

# WHY NOT BUY THE BEST?



Sterling Washing Compound. Guaranteed not to injure.

## Our Borough Finances.

Abstract of financial statement of Milford Borough 1899. Table with columns for item and amount.

## JOHN C. WALLACE, COLLECTOR, DR.

Table listing various items and amounts for John C. Wallace, Collector, DR.

## JOHN C. WALLACE, TREAS. DR.

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## Outstanding vouchers.

Table listing outstanding vouchers with names and amounts.

## L. GRIGER, OVERSEER OF THE POOR, DR.

Table listing items and amounts for L. Griger, Overseer of the Poor, DR.

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# TALKING IN CONGRESS

## THE SENATE DISCUSSES THE CIVIL SERVICE QUESTION.

Several prominent Senators strongly deprecate the present system. Representatives continue the debate on the Dingley bill.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—There was a spirited civil service debate in the senate, which was precipitated unexpectedly during the consideration of a resolution to introduce federal removals at South Omaha.

Mr. Gorham (Dem.) of Maryland called attention to the progress in Washington of the civil service reformers.

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# CREDIT BANKS.

## CAN BE MADE TO GREATLY BENEFIT AGRICULTURAL COMMUNITIES.

The American Agriculturist explains how farmers are "killed" by crossroads stores. With credit banks they could borrow at low rates of interest.

The American Agriculturist, one of the leading farm journals of this country, has been running a series of excellent editorials on the subject of credit banks for the benefit of farmers.

A recent editorial showed some of the benefits of the Scotch credit banks which loan small amounts to borrowers with collateral.

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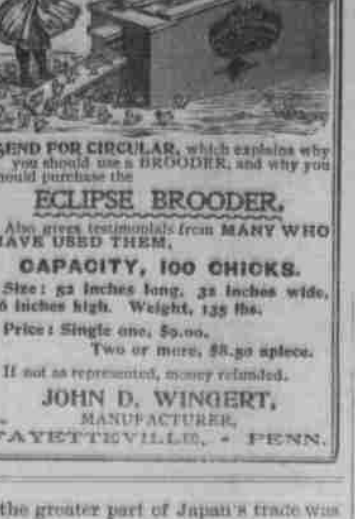
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# Have we ever had the pleasure of showing you through our large ware-rooms? If not, won't you give us the opportunity?

It will please us and it may be to your advantage. It certainly will if you are in need of anything for your homes.

Our warerooms are the only place in Port Jervis or in this vicinity from which you can furnish your homes complete.

FURNITURE, CARPETS OF ALL GRADES, OIL CLOTH, LINOLEUM, MATTINGS, CROCKERY, LAMPS, etc.

Our Pike county friends are many, but we can please more of you if you give us the chance.

COME AND SEE. NEW YORK FURNITURE CO.; 92 Pike street, Port Jervis, N. Y.

Advertisement for D. A. Altick's Son, Manufacturer of High Grade Buggies, Surries, Phaetons, &c. Includes an illustration of a buggy.

Advertisement for THE NEW-YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE FOR EVERY member of EVERY family on EVERY farm, in EVERY village, in EVERY State or Territory.

Advertisement for THE NEW-YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE listing various benefits and subscription information.

Advertisement for PIKE COUNTY PRESS and WEEKLY TRIBUNE, offering a year for \$1.65.

Advertisement for A. D. BROWN & SON, Manufacturers and dealers in all kinds of Lumber, Contractors and Builders.

Advertisement for Advertise in the PRESS, featuring a tin plate shot and a pencil electric light.

# THE TEACHERS' WORLD.

All teachers and friends of education are cordially invited to contribute whatever may be helpful or suggestive to others in this line of work.

## ARBOR DAYS FIXED.

Governor Hastings has fixed upon Friday, April 8, and Friday, April 23, as Arbor Days for this year.

In his proclamation issued March 18th the Governor gives some interesting facts concerning the benefits growing out of the observance of Arbor Days.

School grounds have been adorned, the surroundings of the home have been beautified, public parks have been multiplied and the landscapes and charming scenery of Pennsylvania may yet be made still more attractive.

The successful teacher will never fail to have his work carefully mapped out ere he appears before his class.

1. Review the preceding lesson. 2. Critical examination of the regular lesson.

3. Give each pupil a chance. 4. Avoid hobbies. 5. Keep to the lesson.

6. Do not depend on text-book. 7. Insist on promptness. 8. Insist on good language.

Advertisement for The Richmond CUSHION FRAME BICYCLE, featuring an illustration of the bicycle.

Advertisement for Dr. Raub's GUTANEOUS SOAP, featuring an illustration of the soap box.

Advertisement for THE GOLD STANDARD, featuring an illustration of a gold coin.

Advertisement for VERONICA TOILET & POWDER, featuring an illustration of the product box.

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