DRIFTWOOD.

IN THE SPRING.

In the spring above the meadow chirping swallows joyous flit;
In the spring all nature's gilded with the brightest charms, to wit;
In the spring the little blue bird sings within the maple tree;
In the spring the cowslips peeping from the grasses dot the lea.

In the spring on twilight's cloud-ships coral draperies repose;
In the spring a warmer luster on Melissa's bonnet glows.

In the spring within the wood dells all the warblers gaily flute;
In the spring the solemn Shanghai sits serenely on her fruit.

In the spring a tint of amber on the honeysuckle —lies;
In the spring the saffron duckling leads its aquatic paddle tries.

In the spring the oleander, as per custom, tips and tills;
In the spring the happy school boy walks are mud upon his stills.

In the spring the fragrant zephyr shakes the dew drop from the tree;
In the spring a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of summer clothes.

—Andrews' Am Queen.

—It is said that a man in Berks County has an apple which he has kept for fifteen years in a good state of preservation. The manner in which it has been preserved so long is not given.

A BRAVE woman in Calhoun County, Illinois, married her sixth husband a few days ago. She owns a farm and has a private cemetery in one corner where all her former partners are laid in a row. The lot is full, however, and unless the last candidate is more fortunate than his predecessors the graveyard will have to be enlarged.

ROGER LITTLE, fourteen years of age, residing in Charlestown township, Chester County, met with a serious accident and a very disagreeable surprise one day last week. He was at work with a fodder cutter, and while adjusting a part of the machinery felt one of the knives strike his hand, but thought nothing of it until he attempted to pick up a fork some time afterward, and was horrified to find all his fingers missing and the blood streaming from the wound. The fingers had been cut off and were lying on the floor beneath the bloody knife.

THAT the average duration of human life has increased during the period covered by profane history appears from the incidental evidence afforded by the estimate of Herodotus, who flourished about four hundred and fifty years before Christ, that it took three successive generations to round out the circle of a century. It is a notable instance of the continuing force of tradition that this calculation has been adhered to ever since, although carefully compiled statistics of mortality and tables of longevity by no means bear out its present claim to accuracy. An "age" is still 33⅓ years, and a century comprises three ages. And yet we are apparently fast approximating the Psalmist's span of three score years and ten. But when we consider that "all the days of Methuselah were 969 years," it looks as if we had a long way to go to recover the ancient measure of mundane existence.

A WRITER in *Field and Afloat*, mentions his experience in trout fishing in West Hope Creek, Pike County, this State, last season, and says: "The stream was fairly stocked with trout. And its banks *accordingly* with rattlesnakes. In this last fact the first was accounted for. Few people like the music of a big rattler sounding his alarm every time they get on shore to avoid a deep pool, or a tangle of logs and brush. The music of leaves and water is all very nice, but the *whizz* of a rattlesnake is worse than the zip of the rifle-ball from the sharpshooter's pet. Bet your eyes on it and win every time. By keeping the stream, and fishing carefully, I filled my basket with trout, but I had to kill nearly or quite a dozen of rattlesnakes with my revolver before I reached the Erie railroad, alongside the Delaware.

A WEDDING took place in Connecticut a few evenings ago under peculiar circumstances, showing the extent to which parties matrimonially-inclined will submit to inconvenience rather than be disappointed. The happy couple, unacquainted with the marriage laws, had obtained a certificate in one county and engaged a parson to perform the ceremony who resided in another. On making their appearance at the appointed hour, the reverend gentleman informed them that they could not be married there, and proposed to accompany them across the line. They wanted to be married, and a team was procured to convey them to the point designated. After a drive of several miles through the mud, the party halted under a large tree, and, with the clouds above them, the wet soil beneath, and an old lantern for illuminating, they were pronounced man and wife.

A WEDDING ceremony was brought to a sudden termination at Kittatinning a few days since. When the proposed groom was asked the usual question as to his willingness to take the woman for better or worse, and love and honor her until death, etc., he responded that he would marry her, but no amount of force or persuasion would ever induce him to love and honor her. The answer not being according to the form laid down by Binn, by which the squire who was officiating received his instructions, he refused to proceed. The friends of the expectant bride took an umbrage at the supposed insult, and proposed to wipe it out then and there. The result was a free, rough and tumble fight, in which friends of both parties took part, and resulted in the incarceration of several members of the party on a charge of assault and battery, among the rest being the unwilling candidate for matrimonial honors.

GEORGE GRAHAM, a Pennsylvanian by birth, who died in Cincinnati on Wednesday night, has a remarkable history. In 1816, when only 18 years old, he was one of the contractors to make the highway from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh across the Alleghenies, and establish rapid land transportation between those two cities. In Cincinnati he resided 50½ years; made the speech of welcome to Lafayette; founded the city water-works; induced the city to buy them; was prime mover in the first pay fire department in the world, and in the construction and adoption of the first steam engine in Cincinnati. During the forty years of his life here there was no great local enterprise with which he was not connected. He, in connection with two others, one at Louisville and one at New Orleans, armed and equipped a battalion in 1836, for the Mexican war for independence, and the men sent fought in the battle of San Jacinto, where Santa Anna was captured. Mr. Graham's character was wonderfully symmetrical, and the amount of work he accomplished was prodigious. His health has been vigorous, and his sudden death was from a cold contracted at the opera festival the previous Saturday night.

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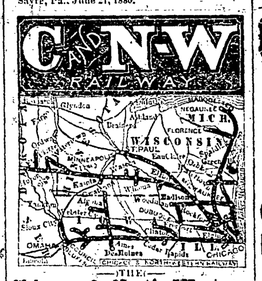

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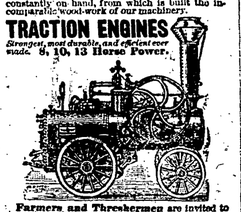

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This store, being on the corner near the Public Square, is one of the finest Groceries in town, and Mr. Ross has spared no pains in selecting the best goods that the great cities afford. His experience in the grocery business enables him to purchase first-class goods, and at bottom prices. Farmers and everybody can depend on it that when they get the prices of Groceries at Ross's it is of no use to try elsewhere, for his prices are down to rock bottom.

Mr. EMMETT SPENCER has charge of Mr. Ross's Fire Ward Store in Kellum Block, while Jessie Schoonover is clerk in the new store in Montanye Block. Mr. Ross keeps a horse and delivery wagon standing at the store in charge of Charles Washburn, who will deliver in the Borough, free of charge, all goods as soon as sold.

All kinds of desirable produce taken in exchange for Groceries or for Cash.

GEORGE L. ROSS.

Towanda, Pa., January 27, 1881.

JAMES McCABE

Has removed to

CORNER MAIN & BRIDGE STS.

making it his

Headquarters FOR CHOICE GROCERIES

CASH PAID FOR BUTTER, EGGS, &c.

GOODS SOLD AT THE LOWEST LIVING RATES

JAMES McCABE.

Towanda, April 29, 1880-yl.

NEW FIRM!

SWARTS & GORDON

Have filled the Old Store

CORNER OF MAIN AND BRIDGE STREETS,

Where they will supply anything in their line cheap in each week during the remainder of this month.

—A gang of industrious thieves visited Green Ridge one evening last week and broke into two stores, a meat market and the railroad depot, but were poorly rewarded for their labor. The only things missed were two silk handkerchiefs and seventeen cents in money.

—Daniel Shannon was arrested at Norristown on Thursday on a charge of setting fire to his house on Wednesday night. Two cans of coal oil and a blazing barrel of shavings were discovered in the house, but the flames were extinguished, with slight loss. The house was insured for $1000.

—Eli Gibson, a filler at Conewago furnace, Middletown, met a horrible death a few days ago by falling into the stack. His little daughter, who had taken his dinner to the furnace, did not find him in the usual place, and on looking down the kept continually [illegible] call and examine our Goods and Prices.

M. D. SWARTS, A. S. GORDON.

Towanda, Pa., January 24th, 1881.

STEVENS & LONG

General Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

And

COUNTRY PRODUCE,

HAVE REMOVED

TO THEIR NEW STORE,

CORNER OF MAIN & PINE-Sts.

(The old stand of Fox, Stevens & Mercur.)

They invite attention to their complete assortment and very large stock of Choice New Goods which they have always on hand.

ESPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE PRODUCE TRADE,

And Cash paid for desirable kinds.

M. J. LONG, GEO. STEVENS.

Towanda, April 1 1879.

Insurance.

THE EQUITABLE

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY

Of the U. S., New York City.

Assets, $41,108,602; an increase of more than Three Million Dollars in 1880.

Surplus, $9,228,294; an increase of One and Three-quarter Millions of Dollars in 1880.

New business, $35,170,805; the largest amount issued by any company in 1880.

All policies INCONTESTABLE after three years. $4,800,000 paid to Policy-holders in 1880. NOT A CLAIM CONTESTED.

Tontine Savings Fund Policies may be terminated at the close of certain defined periods, on terms more advantageous than upon any other plan. These policies prove more profitable to the policy-holder than any other form of insurance.

For full particulars of TONTINE, and all other forms of policy issued by this Society, apply to

JOHN D. STRYKER, Agent,

At First National Bank, Towanda, Pa.

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C. S. RUSSELL, Agent,

TOWANDA, PA.

FIRE, LIFE, AND ACCIDENT POLICIES

Issued on the most reasonable terms.

None but reliable companies represented.

Losses adjusted and paid here.

Towanda, Nov. 11, 1879.

New Advertisements.

THE NORMAN STALLION

"GAMBETTA,"

Will make the season of 1881 at his owner's stable in Milan, Pa. TERMS—$15 to insure one mare with foal; $25 for two mares owned by one man, if both get with foal. If mare has proper treatment and her colt dies before it is nine days old, only half price will be charged. "GAMBETTA" is a dapple gray, 7 years old, 16 hands high, and weighs 1450 pounds; stylish and active, perfect from the ground up. He is in very fine condition, as he has been driven carefully all the past winter in double and single harness. His colts are large, well-formed, with fine action. They are in good demand; $200 each has been refused for yearling colts sired by him. Good pasture furnished for mares at reasonable prices.

R. S. EDMISTON, Owner,

Milan, Bradford Co., Pa., March 24, 1881-3m*.

CLYDESDALE Stallion, "LORD CLYDE," will make the season of 1881 as follows: Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at home; Tuesdays at Burlington, Green's hotel stables; Fridays and Saturdays at Troy, Troy House stables. TERMS—$12 to insure, $25 for two—$15 for the first, $10 for the second. In case of loss of colt at foaling time, we divide the loss.

"LORD CLYDE" is a rich dapple brown 8 years old, 15¾ hands high, and weighs 1,200 pounds. Sire, Lord Clyde; dam, Lady Clyde. Both sire and dam imported. Bred by Wm. Crozier, Northport, Long Island. His colts are bays and browns with hardly an exception, plenty of life, and are giving the best of satisfaction in harness. Season to commence from date and close July 4th.

Also, breeding of Southdown sheep and Collie dogs from the purest and the best. Will have thoroughbred and grade ram lambs for sale the coming fall. The grades are Southdown and Merino ewes, which make a very fine and useful sheep.

W. A. WOOD.

East Smithfield, Pa., April 28, 1881-6m.

SHORT-HORN CATTLE AND BERKSHIRE PIGS.

We have a few choice Bulls and Heifers which we offer at very reasonable prices. Also pure-bred Berkshires.

G. H. WELLES.

Wyalusing, Pa., Nov. 11, 1880.

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY!

R. M. WELLES,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER, TOWANDA.

Spring Tooth Harrows

The attention of the farmers of Bradford is especially called to these new HARROWS, as completely filling a void in our implements for the thorough pulverizing and preparation of all soils for hoed and all other crops. Their operation is so remarkable as to make the SPRING TOOTH HARROW the best selling farm implement now before the public.

TOWNSHIP AGENTS wanted where none are now appointed.

CHURN POWERS

A full line of first-class Powers. Please examine into the merits of the

Patent Adjustable Track Power.

It is just the thing to please.

Wiard Chilled Plows

Clipper and West Osronta Reversible and Side-Hill Plows.

Improved Tompkins Co. Cultivators

D. M. Osborne & Co.'s Independent Mowers and Reapers!

Farmers Favorite Grain Drills
Thomas' Smoothing Harrows
Acme Pulverizing Harrows
XX Hydraulic Cement
Hand Corn Planters

Liquid Prepared Paints

The BEST and CHEAPEST brands in this market.

Farm-Building and Roofing Paints

Building Paper. A large stock of Lubricating, Cylinder and Ne