Farmer's Department.

Cutting Hay.

MR. FREAS :—There are at present a multitude of conflicting opinions in relation to the period when grass should be cut, some contending that the operation of mowing should be commenced as soon as the development of the flower has commenced ; others, that the scythe should by no means be introduced till the seed has become partially matured, as they suppose the superior value of this adds more to the value of the plant as a whole, than it abstracts. No definite rules, however, can be laid down in this matter, as practice must necessarily vary with the contingencies of temperature, aspect, climate and the specific character of the grasses ordinary cultivated. For my own part I think that one should commence as soon as inflorescence begins. He will then have time to get through haying before the crop becomes too far advanced towards maturity, and his hay, though less heavy, and consequently somewhat less valuable as a market product, perhaps, will be much more succulent and sweet, that if permitted to stand till a later period, or till it becomes *dead ripe*.

The old method of making hay in the sun, and drying it till scarcely a particle of moisture is left in the fibre, is now almost universally deprecated. On this subject, one of the greatest farmers who has ever lived, has the following remarks :

"As soon as the grass is fairly freed from moisture, it is put into narrow heaps, which are made as high as possible ; and to prevent these from falling down, a small stake is driven into the ground, around which the grass is carefully arranged with the hands. A handful of grass is then taken from one of the swaths, and the longest and strongest portions are chosen from it to cover the top of the heap or hay-cock with, care being taken to trim the upper or flowering part of the grass downward. These pyramidial heaps are then suffered to remain until the grass of which they are composed, is thoroughly dry which is generally somewhere between the eight and fifteenth day. On the heap being opened, the grass in the interior of it will generally be found to retain its hue and freshness. I have seen grass thus made into large heaps, in dry and windy weather, which has made very rapidly without requiring to be moved and has been quite green. Temporary rain or showers will not do it any harm beyond that of depriving the external parts of some portion of its greenness ; but should the wet weather continue for any considerable period of time, there is a possibility of the hay becoming too much compressed ; it will then be necessary to open the heaps, and shake and loosen the hay, in order to prevent it from acquiring an unpleasant flavor."

This may be obviated by making the cocks small—say of about eighty pounds weight, when first put up, and covering carefully with green grass. I give you this for what it is worth—some may be induced to try it this season, on a small scale, and report the result. One thing is admitted by every one, which is, that the less the hay, in making, is exposed to the sun, the more valuable it is—it retains its color and flavor better, and consequently is worth a great deal more per ton than when dried up by the burning rays of the sun. I am respectfully yours.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

EXPERIMENTS WITH CARROTS AND TURNIPS IN SHEEP FEEDING.—The J. B. R. correspondent of the Germantown *Telegraph* details interesting experiments made to test the relative value of carrots, turnips and beets for sheep. The beets were discontinued, because the animals refused to eat them, except upon compulsion of the sharpest hunger. His method with carrots and ruta-baga turnips he describes as follows :

Three sheep were confined in a yard, in which there was a close shed for feeding, with plenty of water supplied from a cistern. Three more were placed in a similar enclosure, the fixtures of which were in every respect precisely the same, and that there might be no discrepancy whatever in the management of the two parcels, even their water was supplied from the same source. All the animals were of the same age, and nearly of the same weight. In the morning chopped ruta-bagas were given to the sheep in one pen, and chopped carrots to those in the other. This feed was regularly repeated at noon, and again at sundown ; the quantity allowed each animal being one peck (by weight) of each.

Salt and common house ashes were kept constantly in both apartments, mixed in the proportions of one of the former to three of the later. Good, clean leaves from the woods were scattered daily over the shed bottoms, and a few handsful of fine clover hay kept by them to supply the cud.

The experiment commenced on the 12th of November, and was brought to a final close on the 12th of the ensuing March. Both sets did remarkably well, as indeed might be expected from the careful and systematic manner in which they were tended and fed ; but those kept on carrots gained each eight and three-fourths pounds more than those fed on ruta-bagas. In April the six sheep produced six lambs—fine, healthy ones, which have grown to maturity, and are by far the most valuable animals to be found in the flocks to which they belong.

CURRANT TREES.—Currant bushes may as well be made trees as shrubs. In the spring of 1831 my father set cuttings for currant bushes. I determined to experiment on one of these cuttings, and as it grew, I pinched off all the leaves except the top tuft, which I let grow. The cutting was about fourteen inches long, and during the summer the sprout from this grew ten inches. The next spring I pinched off all the leaves to about half way up the first year's growth, so as to leave the lowest limb two feet from the ground. Is branched well, and became a handsome little dwarf tree. When it came to bear fruit, it was more productive than any other bush in the garden, and the fruit larger. It was less infested with spiders and other insects ; hens could not pick off the fruit, and grass and weeds were more easily kept from the roots, and it was an ornament instead of a blemish. Now I would propose that currant cuttings be set in rows about four or five feet apart each way—let them be long and straight ones—and trained into trees. —*Michigan Farmer.*

TO HOUSEKEEPERS.—Monsieur Loysel, a French chemist, says that he has discovered that by grinding tea in the same manner as coffee, before infusion, the quantity of exhilarating fluid obtained is nearly doubled. The experiment is worth trying, especially if with an additional strainer similar to those used by the French, suspended from the spout of the teapot.

Miscellaneous.

TOWANDA FEMALE SEMINARY.

THIS school, under the charge of the Misses HANSON, is held in the north end of the Ward House, in the room formerly occupied by Laporte, Mason & Co.

Miss EMMA HANSON will join her sisters in a few days and in future will give instruction in the French language in the school.

The school year will consist of four quarters, of eleven weeks each. The summer vacation commencing in July, and ending in September.

TERMS, PER QUARTER :

First Class—To include the elementary English branches and the study of the Latin language,	$6 00
Second Class—To include the more advanced studies of the English branches, with Mathematics, and the study of Latin and French,	$9 00
Third Class—To include Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Rhetoric, Botany, &c., with Latin and French,	$12 00

Each pupil will bring with her a desk and chair. There will be no extra charges whatever.

Music.—Instruction on the Piano, with use of instrument, will be given by Miss REBECCA D. HANSON, at $10 per quarter, and as soon as arrangements now in progress can be completed, a class in vocal music will be formed.

LECTURES on Rhetoric, Moral and Intellectual Philosophy, and the higher branches of English composition, will also be delivered once or twice in each week.

The aim of the Teachers will be to impart a *thorough knowledge* of the studies pursued, and to give a tone and character to their School which will recommend it to the confidence of the community.

The next Quarter will commence on Monday, April 30.

They beg leave to refer to the following named gentlemen :—Rt. Rev. ALONZO POTTER, Bishop of the Diocese of Penn'a, Philadelphia ; Rev. Dr. MACLEAN, President of the College of New Jersey, Princeton.

Hon. DAVID WILMOT, G. F. MASON, Esq., C. L. WARD, Esq., Hon. GEORGE SANDERSON, D. F. BARSTOW, Esq. Col. J. F. MEANS, Towanda.

Towanda, March 21, 1855.

The Susquehanna Collegiate Institute,

TOWANDA, BRADFORD CO., PA.

INSTRUCTORS :

REV. SAMUEL F. COLT, Principal, Professor of Natural, Mental and Moral Science ;
REV. JAMES McWILLIAM, A. M., Professor of Ancient Languages and Belles Lettres ;
CHARLES R. COBURN, A. M., Professor of Mathematics and Master of Normal School ;
E. ALBERT LUDWIG, A. M., Professor of Modern Languages, Instructor on the Piano and in Drawing ;
H. BEECHER MORGAN, Usher ;
Mrs. MARTHA A. DAYTON, Preceptress ;
Miss MARGARET L. KENNEDAY, 2d do.

☞ The Spring Term of 1855 will commence on Wednesday, April 4th. The Academic will comprise 3 terms.

EXPENSES PER TERM :

Tuition in the Fifth class, (primary) per term,	$4 00
" Fourth,	5 00
" Third	6 00
" Second	7 00
" First	9 00
EXTRAS :	
French, German, Spanish or Italian, each,	5 00
When taken without other branches,	7 00
Drawing	3 00
Ornamental needlework and embroidery, each	3 00
Tuition on Piano Forte with use of instrument,	12 00
do do per quarter of 11 weeks,	10 00
Oil painting in landscapes, per term	8 00
do figures	10 00
Room rent for lodgers,	1 75
Contingent fund for each pupil,	38
Board in Hall, per week,	1 75
Washing, per dozen,	38

Fuel and light at the actual expense.

Pupils boarding in the Hall will furnish their own bed, bedding, towels, &c., and the table silver at their option.

No pupil taken for less than half a term. The bills for the term must be paid in advance ; or one half thereof at their entrance, and the remaining half at the expiration of the term.

Pupils entering the Institute are pledged to the observance of the Regulations, and none will be admitted on other terms.

Especial exercises are arranged without extra charge for those qualifying themselves as teachers for common schools.

For classification of studies and text-books, see circulars, for which apply to C. L. WARD, President.
S. F. COLT, Sec. f24 J. D. MONTANYE, Treasurer.

R. WATROUS.....H. M. SEWARD.....E. H. COOK.

R. WATROUS & Co., *DEALERS IN HEAVY & SHELF HARDWARE*, No's. 1 & 3, Water st. Elmira, N. Y.

We have recently made large additions to our extensive stock, and have now on hand a complete assortment of every description of Hardware, which we offer at the lowest cash prices; consisting of Mechanic's Tools, Building Materials, Iron and steel, Nails and spikes, Ropes and Cordage, Paints, Oils and Glass, Mill saws of every size and shape, either Mulay Gang or Circular.

Machine Belting, of all widths, both of India Rubber & leather. Glass at wholesale. We are prepared to supply Merchants with Glass, Nails, scythes, Forks, &c., at Manufacturers prices. Tin, sheet iron, and Copper work on hand or made to order.

CONTRACTOR'S TOOLS—Wheelbarrows, Ames' Shovels, Blasting Powder, &c.

Agents for Rich & Wilder's Patent Salamander Safes, Fairbank's Platform Scales, and Welch & Griffith's Circular saws.

Large sizes up to 60 inch, always on hand and sold at Factory Prices. Particular attention paid to orders by mail.

Elmira, April 7, 1856. n-44-12m

Important Scientific Discovery!

BUTMAN'S POLYTROPHE, for Baldness and thinness of Hair, a magic restorative of the human hair on bald heads—removing and preventing dandruff, and causing the hair to grow luxuriantly, and preventing it from turning gray. Containing no Alcohol or Oils of any kind.

This is the most valuable discovery for the purpose ever introduced into this place. There are a number of gentlemen of this Borough, who have used it, and are willing to testify to its excellent restorative qualities. I am willing to warrant it to give satisfaction to those using it according to directions.

For sale by S. COOPER, Barber and Hair Dresser, in the basement of the Ward House, Towanda.

Towanda, March 28, 1855.

LOOK OUT FOR ROBBERS!

J. D. GOODENOUGH respectfully informs all those that are entitled to Land Warrants under the act of March 3, 1855, that he is now prepared with all necessary forms to meet every case. He would also say to those who cannot conveniently come to Towanda, that by sending him a statement of the nature of their claims he will make out the necessary papers that can be executed by them before the nearest Justice of the Peace. He would also say, beware of travelling speculators.

His terms are 50 cents down, and $5 after the warrant is received. Towanda, March 21, 1855.

DR. JOHN M'INTOSH, *SURGEON DENTIST*, HAS RETURNED. Office next door to Mercur's store, and over Alexander's Clothing Store, Main street, Towanda. February 24, 1855.

JAMES MACFARLANE, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, TOWANDA, PA. Occupies the Office, in the Union Block, formerly owned by John C. Adams Esq. ☞ He will attend to procuring Bounty Land Warrants and Pensions. March 22, 1855.

H. J. MADILL.....P. D. MORROW.

MADILL & MORROW, *ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW*.—Office over Mercur's Store, Towanda, Pa.

Towanda, April 2, 1855. n-43-tf

DR. E. H. MASON, *PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON*, offers his professional services to the people of Towanda and vicinity. Office at his residence on Pine street, where he can always be found when not professionally engaged.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!!

BURTON KINGSBERY, is now prepared to offer to his customers and the public generally, a large and complete stock of FALL & WINTER GOODS. His stock has been selected with unusual great care, and is superior for style and quality than have ever before been offered to the public—and such a combination of very low prices that we are sure cannot fail to please the closest observer.—Amongest his assortment may be found French Merinos, Delaines, Cashmeres, Thibet-cloths, Ginghams, Fine Worsted plaids, Silk Poplin, Alapacas, Calicos, Fine and heavy Irish Linens, Cotton Pillow Casings, Brown and Bleached Muslin, Sack Flannel, Broad Cloths & Cassimeres, &c.

CLOTHING—An assortment, may be had cheap at PHINNEY'S.

ALL PERSONS indebted to Montanyes & Co. will do well to call and make payment, otherwise, necessity will compel them to send a call that will be more expressive. March 1, 1855.

SNYDER HOUSE, Waverly, N. Y.

JAMES WHITTAKER respectfully informs the travelling public that he has taken the above well known stand, situated near the Railroad Depot, and solicits a share of custom. The House is convenient and commodious, and he is determined that no pains and attention to the wants and comforts of guests shall be spared to give entire satisfaction. March 15, 1855.

CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEED.—A quantity of each just received and for sale by February 7, 1855. J. POWELL.

FLOUR ! FLOUR !—50 barrels Superfine FLOUR, just received and for sale by Jan. 31, 1855. MONTANYES & CO.

Miscellaneous.

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 himself a "host,"
Is always ready and at his post,
To wait upon his customers and all
Who chance upon 'im to give a call.
So with good advice make up your minds
To call on him and there you'll find
Such sights, my eyes! O! what a view!
Jewelry of every style and hue.

☞ Don't mistake the place, No. 1, Brick Row, where he is prepared to do all kinds of

JOB-WORK,

in his line of business, at the cheapest rates that can possibly be afforded. He will also sell his jewelry at 20 PER CENT. LOWER than was ever before offered in this market.

☞ Call and see. A. M. WARNER.

Towanda, January 1855.

DISSOLUTION.—The co-partnership heretofore existing between S. FELTON and E. T. Fox is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The notes and accounts of said firm are in the hands of E. T. Fox, who can generally be found at S. Felton's store, or at the "Ward House." Those interested will please take notice that the accounts, &c. must be settled immediately.

S. FELTON,
November 11, 1854. E. T. FOX.

S. FELTON would most respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he will still continue the LIQUOR BUSINESS at the old stand, and that he is now receiving large additions to his stock, direct from first hands in New-York, which he will be most happy to sell on the most reasonable terms. He is also agent for the sale of "Binghamton Ale," a supply of which he keeps always on hand and for sale cheap.

Towanda, November 11, 1854.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

John W. Wilcox,

HAS located his establishment on Main Street, on door North of the "Ward House," and will continue the manufacture of BOOTS & SHOES, as heretofore.

He has just received from New-York a large assortment of Womans' Childrens' and Misses' Shoes, which are offered at low prices. The attention of the Ladies is particularly directed to his assortment, comprising the following new styles :—Enamelled Jenny Lind gaiter boots ; do. shoes ; black lasting and silk gaiter ; walking shoes, buskins, &c. Misses' gaiters and shoes, of every description. A large variety of Childrens' fancy gaiters, boots & shoes of all kinds.

For the Gentlemen, almost every style of gaiters and shoes. This stock has been personally selected with care, and he believes he can offer superior articles at reasonable prices.

☞ The strictest attention paid to MANUFACTURING, and he hopes by doing work well to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage he has hitherto received.

Towanda, Feb. 1, 1855.

GREAT BARGAINS!!!

At the New Store, opposite the Court House.

BAILEY & NEVINS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, YANKEE NOTIONS, TOYS, FRUIT, CONFECTIONARY, WILLOW WARE, &c., the largest and most comprehensive assortment, and the longest experience of any dealers in Northern Pennsylvania. We have arrangements by which we can take advantage of the city and Western Markets, and are thereby enabled to offer good bargains. Call and try us.

Below we name a few of the articles that may always be found in our stock :

PROVISIONS.

Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Rye Flour, Corn Meal, Feed, Pork, Hams & Shoulders, Mackerel, Codfish, Shad, Lake Trout, Pickeled and Smoked Herring, Cheese, Rice, Beans, Potatoes, Butter, Lard, Crackers, &c.

GROCERIES.

Black and Green Tea, Rio and Java Coffee, Chocolate, Cocoa, Sugar, Molasses, Syrup, Ginger, Pepper, Spice, Cloves, nutmegs, Mace cinamon, Ground Mustard, Pepper Sauce, Soda, Saleratus, Cream Tartar, Sperm and Tallow Candles, Bar Soap, Vinegar, Starch, &c.

FRUIT.

Prunes, Citron, Figs, Eng. Currants, Raisins, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples, Almonds, Pecan nuts, Brazil nuts, Grenoble and Madeira Walnuts, Pea nuts, Chestnuts, &c.

German, French and American Toys, Fancy Goods, Tin wagons, rocking horses, boys' sleighs, China and pewter toy tea setts, dolls, trumpets, accordions, harmonicas—Glass, paper and wood inlaid work boxes and toilet cases, toy bureaus, secretaries, writing desks—plain and embroidered work baskets, knitting, do. pearl, ivory, papier mache and leather port monnies, wallets and purses, ivory, horn and wood pocket combs, toilet combs, ivory fine combs, pocket inkstands, pocket and small fancy mirriors, tobacco and sunff boxes, cigar cases, perfumery and hair oils, &c.

Brooms, mopsticks, clothes pins, bench screws, willow clothes baskets and market baskets, sugar and spice boxes.

CANDY OF ALL KINDS.

Dairy and table Salt, Salina, do., etc. Country dealers supplied at a small advance from New York prices.

☞ Most kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods. BAILEY & NEVINS.

Towanda, Februar 1, 1855.

NEW ARRANGEMENT AT THE EAGLE FOUNDRY!

I. L. & H. L. LAMOREAUX,

HAVING purchased the entire interest of the other members of the late firm of I. L. & H. L. Lamoreux & Co. in the "Eagle Foundry," in the south part of the borough of Towanda, will still continue the business of said firm, and manufacture to order and keep constantly on hand a large assortment of the following articles :

MACHINERY of all kinds, including Mill Irons, Mill Gearings; the Rose and Johnson Water-wheel, &c. &c.

STOVES—Box, Coal, Cooking and Parlor Stoves, of all kinds, sizes and prices.

PHOUGHS—North Branch, Nos. 1, 5, and 7; Blacthley Nos. 1 and 2 ; Binghamton, Wayne County, Excelsior, side-hill and corn ploughs, &c.

Corn Shellers and Straw Cutters; Wagon boxes, sleigh-shoes, plough points, gearing for chain pumps, grindstones, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Having secured as Superintendents, J. B. IRVINE in the machine shop, and ROBERT MCCUTCHEON in the moulding department, the firm feel confident that they can manufacture and repair all kinds of machinery in as workmanlike a manner and on as easy terms as any establishment this side of New York.

☞ *Steam Engines* will be repaired satisfactorily on short notice.

Particulas attention will be paid to the Pattern department, and all orders fulfilled on the shortest notice.

The attention of Farmers is called to J. B. Irvine's celebrated EXCELSIOR PLOUGH, which took the first premium at the Bradford county Agricultural Fair of 1853. Also to the elevated oven EAGLE STOVE, the best stove in use.

With the above the firm have connected a

Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Establishment,

and will be at all times ready to manufacture, repair and do job work, and will keep constantly on hand assortments in all branches of their business.

We call the public attention to the following facts :—We use the Ralston Iron, which is acknowledged to be more durable and strong than any other.

Our stove plates are thicker and stronger than any of foreign manufacture, and persons purchasing stoves of us can have them repaired on short notice by calling on us, without going to the expense of having new patterns.

Farmers would save time and expense by purchasing ploughs of us, as they would not be troubled for points, as in the case of foreign ploughs.

Old Iron, Brass, Copper, Pewter, &c., taken in exchange for manufactures or work.

☞ All would do well to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

Towanda, February 15, 1855.

Medical.

AYER'S PILLS.

AND CHERRY PECTORAL.—The following remedies are offered to the public as the best, most perfect, which medical science can afford. AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS have been prepared with the utmost skill which the medical profession of this age possesses, and their effects show they have virtues which surpass any combination of medicines hitherto known. Other preparations do more or les good ; but this cures such dangerous complaints, so quick and so surely, as to prove an efficacy and a power to uproot disease beyond any thing which men have known before. By removing the obstructions of the internal organs and stimulating them into healthy action, they renovate the fountains of life and vigor—health courses anew through the body, and the sick man is well again. They are adapted to disease, and disease only, for when taken by one in health they produce but little effect. This is the perfection of medicine. It is antagonistic to disease, and no more. Tender children may take them with impunity. If they are sick they will cure them, if they are well they will do them no harm.

Give them to some patient who has been prostrated with bilious complaint ; see his bent-up, tottering form straighten with strength again ; see his long-lost appetite return ; see his clammy features blossom into health. Give them to some sufferer whose foul blood has burst out in scrofula till his skin is covered with sores ; who stands, or sits, or lies in anguish. He has been drenched inside and out with every every potion which ingenuity could suggest. Give him these Pills, and mark the effect ; see the scabs fall from his body ; see the new, fair skin that has grown under them ; see the late leper that is clean. Give them to him whose angry humors have planted rheumatism in his joints and bones ; move him, and he screeches with pain ; he too has been soaked through every muscle of his body with linaments and salves ; give him these Pills to purify his blood ; they may not cure him, for alas! there cases which no mortal power can reach ; but mark, he walks with crutches now, and now he walkes alone ; they have cured him. Give them to the lean, sour, haggard dyspeptic, whose gnawing stomach has long ago eaten every smile from his face and every muscle from his body. See his appetite return, and with it his health ; see the new man. See her that was radiant with health and loveliness blasted and too early withering away ; want of exercise, or mental anguish, or some lurking disease has deranged the internal organs of digestion, assimilation, or secretion, till they do they do their office ill. Her blood is vitiated, her health is gone. Give her these Pills to stimulate the vital principle into renewed vigor, to cast out the obstructions, and infuse a new vitality into the blood. Now look again—the roses blossom on her cheek, and where sorrow sat, joy bursts from every feature. See the sweet infant wasted with worms. Its wan, sickly features tell you without disguise, and painfully distinct, that they are eating its life away. Its pinched-up nose and ears, and restless sleepings, tell the dreadful truth in language which every mother knows. Give it the Pills in large doses to sweep these vile parasites from the body. Now turn again and see the ruddy bloom of childhood. Is it nothing to do these things? Nay, are they not the marvel of this age? And yet they are done around you every day.

Have you the less serious symptoms of these distempers, they are the easier cured. Jaundice, Costiveness, Headache, Sideache, Heartburn, Foul Stomach, Nausea, Pain in the Bowels, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, King's Evil, Neuralgia, Gout, and kindred complaints all arise from the derangements which these Pills rapidly cure. Take them perseveringly, and under the counsel of a good Physician if you can ; if not, take them judiciously by such advice as we give you, and the distressing, dangerous diseases they cure, which afflict so many millions of the human race, are cast out like the devils of old—they must burrow in the brutes and in the sea. Price 25 cents per box—5 boxes for $1.

Through a trial of many years and through every nation of civilized me, AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL has been found to afford more relief and to cure more cases of pulmonary disease than any other remedy known to mankind. Cases of apparently settled Consumption have been cured by it, and thousands of sufferers who were deemed beyond the reach of human aid have been restored to their friends and usefulness, to sound health and the enjoyments of life, by this all-powerful antidote to diseases of the lungs and throat. Here a cold had settled on the lungs. The dry, hacking cough, the glassy eye, and the pale, thin features of him who was lately lusty and strong whisper to all but him CONSUMPTION. He tries everything ; but the disease is gnawing at his vitals, and shows its fatal symptoms more and more over all his fame. He is taking the Cherry Pectoral now : it has stopped his cough and made his breathing easy : his sleep is sound at night : his appetite returns, and with it his strength. The dart which pierced his side is broken. Scarcely any neighborhood can be found which has not some living trophy like this to shadow forth the virtues which have won for the Cherry Pectoral an imperishable renown. Influenza, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Pleurisy, Whooping Cough, and all irritations of the throat and lungs are easily cured by the Cherry Pectoral if taken in season. Every family should have it by them, and they will find it an idvaluable protection from the insidious prowler which carries off the parent sheep from many a flock, the darling lamb from many a home.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER, Practical and Analytical Chemist, Lowell, Mass., and sold by all Druggists everywhere.

AGENTS—Dr. H. C. Porter and at Reed's Drug Store, Towanda ; Newton, White & Co., Monroeton ; J. Holcomb, Rome ; Dr. C. Drake, Troy ; and by all Merchants everywhere.

DAVIS' PLATFORM BEE-HIVE.

THE subscriber having been appointed Agent for the counties of Bradford, Sullivan and Lycoming, has the pleasure of calling the attention of the public to this useful invention. The Hive is truly a great improvement on the old square box ; and the facilities it affords for taking out the honey are as harmless to the bees, as they are profitable to the owner. No resort to drums and pans is needed to hive the increase in the spring, and no resort to brimstone, fire and fagot is required to conquer the bees and procure their honey in the fall. As the bees multiply, new sections are added to the hive ; and when the honey is wanted, they are removed accordingly. The arrangements for feeding the bees, for changing them to different parts of the old hive, or to a new one, for ventilation, are unquestionably ahead of anything hitherto known.

A description of this Hive is impossible, without reference to a model, but an examination will satisfy any one of its advantages. For sale, Town and Individual Rights, with books, bill of feed, &c., giving full directions for making the Hive, and managing the Bees.

May 1, 1855. GEORGE S. KEEN.

$500 REWARD!

For an improvement on

SCOTT'S PATENT BLACKSMITH'S STRIKER!

THE undersigned, having purchased the right to sell in a number of the counties of this state, and elsewhere, Scott's Patent BLACKSMITH'S STRIKER, respectfully announce that they are now stopping at BLACK'S Hotel, in Towanda, where they will exhibit the Patent Striker, and explain its operation. They expect to remain about three weeks. By the aid of this invention, every Blacksmith can dispense with the additional hand required to forge iron, and will consequently effect a great saving of labor to all who become possessed of it. This is considered one of the greatest and most useful inventions of the age, and the manner in which it forges iron of every description has greatly surprised the numerous sons of Vulcan who have seen it operation.

W. W. FIELDS,
May 3, 1855. E. S. TEAGARDEN.

PIANO FORTES.

JOSEPH R. LOUD, intends visiting this place every Spring and Fall for the purpose of selling PIANO FORTES of his Manufacture, which will be *guaranteed* satisfactorily. Mr. LOUD attends *personally* to his business, which of itself will be of great advantage to those purchasing, and avoids all difficulties which so often occur though buying of Agents. Citizens will find by obtaining an instrument of him, a great saving in price, as well as manner in which their Pianos will be kept in order. WRITTEN WARRANTEES given for five years for his Instruments, which stand unrivalled for easiness and elasticity of touch, fullness and sweetness of tone. To those in want of Pianos, Mr. Loud would advise to await his visits. Every possible attention will be paid to Pianos, Organs, &c., entrusted to his care, either for repairing or tuning. Having long experience in the business, persons may be assured their Instruments will be put in perfect order, or *no charge will be made*. Old Pianos and Melodeons taken in part payment for new Pianos. Melodeons for sale, &c. Ware-rooms, No. 409, Market street, Philadelphia. 6m—

To the Citizens of Bradford County.

BOOK BINDING.—S. WELLS respectfully informs the inhabitants of Bradford County that he still continues the BOOK BINDING business, in the village of Binghamton, and is ready to attend to anything in his line that may be entrusted to his care.

Particular attention will be given to the binding of Music, Magazines, Law Books, &c. Everything will be done promptly, and in the neatest and most durable manner.

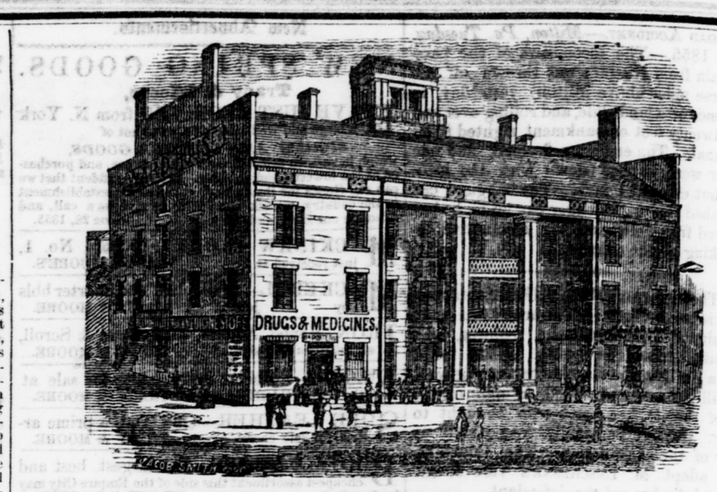
☞ Bindery in the Third Story, over Messrs. Harrington' Store, opposite the Post Office.

☞ As there is no Bindery in Bradford county, for the accommodation of the public arrangements have been made by which Books left at the office of the "*Bradford Reporter*," will be forwarded to me, and returned, without extra expense.

Binghamton, March 31, 1855. n-42

GROCERIES—Call and see our Brown, Crushed, Coffee and Pulverized Sugars ; Fine Young Hyson & Black Teas—warranted a superior article, or the money refunded—for sale cheap by B. KINGSBERY.

GROCERIES.—A large, stock just received —consisting of Sugars, Tea, Coffee, Molasses, Fish, &c. &c., of superior quality for sale at reduced prices. March 15, 1855. BURTON KINGSBERY.



DR. PORTER'S OFFICE & DRUG STORE,

SOUTH END OF THE WARD HOUSE,

Fronting the Public Square.

THE subscriber, thankful for the liberal patronage of the past year, intends to keep constantly on hand a full assortment of the very best articles usually kept in our line, which HE WILL dispose of on such terms as will be satisfactory to all who may patronize him. The purchases are made entirely with cash in hand, and for the CASH our customers will receive the benefit of a good article at a low price. All articles not answering our recommendation, will be *cheerfully taken back, and the money refunded.*

☞ **Medical Advice gratuitously given at the Office, charging only for the Medicines.**

The stock consists of a complete and select assortment of

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ALL THE MOST POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES!

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REMEMBER THE STORE—SOUTH END OF THE WARD HOUSE!

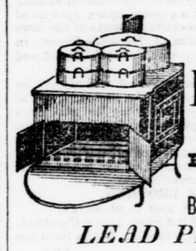
—AND ITS MOTTO—

"*The best quality of Goods—Full assortment—Moderate Profits—Ready attention to customers—No Adulteration of Goods—Candid advice as to Patent Remedies—And close attention to business.*"

H. C. PORTER, M. D.

Towanda, February 1, 1855.

HARDWARE AND IRON STORE.



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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE AND STOVES,

Tin, Japanned and Britannia Ware,

House Trimmings, Carriage Trimmings, Harness & Saddlery Ware, Carpenter's and Joiner's Tools,

BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS, FARMERS TOOLS AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

LEAD PIPE AND PUMPS, of all kinds and sizes,

IRON, STEEL, LEATHER BELTING, &c. &c.

Would inform their friends, that these are only a part of the general heads under which may be classed their extensive assortment, and to which they are constantly receiving additional supplies, direct from the importers and manufacturers, which enables them to offer such inducements in their large stock and low prices as will defy competition, from any quarter. We would ask the particular attention of

MECHANICS AND FARMERS,

to an examination of our stock, which having been selected with the greatest care, we are confident will satisfy even the most fastidious.

☞ Don't forget the place—South side of the Public Square.

Old Iron, Copper and Brass, and all kinds of Country Produce, taken in exchange for Goods.

Towanda, May 27, 1854. HALL & RUSSELL.

DR. HALSEYS' FOREST WINE.—The discovery of the FOREST WINE is the greatest blessing of the age. Put up in Quart Bottles, a single bottle of which does more good, and goes further in the cure of Disease, than ten bottles of any Sarsaparilla in use, and warranted to cure without an unpleasant or weakening effect.

The method by which all Sarsaparillas, and other similar medicines are prepared, is by boiling the Roots of plants to obtain the extracts. Their medicinal virtues are thus principally evaporated and destroyed.

It is not to be wondered at then, that 10 and even 20 bottles of these Sarsaparillas are sometimes taken without any perceptible benefit. Not so with the Forest Wine.—By the invention of a wonderful chemical apparatus, a perfect wine is produced without heating ; retaining, at the same time, all the primitive healing properties of the rare medicinal plants of which it is composed, thus rendering the Forest Wine the most efficient medicine the world ever produced, at the same time time the most agreeable.

TESTIMONY.

This is to certify, that I have used Dr. Halsey's Forest Wine in my family with the most entire success. My wife was badly afflicted with Neuralgia, affections of the Spine and Kidneys, and general Debility. She found speedy relief, and regained her health by the use of the Forest Wine.

From my own knowledge of this excellent medicine, I confidently recommend it for the good of others who may be suffering from similar complaints. It is the best medicine with which I am acquainted, and those who are afflicted with the above, or any similar disease, may safely rely on its virtues. E. G. MUSSEY.

MORE TESTIMONY FROM COHOES.

DR. G. W. HALSEY—Dear Sir : My wife last autumn was reduced to a low state of Debility. My family physician advised her to take your Forest Wine. Accordingly I went to Mr. Terry's, your agent in this town, and procured a bottle of it, which restored her in a very short time to perfect health.

Cohoes, April 13, 1850. HENRY DONALDSON.

DREADFUL COUGH, DEBILITY, AND LOSS OF APPETITE.

DR. HALSEY : Hempstead, Dec. 1, 1847.

A bottle of your Forest Wine and box of Pills, which I procured of James Carr, (your agent for this place,) has done wonders for me. I had been in a state of decline for more than a year, afflicted with a dreadful cough, pain in the breast, general debility, and loss of appetite. I became almost a skeleton, and had been unable to leave my room for more than two months; my friends told me I had the Consumption and despaired of my recoveay. I could not obtain any permanent relief from any medicine I had taken, or my physician, until your Wine and Pills were procured. The first dose of the Pills brought up from my stomach, much phlem and greenish matier, and my stools were perfectly black. I then commenced taking your Forest Wine three times a day, my appetite began to return immediately, my cough left me, and in less than two weeks I was almost well. I now enjoy better health than I ever did before, having increased twenty-five pounds in seven weeks. Your Forest Wine and Pills are highly valued in this vicinity, and I owe my recovery entirely to their virtues. Yours, respectfully,

MARTIN CALDWELL.

AFFECTIONS OF THE KIDNEYS.

Mr. T. J. Gillies, a highly respectable Merchant of No. 308 Broadway, New York, cured of a severe affection of the Kidneys by the Forest Wine and Pills.

Dr. G. W. HALSEY : New-York, March 12, 1853.

Dear Sir—In the summer and fall of last year I had a severe complaint of the Kidneys, which rendered me quite unfit for business. I procured your Forest Wine and Pills which cured me in a few weeks time, and I have since enjoyed better health than I had for many years previously. From their efficacy in my own case, and from what I know your medicines to have done for others, I am induced to recommend them as the best medicines with which I am acquainted. Yours, respectfully,

T. J GILLIES.

DYSPEPSIA.

There are thousands cured every year of this disease by the Forest Wine and Pills ; Dyspepsia, Costiveness and Indigestion, are kindred complaints, frequently existing together, and the cure of one is generally the cure of all. The Forest Wine and Pills above all remedies are pre-eminent in the cure of