President Buchanan's Marriage.—The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Patriot* communicates the following gossip respecting the President elect. We give very little credence to the rumor of Mr. Buchanan's prospective marriage with Mrs. Polk, though, so far as he is concerned, the alliance would be equally auspicious to his domestic happiness and his political fame. It is well understood that the late President Polk, who was an indefatigable writer, left a diary of his administration, containing some very querulous observations on the conduct of Mr. Buchanan, then his Secretary of State. This record it was the ambition of his life to have published after his death. On this, he desired the reputation of himself and the administration to rest, and no doubt, he left instructions for its publication. Mrs. Polk's marriage to Mr. Buchanan, therefore, in such a case, might involve a conflict of duties. As the widow of Mr. Polk, she must feel bound to publish, as the wife of Mr. Buchanan, to suppress, these damaging revelations. Altogether, the question is a complicated one, and demands the next President's most deliberate consideration. Sixty-five years of preparation ought not to result in a misstep.

But here is the Baltimore *Patriot's* story: "The gossip concerning Mr. Buchanan's alliance with the widow of a deceased President, the accomplished Mrs. Polk, grows stronger and stronger, and actually begins to partake of probability. In lady circles it was hinted that his equally accomplished niece is opposed to the Union, and wants to preside over the White House herself, and do all the honors thereof. She acted in that capacity for him whilst in London, and of course thinks herself equal to it here; she is right. If the alliance does take place, it will be the first instance in American history of a President elect marrying."—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

Minnesota.—It was stated recently that a census of this extraordinary territory made the population 170,000. Such was the information found in the Western papers. But a St. Paul paper now estimates it at 200,000. At this rate of increase the census of 1860 will show Minnesota with a population of half a million of souls. These free territories and States of the West seem all destined to be great and flourishing. Iowa now polls nearly as many votes as Missouri.

Taking the ratio of one voter to every six inhabitants, the population of Iowa would be 538,872. Applying the same ratio to Missouri for the white population, and allowing the blacks to number 90,000, we have a total population in that State of 727,878. Considering how recently Iowa was settled, this is a remarkable comparison. The vote of Michigan reaches 125,042, which would indicate a population of 750,252. Wisconsin polls 102,564 votes, and has therefore some 615,276 inhabitants.—*North American.*

The Postage Stamp—The Place for it.—One of the knowing clerks in the Philadelphia Post Office, who has an eye to everything that can possibly save trouble, says that the upper right hand corner of the letter is the place for the stamp. There it is readily seen when the clerk is running over his pile of letters and there the mailing stamp serves to obliterate the postage stamp. But if placed upon the other end of the letter, the stamp is not easily seen, and besides the clerk is obliged to stamp twice, once in order to deface the head, and once to impress the post office date stamp. Now, if this were to be done with every letter, the labor of the clerk would be doubled, all through the neglect of correspondents to attend to the rule we have laid down, always to stick the head upon the upper right hand corner (as the writer feeds the letter), of the envelope.

The Land Sale in Kansas.—The sale of the Delaware lands, in Kansas, took place on the 17th inst. A letter dated Leavenworth, the 13th, says:

"Two-thirds, if not three-fourths of the speculators now present here, are from the North; I can hear of but very few from the Slave States. One, a Kentuckian, has $25,000, and one from Baltimore, Md., $10,000 to invest in the purchase of as valuable land as there is in Kansas. There are several from the North; one from Illinois, with $20,000; one from Indiana, with as much more; one from New York, with $10,000, and one from Ohio with as much, all to be invested.

Terrible Snow Storm in the Northwest.—Milwaukie, Dec. 6.—The storm of Tuesday last was very severe along Lake Michigan. Many buildings were swept away, piers damaged, &c. The railroads are blocked up, and no trains are arriving or departing.

During the storm of Tuesday the brigs Storm King and Algemah, and the schooner Welland were all wrecked within sight of the city. All on board were saved.

Several propellers from Buffalo are overdue and fears are entertained for their safety. Many shattered vessels are arriving here.

Election of U. S. Senator.—The Harrisburg *Keystone*, speaking of the time for electing a U. S. Senator from this State says: "The act of July 2, 1838, fixed the second Tuesday of January for the election of U. S. Senator. The act of April 18, 1853, changed the time to the second Tuesday of February. The act of January 4, 1856, repealed the act of 1853; so that the election of U. S. Senator will take place on the second Tuesday of January next, the 13th."

Republican State Convention.—The Erie *Gazette* suggests that a Republican State Convention be held at an early day, to organize for the campaign of 1857, and names the second week in January as the time. It also proposes Judge Kelly or Judge Wilmot as a proper candidate for Governor. We are agreed to an early day for such a Convention, but are not satisfied that it would be politic to begin so early as the day named.

Look out for a Change of Fashion.—A Paris letter says:—"At present there is at the Imperial Court an organized crusade against the small bonnets now worn by the ladies. It is wished to give them a circumference more in harmony with that of the crinolines. This is why some of the guests have appeared in velvet hats, with large brims, in the English style, called *chapeaux d'Calliance.*"

Camels Stolen by the Indians.—A gentleman from Texas informs the Mobile Tribune that on election day, at San Antonio, six horses and two camels were stolen from Captain Wayne, of the United States army, by the Indians. Pursuit was made of the thieves, but with what result was not known when our informant left.

Important to Tax Collectors.—By an act passed by the last Legislature it is made the duty of Tax Collectors to return Taxes due on unseated land to the Commissioners' office prior to the first Monday of January. Those failing to do so are made responsible for the taxes.

Great Arrival of Poultry.—Seven thousand live turkeys, and three thousand chickens, from Upper Canada, were brought down yesterday by railroad, and turned out at the Somerville station.—*Boston Journal.*

Michigan.—The Adrian, Michigan, Expositor states, that the entire Republican press of that State, with one or two exceptions, has already raised the name of Fremont for President in 1860.

The Catholic Vote.—A work recently published in Germany by Franz Lœher, a German Catholic, on the History and Condition of the Germans in America, contains the following pregnant paragraph, as quoted by the *Algemeine Zeitung:*

"The Catholics have, in the United States as well as in Canada, world-renowned and accomplished priests and teachers, who are superior in mind and intellect to their Protestant brethren. This vexes the preachers of the old English sects, and they are beside themselves with anger. The warehouse of their own theology offers them only a few weapons. Their religion is cold, intelligent, and yet not rational enough; they therefore, libel and persecute the Catholic Church, and represent its priests as the most ferocious beasts of prey, only to be devoured with skin and bones. This is exactly the thing most agreeable to the Catholic managers. They have plenty of money, which is everything in America, although half of it comes from Europe. *Their priesthood is well regulated and drilled, and the multitude of their believers obey their commands like one man. The Catholic Bishops have already now at least in the free States, the greatest political power. They elect Presidents and Governors, and are mostly always Democratic, though they know when to change their politics.*"

The late Presidential election, if not proof absolute of this assertion, will serve as a confirmation of the growing belief in it.

Democracy and Kansas.—The Louisville Journal, of the 24th ult., says:

"A prominent and highly respectable citizen of Louisville, who was never either a Whig or a Know Nothing, was in, or not far from Evansville a few days after the late Presidential election. He there had a conversation with a highly intelligent and influential Indiana Democrat who is a member of the elect Legislature of that State, and law partner of one of the Democratic members of Congress. In that conversation the Louisville gentleman pressed home the matter of the Kansas difficulties, and asked the citizen of Indiana how the Democratic party could settle them. The Indiana man expressed his views, closing with these emphatical remarks: "One thing is settled. Kansas *must* come in as a free State. If it does not, the Democratic party goes to h—ll everywhere in the North. We of the Northern section of the party have settled matters a great way for the sake of harmonious action with the Southern Democracy, but there are things we can't stand, and the bringing of Kansas into the Union as a slave State, is one of them."—Unquestionably this gentleman connected a great and stern truth. If Kansas be brought in as a slave State, the Democratic party North will go to the horrid place mentioned by him, and, if Kansas be brought in as a free State, the Democratic party South will not stop short of the same hot destination."

☞ The Bradford *Times*, democratic, insists upon having a general or special Act of Assembly, to prevent Judge Wilmot from concerning himself in politics. No wonder the democrats hate the Judge. A charge of 25,000 in his district, in good part wrought out by himself, entitles him to the cordial dislike of doughfaces. He has foiled them politically, they fathoms deep, and they can by way to get out. Let them have disorganization and confusion in mortification to themselves. The Erie *Agitator*, a republican paper, says that the democrats should get a resolution passed in Judge Wilmot that the fees of Sheriff, in his district, raise for him a salary of $5,000 a year, instead of $1,000, as they now stand, so that he may be induced to resign, so that he may expend all his energy and talent in behalf of the party and pledges Tioga county for its share of the fund.

Why not include the clergy as well as the judges in the resolution.—*Home for Democrat.*

☞ The annual expense of a soldier in the United States Army is about $1,000.—Of the money that is raised to pay it, New York raises one-half. The 700 dragoons, therefore, whom we employ to enforce the Nebraska-Missouri Code in Kansas, cost us in this State just $470,350 a year. We might complete the enlargement of the Erie Canal and pay off the State debt with this money; but our Democratic rulers prefer that it shall go toward hanging and shooting New-Yorkers and New-England men for being too fond of freedom.—*Albany Evening Journal.*

Vermont.—The vote of the Green Mountain State for President foots up 50,761. It is, in fact, no more than was polled for President in the Harrison campaign. The reason is obvious enough—there was no contest.—The State has never been carried by the Democrats. In New Hampshire, which has the same population as Vermont, the vote polled at the Presidential election was 71,500. Had the whole vote of Vermont been polled, Fremont's majority would have reached forty thousand at least.

☞ A recent letter from London states that the physicians of Dr. Kane, whose health was very delicate when he left this country, have ordered him to the West Indies for the Winter, on account of serious pulmonary symptoms which have alarmed them with doubts of his final recovery. He is suffering in consequence of the exposures and privations incident to his last Polar Expedition.

☞ The next Assembly of Massachusetts contains but eight Buchanan men and eight Know Nothings, to 329 Republicans.

Notices.

MONTROSE MUSICAL CONVENTION.

Prof. W. B. BRADBURY

of New York, will conduct a Musical Convention, at Montrose, commencing December 22, at 10, A. M., to continue three days, and close, Wednesday Evening, with a

CONCERT.

The Committee will be happy to see the lovers of Music present.

The Oratorio of "Esther, or the Cantata of Daniel" by Prof. BRADBURY, will be introduced.

The *Sacred* and New York Glee and Chorus Books will be used.

Tickets for Gentlemen,.....$1,00
" " Ladies,..... 50,
Admission to Concert,..... 25,
Books and tickets to be had of J. Lyons & Son.

M. M. Mott, L. F. Fitch,
Wm. H. Jessup, John Sherer, jr.,
T. A. Lyons. Geo. Pickering,
Committee.

Montrose, Dec. 10th, 1856.

Rough and Ready Fire Engine Company, No. 1, attend.—A Special Meeting of the Rough and Ready Fire Engine Co., will be held at the Engine House, on Saturday Evening, at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

E. C. FORDHAM, Foreman.
G. A. Jessup, Secretary.

Notice.—On Christmas day, the Rejacket Lodge, of Factoryville, Pa., will dedicate the Odd Fellows Hall, at that place. They cordially invite all brethren of the order who can make it convenient, to participate in the ceremonies and festivities of the occasion; ample arrangements have been made for the former, and Boniface promises bountiful provision for the latter, in the shape of a good dinner.

Notice.—The Rev. Geo. Landon will hold a Quarterly Meeting, at the Methodist Church, in Montrose, on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 13th and 14th. The public are invited to attend.

Notice.—There will be a donation visit for the benefit of the Rev. Rosmond Ingalls at the Parsonage, in Brooklyn Centre, December 23d. Married people to attend in the afternoon, and young people in the evening. A general invitation to all is hereby given.

By order of Committee.

Valuable Discovery.—The last fifty years has been marked with a greater number of valuable discoveries than in all the time before since the Christian era. Among the most important, in medical science, is the discovery, by Dr. Halsey of New York, of a process by which certain plants, found growing wild in the mountains and forests, are converted into an excellent wine, of great value as a medical agent. This delightful wine has a surprising efficacy in the cure of nervous disorders, paralysis, dyspepsia, complaints of the stomach and kidneys, and, when used in connection with Dr. Halsey's Forest Pills, rheumatism, ague and fever, dropsy, and scrofulous disorders, are quickly and permanently cured by them. Dr. Halsey's advertisement will be seen in another column. Abel Turrell, Agent.

Montrose Dec. 3, 1856.

Marriages.

In Vestal, Nov. 24th, by Rev. John F. Wilber, Mr. Amos Heath, Jr., of Choconut, Susq. Co., Pa., and Miss Caroline Taylor, of Vestal, Broome Co., New York.

In Summersville, on the 1st inst., by Rev. Geo. B. Reese, Mr. Freeman Bussing, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Ellen E. Suttons, of the former place.

In Dimock, Nov. 13th, by Rev. G. B. Rogers, Mr. Parker J. Gates, and Miss Paulina M. Giles, both of Dimock.

In Montrose, Dec. 9th, by Rev. A. O. Warren, Mr. William Stanton, formerly of Conn., late of California, and Miss Lydia M. Williams, of Brooklyn.

Deaths.

In Lambertville, N. J., Dec. 3d., Henry S., infant son of Francis and Maria S. Moore, formerly of Montrose.

New Advertisements.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having demands against the estate of Luke Blakeslee, deceased, late of Dimock township, that the same must be presented to the undersigned for arrangement, and all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

ANNA BLAKESLEE, }
URBANE SMITH, } *Adm'rs.*

Dimock, Dec. 10, 1856. 48w6

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the Act of Assembly, the following named persons have filed their Petitions with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the County of Susquehanna, for Licenses to keep Taverns in said County, for which licenses they will apply at January Sessions, 1857.

TAVERN LICENCES.

Robert Gage,.....Silver Lake,
Elijah L. Adams,.....Auburn.

Dec. 10, 1856. SIDNEY B. WELLS, Clerk.

☞ AUGUSTINE DUGANNE writes for *The Saturday Evening Post*, THE RAID OF BURGUNDY A Tale of the Swiss Cantons. See prospectus in another place.

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Montrose, Dec. 3, 1856.

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AND now that winter has come, Farmers and all others should prepare for reaping the fruits of their labors, by securing many comfortable quilters to decorate their homes. A copy of some one of the choice Books just received at the

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which can and *will* be sold as cheap as at any other Book Store this side of N. Y. City, or even at "Evans & Co's. great *Gift Book sale*" in the city, that sends out so many *Scissors and Pitchers.*

Among the new books may be found, Western Border Life, Dora Grafton, Life of Gen. Morgan, Three Per Cent a Month, or the Perils of Fast Living, The Last of the Foresters, Dred, Torchlight, Violet, Post Office Directory or Business Man's Guide, a book that every business man in the county should own, Japan Exploition, Mechanic's Text Book, &c.

Also—new School Books, which will be sold upon the principle that the "*ready sixpence* is better than the slow *shilling.*" A new Physical Geography of the United States, by D. M. Warner, the nicest thing out. Berard's History of the United States, a new school book, just out. Elementary Moral Lessons for Schools and Families, by M. F. Cowdery, a fine thing too. Green's Elements of English Grammar, Colburn's new series of Arithmetics, Greenleaf's new Arithmetic.

Webster's Dictionaries—All sizes, and a good deal cheaper than that *Pittsburgh* House in New York sells them.

Diaries for 1857.—A good assortment, all right as to price. Also, Almanacs for 1857.

Also.—A new lot of Blank Books, Writing Books, with or without copies, Black and Red Ink, Pens and Paper of different sizes and colors, Scissors, Knives, Razors, Port Monnaies, Fish Hooks and Lines, Lamps, Port Folios, County Pocket Maps of the different States, &c. &c. And all to be sold at the Montrose Book Store in the Post Office, by

A. N. BULLARD.

N. B. Christmas and New Year's will be here in a few days. A word to the wise, &c. A. N. B.

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Montrose, December 3, 1856.

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☞ T. S. ARTHUR writes for *The Saturday Evening Post*, THE WITHERED HEART. See Prospectus in another place.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

Luther Stanley
vs.
Sally Balch, widow, Orrin Whittemore & Mary his wife, Amos Day & Betsey Day, his wife, Jasper Stanley, Mathew Stanley, Horace Stanley and Lucy Heald, widow, & Edward Stanley, Horace Stanley the younger, Benjamin C. Stanley, Susan P. Stanley, Jefferson Stanley, Major Stanley, Ellen Stanley and Archa Stanley, children and heirs of Archa Stanley, deceased, and Jason Stanley Leonard Stanley and Mathew Stanley, children and heirs of Calvin Stanley, deceased.

Summons in partition

To the above named defendants:—

Take Notice,—That a summons in partition hath been issued, in the above mentioned case, out of the Court of Common Pleas, held in and for the County of Susquehanna, directed to the Sheriff of said County, commanding him to summon you, the said defendants, that you be and appear, at the Court House, in Montrose, in said County, before the Judges of said Court, at a Court of Common Pleas, there to be held, on the third Monday in January next, to answer the said Luther Stanley of a plea, wherefore—for that the said Luther Stanley and the said defendants, do hold together in common and undivided, ten acres of land, with the appurtenances, situate in the township of Choconut, in said county—you, the said defendants, partition thereof between you, according to the laws and customs of this Commonwealth to be made, do contradict, and the same to be made do not permit, unjustly, and contrary to the same laws and customs.

F. P. HOLLISTER,
Sheriff of Susquehanna County.

Montrose, Dec. 3, 1856. 47w6

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Montrose, Dec. 3 1856.

Prospectus for 1857.

THE SATURDAY EVENING POST.

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G. P. PUTNAM & CO.—Will publish Thursday, September 25, Burton's Pilgrimage to Mecca and the tomb of the Prophet, with introduction by Bayard Taylor. 1 vol. 12mo., with illustrations $1,50.

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Montrose, Nov. 26, 1856.

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Montrose, Nov. 19, 1856.

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Ararat, Dec. 3, 1856. 47w6

☞ MRS. D. E. N. SOUTHWORTH writes for *The Saturday Evening Post*. See prospectus in another place.

Read the following Letter.

HOME TESTIMONY.

We have received the following letter in relation to Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills.

Auburn Four Corners, }
Susq. Co., Pa., Sept. 28th, 1856. }

Messrs A. J. White & Co., New York:—

"The Morse's Indian Root Pills had from you give *universal satisfaction*, in EVERY INSTANCE, and our farmers use them for almost everything. The Dysentery has been raging in this section to an alarming extent for the last six months, SCARCELY A SINGLE family having escaped, EXCEPT THOSE WHERE *your pills have been* USED AS A PREVENTIVE, in which case they have NEVER FAILED. I will inform you shortly how to send a further supply. Your ob't Serv't."

ALPHONSO H. SMITH.

Such letters as these speak need no comment from us, they ought to *convince all of what we finally believe, that Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are the very best Pill ever made.*

Sold in Montrose by S. H. & D. Sayre, and by one person in every town, and in all country stores. A. J. White & Co., 2 St. Peters Place, New York, sole Proprietors. 47-tf

DR. HALSEY'S FOREST WINE.

AND

GEM-COATED FOREST PILLS.

The most extraordinary discovery in the World!

1,000,000 Bottles and Boxes sold annually.

AND THOUSANDS OF LIVES SAVED FROM A PREMATURE GRAVE BY THIS LATE DISCOVERY.

THE testimonials of the most unexceptionable character, are constantly pouring in from every part of the country, bearing witness to the unparalleled efficacy of these medicines.

The following show the number of cases cured, as certified to by letters and other testimonials received from all parts of the Union and British colonies, from the 1st of January, 1855, to January 1st, 1856, inclusive:

	Cases cured.
Nervous disorders	818
Rheumatism	211
Consumptive declines, colds, and coughs	516
Liver complaint	401
General debility	614
Dyspepsia and habitual costiveness	705
Pustules and unhealthy color of the skin	496
Bilious disorders	1617
Scrofula and mercurial complaints	567
Jaundice	367
Salt rheum and Erysipelas	567
Ague and fever	711
Dropsical disorders	364
Other various disorders	8114

But a short time has elapsed since these great and good medicines have been made known to the public, yet thousands have already experienced their good effects. Invalids, given over by their physicians as incurable, have found relief and been restored to sound and vigorous health from their use. The great amount of good these medicines have done, has induced thousands to recommend them to their friends. Men of integrity and physicians have sanctioned their use, recommended them to the public.

READER, if you want not your constitution injured by that slow, lurking poison, *calomel*, or other *mineral* substances, touch not such *medicines* as contain them, but procure those excellent and *purely vegetable* preparations, Halsey's Forest Wine and Pills.

If you have the dyspepsia, or are troubled with costiveness, take this Wine and the Pills, according to the directions, and you will then get well.

If you are nervous, or weakly, or have emaciated countenance, or general debility, this Wine and the Pills will restore you to health and energy.

If you have unhealthy colored skin, or pimples, or pustules, or blotches, these medicines will purify the blood and eradicate all such humors.

If you have a weakly constitution, and feel yourselves too old for your years, take these excellent medicines and they will invigorate your constitution and lengthen your life.

If you are bilious (which may be known by such symptoms as drowsiness, loss of appetite, dizziness, furred tongue, etc.) take a good dose of the Forest Pills, and they will purge from the stomach and bowels all morbid and bilious matter, and thus prevent a fit of sickness, and save your doctor's bill of $10, $20, or $30.

If you have the liver complaint, the Forest Wine and Pills will cure it. These medicines exert a powerful and most salutary action on the liver, and have been the means of curing thousands of this troublesome disease.

PARENTS, there is not, perhaps, a month in the year that some member of your family does not complain of headache, or sickness at stomach, or have furred tongues, or some other unfavorable symptoms. These are the forebodings of disorder; and sickness, of some kind or other soon follows; for such symptoms always show that bile or morbid matter exists in the stomach and bowels, or that the system is otherwise disordered. Timely use of the Forest Wine and Pills will, in all cases, prevent sickness from such causes, and will purify the blood, and produce strength and animation.

The Forest Medicines, kept always at hand, to be taken whenever such symptoms are exhibited, will save your family almost entirely from sickness, as well as your doctor's bill, which frequently amounts to more in a week, than sufficient of these medicines to keep your family in good health for years.

LADIES, the Forest Wine is your medicine.—This pleasant, agreeable, yet effective medicine, exactly suits your delicate constitutions. If you are weakly, or nervous, or in general ill health, this Wine will do more to restore you than all other medicines. In all cases where bile exists, or the bowels constipated, the Forest Pills also should be taken, according to the directions.

MARINER and TRAVELER, if you wish to guard yourself against sickness and dangerous diseases which may jeopardize your life, provide yourself with the Forest Wine, and Pills before setting out on long voyages, that you may have them on hand when required.

Forest Wine is in large square bottles, one dollar per bottle, or six bottles for five dollars. Forest Pills, twenty-five cents per box. General depot, 64 Walker Street, New York; and kept by one or more respectable druggist in almost every city and village in the Union and British Colonies.

General Depot, 64 Walker St. New York. Agents, in Montrose, Abel Turrell, in Great Bend, L. Scott, and all druggists. December 3d, 1856.

To Rent or to Let.

A FARM. Said farm is about twenty five miles east of Montrose. Inquire at the "Republican" Printing Office.

FURS! FURS!!

FUR VICTORINES and CUFFS and BUFFALO ROBES, a new stock, just received and for sale, cheap, by H. BURRITT.

New Milford, Nov. 26, 1856.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

for 1856 is over, and now the

HUTCHINSON FAMILY

OF any other family desirous of investing a small amount in **Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.,** are invited to call at the store of

J. LYONS & SON,

and take a look at the NEW GOODS now being received. They can hardly help having their wants attended to, from a *penny primer* close along down to a rich *French Merino or Paris Broad-Cloth.* Plain and Fancy Delaines, a great variety. *Shawls*, a new lot and some very handsome and cheap. *Cloths* for men's wear, of styles and prices to suit everybody.

Carpets,

and Floor Oil Cloth, a good assortment just received. *Also, Paper Hangings* and *Window Curtains*, some of the prettiest patterns ever offered in this market. Please give us a call.

Montrose, November 5, 1856.

Hats, a new stock, at J. LYONS & SONS.

Axes, at J. LYONS & SON.

New Books & Paper, at our store. J. LYONS & SON.

Montrose, November 5, 1856.

Graham Biscuit, Soda and Butter Crackers, for sale by J. LYONS & SON.

Balm of A Thousand Flowers, Lyon's Rat Pills, Incombustible, or self-lighting smoking irons, Toy Pails and Baskets, at J. LYONS & SON's.

WRONG, WRONG, WRONG!!

"We do not or it is Wrong"—so says the firm of

Guttenburg, Rosenbaum, & Co.

"WHAT is wrong?" inquired a neighbor of ours the other day. We told him it was wrong for a man to dress in such a cold day in linen garments, just as much as it is wrong for a Lady to dress on a cold day in a thin Garage or gauze Dress. Our neighbors said, "But everybody can dress as they please." "That is true enough," we answered, "but we say it is all wrong for any to risk their health too much by exposing themselves to take cold, which will certainly bring on other diseases, and shorten their lives, when if they would call at

OUR ESTABLISHMENT,

with a very small sum of money, they could get comfortably warm dressed from top to bottom. The other day we met a man half-frozen for the want of Clothes, grinding his teeth together like a Threshing Machine, but we soon cured him. We dressed him up warm, (for small change,) and then sold him Dresses and Shawls at astonishing low prices for the rest of his suffering family, and since that the man feels as happy and pleasant as anybody.

Therefore come all and see us. Try us, and you will find that we give you more for little than you ever got before.

GUTTENBURG, ROSENBAUM, & CO.

N. Guttenburg. L. Rosenbaum.
C. H. Wittenberg. J. Wittenberg.

Montrose, Nov. 26, 1856.

NEW GOODS.

WE are on hand once more with a choice selection of

Fall & Winter Goods,

which comprises our usual variety of Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hardware, Drugs and Medicines, Paints, Oils and Dye stuffs, Patent Medicines, Boots and Shoes, Sole and Upper Leather, Hats and Caps, Watches, Jewelry and Silver Spoons, Carpet Bags, Trunks, Umbrellas, Wall and Window Paper, Clocks, &c., &c., all of which we offer for sale on our usual terms. BENTLEY & READ.

Montrose, Dec. 1, 1856.

SHAWLS.—A large assortment of long and square shawls, from $1,00 to $8,00, just opened, and for sale cheap, by BENTLEY & READ.

DRESS-GOODS.—We have just opened a choice lot of De Laines, Brilliantines, and other Dress goods of entire new patterns. Call and see. BENTLEY & READ.

CLOTHS & KERSEYMERES.—Our assortment is complete in this line, and will be sold at the lowest kind of a profit. BENTLEY & READ.

HATS & CAPS.—A great variety of color and quality, of both men's and boy's, just received. BENTLEY & READ.

BOOTS & SHOES.—Men's, Youth's, and Boys' Boots and Shoes, as cheap as the cheapest.—Also, Ladies Gaiters, Buskins, &c. BENTLEY & READ.

GROCERIES.—A full supply and sold at a small er