

Farm and Household.

Corn Song.

Heigh the farmer's winter's hoard;
Heigh the golden corn;
No richer gift has autumn poured
From out her lavish horn.

How To Test Vegetable Seeds.

It is a very easy and simple matter to
test any variety of seed and thus avoid
imposition and loss by the purchase and
planting of an inferior article.

Keep the plate or saucer in a moder-
ately warm place, and by removing the
upper cloth at will you can watch the re-
sult.

By a careful test in this way may be
learned the exact proportion of good
and bad seed in the lot offered you, and
this you may avoid not only the loss of
the money asked for the same, but also
the greater loss you would sustain by
planting bad seed and experiencing a
failure of the crop.

Asparagus.

A correspondent writes as follows:

"He has no more difficulty in prepar-
ing land for asparagus and celery. His
object was to see if asparagus could not
be grown, like other crops, on the level
ground, so as to admit of another crop
of a different kind being raised between
the rows."

Peach Trees.

A correspondent of the Country Gen-
tleman gives an illustration on manuring
peach trees: A year or two after he had
planted an orchard of peach trees, he
saw on a portion of it the strong manure
from a covered pen where sheep had
been wintered, and mixed it with the
soil by plowing and dragging.

Keeping Turnips.

Having an unused ice-house, I put in
to it fifty bushels of Yellowstone turnips,
when the crop was gathered in the fall.
The door was left open until the turnips
on the top of the heap were frozen solid;

This rot only extended as far in the
orchards as the sheep droppings had been
applied; the fruit on the rest of the trees
of the same sort and in the same soil,
ripened safely and handsomely.

Keep Coffee by itself, as its odor af-
fects other articles.

To Protect Fruit Trees From Mice.

In a recent conversation with Mr.
Wallace Moore, of Mayville, upon this
subject he stated that he had been trou-
bled many times by them upon his sev-
eral farms and had always found the
best remedy to be used was common
wood ashes applied around the roots of
each tree in the fall.

Evergreens Among Fruit Trees.

A well-grown evergreen tree gives out
continually an exodium of warmth and
moisture that reaches a distance of its
area in height; and when tree planters
advocate shelter belts, surrounding a
tract of orchard fifty or more acres, when
the influence of such belt can only trace
a distance of the height of trees on said
belt, they will do that which will prove
of little value.

Secret of Growing Cauliflowers.

Comparatively few people, not profes-
sional gardeners, succeed well with the
cauliflower, and this delicious vegetable
is still a rare luxury. But, certain es-
sential conditions being assured, it is as
easy to grow as the cabbage. The grand
secret of its culture lies in two words—
manure and moisture.

Keeping Qualities of Butter.

In my opinion the keeping qualities of
butter depend principally upon two
things. 1. The buttermilk must be kept out;
and, second, the grain of the butter
should be kept as perfect as possible.

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Business Cards.

DR. ELLEN E. MITCHELL, PHY-
sician and Surgeon, graduate of the Woman's
Medical College of the N. Y. Infirmary, the first
female physician for a year in the Women's Hospital in
N. Y.; after four years' practice in Fox du Lac, Wis-
consin; has located in Montrose. Special attention
given to diseases of women and children. Office at
the foot of Main Street, in the old David Post home-
stead. Montrose, Dec. 15, 1875.—Sm*#50

H. D. BALDWIN, M. D. HOMOE-
opathic Physician, has located himself at Mont-
rose, where he will attend promptly to all profes-
sional business entrusted to his care. Office in Car-
roll's building, second floor, front. Boards at Mr. E.
Baldwin's. Montrose, Pa., March 10, 1875.

DR. W. W. SMITH, DENTIST.—
Rooms at the dwelling, next door north of Dr.
Halsey's, on Old Foundry street, where he would be
happy to see all those in want of Dental Work. He
feels confident that he can please all, both in quality of
work and in price. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Montrose, Feb. 11, 1874.—lf

A. W. COOLEY, CARPENTER.
CONTRACTS to erect structures of all kinds, in
any section and complete them in every detail. Marble
and slate Mantels, Sash, Blinds, Doors and Window
Frames, furnished to order. State Building and build-
ing paper made specialties. Employ none but experi-
enced workmen. Shop near the Methodist Church.
Montrose, January 30, 1875.—37f

VALLEY HOUSE, GREAT BEND,
Pa. Situated near the Erie Railway Depot—
is a large and commodious house. Has undergone a
thorough repair. Newly furnished rooms and sleep-
ing apartments, splendid tables, and all things compris-
ing a first class hotel. HENRY AGREST, Proprietor.
Sept. 10th, 1873.—lf

BILLINGS STROUD, FIRE AND
Life Insurance Agent. All business attended to
promptly on fair terms. Office first door east of the
bank of Wm. H. Cooper & Co., Public Avenue, Mont-
rose, Pa. (Aug. 1, 1869.)
J. J. 17, 1872. BILLINGS STROUD.

THE PEOPLE'S MARKET, PHIL-
lip Hahn, Proprietor. Fresh and Salted Meats,
Hams, Pork, Bologna Sausage, etc., of the best qual-
ity, constantly on hand at prices to suit.
Montrose, Pa., Jan. 14, 1873.—17

EDGAR A. TURRELL.
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
No. 170 Broadway, New York City.
May 12, '75.—(Feb. 11, 1874.—17)

LITTLES AND BLAKESLEE, AT-
Torneys at Law, Montrose, Pa. Office opposite
the Tarbell House.
R. B. LITTLE,
Geo. P. LITTLE,
E. L. BLAKESLEE.
Montrose, Oct. 15, 1872.

W. B. DEANS, DEALER IN
Books, Stationery, Wall Paper, Newspa-
pers, Pocket Cutlery, Stereoscopes, Views, Yankee
Notions, etc. Next door to the Post Office, Montrose,
Pa. (Sept. 30, 1874.)
W. B. DEANS.

EXCHANGE HOTEL M. J. HAR-
rington wishes to inform the public that having
rented the Exchange Hotel in Montrose, he is now
preparing to accommodate the traveling public in
first-class style.
Montrose, Aug. 28, 1873.

H. BURRITT, DEALER IN STA-
ples and Fancy Dry Goods, Crockery, Hard-
ware, Iron and Steel, Drugs, Oils, and Paints, Boots
and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Furs, Buffalo Robes, Gro-
ceries, Provisions, &c.
New Millard, Pa., Nov 6, '72.—lf

JOHN GROVES, FASHIONABLE
Tailor, Montrose, Pa. Shop over Chandler's
Store. All orders filled in first-class style. Cutting
done to order on short notice, and warranted to fit.
Montrose, June 30, '75.

DR. D. A. LATHROP, ADMINIS-
trator Electro-Thermal Baths, at 26 Foot of
Chesnut street. Call and consult in all Chronic
Diseases.
Montrose, Jan. 17, '72.—no9.—lf

LEWIS KNOLL, SHAVING AND
hair dressing. Shop over the Post office build-
ing, where he will be found ready to attend all who
may want anything in his line.
Montrose, Pa. Oct. 13, 1869.

E. BACON & SON WILL FUR-
nish, at Wholesale or Retail, the best and finest
English Pipes, Cigars, Fruit, Nuts, Toys, &c., &c.,
to be found in this vicinity, at the lowest cash price.
E. BACON & SON.
January 19, 1876.

DR. W. L. RICHARDSON, PHY-
sician and Surgeon, renders his professional ser-
vice to the citizens of Montrose and vicinity. Office
at his residence, on the corner east of the Court
dry. (Aug. 1, 1869.)

SCOVILL AND DEWITT, ATTOR-
neys at Law and Solicitors in Bankruptcy. Office
No. 49 Court Street, over City National Bank, Bingham-
ton, N. Y. Wm. H. Scovill, J. Dewitt.
June 18th, 1873.

EAGLE DRUG STORE, IS THE
place to get Drugs and Medicines, Cigars, To-
bacco, Pipes, Pocket-Books, Spectacles, Yankee
Notions, &c. Brick Block. A. B. BURNS.
Montrose, Pa., May 5th, 1875.

L. F. FITCH, ATTORNEY AND
Counselor-at-law Montrose, Pa. Office at
heretofore, below and west of the Court House.
Montrose, January 27, 1875.—17.

M. A. LYON, SUCCESSOR TO
Abel Tarbell, Dealer in Drugs, Medicines,
Chemicals, Patent Oils, Dye-stuffs, Teas, Spices,
Toys, Goods, Jewelry, Perfumery, &c.
Montrose, May 19, 1875.

A. O. WARREN, ATTORNEY, AT
Law, Bounty, Back Pay, Pension and Ex-
emption on claims, attended to Office at cor-
ner below Boyd's Store, Montrose, Pa. [Aug. 1, '69.]

WM. A. CROSSMAN, ATTORNEY
at Law, Office at the Court House, in the
Commissioner's Office. W. A. CROSSMAN.
Montrose, Sept. 20, 1871.—lf.

WILSON J. TURRELL, SURVEYOR.
Having had 20 years experience in the business,
will continue to attend to calls in my profession.
Montrose, Pa., Sept. 15, '75.—17

J. C. WHEATON,
CIVIL ENGINEER AND LAND SURVEYOR,
P. O. address, Franklin Forks,
Susquehanna Co., Pa.

W. W. SMITH, CABINET AND
Chair Manufacturers, Fourth Main Street,
Montrose, Pa. [Aug. 1, 1869.]

D. W. SEARLE, ATTORNEY AT
Law, Office over the Store of M. D. Seager,
in the Brick Block, Montrose, Pa. [Aug. 1, '69.]

E. O'NEILL, ATTORNEY, AT
Law, Office over R. DeWitt's.
Montrose, Pa. [June 9, '75.—17]

J. B. & A. H. MCCOLLUM, AT-
torneys at Law, Office over W. H. Cooper &
Co's Bank, Montrose, Pa. May 10, 1871.—lf

B. O. CAMP, ATTORNEY AT
Law, Montrose, Pa. Office over Wm. H. Cooper
& Co's Bank.
Montrose, Pa., Jan. 5th, 1875.—17*

M. C. SUTTON, AUCTIONEER, AND INSURANCE AGENT,
Friendsville, Pa., Aug. 1, '69.—lf

AMIELY, AJJTIONNER, Address,
Brooklyn, Pa.
June, 14, 1874.

JOB PRINTING!
AT THIS OFFICE, CHEAP.

Banking, &c.

BANKING HOUSE
OF
WM. H. COOPER & CO.,
MONTROSE, PA.

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS DONE.
COLLECTIONS MADE ON ALL
POINTS AND PROMPTLY ACCOUNT-
ED FOR AS HERETOFORE.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN EX-
CHANGE FOR SALE:
UNITED STATES & OTHER BONDS
BOUGHT AND SOLD.

COUPONS AND CITY AND COUNTY
BANK CHECKS CASHED AS
USUAL.

OCEAN STEAMER PASSAGE TICK-
ETS TO AND FROM EUROPE.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON SPECIAL
TIME DEPOSITS, AS PER AGREE-
MENT WHEN THE DEPOS-
IT IS MADE.

In the future, as in the past, we shall endeavor
to transact all money business to the satisfac-
tion of our patrons and correspondents.
WM. H. COOPER & CO.,
Montrose, March 10 '75.—lf. Bankers.

Authorized Capital, \$500,000 00.
Present Capital, 100,000 00.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
MONTROSE, PA.

WILLIAM J. TURRELL, President.
D. D. SEARLE, Vice President.
N. L. LENHEIM, Cashier.

Directors.
WM. J. TURRELL, D. D. SEARLE,
G. B. ELDRED, M. S. DESSAUER,
ABEL TURRELL, G. V. BENTLEY,
A. J. GERRITSON, Montrose, Pa.
E. A. CLARK, Binghamton, N. Y.
E. A. PRATT, New Milford, Pa.
M. B. WRIGHT, Susquehanna Depot, Pa.
L. S. LENHEIM, Great Bend, Pa.

DRAFTS SOLD ON EUROPE.
COLLECTIONS MADE ON ALL POINTS.
SPECIAL DEPOSITS SOLICITED.

Montrose, March 3, 1875.—lf

SCRANTON SAVINGS BANK,
120 Wyoming Avenue,

RECEIVES MONEY ON DEPOSIT
FROM COMPANIES AND INDIVID-
UALS, AND RETURNS THE SAME
ON DEMAND WITHOUT PREVIO-
US NOTICE, ALLOWING INTER-
EST AT SIX PER CENT. PER AN-
NUM, PAYABLE HALF YEARLY,
ON THE FIRST DAYS OF JANU-
ARY AND JULY. A SAFE AND RE-
LIABLE PLACE OF DEPOSIT FOR
LABORING MEN, MINERS, ME-
CHANICS, AND MACHINISTS, AND
FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN AS
WELL. MONEY DEPOSITED ON
OR BEFORE THE TENTH WILL
DRAW INTEREST FROM THE
FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH. THIS
IS IN ALL RESPECTS A HOME IN-
STITUTION, AND ONE WHICH IS
NOW RECEIVING THE SAVED
EARNINGS OF THOUSANDS UPON
THOUSANDS OF SCRANTON MIN-
ERS AND MECHANICS.

DIRECTORS: JAMES BLAIR,
SANFORD GRANT, GEORGE FISHER,
JAS. S. SLOCUM, J. H. SUPPHIN,
C. P. MATTHEWS, DANIEL HOW-
ELL, A. E. HUNT, T. F. HUNT,
JAMES BLAIR, PRESIDENT; O. C.
MOORE, CASHIER.

OPEN DAILY FROM NINE A. M.
UNTIL FOUR P. M., AND ON WED-
NESDAY AND SATURDAY EVE-
NINGS UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.
Feb. 12, 1874.

J. H. BARNES, | G. S. BARNES, | H. G. BLANDING

BINGHAMTON MARBLE WORKS.
[ESTABLISHED IN 1840.]

BARNES BROS. & BLANDING,
DEALERS IN AND MANUFACTURERS OF
Italian & American Marbles,

AMERICAN AND SCOTCH GRANITES
Marble and Slate Mantels,
26 Chenango St., Near Depot,
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.
May 14, 1873.

HERRING & FARREL,
257 Broadway N. Y.

MANUFACTURERS OF ALL KINDS OF
Fire and Burglar Proof
SAFES.

The oldest and most reliable firm in the United States
They took the prize medal awarded at the
WORLD'S FAIR AT LONDON!
All Safes are warranted free from dampness and cor-
rosion. BILLINGS STROUD, Agent.
Montrose, May 6 '74.—lf.

Miscellaneous.

MONTROSE
PLANING MILL
AND
LUMBER YARD!

In order to better accommodate the community, the
undersigned has established a depot for the sale of
Lumber Manufactured at his newly-erected building on
the Old Keller tannery Site, in the
HEART OF TOWN

where will be kept constantly on hand. A full stock of
WHITE AND YELLOW PINE, HEMLOCK,
OAK, ASH, MAPLE AND BLACK
WALNUT LUMBER,

which, with the aid of the most improved machinery and
competent workmen, is prepared to work into any shape
to meet the wants of Customers.

WELL SEASONED LUMBER, INCLUDING SIDING,
FLOORING, CEILING, SHINGLE AND
LATH CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Planing, Matching, Mouldings, and Scroll Sawing
done to order.

Wagon, Carriage and Sleigh
MANUFACTORY,

In connection with the above establishment, under the
management of Mr. E. H. Rogers. Examine our work
before leaving your orders elsewhere. Repairing done
promptly.
A. LATHROP.
Montrose, September 20th, 1875.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!
The People's Drug Store.

I. N. BULLARD, PROPRIETOR.

R. KENYON, Druggist & Apothecary.

PATENT MEDICINE EMPORIUM!

The undersigned would respectfully announce to all
the people everywhere, that to his already extensive
stock and variety of Merchandise in the Grocers, Pro-
vision, and Hardware line.
He has added a very choice assortment of PURE
DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, BRUSHES, PER-
FUMERY, &c., which he flatters himself if he can secure
the public they will find it to their advantage to exam-
ine before purchasing elsewhere. To all Physicians in
this section of the county he would respectfully an-
nounce that he has secured the services of E. Kenyon,
as Druggist and Apothecary, whose long experience and
acknowledged care and ability, entitle him to your en-
tire confidence in the line of compounding medicines
or preparing prescriptions, and who would also esteem
it an especial favor to receive calls from any of his old
customers or new ones. Will make the Patent Medi-
cine a specialty. Also Domestic and Foreign Mineral
Waters—an extensive stock. Also Groceries—

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

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

Powder! Powder! Powder!
Blasting, Rifle and Shot Powder, Shot, Lead, Gun
Tubes, Caps, Fuses, Flasks, Fuze, &c., &c.,
for sale by
I. N. BULLARD.
Montrose, Sept. 9, 1874.—lf.

Figures Do Not Lie!
SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

OUR NEW PRICE LIST FOR
SPRING AND SUMMER OF
1875.

Table with 2 columns: Item description and Price. Items include Heavy cottons pants, Good all wool pants, French cassimere pants, Heavy workmen's suits, Scotch cassimere suits, Hittis cassimere suits, Fancy check and stripe suits, Black frock coats, Black dress coats, Black cloth vests, White linen vests.

Boys' Suits, 3 to 9 years.
Boys' cotton suits, \$2.00
Boys' mixed suits, \$3.00
Boys' fancy wool suits, \$5.00

Boys' Suits, 9 to 15 years.
Boys' school suits, \$4.00
Boys' fancy suits, \$7.00
Boys' finest cassimere suits, \$8.00
Youths' suits, all styles, \$8.00
Good cotton shirts, \$2.00
Good overalls, \$1.00
Good rubber suspenders, \$1.00

And all other Goods in proportion.
The above prices are for cash only, and are quoted
for customers from a distance.

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

WEBSTER, The Clothier
Binghamton, May 5th 1875.—lf

PARKEYALE MILLS
RE-OPENED.
I have rented the above Mills, and fitted them up in
first-class order. I have also stocked the mill with

ALL KINDS OF GRAIN.
Including Western White Wheat.
I also keep on hand
WHEAT, RYE, AND BUCKWHEAT
FLOUR, CORN MEAL,

Feed, Buckwheat Bran, etc., etc., which I offer to the
public at the lowest prices. All kinds of Milling
Business done.
WANTED.
FIVE HUNDRED bushels of Rye, immediately. Also
highest cash price paid for all kinds of Grain.
ERNEST SIBBE.
Parkvale, Jan. 19, 1876.—Sm

POULTRY, EGGS & BUTTER,
wanted. Highest cash price will be paid,
E. S. WHEATCROFT
Rush, January 19, 1876.—Sw