The Erie Weekly Observer.

ERIE, PA., SATURDAY, NOV. 14, 1863.

Campaign Subscribers.

The period for which most of our campaign patrons subscribed will expire in a week or two, and the papers will be promptly discontinued, according to promise, unless we receive further directions. We shall be glad to have as many of them as can afford to do so, remain on our list as permanent subscribers.

ERIE & PITTSBURG RAILROAD.—We understand, says the Conneautville *Record*, that this road will be complete and trains put on running direct from Erie to Pittsburg by the 20th of January.

APPOINTMENTS.—Joseph Loomis, of this city, has been appointed an assistant paymaster in the navy. Thomas Evans, of this city, has been appointed a clerk in the War Department at Washington

SUBSCRIBE FOR PETERSON.—It is conceded by all who have a chance for knowing, that Peterson's Magazine is the best and cheapest Ladies' Magazine published in this country—and without a doubt contains more for the money than any other in the world.—*Shamokin (Pa.) Herald.*

MASTER AND APPRENTICE.—Judge Ludlow, of Philadelphia, has decided that an indenture is void when there is no covenant for schooling and maintenance The mere agreement to pay a stipulated sum of money to a boy whilst he is learning the trade, does not bind him, and he may leave when it suits him.—*Pittsburg Post.*

NORTH-EAST.—Our North-East neighbors are about to be supplied with a first-class oyster saloon, under the management of Mr. S. V. Randolph, a young man of enterprise, who is determined to "put the thing through" in the right way. He will have fresh oysters for sale at wholesale and retail. Parties supplied on short notice. Warm meals served up at all hours.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD.—The Philadelphia and Erie railroad was formally opened on the 19th inst. to Emporium, the county seat of Cameron county. The rails will be laid, during the ensuing month, as far as St. Mary's, twenty-two miles beyond Emporium. From the west, the rails will probably be laid to Buena Vista, which is twenty-three miles from St. Mary's. Thus will be completed from Erie to Buena Vista, eighty-five miles, and from Sunbury to St. Mary's, one hundred and sixty miles, leaving only a gap of twenty-three miles unfinished between Erie and Philadelphia. These twenty-three miles are nearly all graded, and at no very distant day will be ready for the rails This great enterprise may therefore be regarded as a fixed fact.—*Harrisburg Patriot.*

DIPTHERIA AND SORE THROAT.—We think it but due to our readers to say that Carter's Compound Extract of Smart Weed is showing itself to be of the greatest value in the prevention of these now prevalent and terrible diseases. This is the almost united testimony of the hundreds who are daily using the article with success, and we only repeat what many others have expressed, when we say that it is an article which no family should do without. Of course we do not pretend that it will cure Diptheria, when the malady has reached its extreme stages—for no remedy, we believe, has yet been discovered that will accomplish such a result—but we do assert, that taken in the first symptoms it will act as a certain preventive. The Extract is made in our own city, and if any have doubts of its merits, we ask them to call upon Mr. Carter, and read the testimony he has by the score.

THE OBSERVER.—We are gratified to be able to announce that the business of our office is largely on the increase in all its departments—our books showing that we are doing a larger amount of business by one-third than we did at this period last year. While the subscription list of the paper is nearly double what it was when we took the office, our jobbing and advertising patronage has increased in like proportion, and, owing to the scarcity of labor, we find ourself so crowded with the management of the office as to leave us hardly any time for editorial duties. We attribute very much of the success which has attended the *Observer* within the past two years to the unjust and indecent abuse which it has suffered at the hands of some of the political enemies of the paper. The Democrats of the county have rallied to our support with a kindness and alacrity that is at once gratifying and encouraging, and where we have lost one patron on account of political differences we have gained ten in his place. It has been so ever since the world began—malice and scurrility never damages any one permanently, when the people see that he takes a firm, consistent and honest course.

A RARE TREAT.—Our citizens, who have been so often humbugged, by worthless and sometimes indecent theatrical companies, will be delighted to learn that we are at last to be visited by one of first-class talent, and with a well established reputation. We were called upon on Wednesday by Mr. James Dickson, Stage Manager of the Cleveland Dramatic Company, who informed us that they intend performing in our city on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week, under the general management of Mr. John Ellsler, the well known comedian. The immediate occasion of their visit is owing to the great ball which comes off at Cleveland on Wednesday evening, in celebration of the opening of the A. & G. W. R. R. to that city—the hall of the Theatre being engaged for the purpose. On this account their stay will only be for the two evenings mentioned, and *positively* "positively no longer."

The Cleveland Company consists of some of the first dramatic talent in the country. First on the list, stands Mr. C. W. Couldock, the eminent tragedian, who will appear in two of his most celebrated characters—"Luke Fielding," in "Willow Copse," and "Peter Probity" in the celebrated English comedy, "Chimney Corner." We have seen Mr. Couldock's performances on various occasions, in addition to having his personal acquaintance, and can assure our readers, that he is in all respects equal to his wide reputation. His daughter, a young lady of extraordinary talent, it is said, accompanies him, and will appear in several leading characters. Mr. Ellsler will take the part of "Solomon Probity," a representation in which he has always been very successful. Among the members of the company is Mr. J. C. McCollum, a young actor who has visited our city before, and was deservedly popular with the theatre-going portion of the public.

We believe these entertainments will be really deserving of patronage, and, for that reason, have called more prominent attention to them than we usually do Mr. Farrar promises that he will take special pains to keep good order in the Hall, so that the performances may be everyway attractive and successful.

Brief Paragraphs.

Wm. Patton, late of this city, has opened a store in Ridgway, Elk Co.

Shipments of coal oil from Philadelphia since January 1st, comprise 4,268,244 gallons, valued at $1,123,515.

Dan Rice, says an exchange, lately presented the leader of his band with a gold watch and chain, valued at $300.

Col. M. Schlaudecker has been appointed by Gov. Curtin, agent under the last call of the President, to recruit volunteers.

The County Teachers' Institute commences at Edinboro on Monday next, and will last until Thursday evening.

The most modest men of modern days are the monthly magazine publishers. They never puff themselves—oh, no!

Dan Rice had a gold headed cane presented to him during his performance in Pittsburg.

We are under obligations for an invitation to attend the celebration of the opening of the Atlantic & Great Western R. R. to Cleveland, on Wednesday next.

The State Normal School, Edinboro, has just received a present from Dr. Burrowes, of a full set, eleven volumes, of the Pennsylvania *School Journal.*

Before purchasing groceries elsewhere, give Bliss & Palmer a call. Their stock cannot be beat, and their prices are as low as the lowest.

E. H. Smith has received a new lot of Hats, Bonnets and Furs, to which he calls the attention of the public. He is an enterprising man, and deserves to be patronized.

We call attention to the advertisement of Mr. Degmeier, County Superintendent. It will be seen that he has made some changes in his list of appointments.

Several cases of small pox have occurred in this city within the past few weeks. The public will be interested in an advertisement relative to this disease in another column.

The *Gazette* does not answer the question which we put to it last week. We insist upon a reply. Is it treason to denounce a State Administration, as well as the Federal Administration?

Com. Napoleon Collins, of this city, has been ordered to the command of the iron-clad Wachusett. Commander Collins is one of the best officers in the whole service, and just as unassuming as he is brave and able.

After the 1st of December subscribers who have their papers delivered by carriers will be charged $1.75 per year. Office and post office subscriptions will remain as at present, $1.50 per year.

The Corry City *News* urges the erection of a new county out of parts of Erie, Crawford and Warren, with Corry for the county seat. Come, neighbors, you mustn't be too ambitious.

The amount paid to Miss Anna E. Dickenson, for her lecture on Tuesday evening, we are informed by one of the members of the Committee, was $100. She was the guest of Morrow B. Lowry, Esq.

A new railroad is proposed from Franklin to Irvine, connecting with the Phila. & Erie R. R. at the latter place. The distance is fifty-eight miles, and the grade unusually light. The route proposed is down the valley of the Allegheny River.

The Reed House billiard saloon has been taken by Peter Goodwin, who will also continue to "run" his former saloon, under Brown's Hotel. He is an obliging and enterprising man, and under his management the "institution" cannot fail to be well patronized. This saloon has two first-class tables. Give Goodwin a call.

It is not generally known that the leaves of geraniums are an excellent application for cuts where the skin is rubbed off, and other wounds of that kind. One or two leaves must be bruised, and applied on linen to the part, and the wound will become cicatrized in a very short time. So says an exchange.

Our young legal friend, Wallace Dewitt, Esq., was one of the counsel in the murder case trial at the last term of Court, and we are glad to learn that he made a fine impression. We know few young men of his age who give better promise of a successful career at the bar than Mr. Dewitt. He unites to good talents, and considerable oratorical ability, unusual industry and energy.

A few flakes of snow which fell on Sunday last were the first we have had in this vicinity during the present season. Several slight falls of snow and hail have occurred at different periods since, but they were hardly sufficient to be worth mentioning. Out the line of the Philadelphia Railroad, we are informed, considerable quantities of snow have fallen.

Pensions, Bounties, Arrears of Pay, &c., can be procured by the Widows, Orphans, and next of kin of those who have died in the service of the United States; also, by Soldiers and Seamen who are disabled by wounds received or disease contracted, upon application to G. P. GRIFFETH, Licensed Military and Naval Claim Agent. Office in the Common Council Room, Wright's Block, corner State and Fifth sts., (under the *Dispatch* office,) Erie, Pa. 7-y

NEWS FROM NEIGHBORING COUNTIES.

FROM OLDOM.—It is with satisfaction we announce the commencement of work on the new Methodist Church, which is to be 71 feet long and 40 wide, and to have a tower 110 feet high. The audience room will be 20 feet high, and the vestry 12 Mr. C. M. Hard, of Cleveland, is the architect, and Mr. J. H. Davis, of this place, builder. The estimate cost will be about $7,000. This makes three churches now being constructed in this place, and when completed will add much to the beauty of the village.—*Titusville Reporter.*

CHAUTAUQUE Co., N. Y.—The other evening, at Westfield, N. Y., Corporal O'Brien, who was on the train westward bound, with a guard over some rebel prisoners, went to the platform of the car to relieve a guard which had been stationed there, and while on the platform slipped, falling through between the cars. Both his legs were cut off below the knee. The unfortunate man was left at Westfield.—*Girard Union.*

ASHTABULA Co., OHIO.—A recent squirrel hunt in Jefferson, Ashtabula county, Ohio, in which there were 18 men on each side, resulted in the slaying of 1,500 of the frisky little fellows on one side, and 1,501 on the other.

CRAWFORD Co.—It is contemplated to have a National Bank at Conneautville, and subscriptions of stock for that purpose are being taken.

About the cheapest article of food now-a-days is beef. Good hindquarters are selling on the streets as low as three cents per pound. In anticipation of a scarcity of fodder the farmers are slaughtering many fine cattle which would in ordinary seasons be kept over winter. The result will be that cattle will command extravagant prices next spring. At present dry cows are selling at from $7 to $12 or $14 per head and are dull sale at any price. Hay commands the unprecedented price of $20 per ton. Corn is selling at $1 per bushel, potatoes at fifty cents per bushel, and other farm products at corresponding high rates.—If farmers have to pay high prices for goods they more than make this up by the high prices they exact for every article they sell.—*Journal.*

VENANGO Co.—The whole number of votes polled in Venango County for Governor in 1860 was 4,713. The whole vote polled for Governor at the last election was 6,274—an increase of 1,561 in three years.

The following statement exhibits the increase in Venango, Crawford and Erie counties since 1860:

	1860.	1863.	Gain.
Venango,	4,713	6,274	1,561
Crawford,	8,824	10,377	1,553
Erie,	8,691	9,519	828

This statement shows that the growth of Venango in population and wealth within the last three years, exceeds that of any other county in the commonwealth. With a much smaller population than Crawford or Erie, our gain over the former is 8, and over the latter 733. We are indebted to the oil trade for all this prosperity—a benefit in which Crawford partakes, as we presume her greatest increase is in that part of her territory bordering upon the oil region.—*Spectator.*

[COMMUNICATED.]

Miss Anna E. Dickenson.

This lady lectured last Tuesday evening before a large audience at Farrar Hall. Heralded as she had been for months, by the abolition press, as an oratrix of great power and eloquence, we expected to be disappointed as to her oratory, while we well knew that her sentiments would be distasteful in the extreme to all of reasonable political ideas.

Personally Miss Dickenson is rather a pleasing woman, of medium height, rather large frame, and with a face that does not speak of great intellectual power. She wears her hair, which is very black, cut short, an arrangement which adds to the youthfulness of her appearance, and probably gave foundation to the pleasing fiction that her age is but eighteen. Her manner is graceful and free from affectation, her voice is clear, distinct and agreeable, of great strength for a female, and is audible to the most distant part of the house.

In a literary point of view her harangue contained nothing to raise it above the dead-level of ordinary political speeches or morbidly sentimental tales. Some passages, however, were striking, but the effect was due less to the matter than to the earnestness of her manner and the fineness of her delivery. In the hour and a quarter that she consumed in her address, she grew tiresome but two or three times. This was due to her habit of digressing in pursuit of attempted eloquence, and apparently losing the thread of her discourse, or if not, at least continuing so long upon her flight, that her audience were unable to return to the connection. Though in her choice of words, we are happy to say, she avoided the more violent and abusive slang phrases of her class, yet a great part of her speech was the mere tirade of a virago. She did not, strange to say, call her opponents "Copperheads," or "traitors," but spoke of them with a bitter and spiteful enunciation, accompanied by the ordinary gesture of a female scold, which she probably conceived to be concentrated sarcasm and contempt. Her characterizing this paper by an expression which we notice she applies to every Democratic journal where she chances to strut the stage, had the effect of lowering Miss Dickenson far more than it annoyed the friends of the *Observer.*

Of the matter of Miss Dickenson's harangue, it was nothing more than a re-hash of the absurdities and falsehoods by which Abolitionism was enabled, after thirty years of conspiracy, to "fire the northern heart" and inaugurate a northern revolution. It contained the same detail of so called Northern concessions to slavery, and northern grievances that were in reality only abolition wrongs and but the solemn enactments of the People of the United States, that the Constitution should be maintained, even if the fanaticism of which Miss Dickenson is an advocate should be eternally doomed to that infamous place in history to which it will assuredly come at last. She detailed the threats of Southern leaders that the Union should be dissolved if the South could not be protected in its legal rights, but failed to give a similar history of Abolition denunciations of the Union, the Constitution, and the laws. The address abounded in appeals to the passions of the people, while it contained not a single calm argument addressed to their reason, nor a word concerning the momentous dangers that threaten the liberties of he people.

Miss Dickenson seems to be a strong minded and enthusiastic young woman, probably, (a miracle among abolition orators,) sincere in her belief, but it is to be regretted that so much talent and energy, as well as so much laborious study and preparation should be prostituted to the terrible fanaticism that has turned our happy land into a field for the worst contending passions of the human race, which find their vent in scenes that might disgrace a carnival of fiends. The tender heart of Miss Dickenson bleeds at the thought of the thousands of graves that are monuments of a nation's folly, but with easy facility she turns her mourning into joy, sneers at the idea of compromise and a Union restored, and thanks God, as she assured her audience all "loyal" men did, that the war was not averted in its terrible beginning. For a Quakeress and a woman of modern times and supposed civilization, Miss Dickenson certainly develops a degree of venom and blood-thirstiness worthy of a darker age and a less agreeable specimen of the softer sex. Miss Dickenson, though over eighteen, will, we predict, live to see the day when she will remember her present short sighted enthusiasm in the cause of despotism with sorrow and shame, and will wonder that the intellect of which she is now so proud should have been so blinded by the glitter of a false philanthropy that involves, even in its temporary triumph, the desolation of a continent with the horrors of a war of which she seems to have such a vivid idea. Nor need she turn far back in the annals of the past to learn that though the world may for a time be dazzled by the eccentric brilliancy of feminine enthusiasm, may yield its tribute of astonishment and admiration to a Joan of Arc or a Corinne, the most enduring praise springs from the love and reverence that we owe to the memories of a wife like Josephine, or a mother like Victoria.

We may be dazzled by the transitory light of the meteor that flying from its proper sphere essays to wander alone in a dangerous and irregular path, the spectacle of a passing moment, but as it goes down into the darkness never to shine again, we sadly remember that we once raised our eyes to the heavens and met its steadier and purer dreams, not so brilliant, but more loved and more beautiful.

We predict for Miss Dickenson a speedy fall from the dizzy height to which she has been wafted by Abolition puffs, where her abilities will not sustain her, nor even enable her to descend with graceful ease to the place reserved for her in the throng of subsided females that are now no more the lionesses of the hour.

REBEL VESSELS ON THE LAKE.—The special dispatches from Cincinnati give an account of a singular story about two suspicious vessels discovered on Tuesday, hovering about Sandusky bay, supposed to be privateers fitted up by secessionists in Canada, aided by the sympathizers there and in the United States. The supposed object is to release the prisoners on Johnson's Island and commence piracy on the lakes and pillage on the land. A battery of Parrott guns was ordered forthwith to the Island. We suspect that it is another "roorback" for political effect, the same as the recent pretended developments at Columbus, Ohio.

Major General Brooks and staff, accompanied by a considerable number of soldiers, arrived in this city, on Thursday night. It is reported that fortifications are to be erected immediately.

POLICE.—We are pleased to announce that the City Councils, on Monday evening, took measures for appointing a permanent police force, to consist of five members, a chief and four assistants, the former to receive $500 per year, and the latter $400. Mr. Thomas Crowley has been selected as chief, who is given authority to appoint his assistants, subject to the approval of the Mayor and Council. We congratulate the Members of Councils on their excellent choice. Mr. Crowley is one of the very best men that could possibly have been found, and his appointment will give satisfaction to the entire community.

GIRARD.—From the last *Union* we have the following:

The shows are now both at home. They arrived on Tuesday and Wednesday. The streets now present a more lively appearance than for some time heretofore Verily, Girard is herself once more.

Freights on the canal were never better than at present. The price paid for transporting coal is $2.20. Boat owners clear $100 a week.

The Festival for the benefit of the Universalist church, in Farrar Hall, on Wednesday, was well attended, satisfactorily managed, and quite successful in every feature. Some $200 were realized.

Small Pox—An Extraordinary Discovery.

Read the following, from one of the leading medical journals of the country:

To the Editor of the American Medical Times:

SIR:—You have by this time, in all probability, heard something of an extrordinary discovery for the cure of small-pox, by the use of "Barracenia Surpurea," or indian cup, a native plant of Nova Scotia. I would beg of you, however, to give full publicity to the astonishing fact, that this same humble bog plant of Nova Scotia is the remedy for small-pox, in all its forms, in twelve hours after the patient has taken the medicine. It is also as *curious* as it is wonderful, that, however alarming and numerous the eruptions, or confluent and frightful they may be, the peculiar action of the medicine is such that very seldom is a scar left to tell the story of the disease. * * The medicine, at the same time, is so mild to the taste that it may be mixed largely with tea or coffee, as I have done, and given to connoisseurs in these beverages to drink, without their being aware of the admixture.

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Yours, &c.,
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Resident Physician of the Halifax (N. S.) Visiting Dispensary.

This valuable medicine, which is now proved to be all that Dr. Morris represents it, is for sale at Carter's Drug Store. As it is a preventive as well as cure, persons who live in neighborhoods where the Small Pox is prevailing, and who may be fearful of taking this loathsome disease, will act shrewdly by purchasing a supply. nov14-2w.

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If you have been suffering from a habit indulged in by the

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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration have been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Wm. E. Sanborn, late of Millcreek tp., deceased; All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will please present them, duly authenticated, for settlement, to the undersigned

ROSE SANBURN,
Of Millcreek Tp.,
Administratrix.

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DANCING & DEPORTMENT!
AT
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Hours of Instruction for Ladies, Misses and Masters, from 2 to 5 o'clock p. m. Hours of Instruction for Gentlemen, from 7½ to 10 o'clock.

TUITION.

For Ladies, Misses and Masters,	$5 00
For Former Pupils,	4 00

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For Gentleman and Lady, Evening School,	5 00

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We refer to these facts only for the purpose of properly introducing another subject relative to our manufacture of watches. Hitherto our chief object has been to make *good* watches for the million, at the lowest possible price—something to take the place of the make-believe watches called "American," "Lepines," "English Patent Levers," &c., annually thrown upon this market, in countless numbers, by European work shops—watches which are the refuse of their factories, unsaleable at home and perfectly worthless everywhere.

This object we have accomplished, and now we have to announce, that we have commenced the manufacture of watches of the very

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Cloths and Cassimeres,
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FLANNELS AND LINDSEYS,
AND A LARGE STOCK OF
Brown and Bleached
SHEETINGS AND SHIRTINGS!
JUST RECEIVED, BY
JOHN C. BEEBE.

Oct. 17, 1863-3m.

NEW FIRM.
FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING
WARE-ROOMS!

On State St., between Seventh and Eighth.

The Subscribers have entered into the Cabinet Making and

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And propose making to order and keeping constantly on hand all kinds of Furniture.

Orders will receive prompt attention. Repairing done on short notice.

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The subscribers will give special attention to this department of their business. They will manufacture and keep constantly on hand a large assortment of Metallic Cases and Coffins, and hold themselves in readiness to meet orders in this line, promptly, from any part of the country. Determined to spare no efforts to give satisfaction both in the quality of their goods and prices, they hope to secure a liberal share of public patronage.

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EDINBORO BREWERY.

GEORGE MANTEL, PROPRIETOR. The Beer manufactured at this establishment has obtained a wide reputation. Orders solicited and promptly filled. Customers ordering by the quantity will have it delivered at the door. TERMS CASH. oct24'63-1y

Auditor's Notice.

Weaver & Graham, vs. John Marvin. } At. Vend. Ex. No. 57, Nov. T., 1863. In Com. Pleas Erie Co., Pa.

And now, to wit, Nov. 5, 1863, James Sill appointed Auditor to make distribution of the money made on the above writ. From the Record.

JAMES SKINNER, Pro.

The undersigned will attend to the duties of the above appointment at his office, in Erie, on Friday, Nov. 27th, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all parties interested can attend if they think proper.

nov7-3w JAMES SILL, Auditor.

Stray Horse.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber about the 7th of October, a GRAY MARE, supposed to be about ten years old. No artificial marks to be seen except some gulled marks on the breast from the harness or collar. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away otherwise she will be disposed of according to law.

LeBoeuf, Oct. 22, 1863. JEREMIAH CROCKER.

Notice.

WHEREAS my wife, Ruth Ann Turner, has left my bed and board without due cause or provocation, this is to notify the public that I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

C. W. TURNER.

Harborcreek, Nov. 3, 1863.-7w*

Second Mammoth Stock
OF
FALL & WINTER
GOODS!
NOW ARRIVING, AT
WM. P. HAYES & CO'S.

ELEGANT DRESS GOODS!
IN
MERINOS AND WOOL PLAIDS,
BROCADE REPS, ALPACAS,
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CRAPE DE NORDS,
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Together with a complete assortment of
MEDIUM AND LOW-PRICED
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SHAWLS! SHAWLS!
The Most Complete Assortment
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Double and Single Real Cashmeres,
At from $25 to $50!
CHINE LANE, PAISLY, MIDDLESEX,
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ALSO,
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Opened This Day,
HEAVY
Treco and Doe Skin Beaver
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MEDIUM PRICED MANTLES!
THE FINEST ASSORTMENT WE HAVE EVER OFFERED.

Our Stock in this line will be Constantly Replenished with the Newest and Best Goods to be had.

SILKS!
WE CLAIM TO BE ABLE TO OFFER
THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF
GOOD GOODS!
IN
DRESS SILKS!
IN THE CITY.

Monday, Oct. 12, 1863,
WE WILL OPEN
(*R. R. PERMITTING.*)
WORSTED GOODS.
ZEPHYR HOODS,
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ZOUAVE JACKETS, &C.,
In Charming Styles and Colors.
ALSO,
CLOTHS,
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HOSIERY,
AND
Domestic Goods of every Description!

IN ALL NEXT WEEK,
WE SHALL OPEN
A COMMANDING STOCK OF
LADIES' & CHILDREN'S
FURS.

No pains will be spared to make this one of the most inviting features of our trade.

Our Stock of Goods,

Offers to the Public (both Wholesale and Retail buyers) the best of facilities for replenishing their stock in necessaries and luxuries,

Our Large Stock, bought in August and September, at the low rates of exchange, and for cash down, our Odd Jobs, bought at Auction and elsewhere, and our

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Offer inducements to the purchaser rarely equaled.

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—OF—
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A Treatise on the Causes of Early Physical Decline of American People: the cause of Debility, Consumption and Marasmus.

This work whose of high moral tone, written in chaste, yet thrilling language, and appeals directly to the moral consciousness of ALL PARENTS and Guardians especially, detailing scientific and reliable aids and treatment for cure.

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Parents and Guardians! Fail not to send and obtain this book.

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A Word of Solemn, Conscientious Advice to those who will Reflect.

A class of maladies prevail to a fearful extent in the community, dooming at least 100,000 youths of both sexes annually, to an early grave. These diseases are very imperfectly understood. Their external manifestation, or symptoms, are Nervous Inability, Relaxation and Exhaustion; Marasmus or wasting and consumption of the tissues of the whole body; shortness of breathing or hurried breathing on ascending a hill or flight of stairs; great palpitation of the Heart; Asthma, Bronchitis and sore Throat; shaking of the Hands and Limbs; aversion to society and to business or study; dimness of eye sight, loss of Memory, dizziness of the Head, Neuralgia, Pain in in various parts of the body; Pains in the back or limbs, Lumbago, Dyspepsia or indigestion, irregularity of the bowels, deranged secretions of the Kidneys and other glands of the body, Leucorrhœa or Fleur Albus, &c. Likewise Epilepsy, Hysteria and Nervous Spasms.

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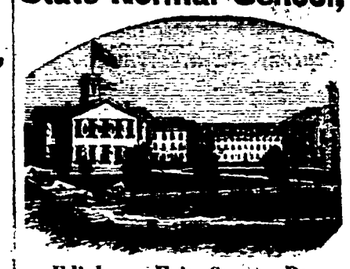
DR. ANDREW STONE,
Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute, and Physician for Diseases of the Heart, Throat and Lungs, 90 Fifth Street, Troy, N. Y. jan7'63y1.

State Normal School,



Edinboro, Erie County, Pa.

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J. A. COOPER, Principal.

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