KENT & BLISS'. [sep7

☞ You can buy a plated Castor for 99 cents, in Mercur Block.

☞ Call at KENT & BLISS', and look at their Black Grenadines.

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☞ A large assortment of spring and summer hats, just received, at M. E. ROSENFIELD'S.

☞ **Every little boy wants a pair of** those Continental Boots at CORSER'S, opposite the Court House.[sep28

☞ **FOR SALE.—A good Gold Watch.** Perfect time keeper. Will take borough orders in payment. Enquire at this office.

☞ **A new stock of Trunks and Travelling** Bags just received at CORSER'S, and at lower prices than ever. [Aug9.

☞ **If you want a suit of clothes cheaper** than you can buy the same in New York, just call at ROSENFIELD'S.

☞ Don't fail to call at HENDLEMAN'S, if you wish to buy anything in the line of Jewelry, Silver and Silver-plated Ware.

☞ **The Grand Central Hotel, New** York, "leads the van" among the first-class hotels, by reducing its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

☞ **Take Notice, there is a great reduction** in Waltham and Elgin Watches. Call at HENDELMAN'S and you will be sure to buy one at the prices he is offering.

☞ **FOR SALE — Valuable Building** Lots in Towanda Boro', on easy terms. Apply to JOHN W. MIX. Office Mercur Block, north side Public Square, Towanda.

☞ **A. KLINE, the Merchant Tailor,** has moved his Tailoring establishment to DAVIS & Co's Store. Clothing made to order; also cutting, fitting and trimming done with neatness and dispatch. Give him a call.

☞ **AUCTION! AUCTION! AUCTION!**—$25,000 worth of ready-made clothing must be sold in 30 days. Sales to commence Nov. 25, 1876, and continue Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The best chance ever offered in Towanda to buy winter goods cheap. A. KLINE,

Mercur's Block, opposite the Square.

☞ **GRAND BALL.—A grand Ball will** be given at the BARTLETT HOUSE, Wysauking, on Friday evening, Dec. 29, 1876. Lin-ta Orchestra will furnish the music, and no pains will be spared to make it a pleasant occasion to all who may participate. Bill $2. [dec14-3w*]

☞ **On Monday, Dec. 18, there will be** opened at the old stand of O. A. BLACK a large assortment of Toys and Fancy Goods, Toilet Sets Fancy China Goods and Holiday Presents. As we must close out the stock on hand, we have added a fine line of new goods, and will sell all at prices that will astonish you. Call and be convinced.

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☞ Gold Necklaces of the latest styles at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ **LOOK HERE.—You will find at the** old stand of O. A. BLACK the following assortment of Rogers Bros. Triple Plate Silver Ware, which must be sold before January 1st: 32 Table Castors, 18 Cake Baskets, 8 Butter Dishes. Also, a large stock of Napkin Rings, Card Receivers, Knives, Forks, Tea and Table Spoons, Fruit Knives, Ice Pitchers, &c. Call at once and get a bargain.

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☞ Fine American and Swiss Gold Watches, in Key and Stem Winders, for ladies and gents, at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ **A RARE CHANCE.—To procure a** valuable Hotel property on reasonable terms. Owing to ill-health I will sell my Hotel, known as the International Hotel. This is one of the best constructed buildings in Towanda, being 35 feet on Main street, and 64 feet on Elizabeth street, five stories high, with all the modern improvements, and contains one of the best ball rooms in the Boro. If not sold by March 1, it will be for rent. For further information enquire on the premises.

PATRICK SULLIVAN.

☞ **Sterling Silver and Silver Plated** ware at low prices at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ **The large ready-made clothing** business, built up by M. E. ROSENFIELD, is attracting other establishments to this section, but the prudent purchaser will bear in mind that all dealers are not possessed of the sagacity, wisdom, and strict honesty that actuates Mr. R. in his business transactions. Most men who pretend sell clothing "sheep," are mere pretenders, which the credulous buyer learns to his cost. Our advice is to all who want good goods at fair prices, to call on ROSENFIELD. It makes no difference whether you are a judge of the article desired or not, he is, and will not deceive you. Above all things beware of the man who never invites you through advertisements to call.

☞ Beautiful Christmas and New Year's presents at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ **THE MACHINE WAS WORN OUT.—** WHY? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their three score and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim, if they had tried the well-known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This system has proved efficacious in thousands of cases, and will do everybody good who uses it. All druggists keep it.

☞ **A big stock of very fine Stone** Rings at very low prices at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ **CHRISTMAS IS COMING.—What nice** present can I get for my wife, sister, or sweetheart, or for husband, brother, or friend, as the case may be? What will be more acceptable than a nice Photograph at WOOD'S? They are very nicely retouched and painted in neat styles. Or if you want a photograph, large, from life or copy, you can also get them there in India Ink, Water Colors, or Crayon. Nothing like it made in this county. Remember, at GEO. H. WOOD'S Gallery. There is so much cloudy weather, you need to think of it in time. Only a few weeks to Christmas.

☞ **Fine French clocks at HENDELMAN'S.**

☞ **Every genuine article has its counterfeit**; so every honest man has his pretender. Such is the case with our estimable and honorable clothing dealer, M. E. ROSENFIELD. Having made the business a study from early youth, and being controlled in business transactions by the strictest regard for truth, and the rights of his customers, who are not presumed always to be as well posted as himself, others who have no regard for the precept of the "golden rule," seek to profit by his enviable reputation, by engaging in the same business, and make large professions. Look out for them.

☞ **HENDELMAN'S store is filled with** first-class articles for the Holiday trade.

☞ **TO CONSUMPTIVES.—The advertiser**, a retired physician, having providentially discovered, while a Medical Missionary in Southern Asia, a very simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh, and all throat and lung affections—also a positive and radical specific for Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all Nervous Complaints, feels it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the recipe for preparing, and full directions for successfully using, this providentially discovered remedy. Those who wish to avail themselves of the benefits of this discovery without cost, can do so by return mail, by addressing with a stamp, naming paper.

DR. CHARLES P. MARSHALL,
33 Niagara Street,
Buffalo, N. Y.

☞ **HENDELMAN has the finest stock** of Watches, Jewelry and Silverware ever brought into this town. Call and see it.

☞ **A TONIC WITHOUT ALCOHOL.—** The PERUVIAN SYRUP is a Protected Solution of the Protoxide of Iron, which vitalizes, purifies, and enriches the blood. Dyspeptics and those suffering from Chronic Diseases, read the following:

From Rev. John Gregory, Pastor of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, at Pittston, Luzerne Co., Pa.

My Dear Sir.—Having at various times, personally, and in my own and other families, tested the great value of the medicine called PERUVIAN SYRUP OR PROTECTED SOLUTION OF PROTOXIDE OF IRON, I most cheerfully recommend it, especially to those who are suffering from dyspeptic and nervous disorders. As a reliable and powerful alterative, it is, I think, unsurpassed; and as a tonic, free from all the objectionable features of alcoholic remedies, it is a most efficient auxiliary to the temperance cause. One of the greatest hindrances to the temperance reform at present is, as I think, the medical use of alcoholic stimulants. Whatever may be argued as to their necessity in certain cases, we have, in the PERUVIAN SYRUP, a safe and efficient substitute for those dangerous remedies. This testimony is given unsolicited, with the hope that some who are not yet acquainted with the valuable properties of the medicine may be induced to give it a trial. Yours truly,

JOHN GREGORY.

CAUTION.—Be sure you get the PERUVIAN SYRUP (not Peruvian Bark). Sold by dealers generally. A thirty-two page pamphlet, containing a treatise on Iron as a medical agent, and other valuable papers, testimonials from distinguished physicians, clergymen, and others, will be sent free to any address. [illegible]

☞ The largest and best assortment of spring clothing in town, at M. E. ROSENFIELD'S.

☞ **A large stock of School Shoes, very** cheap, at CORSER'S, opposite the Court House[se82.

☞ **You will be surprised to learn how** much you can buy for 99 cents in Mercur Block.

☞ **Great display of Toys at BLACK'S** old stand, next Monday, Dec. 18. [Dec14

☞ **Go to the old stand of O. A BLACK** and buy your Holiday Presents *cheap.* [dec14

☞ **The Finest Display of Holiday** Goods in Towanda at the old stand of O. A. BLACK next week. [dec14

☞ **All the latest publications, very** cheap, at WHITCOMB & SHAUT'S.

☞ Everything in the line of Jewelry, Silver and Silver Plated Ware, at HENDELMAN'S.

☞ Don't fail to call at HENDELMAN'S and see his goods and learn the prices.

☞ All goods sold at M. HENDELMAN'S warranted as represented.

☞ **Everything in the line of stationery** at WHITCOMB & SHAUT'S.

☞ **Call and see the latest Ladies' Ties,** Collars and Cuffs, at Mrs. MINGOS'.

☞ **A new arrival of Ladies' Panniers,** in colored and white, at Mrs. MINGOS'.

☞ **WHITCOMB & SHAUT sell the best** Blank Books manufactured in the country.

☞ **You can get all the latest styles of** Stationery, very cheap, at WHITCOMB & SHAUT'S

☞ **Mrs. MINGOS has Ladies' Hats,** trimmed for one dollar and fifty cents, in good style.

☞ AYER'S AMERICAN ALMANAC is now ready for delivery by the druggists, and we are free to say that we have read this welcome visitor with satisfaction and profit. It contains an astonishing amount of information which is useful to everybody, and shows how to treat nearly all the diseases from which people suffer. It invariably recommends the best remedies to be employed, irrespective of AYER'S FAMILY MEDICINES, and furnishes, indeed, the best medical advice by which a great majority of ailments can be treated successfully. The anecdotes, witticisms and jokes are the best compilation that comes under our notice, and the book is a refreshing contribution to our enjoyments every year.—*St. Clair Observer.*

☞ Gold, Silver, and Steel Spectacles, and Eye Glasses, in great variety, at HENDELMAN'S Jewelry Store.

☞ THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN—COMBINED PAPERS—FORTY-SEVENTH YEAR.—The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN is published weekly on the following terms, when paid strictly in advance:—One Copy, one year, $2.50; Four copies $10, and an additional copy for the year free to the sender of the club; Ten copies, $20, and an additional copy for the year free to the sender of the club.

All new subscribers for 1877, paying in advance after November 1, 1876, will receive the paper weekly, from receipt of remittance to January 1st 1877, without charge.

The Country Gentleman possesses an unequaled Corps of correspondents, regular and occasional, among the best farmers of all parts of the country and constantly reflects the practical condition and and progress of the husbandry of every section of the United States and civilized world.

The Country Gentleman gives in its Horticultural Department a continuous variety of information and suggestions, equal or superior in the aggregate to what is obtained in the monthly numbers of most magazines devoted to Horticulture.

The Country Gentleman has probably done as much as all othea journals combined, to introduce and disseminate improved stock of every kind through the country; and commands to a greater degree than any contemporary, the confidence and support of breeders and purchasers.

The Country Gentleman contains unusually full and trustworthy Market reports, and devotes special attention to them and to the prospects of the crops, as throwing light upon one of the most important of all questions—When to buy and when to sell.

The Country Gentleman embraces numerous minor departments of a practical character, such as the Dairy, the Poultry Yard, the Apiary, the Vineyard, and so on, and weekly presents a column or two for the Housewife and an interesting variety of fireside reading. It contains a well edited review of current events, and its advertising pages furnish a directory of all the principal agricultural and horticultural establishments of the country.

Specimen copies free. Address

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Albany, N. Y.

DIED.

DECKER.—In South Towanda, on the 9th inst., Daniel Decker, Esq., aged 70 years

Mr. DECKER resided in the early part of his life in Monroe township, but some twenty-five years ago moved to the place of his late residence, where for many years he has filled important offices of trust, and responsible positions in society, to the satisfaction of all of his associates. Mr. DECKER leaves no family, but many friends and relations, as evinced by the solemn cortege that attended his remains to their sepulchral home. He was in his usual health until an hour previous to his departure for that untried world. It is supposed that disease of the heart caused the speedy termination of a usually vigorous and useful life. Verily, "In the midst of life we are in death.,' His body rests in that windowless palace, to be undisturbed until the "Great Day."

BOWMAN.—In South Towanda, Dec. 8th, Mrs. Orace Bowman, widow of the late George Bowman, in her 87th year.

Mrs. BOWMAN has been long and favorably known, as a valuable member of society, where she has resided for more than fifty years. As a citizen her place could not have been better filled, and in her domestic relations she was most eminently happy and successful. Her example is worthy of imitation, her piety unquestioned, her liberality commendable, and her end was peace. She has left a large circle of children and friends to mourn her loss, but they sorrow, not without hope.

YOUNG.—In Monroe borough, on the 11th inst., Edward Young, aged 72 years and 4 months, in the full assurance of hope.

Mr. YOUNG had been a resident of Monroe for about 35 years, was emidently respected, industrious in his habits, and exemplary in his life, and is deeply mourned in his death. Of him it may be said that he leaves no enemies behind him. His sickness was protracted and severe, and his patience was equal to the great emergency unto the end. With his stricken family his loss is irreparable, while in the community his place cannot easily be filled. "We all do fade as a leaf." COM.

New Advertisements.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

TOWANDA, PA., DEC. 5, 1876.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors, will be held on TUESDAY, January 9, 1877, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M.

N. N. BETTS, JR., Sec'y.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Towanda Iron Manufacturing Co., will be held at the office of the Prest., Col. J. F. Means, on TUESDAY, the 19th of Dec., 1876, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors, and such other business as may properly come before it.

H. L. SCOTT, Sec'y & Treas.

Towanda, Pa., Dec. 2, 1876.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF The Stockholders of the Towanda Bridge Co., for the election of a President, Treasurer and six Managers, to serve the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the First National Bank, Towanda, Pa., on WEDNESDAY, January 3. 1877, between the hours of 1 and 2 P. M.

N. N. BETTS, JR., Sec'y.

Towanda, Dec. 3, 1876.

WANTED.—Active agents to sell our "Great Household Companion," an indispensible article in every family. Agents are making twenty to forty dollars a week. Price of sample $2.40. For $1.00 we will mail it prepaid to agents only. State territory desired. Address

BISSELL & CO.,
218 North 9th St., Phil'a, Pa.

Nov. 30-1m

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned intend to apply to the General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania at its next session, for the passage of a law for the more efficient protection of sheep from being destroyed by dogs, by taxing the owners of dogs for the same, &c., in and for the county of Bradford.

S. R. McCORD,
R. M. WELLES,
H. L. SCOTT, et al.

TRUCK FARM FOR SALE.— The undersigned offers his farm for sale, situated in Wyalusing, Bradford Co. Pa., and containing 23 acres. The farm is well adapted for small fruit culture, 1½ miles form Depot, and ½ from Sugar Run switch. On it is a dwelling house with good cellar, and a good well of water at the door; small barn, and some 30 fruit trees, and ¼ acre set to strawberry plants last spring

For particulars enquire of W. H. BROWN, Bernice, Sullivan Co. Pa. [Nov. 23-4w.]

W. WALLICK,

NO. 729 NORTH SECOND STREET, PHIL'A,

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New Advertisements.

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA,

For Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Eruptions and Eruptive diseases of the skin, Ulcerations of the Liver, Stomach, Kidneys, Lungs, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Blotches, Tumors, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Pain in the Bones, Side and Head, Female Weakness, Sterility, Leucorrhœa, arising from internal ulceration, and Uterine disease, Syphilitic and Mercurial diseases, Dropsy, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, General Debility, and for Purifying the Blood.

This Sarsaparilla is a combination of vegetable alteratives—Stillingia, Mandrake, Yellow Dock—with the Iodides of Potassium and Iron, and is the most efficacious medicine yet known for the diseases it is intended to cure.

Its ingredients are so skillfuly combined that the full alterative effect of each is assured, and while it is so mild as to be harmless even to children, it is still so effectual as to purge out from the system those impurities and corruptions which develop into loathsome disease.

The reputation it enjoys is derived from its cures, and the confidence which prominent physicians all over the country repose in it, prove their experience of its usefulness.

Certificates attesting its virtues have accumulated, and are constantly being received, and as many of these cases are publicly known, they furnish convincing evidence of the superiority of this Sarsaparilla over every other alterative medicine. So generally is its superiority to any other medicine known, that we need do no more than to assure the public that the best qualities it has ever possessed are strictly maintained.

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FURNITURE STORE,

On Main Street,

From now until January 1st, 1877, they will sell

their entire stock of Furniture very low for cash.

There never was a better time to buy, as all kinds

of goods are low. We are selling

CHAMBER SUITS

Complete for Five Dollars.

Our assortment of goods for Christmas was never

better.

Come at once and secure bargains.

Remember that we are the only Manufacturers

of Furniture in Towanda, and the only house that

can sell at wholesale prices. Please call and get

prices.

J. O. FROST & SONS.

Dec. 14 '76-3m.

NEW JEWELRY STORE.

W. A. ROCKWELL

Is receiving a new supply to his large stock of goods,

SUCH AS

SILVER PLATED WARE,

GOLD AND PLATED SETS

AND RINGS,

CLOCKS,

And everything in the line, which will be sold at

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Please give us a call and examine our goods.

Repairing done at the shortest notice.

Dec. 12, 1876. W. A. ROCKWELL.

Dry-Goods.

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Markets.

NEW YORK PRICES Current

for Country Produce, for the week ending Dec. 9, 1876. Reported expressly for the BRADFORD REPORTER, by H. K. & F. B. THURBER & Co., West Broadway, Reade and Hudson Streets, New York.

BUTTER.—Receipts for the week 24,900 packages.

There is but little change to note in the market, fresh made having the preference over other qualities, selling promptly on arrival, while the demand for other grades is dull and prices irregular.

We quote:—

State Dairies, pails, selected	@35
" " " fair to good	31@33
" creamery, choice	36@37
" " good to fine	33@35
" firkins selected	@32
" " fair to good	26@29
" half firkin tubs, choice selected	35@36
" " " " fair to good	30@33
" Welsh tubs, selected	33@
" " " fair to good	26@29
Western, creamery, choice	36@
" " " fair to good	33@35
" firkins, selected	21@
" " fair to good	16@18
Western dairy tubs, selected	22@26
" fair to good	19@22
Western factory tubs, selected	21@23
" fair to good	17@20

CHEESE.—Receipts for the week, 33,000packages.

The market at the close is a trifle more active, on account of increased local trade. Business for export is dull without material change in price.

We quote:—

State factory, fancy	15@
" " fair to good	13½@14½
Western factory, cheddar fine	13@14
" flat, fine	12@14
" poor to good	10@12

EGGS.

The recent cold weather has a tendency to strengthen the market and increase prices.

We quote:—

State and Penn	@31
Western fine fresh	@29
" fair to good	27@28
Southern	28@29

FLOUR AND MEAL.

Flour continues active, with an advance of from 5 to 15c per barrel. Meal in fuller supply without change in price.

Superfine	4 90@5 40
Spring wheat, extras	5 50@5 80
St. Louis, extra	5 60@5 90
" fancy	6 00@6 75
" family	7 00@8 40
Corn meal, yellow	2 80@4 05
" white	2 85@3 10

GRAIN.

Wheat firmly held, transactions small. Barley dull. Rye quiet. Oats steady but quiet. Corn firm for new, heavy for old.

Wheat, Spring, No. 1	1 37@1 37
" Chicago, No. 2	1 30@1 33
" Milwaukee, No. 2	1 32@1 35
" Red winter	1 25@1 37
" Amber	1 37@1 43
" White	1 35@1 48
Barley	80@ 85
Rye	92@ 95
Oats, mixed	45@ 48
" white	47@ 49
Corn, western mixed	54@ 56
" " yellow	59@ 61

BEANS.

Market for Medium is decidedly better. Other kinds remain as last reported.

Pea, fair to good	2 25@2 50
Medium	2 20@2 25
Marrow	2 25@2 35
White Kidney	2 40@2 50
Red Kidney	2 40@2 50

HOPS.

Unfavorable foreign advices have restricted operations for export, while the home trade has slightly improved, but with a large supply prices are barely steady at quotations.

Crop '76, State, good to prime	30@32
" '75 Wis. fair to prime	15@25
Crop '74, poor to good	10@15

SEEDS.

Clover active, and when prime, varies little in price. Timothy steady. Flax firm at quotation.

Clover 1876	15½@15¾
Flax, western rough	1 62@1 65
Timothy, per bushel	1 90@2 00

DRIED FRUITS.

There is a better inquiry for prime ¼ apples at prices a trifle in advance of these realized last week. New peaches are scarce and command outside figures. Raspberries in more liberal supply and lower. Blackberries and other small fruits are quiet at quotations.

Apples, state, sliced	@ 5½
" " quarters	5½@ 6
Western, sliced	@ 5
" quarters	@ 5
Southern, sliced	5@ 6
" quarters	4@ 4½
Peaches, peeled, fancy	@23
" " fair to good	18@20
" unpeeled, halves	10@12
" " quarters	8@ 9
Blackberries, per lb	8@ 8½
Cherries, pitted, per lb	17@18
Plums, per lb	15@17
Raspberries	26@27

H. K. & F. B. THURBER & CO.,
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Produce Commission Department in charge of J. S. Cates. We receive and sell on Commission all kinds of Country Produce; make cash advances on consignments and furnish stencil plates and market quotations when desired. Correspondence solicited.

QUOTATION OF WHITE, POWELL & CO., Bankers and Brokers, No. 4, South Third Street, Philadelphia, Dec. 11th, 1876.

	BID.	ASKED
U. S. 1881, c.	115½	115¾
" 5-20 " '65, " "	108¾	108⅞
" " " '65, J. and J.	111⅝	111⅞
" " " '67, " "	114⅝	114¾
" " " '68, " "	116	116¼
" 10-40, coupon	111½	111¾
" Pacific 6's, cy	121	121½
New 5's, Reg. 1881	110¼	110⅜
" " c. 1881	110½	110¾
Gold	107⅜	107½
Silver	100	100
Pennsylvania	45⅞	46
Reading	18¾	18⅞
Philadelphia & Erie	12¾	13
Lehigh Navigation	27¾	28½
" Valley, Ex. Div	47½	48½
United R. R. of N. J.	138	138½
Oil Creek	8½	8⅞
Northern Central	22	21½
Central Transportation	39¾	40
Nesquehoning	50	51½
C & A. Mortgage 6's, '89	107	107½

Legal.

In the District Court of the United States. For the Western District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of G. F. Mason & Co., Bankrupts No. 1701. In Bankruptcy.

Said Court having ordered that the Trustee of said estate shall refer questions in dispute as to preferred claims arising in the distribution of said estate, to the Register of the District for decision, and that distribution be made in accordance therewith, subject to the approval of said Court.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of said estate, and all persons interested, that for the purpose of investigating and determining said questions in dispute, a hearing will be held before said Register at his office in the Borough of Towanda on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of December, 1876, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., and continuing through said day and other days (if necessary), and upon the final determination by said Court of said questions, distribution will be made of the moneys in the hands of said Trustee.

H. L. SCOTT, Trustee.

Towanda, Nov. 29th, 1876.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—In the matter of George T. Granger, bankrupt. In the District Court of the United States, for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

To the creditors of Geo. T. Granger, bankrupt:

This is to give you notice that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at Towanda, Pa., in said District, on the 15th day of DECEMBER, 1876, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of Edward Overton, Jr., one of the Registrars in Bankruptcy in said District, for the purposes mentioned in the 27th Sec. of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867. And I further give notice that I have filed my final account as Assignee of the estate of said bankrupt in said court, and on the day named above I shall apply to said court for the settlement of my account and for a discharge from all liabilities as Assignee of said estate, in accordance with the provisions of the 28th Sec. of the Bankrupt law of March 2, 1867. Be present thereat.

C. S. RUSSELL,
Surviving Assignee of Estate of Geo. T. Granger.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.—By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphans' Court of Bradford County, the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Ira Adams, late of Smithfield tw'p, dec'd, will expose to public sale on Saturday, December 16, 1876., at two o'clock p. m., on the premises, the following described property, situate in Smithfield tw'p, and bounded as follows: on the north by lands of Clark McClelland, west by lands of James Vosburg, south by lands of Jenny and east by lands of Robert McQueen and Templeton, containing one hundred acres, improved.

TERMS:—$50 upon the property being struck down, one-fourth of the residue upon the confirmation of sale and the balance in two equal annual installments thereafter, with interest.

oct5 AURELIA FURMOND,
Administratrix.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the voluntary assignment of Moses Watkins for the benefit of his creditors. In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County. No. 675 Sept. T., 1875.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Court to distribute fund in hands of the assignee, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the borough of Towanda, on FRIDAY January 19, at 10 A. M., when all persons having claims upon said fund must present them, or be forever debarred from the same.

L. ELSBREE,
Dec14 Auditor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of John Watkins, late of Athens twp, decd. must make immediate payment to the undersigned. all persons having claims against said estate must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

B. M. PECK.
Nov. 23w6. Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of David Elinberger late of Wilmot, deceased, must make immediate payment to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against said estate must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

Nov30,6w* JACOB STROUD, Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of Margaret Ellenberger, late of Wilmot, dec'd, are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate, must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

D. B. STOWELL,
JACOB STROUD,
Nov. 9 Executors.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of H. B. Wilhelm, late of Burlington twp., dec'd, must make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate, must present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

JAMES H. WEBB, Adm'r,
Dec. 13. East Smithfield, Pa.

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