It is said that eating an orange every morning before breakfast will cure the appetite for intoxicating drinks. A pleasant remedy, worth the trial by all who have a growing appetite for the flowing bowl.

Rochester has sixteen flouring mills, which last year manufactured 518,000 barrels of flour; bushels of wheat consumed, 2,331,000, men employedi 171, runs of stone, 81. In addition to this, 600 coopers find employment in making barrels for these mills. Rochester claims to produce more flour to-day than she ever did before, and more of the higher grades than any other city in the United States.

There are thirty-eight collieries in Northumberland county, with a producing capacity of 1,500,000 tons, and requiring the labor of 4000 men and boys, and eighty stationary engines driven by a thirty-five hundred steam horse power. The operator receives about $2 at the present rate for coal at the mines, and the miner gets from this for his salary from $1 25 to $1 75, the easy or difficult mining regulating the prices.

A Good Puzzle.

Those who are curious as to magic squares will find something to interest them in Parton's "Life of Benjamin Franklin." This great philosopher was very fond of inventions of this sort. Here is the correct answer to the puzzle: "In what manner may the odd numbers, from 1 to 49 inclusive, be arranged so that the sum of each row of five figures shall be 125?"

33.....47..... 1.....15.....29
45..... 9.....13.....27.....31
7.....11.....25.....39.....43
19.....23.....37.....41..... 5
21.....35.....49..... 3.....17

To Pensioners.

The country is now being flooded with circulars of claim agents, addressed to pensioners, suggesting to all of them that by applying to such agents they may obtain an increase of pension. The fact is that Congress did not, at its last session, give any increase to any class of pensioners. Invalid pensioners, viz., men who are now pensioned for wounds and disabilities, can as they always could, get an increase if their disabilities have increased. The process to obtain such increase is very simple, and any pensioner may adopt it without any expense. Let him write to the Commissioner of Pensions and ask him to be furnished with "blank application for increase of an invalid pension." Upon its receipt he will execute it according to its form and directions and then return it to the Commissioner. The officer will direct him to be examined by a surgeon, and that will end his labor in the matter. The employment of a person to aid him will not only be wholly useles but will subject him to the payment of a fee from which he will derive no benefit.

Bird Charity.

We have read a good deal about the characteristic instincts of birds, but the following actual account of a circumstance which happened this summer in West Pittston, goes far towards establishing the belief that there is a language among the music inhabitants of the air which is understood by them in common. A lady noticed a small chipping bird flying about for several days in front of her premises, apparently very busy in constructing its nest. She also observed that its attention was divided between two trees, to each of which the little bird paid mutual attention. A closer watch revealed the fact that to one tree the bird conveyed sticks, straws and other things used in nest-building, while to the other it carried food in the shape of worms, crumbs, &c. These operations were daily observed until the lady's curiosity became greatly excited and she determined upon an investigation. With the assistance of a friend this was made, when it was discovered that chippy was playing the good angel to an unfortune blackbird which has a nest in on one of the tress, but whose legs, upon examination, were found to be almost cut off by a piece of fine wire which in some mysterious way had become entangled around the slender bones. The bond was so strong as to forbid the use of either wings or limbs, and the poor bird in some way had managed to tell its sorrow to little chippy, who it was discovered had been feeding it daily while building its own nest in an adjoining tree. When the blackbird's thongs were removed, its friend never visited the tree again.

LOST IN A BALLOON.

PROF. DONALDSON'S FATE—AN ASCENSION MADE ON THURSDAY, AND THE AERONAUTS NOT YET HEARD FROM—A ROTTEN BALLOON IN A HURRICANE.

There is every reason to suppose that Prof. Washington Donaldson, whose name was prominent in connection with the Graphic transatlantic balloon voyage last summer, with a Mr. Greenwood, a reporter of the Chicago *Journal*, perished in Lake Michigan on Thursday night. Donaldson has been connected with Barnum's Hippodrome the present season, making ascensions each afternoon. The last ascension was made at Chicago on Thursday afternoon last, since which time neither balloon nor its occupants have been heard from. When the balloon left the circus ground at 5 o'clock, it rose at an altitude of 5,000 feet into the current of a wind blowing steadily to the northeast directly toward Lake Michigan. It was going at a rate of about 15 miles per hour. There were about 120 miles of water to traverse before a landing could be made, which would require about eight hours. When about in the midst of the lake it is supposed that a hurricane, which had been gathering on the banks for some time, struck the balloon, dertroying it at once, leaving its unfortunate occupants at the merey of the waves.

How the two men met their fate we shall probably never know. A tragic chorus sang their requiem in the roar of the thunder and the wail of the wind. Had there been a fitting inspiration of such an ending, their death would have been heroic. But wild as their enterprise was, nobody can think without a thrill of the two souls which passed away amid the crash and the ruin of that tempestuous midnight.

THE WHEAT CROP.

Reports to the Department of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The returns of the Department of Agriculture for July show the condition of spring and winter wheat at about 82 per cent. of an average. Winter wheat, including California, averages 74, and spring wheat 96. The spring wheat States in the Northeast and Northwest are generally in high condition. Of the winter wheat area the South Atlantic and Gulf States are generally above average, but in the Middle States the condition is very low, New York ranging down to 45. West of the Alleghanies the prospect is better, the State averages being between 71 in Ohio and 95 in Iowa. California reports winter wheat at 76 and spring wheat at 55

SUMMARY VENGEANCE.

A Band of Robbers and Murderers.

MEMPHIS, July 25.—Last Tuesday Frank Williams, engaged on Hancock's plantation, on Frenchmen's Bayou, forty miles above here on the Arknnsas side, disappeared, he having drawn ten dollars from his employer the evening before, and was last seen in company with John Randolph and John Phillips, colored. Search was made for them and it was found they left. Pursuit was made, and they were overtaken and carried back to Shawnee village yesterday.

On their arrival they confessed to having murdered Williams. The murderers were then carried to Crowell Landing, on their way to Osceola, the county town, and reaching the landing, they informed their captors that they belonged to a band of which Robert Burton, a white man, also employed on Hancock's plantation, was the leader, and one Jesse Carter (colored) was also a member; that they were organized for robbery, and had murdered several persons.

Quite a crowd had collected by this time. The indignation of the citzens was intense, finally culminating in a mob taking the prisoners out and shooting Randolph, killing him instantly. Phillips broke from his keepers and escaped. Yesterday the whole neighborhood was in search of him. Randolph's body was thrown into the river. Warrants were sworn out for Burton and Carter. They were arrested and taken to the Osceola jail.

BANK ROBBERY.

Safes Blown Up With Nitro-Glycerine—Arrests Made on Suspicion.

LEWISTON, Me., July 23.—The National Bank of Winthrop was entered by burglars this morning, and the bank vaults and safe of the Savings Bank were opened. The loss is not yet ascertained.

WINTHORP, Me., July 23.—The robbery was a bold operation. The safes were blown open by nitro-glycerine, as is supposed, there being no indication of powder. There were three distinct explosions, all of which were heard by several persons.

The robbers left within ten minutes of the last explosion, which was so severe as to blow out all the windows in the front part of the bank and cause a general smash-up inside. The contents of the main safe were so badly mutilated and so many fragments were left behind that it is thought the amount realized by the robbers could not have been large. The capital stock of the bank is $100,000, and the amount of the deposits in the savings bank was about $100,000. The safes of both institutions were rifled of their entire contents. The standing of the bank, the directors say, will not be impaired. A despatch says four men have been arrested on suspicion near Bethel. As the distance from here is about forty miles, it is doubtful if they could have got so far in the time they have had.

PORTLAND, Me., July 25.—Yesterday the three men calling themselves Lewis, Clark and Levi, who were arrested at Bethel on Friday, on suspicion of having been connected with the robbery of the National Bank of Winthrop, were taken on the first train to Winthrop in charge of the deputy sheriff, Mr. Woodward of Winthrop, who accompanied Sheriff Carr to Bethel, has identified the men as the three whom he saw in the streets of Winthrop the afternoon before the burglary. After their arrest they were searched, and about $50 were found. The man calling himself Lewis is the largest of the party, and is evidently the leader, as he does most of the talking. The authorities are confident they have the right men.

It is thought the loss to the bank will not exceed $50,000, two-thirds of which is in bonds. The heaviest loss falls on the savings department. The standing of the bank will not be impaired.

Only Decoys.

WINTHROP, Me., July 25.—It is now thought here that the three men arrested are not the real burglars, but decoys to engage the attention of the authorities while their confederates make good their escape. They are undoubtedly connected with the affair, however. The bank has offered a reward of $10,000 for the apprehension of the burglars.

MARRIED.

On Saturday, July 24th, by A. W. Loder, Esqr., Mr. Simon P. Miller, and Mrs. Hannah Ace, both of Smithfield tsp., this county.

On July 20th, 1875, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. J. L. Schaffer, Mr. Benjamin F. Barry, of Philadelphia, and Miss Mary E. Marsh, of Hamilton township, this county.

On Saturday, July 20th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. G. L. Schaffer, Mr. Samuel R. Walter, and Miss Julia P. Barry, both of Hamilton tsp., this county.

DIED.

In Stroudsburg, July 27th, *Mrs. Anna Augsta Lee*, wife of John Lee, (danghter of John and Rachel Quacko,) aged 33 years 1 month and 29 days.

Sister thou was't mild and lovely,
Gentle as the summer's breeze,
Pleasant as the air of evening
As it floats among the trees.

Peaceful be thy silent slumber,
Peaceful in thy grave so low,
Thou no more shalt join our number,
Thou no more our joy shall know.

Special Notice.

We have **1,000** Acres of Arkansas Farm Timber Lands to exchange for a good Farm near Stroudsburg on a cash basis only.
PEARSON & THOMPSON,
July 8 '75-tf.] East Stroudsburg.

We have **1,000** Acres of good Farm and Timber Land in Arkansas, within two miles of Railroad to exchange for a good farm near Stroudsburg.
Also a dwelling in Brookly, paying $50 per month, unincumbered for a good farm.
PEARSON & THOMPSON,
July 8, '75-tf.] East Stroudsburg.

Goods cheaper than ever at N. Ruster's He has them marked way down to bottom prices.

New goods will arrive at N. Ruster's this week and next. Don't fail to call and see them.

Those wishing to secure a good bargain will do well to call at N. Ruster's, as he is bound not to be undersold.

Plaster.

A new lot on hand at Stokes' Mills. Price $8 per ton or 30 cents per bushel. Grain wanted in exchange.
Corn 95 cts. per bushel, Rye $1.05 at present
May 13-1m.] N. S. WYCKOFF & SONS

IMPORTANT.—In order to quit the Boot and Shoe Business, Simon Fried offers his entire stock of Boots and Shoes, at first cost and *below* cost. Come one and all, now is your chance for Bargains.

A fresh supply of **English Salted Potash,** just received at Williams' Drug Store, Main street, Stroudsburg, Pa. Warranted pure. PETER WILLAMS.
June 6-tf.

Just received at William's Drug Store, a large stock of White Lead, Linseed Oil and VARNISH for the spring trade. Price of Lead and Oil reduced. March 18, '75.

Blair Presbyterial Academy,

BLAIRSTOWN, N. J.

under the care of Newton Presbytery, will be re-opened September 7th.
For information address
H. D. GREGORY, Ph. D.
July 29, 1875.—2m. Principal.

CAUTION!

All persons are hereby cautioned not to trespass on any property of the undersigned, situate in Stroud township, Monroe county, Pa. Any one violating this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
JACOB H. BUTTS.
Stroudsburg, July 29, 1875.

Auditors Notice.

Isaac S. Case, Superintendent, vs. Samuel Stitzer. } VEV EX. 42. May Term 1875.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe County, to make distribution of the money fund in Court arlsing from the sale of defendant's Real Estate under above writ, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at the Prothonotary's office, in Stroudsburg, on Friday, August 20, 1875, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where all persons having any claim or demand on said fund will present the same, or be forever debarred from coming in for any share thereof.
THO. M. McILHENEY, Auditor.
Stroudsburg, July, 21, 1875.

STATEMENT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

BOROUGH of STROUDSBURG,

For the year ending June 7th, 1875.

WILLIAM WALLACE, Treasurer, in account with said fund:

DR.

To balance due at last Auditor's settlement	$108 11	
To casu on Duplicate of 1869	1 95	
" " " 1870	57 26	
" " " 1871	97 54	
" " " 1872	169 75	
" " " 1873	684 00	
To abateh tax on Duplicate of 1874,	4301 53	
" cash of Ed. Fisher on Duplicate of 1874	348 00	
" cash of J. I. Allender, lien for pavement	101 00	
" cash received for 6 per cent Bonds issued to redeem 8 per cent. Bonds	8350 00	
" cash of Joseph Brotzman, for error in interest, 1873,	5 00	$14,224 14

CR.

By the payment of checks for the following named purposes:		
Lighting street lamps	$73 72	
Oil, chimneys, &c.	66 46	
Fire department	205 65	
Material and work on streets	42 00	
Secretary's salary and stationery in '74	54 35	
Counsel fee for 1874	20 00	
Auditing and stationery for 1874	18 25	
Refunding tax to Jesse Albert, 1874,	5 18	
Serving notices,	9 20	
Constable's and Jailor's fees	3 70	
Printing and auditing	54 65	
Extra police duty in 1873,	9 00	
Costs on lien, settled with J. I. Allender	8 40	
Making dog tax assessment, 1872 & 1874	10 00	
Cribbing on Bark street in 1870	94 30	—$1174 86
By Bounty Bonds redeemed	2,000 00	
By Fire " "	700 00	
By 8 per cent interest repair Bonds redeemed	7,705 00	—$10465 00
By interest paid as per Bond book		2346 62
By Treasurer's commission on $13,926 48 at ½ of one per cent. for money paid out		69 63
Balance in Treasurer's hands		228 03
		$14,224 14

JACKSON LANTZ, JOHN S. FISHER, B. S. JACOBY, } Auditors.
Stroudsburg, July 2, 1875. July 29.—3t.

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding Bonds—		
Bounty, 6 per cent. interest	$7,200 00	
Repair Bonds, 8 per cent interest	7,240 00	
" " 6 " "	8,350 00	
Fire Bonds, 7 " "	5,300 00	
Bonds issued to redeem over-due 6 per cent Bonds	2250 00	—$30,340 00

ASSETS.

By balance in Treasurers hands	$228 03	
Amount of uncollected tax on Duplicates, of 1872 and 1873, in hands of Ed. Fisher, Collector,	3262 68	—$3,490 71
		$26,849 29
Liabilities over assests		

JACKSON LANTZ, JOHN S. FISHER, B. S. JACOBY. } Auditors.
July 2, 1875.—3t.

ESTABLISHED 1823.

MEYER & SONS,

PIANO MANUFACTURERS,

722 Arch Street,

PHILADELPHIA.

THE LEADING FIRST-CLASS PIANOS.

No other Pianos have the improvements. Prize Medal of the Word's Fair, London, England, and the highest Prizes in this country awarded. [May 20-3m.*

BLANKS OF ALL KINDS for Sale at this Office.

BLANK MORTGAGE
For sale at this Office.

AUDITORS SETTLEMENT

FOR THE

BOROUGH of STROUDSBURG,

For the year ending June, 1875.

A. O. GREENWALD, Treasurer of the Stroudsburg School District, for the year ending June 7, 1875.

DR.

To State appropriation	$353 32	
To tuition of pupils out of District	18 76	
To tax of John Keener on Duplicate of 1872,	326 32	
To tax of S. L. Drake, on Duplicate of 1872.	482 93	
To tax of Linferd Ruth " 1874	1726 03	
" cash of C. U. Warnick for lot	50 00	
" " P. Y. Baird, former Treasurer	228 67	
" " John McCarty, late "	187 30	
Balance due A. O. Greenwald "	32 50	—$3,405 83

CR.

By amount paid Teachers on Checks	$2444 38	
" " " " as accrued interest	49 35	
" " " for Secretary's salary 1873	25 00	
" " " Auditor's for 1874.	6 00	
" " " for Printing,	66 00	
" " " Fuel and Contingencies,	164 62	
" " " repairs for School Houses	583 19	
" Treasurers Commission on $3339 05 at 2 per cent. paid out,	66 78	—$3405 83

Examined and allowed, July 8th, 1875.
JACKSON LANTZ, JOHN S. FISHER, B. S. JACOBY, } Auditors.

STATEMENT of the Building Tax levied in 1872.

DR.

To amount of Duplicate for Building	$1492 10	
" cash for lot sold to C. U. Warnick	50 00	—$1,542 10

CR.

By exonerations allowed on Duplicate	$51 24	
" commissions for collecting $1440 86 at 5 per cent.	72 04	
" cash paid for repairs in 1872	57 13	
" " " " " 1873	94 17	
" " " " " 1874	583 19	—$857 77
Balance due said Building Fund		$684 33

This amount is now in use as ordinary School Funds and due from the same to the Building Fund.
JACKSON LANTZ, JOHN S. FISHER, B. S. JACOBY, } Auditors.
July 8, 1875.

PETER H. ROBESON and REUBEN THOMAS, Overseers of the Poor in account with Borough of Stroudsburg, for year ending June, 1875.

Amount of Duplicate issued in 1874	$855 09
Amount of checks issued since last Auditors settlement to July 20, 1875,	$1119 95

Peter H. Robeson, Trealurer of Overseers, in account with said fund,

DR.

To cash of A. Fowler, on Duplicate of 1871,	$86 71	
" " Linferd Ruth, " " 1873,	372 75	
" " " " " " 1874,	222 89	—$682 35

CR.

By the payment of checks for the following named purposes:		
For keeping paupers	$286 18	
For keeping vagrants	71 70	
For funerals	20 00	
For rent	61 00	
For Medical attendance	25 00	
For auditing 1871, 1874 and 1875,	12 00	
For making Duplicates	8 00	
For printing	10 50	
For services of overseers	151 05	
For lumber	35 80	—$881 23
Bal. due and in P. H. Robeson's hands		$1 12

JACKSON LANTZ, JOHN S. FISHER, B. S. JACOBY, } Auditors.
July 20, 1875.——july 22.—3t.

Auditor's Notice.

Estate of MARY SHAFER, dec'd.

The undersigned appointed by the Orphans' Court of Monroe County, Auditor to make distribution of the funds in hands of Alonzo B. Shafer, Administrator of the Estate or Mary Shafer, deceased, will attend to the duties of his appointment, on Tuesday, the 3d day of August, 1875, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the office of Hon. J. B. Storm, in Stroudsburg, when and where all persons interested are required to attend or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of said fund.
M. A. DE E. VAN HORN, Auditor.
July 15, 1875.—4t.

LOST,

From my wagon on the public road between Stroudsburg, and the residence of Jacob Treible, in Smithfield township, on Thursday, July 8, 1875, one blue and white striped woolen blanket, and a piece of checkered flannel—red, blue, black and white. The finder will be suitably rewarded for his trouble, by sending me word, and I will call and get them.
MATHEW PROCTOR,
Bushkill, July 15, 1875-3t.

SOMETHING NEW!

A SHOE MANUFACTORY.

The undersigned would respectfully give notice that they have established at Williams' Hall building, corner of George and Monroe streets, Stroudsburg, Pa., a

SHOE MANUFACTORY,

for the making of all kinds of Lady's and Gentlemens Boots and Shoes and Uppers. Particular attention paid to

CUSTOM WORK.

Persons having deformed feet, bunions or corns, or children with weak ankles, or crooked limbs, can have here of first class materials and at reasonable prices Shoes made to suit their cases.

Having had a large experience in New York we feel confident that we can suit customers as to qualities and price, all of our goods both for general and special sale are warranted to be as represented. Please give us a call, examine our goods and materials consisting of Surges, glazed French, Mat and French Calf Kid, long grained, Brush and Pebbled Goat Morocco, French and American Calf and Kip Skins, all of which will be cheerfully shown to those who may call. Intending to make a first rate wearing article we have nothing to conceal, either in stock or make from the public, but would invite their closest scrutiny.
July 8, '75-tf R. E. CROMMETT & CO.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

By virtue of an alias order of the Orphans' Court of Monroe County, will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5th, 1875,

the following described Real Estate, late of Levi Strouss, deceased, viz:

A certain Lot, Messuage and Farm of Land Situate in Stroud township, Monroe county, containing

25 Acres,

more or less, adjoining land of Ebenezer Hunt, Jno. Boys, Chas. Gearing and Mrs. Jno. Detrick. About 20 acres cleared, balance Timber Land. The improvements are a Frame

Dwelling House,

16 by 18 feet, 1½ stories; FRAME BARN and other out buildings. Good young

Apple Orchard,

on the premises, and also water on the premises.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, when terms and conditions will be made known, by
MORRIS H. STROUSS, Adm'or.
By order of the Court.
THO. M. McILHANEY, Clerk.
July 15, '75-3t.

TO THE LADIES.

Ladies Hair-Combings, made up cheap and good into Braids, Swithces, Curls, Frises, etc., orders left at Mrs. P. R. Clemens' Fancy Millinery Store, Main Street, Stroudsburg, three doors below the Indian Queen Hotel, or send by mail to C. & L. E. LAKE, Stroudsburg, Monroe county. Residence two miles west of Stroudsburg on the Kunkletown road.
July 8, 1875-6m.

STOP THIEF!

Terrible Sensation!!

THE

CHEAP AUCTION STORE

AHEAD!

THE RED FLAG

FLOAUING TO THE BREEZE!

The crowds are coming from every quarter.

SUMMER GOODS

are rushing off at cost and some below cost!

Wonderful knock down in *prices & profits!*

These are "Facts."

We have marked down our bleached and unbleached Muslsn from 1 to 2 cents per yard.

Our Calicoes knocked down 2 cents a yard.

Our Hamburg Edgings, Swiss and Cambrick Muslin, Pekas and Victoria lawns marked down from 3 to 5 cents a yard.

Our black and colored Alpaccas down from 5 to 10 cents a yard.

Our Cotton bats and best Carpet warp down from 5 to 6 cents per lb.

Our Hosiery, Gloves and Notions wonderful cheap.

Children's and Misses striped Hose only 8, 10 and 12 cents a pair.

Our Linen Towles, Table Damask, Bedtic, Flannels, heavy Shirtings, Pant-stuff, Counterpanes and Carpets, by far the cheapest in the County. Come and see for yourself.

We have four thousand yards of beautiful bonnet and sash Ribbons, some five and a half inches wide, for 25 cts. a yard. Some Ribbons as low as 3 cts. per yard.

We have beautiful wide Sashes only 20 cents.

Our best Spool Cotton, 200 yards, only 4 cents.

Our best Pins and Needles only 5 cents a paper.

We have concluded to close out some of our plain and striped Summer Dress Goods for 10 and 12 cents a yard.

We are now selling a good soft felt Hat for Boys and Men for 80 cents and $1 25, nearly half price.

We have Misse's and Ladies Straw Hats trimed, for the wonderful low price of 25 and 50 cents.

We are selling beautiful Flowers much less than half price.

We are selling good Cassimere Coats for 3, 4 and 5 dollars.

We are selling *good* Vests, well made, for 60 cents, and Pants for $1.

We will sell a whole summer suit, for Men, coat, vest and pants, well made, for $2 35.

We will sell a whole suit, well made, of Cassimere cloth, for $8, and Children's and Youth's suits for $4 and $6.

We will sell Youth's and Men's leather Gaiters for $1 50 and $2.

We will sell Misse's and Women's good cloth Gaiters for $1 25.

We have given you a few samples.

Now for the Rush!

Come one and all.

Come from Stroudsburg & East Stroudsburg.

Come from Conadensis.

Come from Oakland and Tobyhanna.

Come from Spragueville & the Smithfield's.

Come from Portland and Water Gap.

Come from Chesnut Hill and Hamilton.

Come from Kellersville and Bartonsville.

Come from Chery Valley and the Mountains.

Come even from Paradise, and we will do you good.

We have swung out

The Red Flag,

to the breeze. When you come to town get your eye on it and don't take it off until you get in the

Wonderful Cheap Auction Sstore,

among the

Cheap Goods.

We wish to inform the public that we have no connection with any other Store new or old in Stroudsburg.

We mind our own business and let our neighbours and their goods alone, wishing them all peace and prosperity.

DECKER & CO.
April 15, 1875.—1y.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A *LAW LIBRARY*, principally Standard English Works.
July 8-3t.] S. G. THROOP.

ANNUAL DISTRICT REPORT

OF

SMITHFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT,

For the year ending June 7, 1875.

Tax rate 10 mills on the dollar of valuation.

RECEIPTS.		
Amount of tax levied for school purposes		$2189 78
Amount collected by Treasurer	$1416 18	
" " " Collector	620 10	
Total amount received on Dupliate		$2036 28
Received from State appropriation	$281 78	
" " Co. Treasurer, from sales land	33 02	
Bal. on hand from Treasurer	29 77	—344 57
Total receipts from all sources		$2380 85
EXPENCES.		
Teachers wages	$2095 75	
Repairs, renewals, &c.	61 80	
Fuel and contingencies	167 44	
Treasurer's commissions	45 00	
Secretary's salary	15 00	
Auditors and Town Clerk	4 48	
Debt and interest paid	102 00	
Paid other Districts	30 85	
Total expenses of District		$2522 38
Total expenses over receipts		$141 47
RESOURCES.		
In hands of Collector	$22 39	
Returned to Commissioners	6 42	
Total resources	$28 81	
LIABILITIES.		
Amount due on unpaid bills	$146 00	
Liabilities over resources		$117 19

E. T. CROASDALE, Sec'y.
July 1, 1875.—3t.

$15,000 to $20,000

WANTED!

7 Per Cent.

COUNTY BONDS

FOR SALE.

INTEREST PAYABLE ANNUALLY.

The Commissioners of Monroe County offer for sale 7 per cent. Bonds to suit purchasers.—The bonds are issued under Act of Assembly of April 2d, 1870, authorizing the issue of bonds for the purpose of raising funds for the building a new Jail. Said Bonds are exempt from all taxation, and a rare opportunity is offered to capitalist, larges or small, for investment at home on the most reasonable terms.
For further information apply to
PETER EDINGER, SANUEL POSTENS, JACOB FRABLE, } *Com'rs.*
The Commissioners will meet at their office in Stroudsburg, on Monday of each week, for the purpose of issuing Bonds.
M. H. DREHER, Clerk.
June 10, 1875.

FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers at private sale, his Farm, situate in Hamilton township, Monroe County, Pa., near Bossardsville, and 6 miles from Stroudsburg, County-seat of Monroe, containing

75 Acres,

about 6 Acres Timber Land, the balance improved land, lime stone soil, in a high state of cultivation. The improvements are a

Frame House,

containing nine rooms; Barn 32 by 40 fee; Wagon Shed, Pig-pen 18 by 30 feet, with Carriage House attached, and all other necessary out-buildings; a never falling well of water near the dwelling. There is an excellent Orchard of

Choice Fruit Trees

on the farm, consisting of Apple, Peach, Cherry, Plum, Prunes, Crab-apple, several varieties, Grapes, standard and dwarf Cherries, &c.; a Lime Kiln, and one of the best stone quarries in the valley. The Kiln has capacity enough to turn out one hundred and fifty bushels of lime per day.
The crops and stock can be bought with the Farm.
Here is a good chance for a bargain.
PETER W. SHAFER.
Bossardsville, July 1, 1875.—tf.

NOTICE TO THE

TAX-PAYERS

OF

MONROE COUNTY.

In pursuance to an Act of Assembly, entitled "an Act relating to the collection of State and County Taxes in the county of Monroe," approved May 6, 1867, the county Treasurer will meet the Tax-payers of said county for the collection of State and county taxes in and for the following places, to wit:

In Tuukhannock township, Monday August 2, 1875, at the house of Reuben Bonser.

Tobyhanna township, Tuesday August 3, at the house of Isaac Stauffer.

Coolbaugh township, Wednesday, August 4. at the house of J. B. Shaw.

Barrett township, Thursday, August 5th at the house of John W. Yothers.

Price township, Friday, August 6, at the house of Lewis Long.

Paradise township, Saturday, August 7, at the house of James Kintz.

M. Smithfield township, Monday, August 9, at the house of Jacob Place, and Tuesday August, 10, at the house of James Place.

Smithfield township, Wednesday, August 11, at the house of Simeon D. Bush, and Thursday, August 12, at the house of Thomas Brodhead.

Borough of East Stroudsburg, Friday, August 13, at the house of John Hogenshield.

Borough of Stroudsburg, Saturday, August 14, at the Treasurer's office.

Ross township, Monday, August 16, at the house of Jacob Stocker.

Eldred township, Tuesday, August 17, at the house of Stephen Boyer.

Polk township, Wednesday, August 18, at the house of Joel Kresge.

Chestnuthill township, Thursday, August 19, at the house of Charles Eberle, and Friday, August 20, at the house of Davied Everett.

Jackson township, Saturday August 21, at the house of Peter R. Storm.

Hamilton township, Monday, August 23, at the house of Charles Andrew, on Tuesday, 24, at the house of John Rhodes, and on Wednesday, August 25, at the house of Charles Bossard.

Stroud township, Thursday and Friday, August 26 and 27, at the house of Silas L Drake.

Pocono township, Friday, September 3, at the house of Charles Brown.

Tax payers who avail themselves of this opportunity to pay their taxes, will be entitled to an abatement of five per cent. For the convenience of tax payers visiting Stroudsburg, the treasurer will receive any of the above taxes at his office, before said days.
JONAS ALTIMUS, Treasurer.
Treasurer's Office, Stroudsburg, June 1, 1875.

BLANK DEEDS
For sale at this Office.