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Senff & Sons, 1242 State st.
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H. B. Haverstick, Park Row.
Smith & Bro., 318 French st.

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Geo. Wm. Willing, 708 State st.

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Thos. H. Gunny, 12 Park Row.

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T. M. Austin, 20 North Park.
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Marshall Everhart, 26 East Seventh st.

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Wm. Sproul, 705 State st.

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F. Schaef, 701 State st.
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Henry Neuhiser, French st. near the Park.

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Erie, Pa. Meadville, Pa.
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my12-1y.

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Magazines, Music Books, &c., bound in any style desired, and in the neatest and best manner.

All kinds of Rail Road, Commercial,

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Also,

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Done with neatness and dispatch.

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501 State Street, Erie, Pa.

Rindernecht's Old Stand.

I HAVE ON HAND a splendid stock of Groceries, consisting of

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Of all kinds,

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Making the most complete assortment of goods kept by any Grocer in the place.

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Successor to F. & M. Schlaudecker, is now receiving a splendid assortment of

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Liquors, Willow, Wooden and Stone Ware Fruits, Nuts, &c. A large stock of

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Call and see us, at the

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American Block, State St., Erie, Pa.

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P. A. BECKER & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS,

North-East Corner Park and French St.,

(CHEAPSIDE,)

Would respectfully call the attention of the community to their large stock of

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Which they are desirous to sell at

THE VERY LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES!

Their assortment of

Sugars, Coffees, Teas, Syrups,

TOBACCOS, FISH, &C.,

Is not surpassed in the city, as they are prepared to prove to all who give them a call;

They also keep on hand a superior lot of

PURE LIQUORS,

for the wholesale trade, to which they direct the attention of the public.

Their motto is, "Quick sales, small profits and a full equivalent for the money." apl1'63-tf.

Authorized Capital $500,000.

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opened for business on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12TH, 1864.

In the banking office prev ously occupied by the Merchant's Bank, Brown's Building, north-east corner of State street and public Park.

WM. L. SCOTT, Prest. WM. C. CURRY, Cash.

DIRECTORS:

WM. L. SCOTT, of firm of J. Hearn & Co., Coal Dealers.
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J. DREISIGAKER, Grocer. dcf'64.

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NO. 808 STATE STREET.

The subscriber would call the attention of the public to his splendid stock of

Spring and Summer Dry Goods,

Just received and offered at

UNPRECEDENTLY LOW PRICES!

I have a large assortment of

Domestics, Prints, Dress Goods, &c.,

bought at low prices and consequently can sell them very low. Call and examine my stock. Goods shown with pleasure.

my7-tf. J. F. WALTHER, 808 State St.

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BOYER & FUESS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in all kinds of SHELF and HEAVY

AMERICAN & FOREIGN HARDWARE,

Anvils, Bellows, Nails, Spikes,

Leather and Rubber Belting,

Machine Packing, Cutlery,

Saws, Files, &c.

Also, a general assortment of Iron, Steel and Carriage Hardware.

Store at the old stand of Mr. J. V. BOYER, east side of State street, a few doors north of the Depot. BOYER & FUESS.
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Medical.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

AND

Hoofland's German Tonic,

The great Remedies for all Diseases of the Liver, Stomach or Digestive Organs.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS

Is composed of the pure juices (or, as they are medicinally termed, Extracts) of Roots, Herbs and Barks, making a preparation highly concentrated and entirely free from alcoholic admixture of any kind.

Hoofland's German Tonic

Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with the purest quality of Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, etc., making one of the most pleasant and agreeable remedies ever offered to the public.

Those preferring a Medicine, free from Alcoholic admixture, will use

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.

Those who have no objection to the combination of the Bitters, as stated, will use

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN TONIC.

They are both equally good, and contain the same medicinal virtues, the choice between the two being a mere matter of taste, the Tonic being the most palatable.

The stomach, from a variety of causes, such as Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, etc., is very liable to have its functions deranged. The Liver, sympathizing apt to have its functions deranged. The Liver, sympathizing with the Stomach, then becomes affected, the result of which is that the patient suffers from several or more of the following diseases:

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fullness of Blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried or Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a lying posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning of the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and Great Depression of Spirits.

The sufferer from these diseases should exercise the greatest caution in the selection of a remedy for his case, and the public should be assured that which he is assured by his investigations and intrinsic merit, is a skillfully compounded medicine free from injurious ingredients and has established for itself a reputation for the cure of these diseases. In this connection we would submit these well-known remedies—

HOOFLAND'S

GERMAN BITTERS,

AND

HOOFLAND'S

GERMAN TONIC,

Prepared by

DR. C. M. JACKSON,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Twenty-two years since they were first introduced into this country from Germany, during which time they have undoubtedly performed more cures, and benefitted suffering humanity to a greater extent, than any other remedies known to the public.

These remedies will effectually cure Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Chronic or Nervous Debility, Chronic Diarrhœa, Diseases of the Kidneys and all diseases arising from a disordered Liver, Stomach, or Intestines.

DEBILITY,

Resulting from any cause whatever; Prostration of the System, induced by Severe Labor, Hardships, Exposure, Fevers, Etc.

There is no medicine extant equal to these remedies in such cases. A tone and vigor is imparted to the whole system, the appetite is strengthened, food is enjoyed, the stomach digests promptly, the blood is purified, the complexion becomes sound and healthy, the yellow tinge is eradicated from the eyes, a bloom is given to the cheeks, and the weak and nervous invalid becomes a strong and healthy being. Persons advanced in life, and feeling the hand of time weighing heavily upon them, with all its attendant ills, will find in the use of this BITTERS, or the TONIC, an elixir that will instil new life into their veins, restore in a measure the energy and ardor of more youthful days, build up their shrunken forms, and give health and happiness to their remaining years.

NOTICE.

It is a well established fact that fully one-half of the female portion of our population are seldom in the enjoyment of good health; or, to use a common expression, "never feel well." They are languid, devoid of all energy, extremely nervous, and have no appetite.

To this class of persons the BITTERS, or the TONIC, is especially recommended.

Weak and delicate children are made strong by the use of either of these remedies. They will cure every case of MARASMUS, without fail. Thousands of certificates have accumulated in the hands of the proprietor, but space will allow of but few. These, it will be observed, are men of note and of such standing that they must be believed.

TESTIMONIALS:

HON. GEORGE W. WOODWARD,

Ex-Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1867.

"I find Hoofland's German Bitters is a valuable remedy in cases of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, and diseases of the digestive organs, and cases of debility, and want of nervous action in the system. Yours truly,
GEO. W. WOODWARD."

HON. JAMES THOMPSON,

Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866.

"I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, and I can certify this from my experience. Yours with respect,
JAMES THOMPSON."

FROM REV. JOS. H. KENNARD, D. D.,

Pastor of the Tenth Baptist Church, Phila.

DR. JACKSON—Dear Sir:—I have frequently been requested to connect my name with recommendations of different kinds of medicines, but regarding the practice as out of my appropriate sphere, I have in all cases declined; but with a clear proof in various instances, and particularly in my own family, of the usefulness of Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, I depart for one from my usual course to express my full conviction that, for General Debility of the System, and especially for Liver Complaint, it is a safe and valuable preparation. In some cases it may fail; but, usually, I doubt not, it will be very beneficial to those who suffer from the above cause.

Yours very respectfully,
J. H. KENNARD,
Eighth, below Coates, St.

FROM REV. E. D. FENDALL,

Assistant Editor Christian Chronicle, Philad'a.

I have derived decided benefit from the use of Hoofland's German Bitters, and feel it my privilege to recommend them as a most valuable tonic to all who are suffering from General Debility or from diseases arising from derangement of the Liver. Yours truly,
E. D. FENDALL.

CAUTION.

Hoofland's German Remedies are counterfeited. See that the signature of C. M. JACKSON is on the wrapper of each bottle. All others are counterfeit. Principal office and manufactory at the German Medicine Store, No. 631 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa.

CHAS. M. EVANS, Proprietor.
Formerly C. M. JACKSON & CO.

PRICES.

Hoofland's German Bitters, per bottle $1 00
" " " " half dozen, 5 00
Hoofland's German Tonic, put up in quart bottles, $1 50 per bottle, or a half dozen for $7 50.

Do not forget to examine well the article you buy, in order to get the genuine.
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Miscellaneous.

ERIE CITY IRON WORKS,

ERIE, PA.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

The Bradley Engine!

A New Compound or

Double Cylinder Engine,

Which

USES THE STEAM TWICE,

And is Warranted to give

FIFTY TO ONE HUNDRED PER CENT.

More power than a Single Cylinder Engine using the same amount of steam.

STEAM ENGINES AND BOILERS!

OF ALL STYLES.

OIL STILLS AND TANKS!

Of all Descriptions.

CIRCULAR SAWMILLS

And

HEAD BLOCKS.

dc12-tf.

FRANK WINCHELL & CO.,

AUCTION & COMMISSION

MERCHANTS,

No. 824 State Street.

Household Furniture and all kinds of Goods, Wares and Merchandise, bought and sold and received on consignment.

Sales at private residences attended to in any part of the city.

Sale of Household Furniture, Carpets, Queensware, Horses, Wagons, and all kinds of goods on

WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS,

AT 9½ O'CLOCK, A. M.

A large consignment of Queensware, Glassware, Bohemian and China Vases now on hand, will be closed out regardless of cost at private sale.

Vendues attended to in any part of the county. ap9-tf.

Tollworthy & Love,

NO. 1390 PEACH ST.,

Have adopted a new system of doing business, and would respectfully call the attention of their customers to the fact that they are now selling goods for

CASH, OR READY PAY.

We believe that we can do our customers justice by so doing and would ask them to call and see our splendid stock of groceries, consisting of

Teas,

Coffees,

Sugars,

Spices, &c.,

Comprising everything in a well kept grocery store. We also have the best quality of

ERIE COUNTY FLOUR.

Also FEED in unlimited quantities. Give us a call.

TOLLWORTHY & LOVE,
1390 Peach St., opposite National Hotel.
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C. ENGLEHART & CO.,

DEALERS IN

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Keep always on hand all styles of

LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S

Prunella, Kid, Goat and Pebble Goat

Laced, Button and Congress

BOOTS,

Of the finest quality, which will be warranted for durability, as well as to fit, which we will sell as

Low as the Lowest.

We also make to order. Repairing carefully attended to. my21-tf Cr E. & CO.

BLANK BOOKS!

Caughey, McCreary & Moorhead,

WILL SELL

BLANK BOOKS,

of every description,

BOOKS, ENVELOPES AND PAPER,

CHEAPER

Than any house in this city. Also,

SCHOOL BOOKS,

At Wholesale, as cheap as any jobbing house in the country.

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The Depository of the Bible Society, at

CAUGHEY, McCREARY & MOORHEAD'S.
my11-tf.

BANK NOTICE.

Keystone National Bank,

OF ERIE.

CAPITAL $250,000.

DIRECTORS:

Selden Marvin, John W. Hall, Elihu Marvin, Bester Town, O. Noble.
ORANGE NOBLE, Prest. JNO. J. TOWN, Cash.

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

CORNER OF STATE AND EIGHTH STS.

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.

TO THE PUBLIC.

There is no use sending to New York

FOR YOUR TEAS!

No use going to the refineries to buy

REFINED OIL!

No use going to soap factories to buy

SOAP!

No use to pay big prices for any of your

Groceries and Provisions!

While there is a

LIVE CASH STORE,

on the corner of

5th and State Streets.

Try the Cash Store. ADAM MINNIG.
ap16-tf.

L. F. STEM,

HAVING bought the Eagle Hotel, in Waterford, would inform the public that he has thoroughly refitted the same, and is now ready to accommodate all in the best of style. His table is bountifully supplied, and the bar is stocked with the choicest of liquors. nov28-tf.

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New Advertisements.

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE RAIL ROAD.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

Through and Direct Route between Philadelphia, Baltimore, Harrisburg, Williamsport and the

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ON and after MONDAY, Nov. 23d, 1868, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

Mail Train leaves Philadelphia at 10:45 p. m., Corry, 8:00 p. m. and arrives at Erie at 9:50 p. m.

Erie Express leaves Philadelphia at 11:50 a. m., Corry, 3:10 a. m. and arrives at Erie at 10:00 a. m.

Warren Accommodation leaves Warren at 12:20 p. m., Corry at 2:00 p. m., and arrives at Erie at 3:50 p. m.

EASTWARD.

Mail Train Leaves Erie at 10:55 a. m., Corry, 12:45 p. m. and arrives at Philadelphia at 10:00 a. m.

Erie Express leaves Erie at 6:25 p. m., Corry, 8:25 p. m. and arrives at Philadelphia at 4:25 p. m.

Warren Accommodation leaves Erie at 8:10 a. m., Corry at 10:10 a. m., and arrives at Warren at 11:40 a. m.

Mail and Express connect with Oil Creek and Allegheny River Railroad. BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH.

ALFRED L. TYLER,
Gen'l Superintendent.

Erie & Pittsburgh Railroad.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, OCT. 26, 1868, 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 1:15 p. m., at New Castle at 3:15 p. m., and at Pittsburgh at 6:00 p. m.

6:00 P. M., Accommodation, arrives at Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m.

LEAVE PITTSBURGH—NORTHWARD.

7:15 a. m., Erie Express leaves Pittsburgh and arrives at Erie 2:50 p. m.

4:55 P. M., Accommodation leaves Pittsburgh and arrives at Erie 12:35 a. m.

Pittsburgh Express south connects at Jamestown at 12:25 p. m., with J. & F. Express for Franklin and Oil City. Connects at Transfer at 1:45 p. m., with A. & G. W. Accommodation west for Warren, Ravenna and Cleveland.

Erie Express north connects at A. & G. W. Transfer at 11:10 a. m., with Mail east for Meadville, Franklin and Oil City, and at Jamestown with J. & F. Express for Franklin.

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.

Erie Express north connects at Girard with Cleveland & Erie trains westward for Cleveland, Chicago and all points in the West; at Erie with Philadelphia & Erie Railroad for Corry, Warren, Irvineton, Tidioute, &c., and with Buffalo & Erie Railroad for Buffalo, Dunkirk, Niagara Falls and New York City.

F. N. FINNEY,
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Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Andrew Baker, dec'd, late of Greene tp., Erie Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all indebted to the same to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. H. L. PINNEY,
feb25 6w. Administrator.

Administrators' Notice.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of James Tate, dec'd, late of Summit tp., Erie Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all indebted to the same to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.
MARTHA TATE,
H. L. PINNEY,
feb25-6w Administrators.

ABOUT HUSBANDS.

BY JOHN G. SAXE.

"A man is, in general, better pleased when
he has a good dinner upon his table than
when his wife speaks Greek."—*Samuel Johnson.*

Johnson was right. I don't agree to all
The solemn dogmas of the rough old stager;
But very much approve what one may call
The minor morals of the "Ursa Major."

Johnson was right. Although some men
adore
Wisdom in women, and with learning
cram her,
There isn't one in ten but thinks far more
Of his grub than of his spouse's grammar.

I know it is the greatest shame in life;
But who among us, (save, perhaps myself,)
Returning hungry home, but asks his wife
What beef—not books—she has upon the
shelf?

Though Greek and Latin be the lady's
boast,
They're little valued by her loving mate;
The kind of tongue the husbands relish most
Is modern, boiled and served upon a plate.

Or if, as if fond ambition may command,
Some home-made verse the happy matron
shows him;
What mortal spouse but from her dainty
hand
Would sooner see a pudding than a poem?

Young lady—deep in love with Tom or
Harry—
'Tis sad to tell you such a tale as this;
But here's the moral of it: Don't ye marry;
Or marrying, take your lover as he is—

A very man, with something of a brute,
(Unless he prove a sentimental nobby,)
With passions strong, and appetite to boot—
A thirsty soul within a hungry body!

A very man—not one of nature's clods—
With human feeling, whether saint or sinner;
Endowed, perhaps, with genius from the
gods,
But apt to take his temper from his dinner.

CORRY O'LANUS ON RELIGION.

We want cheaper religion.

It is getting to be too much of a luxury, altogether.

Mrs. O'Lanus must go to church, and so must the children.

They go to a fashionable church, because it is in our neighborhood.

We live in the vicinity of a very fashionable neighborhood.

Also because it is a fashionable church.

Being fashionable the pews are very expensive.

The expenses of the establishment are very heavy, the appointments being all first-class.

There is a talented minister.

A big organ.

An operatic choir.

The minister is good, the organ immense—it cost two thousand dollars for repairs the other day—and the choir is absolutely stunning.

If Mar tzek ever went to our church he would have that choir at any expense.

I don't know the name of the prima donna, but she is Parepa, Kellogg and La Grange, rolled into one.

She can carry her voice away to the top of the spire, and balance on the upper note like Bonfanti on one toe on a poise, for ever so long,—the organ, and the rest of the choir, waiting till she comes down again.

The tenor and contralto are good, but the basso he is suburb.

His voice goes down into his boots, and when he drops down to a B flat in the subcellar it is awfully grand, like a trombone with a bad cold.

The contrast of the voices is what strikes you, and the way they handle the Psalms.

If you had become familiar with the tunes, by hearing them sung in the old fashioned manner, you would not know them again.

You have heard a violinist play "Yankee Doodle" with variations, but the variations of an operatic choir can't be conceived by a mere fiddler.

In starting a hymn, for instance, the organist leads off with a gymnastic flourish, then the soprano opens the ball.

She catches up the word "glory" and you never heard a word put through such a course of musical sprouts.

Glo-o-o-ory ory-e-e-e-e till she gets up to the extra superfine E sharp, and then lets herself down gracefully with a nightingale trill.

Then the basso takes hold of "glory" and puts it through a descending scale, in which the o-o-o-o-o's predominate, and the e-e-e-e's get lost in a sort of melodeous fog.

Then the tenor and contralto go at "glory" at once—finish it and go at the next word.

I like it very much, it is the next best thing to Italian opera.

But it is just about as expensive.

And everybody can't afford it.

What we ought to have is religion plain, at first cost, for those who can't afford the modern improvements and musical luxuries of our elegant churches.

Then some people may prefer, as a matter of taste, to have their opera and religion in separate performances.

It is, no doubt, a great encouragement to music.

Beside the regular performances for Sunday, numerous other entertainments flow from the choir.

There is a grand complimentary concert to the soprano, who, on that occasion, sings n