

Local and General.

See New Advertisements.

Gold is now selling at \$1.47.

The past week is said to have been one of the best sugar-making seasons we have had for some time.

Rev. Mr. Stevens will be absent next Sabbath, consequently there will be no service in the M. E. Church in the morning, or at Lymanville in the afternoon.

The road between this place and Port Allegany is impassable for teams. By taking the mountains, men on horse-back can get through but it is no pleasant undertaking.

See notice of Bridge Proposal in another column. The time is short in which proposals will be received, therefore it becomes necessary that those who want an opportunity to make money, bestir themselves immediately.

Mr. Harry Lord has purchased the store formerly occupied by Mr. C. H. Simmons, at Oswayo, where he will strive to accommodate all the old customers of that famous store. Give him a call. Success to him.

Military Officers and Soldiers should have Brown's Bronchial Troches, as they can be carried in the pocket, and taken upon the first appearance of a Cold or Cough, which, if neglected may terminate in something worse. As there are imitations, be sure to obtain the genuine Brown's Bronchial Troches, which are sold everywhere at 25 cents a Box.

In consequence of the flood, the Coudersport Oil Company will not be ready to commence operations before the first of May. It is expected however, that there will be a meeting of the stockholders at this place about that time, when operations will be vigorously pushed forward. Those who desire to take stock in a "sure thing" had better "hurry up their cakes."

In order to secure a good and interesting newspaper at home, an obligation rests upon its patrons to a certain extent, as well as upon those immediately concerned in its publication. An exchange lays down these obligations in the following terse maxims, which may be said to cover the whole ground: 1st. Subscribe and pay for it. 2d. Get your neighbors to take it. 3d. Send printing and advertising to the office. 4th. Help to make the paper interesting by sending local items to the editor.

In consequence of the serious damage done to the Railroads by the late flood, the drafted men of this county are furloughed by Capt. Blair until the 14th of the ensuing month. This, we presume, indicates that the roads are not likely to be in repair much before that date. We learn that most of the towns of this county were filled by the last draft, and that there will be supplementary drafts in but very few of the townships.

A letter from Clinton Co., Iowa, written about the first of the month, says:

"We have had a very mild and pleasant winter, but little snow, and very little sleighing. In wintering cattle they are allowed to run to the straw stacks, and with a few ears of corn daily they prosper very well. The ground has been bare most of the winter. The land here produces from 15 to 20 bushels of wheat to the acre, oats 40 to 70; corn, 40 to 50. Improved land sells for \$15 to \$25 per acre; unimproved, \$8 to \$10 per acre. Wheat is worth \$1, corn 50 cents, oats 45 cents."

It will be seen by an advertisement in another column that our old friend, C. H. Simmons, has sold out his interest at Oswayo, and removed to Wellsville, where he has bought out Geo. Asher, of the New York Store and will continue to sell Goods of all kinds, very low, at the New York Store and also at the Empire Store. We wish him success. Our friends at Oswayo, in losing Mr. Simmons have lost an energetic and public spirited citizen. He will sell at Auction, in the New York Store, beginning on Tuesday of the present week, to continue during the week.

In a list of deaths of Soldiers serving in the 55th New York regiment, we find the following Potter county men, with the date on which they died, in Florence prison, S. C.: George Higley, July 25, 1864, Hebron. Peter Rockaford, July 23, " Sharon. Jacob Burbanks, Aug. 21, " " Alena Barnes, " " " " Elisha Gilbert, June 27, " " " " Hiram Pierce, July 12, " " " " Henry Hitchcock, Sept. 30, " " " " Edward Duell, Oct. 15, " " " " C. Johnson, (no date given) " " " " P. C. Maxson is exchanged and arrived at Wilmington, March 2.

We take the following items from the Wellsville Press:

On Saturday a German named Jacob Weber, who undertook to walk a temporary bridge made of ropes, on Plank Road street, made a mis-step and was thrown into the river. He clung to one of the ropes for a few moments, but the current was so swift that he soon swept him to a watery grave. The body has not yet been recovered. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his fate.—Early Saturday morning the Clinton House, near the depot, in this village, which has been vacant for some time, was set on fire in the main entrance, and but for timely interference would have soon been destroyed. There was at the time a stiff breeze toward the Depot and had the hotel burned nothing could have saved the railroad buildings. Damage slight.

Record your Deeds.—The attention of parties holding unrecorded Deeds is directed to the provisions of the Act of Assembly, which requires that—

"All deeds and conveyances for real estate in this Commonwealth, shall be recorded in the office for Recording Deeds in the County where the lands lie, within six months after the execution of such deeds and conveyance, and every such deed and conveyance not so recorded as aforesaid, shall be adjudged FRAUDULENT AND VOID against any subsequent purchaser for a valuable consideration, unless such deeds be recorded before the recording of the deed or conveyance under which such subsequent purchaser or mortgagee shall claim."

New Case Settled—Married Women Interested.—In the late case of Baringer vs. Stover, carried up from Bucks county to the Supreme Court of the State, a new point has been decided as to the rights of married women. Judge Agnew, who rendered the opinion, says: "The question in this case was 'whether a married woman who has no separate estate or known means of payment of her own can re-purchase from a purchaser at sheriff's sale the property which had been sold as her husband's, who continued in debt, by giving a mortgage for the whole purchase money, all of which remains unpaid.'"

Judge Agnew discusses this question at considerable length, cites numerous authorities, and decides in the negative. He says in conclusion: "We adhere to the settled doctrine that it is only when the property acquired after marriage, has been paid for with her own separate estate, clearly and satisfactorily established, it is hers (the wife's), and is protected from her husband's creditors. "To suffer a wife to purchase on credit, is to open a wide door for fraud. Its effect is to throw upon the creditors the burden of proving whose funds afterwards enter into the payment. Forfeiting with title founded on her credit, she must and upon it until the husband's means shall be shown to enter into the purchase. The judgment is affirmed."

American Manufacturers—the American Watch Co.—Our readers, we are sure, are not generally aware of the great impetus that has been given to manufactures since the beginning of the war. The high rates of exchange and the necessities of the army, have made the Eastern hills and valleys resound with the hum of busy machinery, and nowhere has machinery been more or created a greater revolution in production and trade than in the manufacture of the watch. What was once the toilsome, slow and uncertain result of hand labor only, is now the swift demonstration of navigating mechanical forces. The same class of genius that invented the telegraph and the sewing machine invented the delicate and wonderful mechanism that takes hold of the raw material—the brass and steel, and gold, and precious stones, and under competent direction turns out that daily wonder and necessity—a perfect time-keeper. That genius is essentially American, and has been found, collected, assimilated and made productive by the American Watch Co., at Waltham, Mass. Taking the best fruits of several years experiments; they established their factory nearly ten years ago, which they have been compelled to enlarge from year to year until they now employ seven hundred workmen, and turn out a product valued at a million and a half of dollars per annum—or equal to that of all other watches now sold in this country. The secret of this Company's success is that they have done what they promised—that they have furnished a first-rate substantial watch at a moderate price—and this is the great difference between their watches and the ordinary importations from Europe. Except certain very high priced varieties, the European watch is the result of cheap and unskilled hand labor, that never goes well, and in a short time "costs more than it comes to" in repairs. The American Co. give a guarantee for the quality of all their products, that is good with any dealer who sells them.

Whiskers! Whiskers! Do you want Whiskers or Mustaches? Our Grecian compound will force them to grow on the smoothest face or chin, or hair on bald heads, in Six Weeks. Price, \$1.00. Sent by mail anywhere, closely sealed, on receipt of price. Address WARNER & CO., 135 N. 1st St. Box 138, Brooklyn, N. Y.

BRIDGE--NOTICE

It is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received until the 15th day of April next for Building a Bridge across the Allegheny River on Second Street in the Borough of Coudersport, similar to the Bridge at the foot of Main Street in said Borough, except that the carriage-way is to be 16 feet wide, to be one foot higher above high water mark, and to be 70 feet in length. Said proposals to be left with JOHN S. MANN, Burgess, by order of the Council. D. BAKER, Sec'y Coudersport, March 27, 1865.

BUTLER'S FIASCO

At Fort Fisher, was scarcely a greater failure than is daily made by most of the advertised hair dyes; nor was TERRY AND PORTER'S VICTORY more complete, perfect and glorious, than the conquest achieved by Christodoro's Hair Dye.

Over gray, red and sandy heads of hair. The obnoxious hue is wiped out in five minutes, and a magnificent brown or black, glossy and natural, takes its place. Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, No. 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by Druggists. Applied by all Hair-Dressers.

DR. TOBIAS' VENTILIAN LINIMENT.

IT CURES CHOLERA, WHEN FIRST taken, in a few hours; Dysentery in half an hour; Toothache in five minutes. It is perfectly innocuous to take internally, and is recommended by the most eminent physicians in the United States. Price 40 and 80 cents. TOMAS, Pa., August 6, 1859. Dr. S. I. Tobias, New York: Dear Sir—I have used your Ventilian Liniment with great success, both as an internal as well as an external medicine. In cases of Bilious Colic and Cholera Merbus I regard it as a sovereign remedy. Your Ventilian Horse Liniment stands unrivalled as a horse liniment amongst farriers and boatmen on this canal. WM. LEWIS, Sup't North Branch Canal. Sold by all Druggists. Office, No. 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

A SINGLE BOX OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS

contains more vegetable extractive matter than twenty boxes of any pills in the world besides; fifty-five hundred physicians use them in their practice to the exclusion of other purgatives. The first letter of their value is yet scarcely appreciated. When they are better known sudden death and continued sickness will be of the past. Let those who know them speak right out in their favor. It is a duty which will save life. Our race are subject to a redundancy of vitiated bile at this season, and it is dangerous as it is prevalent; but Brandreth's Pills afford an invaluable and efficient protection. By their occasional use we prevent the collection of those impurities, which, when in sufficient quantities, cause so much danger to the body's health. They soon cure liver complaint, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, pain in the head, heart-burn, pain in the breast, sudden faintness and costiveness. Sold by all respectable dealers in medicines. HUNT'S BLOOM OF ROSES.—for the Ladies. STEBBINS'

A FEW REASONS WHY THE AMERICAN WATCH IS THE BEST.

It is made on the best principle, while the foreign watch is generally made on no principle at all. The foreign watch is mostly made by women and boys, by hand. While their labor is cheap, their work is dear at any price. Such watches are made without plan, and sold without guarantee. They are irregular in construction, and quite as irregular in movement. They are designed only to sell, and the buyer is the party most thoroughly sold. Those who have kept "ancres," and "lepinas" and "Swiss levers" in professed repair for a few years will appreciate the truth of our statement.

THE PLAN OF THE AMERICAN WATCH. Instead of being made of several hundred little pieces, screwed together, the body of the American Watch is formed of SOLID PLATES. No jar interferes with the harmony of its working, and no sudden shock can throw its machinery out of gear. In riding or any business pursuit, it is all held together as firmly as a single piece of metal. It is just what all machines should be.

1st. ACCURATE. 2d. SIMPLE. 3d. STRONG. 4th. ECONOMICAL. We not only secure CHEAPNESS by our system, but QUALITY. We do not pretend that our Watch can be bought for less money than the foreign make-believe, but that for its real value it is sold for one-half the price.

OUR SOLDIER'S WATCH (named Wm. Ellery) is what its name indicates—Solid, Substantial, and always Reliable—warranted to stand any amount of Marching, Riding or Fighting.

OUR NEXT HIGHER QUALITY OF WATCH (named P. S. Bartlett) is similar in size and general appearance, but has more jewels, and a more elaborate finish.

OUR LADIES' WATCH, recently brought out, is put up in a great variety of patterns, many of them of rare beauty and workmanship, is quite small, but warranted to keep time.

OUR YOUNG GENTLEMAN'S WATCH is neat, not large, and just the thing for the pocket of Young America.

THE PROOF of the merits of our Watch may be found in the fact that we now employ over seven hundred workmen in our factories, and that we are still unable to supply the constantly increasing demand.

OUR THREE-QUARTER PLATE WATCH is thinner and lighter than the others we have described. Its fine chronometer balance is perfectly adjusted to correct the variation caused by changes of temperature. These watches are the fruits of the latest experiments in chronometry, and are made by our best workmen, in a separate department of our factory. For the finest time-keeping qualities they challenge comparison with the best works of the most famous English and Swiss makers.

ROBBINS & APPLETON, Agents for the American Watch Company, 182 Broadway, N. Y.

SIMMONS' COLUMN.

FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS: I return you my sincere thanks for your liberal patronage, for the past few years, and would say to you that I have located myself at Wellsville, N. Y., and may hereafter be found at the

EMPIRE STORE

AND NEW YORK STORE

(Having bought out the Store formerly occupied by Geo. Asher), I shall continue to

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

in both of the above Stores, and hope to see all of my old friends and customers, as they are in want of Goods, and will try to sell them low enough to pay them for coming.

We are now selling the best PRINTS from 25 to 30 cents.

Extra GINGHAMS from 25 to 30 cents.

Good SHEETINGS from 25 to 30 cents.

TICKS, DEXIMS, STRIPES, and all other Goods in proportion.

CLOTHING.

Good suits for \$10 to \$15 and Extra fine suits in proportion. And as I have an overstock of Clothing I will sell at Wholesale 15 per cent. less than the same can be bought in New York.

BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, & C.

at reduced prices. GROCERIES AND CROCKERY very low. RICH DRESS SILKS, EMPRESS CLOTHS, POPLINS, and all other styles of Ladies' Dress Goods, very low. Hoping to receive an early call, I remain your friend, C. H. SIMMONS. Wellsville, N. Y., March 25, 1865.

CAUTION! TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that JAMES CLARK holds two notes against me: one given to G. V. Perkins of Sixty-four Dollars, more or less, and one given to Hiram Rockwell, of Nineteen Dollars, more or less. I hereby caution all persons against buying said notes as I have paid them, and shall not pay them again unless compelled by law. C. C. LYMAN. Sinnettsburgh, Grove tp., Cam. Co., Pa., March 2, 1865. [44pd]

U. S. 7-30 LOAN. By authority of the Secretary of the Treasury, the undersigned has assumed the General Subscription Agency for the sale of United States Treasury Notes, bearing seven and three tenths per cent, interest, per annum, known as the SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN.

These Notes are issued under date of August 15th, 1864, and are payable three years from that time, in currency, or are convertible at the option of the holder into U. S. 5-20 Six per cent. GOLD-BEARING BONDS.

These bonds are now worth a premium of nine per cent., including gold interest from Nov., which makes the actual profit on the 7-50 loan, at current rates, including interest, about ten per cent, per annum, besides its exemption from State and municipal taxation, which adds from one to three per cent, more, according to the rate levied on other property. The interest is payable semi-annually by coupons attached to each note, which may be cut off and sold to any bank or banker.

The interest amounts to One cent per day on a \$50 note Two cents " " " \$100 " Ten " " " " \$500 " 20 " " " " \$1000 " \$1 " " " " \$5000 "

Notes of all the denominations named will be promptly furnished upon receipt of subscriptions. This is THE ONLY LOAN IN MARKET.

Less than \$200,000,000 remain unsold which will probably be disposed of within the next 60 or 90 days, when the notes will undoubtedly command a premium, as has uniformly been the case on closing the subscriptions to other Loans.

In order that citizens of every town and section of the country may be afforded facilities for taking the loan, the National Banks, State Banks, and private Bankers throughout the country have generally agreed to receive subscriptions at par. Subscribers will select their own agents, in whom they have confidence, and who only are to be responsible for the delivery of the notes for which they receive orders.

JAY COCKE, Subscription Agent, Philadelphia. Subscriptions will be received by the First National Bank of Harrisburg, First National Bank of Lockhaven, First National Bank of Philadelphia, First National Bank of Williamsport.

THE NINTH NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. Capital, \$1,000,000 Paid in; FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES, And Special Agent for Jay Cooke, Subscription Agent.

WILL DELIVER 7-30 NOTES, FREE OF CHARGE, by express, in all parts of the country, and receive in payment Checks on New York, Philadelphia, and Boston, current bills, and all five per cent. interest notes, with interest to date of subscription. Orders sent by mail will be promptly filled.

This Bank receives the accounts of Banks and Bankers on favorable terms; also of individuals keeping New York accounts. J. U. ORVIN, President. J. T. HILL, Cashier.

Marble Yard. THE subscriber desires to inform the citizens of Potter that he can supply them with all kinds of Marble work, as cheap and as good as it can be had any place in the country. MONUMENTS and TOMB-STONES of all kinds furnished on short notice. C. BREUNLE. Coudersport, Feb 13 '65

State Medical Board. Headquarters Pennsylvania Militia, Hospital Department, Harrisburg, Nov'r 10, 1864.

THE State Medical Board of Pennsylvania is now in session in this city, and will continue until further notice, to examine candidates for the post of Medical Officers in Pennsylvania Regiments. The appointment of a number of Assistant Surgeons will be required immediately to fill vacancies now existing, as well as for others constantly occurring. Physicians of Pennsylvania, in good health, furnishing proper testimonials as to moral character, &c., will be admitted to the examination. By order of the Governor: JOSEPH A. PHILLIPS, Surgeon General of Pennsylvania.

French Burr Mill Stones.

Manufactory Liberty St. near the Cotton Factory HARRISBURG, PA.

THE undersigned announces to the trade that he continues to manufacture and import direct from the most celebrated quarries in France, the best qualities of French Burr Mill Stones, which he offers at reasonable rates and guarantees satisfaction to the purchaser. Also, every number in use, of the celebrated OLD AUKER GRAND BOLTING CLOTH. Orders by mail promptly attended to, and goods forwarded by railroad, canal, or express if desired. WM. H. KEPNER. Am 23. No. 10. West State St. Harrisburg.

A BARGAIN! THE MOST DESIRABLE HOTEL IN NORTH-EERN PENNSYLVANIA, TO BE SOLD AT PRIVATE SALE. The Subscriber offers at PRIVATE SALE the House which he has occupied for the last ten years and known as the COUDERSPORT HOTEL.

It is situated at the County Seat of Potter County, Pennsylvania, is capable of accommodating Seventy-Five guests, has running water in several of the rooms on the basement floor, and a BARN ONE HUNDRED feet long. The lot has a front of 130 feet on Main Street and 180 feet on Second Street. All the necessary out-buildings, ice-houses, Sheds, &c., are in good condition.

The attention of persons desiring to purchase a Hotel is called to this property. It has for a long time been considered one of the best paying Hotels in the northern section, it is the centre of a great amount of travel, and has the advantage of a reputation of being "well-kept." A Company with a large Capital Stock will commence boring for Oil in the early Spring with good indications of success. Oil has been taken from the surface of a stream only one square from the Hotel and those best competent to judge seem to have no doubt of there being Oil, not only in the County, but within the limits of the Borough. Of course every one can see what an advantage this will be to all the Hotels in this County, but more decidedly to this one, as it is by far the best in this section.

The undersigned being engaged in another business which requires his whole time finds himself unable to attend to it, and this is the only reason for his selling. For further particulars address D. F. GLASSMIRE, Coudersport, Potter Co., Pa., or Titusville, Crawford Co., Pa. February 22, 1865.

FOR SALE THE Subscriber offers for Sale the following tracts of land, to wit: One tract of One Hundred and Forty-three and seven-tenths acres in Pike township, Potter county, on the Genesee Forks. Price \$1100. Sixty acres are improved, with one log barn, frame kitchen, frame barn, forty good fruit trees, and two hundred sugar-maple trees. The farm will cut grass, in a good season, sufficient, at present prices, to pay for it.

Also, another tract of Fifty-six and two-tenths acres, in Eulalia township, four miles from Coudersport, thirty acres of which are improved, with one frame house, log barn, and some fruit trees thereon. Price \$450.

Also, a Wagon Shop and half lot in the Borough of Coudersport, one lot west of P. A. Stebbins & Co's Store near Glassmire's Hotel. The tools, lumber, &c., can be bought reasonably; or a portion of them, if the purchaser so desires. One half can be paid in Wagon-Work.

A reduction of ten per cent will be made for Cash down. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber at his Wagon-Shop in Coudersport. Feb. 20, 1865. W. R. IVES.

ASTRAY. CAME to the premises of the subscriber in Harrison township, Sept. 20, 1864, one small two year old RED STEER, one yearling RED HEIFER, with no particular remarks. The owner will please come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away or they will be sold according to law. JOHN B. WATROUS. Harrison Valley, Jan. 28, 1864.

Administrator's Notice. WHEREAS Letters of Administration to the Estate of WILLIAM S. JOHNSON, late of the county of Allegany, in the State of New York, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement to WILLIAM F. JONES, Adm'r. Dec. 22, 1864. Wellsville, N. Y.

WAGON SHOP! THE subscriber having located in Lewisville is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, on short notice and in the best manner. Making and Repairing of all kinds. I am enabled by the aid of machinery to do work in the wagon-line better and cheaper than any other establishment in the county. I am also prepared to make COFFINS. EDSON HYDE. Ullyses, Penn'a, Dec. 1, 1864

1865 PHILADELPHIA & ERIE RAILROAD.—This great line traverses the Northern and Northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie. It has been leased by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and under their auspices is being rapidly opened throughout its entire length. It is now in use for Passenger and Freight business from Harrisburg to St. Mary's (216 miles) on the Eastern Division, and from Sheffield to Erie, (78 miles) on the Western Division. TIME OF PASSENGER TRAINS AT EMPOKIUM: Leave Eastward. Through Mail Train 3:40 P. M. Leave Westward. Through Mail Train 10:18 A. M. Cars run through WITHOUT CHANGE both ways between Philadelphia and Lock Haven and between Baltimore and Lock Haven. Elegant Sleeping Cars on Express Trains both ways between Williamsport and Baltimore and Williamsport and Philadelphia. For information respecting Passenger business apply at the S. E. Cor. 12th and Market Streets. And for Freight business of the Company's Agents: S. B. Kingston, Jr., Cor. 15th and Market Sts., Philadelphia. J. W. Reynolds, Erie. J. M. Drill, Agent N. C. R. R. Baltimore. H. H. Houston, Gen'l Freight Agt. Phil'a. Lewis L. Houpp, Gen'l Ticket Agt. Phil'a. Jos. D. Porrs, Gen'l Manager, Williamsport. CASH PAID FOR EGGS. E. E. Spitzer.

New Fall and Winter GOODS.

P. A. STEBBINS & Co. Have just received from New York, a large stock of seasonable Goods which they will sell as low as any house in the County; consisting of

DRESS GOODS, DELAINES, POPLINS, ALPACA'S, MOZANBIG US, PLAID POPLINS, BLACK SILKS, BALMORAL SKIRTS, CLOAKS, CLOAKINGS, CASSIMERES, COATS, SHAWLS, HOODS, NUBIAS, MONT GARD

Full stock of Men's FASHIONABLE CLOTHING Also

BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, &c., &c., &c.

Tea from 75 cts. to \$2 per pound

P. A. STEBBINS & Co. Corner Main and Second Streets, Coudersport, Sept. 21, 1864