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EDITOR OF OBSERVER.—DEAR SIR:—With your kind permission I wish to say to the readers of your paper that I will send, by return mail, to all who wish it, (free) a Recipe, with full directions for making and using a simple Vegetable Balm, that will effectually remove, in ten days, Pimples, Blotches, Tan, Freckles and all Impurities of the Skin, leaving the same clear, smooth and beautiful.

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THE FALL EXAMINATIONS for applicants as Teachers, will be held at the following times and places:

McKean at Middleboro	October	10
Washington at Wells Corners	"	11
Franklin at Franklin Corners	"	12
Girard at Girard	"	13
Conneaut & Elk Creek at Albion	"	14
Springfield at Springfield X Roads	"	15
Fairview at Fairview	"	17
Millcreek at Federal Hill	"	18
Greene at Pinney's School House	"	19
Summit at Stone's School House	"	20
Waterford at Waterford	"	21
Harborcreek at Harborcreek	"	24
North East at North East	"	25
Union and Elk Creek at Cole's Station	"	26
Venango and Amity at Wattsburg	"	27
Summit Centre School House	"	28
Concord at Howe's Station	"	29
Union at Union Mills	"	31
Le Boeuf at Oak Grove School House	Nov.	1

All to commence at 9 a. m.

J. DEGMREE, County Superintendent.
sep15-6w.

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Boyer decd., late of Fairview tp., Erie Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated, for settlement, and those indebted to the said estate will make immediate payment.

SILAS BOYER,
EPHRAIM BOYER,
sep8-6w Administrators.

The Erie Weekly Observer.

ERIE, PA., SEPTEMBER 29, 1864.

Next Week.

The next issue of our paper will be published on Friday, instead of Thursday afternoon.

Tickets for the Soldiers.

Tickets specially arranged for use in the army have been prepared at this office and will be given, free of cost, to any Democrat who wants them. It is essential that those who have friends in the service should send them tickets without delay.

Which Shall be the Banner Township?

We suggest to our friends that they get up a friendly rivalry between one another, to see which township shall send the finest delegation to the 6th of October meeting. Last fall the procession was remarkably handsome, and several townships bore off the palm, by universal consent, for the good taste displayed in their arrangements. Which shall be the banner one this year? Go in boys, and do your best. Hurrah for the one that wins!

☞ We ask it, as an especial favor, of the Democrats of Erie, Crawford and Warren counties, that they will notify us of the times of holding their several meetings, and the speakers expected to be in attendance. Our object is to furnish the readers of the *Observer* each week with a list of all the meetings to be held in the three counties; and if the prominent Democrats of each locality will attend to this matter they will doubtless add much to the attendance at their gatherings, besides lending interest to the columns of our paper. Reports of club proceedings and other information of local political interest will be thankfully received.

Democratic Meetings.

The Democrats of Crawford county will hold a Great Mass Meeting at Meadville, on the 7th of October, which is to be addressed by a number of prominent speakers.

BENJAMIN WHITMAN, editor of the *Observer*, will speak at Mill Village, Le Bœuf township, on Friday evening, September 30th, at seven o'clock.

A meeting of the Democrats of Eastern Crawford will be held at Spartansburg, on the 4th of October. Judge CHURCH, Col. KERR and Hon. SELDEN MARVIN have promised to be in attendance.

A meeting will be held at Tidioute, Warren county, on Saturday evening, October 8th, which will be addressed by BENJAMIN WHITMAN and others.

A meeting will be held at Lockport on Saturday, the 1st of October, to be addressed by several good speakers.

A hickory pole will be raised at Weigletown, on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 1st, when speeches will be made by several gentlemen from this city.

Col. DAN RICE has made the following appointments, when he will positively meet and address the people, unless some unforseen occurrence should prevent: Saturday evening, Oct. 1st, Erie City; Monday afternoon Oct. 3d, Edinboro; Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 4th, Meadville; Tuesday evening, Oct. 4th, Conneautville; Saturday evening, Oct. 8th, North East; Monday afternoon, Oct. 10th, Union; Monday evening, Oct. 10th, Corry.

A meeting will be held at Edinboro, Monday afternoon, Oct. 3d, to be addressed by Hon. M. Burnell, of Jamestown, N. Y., Col. Jas. K. Kerr, Col. Dan Rice, Col. J. Ross Thompson, Hon. Selden Marvin, Prof. L. W. Savage and Capt. D. W. Hutchinson.

Speakers at the 6th of October Meeting.

The following gentlemen have all written that they will be present at the Democratic Mass Convention, in this city, on the 6th of October, and the public can rely on hearing addresses from them, unless some unforeseen occurrence prevents them from reaching us. It will be seen that the list includes some of the ablest and most eminent speakers in the country:

Senator Richardson, of Illinois, the intimate friend of Judge Douglas.

Hon. Wm. H. Witte, of Philadelphia, admittedly the finest stump speaker in Pennsylvania.

Hon. James S. Thayer of New York, whose speech at the Chicago Convention was pronounced by all who heard it, to be the most eloquent delivered before that body.

Hon. Marshall B. Champlin, Democratic candidate for Attorney General of the State of New York.

Hon. A. P. Laudrieg, Hon. John W. Murphy and Charles S. Macomber, Esq., of Buffalo.

Colonel James K. Kerr, of Franklin.

Hon. Gaylord Church, of Meadville.

In addition to the above, who are all speakers of acknowledged merit, we feel quite confident that Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees, of Indiana, and Hon. Emerson Etheridge, of Tennessee, will be present. These gentlemen are so well known to the country that we need enter into no extended allusion to their superior abilities as orators and statesmen. If favorable letters are received from them previous to the day of meeting, notice of the fact will be communicated to the public at the earliest period and in the most advantageous way.

Let all who are interested in the election of Gen. McClellan turn out without fail. The meeting promises to be the most interesting ever held in this city.

County Ticket.

The pressure of other engagements leaves us no opportunity to speak at length of the county ticket nominated in this city on Tuesday of last week. It is composed of excellent men, every one of whom will be admitted to be fully competent for the place to which the Convention assigned him. Lieut. Colt, our candidate for Sheriff, is a young soldier of superior ability, who started out with the 83d regiment at the commencement of its career, and has served with it ever since, passing through almost every battle that has occurred on the soil of Eastern Virginia. He is still in the service, having re-enlisted to "see it out," and alike on the score of patriotism, talents and consistent Democracy, he is entitled to the support of the friends of the Constitution and the Union. The ticket was nominated in each instance with thorough unanimity, and we trust it will receive a like harmonious support from the Democrats of the county.

THE EIGHTY-THIRD.—The members of the 83d, whose time has expired, are in Harrisburg, being mustered out of service. They do not propose to come home in a body, but are coming as fast as mustered out and settled up with their late employer. They number 8 officers and 103 men. The following are the officers who return: Lieut. Col. D. C. McCoy, in command, and Adjutant John Clark, Capts. David Paul Jones, D. Saeger, and John Hechtman, Lieutenants F. C. Wittich, M. V. Gifford and A. C. Montgomery. 240 men remain in service under command of Major A. M. Judson.—*Connaustville Courier.*

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AIR—"OLD GRANITE STATE."

With hearts and hands united,
We stand in good faith plighted,
And our wrongs shall all be righted
By McClellan brave and true.

We're a band of Freemen,
We're a band of Freemen,
We're a band of Freemen,
And we dare maintain our rights.

Let every voice be lifted,
And every false hope sifted,
Till the dark clouds all are rifted,
And there dawns a brighter day.

Shout a song of triumph,
Shout a song of triumph,
Shout a song of triumph,
For McClellan leads the van.

He is bound to rule our Nation—
Bound to stop all innovation,
And secure a restoration
Of our Union tried and true.

For we're all united,
For we're all united,
For we're all united,
As we were in days of yore.

Letter from Girard.

GIRARD, Sept. 26, 1864.

Editor Observer: I propose to advise you of the progress of the Democracy in Girard and vicinity. We have a club of over fifty names already and expect to swell it much larger. We meet on Thursday of each week until after the November election—speaking at each meeting. We were highly entertained by a speech delivered by Ex Governor Bigler on Thursday last. He was listened to by a respectable gathering of people. A sprinkling of Republicans were present, who looked as though their friends had left them, and they had been delivered up unto the truth.

The Governor alluded to the unhappy condition of our loved and once prosperous country, the causes which had placed us in this condition, and the course to pursue in order to extricate ourselves from it, which must have been conclusive to every enlightened mind stripped of party prejudice.

The Girard band was employed on the occasion. When about to start on its mission, Mr. George P. Rea sought the leader of the band, and attempted to persuade them not to play for the Democrats, stating that it would be the means of destroying the band. Next appeared S. E. Woodruff, Esq., a man large in stature, small in intellect, and beautifully less in principle, who offered a bribe of thirty dollars if they would not play, which was not heeded. Thanks to them for their good sense. For this we ask the patronage and well wishes of all parties to be extended to the band, and the condemnation of every citizen to certain other individuals.

The McClellan club met on Saturday evening, and it was whispered that Dan Rice would arrive on the six o'clock train and address the meeting. At an early hour the room was filled. A committee was appointed to invite our able and patriotic friend to address the meeting. Dan being up to time did not keep them long waiting. His appearance was greeted with loud and prolonged cheers. Mr. Rice then made a short and stirring speech, and was followed by Mr. David Olin, who, by the way, is an excellent speaker and a man well posted in politics.

Respectfully yours, GIRARD.

Meeting at North East.

DEAR OBSERVER:—I am instructed by the Union McClellan Club of North East, to furnish you a copy of the platform of the Club, *together with some of the resolutions passed at its last meeting.*

PLATFORM OF THE UNION M'CLELLAN CLUB OF NORTH EAST:

Resolved, That we, the undersigned, hereby organize ourselves into a Democratic Club, to be called the Union McClellan Club of North East.

Resolved, That we adopt as the basis of our organization, to be the rule and guide in the present campaign, the letter of acceptance of our distinguished chieftain and leader, Major General Geo. B. McClellan, and that we hold the doctrines there enunciated to be soundly patriotic.

The following resolution was adopted at the meeting of the Club on Saturday, Sept. 24th inst.:

Resolved, That the Club subscribe for the following daily campaign papers, to be kept on file at the Reading Room of the Club:—New York "World," Philadelphia "Age," Cleveland "Plain Dealer," Buffalo "Courier," Washington "Intelligencer," Erie City "Dispatch," and 10 copies of the Erie "Observer."

The following are the officers of the Club: President, R. A. White; Vice Presidents, C. A. Clute, Henry Wolf; Secretary, W. C. Evans; Treasurer, J. L. Brookins; Vigilance Committee, D. Heath, R. Hill, Wm Custard, Wm. Willis, J. A. Stetson, Wm. Allison, W. Bingham, N. L. Finn, A. Duncan, E. F. Gifford. The regular meetings of the Club to be on saturday evening, at 7 o'clock, at the Brawley Hotel.

W. C. EVANS, Secretary.

To whom all communications should be addressed.

SIXTH OF OCTOBER MEETING.—Col. Benj. Grant has been selected as the Marshal of the day, at the meeting on the 6th of October. The following committees have been appointed for the occasion:

Committee of Arrangements.—Capt. W. W. Dobbins, Capt. James Dunlap, Wm. G. Arbuckle, P. A. Becker, John W. Shannon, F. W. Koehler, John Cummins, J. M. Kuhn, Jno. Ferrier.

Committee of Reception.—Wm. A. Galbraith, Col. John H. Bliss, E. Camphausen, Hon. Selden Marvin, B. F. Sloan, Benj. Whitman, Wm. W. Dinsmore, Wm. L. Scott, Dr. Chas. Brandes, Richard O'Brien, J. C. Marshall.

The Committee of Arrangements will at the office of Col. Grant, on Friday evening, the 30th inst. The Committee of Reception will meet at Mr. Galbraith's office, on Tuesday evening of next week.

To the Democratic Clubs of Erie County.

To facilitate correspondence and consultation, the officers of the various Democratic Clubs of Erie county are requested to communicate the names of their officers, with their Post Office address, to the Democratic Club of the city of Erie. Address B. F. Sloan, Esq., at Erie, Pa. tf.

☞ The condition of our finances, the depreciation of the paper money, and the burdens thereby imposed on labor and capital, show the necessity of a return to a sound financial system, while the rights of citizens and the rights of States, and the binding authority of law over the President, the army and the people are subjects of not less vital importance in war than in peace.—*Gen. McClellan's Letter of Acceptance.*

☞ The effect of long and varied service in the army during war and peace has been to strengthen and make indelible on my mind and heart the love and reverence for the Union, Constitution, laws and flag of our country impressed upon me in early youth. *These feelings have thus far guided the course of my life, and must continue to do so to its end.—Gen. McClellan's Letter of Acceptance.*

☞ The re establishment of the Union in all its integrity is, and must continue to be, the indispensable condition of any settlement. *—Gen. McClellan's Letter of Acceptance.*

☞ The Union must be preserved at all hazards.—*General McClellan's Letter of Acceptance.*

ITEMS OF ALL SORTS.

One of the humors of politics—Greeley accusing McClellan of cowardice.

After Wednesday next trains will run regularly between this city and Philadelphia.

A learned doctor once gave it as his opinion that tight lacing is a great public advantage, because it kills off the foolish girls, and leaves the wise only to grow into women.

The draft has been going off in Cleveland, Dunkirk and other places around us, during the last week. It will come our county's "turn" before long.

J. Dennis James, Esq., of Warren, was unable to be here on Wednesday evening, and the meeting announced for that occasion was therefore postponed.

The *World* is of the opinion that if any paper would undertake to print all of Lincoln's stories, the police would be obliged to suppress it, under the act forbidding obscene publications.

On the evening of the 12th a vote was taken of the volunteers in Provost Barrack, Dunkirk. There were 190 votes. A. Lincoln received 4 and Gen. Geo. B. McClellan received 186. So says the Fredonia *Advertiser.*

The committee sent on to Harrisburg to procure credits on the quota of this city, have succeeded in their efforts, and we have now the satisfaction of knowing that we are "out of the draft"—until the next call.

Bernard Hubley, of this city, has been appointed additional route agent on the Phila. & Erie R. R. Barney is an inveterate Black Republican, but a pretty good sort of a fellow, nevertheless, and we congratulate him on his appointment.

Remember the Mass Meeting on the 6th of October, in this city. Don't fail to be on hand with your entire family. Let every township send in its delegations, with flags, music and emblems. The speakers advertised to be present will positively be on hand unless some unforseen occurrence prevents them, and the occasion promises to be the most attractive we have ever had in Erie.

The Crawford Journal says that out of the aggregate of 6,365 men heretofore drafted in that district, the Government secured 812 drafted men and substitutes; 1,684 paid commutation money; 1,868 were exempted for physical disability; 1,311 were exempted for various causes; 1,080 failed to report, and there is still existing a deficiency of 108 on former calls.

Patrons who receive their papers by carriers in the city, should bear it in mind that an extra charge is made of fifty cents, making two dollars and fifty cents as the price for the year. Boys in these days demand as large wages as men, and we cannot any longer afford to furnish the paper to those who have it carried to their houses as low as we do to mail or office subscribers. Those who call at the printing office will still obtain the *Observer* at the old rate—two dollars a year. (tf.)

We understand that Col. J. Ross Thompson, who has not actively participated in politics for some years past, has expressed his determination to take the stump for Gen. McClellan. Col. Thompson is an eloquent and able speaker, and having a very large influence over the county, cannot fail to do much good service for the cause. We learn, also, that his brother, Samuel Thompson, Esq., will soon visit this section, and deliver several speeches in favor of Gen. McClellan.

We hope Democratic local clubs and organizations will bear in mind the necessity for sending sound Democratic documents to the army. It is idle to forward packages or bundles, as there is every reason to believe that the post office is tampered with by the Administration; but they cannot supervise all the sealed letters or papers in single wrappers. Let lists be made up of soldiers in the field from every locality, and then Democrats must see to it that they are supplied with documents to refute the calumnies of the favored Republican papers which are allowed to circulate in the army.

The venerable Judge Miles, whose position as one of the leaders of the Republican party is well known to every man in the county, has no hesitation in expressing his preference for Col. Rice over Mr. Lowry. "What kind of a man is Rice?" said a gentleman to the Judge, in this city, a few days ago. The sturdy old gentleman responded without any hesitation and substantially as follows: "He's a better man than Lowry ever was or ever can be. He's not only a great deal smarter, but he has a higher sense of honor, and is one of the most liberal men I ever saw. *He's a gentleman, sir.*"

The formal opening of the Phila. & Erie R. R. will take place on Wednesday next, when an excursion train from Philadelphia, will pass over the entire line, reaching this city about 6 o'clock in the evening or later. The excursion party is expected to comprise several hundred persons, among whom will be many of the first citizens of Philadelphia and other parts of the State. On Thursday afternoon, the guests will be treated to an entertainment in Farrar Hall, at which speeches, sentiments, champagne, *et cetera*, will be the order of the day. The city Councils have appropriated three thousand dollars for this purpose. How happy we should be, to know that we have such a liberal body of city fathers!

The following important order has just been received in relation to the draft; "If the quota of any sub-district shall be entirely filled by volunteering after the draft, but before the drafted men are sent to the general rendezvous, then the person drafted will be excused. Volunteers will be accepted and counted on the quota, as well as drafted men, till it is filled; and when filled, and before the drafted men shall have been sent to the general rendezvous, for every additional volunteer mustered in a drafted man will be excused, the person to be excused being taken from the bottom of the list of those drafted, in the reverse order in which they were drawn; but in no instance will a substitute be exonerated or excused."

Mr. C. C. Griffey has sold the Girard *Union* to Mr. John S. Phelps, late of the Mayville *Sentinel*, who, it is reported, will publish the paper hereafter as an organ of Democratic principles. If such be the fact, we shall rejoice "with exceeding great joy" over it, for if there is a section of Pennsylvania that truly and unmistakably needs political light, it is the Western part of this and Crawford counties. Mr. Phelps is an experienced editor and capable of making an excellent paper.

We must confess to an honest regret at parting with Mr. Griffey as an editor—if such be his intention. He is a confirmed, incurable Abolitionist, it is true, but aside from his politics, we have found him one of the most companionable men of our acquaintance, and that he is a capital editor all will agree. Unlike too many persons, he will not let a difference of opinion on public questions influence his personal relations, and such men we cannot help respecting in these days of intolerance and red hot partizan malignity. Here's success, "my hearty," in whatever you undertake.

Our friends at Corry have held two meetings since Gen. McClellan's nomination, and in both instances they have been subjected to indignities which none but rowdies and cowards would be capable of. We have not time to speak of them at length this week, but shall refer to them in appropriate terms in our next issue. Meanwhile we urge upon them to leave no effort untried to ferret out the guilty parties, and have them held up to the contempt they deserve.

Col. Dan Rice intimates that we were mistaken in announcing that he intended to challenge Mr. Lowry to stump the district. He has engagements on hand, contracted before he had any idea of receiving the nomination; which cannot be broken, and which will prevent him from meeting the people at more than a dozen places before the day of election. He feels quite confident that he could be elected if he had time to attend to the canvass.

Have you been assessed? Have you any Democratic acquaintances whose names are not on the Assessor's lists? See that the matter is attended to at once.

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All kinds used by Manufacturers,
All kinds used by Medicine Dealers,
All kinds used by Auctioneers,
All kinds used by Railroad Agents,
All kinds used by Banks,
All kinds used by Insurance Offices,
All kinds used by Stock Companies, especially,
All kinds used by Brokers,
All kinds used by Com. and For. Merchants,
All kinds used by Express Men,
All kinds used by Professional Men,
All kinds used by Literary Societies,
All kinds used by Public Officers,
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All kinds used by Political Managers,
All kinds used by Travelling Agents,
All kinds used by Farmers, or sellers of real estate,
All kinds used by the sellers of Personal Property,
All kinds used by Religious Societies,

In short, all kinds used by all classes.

Orders by mail, when sent by responsible parties, promptly attended to. Agents for Shows, Concerts, &c., whose responsibility we are not acquainted with, must pay in advance. In cases where packages are sent out of the city by express, and the persons for whom they are intended have not a regular account at the office, the bill for collection will invariably be forwarded with them.

Special Notices.

☞ We desire to obtain a correspondent in every township in the county. Political essays we can obtain in abundance; what we want is the local news from all parts of the county. Any person writing to us can depend on having his name kept strictly confidential; and if he has fears that the communication is not in proper shape for publication, we will put it in appropriate trim.

☞ City subscribers, served by carrier, will be charged twenty-five cents per year extra. Persons who fail to receive their papers regularly will oblige the Carrier by notifying us of the same. We prefer to have all subscribers who can conveniently, procure their papers at the office of publication.

☞ The hour at which the *Observer* is put to press, each week, is 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon. Advertisements will be received up to 9 o'clock of the day of publication.

☞ All Advertisements, Job Work and Subscriptions, from persons whose responsibility is not known to the publishers, *must be paid in advance.*

DIED.

On the 25th inst., at his residence in Harborcreek, from the effects of Camp Fever, Mr. JAMES COTTER, aged 52 years.

In Harborcreek, Aug. 21st., BETSEY ADAMS, wife of Jeremiah Adams, in the 74th year of her age.

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That Concern Every One to Answer!

Are you bald?
Does your hair fall off?
Has your hair become thin?
Does it feel harsh, and dry, and feverish?
Is it turning gray before its time?
Are you troubled with Dandruff?
Are you troubled with what is called Scrofula or Salt Rheum?
Have you had the Erysipelas, and lost your hair?
Have you had the Measles, and lost it?
Have you had the Typhoid Fever, and lost it?
Have you lost your hair by any sickness?
Do you wish luxuriant hair?
Do you wish soft and lustrous hair?
Do you wish gray hair restored?
Do you wish your whiskers glossy?
Do you wish them restored in color?
Do you want it for your children?
Do you want it for yourself, for father or mother, for brother, sister or friend?
Do you want to make a present?
Do you want a perfume for your toilet?
Do you want a harmless article?
Do you want a pure article?
Do you want a double distilled article?
Do you want a cleansing article?
Do you want the best preparation out for dressing, stimulating, protecting, restoring the color, and rendering soft, silky and lustrous the Human Hair?
If so, we warrant

CLARK'S

DISTILLED RESTORATIVE,

FOR THE HAIR,

TO BE UNEQUALLED AND SUPERIOR TO ANY PREPARATION EVER COMPOUNDED AND OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC.

Satisfaction guaranteed, or the money refunded.

It costs but $1 for one bottle, or 6 bottles for $5, and is sold by Druggists and Dealers everywhere.

C. G. CLARK & CO., Proprietors.

S. BARNES & CO., N. Y., General Agents.
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New Firm.

JAMES P. CROOK, having taken his son, James E., as a partner, on the 1st day of April, 1864, under the firm name of JAMES P. CROOK & SON, desires to have a settlement of his old accounts. All persons knowing themselves indebted to him are requested to call and settle without delay.

JAMES P. CROOK & SON,
DEALERS IN
ROUGH AND PLANED LUMBER!
AND MANUFACTURERS OF
Window Sash, Frames, Doors and Blinds!
MOULDINGS AND PICKET FENCE.
Scroll Sawing, Matching & Planing!
DONE TO ORDER.
Shop on Peach St., between 5th and 6th Sts.,
ERIE, PA.

We respectfully call the attention of the public to our facilities for doing work in the best of style, promptly and on reasonable terms. Having fitted up entirely new shops, with superior machinery, we feel confident of giving entire satisfaction.

☞ Orders from a distance will receive prompt attention.
my28'64tf. JAMES P. CROOK & SON.

Landscape Gardening, &c.

THE Undersigned offers his services to any persons having Landscape Gardening, Hedge Trimming, Repairing, and Improving of Cemetery Lots and Private Yards, &c., to do. Having had large experience in the business, he feels capable of being able to give entire satisfaction. Work taken either by the day or job. Refers to Hon. Asher King, and others by whom he has been employed.

TIMOTHY LYNCH.
Residence, 11th St., West of Myrtle,
sep15-6w* Erie, Pa.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be received at the National Banks for Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug. 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum,—principal and interest both to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent gold bearing bonds, payable not less than five nor more than twenty years from the date of the bond they may elect. They will be issued in the denominations of $50, $100, $500, $1,000 and $5,000, and all subscriptions must be for fifty dollars or some multiple of fifty dollars.

The notes will be exchanged to the owners free of transportation charges on and after the receipt of the original Certificates of Deposit, as they can be secured.

As the notes draw interest from August 15th, persons making deposits subscribing to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes, at any one time, will be allowed a commission of one *quarter of one* per cent., which will be paid by the Treasury Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified to by the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deductions for commissions must be made from the deposits.

Special Advantages of this Loan.

It is a NATIONAL BANK BILL, offering a higher rate of interest than any bank note, and *the best security.* Any savings bank which pays its depositors in U. S. Notes, considers that it is paying in the best circulating medium of the country, and it cannot pay in anything better, for its own assets are either in government securities or in notes or bonds payable in government paper.

It is equally convenient as a temporary or permanent investment. The notes can always be sold *for within a* fraction of their face and accumulated interest, and are the best security with banks as collaterals or discounts.

CONVERTIBLE INTO A SIX PER CENT 5-20 GOLD BOND.

In addition to the liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the current rate for 5-20 Bonds is not less than *nine per cent. premium*, and before the war the premium on the same Bonds was over twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

Its Exemption From State or Municipal Taxation.

But aside from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress *exempts all Bonds and Treasury Notes from local taxation.* On the average this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum, according to the rate of taxation in the various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the government. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties, or of corporations or separate communities only, is pledged for payment, while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all the obligations of the United States.

While the government sets the most liberal terms for its loans, it believes that the very highest appeal will be to the loyalty and patriotism of the people.

Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposits.—The party depositing must endorse upon the *original* certificate the denomination of the notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endorsed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be forwarded to the Treasury Department.

SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Treasurer of the United States, at Washington, the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositaries, and by the

First National Bank of Erie,

and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and

ALL RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS throughout the country will give further information and

AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS.
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FORTY YEARS EXPERIENCE

Has fully established the superiority of

REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE

Over all other healing preparations.

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CURES BURNS.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES SCALDS.
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CURES FELONS.
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CURES CHILBLAINS.
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CURES CHAPPED HANDS.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES FLESH WOUNDS.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES OLD SORES.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES ERYSIPELAS.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES CANCERS.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES SALT RHEUM.
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CURES BITES OF INSECTS.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!
CURES ALL CUTANEOUS DISEASES AND ERUPTIONS GENERALLY.
REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!

Is perfectly free from any mercurial matter or injurious particles, and is no case will its application interfere with the remedies that may be prescribed by a regular physician. The Medical Faculty, throughout the Union, are unanimous in its praise. The more its virtues become known the greater is the demand, and it is now considered as indispensable an article of household necessity—being used alike by rich and poor.

REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE!

Is prompt in action, removes pain at once, and reduces the most angry looking swelling and inflammations, as if by magic—thus affording relief and a complete cure. The length of time this salve has been before the public is conclusive proof that it is no humbug, puffing or imposition, but