Local Intelligence.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. J. E. Chessman D. D. Pastor.
Sabbath Services.....10½ a. m. and 7½ p. m.
Sabbath School.....12 m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday Evenings.....7½

CATHOLIC CHURCH.....Rev J. Slattery
Sabbath Services, ...Second Sunday in each Month
Sabbath School.....Immediately before Mass

EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Rev. E. A. Warriner, Rector.
Sabbath Services.....10½ a. m. and 7½ p. m.
Sunday School.....12 m.
Week-Day Services—Wednesdays.....7½ p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL ....Rev. A. O. Alexander.
Sabbath services.....10.45 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Sabbath School.....2 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursdays .....7.30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.....Rev. J. G. Miller
Sabbath Services.....10.45 a. m. and 7½ p. m.
Sabbath School.....12.15 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings.....7½ p. m.

ANYONE who sincerely wishes us a happy New Year, can do his part to make it so by subscribing for the *Democrat* and paying in advance, or getting our receipt on account which will furnish us the means to make our creditors happy. Also. If everybody would do this what a happy time it would be, wouldn't it? It would go farther, in a large family, than wishes.

THERE are quite a number of persons who have spoken to and written to us, who are anxious to form a club for the purpose of taking the *Tribune*. They claim that the postmaster and other parties who have heretofore been foremost in getting up clubs refuse to do so now.—We are certainly sorry that any one in this section is supporting a cause that will admit of discussion only on one side. We certainly are suspicious of any person's honesty of views who dares not allow his followers to read only such statements as his own party organs may see fit to give him. The ideas of our postmaster and the Grant and Wilson Club of Montrose, must have changed since they were circulating and clubbing "Pomeroy's *Democrat*." We care not what may be the political course of the *Tribune* in the future, if there are any who wish to read it we are willing to say that we will send in a club for it if the names are left at our office. We like freedom of the press, and also freedom of the people to read whatever paper they may choose. We have never objected to any person's reading the Montrose *Republican* even, and if people can stand that we think there is no danger from any other source.

Insufficient Clothing.

The cold weather should suggest to parents the necessity of seeing that their children are properly clothed. It is a mistaken idea to suppose that it makes children hardy to expose them to cold without sufficient clothing. If a healthy man requires an extra amount of clothing, how much more necessary it is that young children should be provided with extra garment when exposed to such weather as we are now experiencing. The practice of exposing young children to cold has in many instances laid the foundation of dangerous diseases. Parents cannot be too careful in this respect.

School Slates.

Among other reforms now being agitated is one which meets our approval—a war upon screeching slates. Some of the objections urged against their use are that they are noisy, hard to the eyes, and assist in forming a bad chirography, which it takes years of pen practice to overcome. Their place is to be filled by an erasable, light paper slate, upon which ink can be used, and from which it can be removed as often as needful. The total abolition of slates will be a joyful move for teachers as well as pupils, and the day which witnesses the sharpening of the last slate pencil should be marked with a white stone by every teacher whose teeth have been set on edge by the horrid sound.

Wearing Flannel.

The majority of people are not aware of the beneficial results of wearing flannel next to the body both in warm and cold weather. Flannel is not so uncomfortable in warm weather as prejudiced people believe. Frequently colds, and constant hacking coughs, soon leave on adopting flannel garments. There is no need of great bulk about the waist, which condemns the wearing of flannel with those who prefer wasp waists to health, for in that case the flannel can be cut as loosely fitting waists, always fastening at the back. There are scarcely any of the bad effects of sudden changes of weather felt by those who wear flannel garments, and mothers should endeavor to secure such for their little people, in preference to all those showy outside trimmings which fashion commands.

Dimock.

EDITOR-DEMOCRAT:—I noticed in the Tunkhannock *Republican* of Dec. 11, 1872, a libelous article, headed "Dimock Correspondence," and over the initials X. T. Y., which, from its tenor, a stranger would at once conclude, that it was written by a resident of the place. But on the contrary it was fabricated and written by a stranger, for no man, woman, or child, who was a resident, and could spell at all, would use two m's in spelling "Dimock." The design of the article was injury and mischief, without just cause, and an act that no unprejudiced resident would acknowledge himself base enough to commit. Not that I wish to say a disparaging word in relation to our place, and will not. But I must enumerate and call attention to a few of the misrepresentations contained in said article relative thereto. First. X. T. Y. says, "It is growing rapidly." Now there has not been an entire new house built in this place in the past thirteen years, except the Presbyterian Church, finished last August. This, according to X. T. Y's idea, is rapid growth. C. C. Mills does the wagon and carriage shop, as represented, but employs no men, his brother, Amos, carrying on the business. P. S. Babcock keeps a boarding house and entertains travelers when they desire to put up with him, but does not own the property as represented. The Methodists have no organized society here, nor no idea or talk of building a house of worship the coming year, for there are not a half-dozen Methodists in a radius of two miles.

Oh, X. T. Y., why didn't we know something about the prosperity of the neighborhood, before you came here to meddle and disturb the quiet of our place. I plainly see the motive you have in falsifying and misrepresenting the facts in your article, to which I refer, and which I have already corrected. It is that by your gross misrepresentations of the prosperity of the place, &c., you may gain more credence to your assertion that "He has done all he could to ruin the hopes of parents, and blight the prospects of young men." This was the aim and object of the article, which we brand as a malicious lie, such as no citizen in this community would be guilty of writing. X. T. Y., my advice to you is to look after your own affairs, tell the truth in all cases, even if it is against your nature, and I verily believe that you will not make so many enemies between Dimock and Montrose, as you have between Tunkhannock and Dimock. With this statement I submit the matter to the public, and refer readers and inquirers to the traveling public, the Montrose Railway Engineers, and Tracklayers, who have put up with me, and also to unprejudiced neighbors. H. JACKSON.

Dimock, Dec. 26, 1872.

Read Your Policy.

No sounder advice than the above can be given to those about to obtain or already in possession of a policy of insurance upon their property. It is a singular fact that so many men enter into contracts with insurance companies not understanding the terms beyond the fact that they pay a certain sum for a stated amount of insurance. Not more than one man in ten ever reads his policy, especially the conditions under which it is issued, and when a loss occurs he is astounded to discover points therein that reduce or invalidate his claim. Thereafter "all is vanity" with him, the company is a bloodsucker, and all insurance is a fraud. It is probable that three fourths of the suits instituted in the settlement of insurance losses, arise from the ignorance or carelessness of the insured, and not from any fault or dishonesty on the part of the companies.

This ignorance is wrong, and entirely unnecessary. The policy is the contract, and in it the terms and conditions are plainly set forth; it is all simple and easily understood, and no reputable company will attempt to evade their own provisions. A few minutes spent in reading the policy would show a man exactly what he receives for his money. Doubtful points could be much more easily settled than after his property is destroyed; and an astonishing amount of trouble, perplexity and litigation would be avoided. Knowledge will prove to be power to those who follow our advice to "read your policy."

Postal.

Since newspaper postage has been reduced to one cent for every two ounces, or fractional part thereof, it is said that a great many papers which are placed in the office never reach their destination. Persons wrap up two or three papers, frequently weighing four or six ounces, attach a cent stamp and deposit the package in the post office, and that is just as far as it ever gets. The government agrees to carry two ounces of newspapers—not four ounces—for one cent.

A Good Grammar.

We advise every little grammarian just entering upon the study, to commit to memory the following lines, and then they never need make errors in speech. The author—whoever he is—deserves much credit:

1. Three little words you often see,
   Are articles,—a, an, and the.
2. A noun's the name of anything,
   As SCHOOL, OF GARDEN, HOOP, OF SWING.
3. Adjectives tell the kind of noun,
   As GREAT, OF PRETTY, WHITE OF BROWN.
4. Instead of nouns the pronouns stand,
   HER head, HIS face, YOUR arm, MY hand.
5. Verbs tell of something to be done,
   TO READ, COUNT, SING, LAUGH, JUMP, OF RUN.
6. How things are done the adverbs tell,
   As SLOWLY, QUICKLY, ILL OF WELL.
7. Conjunctions join the words together,
   As men AND women, wind OR weather.
8. The prepositions stand before
   A noun, as OF OF THROUGH a door.
9. The interjections show surprise,
   As AH! how pretty—OH! how wise.

The whole are called nine parts of speech,
Which reading, writing, speaking teach.

No License!

Pursuant to notice, a meeting of citizens of Susquehanna county, opposed to the licensing of the sale of intoxicating drinks, was held at the Court House in Montrose, in the afternoon of Friday, December 20th, 1872, and organized by appointing R. B. LITTLE, Esq., President, and O. N. WORDEN, Secretary.

The call of the meeting being read, on motion a committee to report resolutions was appointed, as follows: S. B. Chase, esq., L. F. Fitch, esq., A. J. Gerritson, F. B. Chandler, and G. B. Rogers.

Remarks were made, previous to and during the absence of the committee, by Messrs. Little Fitch, Worden, Chase, Beardsley, Churchill, Brewster, North, Bertholf, Cogswell, Shoemaker and others.

Mr. Chase, from a committee on resolutions, reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this convention, in view of the approaching borough and township elections, when the question of License or No License is to be directly presented to the people of Susquehanna county at the ballot box, earnestly urge upon the friends of humanity to take immediate steps to secure the attention of every voter to the subject, and induce him to cast his ballot for No License.

Resolved, That a committee of vigilance, consisting of three persons, be appointed for the respective election districts, to see that temperance meetings be held in every school district, for the discussion of the License question, and to take such steps as will secure a full vote upon the question.

Resolved, That the newspapers published in this county be requested to publish the proceedings of this meeting.

DISTRICT COMMITTEES CHOSEN.

Auburn—J. B. Cogswell, J. B. Beardsley, L. B. Lacey.
Ararat—J. C. Bushnell, Julius Tyler.
Apolacon and Little Meadows—E. B. Beardslee, esq., P. Hinds, Rev. A. Brooks.
Bridgewater—C. J. Curtis, D. D. Hinds, Samuel Smith.
Brooklyn—D. A. Titsworth, G. W. Palmer, Isaac VanAuken.
Dimock—C. C. Mills, Lyman Blakeslee, Geo Stevens.
Clifford and Dundaff—L. W. Lowery, B. F. Wells, Wm. Meredith, Geo. Rogers.
Choconut and Friendsville—Dr. E. P. Hine, Benj. Glidden, Rev. E. Mulford.
Forest Lake—John Brown, Suel Warner, J. P. Hamlin.
Franklin—D. C. Byrant, Rev. J. W. Spencer, D. T. Salisbury.
Gibson—Charles Resegue, Geo. C. Brundage, Geo. G. Foot.
Great Bend Bor.—D. C. Bronson, C. E. Baldwin, C. S. Hamlin.
Great Bend Township—Rev. E. Ashton, J. W. Walsh, Amasa Chase.
Harford—Watson Jeffers, Orlando Watrous, A. T. Packard.
Harmony—Edgar Thomas, H. W. Brandt, H. G. Hotchkiss.
Herrick—S. O. Churchill, Eugene Lyon, Ira Nichols.
Jackson—A. D. Corse, M. T. Whitney, O. E. French.
Jessup—E. W. Bolles, Marvin Hall, Jacob Rosencrantis.
Lathrop—G. W. Tiffany, J. S. Wright, P. S. Bronson.
Liberty—H. C. Knight, Rev. T. Simpkins, D. L. North.
Lenox—A. M. Hobbs, Alson Tiffany, Abram Churchill.
Middletown—J. B. Wilson, J. T. Thomas, Elijah Mott.
Montrose—C. F. Read, Daniel Brewster, A. J. Gerritson.
New Milford Bor.—Rev. J. A. Jerome, E. B. Richardson, H. F. Beardsley.
New Milford Twp.—Oliver Lathrop, Dennis Shay, R. J. Vail.
Oakland—B. F. M'Kune, C. W. Lamb, O. Phelps.
Rush—David Godwin, Abram Carter, A. W. Gray.
Springville—James Kasson, Miles Prichard, L. S. Taylor.
Silver Lake—H. H. Skinner, Wm. H. Gage, Thomas Rogers.
Susquehanna Depot—J. B. Gregg, Wm. Emery, Thomas M'Kernan.
Thomson—G. W. Ely, George P. Blandin, G. L. Lewis.

As some of the districts were not represented, it was voted that any errors or deficiencies in the above list be corrected by the President of this meeting, the County Committee, or the spontaneous action of the friends of No License.

Resolved, That the following be appointed a *County Committee, to take general charge of* the work of canvassing the County and preparing *for the election.*

J. F. Shoemaker, esq., Montrose, Chairman; S. B. Chase, esq., Great Bend Village; Abram Churchill, Lenoxville; Daniel Brewster, Montrose; and O. N. Worden, New Milford.

Adjourned to the call of the Committee.

At a meeting of the County committee held the same evening, it was

Resolved, That a general County meeting be held in the Court House, in Montrose, on Monday evening, January 20, 1873, (being the first day of second week's Court,) to take further measures for carrying the No License vote at the county election, which occurs on Friday, Feb. 21st.

Speakers for the occasion will be provided.

Resolved, That we respectfully invite all the ministers of the Gospel in this County to publish this notice in their places of worship previous to the said meeting in January, and that they also give one or more sermons to promote the cause of temperance, previous to the election in February.

Donation.

The friends of Rev. J. H. Doremus, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, in Franklin, are requested to make him a donation visit, at the Parsonage, on Tuesday evening, January 14, '72

By order of the Committee.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Annual Meeting.—The fourth annual meeting of the Odd Fellow's Mutual Life Insurance Company of Montrose, Pa., will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Monday Eve, Jan. 6th 1873, at 7 o'clock, for the election of a President, Vice President, Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of the general business of the Company. CHAS. H. SMITH, Sec'y.

Montrose, Dec. 25th, 1872.—w2

Notice.—The seats in St. Paul's church will be sold on Thursday, January 2d, 1872, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for one year. All persons who have not paid their pew rents for this year will do so immediately. H. J. WEBB, Treasurer.

Montrose, Dec. 21, 1872.

Uptegrove & Brother have got the Largest Stock of Fancy Brands of Smoking Tobacco in town. Also, a choice lot of cigars.

Quarterly Meeting.—The Fourth Quarterly meeting for the present year will be held in the M. E. church, Montrose, January 4th and 5th, 1873, commencing at two o'clock, p. m., on Saturday, and nine a. m., on Sunday. Rev. L. Peck will conduct the services.

Montrose, Dec. 21, 1872.

Administrator's Sale.—The personal property of the Estate of C. S. Tanner, dec'd, will be sold at public sale, at his late residence in Harford, on Friday, the 10th day of January, 1873, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m. Said property consisting of horses, cows, young cattle, sheep, lowes, wheat, rye, corn, oats, buckwheat, potatoes, apples, hay, straw, wagons, sleighs, harnesses, farming tools, sugaring utensils, household furniture, etc., etc.

J. C. TANNER, Adm'r.

C. S. GILBERT, Auctioneer.

Harford, January 1, 1873—w2.

The Susquehanna Agricultural Society, will hold its Annual Meeting at the Court House, in Montrose, on Monday eve, January 13, 1873, for the election of Officers, and such other business as may be presented.

HENRY C. TYLER, Secretary.

Montrose, Dec. 25th, 1872.—w2

Strayed.—Came into the enclosure of the subscriber, one red yearling heifer. Any person by proving property and paying charges, can take her away. JOHN KANE, Jr.

Forest Lake, Dec, 25, 1872.

Election Notice.—The stock holders of the Montrose Railway Company, are hereby notified to meet at Springville, on the second Monday of January, 1872, at one o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of holding an annual election of one person, to serve the Company as President, and twelve persons to serve as Directors, for the ensuing year. By the statute of Pennsylvania, under which this company is organized, no stock-holder, being more than thirty days in arrears of payment on stock, is entitled to vote at said election.

By the Company,

CHAS. L. BROWN, Sec'y.

To Whom it May Concern.—This is *to give notice that I have leased and delivered* to Zophar Betts, of Lathrop township, Susquehanna County, Pa., one bay horse, with a ringbone or bunch on one fore foot, and a similar bunch on one hind foot. Also I have leased him a light covered market wagon, pretty well worn, and a one horse harness. All persons are notified not to interfere in any manner with said property, as the legal title to the same belongs to me.

MARION D. BETTS.

Dec. 18, 1872.

For Sale.

A new house well finished, good water handy, 1¼ acres of land, and 20 or more good fruit trees thereon. *Is situated 1½ miles north of Montrose*, near Beach's Plaining Mill, also a Woolen Factory, Carriage and Blacksmith Shop, Grist and Saw Mill, near by and a few rods from school. Any person wanting a good place can get it at a bargain. Call on James E. Carmalt, or the proprietor. H. C. BURGESS.

Montrose, Oct. 30th, 1872.

F. Churchill.

Justice of the Peace: office over L. S. Lenheim's store, Great Bend borough, Susquehanna Co., Pa. Has the settlement of the dockets of the late Isaac Rocklow, deceased. Office hours from 9 to 12 o'clock, a. m., and from 1 to 4 o'clock p. m.

Great Bend Oct. 24 1872.

House and Lot for Sale.

The subscriber offers for sale, his house and lot, 1 1-2 mile north from Birchardville, on the middle branch creek road. Said lot contains six acres of land, and is good for pasture, being well supplied with water, there being a small creek running its whole length and passing within one rod of the house making it very handy for washing purposes. There is a good house and barn on the premises, and a well of never failing water within a few steps of the door. It is a suitable place for a man with a trade, such as a Shoemaker, Harness maker or any such business. It is very handy to church, it being 1-2 mile north of Baptist Church at Birchardville, and 1-2 mile south of M. E. Church at Forest Lake Centre, in fact, it is a pleasant and convenient place for any one that wishes to retire from business. For sale cheap.

Enquire on the premises of the subscriber, or Z. Cobb, Montrose, Pa.

CHARLES DECKER.

Birchardville, Susq'a Co., Pa., Nov. 6, 1872.

No Pill in the World ever had anything like the circulation of AYER'S PILLS. Throughout these States, Mexico, and the Central American republics, down the slopes of the Andes, and across the pampas of South America, in negro villages, amid the fervid wilds of Africa, throughout the jungles of India, and the steppes of interior Asia, over the continent of Australia, and the islands of the Pacific, these PILLS are known and everywhere used as family remedies for diseases. With distant nations, their wonderful cures attract more attention than they do at home; for the sentiment of wonder takes a far deeper hold on their minds than the results of a high scientific skill with us. The amount consumed requires seventy five thousand doses a day to supply it. An inspection of the manufactory showed us how this enormous demand is made and sustained. Added to the consummate skill of their composition, is an extreme care in their manufacture, which at once secures the most perfect material and their most perfect and their most accurate combination. The consequence is a power and certainly in controlling disease which other remedies never attend.—Balt Courier.

Jury List.—Grand and Traverse Jurors, drawn for the term of Court to commence at Montrose on Monday, January 13th, 1873.

GRAND JURORS.

Dundaff—Henry Brownell.
Franklin—Jayan D. Beebe.
Forest Lake—Michael Mann.
Gibson—Calvin Parmeter, David Rees.
Great Bend Boro.—Cyrus Decker.
Great Bend Twp—Wm. S. Barnes, Samuel H. Shaw.
Harmony—Herbert Bushnell.
Herrick—Martin G. Sweet.
Harford—Levi R. Peck.
Jackson—Abanzo Barrett.
Liberty—Julius B. Kingsp.
Lathrop—James Jeffers.
Lenox—Nathan Ransom.
Middletown—Otis Ross
Montrose—Elijah Backus, Charles Foster, Jefferson Griffis.
New Milford boro—James Southworth.
New Milford twp—Edwin G. Lloyd.
Rush—Joseph Shadduck, Bernard Brotzman.
Silver Lake—Edward W. Rose.

TRAVERSE JURORS—1st week.

Auburn—John Place, Josiah Fuller.
Ararat—G. W. Bloxham.
Bridgewater—Nicholas O. Passmore, Moses S. Tyler.
Brooklyn—Esek P. Bailey, Andrew Rogers, Jabez Ely, Ralph Sterling.
Clifford—Gilbert Lee.
Dundaff—Nelson Coleman.
Dimock—Albert H. Conklin, Amos Burdick.
Franklin—Daniel Davis, John J. Stockholm.
Gibson—John R. Miles.
Great Bend twp—Lewis Parke, Joseph McCloud, LeroyB. Crook.
Great Bend Boro.—William S. Simrell.
Herrick—Walter Lyon, Lafayette Lyon, Elliott Sweet.
Harmony—Edgar Thomas.
Harford—James C. Edwards.
Jessup—William Walker, Henry Shelp.
Jackson—Ebenezer W. Dix, Austin Benson, Theodore Galloway.
Lenox—Samuel Ruland
Little Meadows—Ansel Fox.
New Milford twp—John Jennings, N. G. Bishop, Herbert Blanding, Robert Gillespie, John J. Smith.
Rush—Robert Reynolds.
Silver Lake—Benjamin M. Gage, Herman Inderield.

TRAVERSE JURORS—2nd week.

Apolacon—Geo. H. Whitaker.
Brooklyn—George W. Sterling.
Bridgewater—John Trumbull, Augustus P. Bush.
Clifford—David W. Halstead, James W. Lowery.
Dimock—Thomas S. Williams, Ferdinand M. Woodhouse.
Forest Lake—Francis H. Southwell
Franklin—Daniel Townsend, George P. Stockholm.
Friendsville—Albert Roy, James Mead.
Gibson—Josiah Taylor.
Great Bend Boro—Edward Crandall.
Great Bend Twp.—Richard T. Gillespie.
Harford—Warner H. Wilmarth, Ira Carpenter, James Porter.
Herrick—Robert Westgate, Theron B. Dimmick.
Jessup—Henry C. Bertholf, David Olmstead, John Cronk.
Jackson—Henry A. Pope.
Lenox—Alonzo Bell.
Liberty—Daniel S. English.
Montrose—Frederick S Frink, Erastus Rogers.
Middletown—Edward D. Galutia.
New Milford twp.—David Summers, Joseph McConnel.
Oakland—Henry C. Meeker.
Rush—James Fargo.
Springville—John Tuttle, George W Thompson, Isaac Meacham.
Susquehanna Depot—Edgar Barton.

TRAVERSE JURORS—3d week.

Apolacon—Patrick Moran, John Currier.
Auburn—Jonathan Runnell, Noah Baldwin.
Bridgewater—Jackson Baldwin.
Dimock—William Stone, Leland Blakeslee, Andrew Calby.
Dundaff—Orren P. Phinney.
Forest Lake—Patrick Griffin.
Gibson—Thomas Evans, Almon Clinton, Judson Chamberlin.
Harford—Henry J. Tyler, Nathaniel Tompkins, Ira H. Parisa.
Herrick—George W. Burns.
Little Meadows—E. B. Beardslee.
Lenox—Gardner W. Green.
Lathrop—Silas H. Osborn, Wallace J. Steel.
Lewis B. Miller.
Montrose—William Holbrook, Charles D. Lathrop.
Middletown—Myron Dodge, John S. Davis.
Oakland.—Ephraim A. Barton, J. M. Tillman.
Rush—George Harvey, Major R. Edwards, John W. Granger, Simon Holman.
Susquehanna Depot—Elijah N. Smith, Martin Gearing.
Springville—John Compton.
Thomson—Emery A. Crosier, Benj. F. Starbird, George W. Wrighter, Daniel R. Pope, William Van Horn.

LICENSE PETITIONS.—Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an Act of Assembly, the following named persons have filed their petitions with the Clerk of Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the county of Susquehanna for license to keep taverns, eating houses, and to sell by measure in quantities not less than one quart, for which they will apply at January Sessions, 1873.

P. S. Babcock,	Dimock,	Tavern license
Philip Ryan,	Friendsville,	"
Wm Bullam	"	By measure
Richard Stack,	Gt. Bend Boro.	"
Henry Ackert,	" "	Tavern license
Dennis Mahony,	" "	"
Joseph Doyle,	" "	Eating house
J. B. Brown,	" Twp.	"
Charles Kirk,	Harmony	Tavern license
C. G. Chaffee,	Susquehanna Depot	"
Thomas Kelly	"	By measure
Martin Gearing,	"	Eating house
Eliza McGrath,	"	"
P. O. Donald,	"	"
Allen McClure	"	"
E. T. Depuy,	"	"
Dennis Casey	"	"
Jacob Decker,	Jessup,	Tavern license
Silas Howell,	Gibson,	"

G. B. ELDRED, Clerk.

Montrose, Dec. 21st. 1872.

Uptegrove & Brother have got the Largest Stock of Fancy Brands of Smoking Tobacco in town. Also, a choice lot of cigars.

Lecture Association.—The Rev. Robert Colyer, of Chicago, will deliver the third lecture of the course, at the Court House, in Montrose, Pa., Thursday eve, January 7, 1873. Subject, "Our Folks and other Folks." All who desire to hear the Great Lecturer of the Age, should not fail to improve this opportunity.

Montrose, Dec. 25th, 1872.

Meat! Meat! Ho!!!—The place to buy your meat is at Henstock and Hawley's. A No. 1 market. Prize Mutton, Beef, Pork, Poultry, Sausage, always on hand, and Venison when it *can be obtained. Arrangements are made to* have fresh Buffalo meat by express every night. Don't fail to give them a call. First door above Express Office, on Public Avenue.

Montrose, Dec. 25th. 1872.

New Firm!—C. E. & A. H. Uptegrove have opened a Boot and Shoe store, and News Office, at the store lately occupied by C. M. Gere, on Public Avenue. Boots and shoes made to order, and repairing done equal to the best. All kinds of sale work of the first quality on hand. Every thing kept in a News Office, if not on hand, will be ordered at once. "Live and let live," is the motto.

New York Produce Market.

Corrected weekly by Harling, Hayden, & Co., 325 Washington St., New York.

Butter, pail	20@3
" firkin	25@30
Cheese, dairy, per lb.	11½@14
" factory	14½@14½
Eggs, per doz	31@35
Flour, per barrel	6.90@10
Corn meal, 100 lbs.	2.75@3.90
Wheat, per bushel	1.75@2.00
Rye "	92@93
Oats "	49@53
Corn "	63@66
Hops, crop of 1872	30@35
Tallow "	8@8½
Lard per lb	8@8½
Potatoes per bbl	2.00@2.25
Apples "	75@2.00
Turkeys per lb.	12@14
Chickens "	10@18
Ducks "	15@18

MARRIAGES.

PEELE—FISK—In Liberty, November 24th, '72, by Rev. C. R. Dingman, Frederick W. Peele, late of England, and Miss Elvina A. Fisk, of Liberty.

BAILEY—LAW—At the residence of the bride's father, Lawsville Centre, Dec. 25th, by Rev. T. Simpkins, David W. Bailey, and Miss Delia A. Law, both of Liberty.

CRISMAN—KENNEDY—On the 10th inst., by Rev. George Greenfield, at the residence of the bride's mother, Marshall H. Crisman, and Miss Huldah I. Kennedy, both of Auburn, Pa.

STEDMAN—HANDRICK—In Dimock, on the 18th inst., by Elder W. C. Tilden, E. Wallace Stedman, of Rush, and Miss Sarah E. Handrick, of Dimock.

RUSSELL—WELLMAN—On the 21st inst., by Elder W. C. Tilden, at the house of the bride's father, Allison D. Russell, and Miss Ida J. Wellman, both of New Milford.

STRUPLE—AMEY—At D. A. McCracken's Hotel, in Montrose, Dec. 31st, 1872, by Rev. A. D. Alexander, Fred. Struple, of Tunkhannock, and Miss Eunice Amey of Lemon, Wyoming County.

DEATHS.

COBB—In Montrose, Dec. 31st, H. L. Cobb, son of Z. Cobb, aged 21 years.

BURROWS—At Picture Rock, Lycoming County October 27th, Adelia, daughter of S. H. and M. Burrows, aged 5 years, 7 months, and 14 days.

TANNER—In Harford, December 1st, 1872, Edward R. Tanner, aged 23 years, and 8 months.

WELCH—In Franklin, Dec. 20th, Eddie A. only son of A. I. and Levina Welch, aged 6 mo's. Little Eddie has gone to the Summer Land.

"None knew him but to love him,
None named him but to praise."

MURPHY—In Des Moines city, Iowa, Dec. 1st, Frederick M. Murphy, aged 21 years,—son of Rev. Dr. J. R. Murphy, and grand-son of Dea. Meritt Mott, of Montrose, Susquehanna Co., Pa.

COLTER—In Montrose, Dec. 7th, 1872, Lula, youngest daughter of the late Patrick C. Coulter, and Emma A. Coulter, aged 8 years, 1 month, and 9 days.

JACKSON—In New Milford, November 8th, 1872, from softening of the brain, David H. Jackson, aged 62 years, 8 months, and 2 days.

When languor and disease invade
This trembling house of clay,
'Tis sweet to look beyond our cage,
And long for heaven's bright day.

McKEEBY—In Forest Lake, Susquehanna Co., Pa., Dec. 16th, suddenly of croup, Charles A. McKeeby, aged 4 years, 3 months, and 17 days, only son of Theodore and Lucy Ann McKeeby. [The sympathy of the entire community has been awakened by this painful bereavement. Charlie was a lovely child, and beloved by his fond parents and other friends.—The Divine Shepherd, in His wisdom, has taken this gentle, dependent lamb from their pleasant home, and care, to a beautiful home in the skies—to join the "millions of infant souls which compose the family above." E. W. B.

Sturdevant—Another veteran minister has gone to his reward. A few brief facts connected with his life and death may not be out of place. Rev. Elijah Sturdevant was the son of Rev. Samuel Sturdevant, and was born in Blackwalnut, Wyoming County, Pa., Sept. 6th, 1796. Experiencing a divine change, in Nov. 1819, he was baptized *in the following month* by the Rev Davis Dimock. He was twice married—in January, 1820, to Miss Fanny Jones, and in December, 1840, to Mrs. Betsey A. Blanding. In 1842 he was ordained to the work of the Gospel ministry. His death occurred Nov. 7th, 1872.

During his entire ministry he was the acknowledged pastor of the South Auburn Baptist Church, and in connection served the North Auburn Church fifteen years in succession. A portion of his time was also given to the Russell Hill Baptist Church, and to other destitute places.

His pastoral qualifications were of a high order. In preaching he was plain, spiritual and practical. Christ crucified was his theme. In social life he possessed the refinement, without stiffness, of a Christian gentleman. His home was the home of the ministers especially, while all who loved Christ ever found a hearty welcome.

So he lived. The end of such a life must be rich in memories of the past, and in foretastes of the future. Hence the writer, a personal friend, was not unprised to receive the following statement in a letter from his eldest daughter:

"All through his sickness his talk was much about heaven and its blessed associations, quoting at different times the well-known line, 'But what must it be to be there?'"

His disease was typhoid pneumonia. Its course though painful, ended so peacefully, that *even the watchful eye of his son*, Rev. Ira J. Sturdevant, was scarcely aware that time had been changed for eternity.

The last book he read was on "Earnestness in the Christian Ministry. Sent by a friend from the Publication Society, it interested him deeply, and led him to remark that, if his life was spared, he would spend his entire strength in his Master's service. With another statement full of comfort to all survivors, we close our notice of his last hours. His life, he said, had been a constant conflict with the enemy of souls, but he had not been allowed to disturb him in his last sickness. The night before his departure, shaking hands with a member of his family, his last words to her were, "I know not how this may turn, but I know all is well." G. M. S.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Susquehanna County to distribute the funds in the hands of the Administrator of the estate of Edwin Bunnell dec'd, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment, at the office of W. A. Crossman, in Montrose, on Thursday, the 9th day of January 1873 at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons interested will make known their claims or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

J. T. RICHARDS, Auditor.

Montrose, Dec. 18, 1872.

SHERIFF'S SALES.—BY VIRTUE OF writs issued by the Court of Common Pleas of Susquehanna County and to me directed, I will expose to sale by public vendue, at the Court House in Montrose, on Saturday, Jan. 11, 1873, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following pieces or parcels of land, to wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Auburn, in the county of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: On the north by lands of G. L. Swisher, on the east and south by highway, and on the west by lands of G. L. Swisher, containing 1½ acres more or less, with the appurtenances, one shingle mill, some fruit trees, and all improved. (Taken in execution at the suit of A. F. Lacey vs. F. A. Maxfield and J. F. Maxfield.)

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Franklin in the County of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by lands of Edwin Conklin, east by lands of F. L. Beebe, south by lands of Lucinda Snow, and on the west by highway and Edward Dowling's land, containing twenty-seven acres of land more or less, with the appurtenances, one frame house, a few fruit trees, and about half improved. (Taken in execution at the suit of A. Lathrop vs. A. M. Snow.

ALSO.—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Auburn in the County of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: On the north by lands of David W. McCain, on the east by lands of Patrick Galvin, on the south by lands of Joseph White, and on the west by lands of Elisha Kinney, containing eighty-five acres of land, be the same more less, with the appurtenances, two frame houses, one barn, and other outbuildings, one orchard and other fruit trees, and about sixty acres improved. (Taken in execution at the suit of O. E. Pickett vs. Sarah Kennedy and B. H. Kennedy, and A. Lathrop vs. Andrew B. Kennedy.)

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Auburn in the County of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by lands of David Rank, on the east by lands of Samuel Hyde, on the south by lands of Daniel Trible, and on the west by lands of Royal Carter, containing one hundred and ten acres of land, be the same more or less with the appurtenances, 1 dwelling house, 1 barn, 2 orchards and about sixty acres improved. (Taken in execution at the suit of Samuel Tewksbury use of A. Chamberlin vs. John Kinney.)

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Auburn, in the County of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by lands of Marshall Christman, Amasa Wilcox, and J. Tewksbury, on the east by lands of Thos. R. White, on the south by lands of John Rifenbury, and on the west by lands of John Tewksbury, containing forty-two acres of land, be the same more or less, with the appurtenances, two dwelling houses, one barn, 1 saw-mill, one feed mill, and about thirty-two acres improved. (Taken in execution at the suit of James P. Benninger use of M. S. Wilson vs. L. C. Swisher.)

ALSO—All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the township of Franklin, in the county of Susquehanna and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by Silver Lake road and N. P. Wheaton's land, and on the west and south by lands of N. P. Wheaton, and on the east by lands of John Cornwell, and ——— Burrows, containing nineteen acres, be the same more or less, with the appurtenances, one small frame house, one large frame building or factory with fixtures for manufacturing salt, one steam engine, and mostly improved. (Seized and taken in execution at the suit of Reuben Tooker and Emeline F. Tooker his wife, to use of Emeline F. Tooker vs.