

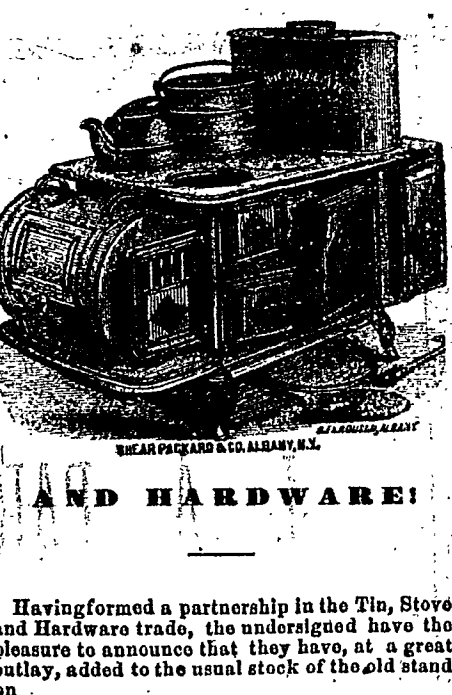
A Rhyme Six Hundred Years Old.

Guard, my child, thy tongue,
That it speak no wrong;
Set the evil word past or it;
Set the value of truth before it;

Tioga County Agitator.

THIS office is well stocked with Type, Presses, and Ac. and has every advantage for doing
JOB PRINTING
In a superior manner, Plates in Colors, from a well equipped shop at a short notice.

Stoves! Stoves!!



Having formed a partnership in the Tin, Stove and Hardware trade, the undersigned have the pleasure to announce that they have, at a great outlay, added to the usual stock of the old stand on
MAIN STREET, WELLSBORO,

REMOVAL.

New Stock! New Goods!
SEARS & DERBY
HAVE taken the new store one door above on a new stock of
BOOTS, BALMORALS, GAITERS,
BOOTIES, BROGANS AND
GALLIGASKINS

Warranted to fit any foot from No. 6, to 13 in width. The stock has been selected by one who has the advantage of
THIRTY YEARS' EXPERIENCE

For Sale.
I AM AGENT for Kinney & Co., celebrated platform Spring Wagons, all styles, also for their light Carts and Buggy Wagons, all made in good style, and from Jersey timber, and warranted in every respect, equal to any made. Can furnish any of the above at the lowest Manufacturers price. L. C. BENNETT.

THE EQUITABLE

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY
OF THE UNITED STATES.
Chartered under the Laws of New York.
Cash Assets.....\$12,000,000.
Annual Business.....\$2,000,000.

Dividends applied to reduce 2d and all subsequent premiums, or to increase the amount of the policy. Dividends are from 10 to 20 per cent the 2d year, and increase each year thereafter. The Equitable did business to the amount of \$12,000,000 more last year (1899) than any other company—all cash. Fully mutual and non-forfeitable. No other company can show better record, larger dividends, or safer security. All the profits less the actual expenses of the company are divided among the policy holders as dividends each year. Any one desiring of having a life insured, if he will examine the figures of the Equitable, will become convinced that it is to his advantage to insure in this company in preference to any other.

W. A. STONE, Agent.
Office with Wilson & Niles for Tioga Co.
April 15, 1870-4m
Grocery and Provision Store,
CORNING, N. Y.
C. D. SILL,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER
in all kinds of
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
Wines, Liquors and Cigars,

WHOLESALE DRUG STORE.

CORNING, N. Y.
THADDEUS DAVIDS' INKS, KEITH'S CONCENTRATED MEDICINES,
IREDELL'S FLUID EXTRACTS,
BURNETT'S COCAINE, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, KEROSENE LAMPS, PATENT-MEDICINES, ROCH-ESTER PERRUMERY

AND FLAVORING EXTRACTS, WALL PAPER, WINDOW GLASS, WHITEWASH LIME & AND DYE COLORS.
AGENTS FOR MARVIN & CO'S REFINED OIL.

Patent Roofing.
I HAVE bought the right to use the Patent Roofing in Tioga County, and am now prepared to put on roofs cheap and in good workmanlike manner. This roofing is fire and water proof. I refer to Messrs. Wright & Blakey, Toles & Barker, and C. L. Willcox, where samples can be seen and roofs laid out.
WELLSBORO HOTEL.
B. HOLLIDAY, Proprietor. A large and commodious House, located in the immediate vicinity of all the County buildings, with large and commodious barns attached.

RAILWAY TIME TABLES.

ERIE RAILWAY.
ON and after MONDAY, May 24, 1870, Trains will leave Corning, at the following hours, viz:
5.50 a. m. NIGHT EXPRESS, daily for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Chicago, via Elmira, Corning, and Salamanca.

10.22 a. m. DAY TRAIN, Sundays excepted, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Chicago, via Elmira, Corning, and Salamanca.
1.45 p. m. BALTIMORE EXPRESS, Sundays excepted, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Chicago, via Elmira, Corning, and Salamanca.

11.25 a. m. DAY EXPRESS, Sundays excepted, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Chicago, via Elmira, Corning, and Salamanca.
11.25 p. m. EXPRESS MAIL, Sundays excepted, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland and Chicago, via Elmira, Corning, and Salamanca.
12.05 p. m. EMIGRANT TRAIN, daily for the West.

Insurance Agency.

WELLSBORO, PA.
Cash Capital over \$20,000,000.
FIRST-CLASS CO'S—NONE BETTER.
RATES AS LOW as any good Company.
Will take Policies on dwelling, fire, marine, and all other risks, and deliver the amount of premium.

Are You Insured?
It costs but little, particularly to insure dwellings, farm property, and contents. Detached houses and farm property insured for 3 years for one per centum and expense of policy, etc. A house, detached 100 or more insured for \$1000 for years, at an expense of \$11.50. Only \$2.84 a year! Good fire-proof safe in case of fire. Furniture, provisions, bedding, etc., at the same rate. There is no excuse.

Everyone Should be Insured.
If not with Mr. Smith & Merrick will do it just as cheap, and just as well. (Gratis, gentlemen.) I should be glad however, to befriend enough in this manner to pay for advertising.
WELLSBORO, Jan. 1, 1870-1y.
Spring Millinery, 1870!
MRS. E. E. KIMBALL has just opened a very large assortment of
MILLINERY GOODS,
such as
HATS, BONNETS, STRAW GOODS, LACES, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, COLLARS, HUCKERSTIFFS, &c., &c.

One Thousand Miles over the Rocks of Tioga County.

BY ANDREW SHERWOOD,
25 YEARS AGENT FOR THE COAL MEASURES.

CHAPTER VII.
THE COAL MEASURES.
And God said let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind."
Like Quilliver, the hero in Swift's wondrous tale, who lost himself in a gigantic sea field, when the morning grew up tall as the trees of the forest—so we have wandered down the vale of years, until finally, far away in the mighty prospect, where the mist of the unmeasured centuries hangs dark and heavy, we stand on the level savannas of the carboniferous world—lost in a forest of gigantic ferns and palms. In every rocky marsh, grow the rank Calamita and the Sphenopteris; but there is no flower to lighten the funeral depths of these mighty glades, or song of bird to break the silent solitude. No quadruped comes forth, by day or night, to seek its prey, for the atmosphere is charged with deadly carbon. Only clouds of insects, dark as the air, like swarms of mosquitoes, in heavy, hokey dell, at the close of a summer day. All is silent in these green and insurmountable woods, and we seem to see, "in the multitude of trunks darkened above by clouds of foliage, the slim columns of an elder Alhambrá."

BEE-HIVE EXCHANGE.

Know ye, all good people, that I am doing a Lead Office Business.

Therefore,
I Surrender.
BUT AT DISCRETION!
YOU see that half a column of space with half an inch of reading matter don't help me after all. What'd ye do that for? asked less than a million of my customers, when I appeared in store, yesterday and today, with my effort to explain why I did it, I am forced to do it in print:

Wool.

But our best hold will be on CUSTOM WORK!
There's comfort in a well made custom boot, that fits the corner of the foot, and compresses every fiber of the foot. It is not a shoe that is made to fit a foot, but a foot that is made to fit a shoe.

WOOD SCREWS, CARRIAGE BOLTS, BURRS, SKELINS, WASHERS, PIPE BOXES, AXLE-TREES, ELLIP-TIC
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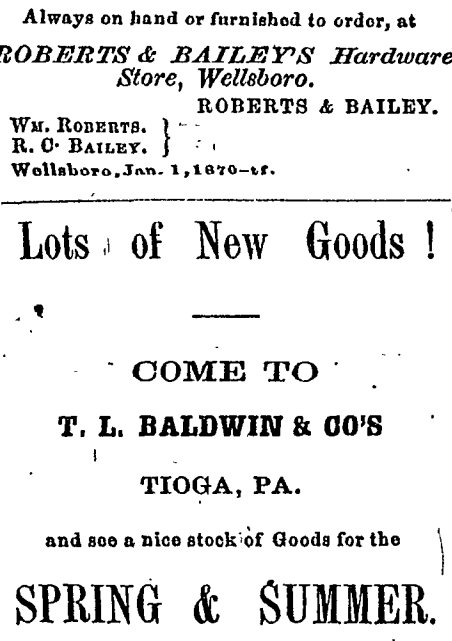
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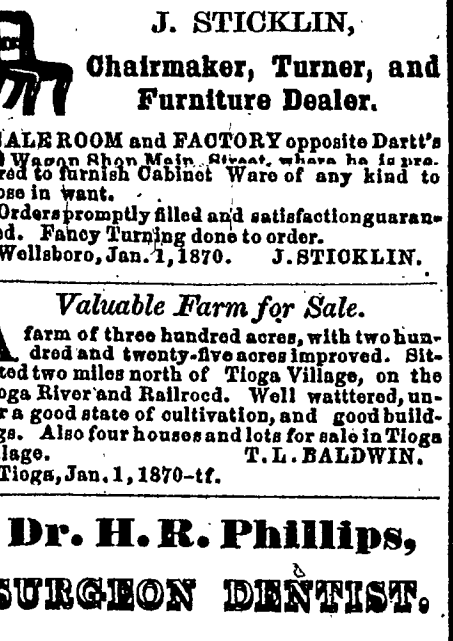
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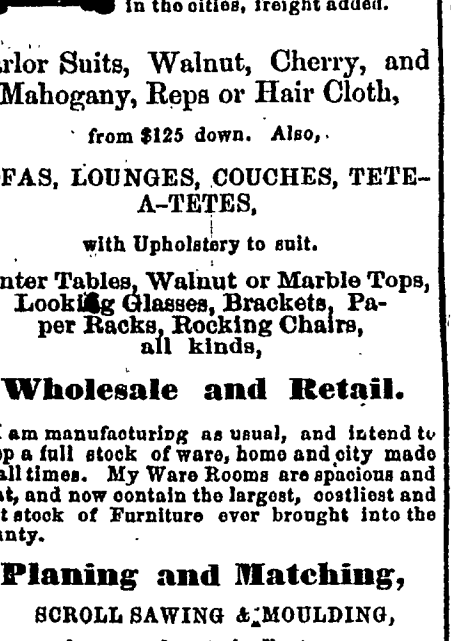
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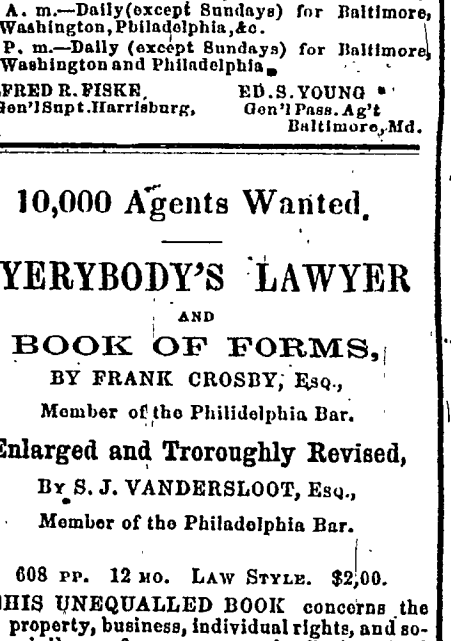
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LET it be distinctly understood to the inhabitant and citizens of Wellsboro, that we will sell
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FOR SALE.

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