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A. M. THOMAS A. ROWLEY,

U. S. Marshal, Messenger.

By G. P. Davis, Dept. U. S. Marshal.

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NOTICE.

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The United States District Court, Judge McCandless presiding, will meet in this city for done in the city. Those who want any of the relieved at the country of the relieved at the country of the relieved and the relieved at the country of the relieved and the relieved at the country of the relieved at the rel

WEEKLY OBSERVER

ERIE, PENN'A, DECEMBER 31, 1868.

LARGEST CIRCULATION. The Observer has the Largest circulation of thy paper in N. W. Penga, ofther Daily or Weekly. On this point we challenge contradiction. Its circulation extends to all places of importance in Eric, Crawford, Warren and Venango counties.

Editor Wanted. A gentleman who has had experience as conductor of a local Democratic paper, and

To DELINQUENTS.—We again send bills to a number of subscribers who have given no response to our previous courteous remests. Those of them who fail to pay, after ufficient time has elapsed, will hear from us. in less delicate terms than we have addressed them hitherto. After the hard work BEAUTIFUL DRUM MAJOR'S STAFF, we have done in the Democratic cause, it seems impossible that any members of our party can be mean enough to cheat us out of our for some ame, under the very eye of the sexton, and in some instances the perpetrators out just deserts, but if such there be, we in
of the crime have been in direct collusion

tend to find them out at once. the upper story of a frame building near, the days the sexton, or one of his assistants, discharged, occupied above by Mrs. Hunt as a covered that a certain grave had been discovered that a certain grave had been discovered that a blowing strongly and the weather was bitter cold, so that it was impossible for the firement to work to advantage. The entire row of wooden buildings on the East side of Pach wooden buildings on the East side of Pach by others than the sexton. The Medical street to the railroad, was burned, with one exception, leaving an ugly gap which will doubtless be filled with substantial brick structures early in the spring. The parties. who lose by the fire are Mrs. Hut, A. W. Van Tassel, J. P. Althof, John Friot, J. Eliot & Co., John Abel, and John Anthony, most

for the estensible purpose of raising a fund for the erection of a Soldiers' and Sailors' coun-ty manument. We have not referred to it ty monument. We have not referred to it before, for the reason that we preferred not to aid it advertising what we knew to be an unnecessary scheme, that could only result in the misapplication of funds sadly needed elawhere for the alleviation of misery and vant; and, furthermore, because we regarded it as the tricky effort of a special clique to cheaply advertise itself in the patriotic line, at public expense.—Girard Commposite.

We regret to find our commposite.

We regret to find our cotemporary making such a sweeping charge against the motives of the ladies who conceived and have thus far pressed forward so successfully the project of creeting a monument to perpetuate the memories of our soldier and sailor dead: In regard to the movement itself, there may properly be differences of opinion, and very likely are, but here, where the leading participants are known, the purity and pariotism of their purposes will be defended by all. They have made no attempt to " advertise" themselves, "at public expense," as our cotemporary suggests, but have labored with a modesty, assiduity and tirelessness that entitles them to all praise. We are sat isfied that our friend of the an appoint is too fairly apposed to be willing to do injusuce to the ladies who have struggled so hard in a cause which they at least believe to be a noble and deserving one, and hope to see it withdraw the unjust aspersions on their motives which it has been led into making. .

Our neignbors of the Dispatch, to cover up their notorious blundering, have adopted the "stop thief" principle of picking out the All-of the above diseases require the aid of a Diaretic. Helmbold's Extract Buchu is the little errors in the Observer, which they parallel the control of t sample, to show what these comments are the scene; as in truth it has. like, will do for the first installment. Says | He was a native of York county, Maine

ing at all to do with it; and the publishers, Messis. Bætzel & Atkinson, defy Mr. W. to find a word about politics in it, or anything that says it will take either side in political

We were not aware before that it was uch a damaging thing to say of a new pubparties concerned will please consider our benefit of that branch of the service. He meekest apologies tendered for innocently shortly after resigned. taking such the good method", "to injure the favorable opinion many have formed of the new German paper." It is too respectable start with such a terrible calamity as our neighbor represents, and we hasten to retract the foul and unwarranted assertion.

ABOUT VELOCIPEDES .- The velocipede, of which so much is lately said in the papers, consists of two ordinary wheels one before the other, (the two wheeled ones are the best) connected by a steel or iron reach, bearing a saddle in which the rider sits. It is driven by pedals attached to the fore wheel which keep the rider's legs pretty busy. On perfectly smooth track, such as a board froor, a new Nicolson or asphaltum pavement, or hard earth road in the country, it can be driven at the rate of fifteen or twenty on a rough road its propulsion is nearly impossible. A crank is attached to the front wheel, which is used for the double purpose of guiding the machine and supporting the young men of our city have clubbed together, nd sent to New York for one of the finest relocipedes there, and it is not unlikely that means of locomotion on that thoroughfare.

stability economy and convenience may be tion was at a premium, but bad management seen in abundance from some of the most has brought it low." eminent mechanics in this country and Etrope. The Erle Building Block Co. have ar-A SECULAR MEETING OF THE STOCK. A SIGNATURE COUNTY Agricultural savely in the spring, and several fine structure extensions, on the 2d Wednesday of January next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which meeting officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and amendments will be offered to the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Constitution and I and 4 of the By-Laws. In the By-Laws, Letter of the constitution, and I and 4 of the By-Laws. Secretary.

COMMERCIAL EDUCATION. Action with should know how to do business, and how to keep an account of his business correctly, else there is no certainty of his success. Ignorance is the cause of nine-tenths of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the following articles of the Company are in the hands of the failures. Let a young man be thought a supplied to the company are in the hands of the failures. Let a young man be thought a supplied to the company are in the hands of the failures. Let a young man be thought a supplied to the company are in the hands of the failures. Let a young man be thought a supplied to the cause of nine-tenths of the failures.

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Stealing Dead Bodies in Cleveland. On Sunday evening, the 20th inst., the sexton of the Erie street cemetery, at Cleveland discovered some marked graves, which led him to believe that parties intended robbing them for use in the dissecting room of the Medical College. He called his assistant, and, providing themselves with muskets, they resolved to watch for the body snatchers. A little after two o'clock, two young men appeared, closely muffled, and stealthily creeping up to one of the graves, commenced digging into it. The watchers fired at them, when they began running away, but were brought to a halt under threats of death. For some reason, they were allowed to go rear. and the public are left in the dark as to who they are, though it is understood that they belong to the best families of me city. The Cleveland Herald publishes the following extraordinary statement:

"Since the doings of the body-snatchers at the Eric Street concern have received an airing by the city cress, certain parties have been moved to make partial revelations of transactions there that are, to say the least, horrifying. It appears that an organized system of tody-stealing has been going on tend to find them out at once.

Ethe.—The most destructive fire of the season-broke out on Christmas morning in the upper story of a frame building near the depot, occupied above by Mrs. Hunt as the content of the terminate in the trime in the upper story of a frame building near the depot, occupied above by Mrs. Hunt as the content of the trime in the trime in the trime in the content of the trime in the trime in the content of the trime in the trime in the content of the trime in the content of the trime in the trime in the content of the trime in the tri revelations if the theft should be discovered by others than the sexton. The Medical Colleges in the city were accordingly notified to return the body, and on that evening, at 7 o'clock, one of the attaches of the college which had procured it took the body in a buggy, and placing it in a sitting posture on the seat with him, drove to the cemetery and threw it over the fence, where it was received by one of the assistant sextons not ceived by one of the assistant sextons, put and New Year's. . of whom have insurance that will cover about two-thirds of their loss.

in a wheelbarrow, wheeled to the grave from which it had been taken, dumped into the hole, and buried. This is not the first time that a similar thing has been done at this same cemetery, and we have no doubt if the graves were all to be examined in the Erie street cemetery, it would be found that a very large per centage of them contained nothing but a coffin. The investigations which the police are making has as yet only reached a starting point, but enough has been ascertained to afford the belief that an organized system of robbery has been carried on there for several months past, and perhaps longer. That there is collusion between the cemetery authorities is proved by an occurrence which took place on Wednesday. A search warrant authorizing the searching of the Frie Street College was searching of the Eric Street College was sworn out of the Police Court, and Detective Schmitt was sent to execute it. But before this was done, the authorities of the college had been notified of the intention to search the place, and on the arrival of the officer had got their things into ship-shape, and, of course, nothing suspicious was discovered. Why this was done remains at present a secret to those who did it, but it looks rather suspicious, and also points to collusion on the part of the sexton and his assistants with those who are believed to be guilty of one of the gravest crimes known to the statute

Dr. Usher Parson, the venerable and eminent physician, died to-day, aged 80 years. He was the last surviving commissioned officer of Commodore Perry's fleet.—Tele-

Thus another link is broken which bound us to the past. There are now but few survivors of the ever memorable 10th of September, 1813, and soon they will all be 'gathered to their fathers.'

Dr. Parson was held in high esteem by our citizens, more particularly those of the olden class, and early residents. Every few years ade before their astonished readers with a since those exciting times of the war of 1812, gobble up" in our last edition, which were ings and attentions. On taking leave at his duly presented, with the sagacious comments last visit, he did so with much feeling, havpeculiar to our cotemporary. A moderate ing a sort of presentiment that it would close

rence, and was most honorably mentioned to the Secretary of the Navy by Com. Perry, in his official report of the battle. . On the 15th of April, 1814, he was commissioned Surgeon. He afterwards served with Perry on board the Frigate Java on a cruise to the lication that the Dispatch office issued it, or Mediterranean, in 1816, and subsequently that it is Republican in politics, but as we with Com. McDonough, in the Frigate Guerhave our neighbors' word for it, of course riere, on a similar cruise, when, by leave of there must be truth in the statement. The the Government, he visited the Hospitals circumstances of the case naturally led to and Medical Schools in England and France, those conclusions, and if we were wrong, all obtaining much valuable information for the

In civil life, he was distinguished for his professional skill and classical attainments, and held several high and important posilooking a journal to be loaded down at the tions in our institutions of learning. Dr. Parsons not only combined eminence as a professional man, but all the virtues and graces of a Christian gentleman. Peace to D,

THE MERCHANTS' EXPRESS CO .- The New York Sun, speaking of the consolidation of this corporation with the American, says "the idea of an Express company, to be owned entirely by the class which chiefly patronize such a corporation—the merchants -was conceived in some one of the busy brains of Ross, or Beardsley, or Seward, o Auburn, N. Y., in 1865. The project was noised abroad, subscriptions were obtained for the stock all over the country, and on miles an hour, without very great effort; but the 1st of October, 1866, the company began branches, until finally it made use of more lines of railroad than any other company. before it can be ridden to advantage, and fact, there does not seem to have ever been it isn't best to get confident too soon of one's any approach to economy in the manageability to manage the concern, as we can ment, and call after call was made on the testify from personal knowledge. Several owners of stock, until 35 per cent of the subscription was called in. The enterprise might possibly have succeeded had it not abandoned the original plan of being a comwhen the Nicolson pavement is finished on pany independent of all others, and in the Peach street, it will soon become a favorite early part of this year; made an arrangement with the American, Adams and others to divide a certain portion of profits, the WE HAVE examined a specimen of building Merchants' Union receiving about 26 per material made over a year ago by the process cent. This was the fatal blunder which peremployed by the Eric Building Block Co. haps caused and certainly hastened its downand found it nearly as hard as granite. It is fall. From this point, in fact from an earlier one of the peculiarities of this material that it period, the business of carrying was conbecomes harder the longer it is exposed, and ducted at a loss, and at last, on December 1, if the tests continue as satisfactory as they the Merchants' Union was consolidated with have been to this time, we see no reason to the American, and its capital of \$15,000,000 prevent it from rapidly taking the place of was taken into the last named company. At the ordinary clay bricks. Certificates to its one lime the stock of the defunct corpora-

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

CAPT. W. P. GILSON, at the Reed House, nas some choice brands of cigars. THE BEST forms of Leases. Agreements. Deeds and Notes in the city at the Observer DUNKIRK has been visited by burglars,

who did not get enough to pay them for their THE CALICO BALL has been postponed to the 8th of January, the anniversary of Jackson's victory, when it will come off without

WHEN GOUGH was here last year he said t was his last lecture season. We notice that he is now making apother farewell tour at \$200, per night."

WE LEARN from the Girard Cosmopolite that the fat, jolly and popular showman, Dr. Jas. L. Thayer, by the death of a maternal uncle in Leeds, England, has come into a snug life income, payable in gold.

has inscribed on his tombstone, "He always paid cash." With the loose business ideas most honorable that a man could claim. Eveny citizen before sending his money

town is for its citizens to help each other. With the present issue we bid farewell o several scores of dead-heads who have re-

hereafter. flost or our cotemporaries in the surcounding counties announce that no papers will be issued this week, and our list of local exchanges promises to be reduced to a time immemorial the printers have been allowed a holiday, week between Christmas

CHRISTMAS was observed in our city in a and Sabbath school exercises, there were no public demonstrations, and most of the day the streets showed no more life than on Sunday. The trade in holiday goods, however, was quite equal to the previous year, and we presume there was quite as much enjoyment as on any previous Christmas.

WE TAKE pleasure in introducing to the favor of our readers, Geo, A. Allen, Esq., Attorney-at-Law, lately of Edinboro, who has opened an office over Nick's drug store, with the object of becoming a permanent resident of the city. He is a young gentleman of more than usual ability, and comes to us with the best reputation for integrity and zeal in his profession. We feel assured that those who secure his services will find him all that they desire in a legal adviser.

THE ORPHANS' FAIR, in Farrar Hall, after suspension of two days, in the commencement of the week, owing to a prior engagement of the hall by other parties, resumed on Wednesday, and will continue without interruption as long as the patronage continues encouraging. The visitors to the Fair in noble purpose to which the proceeds are to for the good taste and energy they exhibited. be applied renders the public in general dis-

posed to lend it a generous assistance. TWENTY-FIVE cents a week laid by and dein four years \$56.81; in five years \$72.91. depend on salaries or day wages, try the plan | friends in this vicinity. of depositing one dollar per week for a year in some Savings Bank, and you will be sur-

SAXE'S HEAD was clear when he wrote two." There is so much selfishness in hu. sued in 1868. man nature that human friends can seldom entered the U.S. service in 1813 as Sur- be relied upon. In time of prosperity a man geon's Mate, and was attached to the U. S. never lacks for friendship, but let him get the reason why the ordinances are not enthe reason why the ordinances are not enforced after a fall of snow. For the sake of personsissued a new German weekly, and that it is Republican in politics. Both are misstatements, as the Dispatch Company have nothing at all 10 do with it and the publishers. and he has a feeling of independence, even under the most discouraging circumstances.

MERELY TO show what bad government will bring a community to, we copy the folowing from the Vicksburg Times. Let the warning be heeded in every locality where the mania for improvement overbalances the dictates of sound judgment:

"City scrip has gone far below par, the Corporation is badly in debt, the gas is shut off from every public lamp in the town, and a judgment against the city, which was com-promised, provided a certain amount be paid by a given time, will put every dollar's worth of public property under the hammer, unless something is speedily done."

THE Westfield Enterprise says a little girl, about eight years old, living five or six miles week, about four o'clock, started from school is visited daily by hundreds of merry lads and alone for home in the midst of a snow storm, lasses. A livelier or pleasanter scene than it south of North East, on Wednesday of last accompanied by strong wind. Since that presents at times is not met with anywhere. hour nothing has been seen or heard of her, and the residents of the neighborhood have been diligently digging in snow banks and looking everywhere. The poor little girl doubtless became fatigued and benumbed with cold, sought shelter behind some tree

or bush, and was buried beneath the snow. A GENTLEMAN of this city has devised a system for funding the public debt and securing its payment, which, with the limited investigation we have been enabled to give it, seems to possess some noticeable features. It provides for paying off fifty millions of the business of carrying. For some time it the debt per year, and authorizes persons did well, and continued to extend its holding bonds to exchange them for currency at any time, thus securing what seems to us an essential feature of all national finanrider. Considerable experience is required But this was done at a great expense; in cial operations—an clastic currency which can be increased or reduced, as the necessities of the people require. Circulars giving the leading features of the proposed system have been enclosed to many of the noted men of the country, and it is probable that before long it will be a topic of general discussion in financial circles

THE BASEMENT walls of the Lake Shore Seminary at North East are completed, and the brick and other material for the building are on the ground ready for the commencement of operations early in the spring. The Star calls upon the people of North East to forward the enterprise by liberal contributions, and we heartily second its appeal. We know of no more desirable location for a first-class institution of learning than North East, and now that its citizens have made so much progress towards attaining one, it will not do to stop short of the desired end. The people of the city and other parts of the county have an interest in the matter scarcely second to those of North East, and owe it to themselves to furnish the enterprise all the encouragement in their power.

THE REPUBLICAN rejoices that President Johnson has issued his amnesty proclamstion, saying "no further need exists of laws distinguishing between any class of citizens at the South; all are free; all are fully protected by local law and the strong arm of the general government, and so we can safely trust even Jefferson Davis among his once deluded followers." In taking this position, the Republican is sustained by the New York Tribune, and all the abler and more independent organs of its party. It is only "the little creatures whom God for some inscrutable purpose" has allowed to become connected with the newspaper press, (accord

THE MACHINERY of the water works was set in molion last week and considerable progress made in filling the pipes around the city. On Sinday an accident happened which put are end to operations temporarily. Owing, it is thought, to the heavy pressure that the company of the main captures a section of the main captures. progress made in filling the pipes around the just at the edge of the lake bank above the Butter, 7 h water works burst, releasing the water in a volume so strong that as it went rushing down the fill everything was swept before, it. Several parties who were examining the works, including an ex-publisher of the Observations.

among us?" and tells a wonderful story that almost leads us to believe that we have. We trust it will turn out to be a genuine ar-A DECEASED millionaire in a Western city, ticle, and not end, like the one of a couple years ago-in berries! Had our friend, the local pro tem. of the Republican, been here that now prevail, such an epitaph' is the at that time, he would not risk the dangerous experiment of getting up another ghost sensation in Eric. We have a distinct recollection of several editors keeping a sharp lookbroad should be sure that he cannot be accommodated at home with the articles he out around the corners for several days in may want. The only way to build up a anticipation of a visit from the officers of the

WE HAVE never seen a period since our ceived the paper at our expense quite as first year of the war, when money seemed as long as we can afford it. We are resolved to scarce as at the present time. Men who have none but prompt paying subscribers never complained before say they find it difficult to pay, and collecting is next to impossible. Judging by the tone of our exchanges this section is not suffering alone from financial stringency. Trade is dull nearly every where, and all classes of people are troubled with the "shorts." What lies at the bottom meagre number for the time being. From of all this, we leave for better philosophers than ourself to explain.

Tue Fredonia Advertiser and Dunkirk Union have been consolidated, under the very quiet manner. Aside from a few church title of Advertiser and Union, the proximity of the two towns rendering it neither neces sary nor profitable, to have two Democratic journals. The result is a neat and well edi ted paper of nine columns, bearing the indications of long life and prosperity. Mr. Benton, of the Advertiser, retains the edite rial management, and to those who know his success in the past, no assurance will be required for the future.

ON SATURDAY, Capt. Jonett, of the Michi gan, sent to Bishop Mullen an order for fifteen tons of coal, for distribution, among the poor of the city. It is to be given out in half ton lots, and several applications have already been received. The Captain, with becoming modesty, sought to have the act kept quiet, but such things will leak out, and he is entitled to the credit generosity always secures.

Anchovy Paste, Sardines, Spanish Olives, Dessicated Cod Fish: English Chow-Chow, Girkin's Mushroom and Walnut Catsop, Erguem's Olive Oil, English Pickles by the Bottle, American Pickles by the hundred or bottle. kept quiet, but such things will leak out, and

The Christmas Festival of the four Sabbath schools, numbering 475 scholars, under charge of St. Paul's (Episcopal) congregation. took place on Thursday afternoon in the spacious edifice on Sixth street, and is repand interesting occasion. Those who had as a goodly number without any-and the its management are entitled to much credit

THE Parepa Rosa troupe, who were advertised to give a concert at Walther's Hall, on Christmas evening, had their aristocratic posited in a Savings Bank, and continued sensibilities angered by some petty cause for ten years, will produce in one year \$13.18; after their arrival here, and left without fulin two years \$27.03; in three years \$41.58; filling their engagement, to the disappoint ment of all who had secured tickets. Their Laborers, mechanics, clerks and others who conduct will not add to the number of their

A good way to spend New Year's Day-Pay up your old debts, and start the year exceeds ade before their astonished readers with a grin of triumph most comical to witness. Is with a manufacture of the manufacture of grin of triumph most comical to witness. Two of these they had the good fortune to would vie with each other in pleasant greet. Of economy that too many neglect, and lay incur no expense without paying the cash the foundation of your future prosperity. better off at the close of 1809 than it is likely "There's no friend in need like a dollar or that you are under the system of credit pur-

THE MOST important question which concerns the people of Erie at present is to know

GREAT distress exists among the canal drivers and poor persons temporarily stopping in Buffalo. The police justice daily. commits numbers of them as vagrants to the work-house, at their own solicitation in most instances.

THE stockholders of the Erie Co. Agricultural Society will hold a meeting at the Court house on the second Wednesday in January for the election of officers. Amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws will be offered.

CHARLES STOW, Esq., formerly connected with the Buffalo press, has assumed the editorial chair of the Girard Cosmopolite, suc ceeding Maj. T. G. Field, who has engaged in another calling.

THE BAY is in good skating condition, and

ter sort of young men to get into commerce, or some kind of employment in which the labor is clerical, or at all events is not in the strict sense of the term productive; and probably to the growing disinclination of young men to submit to any course of training. Ad apprentice who has served out his full time in any handicraft, and has learned

A & Etie Market Prices. * 6 5 FRUITS AND VEGETABLES PROVISIONS. erver, found their legitimate massiddenly cut off, and were obliged to execute a flank movement up the steep bank in a manner more heroic than graceful. The broken pipe was manufactured at Pittsburgh, and, on examination, proves to have been with material.

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CHOICE FRUITS Fine Layer and Muscatel Raisins, Prunes Prunellas, Tamarinds, Dried Peaches, Pitte Cherries, Cranberries by the quart or barrel English Currants, Preserved Lemon Peel and Citron, Hermetically Sealed Meats, Fruits, Veg etables, Jellies, &c., &c.

Wm. UNDERWOOD'S Celebrated Devlied Ham, Tongue and Lobster.

Stewart's Syrups and Drips! Very choice.

FLAVORING EXTRACTS, COLTON'S, BURNET'S AND MEAKIN'S

None better. HERBS Pulverized for seasoning Soupsultry, Meats, &c.

Very fine quality, YEAST CAKES,

Hamburg & Pine Apple Cheese.

We are supplied twice a week with fresh Yeast Cakes by Mrs. Osborn, whose Yeast has become very celebrated. Our tale of these Yeast Cakes

ONE TON per YEAR.

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Rice Flour, Liquid Rennet, Condensed Milk, Arrow Root, Chocolate, Broma, Oat Meal, Cracked Wheat, Hominy, Samp, Sago, Tapies, Coxe's Gelatin, Pearl Barley, Vermicilli, Maca-roni, Dessicated Cocoanut, Dried Sweet Corn, Dried Lima Beans.

Williams' Baking Powder! This is the best Raking Powder in the market

CRACKERS.—In this line we keep a large variety of the best quality of goods.

BOSTON CRACKERS.—The genuine article.
LEMON CRACKERS.—This is a new article.
Come and try them; the finest sweet crackers we have ever seen.

Buffalo Butter and Oyster Crackers—the very best in this or any other market. Egg Crackers—very cnoice, Pilot Bread. &c.

We continue to keep a full stock of everything in the Grocery and Provision line, and our sales are so large that our customers can be assured of having articles fresh, and they can also lave the immediate benefit of any fall in the wholesale market.

FRENCH & McKNIGHT;

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E21 French St., Eric, Pa.

HO! FOR AUSTIN & CO.'S Great One Dollar Sale! "We propose to fight it out on this line."

Botch Workmen.—Mr. Wells, U. S. Revenue Commissioner, says he has been more struck in the course of his investigations into the condition of American industry by the rapid decline in the quality of the skilled labor than by almost any other fact; the cause being partly the eagerness of the better sort of young men to get into commerce,

increasing business warrants to the same.

TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE OF THIS.—Our Agents are not required to pay one dollar for their presents, but receive the same for their services in getting up Clubs. Please examine the following TERMS TO AGENTS. Any person sending us a Club of Ten, with \$1, will be entitled to receive for the same any one of the five hundred articles on our Exchange List. (See Circular.)

For a Club of Thirty, with \$3, the person will be entitled to one of the following articles, viz:

ong men to submit to any course of training. Ad apprentice who has served ont his
ing the many handicraft, and has learned
it thoroughly, is getting to be a rare bird.
In some trades, ship-building for one, print,
ing for another, he is almost unknown.
Plenty of boys are apprentices in all trades,
but hardly any remain apprenticed long
enough to learn their business. Either they
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the novice at the entrance, of every calling,
and go a-roving, the authority of the parents
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Hoeke & Co.'s Double Column.

GREAT PANIC IN NEW YORK.

Fearful Breakdown in the Prices of Dry Goods the past Ten Days.

LOCKE & COMPANY.

No. 6 Noble Block, Erie,

Wish to notify the public that they have bought an Immense quantity of FIRST CLASS Dry Goods VERY CHEAP since the recent BIRSAK DOWN in the Eastern Market, and are nowoffer-ing them at much lower prices than any chief work.

ONE PRICE PLAN.

We advertise no goods or prices but what we are able to show when you visit our store. Every article is warranted as represented, or moncy refunded. Read the following prices carefully and judge for yourselves: ales Brown Muslins Cases heavy Ginglams, only.
Heavy Cotton Flannels,
Five cases Cotton and Wool Flannels,
half price.
Heavy 5 wide Sinker Flannel
Plant Shirting Flannels.
All-Wool Grey Flannels.

" Prints..... FINE RED, BLUE AND GREY FLANNELS, MUCH UNDER PRICE.

White Flannels of every width and quality, VERY CHEAP. Heavy, all-wool shirting flan els, at 45 cents. Three hundred bleess all-Wool Cassimeres at 50, 62½, 75, 80, 85 cents and \$1.00. These Cassimeres are VERY CHEAP.

Heavy Beavers for Over Coats, MUCH UNDER PRICE. IN SHAWLS, WE DEFY COMPETITION. Five hundred White Bed Spreads from \$155 to \$3,50 each. These goods are half price.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS!

BLACK ALPACCAS, 3714 cts., 40 cts., 45 cts., 50 cts., 6214 cts., and 75 cts. COLORED ALPACCAS, 3714 cts, 45 cts, 50 cts, and 6214 cts. POPLIN ALPACCAS, 55 cts, 6214 cts, 75 cts, and 871/2 cts. Three Hundred pieces English Merinos, eight yards for only \$3,00. ne hundred pieces Cashmere Plaids, worth 50 cents, for 25 cents.

- Fifty pieces Cashmere Plaids for 30 cents eventy-five pieces English Serge Dress Goods, 25 cents. Thirty pieces heavy Mohair Plaids, 30 cents. Two hundred pieces all-wool French Merinos, 75 cts, 87% cts, and \$1.00. . Fifty pieces Empress Cloths, 75 cts, 871/2 cts, and \$1.00.

The above Dress Goods were purchased at the late New York auctions, at about ONE-HALF the usual price. They are all warranted perfect and first-class goods. Five Hundred pair White Blankets, Good Quality, \$4.00 and \$5.00 per Pair.

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LINEN NAPKINS, TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, CRASH, Under Price,

Fifty pieces Electro Tapestry Carpeting, 50 & 621 Cts.

The above are only a few of the many bargains we have. Our stock is full and complete in every department. Should any one after reading this advertisement have doubts in regard to the chaptess of our goods, let them call with this advertisement and judge for themselves. A great many of these goods are cheaper than they have been for the past ten years. Reinember the place, the only ONE PRICE DRY GOODS STORE in Eric, where all goods at

YORK WHOLESALE PRICES NEW

LOCKE & CO., Prop'rs,

Nos. 6 and 7 NOBLE BLOCK, ERIE. Oriental Cea Company's Bouble Column.

AND COFFEE BY THE SINGLE POUND, AT CARGO PRICES.

A Saving of One-Half to One-Third!

The Great Tea Company of Boston,

Which is the Largest in the World, Would respectfully inform the citizens of Eric and surrounding country, that they

No. 5 NOBLE BLOCK, ERIE, PA.,

And have fitted it up in Oriental style, and are now prepared to furnish every one with prime

WESTERN ORIENTAL TEA COMPANY!

It is generally understood that Ten is retailed for a larger advance on its original cost than any other article in the long list of household stores, which may be partially accounted for by recollecting THE GREAT NUMBER AND IMMENSE AMOUNT OF PROFITS which accumulate on it between the cultivation in China and Japan, and the consumers here, including the American Commission House there; the Importer, the Banker who furnishes the exchance; the middle men or speculators: the wholesale grocer, and the retailer. Each of these make large, and many of them enormous profuls, from which it is evident that the consumer is compelled to pay many times the original cost for a pure article, or forced to use an adulterated or inferior one.

It is with a view to remedy this evil that our gigantic enterprise was formed over a year ago which has been a perfect success, and we have ventured to open a store in Eric, so that we may bother accommodate our customers west of New York State.

And in the following lists which we have selected with great care, will be found TEAS which will suit

Everybody's Taste and Everybody's Purse.

Experience shows that the best are far the cheapest on account of their great dirength and avor. The duty on a pound of good tea is no more than on an inferior one. In ordering our astomers will please note the annexed SCALE OF PRICES. Finest Flavor, full strength, very highly Oolong, (Black.) Choice Quality......\$1,00 Good. Choice Quality. Choice Flavor, full strength, very highly Finest Flavor, full strength, very highly 1.10 Gunpowder, (Green.) ... 1.35 English Breakfast, (Black.) Mixed, (Green or Japan and Black) . 1.20

Our Coffee Department.

This is an immense institution of itself, and is undoubtedly the largest in the country. If is a fact generally understood that a large proportion of the Coffee Imported is picked green and the pods opened by artificial likat. This is never so good as that which ripens maturally. The coffee buyers of this Tea Company thoroughly understand this, and examine nearly every cargo of coffee imported to the United States, and select only the full grown, field-ripened, for them, All the Coffee sold by this Company is ROASTED AND GROUND DALIY, by themselves, insufring its absolute purity and freshness, which they guarantee. The Company are roasting all ring its absolute purity and freshness, which they guarantee. The Company are roasting all their coffee on a new principle, which renders them particularly pure, all acidity being removed by their process of cooking, enabling persons now to take coffee who have been obliged to discontinue its use.

The Company are doing an immense business in their Coffee Department, and selling more PURE COFFEES than any other house in the country. To assist customers in making up their orders, the following Descriptive List is offered by the Company with no little pride, as embracing the largest and most carefully selected assortment of Coffees ever opened in this country.

LIST OF COFFEES AND SCALE OF PRICES. Breakfast Coffee. casted and Ground Mixed..... Dinner Coffee. Old Government Java Plantation Coffee. Best Old Mocha.

MALE BERRY.

This is the true Male Berry HAND PICKED OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA COFFEE. Warranted the richest flavored, strongest and best Coffee in the world, of which we have the only lot in the United States.

SPECIAL NOTICE. As a matter of convenience to our distance customers we are arranging with suitable persons in all parts of the country west of New York State, to act as our agents and distribute our goods in their locality, at our warshouse pride, thereby saving the freight from Boston. We would like to correspond with any gentleman or lady who would like to act as our agents in getting up clubs. A fair commission allowed agents. Direct all orders and communications to

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