

Patton Courier.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1896.

From L. A. W. Ballou.

Little Jack Horner sat in the corner eating a Christmas pie.
For Jack wasn't able to get to the table
Along with the rest—that's why.

We hear the Christmaside again—
The time of ice and snow—
When wives are shopping, while the men
All let their whiskers grow.

Don't
Forget the
Fair and Festival.
Friday is Christmas.
No paper next week.

Winter has come in earnest.
Watch the COURIER ads for bargains.
Where is the snow, beautiful snow-
man poet?

Mr. "Grip" is paying his respects to
Patton again.

Leather N. Patterson spent Sunday at
Lock Haven.

Mufflers of all kinds at Wolf &
Thompson's store.

Shoes, shoes, at and below cost at
Ballou's sales.

Frank Cole's new house on McIntyre
avenue is about completed.

See about the doll and clown to be
given away by C. W. Hodgkins.

See Tomer's fine line of jewelry before
you purchase your Christmas presents.

James Nolan, Esq., of Philadelphia,
was in Patton on business on Monday.

In your business represented in the
PATTON COURIER? If not, it should be.

Remains, the little daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Dr. Worrell, has been quite
ill of grip.

It is well worth your while to see
some of the show windows in the stores
in Patton.

Counterfeit one-half and one dollar
pieces are on the "market." Look
out for them.

John B. Cordell, who has been quite
ill of grip during the past week, is
convalescing.

See Wolf & Thompson's fine line of
silk handkerchiefs. Just the thing for
a Xmas present.

W. H. Latimer, a traveling salesman
of Danville, Pa., was in Patton on
business Saturday.

A new board walk will be laid from
the north end of Fifth avenue to the
Patton clay works.

The largest stock of toys ever
brought in to Patton can be found at
the Corner Drug Store.—24

Joseph Hoon, the "right bower" of
Westover's livery of Hastings, was a
visitor to Patton on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. S. Good and sons Ralph
and George, of Lock Haven, visited in
Patton on Friday of last week.

Geo. Shoff, the good natured heavy-
weight traveling salesman of Lock
Haven, spent Sunday in our town.

Fine clothes and a smooth tongue
are not always the necessary parts
which compose the make-up of a
gentleman.

The Patton Supply Co., have just
received 30 down handkerchiefs for
holiday trade—something nice for
Christmas gifts.—24

They carry the largest and best stock
of genteel underwear to select from in
Patton. Who? Why Wolf & Thompson,
in the Good building.

B. G. Elliott, of Bradford, Pa., is
stopping in Patton for a few days.
Mr. Elliott is the general agent for the
Industrial Savings and Loan associa-
tion of Syracuse, N. Y., of which he
has organized a local board in Patton.

Geo. Leister, proprietor of the Potter
house at Philipsburg, died Saturday,
December 12th.—Houtzdale Journal.

Don't forget the grand fair and festi-
val to be held by Patton Fire Company
No. 1. It will be a grand affair. You
are welcome.

Chas. M. Rowland, representing
Newlin, Knights & Co., wholesale hard-
ware dealers of Philadelphia, spent
Sunday in Patton.

When you take a trip to Ebsenburg
stop at the Blair house and you will be
used all right. Accommodations excel-
lent and rates moderate.—69-1f.

Editor Charles Bangert, of the Falls
Creek Herald, who has been serving a
term in the Ridgway jail, was released
last week, under the insolvent act.

Frank C. Yeager, of the firm of G.
C. Yeager & Co., accompanied by his
wife, will visit Mrs. Yeager's parents in
Lawrence county during the holidays.

Work has commenced on laying the
rails on the Cambria county railroad
near Spangler. It will not be long till
the new road will be ready for business.

Have you seen the new fall line of
dress goods at Patton Supply. If not
call and examine them as we have
something nice to show you in that
line.—34

Attorney Somerville now sports a
brun new silk hat, which he won on the
election. The COURIER will refrain
from mentioning the party's name who
bought it.

Makes the babies feel happy on
Christmas. You can easy do it by
selecting a present for them at the
Corner Drug Store's great variety of
toys, etc.—24

An Italian who keeps a boarding
house at DuBois was robbed Friday
evening of \$600.00. He suspects two
other Italians of having taken the
money, and had them arrested.

J. R. Cornelius, B. F. Wise, Benj.
Beaver and Alex. Monteith drove to
Ebsenburg on Tuesday to attend the
funeral of Dr. Griffith, who was buried
under the Masonic rites at 2 o'clock p.m.

Major McKinley will succeed the
twenty-third man who has held the
office of President of the United
States, but his administration will be
thirty-second in the history of the
country.

Soothing, and not irritating, strength-
ening, and not weakening, small but
effective—such are the qualities of De-
Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous
little pills. C. W. Hodgkins, Patton
Pharmacy.

After we have been visited by a dis-
astrous conflagration and our people
crippled by enormous loss of property,
perhaps there may be some action
taken to provide means for protection
against fire.—Hastings Tribune.

The semi-annual meeting of the
Pennsylvania Division of the League
of American Wheelmen convened Mon-
day in Philadelphia. There were
about 70 delegates present. The re-
port of Chief-Consul Boyle showed
that during the past year, the mem-
bership had increased from 4,300 to 10,878.
The report of Secretary-Treasurer Col-
lins showed a balance of \$3,766.75 in
the treasury.

Dan Stuart met James J. Corbett one
day last week at the Police Gazette
office, New York, for the purpose of
getting the pugilist's signature for a
finish fight with Fitzsimmons. Stuart's
proposition was a purse of \$15,000 for
a glove contest to be fought March 17th,
he agreeing to furnish a battle ground
where the fight can be held without in-
terference, falling in which he will for-
feit the purse. Stuart will endeavor to
get Fitzsimmons to sign immediately.

David G. Griffith, of Cambria town-
ship, has dehorned 22 head of cattle
this fall, and yesterday he went south
of town where he will cut off the horns
of 25 cattle for farmers in that section.
He is an expert at the business.—Cam-
bria Herald.

Two mine machines have been put in
at the Benscreek shaft. Last Saturday
one mined one hundred and five tons
and the other seventy-two tons of coal.
The South Fork Record says that coal
can be put on the cars for thirty cents
per ton with the machines. The men
will receive twenty cents per ton for
shooting it down and loading it on the
wagons.

An Irishman, on seeing a notice in a
haberdashery window one day, which
ran as follows: "Everything sold here
by the yard," entered and asked the
man of the shop if he sold butter-milk.
"Yes," was the answer. "Then give
me a yard," said Pat. "All right,"
said the man, and dipping his finger
into a dish of milk at his side, he drew
it a yard in length on the counter.
"Anything else?" he queried triumph-
antly of Pat. "No," said Pat; just
now I'll take it up in a piece of paper, and I'll
take it with me.—Ez.

One of the most remarkable cures of
rheumatism on record is related by Mr.
J. M. Thompson, postmaster at Decker-
er's Point, Pa., as follows: "While out
driving one day last winter I was
caught in a cold rain. The next morn-
ing I was unable to move my head or
arms owing to an attack of inflamma-
tory rheumatism. My clerk tele-
phoned for a physician, but suggested
that I use Chamberlain's Pain Balm,
there being a bottle open on the
counter. He rubbed the affected parts
thoroughly with Pain Balm and built
up a hot fire. I dozed off to sleep and
when I awoke about a half an hour
later the pain had gone entirely, and I
have not been troubled since. People
come here from many miles around to
buy Chamberlain's medicine." For
sale by Patton Pharmacy, C. W.
Hodgkins.

Shawls, facinoras, table scarfs,
table cloths, napkins, towels, silk,
cotton and linen handkerchiefs in en-
dless variety at Patton Supply Co. 34.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped
hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds,
burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's
Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present
the article most used for piles, and it
always cures them. C. W. Hodgkins,
Patton Pharmacy.

Ties and silk kerchiefs in abundance,
cheapest and best.

BELL, The Clothier.

A
Hearty
Laugh

and Scrofula are
never synonym-
ous. You can't
enjoy life with
this dread dis-
ease in your
system. It takes
away the laugh-
even to think
what may follow
—consumption,
alcoholism of the
liver, Diabetes,
etc. In what-
ever form Scro-
fulin may appear

Johnston's
Sarsaparilla
QUART BOTTLE.

is the best medicine for and conquerer. We
will mail you, free, a book on this mat-
ter.

Williams, Davis, Brooks & Co.,
Sole and General Distributors,
Patton, Pa.

For Sale by C. W. Hod-
gkins, Patton Pharmacy.

CHRISTMAS
IS COMING!

And you will soon begin to think of
buying a souvenir for your friends;
before purchasing presents call at the
best and cheapest shopping house in
Patton. We can show you toys for
children and useful presents for ALL
at prices that will surprise you.

We have also a limited number of
Gold filled rings; rings we have been
selling at \$2.00, and everyone war-
ranted to be gold filled. We will give
one of the above rings to any person
buying \$2.50 worth of goods and pay
\$1.00, or by purchasing a \$10.00 order
you can get one of the rings free.

Come and see our goods, also the
fine rings to be sacrificed from now
until Christmas. We give more good
goods for \$1.00 than any other house
in the county; at

THE BAZAAR.

G. O. Brady, Prop'r. Patton, Pa.

WE ARE LATE

In getting our Advertising out for

CHRISTMAS,

But we are going to make it very interesting reading for all.
Owing to the extremely mild weather this fall we are loaded on
heavy goods and must realize before January 1st.
To do so we are forced to knock profits in the head and sell our
goods away down.

NOW NOTE THE PRICES:

Men's good all-wool Suits that were \$ 5 00	now \$ 4 00
" " " " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " " " "
The fine Dress Suits " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " " " "

The Best Suits we carry—any of them 12.00, 13.00 and \$14.00
now 10.00 and \$12.00.

All goods marked in plain figures and one price to all; we guar-
antee no changing of tickets.

Boys' Suits that were \$2 00	now \$1 65
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Men's Fine Beaver Overcoats that were \$15 00	now \$13 50
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A lot of Men's Storm Overcoats that sold at 5, 7, and \$7 we will close at 1/3 less.
Certain lines of Boys' Overcoats that were 3, 4, 5 to \$10.00 we will close out at 1/3 less.

We Want to Close the Underwear Too.			
\$4 50 Suits now offered at \$3 50	\$3 50 Suits now offered at \$2 85		
4 00 " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	3 00 " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		
	2 50 Suits now offered at 2 00		

Children's and Boys' included. Prices cut in proportion.

SHOES.
MEN'S.

Men's \$4 50	Shoes	now	\$3 50
" 3 50	"	"	2 75
" 3 00	"	"	2 25
" 2 50	"	"	2 00
" 2 00	"	"	1 65
" 1 50	"	"	1 20
" 1 25	"	"	1 00
" 1 00	"	"	80

Too many Shoe Dealers now. Somebody must quit.
But it wont be us—not till we sell out at least.

SHOES.
LADIES'.

Fine Dress Shoe	\$3 50	now	\$3 00
" " " "	3 00	"	2 50
" " " "	2 50	"	2 00
" " " "	2 00	"	1 65
" " " "	1 50	"	1 25
" " " "	1 25	"	1 00
" " " "	1 00	"	85

SHOES.
BOYS' & GIRLS'.

\$2 00	Shoes	now	\$1 65
1 75	"	"	1 40
1 50	"	"	1 20
1 25	"	"	1 00
1 15	"	"	90
1 00	"	"	85

Liberal Reductions
On all lines of heavy goods—not staples
Though.

Bring this price list with you if you want to. Coupons given on our Furniture with
this Sale. No difference.

BELL,
Clothier, Furnisher and Shoe Dealer.

THE QUICKEST MAIL ORDER HOUSE IN THE STATE.



I just tell you that's the place!

I've carried thousands of dollars' worth of Dry Goods from that store during the past year to people for a hundred miles around, and never heard of anybody who wasn't satisfied or wanted their money back.

You drop a letter in your post-office, and I'll take it over to them and bring you back the best line of samples, of whatever goods you ask for, that you ever saw.

Just try it and see.

"UNCLE SAM."

P. S.—Write for their little book about "YOUR STORE."

W. F. GABLE & CO.
ALTOONA, PA.