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Witness our hands, at Erie, April 15th, A.D. 1864:

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JACOB WEISLER, HENRY KAVALIER,
JACOB KREMER, CHAS KOEHLER,
A. KING, GEO. PREF,
Mrs. FUESS, per CONRAD.
apr23tf

Dissolution.

THE FIRM OF H. & W. GROSS, Boot and Shoemakers, on French St., Erie, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons knowing themselves indebted to us, are requested to make payment before the first of June, and thus save costs, as the accounts after that date will be placed in the hands of officers for collection.

H. & W. GROSS.
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The Erie Observer.

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 1864.

LATEST NEWS.

The Army Across the Rapidan.

On Thursday evening a dispatch was received announcing that the Army of the Potomac is again on the march, having crossed the Rapidan at four different points. The crossing was made on Tuesday night, at Jacob, Culpepper, Germantown and United States fords, and was effected without serious opposition. Lee has been compelled to fall back from the strong position where he has held us at bay all winter. Every hour may now bring us the news of a battle, and it will be one of the most desperate of the war. Heaven grant that the victory may be on the side of the Union!

INSTALLATION.—Rev. Mr. Cain will be installed as pastor of the Park Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening next. The exercises will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Hamilton, of Warren, Rev. Dr. Reynolds, of Meadville, and Rev. Mr. Lowry, of Conneautville.

THE NEWCOMBS.—This company is said not to be a sham, like so many of the traveling minstrel troupes. Their music—vocal and instrumental—is choice, and their drolleries of the best. Says the Troy *Times*, of Saturday:

"The Newcombs were decidedly fresh, original and racy, last evening; and, of course, Griswold Hall was crowded on the occasion of their concert. Newcomb himself "brought down" the house, and Pell, the other "end man," sustained him well. Rainer is a capital leader and vocalist—in fact, all "acted well their parts," and contributed to render this a most successful entertainment."

WARREN COUNTY'S QUOTA.—The Deputy Provost Marshal announces the following as the quota of Warren county, under the President's last call for troops. We are not informed whether the quotas under other calls have been entirely filled, or not: Spring Creek township, 7; Columbus township, 9; Columbus borough, 4; South West township, 7; Eldred township, 5; Deerfield township, 9; Tidioute borough, 6; Limestone township, 4; Pleasant township, 4; Sheffield township, 4; Mead township, 3; Cherry Grove township, 0; Kensua township, 3; Elk township, 4; Corydon township, 4; Farmington township, 9; Pine Grove township, 9; Sugar Grove township, 13; Freehold township, 10; Pittsfield township, 11; Warren borough, 14; Glade township, 6; Conewago township, 8; Brokenstraw township, 6; Youngsville borough, 4; total 162.

WOMEN THIEVES.—Within the past week various merchants have missed articles from their stores, in one instance the value being considerable. On Wednesday about noon a German woman was discovered stealing a piece of goods in the store of Wm. Ball, jr., and, on being searched, a very ingenious contrivance for hiding articles was found in the folds of her dress. She was very much frightened on being apprehended, and plead earnestly that no exposure of the transaction would be made.

On Thursday, the woman above spoken of was arrested by the police, and a large quantity of dry goods, shoes, &c., found in her possession, quite sufficient to start a respectable variety store. Many of the goods were recognized by merchants as having been taken from their establishments. The woman, we understand, was a stranger in the city, having been here only about two weeks. She at first pretended to be very poor, and went to live with a respectable family, but soon attracted attention by selling various articles of dry goods to the neighbors. The low price at which she disposed of them excited comment in the vicinity, and the matter coming to the ears of the police, they had no hesitation in arresting her. She was taken before Esquire Kurtze, who sent her to jail to await trial.

ELOPED.—It is rumored that D. F. Johnston, Esq., a justice of the peace in Rockland township, eloped last week with a certain young *lady*, with whom he has been on very intimate terms for some time. The parties are supposed to have taken the cars at Kittanning, stopping at Berlin's hotel, Clarion county, the first night of their departure. It was understood in the neighborhood last fall that an elopement had been planned and that the wife of Johnston discovered a letter from Miss ——, who was then in Crawford county, in her husband's pocket, naming Meadville as the place, *et cetera*. Through the agency of friends the affair was frustrated and the Miss brought home. This time was given the parties to organize a new 'campaign' and change their strategy. Johnston leaves a wife and two little girls, from six to ten years old—a most interesting family.—*Oil City Monitor.*

This man *Johnston* was a great light of the Abolition party in the lower end of the county, and was known as the Rockland Demosthenes. He was celebrated for his ability to abuse those who differed from him in politics, and was a bad man generally long before his "change of base." His family and his victim are to be pitied.—*Venango Spectator.*

COUNTY AND CITY RAILROAD SUBSCRIPTION. It is not generally known to the public that the county has disposed of all its stock in the Sunbury and Erie railroad company, realizing a sum that will go very far towards paying off her indebtedness. The county authorities acted with shrewdness in this matter, and are deserving of all the credit that attaches to it. They carefully watched the state of the market, and when it reached the highest standard their agent was instructed to dispose of all that the county possessed. The price obtained was from 37 to 39 dollars for each share of $50. When it is remembered that this stock hardly more than two years ago was of so little value as to be almost unsaleable, our readers will agree with us that the people of Erie county deserve to be congratulated on their good fortune. The commissioners are now busy paying off the debt incurred for railroad subscription, and advertise that they will exchange greenbacks for county bonds whenever the latter are presented.

The city was not so fortunate with its stock, having held on with the expectation that it would go up to a higher figure. Since the sale of the county shares, however, the price has fallen considerably, with poor prospect of again advancing. We have little confidence that it will ever again reach the same figures which it held some time ago, and are free to express our belief that it would be better to sell now than to hold on and wait for another opportunity. The sale of the stock at present quotations would be much better than two-thirds of our people ever expected, while the large amount of debt of which it would relieve the city would enable our authorities to make improvements, the absence of which are daily felt in the community.

WE regret to hear of the death of Byron C. Ross, of North East, a member of Co. C, 145th regiment, which occurred on the 22d of April, at Camden street hospital, Baltimore. He was a young man of many noble qualities, and warmly esteemed by all his acquaintances. A letter from the lady in charge of the ward speaks in very affecting terms of his dying hours, giving his friends the cheering information that he was ready and willing to meet his Savior. The body was brought to North East on Wednesday of last week, by his brother, Warren L. Ross, of this city, and interred in the beautiful cemetery at that place. The deceased was in his 27th year. We fully endorse the language of the *Gazette*, that "in his death the regiment has lost a valuable member and the country a brave and efficient soldier."

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Fine Manilla Tea Paper, for use in stores, for sale at the new bookstore.

All the latest publications for sale at Caughey, McCreary & Co.'s new bookstore, four doors east of Brown's Hotel.

THE editor of the Oil City *Register* advertises for two young ladies to learn type setting in his office.

Webster's and Worcester's Unabridged Dictionaries—the latest editions—for sale at the publishers' retail prices, at Caughey, McCreary & Co.'s new bookstore.

THE *Corry News* for this week appears in a new dress, and in an enlarged form. We are pleased to notice these indications of prosperity.

The best and latest styles of Wall Paper, Window Curtains and Fire Board Patterns for sale low at Caughey, McCreary & Co.'s new bookstore.

"Gen. McClellan—Removed from the head of the Army, he commands the hearts of the soldiers and the people." This was one of the sentiments written in the sword book at the New York Fair.

AN exhibit of the quotas for the different sub-districts of Erie county, furnished to the Dispatch by Colonel Campbell, places the deficiency of the East ward at 43, and of the West ward, at 78, on which there is a probable credit of 118 veterans.

Any of our readers having dogs who are troubled with fleas, will find the following a certain cure. We vouch for it:

"Soak the dog for five minutes in camphene, and set him on fire. The effect is instantaneous."

Michael Knightlinger, of Crawford county, Pa., advertises his wife Eliza as leaving his bed and board, and closes his notice by saying "this is the sixteenth time she has served me in the same way." Michael must be a patient Benedict.

We have on hand a number of communications which, in the hurry of our business, have been neglected for some time. If our correspondents will bear with us a little while longer, we hope to be able soon to give an insertion to all their articles.

We are requested to announce that a donation for the benefit of Rev. Mr. Tibbetts, of Simpson Methodist church, will be given at the parsonage, on Wednesday evening next, the 11th inst. Mr. T. is one of our most zealous and able ministers, and is very popular with his congregation.

JOHN B. GOUGH, recently at Nashua, N. H., introduced into a lecture a large amount of vindictive political slang. He was instantly and justly rebuked by General Israel Hunt. Gough speaks for anything that pays. A few years ago it was temperance; now it is Abolitionism.

Abbott's Teacher and Wilson's Punctuation for sale at Caughey, McCreary & Co.'s new bookstore.

TRUE to the adage, that it always rains when a circus comes to town, Thayer & Noyes, had an exceedingly disagreeable day to exhibit in on Monday. The attendance, though, was not diminished, and most of the audience were as well pleased as could be expected under the unpleasant circumstances.

The person who mailed a letter on the 2d of February last, addressed to Miss Jennie Wade, Milwaukie, Wisconsin, is requested to call at the Erie postoffice. Any person acquainted with the present address of Miss Jennie Wade will confer a favor by communicating it to the postmaster, Erie.

THE room of the Soldier's Aid Society has been changed from the one in Wayne Block to the room over Gunnison & McCreary's law office. At the last meeting of the society it was resolved unanimously to pass a vote of thanks to Mr. Prescott Metcalf, who has so kindly furnished them with rooms ever since their organization in 1861.

MISS F. L. SPENCER, Sec'y.

Page's Theory and Practice of Teaching—a standard book on the subject—for sale at Caughey, McCreary & Co.'s new bookstore.

A curious work on cosmetics, recently published, strongly condemns rouge and pearl powder, but informs the ladies how they may give color to their cheeks without danger. Thus: Take a fragment of bright crimson silk, dip it in strong spirits of wine and rub it over the cheeks till a moderate tint appears. This (the work says) defies detection and is harmless.

THE widely known firm of Vincent, Tibbals, Shirk & Co. has dissolved partnership, Messrs. Vincent and Himrod retiring from the business, and a new co-partnership has been formed, consisting of Messrs. Tibbals and Shirk, and Mr. Wm. H. Whitehead, of Chicago, under the title of Tibbals, Shirk & Whitehead. Their establishment is one of the most extensive of the kind in the country.

Our young friend, Clark Ewing, Esq., has formed a law partnership with a gentleman at Titusville, and left for his new location on Thursday afternoon. We sincerely regret to part with Mr. Ewing. He is a man of more than ordinary attainments, and his fine social qualities render him an unusually pleasant companion. We recommend him to the people of Titusville as an able and trustworthy young lawyer.

SPECIAL DISPATCH!!! To the Public.—Joseph Eichenlaub has now on hand a complete assortment of all kinds of Boots, Shoes, Trunks, &c., which are warranted to give GENERAL satisfaction as regards price and quality. All disposed to GRANT him the favor of a call are advised to come at once as prices are ADVANCING very rapidly ON account of the high price of leather and scarcity of workmen, as so many are now with the army on their way to RICHMOND.

GODEY FOR MAY.—This is an excellent number of the Lady's Book. "May Flowers" is one of the most exquisite engravings ever published by Godey. The fashion plate contains six highly colored figures. "Cupid Auctioneer" is numerous and fun provoking. All the other departments are well maintained. Terms $3 per year. Address L. A. Godey, 323 Walnut street, Philadelphia.—*Warren Mail.*

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 5th inst., by Rev. N. Shrader, Mr. EDW. E. TURZNICKEL, publisher of the "German Spectator," to Miss LENA MEHL, both of this city.

Our editorial friend has at length followed "the way of all flesh." We congratulate him on his good taste in the selection of a companion, and hope he may never have cause to regret the step. May long life, prosperity and happiness attend them.

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Administrator's Notice.

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REMARKS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 2, 1864.

Beeswax wanted. Cheese wanted. Cheese weak. Flour firm. Fish wanted. Rye firm. Hops steady. Poultry wanted. Wool wanted. Beans steady. Dried Apples wanted. Raspberries wanted. Grass Seed firm. Pickled Cucumbers wanted. Oats firm. Lard wanted.

Seeds steady. Apples wanted. Pear steady. Potatoes wanted. Blackberries wanted. Buckwheat quiet. Fresh Meats firm. Corn firm. Beef wanted. Butter advancing. Plums wanted. Eggs wanted. Eggs wanted. Wheat firm. Hides wanted. Pork wanted.

Beeswax, pure, per lb	.30	.36 @ .36
" Imitation "	.40	.42
Beef, mess, per bbl	8 00	9 00
Peas "	1 10	1 40
Butter in tubs, per lb	20	25
" in firkins, "	25	30
" in rolls, "	25	30
Cheese, choice "	17	19
" common "	10	11
Dried Apples "	9	11
" Peaches "	27	30
" Plums "	17	19
" Cherries "	27	30
" Raspberries "	17	19
Eggs, fresh, per dozen	20	22
Flour, wheat, per bbl	7 00	11 00
" rye, "	5 00	7 00
Corn Meal, per hund	1 60	2 00
Buckwheat Flour "	2 00	2 25
Flax, per lb	20	25
Feathers, live geese, per lb	65	75
Beef Hides, "	.14	.15
Mutton, in carcass, "	8	15
Veal, "	6	10
Pork, dressed, "	6	12
Wheat, per bush	1 45	1 55
Rye, "	1 20	1 40
Oats, "	85	91
Corn, "	1 25	1 40
Hides, dry, per lb	22	26
" green "	11	12
Hops, prime, "	19	20
" "	13	14
Lard, common to best per lb	13	16
Beef, cattle, per cwt	11 00	13 00
" prime "	8 00	14 00
Pork, mess "	15 00	16 00
" prime "	10 00	14 00
Hams smoked per lb	.16	18
Shoulders "	13	14
Bacon "	14	15
Tallow "		
Chickens, per lb	.20	24
Turkeys, "	22	24
Geese, "	13	14
Ducks, "	24	26
Clover Seed "	2 11	2 13
Timothy "	3 00	3 40
Flax "	3 47	3 60
Tallow "	13	4
Wool, washed, per lb	.75	83
" unwashed "	50	61
Apples, per barrel	3 00	5 00

NOTE.—A full report of the New York Market can be seen on file at the OBSERVER office. In the above is given the lowest and highest prices, which are governed by quality and condition. Many articles that are not mentioned above, can be found on the report in our office.

Young's Emporium,

NO. 4 WRIGHT'S BLOCK.

IVIN'S HAIR CRIMPERS,

A convenient article, on hand and for sale

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

WILLOW CABS,

The best in the market—neat, durable and beautiful,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

PORTMONNAIES,

Plush—comprising every variety,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

TRAVELING BAGS,

The best manufacture, for sale

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

BASKETS,

The best assortment in the city,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

INDIA RUBBER BALLS,

In every variety,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

WINDOW SHADES,

Muslin, Oil Cloth and Paper, cheaper than the cheapest,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

PERFUMERIES AND SOAPS,

A large and tempting collection, for less than 30 per cent cheaper than elsewhere,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

EMBROIDERY, BRAIDS, DRESS BUTTONS, LINEN AND ENAMELED CUFFS, MAGIC RUFFLING, AND ZEPHYRS,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

PICTURE AND BLIND CORD,

A good variety,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

ERIE COUNTY MONEY

Taken at Par for all goods, at regular cash rates, and no "rough,"

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

BACK COMBS,

A brilliant assortment, to which the attention of the ladies is directed,

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.

POLAR REFRIGERATOR,

The finest and best ever made—superior to all, excelled by none—for sale

AT YOUNG'S EMPORIUM.
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BONNET STORE!

MRS. S. H. HALL

Would respectfully call attention to her

LARGE STOCK OF GOODS

Just received from New York, embracing

Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, &c.,

Together with some

DRY GOODS!

Which she will sell

CHEAP FOR CASH, OR READY PAY.

Particular attention paid to bleaching, coloring and pressing.

Store on French st., 7 doors above the Depot, Erie, Pa. apr30'64-1y.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS!

THE MISSES M'GRATH

Would most respectfully announce that they are now in their new Store,

REPPERT BLOCK, EAST SIDE OF THE PARK,

And have just opened a very large

STOCK OF NEW GOODS,

DIRECT FROM NEW YORK CITY!

Embracing everything in the

MILLINERY LINE!

To which they invite the attention of the Ladies of Erie and vicinity.

Having selected their stock with the greatest care, and purchased for CASH, they feel confident they can make it to the advantage of all to give them their custom.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION given to Dyeing, Bleaching and Pressing. apr23 4m.

Harness, Saddle and Trunk Business!

Stephen Erhart,

MANUFACTURER AND DEALER in all styles of Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Collars, Whips, Trunks, Valises, Traveling Bags, etc., may have a call at

NO. ONE PEARY BLOCK.

A short distance North of his old stand on State street. Thankful for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same. Repairing done promptly to order. [ja30-1y]

WE ARE OFFERING

A large assortment of Fancy Goods, Jewelry, Combs, Brushes, Dolls, Doll Heads, Games and Amusements for Children, Purses, Porte Monnaies, Perfumery, &c.

BENER & BURGESS.
my14-3m.

Genesee Valley Improved Mower.

THE SUBSCRIBERS having purchased the exclusive right of the manufacture and sale of the above Mowing Machine, have permanently established a manufactory of the same in ERIE CITY, Pa. We claim for our Mower that it is superior to any other now in Market for several reasons,

IT IS LESS COMPLICATED & A SIMPLER MACHINE.

It is well understood principle in Mechanics that the least complication and the least gearing in machinery, necessary to attain the purpose for which it is designated, the better. Ours is the only single geared Mower in the market, and it will need no alignment to continue farmers that because of this fact, it will be less liable to get out of order, and more readily repaired if needed, anywhere.

Our Mower is behind this day of its competitors for another reason: in the obstruction of rival Machines, their proprietors have found, it necessary to gear them up to a high motion, to prevent "clogging." Here-before these Machines having the highest motion have been troubled together with farmers, by "clogging" has been one of the vexed difficulties to be overcome, and the higher the motion the less "clogging." By an improvement which we have made in our Mower, we prevent clogging and retain a low motion; our knife making less than fourteen revolutions to one of the drive wheel, which is less than two-thirds of the motion in other Machines. Hence they offer less resistance to the horses, and are more durable than those of a higher motion.

Our knife is placed on a line with the axis of the drive-wheel, which is found serviceable in mowing on a knoll as in a gully; having a comparatively low motion it is less liable to break when "brought up" by a hidden stub or stone; and these, added to the fact that we use a limber cutting-bar, enable us to mow rougher meadows with greater temperity than can be done with any other Mower.

Excepting the tongue, our Machine is made wholly of iron and steel; hence is more durable than those made largely of wood, and therefore certain to shrink, swell and wear out. The "GENESEE VALLEY"

WEIGHS BUT LITTLE OVER 500 POUNDS,

Add its lightness, the simplicity of its machinery, its freedom of motion and its freedom from high gearing combine to make it the

EASIEST DRAWING MOWER USED!

The operator is enabled to throw the shaft attached to the knife out and in gear at pleasure; and having a limber cutting-bar, the knife can be folded up over the Machine, and hence it can be conveniently transported from field to field and will occupy less storage room when having is over.

The seat is attached by means of long steel springs so that elderly men and partial invalids are enabled to operate it; and its simplicity of gearing makes it more easier than double-geared machines.

It will be an advantage to farmers in Erie, Crawford and Ashtabula counties, and to localities contiguous to our manufactory, to buy machines made near home so that, if any part should be accidentally broken, a new piece could be more readily substituted.

"Old sons of respectability," being where the "Genesee Valley" has not been used, we make this offer: We will let you take one on trial, with the agreement on your part to purchase it provided it shall prove as good as herein recommended, you being the judge. We believe in the superiority of our Mowers, and shall embrace every opportunity to persuade farmers to give them a trial.

These assertions are based upon actual experiments. Over one hundred machines were bought and used by farmers in North-western Pennsylvania the past season. To every one of whom we refer persons desirous of purchasing. One man mowed sixteen acres in one day, and another mowed an acre in forty minutes—both doing their work well.

We publicly challenge all persons interested in the sale of rival mowers to meet us in a trial Mowing Match, on all kinds of ground, and in all sorts of grass. We claim to be able to mow rougher meadows, to mow more acres in a day, and to mow the same number of acres with greater ease, than can be done with any other Machine.

We will sell a well finished mower, including two knives, a set of phipps-trees &c., for one hundred dollars, at the shop. Last season, manufacturers are charging $115.

Persons desirous of purchasing machines, or of obtaining agency for the same, will find us at the old Eagle Foundry, on Federal Hill, or can address us at Erie, Pa. Liberal discounts made to agents.

Erie, Pa., March, 1864.—3m* J. & E. DENSMORE.

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

Siegel, Vincent & Co.,

(Successors to C. Siegel.)

DEALERS IN

Groceries, Flour, Pork, Fish,

SALT,
WATER
LIME,
GLASS,
ROPE,
CARBON OIL,

Ales, Wines, Liquors, Cigars and

TOBACCO,

CANDIES,
CRACKERS,
OLD VITROL,
GLUE & BUNGS,

AT THE

Lowest Market Prices.

UNION BLOCK, ERIE, PA.,

Between Brown's Hotel and French St.

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MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. H. A. SPENCER having located permanently in the city of Erie, will give prompt attention to all calls in the line of his profession. Particular attention will be given to SURGERY and diseases of the EYE. Office and residence on Eighth street, between Sassafras and Peach, in the premises formerly occupied by J. B. Johnson. apr16-3m*

OLD PRICES, NO ADVANCE!

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J. C. SELDEN

IS SELLING WALL PAPER

AT OLD PRICES.

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NEW BOOK STORE.

The attention of the public is respectfully invited to the new stock of

BOOKS, STATIONERY, WALL PAPER,

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, &c.,

Just opened by the undersigned, in the room recently occupied by McCord & McCreary, Union Block,

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