

The Farm and the Fireside.

SEASONING WOOD.

With how much interest do we content... The leafy forest as it descends from its proud altitudes...

The cutting and seasoning of wood is important, the quality and value arising... improving with the care in its preparation.

Country life's opportunity to cultivate intimacy with children, seems to me a very important as well as agreeable advantage...

Wood cannot be seasoned so it will not expand or contract, for it will always absorb moisture...

No amount of seasoning is proof against these effects. A piece of oak found imbedded in the ground where it has been rested...

Machinery in Farming—Its Absolute Necessity.

It is not enough that farmers avail themselves of all the advantages which chemistry affords in its application to their art...

There is no other way in which agriculture can keep pace in respectability, pleasure, and profit, with the other arts.

By machinery, as we use the word here, we mean all mechanical contrivances which can be substituted for manual labor...

So far as a horse or an ox can be made to do the work of five men, the horse or the ox gains the net produce of five men's labor...

It is not a matter of option with farmers whether they will do this or not. To succeed, they have got to do it, otherwise it is impossible for them to compete with those who do employ machinery.

Extracts from Idyllic Sketches.

Of all playthings for children, there is nothing like a running brook. The childish love of power may be gratified, perhaps, by...

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Susquehanna County Agricultural Society.

ANNUAL FAIR AND CATTLE SHOW. To be held in Montrose, on the second Wednesday of October, A. D. 1884. Ploughing Match, the first day of the Fair.

List of Premiums. DULLS, DURHAM. 1st Best Premium, \$5.00. 2d Best, \$4.00. 3d Best, \$3.00.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

DR. E. SMITH. Surgeon-Dentist, Montrose, Pa., at Seary's Hotel, Mondays and Tuesdays of each week.

F. Reynolds. FASHIONABLE TAILOR, Shop over Hawley & Co's Store, Spring and Summer Fashions for 1884, just received.

Doctors Thayer & Grandall. HAVING associated themselves in the practice of Medicine and Surgery, would respectfully invite all to give them a call...

Henry S. Knapp. MONTROSE, Pa., with Row, Woodruff & Co., Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants, No. 117 Washington Street...

Miller & Fowler. ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, and Solicitors in Chancery. Office No. 44 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill.

Pacific Hotel. GREENWICH STREET, (near Broadway), New York. Salisbury & Co., Proprietors. In the vicinity of the principal steamboat landings.

Thomas Ingram. DEALER IN DRY GOODS, Groceries, Clothing, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, etc., Susquehanna Depot, Pa.

Bentley & Fitch. ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Montrose, Pa. A. & E. Baldwin. MANUFACTURERS OF SADDLES, HARNESS, Trunks, Whips, etc., on Turnpike Street, Montrose, Pa.

A Select Stock of Spring Goods just received and for sale by I. L. POST & CO.

READY MADE CLOTHING. I. L. Post & Co. have just received fall and choice stock of Spring and Summer Clothing...

DOORS AND SHIES—New fine Boots, Clogs, Boots, Ladies fine Gaiters, Boots and Buckles, a full assortment of cheap Shoes, Childrens and Misses Shoes and Boots...

WHITE GOODS—All styles and qualities, bleached and unbleached, Ribbed Cottons, etc. and Cambric, Muslins, Swiss and Book Muslins, Barred, Blue, Blue and Victoria Laines, etc.

SOLE LEATHER, very cheap, at I. L. POST & CO. CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE—a choice lot at low prices...

WANTED. CREAM of all kinds—Beans, Dried Apples, Fat Cattle, Butter, etc. Exchange goods, Eggs, etc. which we will exchange goods of our own...

SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY STOVE AND TIN WARE DEPOT. A. L. WEBSTER & CO. WOULD respectfully inform the people of Susquehanna County and vicinity that they have opened an establishment of the above kind in Montrose...

DEALER IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Dye-stuffs, Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Stoneware, Glassware, Crockery, Watches, Jewelry, Silver Spoons, Spectacles, Musical Instruments, Trusses, Surgical Instruments, Liquors, Yankes, Perfumery, Mirrors, Stationery, Brushes, Shoes, Yankes, Notions, etc.

DEALER IN DRY GOODS, Ready Made Clothing, Furnishings, Surgical and Stationery, etc., Public Avenue, Montrose, Pa.

100,000 OF NEW GOODS! GREAT ATTRACTION! ONE PRICE STORE!

THE largest and cheapest stock of Fancy Goods, Dress Goods and Staple Goods ever brought into Susquehanna County. One hundred cases Dry Goods, comprising...

REMOVAL. THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to call the attention of his friends and the public to his very large assortment of STOVES at his new Store Room in Loders, Pa. He has, in addition to his former large variety of Cooking and Parlor Stoves, many new patterns...

TO THE PUBLIC. My friends, one and all, I would have you to know that I have just received a large stock of...

NEW FIRM IN SPRINGVILLE. THE undersigned having entered into a partnership with the undersigned, to be conducted and carried on under the name and style of McMillan & Clark, respectively...

CHOICE lot of Wool Leno Shaws very cheap by SCOTT, JOHNSTON & CO. Notice to the Public. HAVING just returned from New York I wish to call the attention of my old customers...

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE. 20 VILLAGE LOTS, situated in the pleasant part of the village of Susquehanna, Pa. Also, three houses and lots in the town of Montrose, Pa.

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EAGLE BRANDY.

SAVRE, BENTLEY & PERKINS. We have prepared all orders from the trade, and do work in the best manner. We have also a large stock of all kinds of liquors...

MACHINERY. We have a large stock of all kinds of machinery, including Steam Engines, Gearing for Mills, Single Machine, etc.

FARMS FOR SALE. THE SUBSCRIBER will act as agents for buying and selling Real Estate—Farms, Houses, and Lots—located in Susquehanna County, Pa. or in Broome County, N. Y., and also of other places...

BOOT AND SHOE STORE. WHICH is now filled with a new and extensive assortment of articles in their line, embracing a general variety of new and elegant styles of ladies and gentlemen's wear...

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