LOCAL NEWS.

PROCEEDINGS IN COURT.

[REPORTED FOR THE "REPORTER."]

The court opened on Monday at 10 o'clock, A. M. and adjourned after a short time, until 3 o'clock, P. M. Most of the afternoon was taken up in receiving the returns of constables and in swearing those recently elected into office. The Grand Jurors were called. The Court appoint Francis Tyler Foreman. The jury then retired, and the Court adjourned until 9 o'clock, A. M.

COM. vs. CHRISTOPHER PIERCE.—Indictment, Adultery, Fornication and Bastardy—True Bill—continued from Dec. Sessions. The Prosecutrix not appearing, the jury find the defendant not guilty.

COM. vs. CORNELIUS QUICK & JAY CHAPEL.—Charge, assault and battery; Grand Jury find a "true bill" as to Cornelius Quick only. Defendant pleads not guilty. The jury find him guilty in manner and form &c. The court sentenced him to pay a fine of $5 and costs of prosecution; in default of which he is committed to Jail. Adams & Macfarlane for Commonwealth, and Mercur for Defendant.

COM. vs. ALMON SMITH—Indictment, Larceny—True Bill.—Jury find him guilty in manner and form &c. Macfarlane for the prosecution and Adams for def't.

COM. vs. S. H. CANFIELD—Charge, selling liquor on the Sabbath. Settled by consent of Court; defendant paying costs.

COM. vs. JAMES E. HICKOK—Charge, Fornication and Bastardy; *non. pros.* entered by consent of Court, defendant paying the costs.

COM. vs. M. T. CARRIER—Charge, selling liquor by the small. Defendant pleads guilty; sentenced by the Court to pay a fine of $20 and the costs of prosecution.

COM. vs. MICHAEL KENNEDY—Indictment, selling liquor to minors &c., true bill. Def't pleads guilty. The Court impose a fine of $20 and the costs, in default of which he is committed to Jail.

The Grand Jury make a Presentment in regard to the safety of the Court House, and direct the County Commissioners to keep the out side doors of the building carefully locked at night. A Presentment similar to this, had been made several terms ago. The Grand Jury now recommend, that, in case the Commissioners fail to take steps, thus to make the building more secure in future, an Indictment be preferred against them.

The Court direct this Presentment to be filed, and the Clerk to make a certified copy and deliver it to the Commissioners or their Clerk.

The Grand Jury not having and further business before them, were discharged by the Court on Thursday morning.

COM. vs. BRIDGET CROW—Indictment, selling liquor to minors &c. Defendant pleads guilty; discharged by the Court, subject to the sentence at anytime in in case she repeats the offence.

COM. vs. SAMUEL KINGSTON.—Indictment, selling liquor to minors, intemperate persons, &c. True bill. Defendant pleads guilty; the Court fine him $20 and the costs of prosecution. In default of which he was committed to Jail.

COM. vs. M. T. SLUTTERY—Charge, Assault and Battery; Grand Jury ignore the Bill, and direct the prosecutor, Michael Carroll, to pay the costs—in default of which he was committed to Jail.

COM. vs. THOS. WELCH—Indictment, selling liquor to minors, &c. True Bill; Defendant pleads guilty—fined $20 and costs.

COM. vs. ISAAC MYER & HORACE GRANGER, Road Commissioners of North Towanda.—The Defendants were indicted for misdemeanor in office. The facts were these:—the bridge across Sugar Creek at the Pail Factory, in said township, had been swept away about two years ago in an ice freshet. The Commissioners had been notified several times to re-build it, but had wholly refused and neglected to do so. The jury found them guilty—the Court held that they should, within a reasonable time, use the means put in thir hands, to re-build said bridge, and in case they did not do so, were guilty of a misdemeanor in office.

COM. vs. JOSHUA BENJAMIN—Indictment, Assault & Battery with intent to kill: continued from December Sessions; true bill. Def't. pleads guilty as to the assault and battery.—Baird for defendant.

COM. vs. WM. DACEY—Indictment, selling liquor to minors, &c. True Bill.

COM. vs. THOS. MOREHEAD—Indictment, Fornication, Bastardy and Adultery. True Bill.

COM. vs. ANDREW CUMMINS et. al.—Charge, Larceny. Grand Jury return a Bill *ignoramus*, County pays the costs.

COM. vs. HENRY NEWMAN—Indictment, obtaining goods under false pretences. True Bill.

COM. vs. BENJ. DAVIS—Charge, Larceny.—The Grand Jury return the Bill *ignoramus*—County pay the costs.

COM. vs. J. H. WARNER—Indictment, Tippling House. True Bill. Defendant pleads guilty; the Court sentenced him to pay a fine of $20 and costs.

COM. vs. SUSAN JONES—This cause was tried last Term. Indictment, passing counterfeit money. Owing to a defect in the indictment, the Jury return a verdict not guilty, and Ira Wolcott, the prosecutor, to pay the costs. At this Term Mr. Wolcott could not be found.—The Court held defendant to bail to appear at this term. On application of Defendant's Attorneys, Mercur and Morrow, she is discharged.

☞ The weather, during the week past, has been such as we imagine would be experienced somewhere about the North Pole. Such a number of intensely cold days is succession, is rarely experienced in this climate. The number of degress below Zero indicated by the thermometer, depends altogether upon the length of the instrument. We hear of some as low as 20 deg.—but when that region is reached, a few degrees more or less, is of no consequence. Altogether, this winter will long remain in the memory, as one of the most severe, probably, most of us will ever experience.

NOTICE.—The Committee appointed to prepare business, for the consideration of the Bradford County Teacher's Association, at its next meeting, have reported the following Resolutions. The Association, of which Rev. J. HENDRICK, is President, and P. D. MORROW, Secretary, will meet at Smithfield, in the Hall of the Sons of Temperance, on Friday, the 23d inst., at 10 o'clock A. M.

1. *Whereas*, The law creating the office of County Superintendent, acts unequally, inasmuch as it requires the Superintendents of large counties to visit the schools and inspect the teachers as frequently as in small ones, where the number of schools is proportionably small, thereby giving the small counties greatly the advantage over the large ones:

Resolved, Therefore, that there ought to be in each Township a school officer, whose duty it shall be to inspect teachers, and visit schools in his respective township, either in connection with the County Superintendent or alone.

2. *Resolved*, That the study of written Arithmetic should not be commenced by the child, until he is of sufficient age to perfectly understand, and fully appreciate the principles of the science, and it always should be preceded by a thorough drilling in Intellectual Arithmetic.

3. *Resolved*, That every teacher should be a subscriber for, and a constant reader of some educational periodical; also, that it is his duty to attend, if practicable, educational meetings, and in all other ways seek his own improvement in the subject to be taught, as well as the best and most approved methods of teaching.

4. *Resolved*, That we respectfully, but most earnestly solicit the hearty co-operation of all the school Directors of the county, in carrying forward the great work of educating the rising generation.

5. *Resolved*, That teachers should be sufficiently acquainted with Physiology and the laws of health, to be able to guard with care the health of those committed to their charge.

☞ WM. S. DOBBINS, formerly High Sheriff of the County of Bradford, and pretty generally known throughout its borders, has taken the "Troy House," and now caters for rather a different lot of boarders than those which claimed his attention while a resident of this place. He has had ample experience as a host, and we will guarantee that those who tarry with him will not go away dissatisfied.

☞ The following testimonial has been handed us by the County Auditors, which we publish as an act of justice to the persons interested:—

"The undersigned, Auditors of the County of Bradford, having finished their labors for the present year, feel that it is due to the Commissioners of said County, that they should testify to the economy and prudence with which they have conducted the public business, as is abundantly shown by the diminished expenditures during the past years, and the large amount now remaining in the Treasury, affording the tax-payers a certainty of reduced taxes.

They have also been much gratified by the correctness with which the accounts of the County have been kept by the Commissioner's Clerk, E. M. FARRAR, and the promptness and fidelity with which he has transacted the responsible duties of his position."

CULLEN F. NICHOLS, } Auditors.
JONATHAN BUTTLES }

Towanda, January 30, 1855.

MUSICAL CONVENTION.—The Musical Convention which commenced at this place on Tuesday last, under direction of Prof. BRADBURY, was very well attended, considering the unfavorable state of the weather. Those who have been in attendance have been highly pleased with the exercises, and will doubtless acquire much useful information.

MEETING OF OLD SETTLERS.—A meeting of the Pioneers of the Susquehanna Valley, and their descendants, will be held at the Ah-wa-ga House in Owego, on Thursday the 22d of February. Several of these *re-unions* have already been held to the great enjoyment of the participants. We anticipate for the coming one, an attendance equal to the interest of the subject, and that its proceedings will be worthy of the fair and fertile country whose early history is connected with so much of romance. Several of those are expected to be present, who first settled in this region, when it was the favorite hunting ground of the red man, and of whose trials and dangers and sufferings their descendants can have but a feeble conception. Their presence will lend an additional interest to the occasion, while from their experience much information may be gained of the early history of the country watered by the Chemung and the Susquehanna.

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.—The following is a list of the most important officers, elected in the Townships and Boroughs of this County, at the election in January last.

Albany—Justice of the Peace, E. R. Jones; Constable, S. Chapman; Judge of the Election, J. Lee; Assessor, D. Ornsby.

Armenia—Constable, John Jorelaman; Judge, J. Biddle; Assessor, J. B. Morgan.

Asylum—Justice of the Peace, J. T. Dodge; Constable, W. Dodge; Judge, A. S. Bates; Assessor, D. H. Corbin.

Athens Boro—Constable, F. A. Allen; Judge, A. B. Couch; Assessor, J. Drake.

Athens Twp.—Constables, N. Edminster, H. Tozer; Judge, D. L. F. Clark.

Burlington Boro—Constable, A. Smith; Judge, S. W. Miller; Assessor, D. A. Ross.

Burlington Twp.—Justice of the Peace, S. H. Stiles; Constable, J. Travis; Judge, H. McKean; Assessor, C. Knapp.

Canton—Justice of the Peace, J. A. Bothwell; Constable, J. S. Adams; Judge, A. Smith; Assessor, J. M. Foster.

Columbia—Justice of the Peace, J. C. McKean; Constable, M. S. Ayres; Judge, W. M. Slade; Assessor, J. Morgan.

Durell—Constable, D. L. States; Judge, W. Coolbaugh; Assessor, D. Cook.

Franklin—Justice of the Peace, S. Smiley; Constable, F. F. Fairchild; Judge, E. B. Powell; Assessor, B. Laugdon.

Granville—Justices of the Peace, R. Bailey, S. K. Porter; Constable, C. D. Ross; Judge, H. Wooden; Assessor, G. Catlin.

Herrick—Justice, A. Fuller; Constable, H. Titus; Judge, P. C. Angel; Assessor, I. A. Park.

LeRoy—Justice, E. Kelly; Constable, R. R. Palmer; Judge, J. P. VanFleet; Assessor, H. W. Parkhurst.

Litchfield—Justice, S. Davidson; Constable, B. D. Cooper; Judge, J. P. Munn; Assessor, S. B. Carner.

Monroe—Justices, H. S. Salsbury, J. V. Wilcox; Constable, S. Cole; Judge, J. B. Ingham; Assessor, J. H. Lewis.

Orwell—Constable, A. G. Mathews; Judge, A. A. Prince; Assessor, D. Darling.

Overton—Justice, I. Frear; Constable, W. Waltman; Judge, J. Heverley; Assessor, R. Rinebolt.

Pike—Justice, J. Hodge; Constable, C. Brink; Judge, J. Ford, jr.; Assessor, P. H. Buck.

Rome—Justice, J. A. Moody; Constable, H. Tanner; Judge, J. L. Parker; Assessor, E. Barnes.

Ridgbury—Justice, A. D. Smith; Constable, J. Hammond; Judge, W. S. Halstead; Assessor, J. Burt.

Sheshequin—Justice, D. B. Culver; Constable, J. Brink; Judge, J. Kilmer; Assessor, C. Chaffee.

Smithfield—Constable, T. J. Wheeler; Judge, H. Allen; Assessor, E. G. Durfey.

Springfield—Constable, S. D. Harkness; Judge, I. Woodworth; Assessor, F. Leonard.

South Creek—Constable, Ira Crane; Judge, John F. Gillett; Assessor, A. H. Thompson.

Standing Stone—Justices, F. S. Whitman, Alexander Ennis; Constable, George Sage; Judge, Robert Depew; Assessor, W. B. Ennis.

Sylvania Borough—Constable, Warren Bixby; Judge, N. H. McCullom; Assessor, C. Merritt.

Tuscarora—Justice, Bela Cogswell; Constable, D. Ackley; Judge, Wilmot Coburn; Assessor, Cyrus Shumway.

Towanda Borough—Justice, Wm. C. Bogart; Constables, A. J. Noble, G. H. Eaton; Judge, P. Powell; Assessor, H. A. Carey.

Towanda South—Justices, H. L. Scott, H. W. Decker; Constable, James Magill; Judge, Emerson Mace; Assessor, Dennis Magill.

Towanda North—Justice, Jesse Woodruff; Constable, Chester Bennett; Judge, S. B. Foster; Assessor, Madison Bostwick.

Troy Borough—Constable, Nelson Adams; Judge, Wm Barto; Assessor, B. S. Dartt.

Troy Township—Justices, Alvin Loomis, Amasa Greeno; Constable, Alvin T. Dunbar; Judge, Reuben Stiles; Assessor, Luther Rockwell.

Ulster—Justices, George Birney, S. V. Havens; Constable, Wm. McCarty; Judge, James Vandyke; Assessor, S. C. Hovey.

Wysox—Justices, Jesse Allen, Chester Pierce; Constable, John B. Hines; Judge, Frank W. Brown; Assessor, Amos York.

Wyalusing—Constable, James Lewis.

Warren—Justice, Miles Prince; Constable, James E. Cooper; Judge, Nathan Young; Assessor, J. P. Rogers.

Wells—Justice, Decker E. Ayres; Constable, J. Mitchell; Judge, John Rowlee; Assessor, Humphrey Moshier.

Windham—Martin Elsbree; Constable, John W. Warner; Judge, Justin A. Russell; Assessor, C. Turbush.

Wilmot—Constable, Jason P. Horton; Judge, Hiram Stone; Assessor, J. H. Turrell.

☞ Not having been furnished with the proceedings of a so-called Democratic meeting, held on Tuesday evening last, we have deferred our remarks until we have a copy for publication.

LEGISLATURE.—We do not find anything of local interest in the proceedings of the Legislature, beyond the offering of petitions and remonstrances concerning the proposed county of "Fairfield."

THE FEMALE LIQUOR RIOTERS IN OHIO.—We stated a few days ago that several females at Mt. Pleasant, Ohio, had been engaged with several men in mobbing a man in that place, for selling liquor. The Cincinnati Gazette says:—

"The rioters, about thirty of whom were females, forcibly entered the premises, and commenced their work of destruction. Mr. Laboytaux, who had charge of the property, but who was starting for another load, heard of the attack on his house, and hastened to the scene of riot. As he was entering the door, a female raised an axe over his head, and would have felled him to the ground had he not caught her arm and threw her to one side. He was then caught by persons of both sexes, and beat and dragged through the liquor, which was six inches deep on the floor, back to the door, thro' which he was ejected into the street. Laboytaux, not liking "the hands he had fallen into," finally made good his escape. The rioters continued their work of destruction until all the liquor, casks and barrels were confiscated. After which, cheers upon cheers for the Ohio liquor law were given bo the excited people, who returned to their homes, determined to renew their attack if Mr. L., or any other man, brought liquor to their town."

Such acts as these are not calculated to help the cause of temperance much. There is no community, we hope, so far regardless of law and decency as to commend outrages like these, or let them pass with impunity.

THE SUBTERRANEAN TELEGRAPH TO THE PACIFIC.—The House of Congress has passed the bill authorizing an underground telegraph to be laid to the Pacific, having first stricken out the provision which gave the contractors two millions of acres of land to build it. The bill only gives the right of way over the public lands of the United States, and extends the laws of the States States over the line for protection. Whether the bill will be acceptable in this form or not, is not stated. If it is, two years is the time allowed to complete it and put it in operation. Col. Benton says the Digger Indians will pull up the wires to make hooks to catch lizards. This is no doubt a risk to which the line is liable, but the projectors say they are ready to meet this difficulty and settle it. If they can go ahead and build the line with no other assistance from the Government than the bill gives them, they ought to be rewarded for their perseverance.—It will be a great undertaking and a very important one. Just imagine a daily communication between the Atlantic cities and San Francisco, with two thousand miles of wilderness between them

FRENCH SPOLIATION BILL.—This measure, as it now stands before the Senate, proposes to create a Board of three Commisioners, which a secretary, clerk, and messenger, to commence their session in October next. This Board is to examine and decide upon all claims to indemnity upon the French Government (not heretofore provided for) arising out of illegal captures, condemnations, confiscations, &c., committed by the French prior to the 31st July, 1801. For this purpose five millions of dollars are to be appropriated, to be paid *pro rata* to the claimants; and, by a special provision, all claims are to be excluded if not presented and established within the two years prescribed for the existence of the commission. In all cases of transfer or assignment no claimant to be entitled to receive an amount beyond the consideration paid.

During the discussion in the House of Representatives there seemed to be some misapprehension as to the amounts likely to be paid to insurers or underwriters. We have understood that the underwriter simply stands in the place of the original owner of the confiscated vessel, and is not in the position of a speculator. In short, commerce could not be safely carried on without this system of underwriting. No owner of a vessel would risk it to carry out the cargo of other persons without insurance, and therefore, instead of these institutions being a clog to commerce, they are indispensable to its success.—*National Intelligencer.*

A SINGULAR CHARACTER—HIS BURIAL.—The Auburn Daily *Advertiser* mentions the death at Weedsport, Cayuga county, on the 26th ult., of one Harmon Weedmon, aged 80. He had acquired a handsome competency, and many years ago made all his arrangements for his burial. He constructed for himself a stone coffin of the Cayuga limestone, well finished, the cover setting over the sides on a rabbited shoulder, and bolted together with six half-inch bolts, running through from top to bottom, and secured with counter sunk nuts. He requested to be buried in that with "his cloak wrapped around him," and no minister was to be allowed to come near him. His coffin weighed one thousand five hundred pounds, and he gave particular directions how to lower him into the grave. All of his directions were explicitly followed, and by his directions the coffin was not only bolted but cemented together so as to be water tight.

U. S. SENATOR WILSON DEFINING HIS POSITION.—There has been much dispute in the political papers of Massachusetts relative to the sentiments of the U. S. Senator just elected from that State by the Know Nothing Legislature. General Wilson was at an abolitionist meeting in Boston on Friday night, and he defined his position himself by endorsing the views of the lecturer, Mr. Burlinghame. Mr. W. says:

In public or in private life, in majorities or in minorities, at home or abroad, I intend to live and to die with unrelenting hostility to slavery on my lips. I have no compromises anywhere, at home or abroad; I shall yield nothing of my anti-slavery sentiments to advance my own personal interests, to advance party interests, or to meet the demands of any State or section of our country. I hope to be able to maintain on all occasions these principles, to comprehend in my affections the whole country and the people of the whole country—and when I say the whole country, I want everybody to understand that I include in that term Massachusetts and the North.

A NEW AND CHEAP LIGHT.—The New York Journal of Commerce notices a new and cheap light, which is said to be both economical and safe with a power equal to gas. It is called the "Diamond Light." The Journal says it has tried it and finds the light equal to that of the best sperm oil, and much cheaper—the oil is made from rosin. It is a real oil, and not water-looking, like camphene and burning fluid. The cost at wholesale is only 50 cents a gallon, and the means of supply inexhaustible.—Where gas is not procurable, as in villages and the country at large, this light will probably be found useful. It is said not to be explosive.

THE WEATHER.—*New York, Feb. 5.*—About two inches of snow fell this morning, but the weather is now clear.

Boston, Feb. 5.—A slight fall of snow occurred here this morning.

Quebec, Feb. 5.—The weather is clear here, with the thermometer at 32 degrees below zero.

Montreal Feb. 5.—The mercury this morning is 22 degrees below zero.

NEBRASKA LEGISLATURE.—*Chicago, Feb. 5.*—The Legislature of Nebraska assembled on the 16th ult., and received the first annual message of Gov. Cummings. Both Houses were organized on the 17th. The choice of officers is supposed to be favorable to the Administration, and the course of the Governor will probably be sustained.

INTERRUPTION IN TRAVEL AT THE WEST.—*Chicago, Feb. 3.*—The railroads are still blockaded up by the snow, with the exception of the Michigan Southern and Central. Last night, at 10 o'clock, on the Rock Island road, five locomotives, with one train were frozen up solid, and over 150 passengers passed the night in the cars.

Married.

In Smithfield, Dec. 24th, 1854, by Wm. F. Barton, Esq., JUSTIN M. LOOMIS to Miss DELPHINE SMITH, both of Ulster.

In Smithfield, on the 29th ult., by Rev. J. Hendrick, Mr. WARREN E. BROWN, to Miss LAURA F. CALIFF, all of Smithfield.

At the same time and place, by Rev. Francis Apperson, WILLIAM T. ROBINSON to Mrs. EMELINE C. ROBINSON, all of Goshen, Litchfield Co., Conn.

In Choconut, Susquehanna Co., on the 29th ult., by Benj. Glidden, Esq., EPHRAIM W. QUIMBY to Miss ADELAIDE HULSE, both of Choconut.

Died,

In Monroeton, on Friday, January 26th, of disease of the heart, HENRY C. GAGER. He was an affectionate husband and a kind father, and respected by all who knew him. He died in the Universalist faith—leaving a wife and two children to mourn his loss.

MASONIC.—The regular meetings of UNION LODGE, No. 168, A. Y. M., are held every Wednesday, on or preceding the full moon, at Masonic Hall, over J. Kingsbery's store.

All brethren in good standing are invited to attend.—The meeting for February will occur on the 28th inst.

H. R. A. UNION CHAPTER, No. 161, holds its regular meetings at the same place, Thursday on or before the full moon. Meeting for March, on the 1st day.

E. H. MASON, Secretary.

New Advertisements.

Sale of Clothing at Auction!

ALEXANDERS' will offer their large stock of READY MADE CLOTHING, at AUCTION, COMMENCING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1855,
And to be continued from day to day.

At the same time GREAT BARGAINS will be offered at private sale.

Now is your time to buy! The stock is very extensive and must be disposed of upon some terms.

☞ Next store to H. S. Mercur, Main st., Towanda.

Towanda, February 8, 1855.

CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEED.—A quantity of each just received and for sale by

February 7, 1855. J. POWELL.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to the estate of THOMAS THATCHER, deceased, late of Orwell township, to make immediate payment, and all persons having demands against said estate, will present them duly authenticated for settlement. CYRUS THATCHER,

February 7, 1855. Administrator.

NOTICE.—The Commissioners of Bradford County have fixed upon the following days and dates respectively, for holding APPEALS, viz:

Towanda borough, Burlington township and borough, North and South Towanda, Ulster and Wilmot, on Thursday, February 15.

Canton, Franklin, Granville, Herrick, Leroy and Wysox on Monday, February 19.

Orwell, Pike, Rome, Sheshequin, Tuscarora, Wyalusing, Warren and Windham, on Tuesday, February 20.

Columbia, Overton, Ridgberry, Smithfield, Springfield, South Creek and Sylvania borough, on Wednesday, February 21.

Athens township, Athens borough, Albany, Asylum, Armenia, Durell, Litchfield and Standing Stone on Thursday, February 22.

Monroe, Troy township and borough, and Wells, on Friday, February 23.

☞ The Assessors will be punctual in delivering the notices to the taxables, and in making their returns in person on the day designated in their warrants, at which time and place the Board of Revision will attend and hear all such as think themselves aggrieved by said assessment, and make such deductions and alterations as to them may seem just. By order of the Commissioners,

Feb. 7, 1855. E. M. FARRAR, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the estate of C. P. PHILIPS dec'd., late of Burlington tp., are hereby requested to make payment without delay; and all persons havinging claims against said estate will please present them duly authenticated for settlement.

J. M. PHILIPS, Administrator.

February 3, 1855.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale his valuable FARM, situate in Burlington township, Bradford county, Pa., containing about 225 ACRES, of which about 150 acres are improved, and in a high state of cultivation. About 70 acres of the improved part is bottom land, and the balance rolling land, facing the south and east. About 100 acres is well timbered with pine and hemlock, and a good mill seat thereon.

This farm is eight miles from the Elmira and Williamsport Railroad, and nine miles from the North Branch Canal. It has upon it two good apple orchards, and an abundance of cherries, plums, &c.; a new dwelling house, two good barns, cow-sheds, &c. Said farm is well calculated for two far as of equal value, embracing an equal portion of bottom land, upland, and timber, and will be sold separately or together, as may suit purchasers.

Terms:—A portion of the purchase money down, and the balance in yearly payments, to suit purchasers. For further particulars, enquire of the subscriber at the farm.

February 7, 1855. SAMUEL M'KEAN.

ANNUAL REPORT

Of the Receipts and Expenditures of Bradford County, for 1854, from Jan'y 1st, to December 31st, inclusive.

EXPENDITURES.

Auditors for Auditing public accounts,	$126 00	Prisoner's support,	$447 84
Assessors,	805 50	Public printing,	292 33
Bridge contracts,	799 12	Prisoner's support in E. S. Penitentiary,	186 20
Bradford County Agricultural Society,	100 00	Repairs on public buildings,	486 64
Bridge and road views,	43 00	Register's fees, registering births, marriages &c	5 10
Crier of Court,	72 00	Sheriff conveying prisoners to E. S. Penitent'ry	575 00
Constables attending court and making returns,	492 55	Sheriff fees summoning jurors,	116 25
Costs in Commonwealth suits,	1383 34	State road from Tunkhannock to Towanda,	100 00
Counsel to Commissioners, Wm. Elwell,	50 00	Township line views,	30 13
Clerk of Sessions, &c., A. M'Kean,	352 41	Wild cat certificates,	3 75
Election expenses,	515 06	Insurance on public buildings,	103 00
Fuel and lights, for public offices, &c.	156 20	D. B. Cotton, Commissioner in 1854,	240 00
Grand jurors,	518 07	I. A. Park, do.	277 50
Traverse Jurors,	2445 04	Stuart Smiley, do.	198 00
Justices' Inquisitions,	64 09	George H. Bull, do.	43 50
Incidental expenses,	289 58	E. M. Farrar, Clerk to Commissioners, in 1854,	500 00
Meridian line,	22 00		
Office books and stationery,	135 81		$11,955 04

Account with the several Collectors of County Taxes for the County of Bradford.

Townships and Boroughs.	Collector's Names.	Ye'r	Amount Charged.	Amount Collected.	Amount Exone'at'd	Amount per cent'age	Amount Due.
Standing Stone,	Isaac W. Westbrook,	1845	$18 38				$18 38
Albany,	William Lee,	1848	106 83				106 83
Athens tp.	John H Murray,	1853	118 26				118 26
Durell,	Banaskerr Ross,		9 68				9 68
Herrick,	John E. Keeler,		29 58				29 58
Pike,	George W. Humphry,		47 83		$ 8 23	$39 60	
Rome,	Nathan Maynard,		27 20				27 20
Tuscarora,	Hiram Shumway,		44 69	19 10	14 27	11 32	
Wilmot,	Allen Woodruff,		36 43				36 43
Albany,	John Mathews,	1853	174 62	153 00			21 62
Durell,	Thomas A. Jennings,		143 45	68 00			75 45
Herrick,	Richard Hillis,		113 34	97 86	3 05	12 43	
Leroy,	Lodyard Chaapel,		41 32		2 19		39 13
Pike,	George W. Humphry,		228 86	171 85	6 34	50 67	
Rome,	Nathan Maynard,		135 55	135 55			
South Creek,	Ira Crane,		23 43		9 40	14 03	
Tuscarora,	D. D. Black,		95 12	64 75	14 54	15 83	
Ulster,	Charles B. Kitchen,		104 95	50 00			54 95
Wysox,	Henry Passmore,		110 84	54 49	14 01	32 34	
Warren,	Nathan Young,		122 66	83 79	6 01	33 86	
Wilmot,	Edward Shepard,		70 32	20 00			50 32
Athens borough,	John Snell, jr.	1854	399 16	350 00			49 16
Athens township,	L. A. Gardner,		1331 26	1219 32	16 19	65 75	
Armenia,	L. W. Gardner,		62 06	55 81	3 31	2 94	
Albany,	D. F. Miller,		188 97	119 00			69 97
Asylum,	S. C. Strong,		346 39	306 00			40 39
Burlington,	J. Travis, jr.		753 21	700 36	16 99	36 86	
Columbia,	John Gustin,		675 06	625 49	21 92	27 65	
Canton,	John Gray,		530 22	435 99	14 23	26 10	
Durell,	John Stevens,		339 41	163 59			175 82
Franklin,	David Smiley,		144 92	121 50			23 42
Granville,	James Gee,		309 04	289 19	4 65	15 21	
Herrick,	Richard Hillis,		199 30	51 44			147 86
Litchfield,	T. P. Merrill,		538 06	318 62	3 31	16 73	
Leroy,	J. P. Vanfleet,		293 28	233 00			55 28
Monroe,	Libbeus Marcy,		532 35	487 30	19 14	25 91	
Orwell,	Joel Cook,		476 57	443 30	3 63	23 64	
Overton,	James Haverly,		76 84	46 34	6 38	3 52	20 60
Pike,	M. C. Ellsworth,		820 43	654 00			166 43
Rome,	Joseph Allen,		308 82	237 00	3 66	19 75	38 32
Ridgberry,	Charles French,		356 86	100 00			256 86
Smithfield,	T. J. Wheeler,		653 86	567 52			86 44
Springfield,	Hiram Spear,		611 22	275 00	3 46	25 40	207 36
South Creek,	Ira Crane,		353 31	260 00			53 31
Standing Stone,	John Taylor,		293 09	215 00			58 86
Sheshequin,	Henry Patterson,		707 06	669 01	12 31	34 74	
Sylvania Borough,	Curtis Merritt,		54 58	51 34	54	2 70	
Tuscarora,	Oliver Warner,		277 85	216 00			61 85
Towanda Borough,	G. H. Eaton,		1260 96	1163 18	36 56	61 22	
Towanda North,	Chester Bennett,		209 53	150 33			59 20
Towanda South,	James McGill,		249 70	225 00			24 70
Troy Borough,	Asa B. Moore,		314 07	299 00			14 07
Troy Township,	George P. Freeman,		665 87	624 57	8 43	32 87	
Ulster,	H. D. Rogers,		370 25	175 00			195 25
Wysox,	Henry Passmore,		527 75	456 06			71 69
Warren,	James U. Currier,		546 24	512 21	8 28	25 75	
Windham,	A. Dunham, jr.		445 59	336 64			108 75
Wyalusing,	E. Whitney,		504 99	326 79			178 20
Wells,	James Mitchell,		423 47	383 25	20 05	20 17	
Wilmot,	David Abrams,		147 85	100 88	6 77	7 06	33 24
			$18,589 70	$14,815 38	$291 57	$595 46	$2784 29

DR. Preceptor Forbes, Treasurer of Bradford County, in acct with said County, CR.

To amount of duplicates prior to 1854,	$1804 34	By am't returned on duplicates prior to 1854,	$ 587 83
" " of 1854,	18785 36	" " " of 1854,	2196 46
To amount of notes, judgments, &c.	61 06	" exonerated on unseated land,	23 75
To amount of transcripts of unseated lands,	451 52	" of exonerations allowed collectors,	291 57
To amount of miscellaneous receivals,	369 66	" of per centage allowed collectors,	608 46
To abatement allowed Co. on state tax,	173 02	" taxes and costs on 12 tracts unseated lands bought by Commissioners,	123 22
To amount in Treasury, Jan. 1st, 1854,	5022 62	By county orders redeemed in 1854,	11963 02
		By 2 per cent. commission on the same,	239 26
		By 1 per cent. commission on $16,052 67,	160 02
		Balance in the Treasury, Jan. 1, 1855,	8583 99
	$24,667 58		$24,667 58

DR. Preceptor Forbes, Treasurer of Bradford Co. in account with Com'lth of Penna. CR.

To amount of duplicates prior to 1854,	$2014 59	By am't returned on duplicates prior to 1854,	$1421 08
" " of 1854,	12376 91	" " " of 1854,	2388 31
" transcripts of unseated land,	272 26	" exoneration on unseated land,	14 18
" miscellaneous receivals,	29 15	" exoneration allowed collectors,	198 66
		" per centage allowed collectors,	472 04
		" Treasurer's com. on $10,056 14, 1 p	100 56
		" State Treas'r. receipt, June 27, 1854,	9291 79
		" " " July 10, 1854,	181 89
		" Adv. 47 tracts unseated land, at 50c.	23 50
	$14,691 91		$14,691 91

DR. County Orders in account with Bradford County, CR.

To orders issued in 1854,	$11955 04	By orders redeemed in 1854,	$11963 01
To orders outstanding Jan. 1, 1854,	181 28	By orders outstanding Jan. 1, 1855,	173 31
	$12,136 32		$12,136 32

L. S. BRADFORD COUNTY, SS.—We, the undersigned Commissioners of Bradford County, do hereby certify the above to be a true and correct statement of the Receivals and Expenditures of said County, from the 1st day of January to the thirty-first day of December, 1854, inclusive.

Witness our hands and seal of office at Towanda, this 17th day of January, 1854.

ISAAC A. PARK, STUART SMILEY, GEORGE H. BULL, } Commissioners.

Attest—E. M. FARRAR, Clerk.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN,

CLOCK & WATCH REPAIRER.—The undersigned is constantly receiving from New-York by Express, new additions to his Stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver ware, and Fancy Goods, comprising in part—Gold and Silver Lever, L'Epine and Plain Watches, with a full and complete assortment of Fine Gold Jewelry, such as Gold chains, Lockets, Bracelets, Gold Pens, Keys, Breast-Pins, Ear-Rings, Finger-Rings, etc. etc. Also, a large variety of Silver ware, such as Table and Tea Spoons, Cream spoons, Butter knives, Salt spoons, Spectacles, together with an extensive assortment of Plated Ware—All of which will be sold very low for CASH.

CLOCKS.—A large assortment Clocks just received, of all descriptions, ranging in prices from 75 cents to Fifty Dollars.

☞ Watches repaired on short notice, and WARRANTED to run well. Also, all kinds Clocks repaired.

W. A. C. would beg leave to say, that he is prepared to execute the most difficult Jobs, such as can be done at no other shop short of New-York city.

W. A. CHAMBERLIN.

Towanda, February 1, 1855.

LOOKING GLASS PLATES CUT AND fitted for any size, to be had at the Jewelry Store of

Feb. 1, 1855. W. A. CHAMBERLIN.

HANG OUT THE BANNER!!

A HORSE! A HORSE! my kingdom for a horse and customers to take away the goods. Notwithstanding the late disastrous fires, A. M. WARNER IS HIMSELF AGAIN!

And at No. 1 Brick Row you'll find
Most anything that's in his line,
From a cambric needle of the finest kind,
To a jewelled watch of eighteen karat fine;
Clocks which keep time accurate and true;
Breast pins of every style and hue,
Gold, silver, steel and plated chains,
Selected with the greatest pains,
Finger rings, my gosh, why what a pile
Of every shape and every style,
To suit the old, the young, the grave, the gay,
May there be seen in elegant array.
And WARNER, who is him