Bradford Reporter.

Towanda, Pa., Thursday, Jan. 23, 1879.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN,

Dealer in

FINE JEWELRY,

WATCHES,

SILVER & PLATED WARE,

TOWANDA PA.

Towanda, Jan. 15, 1877.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

COMMUNICATIONS and letters generally for this office, may be addressed "BRADFORD REPORTER," and they will receive prompt attention.

PERCIVAL POWELL has been appointed Postmaster at this place, *vice* S. W. Alvord, resigned. Mr. P. will make an efficient and obliging officer.

JUDGE MORROW presided at Court last week in Montrose, to try cases in which Hon. J. B. McCOLLUM was interested before elected to the Judgeship.

THE body of a woman who was frozen to death passed through Elmira Friday night, for Philadelphia. She came to her death somewhere near Rochester.

MEMBERS OF L. B. A.—Please remember the election of officers at the annual meeting, *Wednesday, 29th of this month.*

By order of President.

MRS. E. T. FOX.

REV. WM. TAYLOR will deliver a lecture on Odd-Fellowship, its history, progress and results at the Court House, on Friday evening, July 31, 1879. The public generally are invited.

FROM our friends throughout the county we should be glad to receive items of local news. Never mind about the style of communications; but send us the news. Address "BRADFORD REPORTER."

CAPT. WILT, Company K, left here Monday afternoon to attend the inaugural ceremonies at Harrisburg. The company turned out about 50 muskets, and will make a creditable appearance in the procession.

A THE Williamsport *Bulletin* states that LEWIS LEMARLE, aged 29, died there Sunday night from bulgjaw. A short time ago he had several teeters taken off by a circular saw in the furniture factory in which he worked.

THE annual meeting of the Bradford County Agricultural Society, for the election of officers, etc., will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1879, at the Court House.

By order of President.

WM. S. VINCENT, Sec'y.

COURT McCONNELL has been elected Clerk of the village of Owego. He filled the same position satisfactorily in 1876 and 1877, and was so unanimously chosen for the third time, which is not wonderful, considering that he is a graduate of the Reporter office.

THE change in the publishing of the Reporter will be not excuse for whatever error it may cost there may be for a few weeks in our local columns. We shall endeavor, as soon as possible, to offer such improvements as will make the REPORTER the best of all newspapers in the State.

L. M. HOVEY, Court, of Syracuse, aged about 25, attempted to commit suicide last Monday night at the Exchange Hotel in Binghamton. After planning to his friend he shot himself twice in the vicinity of the heart. He will undoubtedly recover.

THE brick store of JOHN KENNEDY, on the east side of Water St., near the railroad bridge, in Elmira, was destroyed by fire at 6:30 o'clock last Friday evening. The first floor was occupied as a clothing store by ISAAC PRAGER, whose stock was entirely ruined.

AT about 10:30 o'clock last Monday evening a kerosene lamp which had been left burning on the desk in J. B. SMITH'S grocery, in Waverly, exploded and set fire to the building. It was fortunately discovered and extinguished before much damage was done.

THE Owego District Ministerial Association will hold the last meeting of the conference year at Waverly, N. Y., commencing March 4, 1879, at 7 o'clock P. M. Opening address by L. COLE, of Wyalusing. Preaching Wednesday evening by G. L. WILLIAMS, of Rome. Members will present themselves with their own selection.

MR. JACOB HERTSHENT will celebrate the one hundred and third anniversary of the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. WM. THRAUTA, in the town of Union, Broome Co., N. Y., four miles east of Binghamton, on Saturday, the 25th inst. As Saturday is on the 25th of the month, instead of on that day occurring this year on Sunday, the anniversary will be observed the day previous.

MR. AUGUSTUS HEIN.—As Mr. P. W. Higgins was assisting from a gutter on the residence of Mr. J. B. McCollum in Towanda on Sunday last, in some way he caught one of her feet in the gutter and was thrown to the ground, and twisted that one of her limbs at the knee. Dr. Bonsteel of Waverly, was called, and although he says it will be 2 years of age, she is doing as well as can be expected.—*Towanda Gazette.*

THE Waverly *Free Press* states:—As Mr. Ira Ayer, of Elmira, was driving on one of the upper streets, between Chemung and Wellsburg last Monday afternoon, a ponderous rock came crashing down just in front of him, terrifying the nervous horse and also the occupant of the vehicle. Fortunately, he perceived it in time to change direction with it along down the mountainside, just in time to save his animal and save himself from injury.

AN ASTRONOMICAL EVENT.—On Thursday evening, Jan. 23d, a rare spectacle will be viewed in the western heavens. Jupiter, Venus and the moon will be in conjunction. This will occur on the second day of the moon and the planets will be seen, if looked for, immediately after the sun sets, very low in the west. Should the sky be clear or only partially flecked with clouds, the sight will be one of great splendor. A telescope will render the view intensely interesting.

ON Friday, while attending the Sheriff's sale at the Court House, Mr. AARON T. CONWAY, of Jackson, was seized with an apoplectic fit and fell dead in the Court room. The deceased was a man between 60 and 70 years of age, an honored and respected citizen, and his sudden death will cast a gloom over the community where he resided. His loss will be deeply felt by his family and friends.—*Montrose Independent.*

STERN Bros'. will remove to MONTANA'S old stand on Feb. 1st.

THE Wellsboro *Gazette* states in regard to a Mrs. RHODA JONES, of Charleston, that her last illness was marked by an extraordinary circumstance. She had been complaining for about a year. Four months ago she took her bed and lingered along with varied changes until 20 days before her death. She then lost all physical animation, although her mind seemed unimpaired. From then until her death (a period of 25 days) she lived without nourishment of any kind. It seems almost incredible that life could have been maintained, but there is no question of the fact. Deceased was 68 years of age.

A TERRIBLE gunning accident befell HENRY MACK, a lad 16 years old, and son of JETHRO MACK, at Great Bend, on Wednesday afternoon of last week. HENRY was hunting with companions, and when they stopped rested both hands crossed over the muzzle of his gun and leaned over it. By some means the gun was discharged, and the charge passed through the hands and several shot perforated one ear and tore a hole in the hat of young MACK. The side of his head was scorched and his face filled with powder. He was taken home and given surgical attendance. The left arm was amputated.

IN revising our subscription lists, doubtless mistakes may occur by the discontinuance of papers that have been paid in advance. As we are very anxious to deal fairly and justly with every one, we will thank those whose papers are stopped before the expiration of their time of subscription to notify us, and the mistake will be promptly rectified. The printed label on each paper shows the date of expiration of subscription, and whenever it is not correct, we should be immediately notified. Hereafter the accounts will be more carefully and systematically kept, and mistakes will be of rare occurrence.

THE body of Mrs. KELLUM, the mother of Mr. CHARLES KELLUM, of this city, arrived on the train yesterday. We are informed by Mr. KELLUM that his mother was 92 years of age, and met her sad death on New Year's day, by her clothes accidentally taking fire. He had not heard all the particulars. Mr. KELLUM and his family have the sympathy of the community in this bereavement, of a nature so extraordinary, and lamentable. The deceased has always been a lady of strong character, and remarkable for her vitality, as was shown by the extreme age she attained, to be cut off at last by a terrible accident.—*Swanzey Republican Jan. 4th.*

WE would call the attention of our readers to an error in the article on Prof. Gibbs' school, in the Educational column. The Latin formula there given should read as follows:

penna pen or the pen.
puellæ the girl's or of the girl.
penæ the girl's—the girl's pen.
the pen *puellæ* the girl's pen.

Hence,
penna the girl's—the pen *puellæ*.
and by substitution,
penna puellæ—the girl's pen.

The object of the formula is to teach very young pupils to translate literally and understandingly simple Latin words and phrases, and each equation should be thoroughly understood before proceeding to the next.

THE COUNTY.—From the Mansfield *Advertiser:*—

—It is said that a family living at Osceola let one of their children freeze to death one night last week. The child was two months old, and the only reason they had for letting the child freeze to death, (so it is rumored about town), was because it had a double hair lip. They laid the poor little baby off by itself in a crib, while they slept in a warm bed.

—WM. SIMPSON, residing in Chatham twp., attempted to commit suicide by hanging on Tuesday last. Mr. SIMPSON had been an inmate of an insane asylum, and the attempt was undoubtedly perpetrated under an insane impulse.

—The funeral of Mr. PETER DICKINSON, formerly a leading citizen of Wellsboro, was attended from the residence of his brother, Mr. SAMUEL DICKINSON, Monday afternoon. Mr. DICKINSON died last Friday at Hammondsport, N. Y.

—The school house at Brookfield Hollow had a narrow escape from destruction by fire, on Friday evening last, but was discovered in time by A. J. SIMMONS, and with great effort the fire was extinguished. It originated in the chimney.

—Mr. JEFF WELCH, while drawing logs, met with a serious accident on Tuesday last. It seems that he was standing near a load of logs, and by some means a binder came unfastened and struck Mr. WELCH, knocking him down and putting his shoulder out of joint.—*Blossburg Register.*

—Mr. WM. STRATTON, a soldier of the war of 1812, died in Delmar last week at the advanced age of 84 years.

LE RAYSVILLE.—If there ever was a place this side of the sunny south where the people are enterprising, happy and contented, it is here. We have to flourishing churches with able preachers, and large congregations. Our village is surrounded with splendid farms, owned and managed by practical farmers who know how to enjoy the luxuries of farm life.

Building and improving will be the order of the day in early spring. Parties are already wishing and visiting the place with a view of settling here and opening business. This is the boss place in that direction. No failures are unknown to our older inhabitants. To substantiate the truth of our assertion that we have a model place, let me say: that no fires have occurred here within thirty years, (for the people are honest, having an ANGEL in their midst). No lawyers inhabit the place, or even a drinking shop is not to be found. The Sheriff has no business in this part of the county only for electioneering purposes.

We also have a first-class graded school, conducted by competent teachers, and is in a flourishing condition.

Every man but one, doing business here, own and occupies his own premises—and the most of them own nice farms adjoining the village. We also have first-class carpenters—the Morris Brothers, who take the lead, and drive business with a will.

Our band, which is another leading feature of our village, is not only composed of good fellows, but are good players, and have a deserved reputation as first-class musicians.

Tramps never come here, as the atmosphere is odious to them. Business hang on the vines over night, and not even a chicken disturbed on the roost.

Dr. C. H. Warner, whose name is a household word in this section, is continually on the go night and day looking after his numerous patients. He is both successful and sympathetic in his practice, which endeares him to the masses.

The Herrick Sunday School Institute will meet at Camptown on Wednesday and Thursday, March 5th and 6th next. A large gathering is expected, and a good time is anticipated.

The Annual General Convention of the Mutual Musical Alliance will meet at this place on Tuesday morning, February 4th, and close on Friday evening following. The services of H. R. Palmer, of New York, have been secured to be present and act as Musical Director. This Alliance is doing good work in bringing out the musical talent in its jurisdiction, and should be well patronized at its gatherings.

PETER.

Jan. 15, 1879.

PETER HERDIC'S WHEREABOUTS.—In answer to the stories that have been told in regard to the absence of Mr. PETER HERDIC, Dr. F. PINKLE, of Columbia, his physician, pul lishes a card in the Philadelphia *Press* of Thursday. Dr. HINKLE says: "You will do me a great act of justice by informing your readers that Mr. HERDIC has been under my treatment since October, 1878, and as soon as he was sufficiently convalescent of his severe attack of catarrh, that threatened to end in catarrh pneumonia of both lungs, I ordered him to go south and spend the winter in a dry, temperate climate, and thus effect a perfect restoration of his desired health. The post office here and telegraph office, as well as the railroad to Williamsport, could testify of his whereabouts, and I hope this will satisfy your interested readers."

THE estimable wife of Rev. CLARK SALMON writes from Prairie City, Ill., this interesting letter:

PRAIRIE CITY, ILL., Jan. 8, 1879.

MR. EDITOR—*Dear Sir:* You have doubtless heard of peoples' blessed (?) with three hands; a right, a left, and "a little behind hand." Well, we are of that class, else we would not have been six months late in renewing for the REPORTER. The fact is, I have been trying for a year past to write you of this place and people, tell you how we appreciate your paper and renew it at the same time. But "hurry and drive" are the masters here, and they give us no vacation. Just now, however, our energies are thawing out after being frozen, and I hasten to write before they again congeal.

The New Year "came in like a lion" here, and that cold wave struck us in full face. The morning of the 2d the mercury was twenty-four degrees below zero, and the next morning it was twenty-eight. Matters began to mend a little on the 4th, but yesterday was the first mild day—though the thermometer stands below zero yet. Last year at this time we had a "mud blockade," which began in October, and lasted till nearly March; this, year we have eighteen inches of snow; good sleighing for four weeks past. Both an exceptional winter so "the oldest inhabitant says." Farmers are wearing long faces hereabouts; corn is twenty cents a bushel, and hogs $3.50 per hundred. As these are the two staples of this region, farming does not pay this year. The best farmers here are ex-Pennsylvanians, and if any one can make money tilling the soil they can. They have the best buildings, neatest hedges, and the most conveniences generally. Our most successful, honest and honored business men are from Pennsylvania too.

We send $1.50 for the REPORTER. When our subscription expires let us know. We enjoy the news from Old Bradford, and will take it as long as we can.

In behalf of the firm, your friend.

H. G. C. SALMON.

HON. J. M. FORSTER, Insurance Commissioner of Pennsylvania, speaks as follows in his last Annual Report, in regard to the lapsing of life insurance policies:

"The impression prevails that it is to the advantage of companies to have their policies lapse for non-payment of premiums; that, as a rule, they contrive to bring about this method of termination, and there prevails an amicable understanding with policy-holders. This impression is, to a great extent, founded upon misconception. The policy-holder who pays one or two premiums, and then discontinues payment, does a positive injury to the company. The cost of carrying his insurance and procuring a substitute is, in many cases, greater to the company than the amount of premiums paid, and he is entitled to no return. A large proportion of the forfeited policies are of this character. Then it must be remembered that policies on good lives, which it is desirable for the company to keep, are much more likely to lapse for non-payment of premiums, than policies on bad lives which it is desirable for the company to lose. The latter make every exertion to keep their policies alive, while the former are indifferent. The body of the company's policies are deteriorated by the lapsing process. The company is damaged by the desertion of its best lives—and yet this class of policy holders are very apt to feel aggrieved if a large proportion of premiums are not returned to them when they retire."

This is of interest at this time, in view of the action of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, regarding its retiring members. The Mutual has been charged with injustice to old policy holders, by many well meaning persons, who are profoundly ignorant of the true principles of mutual life insurance.

SUDDEN DEATH OF JOHN D. MONTANYE.—The sad and shocking news came by telegraph on Saturday morning last, that JOHN D. MONTANYE was found dead in his bed. The Ithaca *Journal* gives the following particulars: He was found dead in his bed this morning by his housekeeper when she went to call him to breakfast. It was of course not known how long life had been extinct when the housekeeper sought to arouse Mr. MONTANYE, but the doctor who was summoned, said the form was rigid when he arrived, and although the trunk still retained some warmth, it was probable that the spirit had departed hours before. The posture of the body indicated that death had been absolutely painless and without a sign of a struggle. Reclining there on his side, his face naturally and easily resting on the palm, and with one arm carelessly thrown across his breast—he seemed only as one wrapped in peaceful slumber. Whatever the cause, death had come quickly and without a pang. His wife had left the day previous to visit her little daughter and friends in Towanda.

The deceased became a resident of Ithaca about four years ago. He first made the acquaintance of our business men as auditor for the receiver of the then Ithaca, Geneva & Athens Railroad; since his duties in that position terminated he had been engaged in different matters relating to railroading, and since April, 1877, he had charge of the new coal yard at the Inlet. In business he was known as an unusually expert accountant, and those who knew him socially speak of him as one of the kindest and most genial of men.

The deceased was very warmly esteemed in Towanda, his former home, and we are told that the news of his death causes sadness among a large circle of ardent friends. As a partial proof of this sentiment it is worthy of note that a special train bearing Mr. MONTANYE's afflicted wife and mother with President R. A. PACKER, J. M. WARD, Towanda; HOWARD ELMER, Waverly; R. A. PACKER, Waverly; R. F. GOODMAN, Ass't Supt. G. I. & S., and CLARK PORTER, as escorts—came over to-day to convey the remains to Towanda, where the obsequies are to be conducted.

A Coroner's inquest was held, and after carefully investigating the facts in relation to the cause of Mr. MONTANYE's death the jury returned this verdict: "Cause of death unknown."

The body of the deceased was brought by special train to this place Saturday, Jan. 4th, and committed to the grave Monday afternoon. Quite a number of friends from Ithaca, Elmira, Waverly and Athens, were present to testify their regard for him while living, and their grief at his sudden death.

Here, where he was born, and has lived until within four years past, he had the respect and regard of the entire community, and his personal and devoted friends were many. Kind and generous in disposition, frank and genial in manners, with admirable business qualifications, he was more than all, a kind husband and father, and a valued and reliable friend. His sudden and unexpected death was a shock to the community, who sympathize with the bereaved relatives and friends.

THE many friends of Hon. J. H. WEBB will be gratified to learn that he is much improved in health, with a fair prospect of an entire recovery.

CHANGE OF TIME.—The Singing School taught by Mr. E. F. GOFF in the basement of Christ Church, (Episcopal), Towanda, will be held on Friday evening, Jan. 24, 1879, at 6 o'clock, instead of Saturday afternoon.

THE present month may be fairly entitled an old fashioned winter. So many days of continuous cold weather with excellent sleighing have not been known in several years. The ice bridge at this place is in excellent condition for crossing, and the ice houses have been filled with ice of a quality not to be surpassed.

AT a regular meeting of Towanda Lodge, No. 290, K. of P., held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 7, 1879, the following officers were installed by D. D. G. C. J. P. VAN FLEET, for the ensuing term:

P. C.—L. R. FROST.
C. C.—O. J. CHURBUCK.
V. C.—C. C. MOWER.
Prelate—C. E. ANDRUS.
M. of E.—H. E. BABCOCK.
M. of F.—GEO. CLARK.
K. of R. and S.—J. H. ORCUTT.
M. at A.—J. H. MEARS.
I. G.—W. D. RIDGWAY.
O. G.—WM. KEYSER.

DISTRICT Deputy VAN FLEET installed the following officers of Mountain Cliff Lodge, K. of P., for the current term:

P. C.—CHARLES MCGEE.
C. C.—FRANK CRAWFORD.
V. B.—GEORGE BEVERIDGE.
Prelate—ROBERT CAMERON.
M. of E.—WILLIAM DITCHBURN.
M. of F.—B. F. CROSLEY.
K. of R. and S.—ANDREW BEVERIDGE.
M. at A.—WILLIAM BEVERIDGE.
I. G.—ARCHIBALD HAY.
O. G.—DAVID DITCHBURN.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.—SPECIAL TERM.—MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1879.

H S Hollon vs G B Hains.—Rule to open judgment.

In re the assignment of Hiram Horton for the benefit of his creditors.—Court discharge his Assignee, W T Horton.

W R Storrs, Assignee of J F Means, vs Lycoming Fire Insurance Co.—Rule to strike off judgment, and set aside service of summons.

W J Davies vs James Fee.—Rule to enjoin Sheriff from selling defendant's real estate.

Samuel Walbridge vs W W Decker—Covenant. A C Elsbree vs J D Kyser—Assumpsit—A C Elsbree vs J. D Kyser, et al—Assumpsit.—Cases settled.

Elias Hunsicker vs Cornelius Hunsicker.—Ejectment. H F Maynard, J F Sanderson, N C Elsbree and W H Carnochan, Esqs, for plaintiff; H W Patrick, I N Evans and Elihanan Smith, Esqs, for defendant. On trial.

WYOMING COUNTY.—From the *Democrat:*

FRANK P. TUPPER, of Towanda, the court reporter, was promptly on hand Monday morning to aid in the dispatch of court business. He is reported to be one of the best reporters in the State and it is claimed through the aid of the reporter the forwarding of court business more than makes up the additional expense.

—The heaviest snow storm of the season visited this section last week. It commenced snowing Thursday morning and it fell to the depth of ten or twelve inches, making excellent sleighing. Owing to the heavy wind on Thursday many of the roads are badly drifted. The train on the Montrose Railway was unable to make its regular trips for a number of days after the storm.

—The tannery of this place is doing a large and constantly increasing business, and is carried on in a style that evinces the superintendent of skillful and prudent managers. It pays employes from $1.15½ to 1.60 per day. This is better wages than the railroads and coal mines are paying, and makes the tannery a very desirable institution to our merchants and business men as well as to the place in general.

WESTERN BRADFORD.—From the *Northern Tier Gazette:*—

—There was a fire on the road leading north about a mile from the old Church, on Saturday evening. About 9 o'clock, while the family of ROBERT SWAIN were at Church, their large barn was discovered to be on fire, and was consumed with all its contents consisting of hay, grain and farming tools. The light was plainly visible from this place. The barn was insured, but we have not been able to learn for what amount. The number of fires in that region of late years, suggests incendiary work, and an investigation would be in order.

—Tuesday afternoon, as Rev. JOEL JEWELL and his wife were coming down Paine's Hill, their horse became frightened at a train and plunged down the hill at a rapid rate, upsetting the cutter and throwing both the occupants out. Elder JEWELL striking violently against the bridge, receiving a very severe cut on the head which bled profusely. Mrs. JEWELL was but slightly injured. The horse ran on into the village breaking the thills loose, and was finally caught near the house of WM. FISH. Elder JEWELL was taken to the Troy House, and carefully attended, and was able to return home in the evening.

—At the Baptist Church meetings continue, prayer meeting and preaching every evening this week. The result so far has been a number of conversions.

—Our townsman, WM. MORGAN, a merchant known almost to everybody in the county, is lying very ill with dropsy, from which he has been prostrated for the past three or four weeks.

—The following officers were installed Dec. 27, 1878, in Trojan Lodge, No. 306, A. Y. M.: GEO. DILLIN, W. M.; A. C. FANNING, S. W.; JOHN C. STRAIT, J. W.; J. W. GOULD, Treas.; R. C. KENDALL, Sec'y. The following were appointed: AUSTIN LEONARD, S. D.; ARTHUR DILLIN, J. D.; S. S. HUGGINS, S. M.; B. E. ROCKWELL, J. M.; R. E. WILLIAMS, Pur.; MILTON HAMBLIN, Chaplain; E. PORTER, Tyler.

—On Friday night, about 9 o'clock, ABEL S. MANLEY, who resided in a fine house on the road between Troy and Alba, and about a mile north of the latter place, was compelled to attend to the wants of a grandchild who cried for a drink, when he found his house all on fire over the kitchen, coals of fire tumbling on the floor. A portion of his family were gone as well as his immediate neighbors, and several grandchildren of different ages had been sent to stay with "grandpa." His son GORDIE was with them, and it was with difficulty that they were rescued from bedrooms up stairs. Only a few neighbors discovered the fire and lent their aid, and much property was thus destroyed that night which would otherwise have been saved. As it was the fire completed the work of destruction. The loss would be hard to estimate, but we understand he was insured with POMEROY BROS. for about $2,100. The origin of the fire is supposed to have been a defective flue.

—On Monday afternoon of last week, a little after 4 o'clock, as COLLINS TRACY, living in the edge of Springfield twp., joining East Smithfield on the west, was sawing wood with his son in the chip yard near the house, and having cut the log nearly off, stopped a moment and said to his son, "We will finish this cut and another one, then we will go and see to the cattle and sheep." At this he turned quickly around, and exclaimed, "Oh dear!" and fell a corpse. A physician was quickly called, who pronounced the disease apoplexy. The deceased was a highly respected and well-to-do farmer. He was in the fifty-fourth year of his age, and one of the first settlers in Smithfield. He leaves a wife and three children. At his funeral his seven brothers acted as pall bearers, one walking with the minister.

JAY CHAAPEL, well known in this county, and highly esteemed by hosts of friends, has just been discharged from Danville Insane Hospital as cured. He was put in the Asylum under very evident mental aberation, but soon recovered under treatment. He is writing for the *National Record*, of Danville, where he remains.

NEVER RETURN.—It is said that one out of every four real invalids who go to Denver, Col., to recover health never return to the East or South except as a corpse. The undertakers, next to the hotel keepers, have the most profitable business. This excessive mortality may be prevented and patients served and cured under the care of friends and loved ones at home, if they will but use Hop Bitters in time. This we know. See other column.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

☞ Mrs. E. J. MINGOS has TRIMMED HATS for ONE DOLLAR and upwards.

☞ Miss E. J. MINGOS is just opening a new stock of Autumn Millinery Goods, to which she invites the attention of the ladies. aug20.

☞ Ladies Dress Trimmings, all the New Styles, at SNELL & FARNHAM'S, a few doors north of Mercur's Block.

☞ CORSER has the best wearing Shoes for Men, Boys and Youths' wear ever offered in Towanda, and at prices within the reach of all.

☞ A full assortment of Fancy Goods at SNELL & FARNHAM'S, a few doors north of Mercur's Block.

☞ The Largest, Best and Cheapest line of Shoes for Ladies', Misses' and Childrens' wear is found at CORSER'S new store, corner Main and Pine-sts., Tracy & Noble's Block. apr4'78

☞ COWLES' Bakery Wagon, of the 1st Ward Bakery, will be on hand daily with Fresh Crackers hot from the oven, Bread, Pies, Cakes, &c. april

☞ Don't you forget it. We have an excellent CRACKER MANUFACTORY in town at COWLES' BAKERY, where you can buy the best fresh-baked crackers.

☞ For tickets to all points West, North and Southwest, at the lowest possible rates, call on or address, H. E. BABCOCK, Agent, at Upper Depot, Towanda. 1y1f

☞ L. B. RODGERS challenges competition for quality of goods and low prices on Sash, Doors, Blinds and Molding, and all building material. [aug23-1f].

☞ Various causes—Advancing years, care, sickness, disappointment, and hereditary predisposition—all operate to turn the hair gray, and either of the causes named is a sufficient premonitory. AYER'S HAIR VIGOR will restore faded or gray, light and red hair to a rich brown or deep black, as may be desired. It softens and cleanses the scalp, giving it a healthy action, and removes and cures dandruff and humors. By its use falling hair is checked, and a new growth will be produced in all cases where the follicles are not destroyed or glands decayed. Its effects are beautifully shown on brashy, weak, or sickly hair to which a few applications give life and vigor, and the richness of youth. Harmless and sure in its operation, it is incomparable as a dressing, and is especially valued for the soft lustre and richness of tone it imparts. It contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil or color white cambric; yet it lasts long on the hair, and keeps it fresh and vigorous. FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

DIED.

LITTLE.—At Pilot Rock, Cherokee Co., Iowa, Dec. 4, 1878, Mrs. Rebecca Little, aged 63 years and 6 months.

Mrs. Little was a native of Pennsylvania, and over 30 years a resident of Bradford Co.

CARMAN.—At Mountain Lake, Jan. 3, 1879, of heart disease, Mrs. Ann Carman, in the 62d year of her age.

Mrs. Carman had been for over 40 years a member of the Methodist Church. She had been a widow for nearly 11 years, and having buried 4 of her children her cares and trials were many: yet her faith in Christ was strong. She was a kind and loving mother, and esteemed by all who knew her. A large course of sympathizing friends followed her remains to her last resting place; but her work was done and well done.

TOWANDA MARKETS.

REPORTED BY STEVENS & LONG,

General dealers in Groceries and Produce, Patton's Block, corner Main and Bridge Streets.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 22 1879.

	PAYING.	SELLING
Flour per bbl	5 25@6 25	5 75@7 00
Flour per sack	1 30@1 50	1 50@1 75
Corn Meal per lb	1 00@	1 00@
Chop Feed	1 00@	1 20@
Wheat, per bush	90@1 00	1 00@1 10
Corn	47@	55@
Rye	45@50	50@ 60
Oats	25@	28@ 30
Corn Meal	35@	45@ 50
Buckwheat	35@	45@ 50
Buckwheat Flour	1 25@	1 60@1 75
Cloverseed, medium		5 00@
Timothy, western		1 60@1 75
Beans, 62 lbs	1 00@1 50	1 50@2 00
Pork, mess	12 50@	13 00@ bbl.
Dressed hogs	4@	
Hams	7@	9@ 10
Shoulders		6@ 7
Chickens	6@ 7	8@ 10
Turkeys	8@ 10	10@ 12
Ducks	8@ 9	10@ 12
Geese		10@ 10
Lard	7@	10@
Butter, tubs	15@ 18	16@ 20
Rolls	14@ 15	15@ 20
Eggs, fresh	20@ 22	22
Cheese	10@ 11	12½
Green apples, bush	25@ 35	40@ 50
Potatoes, per bushel	60@65	70@
Onions	60@ 60	70@ 80
Beeswax	22	25

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Hides	06@05
Veal skins	4c@5c
Deacons	7c@8c
Sheep Pelts	25@75
Tallow	05@06
Wool	25@28

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IN BANKRUPTCY.—In the District Court of the United States, for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

On in D. Bartlett, of Towanda Borough, Bradford County, Pa., a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 24, 1867, having applied for a discharge from all his debts, and other claims provable under said Act, by order of the Court, notice is hereby given to all Creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, to appear on the 16th day of JANUARY, 1879, at 10 o'clock, A. M., before R. A. MERCUR, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at his office, in Towanda, Pennsylvania, to show cause, if any they have, why a discharge should not be granted to the said Bankrupt.

S. C. MCCANDLESS, Clerk.

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Legal.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the door of the Court House, in Towanda, on FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1879, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described property, to-wit:

No. 1.—ONE Lot of land, in Rome borough, bounded north by lands of Warner Woodburn, east by Main street, west by lands of Hiram Woodburn, and south by lands of Hiram Woodburn; containing 50 square rods of land, more or less, with a framed house and few fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Paul Kingsley vs D H Woodburn.

No. 2. ALSO—One other lot of land, in Canton twp., bounded as follows: Beginning at a corner in the center of the main road leading from Canton boro. to Towanda, and on the line between said Rogers and Hubel Manley, adjoining on the west, and running thence north 2½° east by a present bearing *along the same* 42 perches to a post and stones on the north side of a small stream of water running to the right; and thence north 81½° east 55 5-10 perches, to a post on the north bank of the main or mill creek, and in the line of Solomon Lindly adjoining on the east; and thence south 2½° west as a corrected bearing along said Lindly's line to the center of the Canton and Towanda road before mentioned, a distance of 55 4-10 perches; and thence by the center of said road north 83½° west 54 9-10 perches to the place of beginning; containing 16 acres and 152 perches, strict measure, be the same more of less, all improved with 2 framed houses, framed barn and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Mrs. B. G. Bullock's use vs John G. Mason. Also at the suit of J. P. VanFleet's use vs. John G. Mason.

No. 3 ALSO—One other lot of land in Canton twp, bounded as follows: Beginning at a post corner of land before decided to said John G Mason and in the line of lands belonging to the estate of Hubel Manley, dec'd, being the north-west corner of said Mason lot, and thence north 2½° east along said Manley's line a distance of 56 4-10 perches to a cor; thence south 87½° east 28 9-10 per. to the center of the main road leading to Alba; thence along the same in a southerly direction 30 per. to a cor of lands heretofore deeded to the grantee; thence south 87½° east along the line of the same 32 per. to the cor in the line of Solomon Lindley's land; thence south 2½° west 65 5-10 per. to the N E cor of said Mason's land; thence south 81° west 56¾ per. to place of beginning; containing 30 acres and 107 per of land, strict measure, more or less, all improved, no buildings. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of J P VanFleet's use vs John G Mason.

No 4 ALSO—One other lot of land in Herrick twp, bounded north by lands of Lyman Mason, east by lands of Mary Herrick and Lyman Matson; south by lands of J P Leo and other lands of def; and west by other lands of def, Nathaniel Platt; containing 62 acres and 65 per of land, more or less, about 50 acres improved, with 2 framed barns and orchard of fruit trees thereon.

No 5 ALSO—One other lot of land in Herrick twp, bounded north by lands of Lyman Matson and other lands of def, east by other lands of def and J P Leo; south by lands of J P Leo and Ed Elliott; and west by lands of S P Warner; containing 68 acres of land, more or less, about 8 acres improved, with a framed house, framed barn, framed granery, ice house, sheds and other out buildings and orchard of fruit trees thereon. Seized and taken into execution at the suit of H A Mercur vs M L Moonand E A Chapman. Also at the suit of John Ives vs M L Moon.

No 9 ALSO—One other lot of land in