

COUNTY AFFAIRS.

Local News.

We would be thankful to our friends throughout the county for such local news as will be of interest to our readers.

School Books.

See advertisement of School Books, and note the advantages therein set forth.

Assessor's Office.

We have removed the office of Assessor of Internal Revenue to the rooms over the Drug Store of Burns & Nichols.

Attend!

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Church in Montrose will give a Supper at the Academy, on Friday evening, Dec. 21, 1886.

Lecture.

Don't fail to attend Saxe's Lecture, on Dec. 22d. Mr. Saxe will deliver his celebrated Lecture on "Poetry and Poets," with recitations from his humorous poem, "Yankees and Yankee-land."

The Ago.

The attention of the reader is directed to the prospectus of the Daily and Weekly Ago, published in another column of our paper.

New Year's Ball.

A New Year's Ball will be given at the Glenwood Hotel, on Tuesday, Jan. 1st, 1887. Excellent music, etc., will be provided.

Medical Society.

The Susquehanna County Medical Society will hold their next annual meeting in Montrose, Wednesday, Jan. 2d, 1887, at the office of E. L. Gardner.

Special Examinations.

Special Teachers' examinations will be held as follows: Montrose, S. H., Nov. 28; Jackson, Corners, W. B., Dec. 29; Rush, Snyder's, Dec. 15.

Agents Wanted.

290 Agents wanted immediately to sell Territory for the Fire and Burglar's Alarm in the different States; and on the Patent Hammer in Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Nov. 27th

In May, 1866, a Mr. Kimball, of New York City, fell over a lamp-post which was lying on the sidewalk and fractured his leg.

Cincinnati

Cincinnati is flooded now with counterfeiters of the new five cent coin. The counterfeit has an unmistakably greasy feel, but in other respects would not be at once detected.

A clergyman

A clergyman attending the Sabbath school convention in Chicago, in the course of some remarks with relation to Missouri, said he believed that the "negro children of that State are no better than the white children."

A smart young lawyer

A smart young lawyer hearing it stated by a lecturer that man is merely a machine remarked "then I suppose an attorney may be said to be a suing machine."

Hans who is a judge

Hans who is a judge of morals as well as of money, says that being tender to another man's wife is not "legal tender."

New York Dec. 4

The result of the charter election was the election of Richard B. Connolly, the Tammany and Mozart nominee for Comptroller, by a plurality of 2,068.

There is not a civilized country

There is not a civilized country on the face of the earth that would not joyfully accept the Southern States as a part of its dominions and grant them equal rights with their own people.—Boston Post.

They tell in Washington

They tell in Washington of a mistake made by the wife of a Western Senator and ex-member of the Cabinet. The lady is the daughter of a Methodist preacher and her husband before he became a politician, was a circuit preacher.

By Atlantic Telegraph—Great Britain.

LONDON, Dec. 5.

The London Times, in an editorial of this morning, fully agrees with the policy of the President of the United States, as set forth in his annual message to Congress.

DUBLIN, Dec. 6

London Dec. 6—Noon.—Two more regiments of troops and a company of engineers have been ordered to leave immediately for Ireland.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—The Herald of this city publishes extracts from letters written by a citizen of Montreal, who served in the American army and afterwards in the papal service.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—John Bigler has been established in possession of the office of United States Assessor for the Fourth District, his predecessor having been ejected by the United States Marshal.

CONSUMPTION CURABLE BY DR. SCHEENCK'S MEDICINES.

TO CURE CONSUMPTION, the system must be prepared so that the lungs will heal. To accomplish this, the liver and stomach must be cleared and an appetite created for good wholesome food.

A NEW PERFUME FOR THE HANDKERCHIEF.

Phalons' "Night Blooming Cereus." Phalons' "Night Blooming Cereus." Phalons' "Night Blooming Cereus." Phalons' "Night Blooming Cereus."

GREAT IMPROVEMENTS AND GREAT INDUCEMENTS.

UNION, RESTORATION, AND CONSTITUTIONAL LIBERTY! The Daily Age contains the latest news from all parts of the world.

THE FLORENCE.

With REVERSIBLE FEED, to fasten ends of seams. Not complicated—perfectly simple to all, except—other agents. Please call opposite "A. Lathrop's Store."

DISSOLUTION.

This firm of Carr & Avery has been dissolved by mutual consent. The firm and accounts will be left in the hands of T. J. Carr for collection.

ABEL TURRELL NEW GOODS.

And keeps constantly on hand a full and desirable assortment of genuine. Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Liquors, Patents, Oils, Dye-stuffs, Teas, Spices and other Groceries.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

ABOUT 3 weeks ago a pale red two year old Holstein cow from the farm known as the Richmond Hill farm in Silver Lake township. Any one giving information where it may be found, or returning it, will be suitably rewarded.

WELSH & BOBB.

Dec. 4. PHILADELPHIA. The above terms will be rigidly adhered to. Specimen copies of the Daily and Weekly sent gratis, on application at this office.

ESQ. A Cough, A Cold, or A Sore Throat.

REQUIRES IMMEDIATE ATTENTION, AND SHOULD BE CURED, IF ALLOWED TO CONTINUE, Irritation of the Lungs, A Permanent Throat Disease, or Consumption IS OFFER THE RESULT.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES.

HAVING A DIRECT INFLUENCE TO THE PARTS, GIVE IMMEDIATE RELIEF. For Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumption and Throat Diseases.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Reported for the MONTROSE DEMOCRAT, by Fenton, Fitzgerald & Tracy, strictly Produce Commission Merchants, 25 Whitehall Street, New York, for the week ending Dec. 4, 1886.

DEBATES.

Notices of marriages and deaths published free of charge. Obituaries published if paid for at the rate of fifty cents per hundred words.

In Binghamton, Nov. 30, 1886.

MURPHY, wife of Wm. B. Sterling, after an illness of six years, aged 56 years and 5 months. Peacefully lay her down to rest.

1867. GET UP YOUR CLUBS. 1867.

"The Age,"

A Democratic Morning Journal. GREAT IMPROVEMENTS AND GREAT INDUCEMENTS.

ESTATE OF STEPHEN D. BAILEY.

Letters of administration upon the estate of the above named decedent having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment.

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ESTATE OF GORTON LOOMIS.

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NEW FIRM.

MUSIC & JEWELRY.

THE subscriber having formed a partnership with Mr. J. A. STEVENS, wishes to make his best Mercantile Department of the business will hereafter be carried on by O. D. BEMAN & Co. with increased capital and facilities.

Prices Reduced.

The Watch-Making Department is retained by me, and will receive my personal attention. I have secured the services of Mr. C. H. WOOD-BY, a gentleman who has had twenty-five years in the best shops of Europe, and has no superior in the country.

The Clock and Jewelry Repairing.

Will be owned by Mr. Stevens, who will do all work in this line promptly, and in the best style.

OUR STOCK.

Will consist of a full assortment of the following goods, suitable for this market, which will be so low as, and many of them lower, than by any one else this side of New York City.

Read the Catalogue.

CLOCKS & WATCHES. WATCHES. American, Swiss and English, both gold and silver. All styles, including their celebrated Calendar Clocks, which tell the day of the month and week, also the day of the month, making the changes for every month correctly, with no care but to wind them once a week.

JEWELRY.

Heavy, solid Gold Chains, Hooks and Keys. Fine solid sets of Jewelry—Pins, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Ear Rings, &c.

SPECTACLES.

Warranted to fit all kinds of eyes. SOLID GOLD ALBUMS. A neat little Charming holding eight small Photographs.

SOLID SILVER WARE.

Made to order of pure Silver, consisting of Spoons, Forks, Palettes, Butter Knives, Napkin Rings, Fruit Knives, Vest Chains, &c.

MUSIC.

Manufactured by Decker Brothers, which, with their late improvements, surpass those of any other makers. Also, E. Brady's New Scale Pianoforte, an splendid instrument. Other Pianos from \$550 to \$300.

CABINET ORGANS.

From \$100 to \$200—warranted for five years. They are the best and most popular in the world, and I have a large stock on hand.

VIOLINS, GUITARS, &c.

Violins from \$30 to \$50. Flutes, Fifes, Clarinetts, Banjos, Guitars, Bones, Strings, Tuning Forks, &c.

BRASS BANDS.

Supplied with instruments of the best American manufacture, for the single instrument or full band, at the market price—also music for any number of instruments.

Perfect Swing Needles.

We have the exclusive agency for R. J. Roberts' Patent Paraboloid Needles—the best in the world. Try one paper and if not satisfied the money will be refunded.

Fire Arms and Sporting Materials.

A full assortment of the best American manufactures, including Revolvers, Fowling Pieces, Shot Bells and Powder Flasks, cartridges for all the U. S. Army Cartridges, all styles and sizes.

LATEST FASHIONS DEMAND.

J. W. Bradley's celebrated Patent DUPLEX ELLIPTIC (OR DOUBLE SPRING) SKIRT.

The wonderful flexibility, great comfort and pleasure to any lady wearing the Duplex Elliptic Skirt will be experienced particularly in crowded assemblies, Opera, Carriages, railroad cars, church pews, arm chairs for promenade and house dress, as the skirt can be folded while in use to occupy a small space as readily and conveniently as a silk or muslin dress, an invaluable quality in civilized, not found in any Single Spring Skirt.

They will not bend or break like the Single Spring, but will preserve their graceful and correct shape under three or four ordinary skirts will have been thrown aside as useless. The hoops are covered with double and twisted thread, and the bottom is not only double springs, but twice (or double) covered; preventing them from wearing out when dragging down stoops, stairs, &c.

The Duplex Elliptic is a great favorite with all ladies, and is universally recommended by the Fashion Magazines as the standard Skirt of the fashionable world.

To enjoy the following inestimable advantages in Crinolines, viz: superior quality, perfect manufacture, stylish shape and finish, flexibility, durability, comfort and economy, inquire for J. W. Bradley's Duplex Elliptic, or double spring Skirt, and be sure you get the genuine article.

CAUTION.—To guard against imposition, be particular to notice that skirts offered as "Duplex" have the name of the Duplex Skirt of the Fashionable World, stamped upon the waistband—none others are genuine. Also notice that every Hoop will admit a pin being passed through the top and bottom, thus revealing the two (or double) springs braided together therein, which is the secret of their flexibility and strength, and a combination not to be found in any other kind of Skirt.

For sale in all stores where first-class Skirts are sold throughout the United States and elsewhere. Manufactured by the sole owners of the Skirt.

WESTS, BRADLEY & CARY, 97 Chambers, and 79 & 81 Remond Streets, N. Y. Oct. 31, 1866—3m

PATENTED MAY 29, 1866.

THIS is an article for washing, without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very little rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, will not rot the clothes, but will leave them much whiter than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes greasy spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves