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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. GROCERY STORE. P. A. BECKER & CO., WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS, *North-East Corner of the Park & French Street,* (CHRAPSINK,) Would respectfully call the attention of the community to his large Stock of GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, Which he is desirous to sell at the VERY LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. His assortment of SUGARS, COFFEES, TEAS, SYRUPS, TOBACCOS, FISH, &C., Is not surpassed in the city, as he is prepared to prove to all who give him a call.

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His motto is, "Quick Sales, Small Profits and a full Equivalent for the Money." ap11'65tf.

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We have the exclusive right in Pennsylvania for manufacturing the celebrated MORNING GLORY! ADMITTEDLY THE BEST EVER INTRODUCED.

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BUCK'S PATENT 6 HOLE HOTEL STOVE! BLODGETT PASTRY BAKERS for Hotels, Boarding House, &c SHEET IRON STOVES! FURNACES, And, in fact, everything known to the trade.

THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED TO CALL AND EXAMINE OUR GOODS. no22 tf

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ERRORS OF YOUTH.—A gentleman who has suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN H. OGDEN, dec22'65 1y. No. 13 Chambers St., N. Y.

THE BEST LANTERN FOR FARMER'S USE, IS AT GOFF, PATTERSON & CO.'S, 615 FRENCH STREET, It burns Fifteen Oil first rate. au22-tf

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LIME FOR SALE. We would respectfully call the attention of BUILDERS & LIME DEALERS To our NEW PERPETUAL LIME KILN, Situated on the Canal, BETWEEN FRONT AND SECOND STS., Near Reed's Dock. We are now in full operation—have lime on hand, and are prepared to furnish it from the Kiln, on the shortest notice. NEILER & SPOONER.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR CHEAP GOODS! WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE, WINES AND LIQUORS. F. & M. SCHLAUDECKER, Are now receiving at their old stand, American Block State street a large and superior stock of Groceries, Provisions, Wine, Liquors, Willow, Wooden, and Stone Ware, Fruits, Nuts, &c., &c., Together with everything found in a House of this kind, which they will sell as cheap as any other establishment in this city for Cash or most kinds of country produce. They have also on hand one of the largest and finest Stocks of Tobacco and Segars ever brought to Erie, to which they invite the attention of the public. Call and see—a nimble sixpence is better than a slow shilling, consequently Cash buyers will find great bargains by calling at the GROCERY HEADQUARTERS, —AMERICAN BLOCK, STATE STREET— June 2, 1866—tf F. & M. SCHLAUDAKER.

BUILDING LOTS & FARM LANDS FOR SALE. Twenty-six acres of land in Harborcreek, near Six Mile Creek. In lot No. 1238, on Eighth street, west of Myrtle—8 lots 92½ by 148, on Seventh street, east of Ash Lane. One lot 74 by 160, on Ninth street, west of Myrtle. Two lots on Chestnut street, between Eighth and Ninth, 43 by 117 1-2 each. Two lots 40 by 160 each on Eighth street, east of Hemlock. Ten lots on Cherry street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, each 33 by 123 on ground rent. In lots No. 1,056, 1,057, and 1,000 situated on north side of Seventh, between French and Holland streets, will be sold separately or divided. Very eligible. Two lots 40 by 160 feet on Seventh street, east of Parade. 3 1 acres sub divided into convenient lots in the village of Belle Valley. Six lots on Poplar street, between Seventh and Eighth streets. Two lots on ground lease on Peach street, near the depot. Business lots. One lot on Sixteenth street, west of Peach, 174 feet front on State street, near Fourth street, in lots to suit. 430 acres of choice Iowa lands. A building lot on German street. A farm under a high state of cultivation one half mile from Union Mills. Six hundred and forty acres of timber land in Minnesota. One water lot and dock west of State street. Six lots on Sixth street, west of Cherry, on ground rent. Seven lots 33 by 143, on Cherry Street, next to 12th street. Also, houses and lots in various parts of Erie city and suburbs, all of which are offered on favorable terms, giving all a chance to secure a home. JAMES SILL, dec6-3m* 515 French St.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE RAIL ROAD. THIS great line traverses the Northern and Northwest counties of Pennsylvania to the city of Erie, on Lake Erie. It has been leased by the *Pennsylvania Rail road Company,* and is operated by them. TIME OF PASSENGER TRAINS AT ERIE. Leave Eastward. Mail Train ..... 9 10 a. m. Erie Express Train ..... 5 30 p. m. Corry Accom. ..... 7 45 a. m. Arrive Westward. Mail Train ..... 7 15 p. m. Erie Express Train ..... 10 00 a. m. Warren Accom. ..... 5 00 p. m. Passenger cars run through on the Erie Mail and Express trains without change both ways between Philadelphia and Erie. New York connection: Leave New York at 9 00 a. m., arrive at Erie 9 30 a. m. Leave Erie at 4 40 p. m., arrive at New York 4 10 p. m. Elegant Sleeping Cars on all night trains. For information respecting Passenger business apply at corner of 20th and Market sts., Phila., and for Freight business of the Company's agents, S. S. HINGSTON, Jr., corner 13th and Market Streets Philadelphia. J. W. REYNOLDS, Erie. W. BROWN, Agent N. C. R. R., Baltimore. H. H. HOUSTON, General Freight Agent, Phila. H. W. GWINNER, Gen. Ticket Agt. Phila. A. L. TYLER, General Superintendent Erie, Pa.

NOTICE. The undersigned having been duly commissioned by the Governor of the State AUCTIONEER FOR THE CITY OF ERIE, has opened an Auction and Commission Store under the name and firm of GREEN & CRONIN, On State street, opposite the Postoffice, where he will be found at all times. Parties having any goods to dispose of at Public or Private Sale, will find it to their advantage to entrust them to me. Out door sales attended to anywhere in the city. Consignments respectfully solicited, and prompt settlements made after each sale. Auction sales two days in each week, viz: WEDNESDAY'S AND SATURDAYS, Without fail, and I would respectfully request all parties having goods to dispose of to notify me in that time so that I can sell them on the above days. M. J. CRONIN, Commissioned Auctioneer. GREEN & CRONIN, Auction & Commission Merchants. ma3-tf

HEARN, CHRISTIAN & CRAIG Have just received a fresh lot of PAINTS, OILS, BALD LINSEED OIL, WHITE AND LARD OIL.

NO MEDICINE GIVEN. DR. DODGE, OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, NEW YORK, PRACTICAL PHYSICIAN, FOR CHRONIC DISEASES, Late of New York City, Albany, Montreal, Quebec, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Dayton and Wheeling, has taken FARRAR HALL, ERIE, PENN'A, Where he will publicly heal the sick, free of charge, from 9 a. m. till 11 p. m., without money and without price, FOR ABOUT TEN DAYS, COMMENCING TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH, 1866. He has also taken rooms at Brown's Hotel until January 19th, where those who are able and willing to pay may come FROM 11 A. M. UNTIL 9 P. M. EACH DAY. No medicines given except in those cases where, by a chemical analysis and a microscopic investigation of the blood, it may be found necessary to prescribe certain Blood Remedies, which combined with my peculiar magnetic operation, accelerate a perfect and radical cure. No Surgical Operations Performed. Chronic Diseases Cured. Acute Pain Instantly Relieved. THE LAME WALK! THE BLIND SEE! THE DEAF HEAR!

Over Fifty Thousand Operations in five Years.

Dr. Dodge's practice is mostly diseases of a chronic nature, and cases given up as incurable. His treatment is peculiar to himself, although there have been men in all ages who have had the same magnetic power over the diseases of the body and mind, (some call it the "*Gift of Healing,*") yet *few* have possessed it to such an extent over nearly all diseases and persons. It is a life and vitality passed from a strong, healthy body, to a weak one, that restores the lost or unequal circulation of the vital or nervous fluid. So powerful is this influence that persons who have for many years suffered from diseases which have been pronounced incurable, and to whom medicine has been administered with no good effect, have been restored to health in an incredibly short space of time. It will not restore a lost member of the body or perform other impossibilities, but it will always relieve pain, from whatever cause The practice is based upon the most strict principles of science; there is nothing miraculous or supernatural about it. It is in harmony with all natural laws. Many eminent physicians of other practices, not only acknowledge this power, but receive the treatment for themselves and families, as well as advise it to their patients. Dr. Dodge does not profess to cure every case.

By this treatment it takes but a few minutes for inveterate cases of almost any curable Chronic disease, and so sure is the effect that but few diseases require a second operation, except Deafness, Broken Bones, Dislocation, Bad Curvatures of Spine, and Suppurating Tumors. Even these will be much benefited—always relieved from pain and sometimes fully cured.

The diseases which yield most readily to the curative agency of this method, as practised by me, are Dyspepsia, Constipation, Asthma, Angina Pectoris, Chlorsis, Loss of Voice, Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout, Liver Disease, all kinds of Sexual Weakness, Diabetes, Headache, Nervous Irritation of the Brain, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Diseases of the Heart, Eruptive Diseases, Convulsions, Hysteria Neuralgia, Thrush, Congestion of the Spleen, Irritation of Stomach, Diseases of Kidneys, Ulceration and displacement of the womb; Morbid Appetite, Wakefulness, General Debility, Weak Spine, Nervous Depression, Difficult Breathing with Pain in the Lungs, and Weak Eyes.

Paralysis, Consumption and General Dropsy are the most slow and uncertain with this treatment. Patients affected with these have rarely been restored. They are, however, always benefited.

Deafness when dependant upon destruction of tympanum, Amaurosis dependent upon paralysis of optic nerve—Incurable.

All operations performed in the public hall are open for criticism and investigation.

TESTIMONIALS.

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Fred. Ouniand, Dayton, Ohio. Deafness: cured at Clegg's Hall in one minute. Had not heard a watch tick in one ear for twenty years until after the operation. May be referred to.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, Springfield, Ohio. Falling of the Womb, severe pain across the back, extending over the hips; constant bearing down; pain for 13 years; had been treated by the best physicians in the country, but to no purpose; went to Dr. Dodge, and in two weeks was completely cured.

H. S. Mitchell, 198 Wabash Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Dyspepsia—cured.

T. Hildebrand, 185 West Lake street, Chicago, Illinois. Wife bed-ridden for four months. Prolapsus and displacement—cured.

Rev. A. H. Trumbeau, Springfield, Ohio. Weakness of the spinal column; disabling him from manual labor. Five days after an operation by Dr. Dodge, carried a quarter of beef up a pair of stairs.

This is to certify that I have not spoken a word above a whisper in three years and nine months, until I came to Dr. Dodge, at the American House, in the city of Cleveland, Ohio, when, after two operations by the Doctor, I am able to speak as loud and distinct as ever I could. MRS. EMMA HOLNESS, Euclid, O. Sworn and subscribed before me this 15th day of August, 1866. WELLS PORTER, Justice of the Peace.

This is to certify that I have been so afflicted with Deafness from a severe attack of measles that I have been unable to hear for thirty years. I have been unable to hear common conversation. I have tried eminent physicians, but all to no purpose until I went to Brainard's Hall in the city of Cleveland, where after two operations by Dr. Dodge, I am able to hear quite as distinct as ever. MRS. WM LINDSEY, 24 Seneca St., Cleveland, O. Sworn and subscribed before me this 15th day of August, 1866. WELLS PORTER, Justice of the Peace.

To all whom it may concern: This is to certify that I have been affected with paralysis of the left arm for the past eight weeks, and have not been able to lift my arm to my head. In fact I had no use of it, and had not the least feeling in it from the end of my finger to my shoulder, and could have it pierced with a pin or pinched without feeling it in the least. But as fortune would have it, I went to Brant's Hall and was operated on by Dr. Dodge, and after one operation my arm was restored to its natural feeling, and now I can use it as well as ever. LYDIA M. STARKEY. Sworn and subscribed, April 28th, before HENRY PEFFER, Notary Public, City of Harrisburg, Pa.

Wm. W. Miller, Lancaster, Pa. Nightly emissions. Suffered months with head, wakefulness, pains in various parts of the body, forgetfulness, melancholy and great mental despondency. Cured by two operations and a prescription given by the doctor. Will answer inquiries.

Geo. Bacon, Scranton, Pa. Scrofula eight years standing. Palate entirely eaten off.—Deep ulcers in the fauces and pharynx. After two operations and the use of one bottle of Blood Purifier I find myself well.

Patients will pay in proportion to property.

No charge will be made for second operation when it is found necessary. dec27-3m*

If I Die First.

If I die first, dear Love,
My mourneful soul, made free,
Shall sit at Heaven's high portal,
To wait and watch for thee—
To wait and watch for thee, love,
And through the deep, dark space
To peer, with human longings,
For thy radiant face.

'Mid all the stars of Heaven,
One only shall I see,
The earth star of my passion,
Half Heaven for holding thee—
All Heaven for holding thee, love,
And brightest in the spheres,
By thy smile illumined,
Or hallowed by their tears.

If I die first, dear love,
I feel that this shall be,
For Heaven will not be Heaven
Until it's shared with thee—
Until it's shared with thee, love,
I'll linger at the gate,
Or be thy guardian angel,
To teach thee how to wait.

And when thine hour shall come,
And through the yielding night
I see thy happy spirit
Uncearing, robed in light,
Mine shall go forth to meet thee,
And, through th' eternal door,
Pass in with thee, rejoicing,
Make one for evermore.

Simplicity of Truth.

I witnessed a short time ago in one of our high courts, a beautiful illustration of the simplicity and power of truth.

A little girl nine years of age, was offered as a witness against the prisoner, who was on trial for felony committed in her father's house.

"Now, Emily," said the counsel for the prisoner, upon her being offered as a witness:

"I desire to understand if you know the nature of an oath?"

"I don't know what you mean," was the simple answer.

"There your honor, said the counsel, addressing the court, is anything further necessary to demonstrate the validity of my objection? The witness should be rejected. She does not comprehend the nature of an oath."

"Let us see," said the Judge, "come here my daughter."

Assured by the kind tone and manner of the Judge, the child stepped towards him and looked confidently up in his face with a calm, clear eye, and in a manner so artless it went straight to the heart.

"Did you ever take an oath?" inquired the Judge.

The little girl stepped back with a look of horror, and the red blood mantled in a blush all over her face and neck, as she answered,—"No, sir." She thought he intended to inquire if she had ever blasphemed.

"I do not mean that," said the Judge, who saw her mistake. "I mean were you *ever a witness before?*"

He handed her the Bible open.

"Do you know that book my daughter?"

She looked at it and answered, "Yes, sir, it is the Bible."

"Do you ever read?" he asked.

"Yes, sir—every evening."

"Can you tell me what the Bible is?"

"It is the Word of the Great God," she answered.

"Well, place your hand upon this Bible, and listen to what I say," and he repeated slowly and solemnly the oath usually administered to witnesses.

"Now," said the Judge, "You have been sworn as a witness—will you tell me what will befall you if you do not tell the truth?"

"I shall be shut up in the State prison," answered the child.

"Any thing else," asked the Judge.

"I shall never go to Heaven."

"How do you know?" asked the Judge again.

The child took the Bible, and turning rapidly to the chapter containing the commandments, pointed to the injunction, "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor."

"I learned that," she said, "before I could read."

"Has any one talked to you about your being a witness in court here against this man?" inquired the Judge.

"Yes, sir," she replied; "my mother heard they wanted me to be a witness, and last night she called me into her room and asked me to tell her the ten commandments, and then we kneeled down together, and she prayed that I might understand how wicked it was to bear false witness against my neighbor, and that God would help me, a little child, to tell the truth as it was before him. And when I came here with father, she kissed me, and told me to remember the ninth commandment, and that God would hear every word I said."

"Do you believe this?" said the Judge, with a tear glistening in his eye and his lips quivering with emotion.

"Yes, sir," said the child, with a voice and manner that showed her conviction of the truth was perfect.

"God bless you my child," said the Judge, "you have a good mother. The witness is competent," he continued. "Were I on trial for my life, and innocent of the charge against me, I would pray God for such a witness as this."

She told her story with the simplicity of a child, as she was, but there was a directness about it which carried conviction of its truth to every heart. She was rigidly cross examined. The counsel plied her with infinite and ingenious questioning, but she varied from her first statement in nothing. The truth as spoken by that child was sublime. The prisoner had entrenched himself in lies, until he deemed himself impregnable. Witnesses had falsified facts in his favor, and villainy had manufactured a sham defence, but before her testimony falsehood was scattered as like chaff. The little child, for whom a mother had prayed for strength to be given her to speak the truth as it was before God, broke the cunning devices of matured villainy in pieces like a potter's vessel. The strength that the mother had prayed for was given her, the sublime and terribly simplicity, (terrible, I mean, to the prisoner and his perjured associates,) with which she spoke, was like a revolution from God himself.

ABSTINENCE OF ROMAN WOMEN.—The ancient Romans, in some respects, were in advance of the present age in their practical physiological knowledge. This was especially the case in regard to the women. They seemed to be fully aware of the fact that a hardy race must be born of healthful mothers, and consequently any usage or practice likely to affect injuriously the health of women was viewed by the State with suspicion. The mu