Important Notices.

Advertisements inserted under this head-[illegible] cents per line of 10 words for the first [illegible], 12 cents for the second, and 10 cents [illegible] subsequent insertion.

[illegible] Cross's Erie City Intelligence Office, No. [illegible] street. jul0'67-tf.

[illegible] Reliable Insurance of all kinds apply [illegible] Russell, Agent, No. 23 North Park, Erie, [illegible] jy17'67-tf.

[illegible] Insurance in well known and most re-[illegible] companies, apply to R. W. Russell, agent, [illegible] street. feb21'67-1y.

Private Lessons in German and Latin, on [illegible] terms, will be given by. P. P. SEE-[illegible] Made editor of the Erie Journal. Ad-[illegible] Box 19, Erie, Pa. oct31-2w*

[illegible] Stove and Tin Ware store of [illegible] has been removed to No. 1361 Sas-[illegible] street, near the Buffalo Road, where will [illegible] on hand a complete stock of goods in [illegible] which the public are invited to call [illegible] inspect. ap4-tf.

The Erie Lodge No. 241, I. O. of Good Tem-[illegible] meets on every Tuesday evening, in the [illegible] Lodge Room, on State street, over [illegible] jewelry store. Stranger Templars also [illegible] are cordially invited to be present.

GEO. KNIGHT, W. C. T.
[illegible] W. S. my2-tf.

[illegible]—About the 15th ult., a package of pa-[illegible] in a Deed for property on Staten [illegible] N. Y. The finder on returning them to the [illegible] will be liberally rewarded.
G. W. DECAMP.

[illegible] something New.—The greatest thing [illegible] last out. It tells you everything. [illegible] for-bearing animals, fish, &c. How [illegible] whiskers and curl the hair. Fifty great [illegible] free for 25 cents. Address
F. L. WOOD, Box 5,977, N. Y. City.

WEEKLY OBSERVER

ERIE, PENN'A, NOVEMBER 7, 1867.

Blank Books.—We remind those in need [illegible] our assortment is the most [illegible] in the city, comprising every sort [illegible] to use by Justices, Attorneys, Con-[illegible], Property Owners and Business men. [illegible] all prepared by experienced men. [illegible] in the best style, and sold at the most [illegible] prices. A liberal deduction will [illegible] to dealers or others purchasing in [illegible]. iv25-tf.

Local Disasters.—A terrific gale came up [illegible] night, extending over the whole [illegible], and lasting with more or less [illegible] Wednesday. The water was [illegible] from this side of Lake Erie to [illegible] shore leaving the depth in our [illegible] a couple feet less than usual, and cre-[illegible] current at the entrance almost like [illegible] the Niagara river above the Falls. [illegible] this season is always full of ves-[illegible] reports of serious disasters come to [illegible] every direction. A number of ves-[illegible] gone ashore, many have been dam-[illegible] and in a couple of instances loss of life [illegible]. The bark P. L. Marsh had two [illegible] cut off and lost near Port Albino, [illegible] unknown schooner was driven ashore [illegible] Sturgeon Point, all the persons on [illegible] perished. The greatest instance of [illegible] property was in the case of the pro-[illegible] Acme, from Chicago to Buffalo, loaded [illegible] and flour, which was so badly dam-[illegible] on Sunday night by the injuries to her [illegible] that she was obliged to throw [illegible] her cargo. The crew labored for [illegible] to keep her afloat, but it was of no avail. [illegible] went down in deep water about [illegible] o'clock on Monday forenoon, 20 miles [illegible] Dunkirk, but happily all hands were [illegible]. The Revenue Cutter, Commodore [illegible] Capt Ottinger, picked up one of the [illegible]. The Acme was insured for $33,000 [illegible] was valued at $45,000. She was one of [illegible] largest class of propellors, and regarded [illegible] perfectly safe. Our exchanges from every [illegible] upon the Lakes are loaded down with [illegible] of disasters, but most of them are [illegible] a minor character compared with the [illegible].

Jury List.—The following is a list of the [illegible] and Traverse Jurors drawn for the [illegible] commencing on the 4th Monday of the [illegible] month:

[illegible] Jurors—Erie, J. J. Huessler, James [illegible], R. T. Sterrett, James Skinner, G. M. [illegible] Mill Creek, Amos Dighton, Samuel [illegible] North East, Hugh Beatty. Green, [illegible] Charles Jones, P. King. Venango, A. [illegible], Jonathan Fritts. Wattsburg, Abbot [illegible], W. W. Benjamin. Corry, Chas. R. [illegible]. Union, James Shreve, Geo. Horton. [illegible] Beef, Frank Foust. Waterford, S. C. [illegible] (Foreman), E. Osborn. Washington, Samuel Reeder. Conneaut, A. Hartson. [illegible] Review, C. Heidler, Jr., W. C. Eaton.

[illegible] Jurors.—Erie, Wm. A. Brown, D. [illegible] P. Clark, J. Dreisigaker, M. Dudley, [illegible] Engelhart, Rob. Harmon, D. G. Lan-[illegible], James Nicholson, E. L. Pelton, Wm. F. [illegible]ernecht, Dr. L. Strong, M. Sanford, Nor-[illegible] E. Teel. South Erie, Wm. Stricker. [illegible] Creek, Jos. Henderson, Andrew Nichol-[illegible]. Harbor Creek, T. C. McCann, John [illegible]. North East, Tristram Brown, Z. W. [illegible], John S. Paden. Venango, L. Chapin, [illegible] Fritts. Wayne, A. Dean. Concord, M. [illegible]ousland. Corry, Wm. Dunham, A. M. [illegible], Chas. Parker. A. D. Russell. Water-[illegible]rd, Wm. Davis, M. J. Fritts, S. Mahan, [illegible] Alex McFayden. Greene, Jno. H. Tate, [illegible] Weaver. McKean, D. Greenlee, L. R. [illegible]. Washington, A. Anderson. Elk Creek, [illegible]ah L. Ball. Conneaut, M. Brown, E. [illegible]. Albion—C. G. Andrews. Girard, [illegible] Aldrich, J. S. Doe, J. E. Pettibone. [illegible]rwick, R. Bear.

The following are the jurors drawn for the [illegible] Court commencing on the 1st Monday [illegible] December:

[illegible] Erie, F. P. Bailey, P. A. Becker, T. J. Hos-[illegible], P. Hendrichs, William Nick, D. G. [illegible], R. M. Johnson, William Reifel, H. [illegible]. South Erie, John Althoff, J. Cro-[illegible]berger, M. L. Low. Mill Creek, James G. [illegible]ckle, S. T. Pollock. Harbor Creek, H. [illegible]. North East, D. Adkins, J. Britt, P. [illegible]. Greenfield, Willard Jones. Venan-[illegible], Joshua Bannister. Amity, H. B. Lad[illegible]. G. W. Carroll. LeBeuf, Wm. Kin-[illegible]. Waterford, D. P. Fritts, Jas. Moore, G. [illegible]. Summit, M. O. Way. McKean, [illegible] Thompson, E. A. Pinney. Washing-[illegible]. James Shields, A. Wellman. Franklin, [illegible]. Goodrich. Conneaut, Wm. Brown. [illegible]ld, A. Freeman, G. Hurd. Fairview, [illegible] McKee, 2d.

Married, by Rail.—Under the usual [illegible] will be found the marriage notice [illegible] Mr. Henry M. Beidler, formerly of this [illegible], a young gentleman whose tastes run [illegible] bodly to the George Francis Train style [illegible] things. We always predicted that [illegible] would create a sensation in the world, [illegible] the following account of the marriage, [illegible] the Philadelphia Mercury, shows that [illegible] mistaken:

A marriage on a railroad is something [illegible] and for this reason we make room for [illegible] following. The train for New York from [illegible] Kensington depot, at eleven o'clock on [illegible]day morning, contained as passengers [illegible] Prof Conrad, Mr. Henry M. Beidler, [illegible] Minnie J. Allender and others. After [illegible] train was put in motion, the reverend [illegible]gentleman united in marriage Mr. Beidler [illegible] Miss Allender. The bride and groom [illegible] in the aisle during the ceremonies, [illegible] the bride-maid and groomsmen on each [illegible] of them and between the seats. Rev. [illegible] Conrad took his place in the aisle, fac-[illegible] the happy couple, and while administer-[illegible] the marriage rites the gentlemen seated [illegible] the car removed their hats. After the [illegible]monies great enthusiasm prevailed. The [illegible] was crowded at the time, and the train [illegible] moving at a rapid rate. At times it was [illegible]most impossible for those standing to keep [illegible] feet. The bridal party dined at Tren-[illegible] and returned to the city in the after-[illegible].

A Mr. Morrill, arrested for pilfering from several parties in the city, escaped from [illegible] jail on Friday night, by breaking a hole [illegible] through the ceiling, and letting herself from [illegible] roof to the ground by means of a rope made out of the sheets of her bed. The fe-[illegible] portion of the jail is next to the garret, and the ceiling between it and the latter is a [illegible] common lath and plaster one, through which a hole can easily be made. Once in the gar-[illegible], access to the roof can be obtained through [illegible] scuttle, and it only needs a little nerve to make escape easy. One or two female pris-[illegible] had previously made their exit in the [illegible] way, and the Commissioners should [illegible] to it that the department is at once se-[illegible] against like occurrences. Mrs. Mor-[illegible] was still at large up to the time of writing.

"Old, but Good."

A good story is told of one of the members of our bar, formerly a Congressman, who, until a few months ago, was a resident of Warren, where he occupied the high position to which his talents entitled him. In his early days he was much accustomed to making references to ancient history in his public efforts. At one time considerable excitement arose in Warren relative to a free bridge. The old bridge was owned by a company, who exacted toll. A public meeting was called, and the masses seemed determined on mischief. The bridge company met together to consult about the crisis, and it was decided that the only course was to talk the people out of the free bridge idea. Our ex-Congressional friend was put forward as their representative, and appeared promptly at the meeting. When the time arrived for him to arise he began with an air of confidence as follows: "Mr. President and Fellow Citizens: In ancient times——" At this point a rough old codger in the crowd, whose sympathies were strongly against the company, sprang to his feet with an oath, and exclaimed: "Mis-terr President; What have we to do with ancient times? We don't care about ancient times! Ancient times to the d—l! Let the gentleman come down *to the bridge!*" The effect was irresistible, our legal friend was non-plussed for once in his life, and lost his case.

In the same jocose borough there was an enterprising gentleman who was always designing some public improvement. Among other projects that he favored was the establishment of a cemetery. His view of the proper location, however, was different from that of the most of the people, the majority favoring a place on the river bank, while he strongly advocated the top of a high hill just back of the borough. To decide the matter a meeting was held in his office, at which were present a number of the leading men. Opinions ran pro and con, when finally up popped a half-drunken fellow who was notorious in the place as an original character, and asked in a stammering way if he could be heard. The answer was "certainly." "Well, Mr. President," said he, hobling on to the back of a chair to steady himself, "All I've got to say, Mr. President—to say—is this, Mr. President—if that ere cemetery goes on top of that ere hill—all I've got to say is, I'd a d—n site rather be the corpse than the bearers." Those who know the locality will appreciate the point made.

In Brookville, Jefferson county, lived two ex-colonels of the militia, who, like most officers of their class, were extremely proud of their honors. On one occasion they quarrelled, and it was decided to settle the matter by a duel, each to select his favorite weapon. Accordingly, the next morning, B. posted off to the chosen spot with his rifle, and finding that his antagonist was not on hand stationed himself behind a stump to await his appearance. S. soon appeared, flourishing an immense sword, and marching boldly forward was startled by seeing B. behind the stump, with the rifle pointed towards him. "What does this mean?" asked the bewildered S. "It means," said B., that I command you to halt." S. having no other recourse promptly obeyed. "Now, then, 'bout face, forward march." And forward S. did march, with B. directly in his rear, and the muzzle of the rifle within a few feet of his head. Arriving on the public square of Brookville, B. commanded again: "Halt and stack arms." S. indignantly threw his sword to the ground. "Disband, both take a drink, and let's never hear of this kind of foolishness again." Thereupon the two foes, late on each other's lives intent, adjourned to the village bar, where, with a goodly supply of old rye, they washed away the former insult, and remained strong friends to the end of their existence.

During the early days of the town of Franklin, it boasted two military companies—one commanded by Capt. S., a gentleman now residing in Philadelphia, who has since become a man of considerable reputation; the other by an irascible little German named L. The first was an infantry, the latter a cavalry company. Between these organizations there was a great rivalry. It happened on one occasion that they turned out on parade on the same day.—the infantry on the public square; the cavalry further up town. Some wags of the place determined to have a lot of fun out of the circumstance, so they started several of their number off to tell Capt. L. that Capt. S. had said if the former's company came to the square he would drive them away. Others went to S. and related that L. had boasted that he was going down to drive the infantry company away from the square. The stories had their natural effect, and both captains were mad as "blue blazes." By dexterously stuffing L. he was induced to divide his troops and march to the square, for the purpose of seizing possession of it. Half the company, led by himself, marched down one street; the other half, with his lieutenant in command, went round the town and came in the opposite direction. S., hearing of the movement, formed his men into a hollow square, with drawn bayonets, himself in the centre, and stood ready to meet the charge. The two columns of cavalry happened on the scene at the same moment, and when the German Captain saw the infantry all his pent up fury burst forth in one terrific order to attack. Both divisions of the cavalry put spurs to their horses at once, and for a moment it seemed as if blood was certain to flow. The infantry stood firm until the horses were within a few feet of them, when, by a common impulse, they dashed their guns to the ground, broke ranks, and ran pell mell towards the Court House, leaping the fence in their flight, and never stopping till they had got safely inside the building. Victory was upon the side of the cavalry, and from that day on, they had possession of the Square whenever they wished it.

Although the election for Congressman does not take place until next year, the contest over that office has already begun in a lively manner. The last Gazette contains a communication strongly urging John H. Walker, Esq., for the Radical nomination, which is responded to by one in the "Republican" accusing Mr. W. of having voted and worked for Mr. Courtright in 1862. The latter writer mentions Mayor Noble, Col. C. B. Curtis, Rev. J. H. Whallon and Geo. H. Cutler, Esq. as having been mentioned in connection with the position. The indications at present look as if Messrs. Noble and Walker would be the most prominent aspirants—the former receiving the support of the dominant element of the party, and the latter of the portion represented by the Dispatch and Gazette. Mr. Whallon is working like a beaver for the honor, and relies mainly upon his standing in the Methodist church for success, but we have our doubts whether that organization can be led by the nose as he anticipates. It is understood that Scofield declines being a candidate again, but we have seen too much of that wily politician's management to believe that if there is a fair prospect, he will not be as eager as ever. In case "Scof" is out of the way, the nominee seems to be conceded to Erie, provided she presents one with a fair degree of unanimity. We sincerely trust the rival factions will be able to patch up some sort of a compromise, by which a first-class Erie man can be selected, and the long neglected interests of our city for once secure an efficient representation at Washington.

Bener & Burgess, as usual, are first in the field, with their advertisements for the holidays. They offer their stock of Notions and Toys at reduced prices, having determined to close out the trade. As this firm manufacture their own candies, parties purchasing of them can be assured of a pure article, at prices as low as the Eastern dealers. We endorse the two B's. to the fullest extent.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Saltsman & Co. are selling nut bituminous coal at $2.50 and $3.50 per ton; large lump bituminous at $4.50 to $5.50; and all other coals in proportion.

Gov. Geary has issued a proclamation, sensibly fixing on the 28th day of November for Thanksgiving—the same previously announced by the President.

The Crawford county Teachers' Institute will be held at Cambridge, commencing Tuesday, Nov. 19th, at 9 o'clock, a. m., and to continue until the 23d.

The Observer may be found each week, directly after publication, at the bookstore of Caughey, McCreary & Moorhead, and at the news stand of May & Sell.

One of the best ideas we have seen broached for a long period is the proposed organization of a Young Men's Debating Society in this city.

A slight sprinkle of snow fell on Monday, being the first of the season. On Tuesday a few more flakes danced about in the air, but on each occasion the wintry indications lasted but a few minutes.

On Monday afternoon a vicious dog flew at a German woman in the West part of the city, and she was minus the end of her nose as a result of the encounter.

The rapid improvement made by the Temperance band is a matter of general remark among the citizens. Their playing at the Fair last week was equal to that of the best bands in this section.

The mischievous urchins who tear down the bills posted around town will get themselves into serious trouble some of these days. If any of them are caught, they will be punished to the full extent of the law, and their names printed in the newspapers.

A marked feature of the meeting on Tuesday evening was the uniformly respectful allusions to the Democratic party. Even Mr. Walker was gentle as a lamb, and had no denunciations for the mean "Copperheads." "Peace hath its victories as well as war."

What is the matter with the gas? For the last few weeks it has been little better than tallow dips, at least so far as the buildings in our vicinity are concerned. Gentlemen of the Gas Company, let us have an improvement by all means.

We call attention to the advertisement of James H. Smyth, who has succeeded his father, ex-Mayor Smyth, in the hat, cap and fur store, No. 525 French street. Mr. S. has a splendid stock of goods, which he is offering at prices beyond competition.

The Planing Mill, Door and Sash establishment of Jacob Bootz, on Peach street, near the railroad, is doing an enormous business, and is one of the most extensive manufacturing concerns in the city. Those who need any article in Mr. Bootz's line are referred to his advertisement on the first page.

The Dispatch is of the opinion that before committing themselves too strongly for Grant, the Radicals had better have his political position authoritatively "settled." After the number of times that the party has been swindled, such an idea would appear quite natural.

The depression of trade in our city is unprecedented at this season of the year. All kinds of business are affected by it, and the complaints are universal. Unless some improvement takes place before spring, a large number of our most enterprising merchants declare their determination to retire from business.

The old works of Tibbals, Shirk & Co., at the corner of State and Tenth streets, have been purchased by A. H. Gray, John Clemens and others, who propose continuing the stove manufacture upon an extensive scale. Operations will commence about the first of April next.

Mr. Edward P. Weston, who has engaged to walk from Portland, Me., to Chicago, Ill., a distance of 1200 statute miles, in thirty consecutive days, not including Sundays, has commenced his difficult feat. A bet of $10,000 is staked upon the result. He expects to make this city on Friday, the 15th inst., remaining here over night.

The Fair for the benefit of the orphans of St. Patrick's church, which has been in progress for a week or more at Farrar Hall, has been largely attended each evening, and is financially a great success. The enterprising and benevolent ladies whose labors rendered it an occasion of so much interest, are heartily entitled to the praise of the community.

It should be remembered by all unfortunate business men that if they desire to take the benefit of the present Bankrupt law they must do so the first year of its existence. After the expiration of one year from the date of its approval, no debtor can avail himself of the advantage of freeing himself from debt by the provisions of this law except he pays 70 per cent. of all he owes.

Messrs. Tibbals, Shirk & Whitehead, the extensive stove manufacturers, have got matters running in snug shape in their mammoth new establishment at the corner of Twelfth and Sassafras streets. Their works are the largest of the kind west of Buffalo, and are fitted up with a completeness seldom seen. The prosperity which has attended this firm is gratifying to all our citizens. Messrs. Tibbals and Shirk (the Erie members) are among our very best and most popular and enterprising citizens.

The body of men seen drilling frequently, on Eleventh street, corner of Holland, and supposed by one of the dallies to be Fenians, proves to be the "Noble Hose Company, No. 1," a new organization of young men formerly connected with the engine companies. With commendable enterprise, they have built a house on Holland street, at their own expense, and purchased a hose carriage worth five hundred dollars. They are now asking the city authorities to assign one of the steamers to their use at fires.

The improvements on the West side of the city are keeping full pace with those in other localities. A large number of new buildings have been erected or commenced in that section during the year, and among them are some of a superior class. Henry Rawle is fitting up a residence on Sixth street that is expected to cost $75,000. Dr. Elliot and James Hughes are also building fine mansions near Mr. Rawle. We look upon the portion of the city West of the canal as likely to be the favorite spot for private houses inside of ten years.

A resolution providing for publishing the official advertisements of the city in one paper of each party was introduced into Councils on Monday evening, and after some discussion referred to the Printing Committee to report at a subsequent meeting. The measure is one that should meet the favor of every fair-minded citizen, and we sincerely trust it will be adopted on the next occasion of its consideration. Party issues have seldom entered into the choice of our city officers, and, with a very few exceptions, the Republican members of Councils owe their elections quite as much to Democrats as to their immediate party friends. There is neither justice nor fairness in an attempt on their part to confine the city publications to journals of one class, and we appeal to the better judgment of the Republican members, whether, under the circumstances, an endeavor of the kind ought to be expected of them. Aside from these considerations, it is no more than proper that the voters of each political organization should have an opportunity to read the city advertisements in their own party journal. We do not ask for a share of the printing as a matter of charity, but as one of justice—as a right that belongs to the eight hundred Democrats of the city, who pay their share of taxes, and are entitled to know how they are expended.

Among the prominent visitors in the city during the past week, we were glad to meet Hon. W. P. Jenks, who was a member of the last House of Representatives, and is re-elected to the Legislature of 1868. Mr. J. is deservedly looked upon as the leading Democratic member of that body, and his rare intellectual qualities give him an influence which few members attain. The people of Erie will be gratified to learn that Mr. Jenks is thinking of making this city his future home, and will probably remove his family here next spring.

In our walks about the city, we occasionally drop into the grocery store of Bryan & McGiverin, No. 505 French street, and on every occasion are the more surprised at the extent of their business. Their establishment is nearly always crowded with customers, and unless appearances are very deceptive, we doubt if there is a grocery house in the city doing a larger trade. The result could hardly be different, however, for the proprietors are invariably courteous in their treatment of customers, and make it a point to keep the best goods, and sell at the lowest prices.

At no period in the history of the country has there been so many men out of employment as at the present time. This is the result of the dominant party in keeping the affairs of the country in such an unsettled condition as to almost paralyze trade and commerce. They are so intent upon retaining power through the elevation of the negro in the South that they are bringing ruin and poverty to the doors of thousands of white laborers and artisans in the North.

Mr. C. V. Culver, the notorious Crawford county financier, has been fully released by the Courts, and is prepared to enter active life again. He states that he has consummated a plan to pay all his debts and place his railroad scheme in living condition again. A great many people hope he will succeed.

The Observer jobbing office is unsurpassed by any in this section in facilities for doing work neatly and promptly. We have gone to a heavy expense in fitting up this department of our establishment, and hope our efforts will be rewarded by the friends of the office with a remunerative patronage.

The many friends in this city of Maj. H. B. Fleming, of the regular army, will be pleased to learn that himself and wife have safely arrived at their place of destination in the Far West. He has been assigned to the command of Fort Garland, Colorado, relieving the famous Gen. Kit Carson.

It has become fashionable for nearly everybody of prominence to claim that he was at some time a printer or editor. The latest applicant for the honor is Chief Justice Chase, who is said to have commenced his public career by editing an anti-slavery paper in Cincinnati.

The Fredonia Advertiser is apparently enjoying a richly deserved share of prosperity. It came to us last week enlarged to nine columns, and presenting every indication of a liberal patronage. We congratulate friend Benton upon the success that is attending his efforts.

The friends of the Observer throughout the county will confer a favor upon us by transmitting the different items of local interest which occur in their respective vicinities. We hope to obtain a correspondent in every township of the county.

A man named James Nevin was arrested in Buffalo on Friday evening, charged with stealing a saddle from Gideon Wagner, of Harbor Creek, and horse from Mr. Gifford, on the Wednesday night previous. He was brought to this city and lodged in jail to await trial.

The Festival for the benefit of Gulliford's band, in Girard, on Friday evening, is spoken of as one of the most successful entertainments ever held in that borough. We acknowledge the receipt of a "complimentary," and regret our inability to be present.

A peculiarly *racy* communication, giving a report of the voyage of the boat Radical, up Salt River, will be found in another portion of our paper. The writer is a gentleman who ought to appear in print oftener than he does.

The passenger business on the railroads, which was quite slack for a while, has increased largely. The Lake shore road runs an average of eight or ten coaches to the train, all well filled.

How much disagreeable feeling might be avoided, did everybody observe the maxim of the old philosopher: "If you can say nothing good of any one, say nothing at all."

A considerable party of young men, including Messrs. Folger, Whitehead, Armstrong, Whitley and Biddle will soon leave for Denver City.

The quintessence of "injured innocence"—the "Republican's" editorials on the Congressional question.

The store of W. F. Moore, in Corry, was entered on Saturday night and boots, shoes and furs stolen to the amount of $600.

The number of dwellings erected in the city this season, is estimated at three hundred.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Metcalfe's Anti-Bilious Pills.—A certain cure for indigestion, dyspepsia, bilious attacks, sick headache, flatulency, heartburn, spasms, &c., and all diseases of the liver, stomach or bowels. Price twenty-five cents per box.

Mrs. Partington Insulted.—The White Mountains of New Hampshire are evidently a great institution—very high, heavy frosts, beautiful view, four dollar dinners. But the practical eye of a certain renowned Drake saw those smooth-faced rocks, and thereupon adorned and variegated the bridle path of the Tip-top House with his familiar S. T.—1860—X. Plantation Bitters. This raised the ire of the Mrs. Partingtons composing the Legislature of the Granite State, who got their wise heads together, out-lawed Dr. Drake, and make it a penal offence to ply the artistic brush on their beloved hills. Verily, the fine arts are at a discount in New Hampshire. Query.—Did Drake pay them for this splendid advertisement?

Magnolia Water.—A delightful toilet article—superior to Cologne and at half the price. nov7-2t.

The fact that the Commissioner of Internal Revenue has exempted from all tax the funds which are raised by the Washington Library Company of Philadelphia for the endowment of the Riverside Institute; also that Messrs. George A. Cooke & Co., the well-known Bankers, No. 33 South Third street, Philadelphia, have consented to act as receivers of the moneys thus raised, together with the names of those well-known and prominent citizens who have associated themselves, with the Institute, and have consented to act as Trustees, should certainly be a sufficient guarantee to the public that every pledge and promise will be carried out to the letter. The method adopted for the endowment of this much needed institution is one by which every individual actually receives more than could be obtained by the same amount of money if expended in the ordinary way, in the distribution of presents every one stands an equal chance, one present being guaranteed for each share of stock. Read advertisement.

"For many years the Piano Forte has held unquestioned monopoly, but a growing taste for those orchestral effects in playing which it cannot render, has turned attention to the Organ. Cheapness, portableness and convenience of manipulation, are also advantages in the American Organs now made, which recommend them for home, school and chapel use. A day or two since, we visited the new and extensive manufactory of the above named instruments, on Boston Neck, and were surprised at the vast amount of labor in operation, and the completeness of the appliances in use, from the heavy machinery which cuts the stock, to the delicate apparatus which fashions the key work and action. Messrs. S. D. & H. W. Smith, are regarded as the best reed Organ manufacturers in the world, and although able to turn off a hundred instruments a week, they have found difficulty in filling orders which come from all parts of the country. None who hear these popular instruments, with their round, sonorous, sympathic and expressive tones, are surprised at the favor with which they are regarded by leading musicians."—*Portland Transcript.*

New Advertisements.

Advertisements, to secure insertion, must be handed in by 8 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. All advertisements will be continued at the expense of the advertiser, unless ordered for a specified time.

HENRY M. RIBLET,
Attorney at Law, Peach street, above Union Depot, Erie, Pa. no7'67.

Assignee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in the matter of Alvan Thayer, bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Alvan Thayer, of the borough of South Erie, county of Erie and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district, dated at Erie, Nov. 1, A. D., 1867.
HENRY M. RIBLET, Assignee,
no7-3w. No. 1323 Peach St., Erie, Pa.

Assignee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in the matter of John A. Salsbury, bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of John A. Salsbury, of the city of Corry, Erie county and State of Penn'a, within the said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district, dated at Erie, Oct. 31, A. D., 1867.
HENRY M. RIBLET, Assignee,
no7-3w. No. 1323 Peach St., Erie, Pa.

Assignee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in the matter of Homer J. Clark, bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Homer J. Clark, of Girard tp., Erie Co., and State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district, dated at Erie, Nov. 5, A. D., 1867. HENRY M. RIBLET, Assignee,
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Assignee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Western District of Penn'a. In the matter of the bankruptcy of Lyman Thomas. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Lyman Thomas, of Union Mills, Erie Co., and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district, dated at Erie, Oct. 17th, A. D., 1867.
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Warrant in Bankruptcy.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that on the 5th day of October, A. D., 1867, a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Homer J. Clark, of Girard, in the county of Erie, State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; That the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him and for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of S. E. Woodruff, in the borough of Girard, in the county of Erie, and State of Penn'a, before S. E. Woodruff, Register, on the 21 day of November, A. D., 1867, at 9 o'clock, A. M.
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