A woman named Auble was so scared by a sharp flash of lightning and loud thunder clap near Wilkesbarre, on Sunday, that she fell in a faint, and in a minute or two died. She was literally scared to death.

An exhuming of human bodies in a cemetery at Greenland, N. H., some time ago, it was found that a bunch of myrtle placed on the breast of a little child, buried sixteen years ago, was as fresh as if gathered the day before.

It is stated that the wealth of the United States, if divided up equally, would give each of us $350. If that is so, those fellows who are howling for an equal distribution of wealth ought to be able to earn their full share several times in a year.

The Virginia farmers are now busy harvesting their wheat. Some have finished, and it is expected that within the next ten days new wheat will be for sale in the market. The promise of a good yield is fine, and the crop will be an abundant one.

It is said that President Frank Gowen, of the Reading Railroad, has the names of 1400 Molly Maguries, which will not be employed by the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company, the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, or by any other coal corporation.

The bones of a mastodon have been found in San Saba county, Texas. The animal when alive must have been twenty feet high and twenty-eight feet long, with tusks sixteen feet in length. One of its teeth weighed eight pounds. Think of eight pounds of toothache.

Deputy Sheriff Smith, of Dawson county, Nebraska, in company with another man, attempted to arrest one Howell at his homestead on Saturday, when, upon entering the house, Howell shot, instantly killing Smith and seriously wounding his companion. Howell was taken from Plum Creek jail and hung by the mob.

An interesting meeting occurred last week in Wyoming county between two brothers who had not seen each other for sixty years. These old gentlemen, Artemas Riker, of Indiana, and Hiram Riker, of Wyoming county, aged respectively eighty-three and seventy-six years, arrived in Tunkhannock upon a visit to Mr. N. D. Riker, son of the latter.

After the market was over one day last week in York, a market man arrived at Poling's Hotel on George street, with over 100 pounds of butter, a great many dozens of eggs, and a large number of spring chickens. The butter he retailed at fifteen cents a pound, the chickens at twenty cents a pair, and eggs at ten cents a dozen.

Mr. and Mrs Patrick Leary, of Athens township, Bradford county, have three daughters, triplets, who were 18 years of age on the 20th of last month. Their names are Mary, Ellen and Maggie. They are bright, intelligent and healthful young ladies. At birth the three weighed 24 pounds. It is doubtful if there is such another case in the United States.

On Saturday a young man who had been crossed in love committed suicide near Quakertown. He bought a half pound of Paris Green, then went out from the town some distance and managed to put into his stomach nearly a quarter of a pound of the poison, laid down by the road side and died. He presented a horrible sight, foaming from the mouth, with his features greatly distorted. The young man's body was taken to the residence of his mother at Applebachsville.

To the long and lengthening list of model Democratic reformers there is now to be added the name of Theodore F. King, one of the clerks in the present Confederate Congress, formerly Deputy County Clerk of Hancock county, Illinois, who has just been indicted by the Grand Jury of that county for embezzlement of county funds and making false records. The Democratic congressman from that district has known of this for three months, and yet King has been kept in place.

A most extraordinary suicide—among the most singular and remarkable of any ever known—occurred at Lafayette, Ind., the other day. A skillful mechanic and inventor, tired of life, brought his genius to bear upon the contrivance of a species of automatic guillotine, the workings of which were arranged and secured with patient deliberation and absolute accuracy, so that when the proper time had arrived the fatal machine did its work with inexorable precision, and the head of the scientific suicide was screwed from the body at a single stroke.

Spurgeon tells the following story: "A poor man, who had a large family, gave them comfortable support while he was in health. He broke his leg, and was laid up for some weeks. As he would be for some time destitute of the means of grace, it was proposed to hold a prayer meeting at his house. The meeting was led by Deacon Brown. A loud knock at the door interrupted the service. A tall, lank, blue-headed youngster stood at the door, with an axe upon his hand, and asked to see Deacon Brown. 'Father could not attend this meeting,' he said, 'but he sent his prayers, for they are out in the cart.' They were brought in, in the shape of potatoes, beef, pork and corn. The meeting broke up without the benediction.

An almost unprecedented fall of rain occurred in the locality of Havre-de-Grace, Md., on Wednesday, doing very considerable damage to the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad, between that place and Perryman's, six miles distant, by washing the sand and gravel from between the ties, and delaying trains before noon over two hours. The rain commenced about 8 a. m., coming from the south, but veering to the east, and for three hours came in torrents, accompanied by vivid lightning. The beds of the streams, before filled rapidly and in several places the water was six feet deep in the ditches alongside of the track and six inches or more over the track. An incredible amount of damage was caused before the storm ended.

A Womelsdorf big-footed German takes No. 17 shoes. Canal boats consequently are high in that neighborhood.

A dispatch to the Titusville "Herald," dated June 14th says—"This afternoon a man named Nick Baker, a resident of Columbia Farm station, aged 21 years, entered the house of Mr. Dougherty, of that place, and shot Mrs. Dougherty, the ball entering the left breast, from the effects of which she died in twenty minutes. A man named Thomas McCool, hearing the shot, went to the house to ascertain the trouble. Baker, meeting him at the door, fired the remaining two shots at him. McCool turned to fly, but stumbled, falling on his face, when Baker pounced upon him, stabbing him several times in the back and shoulder, inflicting wounds which will prove fatal. Baker is in custody. A strong feeling in favor of lynching the murderder prevails."

From Vermont comes the following story of the mishaps of a baby: "Last Thursday Mrs. W. J. Boyce, of Woodstock, placed her baby, nine months old, in a baby cab standing on the portico, to wheel it in the street. She left it for a moment and stepped into the house, when the cab started, rolled four steps to the driveway, across that and a piece of ground some ten or twelve rods in width, to the bank of the Quechee river, thence down a bank some fifteen feet high into the river. The mother had started after, but was unable to catch up. She dashed into the river and caught the child, but being in deep water was obliged to let go the babe to save herself. The housemaid had followed after her, and reached the river in time to save the mother. The baby was carried by the current about twenty-five rods, when a gentleman who had witnessed the affair reached the stream and secured the child.

A New Specific Against Hydrophobia.

Dr. Gizyvala, says the *British Medical Journal*, of Krivoc Ozero, Padolia, for whose trustworthiness Professor Gubler, of Paris, vouches, declares that after a series of crucial trials, which he describes at length, he has found that, after having had opportunities of treating at least 100 cases of men bitten by rabid dogs with the *Xanthium spinosum*, he has never in any one of these cases failed to ward off hydrophobia. He gives some startling examples. During the Crimean war, a family of twelve persons had been bitten by a hydrophobic wolf. Six of them entered his wards in the hospital of Olschanka, government of Podolia, district of Balta. They were treated with infusion of the leaves of xanthium, and all recovered. The six others, who were treated by the actual cautery and the daily use of *Genista tinctoria* and other drugs, died with hydrophobia in the course of twelve to sixty days. He recounts many other facts not less striking. For an adult the does is sixty centigrammes of the dry powder, repeated three times a day, and continued during six weeks. Children under twelve take half that quantity. The dose for animals is much larger. A herd of thirty oxens had been bitten by a mad wolf; eight had succumbed with symptoms of hydrophobia. The commissary of police came to Dr. Grzyvala for his "antirabic powder." He gave three ounce of the powder, with bran, daily to each of the animals; none of them suffered from the disease. These are examples of which Dr. Grzyvala says he has a hundred others. *Fiat experimentum.* We have heard too often of specifics for hydrophobia not to regard this last claimant with sorrowful suspicion. But the herb is at least a harmless one; its ordinary propreties seem to be mainly sudorific; and since animals suffering from rabies are only too frequently at hand, and the remedy is one which grows plentifully in the middle regions of France as Podolia, let us hope that our French colleagues will lose no time in putting the prophylactic to the test, and perhaps their professors in our own veterinary colleges might help to set at rest the hopes this positive and detailed statement is calculated to excite.

Special Notice.

LET'S all be honest and confess that the cash system in business is best and safest. If everybody adhered to it, dull times would soon flee away, and the wail of widows and orphans, and the deep curses of defrauded creditors, would give place to singing. For no bad debts, no smash-ups, no protested notes, ever came of cash payment for goods delivered. We honor Oak Hall, the great Philadelphia Clothing House, for their decided stand on this principle. Of course they are able to sell cheaper, because they buy cheaper. Those who have the cash to spend for clothing cannot possibly get more for it than at Wanamaker & Brown's Sixth and Markest Streets, Philadelphia.

DIED.

In Stroud township, on the 25th inst., *Evan Gordon*, aged 61 years and 10 days.

Smithfield School District.

STATEMENT OF

Receipts and Expenses

of the District for the year ending June 5th, 1876.

For school purposes 10 mills, and for building 2 mills to the dollar.

Total amount levied for school purposes,	2172 25	
Total amount levied for building,	406 69	
Total amount levied,		$ 2579 04
The Treasurer collected,	1639 90	
Premiums and mistakes,	83 39	
To be collected,	855 75—	$2579 04
Duplicate Theo. W. Bunnel. collector,		855 75
Collectors receipts	762 98	
Exonerations $19 85, paid other districts $27 15	47 00	
Amount due at settlement,	45 82—	855 75
Amount due from collector,		45 82
From State appropriation,	358 05	
" M. Yetter, collector 1875,	22 50	
" Theo. Taylor, col. bounty tax '71	24 28	
" sale of old stove &c.,	2 40	
" Treasurer and collector,	2429 98	
Total receipts from all resources.		2837 21
Teachers wages,	1927 65	
Fuel and contingencies,	169 19	
Repairs and renewcals,	259 39	
Paid in other districts,	27 15	
Printing $11 50, School Journal $7 00,	18 50	
Debt $146 00, interest $9 30,	155 30	
Salary of Secretary,	15 00	
Auditors and town clerk,	4 50	
Treasurer's commissions,	50 99	
Total expenditures.		2627 67
Balance in hands of Treasurer.	209 54	
Balance on duplicate,	45 82	
Total resources of District, June 5, 1876.		255 36

June 29-3t.] E. T. CROASDALE, Sec'y.

1776. CENTENNIAL 1876.

CELEBRATION OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE,

AT

STROUDSBURG AND EAST STROUDSBURG,

Tuesday, July 4th.

The Joint Committee beg leave to announce to the citizens of Monroe County the following

PROGRAMME:

The day will be ushered in by the ringing of bells and a National Salute of thirteen guns will be fired at sunrise.

At 9 o'clock the Stroudsburg Procession will form on Court House Square and proceed to

EAST STROUDSBURG,

where they will be received by the East Stroudsburg Procession on Cortlandt Square and be entertained by

An ORATION AND MUSIC,

after which the Joint Procession will move in the following order to Stroudsburg.

POLICE,

Kresgeville Brass Band,

Marshall and Assistant,
Standard Bearer and Bearer of Cap of Liberty, Orators and Readers,
Invited Guests, Clergy and Town Councils,
Committees of Arrangement,

PHŒNIX STEAM FIRE COMPANY,

(40 men) in full uniform. The Steamer will be drawn by horses.

A GRAND CHARIOT,

(drawn by six horses) on which a large throne is erected occupied by a Goddess of Liberty, and 38 young ladies, each representing by banner and dress one of the States.

Pocono Hose Company & Carriage,

in full dress.

A BAND OF SAVAGES IN THEIR FOREST DRESS, with TOMAHAKS and SCALPING KNIVES.

VARIOUS SECRET ORGANIZATIONS in full REGALIA.

Pleasant Valley Brass Band.

YOUNG AMERICA, gayly attired and waving Banners.

THE GODDESS OF LIBERTY, surrounded by the Thirteen Original States, represented on a magnificant Chariot drawn by Four Horses.

DEFENDERS OF LIBERTY, a company of Zouaves in full uniform.

AN ELEGANT CHARIOT, magnificently decorated with Flags and Banners containing delegates, dressed in gorgeous Robes representing Ancient worthies of "ye olden time."

A Band OF PATRIOTS, dressed with Continental Uniform, mounted on horse-back, marching in Hollow-square guarding Uncle Sam.

THE TRADES, a moving panorama of various occupations, delegations from the several Townships, in their respective order.

THE COMBINED PROCESSION after marching through the various streets of the two Boroughs will disperse for dinner.

AFTERNOON EXERCISES.

On Court House Square at 2 1-2 o'clock a grand representation of the Treaty of Wm. Penn, with the Indians

INVOCATION.

MUSIC BY THE BAND.

READING OF THE DECLARATION.

MUSIC BY THE BAND.

ORATION.

MUSIC BY THE BAND.

BENEDICTION.

A GRAND ILLUMINATION and manificent display of Fire Works in the evening.

AUDITOR'S SETTLEMENT WITH A. O. GREENWALD, Treasurer of the Stroudsburg School Board, for the year ending June 5th, 1875.

DR.

To cash of Silas L. Drake,	$ 32 15
" cash of Linford Ruth on duplicate of 1873 & 1874,	564 20
" cash of Silas D. Dreher on puplicate of 1875,	450 59
" State Appropriation,	447 38
" cash collected by Treas. on Duplicate of 1875,	1059 12
" cash for tuition of pupils out of District,	21 00
" cash for rent of School Houses,	9 00
" cash of Simon Barry, Treas. of Stroud township,	33 34—$2616 73

CR.

By the payment of Vouchers for the following named purposes, to wit:	
For Teaching,	$2002 00
" Fuel,	192 61
" Incidentals,	100 83
" Paving,	73 59
" Crayons,	48 33
" Printing,	42 00
" Secretary's Salary,	29 00
" Auditing,	9 00
" Int'est allowed on Vouchers	30 73
By bal. due Treas. at last settement,	32 50
By commission on $2528 09 at 2 per ct. on money paid out,	50 56
By bal. in Treasurer hands,	5 58—$2616 73

B. S. JACOBY, H. S. WAGNER, } Auditors.

June 15th, 1876.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of CATHARINE FETHERMAN, of Smithfield township, deceased.

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Catharine Fetherman, of the tsp. of Smithfield, county of Monroe, and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to JAMES FENNER, residing at the Delaware Water Gap, to whom all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

May 18-6t.*] JAMES FENNER.

EAST STROUDSBURG

Statement For 1875.

Dr. A. W. Teeter, in account with East Stroudsburg, Borough.

To duplicate,	$ 809 15	
Fines assessed on Councilmen,	2 00—	811 15

CR.

Cash paid J. H. shotwell, Treasurer,	752 07	
Exonerations,	27 75	
Collecter's commissions.	33 33—	$ 811 15

We the undersigned Auditors have carefully examined the above account of A. W. Teeter, collector, of Borough Tax for 1875 and find the same correct.

H. B. HITCHOCK, J. H. SHOTWELL, G. E. STAUFFER, } Auditors.

Dr. J. H. Shotwell, Treasurer, in account with the Borough of East Stroudsburg.

To cash from P. Empy, Treas. 1874,	40 98	
" " " A. W. Teeter, col. 1875,	732 07	
" " " Scraper hire,	5 00	
" balance due Treasurer.	13 76—	$ 811 81

CR.

By Borough orders paid,		811 81
LIABILITIES.		
Robert Brown, August 4th 1873,	214 00	
" " January 6th 1874,	171 73	
J. L. Rhodes, August 4th 1874,	300 00—	$ 685 73

We the undersigned Auditors have carefully examined the account of J. H. Shutwell, Treasurer and find the same correct.

H. B. HITCHCOCK, GEO. E. STAUFFER, } Auditors.

Dr. Charles Hillyer, Collector of School Tax for 1875, East Stroudsburg, borough.

To duplicate,	$ 284 88—	$ 284 88

CR.

By cash paid Treasurer per receipts,	168 00	
By exonerations,	12 79	
Commission for collecting,	13 60	
Balance due Treasurer,	90 49—	$ 284 88

Dr. Charles Hillyer, Collector, Building Tax, 1875.

To duplicate.		$ 298 41

CR.

Cash paid Treasurer as per receipts,	168 00	
Exonerations,	12 79	
Commissions,	14 28	
Balance due Treasurer,	103 34—	$ 298 41

We the undersigned Auditors have carefully examined the accounts of Charles Hillyor, collector of School and Building Tax for 1875 and find the same correct.

H. B. HITCHOCK, J. H. SHOTWELL, GEO. E. STAUFFER, } Auditors.

Dr. S. S. Detrick, Treasurer of School funds, 1875, East Stroudsburg, borough.

To bal from R. S. Storm, Treas. 1874,	$ 419 91	
State appropriation,	265 93	
Rec. on dup. while in hands of Treas.	472 83	
Cash from Charles Hillyer, col. 1875,	168 00	
" " A. Hallet, collector 1874,	24 95	
Tuition from M. Detrick,	9 70—	$ 1361 52

CR.

By vouchers, Teachers salary,	670 00	
" " Secretary "	20 00	
" " Fuel & contingent expenses	122 70	
" " Insurance,	24 00	
" " Treasurer's commission,	16 73	
" balance in hands of Treasurer,	508 09—	$1361 52

Dr. S. S. Detrick, Treasurer building funds for 1875.

Cash from A. Hallet, collector 1874,	258 55	
" on dup. while in hands of Treas.	469 68	
" of Charles Hillher, collector 1875,	168 00	
" balance due Treasurer,	474 26—	$ 1361 49

CR.

By cash paid interest on bonds,	147 83	
" ton (10) bonds redeemed,	1000 00	
" cash paid on vouchers,	122 64	
" balance settlement 1874,	64 33	
" Treasurer's commission,	26 69—	$ 1361 49

ASSETS.

Due Treas. from col. school duplicate,	90 49	
" " " " building,	103 34	
" " " A. F. Bush,	5 00	
Balance in hads of Treasurer	83 83—	$ 292 66

LIABILITIES.

Unsettled school bills,	106 50	
Outstanding bonds,	1400 00—	1506 50
Liabilities over assets,		$ 1273 84

We the undersigned Auditors have examined the account of S. S. Detrick, Treasurer of School and building funds for 1875, and find the same correct.

H. B. HITCHCOCK, J. H. SHOTWELL, GEO. E. STAUFFER, } Auditors.

Dr. John Chambers, collector of Poor Tax, of East Stroudsburg borough for 1875.

To duplicate,	$ 381 26	
Stove,	3 00—	384 26

CR.

By cash paid Treasurer,	253 00	
" exonerations,	4 72	
" collector's commissions,	18 83	
" services as poor master,	30 00	
" balance in hands of collector,	77 71—	$ 384 26

We the undrsigned Auditors have carefully examined the account of John Chambers and find the same corrcet.

H. B. HITCHCOCK, J. H. SHOTWELL, } Auditors.

Dr. Robert Brown, Treasurer of Poor fund of East Stroudsburg Borough, for 1875.

To balance from Levi Smith, col. 1874,	29 89	
" cash from John Chambers, collector as per receipts,	253 00	
To balance due Treasurer,	170 51—	$ 453 40

CR.

By cash paid P. Mutchler, confinement of Joe Comfort,	31 47	
Cash paid E. Brown, making out dup.	1 50	
" " T. Hoghland for Jas Ludwick,	6 30	
" " J. & M. Yetter, bill of mdse.	45 61	
" for coals, lundries,	6 33	
" " auditors fees.	4 50	
" " Charles Frankenfield, Coffin, and attending funeral,	22 50	
" " Thomas Branen, digging grave,	1 00	
" " N C Miller, medical attendance	20 25	
" " A Rockafellow, merchandise,	13 23	
" " W S Barger, merchandise,	8 85	
" " S Hinkle, for P Dugan,	75	
" " J H Pile, mdse, P Dugan,	7 73	
" " J Gish, goods for J Ludgwick,	4 27	
" " W W Garris, goods for P Dugan	1 77	
" " S Detrick, mdse. for P Dugan,	3 41	
" " W S Barger, merchandise,	5 98	
" " W R Vanvliet, filing saws,	7 82	
" " J Harback, rent for J Ludwick,	25 50	
" " E Lockery, digging grave,	1 00	
" " Sundries,	14 48	
" " stove for Ludwick,	7 00	
" " J H McCarty & Son's, Coffin, and attending funeral,	25 50	
" " Jas. Fenner, keeping tramps,	48 75	
" " J Hohenshelt, " "	2 00	
" " P Row, " "	2 37	
" " A W Loder, mdse, J Ludgwick	46 05	
" " " " " P Dugan,	1 00	
" " " " " L Marvin,	5 00	
" " L M Whitaker, for poor,	55 96	
" " Robert Brown, services as Poor Master,	18 00	
" " Treasurer's commission.	7 48—	$ 453 40

We the undersigned Auditors have carefully examined the above account and find the same correct.

H. B. HITCHCOCK, J. H. SHOTWELL, } Auditors.

STATEMENT OF THE

Stroudsburg School District's

Receipts and Expenditures for 1875.

Tax rate 13 mills on the dollar of valuation.

DR. A. O. GREENWALD, Treasurer.

Amount of Duplicate for 1875	$2249 86
To State appropriation,	447 33
" tuition of pupils not living in district	54 34
" school room rents,	9 00
" tax of S. L. Drake, on Duplicate of 1872,	32 15
" tax of Linford Ruth on duplicates of 1873 & 1874,	564 20
" tax of S. D. Dreher on duplicate for 1875,	450 59
" tax rec'd by Treasurer on duplicate of 1875,	1059 12
Total	2616 73

CR.

By bal. dus Treas. June 1875,	$ 32 50
" amount paid Teachers,	2002 00
" " " for interest,	30 73
" " " Auditors,	9 00
" " " Hood, Stoves,	34 00
" " " Secretary's Salary,	25 00
" " " McCarty, Chairs,	6 00
" " " for Printing,	42 00
" " " Paving down town,	57 69
" " " Cleaning School Houses,	8 98
" " " Repairing " "	41 20
" " " Fueland contingencies,	271 49
" Treas. Commission on $2528 09 paid out at 2 per cent.,	50 56
" Balance due District,	5 58
Total	$2616 73
Amount due District from all sources,	700 00
" of District Debt,	1000 00
Liabilities in excess of resources,	300 00

ROBERT R. DEPUY, President.

STROUD BURSON, Secretary.

June 15th, 1876.

WANTED,

For two years **$1,000** on first Mortgage on Real Estate, worth over 2,500.—A liberal bonas will be given for the same. Apply at this Office.] June 15, '76-3t

Auditor's Notice.

The undersigned appointed Auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe county, to make distribution of the fund in Court, arising from the Sheriff's sale of the personal property of Samuel Stitzer, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office, in the Borough of Stroudsburg, on Friday, July 21, 1875, at 2 o'clock p. m., when and where all persons interested in said distribution, may attend if they think proper or be forever debarred from coming in for any share thereof.

A. A. DINSMORE, Auditor.

June 22, 1876.—4t.

AUDITOR'S SETTLEMENT WITH the Overseers of the Poor of the Borough of Stroudsburg for the year ending June 10th, 1876. P. H. Robeson, Treasurer of Overseers in account with said fund.

DR.

To cash of Linford Ruth on duplicate of 1873,	$ 191 97	
" " 1874,	240 41	
" bal. in hands at last settlement,	1 12	
" amount of duplicate of 1875,	1714 21	
	$2147 71	

CR.

By the payment of Vouchers for the following named purposes:		
For keeping Vagrants,	$ 76 55	
" Rent,	20 00	
" Medical attendance,	30 00	
" Auditing,	6 00	
" Funeral Expenses,	30 00	
" Work at Poor House,	18 25	
" Overseer's services for 1874 & 1875,	115 00	
" Making tax duplicates for '74 & '75	8 00	
" Merchandise for Paupers,	223 43	
By Judgment paid at Silas L. Drake's,	91 41	
By Balance,	1529 07	
	$2147 71	

We find due from P. H. Robeson on Duplicate and cash received $1529 07.

B. S. JACOBY, H. S. WAGNER, } Auditors.

June 15th, 1876.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

OF

STROUD TOWNSHIP,

For the year 1875.

DR. Supervisors of Stroud townshp, viz:		
Edward Lee, am't of Duplicate	$527 64	
Ab'm Rhodes, do do	548 61	
Geo. Phillips, do do	733 45	
Am't rec'd from Special Tax Dup.	49 15—	$1858 85
CR. By am't p'd for labor on roads	$1327 03	
" " Plank and timber	186 52	
" " Spikes, &c.	9 64	
" " Services as Supervisors, 166 days	249 80	
" " Counsel fees,	15 00	
" " Settling Duplicate,	15 00	
" " Attending Audit,	4 50	
" " Exonerations,	42 79	
" " Books, Guide boards	2 57	
" " Auditors,	6 00—	$1858 85

The foregoing accounts examined and allowed this 6th day of June, 1876.

GEO. H. MILLER, JACOB J. ANGLE, FREDERICK FABEL, } Auditors.

Statement of Bounty Fund of Stroud township, for 1875.

DR. SIMON BARRY, Treasurer.		
1875, Nov. 13, cash of J. A. Fetherman	$100 00	
1876, March 4, " Wm. Mosteller	163 00	
" " 24, " " "	110 00	
" April 4, J. A. Fetherman	59 00	
" May 20, " "	64 64	
" " " J. W. Huston,	83 90	
" June 5, Wm. Mosteller,	105 68—	$677 22
CR. Balance due S. Barry at last settlement	$54 35	
1875, Jan'y 7, cash paid School board for settling Bounty Duplicates,	20 00	
1876, June 5, P'd bal. of Bond No. 33	495 00	
" " " Interest on same from Jue 1, 1875 to June 1, '76	42 07	
" " " cash paid Auditors	9 00	
	$620 42	

Balance due township on Bounty tax $56 80, which is carried to School Fund.

Examined and allowed this 6th day of June, 1876.

GEO. H. MILLER, JACOB J. ANGLE, FREDERICK FABEL, } Auditors.

Overseers of Poor, 1875. viz:

DR. CHAS. SWINK and GEORGE BURD:		
To amount of Duplicate	$738 22	
Balance due at last settlement	114 84	
Commissions refunded	95—	$854 01
CR. By Interest paid on voucher dated April 1, 1873:		
Jacob Miller by J. G. Angle, Overseer of Poor,	$13 93	
By board of Paupers,	363 69	
" Clothing "	28 97	
" Fuel "	33 00	
" Medical attendance	11 00	
" Attorney fee,	30 00	
" Publishing Auditors statement, 1874,	13 00	
" Justice's fees for oaths of office	3 00	
" Chas. Swink, for personal service	33 75	
" For Tramps	1 50	
" Geo. Burd, for personal service	29 50	
" Making out Duplicate and book	3 18	
" Am't p'd for auditing Poor and Road accounts	12 00	
" Exonerations allowed on Dup. 1874,	6 75—	$583 31
Bal. in hands of Overseers and due Township		$270 70

Examined and allowed this 6th day of June, 1876.

GEO. H. MILLER, JACOB J. ANGLE, FREDERICK FABEL, } Auditors.

Statement of School Board for 1875:

DR. SIMON BARRY, Treasurer,		
To State Appropriation	$408 27	
From Collectors of School taxes,	2036 38—	$2444 65
Bal. due at final settlement of Bounty fund		56 80
		$2501 45
CR. Paid vouchers of Teachers,	$1875 00	
" Fuel:	226 67	
Money refunded to Collector	163 24	
" " Treasurer	22 98	
P'd for printing statement for 1874,	12 00	
" Wm. Fine, Secretary	30 00	
" Voucher for tuition of col'd Children	33 34	
" Painting Loder school-house	23 00	
" Cleaning school-houses,	22 15	
" Repairing " "	404 88	
" Furniture " "	24 42	
" Interest on Vouchers of previous year,	8 35	
" Commission allwed on paying out $2846 01 at 2 per cent	56 92—	$2902 93
Balance due S. Barry, Treasurer		$401 48
Balance due on Duplicate of 1875,	$681 72	

Examined and allowed this 6th day of June, 1876.

GEO H. MILLER, JACOB J. ANGLE, FREDERICK FABEL, } Auditors.

June 15, 1876.—3t.

ORDINANCE No. 14.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of East Stroudsburg:

That all the property owners on the east side of Courtland street from the corner of Analomink and Courtland street at John Hohensheldt's to the end of Courtland street at the Milford crossing, shall curb and pave the side walk along their respective properties, either with Brick or Flag-stone, by September 1, 1876. The width of said side-walk to be six feet.

In case of non-compliance with the above Ordinance the Borough will cause the curbing and paveing of said side walk to be done and charge 20 per cent. advance on the cost of labor and material.

Approved May 1, 1876.

PHILIP LYON, Chief Burgess.

THEO Y. HOFFMAN, Secretary.

May 11, 1876.—3t.

East Stroudsbug, June 5, 1876. At a regular meeting of the Town Council of the Borough East Stroudsburg, a Petition was presented requesting the Council to reconsider, revoke or modify Ordinance No 14. After due consideration the Council decided to modify the above Ordinance granting the property owners the prialege of laying said side walk either with plank, brick, or flag-stone, and the width of said side walk to be five-feet instead of six if plank is used, they must be two inches thick, laid crossway on three stringers.

PHILIP LYON, Chief Burgess.

THEO. Y. HOFFMAN, Secretary.

June 15, 1876—3t.

Smash Down Prices

IN

DRY GOODS

HAS COME!

New York Merchants bursting up!

Some goods sold this week for nearly

HALF PRICE!

Decker's Wonderful Cheap

AUCTION STORE

Is now being crammed full of them. Just see here what prices!

Shilling Calicoes down to 6¼ cts.
8 yards of Merrimack or Sprague's for 50 cts.
Fashionable plain and plaid Dress Goods only 10 and 12 cts., worth 16 and 20 cts.
Fine twilled black Cashmeres only 45 cts.
Our best spool cotton, 200 yds. 3 cts. or 2 spools for 5 cents.
Wool Cassimeres, good styles, only 40 & 60 cts.
Fine hemmed handkerchiefs only 5 cts.
Splendid Hamburg edgings, never so cheap, only 3, 4, 5, 8, and 10 cts. Some very wide at 10 cts. worth 20 cts.
Ladie's lace scarfs, beautiful, only 20 cts.
Men's striped half Hose, fine, only 10 cts.
Heavy Bedtick only 10 cts.
Bleached and unbleached Muslin below bottom price. Pins and needles 5 cts. a paper.

STRAW GOODS.

Ladie's, Misse's and Children's trimmed and untrimmed Hats *half price.*
Jewelry sells very cheap.
Ribbons, all widths, colors and qualities the very cheapest.
All kinds of Table linen, towels, napkins and Linen crash as low as 6 cts.
Beautiful Counterpanes only $1 00.
Carpets, beautiful colors, only 25 cts. a yard.
Fine Ingrain carpets only 50 cts. a yard.
Hats and Caps for men, boy's and youth's.—Prices from 50 cents to $1 75 for the most fashionable styles.
Ready-made Clothing for men, youth's and boys, the cheapest in the county.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Men's calf boots that were sold for $5 00 now only $3 50.
Men's plow and lace shoes, cheap.
Lady's lasting Gaiters only $1 25.
Misse's and Children's, same proportion.

We shall keep a general assortment of boots and shoes for Ladie's and Gents', and make this a speciality.

These are a few of the prices now on hand, but Decker can send up every day or two new fresh goods, for he is in the city watching the bargains, and is determined that no firm shall undersell him.

Don't buy of any until you have called at the wonderful cheap Auction Store, 4 doors below the Post Office.

April 27, '76.—1y. DECKER & CO.

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 Tunkannock township, Monday July 17th, 1876, at the house of Joseph Newhart.

Tobyhanna township, on Tuesday July 18, at the house of William Shiffer, and Wednesday July 19, at the house of Isaac Stauffer.

Coolbaugh township, on Thursday July 20, at the house of Jerome B. Shaw.

Pocono township, Friday July 21, at the house of Charles Brown.

Jackson township, Saturday July 22, at the house of Smauel R. Bossard.

Ross township, Monday July 24, at the house of Jacob H. Stocker.

Eldred township, Tuesday July 25, at the house of Amandus J. Marsh.

Polk township, Wednesday July 26, at the house of Joel Kresge.

Chestnuthill township, Thursday July 27, at the house of Charles Eberle, and Friday July 28, at the house of David Everett.

Borough of East Stroudsburg, Saturday July 29, at the house John Barlow.

Paradise township, Monday July 31, at the house of James Kintz.

Barrett township, Tuesday August 1st, at the House of John W. Yothers.

Price township, Wednesday August 2, at the house of Samuel Postens.

Hamilton township, Thursday August 3, at the House of Josiah Kresge, on Friday August 4, at the house of John Rhodes, and on Saturday August 5, at the house of Charles Andrew.

M. Smithfield township, Monday August 7, at the house of Jacob H. Place, and Tuesday August 8, at the house of James Place.

Smithfield township, Wednsday August 9, at the house of Simeon D. Bush, and Thusday August 10, at the house of Thomas Brodhead.

Stroud township, Friday August 11, at Peter Keller's Mill, and on Saturday August 12, at the store of Day, Wilcox & Co.

Borough of Stroudsburg, Monday and Tuesday August 14 and 15, at the Treasurer's Office.

Tax papers 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.

LINFOD MARSH, Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, Stroudsburg, June 15, 1876.

ORDINANCE No. 15.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of East Stroudsburg:

That all the property owners on the south side of Washington street from the corner of Courtland and Washington streets to the last corner of Allen Keller's lot, shall curb and pave the side walk along their respective properties either with Brick or Flag-stone, by September 1, 1876. Width of said side walk to be six feet.

In case of non-compliance with above Ordinance the Borough will cause the curbing and paving of said side walk to be done and charge 20 per cent. advance on the cost of labor and material.

Approved June 5, 1876.

PHILIP LYON, Chief Burgess.

THEO. Y. HOFFMAN, Secretary.

June 15, 1876—3t.

$2,000 WANTED,

On First Mortgage: FIRST CLASS PROPERTY. For further information apply at this office.

Jan. 27, 1876.