MASONIC.

OSSEA LODGE, No. 317, A. Y. M., meets at their Hall, over Dr. Roy's drug store, on Tuesday evening, on or before the Full Moon, at 6 o'clock P. M.

TIOGA CHAPTER, No. 104, R. A. M., meets at the Hall, on Thursday evening, on or before the Full Moon, at 6 o'clock P. M.

TIOGA COUNCIL, No. 31, R. & S. MASTERS, meets at the Hall, on the third Friday of each calendar month, at 6 o'clock P. M.

TRAGAOHTON COMMANDERY, No. 28, of KNIGHTS TEMPLAR, and the appendant orders, meets at the Hall, on the first Friday of each calendar month, at 6 o'clock P. M.

HOME MATTERS.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 25, 1868.

New Advertisements

Let us have Peace—T. L. Baldwin & Co.
Stoves—G. B. Kiff.
In Bankruptcy—Wm. Garretson, Assignee.
Victory—A. B. Eastman.
Dissolution—King & Eastman.
Butter Wanted—C. L. Willcox.
The Farmers' Book—Ziegler, McCurdy & Co.
Cutters and Wagons—H. W. Dartt.
In Divorce—Westlake.
Stray Steers—U. Danks.

U. L. A.—A special meeting of Wellsboro Council U. L. A. will be held at the League Room, Friday evening, Nov. 27, at 7 o'clock. This is a special summons to every member.

SOCIABLE.—The Mansfield Baptist Sociable will meet at the residence of Larman Elliott's on Wednesday evening the 25th inst., and every two weeks thereafter. All are invited to attend.

PERSONAL.—Mr. G. W. Navle, who went to Montana two years ago, has returned to his home and business in this village. He appears to be in capital health and spirits.

CONCERT.—The Baptist Society will give a concert at the Court House on Friday evening, the 27th inst., for the benefit of the Sabbath School connected with that Church. The concert will consist of Vocal and Instrumental Music, Tableaux, Charades and Dialogues. The public are cordially invited to attend.

THANKSGIVING SERMON.—Rev. W. A. Smith, pastor of the Baptist Church will preach in the Presbyterian Church to-morrow, Thursday, at 10½ o'clock, A. M. The service will be participated in by the several denominations.

MAINSBURG.—A free Entertainment in furtherance of the cause of Temperance, will be given in Mainsburg, this, (Wednesday) evening. It will consist of Declamation, Dialogues, Essays, recitations, &c. Let every one go.

FIRE IN BROOKFIELD.—We learn that the shoe store of Wm. R. Seeley, on Troup's Creek, took fire and was consumed, with its contents on the night of the 11th inst. Insured for $1,400.

FIRE IN LIBERTY.—The barn and stables attached to the old Shaffer Tavern Stand Block House, now kept by Gurdon Folter, was destroyed by fire, with hay and grain, on the 29th ult., evening. Insurance $300. Loss $600.

FIRE IN UNION.—Mr. Frank Cure gives the following particulars of the loss of his house by fire, on the 28th ult.:

The family had been absent all day, and on returning, about 11 P. M., discovered the house to be in flames. Nothing was saved except a trunk and one bed. Loss $900. Insured for $750.

A BLOODED "BULL."—The Troy *Gazette* of last week said: "There is a woman in the Schuylkill county almshouse 109 years old.—*She was born in Ireland when quite young.*" The italics are ours. Hooker takes the palm from Sir Boyle Roche.

THANKSGIVING.—That is to-morrow. We congratulate our merchants upon having agreed to close their stores all day, giving due notice thereof. Our rural friends will understand that to-morrow is to be as Sunday in the business world, here in Wellsboro, and save themselves the disappointment which would ensue if they came to town to trade.

THE ROADS.—Travelers by the Cŏwsnesque roads complain of the depth of the mud. Roads over alluvial soil cannot fail to be muddy unless they be turnpiked and graded. By turnpiking and grading the valley roads, they may be kept as good as the hill roads, in all weather, according to the travel.

MANSFIELD.—"Accidental" writes: "Mrs. & Miss Taylor have opened a shop for Dressmaking over Elliott's Shoe Store. Mr. H. B. Taylor is to open rooms for the instruction of pupils in plain and ornamental penmanship.

"The new Orphan School Building was occupied on the 16th inst.

"Mr. G. B. Kiff has purchased the interest of William Kiff in the tin and hardware business, and has a very large stock of stoves of the different patterns, and sells them very low.

"Willhelm has purchased D. L. Shorwood's interest in the mercantile business.

"Dr. Elliott has just returned from New York with such a cargo of Christmas toys and presents, as to suggest the probability of his having made a raid upon several wholesale establishments and "cleaned them out." His books are rare and various."

COVINGTON ITEMS.—"Correspondent," from whom we hope to hear every Friday writes:

"On Wednesday morning Nov. 4, a little son of John Lake, about six years of age, was found drowned in the Tioga River, a short distance below Blossburg. He had been missed since the day before. Search was instituted in all directions, with the above sad result.

"The Covington Band has received an accession in the person of Master Walter Graves, (about seven years of age) as Drummer. He handles the sticks like a veteran. The "Drummer Boys" must look to their laurels.

"Almost a fatal accident occurred on Thursday morning last. As they were engaged in unloading a heavy cask of Soda ash, from the cars, at the Glass Factory in Covington, the platform gave away carrying down with it a brakeman who was severly injured about the face and head.—Several persons who were assisting narrowly escaped.

"On Friday morning near the Rolling mills at Blossburg, two coal trains collided, badly injuring the engineer, Mr. James Green, of the Morris Run train. His engine was thrown crosswise the track, and loaded cars piled upon and against it.

"Messrs. Spring & Graves, have procured an Adams Jobbing Press, and office complete, and propose doing job work."

STATISTICS.—John S. Moury, Esq. Postmaster at Little Marsh, sends us the number of papers and periodicals distributed at that office which, we may mention, is but just established:

Weeklies 54; semi-weeklies 2; monthly 1.—Total 57.

From C. Davenport, Postmaster at Elk Run, we have the following statistics of papers distributed from that point:

Weeklies: Tribunes 15; Agitators 10; Northern Independent 7; Radicals 4; Elmira Gazette 2; N. C. Advocate 3; Rural 2; N. Y. News 1; Independent 1; World 3; Waverly 1; Democrat 1.—Total 50.

Monthlies: Peterson 4; Messenger 5; Child's Paper 8; Ballou 1; The Christian 3; S. S. Advocate, semi-monthly 25.—Total 46.

About 20 campaign papers are taken in addition to these.

We are much obliged to these gentleman for their attention, and will be obliged to others if they will do likewise.

THE ACADEMY.—Mr. Stone's Select School closed last Friday with a partial examination and review. We were unavoidably detained from attending the closing exercises, but our reporter has given us a sketch of the proceedings.

The exercises consisted in declamations, recitations, and music. The declamations were average, though the pupils showed a lack of appreciation of the subjects chosen, in many cases. No especial preparation for the day had been made, which accounts for the failure of many to come up to the work. Several of the recitations were very good, but it is not thought best to particularize.

Mrs. A. B. Eastman presided at the organ in her usual happy manner, and Dr. Webb sang a song with usual acceptability. Short addresses were made by Messrs. Webb, Emery, and Nichols.

Mr. Stone and his excellent assistant, Miss Rouse, are capable of making an excellent school; and we are glad to learn that they have entered into an engagement with the Trustees of the Academy to revive the institution. The term commences Friday, 27th inst. We look for a successful school during the next year; at all events, if our people will rally around Mr. Stone so as to encourage him to put forth his utmost as a teacher of youth, we have substantial reasons for believing that such encouragement will not be lost. Students should begin with the term, and then stick to the school until the term closes.—That is the way to encourage teachers.

THE AMERICAN STOVE.—As the farm and workshop are the foundation stones of human prosperity, so the kitchen and its appurtenances constitute the Alpha of housekeeping. The kitchen stove is an institution by itself. If good, you have smiles, well baked bread, brown buckwheat cakes, and deliciously broiled steaks, as results; but if bad, or indifferent, you have a fretful cook and wretched cookery, and by consequence trouble in the family. The writer hereof cannot speak of the nuisances of a bad stove experimentally; but he can testify that there are two grades of stoves above "good," and further, that the "best," in all humbug and hospitality, is the AMERICAN. Some weeks ago we had one put up in our kitchen; have tried it in every particular, and unhesitatingly pronounce it the perfection of Stoves, considered as a convenience, in the light of economy, and as a cooking apparatus. By an ingenious arrangement you can have warm water from December till December, without extra fire or trouble. You let your fire go down at 7 P. M. and you have plenty of warm water at 6 next morning. Or you can put in a sizable stick of wood at nine, evening, and shutting off the draft, find a nice bed of coals at six, morning. "The American" is an air-tight cook-stove, perfected to a degree we never dreamed of. The ashes are shaken down into a box, which box renders a shovel useless. Attached is a tin contrivance in which your dinner may be kept just warm enough for half a day, yet not dry up or burn. As a baker it equals the brick oven; and as for wood, it saves 33⅓ per cent as compared with any stove we have tried.

Now, good people, this puff is not paid, or to be paid, for. Our stove is paid for as you must pay for yours, if you buy one, at market prices. So do not say that this is a "boughton" recommend. It is not; but offered as we urge people to behave well, for the good of the public as much as for the good of the inventor.

GOSSIP.—The inventor of the "Grecian Bend," whatever that may be, deserves an immortality of infamy. He, or she, as the case may be, increases by one the list of mortals who are competing with the Almighty in getting up a suitable form for woman. The Grecian Bend is the most hideous travesty of physical grace yet concocted. Not that we undertake to describe it. Not at all; some things baffle description, and that is one. What the deuce is the reason the fashionmongers cannot let woman's form alone? It is just about as near perfect as anything, just as the Lord fashioned it. There was an era of "stays," which in Elizabeth's time converted the upper half of a woman into a shield, destroying the grace and beauty of the shoulders and chest. Within the memory of not very ancient people there was a "bustle," which made a great stir in its day, and converted the women who wore it into a cross between the camel and the buffalo. Nobody seemed to consider that if nature had decreed a bump above the hips necessary or ornamental she would have furnished a bustle of good, honest, bone and muscle. It was, clearly, flying in the face of a beneficent Creator to wear bags of bran or cotton, not for comfort, and not from necessity; but for appearance sake. Well—when the "bustle" disappeared everybody felt relieved—even the women; and everybody hoped the farewell was "forever." But here sure as fate, comes the old humbug again, this time with a new name—THE GRECIAN BEND! A clear case of "Monsieur Touson come again!" In the name of all that is sensible we protest and object. You had the chignon, and that was a libel on Creative Wisdom. It was a stupid humbug, a disfigurement, a disgrace to the brains in the pates it disfigured. It was dirty and demoralizing. Can't we men compromise with you women and substitute this horrible top-dressing for the threatened "Bend"? Two years more of the top-knot will not kill us, being a little accustomed to seeing it.

Better fifty years of Chignon
Than a day of Grecian Bend!

Only the other day we looked into Demorest's magazine, *a la mode*, you know, and what should we find but a cold-blooded defence of tight-lacing! Now, who would have thought it of Madame Demorest, who is a pretty sensible woman, for a fashioner! She puts it on the score of the beauty of small waists. Humbug! If a man wants a small waisted woman let him marry a little and lithe one, to whom Nature furnished a small waist and no thanks to the corset maker. If it be the waist, and not the woman which attracts, there are lots of little waists to be had when the right fellow pops the question. However, lest Madame Demorest may deceive some, we hasten to assure the girls that wasp-like waists never attract men of sound sense. A good, liberal waist, promises a liberal allowance of health and vigor—two things essential in a partner for life. Taper waisted women dance well, flirt well, like to marry well, are usually ailing, dyspeptic, and die early. We now allude to artificial waists; for there are sylphs in nature as well as in poetry. If the corset-makers had but one jugular, *and it could be severed by a blow, we would* almost take the risk of striking the blow, and the chances of hanging for it. Don't you believe a word of Madame Demorest's plea for tight-lacing girls. No sensible man will marry an artificial waist, in this day of light, unless there be money in it, or something equivalent thereto. Natural waists, no meat or wool sacks, no cast iron corsets, no Grecian Bends, or any other bend, save the line of Beauty, as the Creator intended it should be, and fresh from His hand. Let that be your motto, and there will not be an old maid, save from choice, in the land ten years hence.

Possibly a young man, by a stretch of courtesy, may be said to be privileged to do as he pleases with his own time. He cannot claim, however, to have any right to do what he pleases with the time of others. More especially do we protest against any young man's consuming the time which the proprietors of this journal pay for in cash every Saturday night. It is not because we begrudge social enjoyment to young men. The work of a newspaper *must be done*, and in time, or a loss falls upon the owners. No young workman can set type well with a boy at his ear talking anything but business. The proprietors of this paper pay for the time of their employees, and that time is as much our property as the types and presses which do the work. It is very unpleasant to write thus, but the abuses of good nature so accumulate of late that we have no other remedy. Don't steal our time.

A CARD.

We the undersigned agree to close our Stores on Thursday Nov. 26, 1868, Thanksgiving Day:

DeLano & Co., C. B. Kelloy, J. R. Bowen, W. T. Mathers, Bullard & Co., James M. Bunnel, Tolos & Barker, C. L. Wilcox, Wilson & Van Valkinburg, Wm. Roberts, C. Stevens, E. R. Kimball, Thos. Harden, J. C. Wheeler, E. H. Hastings, C. G. Van Valkinburg Bros., George Hastings, Sears & Derby, Young & Foley, D. P. Roberts, L. A. Gardner, M. B. Prince, Converse & Osgood.

THE BOOK STORE.—Hugh Young has just returned from Philadelphia and New York, where he has purchased a stock of Books, and Fancy Articles, for the holidays—described in an advertisement a column long which we cannot possibly publish this week.

THE RAILROAD.—In view of the prospects and promise of a Railroad to this place at an early day, I have opened and laid out streets, on and through the Morris Farm—the most desirable in the central part of the village, which I will sell at private or public sale, in lots of any size to suit customers. F. D. BUNNEL.

BAPTIST QUARTERLY MEETING.—The Tioga county Baptist Association held its First Quarterly session at Mansfield, Nov. 18, inst. Rev. C. A. Stone was chosen Moderator, and P. C. VanGelder, Sec'y.

The Moderator preached the opening Sermon, from Isaiah 53: 11. The time from 2 to 4 P. M., was occupied in reading and discussing essays; after which the children of the Sunday Schools were addressed, the exercises lasting until 5 o'clock, *when the meeting took a recess for half an* hour.

The Meeting convened at 6½ o'clock, devoting the next half hour to conference and prayer. Rev. W. A. Smith preached from Isaiah 28: 20 *in the evening; after which the Meeting ad*journed to Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Pursuant to adjournment the Meeting convened, Thursday morning and was occupied until 9½ A. M., in conference and prayer.

Rev. N. I. Reynolds offered a resolution that the churches in the Association be requested to furnish a list of their respective memberships at the next Quarterly Meeting in February. Carried.

Applications for aid in building were received from Bloss, East Charleston and Wellsboro Churches. The applications were laid over until next Quarterly Meeting. Messrs. Bentley, Reynolds and Friends were added to the Building Fund Committee. Messrs. Butts and Mitchell were appointed to secure a charter for the Association.

Delegates were present from Bailey Creek, Charleston, Cherry Flatts, Covington, Delmar, Mansfield, Middlebury, Sullivan, Tioga, East Charleston, Blossburg, and Wellsboro, Churches.

The collection for the Education Society amounted to $10.70. The closing sermon was by Rev. A. B. Chase, from John 14: 27.

After a vote of thanks to the Mansfield Church and choir for their kindness and hospitality, the Association adjourned to meet at Blossburg in February.

Good Templars' Convention.

The Good Templars of Tioga county held their quarterly Convention at Tioga, Nov. 4, inst.—The several Lodges were generally represented, and the interest manifested was unusual. The Convention adopted a Constitution and By-Laws, and fixed upon Lawrenceville as its next place of meeting, and the time, Feb. 23, 1869. On that occasion there will be an election for officers for one year.

O. W. C. T., S. B. CHASE, of this State, arrived too late for participation in the exercises. He delivered an able address in the M. E. Church in the evening, however, and gave great satisfaction. He is an earnest and effective advocate of temperance, and is devoting his whole time to the work of temperance reform.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted as the sense of the Convention:

Whereas, The time has come when the Good Templars of Tioga Co. should make known to the public what they think for the best interests of humanity.

Therefore, Resolved that we ask nothing more, nor will we accept anything less, than that the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, shall by statute be made a crime, and suitable laws made to punish the criminals.

That we as Good Templars will faithfully labor to educate the people to that standard, that we will support no man for any office that will not pledge himself to these measures. To all of which we pledge our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor.

That a notice of our convention and Resolutions be sent to the county papers, and the Keystone *Good Templar* for publication.

O. V. ELLIOTT, W. C. T.
JOHN C. HORTON, W. S.

Statement of Claims, so far as they have been presented to the Auditors, against the Boro' of Wellsborough, for account of the Poor; which claims, under the Act providing for the county Poor House, become debts against the Borough, to be paid in the usual way:

Wright & Bailey, judgt. in Com. Pleas,	$39,18	
do do do	88,91	$128,04
Int. on said judgments from Jan. 25, 1866.		
D. K. Coolidge, board of W. O. Thompson,		155,68
Dr. Bacon, professional services		10,00
Sundry persons for goods &c. furnished	$79,94	
Robert Kelsey and W. T. Bliss for wood,	13,00	92,94
Dr. Webb, prof. service, case Bohanon,	$103,75	
Dr. Packer, do do do	28,00	
Dr. Bacon, do do do	12,00	
Webb & Hastings, medicines do do	14,00	152,75
Clerk hire, advertising, and Auditors' fees		27,50
Advance from Borough funds to account of the Overseers of the Poor,		131,60
Total amount as far as reported,		$698,41

To pay a portion of the above debt the Burgess and Council have levied a tax of ½ of 1mo.—being the full sum which the law permits for this year. This tax is subject to an abatement of 5 ℅, if paid to the Receiver on the *days advertised by him for that purpose.*

A MUSICAL CONVENTION—Under the conduct of Prof. Johnson, President of the Allegany Academy of Music, will be held at Tioga, Pa., commencing Tuesday evening, Dec. 1, proximo, continuing four days, and closing on Saturday evening with a Concert. The Allegany Collection of Music, by Prof. Johnson, will be used. A full attendance at the opening session is earnestly desired. Board can be had at reasonable rates. Admission to the course $1, concert included; Concert, 25 cents. By order of Committee: H. E. Smith, Dr. W. W. Webb, G. F. Huleslander, T. A. Wickham, H. H. Borden.

Local Business.

AUCTION!—The undersigned will sell at Public Auction, on the public square in Wellsboro, on Tuesday, Dec. 1, at 10 A. M., the following described property: One Sallion, 5 years old, known as Noro, thoroughbred Star. He has trotted his mile in 2.50, and is kind, and broke for use double and single. Style and beauty cannot be beat. One Stallion, 6 years old, blood bay, Dam, Elsler; sire, Jupiter. One Yearling Mare colt, bay; sire Jupiter. One Brood Mare, Fanny Elsler; blood Abdallah. Has; trotted a mile in 2.32, and matched Flora Temple three times. One pair Farm or carriage horses, weight 2400 lbs; 16 hands high, good travelers, double or single. Three bulls, one 2-year old Devon; one 2-year old Durham, and one bull calf; all full blooded. One boar and sow, Chester White. One sett team harness; one sett road harness; one sett fancy plated; one single harness, extra; three buggies, one common, one extra, and one skeleton. Two setts of bobs; one lumber, with brakes; one fancy with box and seats. The property will be sold without reserve, and can be seen by calling at the Morris Farm in Wellsboro, until the time of sale.

Wellsboro, Nov. 23, 1868. F. D. BUNNEL, Auctioneer.

SEWING MACHINES.

E. HOWE, Jr., first Premium Sewing Machine for sale in Wellsboro, by A. FOLEY.
Oct. 28, 1868–2t.

MARRIAGES.

WARREN—MORRIS.—At the house of the Justice Sept. 29, by N. E. Hastings, Esq., Mr. Solon Warren, and Mrs. Katherine J. Morris, all of Charleston.

ALLEN—BURNETT.—At the same place, Nov. 8, by the same, Mr. David Allen, and Miss Katherine Burnett, all of Charleston.

RICE—SPENCER.—At the same place, Nov. 8, 1868, by the same, Mr. Chauncey Rice, of Chatham, and Miss Maranda Spencer, of Owego, N. Y.

DICKINSON—KINNEX.—In Farmington, Nov. 15, by the Rev. C. Beebe, Mr. G. W. Dickinson, and Elmira Kinney, both of Middlebury.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Wilcox & Gibbs Sewing Machine.

"Its seam is stronger and less liable to rip in use or wear than the Lock-Stitch."—*"Judges' Report," at the "Grand Trial."* Send for the "Report," and samples of Work, containing *both* kinds of stitches, on the same piece of goods.

GEO. C. BOWEN, AGENT,
Apr. 29, '68–1y. for Tioga Co. Knoxville, Pa.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER.

RENEWS THE HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR WHEN GRAY.
Renews the nutritive matter which nourishes the hair.
Renews the Growth of the Hair when Bald.
Renews the brash, wiry hair to silken softness.
BEAUTIFUL HAIR DRESSING,
One Bottle shows its effects.
R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H. Proprietors,
For sale by all Druggists. Nov. 25, 1868.

Tinners Wanted.

TWO GOOD MEN will find steady work and good wages by applying at once to S. N. ASPINWALL
Towanda, Pa., Nov. 18, 1868–3w.

VICTORY

IS gained over the Tooth-ache and the pain of Extracting, by the use of

NITROUS OXIDE GAS;

so proved by scores of testimonials at the Dental Office of

A. B. EASTMAN.
☞ Call and be convinced. Nov. 25.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Let Us Have PEACE!

IF you want to see a good stock of

FALL & WINTER GOODS!

go to

T. L. BALDWIN & CO'S

TIOGA, PA.

If you want

LADIES DRESS GOODS

such as

ALPACAS, POPLINS, CAMBRICKS, FRENCH JACONETS, ORGANDIES, PEQUAS, VERSAILES, BLACK AND COLORED SILKS, &c., &c.

ALSO, IRISH AND FRENCH POPLINS, SHAWL AND CLOAK DEPARTMENT COMPLETE,

TRIMMINGS, LOTS YANKEE NOTIONS, HOOP SKIRTS, BALMOREL SKIRTS, OPERA FLANNELS, CORSETS, DOMESTICS.

A fresh lot of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Cloths and Cassimeres and a Tailor to Cut and Fit.

Boots and Shoes,

HATS AND CAPS, STRAW GOODS, CROCKERY, WOODEN WARE, HARD WARE, SHELF HARD WARE, NAILS, IRON.

SALT, LIME, PLASTER, PORK, FLOUR *Lime, Cayuga Plaster, &c.*

GROCERIES,

the most complete stock you can find, such as TEAS. We are old tea drinkers and know them to be good.

SUGARS, MOLASSES,

and in fact everything in the Grocery line.

Also, Butter Tubs and Pails; Butter sold on commission—no charges for handling; but would like a small portion of the money you get in return, that is if our prices suit.

FARMERS TOOLS,

All kinds and superior quality.

If you want good T don't fail to try ours.—We warrant it.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

taken in exchange for Goods. We propose to sell our Goods reasonably. "Live and let Live" prices given at the counter—only one price. Cash paid for produce if desired.

T. L. BALDWIN & CO.
Tioga, Pa., Nov. 25, 1868.

Cutters and Wagons,

OF all kinds, made of the best materials, can be had at H. W. Dartt's shop, on Main Street, near the Academy.

Also—particular attention paid to Blacksmithing of all kinds. H. W. DARTT.
Wellsboro, Nov. 25, 1868–3m.

Estray.

CAME to the enclosure of the subscriber, about a week ago, 2 YEARLING STEERS, one a dark Brown, the other a dark red. The owner is requested to pay charges and take them away. URI DANKS.
Delmar, Nov. 25, 1868–3w*.

In Bankruptcy.

IN the District Court of U. S. Western Dist. of Penna, in the matter of IRA BAKER, Bankrupt. To whom it may Concern:

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Ira Baker, of Tioga, in the county of Tioga, Pa., within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District.

WILLIAM GARRETSON,
Nov. 17, 1868–3t. Assignee.

Dissolution.

KING & EASTMAN, Photographers, dissolved partnership by mutual consent on the 17th inst. H. C. KING,
Nov. 25, 1868. EUGENE EASTMAN.

The business will be continued by the undersigned, who will settle all accounts of the late firm. H. C. KING.

20,000 Pounds of Good Butter wanted for which I will pay 45 cents in trade at my Store. C. L. WILLCOX.
Wellsboro, Nov. 23, 1868.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF STOVES

IN Tioga County, and the Cheapest place to buy in the world.

Agent for L. BOLLES & CO'S HOSE, Binghamton, N. Y., and

ELMIRA SAW FACTORY, Elmira, N. Y.

STOVES SOLD ON TIME.

Mansfield, Nov. 25, 1868–1y. G. B. KIFF.

JAMES M. BUNNEL

JUST returned from the City with a new and first-class lot of

GROCERIES,

and

YANKEE NOTIONS.

FRESH COUNT OYSTERS,

always on hand.

Will keep constantly on hand everything in the line of Family Groceries, as well as Provisions, Fruits, Confectionery, Yankee Notions, Toys, &c. All of which will be sold at reasonable prices.

JAMES BUNNEL.
Nov. 11, 1868–1y.

New Arrival!

MRS. E. R. KIMBALL has just returned from the city with a larger and finer stock of

MILLINERY GOODS,

than she ever offered for the Fall and Winter trade before. Customers are requested to call at her new shop, one door above the Presbyterian Church, Main street, Wellsboro, and examine for themselves.
Oct. 21, 1868—2m.

Dissolution.

COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of Wilcox & Dartt, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 2d day of Nov. 1868. J. P. WILCOX.
Wellsboro, Nov. 18–3w* H. W. DARTT.

REGULATOR STORE!

COBNING, N. Y.

HAVING purchased the entire stock formerly owned by H. Goff, we would announce to the people of Tioga County that we have just received a full assortment of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

bought since the recent decline in prices, and we invite all who appreciate good bargains, to give us a call. We shall continually keep a full stock of

DRESS GOODS,

DE LAINES & PRINTS,

SILK GOODS, WHITE GOODS,

WOOLEN AND PAISLEY SHAWLS, YANKEE NOTIONS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

GROCERIES,

CROCKERY, &c., &c.

You have only to look through our stock to satisfy yourselves, that we are selling

"Cheaper than the Cheapest."

Country Merchants supplied at small advance from New York Cost.

NEWELL & OWEN.
Corning, Oct. 29, 1868.—1y.

The Battle has been Fought AND VICTORY WON.

GOODS high in quality and low in price have carried the day, and hereafter will be found ready and willing for active and efficient service in behalf of all those who will call and give their orders at

WICKHAM & FARR'S,

TIOGA, PA.

On the Dry Goods side we have a full and complete and assortment of Fall and Winter

GOODS,

Good stock of

Flannels, Sheetings, Prints, Muslins, Delaines and Dress Goods,

with a great variety of YANKEE NOTIONS, with which to fill in and trim up. We would call special attention to our assortment of

Hats and Caps,

with prices which we know will compare favorably with prices of the same goods before the war.

Boots and Shoes,

which have been made to order from perfect stock with warranted. Work ready to be shown and fitted to all customers. The Grocery stock includes,

Flour, Pork, Fish, Salt, Sugars, Teas, Coffee, Rice, Syrup, Molasses, &c., &c.,

Then comes the WOODEN WARE, such as Tubs, Pails, Wash Boards, Mop Sticks, Sugar Boxes and Pails, together with numerous other Goods, such as Crockery, Glass-ware, Stone-ware, &c., which we will always be glad to show and risk the selling after the goods are seen and examined.

WICKHAM & FARR.
Tioga, Oct. 16, 1868.

Great Bargains

For all who call at

Wilson & Van Valkenburg's

No. 2 Union Block. in

French Merinoes, Empress Cloths, Beaver Sackings of all discriptions, Poplins of all colors.

DELAINES & PRINTS, ALL STYLES,

FACTORY'S, SHEETINGS, BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED MUSLINS. HOOP SKIRTS,

of every description, DRESS TRIMMINGS and BUTTONS of all kinds; also the largest and cheapest assortment of

READY MADE CLOTHING

ever brought into Tioga County. Remember the place, and call before purchasing.

We have a large assortment of Gents' Furnishing Goods, consisting of

Drawers, Under-Shirts, Flannel Shirts, Buck Sleeves, and Mittens, and Clothing of every description manufactured to suit.

Thankful for past patronage, and by strict attention to business we hope to share a continuance of the same.

WILSON & VAN VALKENBURG.
Wellsboro, Oct. 12, 1868–tf.

FLOUR & MEAL, always on hand at
June 17, 1868. JAMES M. BUNNELL.

Fall & Winter Goods

IN CORNING.

WE have received a very LARGE STOCK of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS

on the most favorable terms, and will be sold at very small advance from cost. We think we hazard nothing in saying that we keep the

BEST ASSORTMENT

and the BEST QUALITY of Goods that are kept in the place. Have a store light enough to see what you are buying, and pledge ourselves to quality considered, as at any other establishment. We continue to make our

CLOTH TRADE

one of our specialties, and when desired

MAKE THEM TO ORDER

on short notice and in the best manner. We have added to our stock a good assortment of

CARPETS,

consisting of

BRUSSELS, THREE-PLY. INGRAIN, COTTON WARP, HEMP, AND STAIR CARPETS.

FLOOR OIL CLOTH

and MATTING, and can sell them

HOW VERY LOW.

We are the agents for the

GREAT U. S. TEA COMPANY,

and sell TEA at New York prices by the single pound. All visiting Corning, are invited to call and examine stock and prices.

SMITH & WAITE.
Corning, Oct. 1, 1868.

STOVES, STOVES, STOVES.

WILLIAM ROBERTS,

Agent for all first-class Stoves.

Main Street, Wellsboro, Penn'a.

HAVING been appointed agent for all first class Stoves manufactured by Shear, Packard & Co., of Albany, N. Y. I am now ready to furnish the following named celebrated Stoves:

COOKING STOVES,

AMERICAN, HOME COMPANION, | NATIONAL, MONITOR.

THE BENEFACTOR,

the latter of which is the best stove for common use over in market; being cheap, well made, and convenient. I have also, a variety of

ELEVATED OVENS, PARLOR STOVES,

CAST IRON, various patterns, SHEET IRON, Self Regulators.

ALSO—Stoves suitable for burning hard or soft coal, will be furnished to order. Customers will do well to examine my stock, which is as full and well selected as any in Northern Pennsylvania. I have also put in a full stock of

Hardware

of all sorts. Thankful for liberal patronage in the past, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

Sept. 16, 1868. WM. ROBERTS.

For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale the following described property, situated in Mainsburg, Tioga Co., Pa, one House and Lot—the House is 2½ Stories well finished off, a good cellar; also a splendid well of water, on the stoop. The lot contains 2 acres of the best of gardening land, plenty of apples and other fruit trees thereon—a good barn, and everything pertaining to the said House and Lot in good order. The above described House and Lot I will sell at a low figure, such as defies competition. Apply to

WM. H. RUMSEY.
Mainsburg Tioga Co., Pa.
May 27, 1868–6m*

Coal for Sale.

COARSE BITUMINOUS COAL for Sale Cheap, by
Sept. 28, 1867. D. P. ROBERTS.

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

BARRELS, FIRKINS, CHURNS, BUTTER TUBS, &c.,

Kept constantly on hand, and furnished to order, by

W. T. MATHERS,

at his new store, 2d door above Roy's Building, Wellsboro. (June 10, 1868.)

Attention Farmers!

MANLY'S ALL-HEALING SALVE, for galls, contracted Hoofs, old sores on Horses, Hoof-Bound Horses—the best Salve in existence—for sale only by

P. R. WILLIAMS & CO.
Wellsboro, Aug. 19, 1868.

TO FARMERS!

ELK RUN PLASTER.—We hereby certify that we have used the Plaster manufactured by Champney & Bernauer, at their works on Elk Run, in Gaines township, and we believe it to be equal if not superior to the Cayuga Plaster.

David Smith	S M Conable	A P Cone
M H Cobb	H E Simmons	J Bernauer
G W Barker	Asa Smith	E Strait
S B Davis	Albert King	John C Miller
J H Watrous	W H Watrous	L L Marsh
R M Smith	O A Smith	H M Foote
J D Strait.	P C Van Gelder	J J Smith
Jared Davis	J F Zimmerman	O L King
L L Smith.		

N. B.—Plaster always on hand at the Mill.—Price $5 per ton. Nov. 4, 1868.

CARD PRINTING—at New York prices, in Colors or plain, and cut to suit orders, at THE AGITATOR OFFICE.

"BEE-HIVE EXCHANGE!"

I sing, I sing of a curious thing,
Almost as strange as Boggs upon Tyng;
I've swung 'round a circle as round as a ring,
And while on the down east part of my swing,
I stopped at the city and took on the Spring

STYLES OF GROCERIES

The fashions for

SUGARS ARE LOW IN THE NECK,

And more astonishing still,

Molasses & Syrups

have a freer run downward, with a funnel-shaped trail.

Mackerel,

however, are out from the neck downward, and the style is blue and silver with stripes.

TEA——TEA——TEA——TEA!

will be prepared from a drawing furnished to every customer who buys a pound. Of the styles to suit complexions, &c., I may mention that

Black Tea

you can have if you long for it. I cannot get time to look up all the hard words which the

GREAT AMERICAN TEA COMPANY

use to startle the innocent people about the country; but you can depend upon finding the very best of Teas at the

BEE-HIVE EXCHANGE?

As to

Coffee,

the styles are various. You can have the latest styles from the following fashionable foreign ports, to wit:

MOCHA, JAVA, RIO, LAGUYRA JAMAICA, &C.

In the matter of

PROVISIONS!

Flour still wears hoops over all, and dispenses with trails as unprofitable. I have all grades eatable. Also,

PORK, DRIED BEEF AND HAMS,

together with a full assortment of light groceries and canned delicacies. As ever

MATHERS

Pays Cash or Trade, for all MARKETABLE PRODUCE.

CALL AT MATHERS'S.

Wellsboro, Apr. 1, '68. W. T. MATHERS.

The Tioga Hardware Store is heavily stocked with Hardware, of the best kinds; also the most approved assortment of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,

of all kinds. Every Tool or Machine warranted to give satisfaction or money refunded.

KIRBY King of PLOWS.

This Plow is the "Farmers Favorite," and only needs a trial to be appreciated.

GRAIN DRILL, best in use; ROCHESTER HORSE HOE, Champion of the World.

J. SCHIFFELIN, Jr.

Tioga, June 24, 1868.

NEW WINTER GOODS.

TOLES & BARKER,

(NO. 5, UNION BLOCK.)

WOULD say to their friends and the public generally, that they are now receiving a splendid assortment of Winter

DRY GOODS,

such as

SHEETINGS, SHIRTINGS, PRINTS, CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, READY MADE CLOTHING, HATS & CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

also a large and well selected stock of

CROCKERY, HARDWARE, WOODEN WARE, STONE WARE, KEROSENE OIL, PAINTS & OILS, SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES, SYRUPS, MOLASSES, ETC., ETC., ETC.

We are able to offer our customers the benefit of the

LAST DECLINE OF PRICES

in the New York Market, our Stock having been purchased since the great decline in Goods.

TOLES & BARKER.
Wellsboro, Nov. 18, 1868.

CASH PAID FOR WOOL, BUTTER AND CHEESE, by C. L. WILLCOX.
June 17, 1868.

A. W. AYERS

Marble Shop,

IS the only place this side of New York City where you will find constantly on hand, a good assortment of

GRANITE MONUMENTS,

cut at the celebrated Quincy and Concord Quarries, shipped direct to his order; also a fine assortment of Marble and Slate Mantles, Coal Grates, Marble Shelves, Brackets, &c., as cheap as can be bought in the State. All orders will receive my personal attention. Shop and warerooms on water street, a few doors below Ayers Jewelry Store, Elmira, N. N.

July 29, 1868–6m. A. W. AYERS.

Farm for Sale Cheap.

SITUATE on the Coy Hollow road in Covington township, one and a half miles from Cherry Flatts. 100 acres—10 improved, 90 timbered with chesnut and ash, &c., known as part of the Zimmer's tract. Title good. For terms inquire of D. WETSEL,
Oct. 21, 1868—6w. Morris Run, Pa.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary having been granted to the undersigned upon the estate of Cornelius Hallinan, late of Union twp., deceased, all persons indebted to or claiming against said estate, must settle with PATRICK HALLINAN,
Union, Oct. 21—6t* Ex'r.

Farm for Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale on reasonable terms, a valuable farm, situated in Chatham Township, Tioga County Pa., on the direct road from Knoxville to Keeneyville, six miles from the former places, containing 150 acres, 115 acres improved. A good frame house, large hay barn and shed, and a good horse barn,