

Humorous.

SQUARING IT.

A good story has been told of a lispng officer having been victimized by a brother officer...

The party broke up, and all retired. The next morning a number of soldiers were assembled on parade...

"I want to try an ekthepiment thith mornng, and thee how ektheedngly cool Tom Blakeney can be."

Saying this, he walked deliberately into the captain's quarters, where a fire was burning on the hearth...

"Charley, let me out, if you love me!" shouted the captain.

"Thipit on the canister!" shouted he, in return. Not a moment was to be lost...

The shouts which hailed him brought out the whole occupants of the barracks to see what was the matter...

"Why didn't you thipit on it?" inquired the lieutenant. "Because there were no sharpshooters in front to stop a retreat..."

"All I've got to say, then, thih," said the lieutenant, "that you might thafely have done it; for I'll thware there wathn't a thingle grain of powder in it!"

DISCOURAGED.

A little darkey was lately found sitting on the steps of a house crying piteously.

"What's de matter wid you?" asked a colored woman. "De matter's nuff—debbie 'trouble all around de house..."

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"I put salt in my tea for wite sugar wot mudder had to put in parsun Squashes tea wen he cum to see her, and it made me seasick..."

"De dorge he lick't Petes face, and got his moult full of mustard, and he lies under de bed a howlin'..."

"De kitten got her head in de milk pot, and I cut it off to save de pitcher, and den I had to break de pitcher to get de head out, and de way I'll get lick't, if eber mudder cums home, for sotfin de bed a fire, will be a sin."

NONE LIKE HIM.

At the Detroit and Milwaukee depot a lady was about to get aboard the down train...

"Now, while I'm gone you must take up and beat all the carpets and lay them again."

"Of course," he replied. "And polish all the windows, rub off the furniture and repaint the front steps."

"I will, dear." "And you must rake off the yard, make some flower-beds, fix the alley fence and black all the stoves before you pack them away."

"Of course, darling," he smiled. "And you must send me \$20 per week, write to me daily, and the neighbors will watch to see if you are out after eight o'clock in the evening. Now, then, good-bye."

"O! darling, how can I spare you!" he sighed, the engine groaned, and away she went, and as he turned to go out his mental distress was so great that he fell over a trunk, barked his shins and rubbed half the skin off his nose...

One Ohio editor says of a contemporary who had assumed the part of a mummy in a dramatic performance: "He was obliged to put a little animation into himself to come up with the character, and to wear more recent linen; but that was about all. Nature had qualified him to act the part."

A New Jersey street car man wrote to his sweetheart: "I don't care much what I do, you seem to feel stuck up above a horse-car driver; if my hands is large my heart is so, I want yer to understand that it is easy ter cry tears, but at the same time yer hart may be tuffen a bell-strap."

What word is pronounced wrong even by the best scholars?—Wrong.

FURNITURE!

REMOVAL

Old Stand of E. D. ROBINSON RE-OPENED! RE-OPENED! RE-OPENED! AVERY CROUNSE Having moved from his Old Quarters, No. 16 Chenango Street, to 88 Washington St., Binghamton, N. Y.

EXTRA BARGAINS are now offered in CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, Men's and Boys' BOOTS and SHOES, Ladies' Misses', and Children's Fine and Coarse SHOES, DRY GOODS, Notions, Hosiery, Black A'pacas, Cashmères, Serge, Muslins, Sheetings &c.

BUTTRICK'S SUMMER CATALOGUES NOW READY. May 30, 1877. WEEKS, MELHUSH & CO.

BEST JOB PRINTING AT THIS OFFICE. AT THE LOWEST RATES 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., 1,700,000; Ins. Co. of the State of Pennsylvania, Phila. Pa., 700,000; Lycoming of Mauney, 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; Commercial Fire, 450,000; Fairfield Fire Ins. Co. South Norwalk, Conn., 325,000; Atlas, 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., 600,000; Trade Ins. Co. Camden, N. J., 200,000; Patterson Fire Ins. Co. Patterson, N. J., 340,000.

LIFE: Conn. Mut. 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 well 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., Turpike street.

BILLINGS STROUD, Agent. CHARLES H. SMITH, Office Managers. AMOS NICHOLS, S. LANGDON, Solicitor. Montrose, Jan. 5, 1876.

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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 Keeler 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, CARRIAGES & 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 29th, 1875.

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.

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 Grocery, Provision and Hardware line, he has added a very choice assortment of PURE DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, BRUSHES, PER-FUMERY, &c., which he flatters himself he can assure the public they will find to their advantage to examine before purchasing elsewhere.

LIBBIG'S EXTRACT OF BEEF, SH SALMON PICKLED & CANNED CLAMS, LOBSTERS, PEAS, CORN, BEANS, OYSTERS, &c., &c.

in fact, anything and everything that is ordinarily needed, Respectfully soliciting a call, I. N. BULLARD.

Powder! Powder! Powder! Blasting, Rifle and Shot Powder, Shot, Lead, Gun Tubes, Caps, Pouches, Flasks, Fuse, &c., &c., for sale by I. N. BULLARD, Montrose, Sept. 9, 1874—11.

JOB WORK AT THIS OFFICE.



GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP.

THOROUGHLY CURES DISEASES OF THE SKIN, BEAUTIFIES THE COMPLEXION, PREVENTS AND REMEDIES RHEUMATISM AND GOUT, HEAD'S SORES AND ABRASIONS OF THE CUTICLE AND COUNTERACTS CONTAGION.

This Standard External Remedy for Eruptions, Sores and Injuries of the Skin, not only REMOVES FROM THE COMPLEXION ALL BLEMISHES arising from local impurities of the blood and obstruction of the pores, but also those produced by the sun and wind, such as tan and freckles. It renders the CUTICLE MARVELOUSLY CLEAR, SMOOTH and PLIANT, and being a WHOLESOME BEAUTIFIER is far preferable to any cosmetic.

ALL THE REMEDIAL ADVANTAGES OF SULPHUR BATHS are insured by THE USE OF Glenn's Sulphur Soap, which in addition to its purifying effects, remedies and PREVENTS RHEUMATISM AND GOUT.

It also DISINFECTS CLOTHING and LINEN and PREVENTS DISEASES COMMUNICATED BY CONTACT WITH THE PERSON. IT DISSOLVES DANDRUFF, prevents baldness, and retards grayness of the hair. Physicians speak of it in high terms.

Prices—25 and 50 Cents per Cake; per Box (3 Cakes), 60c. and \$1.20. N. B.—The 50 cent cakes are triple the size of those at 25 cents.

"HILL'S HAIR AND WHISKER DYE," Black or Brown, 50 Cents. C. H. CRITTENTON, Prop'r, 7 Sixth St., N. Y.

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W. W. SMITH & SON, Manufacturers and Dealers in all kinds of Furniture!

PARLOR SUITES, CHAMBER SUITES, COSTLY & CHEAP FURNITURE, ALL KINDS OF MATTRESSES, SPRING BOTTOMS, &c., &c.

Furniture Repaired, Bottoms put in Chairs, Upholstering done, Covering Chairs and Lounges, Mattresses done over.

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W. W. SMITH & SON. Montrose, Jan. 10, 1877.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. The undersigned offers upon reasonable terms, a fine farm in AUBURN TOWNSHIP, about 1 1/2 miles from the 4 Corners, containing 150 acres, with good buildings, upon it and all improved. For particulars enquire of LYMAN BLAKESLEE, Foster, Susquehanna County, Pa. W. M. LINABERRY, Auburn 4 Corners, Susquehanna County, Pa. Assignees of Jas. D. Linaberry, Jan. 10, 1877.

TAYLOR'S COUGH SYRUP. All persons suffering from the effects of throat and lung diseases should give Taylor's Cough Syrup or expectorant a trial. It works thoroughly upon the Liver, Kidneys and Lungs, as well as upon the whole system, cleansing the mucous membrane, removing soreness and giving tone and strength to the different organs. It is warranted to give satisfaction.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.—Whereas Letters testamentary to the estate of William Hurly, dec'd. late of Chautauque County, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them without delay. HURLY, Executrix. Montrose, Sept. 29, 1875.

NEW SPRING S-T-O-C-K-I-

O. M. HAWLEY, NEW MILFORD, PA.

Having located in the BRICK STORE formerly occupied by H. & W. T. Dickerman, I would say to my friends and the public generally that I am now receiving direct from New York one of the largest stocks of goods ever offered in this county, (and will be sold at lower prices), consisting of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, WALL-PAPER, READY-MADE CLOTHING, Etc

These goods were bought for cash, with all possible discount off, and are to be sold on the same terms.

SPECIALTY—I have just received a \$4,000.00 SPECIALTY—Bankrupt stock of Clothing, purchased at a nominal price, which SPECIALTY will be sold for about one-half its SPECIALTY—value, (guaranteed to be 25 per cent. lower than the same goods SPECIALTY—can be bought in Binghamton.)

This is not wind, but a fact, and you can be convinced by examining the goods.

MY MOTTO IS READY-PAY-I-AM In looking the matter over I see that the credit system still continues to increase its victims of buyers and sellers, while the ready-pay system is growing in favor. There is no other way for a merchant to sell goods for a small profit than to demand pay when delivered. If there had been no credit system there would be no hard times to complain of. Try it for a year and you will never go backward, but be convinced of its benefit.

I am agent for Mm'e. Demorest's patterns; also, take orders for Hann & Radabaugh's custom shoes. "The price tells and everybody talks the price." [Ap. 18, 77.] O. M. HAWLEY.

AN IMPORTANT LOCAL REFORM! Hereafter LOCAL WILL BE SOLD AT E. P. STAMP'S STORE, in Montrose, for CASH at CASH PRICES. I will keep good goods and make the prices to suit the closest buyers.

FLOUR. I have had seven years experience in buying and selling FLOUR so that I know where to buy and what to buy to suit the customers of this vicinity.

I WILL MAKE A SPECIALTY OF WHITE WHEAT FLOUR, and warrant every barrel and sack to suit or refund the money.

CHEWING TOBACCO! I have recently made arrangements by which I can sell CHEWING TOBACCO by the pound as cheap as you can buy of any wholesale Tobacco House, by the barrel. I also keep Cheewing Tobacco in 10 lb. cadd'gs for which I will make special prices.

SALT. I keep on hand a large quantity of SALT and keep under cover, and will sell it as low as possible for this market. Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Syrup, Soap, Pork, Fish, &c., all at the nimble six pence prices.

I trust I will receive sufficient patronage from cash buyers to make the cash system a success. Respectfully, E. P. STAMP

Opposite the Banking House of Wm. H. Cooper & Co., and the Dry Goods House of Guttenberg, Rosenbaum & Co. Montrose, Oct. 11, 1876.

BUSINESS COLLEGE MONTROSE, PA. THE SUMMER TERM of this institution will commence, Tuesday, May 1, 1877, and continues in session during the summer. ENTER AT ANY TIME. TERMS REASONABLE.

Circulars containing full particulars to be had at the College, or sent by mail. Address E. K. LOSIER, Principal. May 2, 1877.

CORRECTION! Rumor has it that having been elected County Treasurer for the ensuing three years, I am to discontinue my Insurance business. Said RUMOR IS UNTRUE, and without foundation, and while thanking you for kindness, and appreciation of good insurance in the past, I ask a continuance of your patronage, promising that all business entrusted to me shall be promptly attended to. My Companies are all sound and reliable, as all can testify who have met with losses, during the past ten years at my Agency. Read the List!

North British and Mercantile, Capital, \$10,000,000; Queens of London, 2,000,000; Old Franklin, Philadelphia, Assets, 3,500,000; Old Continental, N. Y., nearly 3,000,000; Old Phoenix of Hartford, 2,000,000; Old Hanover, N. Y., 1,000,000; Old Farmers, York, 3,000,000.

I also represent the New York Mutual Life Ins. Co. of over 80 years standing, and assets over \$30,000,000. Also, the Masonic Mutual Benefit Association of Pennsylvania.

Get an Accidental Policy covering all accidents, in the Hartford Accident Ins. Co. Policies written from one day to one year. Only 25 cents for a \$5,000 Policy. Please call or send word, when you take a trip. Very respectfully, HENRY C. TYLER, Montrose, Pa., Jan. 19 1876.—11

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