Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Pa., Thursday, March 29, 1877.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN,

Dealer in

FINE JEWELRY,

WATCHES,

SILVER, AND PLATED WARE,

TOWANDA, PA.

Towanda, Jan. 18, 1877.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

SIX PERSONS were baptized at Christ Church on Sunday last.

UNIVERSALIST Sociable at house of Hon. C. S. RUSSELL, Tuesday evening, April 3.

CLARK B. PORTER will occupy his new store, south end of the Ward House, after the first instant.

EX-COMMISSIONER MORRIS SHEPARD has met with a severe affliction in the death of his little son.

MAPLE sugar is now in order. A favorite way of ours to eat it is—at somebody else's expense.

THE small boy's trouble begins again. The one week's vacation of the Graded School ended last Saturday.

THE Tioga *Express* says Mrs. PHILA CASE LA BARRE has been delivering temperance lectures in the Cowanesque valley.

THE Troy Farmers' Club have decided to hold their Fair this year at the Fair Grounds in Troy, on September 13, 14, and 15.

A COAL train ran off the track about a mile and a half this side of Dushore, on Tuesday morning last. Thirteen cars were wrecked.

OUR exchanges mention the fact that winter grain never looked finer in the early spring or gave better promise of an abundant crop.

A RIPPLE of excitement was occasioned on Main street, Tuesday morning, by a runaway horse, who had things his own way for a little while.

THE attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of RICHARDS & CHASE, Elmira, N. Y. Their spring opening occurs this week.

THERE is a period in a boy's life when he thinks he knows it all; but it is before he has formed the acquaintance of a young Towanda lawyer.

A PET kitten was buried the other day in Towanda, with solemn ceremonies, several young ladies assisting as pall-bearers. What next?

THE law office of S. W. & WM. LITTLE will be removed to the second story, front room, over DECKER'S (formerly PATCH'S) grocery store, on the 1st of April.

THE EQUINOXIAL rain storm which began on Monday morning, changed to snow on Tuesday night, and continued snowing all day Wednesday. The river shows a pretty heavy rain-fall.

THE Presbyterian Sociable will meet at the residence of W. B. DODGE, Esq., on William street, Wednesday evening, April 4. All are invited to be present.

THE Library of the Canton Literary Society has been designated by the Secretary of the Interior as the Library to receive all books published by the Government.

THE store of J. W. KNAPP & Co., of Waverly, was "burglarized" on Thursday night of last week. About seven dollars in change, was the extent of the robbery.

A CONTINUOUS sidewalk is now laid the whole length of Main street, with the exception of a short distance between TRACY'S and KINGSBURY'S, as far up as Sugar Creek.

IF YOU want the address of your paper changed this spring, please notify us in time. Give the name of the office to which your paper now goes, as well as of the one to which you want it sent.

THE weather has for March proved that all proverbs and common prophecies of the signs of the weather in March are false. It has snowed, rained, blown and froze in March, with a little sunshine, which we take to be its summer.

HENRY MCCARTHY, who has delivered Brady's Lecture on Water by the McCarthy Society, is the young man of the Lehigh Valley referred to, and will no doubt receive a liberal patronage from the traveling public.

"THE WIFE'S TEMPTATION," a powerful serial story, will be commenced in the issue of April 6, of the *Elmira Weekly Advertiser*. Subscribe at once. Price $2 per year in advance. Address ADVERTISER ASSOCIATION, Elmira, N. Y.

THE advertisement of the Bridge Street Furniture Store appears in another column. Those desiring anything in the furniture line, will undoubtedly do well to call at this establishment before making their purchases.

THE Elmira Farmers' Club will sell a lot of choice cattle, pigs and sheep, on the Fair Grounds in Elmira, on Thursday next. This will afford farmers in this county an excellent opportunity of securing improved breeds.

MISS HANNAH NAGLEE, who is well-known here, is to be married this week at her father's residence in Moreston, Pa., to a wealthy gentleman of Michigan. Some of her Mansfield relatives will attend the wedding.—*Mansfield Advertiser.*

AN ABBIE M. ELLIOTT, of the Normal graduating class of 1875, was married on the 20th of February last to Mr. CHARLES P. LEM, of Wyalusing, Pa. May she be his brilliant luminary for many happy years.—*Mansfield Advertiser.*

A SOCIETY has been organized by the young people of the Troy Presbyterian church, known as the "Young People's Social Union," having for its object the social, literary and religious welfare of the young people of the church and congregation.

WE NOTICE that Hon. H. W. PALMER is one of the stockholders in the Wilkes-Barre Publishing Company. We trust that Mr. P. will quite frequently favor the readers of the *Record of the Times*, which the Association has recently purchased, with articles from his pen.

LECTURE.—Rev. J. B. WILLIAMS, of New York, will deliver a lecture in the Baptist Church, on Friday evening, March 30, 1877. Subject: National Reform. The lecture is well spoken of, and we doubt not that all who attend will be well pleased with it.

THERE is a little girl, about five years old, in this town, who can rival HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSON or DICKENS in story-telling. Her imagination is wonderful, and she can spin the prettiest little yarns, all made up out of whole cloth too, for she has never read a line of fiction.

DR. TERRY BEADLE, one of the most prominent men of Elmira, died in that city on Thursday evening last. He was for over thirty years identified with the social, business, political and religious interests of the town. He was 69 years of age.

A SUBSCRIBER at Luther's Mills, under date of March 27, writes us that Mr. ELIJAH KENDALL, of that place, died on Monday morning, aged 79 years. The death of Mr. K. removes another of the old citizens of Burlington. He was the oldest person born in the township.

On Tuesday morning Mrs. JANE BRAMPSLEY, a daughter of Mr. KENDALL, died after an illness of only two days. Both father and daughter will be buried Friday.

THE bill granting the Soldiers' Monument Association of Susquehanna county, four pieces of artillery, to be used in the erection of a monument in Montrose, passed both branches of the Legislature, and is now in the hands of the Governor for his signature, which it will undoubtedly receive.

OWING to the large demand which the printers have made upon our job rooms for samples during the past year, the supply is now completely exhausted. Our accomplished foreman, Mr. C. H. ALLEN, however, is preparing a new sample-book which he will have ready in a short time, when he will again fill orders as usual.

THE first man or boy who builds a fish-dam across any stream in the county, this spring, should be promptly dealt with according to the law made and provided. Those who make a practice of taking fish in this way, and by seining them out—in violation of law—may just as well be made an example of this year as to wait longer.

WE ARE always thankful for favors in the way of items of news. Please tell us of all occurrences within the range of your knowledge. Nothing makes a paper more spicy than a corps of correspondents from different parts of the county, each contributing their portion of news in their own peculiar way. Be certain to send reliable news when you report, and make your items brief.

MR. G. E. NORTH, for many years associate editor of the Pittsburg *Commercial*, has accepted position as editor of the Wilkes-Barre *Record of the Times*. So says the Harrisburg *Telegraph*. The *Commercial Gazette* says of Mr. NORTH that he "is an excellent printer, has had large experience in daily newspaper work, and possesses the requisite ability to make a first-class paper.

ONE of the most prominent features of the Elmira *Weekly Advertiser* this year will be a selection of brilliant and powerful serial stories. This affords its readers a combination of light and heavy reading at small expense. Price $2.00 per year in advance. With the issue of April 6 will commence the first of the series entitled "The Wife's Temptation." Address, ADVERTISER ASSOCIATION, Elmira, N. Y.

AN EXCHANGE in speaking of the prominent men in the Legislature of this State, says: The leading men in the Senate are HERR, of Dauphin; DILL, of Union; DAVIES, of Bradford; COCHRAN, of Clarion; NEWMYER, of Alleghany; LAWRENCE, of Washington; COCHRAN, of Delaware; YERKES, of Somerset, and WARDWELL, of Luzerne. They are not of the same political proclivities, but are deemed sound legislators and parliamentarians.

A GRANGERS' Insurance Company has been organized in this county, with headquarters at Troy. DUMMER LILLEY is President, EZRA LOOMIS Treasurer, and B. F. NEWMAN Secretary. None of the officers, except the Secretary, Treasurer, and President, are to be employed. It is expected the business can all be done without expense, through the several granges in the county. None but Patrons can secure policies.

THERE will be services in Christ Church on Good Friday, at 10½ o'clock A. M., and on Saturday evening, Easter eve, at 7½ o'clock.

Commencing April 1, the Sunday evening services will begin at 7½ o'clock, and the Thursday evening services at 8 o'clock.

Sunday-school Festival, Easter-Day, at 2 o'clock.

PERSONAL.—Hon. E. O. GOODRICH, Surveyor of the Port of Philadelphia, is at home this week.

—Senator DAVIES and Representative JAMES FOSTER have returned home from Harrisburg.

—MORRIS J. NICHOLS, a former employee of this office, has taken a situation on the Cambria *Times*, and we hear very good reports of him from that quarter.

FIRE IN WAVERLY.—The dwelling-house of Mr. THOMAS MURLAY, situated on Pine street, was destroyed by fire Sunday evening. The people were on their way to church when the alarm was given, and in a few moments a large crowd had collected at the scene of disaster, and succeeded in saving the furniture on the first floor. The fire took first directly in the roof, and is supposed to have caught from sparks from the kitchen chimney. Insurance $700 on building, and $700 on furniture.—*Tioga Advertiser.*

EASTER Day is always the first Sunday after the full moon which happens next after the 21st of March. This moon happens on Saturday, the 31st, this year, therefore, Easter falls on the 1st of April. The moon's full phase is the reckoning of the ecclesiastical year, and the latest possible date for Easter is the 25th of April. [illegible] Easter falls on the latest date possible [illegible] Easter falls on the earliest date possible