MISCELLANEOUS.

BOOKS! BOOKS!

JUST rec'd at the PRESBYTERIAN BOOK ROOM, No. 79 Wood street, and for sale at Eastern prices: Gesenius' Hebrew Lexicon, Townsend's Arrangement of the Bible, Neander's History of the Christian Religion and Church, Milnor's Treatise on Christian Doctrine, Life of Jeremiah Evarts, Esq., Robinson's Greek Harmony of the Gospels, do English do do, Scott's Bible, 6 vols, Boston edition; Parish's Bible Gazetteer, Mediner's Chins and its Prospects, Dr. Wood's Lectures on Swedenborgianism, Holt's Missionary Anecdotes; and many other interesting works, in addition to the above, all at EASTERN PRICES. novtf

THE MAP OF PITTSBURGH, ALLEGHENY, AND VICINITY, will be ready for the surveyor in 10 days. Persons who may wish to have views of their country seats put on the map can do so by making application to the undersigned, any time before the 8th inst. To defray the expense of the views, will be required in addition to the price of the map. novtf R E McGOWAN

TO THE PUBLIC.

ABOUT four years since, I was traveling through the State of Ohio; while spending a few days in Sharon, I discovered a singular Metallic substance, and subsequently learned that it had been known for years, and supposed to be of no use or value, but from its uniformity of texture and singular appearance, I was led to believe it might be made useful, but for what purpose I had not the least idea. I commenced my experiments by burning it, boiling it, and pulverizing it, and compounding it with various substances; and so strong was my confidence that it ere was value in it, that I gave up my entire time and means in the prosecution of these experiments; and from that time to this I have attended to no other business; at the expiration of about two years, I finally discovered, that, by reducing it to a fine powder and mixing it with linseed oil to about the consistency of thick paint, and applying this compound with a brush, that this coating in a few months would become a perfect stone or slate; so that the substance when applied was actually slate in a liquid state, and the large amount of silica, alumina, magnesia and black oxide of iron that it contained, rendered it both weather and fire proof; as the longer exposed, the harder and more permanent it seems to become, and as the coating (after it turns to slate) is of itself indestructible by fire, consequently it protects the wood covered with it from the air, and where there is no air, there is no blaze or combustion; therefore the wood will actually char, before the slate covering will give way.

I considered the discovery of the greatest importance, and applied to Government for a patent for my invention or discovery, kindly hoping that I should now be remunerated for all my outlay in time and money. The government, without any hesitation, granted to me Letters Patent for the sole right to manufacture, sell and use my improvement in the manufacture of a "Weather and Fire Proof Composition or Artificial Slate," for fourteen years.

August 14, 1849. WM. BLAKE.

WE, the inhabitants of Sharon, have read the above statement of Mr. Blake, and believe the substantially correct, as we are knowing to most of the statements therein contained; and we will further state, that we do not believe that there ever was a patent more honestly and laboriously earned, or more deservedly granted; as he pursued his experiments with the most praiseworthy perseverance under the most discouraging circumstances, as the public had not the least confidence that there could be any thing valuable made from the substance. He therefore had to encounter for years the jeers and scoffs of nearly the whole community; notwithstanding, all this, he was indefatigable in the prosecution of his experiments, and we do not believe that there is one man in a thousand who would have persevered under all the circumstances. But he has at last triumphed over all obstacles, and we believe there is now but one opinion in awarding him the merit of a valuable discovery.

GEO. W. CRANE, } Justices of
H. GIBBS, } the
JONATHAN SEVERHARD, } Peace.
LEWIS C CHATFIELD, } Trustees
R. W. MILL, } of
BENJAMIN JONE, } Township.
WM. EVERETT, Township Clerk.
ALLEN HOWE, Treasurer.

CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC.

I have ascertained that there are individuals engaged in digging, grinding, and preparing for sale, the above mentioned Mineral, to be mixed with oil, and used precisely as I use my patented article. I have been to the expense of obtaining them my patent. They say they do not intend to infringe or trespass upon my rights; that they have a right to dig, grind, and sell the powder, if they can find purchasers; that they are not bound to know what they are to do with it; that it is no infringement until it is mixed with the oil to make the compound; and that those who buy, mix and use it, must take the responsibility. Most of them say that they believe that the patent is good against those that mix and use the compound, and some have said that what they wanted to use they should certainly purchase of me, as they did not intend to make themselves liable to be sued; that they had satisfied themselves by a thorough trial of my compound, of the superiority of my article, and that they would not hesitate to expose this barefaced fraud upon the public; as I can sell it by no milder name, where a man who has received pay for an article, has to be sued which he well knows subjects the purchaser and user to a prosecution and fine. Some of those who are engaged in this nefarious traffic, will unquestionably contend to the public that my patent will not stand, and that I dare not prosecute for fear of a verdict against me; therefore, I went to some of those who were proclaiming that my patent was of no value, and made the following proposition: that they might select a judge and two lawyers who have had some practice in patent cases, and we would submit the patent to them, and if they decided that the patent was good, that they should stop all farther proceedings in the business; but if they should decide that it would not, in their opinion, hold, I would agree to let them go on and sell all they could, without saying any thing to the public about them. This proposition they would not accede to. So far as the validity of my patent is concerned, I do not depend entirely upon my own judgment, although I have the fullest confidence in it; but I have submitted it to many of the judges, and some of the most eminent patent lawyers, who have, without exception, decided that in their opinion it was good, and would protect me in my discovery.

I grind the article to a fine power, and put it up in barrels, the which are marked: "BLAKE'S PATENT FIRE AND WEATHER PROOF ARTIFICIAL SLATE."

I therefore give notice to all who buy and use the above mentioned mineral for the purpose set forth in my patent, except from me or my authorized agents, that I shall hold them to an strict accountability, and shall commence suits at law against those who trespass upon my rights. WM. BLAKE.

SHARON, Medina Co., O., Aug. 14, 1849.

P.S.—TWO TONS of the above Slate, just received, and for sale by the subscriber. The above we can recommend, for we have been using it for some 4 years, and know it to be what it is set forth to be in particular. J. & H. PHILLIPS, Agt.

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EXCELSIOR!

F. H. EATON & CO.,

No. 62 Fourth Street, Pittsburgh,

Have now in Store their full assortment of

Trimmings, Gloves, Hosiery and Lace Goods

ADAPTED to the wants of every class of Merchants and Consumers. No pains have been spared to procure the newest and most fashionable style of Goods in their line. Their stock consists in part of the following:

DRESS TRIMMINGS.

Fringes and Gimps, of every variety; new styles figured Gelloons; Algerine and Imperial Braids; wide and narrow Silk Braids; Embroidered Braids; figured and cut Velvet Ribbons; plain do do; Corded Mantua and plain Satin Ribbons, for trimming; black, white and colored Silk Lacings; extra wide do do, for bounces; with a full assortment of Dress Buttons; Dresses Pinked, Stamped or Embroidered to order.

LACE GOODS.

Embroidered Lace and Mantle Capes, Chemisettes, Breakfast and Retiring Caps and Half Sleeves, French Worked Collars and Cuffs, in great variety; Lace Veils, Scarfs and Opera Ties; Morning Chemisettes, Collars, Cuffs and Half Sleeves; Linen Lawn Ribbs, plain embroidered and hemstitched do, plain Linen do; real thread Laces and Edgings; Im. do do; Bobbin Lisle, Lace Muslin and Cotton Edgings and Insertings.

BONNET TRIMMINGS.

Rich new style Bonnet Ribbons, French Face Flowers, Bonnet Tabs, Velvets, Satins and Florences, Silk Illusions and Tarlatans, Bonnet Frames and Tips.

KID GLOVES.

Best manufacture, with most approved fastenings, and choicest colors. A complete assortment always on hand.

HOSIERY.

A great variety of Silk, Wool, Cotton, Merino and Cashmere, for Ladies and Misses; Tartan Plaids, and a full assortment other style fancy and plain Children's Hosiery; misses' Infants' Boots and Socks; Gents' Grampian, Vigonia, Merino, Cotton and Silk Wool Half Hose.

GLOVES.

A full assortment for men, women and children, among which are Derby Ribbed, Foilesalle and plain Silks; Mitts and plain Cashmere; Chamois Lined Berlin; Cassimere, Merino, Fur-lined Beaver, heavy and fine Buckskin, Military and Lisle Thread and Cotton.

WOOLLEN GOODS

Such as Ladies' and Children's Hoods, Children's Woolen Sacks, Knit Scarfs and Boas, Children's Gaiters and Long Mitts, Worsted Cuffs, Knitting Worsteds and Wools, California Comforts, also, fine Cashmere Scarfs, for Ladies.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.

Lepkyn and Tapestry Worsteds; Fancy Canvas Patterns, Floss and Berlin Wools, Bright and Pearl Boards, Paper Flower Materials, Lamb Mats, Tidies, and Embroidered Work. Also—Ladies' Silk and Merino Vests and Drawers; Embroidered Sacks and Flannels, French Worked Caps and Waists for Infants; and Swan's-down Trimming.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.

Fine Shirts, Cravats and Collars; Merino, Silk and Cotton Vests; Merino Drawers; Suspenders, Shoulder Brace and Dressing Gowns; Silk and Linen Hdkfs; Gloves and Hosiery.

COMBS, BRUSHES AND PERFUMERY.

French patterns carved and plain Shell Back Combs; Buffalo and Im. do; Shell Side and Long Combs; Im. do; Buffa, Satin and Rosewood Hair Brushes; Shell, Buffalo and Eng. Horn Dressing and fine Ivory Combs; with an assortment of Nail and Teeth Brushes.

Wetherill's "Gold Medal" Perfumery.

VARIETY GOODS.

Needles, Pins, Tapes,	Steel Rings and Purses,
Buttons and Shoe Goods,	Berlin Wire Baskets,
Purse Twist and Sewings,	Fine Rosewood Desks and
Coat Buckles & Gallooons,	Fancy Work-Baskets
Clock Cord and Tassels,	Portfolios, Patentees and
Blind & Shade Trimmings,	Ladies' Stationery.
Pelpit & Bonnet Tassels,	French Cork Soles,
Embroidered Fringes,	Gent's & Ladies' Umbrellas,
Bed Linen, assd widths,	Paper Muslins & Hollands,
English Silk Cords,	Elastic Bands & Webbing,
Fancy Chimney Bindings,	Corset and Shoe Lacers.

CARPETS! CARPETS!—Received this day, at W. M'Clintock's Carpet Warehouse, No. 75 Fourth st, a further supply of Carpets, of the latest and most approved styles, to which we invite the attention of steamboat men, and those wishing to furnish Houses, to call and examine the largest assortment in the city, which we will sell cheaper than ever before offered in the western market. nov23 W M'CLINTOCK

Mourning Long Shawls.

W. M. MURPHY has rec'd a supply of the above article, of the best quality; also, plain Black Tibet Long Shawls; Black Bombazines, Mourning Alpaccas, Persian Cloth, black Coburgs, Parmettas, Cashmeres, Mous de Laines and French Merinos, black Cravats and Mourning Collars, Mourning Bonnet Ribbons, neck do, and a full assortment of Mourning Goods generally. Also:

PLAIN BLACK SILKS,

A large assortment, including a few pieces very wide and superior. Buyers are invited to look at them, at No 84 Market corner of Fourth and Market sts.

Wholesale Rooms up stairs, where a large assortment of New Goods has lately been received. (nov 30

DR. JAYNE'S ALTERATIVE.

We have been informed by Mrs Rose of a cure performed under by Dr. Jayne's Alterative, which proves its superiority over every other remedy of the kind. She has been afflicted for the last sixteen years with NECROSES or WHITE SWELLINGS, attended with ulcerations and exfoliation of various bones, during which time many pieces have been discharged from the frontal bone of the cranium, from both her arms, wrists and hands, and from both legs, and from the left femur, bone and from the right knee, besides painful ulcers on other parts of her person, which have baffled the skill of a number of the most eminent physicians of our city—leaving most of the time her sufferings have been excruciating and deplorable. About three months since she was induced to try Dr. Jayne's Alterative, which has had a astonishingly happy effect upon her, by removing all pain and swellings, and causing the ulcers to heal, while at the same time her general health has become completely restored, so that she now weighs 25 lbs more than she did before she commenced the use of this truly valuable preparation.—[Sat. Eve. Post.

For further information, inquire of Mrs. Rose, No. 128

SLOAN'S COLUMN.

☞ All the Medicines advertised by W. B. SLOAN are sold by

R. E. SELLERS, Wood street, and JOHN P. SCOTT Liberty st, Pittsburgh.

Birmingham, by JOHN G. SMITH.

Allegheny City, by HENRY F. SCHWARTZ an D. M. CURRY.

The Best and Cheapest Horse Medicine IN THE WORLD.

SLOAN'S OINTMENT AND CONDITION POWDERS.

Have earned a great name. For Purity, Mildness, Safety, and Thoroughness, SLOAN'S OINTMENT *Excels* And is rapidly superseding all other Ointments and Liniments now in use for the cure of the following diseases:

Fresh wounds, galls and bites, sprains, bruises, cracked heels, ringbone, windbone, windgalls, poll evil, callos, spavins, sweeny, fistula, sitfast, strains lameness, sand crack, foundered feet, scratches or grease mange, or horse distemper.

The Powder will remove all inflammation and fever purify the blood, loosen the skin, cleanse the water and strengthen every part of the body, and has proved a sovereign remedy for the following diseases:

Distemper, hide bound, loss of appetite, inward strain, yellow water, inflammation of the eyes, fatigue from hard exercise; also, rheumatism, (commonly called stiff complaint,) which proves so fatal to many valuable horses in this country. It is also a safe and certain remedy for coughs and colds which generate so many fatal diseases.

W. B. SLOAN,
Grand Depot, 40 Lake st, Chicago, Illinois.

THE PROOF.

Extract from the "Galena North Western Gazette."

By the use of Sloan's Ointment and Condition Powder, I have entirely cured a fistula on my horse and otherwise improved his condition more than 200 p cent. on the cost of the medicine. And a cow which was so feeble as to be considered worthless by myself and neighbors, was restored to good health and strength by the use of less than half a package of the powder, and is now doing better than any other cow I have.

Small Pox, May 13, 1848. WM. VINCENT.

THE SUFFERING CHILD.

I hereby certify that one of my children, when naked, fell into a large fire of live coals, and was burned severely from head to feet. The best of medical aid and attention was given to the child for four or five days without any relief—each day's sufferings increased till his screams could be heard at a great distance, at which critical period one of my neighbors recommended and presented to me a box of Sloan's Ointment, and in less than fifteen minutes after the application of the ointment to the aggravated sores of the suffering child, the pain ceased entirely, and he speedily began to recover. My residence is in Hall township, Vermillion county, and State of Indiana.

THEODORE L. TAYLOR.

Chicago, August 26, 1848.

EXTRAORDINARY CURE.

April 12, 1848. Four miles north of Chicago (on the road to Milwaukie,) Cook county, Illinois.

Mr. Sloan—Dear Sir: One of my horses had a large bony tumor on his breast bone, immediately under the collar, which lamed him and rendered his services of very little value. I faithfully applied several bottles of Dr. Taylor's Nerve and Bone Liniment, without the least benefit. I then procured Wistar's Celebrated Horse Ointment, and said that I until I became fully satisfied that it would never relieve the swelling. Finally I obtained a box of your truly valuable Ointment, and in less than 60 days from the first application the tumor entirely disappeared, and the horse was well. Yours, EDWARD ARMSTRONG.

POPULAR OPINION.

If popular opinion is any criterion of the worth of an article, we invite the incredulous to read at least a few of the many voluntary certificates that appear in our columns respecting the great variety of remarkable cures effected by the use of "Sloan's Celebrated Ointment and Condition Powders."

These remedies no longer remain among those of doubtful utility, they have passed from the tide of experiment, and now stand higher in reputation and are becoming more extensively used than all other articles of the kind.—Mich. City News.

THE HALF HAS NOT BEEN TOLD.

FOX RIVER, Iowa, June 18, 1848.

Dear Sloan—Sir: Please send by the bearer a new supply of your Horse Medicines. They are the best articles of the kind that I have ever used, never having been disappointed in their effect, and I have tried in the use of others, even the most celebrated Ointments, Liniments, &c., of the day. I feel bound to do all I can to them, viz: that they do all that is promised, and upon a thorough trial one is contrained to add, that "Half has not been told."

Respectfully, M. DUDLEY.

THE DIFFERENCE.

The ordinary ointments and liniments it is well known are severe and partial in their operation—Sloan's Ointment is mild yet thorough, it reaches and removes the cause, hence it gives real and permanent relief. For purity, mildness, safety, certainty, and thoroughness, SLOAN'S OINTMENT stands a rapidly superceeding all other Ointments and Liniments now in use.

WE CAN'T GET ALONG WITHOUT IT.

BEEN'S GROVE, Ill., Oct. 26, 1848.

Mr. Sloan—Sir: I have tested the virtue of your Ointment in the cure of rattlesnake bites, sore throats, burns, and many other injuries, and in every case it has surpassed our expectations. As a family Ointment, I have never seen its equal, and for beasts we can't get along without it.

Yours, &c., MILES M. JOHNSON.

EXCELLENT OINTMENT.

Mr. Sloan—Dear Sir: For a considerable length of time I was seriously afflicted with the rheumatic complaint, and applied freely the various liniments, paint killers, &c., without obtaining any relief. After which your agent at this place introduced me to your Ointment, and within two weeks from the time I commenced using it, the pain ceased, and I was effectually cured, and shall recommend all who are similarly afflicted with the distressing complaint, to procure your excellent ointment without delay.

Resp'y yours, OSCAR F. MOTT.

Princeville, Peoria co., May 1, 1848.

☞ From the Hon. H. V. S. Brooks, Agent of the Illinois and Michigan Canal Packet Boat Company.

CHICAGO, June 24, 1848.

Dr. W. B. Sloan—Dear Sir: For the last 30 years I have had occasion to use many horses, and have used the great variety of liniments and ointments in use, but have never found any thing which in the last two months I have applied your ointment to some 80 horses, for various injuries, and in every instance it has proved a sovereign remedy.

A FINGER BITTEN ENTIRELY OFF.

Two miles south of Chicago, Sept. 14, 1848.

Dr. Sloan—Sir: On the 8th instant my son had a bright bitter entirely off by a horse. We immediately applied your celebrated ointment, which relieved him of pain in a few minutes, and prevented the finger from swelling the least particle, and the wound healed rapidly. Resp'y yours, S. BROCKWAY.

DOCTORING IN GALENA

Mr. Sloan—Dear Sir: About three years ago I was severely injured in one of my legs by the falling of a pile of wood which occasioned large running ulcers. Nearly every doctor in Galena tried to cure them; but tried in vain, until from sympathy and improper treatment my other leg became as bad as the one originally injured. I despaired of ever being well again—but in order that I might neglect no means within my reach, I purchased of your agent in Galena some of your ointment, and you can judge of my surprise and gratitude better than I express it, to find myself entirely well before I had finished using the ointment.

These facts I make known that others afflicted may believe and profitably make use of your valuable ointment as yours has proved to be. Resp'y your grateful fr'd,

Galena, Ill., Dec. 19, 1848. EVAN DAVIS.

ONLY 20 DAYS.

Before the following order, Messrs. Vaughn & Co. purchased a large supply of Sloan's preparations.

JACKSONVILLE, Mich. Feb. 26, 1848.

S. K. Hibbard—Dear Sir: I am out of Sloan's Condition Powder and Horse Ointment. The sale far exceeds my expectations. If you can manage to send me a dozen Ointment, I will pay for them the first time that you are here, and presume I shall be able to sell a large quantity in the course of the year. It will be an object to you, as well as to myself, to keep me constantly supplied. Very resp'y yours,

S. S. VAUGHN & CO.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

St. Louis, Feb. 22, 1849.

Dr. Sloan—Sir: About two years ago, while rafting on the Mississippi river, in passing over the rapids, we planged into the water, and by the rent alarg against a rock, crushing my left leg and otherwise seriously injuring me, so much that I lost all sensibility. What consequences resulted from the fall, I knew not. Louis, surrounded by my weeping family. Good nursing and medical aid, enabled me in about two months to hobble around with the assistance of a crutch. My pains were inexpressible, at times my suffering was so great that death would have received a welcome visitor. Fortunately Mr. Wilson, (one of my neighbors) advised me to try your Ointment. I obtained a box applied it according to direction—the soreness soon began to assume a healthy appearance, and in three months I was entirely cured, and enabled to do hard labor.

Your obedient servant,

HIRAM W. THOMAS.

We, the undersigned, neighbors of H. W. Thomas, were acquainted with the case above stated, and knowing the circumstances, most cheerfully confirm said Thomas' statement.

REV. I. DOUGLAS,
JAMES WILSON,
PETER LAMB.

GOOD NEWS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8th, 1848

W. B. Sloan—Sir: One of my horses was hoof bound and also wounded in the stifle, in which he took cold, and became so crippled that he could scarcely travel. By the free application of your valuable ointment, his hoofs were soon softened and the stiffness permanently cured. I have also used the Ointment in the case of Poll-Evil and on severe galls with equal success.

On a mashed finger that was very painful, it operated like a charm. Yours, &c., A. VAN ORDEN.

TESTIMONY FROM LITTLE FORT.

Sloan's Ointment and Condition Powder are acknowledged by all who have used them to be the best remedy for horses and cattle that has been discovered. Fresh wounds, galls, ringworm, broken ringbone, bad evil, and in short every outward disorder or injury can be cured by this wonderful remedy. The Powder is designed for inward strains, distempers, hide bound, fatigue from hard exercise, diseased eyes, &c.—Lake County Chronicle.

RATHER DOUBTINGLY, BUT I THOUGHT WOULD TRY IT.

WHEATON, Cook Co. Feb. 13, 1848

Mr. Sloan—Sir: I have a fine young horse that was taken with the scratches last fall. I paid out about three dollars for medicine to cure him, but he grew worse. I then bought a box of your ointment at your office, when in Chicago last, rather doubtingly, but I thought I would try it. Judge of my surprise and my opinion of its beneficial qualities, when I found my horse's legs smooth and well in four days from the time I commenced applying it. Your obedient,

R. F. COLBY.

FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.

More than fifteen years of unrivalled success in the cure of every variety of external diseases and injuries such as sprains, bruises, cuts, burns, cutaneous eruptions, sore lips, sore breasts, chapped hands, chilblains, biles, ulcers, corns, pains in the back, sides, or other parts of the system, rattlesnake bites, &c., bears ample testimony that Sloan's Ointment is just the thing for the hour. Certificates without number have been received by the Proprietor from disinterested individuals, giving details of remarkable cures by its use.

A WISCONSIN WITNESS.

Grayville, Milwaukie co., Wis., Oct. 12, 1848.

Mr. Sloan—Dear Sir: Recently my horses ran away with a log chain attached, which cut and otherwise injured them seriously, so much so that I consulted my team valued for business. Fortunately a friend recommended the use of your Ointment. I went to Milwaukie and purchased a box. It soon removed the inflammation, and in a few days the wounds healed. The great benefit derived from the use of your Ointment, in my horses, induced me to acquaint you with the fact, believing its publicity would benefit you and the public. Respectfully yours,

GEORGE COMSTOCK.

A RIP AND FORTIVE FACT,

And has become a common saying, that Sloan's Ointment and Condition Powder are rapidly superseding all other remedies for all diseases of horses and cattle. The beauty of the medicine consists in their purity and safety, from which they may be used over or

MISCELLANEOUS.

By the President of the United States.

In pursuance of law, I, ZACHARY TAYLOR, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known, that Public Sales will be held at the undermentioned Land Offices, in the State of IOWA, at the periods hereinafter designated, to wit:

At the Land Office at DUBUQUE, commencing on Monday, the seventh day of January next, for the disposal of the Public Lands situated within the undermentioned townships, to wit:

North of the base line, and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Township ninety-eight, of range three.

Townships ninety-six, ninety-seven, and ninety-eight, of range four.

Townships ninety-five, ninety-six, ninety-seven, and ninety-eight, of range five.

Townships ninety-three, ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, and ninety-nine, of range six.

At the SAME PLACE, commencing on Monday, the twenty-first day of January next, for the disposal of the Public Lands within the undermentioned townships, viz:

North of the base line, and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Townships ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, and ninety-nine, of range seven.

Townships ninety-two and ninety-four, of range ten.

Township ninety-one, of range thirteen.

Townships ninety-one and ninety-two, of range fourteen.

At the Land Office at FAIRFIELD, commencing on Monday, the fourteenth day of January next, for the disposal of the Public Lands situated within the undermentioned townships, to wit:

North of the base line, and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Townships sixty-seven, sixty-eight, and sixty-nine, of range sixteen.

Townships sixty-seven, sixty-eight, and sixty-nine, of range seventeen.

Townships sixty-eight and sixty-nine, of range eighteen.

Townships sixty-eight and sixty nine, of range twenty.

Townships sixty-eight and sixty-nine, of range twenty-one.

Townships sixty-eight and sixty-nine, of range twenty-two.

Township seventy-one, of range twenty-six.

Townships seventy and seventy-one, of range twenty-seven.

Townships seventy and seventy-one, of range twenty-eight.

At the Land Office at IOWA CITY, commencing on Monday, twenty-first day of January next, for the disposal of the Public Lands within the following townships, viz:

North of the base line, and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Township seventy-six, of range twenty-seven.

Townships seventy-six, seventy-seven, and seventy-eight, of range twenty-eight.

Townships seventy-seven and seventy-eight, of range twenty-nine.

Lands appropriated by law for the use of schools, military, or other purposes, will be excluded from the sales.

The offering of the above mentioned lands will be commenced on the day appointed, and proceed in the order in which they are entered in the field, with all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but no sale shall be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be allowed until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, this fifteenth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

By the President: Z. TAYLOR.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships above enumerated, is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the Register and Receiver of the proper Land Office, and make payment therefor as soon as practicable after seeing this notice, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed, otherwise such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

POSTPONEMENT

Of the Public Land Sales at Du Buque, Iowa.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Public Sales of Lands ordered by proclamation of the President of the United States, dated the fifteenth day of September, 1849, to be held at the LAND OFFICE at DUBUQUE, IOWA, on the 7th and 21st days of January, 1850, are declared to be postponed until further notice.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, this 15th day of Dec., anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

By the President: Z. TAYLOR.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.
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HIGH FALL GOODS!

ALEXANDER & DAY, corner of the Diamond and Market street, notify their friends and the public that they have received their stock of Fall and Winter Goods, (some of them having been purchased at sales and auctions at the east. Their stock of new style and fashionable Goods is large, and presents strong attractions to purchasers. In Ladies Dress Goods and Shawls, the most splendid and fashionable Goods of the season are offered, at remarkably low prices consisting in part of the following:

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

New style Brocha 5-4 Camelion Silks;
Cold and Black Satin Damasks, for Ball and Turo Satins;
Cold Camelian Groderines, of the best qualities;
Black glossy Groderiens of the celebrated Eagle manufacture.

The above named Black Silks are warranted not to cut the wear, for dresses and mantillas they are the best imported.

Neat 5-4 Camelion Satin De Chene, the handsomest Silk for walking dresses.

New style Brocha Silk Figured French Merinos, a new and splendid article for ladies' walking dresses.

Plaid Brocha Shawls, of the most beautiful patterns, and becoming more extensively used than all other articles of the kind.—Mich. City News.

THE HALF HAS NOT BEEN TOLD.

FOX RIVER, Iowa, June 18, 1848.

Dear Sloan—Sir: Please send by the bearer a new supply of your Horse Medicines. They are the best articles of the kind that I have ever used, never having been disappointed in their effect, and I have tried in the use of others, even the most celebrated Ointments, Liniments, &c., of the day. I feel bound to do all I can to them, viz: that they do all that is promised, and upon a thorough trial one is contrained to add, that "Half has not been told."

Respectfully, M. DUDLEY.

THE DIFFERENCE.

The ordinary ointments and liniments it is well known are severe and partial in their operation—Sloan's Ointment is mild yet thorough, it reaches and removes the cause, hence it gives real and permanent relief. For purity, mildness, safety, certainty, and thoroughness, SLOAN'S OINTMENT stands a rapidly superceeding all other Ointments and Liniments now in use.

WE CAN'T GET ALONG WITHOUT IT.

BEEN'S GROVE, Ill., Oct. 26, 1848.

Mr. Sloan—Sir: I have tested the virtue of your Ointment in the cure of rattlesnake bites, sore throats, burns, and many other injuries, and in every case it has surpassed our expectations. As a family Ointment, I have never seen its equal, and for beasts we can't get along without it.

Yours, &c., MILES M. JOHNSON.

EXCELLENT OINTMENT.

Mr. Sloan—Dear Sir: For a considerable length of time I was seriously afflicted with the rheumatic complaint, and applied freely the various liniments, paint killers, &c., without obtaining any relief. After which your agent at this place introduced me to your Ointment, and within two weeks from the time I commenced using it, the pain ceased, and I was effectually cured, and shall recommend all who are similarly afflicted with the distressing complaint, to procure your excellent ointment without delay.

Resp'y yours, OSCAR F. MOTT.

Princeville, Peoria co., May 1, 1848.

☞ From the Hon. H. V. S. Brooks, Agent of the Illinois and Michigan Canal Packet Boat Company.

CHICAGO, June 24, 1848.

Dr. W. B. Sloan—Dear Sir: For the last 30 years I have had occasion to use many horses, and have used the great variety of liniments and ointments in use, but have never found any thing which in the last two months I have applied your ointment to some 80 horses, for various injuries, and in every instance it has proved a sovereign remedy.

TRANSPORTATION LINES.

HARNDEN & CO's

Passenger and Remittance Office.

HARNDEN & CO. continue to bring persons from any part of England, Ireland, Scotland or Wales, upon the most liberal terms, with their usual punctuality and attention to the wants and comfort of strangers. We do not allow our passengers to be robbed by the swindling scamps that infest the seaports, as we take charge of them the moment they report themselves, and see to their well being, and despatch them without any detention by the first ships. We say this fearlessly, as we defy one of our passengers to show that they were detained 48 hours by us in Liverpool, whilst thousands of others were detained months; still they could be sent in some sailing craft, at a cheap rate, which too frequently proves their coffin.

We intend to perform our contracts honestly, cost what it may, and not act as was the case last season, with other officers,—who either performed not all, or when it suited their convenience.

Drafts drawn at Pittsburgh for any sum from £1 to £1000, payable at any of the provincial Banks in Ireland, England, Scotland and Wales.

JOSHUA ROBINSON,
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Fifth street, corner Water below Wood.

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Warren and Cleveland Passenger Line.

Canal Packet—SWALLOW.

ONE of the above Packets will leave Beaver every day (Sundays excepted) and arrive next morning at Warren, where a Stage leaving at each of these places will take Beaver in time to take the morning boat for Akron and Cleveland, a before night. One of the Packets will leave Warren daily at 3 P. M., and arrive Beaver in time to take the morning boat for Pittsburgh.

C E & S LEFFINGWELL & Co, Warren, } Proprs.
M B TAYLOR, do
JOHN A. CAUGHEY, Agent, corner Water and Smithfield sts

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ON THE PENN'A AND OHIO CANALS.

CALVIN FOX & CHAMBERLIN, Cleveland, O. } Prop's.
R. G. PARKS, Beaver, Pa.

THIS Line will be prepared on the opening of navigation, to transport freight and Passengers from PITTSBURGH and CLEVELAND, to any point on the Canal and Lakes.

The facilities of the Line are unsurpassed in number, quality and capacity of Boats, experience of captains, and efficiency of Agents.

One Boat leaves Pittsburgh and Cleveland daily, running in connection with the steamers

LAKE ERIE AND MICHIGAN,

Between Pittsburgh and Beaver, and a line of first-class Steamers, Propellers and Vessels on the Lakes.

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Sears & Griffiths, Buffalo.
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Steamer MICHIGAN No. 2—Capt. Gibson.
" LAKE ERIE, " Gordon.

THE above named Packets will know Beaver Packets, they commenced making their daily trips to and from Beaver, and will continue to run between Pittsburgh and Beaver regularly during the season, as follows:—

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The above Packets will run in connection with R G Parks' Express Packet Line, for Erie; Taylor & Leffingwells' Warren Packets; Union Line Freight Boats for Cleveland; Clarke & Co's Pittsburgh and Cleveland Line Freight Boats.

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Agents for the Pittsburgh and Cleveland Line, Pittsburgh and Erie Line via Erie, and for steam Boats Beaver and Caledopia.

Having purchased the large and substantial Wharf Boat just built for the Monongahela Packets, have with the addition of a Warehouse, the most ample accommodations for receiving and forwarding, and pledge their utmost attention, promptness and despatch to consignments to their care, and rely on their friends for a trial. mar2-dly B. & BRO.

MEDICAL.

SELLERS FAMILY MEDICINES.—They are the Medicines of the day."

GRAHAM'S STATION, Ohio, May 2d, 1849.

R. E. Sellers: I think it right for the benefit of others to state some facts in relation to your excellent Family Medicines.

I have used your Vermifuge largely in my own family, one vial frequently answering for expulsion of the quantities (say 1 to 200) worms from two children I have also used your Liver Pills and Cough Syrup in my family, and they have in every instance produced the effect desired.

As I am engaged in merchandising, I am able to state that I have yet to hear of the first failure where your medicines have been used in my section of the country. In conclusion, I may state that they are the medicines of the day, and are destined to have a very extensive popularity. Yours, respectfully,

W. H. PURSELL.

Prepared and sold by R. E. SELLERS, No 57 Wood street, and sold by Druggists generally in the two cities and vicinity. my31

GREAT CURE OF LIVER COMPLAINT, by the original, only true, and genuine Liver Pill.

SHORT CREEK, Ohio county, Va., 20th, 1849.

Mr. R. E. Sellers: Dear Sir—I think it a duty I owe to you and to the public generally, to state that I have been afflicted with the Liver Complaint for a long time, and so badly that an abcess formed and broke, which left me in a very low state. Having heard of your celebrated Liver Pills being for sale by A. R. Sharp, in West Liberty, and recommended to me by my physician, Dr. E. Smith, I concluded to give them a fair trial. I purchased one box, and found them to be just what they are recommended, THE BEST LIVER PILL EVER USED, and after taking four boxes I find the disease has entirely left me, and I am now perfectly well. Respectfully yours,

D H COLEMAN.

West Liberty, March 26, 1849.

I certify that I am personally acquainted with Mr Coleman, and can bear testimony to the truth of the above certificate. A R SHARP

The genuine Liver Pills are prepared and sold by R E SELLERS, No 57 Wood street, and by druggists in the two cities.

TO THE PUBLIC.—The original, only true and genuine Liver Pills are prepared by R E Sellers, and have his name stamped in black wax upon the lid of each box, and his signature on the outside wrapper—all others are counterfeits, or base imitation.

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DR. JAYNE'S CARMINATIVE BALSAM FROM the free AGA SHINN, a well known and popular clergyman of the Protestant Methodist Church

The undersigned having been afflicted during the past year with a disease of the stomach, sometimes producing excessive pain in the stomach for ten or twelve hours without intermission, and after having tried various remedies with no effect, was furnished with a bottle of Dr D Jayne's Carminative Balsam, as a salutary medicine for diseases of the stomach and bowels. I was entirely well, and can say I have found it an excellent medicine. Allegheny city, jy21

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