Published by request.]

ERIE, Sept 28, 1854

GENTLEMEN —Your favor of the 25th inst [illegible] last evening. I avail myself of the opportunity afforded me of replying, and permit me to say, gentlemen, that a unreserved expression of my views and [illegible] public, as well as local questions, given to my Fellow Citizens when re[illegible] only with cheerfulness but with the pleasure.

[illegible] pound to me two interrogatories, both [illegible] unhesitatingly and unqualifiedly an[illegible] *affirmative*

[illegible] that the true interest of the city and [illegible] requires alike a uniform and un[illegible] gauge of railroad track between this lo[illegible] the great commercial cities of the At[illegible] [illegible] and the extension, not only of [illegible] line of railroad, but also of all [illegible] terminating at, or reaching our [illegible] spacious harbor, and whether in [illegible] stations my teeble influence and [illegible] shall devoted to the attainment of [illegible]

[illegible] men, Very respectfully your ob't servant

JOHN B PAGE.

[illegible] H Cadwell, James Lytle, J. W. Rey[illegible] [illegible] Clark, S. H. Kelsey, J Towner

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[illegible] of the *Courier and Enquirer*, [illegible] pleasant letters about things at the [illegible]

[illegible] accurate measurements of the [illegible] passing Black Rock, have been [illegible] with equal care and precision, [illegible] flowing past Lewiston—and due [illegible] deduction made for the evapora[illegible] [illegible] the spray—and it is found [illegible] quantity exists at Black [illegible] through the outlet at Ontario—[illegible] the surplus? Certainly the Buf[illegible] [illegible] passionately fond of water [illegible] balance in their new water[illegible] [illegible] other outlets, and what is [illegible] of New York worth, if its [illegible] do not tell us of such problems?

[illegible] ADDISON, VT.—On Sunday, the [illegible] was committed at Addison, [illegible] miles below Vergennes. The fol[illegible] particulars as near as can be as[illegible] [illegible] Mr D Cheny, [illegible] [illegible] house of Mr [illegible] [illegible] Mr P[illegible] [illegible] On hear[illegible] [illegible] was followed by Sheldon [illegible] after following a few steps [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Pond has been [illegible] [illegible] murder in the first degree [illegible] [illegible] and children [illegible] [illegible] have been jealously [illegible]

[illegible]—Please announce LEVI LOVEL [illegible] candidate for the office of Proth[illegible] [illegible] the voters of Erie county.

WEST END.

[illegible]—Please announce [illegible] SWEET [illegible] candidate for [illegible]

MANY VOTERS OF LEBOEUF.

[illegible]—Please announce the name of James [illegible] independent candidate for the office of [illegible] the coming election.

[illegible] 1854 [illegible] JAMES M SMITH

[illegible] announce my name in the columns of your [illegible] independent Democratic candidate for the of[illegible] [illegible] Treasurer at the coming election, and oblige

SAMUEL KNERR

Sept 23 1854 [illegible]

[illegible] announce my name as an independent can[illegible] [illegible] Treasurer, subject to the will of the peo[illegible]

JOHN S. BARNES

[illegible] 1854 [illegible]

[illegible]—Please announce [illegible] S. H[illegible] [illegible] independent democratic candidate for Pr[illegible] [illegible] to the decision of the voters of Erie [illegible] coming election.

Sept 23

[illegible]—Being one of the [illegible] I have been [illegible] by friends to [illegible] independent candidate [illegible] County. I do so with [illegible] [illegible] in accordance with a ma[illegible] [illegible] of the county, [illegible] defeat under such [illegible] [illegible] less trying and success more hon[illegible]

IRA SHERWIN

[illegible] Sept 17, 1854

Prothonotary.

[illegible]—Please announce [illegible] MERVIN [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] 1854 ERIE COUNTY.

[illegible]—Please announce JOHN [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] July 8, 1854 [illegible] M'KEAN.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS

Post Office, Erie, Pa.

[illegible]

Humor Cured by Dr. S. A. [illegible] Medicines, after 30 years suffering.

[illegible] *Long Island*, April 19 1852

[illegible]

Yours, ELIAS LATHAM

MARRIED.

In Edinboro on the 26th inst., by R. W. Gerrish, Esq., Mr. WILLIAM B. BIGGERS of Erie city, and Miss HELEN M. PAYSON of Fairview.

DIED.

In Erie on the 22d inst., JOHN BRYAN, only son of Thomas and Ellen Bryan, aged 11 months and 26 days.

CONCERT.

PROF. V. C. TAYLOR, of New York, the popular and distinguished composer, assisted by MRS. TAYLOR, a Soprano Singer of superior abilities, will give a Concert of

Vocal and Instrumental Music,

At the Universalist Church, on FRIDAY EVENING, the 6th of October, at which time a choice selection of pieces from his own and other favorite authors' production, will be presented.

Mr. Taylor, as a composer and performer, is too well known to need any eulogy and it may be confidently said that Mrs Taylor, as a Ballad Singer, is seldom if ever surpassed. She possesses a voice of wonderful sweetness, flexibility and compass, to which are added the unusual advantages of eminent musical attainments.

To give the entertainment more variety, and for the purpose of introducing a number of Glees, Quartettes, &c., several of the Singers of this City have, at Mr Taylor's special request, consented to assist him.

To commence at 7 1-2 o'clock. Admittance 25 cents.

Erie, Sept 28, 1854.

AT AUCTION.

Monday, October 2d, at 10 o'clock, A. M.,

On State Street, second door below Ninth St.

GENTEEL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

CONSISTING of fine three-ply Carpets, embroidered Window Curtains, Window Shades, Mantle Ornaments, Clocks, Teto a Tete, Mahogany Chairs, large easy Chair, Marble Top Rosewood Table, Quartette Tables, What Not, fine toned Piano, cost $300, nearly as good as new, Birch Walnut Extension Table, China and Glassware, Solar Lamp, Ingrain carpets, black walnut cane bottom chairs, arm and rocking chairs, lounge, oil cloths, stair carpet and rods, ennameled cottage furniture, Black Walnut and cherry bedsteads, wash stands, beds, Mattrasses, Franklin oval stove, air tight wood stove, kitchen range kitchen furniture, &c., &c. House to let

Erie, Sept. 30, 1854. 20

FOUND.

FOUND on the cars at Dunkirk going East, about three weeks since, a Port Monie containing two notes, one of fifty and the other one hundred and fifty dollars and a small amount of money. Whoever owns said Port Monie can have the same by paying for this advertisement

Erie, Sept. 30, 1854—3t20*. H. L. BROWN

NEW GOODS AT BOOTH & STEWARTS.

WHERE the public will find it to their advantage to call and examine their new and splendid stock of

Fall and Winter Goods,

Rich and beautiful, at astonishing low prices. The pressure of the money market has enabled us to purchase our fall stock a very low figure, and we are now prepared to give our old as well as new customers some rare Bargains. Those who doubt that the above is true, we ask to come in and be convinced that we are selling goods very low. Our stock, in every department, is now complete, and we respectfully invite all to come in and give us a look, it nothing more. Many of our goods were bought under the auction hammer, which accounts for the low prices that we now offer them

Park Row, 2d door west of Reed House

Erie, Sept. 28, 1854 20

Land Office and General Agency.

THE undersigned will give his personal attention to buying and selling Real Estate, both in the City and County. He will also attend to the renting of houses, offices and tenements, secure good tenants, and collect rents for same. Persons wanting [illegible] [illegible] with a house in almost any part of the city.

ALLEN A. CRAIG,
No 1 Hines Block Erie

Erie, [illegible] 1854—20

FOR SALE—Several city lots, with or without improvements, [illegible] Terms easy.

ALLEN A. CRAIG.

Sept 30, 1854—20

NOTICE.

MRS. E. Holland respectfully announces to her friends and the citizens of Erie, that she [illegible] to receive pupils for instructions on the Piano Forte and in singing. For terms, apply at her house [illegible] Erie, Sept 30, 1854

ORDINANCE.

A general Ordinance regulating the construction of Pavements.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained [illegible] Common Councils of the [illegible] [illegible] by the authority of the same [illegible] [illegible] sidewalks of any street or streets or any portion [illegible] [illegible] required to be paved with brick, shall be constructed by the owners respective[illegible] of the ground adjoining the sidewalk where such pavement is to be constructed, of good paving brick [illegible] at least eight inches of good beach sand or other sand equal in quality for the purpose, and bounded at the outer edge with a good and sufficient curbing of timber or stone. The whole shall be laid in accordance with the grade given by the city surveyor, and shall be, on sixty feet streets, twelve feet, and on one hundred feet streets, sixteen feet in width, in front of buildings, and six feet in width where the ground adjoining is not so occupied; the measurement to be from the outer edge of the sidewalk towards and the same shall be constructed within the period mentioned in such special ordinance.

SEC. 2. The owners of corner lots, when required to pave, shall extend their respective pavements, where the intersecting street is sixty feet wide, twelve feet, and where one hundred feet wide, sixteen feet past their respective corners, where the intersecting sidewalk is not paved, and no pavement shall be deemed to be a compliance with the particular Ordinance requiring [illegible] examined and approved by the [illegible] whom such completion shall be reported [illegible] and entered upon the record or journal of [illegible]

SEC. 3. The tenant or occupant of any lot or part of a lot in front of where a pavement shall be required as aforesaid, when the owner does not reside [illegible] [illegible] hereby authorized and required [illegible] ment, and deduct the cost from any rent [illegible] time owe the owner or otherwise collect the expense thereof from the owner as money [illegible] for his use.

SEC. 4. Any and every [illegible] [illegible] by special [illegible] [illegible] the provisions of this ordinance [illegible] required pavement within [illegible] [illegible] person shall be required [illegible] [illegible] the required pavement [illegible] [illegible] shall not [illegible] the payment of the [illegible]

SEC. 5. When any such special ordinance shall require a pavement or foot walk [illegible] [illegible] constructed of plank [illegible] [illegible] not less than two inches in thickness, [illegible] [illegible] such sidewalk [illegible] [illegible] than four nor five inches thick; the plank to be well spiked to the stringers, and the stringers sustained at the ends by [illegible] or timber foundation sufficient to keep the respective meeting ends of the stringer of an equal height with each other. And such plank walk shall in all other respects be subject to the provisions hereinbefore contained respecting such pavements, so far as the same can be applicable to plank walks, except that the penalty for non compliance shall be one dollar per foot running measure. Ordained and enacted this 8th day of September, A. D. 1854.

Attest, ALFRED KING, Mayor.
W. H. Sherman, Clerk Select Council,
Wm. Thornton, Clerk Common Council.

Erie, Sept 30 1854

Ordinance for paving Sidewalks.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Erie, and it is enacted and ordained by the authority of the same, that the sidewalk on the south side of Fifth street from French to Holland street,—and on both sides Sixth from Sassafras to Myrtle street,—and on the west side of Turnpike and State streets from Penn to Twelfth street be paved with brick and that the sidewalks on the north side of Tenth street from Parade street to Ash Lane on both [illegible] Fifth street from Walnut to Cherry street, on the north side of Seventh from Sassafras to Myrtle street; on the south side of Seventh from Holland to German street; on the north side of Seventh from German to Parade street, on the south side of [illegible] street from the Canal Bridge to Walnut street be [illegible] with plank before the first day of November. And that the pavements required to be made [illegible] ordinance, shall be made according to the provisions of the general Ordinance regulating the construction of pavements, passed by the Councils September 4th A. D. 1854. Ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils this 25th day A. D. 1854.

Attest, A. KING, Mayor.
W. H. SHERMAN, Clerk Select Council,
WM. THORNTON, Clerk Common Council.

Erie, Sept. 30, 1854.

The Erie County Musical Association

HAVING engaged the services of V. C. Taylor, author of Taylor's Sacred Minstrel, "Coral Anthems," "Golden Lyre," "Chime," [illegible] [illegible] of Music at strong Place Church, Brooklyn, N. Y. [illegible] the exercises of their Association, at Waterford, for four consecutive days, commencing MONDAY, the 2d day of October.

The time will be occupied in Singing under the direction of Mr. Taylor, during which the most careful attention will be paid to time, expression, style, tone, and all other particulars pertaining to an advanced standard of Vocal Execution. The works used on the occasion will be the "Golden Lyre," "Chime," (Mr Taylor's last book of Psalmody,) "Choral Anthems," and the [illegible] a new collection of Glees by Mr Taylor. The books will be furnished for the Convention Gratuitously.

The Solo department [illegible] direction of Mrs. V. C. Taylor.

FIRST DAY FREE.

The season will close with a Grand Vocal Concert, consisting of a variety of Sacred and Secular Music, on THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 5th.

Amateurs, Teachers, Leaders, and all interested in the science of Music are invited to attend and join hand in hand in this glorious enterprise. Come one come all, we promise you a rich treat. Admission to the Convention—Gentleman and Lady $2.00 Ladies $1.00.

HENRY M'CLURE,
SAMUEL N. KUROBS,
JACKSON McLEARY
J. J. LINES,
Committee of Arrangements.

Sept 23 —2t19.

TO THE PUBLIC.

JACOB KOCH begs leave to inform the public, that he has just returned from the East, prepared to throw all former emporiums and other establishments completely in the shade. His stock of French cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, and all articles of Gentlemen's wear, are entirely new, and of the only fashionable style introduced into this place. There is now no further use in going to Buffalo, as Jacob can furnish as rare styles and at cheaper rates than can be bought in Buffalo, and it is an undisputed fact that Charley cuts the only decent garment, made in town.

The Custom department is under the [illegible] supervision of Charley, and all garments that are [illegible] are cut by him, and made under his eye. Fits are guaranteed [illegible] A large assortment of ready made clothing, cut and made in Erie, is kept constantly on hand and for sale at the lowest prices. Boys clothing of all kinds and sizes, will be kept constantly on hand. As for Shirts, Collars, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Hosiery and all other articles of Gentlemen's wear, a splendid stock will be kept, and sold at prices astonishingly low.

Jake returns his sincere thanks to his old customers for the patronage extended to him heretofore, and as ever [illegible] he will endeavor to merit a continuance of their favors by constantly keeping up with the spirit of the age, and to the public generally he invites an inspection of his [illegible] perfectly satisfied that they will then buy. Don't forget the name and place.

JACOB KOCH,
No. 7, Reed House

Erie, Sept. 16, 1854—16.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, in and by an act of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed the 2d day of July, 1839, entitled an act relating to the Elections of this Commonwealth, it is enjoined on me to give public notice of such election to be held, and to enumerate in such notice what officers are to be elected. in pursuance whereof, I, THOMAS B. VINCENT, High Sheriff of the county of Erie, do therefore make known and give this public notice to the electors of Erie county, that a General Election will be held in the said county, on the 2d Tuesday of October next, being the 10th day, at the several election districts thereon.

The electors of the city of Erie to meet at the Court House in Erie.

The electors of Millcreek township to meet at the house now occupied by [illegible] in Eagle Village.

The electors of Harborcreek township to meet at the school house near Walter Greenwood's.

The electors of North East township and borough to meet in the south room of the school house near the public square, in the borough of North East.

The electors of Greenfield township to meet at the school house near E. Eaton's.

The electors of Venango township to meet at the school house in the village of Lowville.

The electors of Wattsburg borough to meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of Amity township to meet at the school house near Chaffee's.

The electors of Wayne township to meet at the house of Elijah Carter.

The electors of the borough of Waterford to meet at the house of John Curtis.

The electors of Waterford township to meet at the house now occupied by Henry McGill, in the borough of Waterford.

The electors of LeBoeuf township to meet at school house No. 2.

The electors of Washington township to meet at the house now occupied by A. Robinson, in the borough of Edinboro.

The electors of the borough of Edinboro to meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of Franklin township to meet at the Tuckey school house.

The electors of McKean township to meet at the house now occupied by Samuel Wiswell.

The electors of Green township to meet at the school house near Wm Lawrence's, on the Lake Pleasant road.

The electors of Summit township to meet at the Norris school house

The electors of Concord township to meet at the school house near Robert Heath's.

The electors of Fairview township to meet at the school house in the village of Fairview.

The electors of Girard township to meet at the public school house in the borough of Girard

The electors of the borough of Girard to meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of Elkcreek township to meet at the school house in Wellsburg.

The electors of Conneaut township to meet at the school house near E. Salsbury's.

The electors of Springfield township to meet at the school house near John Scott's.

The electors of Union township to meet at the school house at Union Mills.

At which time and place the qualified electors aforesaid will elect by ballot,

One person for Governor of the Commonwealth of Pa.
One person for Canal Commissioner of Pennsylvania.
One person for Judge of the Supreme Court of Penna.
One person for Member of Congress, in conjunction with Crawford county.
Two persons for members of Assembly of Pennsylvania.
One person for Prothonotary.
One person for Register and Recorder
One person for County Commissioner
One person for County Treasurer
One person for County Auditor
One person for Coroner.
One person for Director of the Poor.
Three persons for Trustees of Erie Academy by the county.
Two persons for Trustees of Waterford Academy by the electors south of the Triangle line.

I also give further notice, as in and by said act I am directed, "That every person, excepting justices of the peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any City or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judicial department of this State or the United States, or of any City or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the Select or Common Council of any City, or any commissioner of any Incorporated District, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election of this commonwealth, and that no inspector or judge, or other officer of any such election, shall be eligible to any office then voted for."

And by the 4th section of an act of the General Assembly, passed the 16th day of April, 1840, it is provided, "That the 13th section of an act passed the 2d day of July, 1839, entitled an act relative to the elections of this Commonwealth, shall not be construed as to prevent any militia officer or borough officer from serving as judge, inspector or clerk at any General or special election in this commonwealth."

Pursuant to the provisions of the 61st section of the said act, "every general and special election shall be opened between the hours of 8 and 10 in the forenoon, and shall continue without interruption or adjournment, until 7 o'clock in the evening, when the polls shall be closed."

Pursuant to the provisions contained in the 7th section of the act aforesaid, the Judges of the aforesaid districts shall respectively take charge of the certificate or return of the election of their respective districts, and produce them at a meeting of one judge from each district, at the Court House, in the city of Erie, on the third day after the day of election, being for the present year on Friday the 13th of October next, then and there to do and perform the duties required by law of said judges. Also, that where a judge, by sickness or unavoidable accident, is unable to attend said meeting of judges, then the certificate or return aforesaid shall be taken charge of by one of the inspectors or clerks of the election of said district who [illegible] the duties required of said judge unable to attend.

[illegible] act passed the 8th day of February, 1854, the act entitled "An act relative to voting at elections in the counties of Adams, Erie, [illegible] &c., approved the [illegible] day of February, 1854, authorizing the electors [illegible] candidates for the various offices to be [illegible] [illegible] ticket, is repealed [illegible] [illegible]

It is also [illegible] duty to publish [illegible] [illegible] the following act of the General Assembly, to wit:—

An Act for the suppression of the manufacture and sale of Intoxicating Liquors as a beverage

WHEREAS: All laws to be efficient should have the approbation and sanction of the people:

And, whereas, it is represented that a large number if not a majority of the citizens of this Commonwealth, are deeply impressed with the necessity of the passage of a prohibitory liquor law:

And whereas, It is impossible to obtain a certain indication of popular sentiment relative thereto by means of petitions and remonstrances: Therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the qualified voters of the Commonwealth are hereby authorized, at the places for holding the general elections in their respective wards, boroughs and townships, on the second Tuesday of October next, to vote for and against a law which shall entirely prohibit by proper and constitutional regulations and penalties, the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, except for medicinal, sacramental, mechanical and artistical purposes.

SEC. 2. That the officers authorized by law to hold elections in each ward, borough and township of the Commonwealth, are hereby directed and required at the place fixed by law, in the several districts for the holding of the general elections in said districts, on the second Tuesday of October next, when they shall be organized as an Election Board, to receive from each qualified voter of their said districts, ticket written or printed on the outside, "Prohibitory Liquor Law," and the ticket in favor of the proposed law shall contain in the inside the words, "For a Prohibitory Liquor Law," and those opposed to the proposed law shall contain in the inside the words, "Against a Prohibitory Law," which votes shall be counted and returned to the court house of the counties or city in which said election shall be held, on the following Friday, by the return judges, who shall cast up and certify all the votes polled in said county or city, to the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth at Harrisburg, directed and transmitted in the same manner as the votes for Governor are required to be directed and transmitted, and the said Secretary shall, on the third Friday of January next ensuing, communicate the said returns to the Legislature, to be opened and counted in the same manner as the votes for Governor are opened and counted, and considered as the prayer of the voters of this Commonwealth relative to the Prohibitory Liquor Law.

SEC. 3. That all the election laws of the State prescribing the hours of opening and closing the polls, the reception of votes, the punishment for illegal voting, the defraying the expenses of publication, and holding of the general elections and return of the same, and all other matters incident thereto, be and the same are declared applicable to the election above authorized.

SEC. 4. That it shall be the duty of the Sheriff of the several counties of this Commonwealth, to insert a copy of this act in the proclamation for the general election to be held on the second Tuesday of October next

E B CHASE
Speaker of the House of Representatives
M. M'CASLIN,
Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four

WILLIAM BIGLER.

Given under my hand at Erie, this 6th day of September, A. D. 1854, and of the Independence of the United States the seventy-ninth.

T. B. VINCENT, Sheriff

NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE, ON CHEAPSIDE.

THE subscribers would inform the citizens of Erie and vicinity, that they are now opening, in the NEW STORE on French street, one door north of J C Selden's Hardware store, a large and well selected Stock of Wet and Dry

GROCERIES,

to which they ask the attention of the public. Their Stock consists in part of Teas, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Ginger, Allspice, Pepper, Tobacco, together with all articles in the line of Provisions; produce of all kinds on hand, and sold at the lowest rates. They hope by strict attention to business, to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage. All are invited to give them a call

☞ Also a general assortment of the best of Wines and Liquors, at prices that cannot fail to suit

Erie, Sept. 9, 1854—3m17. J. MURPHY & CULLEN

New Goods—Cheap Goods

TIBBALS & HAYES, No. 1 Brown's Hotel, are receiving a choice selection of Fancy and Seasonable Goods, such as [illegible] changeable Silks, French Merinoes, and Wool De Laines of every shade of color, plaid French Merinoes, French Ginghams, &c., &c. We would particularly call the attention of purchasers to our extensive assortment of *Flounces*, Jaconet and Swiss Edgings and Insertings, Traced Jaconet and [illegible] Collars for working. Our assortment of Worked Collars is perhaps the largest as well as the cheapest in this city. These goods have been purchased for cash only, and with a strict reference to the tastes and wants of this community. We have no hesitation in saying that they are at least as good, cheaper than last season's prices, and "far away below" all the prices of honorable competitors, for the proof of which we but ask an examination. Sept 9 1854

$1500 Erie City Orders for sale at the office of M. SANDFORD & CO.
Sept. 9.—2t17

RESOLUTION

Providing for grading, repairing and improving Eighth street between French and [illegible] streets.

WHEREAS, Twelve freeholders of the city of Erie have in pursuance of the act of Assembly in such case provided, petitioned the Select and Common Councils of said city, to grade, pave and otherwise repair Eighth street, in said city, between French and German streets, so as to render it passable and in good order, and that the expense thereof, together with the damages thereby caused be paid by a discriminating tax assessed upon the land particularly benefitted, one-third of which petitioners own or represent land to be taxed for the object sought: And whereas, it seems reasonable and just that the prayer of the petitioners be granted: Therefore,

1. *Be it Resolved by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Erie, and it is hereby resolved by the authority of the same,* That said Eighth street, between French and German streets, be graded improved and put in complete repair, and particularly that the bridge over Millcreek, on said street, between the points aforesaid, be put in complete and substantial repair; and the Street Committee is hereby directed to cause such improvement and repair to be made under their general superintendence, and that the expense thereof, together with the damage if any, thereby caused shall be assessed upon the land particularly benefitted thereby.

2. That Murray Whallon, James Hughes and Joseph Neely, judicious and disinterested freeholders of said City, be and they are hereby appointed to estimate the cost of the projected improvement, to make report thereof, to make out a list of the lands to be benefitted by such improvement, and to charge and assess thereon the equitable and just proportion of benefits arising therefrom, and return the same to the office of the Select Council, agreeably to the provisions of the act of the 18th day of April, 1853, entitled an act to amend the Charter of the City of Erie, &c.

Passed the 11th day of September, 1854.

A. KING, Mayor

Attest—W. H. SHERMAN, Clerk of Select Council
WM. THORNTON, Clerk of Common Council

Sept. 16, 1854—4t18

BY AUTHORITY.

Resolution Proposing Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth.

SECTION 1. *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met,* That the following amendments be and the same are hereby proposed to the constitution of the commonwealth, under, and in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof, to wit;

Proposition 1, to be Article 11.

SECTION 1. The aggregate amount of debts hereafter contracted by the commonwealth shall never exceed the sum of five hundred thousand dollars, except in case of war to repel invasion, suppress insurrection, or to redeem the public debt of the commonwealth, and the money so raised shall be applied to the purpose for which the debt may be contracted, or to pay such debts, and to no other purpose.

SECTION 2. To pay the public debt of the commonwealth and debts which may hereafter be contracted in case of war to repel invasion, suppress insurrection and to redeem the public debt, the Legislature shall at their next session after the adoption of this section into the constitution, provide by law for the creation of a sinking fund, which shall not be abolished till the said public debts be wholly paid, to consist of all the net annual income from the public works and stocks owned by the commonwealth, or any other funds arising under any revenue law now existing or that may be hereafter enacted, so far as the same may be required to pay the interest of said debts semi-annually, and annually to reduce the principal thereof by a sum not less than five hundred thousand dollars, increased yearly by compounding at a rate of not less than five per centum per annum, the said sinking fund shall be invested in the loans of the commonwealth, which shall be cancelled from time to time in a manner to be provided by law, no portion of the sinking fund shall ever be applied to the payment of the debt of five hundred thousand dollars mentioned in the first section of this article, but the said sinking fund shall be applied only to the purpose herein specified.

SECTION 3. The credit of the commonwealth shall not in any way be given or loaned to or in aid of any individual, company, corporation or association, nor shall the commonwealth hereafter become a joint owner or stockholder in any company, association or corporation in this commonwealth or elsewhere, formed for any purposes.

SECTION 4. The commonwealth shall never assume the debts of any county, city, borough or township, or of any corporation or association, unless such debts shall have been contracted to repel invasion, suppress insurrection, or to defend the State in war.

Proposition 2, to be Article 11.

Prohibiting Municipal Subscriptions.

The Legislature shall never authorise any county, city, borough or township, by vote of its citizens or otherwise, to become a stockholder in any joint stock company, association or corporation, or to raise money for, or loan its credit to or in aid of any such company or association.

E. B. CHASE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
M. M'CASLIN,
Speaker of the Senate

In Senate, April 28, 1854.

Resolved, That this resolution pass. Yeas 22, nays 6

Extract from the Journal

T. A. MAGUIRE, Clerk

In House of Representatives, April 21, 1854

Resolved, That this resolution pass. Yeas 71, nays 20

Extract from the Journal

WM. JACK, Clerk

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Filed April 29, 1854.

C. A. BLACK
Secretary of the commonwealth

PENNSYLVANIA, SS.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Harrisburg, July 4, 1854

I do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original resolution relative to an amendment of the constitution, as the same remains on file in this office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the Secretary's office the day and year above written

C. A. BLACK.
Secretary of the commonwealth

Journal of the Senate

"Resolution No. 562, entitled 'Resolution proposing amendments to the constitution of the commonwealth,' was read a third time. On the question, will the Senate agree to the first proposition, the yeas and nays were taken agreeably to the constitution, and were as follows.

YEAS—Messrs. Buckalew, Darlington, Darsie, Furguson, Fernald, Frick, Fry, Goodwin, Haldeman, Hamilton, B. D. Hamlin, E. W. Hamlin, Heister, Hoge, Jamison, McFarland, Platt, Quiggle, Sager, Slifer, [illegible] speaker—23.

NAYS—Messrs. Crabb, Creswell, Hendricks, Kunkle and Skinner—6.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question, will the Senate agree to the second [illegible] the yeas and nays were taken agreeably [illegible] constitution and were as follows viz

YEAS—Messrs. Buckalew, Darsie, Furguson, Foulkrod, Fry, Goodwin, Haldeman, B. D. Hamlin, E. W. Hamlin, Hendricks, Heister, Hoge, Jamison, Kinzer, McClintock, M. Farland, Platt, Price, Quiggle, Slifer, Wherry, M Caslin, speaker—22.

NAYS—Messrs. Crabb, Creswell, Darlington, Hamilton, Kunkle and Skinner—6

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

Journal of the House of Representatives.

"The question recurring upon the final passage of the resolution, the first proposition was agreed to as follows viz

YEAS—Messrs. Abraham, Adams, Atherton, Ball, Barton, Bever, Bigham, Boyd, Bush, Byerly, Caldwell, Calvin, Carlisle, Chamberlin, Cook, Crane, Cummins, Daugherty, Davis, DeFrance, Eckert, Dunning, Fletcher, Edinger, Evans, Foster, Fry, Gallentine, Gilmore, Gibboney, Groom, Gray, Gwin, Hamilton, Hart, Herr, Hiestand, Hiller, Hippie, Horn, Hummel, Hunsacker, Hunter, Hurtt, Jackman, Kilgore, Knight, Laury, (Lehigh,) Linn, Magee, Maguire, Manderfield, M'Connell, M'Kee, Miller, Monaghan, Montgomery, Moore, Moser, Muse, Palmer, Parke, Parmlee, Passmore, Patterson, Porter, Putney, Rawlins, Roberts, Rowe, Sallade, Scott, Sidle, Simonton, Smith, (Berks,) Smith, (Crawford,) Stewart, Stockdale, Strong, Struthers, Wheeler, Wicklein, Wright, Ziegler, Chase, speaker—85.

NAYS—None.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

On the question will the House agree to the second proposition, the yeas and nays were taken, agreeably to the provisions of the 10th article of the constitution and are as follows.

YEAS—Messrs. Abraham, Atherton, Ball, Barton, Beck, Beyer, Bigham, Boyd, Caldwell, Carlisle, Chamberlin, Cook, Crane, Cummins, Daugherty, Davis, Deegan, DeFrance, Dunning, Edinger, Eldred, Evans, Fry, Gallentine, Gibboney, Gilmore, Gray, Groom, Gwin, Hamilton, Hiestand, Hiller, Hippie, Hunsacker, Hunter, Hurtt, Jackman, Kilgore, Knight, Laury, (Lehigh,) Lowery, (Tioga,) Linn, Magee, Maguire, Manderfield, M'Connel, M'Kee, Monaghan, Montgomery, Moore, Moser, Muse, Palmer, Parke, Parmlee, Passmore, Patterson, Porter, Rawlins, Roberts, Rowe, Sallade, Scott, Simonton, Smith, (Berks,) Smith, (Crawford,) Stockdale, Wheeler, Wicklein, Wright, Chase, speaker—71.

NAYS—Messrs. Adams, Baldwin, Beans, Bush, Byerly, Eckert, Ellis, Hart, Herr, Horn, Hummel, M'Combs, Miller, Poulson, Putney, Sidle, Stowart, Strong, Struthers, Ziegler—20.

So the question was determined in the affirmative.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Harrisburg, July 1, 1854.

PENNSYLVANIA, SS.

(SEAL.) I do certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the "yeas" and "nays" taken on the "resolution relative to an amendment of the constitution of the commonwealth," as the same appears on the Journals of the two Houses of the General Assembly, of this commonwealth for the session of 1854.

Witness my hand and the seal of said office, this first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

C. A. BLACK.
Secretary of the commonwealth

July 15, 1854—3m8.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed Auditor to distribute money made on execution, in the case of [illegible] son Clark for use of R. and N. Dart vs. [illegible] Batty, will attend at his office, in the city of Erie, on Friday, the 29th day of September, to audit the same. All persons interested therein will hereby take notice.

J. W. DOUGLASS, Auditor.

Erie Sept. 23, 1854.—3t19

PENMANSHIP.

THE Spencerian System of penmanship, including Commercial, Record and Epistolary writing; Pen drawing, flourishing &c. will be taught by Messrs. R. W. & D. S. Headley over H. Cadwell's Store, commencing Friday Sept. 22d inst.

Persons desirous of securing improvement in this beautiful and highly useful art, should call at the earliest convenience.

Terms for 22 lessons in two weeks, $2,00
For constant instruction day and evening, $2,50.

Erie Sept. 22, 1854.—4t19.

CHEAP MERINOS,

CADWELL & BENNETT are now offering their large stock of

FRENCH MERINOS,

of Lupin's Celebrated Manufacture at a small advance on their Auction Value. Also Rich Brocade and Worsted Plaids, all styles—at greatly reduced prices.

Erie Sept. 19, 1854.

$15,000 Worth of Real and Personal Property for the People.

A Splendid Gift Distribution.

READ, REFLECT, THEN ACT

FOR one dollar, sent in a post paid letter, the subscriber will send by return of mail, [illegible] receipts for compounding [illegible] family medicines, which [illegible] found to be worth more than five times their cost to any family. There will also be sent with the receipt a numbered certificate, which will entitle the holder to one of the following gifts.

64 acres of land valued at		$1600
1 Piano		[illegible]
2 Pianos $250 each		[illegible]
2 Melodeons $[illegible] each		[illegible]
5 Gold Watches $[illegible] each		[illegible]
10 Silver Watches $[illegible] each,		[illegible]
50 Shares $10 each, Books		[illegible]
50 Gold Pens $[illegible] each		[illegible]
50 Gold Pens $[illegible] each		[illegible]
[illegible] Shares $[illegible] each, Books		[illegible]
[illegible] Shares $1 each, Books		[illegible]
[illegible] Shares 50 cts. each, Books		[illegible]
[illegible] Shares valued at		$15,000

The farm lies three miles [illegible] of Wattsburg, Erie Co., Pa. [illegible] about one half improved, [illegible] soil, and well watered. Gifts or specimens of the [illegible] may be seen at my residence about the first of August. When [illegible] are all taken, the shareholders who can most conveniently attend, and all if they desire, will meet and select men, who may be required to give bonds for the faithful discharge of their duty, to make a fair and impartial distribution of the property. The distribution will take place in such a manner as the shareholders [illegible] are direct, on the first of September, or as soon as the shares are all taken. Where is the man who will not invest a dollar or more when he is sure of getting $1 50 in return, and a chance of getting from 3 to $1500 in a farm, choice musical instruments a good lot of valuable books, also Gold pens or splendid watches? The articles shall be the very best of their kind. Immediately after the distribution is made, a statement of the result will be sent to each person holding a ticket, and the gifts sent to those at a distance as they may order. Send on your orders soon, as the shares are going rapidly, and the sooner they are sold the sooner you will receive your gifts. Correspondents will please write their address in a distinct hand. Any person who sends $10 will receive 11 tickets in return, or $3 tickets for $20. Address all orders post paid to

S. J. GODFREY

June 17, 1854 -3m5. Lundy's Lane, Erie Co., Pa.

MORE NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers have recently returned from the eastern cities, where they have purchased another large and extensive stock of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods.

MILLINERY, &c., all of which will be sold at great bargains. We would call the attention of our customers to our stock of Domestic Goods, which were purchased of the manufacturers at Hartford for cash, and will be sold very low

June 24 BOOTH & STEWART.

7000 Yards brown Sheeting, from 6 to 9 cents per yard, bo't of the Agencies. BOOTH & STEWART

EMBROIDERED Swiss Lawn, Organdie Muslin, Linen Cambric, Dimity Bands, black silk fringe, lace mitts crape shawls, berage scarfs, ribbon trimming of all colors, canton grave cloth at June 24 BOOTH & STEWART'S

KEEP COOL

IS now the [illegible] A few more of those nice crape shawls just received for the above purpose especially. Call and get one at June 24. TIBBALS & HAYES

HOES AND HORSE RAKES—A superior article of hoes and horse rakes may be found at the store of the subscribers cheap for cash June 24. BENNETT & CO

100 Splendid Carriages for Sale.

BY the subscriber. These carriages are superior to any ever offered in this market, and will be sold very cheap for cash or a promise to pay. They are manufactured in old Massachusetts, where the timber out of which they are made looks fairly blue. Call and examine them on Eighth street, between Peach and State, where you can get a better article at a less price than can be obtained at any other establishment in this city or State. All carriages warranted. Erie, July 8, 1854—8 D. P. ENSIGN

SHOVELS.

I am prepared to furnish Contractors and others with Shovels at Eastern prices. They will do well to call on me before purchasing elsewhere

Erie, July 8, 1854—8 J. C. SELDEN.

DISSOLUTION

THE firm of Stockton & Fuller was dissolved on the 24th inst. by mutual consent. H. P. Stockton will continue business at the old stand, and is authorised to pay and receive all monies due to and to the late firm. All having accounts will please present them and those indebted must pay

H P STOCKTON.
A. J. FULLER

Erie, July 1, 1854 [illegible]

ERIE MINERAL SPRINGS.

Eighth Street, Erie, Pa.

BOARDERS can be accommodated at this Establishment.—Baths may can be had there of both Mineral and Soft Water, warm or cold. Applications [illegible] Board [illegible] be made personally or by letter.

For the [illegible] of those abroad the following analysis of the Water [illegible] made by Professor Booth of Philadelphia:

[illegible]

Chloride of Sodium	[illegible]	20,55
[illegible]	[illegible]	110.16
[illegible] Magnesium	67	48.90
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Iron	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sulphate [illegible]	1.46	[illegible]
Total [illegible]	21.95	190.52
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Carbonate of Lime	[illegible]	18.92
[illegible] Magnesia	[illegible]	0.96
[illegible] Iron	[illegible]	9.41
Silica	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Insoluble	[illegible]	29.80
Organic Matter		trace
Total amount of [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Erie, June 17, 1851 [illegible] Proprietor.

KEEP COOL—Refrigerators [illegible] [illegible] June 24 [illegible] & MAGILL

Sugar and Molasses

CONSTANTLY on [illegible] from New Orleans [illegible] Hogsheads of B[illegible] [illegible] Merchants are requested to call and examine [illegible] [illegible] MORGAN
March 11, 1854. Public Dock

GREATER INDUCEMENTS THAN EVER.

Now being offered at Blake's Bonnet Rooms

NOW is the time Ladies to buy [illegible] [illegible] cent less than former prices [illegible] stock of Bonnets direct from the manufacturers [illegible] a large assortment of Ribbons from New York. Knowing the season is drawing to a close, is the reason [illegible] as I wish to run my stock down as low as [illegible] for a large stock the coming fall. [illegible] cost and be [illegible] Bonnets will call before purchasing elsewhere T. R. BLAKE,
Erie, June [illegible] No. 6, Reed's Block

THE CHEAP HARDWARE STORE!!

No. 4, REED HOUSE.

HAS just received a large assortment of heavy and shelf [illegible] viz: Iron, Nails, Steel, Axles, Springs, [illegible] Smith's Bellows, Drills, Malable Iron, Carriage Bolts, [illegible] and Bands, Sleighs, wrenches, &c.

MECHANICS' TOOLS

Bench Planes, Jointers, Plows, Match Planes, Rabbets [illegible] and Round, Beads, Bevels, Steel Squares, Simmons' Broad Axes, Adzes and Hand Axes, saws and plane handles, [illegible] and buck saws, [illegible] brace and bitts, gouges, chisels, [illegible] [illegible] &c. RUFUS REED

A BEAUTIFUL lot of Kid Gloves at 50 cts per pair at [illegible] CLARK & METCALF

HYGEANA.

Brought Home to the Door of the Million.

A Wonderful Discovery has recently been made by Dr. Curtis, [illegible] the treatment of Consumption, Asthma and all diseases [illegible] We refer to Dr. Curtis' Hygeana, or Inhaling Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup. With this new [illegible] [illegible] an effectual cure, or perfect health. [illegible] certificates [illegible] a physician remarked: It is [illegible] that inhaling [illegible] breathing an agreeable, healing vapor the medicine [illegible] must come in direct contact with the whole of the [illegible] of the lungs, and thus escape the many [illegible] [illegible] to the process of digestion. The Hygeana is for sale at all the druggists' throughout the country.

New York Dutchman of Jan. 14

The Inhaler is worn on the breast under the linen without the least inconvenience—the heat of the body being sufficient to evaporate the fluid

Hundreds of Cases of Cures [illegible] the following might be named. One Package of Hygeana [illegible] of the Asthma of six years standing.

Jas. F. Kerberry, P. M. of Duncannon, Pa.

[illegible] of the Asthma of 10 years standing by Dr. Curtis' Hygeana.

Margaret Easton, Brooklyn, N. Y.

[illegible] No. 4 Hammond st., N. Y. was cured of [illegible] by the Hygeana

[illegible] cured of a Distressing Cough of several [illegible] and decided to be incurable by her Physicians [illegible] by the Hygeana

J. H. Gambert, P. M., Richmond, Me.

[illegible] Sold by Curtis & Perkins & Boyd & Paul No. 149 [illegible] N. Y.—1 Package sent free [illegible] to any part of the United States for Two Dollars

N. B.—Dr. Curtis' Hygeana is the original and only Genuine Article, all [illegible] [illegible] injurious [illegible] [illegible] would Poison.

Sept 16 1854 1y16

Wanted! Wanted!!

M[illegible] in exchange for [illegible] [illegible] will be received [illegible] Hardware [illegible] soon. I would also gently [illegible] [illegible] to become that a little of the needful [illegible] acceptable, and by offering some now they will save costs

Erie Sept 17 1854—17. J. C. SELDEN

TRUSSES AND SHOULDER BRACES,

With only prize Medal for Trusses awarded to Marsh & Co. 2½ Maiden Lane, New York, by the industrial exhibition of all nations at the Crystal Palace, for their *New Radical Cure Truss*, thus giving it through their surgical Committee: Professor Willard Parker, Cameron, Renwick, Clark, Dr Ludlow and others. The emphatic imprimature for which is has been one of [illegible] labored assiduously for Twenty-five years

Improved Shoulder Braces

for expanding the chest, and preserving symmetry of form, and so constructed as to bring the bearing over the shoulder in such [illegible] to prevent cutting under the arm. Persons with [illegible] round shoulders, or inclined to consumption, [illegible] without them

Utero Abdominal Supporters

which are worn with much comfort, having no steel springs, with pressure and shape graduated to suit the case where required. For sale by [illegible] F HALL
Erie, Sept 16, 1854 6m16.

JUST RECEIVED,

AT BLAKE'S BONNET ROOMS,

A LARGE and fresh assortment of French, English, Swiss and American Straw Bonnets, Ribbons, Silks, Satins, Lawns, Linings, Flowers, Lace Edgings, Ruches, &c., &c.—Also, a nice article of French Silks for Embroidering, all of which will be sold very low for Cash. Ladies, do not forget that Blake is not to be undersold. T. R. BLAKE,
Erie, Sept 16, 1854—16 No 6, Reed's Block, State st

Administration Notice.

LETTERS of administration have been granted to the subscriber on the estate of Frederick Hankey late of the city of Erie deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and creditors will present their claims properly authenticated for settlement. CATHERINE HANKEY.
Sept. 17, 1854—6t17. Administratrix.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN NEW YORK.

Pianos and Melodeons for Cash.

HORACE WATERS, the great Music and Piano Forte dealer, 333 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, preferring to share a large per cent. with his customers, rather than pay it to the shavers on WALL STREET, to raise available means to enable him to stem the present tight times, offers his immense assortment of elegant and warranted Pianos and Melodeons at a large discount from Factory prices, for cash. His assortment comprises Pianos from three of the Largest and most Celebrated Boston Manufactories; also those of several of the best New York makers, including the beautiful and much admired HORACE WATERS PIANOS from his own Factory, and MELODEONS of the best Boston, New Haven, New York, and Buffalo makes, affording an opportunity for selections not to be had elsewhere. Each instrument warranted. Second-hand Pianos at great bargains—Prices from $60 to $160. Music and Musical Instruments of all kinds. Dealers, Teachers and Heads of schools supplied on the best terms. Music sent by mail post paid. General and Select Catalogues of Music and Schedule of Factory prices of Pianos, Melodeons and musical instruments forwarded to any address, free of postage.

Sept. 23, 1854. 3m18.

To Cash and Six Months Buyers Only.

M. L. HALLOWELL & CO.,

PHILADELPHIA,

HAVE now open for the Fall season, a very large and splendid assortment of Silk and Fancy goods. Having an established branch of our house in Paris, with a member of our firm permanently located there, we will be enabled to receive direct constant supplies of new and desirable goods throughout the year. Our stock of Embroideries and Lace goods is equally large and well assorted, having been purchased abroad by one of our house who devotes his whole time and attention to this important department.

Upon entering our new warehouse, which is

One of the Largest in America,

We adopted new terms which have been successful [illegible] our business in a ratio beyond all precedent.

We intend to further increase our business largely with those who buy for cash, and believing that system in jobbing goods is to have uniform prices, attention of the thinking merchants to the fact that system and terms we not only can afford to, but we [illegible], sell at lower rates than those who do [illegible] old long credit system; our terms being more strin[illegible] [illegible] purchasers whom we seek to attract being, as a class, the [illegible] cash buyers and best judges of goods.

TERMS.

Cash buyers will receive a discount of six per cent. if the money be paid in par funds, within ten days from date of bill [illegible] current money only taken at its market value on the day it is received.

To merchants of undoubted standing a credit of six months will be given if desired.

Where money is remitted in advance of maturity, a discount at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum will be allowed

They ask from merchants visiting the Eastern cities, the favor of an examination of their stock, being satisfied that they will be convinced that it is not for their interest to pay the large profits that are absolutely essential to those who give long credits.

M. L. HALLOWELL, J. L. HALLOWELL, T. W. SWENEY,
JAMES TRAQUAIR, A. W. LITTLE, E. R. HUTCHINSON.

Aug. 5th, 1854 3m12

FRESH SUPPLY OF DRUGS.

AT THE OLD DRUG STAND, NO. 5 REED HOUSE.

WE have just received and opened a large stock of *Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, Window Glass, Varnishes, Wines, Perfumery, Spices, brushes, Combs, Surgical and Dental Instruments, Teeth, Gold and Silver Foil, &c., &c.*

Which without former stock, makes one of the largest and best assortments in the West, and having bought for Cash, and of Importers of the best established reputations in New York and Philadelphia, we are able to warrant all our Stock to be of the best quality and, pure and free from adulteration, and at prices that will make it the interest of all to examine the same before buying.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

And dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine our stock before going to Buffalo or elsewhere to make their purchases, as they will find all articles in our line at lower figures than goods of the same quality can be bought for west of New York, as we can and will offer inducements to the public; and while we warrant every article to be pure, we also warrant prices as low as those of any other Drug house in the city.

TO PHYSICIANS.

We would say that we can furnish you with Medicines that we can safely recommend and that you can rely on as pure, as we have exercised great care in making our selections and bought from none but those known to be reliable, and who, from experience, we know sell only what they profess to.

We are also Agents for all the popular Patent Medicines of the day, and can furnish Dealers at manufacturer's prices

☞ Remember the door—No. 5 Reed House

Aug. 19, 1854—14 BURTON & SINCLAIR

Flour and Salt

50 Barrels of Ohio Flour a fresh ground and choice article. 400 barrels Salt. 500 bags Dairy do, for sale by J. KELLOGG

Erie, Aug. 19, 1854. 4t14.

Rubber Belting.

RUBBER Belting and Packing of all sizes for sale as low figures as it can be bought in Buffalo or Pittsburgh. July 8, 1854—8. J. C. SELDEN.

CANAL BOAT PUMPS, cheaper than ever at
March 11, 1854 TANNER & MAGILL'S

LATEST Spring style Bonnets for Ladies and Misses, also Men and Boys Straw and Leghorn hats in great variety at
May 20—1 TIBBALS & HAYES

COUNTERPANES, Table Linnes, Napkins, Curtain Drapery, Lace Tambor and Lace Bordered Curtains, at wonderful bargains, at May 20—1 TIBBALS & HAYES

2000 YARDS 4-4 bleached Shirting and very fine for sale at one shilling per yard by
May 27—2 CLARK & METCALF

BLACK SILKS! BLACK SILKS!—We would invite the Ladies to call and examine the most beautiful variety of black silks brought to this city and selling at 4 shillings per Yard less than can be found in the country
May 27—2 CLARK & METCALF.

LARD OIL, No. 1, of fine quality, by the barrel or gallon at
April 15.—48 CARTER & BRO'S

SILVER WARE.—Of our own make, from the pure dollars not alloyed ten per cent. STOCKTON & FULLER
Erie, May 6, 1854. 51

3000 YDS of Parametta and Coburg Dress Goods just received at the Empires at astonishingly low prices
Erie, Sept 9, 1854—17. CADWELL & BENNETT.

Oh! My Corns—Confound the Cobblers.

The news! the news! have you heard it, the best of news,
That WILCOX & NORTON have a lot of new shoes?
They are at 10, as you know, H Brown's new block,
Where the crowd is rushing to see their new stock.

Their shelves are lined, from ceiling to floor,
With shoes, new shoes, as we said before,
With shoes of all sizes and of every hue,
Red, green and black, and a beautiful blue.

They have shoes, such as Fanna the fairy wears,
[illegible] a few elegant pairs,
[illegible] large magnanimous boot,
[illegible] the corns on a giants foot.

They've rubbers so polished they'll mirror the face
That [illegible] the pedals they grace,
With buskins and gaiters of a finish so neat
That all who behold pronounce them complete.

They've slippers so easy they'll mollify pain
Caused by tight fitting boots, the bachelor's bane;
They've stogas and brogans of Calcutta kip,
With seams that are warranted never to rip.

They have shoes at prices astoundingly low,
And their customers, all, astonishment show,
As they learn that shoes can truly be bought
For a sum far less than they ever had thought

They have—what have'nt they for a might of gold?
The sum so paltry it scarce can be told!
They [illegible] what will cover all soles unclad,
And make them go on rejoicing and glad,

And with them they've COTTER—the man you well know,
That [illegible] one exactly, heel, instep and toe,
'Tis said that he his from morning till night,
But sold not a shoe that's too loose or too tight.

The [illegible] is so scarce in our neighbor's little hive,
That the [illegible] drones are hardly alive,
And ere those [illegible] course has run,
They [illegible] down to a clime that's nearer the sun

But at No. 10, here is honey enough
[illegible]
[illegible] they thrive.

Erie, [illegible] 1854—16 WILCOX & NORTON

Sale of State Property.

BY authority from the Board of Canal Commissioners, the subscriber will sell at public sale to the highest bidder on Saturday, September 23d, 1854, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the [illegible] House in the borough of Franklin—all the property belonging to the commonwealth on the French Creek Division of the Pennsylvania Canal, consisting of Locks, lock houses, lots, stone, iron, timber, &c., &c., [illegible] to the [illegible] of the act of Assembly, passed the 9th day of April 1849. ARNOLD PLUMER.

Sept 2, 1854 td16

Great Western Tin Shop.

N. MURPHY would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that [illegible] [illegible] the Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron business [illegible] between Brown's new hotel and the Reed House [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] west of New York [illegible] and will sell cheaper than any [illegible] at wholesale or retail, and is [illegible] [illegible] style. Milk Pans of [illegible] made to order at [illegible] ware to [illegible] Coffee Pots, Fluid Lamps and Pewter [illegible] Spoons, Basting Spoons, Knives and [illegible] Coffee Mills, shovel and Tongs [illegible] Tea Trays and Lanterns [illegible] iron cook Stoves of [illegible] cash. Stovepipe and [illegible] cistern Pumps, Cans [illegible] sizes on hand, spouting [illegible] Cash paid for old Copper, Brass and Pewter [illegible] exchange for ware. March 25th 1854—45

Later From the Gold Regions.

THE largest lump of [illegible] [illegible] than the rest of all [illegible] [illegible] of those splendid Daguerreotypes [illegible] [illegible] from Serpoints' gallery [illegible] Brown's Hotel, Erie, Pa.

Mr. S. being fully equipped with all [illegible] line, feels confident of his ability to execute [illegible] style of excellence which cannot be surpassed [illegible] the world. He prepares and chemicalizes his plates [illegible] new method [illegible] which enables him to give that beautiful, clear and distinct [illegible] whole likeness, so essential to a perfect picture, and wherein many of the profession fail. His terms are as low as any first class Artist's in the State, and all work is warranted to give entire satisfaction or *no charge made*

Erie, Aug. 5th, 1854—12

A CARD.

G. B. KEENE would most respectfully intimate to his friends in Erie, that he has commenced the custom Tailoring business at No. 147 Main street. He will keep constantly on hand the latest patterns of goods which he will make to order in a style hard to be equaled. Those who prefer can furnish their own material. Grateful for past favors and having confidence in his ability to please, he respectfully solicits a renewal of former patronage.

Buffalo, Sept. 2, 1854. 2m16

100 Doz. State made mixed White and Black Cotton Hose just received at TIBBALS & HAYES.

TO THE PUBLIC.

A grand display free of charge at the Empires!

CADWELL & BENNETT have this day received by Express, Fifty Cases of Fall Goods, which are opening, and will be sold 25 per cent cheaper than former prices, as they are mostly bought at auction at great bargains and will be sold accordingly. Call and satisfy yourself. Fall Dress Goods in endless variety of styles and prices. Fifty pieces plaid, striped, plain and changeable Silk, also Bischoff's Lustrine; Gro de Rhine and Poult de Sole Silks of every quality and price, Satin de Chine, Cashmere and Worsted Plaids and Stripes, French and English Merino, pure Lawn Plaids, Germania Cloth, all Wool De Laines, Ladies Cloth for Cloaks, all colors. New styles French Embroideries, Embroidered Cambric, Muslin and Lace Collars and Sleeves in great variety, Dimity Bands, and everything in the embroidery and lace goods line, new styles Bonnets, Ribbons, Dress and Cloak Trimmings, and Velvet Ribbons of every style and color. Rich Lyons Velvets for Cloaks, plain and plaid flannels.

SHAWLS.

Brocha and wool Long and Square shawls, new styles, Thibet De Laine and all other styles of Shawls, and a large stock of Domestic Goods, including everything to be found in the line of Dry Goods.

CARPETS.

A large stock of new and neat styles, Druggets, Rugs, Mats, Matting and Oil Cloths of every description.

Erie, Sept. 2, 1854—16. CADWELL & BENNETT.

WIGS! WIGS!! WIGS!!!

CAUTION.

LADIES and Gents beware of cool weather, and remember that C. KOLB, under Murphy's Tin Shop, has the best assortment west of New York of balloons spring Wigs, Toupees and Whiskers, ladys Bands, Ringlets, Braids, &c. His hair work is of the latest improvements, and will give a natural appearance without that stiff and formal look heretofore observable in Wigs.—They adapt themselves to the head and give a person a natural appearance.

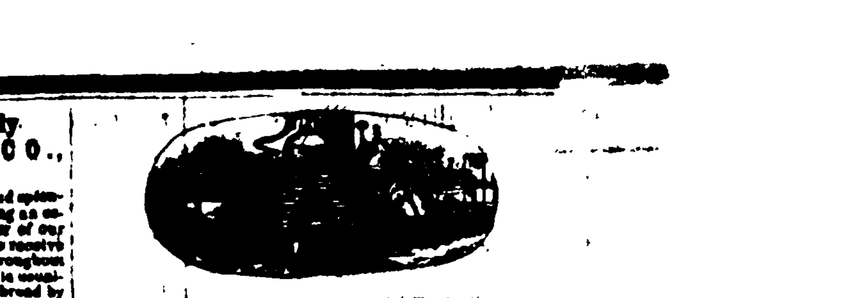
Remember KOLB'S fashionable hair dressing saloon, next door to Brown's Hotel is the place. See fancy sign.

Erie, Sept. 17, 1854. 3t17

Just Received by Express,

A Few more of those Silk Velvet Vest patterns; also a new article of fancy Silk Velvet quiltings for Vests.

Sept. 23, 1854—19. JACOB KOCH.



AYER'S PILLS.

A NEW and singularly successful remedy for the cure of all Bilious diseases—Costiveness, Indigestion, Jaundice, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Fevers, Gout, Humors, Nervousness, Irritability, Inflammations, Headache, Pains in the Breast, Side, Back, and Limbs, Female Complaints, &c., &c. Indeed, very few are the diseases in which a Purgative Medicine is not more or less required, and much sickness and suffering might be prevented, if a harmless but effectual Cathartic were more freely used. No person can feel well while a costive habit of body prevails; besides it soon generates serious and often fatal diseases, which might have been avoided by the timely and judicious use of a good purgative. This is alike true of Colds, Feverish symptoms, and Bilious derangements. They all tend to become or produce the deep seated and formidable distempers which load the hearses all over the land. Hence a reliable family physic is of the first importance to the public health, and this Pill has been perfected with consummate skill to meet that demand. An extensive trial of its virtues by Physicians, Professors, and Patients, has shown results surpassing any thing hitherto known of any medicine. Cures have been effected beyond belief, were they not substantiated by persons of such exalted position and character as to forbid the suspicion of untruth.

Among the many eminent gentlemen who have testified in favor of these Pills, we may mention:

Doct. A. A. Hayes, Analytical Chemist of Boston, and State Assayer of Massachusetts, whose high Professional character is endorsed by the—

Hon. Edward Everett, Senator of the United States.
Robert C. Winthrop, Ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives.
Abbott Lawrence, Minister Plen. to England.
John B. Fitzpatrick, Catholic Bishop of Boston; also,
Dr. J. R. Chilton, Practical Chemist of New York City, endorsed by
Hon. W. L. Marcy, Secretary of State.
Wm. B. Astor, the richest man in America.
S. Leland & Co., Proprietors of the Metropolitan Hotel, and others.

Did space permit, we could give many hundred certificates from all parts where the Pills have been used, but evidence even more convincing than the experience of eminent public men, is found in their effects upon trial.

These Pills, the result of long investigation and study, are offered to the public as the best and most complete which the present state of medical science can afford. They are compounded not of the drugs themselves, but of the medicinal virtues only of Vegetable remedies extracted by chemical process in a state of purity, and combined together in such a manner as to insure the best results. This system of composition for medicines has been found in the Cherry Pectoral and Pills both, to produce a more efficient remedy than had hitherto been obtained by any process. The reason is perfectly obvious. While by the old mode of composition, every medicine is burdened with more or less of acrimonious and injurious qualities, by this each individual virtue only that is desired for the curative effect is present. All the inert and obnoxious qualities of each substance employed are left behind, the curative virtues only being retained. Hence it is self-evident the effects should prove, as they have proved more purely remedial, and the Pills a surer, more powerful antidote to disease than any other medicine known to the world.

As it is frequently expedient that my medicines should be taken under the counsel of an attending Physician, and as he [illegible] properly judge of a remedy without knowing its composition, [illegible] accurate Formulae by which both [illegible] [illegible] the whole body of Practitioners in the United States and British American Provinces. [illegible] there should be any one who has not received them [illegible] be promptly forwarded by mail to his request.

Of all the Patent Medicines that are offered, how few would be taken if their composition was known. Their life consists in their mystery. [illegible]

The composition of my preparations is laid open to all men, [illegible] competent to judge on the subject freely acknowledge their convictions of their intrinsic merits. The Cherry Pectoral was pronounced by scientific men to be a wonderful medicine before its effects were known. Many eminent Physicians have declared the same thing of my Pills, and even more confidently, and are willing to certify that their anticipations were more than realized by their effects upon trial.

They operate by their powerful influence on the internal viscera [illegible] purify the blood and stimulate it into healthy action—remove the obstructions of the stomach, bowels, liver, and other organs of the body, restoring their irregular action to health, and by correcting, wherever they exist, such derangements as are the first origin of disease.

Prepared by JAMES C. AYER, Practical and Analytical Chemist, Lowell, Mass.

Price 25 cents per Box. Five Boxes for $1. Sold by Burton & Sinclair, Erie, Jas. A. White, Girard, W. H. [illegible] Springfield, and by all dealers in medicine everywhere

July 29, 1854. 3m11

NEW-YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

From Fleischer & Schell's General Advertising House, Appleton's Building 346 and 348 Broadway.

AMERICAN ARTISTS' UNION!!

THE AMERICAN ARTISTS' UNION, would respectfully announce to the citizens of the United States and the Canadas, that for the purpose of cultivating a taste for the fine arts throughout the country, and with the view of enabling every family to become possessed of a gallery of Engravings by the first artists of the age, they have determined, in order to create an extensive sale for their Engravings, and thus not only give employment to a large number of artists and others, but inspire among our countrymen a taste for works of art, to present to the purchasers of their engravings when 250,000 of them are sold,

250,000 Gifts, of the actual cost of $150,000.

Each purchaser of a one dollar Engraving, therefore, receives not only an Engraving richly worth the money, but also a ticket which entitles him to one of the Gifts when they are distributed.

For five Dollars, a highly finished Engraving, beautifully painted in oil, and five gift tickets, will be sent or five dollars worth of splendid Engravings can be selected from the Catalogue.

A copy of the Catalogue, together with a specimen of one of the Engravings, can be seen at the office of this paper.

For each dollar sent, an Engraving actually worth that sum, and a Gift ticket will immediately be forwarded

AGENTS.

The Committee believing that the success of this great National undertaking will be materially promoted by the energy and enterprise of intelligent and persevering Agents, have resolved to treat with such on the most liberal terms.

Any person wishing to become an Agent, by sending (post paid), $1, will receive by return of Mail, a one dollar Engraving, a "Gift Ticket," a Prospectus, a Catalogue and all other necessary information.

On the final completion of the sale, the Gifts will be placed in the hands of a Committee of the purchasers to be distributed, due notice of which will be given throughout the United States and the Canadas.

LIST OF GIFTS.

100 Marble busts of Washington at	$100	$10,000
100 " " Clay,	100	10,000
100 " " Webster	100	10,000
100 " " Calhoun,	100	10,000
50 elegant Oil Paintings, in splendid gilt frames, size 3x4 ft. each,	100	5,000
100 elegant Oil Painting, 2x3 ft. each,	50	5,000
500 steel plate Engravings, brilliantly colored in oil, rich gilt frames 24x30 in. each,	10	5,000
10,000 elegant steel plate Engravings, colored in oil, of the Washington Monument 20x26 in. each,	4	40,000
237,000 steel plate Engravings, from 100 different plates, now in possession of and owned by the Artists' Union, of the market value of, from 50 cts to $1 00 each		[illegible]
1 first class Dwelling in 31st st., N. Y. city		12,000
22 building lots in 100 and 101st sts., N. Y. City, each 25x100 ft. deep, at	[illegible]	20,000
100 Villa Sites, containing each 10,000 sq. ft. in the suburbs of New York City, and commanding a magnificent view of the Hudson River and Long Island Sound, at	500	50,000
20 perpetual loans of cash, without interest or security, of $250 each		5,000
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100 " " " " 50 "		5,000
250 " " " " 20 "		5,000
2,000 " " " " 5 "		10,000

Reference in regard to the Real Estate, F. J. Visscher & Co. Real Estate Brokers, New York. Orders (post paid,) with money enclosed, to be addressed,

J. W. HOLBROOKE, Sec'y, 505 Broadway, N. Y.

☞ The Engravings in the catalogue are now *ready for delivery*.

Aug 19, 1854. 6m13

MEDICATED INHALATION.

A New Method.

A MOST [illegible] discovery has recently been made by [illegible] [illegible] Consumption, Bronchitis [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Inhalation. [illegible] HYGEANA, or INHALING HYGEAN VA[illegible] [illegible]

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CONSUMPTION CURED.

[illegible] Dec. [illegible] 1853

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MARGARET EASTON

CONSUMPTION CURED

New-York, Dec. 27th, 1853.

I came to New York in the ship Telegraph; my native place is St. John, New Brunswick. When I reached this city, my health was very poor; had a very bad cough, raised a good deal of matter, which was frequently mixed with blood, had pain in my left side, and was very weak and emaciated. My friends and physician pronounced my case Consumption and beyond the reach of medicine. I accidently heard of Dr. Curtis' Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup, and obtained a package, which I verily believe was the means of saving my life. Soon after wearing the Inhaler, I found it relieved the pressure on my lungs, and after a while the disease made its appearance upon the surface under the Inhaler. I took the Cherry Syrup as directed, and continued to do so, my cough gradually growing better, until it entirely left me, and I now consider myself cured. I still wear the Inhaler, as the use of it is rather pleasant, and believing it strengthening and purifying to the lungs, I feel unwilling at present to dispense with it. JOHN WOOD

Sold by BOYD & PAUL, No. 40 Cortlandt street, C. RING, corner of John street Broadway, N. Y. Price $3 a package.

For sale by Burton & Sinclair, and Carter & Brother, agents for Erie. 1y44

DISSOLUTION!

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm of H. P. Dudley & Co. was dissolved by mutual consent on the 7th. All persons having claims against the firm will present the same to H. P. Dudley, for settlement, and all owing the firm will pay the same to him.

H. P. DUDLEY,
JOHN ZEIGLER.

Erie, Sept. 9, 1854—3t17.

Auditor's Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed Auditor to make distribution in the following cases; will do so at his office, on the north side of the Park, at the time below designated. In the matter of an execution against O. R. Colgrove, in favor of D. S. Spencer, on Wednesday, September 20th 10 o'clock A. M. In the matter of an execution against Hill and Reid, in favor of John Burton, on Thursday, September 21st, at 10 o'clock A. M. In the matter of an execution against A. B. F[illegible], in favor of George E. Russell, on Friday, September 22d, 10 o'clock A. M.

Sept. 9, 1854—3t17. J. W. DOUGLASS.

New Arrangement.

THE subscribers having associated with them in the Foundry and Machine business, James Campbell, Pattern Maker, John Fairbairn, Moulder, and Samuel Liley, Machinist, now offer superior inducements to those wishing any thing in our line of business to give us their orders. We are now manufacturing and prepared to furnish to order a number of sizes of Engines of new and improved patterns, Steam Boilers, Mill Gearing, Castings, Iron Fence, Railing, &c., &c.

Erie, Sept. 16, 1854. LIDDELL, KEPLER & CO.

LEAD PIPE.—A large assortment of lead Pipe just received at Erie, Sept. 9, 1854 J. C. SELDEN.