

The number of vessels belonging to or bound to or from ports in the United States, reported totally lost and missing during the past month, is forty one, of which twenty-four were wrecked, four abandoned, three burned, three sunk by collision, three foundered, and four are missing. They are classed as follows:—One steamer, four ships, eight barges, four brigs and twenty five schooners, and their total value, exclusive of cargoes, is estimated at \$628,000.

#### MARRIED.

At Stroudsburg, Dec. 7, 1872, by the Rev. G. W. Marriott, D. D., Mr. John Keils and Miss Sarah Smith, both of Tannersville.

#### DIED

In Stroudsburg, November 27, 1872, Elizabeth Burson, aged 64 years.  
In Stroudsburg, December 5, 1872, Emily Burson, aged 59 years.

Memorial services will be had next Sunday evening at the Methodist Church.

At Akron, Ohio, on the 30th ult., Mr. Jerome B. Drake, (formerly of this place,) aged 37 years.

#### NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the undersigned will call and settle their accounts immediately, and all accounts not settled by January 10, 1873, will be left with an attorney for collection.  
L. T. LABAR & Co.  
Stroudsburg, Dec. 12, 1872.—3t.

### WHO CARES

For Monkeys, Mice or even horned Cattle, bound for the "home stretch," the "tidal wave" of the wonderful

### CHEAP AUCTION STORE

must sweep away every thing that stands in opposition to it, for DECKER has this week (since the election) crammed his Store full of some of the cheapest and prettiest goods ever had in Stroudsburg.

#### Just Come and Look

at the pretty  
Plaid Goods, Lustres & Alpaca

all colors, double and single fold, at one quarter less than sold for one month ago.

#### COME AND LOOK

at the Ladies, Misses', and Children's

Jockeys, Trimmed and Untrimmed.

#### His Beautiful

FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND RIBBONS.

#### And his

FINE VELVETEENS,

for Cloaks, and some to cut bias for trimmings. Come and get a pair of

#### Boots and Shoes,

for your self, wife and children and save piles of money, come and look at his pile of red and white

Flannel, Plain, Twilled and Plaid

#### COAT, PANTS AND VEST,

and save your five dollars. Come and look at his beautiful single and wonderful cheap

#### DOUBLE SHAWLS.

Come and see our excellent

Cassimers, Satinets, and Water Proof

### CLOTHS!

And you are sure to buy. Come and see what a tremendous stock of

MEN'S, BOY'S, and CHILDREN'S HATS

some of these half price. Come and get a beautiful

#### Set of Furs,

nearly half price, and then feast your eyes on a monster pile of beautiful

CALICOES AND MUSLINS.

Nov. 21, 72-3m] DECKER & CO.

GREAT BARGAINS!

#### \$10,000 worth of

FURNITURE

#### AT PRIVATE SALE.

The subscriber will offer at private sale, in Stroudsburg, William's Hall, the following valuable Furniture, late of the Lackawanna Valley House, Scranton, Pa., consisting of

2 NEW 7 OCTAVE PIANOS,

1 Herring & Farrell's Safe,

FULL BED ROOM SETS OF

#### WALNUT, MARBLE TOPS,

SOFAS, AND SOFA BOTTOM CHAIRS.

SEVENTY-FIVE BOX SPRING HAIR AND HUSK MATTRESSES,

#### full Bed Room Sets of

COTTAGE FURNITURE,

BRUSSEL and INGRAIN CARPETS,

Looking Glasses, Crochery Ware, Glass Ware and everything belonging to a first class Hotel. The Stock will be sold at a sacrifice.  
dec 12, '72-4f.] JOHN BALDWIN.

#### Farmers Mutual Insurance Co.

An election for 13 Managers of said Company will be held at the public house of Jacob K. Shafer, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, on the first Monday in January, 1873, being the 6th at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Punctual attendance is requested.

By order of the Board.  
Attest: FELIX STORM, Sec'y.  
REYER S. EDINGER,  
dec. 12 '72-4t. President.

#### FOR Sale--Twenty Meat Tubs.

Enquire at E. HIBLER'S Liquor Store, East Stroudsburg, Pa. Nov. 28.

#### ESTRAYED.

Came to the premises of the subscriber, a black Heifer Calf. Either a small yearling or a large spring calf.  
JACOB GRABLE.  
Barrett sp., Nov. 25, 1872.—3t

#### Cautions--Notice to the Public.

I have this day loaned to John Howe of Price township, Monroe County, Pa., during my pleasure, one Stove and fixtures, one Bedstead and Bedding, one Cupboard and a lot of dishes, one Table and a variety of other household furniture. All persons are hereby cautioned against interfering or meddling with same.  
HERAM MILLER,  
Price Twp., Nov. 23, 1872-3t

#### Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of test. ven. ex. to me directed, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Lehigh County, I will expose to sale, at Public Vendue, on

SATURDAY, the 21st day of December, 1872, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Stroudsburg, Monroe County, the following described real estate, to wit:

All the right and interest of F. F. Giering in a certain tract or piece of land situate in Polk township, Monroe county, containing

#### 240 ACRES,

more or less, bounded by land of Nathan Serfass, John Smale, Levi Correll and others; about 100 acres cleared, about 50 acres of which is

#### MEADOW LAND,

in good state of cultivation, balance good timber land. The Improvements are a

Frame Dwelling House,

24 x 24, 2 stories high, kitchen attached, 16 x 24 ft., 14 stories high, frame barn 30 x 40 feet, with stone stabling under, Corn Crib, &c.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of F. F. Giering, and to be sold by me for cash.

CHARLES HENRY, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }  
December 5-3t.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of ven. ex. de. terris. 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 21st day of December, 1872, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Stroudsburg, Monroe County, the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain lot or piece of land, situate in the Borough of Stroudsburg, in said County, beginning at a corner or line of William S. Wintermute, thence along the same northerly 187 ft. to a new road called Division st. thence along said road westerly 173 feet to a corner of David S. Lee and others, and thence by same in a southerly direction 180 ft. to Robt. Huston's land, thence 162 feet to the beginning, all cleared.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Daniel Zacharias, and to be sold by me for cash.

CHARLES HENRY, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }  
December 5-3t.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of lev. fa. 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 21st day of December 1872, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Stroudsburg, Monroe county, the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain lot or piece of land, situate in Ross township, in said County, containing

#### TWENTY ACRES,

more or less. Bounded by land of Jacob Schoch, land late of Geo. A. Van Baskirk, land of James Smith, and others; about six acres cleared, balance good timber land.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Thomas Baskirk, and to be sold by me for cash.

CHARLES HENRY, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }  
December 5-3t.

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SATURDAY, the 21st day of December, 1872, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Stroudsburg, Monroe County, the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain lot or piece of land, situate in Middle Smithfield township, in said County containing

#### Thirty-one Acres,

be the same more or less, bounded by land of Samuel D. Pipher, Abraham Hoffman and others. The improvements are 24 about Acres cleared, balance good timber land.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Solomon Walter and Loretta Walter his wife, and to be sold by me for cash.

CHARLES HENRY, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }  
December 5-3t.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

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SATURDAY, the 21st day of December, 1872, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court House in Stroudsburg, Monroe County, the following described real estate, to wit:

No. 1 a certain tract of land situate on Pocomo street, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, Monroe County, adjoining land of Daniel Bloom, and lot No. 2, 45 feet on said street by 188 ft.

No. 2, adjoining said lot No. 1 and land of David S. Lee & Co., situated on said street in said Borough and being 55 feet, on said Pocomo street, by 188 feet deep. The improvements are No. on 2.

#### One Brick House,

2 1/2 stories high 20 x 16 feet, with frame kitchen attached 1 1/2 stories high 14 x 14 feet, also frame out building in the rear of the kitchen 8 1/2 x 14 feet, some fruit trees on the premises.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Andrew Correll, and to be sold by me for cash.

CHARLES HENRY, Sheriff.  
Sheriff's Office, Stroudsburg, }  
December 5-3t.

#### WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENT.

The acceptance of widows in the following named Estates have been filed in the office of the Clerk of Orphans' Court of Monroe county, and will be presented for approval by said Court on Monday, December 23, 1872.

Estate of Benjamin Vanhy, deceased  
" Peter Fraley, "  
" Joseph Metzgar. "  
THO. M. McILHANEY, Clerk.  
December 5-3t.

#### PROTHONOTARY'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Office of the Prothonotary, of the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe County, and will be presented for allowance and confirmation, at next term of said Court, December 23, 1872.

The account of Linford Marsh, Assignee of William A. Knerr, late of Stroud township.  
Account of Andrew Storm, Testamentary Trustee of Susan Heller, under the Will of Peter Frederick, deceased.  
THO. M. McILHANEY, Prof'y.  
Nov. 28, 1872.—4t.

#### Register's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the Estates of the respective decedents, that the following accounts have been filed in the Register's Office of Monroe county, and will be presented for confirmation, to the Orphans, Court of said County, at Stroudsburg, on Monday the 23d day of December, 1872, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Fifth account of Andrew Storm and Robert W. Swink, Executors of Peter Frederick, deceased.  
Account of Ezekiah Smith, Trustee, of Francis J. Smith, dec'd.  
Account of George G. Shafer, Administrator &c. of Gottlieb Bohner, dec'd.  
Account of M. Cline Allen, Administrator &c. of Edward L. Allen, dec'd.  
Final account of John Treible and Isaac Treible, Executors of Peter Treible, dec'd.  
Account of John Treible and Isaac Treible, Administrators of Susannah Treible, dec'd.  
Account of John Christman, Executor of Henry Christman, dec'd.  
Account of John S. Fisher, Executor &c. of Peter Kunkel, dec'd.  
Account of George L. Slutter, acting Executor of Elizabeth Meiser, dec'd.

JOHN S. FISHER, Register.  
Register's Office Stroudsburg, }  
November 28, '72-4t.

#### Court Proclamation.

Whereas, the Hon. SAMUEL S. DAENER, President Judge of the 22d Judicial District of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Wayne, Pike, Monroe and Carbon, and John De Young, and Peter Gruver, 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 General 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

MONDAY, the 23d day of December, 1872, to continue one week, if necessary.

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, }  
Nov. 28, 1872.

#### Stillman and Peirson,

Having purchased the well known Blue Stone Quarries of W. C. Cramer & Son at Spragueville, are working them to their full capacity and are now prepared to take orders and supply all kinds of Blue Stone, Flagging, Curbing, &c., at short notice and at lowest moderate prices.

September 26, 1872.—4f.

#### HALT!

CHARLES P. MICK,  
Manufacturer of

#### CIGARS,

AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Choice Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes,  
AND  
SMOKERS GOODS GENERALLY.

Prices exceedingly moderate. Store in Geo. W. Drake's building, opposite Wallace's Lumber Yard,  
MAIN ST., STROUDSBURG, PA.  
Sept 12, 1872.—3m.

#### F. H. HESS & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

Tobaccos, Snuffs, Pipes, Cigars,

AND  
SMOKERS GOODS GENERALLY.

Sign of the Indian,  
Between Stroudsburg House and Hollinshead's Drug Store, Main Street,  
Stroudsburg, Pa.

The best of everything in the line and

REASONABLE PRICES,

are specialties at this establishment. The trade of the chewing and smoking public respectfully solicited.  
Aug. 15, '72-4f] F. H. HESS & CO.

#### DON'T you know that J. H. McCarty is the only Undertaker in Stroudsburg who understands his business! If not, attend a Funeral managed by any other Undertaker in town, and you will see the proof of the fact. [Sept. 16, '67

#### BLANK LEASES

For Sale at this Office.

#### FARM FOR SALE,

Situate two miles from Stroudsburg and one from Stroudville, on the stage road. Water flowing in a trough at the House and also at the Barn. Terms easy.  
WM. S. REES,  
Jan. 25, 1871.—4t Stroudsburg, Pa.

#### NOTICE.

The Directors of the  
STROUDSBURG BANK,  
have this day declared a semi-annual dividend, of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of said Bank, paid in, payable to the Stockholders on or after the 16th inst.

J. MACKEY, Cashier.  
November 5, 1872.—4t.

#### AGENTS WANTED

FOR  
"INSECTS AT HOME."  
700 pages; upwards of 700 cuts; 21 full page engravings. "Just the Book for intelligent rural homes." "The drawings are faithful reproductions of Insect and Plant." Send for Circular. Address: GEORGE BROOKS, 124 North 7th St., Philadelphia.  
Oct. 31, 1872.—1y.

#### Auditor's Notice.

Estate of SARAH HOODMACHER, dec'd.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Monroe county, to make distribution of the money in the hands of Peter Heller, Administrator of the Estate of Sarah Hoodmacher, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment on Saturday, December 14, 1872, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the Prothonotary's Office, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, at which time and place all parties interested may attend or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

THO. M. McILHANEY, Auditor.  
Nov. 14, 1872.—4t.

#### Auditor's Notice.

Estate of JOHN E. DETRICK, dec'd.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Monroe county, to make distribution of the money in the hands of Mary Detrick and Moses Detrick, Administrators of the Estate of John E. Detrick, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment on Friday, December 13th, 1872, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Prothonotary's office, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, at which time and place all parties interested may attend or be forever debarred from coming in upon said fund.

THO. M. McILHANEY, Auditor.  
Nov. 15, '72-4t.

#### "True Economy is buying the BEST."

#### VAN BELL'S

Four Dollar Whiskey,

Is Pure Rye, Copper distilled,  
Old and very Mellow.

\$4.00 a gallon; \$11.00 a dozen in large bottles.

#### YELLOW SEAL SHERRY,

\$11.00 a dozen in large bottles.

#### GOLD SEAL BRANDY,

Large bottles, \$18.00 a doz.

Everything in the way of  
The Finest Liquors and Segars,  
At the Lowest Possible Price,  
At the Lowest Possible Price.

Best Brands of CHAMPAGNE,  
At Cost.

H. & A. C. VAN BELL,  
1310 Chestnut Street,  
Philadelphia.  
Nov. 7, 1872.

#### BLATCHLEY'S

IMPROVED CUCUMBER WOOD PUMP.

Tasteless, Durable, Efficient, and Cheap. The best Pump for the least money. Attention is especially invited to Blatchley's Patent Improved Bracket and New Drop Check Valve, which can be withdrawn without removing the Pump or disturbing the joints. Also, the Copper Chamber, which never cracks or scales, and will outlast any other. For sale by Dealers everywhere. Send for Catalogue and Price-List.  
CHAS. G. BLANCHLEY, Mfr.,  
St. 12, 72-1y] 506 Commerce St. Phila., Pa.

#### \$5 to \$20 per day! Agents wanted! All classes of working people of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address G. Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

#### To our Friends and Patrons

We announce that at the late meeting of the Monroe County Agricultural Society, the first premium was awarded to the Estey Organ.

With due regard to the energy and zeal of other parties competing for the same prize, they found their instruments, when compared with the superior merits of the Estey, to be fifth class. In other words only imitations.

The style of the Estey is pleasing, its full depth of tone combines a sweetness and power that will make it a favorite in every house circle in Monroe county.

The ORGAN is durable and fully guaranteed.

We invite the public to call and examine or send for illustrated circular.  
SOLD ON EASY TERMS.  
J. Y. SIGAFUS,  
Stroudsburg, Sept. 26, 1872.

#### The Sixth Premium.

For six successive years the GROVER & BAKER Sewing Machine has carried off prizes at the Monroe County Fairs.

At the late meeting of the Society, it awarded the Premium to this excellent Machine for "DOING THE BEST WORK DONE ON THE GROUND." We did not import our samples from the cities, but showed the Committee the capacity of the Machine, how complete and readily every style of work could be done; sewing through nine thicknesses of heavy cloth, four thickness of leather and segar boxes; then without any change of needle or thread, sewing cambric, muslin and tissue paper.

After careful examination of the different machines on exhibition the Judges decided in favor of the working ability of the "Grover & Baker."

Therefore the very best Sewing Machine for every Lady to purchase is the improved Grover & Baker.

Sold on monthly instalments, with full instructions.  
J. Y. SIGAFUS,  
Stroudsburg, Sept. 26, 1872.

#### DON'T POOL YOUR MONEY

away for worthless articles of Furniture, but go to McCarty's, and you will get well paid for it. [Sept. 26, '67.

#### LOOK THIS WAY,

ALL WHO WANT

Carriage Work or Blacksmithing

DONE IN A

#### SUPERIOR MANNER!