Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Pa., Thursday, March 1, 1877.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN,

Dealer in

FINE JEWELRY,

WATCHES,

SILVER, AND PLATED WARE,

TOWANDA, PA.

Towanda, Jan. 18, 1877.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE Universalist Sociable will meet on Tuesday evening next, at the residence of Sheriff LAYTON.

THE Athens Building and Loan Association is rapidly being disbanded by the withdrawal of members.

SEVERAL invalids in this place are testing the "blue glass" theory, with what results we have not yet ascertained.

COL. WRIGHT, of Wilkes-Barre, distributed another thousand loaves of bread to the poor of that city, on Wednesday last.

OWING to protracted illness, our esteemed friend PATRICK DUNFEE, of Monroeton, offers for sale or rent his blacksmith shop.

Our townsman, H. JACOBS, is luxuriating at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, Cal., one of the eighteen hundred guests which daily throng the house.

THE new Jury Commissioners have appointed Mr. A. D. COOLBAUGH Clerk. The Commissioners met last week to draw a jury for the Troy Court.

A new code of laws has been adopted for the government of the Towanda Fire Department, and the Council has ordered five hundred copies printed.

THE pupils of the Neath Graded School will give an exhibition in the schoolhouse on Wednesday evening next, March 7, for the benefit of the school.

A THEATRICAL troupe, under the direction of CHARLIE SMITH, are to perform in this place on the 9th of March. The play is well named, "Forbidden Fruit."

THE saloons and eating houses in this county will have to be "run" without permission from the Court to sell "grog," unless the Supreme Court decides otherwise.

EXPERIMENTS are being made on the farm of W. W. WOODBURN, Esq., in Rome, for minerals of some kind. We hope the effort to discover hidden treasures may be successful.

REV. J. S. BEERS read the beautiful service of the Episcopal Church, and preached an excellent practical sermon to a large congregation in the Presbyterian church at Monroeton, on Wednesday evening last.

BY AN oversight a portion of our edition is dated Feb. 29, on the outside. The young man who makes up the forms having failed to receive a "proposal," yet still imagined it was leap year, in which event of course the date would be correct.

REV. J. S. BEERS delivered a very interesting and instructive sermon to children on Sunday evening last, from the text, "A little maid." A large number of the Sunday-school scholars were present, and listened attentively to the discourse.

EX-COMMISSIONER SHUPART of Wells, came as near being elected Justice of the Peace as THLDEN did to being President. He only needed one more vote, which his opponent got. Wells is strongly Democratic, and MORRIS must be popular with his neighbors.

The Presbyterian Sociable will meet next week Wednesday evening, March 7, at the residence of Councilman W. H. DOBBS, in the Third Ward. Mr. and Mrs. DOBBS will be pleased to see all their friends on the occasion.

A LITTLE boy under three years of age in the Third Ward speaks three different languages fluently. The little linguist converses with his father in French, with his mother in German, and the servant in English.

IT MAY be interesting to persons desirous of serving as jurors, to know that the names are put in the "box" in December of each year, and that Jury Commissioners have no more control over the order in which the names are drawn than the man in the moon.

AT THE last meeting of the Mutual Building Association, application was made for the withdrawal of about thirty shares, and it is expected many more will be made next month. It begins to look as though it might be a long time before the shares will become par.

Two weeks since we announced the death of NATHANIEL BENNETT, of North Towanda. Just a week after his funeral, his aged wife, who had been his companion for more than fifty years, died. Mrs. B. was 70 years old. Thus the aged people of the county are rapidly disappearing from the earth.

ED. REPORTER: At a regular meeting of Asylum Lodge, No. 1,108, I. O. of G. T., held at their place of meeting, Thursday evening, Feb. 22, the following resolution was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to Judge C. S. RUSSELL, for the action he has taken in regard to the licence law.

M. FRISBY, Sec'y.

IN JUSTICE to ourselves and the thousands of people who have written us concerning the Washington Territory colony, we are compelled to state that the notice was inserted at the request of A. B. SMITH, of Ulster, who has failed to furnish us with any particulars of the matter. We must therefore request that parties who desire information on the subject will call on or address Mr. SMITH at Ulster. We know nothing about it.

THE dedication services of the Universalist Church in Towanda, will commence Tuesday evening, March 13. The meeting will close Thursday evening. Prominent clergymen from abroad will be in attendance. The public in general and especially the friends of the cause, are cordially invited to be present. A committee of reception will be at the church and provide for the wants of all who may come. By order of Trustees.

THE new hall of the Wyalusing Grange in the village of Wyalusing, will be dedicated March 3, 1877. Exercises will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., and dinner served between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock P. M. The officers of the State Grange and other distinguished speakers are expected to be present and assist in the exercises. Members of neighboring granges and the public generally are cordially invited to attend. Ample provision will be made for all who desire dinner and charges will be moderate.

ONE of the most important cases from this county to be argued before the Supreme Court at the session next week, is that of ELLIOTT vs. WILCOX, involving the constitutionality of the Troy Court. The case is carried to the Supreme Court for the purpose of testing this point, by H. N. WILLIAMS, of Canton. If there is any doubt among legal minds on the question, it is high time it were disposed of, and Mr. WILLIAMS should have the cooperation of all parties interested in his efforts to obtain a decision from the Supreme Court.

D. J. QUAID, of Troy, and W. H. DECKER, jr., of this place, have rented the store lately occupied by C. B. PATCH, and will shortly open with an entirely new and fresh supply of Groceries and Provisions. Mr. QUAID has been engaged in the business for several years in Troy, and Mr. DECKER has had considerable experience here in the large establishment of McCABE & EDWARDS. Both are industrious and popular, and their location excellent, so that we can see no reason why they may not do a prosperous business. They certainly merit a large patronage.

PERSONAL.—Hon. H. W. TRACY was in town last week. Advancing years and feeble health have confined him very closely to his pleasant home in Standing Stone for the past year, and we are pleased to see him able to be around again.

—Rev. T. A. EDWARDS, who has been assisting in a revival at Bath, N. Y., returned home last week, and conducted service as usual on Sunday in the Baptist church.

—Hon. V. M. LONG and JOHN H. GRANT, of Troy, were in town on Friday last. These gentlemen are both very popular, and were warmly welcomed by their many friends.

—Mrs. Dr. STEVENS, *nee* DORA TIDD, left for Jersey City, on Friday last, to join her husband, who has established himself in business there. Mrs. S. has many friends here who will miss her.

THE following item from the Montrose *Democrat* ought to be read and observed by all Postmasters:

"We respectfully call the attention of Postmasters throughout the country to the fact that the sending of a paper which is not taken from the office, back to the publication office, with the word "refused," or even the longer inscription, "this man don't want the paper no longer," written on the margin, is not the notice to the publisher, which the law contemplates, and which under his oath of office, the Postmaster is compelled to give. The Department furnishes a blank especially designed for the notification of publishers when papers are not taken from the office to which they are addressed, and it may interest small Postmasters to know that until they have *properly notified* a publisher, they can be held responsible for the amount of subscription due."

LITTELL'S LIVING AGE.—The numbers of this standard periodical for the weeks ending Feb. 10 and 17, have the following noteworthy contents: Arctic Heroes, from Eirek of Scandinavia to Captain NARES, *London Quarterly*; Condition of the Larger Planets, by RICHARD A. PROCTOR, F. R. A. S., *Popular Science Review*; The Geographical Aspect of the Eastern Question, by EDWARD A FREEMAN, *Fortnightly Review*; Jullan's Letters, Agates and Agate Working, by F. W. RUDLEY, F. G. S., *Popular Science Review*; Jon Jonsson's Saga, the Genuine Autobiography of a Modern Icelander, *Fraser*; CHARLES KINGSLEY, *Fortnightly Review*; a Polynesian Griselda, *Examiner*; Scenery in Holland, *Month*; Weariness, a Tale from France, by RUDOLPH LINDAU, *Blackwood*; The Shadow of the Door, *Blackwood*; Installments of GEO. MACDONALD's "Marquis of Lossie," and WM. BLACK's new serial, and the usual choice poetry, etc.

WE HAD the pleasure one day last week of visiting our excellent graded school, in company with County Superintendent KEENEY. Although many of the more advanced scholars had been excused for the afternoon in order that they might witness the exercises at the Institute, those who remained were attentive to the instruction offered by the Superintendent, displaying by their prompt and intelligent answers, not enough drilling, and more than an ordinary degree of comprehension. Prof. RYAN has just reason for pride at his success as an instructor, and good fortune in having such an exceptionally intelligent band of pupils.

PROF. KEENEY spent an hour or more in drilling the scholars in reading and elocution. We were most agreeably struck with both his method and manner. Many instructors have the best theory, without understanding how properly to apply it practically; but our Superintendent is not of this class, and we doubt not the ideas and instruction imparted to the scholars on this occasion will be productive of much good. The scholars fully comprehended him, and therefore received the instruction with pleasure and profit.

THE Elmira *Husbandman* tells the following anecdote of the experience of one of the members of the Elmira Farmers' Club, who on hearing a neighbor complain of the antics of an unruly cow, proposed putting knobs on her horns, to effect restraint, whereupon the neighbor said it would be a difficult task, and he would give any man five dollars who would do it. The unsuspecting member of the Club said he would undertake the task for the sum named, charging nothing if he did not succeed. The bargain was immediately consummated, and the confident member proceeded to town and procured a costly pair of knobs, such as he felt that he could afford in view of the liberal compensation which he was to receive. He then armed himself with all the fastenings that he thought he should need, and with a confident air proceeded to the house of the neighbor who owned the troublesome beast. Anticipating an easy victory, he hastened to the stable where he was informed he would find his victim. He found the cow, and found a difficulty in the way of the accomplishment of his feat, which had not entered into his calculations. *The beast had no horns!*

A BARBER shop is an excellent place for recounting reminiscences, and relearning events in the early history of the place. The editorial establishment of our accomplished artist, JOE JOHNSON, is no exception to this rule, to the ordinary shaving saloon. While undergoing an operation under JOE's skillful hands, the other evening, we were amused by listening to fish stories related by JIM M. and others. JIM said he distinctly remembered seeing a fishing party take *two thousand shad* at one haul just below where the dam now crosses the stream. This "story" was supplemented by FRANK W., who recollected the circumstance of a party visiting Northrop's Island one night and securing *four thousand eels*. "The ship didn't begin to sink," but in order to secure the enormous draught, a deep hole was dug in the sand and the eels placed in it. The following day the lucky fishermen exchanged a portion of them with Mr. MANVILLE for a cow. If the efforts of our law-makers to again supply the Susquehanna with fish, brings a return of such days, not a few will have occasion to rejoice.

THE following Bradford county cases are on the list for hearing before the Supreme Court next week:

1. Com vs Means. Certiorari to Quarter Sessions.

4. McTavish vs Lockwood et al. Error to Common Pleas.

12. Williams vs N C R W Co. Error to Common Pleas.

16. May vs Spalding. Error to Common Pleas.

17. Noble vs Long. Error to Common Pleas.

20. Decker vs Sill. Error to Common Pleas.

23. Person vs Pierce. Error to Common Pleas.

24. Oliver's Appeal. Certiorari to Common Pleas.

28. Wirt vs Vandermark. Error to Common Pleas.

30. Drake vs Kelley. Error to Common Pleas.

31. Bullard vs Miller. Error to Common Pleas.

32. Johnson vs Stowell. Error to Common Pleas.

33. Rutty's Appeal. Certiorari to Common Pleas.

34. Elliott vs Wilcox. Error to Common Pleas.

39. McClelland vs Pomeroy. Error to Common Pleas.

THE County Lodge of Good Templars met in Rome on Tuesday and Wednesday last. Forty-two Lodges were represented by at least two hundred delegates.—Grand Worthy Chief Templar DARTT presided. The reports from delegates were encouraging and showed the order in a healthy condition. A public meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening, when the house was literally filled, every available inch of space being occupied. The exercises were very entertaining, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, speeches, essays and declamations. Among the speakers were N. S. FRAZIER, G W C T DARTT, MANVILLE and GRIDLEY, and Revs WILLIAMS and KEATLEY. Those who were present will not consider it invidious in us in calling particular attention to the very excellent and perfect manner in which Mrs. RICE rendered "The Old Smith," and the well read and finished essay by Miss GRIDLEY, and the remarkable elocution displayed by little LOLA WILSON, a beautiful and intelligent "little maid," not yet in her teens. "The old Apple Tree," recited by Miss BOARDMAN, could hardly have been improved. Had we space, we would gladly speak of others, but where everything was exceptionally good, it would be impossible in the short space at command to do justice to those participating. The people of Rome with their proverbial generous hospitality, welcomed the delegates to their homes.

THE County Commissioners are now engaged in hearing appeals from the recent triennial assessment. The valuation of many of the townships has been materially reduced. Some dissatisfaction is manifested at the action of the board in increasing the rate from *four* to *seven* mills. The low rate was fixed last year, because the Commissioners saw that with the surplus funds on hand the amount raised by a four mill tax would be sufficient to meet the ordinary expenses of the year. But during the current year, the Bridge at Athens is to be paid for, and there will be other extraordinary expenses to be provided for, so that the Commissioners should not be criticised too severely. They have acted for the best interests of the county. The economical and judicious administration of the officers during the first year of the new board, has fully justified the expectations of their friends and reflects the highest credit upon them and their efficient and accommodating clerk, Mr. LEWIS.

HARPER'S for MARCH.—The March number of this excellent magazine has been on our table for several days. It is entirely worthy of its predecessors, and full in its one hundred and forty-four pages of what is entertaining, interesting and valuable. The editorship of this periodical is well placed. It is in the hands of HENRY M. ALDEN, a young man of exquisite taste and the most refined and cultured judgment. He should have the credit of the conduct of the magazine. It belongs to him. The number for March opens with an article which will be of interest to many, "Contemporary Art in France." It gives wood-cuts of a number of pieces of artists mentioned and portraits of the most famous ones. It is quite a pleasure to know how one like MESSONIER, who can get $60,000 for a small picture, looks in the face. AUGUST DORE' looks like anything but the man with the reputation he has, if the cut be a correct one, more like a round-faced bartender, or the head-waiter in a French restaurant. The cuts of the paintings are fine, wanting only the color to make them quite perfect. An account of the "Prussian Wends and their Home," strangers probably to everbody, follows. It is nicely illustrated. There is an article on "Litchfield Hill," with likenesses of some of its eminent men; a paper on "The Distribution of Animals," with illustrations showing some of the strangest birds and beasts known to man. "A Summer Cruise among the Atlantic Islands," "A Popular Exposition of some Scientific Experiments," and a short story "About Dolly," with those above make up the illustration portion of the number. The serials, "A Woman-Hater," "Erema" and "Garth," are continued. There are three short stories, an article on "Webster and the Constitution," and seven poems, which, with the editorial departments, comprise a number which is fit to set before a king.

A LARGE ESTABLISHMENT.—We have several times referred to the extensive furniture manufactory of J. O. FROST & SONS, in this place, but we presume many of our readers in this immediate vicinity do not yet realize the relation the establishment bears to the prosperity and growth of Towanda. J. O. Frost became proprietor of the business some twenty years ago, and at once commenced to enlarge and improve it. He saw that in a country like ours, where lumber is comparatively cheap, furniture could be profitably manufactured and skilled workmen induced to locate here. His plan was soon carried into execution, and the business grew from year to year, until he found the care and labor too great for him, and six years since admitted as partners his two eldest sons, who like their father displayed an aptitude for business, which was a sure guarantee of continued success. Now almost every article of furniture is produced by skilled and workmanlike condition as at any of the older establishments in the large cities. Thus the firm have been enabled to save quite a profit which usually goes into the jobbers' pockets, and at the same time afford employment for a large number of men, and a market for lumber which manufacturers were compelled to ship to the cities, at prices which were not remunerative, after paying exorbitant freight charges. On the first of February, the senior member of the firm, whose locks begin to show a large sprinkling of the "silver," retired, leaving the business firmly established and in prosperous condition, to his sons, who will without doubt maintain the high reputation of the late firm, both at home and abroad. It must be peculiarly gratifying to Mr. FROST in these "troublous times," financially when the best business men of the country, by the scores, are "falling out," to reflect that he has not only been able to "weather the storm," but lay by a competency for himself and good wife, so that they will not in their declining years be dependent for the means of support upon even the filial affection of loving and generous children, who have been trained and educated in habits of industry and business pursuits, and largely aided pecuniarily, as the fruits of years of labor and honest business transactions, he is now able to retire and live in ease, honored and respected by all who know him.

The new firm, J. O. FROST & SONS, have signalized their "new departure" by establishing a branch store at Ithaca, N. Y., which has been placed under the supervision of a younger brother, Mr. ERNEST FROST, and we feel confident the new firm will continue in the same prosperous and honorable career, which always characterized it under the able management of their father.

ED. REPORTER: The Teachers' Institute for this county was in session at this place on the 9th and 10th inst., and we were wholly oblivious to the fact of not sending you any report, until reminded of it by seeing the Essay of Miss WATTLES in your paper of this week. After all we doubt if your readers care very much to read prosy reports of these conventions, from pens itching to compose sober articles for the public delectation.

Our streets were filled with rosy schoolma'ams and rather bashful male educators. There is a freshness of manner about these female teachers that is really exhilarating to one who is tired with straight-laced conventionalisms. We witnessed in this educational collection some variety, just enough to lend an additional charm. There was the tall girl, who evidently regretted that she was not of a more diminutive size; and there the chubby Miss who doubtless envied the stature of her tall sister; there the blonde, as rosy as a frosty winter's day and good health could paint her—and the rich brunette. A large number of them were good-looking—none *very* pretty—none at all ill-looking. The young male teachers certainly did not appear to advantage in the society of their fair associates. The conversation of these girls had a sparkle about it like champagne,—their manners were easy and their deportment genteel. On the contrary, the young men showed much awkwardness of movement, and painful embarrassment. A little contact with the world, however, will remedy these little defects.

Looking over the cheery faces of the girls we could not help thinking that here was a good place for the boys to select sweethearts, and for the older ones to get wives, and we rather guess the boys were of the same mind, and we suspect the Misses held pretty much the same opinion.

We paid but little attention to the subjects of discussion, or to the stilted jargon of inchoate orators. We went to see and admire the schoolma'ams, and we guess all the truth and the whole truth were told, the most of the boys there went for the same purpose.

The same week we buried the venerable Capt. JASON K. WRIGHT. One of the largest processions ever seen here followed his remains to the grave. He is sincerely mourned by all who knew him. The remembrance of his deeds will reflect greater and more lasting honor upon the deceased than all the verbiage of fulsome panegyric. We trust his memory will be spared the infliction of stalking stereotyped eloquence. He was a good man. God has taken him home. Many hearts are bleeding with the bereavement. A knowledge of his excellencies is garnered up in the memory of surviving friends, and his body lies in that "silent city of the dead," whose pale-faced denizens are patiently awaiting the resurrection.

The same week the infant daughter of J. B. REEVE, Esq., suddenly died. Seized with convulsions in the night, she survived but a few hours. Another precious little bud gone to blossom in the "garden of the Lord." More bleeding hearts to join that great procession of mourners—more sorrow—more earthly hopes blighted—and all this is life. ATHENS.

BELOW we give a complete list of the township and borough officers elected in this county on the 20th ult.:

ARMENIA.

Judge of Elections, S L Sherman; Inspectors, W W Porter, J B Morgan; School Directors, N H D Covert, B Young; Constable, W H Decker; Road Com, O M Fletcher; Auditor, C H Webler; Treasurer, D D Alexander; Town Clerk, C L Green.

ALBA BORO.

Judge of Election, A M Wilson; Inspectors, L E Andrews, J W Packard; Justice of Peace, John T Larned; Council, J S Reynolds, Ira H Smith, Geo. Foss; Auditor, M L Packard; Burgess, George H Webb; High Constable, Elmer Cowles; Overseers of Poor; L J Andrews, J T Larned.

ATHENS BORO

Judge of Election, J B Reeve; Inspectors, D W Tripp, C O Huntington; School Directors, G A Perkins, J L Mersh; Justice of Peace, J Williston; Constable, R C Shoabangal; Academy Trustees, G A Kinney, J L Corbin; Overseers of Poor, D F Park, F T Page; Auditor, J L Mersh; Burgess, J L Corbin; Council, E H Herkins, T B Welsh, G H Pendleton, J M Ely, J N Evans, C S Maurice; High Constable; J H Hosmer.

ATHENS TWP.

Judge of Election, J S Murray; Inspectors, J J Campbell, F E Weller; Justice of Peace, D A Reeve; Constable, N Edminister; Road Com. M Coleman; Auditor, B H Silvie; Treasurer, N Edminster; Town Clerk, H A Kamberson; Township Trustee, J G Morley; Academy Trustee, J G Morley.

ASYLUM.

Judge of Election, D Kellum; Inspectors, R S Bacon, F N Dixon; School Directors, M Frisby, G C Beams; Constable, D Fenner; Road Com, P W Monroe; Auditor, F W Fratchey; Treasurer, H L Haight.

ALBANY.

Judge of Election, E Estell; Inspectors, S S Ormsby, J M Willcox; School Directors, R H Richards, O H Emory, B Allen; Constable, W W Corson; Commissioner, W Allen; Auditor, W Ayers; Treasurer, S D Sterigere.

BARCLAY.

Judge of Election, L Henry; Inspectors, M Ferritor, B F Crossley; School Directors, J Cronk, D Fogarty; Justice of Peace, H W McCraney; Constable, E McCabe; Road Com, A B Vanfleet, J North; Treasurer, J Collins; Auditor, E A Thompson; Clerk, D F Steele.

BURLINGTON BORO.

Judge of Election, Henry Pultz; Inspectors, S Pultz, L D Hill; School Directors, L D Hill, L W Lane; Constable, R M Clark; Councilmen, J Y Rice, W E Brown, C E Campbell, A D Ross, L S Wright; Auditor, R Murdock; Overseers of Poor, H Compton, H P Mead.

BURLINGTON TWP.

Judge of Election, T S Baker; Inspectors of Election, H Tuttle, John Huston; School Directors, M Bailey, R Holenbeck; Constable, W P Lane; Commissioner, R M Phelps; Auditor, H D Weed; Treasurer, J McDonald; Town Clerk, A Melville.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Judge of Election, T Blackwell; Inspectors, J Rockwell, W D McKean; School Directors, S Stanton, B Rockwell, G D Brown; Constable, H C McKean; Road Com, J C Tompkinson; Auditor, A P Rockwell; Treasurer, Warren Kellogg; Town Clerk, E B Montgomery.

CANTON TWP.

Judge of Election, C C Brown; Inspectors, L Lewis, S Williams; School Directors, P Worden, O Rockwell; Constable, G W Camp; Road Com, H H Spencer; Auditor, T S Manley; Treasurer, E Goff; Town Clerk, J B Wright.

CANTON BORO.

Judge of Election, G H Estelle; Inspectors, F A Owen, W L Seldon; School Directors, E Newman, E W Colwell; Burgess, R W Clark; Council, Ed Newman, J S Mix, W Erwin; Overseers of Poor, W Walters, R M Mapley; Auditor, H B Parsons; High Constable, T Leahey.

COLUMBIA.

Judge of Election, H B Watkins; Inspectors, L Smith, E Soper; School Directors F W Bullock, W Courtney; Constable, T Coloney; Road Com, C Bullard; Auditor, D Bradford; Treasurer, M Kennedy; Town Clerk, O H Besly.

FRANKLIN.

Inspector of Election, B McKee; Justice of Peace, M Walters; Constable, John Smiley; Inspectors, G Grace, I Smith; School Directors, J Rockwell, J Mason; Auditor, H Kerr; Treasurer, I Varney; Town Clerk, T J Smiley.

GRANVILLE.

Judge of Election, L D Saxton; Inspectors, N D Batter, L H Batties; School Directors, O Taylor, A Sayles; Constable, O Shepard; Road Com, H Remington; Auditor, M T Shoemaker; Treasurer, I Putnam; Clerk, H Rose.

HERRICK.

Judge of Election, W W Heywood; Inspectors, H Rodgers, R Hankinson; School Directors, J L Camp, G Overmeck; Justice of Peace, W A Wetmore; Constable, A McPherson; Road Com, J J Andrews; Auditors, P Warner; Treasurer, E Fuller; Town Clerk, J L Woodburn.

LEROY

Judge of Election C Hoagland; Inspectors T F Williams, M M Griswold; School Director, A J Blakeslee, W B Stone; Constable, R R Winter; Road Com, J A McCraney, Auditor, J E Lilley; Treasurer, E Montgomery; Town Clerk Leroy Holcomb.

LITCHFIELD.

Judge of Election, J H McKinney; Inspectors, J J Rogers, C H Campbell; School Directors, F E Nye, H Hays; Constable, W B Payson; Overseers of Poor, E G Bailey, L Coleman; Auditor, P H Buck; Town Council, A Nichols, J M Benham.

MONROE TWP.

Judge of Election, A M Coolbaugh; Inspector, E C Smith, H Cole; Supervisor, J Carmer; Treasurer, F Sweet; Constable, D S Mingos; Road Commission Northrop Jr; Auditor, J J Smiley; Treasurer, W Y Storms; Town Clerk, A E Benjamin.

MONROE BORO.

Judge of Election, H H Bingham; Inspectors J Dunlap, B A Cramer; School Directors, H W Rockwell, H C Tracy, P Mingos; Constable M M Gimlough; Council, P Mingos, H W Rockwell, G W Fisher, A B Corson, E Kellog, N G Chubbuck; Burgess, A S Cramer; Auditor, O H Rockwell; High Constable, E B Young.

ORWELL.

Judge of Election, J J Easterbrooks; Inspectors, C H Upson, J P Cowles; Commissioner, D D Jones; School Directors, S T Cass, E I Allis; Treasurer, S N Bronson; Constable, C O VanWhinkle; Town Clerk, J P Coburn; Auditor, C J Chubbuck.

OVERTON.

Judge of Election, D Lane; Inspectors, J Flemming, J Molineaux; School Directors, T Mullen, J Lane, R Monsmithson; Justice of Peace, E McCann; Constable W Sick; Road Com, T Mullen; Auditor, M Brien; Treasurer F Heichener; Town Clerk, E McCann.

WELLS.

Judge of Election, J A Pellet; Inspectors, A W Little, J W Baker; School Directors, F Miller, J Slocum; Justice of Peace, S H Ingersoll, G W Noble; Constable, F H Rapp; Road Commissioner, A Courson; Treasurer W Bewer Jr; Town Clerk, J McCarrick Jr.

PIKE TWP.

Judge of Election, H Wells; Inspectors, J H Smith, F L Blakslee; School Directors, W H Grant; Justices of Peace, C W Reynolds, E Keeler; Constable, D G Northrop; Road Commissioner, H W Coolbaugh; Auditor, L A Roeworth; Treasurer, C W Brink; Town Clerk, C F Jones.

RIDGBURY.

Judge of Election, Adelbert, Griswold; Inspectors, Walter Dewey, Egbert Jenkins; School Directors, F C Thompson, E M Tuton, W C Halsted; Constable, John Sturton; Road Commissioner, Geo. Rightnite; Auditor, Perry Brown; Treasurer, G W Mead; Town Clerk, G W Mead.

ROME TWP.

Judge of Elections, L D Price; Inspectors, H M Rockwell, R McCabe; School Directors, C Stevens, J Stalker; Constable, J S Frink; Commissioner, J E Gillett; Auditor, P M Towner; Treasurer, W Forbes; Clerk, T H Barnes.

ROME BORO.

Burgess, S E Seeley; Councilmen, W Towner, C Barnes, S N Brown, J Whitaker, G P Vought; School Directors, A P Young, C C Stewart, Justice of the Peace, F W Maynard; Auditor, O Bickey; Constable, E E Spaulding; Judge of Election, I C Adams; Inspectors, O F Young, A A Taylor, Overseers of Poor, C C Stewart, L R Browning.

SMITHFIELD.

Judge of Election, O E Wilcox; Inspector H W Perkins; School Directors, I Phillips, H Huntington, W Hubbard; Constable, E V Nichols; Road Com, M F Hanson; Auditor, C T Wood; Treasurer, S Hamilton; Town Clerk, C C Corss.

SPRINGFIELD.

Judge of Elections, A W Bailey; Inspectors, Elmer Doggett, A Woodworth; School Directors, J N Varney, O G Dunlap; Constable, Tim Leonard; Road Com, R Allen; Auditor, N S Hickey; Treasurer, Sam Harkness; Town Clerk, J K Phillip.

SOUTH CREEK.

Judge of Election, C F Moon; Inspectors, E. C Andrus, Gaylord Palmer, Eph Blackman; School Directors, Jas Burnham, Julius M Berry; Justice of Peace, Geo O Turk; Constable Daniel Chase; Road Com, John Craig; Auditor, S B Pettengill; Treasurer, S L Thompson; Town Clerk, Fred Chauncey.

SYLVANIA BORO.

Judge of Election, Constant Fuller; Inspectors, Chas Tinkham, C E Waldo; School Directors, A N Mosier, Peleg Peck; Overseers of Poor, J F Bristol, J M Strubee; Constable, J F Bristol; Council, F Furman, Wm Scouten, H Cunningham, J N Nash, A Scouten, Wm Kill; Burgess; F N Burgess; Auditor, L E Shattuck.

SHESHEQUIN.

Judge of Election, G L Horton; Inspectors, G W Horton, S G Marshall; School Directors, A J Thompson, J P Rogers; Justice of Peace, W Sayder; Constable, G Childs; Road Com, E B Ball; Auditor, G L Fuller; Treasurer, R Gore; Town Clerk, O Gore.

STANDING STONE.

Judge of Election, I Huff; Inspectors, H Pulford; F Espy; School Directors, H Park, I Hankerson; Justice of Peace, J Hart; Constable, P Grace; Road Com, T C Reed; Auditor, M P Vannest; Treasurer, A C Stevens; Town Clerk, J. Hart.

TERRY.

Judge of Election, F W Vandershot; Inspectors, H Thompson, H Shepard; School Directors, G Strong, A Elliot; Justice of Peace, P W Wells; Constable, H B Frutchey; Road Com, N Terry; Auditor, N White; Treasurer, H F Terry; Clerk, J H Schoonover.

TOWANDA TWP.

Judge of Election, O R Bowman; Inspectors P D Connolly, J Epley; School Director, F Gregg; Justice of Peace, H Baker; Constable, A W Dimock; Road Com, G Scarvile; Auditor, L M Bowman; Treasurer, H L Scott; Town Clerk, M Fox.

TOWANDA BORO.

Town Council, First Ward, E S Stevens; Second Ward, Abram Snell; Third Ward, W H Dodge; Inspectors, First Ward, R R Rockwell, A C Stewart; Second Ward, Harry Gray, H W Magill; Third Ward, J A Hicks, A H Kingsbury; Ward Assessors, First Ward, Thomas Kennedy; Second Ward, Robert Sherman; Third Ward, J H Otwell; Judges of Election, First Ward, Redmond Caton; Second Ward, J A Golding; Third Ward, James H Kellam; School Directors, M J Long, J A Wilt; Auditor, W S Vincent; Overseers of Poor, E Jayne, Dr D S Pratt; Constable, Johnson Wells; High Constable, G W McFatt.

NORTH TOWANDA.

Judge of Election, M. White; Inspectors, D C Hollon, J M Avery; School Director, B Heath; Constable, E R DeLong; Road Com, B Horton, Auditor, G H Mills; Treasurer, S A Mills; Town Clerk, M Howlie.

TROY TWP.

Judge of Election, M O Lombs; Inspectors, Nelson Wood, N P Fassett; School Directors, 3 years, A Rockwell, Andrus Case; 2 years, M McDowell; Constable, H N Fish; Road Commissioner, Hunt; Auditor, H Green; Treasurer, N Palmer; Town Clerk, S Maynard.

TUSCARORA.

Judge of Election, A P Brennan; Inspectors, M Montgomery, D D Gray, Jr; Justice of Peace, J. N Lake; School Directors, H Shumway, A Rockwell, 3 years; M Montgomery, 2 years; Commissioner, E L Taylor; Constable, J Clapper; Town Clerk, H H Smith; Auditor, J D Taylor; Treasurer, J H Black.

TROY BORO.

Judge of Election, V M Long; Inspectors V McKean Long, G F Dobbin, E Potter, tie; School Directors, B B Mitchell, Delos Rockwell, R C Kendall, Thos McCabe; Burgess, Geo. Peck; Constable, O P Adams; Council, Isaac Cleaver, C S Burt, L W Eighmy, H S Leonard, M M Pomeroy, Ed F Johnson; Overseers of Poor, E Pomeroy, Charles Grobs; Auditor, A C Fanning.

ULSTER.

Judge of Election, Wm E Howie; Inspectors, O A Vincent, C G Davidson; School Directors, J Q Sullivan, T H Holcomb, A D Minier; Constable, Geo Birney; Commissioner W H Rockwell; Auditor, Norman Shaw; Treasurer, H C Shaw; Town Clerk, E F Merserean.

WARREN.

Judge of Election, B F Allyn; Inspectors, W L Pendleton, Pat Touhy; School Directors, Geo W Talmadge, B B Pendleton; Justice of Peace, W W Baker; Constable, Jas Joyce; Road Com L B Wolcott; Auditor, N Newman, Jr; Treasurer, S A Wheaton; Town Clerk, C M Chaffee; For Town House, 45 votes; against, 182!

WINDHAM.

Judge of Election, A D Babcock; School Directors, A W Hotchkiss, John Harford; Constable, F E Neal; Road Com, J M Johnson; Auditor, J M Dunham; Treasurer, H Webster; Town Clerk, W H Clark, Jr.

WYALUSING.

Judge of Election, J H Howard; Inspectors, E S Faulk, Peter Biles; school Directors, Martin Fee, L M Hewett; Justice of Peace, I. B Camp; Constable, O W Corbin; Road Com., H Nurse; Auditor, Daniel Jagger; Treasurer, James Beaumont; Town Clerk, C J Lewis.

WILMOT TWP.

Constable, T E Quick; Commissioner, E Horton; Treasurer and Clerk; J Schock; Auditors; C S Stowell, D Ely; Judge of Election, M Sock; Inspectors, E B Barnes, G H Stroud; School Directors, J P Ely, D E Sickles.

WYSOX.

Judge of Election, D Mehan; Justice of Peace, A Cooly; Constables, E R Bishop; Treasurer, J L Morgan; Town Clerk, F Watties; Auditor, E G Owen; Inspectors, C A Lascur, R B Ferguson; School Directors, W M Shores, H C Spencer; Road Commissioner, G Gardi.

COURT PROCEEDINGS — CONTINUED.—Wednesday, Feb. 21.

Abram Waltman vs Rufus Potter—Trespass. Verdict for defendant.

Michael Pyne vs North British Mercantile Insurance Co.—Assumpsit. Elhanan Smith and J W Mix, Esqs, for plaintiff. E Overton, jr., and H Streeter, Esqs., for defendant. Court, on motion, direct a non-suit to be entered against the plaintiff.

J O Frost and R T Sherman vs J D Montanye, jr., et al, Garnishees, Sci Fa.—Foreign Attachment. J F Sanderson, Esq., for plaintiffs. Elhanan Smith and I. McPherson, Esqs., for defendants. Verdict for plaintiff, $71 against Montanye, and $50.32 against H P Moore and H W Tracy. O E Harris vs George Griffith. Auditor's Report confirmed finally.

Fitch & Kinney vs Simon Gibbs. Auditor's Report filed and confirmed *ni si*.

E Pomeroy vs Chas Stockwell. Auditor's Report filed and confirmed *ni si*.

—Exceptions filed on the part of A D Spalding.

In re the alleged lunacy of Michael Donovan. Return to order of sale of real estate filed and confirmed *ni si*.

Singer Manufacturing Co vs E C Parsons et al. Rule to subrogate D A Lamont to the rights of the plaintiff.

Lafferty & Landon vs Lyman Matson. Appeal. McPherson & Kinney for plaintiffs; H N Williams and G F Mason, Esqs, for defendant. Verdict for plaintiffs, $9.45.

N C Squires vs S A Squires. Court direct an alias subpœna to issue.

J A Parsons vs S W Brague et al. Court direct levy in this case to be amended.

Geo Landon vs Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Tuscarora. Garnishees. 2 cases. G W Smith vs Same. Rule why judgment shall not be entered against the Garnishees on their answers.

The following Sheriffs Deeds were acknowledged:

To David Bensley, 70 acres in Litchfield twp., sold Feb. 9, as the property of J S Goodsell, $500. To A C Elsbree, 60 acres in Athens twp., sold Feb. 9, as the property of A J Griffith and O B Smith, $700. To L S Goff, 2 lots in Rome twp., sold Feb. 9 as the property of Lewis Goff, $27. To John Kelly, 24, 27 acres in Granville twp., sold Feb 9, as the property of P. T. McKiel, $30. To T F Madill, house and lot in Standing Stone twp., sold Feb. 1, as the property of C S and Emma Taylor, $500.

To H W Patrick, 140 acres in Litchfield twp., sold Feb. 9, as the property of J L Ball $1,700. To H and S W Pomeroy, 2 lots in West Burlington twp., sold Feb. 1, as the property of A Barnes, $3,700. To Towanda Building and Saving Fund Association, house and lot in Towanda Boro', sold Feb. 9, as the property of Ann Meehan, $555.

Monday, Feb. 26.

Court approve the appointment of Hiram Taylor as Deputy Constable of Towanda Boro'.

In re the opening of, or extension of North Fourth street in the Borough of Towanda. Rule why a writ of mandamus shall not issue.

M G Palmer vs Fannie Palmer. On motion of W E Chilson, Esq., Court make the usual order and decree of divorce, and direct that M G Palmer shall pay to Fannie Palmer the sum of $5 per annum.

Kate E Brewster vs D D Brewster. On motion of James Wood, Esq., Court make the usual order and decree of divorce.

Court adjourned on Monday to Friday, March 2 at 2 P. M.

COUNTY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Bradford County Teachers' Association met at the Presbyterian Church in Athens, Feb. 8, 1877. Rev. McMaster conducted devotional exercises. The Business Committee reported the following resolutions for discussion:

Resolved, That there should be a law passed in Pennsylvania requiring every Director to visit the schools at least once a month