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March 28, 1867.

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Office with S. S. Dreher, Esq.
All claims against the Government prosecuted with dispatch at reduced rates.
(An additional bounty of \$100 and of \$50 procured for Soldiers in the late War, FREE OF EXTRA CHARGE.)
August 2, 1866.

Furniture! Furniture!
McCarty's New Furniture Store,
DREHER'S NEW BUILDING, two doors below the Post-office, Stroudsburg, Pa. He is selling his Furniture 10 per cent. less than Easton or Washington prices, to say nothing about freight or breakage.
[May 17, 1866.-tf.]

IF YOU WANT A GOOD MELODEON, from one of the best makers in the United States, solid Rosewood Case, warranted 5 years, call at McCARTY'S, he would especially invite all who are good judges of Music to come and test them. He will sell you from any maker you wish, \$10 less than those who sell on commission. The reason is he buys for cash and sells for the same, with less than one-half the usual per centage that agents want. J. H. McCARTY.
May 17, 1866.-tf.

UNDERTAKING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
Particular attention will be given to this branch of the subscriber's business. He will always study to please and consult the wants and wishes of those who employ him. From the number of years experience he has had in this branch of business he cannot and will not be excelled either in city or country. Prices one-third less than is usually charged, from 50 to 75 finished Coffins always on hand. Trimmings to suit the best taste in the country. Funerals attended at one hour's notice. J. H. McCARTY.
May 17, 1866.-tf.

MT. VERNON HOTEL,
M. & T. P. WATSON, Proprietors,
No. 5 117 & 119 North SECOND Street,
(Between Arch and Race),
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Close proximity to the business center of the city, excellent accommodations, and careful attention to the comfort and wants of guests are characteristics of the Mount Vernon. The House has been thoroughly renovated and new-furnished. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.
October 11, 1866.-tf.

LOOK THIS WAY!
READ! READ!
Chas. Schaefer & Co.
FRENCH & GERMAN
STEAM DYEING ESTABLISHMENT,
EASTON, PENNA.
Will dye Woolen, Silk and Cotton Goods of Every Description, in any Color desired.
Orders can be left with H. S. WAGNER, STROUDSBURG, PA.
June 21, 1866.-1yr.

**Saddle and Harness
Manufactory.**
The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Stroudsburg, and surrounding country, that he has commenced the above business in Fowler's building, on Elizabeth street, and is fully prepared to furnish any article in his line of business, at short notice. On hand at all times, a large stock of
Harness, Whips, Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Horse-Blankets, Belts, Skates, Oil Cloths, &c.
Carriage Trimming promptly attended to.
JOHN O. SAYLOR.
Stroudsburg, Dec. 14, 1865.

Gothic Hall Drug Store.
William Hollinshead,
Wholesale and Retail Druggist,
STROUDSBURG, PA.
Constantly on hand and for sale cheap for CASH, a fresh supply of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oil, Glass, Putty, Varnish, Kerosene Oil, Perfumery and Fancy Goods; also
Sash, blinds and Doors.
Pure Wines and Liquors for Medicinal purpose.
P. S.—Physicians Prescriptions carefully compounded.
Stroudsburg, July 7, 1864.

Drs. JACKSON & BIDLACK,
PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.
Drs. JACKSON & BIDLACK, are prepared to attend promptly to all calls of a Professional character. Office—Opposite the Stroudsburg Bank.
April 25, 1867.-tf.

BLANK MORTGAGES
For sale at this Office.

Farm and Fireside.

A Journal of Agriculture, Horticulture, Literature and Art.
Published every Saturday, in quarto form, eight pages, on fine paper and new type.—It is illustrated with engravings of
LIVE STOCK,
FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES,
FARM BUILDINGS,
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c.
(A corps of practical and well-known writers contribute regularly to its columns.)
A LITERARY DEPARTMENT
Of choice Tales, Poetry, Biography and general Miscellany, makes the *Farm and Fireside* a welcome visitor to every home in the United States.
No expense is spared to make a journal worthy the patronage of an intelligent public. It will advocate the best interests of a Rural Life.
Its Market Reports are full and reliable.
TERMS—\$2 a Year, invariably in advance.
SOLD AT ALL NEWS AND PERIODICAL OFFICES. Specimen copy sent to any address on receipt of five cents.
S. S. FOSS, Publisher,
No. 402 Prune Street, Philadelphia.
March 14, 1867.-3m.

DAS GUTE LAGER BIER!
LAGER BEER AND DRAUGHT ALE,
Manufactured by Ruff & Lasser, in Stroud township, on the road leading from Stroudsburg to Tannersville, within three (3) miles of Stroudsburg.
The above firm have lately erected an extensive Brewery for Malt Liquors in said township, where they are ready and able to manufacture any quantity and of the best quality of Beer and Ale. They have always on hand a large stock of the above-named Beverages which can be fully recommended for their superiority of flavor and substance by B. Mansfield, proprietor of the Indian Queen Hotel, and other Hotel and Restaurant Keepers in Stroudsburg, and throughout the county.
Those commencing business, and those having already established places for the sale of superior, wholesome liquors, would do well to patronize our young friends since they are selling their articles cheaper, and the cost of freight being saved, than they can be bought elsewhere. Orders by Mail promptly attended to. Address,
RUFF & LASSER, Brewers,
Stroudsburg, Pa.
March 28, 1867.

PHOENIX DRUG STORE.
DREHER & BROTHER,
(Opposite the "Jeffersonian" Office),
ELIZABETH STREET,
STROUDSBURG, PA.
Dealers in
DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY,
WINES AND LIQUORS for medicinal purposes, SASH,
DOORS AND BLINDS.
All kinds of
Painting Materials,
Lamps and Lanterns
Burning and Lubricating Oils.
(Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded.)
G. H. DREHER. E. B. DREHER.
October 4, 1866.

Important to Everybody.
The subscribers would inform the public very respectfully, that they are carrying on the
Boot & Shoe Business
at their old stand, one door above the Express Office, on Elizabeth St., Stroudsburg, Pa., where they will be happy to wait on their old customers, and as many new ones as can make it convenient to call. They have on hand a good assortment of
BOOTS & SHOES,
for men, women, misses' and children's wear, Gum over Shoes and Sandals for men, youth and misses. A general assortment of Lasts and Boot-Trees, Shoe Thread, Wax, Heel Nails, Pincers, Punches, Eyelets and Eye-lett Sets, Pegs and Peg-Cutters, Shoe Hammers, Crimping Boards and Screws, also, lining and binding skins, a good article of Tampico Boot Morocco, French Morocco and French Calfskins, Lasting and all kinds of Shoemaker tools, Ink Powder and Shoe Blacking, and Frank Miller's water-proof oil blacking. All of which they offer for sale at small advance upon cost. Give us a call, no charges for showing goods.
P. S.—Boots and Shoes made to order and warranted.
CHARLES WATERS & SON,
Stroudsburg, Jan. 18, 1866.

J. L. WYCKOFF,
WITH
HUSZ & WULF,
COMMISSION DEALERS IN
**Butter, Eggs, and Country
Produce,**
No. 250 Washington Street,
Between Robinson & Murry streets.
March 21, 1867-1y.] New-York.

J. H. McCARTY
HAS just returned from New-York with a splendid assortment of **PARLOR and CHAMBER FURNITURE.** Call at his Ware-Rooms. [May 31, 1866.-tf.]

JUST RECEIVED, 5,000 feet of Rose and Gilt Picture Frame Moulding, from 1 inch to 3 inches wide. Also 500 feet of Black Walnut. J. H. McCARTY.
August 2, 1866.

NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR HEARSE in attending Funerals within 5 miles of Stroudsburg. J. H. McCARTY.
May 31, 1866.-tf.

DON'T pay \$3.50 for a WASH STAND, when you can get them at McCARTY'S for superior for \$2.50. [August 2, 1866

McCARTY is the only Furniture dealer in Stroudsburg who has a License to sell FURNITURE. [August 2, 1866.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of *Ven. Ex. de terra*, to me directed, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe county, I will expose to sale, at public vendue, on
Saturday, the 25th day of May, 1867, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House, in the borough of Stroudsburg, the following described real estate to wit:
A certain piece or parcel of Land situate in Barrett township, Monroe county, being part of a tract of land warranted name of John H. Baker, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a stone thence north 50 degrees, west 123 1/2 perches to stone, thence through the middle of the said John H. Baker's tract, north 40 degrees, east 206 perches to a rock, thence by land of William S. White, south 50 degrees, east 123 perches to the beginning, containing 150 acres, 5 perches, more or less. Improvements are one PLANK HOUSE, 1 1/2 stories high, about 16 by 28 feet; Frame Barn, with Stone Stabling underneath, 20 by 24 feet; Spring of Water near the door.
About 5 acres of above land is cleared, balance Timber land.
Seized and taken in execution as the property of Frederick Fox, and to be sold by me for cash. **CHARLES HENRY,** Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }
May 9, 1867.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of 24 plu. lev. facias, to me directed, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe County, I will expose to sale, at public vendue, on
Saturday, the 25th day of May, 1867, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House, in the borough of Stroudsburg, the following described real estate, to wit:
A certain tract or piece of land, situate in Price township, Monroe County, containing
414 ACRES,
more or less, 35 Acres cleared, of which eight Acres are meadow, balance timber land, adjoining lands of John Jones and others. The improvements are one
Log House,
one and a half stories high, 20 feet by 32 feet, one LOG HOUSE, 18 by 20 feet, one Blacksmith Shop 14 feet by 18 feet, a lot of fruit trees on the premises.
Seized and taken in execution as the property of Jacob Miller, and Ezra Ellenwood, and to be sold by me for cash. **CHARLES HENRY,** Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }
May 9, 1867.

Court Proclamation.

Whereas, the Hon. GEORGE R. BARRETT, President Judge of the 22d Judicial District of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Wayne, Pike, Monroe and Carbon, and Abraham Levering and John De Young, Esqrs., Associate Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Monroe, and by virtue of their offices, Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail delivery and Court of Quarter Sessions in and for the said County of Monroe, have issued their precept to me commanding that a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Common Pleas, and Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Orphan's Court, for the said County of Monroe, to be held at Stroudsburg, on the 27th day of May, 1867, to continue one week if necessary.
NOTICE
Is hereby given to the Cononer, the Justices of the Peace, and Constables of the said county of Monroe, that they be then and there ready with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances to do those things which their offices are appertaining, and also that those who are bound by recognizances to prosecute and give evidence against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of the said county of Monroe, or against persons who stand charged with the commission of offences to be then and there to prosecute or testify as shall be just.
(God save the Commonwealth.)
CHARLES HENRY, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office Stroudsburg, }
May 9, 1867.

A CARD
To the Hotel keepers of Monroe and adjacent counties.
Look to Your Interests!!!
We are offering Liquors, Wines, &c., warranted pure, and containing no Drugs, Oils, Essences, &c., whatever, at the following very low prices:
Brandies from 50c @ \$1.00 per gallon less than City prices,
Gins 50c @ 75c. " "
Bourbon Whiskey, 40c @ 65c. " "
Moonongahela, 40c @ 65c. " "
Old Rye, 40c @ 65c. " "
" Apple 50c @ \$1.00 " "
Common 15c @ 25c. " "
Wines (all kinds) 50c @ \$1.00 " "
Please give us a call, or send your orders, and satisfy yourselves that we do it, that we will do it, and the reasons why we can do it.
Also, please remember that we do not have anything to do with "Drugged" Liquors. Anything you buy from us we guarantee Pure, and much below the prices usually paid for the Drugged Liquors.
Very Respectfully,
J. S. WILLIAMS & Co.,
Stroudsburg, Monroe Co. Pa.
July 27, 1865.

STAMP DUTIES.

As Amended by Act of Congress.
Approved March 2d, 1867.
Instruments are not to be recorded unless properly stamped and cancelled.
No instrument is invalid for the want of the particular kind of stamps designated provided a legal stamp of equal amount, (except Proprietary stamps,) is duly affixed.
All instruments, documents and papers issued or used by officers of the United States Government, or by the officers of any State, county or other municipal corporation, are exempt.
In cases where an adhesive stamp shall be used for denoting any duty imposed by this Act, the person using or affixing the same, shall write thereon the initials of his name, and date upon which the same shall be attached or used, so that the same may not again be used, under a penalty of \$50.
Postage Stamps cannot be used as Revenue stamps.
No deed, instrument, writing, or paper, required by law to be stamped, which has been signed, or issued without being duly stamped, or with a deficient stamp, nor any copy thereof, shall be recorded, or admitted, or used as evidence in any court until a legal stamp or stamps, denoting the amount of tax, shall have been affixed thereto as prescribed by law.
The party to whom a document is issued from a foreign country or by whom it is to be used, shall, before using the same, affix thereon the stamp or stamps indicating the duty required.
Proprietors of Cosmetics, Medicines, or Proprietary Articles, may furnish private dies, and are allowed 5 per cent. on all purchases of \$500; over \$500, 10 per cent.
AFFIDAVITS
are exempt from stamp duty.
AGREEMENT OR CONTRACT,
Other than those mentioned in this schedule, (or any appraisement,) for every sheet or piece of paper on which it is written, five cents. Appraisements of value or damage, five cents.
BANK CHECKS, DRAFTS OR ORDERS,
For any amount on any Bank, Broker, or Trust Company, at sight or on demand, two cents; for amount exceeding \$10 on any person other than a Bank, Broker or Trust Company, at sight or on demand, two cents.
BILL OF EXCHANGE, FOREIGN,
Drawn in but payable out of the United States, if drawn singly or otherwise than in a set of three or more—same as inland bills of exchange or promissory notes: drawn in sets of three or more, for every bill of each set, where the sum made payable shall not exceed \$100, or the equivalent thereof, in any foreign currency in which such bills may be expressed, two cents; for every additional \$100 or fractional part thereof in excess of \$100, two cents.
BILL OF EXCHANGE, INLAND,
Draft or order for the payment of any sum of money, not exceeding \$100, otherwise than at sight or on demand, or Promissory Notes, [Except Bank Notes and Checks]; or any memorandum, check, receipt, or other written or printed evidence of an amount of money to be paid on demand or at a time designated, for a sum not exceeding \$100, five cents; for every additional \$100, or fractional part in excess of \$100, five cents.
BILL OF LADING,
For goods and merchandise exported to foreign port, other than charter party, each ten cents.
BILL OF SALE,
Bills of sale, by which any ship or vessel, or any part thereof, shall be conveyed to or vested in any other person or persons, when the consideration shall not exceed \$500, fifty cents; Do., when the consideration exceeds \$500 and does not exceed \$1,000, \$1.00; Exceeding \$1,000 for every additional amount of \$500, or fractional part thereof, fifty cents: Personal property other than ships or vessels, five cents.
BONDS,
Of indemnity—where the money ultimately recoverable thereupon is \$1,000 or less, fifty cents: Where the penalty exceeds \$1,000, for every additional \$1,000, or fractional part in excess of \$1,000, fifty cents: For the due execution of the duties of any office, \$1.00: Of any description, other than such as may be required in legal proceedings, or used in connection with mortgage deeds, and not otherwise charged in this schedule, twenty-five cents.
CERTIFICATE,
Other than those mentioned, five cents.
CERTIFICATE OF DAMAGE,
And all other documents issued by any Port Warden or Marine Surveyor, twenty-five cents.
CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT,
For a sum not exceeding \$100, two cents: Exceeding \$100, five cents.
CERTIFICATE, PAWN-BROKERS,
For any amount, five cents.
CERTIFICATE OF PROFITS,
In any Incorporated Company, for an amount not less than \$10, nor exceeding \$50, ten cents: From \$50 to \$1,000, twenty-five cents: Exceeding \$1,000, for every additional \$1,000, or fractional part thereof, twenty-five cents.
CERTIFICATE OF STOCK,
In Incorporated Company, twenty-five cents.

CHARTER PARTY.

Or any letter or Memorandum relating to the charter of any vessel. If the registered tonnage does not exceed 150 tons, \$1.00; From 150 to 300 tons, \$3.00; From 300 to 600 tons, 5.00; Over 600 tons, 10.00.
CIGAR LIGHTS,
made in part of wood, wax, glass, paper or other materials, in parcels or packages containing 25 lights or less, one cent: In packages of more than 25 and not more than 50, two cents; For every additional 25 lights or fractional part of that number, one cent.
CONTRACTS,
Contracts, Broker's Note, or memorandum of sale of any goods or merchandise, stocks, bonds, notes of hand, for each note or memorandum of sale, ten cents.
CONVEYANCE OR DEED OF GRANT,
Where the consideration or value does not exceed \$600, fifty cents; From \$500 to \$1,000, \$1.00; And for every additional \$500, or fractional part thereof, in excess of \$1,000, fifty cents.
ENTRY OF GOODS,
at Custom House, not exceeding in value \$100, twenty-five; From \$100 to \$500, fifty cents; Exceeding \$500, 1.00; For the withdrawal of goods from bonded warehouse, fifty cents.
FISH, SAUCES, &c.
For and upon every can, bottle or other single package, containing fish, sauces, sirrups, prepared mustard contained therein, and packed or sealed, made, prepared and sold, or offered for sale, or removed for consumption in the United States, when such can, bottle, or other single package with its contents, shall not exceed two pounds in weight, one cent; When such can, bottle, or package with its contents, shall exceed two pounds in weight, for every additional pound or fractional part, one cent.
FRICTION MATCHES,
or Lucifer Matches, made in part of wood, in packages of 100 or less, one cent; When in parcels or packages containing more than 100, and not more than 200, for each parcel or package, two cents; And for every additional or fractional part thereof, one cent: For wax tapers, double the rates herein imposed upon friction matches.
LEASE,
agreement, memorandum, or contract for the hire, use, or rent of any land, tenement, or portion thereof, where the rent or rental value is \$300 per annum, or less, fifty cents: Where the rent exceeds \$300, for each additional \$200, or fraction in excess of \$300, fifty cents: Assignment of a lease, same stamp as original, and additional stamp upon the value or consideration of transfer, according to the rates of on deeds. (See Conveyance.)
MANIFEST FOR ENTRY, CLEARANCE
of cargo of vessel for foreign port, if tonnage does not exceed 300 tons, 1.00.—From 300 to 600, 3.00; Exceeding 600, 5.00.
MORTGAGE OF LANDS,
estate, or property, real or personal, heritable or movable whatsoever, or any personal bond given as security for the payment of any definite or certain sum of money exceeding \$100, and not exceeding \$500, fifty cent: Exceeding \$500 and not exceeding \$1,000, 1.00: For every additional \$500, or fractional part thereof in excess of \$500, fifty cents: Provided, That upon each and every assignment or transfer of a mortgage, policy of insurance, or the renewal or continuance of any agreement, contract or charter by letter or otherwise, a stamp duty shall be required equal to that imposed on the original instrument.
PASSAGE TICKET,
to a foreign port, if of less price than \$35, fifty cents: From \$35 to \$50, 1.00 and for every additional \$50, or fractional parts thereof, in excess of \$50, 1.00: Passage Tickets to ports in the United States and British North America do not require stamps.
PLAYING CARDS,
For and upon every pack not exceeding 52 cards, irrespective of value, five cents.
POLICY OF INSURANCE,
on any life or lives, where the amount insured does not exceed \$1,000, twenty-five cents: From \$1,000 to \$5,000, fifty cents: Exceeding \$5,000, 1.00: Fire and Marine Risks Premium not exceeding \$10, ten cents: Premium not exceeding \$50, twenty-five cents: Exceeding \$50, fifty cents. Accidental insurance policies are exempt.
POWER OF ATTORNEY,
To transfer stock, bonds, or scrip. To collect dividends, interest, or rent, twenty-five cents: To vote by proxy, except in charitable, religious, literary and cemetery societies, ten cents: To sell or lease real estate, and perform all other acts not specified, 1.00: For any other purpose, fifty cents.
PROTEST OF NOTES, DRAFT &c.,
or Marine Protest, &c., twenty-five cents.
PROPRIETARY MEDICINES, COSMETICS, &c.,
not over 25 cents, one cent; not over 50 cents, two cents; not over 75 cents, three cents; not over 1.00, four cents: For every additional 50 cents, or fraction thereof, two cents.
PROBATE OF WILL, OR LETTER OF ADMINISTRATION,
Where the value of the estate is between \$1,000 and \$2,000, 1.00: For every additional \$1,000 or fractional parts in

RECEIPT.

Receipts for the payment of any sum money, or for the payment of any debt due, exceeding \$20, not being for satisfaction of any mortgage or judgment, or decree of a court, or by endorsement on any stamp obligation in acknowledgment of its fulfillment for each receipt, two cents: Provided, That when more than one signature is affixed to the same paper, one or more stamps may be affixed thereto representing the whole amount of stamps required for such signatures.
SALES,
or contracts for sale of stocks, bonds, foreign exchange, gold and silver bullion and coin, promissory notes or other securities, when made by brokers, banks or bankers who pay a special tax, require stamps equal to one cent on every \$100. If there is a fraction over \$100, the same to be stamped at the full rate of \$100.—When made by a person, firm or corporation not paying special tax, for every \$100 of value, five cents. A memorandum of sale or contract must be made by the seller to the buyer upon the sale or contract being made, and the stamps affixed thereto.
WRITS,
legal Documents, or other original process, by which suit is commenced in a court of record, or not of record—confessions of judgment or cognovit, writs or other process in appeals from justices courts or other courts of inferior jurisdiction, and warrants of distress for rent, are exempt from duty.
EXEMPTIONS.
No stamp duty shall be required on powers of attorney or any other paper relating to application for bounties, arrears of pay, or pensions, or property lost in the service; or upon tickets or contracts of insurance when limited to injury to persons while travelling; Nor on certificates of the measurement of weight of animals, wood, coal, or hay; nor on deposit notes to mutual insurance companies for the insurance upon which policies subject to stamp duties have been or are to be issued; nor on any warrant of attorney accompanying a bond or note, when such bond or note shall have affixed thereto the stamp or stamps denoting the duty required; and whenever any bond or note shall be secured by a mortgage, but one stamp duty shall be required to be placed on such papers; nor on any certificate of the record of a deed or other instrument in writing, or of the acknowledgement or proof thereof by attesting witnesses; nor to any indorsement of a negotiable instrument.
Provided, That the stamp duty placed thereon shall be the highest rate required for said instruments, or either of them.
Receipts by express companies for the delivery of any property for transportation are exempt from stamp duty.
PENALTIES.
Penalty for making, signing, or issuing any instrument, document, or paper of any kind whatsoever, or shall accept, negotiate, or pay, or cause to be accepted, negotiated or paid any bill of exchange, draft or order, or promissory note, for the payment of money, without the same being duly stamped, for denoting the duty hereby imposed thereon—\$50; and the instrument shall be deemed invalid and of no effect: or for counterfeiting stamps or dies—\$1,000, and imprisonment at hard labor not exceeding five years. For making or paying any Bill of Exchange, Draft, Order, or Note without stamp—\$200. For selling Proprietary Cosmetics, Matches, Fish, Sauces, &c., without proper stamps, \$50.
How to Preserve Furs.
As the season has arrived when it becomes necessary to lay furs aside and preserve them from their ravishers, the moths, following hints may be useful to our lady readers: One ounce of gum camphor and one ounce of powdered shell of red pepper are macerated in eight ounces strong alcohol for seven days and then strained. With this tincture the furs and clothes are sprinkled over and rolled up in sheets. This remedy is in constant use in Russia, under the name of "Chinese Tincture for Moths," and is found very effective.
It is said that a strip of woolen cloth is far superior for lamp wicking to that in common use; it may be cut any length as long as it is of the proper width; it gives a more brilliant light, has less heat, less dirt, is less trouble in trimming, and is less liable to explode. The above information will be useful to people in the country, who frequently have to send a considerable distance for a wick suitable for their lamp.
A Large Cow.
The Kingston (N. Y.) Argus says, that Henry, Van Buren, a butcher of that place, has a Boh, recently purchased at Albany that weighs about 1,800 pounds, and is larger than most of the larger seized oxen. The animal was raised in Illinois.
"Down East" people claim to have caught a lobster nine feet long and weighing three hundred pounds.