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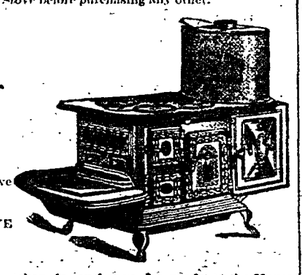

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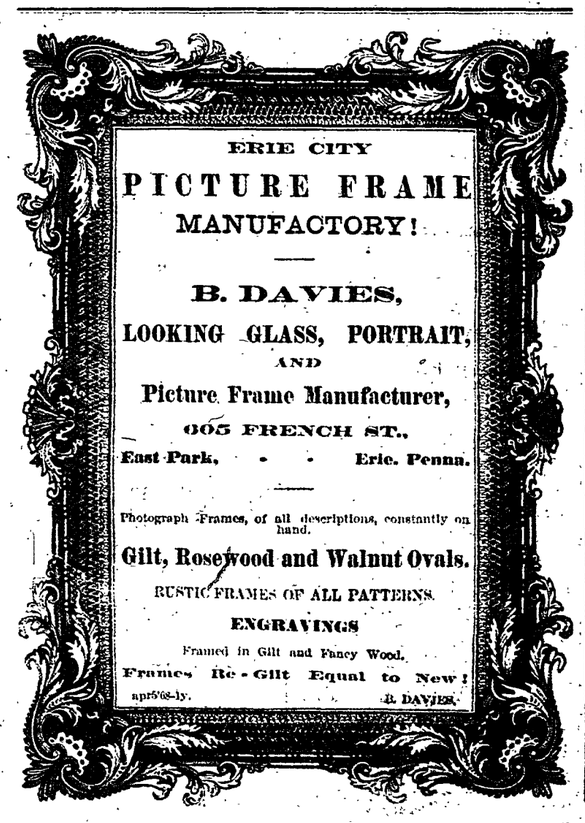

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From and after Nov. 23, 1867, trains will leave, in connection with all the Western Lines, as follows: From DUNKIRK and SALAMANCA—by New York time—from Union Depot:

7:30 A. M., Express Mail, from Dunkirk daily (except Sundays). Stops at Salamanca at 10:00 A. M., and connects at Hornellsville and Corning with the 8 A. M. Express Mail from Buffalo and arrives in New York at 7 A. M.

2:35 P. M., Lightning Express, from Salamanca daily (except Sundays). Stops at Hornellsville 5:25 P. M., (Supper), intersecting with the 2:20 P. M. train from Buffalo, and arrives in New York at 7 A. M.

4:15 P. M., New York Night Express, from Dunkirk daily (except Sundays). Stops at Salamanca at 6:40 P. M., and arrives in New York at 12:30 P. M., connecting with afternoon trains and steamers for Boston and New England Cities.

9:50 P. M. Cincinnati Express, from Dunkirk, (Sundays excepted). Stops at Salamanca 11:55, P. M. and connects at Hornellsville with the 11:20 P. M. Train from Buffalo, arriving in New York 3:45, P. M.

From Buffalo—by New York time—from Depot corner Exchange and Michigan Sts.:

5:45 A. M., New York Day Express, daily (except Sundays). Arrives in New York at 10:20 P. M. Connects at Great Bend with Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad, and at Jersey City with midnight express train for Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

8:00 A. M., Express Mail, via Avon and Hornellsville, daily (except Sunday). Arrives in New York at 7:00 A. M.

2:20 P. M., Lightning Express, daily (except Sunday), connecting with morning express train for Boston and New England cities. Arrives in New York at 7:00 A. M.

6:10 P. M., New York Night Express, daily. Connects at Hornellsville with the 4:15 P. M. train from Dunkirk, and arrives in New York at 12:30 P. M.

11:20 P. M., Cincinnati Express, daily (except Sundays). Arrives in New York at 8:45 P. M. Connects at Elmira with Northern Central Railway, for Williamsport, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington; at Great Bend with Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad, and at New York with afternoon trains and steamers for Boston and New England cities.

Only one train East on Sunday, leaving Buffalo at 6:10 P. M., and reaching New York at 12:30 P. M., in advance of all other routes.

Boston and New England passengers, with their baggage, are trans erred, free of charge, in New York.

The best Ventilated and most Luxurious *Sleeping Cars in the World accompany* all night trains on this Railway.

Baggage checked through and fare always as low as by any other route.

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ELEGANT SLEEPING CARS

On all Night Trains.

ON and after MONDAY, NOV. 25th, 1867, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

Mail Train leaves Philadelphia at 11:15 p.m. and arrives at Erie at 9:00 p. m.

Erie Express leaves Philadelphia at 12:00 m., and arrives at Erie at 9:45 a. m.

Warren Accommodation leaves Warren at 12:55 p. m., Corry at 2:30 p. m., and arrives at Erie at 4:10 p. m.

EASTWARD.

Mail Train Leaves Erie at 10:25 a. m., and arrives at Philadelphia at 8:55 a. m.

Erie Express leaves Erie at 4:25 p. m., and arrives at Philadelphia at 1:00 p. m.

Warren Accommodation leaves Erie at 8:00 a. m., Corry at 9:45 a. m., and arrives at Warren at 11:15 a. m.

Mail and Express connect with all trains on the Warren & Franklin Railway. Passengers leaving Philadelphia at 12:00 m., arrive at Irvineton at 6:50 a. m., and Oil City at 6:30 a. m.

Leaving Philadelphia at 11:15 p. m., arrive at Oil City at 4:35 p. m.

All trains on the Warren & Franklin Railway make close connections at Oil City with trains for Franklin and Petroleum Centre. BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH.

ALFRED L. TYLER,
Gen'l Superintendent.

EAGLE FOUNDRY,

Peach Street, above the Buffalo Road,

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HENRY, BRYANT & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

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And all kinds of Iron Castings.

Every Stove sold by us is warranted to give satisfaction. Kettles, Sleigh Shoes, Sad Irons, &c., on hand and manufactured to order. Plows and Plow Points of superior make and durability always on hand. A call and a fair trial of our articles is all we ask.

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We have just finished, and prepared for public inspection, a mammoth stock of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Rubbers, etc., embracing every description and variety of kinds, and which for style, quality and finish cannot be surpassed in the market, all of which are offered at late reduced rates. We also pay especial and strict attention to

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For which the finest collection of Leathers are kept on hand, and every facility is secured for accommodating customers promptly, and in a style to render perfect satisfaction. Particular attention is also directed to our

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No. 6 West Seventh Street,

Where we manufacture at Wholesale, Men's Boys', Ladies', Misses' and Children's Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, etc., of every variety and kind. Having lately enlarged our manufactory by the addition of new buildings and improved machinery, we are prepared to supply the Trade on short notice and at the lowest market prices. Adjoining this department are connected our

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Embracing French, German and American Calf Skins, of best and varied brands, Slaughter and Spanish Sole Leather, French and American Linings of all colors and prices.

With our increased facilities we can sell as low as any Eastern manufacturer, and make to order any kind of work wanting by the Trade. Thankful for the past liberal patronage of the public, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

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And everything that is usually kept in a First Class Family Grocery.

ALL GOODS SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH.

The best brands of

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Always on Hand. Call and examine prices.

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THE UNDERSIGNED having purchased the well known Livery Stand heretofore occupied by Wm. J. Sterrett, desires to inform his friends and the public that he will continue the business, and invites their patronage.

THE STOCK will be largely increased and improved—new conveyances have been procured and some of the best livery horses in the country. I am determined so to conduct the establishment as to give satisfaction. Those who want to obtain the services of a good team will find me ready at all times to accommodate them at reasonable prices.

Recollect the place; Stetrett's Old Stand, Fifth street, rear of the Reed House.

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GERMAN SAVINGS INSTITUTION,

Corner Eighth and State Sts.,

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

This Institution is now open for the transaction of business.

OFFICE HOURS: 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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Six Per Cent. Interest will be Given by this Institution to Regular Depositors.

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OFFICERS:

John Gensheimer,.....President.
Matthew Schlaudecker,.....Treasurer.
F. Schneider,.....Secretary.

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NEW FIRM.

James P. Crook, having taken in his son, Jas. E., as a partner, on the 1st day of April, 1863, 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 & PLANED LUMBER,

And Manufacturers of

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Mouldings and Picket Fence, Scroll Sawing, Matching and Planing done to order.

Shop on Peach St.,

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National Claim Agency!

Office in Farrar Hall Building, Erie, Pa.

SOLDIERS' BOUNTY.

All claimants for extra bounty allowed by late acts of Congress, can have the same promptly collected by sending their discharges to me, the receipt of which will be promptly acknowledged and instructions returned.

INCREASE OF PENSIONS.

$15 per month for the total loss of use of either leg or arm, instead of $8. $2 per month for each minor child of deceased soldiers or seamen. Also, other increases.

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Having purchased the entire stock of Furniture of Messrs. Moore & Riblet, I respectfully ask my old customers and the public generally to give me a call at the old stand,

NO. 715 STATE STREET,

Before purchasing elsewhere. I have a large assortment of

Parlor, Chamber and Bed Room Sets!

ALSO,

BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, TABLES,

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And, in fact everything in the line of Furniture. I am prepared to manufacture to order any style that may be called for. Remember, No. 715 State street, east side, between Seventh and Eighth streets.

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These Pianos are recommended by the most eminent judges, and are, for power, fullness, elasticity of touch and durability, unsurpassed by any pianos made in this country.

GUARANTEED FOR FIVE YEARS.

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THE ELEGANT STORE ROOM now occupied by G. W. Goodrich, No. 625 State street, will be for rent from April 1st. Rent $700. Enquire of

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DEALER IN

DRUGS, MEDICINES, FANCY GOODS,

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Linseed Oils, Turpentines, Varnish, Hydrometers of all kinds,

PATENT MEDICINES,

PURE LIQUORS FOR MEDICAL PURPOSES,

London Porter and Scotch Ale.

Prescriptions carefully dispensed. All articles sold by me are warranted to be precisely as represented. No trouble to show goods. Remember the name and place,

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The Subscriber would respectfully inform the Farmers of Fairview and vicinity, that he is prepared to pay

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE

for all kinds of Farm Produce delivered at Fairview Station. Also, keeps on hand for sale

BITUMINOUS AND ANTHRACITE COAL,

as cheap as can be had elsewhere. Also, has the agency of Hapgood, Young & Co.'s Superior Cast Steel Plows, Stilley Cultivators, Wallace & Jones' Self-Dumping Wheel Hay Rake, &c. And has a superior lot of March full blood and grade

SUFFOLK AND CHESTER WHITE PIGS!

sep19'67-1y. A. STONE.

NEW FIRM.

Having associated with me on the 1st of January Andrew Mayer, in the

BOOT & SHOE BUSINESS,

The firm will be known as C. Englehart & Co., and the business will be carried on as heretofore at No. 19 West Park, Erie, Pa.

C. ENGLEHART.

Something New.

Buy Silver Tipped Shoes for your children. A majority of the children wear holes in the toes of their shoes in a very few days; then the shoes are soon worthless, and a new pair must be bought. The only way to prevent this great waste of money is to buy shoes protected by silver tips. They never wear out at the toe, and make a pair of shoes last three times as long as without Tips. Leather Caps have been worn to some extent, but they have proved worthless. Silver Tips have a neat and substantial appearance, and do away entirely with the disagreeable sight of dirty stockings and protruding toes. We have constantly on hand the only assortment of Silver Tipped Shoes to be found in the city, including fine Sewed shoes, Balmorals, Youths' Boots, &c., which we offer, together with a large and fashionable assortment of Ladies' and Gents' Fine and Heavy goods, at the lowest cash prices.

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BANK NOTICE.

Keystone National Bank,

OF ERIE.

CAPITAL $250,000.

DIRECTORS;

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The above bank is now doing business in its new building,

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Satisfactory paper discounted. Money received on deposit. Collections made and proceeds accounted for with promptness. Drafts, Specie and Bank Notes bought and sold. A share of public patronage solicited.

Erie & Pittsburgh Railroad.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1867, trains will run on this road as follows:

LEAVE ERIE—SOUTHWARD.

10:05 A. M., Pittsburgh Express, stops at all stations, and arrives at A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer at 1:40 p. m., at New Castle at 3:00 p. m., and at Pittsburgh at 6:00 p. m.

6:00 P. M., Accommodation, arrives at Jamestown at 9:00 p. m.

5:00 A. M., Accommodation from Jamestown, arrives at A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer at 5:35 a. m., at New Castle at 7:00 a. m., and Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m.

LEAVE PITTSBURGH—NORTHWARD.

6:00 A. M., Erie Express, leaves New Castle at 8:45 a. m., A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer at 10:10 a. m., making close connection with trains for Buffalo and Niagara Falls, and arrives at Erie at 1:30 p. m.

4:20 P. M., Night Express, leaves New Castle at 7:55 p. m., A. & G. W. R. R. Transfer at 8:45 p. m., Jamestown at 9:25, p. m. and arrives at Erie at 12:15, a. m.

Pittsburgh Express south connects at Jamestown at 12:40 p.m. with J. & F. Express, arriving at Franklin at 2:35 p. m., and Oil City at 3:40 p. m. *Connects at Transfer at 1:40 p. m., with A. & G. W. Mail west, for Warren, Ravena and Cleveland.*

Erie Express north connects at A. & G. W. Transfer at 10:10 a. m., with Mail east for Meadville and Jamestown, and at Jamestown with J. & F. Express for Franklin, arriving at Franklin at 2:35 p. m., and Oil City at 3:40 p. m.

Trains connect at Rochester with trains for Wheeling and all points in West Virginia, and at Pittsburgh connections for Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Baltimore and Washington, via Pennsylvania Central Railroad.

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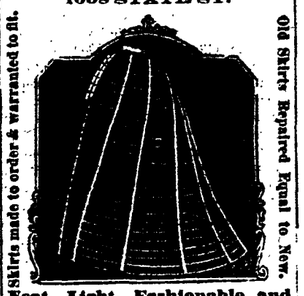

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