

Town, County, and Variety.

There are eight legal holidays this year and 53 Sundays.

Bishop O'Hara, of Scranton, has issued a pastoral letter, calling for the special observance of the Centennial Fourth by all the Catholic churches in his diocese.

The death of Isaac Comstock of Brookdale, occurred on Friday morning, instead of Thursday night as mentioned in our correspondence of last week.

About this time, the woofs resound with the voice of the Fourth of July orator practicing on his "Mister President, ladies and gentlemen. For-ry millions of people," etc., closing with a "poem."

"I could kill you for two cents," shouted an enraged man to an offending neighbor. It was an ugly threat but it sounded good. It shows that we are getting down to ante bellum prices.

The cases of two of the late county commissioners of Luzerne county, Seybert and Williams for extortion in office, came up before the court at Wilkes-Barre on Thursday. They each plead guilty. Williams was sentenced to pay a fine of \$750 and costs, and Seybert, \$150 and costs.

It will be seen by advertisement elsewhere that a night train has been put upon the D. L. & W. Railway. But hereafter will be started from Montrose at eight o'clock in the evening, and arrive in New York the next morning.

The wool clip for this county and vicinity is believed to be larger than for several years past. The wool is beginning to come into market. The price varies little, if any, from thirty cents per pound. The clip for the United States this season, is reported the largest ever known.—Binghamton Times.

A large cheese factory near Buffalo, N. Y., has made two cheeses, one of twelve tons and another of fourteen tons weight. They will be "built" on large platform cars, which will run into the factory for the purpose, and upon which they will be kept during the entire Centennial Exhibition. They are ten or twelve feet high, supported by iron hoops, one inch thick, to keep them from bursting.

MESSRS. EDITORS: To-day upwards of thirty of the friends and neighbors of P. C. Conklin had a meeting in his corn field and potato patch. They brought their teams and tools with them. They hoed both fields, ten acres in all, in a neat and workmanlike manner. Mr. Conklin has been very sick for a long time, and is yet, though in a fair way to recover.

F. H. BUNNELL

Dimock, June 20, 1876.

Deputy Sheriff P. A. English, of Windsor, accompanied by Mr. W. Dusenbury, arrived in this city at about 11 a. m. yesterday, with two horse thieves and burglars, who gave their names as Saul and David Johnson. They were arrested in Windsor under very suspicious circumstances, and have since confessed that two horses found in their possession were stolen in Wilkes-Barre, Pa. They were arraigned before Justice Chaffee, and waived examination.—Binghamton Times.

Mr. Geo. C. Hill, proprietor of the Keystone Saloon, gave the occupants of the building in which his saloon has been located, including the printers of the DEMOCRAT office, a very fine supper on Thursday evening last, as a farewell compliment, which was duly appreciated. On Friday he moved into his new rooms in the Searle Block, which are very neat and attractive. Mr. Hill has always kept a neat orderly and popular saloon, and we wish him the success he deserves in his new and vastly improved quarters.

The Somerset Democrat says: A robin nest has created quite a curiosity in this neighborhood by building its nest on a passenger coach of the Buffalo Valley railroad. The bird frequently while at work flies along side the car on its trips to Garret, and return and when the train would stop, would light upon the coach and renew the building of its nest. The nest now contains four eggs, which the robin is hatching out as indifferently as though it was on the top of the highest tree. The conductor is charging up the fare against the robin, as it now remains upon the nest every trip of the coach.

The Fifth Annual Convention of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania was held at Bethlehem, Pa., last week in the Church of the Nativity. Bishop Howe presided and delivered a very able charge on the Bible in public schools. It was regarded as an unanswerable argument in favor of retaining the Word of God in the schools. A new and important canon was passed dividing the Diocese into four districts or convocations, each in charge of a president. A missionary meeting was held on Thursday evening, when the report of the Missionary Committee was read, and interesting addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Washburne, Rev. Dr. Gilhat and Rev. B. F. Taylor, of Lawrenceville, who based his remarks upon the name of the church and of the town. Christ was born in Bethlehem. The next Convention meets at Scranton, Pa.

A Western fat boy was transferred last Friday from the Erie broad-gauge to a narrow-gauge train on the Lehigh Valley road at Waverly. His name is David Navarre, and he hails from Illinois. He was on his way to the Centennial, where he will be exhibited. His parents, who are small people, accompanied him. This Western fat boy is 14 years and six months old, and weighs 475 pounds. He is six feet and seven inches tall, measures three feet and four inches across his shoulders, and girls six feet and seven inches around his hips. He occupied the whole aisle as he walked through the car, and it was too warm for any other passenger to sit in a seat with him. A flat car with a spring platform on it would have been the proper equipage for him. He will be a bigger show than the \$10,000 ox would have been had he lived to reach Philadelphia.

It will be seen by our market report that we now receive our quotations from Hayden & Duckworth. Mr. Hayden is a native of this county and well known to many of our citizens.

The Scientific American says if a bottle of Pennyroyal is left uncorked in a room at night not a mosquito will be found there in the morning. This is certainly worth trying by those who are bothered by these pests.

In view of the recent and formal "jail delivery" at Montrose, unauthorized by law, public opinion, out East, is that the much vaunted "Reform" of last fall is not encouraging. We shall stick to the "Radicals" hereafter.—Montrose Republican.

We would desire to ask the "Court House Ring" star what he means by the above ambiguous paragraph for as it stands it is so much like the Radical platform finance and Senator Watson's attorney fee bill apology, that no one can corner it. It means that the Democrats have failed to rebuild or make safe our \$100,000 (or more) county jail, which proves to be such a slum that it can be pulled in pieces with the hands, we simply say that any reform in that direction would be overruled the same as the hiring of a \$500 commissioner's clerk was, when they could put in one favorable to the "Ring" for \$700. The people understand that one Democratic commissioner cannot overrule two Radicals. But if the above is intended to cast reflections upon sheriff White for negligence we would desire to have the star editor so state and we think we can give him a small pill that will not leave enough of him worth sticking anywhere. If a man intends to steal, either of reputation or money he will always stand the best before the people to do it boldly and not resort to the arts of the attorney fee-broker or sneak-thief. To sum it all up in a word, if any one has any censure for sheriff White or the Democratic party of this county, let him present it like a man and we will put on the gloves with him.

Our city was startled on Monday evening by the sad news that W. H. Parry, the popular steward of the Lackawanna Hospital, was drowned in the Roaring Brook, near Nay Aug Falls. About three o'clock in the afternoon, Mr. Parry, accompanied by Mr. Daniel Phillips, went to Danmore, and concluded to return by way of the wild scenery of Roaring Brook.—When they arrived at the old dam at the head of Nay Aug Falls, Mr. Parry proposed that they have a swim, and quickly divesting himself of his clothing, plunged into the stream and swam rapidly against the current. Mr. Phillips watched him a moment, then proceeded to prepare himself for the bath. Turning again toward his friend he was nowhere to be seen. After calling to him several times and receiving no response the startling fear fixed itself in his mind that Mr. Parry was drowned. He hastened to town and gave the alarm, and Messrs. Jas. Ruthven, E. C. Fuller, and others hastened to the spot and with grappling hooks &c., searched diligently in the water till midnight for the body without avail. The search was renewed at daylight on Tuesday morning, and resulted in finding it in a deep eddy or whirlpool in the stream near where he was last seen. It is supposed that he was seized with a cramp while swimming, and being unable to resist the current, was drawn into this eddy and drowned. Mr. Parry was a man of 32 years, and leaves a wife and one child. His funeral was attended on Thursday by a large cortege of sympathizing mourners.—Scranton Journal.

SPRINGVILLE.—A new depot on the Montrose Railway near the Picnic grounds is among our late improvements. Mr. Minot Riley is making extensive repairs upon his store building. When completed it will be equal to any in Montrose. Death has been in our midst and taken one of our most-esteemed young ladies, Miss Mary Meserole. She was buried on Saturday, June 17th. She has been a very popular teacher in the High School at Tunkhannock for a long time. A large number of her pupils and friends, and also her Sunday school class attended her funeral in a body and paid their tribute of respect by floral decorations of the casket that contained all that remained of their beloved teacher and friend. She was a devoted and earnest member of the Episcopal church and a lady of superior intelligence, and she will ever hold a cherished spot in the memory of all who had her acquaintance. "May she rest in peace."—Miss Jennie Tuttle, a very amiable young lady was buried on Sunday last. Her funeral was attended at the M. E. church of which she was a member. She will be mourned by a large circle of friends.

A. B. C.

INJURIOUS QUALITIES OF SUGAR.—Dr. Cutter, in the Boston Journal of Chemistry, suggests that the free use of candy may be injurious to the eyes, because the injection of sugar under the skin of a frog causes blindness within half an hour. Sugar, he says, is wanting in nutritive qualities, though starch, the basis of sugar, contains them in large quantities. Dogs fed on sugar live forty days and die of ulcers; therefore sugar largely partaken of by humans is likely to produce similar results. Sugar, like any aliment, will, doubtless, when taken in excess be injurious, but we can see no reason for the scare proposed by the doctor. There is a decided difference between crude sugar injected into the blood or tissues, and sugar digested and assimilated. It is said that milk, one of the most harmless of dietary agents, injected as above, will cause speedy death. Are we, therefore, to conclude that milk is unwholesome?

BALED HAY.—An act regulating the sale of baled hay, etc., in this commonwealth.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted, etc., That any person or persons within this commonwealth who shall sell or cause to be sold or exchanged in any manner whatsoever, baled hay, straw, or other material of a like nature by weight and shall include in weight of said baled hay, straw or other substance of a similar nature any concealed or exposed matter for the purpose of increasing the weight, shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars, and imprisonment not exceeding six months, either or both, at the discretion of the court.

APPROVED.—The 8th day of May, 1876.

ABOUT THAT "FREE DINNER."—The Fourth of July committee take this opportunity to correct a misapprehension that seems to have obtained in their minds of some in regard to a "free dinner" which is parenthetically announced on our handbills. Inasmuch as our celebration is not a town, but a county celebration, and therefore as much for the benefit and enjoyment of people living out of Montrose as for those residing in it, it was not designed, and cannot be reasonably expected that the citizens of Montrose would make arrangements to feed the entire multitude that are expected to congregate here on that day. Of course we shall make special provision for the Military and firemen. Very many if not all the delegations who have signified their purpose to be present, fully understand the situation, and will come with well-filled baskets. And here it may be well to correct the impression that the provisions brought are to be put in common stock and thus spread upon the tables. Such is not the design. A committee will be early in attendance on the Fair Grounds to receive and care for all provisions placed in their charge, and to prevent confusion, all baskets should be distinctly labeled. In this way families and neighborhoods can, at the proper time, claim their own, and so have full control of what they bring. The Commissary Committee promise that there shall be an ample supply of tables, an abundance of ice water, and hot water in readiness for those who wish to prepare tea or coffee.

There will be stands upon the grounds for the sale of lemonade, ice cream, etc., which have been placed under the entire control of the Soldiers' Monument Association; and we bespeak for them a liberal patronage, as the entire profits of such sales will go to the Monument Fund. No other stands will be allowed upon the grounds.

Particular attention will be given to the entertainment of the Soldiers' Orphan School. BY ORDER OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

MARRIAGES.

LACEY-MITCHELL.—At Lymanville M. E. parsonage, June 22, by Rev. H. G. Harned. Mr. James E. Lacey, of Laceyville, and Miss Ada A. Mitchell, of Lenox.

LEWIS-BROWN.—In Jackson, May 25, by Rev. C. M. Prescott, Mr. Harrison G. Lewis and Miss Aggie D. Brown, both of Lenox, Pa.

ROBINSON-HALSTED.—In Jackson, June 18, by Rev. C. M. Prescott, Dr. Robinson, of Tunkhannock, Wyoming co., and Lottie M. Halstead, of Lenox.

DEATHS.

TUTTLE.—In Springville, June 16, Miss Jennie E. Tuttle, aged 27 years.

CHASE.—In Great Bend Village, June 10th, Amasa Chase, esq., in the 71st year of his age.

WILLIAMS.—In Gibson, May 22, Lucy S., wife of Elisha Williams, aged 77 years.

LOTT.—In Harford, May 20, of typhoid pneumonia, Solomon T. Lott, in his 67th year.

LEONARD.—In Jackson, May 27th, of malignant scarlet fever, Cinne V., youngest daughter of Edwin A. and Mary L. Leonard, aged 4 yrs., 4 months and 13 days. Also, June 5th, of the same disease, Clatie E., aged 1 year, 6 months, and 27 days.

The Markets.

New York Produce Market.

Reported Every Week Expressly for THE MONTROSE DEMOCRAT by Hayden & Duckworth, Produce Commission Merchants, 215 Washington Street, New York, June 22, 1876.

BUTTER.

Pails, Creamery.....28 @ 30
Pails, Dairy, extra.....27 @ 30
Pails, Dairy, good to fine.....24 @ 26
Pails, Dairy, common.....18 @ 22
State Tubs, selected.....26 @ 27
State Tubs, good to fine.....23 @ 25
State Tubs, common.....17 @ 20
State Firkins, fine.....26 @ 27
Welsh Tubs, selected.....24 @ 25
Welsh Tubs, fine in lots.....22 @ 23
Welsh Tubs, common to good.....16 @ 19
Western Creamery.....25 @ 26
" Tubs, fine, dairy packed.....20 @ 22
" " good.....16 @ 17
" " common.....14 @ 15
" Firkins, fine, good color.....18 @ 20

CHEESE.

State Factory, fancy.....10 1/2 @ 11
" " good to fine.....9 @ 10
" " fair.....7 @ 8
Farm Dairy, fine.....9 @ 10
" fair to good.....8 @ 9
Skim.....3 @ 5

EGGS.

State.....17 @ 17 1/2
Western.....16 @ 16 1/2

DRIED APPLES.

State, quarters.....7 1/2 @ 8
State, sliced.....8 1/2 @ 9

MISCELLANEOUS.

Raspberries, new dried.....25
Beeswax.....32 @ 33

H. BURRITT, Would call attention to his New Stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS! DRY GOODS, LADIES' DRESS GOODS BLACK AND COLORED ALPACAS, NEW STYLE OF PRINTS, SHAWLS, WATER-PROOFS, FLANNELS, BALMORAL, AND HOOP SKIRTS, VELVETS, HOSIERY, HEAVY WOOL GOODS, CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, PAPER HANGINGS, BUFFALO AND LAP ROBES, FURS, HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, HARDWARE, IRON NAILS, STEEL STOVES AND GROceries, ETC. In great variety, and will be sold on the most favorable terms, and lowest prices. H. BURRITT. New Milford, May 1st, 1876.

BILLINGS STROUD, GENERAL FIRE, LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE AGENT, Montrose, Pa. Capital Represented, \$100,000,000! FIRE: Fire Association of Phil., Capital & Assets, \$3,500,000; Insurance Co. of N. A., Phil., 5,000,000; Pennsylvania Fire, Phil., 1,000,000; Ins. Co. of Pa., Phila., 700,000; Lloyds of Manay, Pa., 6,000,000; Lancaster of Lancaster, 400,000; Newton of Newton, 150,000; Home Ins. Co., N. Y., 6,000,000; National, 450,000; Co. Mercantile Fire, 450,000; Fairfield Fire Ins. Co. South, 325,000; Atlas, Newark, Conn., 500,000; Royal Canadian, of Montreal, Canada, 1,200,000; Liverpool, London & Globe, of Liverpool, Eng., 27,000,000; Providence Washington, of Providence, R. I., 200,000; Transatlantic, of N. Y., 270,000; Patterson Fire Ins. Co. Patterson, N. J., 340,000. LIFE: Conn. Mutual Life Ins. Co., Assets \$40,000,000; American Life, Phila., \$5,000,000. ACCIDENT: Travelers Ins. Co., Hart., Capital and Surplus \$3,000,000; Railway Passengers \$500,000. The undersigned has been known in this county for the past 20 years, as an Insurance Agent. Losses sustained by his Companies have always been promptly paid. Office upstairs, in building east from Banking Office of Wm. H. Cooper & Co., Turnpike street. BILLINGS STROUD, Agent. CHARLES H. SMITH, Office Managers. AMOS NICHOLS, S. LANGDON, Solicitor. Montrose, Jan. 5, 1876.

WEBSTER'S NEW PRICE LIST FOR SPRING AND SUMMER OF 1876. Look at the following which speaks for itself. Heavy cottonade pants.....\$ 75
Port wool-mixed pants.....1.50 @ 2.25
Good all wool pants.....3.00 @ 4.00
Imported cassimere pants.....4.75 @ 7.00
French Doeskin pants.....4.75 @ 7.50
Stout workmen's suits.....6.00 @ 10.00
Fancy merino cassimere suits.....7.00 @ 12.00
Merino Silk mixed suits.....8.00 @ 10.00
Harris cassimere suits.....13.00 @ 15.00
Knickerbocker and plaid suits.....10.00 @ 15.00
Black frock coats.....5.50 @ 8.50
Imported black frocks.....9.00 @ 13.00
Fine black cloth vests.....1.75 @ 3.75
White linen vests.....1.00 @ 3.00
Boys Suits with knee pants, 3 to 9 years. Cotton suits.....1.75 @ 3.50
Mixed cassimere suits.....3.50 @ 5.50
All wool cassimere suits.....4.50 @ 7.00
French worsted suits.....7.00 @ 9.50
Boys' suits with long pants, 9 to 15 yrs. Cottonade suits.....\$ 3.00 @ 4.50
Mixed cassimere suits.....4.00 @ 6.00
Fancy plaid suits.....6.00 @ 9.00
French worsted suits.....8.00 @ 12.00
Youths' Suits from age 15 to Men's sizes. Stout everyday suits.....\$ 5.50 @ 9.00
Good cassimere suits.....7.50 @ 11.00
Diagonal coat and vests.....8.00 @ 12.00
Fancy plaid suits.....8.00 @ 15.00
FURNISHING GOODS. Good working shirts.....\$ 1.00 50
Fine white bosom shirts.....1.00
Good denim overalls......25
Good rubber suspenders......25
Gloth lined paper collars per box......50
Good umbrellas......15
Good cotton socks......15
And all other goods in proportion. The above are prices that no other concern has or will offer. They are cash prices and made to bring people from a distance. It will pay a man to drive forty miles to buy a suit of clothes at my store. WEBSTER, The Clothier. April 19, 1876. 62 and 64 Court Street, Binghamton.

Wm. Hayden Has just received an ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF MENS', BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING, At prices to suit the hard times. MENS' SUITS, \$6 TO \$25 BOYS' & YOUTHS' \$5 TO \$10 DRY GOODS, HATS & CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, YANKEE NOTIONS, FANCY GOODS, Cheap for cash. No charges for showing our goods. WM. HAYDEN. New Milford, May 3d, 1876.—4. A NEW STOCK OF Crockery, Just received and for sale by H. J. WEBB. SUPERFINE FLOUR, For sale by H. J. WEBB. ALSO, ALL KINDS OF Groceries, At the store of H. J. WEBB. Fresh Oranges, For sale by H. J. WEBB. Montrose, April 21, 1876.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK Of Montrose. CASH CAPITAL \$100,000, SURPLUS FUND, \$6,000. REMOVED To their new and commodious Bank Building on Public Avenue. Transacts the business of MERCHANTS, FARMERS, And Others. "CORRESPONDENTS." New York, First National Bank; Philadelphia, Philadelphia National Bank. WM. J. TURRELL, President. N. L. LENHEIM, Cashier. Montrose, March 25, 1876.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. C. & A. CORTESY, DRY GOODS, AND MERCHANT TAILORING, AT OUR NEW STORE, No. 21 Court Street. We would respectfully announce to the public that we have removed to our new and spacious store, No. 21 corner of Court and Water streets, and are filling it with a new stock of goods that have just arrived. Our stock of Dress Goods, Shawls, etc., are of the very best Spring patterns and styles and purchased for cash when the market was most depressed. In the line of Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Hair Goods, Ribbons, etc., our stock is unsurpassed. We have also opened a Department of Merchant Tailoring, and have just purchased a large stock of the latest styles in the line of Cloths, Cassimeres, etc., and of the very best quality. We have employed to take charge of this Department, MR. T. D. TAYLOR, long the leading and most successful cutter in this city, and who always guarantees a perfect fit. Mr. Taylor did the re-lecting of the cloths, cassimere, trimmings, etc., and is prepared to alter or to supply anything in our line. We solicit your patronage. C. & A. CORTESY. Binghamton, April 19, 1876.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS. M. A. Lyon, Druggist, MONTROSE, PA. Dealer in all kinds of Pure Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Dye Woods, Dyestuffs, Paints, Oils, Varnishes; Pocket Books, Combs, Jewelry, Perfumery, Toilet Soaps, Brushes, Violins and Violin Strings, Yankee Notions, Fancy Goods. Cigars, Tobacco, Table Cutlery, Fine Solid Silver, Spoons, Plated Spoons, Knives and Forks, Gun Knives, Ammunition, Shoulder Braces, Trusses, Medical Instruments, Dental Materials, Lamps and Lamp Chimneys, Teas, Spices, Baking Powder, Sea Moss, Farine, Gelatine, Tapioca, etc., etc. Daily's Pale Ale for Invalids. Those who wish to buy Paints and Oils, would do well to examine our stock of White Lead, White Zinc and Mixed Colored Paints, before purchasing elsewhere. All kinds of colored paints in cans of from one to five pounds each, on hand. Montrose Feb. 2, 1876.

REMOVED AND ENLARGED. I have removed my GROCERY STORE to the building four doors above the First National Bank, Public Avenue, (formerly occupied by E. F. Stamp,) where I have enlarged my stock of Groceries, Provisions, &c. I invite competition both in quality and price. Please give me a call and be convinced that I can do you good. WILSON J. TURRELL. Montrose, April 26, 1876.—y1.

BINGHAMTON BOOK BINDERY. P. A. HOPKINS & SONS, PROPRIETORS. No. 41 Court Street, 2d Floor, Binghamton, N. Y. ALL STYLES OF BINDING AND BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURING AT REASONABLE PRICES. Binghamton, May 3d, 1876.—9-1n. BOOTS AND SHOES IN JACKSON It is a conceded fact and must be kept before the people, that H. M. Combs beats them all in the manufacture of the above goods. Who is the man of such renown. On whom all other shoe-makers frown. Because he keeps high prices down. H. M. COMBS. P. S. Repairing done neatly. Jackson, Pa., May 24, 1876.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE! Best market price, paid in cash, for CORN, RYE, AND OATS, at the Montrose Steam Mill. D. A. MOON, Superintendent. Montrose, July 14, 1876.—17 SHOE SHOP. I have just opened a shoe shop in Searle's new building, on the corner, up stairs where I am prepared to make all kinds of gentlemen's shoes, boots, and gaiters, of all the latest styles of work, and best material and workmanship. Repairing neatly done. I invite the patches put on. ROBT. GILLILAND. Montrose, May 10, 1876.—ly JOB PRINTING! AT THIS OFFICE, CHEAP.