ITEMS OF NEWS AND MISCELLANY.

The people of St. Louis are talking about erecting a Crystal Palace there.

The revenue of the city of Pittsburgh falls $15,000 short of expenses.

It is said that large quantities of copper ore have been discovered in Texas.

In the course of a speech recently made by Senator Seward, he described Napoleon as "the first Statesman and the first Captain of Europe."

The City of Cleveland has realized a net profit of $19,349 over expenditures on its stock in the roads to Painsville and Pittsburgh, during the past year.

"Pa, is Pennsylvania the father of all the other States?" "Certainly not, my child, why do you ask that question?" "Because I see all the papers call it Pa."

ENGLISH GEOGRAPHY.—The Illustrated London *News*, speaking of Nebraska Territory, says it is a tract of several millions of acres, lately purchased by the Americans from the King of Mosquito.

Rev. Norris Day, arrested in Madison, Indiana, for stealing negroes in Trimble county Ky., has escaped on a habeas corpus and a fleet horse. He was Delia Webster's friend and partner in kidnapping.

An aged lady died at the Almshouse, at Hagerstown, Md., who although worth some $10,000 had lived at the institution for the space of forty years, in order to take care of two insane offsprings.

In London there are 120 ragged schools, which include nearly fourteen thousand scholars, taught by two hundred and twenty-one paid, and eighteen hundred voluntary teachers.

The Washington correspondent of the Richmond Inquirer says: Mr. Consul Saunders has made half a million of dollars since he went to London, by the sale of muskets and speculations in Lake Superior copper.

Another loss of $200,000 by fire occurred in New York Sunday morning. The *Independent* newspaper establishment, and some $5,000 worth of books and stereotype plates of the Harpers were destroyed. Insurance on the whole was about $125,000.

The Elmira *Republican* gives a capital receipt for a cheap kind of rigolettes:

Take a common stocking—hose, we mean—cut off the foot—draw the remaining portion over your head, and you have a complete "rigolette."

Constantinople has been besieged twenty-four times—eighteen times without success.—The place is one of the easiest to defend in the world, and Nicholas would find it hard work to get inside of its walls after he had reached their outside.

The British brig of war Linnet has captured two slavers on the coast of Africa. The captain reports that the slave trade is as active as ever, if not increasing. Nothing short of the colonization of the whole coast will relieve Africa from this horrible curse.

WOMAN EATEN BY DOGS.—At Bantry, Ireland, the skeleton of a woman named Sullivan, was found inside of a fence, she having been devoured by the starving dogs which abound in the vicinity. She had probably got over the fence to take a nearer path home, when the dogs attacked her. Her face was not touched by the animals.

Another deed of blood was added to the annals of crime, on Saturday evening last in Cincinnati. The affair took place on Liberty street between Linn and Pratt. Both parties, the murderer and the murdered man, are negroes. The former was a George Williams, the latter is, we understand, from Louisiana, and named Antonio Guise.

SHOCKING AFFAIR.—Mrs. Cooper, wife of Captain S. Cooper, of Pittsburgh, while laboring under a fit of insanity on Friday, seized an axe and inflicted a ghastly wound upon the head of her daughter, and then drew a knife across her own throat. The daughter, it is supposed, will recover, but the mother, it is thought, is fatally wounded.

We like a man who "states his views" frankly, after the manner of the Editor of the Rockland *Gazette*, who, in reviewing a new book, comes to the point thus:—"We have received a new Book, entitled 'Arabella, a Tale of Tenderness.' *The Author is a Fool!*"

Major Louis Schlessinger, the Hungarian exile, and who accompanied Lopez to Cuba, where he was taken prisoners and sent to Spain, is on trial at New Orleans on a charge of larceny preferred by a Mrs. Bryan, who, it is said, took an active part in securing his release from prison in Spain.

A Constantinople correspondent says:—"A large number of Polish officers have been sent to the Georgian frontier to help fight the Muscovites. Mr. Bonfanti, of New York, formerly of the American volunteers in Mexico, has been sent to the same place, with the rank of Major. He has also received the name of Nevlis Bey.

A conspiracy of a most atrocious character has come to light in Massilon, Ohio. A number of young men were banded together for the purpose of robbery and arson, and one of the rules of the organization empowered any member to take life when it stood in the way of the success of their enterprises, or to shield them from danger. Some of the conspirators have been arrested, and the officers are after the others.

LYNCHING.—We learn that on the last trip of the Reindeer, from New Orleans, a young man was detected in the act of stealing a watch from one of the lady passengers. Twelve passengers were selected to try him, and after hearing the evidence, found him guilty, and he was sentenced to receive thirty-six lashes on the bare back. He was stripped, and after twenty lashes had been well laid on, he was put on shore.

SINGULAR CONTENTS OF A MAN'S STOMACH.—A gentleman who communicates the death of Mr. Summer Shattuck of Groton, informs us that his sickness had been of nearly six year's standing, he being somewhat better in the summer than in winter. The last six months he suffered very much. At a post mortem examination by Dr. Smith, assisted by other physicians of Groton, there was found in his stomach 225 cherry stones and about a pint of black liqid matter.—*Boston Courier.*

Here is fresh evidence that this "is a great country!" In the House of Representatives a few days ago, a resolution was offered to allow Jose Manuel Gallegos, a Delegate from New Mexico, to introduce his interpreter into the Hall in order that the Delegate might be able to understand the proceedings. Our country is now so great, that one representative of the people does not understand a word of what is going on in the House, yet he was not even allowed to have an interpreter, but was cavalierly told to "learn the English language!" This will be rectified when Old Mexico, Cuba, the Sandwich Islands, and other ends of the earth "come in," and Young America will in turn be told just as cavalierly to "learn the Spanish language."

A valuable silver mine has recently been opened on the lands of Thomas J. Waters, in Gwinnett county, Georgia. It was discovered by a gentleman who derived his information from a traditionary account, handed down for many years, that there was an abandoned silver mine somewhere contiguous to the Chattahooche. The pit, when opened, had the appearance of having been hastily filled up. Mr. W. sunk a shaft forty feet in depth, and struck a rich vein. From various relics, such as old iron implements, commonly used by pioneers, silver drinking cups, &c, which have been accidentally found in various sections of Gwinnett county, many intelligent persons are of the opinion that the celebrated Spanish adventurer, De Soto, must have passed along there in his searches for the mineral wealth of the New World.

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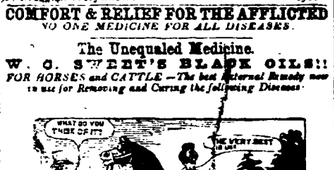

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LADIES Dress Goods—A great variety of Lawns, Bereges, Tissues, Poplins, &c., at June 11, '53—4 JACKSON'S.

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TO HOUSE KEEPERS.
THE place to find an assortment of Table Cutlery, Mincing Knives, Cook Knives, Silver plated and Britania Silver Table and Tea Spoons, Coffee Roasters, Oyster Ladles, Meat saws Basting Spoons, Brass Kettles, Coffee Mills, Shovels, Tongs and Pokers, Candlesticks, Snuffers and Trays, Scales, with weights, spring balances, &c., is at No. 3, Reed House.
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Erie, Sept. 3, 1853 16.

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Executor's Notice.
LETTERS Testimentary to the Estate of John Robinson late of *Millcreek Township Erie County, Dec'd*, have been granted to the subscribers. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them to the undersigned duly authenticated for settlement.
WALTER GLEN, } Executors.
THOMAS DUMARS, }
Millcreek, Feb. 15, 1854. 6t40

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JUST Received and now opening at China Hall, a large and splendid assortment of White Granite Ware, which is equal in finish to the best French China, and is 50 per cent cheaper.—The largest quantity, the best quality and lowest priced ware in the city, is to be sold at No. 7, Bennett Block.
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WE wish to advise our friends and the public generally, that we are making large additions to our former stock, which will render it one of the most complete and extensive in the county. Our business is divided into several departments, and includes, among others, the following, viz: *Medicines, Wines, Groceries, Window Glass, Glassware, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Brushes, Perfumery, Fancy and Miscellaneous Articles.*

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Are of the best, *selected, purchased and kept for medical purposes only, and warranted to be as represented.* In the

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We are not extensive, but what we have will always be found *of the choicest and best. Persons particularly nice in their tastes cannot fail being suited with our selections.* In the line of

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Our stock is very extensive, embracing not only a full and complete stock of material used in House painting, but also every variety of article required in Chair and Coach painting; also, for Portraits, Landscape, Mezzotinto and the various kinds of fancy Painting.

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Erie, Sep. 10, 1853. 17

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3000 Pounds richest M'Kean Cheese, at
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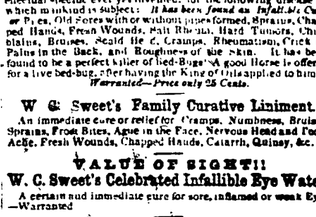

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This pleasant and safe remedy for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Costiveness and Consumption, is beyond doubt the cheapest and most efficient medicine ever offered to the public, and should be constantly kept on hand by every family, especially for children to use for colds, coughs, &c. One min recently, after having been kept awake all night with his children, who were sick with colds, that "*the first bottle he used was worth a five dollar bill to him*," and, render, it only cost him 25 cents and 63 would buy 25 *boxes or more*

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Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Dec. 28, 1852. WM. E RUTZER.

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Dec. 28, 1852. Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

IT CURES HARD COLDS ON THE LUNGS.

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Mr. Devines—Dear Sir; It is with the highest gratification I inform you that your Compound Pitch Lozenge has entirely cured me of a very hard cold I have had on my lungs for some time. I felt the effect of them in a very few hours.

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P. S.—I have recommended your Lozenge to a number of my friends, who, since then, have used it and speak of it in the highest terms. A. R. J

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Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Prints, Ginghams, M. De Laines, Alpacas, Bombazines, Ladies Dress Silks, and in fact every article in the Dry Goods line, Bonnets, Bonnett Ribbons, Boots and Shoes.

READY MADE CLOTHING,

Hats and Caps, a fresh supply of Fall styles, very cheap, all of which are offered at the lowest possible prices. Please call and examine.

I have taken Mr. JOHN GOALDING in company with me in the Clothing Business, who is a first rate Cutter, and the Clothing will be got up under his own eye, at the north door from my store, on Sixth street, and we are now prepared to manufacture and sell on the most reasonable terms, all kinds of Ready Made Clothing at Wholesale and Retail. Gentlemen are respectfully invited to call and try our Clothing, which we are manufacturing from the best French and English Cloths. All work warranted to fit and not to be excelled this side of New York.

The Monthly Fashions regularly received. Navy and Military Clothing made up in a superior style.

N. B.—Cutting done for others with care and promptness.
Erie, Sept. 10, 1853. 17.

GINGHAMS.—One case 1,700 yards Lancaster and Manchester Ginghams, small plaids, at 12½ cents per yard
Dec. 17, 1853. TIBBALS & HAYES.

BRUSH SHETTINGS, in quantities to suit purchasers, at the store of the Secretary Hook, at prices which cannot fail to please.
Dec. 6—30 SENNETT & CO.

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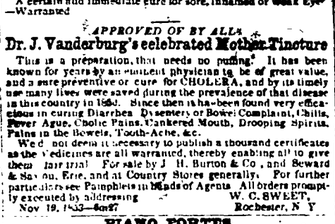

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