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Democrat--Local.

Arrangement of Malls.

VIA RAILROAD:

	Arrives.	Departs.
Tunkhannock, Daily,)...	7 00 p m	12 15 m.

VIA STAGES:

Montrose Depot, (Daily,)	6 00 p m	6 20 a m
New Milford (Daily,)	10 00 a m	1 30 p m
[illegible] (Daily,)	9 45 a m	2 00 p m
[illegible] (tri weekly,)	6 00 p m	8 00 a m
[illegible] Station, (tri weekly,)	7 00 a m	7 00 a m
[illegible] via S Lake, (tri weekly)	6 00 p m	7 00 p m
[illegible] (tri weekly,)	10 00 a m	4 00 p m

The New York, (via Montrose Depot,) New Milford, Tunkhannock and Wyalusing are daily.

The [illegible] Station mail runs Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

The Binghamton mail, (via Silver Lake,) runs Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

[illegible] mail runs Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

The Meshoppen mail runs Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

ADDITIONAL STAGES:

A Stage leaves daily for Montrose Depot at 1 m., and returns at 6 p m.

A Stage leaves daily for New Milford at 7 30 a. m. and returns at 3 30 p. m.

E. C. FORDHAM, P. M.

Montrose Railway.

Arrangement of Trains. To take effect on Monday, Jan. 21st, 1874

Down Trains. SOUTHWARD. A. M.	P. M.		Up Trains NORTHWARD. A. M.	P. M.
[illegible]	[illegible]	Montrose	10.40	6.00
[illegible]	[illegible]	Allen's	10 25	5 45
[illegible]	[illegible]	Cool's	10 20	5 40
[illegible]	[illegible]	Hunters	10 15	5 23
[illegible]	1 25	Dimock	10 05	5 25
[illegible]	[illegible]	Tyler's	9 55	5 15
[illegible]	1 40	Springville	9 45	5 05
[illegible]	1 45	Lynn	9 35	4 55
[illegible]	[illegible]	Avery's	9 25	4 45
[illegible]	[illegible]	Lemon	9 15	4 35
[illegible]	[illegible]	Lobeck	9 05	4 25
[illegible]	[illegible]	Marcy's	8 55	4 15
[illegible]	2 45	Tunkhannock	8 40	3 55

All trains connect at Tunkhannock with P. & N. Y. R. R. going north and south.

JAMES. I. BLAKSLEE, Pres't.

New Advertisements.

Auditor's Notice—estate of Origin Spaulding

Spring and Summer Goods—William Hayden

New Goods—S. Pillman & Co.

Patent Sulky Plow—John Dildine.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Medical Meeting.

Blacksmithing—Job Wanted.

Miscellaneous—Pillman & Co

Notes About Town.

Frost in "The Valley," on Monday morning last.

The most singular thing in our town, is to see a garden walk.

Regular meeting of Montrose Fire Company, No 2, Friday evening, June 4th.

There is one thing that a poor man has, and a rich man wants, and that is, nothing.

The ladies of St. Paul's church hold their sociable gathering at the residence of C. M. [illegible]

Lost, on Saturday night last, a gold sleeve button. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at this office.

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream and strawberry festival, at the rooms of E. Bacon, on Tuesday evening, June 8th.

Mr Reuben Tuttle, formerly of Gibson, this county, called at our Sanctum last week. We are always pleased to meet such old and genuine friends as Mr. Tuttle.

The failure of S. H. & D. Sayre, proprietors of the Susquehanna County Agricultural Works, is a matter of deep interest in our community. They made an assignment last week.

The Montrose Railroad will probably strike the Erie at Susquehanna. It would likely come to Binghamton if the company would give that city about $50,000 for the privilege.—*Elmira Advertiser.*

Improvements still continue. Abel Turrell has just ornamented his store building in the "Brick Block," with a coat of paint, also Wm. H Boyd has done the same to his, on the corner of Main street.

A "heathen Chinee" announced a lecture at the Court House, on Tuesday evening last.—The audience consisted of the editor of the *Republican* and another fellow. Both had bills against the showman, and receipts were passed.

Mr P. B. Chandler, merchant and insurance agent, has *insured* us, for a week, certain, against the demand of our appetite for a good apple.—He left a peck of [illegible] at our house, which is a rare treat at this time. He will please accept the thanks of "the boys" and all the rest of the family.

We suppose, that the "Disgusted" individual of the Montrose *Republican*, will be surprised to see the DEMOCRAT issued this week. He undoubtedly flattered himself that his article would settle it. Some people do get terribly mistaken as to their importance in this world.—They find that they could be spared, and no one would know it.

The County is safe, for we have just discovered the sections of a "fire proof" one lying upon the Court House steps. It costs the people about $3,500. It appears large enough to hold the "Court House Ring." The people talk of putting them in, and locking the door and throwing away the key. It is very "disgusting" talk in the ears of these worthies.

We casually adverted to the strewing of Cherry street with tin scraps and brush, a short time since, and we have now learned the reason for so doing. The parties interested have brought this about for the purpose of making it abominable, so that the Council will expend a little more money in grading it, to cover up the rubbish. That is what we call the, doctor's strategy.

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The Judgeship.

J. B. McCollum, esq., of Montrose, will probably be the candidate of the Democracy of Susquehanna county for President Judge. All right.—*Harrisburg Patriot.*

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The Value of a Stop.

The *Journal* is equaled. The Montrose DEMOCRAT advertises, as lost, a "wine colored gent's glove.—*Susquehanna Gazette.*

The editor of the *Gazette* can see of how much value a little stop, like a comma, is, and if he will profit by it and mind his *stops* he will never be a "wine colored gent."

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A Fatal Termination.

Mr A. E. Benedict, editor of the Great Bend *Reporter*, is no more—single. For some time he has been laboring under a chronic attack of heart disease. The advice of friends and physicians was of no avail, he departed the celibate life the 20th inst.

We trust that he has gone to that land of bliss where all is happiness and peace; and, therefore do not mourn his departure. Unlike others however, who have preceeded him to that blissful land, his name still stands upon the roll of time as A. Benedict.

Great Bend, May 29, 1875. R. K. C.

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Agricultural Advice

The Department of Agriculture warns the farmers against destroying indiscriminately all insect life they come across. A hexagonial mass of eggs glued to bark or fence rails, sometimes sixty or seventy together, and each egg looking like a somewhat square flask standing on its own bottom, should be allowed to ripen. It is the sign of the coming devil's horse, *reduvius novenarius.* This insect lives altogether upon insects. Beginning with feasts of aphides, it whets its appetite for bugs to such a degree that when full grown it will devour caterpillars by the dozen, and a few will suffice to clear an apple tree of these pests. One family of them would keep an orchard or a vineyard safe from the devastations of the whole insect world.

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The Graschoppers.

A gentleman and his wife from this city, says the *Lancaster Intelligencer*, on a visit to friends living in Olathe, Johnson county, Kansas, write gloomy sketches of the dangers threatened to that section by the grasshoppers. We have been permitted to make the following extract from one of their letters:

"The grasshoppers are here in countless numbers, eating everything that comes in their way. It is lamentable and yet amusing to see men with buckets, bags, etc., gathering them up, and women busy sweeping them from the houses.—One farmer who has a stone wall enclosing part of his land, against which they were driven by a strong wind, picked up seventy bushels. They were lying one foot deep. The insects are as yet unfledged, but they are expected to soon get wings and then it is hoped they will take their flight elsewhere. The ground is literally covered with them and they are constantly on the move.

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Fire at Great Bend.

The fire fiend has visited the people of Great Bend, and destroyed the main portion of business buildings of the town. Everything from H. P. Doran's to the hotel known as the Susquehanna Valley House, is burned to the ground. Among the losers are L. S. Lenheim, Estabrook & Clark, Stephens & Reckhow, V. & I. Reckhow, P. H. Lines & Co., Henry Ackert, Bridget Doyle, Richard Stack, G. B. Trowbridge, Mary A. Colsten, W. A. Colsten, Geo. McNamara, R. O. Bedell, Walter Paintin, Mrs. Philips, besides damage to H. P. Doran and to Howard & Vansickle, of the Susquehanna Valley House. —Stores one hotel, two banks, postoffice, *Reporter* newspaper office, wagon shop, &c., besides dwelling houses were destroyed. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary. The aggregate loss is estimated at $100,000; insured to about $58,000 with B. Stroud's agency, Montrose, and probably $10,000 or $12,000 with other agencies. The fire took place Thursday morning about 2 o'clock.

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Death of H. H. Welch.

We copy the follow obituary notice of the death of Mr. H. H. Welch, a native of this county, from a paper published at Marion, Lynn county, Iowa, where he resided, which will be read with interest by his many friends and acquaintances.

"Died at his residence in Marion, on the evening of May 10, 1875, H. H. Welch, aged 61 years. He had a Paralytic stroke about two years ago and has had a slight shock since. It is supposed that he had the third while at his barn taking care of his horses where he was found in an insensible state, and expired in a few minutes after being carried into his house. He was a native of Susquehanna county, Pennsylyania, was one of our old and respected citizens having lived in Marion over thirty years and was well-known to the older inhabitants of this county having been for many years one of the firm of Mentzer & Welch. The funeral of the deceased was held the 12th and was attended by a large concourse of friends, and the services were conducted by Eld. DeWitt, of this city."

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Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the students of "Wyoming Commercial College," of Kingston, Pa., held May 19th, 1875, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, has removed from our number by death our friend and former schoolmate, Frank Beebe, of New Milford, Pa., who had but recently graduated at this institution; therefore be it

Resolved, That in his death we feel that we have lost a kind and genial schoolmate, one who was free from all vice, and who was generally respected, esteemed, and loved for his many noble and manly qualities, and for his unimpeachable integrity.

Resolved, That, while we mourn his loss, and deeply sympathize with the afflicted parents and friends of the deceased, we feel that though his death has been our loss it is his gain, and he has gone to that bright world above, where all is peace, rest, and joy forever.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the *Independent Republican*, and that a copy be transmitted to the parents of the deceased.

R. W. FARR,
Secretary of Committee.

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Soldiers' Monument Association.

Committee met at the office of Hon. Wm. J Turrell. Members present, Hon. Wm. J. Turrell, Ch'n., S. H. Sayre, C. L. Brown, Henry Tyler, H. Crocker, jr., Wm. H. Jessup, J. R. Lyons, D. W. Searle, C. M. Read, [illegible] L. Blakeslee.—On motion, J. R. Lyons was elected Secretary of the Association. Wm H. Jessup moved that three committees be appointed, which on due consideration, was agreed to as follows:

1st. On design and cost of monument, Lyons, Searle and Watrous.

2d. On location of monument, Jessup, Read and Tyler.

3d. On getting further subscription therefor, Blakeslee, Crocker, Warner, Watrous and Searle.

A committee of three, (Watrous, Warner and Crocker) was also appointed to get a list of the names of deceased soldiers of Montrose and Bridgewater.

A strong feeling was manifested to procure further subscription to the fund and push the monument to completion, at the earliest possible time, using the fund on hand if no more could be raised for the purpose.

Adjourned to meet in two weeks at same place, to receive report of committees and to "push things." SEC'Y.

Montrose, May 31, 1875.

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Tallow Dips.

Seventy years ago, when gas and kerosene were not, and wax candles were an extravagance indulged in only on state occasion, even by the wealthy, the tallow dip was an article of necessity and "candle dip day" was as certain of occurrence as Christmas, though, perhaps, even less welcome than the equally certain annual Fast Day. Fancy an immense kitchen with before mentioned fire place in the center of one side. Over the blaze of backlog and forestick, something like half a cord of eight foot wood, are swinging the iron cranes laden with kettles of melting tallow. On the opposide side of the kitchen two long poles about two feet apart, are supported at their extremes upon the seats of chairs. Beside the poles are other great kettles containing melted tallow poured on the top of hot water. Across the poles are the slender candle rods, from which depend ranks upon ranks of candlewicks made of tow—for cottonwick is a later invention. Little by little by endless repeating the slow process of dipping into the kettles of melted tallow and hanging them to cool, the wicks take on their proper coating of tallow. To make the candle as large as possible was the aim, for the more tallow the brighter the light. When done the ranks of candle, still depending from the the rods, were hung in the sunniest spots of a sunny garret to bleach.

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Sweeping Carpets.

By the close of winter carpets become intolerably dusty, but this discomfort can be almost entirely obviated by using bran when sweeping. Dampen the bran just enough to make the particles stick together; for if to wet, it takes longer to sweep it off. Scatter it evenly over the floor, and proceed as usual. Very little dust will rise, and if the carpet be old, and faded, it is surprising how much brighter the colors appear—not because they are restored, but the bran cleanses the fiber of the fabric and catches all dust and lint, so that none re-settles on the carpet to make it look dull. If damp bran is used once or twice a week from the time carpets are first put down, they will never become very dusty; and in a room little used, a few such sweepings are equal to a shaking. All other methods I have tried have some disadvantages, but this one has none. Tea grounds are almost as good, but the most inveterate tea-drinkers cannot supply enough for the daily sweeping of several rooms. Snow cleanses a carpet nicely, but the room must be cold or it will begin to melt before the operation is half over. Salt is also used, but care is necessary that none be left at the edges of the carpet or anywhere else, as its affinity for moisture is such that it makes a damp, sticky place, to which every particle of dust adheres. Many dip the broom in water,shaking off extra moisture by a few sharp raps, but there is a dusty broom to wash afterwards; while the bran, which accumulates all the dust to itself, cleanses the broom as well as the carpet.—*Cor. Country Gentleman.*

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Ventilation of Houses.

Notwithstanding the objection formerly urged against the introduction of gas for illumination, in private houses especially on the score of health, the opinion is now quite generally held that, taking any number of houses in a given locality, those well lighted with gas are more easily and efficiently ventilated than those that are lighted by other means. Spontaneous ventilation, that which most closely imitates natural processes, is generally promoted and, indeed, is always in operation in a house whose walls and ceilings and furniture are dry and warm. In such circumstances, in fact, it is impossible that air can remain at rest, a constant interchange is effected, fresh air forcing itself in, and having its temperature raised,and when making its escape giving place to a further supply at a lower temperature.

In devising plans for ventilating, many persons are greatly troubled about getting rid of the heated air, and they are disappointed because it will not make its escape at any opening they may choose for it. It is easier to begin by admitting a continuous supply of cool, pure air; just so much of it, according to season and temperature, and other circumstances, as shall be agreeable, and yet its presence not to be indicated by creating draughts. If this be well looked after, there need be no anxiety about what becomes of the vitiated air. That must be displaced by the entrance of fresh air—both kinds cannot occupy the same place at the same time. Thus, ventilation is obtained according to the truest principles.

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Potato Bugs and Paris Green.

EDITOR PRACTICAL FARMER.—As we know you are always willing to publish anything of interest to the farmers and which tends to advance the interests of agriculture, as the time is approaching for potato planting and as the potato bug has been so great a pest to the farmers and many have met with serious loss,owing to a lack of knowledge how to destroy them, I would be glad to submit to you and your readers what I know from experience in the way of a good remedy.

It is a well known fact that Paris Green is a destroyer, but there are many different opinions how to utilize it most effectually. A number of farmers are afraid to use it, thinking it is poisonous and dangerous if inhaled during the process of dusting, and therefore do not use it and allow the stalks to perish. With my early rose, about two acres, I first used the Paris Green and lime dusting process, and then went along with pans and knocked them off—trying both of these methods, but they were attended with a great deal of labor and were not as effectual as the process named below. I had eight acres of "Peerless" planted. I purchased twenty-five pounds of Paris Green at a cost of nine dollars, and took two empty barrels, put them on the wagon, then added from three-fourths to a pound of Poris Green to each barrel, took a common watering can, stirring the water well—as Paris Green is a mineral and naturally seeks the bottom—then went through the rows and sprinkled. Going over the patches twenty-four hours afterward, I discovered large quantities of the bugs laying under the stalks on the ground dead. I only applied this twice in about four weeks.

This season being a very dry one, I cannot say whether, had it been a wet season, it would have worked so well, as the preparation might have been washed off and required applying oftener. The yield of this patch was only about one hundred bushels of very nicely developed potatoes to the acre: but this I attribute more to dry weather than the bugs. There would here and there remain a few bugs, but very few. The first application was made a short time before the stalks began to blossom.

J. R. EBY, Harrisburg, Pa.

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West Harford Items.

The fire is raging .. the railroad.

Edwin Wilmarth has rented the farm belonging to his brother, Frank Wilmarth.

The school at No. 1, or what is known as the Tiffany school, is taught by Miss Nancy Finn.

A few weeks since a concert was held in this vicinity for the benefit of the S. S. Library.—Receipts $12.

There is a large and flourishing Sunday School at this place, under the superintendance of Mr. Otis Bailey, an earnest and energetic men.

Miss Lucy Warner is teaching at No. 10, or what is known as the Oakley school. From the number of pupils who wend their way thither, we should judge the school was well attended.

The funeral services of W.S. Wilmarth were attended at this place, May 10th, Rev. Mr. Hellings, of Scranton, officiating. The remains were followed to the West Harford Cemetery by many relatives and friends.

A few evenings since, a musical drill was held at the residence of Mr. Jackson Tingley, the object of which was to test the respective merits of the New England and Estey Organs. The music was said to be highly entertaining.

Mrs. Boynton, a lady from Grotten, Connecticut, died at the residence of her niece, Mrs. Henry Easterbrooks, near Harford village, May 7th. Mrs. B. came to visit her relatives in this county about a year ago. Her remains were conveyed to her home attended by Mrs. Easterbrooks.

Within the "City of the Dead," in West Harford, lies the remains of but one soldier of the Great Rebellion. One of the first to heed his country's call, he fell on the bloody field of Chancellorsville. Long and reverantly will the name of Roscoe S. Loomis be remembered.—Others of our brave lads fell but their ashes repose on southern soil. None the less are they remembered. Not long since while visiting the cemetry in Harford Village, my attention was called to three graves, side by side, unadorned by shrub or marble tablet. On inquiry I was told they belonged to children of the Soldiers' Orphan School, whose relatives were too poor or indifferent to remove them to their former homes.

C. W.

West Harford, May 21, 1875.

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Decoration Day.

The Montrose Firemen and Soldiers held a due observance of Decoration Day, on Saturday last. There was no attempt at ostentation but it was carried out in a quiet and appropriate way,allowing us to be the judge. The bells were tolled in the morning in commemoration of the "fallen braves," and those having the matter in charge, proceeded to the cemetery and planted flags at the head of the graves of each of the "boys in white."

At 2 o'clock p. m., the procession formed in front of the engine house, on the public green, consisting of the Montrose Cornet Band, No. 2 Drum Corps, some of the clegymen, soldiers and firemen, and marched to the cemetery where the ceremory of decorating with flowers took place, after which D. W. Searle, esq., delivered a short, pithy and appropriate address, which seemed to meet with favor at the hands of all present.

The suggestions of the DEMOCRAT were carried out in the following manner, as the annexed resolutions will show:

Believing from the work performed that the original executive committee for the collection of funds and building of a Soldiers Monument is not in numbers sufficient to accomplish the object and feeling anxious that the work should be commenced at once and finished on or before the celebration of the centennial, Fourth of July, 1876. Therefore

Resolved, That said Executive Committee have the vacancy filled that now exists and that six others be added to their number, and that the following gentlemen are hereby declared elected, viz.: J. R. Lyons to fill the vacancy, and Wm. H. Jessup, D W. Searle, Charles M. Read, Edson S. Warner, Charles F. Watrous, and E. L. Blakeslee the additional members thereof.

3d. That the Executive Committee be directed to at once proceed to erect a monument, and are hereby empowered to use the fund on hand and expend the same for that purpose and as much more as they can collect.

4th. That the resolution adopted limiting the subscription to the monument fund to one dollar for each person subscribing, be and is hereby rescinded and that all persons interested are invited to subscribe acording to their inclinations and patriotism, believing that $500, even will not be too much from some, for is it not as glorious to give for this as for a church, for where would your church have been without a country, or your country have been had there been no soldiers to lay down their lives therefor?

We are pleased to see that action is to be taken in this matter and from the above resolutions, we are certain that something will be done. As we have said before, the soldiers can count upon the "push" of the DEMOCRAT if they will continue to show pluck.

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Wilkesbarre Again.

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Ice.

Melt.

Frost.

Thunder!

Keep tranquil.

Pawn overcoats.

Lovely atmosphere.

We now perspire at every pore.

All Wilkesbarre is dripping with honest sweat.

The air is filled with odors strange and rich tho' not unvegetarian.

A negro funeral is passing, the material used for this purpose, was a wealthy "dark."

The last two items are not related to each other, the first being purely agricultural.

O, how sweet 'tis to be a farmer, no cares, no sorrows and no one to boss him around, in fact, he is one of nature's noblemen.

"Nature's noblemen" is a pretty phrase. It didn't originate with us, tho' it's a chunk of political sugar to throw at greasy mechanics.

Still farmers are a happy lot of men and many of them, without doubt make as high as a million dollars a minute, hoeing corn and "sich."

A pint of fresh grass-hoppers (Kansas preferred) baked with a bit of potato bug, or a well dried hessian fly, are said to be an excellent substitute for beans.

The mountains on each side of Wilkesbarre have been on fire for weeks and millions of dollars worth of property has been destroyed.—On Friday, May 21st, Stoddartsville was nearly erased from the map, and an old lady, named Cox, was burned to a crisp while vainly endeavoring to escape. Several other lives are reported lost.

Friday was an unlucky day in other respects. A fearful accident occurring at Stanton Shaft, No. 7, of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal Co's. mines, Benjamin Corp, Stephen Matthews and Richard Greenough (carpenters) were descending and when 860 feet down, the carriage gave way and they were hurled the remaining 100 feet, followed by the immense weight of a thousand feet of wire cable. Corp and Greenough were instantly killed and terribly mangled, Matthews had his back broken and will probably die. Robert Terril was instantly killed at the Boston mine by a fall of top coal. And a lad named James Ryan, had his head crushed between two cars at the Pine Ridge Colliery (causing instant death.) Thus were five able bodied men rushed into eternity without a moment's warning. Is it a wonder that the miners strike for living wages when following such a death dealing occupation?

JONES.

Wilkesbarre, May 26, 1875.

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Letter From Colorado

F[illegible]ROSE DEMOCRAT.—*Dear Sir:* Having many friends and acquaintances in Susquehanna county, and believing that some of them would like to hear from us, in this far off land, I take the liberty to write to you, and if you please, you may publish it in your paper. I was a resident of that county for nearly 56 years. Eleven years ago we moved to Carbondale. Last fall on account of poor health and to escape the severe winters of the East; we went to the sunny land of Colorado. A land of world wide reputation for health. A multitude of invalids have come here, many defer it too long, consequently are not benefitted, but very many are restored to health and probably many years are added to their lives by the change.

Our health has improved. Mrs. Dickerman's is better than it has been for years, we have better appetites, and rest better nights than we did east. There is no trouble sleeping in this dry and bracing air.

Denver is a beautiful city of near 23,000 inhabitants. In 1870, it numbered less than 5,000. Streets are broad, smooth and straight, better than paved. Very many elegant buildings—majority of them are brick. In 1874, there were near 500 erected at a cost with improvements on other buildings of $1,600,000.—There is a vast amount of business done here Five railroads center here and it is wonderful to see the amount of freight left at the depot.—I frequently go to the depot when the train comes from the East to see four beautiful gray teams of four horses each, and elegant transfer coaches beside several single teams. We have good hotels here, can get board from one to four dollars per day.

Denver is an active business place but there is a money pressure, that is seriously felt just now. Business is overdone like many cities in the East, and the devastation of the grasshoppers last year has worked against the interest of Denver, but notwithstanding these things there are more buildings being built than any former spring. Building material costs more here than East, but I built a two story brick house of eight rooms beside closets, pantry, and cellar, neatly furnished it throughout and cost $1,500. I think that is as good as you can do in the east.

Multitudes of mechanics and laborers of all kinds are coming here. The wages are low.—I hired good carpenters for $2 50 per day.

Money loans for 1½ per cent. a month.

Real estate has dropped down of late. Have offered my house for $2,700, am told one year ago, it would have been cheap at $3,000.

Provisions are a trifle dearer than in the East in consequence of the destruction caused by the grasshoppers last year and what they are doing just now. There are millions of them on the plains. One farmer said he sowed 70 acres last fall and they had destroyed it all.—If they sweep the country this year, it will be a serious draw back to Denver.

We have good church privileges and schools as can be found in America. One school building, near the centre, cost near $100,000; 500 scholars attend; the Professor gets $200 per month, and his wife $100. There is another in the east that cost near $50,000, and others are being erected. Schools are free. The ability, zeal and piety of our preachers will measure up to the standard of the eastern preachers. There is much liquor sold here, but few drunken men on the street. We have a good police force and if a man gets drunk, he soon finds himself in the lock-up.

There are many nationalities, Indians—half breeds, Chinese, etc. Part of a tribe has been camped near here for some time. Their rations were dealt to them this week and they have left.

Yours truly,

M. C. DICKERMAN.

Denver, Col., May 18, 1875.

Business Locals.

COATS AND CLARK'S COTTON, 5 cents a spool at Cheap John's. 22tc

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BOOTS AND SHOES, latest styles, best qualities lowest prices, at Cheap John's. Post's building. 22tc

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NEW STOCK of Men's, Boy's and Youth's Clothing and Hats at Cheap John's. Come in and get prices. 22tc

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FANS! FANS! FANS! All styles in large quantities. Prices extremely low at Cheap John's. 22tc

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LADIES LINEN SUITS (ready made) from $2 50 to $5 00, at Cheap John's. Call and see them.

Montrose, June 2, 1875. 22tc

NEW GOODS of all kinds at remarkably low prices, received this week, at Cheap John's. Don't fail to give him a call before purchasing. 22tc

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GO TO CHEAP JOHN'S for Misses and Children's trimmed hats, latest styles for one dollar and upwards. The greatest bargains in the world. 22tc

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BLACKSMITHING.—JOB WANTED.—A practical wagon and carriage ironer and machine forger, of twenty years' experience, wants a steady job. Address this office.

Montrose, June 2, 1875. 23w2

MEDICAL MEETING.

You are cordially invited to attend a meeting of the Susquehanna Eclectic Medical Society, to be held at the Sisk House, Nicholson, Wyoming co., Pa., on Tuesday, June 8th, 1875. Every member should endeavor to be present, as business of importance will be transacted.

W. W. WHEATON, President.
C. H. YELVINGTON, Secretary.

June 2, 1875. 22w1

WANTED.

A girl that understands house and dairy work. Must come well recommended. Also a boy 12 or 14 years of age. Apply at the DEMOCRAT office.

Montrose, May 26, 1875. 21w3

DECORATION DAY Saturday. Cheap John is decorating his store with new goods of all descriptions. Prices lower than ever. Call and see them. You can save 25 per cent. by purchasing.

Montrose, May 26, 1875.

STRAYED.

A dark bay mare, seven years old, weight about twelve hundred, with a white spot in the forehead. Any person finding and securing said mare will be liberally rewarded for trouble.

Direct to A. COLVIN,
Factoryville,
Wyoming co., Pa.

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May 26, 1875pd.

A PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY FOR SALE.

As the time is approaching when I can go to Binghamton again in business, I propose to sell my portable gallery, apparatus, stock and fixtures.

This is a rare and excellent opportunity for a young man to step right into a good, pleasant, and paying business.

The purchaser can be instituted in the art in the most thorough manner.

An interview is desired with any one interested, when its superior advantages can be discussed. A. HICKCOX.

Montrose, May 26th, 1875.

BEST JOB PRINTING

AT THE LOWEST RATES!

We are continually adding new material to our office, and with our *Large Stock of Job Type and Four Printing Presses we Defy Competition* both in Price and Quality, either in Plain Black or Colored Work. HAWLEY & CRUSER.

LADIES call and see the new styles of Trimed and Untrimed Hats and Bonnets at Pillman & Co's., Post building. (Cheap John.)

Montrose, May 19, 1875.

CLOVER SEED! CLOVER SEED!!

Clover Seed large and small at

PORTER & NICHOL'S

Montrose, March 17, 1875.

FLOUR! FLOUR!!

The best Flour at reduced prices at

PORTER & NICHOL'S.

March 17, 1875.

PHOTOGRAPHS.—Pictures taken in all the latest styles. Old pictures copied and enlarged. Also a splendid lot of frames for sale. [illegible]

Montrose, June 10, '74.—tf.

THE PAST WINTER has been one of unusual severity. Stock of all kinds, do not appear to be doing as well as usual. Those who have tried it, say, it pays many times over to give their stock, at this season of the year, a few papers of Taylor's Condition Powders. They can be obtained of any dealer in medicines.

IMPORTANT TO ASSIGNERS.

E. N. Willard, Register in Bankruptcy, has issued an order making the "First National Bank" of Montrose, the only legal depository for all Assignee funds in Susquehanna County.

Montrose, April 28, 1875. 17tf.

NOTWITHSTANDING the cry of hard times and a scarcity of money, C. F. Sisson & Co., Binghamton, are doing a much larger business than ever before. They are successors to the oldest and best known Dry Goods House in the city. The great secret of their success is in dealing fairly and squarely with everyone; by representing every kind of goods just as they are, and by selling the very best class of goods in market, at prices to bring them within the reach of everybody. We have a much larger and finer stock of Dry Goods than ever before, and we would take great pleasure in forwarding samples of anything in our line to anyone desiring them.

Binghamton, May 5, 1875—tf.

THE FIRST PREMIUM MILK PAN.

Fifteen per cent. more butter made by using *Iron Clad Pans.* Read what they say:

BAINBRIDGE, N Y., August 10, 1874.

Messrs. Bunnel & Brown: The Pans that I bought of you are all right. They save a vast amount of work, and we get all the cream in bad weather. We make just as good butter in July and August as we did in June. We have running water around them all of the time. I would not do without them for three times what they cost me if I could not get another set. They are just what every butter maker should have, and will when they get their eyes open.

Yours truly,

N. A. HUMPHREY.

These Pans can be seen at Hayden & Clement's

JOHN HAYDEN, General Agent,
New Milford, Pa.

April 21, 1875.

Carver & Pratt.

MILLINERY.

THE LATEST PARISAN NOVELTIES,
Just received at

CARVER & PRATT'S

First class CUSTOM WORK done here.

LADIES' FURNISHING GOODS, NOTIONS, AND TRIMMINGS.

Including everything pertaining to

A FIRST-CLASS STOCK.

GOOD TWO-BUTTONED KIDS FOR 90c. A PAIR.

Prices and Goods to please all.

CARVER & PRATT.
No. 21 Court St., Cor. Water St.
Binghamton, N. Y., April 21, 1875.

MARRIAGES.

SOUTHWORTH—TOMPKINS—In Liberty, May 29, by Eld. S. Simpkins, Fred. H. Southworth to Henrietta H. Tompkins, both of Liberty.

WARREN—KILBOURN—In Lenox, May 23, by L. W. Kellum, J. P., Warren Kilbourn, of Lathrop, to Nancy Brown, of Lenox.

NYE—SHEPARDSON—At the M. E. parsonage in Harford, May 26, by Rev. D. C. Barnes, Perry A. Nye, of Jackson, and Effie L Shepardson, of Gibson.

BROUGHTON—SPROUT—May 26, at her father's by Eld. W. C. Tilden, John Broughton, of Tunkhannock and Ella Sprout, of Bridgewater. (Tunkhannock papers please copy.)

LATHRAM—STOUTENBURG—At the residence of the bride, in Ararat, May 26, by Rev. G. W.

Robinson, C. W. Lathram and Anna Stoutenburg, both of Ararat.

BENEDICT—WILLIAMS—At the residence of Henry Conrad, in South Gibson, May 20, by Rev. J. L. Race, Mr. A. Edwin Benedict, editor of the Great Bend *Reporter*, to Miss Hattie E. Williams, of Foster.

DEATHS.

MADISON—In Herrick Centre, May 21st, Mr. Charles Madison, aged 85 years and 5 months.

TOWNE—At Kirkville, Mo., April 20, Frederick Winthrop, aged 7 weeks, infant son of M. S. and E. T. Towne.

HEWITT—In Brooklyn, April 30, James Hewitt, aged 67 years, 6 months and 14 days.

KING—In Brooklyn, Sept. 12, 1874, Ruby F. youngest daughter of D. J. and Emegene King, aged 4 months.

WARNER—In Fairdale, May 8, Mr. John A. Warner, aged 53 years. For more than a year his health was failing. The last three months he was confined to his bed and suffered greatly. The day of his death some friends visited him, after singing and prayer, a lady took him by the hand and said, "You are right in the middle of the river, how does it seem?" Very feebly he whispered, "Jesus is with me; I am not afraid," and without a struggle he peacefully passed over Jordon. COM.

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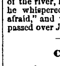

There is no pain which the Centaur Liniment will not relieve, no swelling they will not subdue, and no lameness which they will not cure. This is strong language, but it is true. They have produced more cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, lock-jaw, palsy, sprains, swellings, caked breasts, scalds, burns, salt rheum, ear-ache, &c., upon the human frame, and of strains, spavin, galls, etc., upon animals in one year than have all other pretended remedies since the world began. They are counter-irritant, all-healing, pain relievers. Cripples throw away their crutches, the lame walk, poisonous bites are rendered harmless, and the wounded are healed without a scar. The recipe is published around each bottle. They sell as no articles ever sold before, because they do just what they pretend to do. Those who now suffer from rheumatism, pain, or swelling deserve to suffer if they will not use Centaur Liniment, white wrapper. More than 1000 certificates of remarkable cures, including frozen limbs, chronic rheumatism, gout, running tumors, etc., have been received. We will send a circular containing certificates, the recipe, etc., gratis, to any one requesting it. One bottle of the yellow wrapper Centaur Liniment is worth one hundred dollars for spavined or sweenied horses and mules, or for screw-worm in sheep. Stock-owners—these liniments are worth your attention. No family should be without them. "White wrapper family use;" Yellow wrapper for animals. Sold by all Druggists.—50 cents per bottle; large bottles, $1.00. J. B. ROSE & Co., 53 Broadway, New York.

Castoria is more than a substitute for Castor Oil. It is the only *safe* article in existence which is certain to assimulate the food, regulate the bowels, cure wind colic and produce natural sleep. It contains neither minerals, morphine or alcohol, and is pleasant to take. Children need not cry and mothers may rest.

Oct. 25.

The Markets.

New York Produce Market.

Reported Every Week Expressly for THE MONTROSE DEMOCRAT by Rhodes & Server, Produce Commission Merchants, 26 Whitehall Street, New York.

New York, Friday, May 28, 1875.

BUTTER. 27

Receipts for the last six days 16,492 packages Really choice yellow butter is still in light supply and holders are disposed to be quite firm in their views. Anything however a trifle off in quality and that which runs white and lacks solidity is weak, as receivers are anxious to close it out as soon after arrival as possible, even if compelled to allow 1 to 2c. concession.

Firkins, fine, selected	20	@	22c
" , good to prime	16	@	18c
Tubs, choice new made	22	@	24c
Tubs, good to prime	18	@	21c
Tubs, fair to good	15	@	17c

CHEESE.

Receipts for the last six days, 40,044 boxes.—The proverbial individual "the oldest inhabitant" has no recollection of such a cheese market as we are having this season. The demand is light and for anything not strictly fancy, prices are almost nominal

State Factory, fine	10½	@	11½c
State Dairies		@	c
State Factory, fair to good	8½	@	[illegible]

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Receipts for the last six days, 14,407 pkgs.—The receipts are rather light again to-day and the market wears a trifle firmer tone. Choice marks are not obtainable below 17½c. and some holders are disposed to ask a fraction higher.

State and Penn	17	@	c
Western choice brands		@	17½c
Southern		@	16½c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apples continue very slow and though held about the same, concessions are generally necessary to sell. Blackberries in large lots are held firmly at 9½c. with some holding still higher, sales have been made of late of 500 bbls. at 9½c. Small irregular lots however will not bring these prices. Peeled peeches are very dull. Unpeeled firmly held.

State Apples, quarters	7¾	to	8c
Peaches, peeled, state	18	to	20c
Blackberries		to	9½c
Raspberries, new	28	to	29c

POULTRY.

The supply continues light and the demand slow with prices more or less nominal.

Turkeys, State, prime, small	22	to	23c
Spring Chickens, per lb	50	to	75c
Ducks, Jersey, prime		to	c

MEATS AND STOCK.

The tone of the market for live and dressed calves is a shade firmer to-day. The supply of dressed mostly consists of city, very few country arriving.

Live Sheep	4¾	to	5½c
Live Calves, State prime	6½	to	7c
Dressed Calves, grass		to	c

POTATOES.

The stock here of potatoes is large and prices weak and irregular.

Early Rose in bulk, per bbl	1 50	to	2 00
Peachblows " " "	1 50	to	2 00

DONLEY & CASEY,

No. 48 & 50 Washington St.,

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

Would respectfully call attention to their large stock of

FURNITURE

which they are selling at from 15 to 20 per cent. less than heretofore. A full assortment of

PARLOR, DINING ROOM and KITCHEN FURNITURE.

Parlor Setts, from $60 upward. Chamber Setts from $40 upward. Mattresses from $4 upward. Pure Wool Mattresses from $10 to $15. Oak, Ash and Walnut Extension Tables from $6 to $18.

You can do better by purchasing your goods of us than of any dealers in this section of the country. We will not be undersold by any one east of New York City.—No extra charge for packing or delivering goods at the depot.

OF OUR

UNDERTAKING DEPARTMENT,

We desire to say a word. In this line we have Stein's Patent Casket, and a variety of other styles. Burial Robes, Shrouds, etc.

The hearse and Carriage attached to our establishment cannot be surpassed in this section. These will be furnished to those who require, at a reasonable figure, anywhere within a radius of twenty miles from this city. Give us a call,

DONLEY & CASEY.

Binghamton, May 12th, 1875.—tf

TAYLOR'S FAMILY MEDICINES.

Pain and Lameness relieved in a short time by the use of Taylor's Celebrated Oil. The great Rheumatic and Neuralgic Remedy. This medicine is not a cure all, but is warranted to cure more of the ails and ills to which flesh is heir than any other medicine ever discovered. Give it a trial; if you do not find it so, it costs you nothing. It may be used with the utmost advantage for any kind of Pain, Lameness, Wounds or Sores upon man or beast. Will not smart the rawest wound or sore. Full directions for use around each bottle. Ask your Merchant for a free vial. No Cure—No Pay.

Taylor's Cough Syrup or Expectorant, for all Throat and Lung diseases, is very pleasant to the taste and contains nothing injurious. Try it, and stop that cough and take the soreness from your Throat and Lungs. Ask your Merchant for a free vial. No Cure—No Pay.

Taylors Condition Powders for all kinds of stock and poultry. Warranted the best renovator of the system of run down or diseased stock, that has ever been discovered. Try them for all diseases incident to the brute creation. Directions for use around each package. No Cure—No Pay.

All the above medicines for sale by Abel Turrell and Burns & Nichols, of Montrose, and all Druggists and Dealers throughout the country.

H. BROWNING TAYLOR.

October 21, '74.—1y. 1m—al—1m.

New Advertisements

Marble Works!

We would call the attention of the Public wanting

ANYTHING IN THE MARBLE LINE

to OUR WORKS at

SUSQUEHANNA DEPOT, PA.,

☞ Being the only Marble Works in the County. ☜

All Work Warranted as Represented

OR NO SALE.

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY

By calling on us.

WILLIS DeLONG.

M. A. COLVIN, Ag't.

Susq'a Depot, Pa., April 14, 1875.-1y.

At No. 33 Court Street,

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

NEW GOODS,

NEW GOODS,

NEW GOODS.

As we have just returned from the City of New York after purchasing a large and well selected stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS

of all kinds bought from first hands, we are now prepared to offer goods at prices that will satisfy the closest buyer. We have also added to our large stock of Dry Goods, an immense stock of

CLOTH, CASSIMERES, AND BEAVERS,

for Men and Boy's wear. We are now prepared to make

SUITS FOR ALL

who will give us a call as we have first class workmen engaged for the season.

Ladies and gentlemen, you will please call and examine our stock before you purchase elsewhere.

Thankful for past favors, we hope for a continuation of the same. We remain,

Yours Respectfully,
C. & A. CORTSEY.

Binghamton, April 28, 1875.—tf. 8-23-'74.

Figures Do Not Lie!

SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

OUR NEW PRICE LIST FOR SPRING AND SUMMER OF

1875.

Heavy cottonade pants,		$ 1.00
Stout wool-mixed pants,	$ 1.75 to	2.50
Good all wool pants,	3.00	4.00
French cassimere pants,	5.00	7.50
Heavy workingmen's suits,	7.00	10 00
Scotch cassimere suits,	8.00	12.00
Harris cassimere suits,	13.00	17.50
Fancy check and stripe suits,	10.00	20.00
Black frock coats,	6.00	9.00
Black dress coats, imported,	10.00	14.00
Black cloth vests,	1.75	4.00
White linen vests,	1.25	3.50

BOYS' SUITS, 3 to 9 years.

Boys' cotton suits,	$ 2 00	$ 4.00
Boys' mixed suits,	4.00	6.00
Boys' fancy wool suits,	5.00	10.00

BOYS' SUITS, 9 to 15 years.

Boys' school suits,	$ 4.00	$ 7.00
Boys' fancy suits,	7.00	10.00
Boys' finest cassimere suits,	8.00	14.00
Youths' suits, all styles,	5.00	20.00
Good cotton shirts,		50
Good overalls,		50
Good rubber suspenders,		25

And all other Goods in proportion.

The above prices are for cash only, and are quoted for customers from a distance.

$100 FORFEIT if the above price list is not fulfilled; which prices are guaranted 15 per cent. lower than those of any other house in this city or vicinity.

WEBSTER, The Clothier.
62, 64, 66 Court Street,
Binghamton, N. Y.

Binghamton, May 5th, 1875.—tf

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I write policies in the following companies:

Franklin Fire Insurance Co., Phil., Assets,	$3,300,000
Continental, N. Y. "	2,275,000
Germania, "	1,350,000
Hanover, "	1,250,000
Niagara, "	1,250,000
Farmers, York, "	900,000
Queens, London, "	10,000,000

No "Tiger-Cats"—All National Board Companies, and as a consequence, sound and reliable, having long been tried and always found worthy, as all, who have met with losses, at my Agency, will testify. Those who have patronized me, will accept my thanks. And to those who have not, I can only say, I promise to do by them, if they will favor me with an application, as I do by all, give them Insurance value for their money.

Very Respectfully,
HENRY C. TYLER.

Hartford Accident Insurance Company Policies written from one day to one year by

HENRY C. TYLER.

Join the Masonic Benefit Association at Scranton.
Apply to HENRY C. TYLER.
Montrose, December 8, 1874.-tf

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Just published, a new edition of DR. CULVERWELL'S CELEBRATED ESSAY on the *radical cure* (without medicine) of Spermatorrhœa or Seminal Weakness, Involuntary Seminal Losses, Impotency, Mental and Phisical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, etc.; also Consumption, Epilepsy and Fits, induced by self-indulgence or sexual extravagance, &c.

The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from a thirty years' successful practice that the alarming consequences of self-abuse may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicine or the application of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at one simple, certain, and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately, and radically.

☞ This lecture should be in the hands of every man in the land.

Sent under seal, in a plain envelope, to any address, post paid, on receipt of six cents or two post stamps.

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April 23, 1875.—4m.

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MANUFACTURERS OF ALL KINDS OF

Fire and Burglar Proof

SAFES.

The oldest and most reliable firm in the United States They took the prize medal awarded at the

WORLD'S FAIR AT LONDON!

All Safes are warranted free from dampness and corrosion.

BILLINGS STROUD, Agent.

Montrose, May 6 '74.—tf.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—In the estate of Timothy Downs, deceased, late of Choconut, Pa. Letters of Administration in the said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons owing said estate, are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them without delay.

PHILIP O'CONNELL,
Administrator.

ay 5th, '75.—6w-18

New Advertisements

AT

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Southern Tier

FURNITURE EMPORIUM!

88 Washington Street,

Binghamton, N. Y.,

You will Find the

LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF

FURNITURE

OF ALL KINDS,

At the Lowest Prices of any Store in Southern New York.

All Goods Sold are WARRATED as Represented.

E. D. ROBINSON.

Nov. 12 1874.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

The People's Drug Store.

I. N. BULLARD, PROPRIETOR.

R. KENYON, Druggist & Apothecary.

PATENT MEDICINE EMPORIUM!

The undersigned would respectfully announce to all the people everywhere, that to his already extensive stock and variety of Merchandise in the Grocery, Provision, and Hardware line.

He has added a very choice assortment of PURE DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, BRUSHES, PERFUMERY, &c., which he flatters himself if he can assure the public they will find it to their advantage to examine before purchasing elsewhere. To all Physicians in this section of the county he would respectfully announce that he has secured the services of R. Kenyon, as Druggist and Apothecary, whose long experience and acknowledged care and ability, entitle him to your entire confidence in the line of compounding medicines or preparing prescriptions, and who would also esteem it an especial favor to receive calls from any of his old customers or new ones. Will make the Patent Medicines a specialty. Also Domestic and Foreign Mineral Waters—an extensive stock. Also fine Groceries—

LEIBIG'S EXTRACT OF BEEF, FRESH SALMON PICKLED & CANNED CLAMS, LOBSTERS, PEAS, CORN, BEANS, OYSTERS, &c., &c.

In fact, anything and everything that is ordinarily ed. Respectfully soliciting a call I remain

I. N. BULLARD.

Powder! Powder! Powder!

Blasting, Rifle and Shot Powder, Shot, Lead, Gun Tubes, Caps, Pouches, Flasks, Fuse, &c., &c., &c., for sale by

I. N. BULLARD.

Montrose, Sept. 9, 1874—tf.

Furniture.

At W. W. Smith & Son's

Extensive Furniture Wareroom you will find the largest stock of

FIRST CLASS AND COMMON

FURNITURE

To be found in this section of the country, of his own manufacture, and at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction. They make the very best

EXTENSION TABLES

In the Country, and WARRANT them.

Upholstery Work

Of all kinds done in the neatest man.

SPRING BEDS

OF VARIOUS KINDS.

PURE NO. 1 MATRASSES,
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The subscriber will hereafter make the undertaking a specialty in his business. Having just completed a NEW and the most elegant HEARSE in the State, all needing his services will be attended to promptly and at satisfactory charges.

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Montrose, Pa., Jan. 31 1872.—no5—tf.

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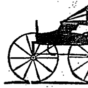

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Phaetons,

LUMBER WAGONS,

Manufactured, on exhibition, and for sale at

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D. D. SEARLE.

Montrose, March 10, 1875.

CHEAP CASH STORE!

We pay Cash for Goods, and sell for Cash, and would recommend

PEOPLE FROM BINGHAMTON

and vicinity, visiting Montrose, to

GIVE US A CALL

before purchasing elsewhere, as it is generally admitted that we sell the same amount of Goods for

TWENTY DOLLARS

that they sell in Binghamton for twenty-five dollars.

New Goods Arriving Every Day!

READ & STROUD.

Montrose, Nov. 11, '74.—1yr.

V. RECKHOW & BROTHER,

General Undertakers

AND

DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF COFFINS, CASKETS, ETC.,

GREAT BEND.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

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CALVES! CALVES!

3000 CALVES and VEALS WANTED at Great Bend Village, Pa., for which the BEST MARKET PRICE will be paid. Also calves six days old and upwards, and VEALS from four to six weeks old, by

W. S. BARNES,
I. V. LEWIS.

Great Bend, March 17, 1875.—tf