Erie Weekly Observer.

ERIE, PA.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 6, 1854.

☞ We issue our paper on Wednesday morning—four days in advance—in order to lay before our readers the President's Message. For an early copy of the same, we are indebted to our friend, H Nottingham, of Cleveland.

☞ In consequence of the snow, both upon the New York and Erie, and the Central roads, we have not been blessed with a New York, or Philadelphia mail for the last two days. Should the present cold snap *give out*, and the Paddies with their shovels *hold out*, we'll probably get one sometime between now and Spring.

Destructive Storm.

A tremendous strom has been, and is now at present writing, Tuesday, 9 P. M., raging upon the Lakes. The destruction of life and property is immense.

Among the vessels lost owned here, we hear of the Brig Republic, owned by Geo. Reed, the Schooner Storm, owned by J. Hearn & Co., the Schooner Missouri, owned and commanded by Capt. Wm. Bone, and a Schoner owned by A. Scott, Esq., name not recollected.

Cleveland, Dec. 4, A. M.

The schooner Omar, with a cargo of salt, went on the west pier early this morning, and it is supposed will be a total loss. Strenuous efforts are making to save the crew, but thus far with out success. A government life-boat has been wrecked alongside.

The schooner Pearl is also ashore west of the pier. She will be got off.

Cleveland, Dec. 4, P. M.

FIRST DESPATCH.—The schooner Omar is fast breaking up. One man, named James Burr, is drowned. He fell from the rope in attempting to pass from the mast head to the west pier.

Milton Keech was saved by cutting a line at the mast head. There are still on board the Captain and five hands.

SECOND DESPATCH.—The propeller Paugasset just made an unsuccessful attempt to rescue the crew of the Omar, two of whom were drowned alongside, and one man from the propeller, said to be Capt. Watts, of the steamer Ohio, jumped on board the Omar and was left.

THIRD DESPATCH.—The schooner Charles Crooks, from Oswego for Toledo, with a cargo of Car Wheels and 300 barrels of Salt went on the break-water near the foot of Erie street, between 4 and 5 o'clock this afternoon. Crew saved. Doubtful about the vessel. The Propeller Paugasett, about the same time again went to the wreck of the schooner Omar, and succeeded in rescuing the four men who remained on board.

Lockport, Dec. 4, P. M.

There is a vessel in distress off Olcott. Name of vessel is unknown, and the snow storm in this vicinity rages with such fury that no communication can be had with her.

Cleveland, Dec. 4.

The Shooner Sturgis, owned by Hanly, Warner & Co., went a shore on the sand at Black River this morning. Crew safe. Vessel lies easy.—Schooner Virgin, Williams Master, in ballast wen. ashore at 7 o'clock west of West Pier.—Crew saved. Vessel will be damaged by her quarter riding on the pier, if the gale continues. The gale is now moderating slightly. Schooner H. J. Jones went ashore at Grand River last night. Crew all lost.

Brig Maryland, owned by H. H. Gates of Cleland, is ashore at Asthabula. The propeller Paugassett sunk in the slip from injuries received in saving the crew of the Omar.

New York, Dec. 4.

We have recieved an advance copy of the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, from which we condense the following facts: The actual receipts into the treasury for the fiscal year ending 30th June 1854 from all sources, were $73,549,705, which, with the ballance in the Treasury 1st July 1853 $21,942,892, give a total for the services of the year of $95,492,597. The actual expenditures for the year where $75,354,630—leaving a ballance in the treasure on July 1st 1854 of 20,137,967. The receipts for the quarter ending Sept 30, 1854 were $21,521,302, and the estimate for the remaining three quarters of the fiscal year were $42,500,000. The amount of public debt outstanding on first July 1854 was 47,180,606.

The Secretary anticipates a falling off in the custom receipts, owing to the Reciprocity Treaty and the short crops. The table of the tonnage of the United States exhibits an increase for the year of 395,892 tons. The table of exports and imports shows that the imports of the year were $26,321,817 in excess of the exports. The flattering state of the revenue induces the Secretary to again call the attention of Congress to the propriety of reducing the revenue from Customs so that no more money shall be received into the Treasury than is required for an economical administration of the government. He recommends three rates of duty, viz: 100, 40, and 25 per cent in place of the eight shedules at present in use. The recommendation for the repeal of the fishing bounties is renewed and the subject of drawback duties on refined sugar is also recommended to the consideration of Congress. The statement as to the currency gives the total ammount of gold and silver coin in circulation, 30 h of September, 1854, at $241,000,000, against the total bank circulation is $204,689,209. The Secretary is opposed to the circulation of notes of a small denomination. He recommends the continuance of the coast survey.

The Secretary calls for further aid for protecting human life from shipwreck on our coasts, and suggests whether the law should not provide greater security in the construction of steam passage vessels, to leave them to ship owners. In view of recent frauds by collectors of customs in Cleveland, Oswego, &c, the report calls for such additional legislation as may be deemed necessary. The balance of the report refers mainly to the mint operations, and the operations of the various departments of the Treasury.

RAILROAD STOCKS.—Nothing shows the existing panic in money matters more strickingly than a comparison of the price of Railroad stocks at this time and one year ago. We clip the following from the New York papers:

	Nov. 18, 1853.	Nov. 15, 1854.
Erie	80	33½
New York Central	113	81
Michigan Central	107½	79½
Cleveland & Toledo	90	56
Galena & Chicago	114	95
Northern Indiana	20	83
Reading	77	67½
Harlem	56	27½

These roads are all earning more money than at the same time last year. The stock is really worth as much now as then. We think they cannot long remain at this poin tof depression.

A CARD TO THE LADIES.—Dr. J. Duponco's Golden Periodical Pils for Females. Infallible for correcting irregularities, and removing obstructions from whatever cause.

All medical men know, as well as many others, that whenever an obstruction takes place, wether from cold, exposure, or any other cause, the general health begins immediately to decline, and the want of such a remedy has been the cause of so many consumptions among young females. Headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, loathing of food, and disturbed sleep, generally arise from the interruption of nature; and whenever that is the case, the Pills will invariable remedy all these evils.

Full and explicit directions accompany each box, which must be strictly followed and all diseases peculiar to females may be speedily cured.

Price $1 00 per box. Sold by all the Druggists in Erie and who wholesale and retail, at the proprietors prices by CARTER & BROTHER, No. 6 Reed House, to whom all orders must be addressed. 1y28

Letters from New-York.

Correspondence of the Erie Observer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2, 1854.

We had glorious weather yesterday for Thanksgiving.—The cheerful sunlight shone pleasantly in upon family gatherings in many a happy home, and the sharp air begot corresponding appetites for the feast of fat things which smoked on every board. Poverty was not forgotten in the midst of abundance. The inmates of all our charitable institutions fared sumptuously, and private benevolence sent help to the destitute in every quarter of the city where want and misery were known to exist. The churches were crowded in the forenoon and large sums were taken in aid of the poor. Could the statistics of public and private charity be collected, it would probably appear that more than $100,000 were given away yesterday, for benevolent purposes.

During the afternoon, I strolled to the "Five Points" to see the children redeemed from degredation ignorance and filth, by the "Ladies Mission," eat their Thanksgiving dinner at the "Mission House," a fine substantial brick building, standing on the site of that den of prostitution, drunkenness and misery, the "Old Brewry." The "children of the Mision" some three hundred in number, were in the midst of their exercises when I went in, and some of the recitations, especially those of the girls, would have done honor to the pupils of our best private schools. All these young ones were taken, literally, from the gutter and their clean, healthy, respectable appearance, reflected the highest credit upon the noble hearted women, and excellent pastors, by whom they have been reclaimed and instructed. A gesture from Rev Mr Larkin, the Superintendent of the institution, was always sufficient to produce profound silence among them, in the midst of their noisiest chatter. In the lower part of the building a large number of ladies and gentlemen were engaged in carving the viands, and arranging the tables. Piles of smoking turkeys, geese and chickens; also of potatoes and apples, the choice cuts of beef, pies by the score, enormous plum cakes, temples of Liberty in sugar, and in fact everything edible, that even a gourmand could desire, encumbered the tables and even floors of the apartments when the work of "dishing up" was going on. When the tables in the school room were set for the banquet, the hungry multitude were marched down from the chapel, where the singing and speaking had taken place, and the work of demolition commenced. It was marvellous! No knives and forks were used, but native teeth and fingers rendered cutlery unnecessary, where the little rogues stowed away that vast supply of solids, and semi-solids, I have not the slightest idea. After having eaten more meat, and bread, and vegetables, than it seemed possible they could contain, they "topped off" with a corresponding amount of pastry and confectionary, and when at last they rested from their labors, it seemed to me that they "sank outwearied rather than overcome." The crowds of well dressed children who had come with their parents and friends to see the little "Five Pointers" fed, looked on with blank amazement. They had never seen such exploits performed before.

The materials of the feast were furnished for, the most part gratuitously by dealers in the articles. Butchers, bakers, pastry cooks, grocers, poulterers, &c; vied with each other in contributing to the festival, and I presume there are enough of eatables left on hand to furnish two or three more such dinners as that of yesterday.

The "Five Points" is not yet purified. Veteran drunkards, and bloated prostitutes, were reeling yesterday through its precincts, and blaspheming Heaven within hearing of the hymns of Thanksgiving sent up by these little ones. For these hardened sinners there is no hope, but the rising generation may be saved, and while we are *spending millions to enlighten savages*, we should not forget the heathenism that exists within the sound of our church bells.

Quite a sensation was occasioned here by the disclosure of the fact that Mr. Dorran, the gallant third mate of the Arctic, had been dismissed by Mr Collins, and a certificate of good character denied him. Mr. Dorran intimated in his letter to the parents of young Holland, that during the panic on board, the liquor stores were broken into, and freely used; and for this *subsecreet* statement, he has been cut adrift. A son of Mr. Collins has undertaken to defend his father's conduct in this business; but he makes a bungling job of it. Darian was the only officer of the Arctic, who did his whole duty, and he has been discharged without a certificate of good conduct! These two facts are beyond question; comment upon them is superfluous especially as Mr. Darian in this morning's *Times* has used up the Collins, father and son, most essentially.

Gray, the vitriol man, has not yet been finally examined. More than eighty ladies have entered complaints against him, and the value of the dresses &c, he has destroyed, is estimated at over $10,000. The man is undoubtedly a monomaniac.

The late mail robberies here and at Elmira have occasioned a general distrust in the Post Office as a medium for cash remittances. It is proposed to adopt the post office order system as practiced in England for the transmission of sums under $50. Safety might thus be secured for a very small per centage.

Judge Hoffman's decision in favor of making the New York and New Haven Railroad Co. responsible for the "Schuyler stock" is universally approved here.

A Salutary reform has just taken place on the Erie Rail Road. No more liquor is to be sold to the employees of the line, at any of the refreshment stations. The liquor have been removed from the eating saloons, and notices posted up to the effect that liquor can no longer be obtained.—The Erie road has so far had a bad name for accidents.—No rum will probably lessen the number of accidents.

The news by the Steamship Africa which up to the 18th, leaves matters at Sevastopol "as they are" and as the Niagra the steamer of the 23rd has been taken up for war service, our next intelligence will come by the Collins line Steamer Pacific which was to sail on the 29th ult.—Her news will doubtless be of the highest interest.

Times are mending here. Our shipments of specie are decreasing; sound stocks are rising, and money is easier. By next Spring we shall be able to look back and say, "it wasn't so much of a storm after all."

Some excitement was created yesterday by the discovery that J. S. Norton, Esq., of this city, a man of great wealth, had been missing for 48 hours. He has willed the great bulk of his real estate to his grandson Mr. Cornell.—Suspicions are entertained which it would not be prudent to state in print. In the meantime a rigid investigation is in progress. The police are satisfied that there has been foul play.

A Wall street Broker named W. C. Potter, was arrested yesterday on a charge of defrauding the Layfayette Mineral Co. Pa., to the amount of $15,000. He obtained possession of lands to that amount, negotiated them and kept the cash. This is the substance of the accusation. Potter was committed for default of bail to the amount of $20,000. ERIE.

Indiana Money Wanted!

A Good Chance to Pay your Debts!!

WANTED—Five hundred new subscribers to the OBSERVER at $1 50 per year, in payment for which we will take

INDIANA MONEY AT PAR!!

Also, Four thousand dollars of the same kind of "rags" on

Subscription that ought to have been paid long ago in BETTER MONEY!

Our delinquents will see we want to accommodate, and we hope they will respond accordingly. If our friends in different townships will circulate this proposal generally we have no doubt *five or six hundred new subcribers can be had*. Try it! The Observer is a better "circulating medium" than Indiana money, and better secured, too!

☞ We will also sell our entire stock of Miscellaneous Books, or any part thereof, for the same currency. DURLIN & SLOAN,

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Remarkable Cure Effected by Dr. S. Weaver's Medicines.

From the Hon. Judge Loomis, formerly Judge of the County Court of New London County.

LYME, CT., July 24, 1851.

Dr. S. A. WEAVER—Dear sir—Early in the spring I was attacked with a disease of the most aggravated character. It appeared first upon one of my legs, but the other soon became involved in it. At first there appeared small pimples upon the surface which filled with water. These would break and the sores run together, until both legs from the foot to the knee presented a frightfully livid appearance. The legs began to swell and proceeded until one was much larger than both of them ordinarily were, and at the same time they cracked open in many different directions, discharging a thin watery substance. I could only get about with great difficulty, and not at all without the use of crutches. At length the matter which was discharged, formed a crust of scab upon the surface and both legs presented an appearance which induced some of my friends to fear that mortification had already be un.

I consulted a physician who gave me some remedies with directions how to use them, adding that my age and the severity of the complaint rendered me a cure extremely doubtful. Nothing, however, seemed to make any favorable impression upon the disease. At this stage a council of physicians was called to examine the case. All considered it a severe and doubtful one, and from their conversation left the impression upon my friends, that it would never be cured. Still they gave me some remedies which I attempted to use, but my legs appeared to grow worse. My daughter urged me to make a trial of your preparations, and having heard of some remarkable cures on others, I resolved to make the trial; and accordingly procured the syrup, which I took a few days, and then began to apply the Cerate ...

constantly to amend, until by the use of ... bottles of syrup, and about three boxes of Cerate, all my former symptoms disappeared, and my legs are as smooth and perfect as any other man's 70 years of age.

At the time I commenced using your medicines I stopped all others, and owe my cure to your invaluable preparations alone. Dec. 6, 1854—1y30 JOEL LOOMIS.

☞ A Wonderful Discovery has recently been made by Dr. Curtis, of this city, in the treatment of Consumption, Asthma and all diseases of the lungs. We refer to Dr. Curtis's Hygena or Inhaling Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup. With this new method Dr. C. has restored many afflicted ones to perfect health; as an evidence of which, he has innumerable certificates.—Speaking of the treatment, a physician remarks:—It is evident that inhaling—constantly breathing an agreeable, healing vapor, the medicinal proprieties must come in direct contact with the whole of the aerial cavity of the lungs, and thus escape the many and varied chances produced upon them when introduced into the stomach, and subjected to the process. The Hygeana is for sale at all the druggists' throughout the country.—*From the New York Dutchman of January 1854.*

See advertisement of Medicated Inhalation in another column of this paper.

New Advertisements.

DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership yet-a-fore existing and known as the firm of Lynch & Atkins, is, this 1st day of December, 1854, desolved by mutual consent.

The subscribers would here tender to their friends and the citizens of Erie generally their grateful acknowledgements for their past kind and liberal patronage bestowed upon them, and would respectfully invite all persons having unsettled accounts to call and settle immediately. The Books and Accounts, are in the hands of Mr. G. D. Atkins, who is authorized to settle the same. C. LYNCH.

Erie, Dec 1, 1854. G. D. ATKINS.

N. B. The Painting business will be continued as at the old stand by C. Lynch, who hopes by strict attention to business, still to merit and ob ain a liberal share of the patronage of an ever generous public. C. LYNCH. 30

Tremendous Excitement!

CADWELL & BENNETT have come to the conclusion to close their business in Erie, and are now selling their large and magnificent stock of GOODS, without regard to cost. The greatest BARGAINS that were ever heard of are now rapidly going off in rich Dress Silks, Merino Plaids, French and English Merinoes, Paramattas, Wool De Lain, Alpaca, Shawls, Ladies Clothes and Trimming, Silk Velvets, Laces, Ribbons, Cloths, Vestings Gloves, Hosiery, &c. &c.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS—Attention is particularly invited to an unsurpassed assortment of Linen Table and Diaper Clothes, Napkins and Towelling, Marseilles and Lancaster Quilts, Shirtings, Sheetings, Flannels, Blankets, Damasks, Curtain Muslins, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Mats, &c., with a host of other goods not mentioned. The importance of an early visit to the Empire may readily be perceived and again, the disappointment of many may in a measure be obviated by a morning visit, as the crowd is less dense and greater convenience, with less confusion, are afforded to purchasers.

Feeling grateful for past favors, we are determined to give such bargains to our old patrons that will not soon be forgotten. Be on hand early—procrastination is the thief of time.

Erie, Dec 1, 1854—30. CADWELL & BENNETT.

AUCTION & COMMISSION STORE,

NO. 2 WRIGHT'S BLOCK ERIE PENNA.

THE subscriber is happy to announce to the Merchants of Erie and vicinity, and to his friends generally, that he is in receipt of the largest consignment and best assortment of Goods direct from New York, and other Eastern cities, ever offered in this market, to be sold without reserve, and the assortment kept up by fresh supplies from time to time, as occasion may require and he has room for them.

An examination of the stock is respectfully solicited from those in want of good fresh Goods. The ladies are specially invited.—The stock consists of

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods, Ladies Dress Goods, in great variety, Ready Made Clothing Boots and Shoes, Yankee Notions, Books of all kinds, quality &c. &c., &c.

Regular Auction Sales, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY—Private sales, at Wholesale and Retail, on intermediate days.

First Regular Sales, on Wednesday the 6th day of December at 10 o'clock, A. M.

☞ Particular attention given to Household Furniture and Real Estate offered for sale at Auction.

Erie, Dec 2, 1854.—30 J. J. LINTS, Auctioneer.

PERHAM'S THIRD GIFT ENTERPRISE! 60 000 Ticket's already Sold.

Call for final Mass Meeting of Shareholders to determine on the disposition of the GIFT PROPERTY to the Shareholders.

AT a meeting of the shareholders in Perham's Third Gift Enterprise, held on the 25th of July, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved—That as soon as it is ascertained that 60,000 of the Gift Tickets issued by Mr. Perham in third enterprise are sold, the Committee shall call the shareholders together at the most convenient place, for the purpose of instructing said Committee in regard to the manner of disposing of the Gift Property."

Having learned from Mr. Perham that 60,000 of said tickets were sold, and that in all probability the remaining 40,000 will be sold by the above resolution, would be sold by the first day of January next, we have determined in accordance with the above notion, to call a Mass Meeting of the shareholders, at some place to be hereafter named, on the 17th day of January, 1855, for the purpose designated by the resolution.

ROBERT BEATTY, Jr., J. LATHROP, J. B. ADAMS, } COMMITTEE.

☞ 100,000 Tickets Only at $1 Each will be sold. Each Ticket will admit FOUR PERSONS, all at once, or portions at different times to PERHAM'S BURLESQUE OPERA HOUSE, 663 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, or to his other Entertainments in various parts of the country. Each purchaser to one of these tickets will receive a certificate entitling the same to one share in 100,000 Costly & Valuable Gifts; a list of which has already been published. Persons can obtain the same in circular form, by addressing a note to the proprietor.

Now is the time to purchase Tickets. In order that the 100,000 Tickets may be disposed of by the time specified, the subscriber offers the following inducements for persons to get up clubs:

Each person who gets up a club of ten subscribers, and forwards (to) ten dollars to this office, will receive by Mail or other conveyances, Eleven Tickets.

Each person who sends (at one time) one hundred dollars, will have sent to him one Hundred and Fifteen Tickets, and for all larger sums in exact proportion.

If it should happen that all the Tickets are sold when the order is received, the money will be returned at our expense for postage.

☞ All orders for Tickets should be addressed to JOSIAH PERHAM, 663 Broadway, N. Y.

☞ My Fourth Enterprise will be advertised as soon as the third is closed. The Tickets are already printed.

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New Piano Forte Ware-Room.

Corner of Seventh and State Streets, Erie, Penn'a.

THE subscribers respectfully announce to the citizens of Erie and Western Pennsylvania that they have leased the store lately occupied by Dr. P. Hall, and are now receiving their stock which will comprise the largest and most valuable assortment of PIANO FORTES and MELODIONS, together with other Music merchandize ever offered in this city.

We are agents for the most celebrated Manufacturers in the United States, among whom are Boardman & Gray, Chickering, Light, Newton & Bradburys, A. P. Gale & Co., and others equally eminent.

Our assortment will soon be complete, and we respectfully solicit the attention of purchasers to this fact; that we are prepared to sell Piano Fortes and Melodeons on more reasonable terms than has before been offered, and for durability of material, style of finish, exquisite tone and touch, they are unexcelled.

Second hand Pianos and Melodeons taken in exchange, and their full value allowed.

Particular attention paid to tuning, repairing &c., by an experienced tuner.

Prof. Mann will soon commence a class on the Piano, Melodeon and Organ, of which due notice will be given.

Erie Dec 2, 1854—1y29. A. C. DAVIS. E. M. MANN.

Just Received

A LARGE lot of Lithographed Notes and Drafts, which are offered very cheap at No. 9 Brown's Block.

Erie, Dec 2—29 DURLIN & SLOAN.

STRAY COW.

A DARK Brindle Cow about 8 or 9 years old, crooked horns, came to the farm of Edwin J. Kelso in Millcreek township, two or three months since. No artificial mark. The owner is hereby notified to prove property, pay charges and take her away. JOHN KELSO.

Millcreek, Dec 2, 1854. 3.29

Mrs. Allen' Worlds Hair Restorer.

AN unfailing restorer of the Hair and Sight. It is not a dye. The hair and whiskers however gray, are restored to and preserved to their original color. By its use, Wigs, Spectacles, and Gray Hairs will soon become extinct.

Mrs. Allen's Worlds Hair Dressing or Zylobalsamum.

A most delightful and valuable dressing for the Hair. Perfectly applied and will not stain the finest linen.

Mothers will find the Zylobalsamum a superior dressing for children's hair. For sale by BURTON & HERRON,

Dec 2, 1854—26 Sole Agent for Erie Co.

SCHOOL BOOKS!!!

WE have on hand a large stock of McGuffey's Spellers and Readers.

Sanders' Spellers and Readers,
Elementary "
Town's "
Clark's New Grammar,
Kirkham's "
Brown's "
Mitchel's Geography, large and small,
Smith's "
Davies's and Stoddard's Arithmetic,
With a lot of Slates that's hard to match,
And some of these Pencils that never scratch.

Together with Goose Quills and Steel Pens and Holders, and a "few more left" of those fine "Ivory Folders." And Bibles and Prayer Books, and so on. *If you don't come* and buy soon we'll sell to some body else sure as you're born. The rest we'll give you by just calling at No. 8 Brown's Block. DURLIN & SLOAN.

Erie Dec 2, 1854. 29

50 REAMS Note Paper, all *kinds qualities and prices*. Printers cannot do better than give us a call. Also on hand a large lot of the best of plain Cap and Letter Papers, expressly for printing, for sale cheap at No. 9 Brown's Block. Erie, Dec 2.—29

Is there any Body Wants them.

IF so come in and we will *almost* give away as fine a stock of Miscellaneous Books as ever set on shelves.—We are *going to sell them or give them away*. Now is your time. DURLIN & SLOAN.

Erie, Dec. 2, 1854. 29

ENVELOPES by the thousand, Plain and Fancy, with a few of Phinney's Writing Books that are the best and cheapest in the market, at No. 9 Brown's Block.

Erie, Dec. 2—29 DURLIN & SLOAN.

IMPORTED CIGARS.—A fine lot of imported Cigars of the best brands now opening at JOSEPH SILL'S.

Nov 25, 1854. 25.

Merchants' Insurance Company of Philadelphia.

INCORPORATED 1852 by the Legislature of Pennsylvania under a perpetual charter, with power to Insure Buildings, limited or perpetual. Also, Merchandise, Furniture, &c., in town or country. To insure against the risks of Inland Navigation and Transportation; and to take Marine Risks on Vessels, Cargo, and freight, under open or special policies. The profits, after paying six per cent to the stockholders, to be divided among the insured as required by the charter.

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John C. Montgomery,	E. F. Witmer,
J. M. Hice,	James Irvine,
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John Galbraith,	D. J. McCann,
G. Wollerton,	J. L. Gibon,
Francis Blackburn,	William Harden,
J. B. Smith,	R. P. Kong,
E. B. English,	John A. Marshall
Chauncy Hulbert,	William H. Allen.

OFFICERS.

JOHN C. MONTGOMERY, President,
GEN. JAMES IRVINE, Vice-President,
D. J. McCANN, Secretary.
Nov. 25, 1854.

ISING CLASS—... CARTER & BRO.

THE NEW ... ING FLUID—Can be had fresh and pure at ... CARTER & BRO.

INDIGO or Madder, very best, at ... CARTER & BRO.

FOR SALE.

ONE half, or the whole of a manufacturing business, which pays from 50 to 100 per cent. on the article manufactured. The manufactured article can always be sold for cash. The business is light, clean and easily learned. From 500 to 800 dollars will be required. If wanted, a house, barn and 4 acres of Land will be sold, or rented with the above.

For full particulars inquire of JONAS GUNNISON, Attorney at Law, Erie, Pa.

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NEW HARDWARE STORE.

I AM now receiving the largest and best assorted Stock of Domestic and Foreign Hardware ever brought to Erie co., which was bought for cash from manufacturers, without the jobbers profit. These goods were selected expressly for this market, and I am confident that any one upon examination, will find that in quality and prices I can defy competition.—I am not fond of big stories and therefore, only ask my patrons to call and examine for themselves. My Stock of American, English, Swedes and Russian Iron of all sizes, Sanderson & Bros Cast Steel; also, German, Houpal and American spring and Toe Cork steel. Coil, Log, Trace and Halter Chains, Blacksmith's Bellows, Vices, Sledges, Hammers, Drills and Screw Plates from three to twelve dollars. To Carpenters, particular, inducements are offered. My reputation for keeping *good tools*, is too well established to speak of quality here. But I have only to say that my stock of Bench tools, Socket Firmer, Pairing and Turning Chisels, excels any thing ever offered before.

A new and beautiful lot of Socket Firmers and carpenter's slicks have been very much liked; saws of all kinds, Hand, Pannel, Rip, Back, Wood, Compass, Fid and Bank saws are going like hot cakes. Circular, Rip and Crosscut saws of all sizes, together with Wm Rowlands & Hoe's cast steel mulay-mill saws, Atkin's cross cut saws as Flint's wood saws. My stock of door trimmings are too well known, and my space too limited here to permit enumeration.

My stock of shelf Hardware comprises every thing that can be called for. "almost." Ship carpenters will find a good assortment of Watt's axes and adzes, caulking mallets and irons and in short every thing in that line.

Moulders will find a general assortment of their tools; trowels, slicks, lifters, shovels &c. Ladies will find curtain pins and band cornices, curtains of cloth, transparencies and paper, paperhangings and a new splendid style of hall stands, shovel and tongs stands, and a general assortment of House furnishing goods. Those good Troy nails are still found here, and a full and complete assortment of the rubber belting from the Boston belting Co., together with packing both hemp and rubber.

But my pen tires and I find it is useless to try to notice here a tithe of what I offer to the good citizens of Erie county. Suffice it to say that my lash string always hangs out, and that I am not afraid to show my goods.

To dealers, I would say that I can job you goods on as good terms as you will buy them in the Eastern cities; and if you do not believe what I say, call at No. 6 Cheapside, on French street, opposite the Park. J. C. SELDEN.

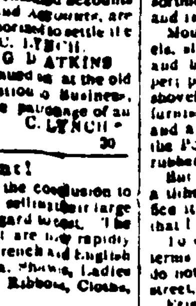
Erie, Nov 18, 1854. 27.

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.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.



DR. LA CROIX has the pleasure of announcing to the public that he has taken possession of his splendid new edifice, which he has recently erected at No. 31 MAIDEN LANE, and will be happy to meet with those who are desirous of consulting him in his "*speciality*," to which he devotes his undivided attention.

His Dispensary is now capacious and replete with every convenience which modern improvement can suggest, such as hot and cold water, water closets—the apartments are all warmed by means of a hot air furnace, and lighted throughout with gas. The premises No. 56 Beaver street, so long known as "Old Galen's Head Dispensary," and which Dr. La Croix has occupied for the last eighteen years, was found to be inadequate for the great increase of business with which he has been favored. He was therefore compelled to seek more capacious apartments. The office will be found very accessible to strangers, from its close proximity to the depots of the Central, Western, Hudson river, Harlem and Northern Railroads, and to which are the termini of the street, as well as the principal Hotels. The Dispensary is commodiously arranged with separate apartments, (the whole building being used for the purpose) and is well adapted to facilitate the restoration of the patient without fear of exposure, as they will not come in contact with any one but the Doctor.

A NEW AND REVISED EDITION OF THE PRIVATE MEDICAL TREATISE.

BY LA CROIX, the author of a work entitled "A Physiological View of Marriage," being a treatise on the Infirmities of youth and maturity illustrated with upwards of one hundred and twenty-five colored engravings, for 25 cents. This is the greatest work ever published, and one which every one ought to read. It contains valuable information for the young and the old, the sick and the healthy, the child and the parent.

It treats of all diseases of females, whether married or single, hints to those who desire no more children. Strangers who require medical aid, before consulting any doctor, ought to know whether their cases are properly understood by those whom they employ, and thus guard against the imposition of quacks, so prevalent in populous cities. Hence the advantage of a popular knowledge of oneself, such as is given in this work.

NEW REMEDIES AND QUICK CURES. DR. LA CROIX offers to all those who desire to consult a professional person, the result of 30 years experience in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

YOUNG MEN—Let no false modesty deter you from making your case known to one who from education and respectability, can alone befriend you. He who places himself under Dr. La Croix and his treatment, may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and in whose bosom will be forever locked the secret of his patient. There are very few men in the world in whom it is safe to repose confidence—especially in cases of a delicate nature. The many pretenders to medical science with which the country is filled, and the many disappointments to which the unfortunate victims are subjected by consulting such misguided ones, is a matter of mere justice to caution the public against them, and point them to the sure "haven of repose," which is under the management of the celebrated Dr. La Croix, No. 31 Maiden Lane, Albany, N. Y.

TO FEMALES.—Dr. La Croix No. 31 Maiden Lane, with out offering the ordinary and common place phrases usually resorted to by advertising quacks who only ... should ... of whatever nature, are treated in ... cases by ... The most convenient rooms always ... for ladies who may wish to consult a regular physician for any ... of those interesting complaints to which their delicate organization renders them liable.

DR. LA CROIX, IMPORTER AND MANUFACTURER of Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Female Supporters, Lace stockings, Spinal Elevators, and every kind of surgical Belt and Bandage which will be applied and fitted on the most reasonable terms by the Doctor.

DR. LA CROIX'S GALVANIC "PROTECTIVE"—For married ladies, whose health will not admit, or who have no desire to increase their family, may be obtained as above. It is perfectly safe, and has been extensively used during the last eight years. Price reduced to $10.

FEMALE PERIODICAL COMPLAINTS.—Dr. De Lancy's Female Periodical Pills are well known to thousands who have used them at different periods for the last twenty years in this city, as a certain and safe remedy for the removal of all difficulties which females are liable. They are free from poisonous drugs, and warranted to produce no bad effects. The only precaution necessary to be observed is, ladies should not take them if they have reason to believe that they are in certain situations, (the particulars of which will be found in the wrapper accompanying each box, though always safe and healthy, so gentle, yet so ... Price $1 per box. They can be transmitted by mail to any part of the United States.

Dr. La Croix can, without boasting, say, that he has CURED TWENTY THOUSAND PATIENTS within the last three years, and no one single case is known where his directions were followed and medicines taken at reasonable time, and a cure not effected. Therefore, all who desire to be cured, not merely have the disease checked, are respectfully invited to call.

ADVICE TO STRANGERS.—Beware of impostors who call themselves distinguished graduates, &c., and boast of practising all over the world for centuries past. Be not deceived by promises which cannot be fulfilled, and pay no enormous fees to those notorious, boasting advertisers before you consult Dr. La Croix, where a sure cure can be obtained with strict honesty on written guarantee of forfeiture. See his sworn certificates.

PERSONS AT A DISTANCE may consult Dr. La Croix by letter, (post paid, describing case, and have medicines securely put up and forwarded to any part of the United States, always accompanied with full and explicit directions for use. Communications considered strictly confidential. Office arranged with separate apartments so that patients never see any one but the doctor himself. Attendance daily, from 9 in the morning till 9 at night, and on Sunday from 1 till 5 P. M.

Dr. La Croix is agent for BLANCARD'S PILLS of Iodine of Iron, not liable to change, and without smell of Iron or of Iodine.

REMEMBER NO. 31 MAIDEN LANE ALBANY, N. Y.

November 1854 1y27

CORDS, Peasants, Dust Breeches, just received at J. H. WARREN'S.

Nov 11, 1854

SOME of Amanda's superior Kid Gloves, only to be had by calling early. Also, very nice Silk Kid Jash mere and Fleecy lined Gloves at S. JACKSON & SON'S.

Nov 11, 1854

JUST received by Express, another large stock of Induced Goods, comprising Plain, Striped and Changeable Silks, Merinos, Vibet cloths, &c. S. JACKSON & SON.

Nov 11, 1-5

BEAUTIFUL French work Collars from one shilling to ten dollars, may be found at S. JACKSON & SON'S.

Nov 11, 1-5

A LSO, Chemisetts Under Sleeves, ... cheap at ... S. JACKSON & SON'S.

WE are now offering our entire stock of Thibet Wool, Plain and Printed Cashmeres, Brochi long and square Reckon Plaid and Bay state shawls at a very small advance from cost.

Nov 11, 1854—20 JACKSON & SON.

JUST received, some of those beautiful Shaker Flannels English D... and a few pieces double fold, Domestic Do., for sheets at ... Nov. 11. S. JACKSON & SON'S.

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.

Young America in the Field. NEW GROCERIES AND NEW PRICES.

THE subscriber is now opening at the stand formerly occupied by T. W. Moore, a large and choice assortment of family Groceries, Wooden and Willow ware, Yankee Notions, Cigars, to which he invites the attention of the public. To all old customers of our ... we extend the right hand of fellowship, promising by attention to business, and a spirit of accommodation to deserve the patronage which has heretofore been bestowed upon him and the rest of mankind. We say, give us a call, and look at our assortment before purchasing elsewhere. With a determination to be undersold by nobody; till we ask is a fair field and no favors.

No. 7 state st. Nov 15, 1854. J. HOSKINSON.

SUGARS! SUGARS!—Porto Rico, New Orleans, Havanna, pulverized, crushed granulated and coffee sugars very low at Nov 18, 1854—27 J. HOSKINSON'S.

COFFEE—Old Java, Maricaibo, Laguira and Rio Coffee just opening at Nov. 18, 1854 HOSKINSON'S.

TEAS! TEAS!—A very large assortment of teas, at prices which no Tea store in this side of ... can ... at HOSKINSON'S.

Erie, Nov. 18 1-51—27

WANTED—A few Dollars of Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois and Ohio money, in exchange for groceries, at Cash prices.

Nov 18 1-54 J. HOSKINSON.

TO our farmer friends, particularly, we extend the invitation to call and examine our large and varied stock of Staple Dry Goods. Nov. 11, 1854. SMITH JACKSON & SON.

NOVEMBER ARRIVAL.

FRIENDS, walk in and see how cheap we sell GOODS. The fact is we can't be beat in prices, for proof of which we wish you to come in and give us a chance to show you our Goods, which we are always willing to do, and we will show you De Laines at one shilling per yard, Persian Twill Cloth at 15 cents, Madder Prints at 6d. Paramatta Cloth at 20 cents, and all other Goods in proportion, which are going of in large quantities. Come soon for good bargains, two doors west of Reed House, Park Row, Erie, Pa.

Nov. 18, 1854—27 BOTH & STUART.

Farm for Sale.

A VERY desirable improved Farm is offered for sale, situated 3 miles South east from the city of Erie, containing 80 acres mostly improved, is well watered, has a good Orchard and all necessary buildings. The above Farm will be sold in the whole or in small parts to suit purchasers. Enquire of the subscriber living at the Erie County Mills, on the Waterford and Erie Plank Raod.

Erie Co. Mills, Nov. 18.—6m27 JOHN R. DUMARS.

THE PANIC.

Now is the Time to secure Good Bargains.

BILLS of the Canal Bank and City Bank of Cleveland, City Bank of Columbus, and of the Indiana Free Banks, will be received for STOVES, CASTINGS and DRY GOODS, at the Stores of the subscribers for a few days. GEMMETT & CO.

Erie, Nov. 25, 1854. 27

"Great Trees from little Acorns Grow."

AS in the vegetable, so in the commercial department. Small things nurtured with judicious care, watered with a persevering determination that knows no defeat, and warmed by the gentle breezes of fairness and justice, soon become great and powerful.

Five years since, a "two shilling Jewelry Shop" was opened in this city. The location was not prominent, nor was its debut attended with the noisy clamor and great parade, incident to such an occasion. Upon the lintel of its narrow and uninviting entrance was inscribed in "bold relief" "Stockton." For months, now and then, could be seen a lonely customer approaching with jealous care, or leaving with doubtful satisfaction of a good bargain, this unobtrusive "Shop." At length these "visits, few and far between," became more like the Angels here below, quite neighborly.

A little longer and that Shop became a busy hive, too small to suit the times, and the *Acorn's growth*, till but an unproportioned shrub, but whose mighty branches were destined to overshadow all *surrounding objects*, was transplanted, and has since brought forth its fruit in rich abundance, at the well known Mammoth store, between Brown's Hotel and the Reed House. During this little "space" earthquakes, wars, pestilence, famines, collisions and disasters have put an end to many a noble enterprise. Many a noble that has been uprooted by the violent commotions and upheaving of a nation's impetuosity, but amid the ruins stand here and there a memento of well trained ambition.

Friends and countrymen: Pause and wonder! What makes the Acorn grow? and what sustains its puny roots, as they venture to rise from their baren bed, to contend with frost and hail, and hurricane? Will any deny that it does contend successfully with all improvements until among its towering branches may be read, in legible hand, "century?" Yet not more strange, that the little "SHOP" has withstood all opposition and become the GREAT EPORIUM of WATCHES, JEWELRY and SILVER WARE. What has wrought this woodrous change? Why has STOCKTON become synonymous with all that is *rich real and cheap*? Why is it a general admitted fact that at his establishment a better bargain can be had than elsewhere? Why, in a word, do the Ladies, who properly appreciate the beautiful, all flock to his show case? Will any deny that such is the case? I will suggest the reason. Is it not owing to the fact, that he keeps the largest and best selected stock? That he buys larger and therefore cheaper?

Christmas is coming; New-Years will soon greet us. His stock will be particularly adapted to the wants peculiar to the "Present Giving Season." Large, beautiful and cheap. Then do yourselves and him the favor of a call.

Always truly yours,

Erie, Nov. 11, 1854—26 STOCKTON.

2 Cases, 6000 yards bleached Sheeting, very low, at June 21 BOOTH & STEWART'S.

5,500 YARDS of 3-4 7-8 4-4 and 5-4 Bleached Shirtings and Sheetings, from 6d to 1-6d per yard.

May 20—1. TIBBALS & HAYES.

PERSIAN CASHMERE, Misses Bloomer Hats, split soft straw bonnets, parasols, at June 24 BOOTH & STEWART'S.

GREAT LOSSES

WE are receiving Daily large lots of New Goods from M. Cadwell, who is now in the Eastern States where he is purchasing direct from the manufactures at Fifty per cent. loss to the Maker, and will be sold daily at a small advance above cost. Now is the time—such chances will soon be past. CADWELL & BENNETT.

Erie, Nov. 18, 1854.

AUCTION AND COMMISSION No 2 Wright's Block, Erie, Pa.

HAVING received the appointment of Auctioneer for this city, I have secured the above store, and intend on or about the first day of December next to open it and do a straight forward Auction and Commission Business. Charges moderate; prompt returns made in all cases, and Consignments respectfully solicited. J. J. LINTS, Auctioneer.

REFERENCES.

Hon. James Thompson,	Cadwell & Bennett,
" John Galbraith,	C. B. Wright & Co,
" Jos. M. Sterrett,	Beatty & Cochran,
C. M. Tibbals,	Moses Koch,
H. P. Stockton,	Hollister, Case & Hoskins,
Durlin & Sloan,	J. H. Gunnison,
A. Hel King, Mayor,	Vincent, Himrod & Co.

Erie Nov 4, 1854. 25

NOTICE TO DYERS.—We have received a lot of fresh Dye Stuffs, which we offer at wholesale or retail on reasonable terms. Their quality is superior and can be relied upon for producing the brightest and most unfading colors.

Nov. 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

PAINTS, OILS, &c.—We have in store a very large Stock of Painting materials, including every thing in the line of House, Carriage, Shop, and the various kinds of Fancy Painting. Nov. 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

GLASS! GLASS!!—We are now receiving our winter stock of Window Glass, which is very extensive, embracing upwards of sixty sizes, among which is a fine variety of French, single and double thickness some very large for store doors and front windows. Please give us a call, as we are prepared and you will find prices satisfactory. CARTER & BRO.

Nov. 4, 1854. 25.

Wines and Liquors for Medical Purposes.

OLD Port, Madeira, Sherry, Hock, Claret, Malaga and Ohio Wines, Brandies, Holland Gin, St. Croix and N. E. Rum, Jamaica Spirits, Old Monongahela. We can assure our friends and customers that we have used the greatest care and caution in procuring these articles, and that no doubt need be entertained of their entire purity and fitness for medical purposes.

Nov 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

TO THE LOVERS OF GOOD TEA.—We have a very choice article of Fine Silvery Old Hyson, also, Young Hyson and Black Tea, of the most choice flavors.

Nov 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

COCOA, Chocolate and Broma by Nov 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

CORNENA.—A pure extract of American Maize—a new and much valued article for making Puddings and Blanc Mange, also, very excellent for children, invalids and dyspeptics. Nov 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

LIGHT! LIGHT!—Lard Oil, very white and pure Star and Common Candles, Burning Fluid, Camphene and Lamp Wicks, by Nov 4, 1854—25 CARTER & BRO.

Carpets Drugget's and Floor Oil Cloths.

WE are in receipt of our Fall stock of three ply Ingrain, all wool, Cotton and Wool, Hemp and Cotton Carpets, Mattings, Druggets, Floor Mats, and Oil Cloths in great variety of patterns, at greatly reduced prices.

Erie, Nov. 4—25 TIBBALS & HAYES.

1,500 YARDS 40 inch ... inch Ginghams colors perfectly fast at 12½ cts TIBBALS & HAYES.

Erie, November 4, 1854 25

1 CASE, 1500 yards, Remnant Prints ... cents per yard at Erie Nov 4—25 TIBBALS & HAYES.

1 CASE, 2,300 yards Madder Prints warranted pure Madder at 6¼ cts Nov 4.—25. TIBBALS & HAYES.

1 CASE, 1,800 yards, Lancaster and Glasgow Ginghams, colors fast as a rock at 12½c. TIBBALS & HAYES.

1,500 YARDS Colored and Black Coburgs, double width fine quality and very desirable colors, from 18 ct to 44 cts per yard, at Nov 4 TIBBALS & HAYES.

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 Tea, 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—1m17 J. MURPHY & CULLEN.

GINGHAMS FROM AUCTION.—1 Case 1500 yards Scotch Ginghams, small checks and desirable patterns, which cost 16 cents to import, for 12½ cents per yard.

May 20.—1. TIBBALS & HAYES.

ERIE MINERAL SPRINGS. Eighth Street, Erie, Pa.

BOARDERS can be accommodated at this Establishment.—Baths also can be had in both Mineral and Soft Water, warm or cold. Application for Board can be made personally or by letter.

For the satisfaction of those abroad the following analysis of the Water is subjoined. It was made by Professor Booth, of Philadelphia.

	One pint of 7,500 grains contains, SOLUBLE.	One gallon of 60,000 grains contains, SOLUBLE.
Chloride of Potassium,	2.57 grs.	20.55
" Sodium,	14.77 "	118.16
" Magnesium,	5.67 "	45.36
" Calcium,	1.11 "	8.88
" Iron,	0.36 "	2.88
Sulphate of Lime,	1.46 "	11.58
Total Soluble matter,	24.94	199.52
	One pint of 7,500 grains contains, INSOLUBLE:	One gallon of 60,000 grains contains, INSOLUBLE:
Carbonate of Lime,	2.39	19.12
" Magnesia,	0.12	0.96
" Iron,	0.18	0.44
Silicia,	0.6	0.48
Total Insoluble,	2.75	22.00
Organic Matter	trace	trace.
Total amount of solid matter pr. pt	27.69 grs	pr. gal 221.52.

Erie, June 17 1851—1y3 SAMUEL PERLEY, Proprietor.

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.

New Goods—Cheap Goods.

TIBBALS & HAYES, No. 1 Brown's Hotel, are receiving a choice selection of Fancy and Seasonable Goods, such as plaid, stripe and 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 Flouncing, Jaconet and Swiss Edgings and Insertings, Traced Jaconet and Nainsook Band—and 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 particular reference to the tastes and wants of this community. We have no hesitation in saying that they are at least 50 per cent. cheaper than last season's prices, and "star away down below" all the prices of honorable competitors, for the proof of which we but ask an examination. Sept 9, 1854.

SILKS.

WE have just opened a choice lot of Silks, and solicit a call from all persons wishing to purchase as we can show the best assortment of the latest style, ever offered in this city.

April 15—4— JACKSON & SON.

SIMMONS & WALLIS Axes warranted, and Collins's Axes not warranted at $1 00 each. Oct 7 RUFUS REED.

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. 16, 1854.

MORRINEW 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 [illegible] for cash, and will be sold very low.

June 24 BOOTH & STEWART.

7000 Yards brown Sheeting, from 6 to 9 cents per yard. BOOTH & STEWART.

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

POWDER and Shot, at Nov 25, 1854—28 HOSKINSON'S.

FRESH FRUIT.—Now receiving—Almonds, Brazil nuts, Eng. Walnuts, Filberts and Pea nuts, Rasins, Citrons, Currants, and Figs, at SILL'S.

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BLACK VARNISH—For Iron fences, grates, stoves and all similar purposes. CARTER & BRO.

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Guns, Pistols, Fine Cutlery, &c.

JUST received by Railroad, a splendid assortment of Fine Twist and Imitation Double and Single Barrel Guns, manufactured in Belgium; also, Colt's Revolvers, Double and Single Barrel Pistols, Hunting Knives, Razors, Pen and Pocket Knives, and some Percussion Pills, wanted so much by those Old Gun Locks, all in great variety, cheaper than anywhere else in Erie. T. M. AUSTIN.

Jewelry Store of ... Opposite Brown's Hotel, State st.

Nov. 25, 1854—28

SAVE YOUR MONEY AND GO TO THE EMPIRE.

LARGE arrival of cheap Dry Goods for fall and winter trade, just received at the Empire, direct from the manufacturer. 3000 Yds. Merimac, Spragues, and all other superior Calicoes very cheap.

25,000 Yds Sheeting, all grades and prices.
10,000 " Muslin De Laine from ¼ to 2½ yds.
10,000 " Stripes and Denims, all qualities.
11,000 " Ticking.
20,000 " Coburg and Parmattas, all colors; and a first rate article for 2s per yard, with 4s Bleached Sheetings and Shirting—Red and White Flannel, Table Linen, Napkins, Toweling, Canton Flannel, Ginghams, Plaid Linseys, Woolen Blankets, Tweedes, Kentucky Jean, Plain and Fancy Cassimeres, Cloths Sattinetts, Vestings Carpet Yarn and Warps, Cotton Yarn, Comforts, including everything to be found in the line of Domestic Dry Goods, which will be sold, wholesale or retail at very low figures. CADWELL & BENNETT.

Erie, Oct. 21, 1854. 23.

Rich Paris Embroideries and Laces.

WE have just received by express, and will now exhibit the largest, finest and cheapest assortment of Paris Embroideries and real Laces to be found west of New York City. Real Maltese, real Valenciennes, real Guipure, real English Thread and Brussels Laces, together with imitations of the same.

French Embroideries.

300 Muslin Embd Collars, from 1s to $6,00 Pr.
150 Cambric " " " $10,00 "
Real Maltese and Plain Lace Collars, from 10s to $60 Pr., real Lace Collars and sleeves in setts, from $5,00 to $15,00 per sett. Muslin, Cambric and Lace Collars and Sleeve in setts.
Muslin, and Cambric Edgings and Insertings.
Rich " " Flouncings, Dandy Bands, Embd and Plain Linen Hdkfs., Fancy Hdkfs., Lace Capes, Infants Waists, &c. The above goods we have this day opened, comprising all the latest novelties and we would invite all wishing to purchase to examine our stock as they will be sold very cheap.

Oct. 21, 1854—23 CADWELL & BENNETT.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES—100 Doz Ladies, Children and Gents Hosiery and Gloves of every kind and quality.

Oct. 21, 1854—23. CADWELL & BENNETT.

Dress Goods.

WE have just received a new assortment of silks and Dress Goods which are entirely new styles. Black silks of every quality and width, plain and plaid. Pout de Soie silks, stripe changeable and kept ... Mancelines and all other styles Satin stripe Persian and Velours, satin de chines; all colours 100 pieces French Merino of Lupin's celebrated manufacture 6 to 8 shillings per yard. We invite attention to our present stock of rich dress goods exceeding any thing we have been able to exhibit before in styles and price. Oct. 21. CADWELL & BENNETT.

New Goods for the Fall and Winter Trade.

JOHN C. BEEBE, is receiving a large stock of Fall and Winter Goods purchased at the recent forced sales for cash in New York and consequently will be offered to customers at unusually low prices. In this stock will be found a choice selection of French Merinoes and Cashmeres in all colors, plain colored all wool De Laines and Flannel Valencies, silk and Wool Plaids, very rich, embracing the most beautiful stock of Worsted Dress Goods ever brought to this market. Also, some very rich Silks and Velvets for Ladies Cloaks, and Dress and Cloak Trimmings and Velvet Buttons, new styles Collars and Lace articles.

Also a large and well selected assortment of French and English Cloths Cassimeres, Satinetts, Vestings of various qualities, colors and styles, which will be made to order in the neatest and most fashionable manner, all under the eye of Mr. John Goalding. Constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of READY MADE CLOTHING, of our own manufacture, in great variety, and of the finest quality. Youth's Clothing made to order.

On hand also a general assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS, which will all be sold at very low prices.

MR. JOHN GOALDING, connected with the Clothing feature of the establishment, is one of the most thorough workmen in his line in this City, and never fails to give satisfaction.

☞ Cutting done for others to make up at the shortest notice and at the usual prices.

Erie, Oct. 21, 1854 23.

500 Free Tickets to the Grand Exhibition!

ON Cheapside, opposite the Reed House, where the subscribers may be found at their old stand, prepared to offer unusual inducements to their patrons and friends, having received the largest, best selected and cheapest stock of Groceries ever exhibited by them. Having taken advantage of the stringency in the money market and bought for cash, in N. Y. Boston, and Philadelphia, we are thus enabled to offer our Goods at great reduction from former prices. Our stock as usual comprises every thing in the Grocery and Provision line, consisting in part of all qualities of Green and Black Tea, Rio, Porto Rico and Old Government Java Coffee, pure natural leaf and sweet Oronoco Tobacco, all qualities of Molasses and pure Honey Syrup. Crushed, powdered, granulated white and yellow Coffee sugars, Orleans, Porto Rico, and Muscavado Brown Sugars, Pepper Spices, Saleratus, Starch, Ginger, Whitefish, Pipes, Herring, Codfish, Mackerel, Candles, Soap, Segars, Candy, Cordage, Brooms, Pails, Tubs, Pepper Sauce; also, we have our Magazine well filled with all qualities of Cannon, Blasting and Sporting Powder, Shot, Caps, Lead, Safety Fuse, together with almost innumerable variety of articles too numerous to mention, which will be sold cheap and exhibited free of charge on Cheapside, at STERRETT & GRAY'S.

Erie, Oct. 21, 1854 21

A CARD. TO THE LADIES OF ERIE AND VICINITY.

THE subscriber would most respectfully tender his thanks for their very liberal patronage extended to him the past season, and would now invite their attention to a very much larger and nicer stock of Millinery Goods than he has ever shown them before. Having spent some two weeks in New York and Boston, and knowing the good tastes of the Ladies of this vicinity better than before, he feels confident that with his present large stock of goods and the best Eastern Milliners that he could procure, that he will suit all who may favor him with a call. Please notice his advertisement in another column, and remember that he is not to be undersold by any one.

T. R. BLAKE,

At Blake's Bonnet Rooms, No. 6 State Street, Erie.

Erie, October 14, 1854. 22

New Goods! New Goods!!

SMITH JACKSON & SON again take pleasure in announcing to the people of Erie and the surrounding country, that they are now in receipt of an unusually large and well selected Stock of fashionable Goods, which they will sell for "Pay" at prices that cannot fail to suit. Among our assortment may be found a large stock of beautiful

Fine French Merenoes of every style and color, Plaid and striped English Merenos, Thibet Cloths, Coburghs, Fine Gold Cloths for Ladies Cloaks, Plaid & striped and changeable Silks, Blk Gro De Rhine, and De Sol, Do. All Wool De Laines, Muslin De Laines, plain and printed Cashmeres, Broche Long and Square Shawls, Printed Cashmere and Bay State Do. Ladies fine Fr. Wrot Collars, Embroidered Muslins, Muslin Bands, Edgings and Insertions, together with a large Stock of good staple goods, well adapted to the wants of this community.

To the patrons and friends of this old and well known establishment we would simply say that the Old Fortress at the North East corner of the Park is again filled to overflowing, where all are cordially invited to call and examine prices and stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Erie, Oct 14, 1854. 22.

DE Laines and other winter dress goods selling at cost.

March 4, 1854—42 JACKSON & SON.

Tibbals & Hayes, No. 1 Brown's Block.

ARE daily receiving seasonable goods of every conceivable style, quality and price. We have French Merinoes of every shade and hue, the prices of course within the reach of all. Paramettas, Coburgs, Persian Twills, Printed Wool De Laines and Plain colors. Fancy and Plain De Laines and Cashmeres at prices to suit even the most fastidious. Our Mouseline De Beiges are unquestionable goods in the trade to be below the market. Brocha Long Shawls, square Do. Thibet plain colors, Terkerri and Cashmere Do. Bay State and Waterstreet Long Shawls. We would call the attention of purchasers to our selection of Embroidered Collars, under Hdkfs., under Sleeves, Flouncing, Swiss and Jaconet Edgings and insertings, Traced Collars and Bands &c. We state emphatically that in this line we stand beyond all competition. We have made larger additions to our domestic department, and the house-keeper can now supply her wants in everything in the line. Crashes, Bleached and Unbleached Toweling, Napkins, Table Cloths, Linen and Muslin Sheeting, Ticking, &c. For gentlemen's wear we have Cloths in all colors; Cassimeres plain and colored. Tweeds, Sattinetts, Kentucky Jeans, &c.—several good and sufficient reasons might be given why these goods are cheaper than all our competitors, the most prominent however is the purchase for cash, and cash only. We are devoted to the business and are satisfied with small profits, believing there is a virtue in the nimble sixpence to which the old fogy dollar can never attain.

Erie, Oct. 21, 1854. 23

Fall & Winter Millinery.

MRS. BARRETT would say to the Ladies of Erie & vicinity, that she has just returned from New York with her Stock of Fall & Winter Millinery, consisting of Velvet, Plush & Satin Hats, Caps, Ribbons, Flowers, Lace, Embroideries, Hosiery, Gloves & Baskets, &c., feeling greatful to the Ladies for past favors, she solicits a continuance of the same.

☞ Country Milliners supplied with Pattern hats and goods on most reasonable Terms. Shop, Corner of State & Fifth streets.

Erie, Oct. 21, 1854. N. M. BARRETT.

SHAWLS.—An assortment of Summer Shawls may be found at the store of ... BENNETT & CO.

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

TO MERCHANTS.—If you want a Box Chisel, call at No. 2 Reed House. June 3 R. REED.

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 with our 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 these 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.

VOCAL MUSIC ... ONE DOLLAR FOR TWELVE LESSONS.

WM. WILLING begs leave to announce the begining of his Singing School on Monday, October 23d, at 2 and 7 P. M. in his room on Seventh street, 2 doors west of French st., up stairs.

Erie, Oct. 21, 1854. W. W.

For the Cure of

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA and CONSUMPTION.

This remedy is offered to the community with the confidence we feel in an article which seldom fails to realize the happiest effects that can be desired. So wide is the field of its usefulness and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons, publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs, by its use. When once tried, its superiority over every other medicine of its kind, is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs, which are incident to our climate.

Nothing has called louder for the earnest enquiry of medical men, than the alarming prevalence and fatality of consumptive complaints, nor has any one class of disease had more of their investigation and care. But as yet no adequate remedy had been provided, on which the public could depend for protection from attacks upon the respiratory organs, until the introduction of the Cherry Pectoral. This article is the product of a long, laborious, and I believe successful, endeavor, to furnish the community with such a remedy. Of this last statement the American people are now themselves prepared to judge, and I appeal with confidence to their decision. If there is any dependence to be placed in what men of every class and station certify it has done for them, if we can trust our own senses, when we see the dangerous affections of the throat and lungs yield to it, if we can depend on the assurance of intelligent Physicians, who make it their business to know,—in short, if there is any reliance upon anything, then is it irrefutably proven that this medicine does relieve and does cure the class of diseases it is designed for, beyond any and all others that are known to mankind. If this be true, it cannot be too freely published, nor be too widely known. The afflicted should know it. A remedy that cures, is priceless to them. All should know it, for health can be priced to no one. Not only should it be circulated here, but everywhere, not only in this country, but in all countries. How faithfully we have acted on this conviction is shown in the fact that already this article has made the circle of the globe. The sun never sets on its limits. No continent is without it, and but few people. Although not in so general use in other nations as in this, it is employed by the more intelligent in almost all civilized countries. It is extensively employed in both Americas—in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and the far off islands of the sea. Life is as dear to its possessors there as here, and they grasp at a valuable remedy with even more avidity. Unlike most preparations of its kind, it is an expensive composition of costly materials. Still it is afforded to the public at a reasonably low price, and what is of vastly more importance to them, its quality is never suffered to decline from its original standard of excellence. Every bottle of this medicine, now manufactured, is as good as ever has been made heretofore, or as we are capable of making. No toil or cost is spared, in maintaining it in the best perfection which it is possible to produce. Hence the patient who procures the genuine Cherry Pectoral, can rely on having as good an article as has ever been had by those who testify to its cures.

By pursuing this course, I have the hope of doing some good in the world, as well as the satisfaction of believing that much has been done already.

Prepared by JAMES C. AYER, Chemist, Lowell, Mass.

Sold by Burton & Herron, Erie, Jas. V. White, Girard, W. H. Towns and Springfield, and by all dealers in medicines everywhere.

☞ Beware of Counterfeits and all worthless preparations attempted to be palmed off under a similarity of name.

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Great Western Tin Shop.

N. MURPHY would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he still continues in the Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron business at the old stand between Brown's new Hotel and the Reed House, with a larger and better assortment of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron ware west of New York, and will sell cheaper than any other establishment at wholesale or retail, and is manufactured of the best materials and in good style. Milk Pans of all sizes on hand, Cheese Vats and boilers made to order at all times, and the best assortment of Japan ware in Erie. Also a large assortment of Britania Ewers, Coffee Pots, Fluid Lamps and Pewter Mugs, Tea and Table Spoons, Basting Spoons, Knives and Forks of all kinds, Coffee Mills Shovel and Tongs, Flatirons, Brass and Iron candlesticks, Tea Trays and Lanterns. Also a large assortment of good cast iron cook stoves of various kinds which will be sold cheap for cash. Stovepipe and elbows constantly on hand. Well and cistern Pumps, Canal Boat Pumps and Pumps, Lead Pipe of all sizes on hand, spouting and guttering done on short notice.—Cash paid for old Copper, Brass and Pewter, or taken in exchange for ware. March 25th, 1854—45

TO THE PUBLIC.

JACOB KOCH begs leave to inform the public, that he has just returned from the East, prepared to throw all fashion emporiums and other establishments completely in the shade. His stock of French Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, and all articles of Gentlemen's wear, is entirely new, and of the only fashionable style introduced in the place. There is no further use in going to the city to be fitted in fashion in late styles and at Cheaper rates than ... in Buffalo, and it is an undisputed fact that Charley cuts the only decent garment made in town.

The Custom department is under the immediate supervision of Charley, and all garments that are ordered, are cut by him, and made under his eye. Fits are guaranteed in all cases. A large assortment of ready made clothing cut and made in Erie, is kept constantly on hand, and for sale at the lowest prices, also clothing of all kinds will be kept constantly on hand. Also Shirts, Collars, Cravats, Hosiery, 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 assures them that 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 stock, perfectly satisfied that they will then buy. Don't forget the name and place.

Erie, Sept 16, 1854—14 JACOB KOCH, No. 7, Reed House.

Union Oil Company.

THE Union Oil Company beg to invite public attention to the superior quality of their prepared Lubricator works for machinery of all kinds, and well as for coachers, painters and wool spinners. These oils have been in use in all the various departments for which they are prepared and after constant use or more than ... the highest approbation of engineers and others. The Company have so ... and increased their works as to be able to meet the increasing demand for their oils. Also: Mr. Ayer's white paint ... for ... lead ... prices. All orders for oils and paints of ... will be promptly supplied and warranted to be as represented.

Office of the Company 100 Race street above 3d, Philada.

... President.

N. B. Our oils warranted not to chill in the coldest weather and particularly adapted to rail road uses.

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STORE REMOVED.

HALL'S Drug, Medicine, Paint and Oil Store is removed to his NEW BUILDING, two doors north of his old stand, where he is fully supplied with every article of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Dyestuffs, Groceries, and Fancy Articles. Persons wishing to buy any article in his line of trade will find it to their advantage to call at his new store, which is being fitted up in the most modern and beautiful style. Remember the place, two doors north of his old Stand.

Erie, Nov. 18, 1854. 27

WANTED in Exchange for Goods, 500 lbs Wool Yarn, 500 P. Wool Socks, 200 ... Mittens.

Erie, Nov 23, 1854. TIBBALS & HAYS.

SALERATUS.—A perfectly Pure article in Pound papers, can always be had at 28 CARTER & BRO.

POTASH—In 6. Cans with full printed directions for making Soap, at 28 CARTER & BRO.

A FIVE Acre Lot with a small house barn, orchard, &c., one mile and a half from Erie at the LOW PRICE OF $850. One half down—balance on trust. This property is very cheap—the location and soil good.

ALSO,

Four more 5 acre Lots adjoining the above at the low price of $100 per acre. Same terms as above.

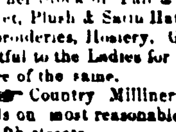
ALSO,

113 Town Lots in Erie from $100 to $300 per Lot.

To persons desiring a 5 or 10 acre Lot a short distance from the City for Gardens or Private Residences the above offers good inducements as to low price and easy terms of payments. A. KING.

Erie, Nov. 15th 1854

WALL PAPER.



WE have about 500 pieces of Wall Paper which will be sold from this day AT COST. Do you hear that. We are bound to close out our stock during the Winter we have to give it away. Come yo needy and we'll astonish you with *Cheap Wall Paper*.

Erie, Dec. 2—29 DURLIN & SLOAN.

FOR RENT.

THE HOUSE I now occupy is for rent till the first of April. Possession given the first of December. For terms apply at the Post Office. B. F. SLOAN.

Erie, Nov. 25, 1854

BLOOM FURNACE.

THE PARTNERSHIP between Tomlinson & Co., having been disolved all orders or communications must hereafter be addressed to BLOOM COMPANY, care of GEO. S. WILLIAMS,

Nov. 25, '51—1 Portsmouth O.

PREPARE FOR THE HOLIDAYS!!!

Perkins Great Variety Store, NO. 6 BONNELL BLOCK, ERIE, PENN'A.

IS the place to buy every thing either useful or ornamental for Christmas or New Year Gifts.

COME ONE, COME ALL

and look at the splendid array of

PRESENTS FOR THE BABIES!
PRESENTS FOR THE CHILDREN!
PRESENTS FOR THE BOYS!
PRESENTS FOR THE GIRLS!
PRESENTS FOR THE OLD FOLKS!
PRESENTS FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS!
PRESENTS FOR THE MARRIED!
PRESENTS FOR THE SINGLE!

In short, Presents suited to Babyhood, Manhood, and Old Age, can be had at this

Great Variety Emporium

and still the story is not half told, and would not be if the *Observer's* broad pages were filled with the articles to be had there. PERKINS can satisfy all your wants, viz:

If you want Groceries, go to Perkins!
If you want Candy, go to Perkins!
If you make a Party go to Perkins!
If you want Perfumery, go to Perkins!
If you want Oysters, go to Perkins!
If you want Toys, go to Perkins!
If you want Cigars, go to Perkins!
If you want Tobacco, go to Perkins!
If you want Fancy Articles, go to Perkins!

In a word, if you want any thing ever seen, heard of, dreamed of, or thought of in the Variety Line,

Go to Perkins' Variety Store!

And when there you will not object to Quality or Price. The proof of the Pudding is in the eating, therefore come and see, and do not forget the place, No. 6 Bonnell Block, State Street. J. H. PERKINS.

Erie, Nov. 25, 1854. 28

BUCK Gloves and Mittens. A fine lot of Buck skin Mittens and Gloves now on hand, which we are selling very low at 28 SILL'S.

LAMP OILS.

TO all those who use lamps, we would suggest to call and examine our stock of Lard Oil, Solar Oil, Whale Oil, and Elephant Oil, all of which are winter strained and warranted to burn well at JOSEPH SILL'S.

Erie, Nov. 25, 1854. 28

PICKLES, Catsups, and Sardines, can be had very cheap at 28 SILL'S.

SHAD, Mackerel, Whitefish, Codfish and Herring always on hand at Nov. 25, 1854. SILL'S.