A Column of Jokes.

Can't do Without the Papers.

A SOLILOQUY BY "ONE OF THE PEOPLE."

What! do without a paper? No,
I've tried it to my sorrow;
So, to subscribe for one I'll go,
Nor wait until to-morrow.
Should lovers hang or drown themselves,
Or other foolish caper,
I never get to hear of it—
I do not take the paper.

Why, there's my neighbor, Toby Stout,
He always hears the news,
And having news to talk about,
He never gets the "blues;"
While others yawn in ennui,
His mind is light as vapor;
The cause is plain to half an eye,
He always takes the paper!

While neighbor Stout hears all the news,
And knows each current price,
And always minds the P's and Q's
By taking good advice,
I cannot tell the price of grain,
Or poltry, coffee, tape, or
Any kind of merchandise—
Because I take no paper!

Though I have studies which require
Much time and mental labor,
Yet I can spare a little time
As well as Stout, my neighbor;
Though time be precious, I can use
A longer midnight taper,
And thus find time to "read the news"—
Therefore I'll take the paper!

But now which one shall I select,
So many greet my vision?
One stubborn fact which I detect
Shall influence my decision;
The free'st paper that I know—
That 's Democrat all over;
So then straight away I'll go,
And take "*The Erie Observer!*"

"Si Nix," the Pedagogue.

Simon Nixon, or as he was better known, "Si Nix," was a capital specimen of the old school Pedagogue. With the frame of a Colossus, nature evidently intended him for some mechanical employment, and with similar views his father designed that he should succeed him in the honorable trade that had made him and his ancestors, for several generations, so justly celebrated. To this end, Si was in early life inducted into full communion with the cunning workers in the art and mysteries of the tan yard, where he labored with great credit till he attained the age of twenty-one, when it was all at once discovered that his constitution was quite to delicate for such laborious employment. If the honest vernaculer of his delicacy had been spoken, the word lazy would have expressed all the complaints under which he suffered! His mother agreed with him that lighter work was necessary, and school keeping appeared to come nearest to his standard of what was wanted, and as it moreover required no capital to start with, it was determined he should become a teacher.

Thus determined, he was not long looking for an opportunity. The town of Linæus desired a master for the winter term, and he made application.—The school committee, consisting of the minister, the lawyer and the doctor, was convened, and the examination of the would-be-master commenced.—He didn't desire to be asked upon anything in particular, he said, for he calculated he could give them satisfaction upon every subject. "Then," said the lawyer, "you will be kind enough to tell us about Napoleon—Nopoleon Bonaparte." "Ah," said Si in reply, you've got me there, squire, for I never learn on him—wa'n't much, I guess, didn't live in this state, did he?—sort of an outlandish name—reckon he couldn't be much—calculate he was small account, any way." Finding it was a dead set on the Frenchman, he was asked what he knew about Gen. Jackson. "There you've got me again, squire," was the reply. "Why, consarn it, I never heard there was any such General, and I'm some military myself. I go to all the musters, and I've seen Gen. Snow, and Gen. Brown, and Gen. Smith—them are all the Generals that ever come round our way, and I rather guess there aint any such fellow as you speak on. Guess you are trying to make me out worse than I be." Desiring the committee that they would now "try him on something that would be useful like to the children," the examination in history here rested, as the lawyers would say, and an attack was made on punctuation. A comma was shown him and he was asked its use. "Blamnation," said Si, you're arter me now; why, 'taint no use at all—such a little fellow aint any account to nobody—we don't use 'em up our way—don't stan for nothing—it's all foolish having so many of these little things to teach—they aint no use any how; but I am nat'r'l born smart, and I can larn 'em, and teach 'em too, if you say so."

A semi-colon was shown next, and then Si began to think it a gone case with him. "Hangnation, squire, you've got me again," he gasped out, "you'll begin to think I don't know nothing—but if I don't know some things, I'm a willing critter and can larn. Just try me on things that are nat'r'l and useful, and then you'll find me up and drest."

"Then you'll tell us what that is," said the squire as he pointed to a period. Si's eyes glistened, for a millenium was opening to him. "By Jehoshaphat," said he, "I thought you'd come to something at last, so that I could satisfy you that I aint quite a fool; but I tell you I'm there now, if you did think I didn't know nothing. Why, I know that just as easy—I knew it the minit I put my eyes on it, for we have lots of 'em up our way, and every body knows what they are."

"Yes," said the squire, "and this is"—

"A fly speck!" ejaculated Si, with an air of proud and conscious satisfaction.

☞ A correspondent of the Troy *Times* lets off the following: "As we were passing by an auction shop, a wifty auctioneer was trying to sell an old hand organ. To that end he was grinding out the music and the crowd began to throw out the pennies, when a countryman stepped up to him and said, 'Sir, you ought to have a *monkey*.' 'My good fellow,' replied the auctioneer, 'so I had. *Step right up here*.' The countryman left."

☞ An exchange says that a lad of fifteen who saunters about rum shops, smokes segars, chews tobacco, drinks wine, or falls in love with a lady much older than himself, "is rotten before ripe!"

NEW YORK AND ERIE RAILROAD.
J. Ricarn & Co., Agents,
PUBLIC DOCK, ERIE, PENNA.

ARE prepared to contract Butter, Cheese, and all other property to from Erie to New York—through in thirty hours. ALSO—Agents for Lines on Erie Canal—no transhipments, through direct from Buffalo to New-York.
☞ For sale, Coal, Salt, White Fish, and Water Lime.
Erie, June 24. 7

1851. 1851.
LOWRY & SCOTT,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, AND
DEALERS IN COAL!
Also, Fish, Flour, Salt and Plaster, at the large Ware House Westover Bridge, Public Dock, Erie, Pa.
M. B. LOWRY. WM. L. SCOTT

NEW HAT AND CAP STORE!!
THE subscriber, having rented the store on Park Row, two doors west of Williams' & Wright's Exchange Office, lately occupied as a Jewelry Store by Mr. Stockton, desires to call the attention of the citizens of Erie to his stock of **Hats & Caps** which he is now opening, direct from Eastern Manufactories. Being a practical Hatter himself, and having taken the utmost pains in the selection of these Goods, the community may rest assured they are made of firm materials, and by the best workmen, and will be warranted equal in much, style and durability to any that can be sold in the Eastern cities.
Gentlemen can at all times find here the latest fashions. Wm. H. Burke & Co's celebrated Hats at New York prices, and Caps of almost every style, quality and price. Also, a good stock of Buffalo Robes.
The subscriber hopes by honorable, fair dealing, to build up his business, as his aim is not to deceive those who patronize him, but to make reliable customers.
Erie, Sept. 13, 1-51.—1— R. J. ROGERS

EMPIRE AGAIN.
Keep it before the People that the Empires are not to be Undersold
I HAVE just received the Agency of two of the largest Iron and Nail Manufactories in the Union. Prices are therefore reduced below anything ever heard of. Farmers lift up your heads; a Barrel of Flour will pay for one more Nail, and Iron that it would a year ago. We will sell Bar Iron as low as 4cts. per pound, Iron all round for Wagons, including Swedes, at 3½cts. Nails, some sizes as low as 3½cts. by the keg. Those prices are 10 per cent below Buffalo. When those prices can be matched I will try again. The above are for cash. Just receiving a large stock of Shelf Hardware, Saddlery Hardware, Buggy Trimmings, Chisels, Anvils, Vices, Bellows, and Mechanics' Tools of all kinds at low rates, also Rubber Belting.
Erie, Sept. 13, 1-51. H. CADWELL.

SAVE TIME! SAVE MONEY! SAVE LABOR!
WILSON'S Chemical Lustra Washing Fluid, for washing in hard or soft Water. This Fluid is the best preparation known for washing cotton, linen, or woolen cloths, for removing grease or tar, for clean harbors or paint, for destroying bedbugs and other vermin, for sale by J. H. BURTON & Co.
Aug 23. 13

Land and Lots for Sale.
300 ACRES in Bloomfield township, 150 acres cleared, buildings and orchard—price $2000. This is an excellent grazing farm.
150 acres nine miles west of Erie, in Fairview township, 100 acres cleared, buildings and orchard—price $29 per acre; an excellent grain or grazing farm.
77 acres in Union township, 45 acres cleared, buildings and orchard—price $1200.
100 acres in Le Boeuf township, on the east bank of French Creek, 6 miles below Waterford—75 acres cleared, house, barn, and orchard, price $2000. This is a beautiful farm of bottom lands and hill side, good for grain or grass.
76 acres two miles east of Erie, on Lake Road, good buildings and orchard, and a valuable power for a mill—price $40 per acre.
30 acres Erie Academy land, one mile south of Erie, on the Turnpike road, all cleared—price $75 per acre.
300 acres of Wild Land, part of tract No 2060, in Wayne township—price $750.
91 acres of Wild Land in Le Boeuf tp—price $3 per acre.
Also, a large number of In Lots and Out Lots of the town of Erie.
WILSON KING.
Feb 26, 1851. 12 Land Agent, Erie, Pa.

TAR, Pitch and Rosin constantly on hand and for sale by R. T. S. & SONS. (6)

COPARTNERSHIP.
WILLIAM BEATTY & M. SANFORD have this day formed a copartnership as Bankers and Collection and Exchange Brokers, under the firm of M. SANFORD & CO. Office in "Beatty's Block," between State and Peach Streets, Public Square.
Erie, Jan. Jan 1, 1-51. n41

YEAST POWDER, a superior article, for sale by
June 21. 6 D. S. CLARK.

EXTRACTS of Lemon, Rose, Vanilla, Nutmeg, Bitter Almonds, Peach, Celery, Orange Flour, Cochineal and Nectarine, for sale by D. S. CLARK.
June 21. 6

100 BAGS SHOT just received and for sale by
June 21, 1-51 R. T. STERRETT & SONS. 6

NOTICE.
AN application will be made to the next Legislature of Pennsylvania, for the incorporation of a Bank, to be called the Erie City Bank, to be located in the City of Erie, Erie County, Pa., with a capital of one hundred thousand dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same to three hundred thousand dollars, and that the individual liability clause will be inserted in the Charter of said Bank.

J. H. Patterson,	J. C. Marshall,	Smith Jackson,
Henry Caldwell,	C. M. Tiffany,	Geo Loomis,
Geo Kelsey,	Wm. Kelley,	Walter Chester,
Thomas H. Sill,	John Galbraith,	A. Beebe,
	W. M. Gallagher	

Erie, Pa., June 21, 1851.

Radway's Ready Relief fo Pain.
A CERTAIN cure for Rheumatism, Sore throat, Sprains, Affections of the Spine, Toothache, Tic Doloureux, and all Nervous affections, Salt Rheum, Ring Worm, Eruptions of the Head and Cramps in the stomach. For sale by
Erie, Aug 2. 12 CARTER & BRO.

NEW BATCHES JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS
AT LOOMIS & CO'S.
State, St. nearly opp site Empire Stores.
NOW open, a large and most stock of Goods in this line ever offered in Erie, the most purchased in N. York cheaper than now selling elsewhere. Any one wanting a pure sweet smelling Watch or Chain will have a first rate article by calling. Not to be undersold by any similar establishment in the vicinity. G. LOOMIS & CO.
Erie, Aug. 23 6

CALLIGRAPHIC GOLD PENS, warranted to order at short notice, Gold Rings, Breast Pins, Bracelets, Chains, or anything desired, cheap, cash only. G. LOOMIS & Co's

New and Popular School Book.
COMPREHENSIVE Synopsis of Universal History, together with a Biographical Dictionary, Short Questions, to which is appended a Concise Outline Mythology, Natural Philosophy, General Astronomy and Physiology. Adapted to the Public Schools of Philadelphia. E. S. JONES & Co., Publishers.
S. W. Corner FOURTH and RACE streets, Philadelphia.
Teachers and School Committees addressing letters to us post paid, will be furnished with copies for examination.
☞ A Full and Complete Assortment of Books and Stationary for sale at the *Lowest Price*.
Philadelphia, May 7, 1-51. 1451

NEW FALL GOODS.
JOHN C. BEEBE, having just returned from New York with a large, splendid and cheap assortment of honest Goods, strong, handsome, fast colored and fashionable, fresh from the looms of the manufacturers, in every clime, Europe, Asia, Africa and America, bought at a great sacrifice for cash, and offered to the public for nearly their own price. Call and see, can be shown 20 cheap prices as any house, and none to forget to buy unless suited. Among his stock will be found silk, wool, cotton and linen, silk and satin Dress Goods, of every variety, Broad Cloths and Cassimeres, plain and warped Poplins, edgings, insertings, collars, undersleeves, cuffs, silk and satin Vestings, Fringes, Lace, black purple, white and variegated, Canton, mixed, &c.
Erie, Sept. 20, 1-51. 6m19

HOVER'S INK MANUFACTORY,
Removed to No. 144 Race Street,
Between Fourth and Fifth, opposite Crown Street, Philadelphia,
WHERE the Proprietor is enabled, by increased facilities, to supply the growing demand for Hover's Ink, which its wide-spread reputation has created.
The Ink is now so well established in the good opinion and good sense of the American Public, that it is scarcely necessary to say anything in its favor, and the manufacturer takes this opportunity to say that the confidence thus secured shall not be abused.
In addition to the various kinds of Writing Ink, he also manufactures *Adamantine Cement* for mending Glass and China, as well as a superior *Hair Dye*; a trial is only necessary to insure its future use, and a *Sealing Wax*, well adapted for Druggists and Bottles, at a very low price, in large or small quantities.
Orders addressed to JOSEPH E. HOVER, Manufacturer, No. 144 Race-st. Between 4th & 5th, opposite Crown street, Philadelphia.
Philadelphia, Sept. 20, 1-51. 3m19

52 KEGS Kennedy Rifle Powder, just rec'd, and for sale by the half, quarter, or whole Keg by
June 21, 1-51. (6) R. T. STERRETT & SONS.

Iron! Iron!! Iron!!!
I am now receiving as large and well assorted stock of Iron as can be found west of Albany. It was bought entirely for *Cash*, and will be sold for the same at prices that defy competition. Also, a large stock of Nails and Spikes, at unusually low figures. RUFUS REED,
Erie, Sept. 27. 20 No. 12—Reed House

Sugars! Sugars!!
I AM now receiving a large stock of Sugars, which have just been purchased at very low figures in New York for cash, and will be sold proportionably low for cash or ready pay.
I am also receiving a large supply of Teas, Coffees, Molasses, Spices, &c., &c. I invite the attention of those wishing to purchase and say I think I can offer as good inducements as any house in this city. JOHN C. BEEBE.
Erie, Sept. 20, 1-51. 6m19.

OILS.—Hyosciamus, Elecut and Croton, at CARTER'S

PREMIUM FOR SILVER.—We pay a premium in GOLD for Dollars, Half Dollars and Five Francs.
Erie, June 14. M. SANFORD & CO.

WOOD WANTED!
THE subscriber wishes to purchase **300 Cords** of Hemlock and other good wood delivered at his Ashery and Lime Kiln corner of French and Peach Streets.
Sept. 27 —tf— S. JACKSON.

Musical Academy.
THIS institute will be opened in a few days at his rooms, 4 doors east of the Erie Bank, as soon as the names of Fifty subscribers are obtained. Terms—$6 for one person, $10 for families containing six persons, per year, invariably in advance. Five lessons will be given every Saturday, either of which pupils may attend. Hours of study from 7 A. M. to 9, from 10 to 12, from 1 P. M. to 3, from 4 to 6, from 7 evening to 9. They ladies may select one of these lessons for themselves, thus enabling all to attend without inconvenience. This unparalled low price of tuition brings instruction within the reach of all. The hours will be occupied in the following manner:—First vocal exercises—second, lectures on every thing connected with music, (history or music, including the news of musical matters)—third, rudiments of music, with explanations on the black board, or on an instrument—fourth, sacred music, with accompaniment on the Melodeon.—All persons wishing to subscribe, will find me, at the above named rooms. WM. WILLING.
Erie, Oct. 4, 1-51. 1921

A GENERAL assortment of Crockery and Glassware may be found at the store of 21 SENNETT & CO.

CORN BASKETS for sale at the new store in the Sennett block.
Oct 1— 21 SENNETT & CO

LAPRIA, De Laines, Ginghams, Calicos, a very general assortment for sale by 23 G. SELDEN & SON

SHILLINGS, Bed Ticks, Cotton Yarn, Carpet Warp, white and colored. 23 G. SELDEN & SON.

AXES—30 dozen just received and for sale by
Oct. 18.—23 G. SELDEN & SON.

AXES—A large lot just received direct from the manufacturer. 23 G. SELDEN & SON.

A PERFECT SAFEGUARD AGAINST
QUACKERY.
THE CHEAPEST BOOK EVER PUBLISHED!
PRICE ONLY 25 CENTS A COPY,
OR FIVE COPIES FOR ONE DOLLAR!

DR. LA CROIX'S PRIVATE MEDICAL TREATISE, entitled, A Philosophical View of Marriage—a popular treatise on the secret infirmities of youth and maturity, arising from sexual excesses in both sexes, with upwards of 125 Prescriptions and Processes, illustrating Contagious and Cutaneous Diseases, Physiology, and Diseases of the Sexual Organs, their structures, uses and functions, and the various injuries produced in them by solitary habits, excesses and infection, causes, symptoms and lamentable effects of Venereal diseases, together with full directions for the perfect cure of syphilis, gleet, stricture, &c., *without mercury*.
To which are added very extensive practical observations on Sexual Debility, arising from nocturnal seminal emissions, or constitutional weakness, and its attendant sympathies. The whole illustrated by striking cases from Dr La Croix's private practice. The reproductive organs of females illustrated. Menstruation, irregularity, or the entire suppression of the Menses, and their remedies by M. B. La Croix, M. D., Graduate of the Medical Department of the Northern University—Member of the Hospital des Veneriennes, Paris—Correspondent of the Reformed School of Medicine, and member of the Medical Society, &c. &c.

CAUTION.
In this book the nature of every private disease is minutely described, with the symptoms, and how to distinguish one from another—with receipts for the remedies, their management, &c., in obtain language. It enables every one to successfully and positively treat his case, thereby avoiding the impositions daily practiced by quacks on the guardians, or to judge if properly treated. Young men who have been led astray in contracting disease, previous to placing themselves under the care of any doctor, to inquire what his pretensions may be, get a copy of this truly useful work first, as it exposes the trickery and imposture practiced by quacks, who advertise to cure private diseases in the public newspapers. Sold by the author, who may be consulted upon any of the diseases of which it treats. Any person sending 25 cents enclose in a letter (post paid) will receive one copy of one book by mail, or five copies for $1. Address Dr M. B. La Croix, of box 1693, P. O., Buffalo, N. Y. Also for sale by the agent, No. 56, Beaver st. P. L. Gilbert, under the Museum, Albany, N. Y.

FEMALE COMPLAINT.
Falling of the Womb, Gonorrhœa or Whites, Obstructed, Excessive, Irregular or painful Menses, Dropsy of the Womb.
Dr. La Croix offers relief upon by young and innocent females who have had their health injured for years by pills and nostrums purchased from celebrated female nurseries, and of the unsuccessful or effecting cure—these are learned in nineteen cases out of twenty, have an injurious effect upon the constitution, without producing the desired effect, or any sign of it. Ladies who wish for medicines, the efficacy of which has been tested in thousands of cases, and never failed to effect speedy cures without any bad results, will use none but

Dr. Do Laney's Female Periodical Pills.
which are the result of the combined knowledge and experience of some of the oldest and most distinguished physicians of Europe, and have been used by females embracing most of the gentility and nobility of France for the last 25 years. To females their virtues would not add to their merits. The only precaution necessary to be observed is, ladies should not take them if they have reason to believe that they are in certain situations (the particulars of which will be mentioned in the wrappers accompanying each box) though always safe and healthy, so gently, yet so active are they.
☞ Price $1 per box, they can be transmitted by mail to any part of the Union.
Dr. La Croix invites all the afflicted, however hopeless their case may appear, of whatever their disease may be, or however many physicians or nostrums they have tried, to put his knowledge and skill to the test in an examination of the case—it will cost them nothing. He promises to every case he treats a permanent and radical cure for life.
☞ The Dispensary is so arranged that the person selling will see no one but the doctor himself, who is in constant attendance in his private room, ready and willing to order a cure for all who may give him a call. Hundreds of certificates voluntarily given of cures, some of which are most astonishing cases on record, are for inspection at the Dispensary, all which are by his medicines.
Remember 61 Lloyd street, up stairs, sign of Old Galen's Head, Buffalo, N. Y.
Buffalo, March 1, 1851. 1y13

Erie Livery Stable.
THE subscribers would inform the public that they continue the Livery business at their old stand on State Street, near Third, where Horses and Carriages of all description may be found at all times ready for use, and prices to suit the times. Please give us a call. MARTIN & BRIGGS.
Erie, June 14, 1-51. 15.

National Series of Standard School Books.
DAVIES' COURSE OF MATHEMATICS.
ACADEMIC COURSE.
First Lessons in Arithmetic, School Arithmetic, University Arithmetic, Elementary Algebra, Elementary Geometry, Practical Geometry.
COLLEGE COURSE.
Bourdon's Algebra, Legendre's Geometry, Surveying, Ana. Geometry, Calculus, Descriptive Geometry, Shades, Shadows, &c.
ELEMENTARY SCIENCES.
Parker's Juvenile Philosophy,
do. First Lessons in Natural Philosophy,
do. School Compedium of Nat. Philosophy;
Clark's Elements of Drawing.
Page's elements of Geology,
Hamilton's Elements of Physiology,
Reed and Bart's Chemistry and Electricity,
McIntire's Astronomy and Globes.
HISTORIES.
Willard's School History,
do. United States and Historical Charts,
do. Universal History and Temple of Time, and Historic Globe.
Science of the English Language
Clark's New English Grammar,
Parker's Rhetorical Reader,
Watt's Improvement of the mind.
ELEMENTARY WORK
Northend's Little Speaker, American Speaker, School Dialogues, Kneeland's Juvenile Guide, Button and Sherwood's Second Sing and Hymn Book.
Felton and Eastman's System of Penmanship and Book-keeping, with charge-ruler Charts and Key.
☞ The above list of books have been prepared with particular reference to the education and improvement of our country. Teachers and friends of education are respectfully request to examine these works in reference to their merits and their practical adaptation to the public schools and higher Universities of our country. For sale wholesale and retail, by O. D. SPAFFORD.
May 21.—2 Agent for A. S. Barnes, & Co.

GREAT WESTERN TIN SHOP.
The subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he still continues the TIN, COPPER and SHEET IRON BUSINESS, at the old stand formerly occupied by Hall & Sons, on Market, Erie, and specifically invites a continuance of the patronage heretofore indulged to the concern. I have now on hand the largest stock of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware west of New York. Those wishing to purchase would do well to call on me before buying elsewhere, as I am found to sell cheaper than the cheapest.
Having now on hand the best COOK STOVE in the state, (the Eagle Hot-Air) which needs no puffing to sell a stove for itself—I will warrant it to any one who may purchase. Also, 300 dozen Milk Pans, of all sizes, cheap Vats and Boilers, Strainers, Strainer Pails, Canal Boat Lamps and pumps, Coffee Pots, Tea Pots and Boilers, Lanters, washbowls, cake pans, pails, blowhorns, dippers, skimmers, teakettles, boilers, steamers, buckets, oil cans, lampfillers, pepperpots, tumbler drainers, spittoons, trunks, dish pans, tins, quart and half gallon measures, funnels, graters, &c. Also a good assortment of JAPAN WARE, consisting of cake boxes, trunks, deed boxes, spittoons, tea and coffee canisters, fruit dishes, dust pans, lard and oil lamps, candlesticks, flower boxes, tea cups and pails, rattle boxes, whistles, applebutter kettles, tea kettles, stove pipes and elbows, &c.
Spouting and Gutters promptly attended to. All kind of steam work made and repaired at the shortest notice.
WANTED—About forty thousand lbs old Copper, Brass and Pewter will be taken in exchange for Tin and Copper Ware.
Merchants and others would do well to give me a call at the old stand of Middleton & Mayhew, two doors east of Brown's Hotel.
Erie, March 13, 1-51.—11 N. MURPHY.

NEW BOOKS.
CALL in and see if there has not been a real Resurrection at the corner of French and 6th streets, where the subscriber will be on hand at all times ready to inquire after the health of his customers, (will believing, as he expresses himself, that every man has a right to his own opinion,) and also to show them the best stock of Miscellaneous,
School-Books and Family Bibles,
ever brought to this place. Also, on hand a splendid assortment of Blank Books of his own manufacture, warranted to be of paper of the best quality, all of which will be sold low for cash or clean paper rags.
N. B. On hand 15 bairels of Cider Vinegar, of excellent quality to be exchanged for rags or Cash.
Binding done to order on short notice.
Expected shortly a large lot of Christmas Books and Annuals.
Erie, Nov. 21. OLIVER SPAFFORD.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.
BY request of some of the members of the Erie County Agricultural societies, the subscriber brought on and offers for sale the following articles.
Emery & Co's, Horse Power and Threshing Machine,
Sub-soil Plows
Corn Planters ann Seed Drills,
Fog Powers for churning, driving grand stones, &c.,
Cornstalk cutter and crushers,
Hay and Straw Cutters,
Emery's improved compressing and thermometer churn combined, 10 tooth Garden Rakes, Hay Forks, improved still Scythe stones, &c., &c.
Having made arrangements for the Agency of the above, together with all articles in Agricultural Machinery and Farming Implements, I can furnish at Wholesale or Retail, on the same terms as the manufacturers, adding transportation, and as all articles are warranted, the attention of Farmers and others is solicited. D. S. CLARK,
Erie may 10, 1851. State street, 2 doors north of Fullerton's.

Kiln Dried Lumber.
CARTER & BROTHER have on hand at their Planing Mill and Lumber yard, on 11th St., east of the Furnace, a quantity of Kiln dried Pine and White Wood Lumber. Plained and Matched Flooring, warranted superior to any worked by hand. Builders will save money by buying their Stock at this Establishment, where it can be furnished planed in a superior manner, and sawed into any shape desired. Cash paid for Flooring and Clear Pine.
Erie, May 21, 1-51. 3

Lozth r and Shoe Findings!
J. H. FULLERTON has in store and offers for sale

1000	sides Spanish Sole Leather
1000	" Slaughter " "
1500	" Upper "
100	dozen Jersey Calf-skins,
100	" Country "
60	" French "
60	" Black and Fancy Morocco,
60	" Linings and Bindings,
50	" Kipskins,
30	" Sports,
10	" Enamelled and Patent Leather.

ALSO—Lasts, Boot Trees, Cramps, and every article of Shoemaker's Tools. Erie, April 2.

VALUABLE WATER POWER AND SAW MILL FOR SALE.
A VALUABLE Water Power and Saw Mill, at the North slope of the Summit, in Crawford county, on the Erie Extension Canal, surrounded by the finest timber in the county, and a good location for a Grist Mill, will be sold at a great bargain. LUMBER or CANAL BONDS will be taken in payment.
Sept. 29, 1-51. M. B. LOWRY.

Starch!! Starch!!!
J. B. SMYTH & CO'S Corn and Wheat Starch on hand in 1 lb. papers, for sale at New York wholesale cash prices. Orders from Country Merchants promptly filled.
Erie, July 26. C. M. TIBBALS, Cheapside.

EXTRACTS.—Preston & Merrill's extracts of Lemon and Vanilla, for sale by R. T. STERRETT & SON.

Bardatte's Vermifuge Sugar Drops,
FOR the destruction of worms. They contain no calomel or mercury in any form or any deleterious ingredients whatever, and are at once attractive to the eye, pleasant to the taste, and sure in their operation. Children eat them with great avidity. For sale by J. H. BURTON & Co.,
Erie, Aug 2. 12 No. 5, Reed House.

Cash for Lumber!
THE subscribers are prepared to pay CASH for any quantity of White wood Lumber, viz 1 and 1-4 Boards, 11, 12, 13 and 14 inch Plank, Column 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 inches square, and 3 by 4 Scantling. Ash of the following thickness, 1, 1-4, 1-2, 3 and 4 inches; Cherry and all kinds of shipping lumber. The Subscribers will make contracts for any amount of the above mentioned Lumber to be delivered the ensuing season. The above to be the most desirable high to have Lumber sawed.
Erie, Nov. 30, 1-50. GEO. SELDEN & SON.

THE DULCIMER:
Or the New York Collection of Sacred Music.
CONSTITUTING a large and choice variety of new Tunes, Chants, Anthems, Motetts, etc., from the best Foreign and American composers, with all the old tunes in common use, together with a concise elementary course, simplified and adapted to the capacities of beginners. The whole comprising the most complete collection of sacred music ever published, for sale at the Bookstore of O. SPAFFORD.
Erie, Nov 30, 1850. n29

PULVERISED CORN STARCH—Of unequaled purity, with full directions for making Puddings, Custards, &c., for sale by
Erie, January 1, 1-51. JOHN McCANN.

Keystone Paper Mills,
ERIE, PA.
PERKINS & SELDEN
MR. ELIHU MARVIN having disposed of his interest in the above establishment, and in the business of Marvin & Perkins, to Samuel Selden, the business will hereafter be conducted by the subscribers, under the name of Perkins & Selden, who will settle all accounts of the late firm. Oct 19.
ELIHU L. PERKINS. SAMUEL SELDEN.

SOAP.—A large lot of superior Hard Soap, for family use, from an Eastern Manufactory for sale at a cheap prices by the Box. A supply will at all times be kept on hand. Soap Makers and Families will do well to call and examine qualities and prices for sale on consignment by R. O. HULBERT.
Erie May 4 1-50. 31

WOOL WANTED.
At Harbaretck's Woolen Factory, South of the Buffalo Road.
THE proprietors, having made considerable improvement in their machinery and water works, are now enabled to run their Factory all through the seasons, and having a quantity of Cloths, Cassimeres, Flannels, Satinets and Tweeds, Shawls, Blankets and Sheetings, also Satinets of different colors and qualities, to exchange for Wool, at 25 cts. of wool per yard of cloth as good as the wool will make. We invite all our old customers, and as many new ones as can make it convenient, to give us a call. We continue to full, dye and dress domestic cloth, and manufacture Wool at our usual rates. Also, Carding done on short notice and in the best manner. Water Proof Cloth for over coats, of our own manufacture, kept on hand to exchange for Wool.
RHODES, CASS, & Co.
Harbaretck, May 31. 3

STRAW GOODS.—Bonnets and Hats, a good assortment just received and for sale at No. 3 Perry Block.
April 19, 1-51. ERRICKLE & KEPLER.

W. C. BRADLEY
WOULD inform the public that he intends to pay particular attention to Vulcanizing Surgery in all its various branches.—His charges will be reasonable. Please call and see. Office at the Canal Stable, near the outlet Lock of the Extension Canal.
Erie, Jan. 4, 1-51. 15

FARM, FOR SALE.
FOR sale a Farm of 78 acres on the Lake road, two miles west of the city of Erie, nearly all improved, with a good water power, a comfortable House, Barn and Orchard. Price $60 per acre, one-fourth down, and the balance in three equal annual instalments with interest. Apply to Mr. Wilson King, in Erie, or to A. Dunnavan, the, at P. C. Blancan's, 154, Main Street, Buffalo.
☞ Gazette please copy. tf1

A First Rate Tract of Land for Sale.
THE O'HARA Tract, or tract No. 377 in McKean township, adjoining the south line of Mill creek township, and containing 118 acres. This is one of the *very best* tracts of land for wheat or other grain, in the county of Erie. It is well timbered, exceedingly well watered, and situated only seven miles from the city of Erie, and will be sold in whole or in parts to suit purchasers. Its timber and location make it a very inviting situation for the erection of a grain saw mill.
Also, 100 to a lot in Erie. Also, 120 half acre lots at from $70 to $220 each; being a subdivision of Erie Outlots. Now $30 and $50, all for sale by WILSON KING,
July 12, 1851. 19 Land agent, Erie, Pa.

MEDICAL NOTICE.
DOCT. W. R. WILLIAMS, having repurchased his entire Medical Practice of Dr. L. G. Hall, in Warisburgh and vicinity, would respectfully announce to his patrons and the public generally that he has resumed his practice, and will give prompt attendance to all calls in the line of his profession. Residence opposite the Presbyterian Church.
Warisburgh, July 8, 1851. tf
Gazette please copy untilforbid.

THE JEW'S HARP!
In Erie's fair City at the Store of the Jew,
I kept everything cheap, pretty and new;
To be convinced what we say is really true
Give us a call, then you'll never say no.

Silks, figured, plain and satin de chenes,
Alpaccas, Merinoes and Muslin de Laines,
Mulls, Cambrics and splendidly embroidered robes,
Wrought in figures the most beautiful, various in modes.

Lace Capes, Undersleeves, Belts, Collars and Cuffs,
Together with a large assortment of fancy stuffs,
A large and splendid lot of Bay State Shawls—
Ladies we're happy to receive all your calls.

We have Dress Goods of all colors, blue, scarlet and brown,
As pretty and cheap as can be had in the town.
An assortment of Poplins, plain, chince, striped, watered and plaid,
Far prettier and cheaper than any where else in the city can be had.

We have a fine lot of Hosiery and gloves—again,
We have Laces and Laces, both dotted and plain,
With Insertings and Edgings, Cambric, Cotton and Lisle, Style,
Which cannot be excelled in beauty of patterns, cheapness and wear.

We would also notice our importation of Wine, [Rine,
The pure juice of the grape, grown on the sunny banks of the
Free from all drugs and poisonous dyes—
None can its excellence know until it he tries.

We would advise our friends of its excellence to partake,
Not merely as a beverage, but for the "stomach's sake,"
For which we assure you it will do you no harm,
Its its purity consists in chief and great charm.

To make quick sales for small profits we certainly are willing,
Rather our neighbors we can not for big profits and the slow
They may charge large prices—we'll see if we can slide—
But our goods are cheap and let them shine.

Now I don't want this to be mistaken by taking by surprise,
For I intend to let my goods speak for themselves,
Or that I am trying to sell wool over their eyes,
Or that I am out of machinery to weave.

Remember, I sell for very cheap for the money.
Erie, Sept. 20, 1-51. M. KOCH.

Circular to the Ladies and Gentlemen.
AMONG the prominent advantages Chemistry has brought to light, is the application of the principle of electricity, one more, and it is the best, to make its appearance, designed expressly for your benefit. In introducing to you

LYON'S HATHAIRON,
Having been awarded the Premium at the New York and Michigan State Fairs as being the best article offered for the restoration of the Hair and to keep it from falling off. One trial will prove to you more satisfactory than hundreds of certificates from persons you never heard of, having, may down cast. Try it, and judge for yourselves. There is no humbug about this; but it is an article that must every day used by hundreds of families, to their entire satisfaction. It *never* disappointed, and is in the least injurious to the hair; on the contrary, it will leave your hair in a healthy state, and effectually destroys dandruff, leaving the hair, under its application, always

CLEAN, SOFT AND GLOSSY,
dressed in any style. It is unrivalled for its beautifying and invigorating qualities, imparting to the Hair the fragrance of the most delightful flowers. For the toilet it is unequaled. Try it, Ladies and Gentlemen, and if you find it answers your expectations, the proprietor would be happy to receive your patronage and assistance in introducing it to your friends. Also,

LYON'S EXTRACT OF JAMAICA GINGER,
For Dyspepsia, Gout, Rheumatism, Cramp, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Nervous and Sick Headache, Sea Sickness, Nausea, &c.
The great advantage of this Extract over all other Ginger is, that in a very concentrated form, it contains all the active principles, without any of the inert matter, which makes it much more agreeable to the stomach, and at the same time more palatable. Try a single bottle of either, and if not satisfied our Agents are authorized to return the money in every instance.
Orders from Dealers supplied at the usual discount, by addressing THOMAS & RUST, New York.
☞ Carter & Brother, Druggists, Erie. 6m11

CHEWING GUM for sale by the box cheaply
Erie, Sept. 6 J. H. BURTON & CO.

OLD Ohio Whiskey—30 barrels just received by
LAIRD & RUST.

JEWELRY
IN great variety at Loomis & Co's, embracing Ladies and Gents Chains, Breast Pins, Finger Rings, Bracelets and Gents' Ladies' Gold Pens, Bracelets, and other desirable articles, all warranted as represented. Call in—no charge for showing. 7 June 21.

NEW AND USEFUL.
WASHING DAY BANISHED.—EXCELSIOR FAMILY
SOAP
BY which a large washing can be done in one-third less time, trouble and expense than with any other Soap known. It can be used with soft or hard water, cold or warm. Will remove Grease, Paint, Tar, Pitch or stains from goods without the least injury either to the goods or the hands. For sale by
Erie, June 21, 1-51. CARTER & BROTHER.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
THE ERIE BANK IN THE COUNTY OF ERIE.
THE Stockholders of this Bank give notice that they intend to apply to the next Legislature for a renewal of the Charter, with the same Capital, and with its present title, location and privileges. By order of the Board of Directors.
Erie, Aug. 20, 1-51. 5m15 C. M. SPARREN, Cashier

SEE THIS.
JOHN ZIMMERLY has sold out his entire stock of Groceries to Messrs. A & J. S. Walters. Those concerned are informed that the Books and accounts of Zimmerly & Hitchcock, A. H. Hitchcock, and John Zimmerly, are in the hands of the latter, individual for IMMEDIATE collection. Necessity dictates that this be the LAST CALL; therefore gentlemen will see the benefit of giving this their earnest attention.
JOHN ZIMMERLY,
Erie, August 30, 1851. A. H. HITCHCOCK.

New Fall & Winter Goods from Auction!!
I HAVE just returned from New York and Philadelphia with the largest stock of
FALL AND