NEW-YORK.

Correspondence of the Erie Observer

NEW YORK, Feb 12, 1855.

Wood and Reform—"Sam" About—Fashionable Parties—Retail Dealers and Business—Seward and Rum—Fashionable Swindlers—A nice Bigamy Case—Good bye &c.

The reforms in the administration of our local affairs, introduced and enforced by our new Mayor, are still the leading topics of conversation, and the theme of praise among all classes of our citizens. He cashiers drunken policemen, gives us quiet Sabbaths, prevents prize fights, abolishes nuisances and deals resolutely with rowdyism in all its phases. The *Herald*, it is true, hints that he has not extended his suppressive policy to the illegal traffic in lottery tickets and there are whispers abroad that the Wood family are too largely interested in the turns of fortune's wheel to admit of very stringent action in the premises but the rumor, true or false, seems to be little heeded. The liquor dealers who voted *en masse* for Mr. Wood, find too late that they have caught a Tartar. He has used them as a stepping stone to his position but being Mayor, he respectfully declines to be used by them in return. For the first time within the recollection of the oldest inhabitants, the sale of liquor on Sunday is absolutely inhibited, and although the tavern keepers grumble awfully, they dare not risk the penalties of the law well knowing that it will be enforced without fear or favor.

It is asserted that the Mayor in his appointments of Police Officers has given the preference to Irishmen, and in one instance to a noted burglar who came "well recommended." An order was passed a few days since by the Board of Aldermen to ascertain the nativity of each policeman by whom appointed, and whether naturalized, and if so when. This shows that "Sam" is about. We may expect curious developments soon. A few days ago a very appearing man came into a station house with a very authority and commanding manner, and ordered a certain girl released from custody. Believing the man to be an Alderman, the police officer let her go. It subsequently proved that he was not and had no authority in the matter.

New York has scarcely been itself this winter. The [illegible] which has prevailed in every branch of business has materially interfered with the usual gaieties of [illegible] Fifth Avenue, Fourteenth Street, and the [illegible] fashionable quarters, have been remarkably quiet, although there were three ostentatious and costly [illegible] the aristocratic mansions of three of our [illegible] millionairs. Toward the close of January, [illegible] world' generally [illegible] [illegible] commenced [illegible] [illegible] merchants, [illegible] a large portion of the funds [illegible] at this season for [illegible] parties has been diverted [illegible]

[illegible] winter [illegible] and [illegible] business men, but [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] been expended, and with [illegible] [illegible] which seem [illegible] [illegible] of things [illegible] [illegible] trade [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] which [illegible] to advantage with in a New York [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was suffered to sleep [illegible] [illegible] U. S. Senator, will [illegible] with vigor now that W H Seward will [illegible] [illegible] friends and [illegible]

[illegible] had no [illegible] that the [illegible] Mayor Wood [illegible] [illegible] become a law, it shall be enforced [illegible] New York. [illegible] keep his word. Here [illegible]

[illegible] We shall see.

The [illegible] which have taken [illegible] [illegible] winter [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] secretary of [illegible] Harlem Rail road [illegible] daily at the fashionable [illegible] of Broadway, dressed a [illegible] looking as *nonchalant* and unconcerned as if [illegible] had never been blazoned in the newspapers, [illegible] no harm in robbing a corporation. Schuyler, [illegible] playing the role of a nabob somewhere [illegible] [illegible] we have advices of his great rival in [illegible] Henry Meiggs, from the Island of Tahaiti. [illegible] Petty Larceny is sent by swindling justice to [illegible] while Titanic Swindling takes the [illegible] or consoles itself with a tour in Europe [illegible] in its own ship among the "Summer Isles" of the Pacific. *Lo! Dee*

The lapses of G G Foster, of this city, the well known [illegible] who had the misfortune to commit several [illegible] Manager Burton, and the still greater misfortune [illegible] [illegible] for his indiscretion [illegible] [illegible] marriage with the [illegible] Baroness de Marguerittes [illegible] the wants of [illegible] Miss [illegible] is said to [illegible] himself another wife in Paris, [illegible] [illegible] better half—very [illegible] I understand—has gone south to fill the situation of a governess. [illegible] marriage of the Baroness and Mr Foster would seem [illegible] [illegible] piece of [illegible] [illegible] of studying legal phenomena [illegible]

The telegraph keeps you well posted [illegible] [illegible] news, and is always in advance of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of interest. I will [illegible] [illegible]

ERIE.

[illegible] It is queer what crotchets people [illegible] get in their [illegible] [illegible] Parson Hanson for instance, [illegible] and came near doing the same [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Miss [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Shakspeare [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of literature, [illegible] Miss Bacon assumes, as we learn from the New [illegible] and *Enquirer*, that it were impossible [illegible] [illegible] Shakespeare's early life [illegible] [illegible] knowledge of men and [illegible] plays attributed to him [illegible] performances [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as we [illegible] regard to William Shakspeare. Miss Ba[illegible] [illegible] Shakspeare was a dramatic [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] responsibility of the [illegible] attributed to [illegible] not presume upon the [illegible] [illegible] him. Shakspeares' plays, according to Miss [illegible] were written by Lord Bacon, Sir Walter Raleigh, [illegible] two others, but chiefly by the former, and she [illegible] a great deal of time in tracing a very ingenious [illegible] support of her [illegible]

[illegible] TO THE LADIES.—Dr. [illegible] Female [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] whatever cause [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Sold by [illegible] Druggists in Erie [illegible] retail, at the [illegible] CARTER & BROTHER, No. 6 Reed House, [illegible] orders [illegible] [illegible] 25

[illegible] [illegible] consumption, Asthma [illegible] [illegible] Hygena [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] by breathing an agreeable, healing [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the country.—*From the New York Dutchman of January 14 A.*

See advertisement of Medicated Inhalation in another column [illegible]

VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

[illegible] Johns, one of the most celebrated Physicians in New-York [illegible] [illegible] *Dear Sir*—Having witnessed the excellent effect of your Hygeana on inhaling Hygean Vapor and Cherry

SYRUP, in a case of chronic Bronchitis, and being much in favor of counter irritation in affections of the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, I can therefore cheerfully recommend your Medicated Apparatus as being the most convenient and efficient mode of applying anything of the kind I have ever seen. No doubt thousands of persons may be relieved, and many cured by using your remedies.

You are at liberty to use this in any way you may think proper. Respectfully, yours, &c

C. JOHNS, M. D.
No. 6?? Houston street, New-York

Prof. S. CHEVER writes us as follows.—

GENTLEMEN,—I have recently had occasion to test your Cherry Syrup and Hygean Vapor in a case of chronic sore throat, that had refused to yield to other forms of treatment, and the result has satisfied me, that, whatever may be the composition of your preparation, it is no imposition, but an excellent remedy. I wish for the sake of the afflicted, that it might be brought within the reach of all.

Rev. Doctor CHEEVER writes:—

NEW-YORK, Nov. 15, 1854.

DEAR SIR—I think highly of Dr Curtis's Hygeana, as a remedy in diseases of the throat and lungs. Having had the opportunity to test its efficacy, I am convinced that it is most excellent medicine, both the syrup and the inhaling application of the chest.

The HYGEANA is for sale by BURTON & HERRON.
Erie, Jan. 20, 1855 6m26

MARRIED.

On the 7th inst., by Rev. G. W. Cleveland, Mr. JAMES F. WITTICH, of Erie, and Miss EMILY C. SCOTT, of Harborcreek.

DIED.

On the 12th inst., of dropsy, Miss JULIA ANN RIBLET, daughter of Jacob Riblet, of Millcreek township, in the 20th year of her age.

On the 5th inst., CHARLES GEORGE KOEHLER, son of Horace Koehler, aged two years six months and twenty five days.

OBITUARY.

The Rev. WILLIAM MILLER BURTON, A. M., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Tecumseh, and St. Johns, Clinton, Michigan, died at his residence in the former village, on the 20th of last November, aged 46 years. Mr. Burton was born in Litchfield county, Conn. A. D. 1808, and removed with his parents in 1812. At an early age he evinced more than an ordinary desire for knowledge, so much so that while yet a lad he pursued his studies in connexion with his daily tasks in the field. From the district school, he entered the Academy at Erie. At the age 16 he made his debut as a teacher, and followed that profession with distinguished success for several years. He graduated at the Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., August 27, 1834, with honor, whence he subsequently received the Master's Degree. He at once became tutor and afterwards professor, first of the Latin and Greek languages, and yet later of Mathematics, in Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa. He occupied the Professor's chair for several years, and ever gave ample evidence of being competent for the post. While Professor, he was united in marriage to Miss Anna Isabella, daughter of the Rev. Joshua Soule, D. D., one of the Bishops of the Methodist Connection.

By early education and association he was a Methodist, but careful examination into the claims of the Protestant Episcopal Church, resulted in his adopting the latter as his permanent religious home. Although her articles, her liturgy and her polity were ever after objects of his love and admiration, yet was he free from bigotry, and wherever he lived, he won, by his prudent and godly living, the respect and esteem of other communions. He was ordained Deacon at Meadville, Pa., Sept. 16, 1840, and Priest at Harrisburgh, May 18th, of the year following, by the Bishop of the Diocese of Pennsylvania. He was settled one year as Minister at Hollidaysburg, Pa., four years and a half as Rector of St. John's Church, Ohio City, now Cleveland, O., and seven years as Rector of St. Peter's Church, Tecumseh, and St. John's Church, Clinton, Michigan. At Tecumseh, his last place of residence, after [illegible] sickness of several months, he closed his life as above noticed. His was the settled faith that strengthened and brightened, as it passed to its final test. He died as dies the mature christian, in the serene hope of rest in the bosom of Paradise, whither his two lovely and only children had preceded him, thus leaving behind him in deeper sadness, because of her, the estimable wife of his youth with whom from the bridal day he had lived on terms of more than ordinary conjugal affection.

An appropriate discourse was preached at his funeral, by Rev. Rufus Murray, Episcopal Minister at Adrian; a discourse was likewise delivered by the Rev. Dr. Perry at St. John's Cleveland, Ohio, of which the deceased was for several years Rector.

A clergyman of the Diocese of Michigan, whose acquaintance with the late Mr Burton was most intimate, thus truthfully sketches his character. "It is much easier to depict an eccentric character than one whose beauty, like his is found in its just proportions, its entire uniformity and consistency. If one trait more than another distinguished him, it was his rare simplicity, his singleness of heart. He was an Israelite indeed, in whom there was no guile. He was scrupulously just towards his fellow men and severely exacting only towards himself. Always gentle, kind, and affectionate, delicate and considerate in his deportment to all, he opened the depths of his heart and mind to very few, unceasingly active and industrious, humble and self denying or rather self *forgetting*, absolutely void of all vanity, or self conceit, and blameable most of all for thinking too meanly of himself. His piety was unobtrusive, but deep sincere, practical, without cant or fanaticism, showing itself in *act* rather than in *profession*. His zeal and efficiency in the work of a minister of Christ, will be witnessed by enduring monuments left behind him wherever he labored. His preaching was distinguished for earnestness of manner, purity, propriety, and elegance of diction, soundness of doctrine, weight of topics and strength of reasoning, not so clamatory, and never aiming at show or brilliancy, preaching not himself but Christ [illegible] Lord. No one could be more diligent than he was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the knowledge of the same. He was well versed in the ancient languages, and read the scriptures fluently and habitually in their original tongue. He was, or [illegible] [illegible] of Theology; besides he had made very [illegible] attainments in other departments of knowledge [illegible] [illegible] thought he had finished his education [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] tasks as a young student [illegible] [illegible] his failing health [illegible] him from doing them. But his love for Christ and his church outstripped his ardor in the pursuit of learning, excepting a few short intervals within the past year, when he was wholly prostrated [illegible] [illegible], he continued his ministrations in both parishes up to April last, and in that at Tecumseh, until about a week before his decease, when he preached his last sermon. He died as becomes a soldier of Christ, with his harness on [illegible] fighting under his banner against sin, the world, and the devil, and his rest shall be glorious. To him may be applied most emphatically and confidently the words which the spirit saith unto the churches, "To him that *overcometh* will I give to eat of the tree of life which is in the midst of the Paradise of God."

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New Advertisements.

FOR THE BENEFIT
OF THE ERIE
Female Benevolent Society!

You are Respectfully invited to attend a Party for the Benefit of the ERIE FEMALE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, to be given at

THE REED HOUSE HALL,
ON THURSDAY EVE., FEB 22, 1855

MANAGERS.

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ERIE ACADEMY.

THE next term of the Erie Academy will commence on the 5th day of March next.
WM. B. CARPENTER, A. M., Principal.
Miss S. L. HORSWELL, Assistant.

The rates of tuition will be as follows:

For the Greek Language and the Latin, above the Latin Reader, Geometry above the 6th book, Higher Algebra, Surveying, Botany, Geology and Astronomy, Political Economy and Science of Government, Rhetoric, Logic and Intellectual and Moral Philosophy,	$3 50
For the other English branches and the Latin Language through the Latin Reader,	2 50
For the French or German Language, extra.	2 50

Bills made for whole and half terms only.
J. W. WETMORE, Sec'y. GEO. A. LYON, Pres't.
Erie, Feb. 17, 1855—3t40

LUMBERMEN AHOY!

THE subscriber will pay the highest market price in CASH for any quantity of the following kinds of Lumber delivered at his yard in Erie, formerly occupied by J. G. Barr, 1 inch White Wood Boards, 4/4 " " " Chair Plank, 4-4 " Cherry Boards and Plank, from 1¼ to 3 in. thick.

The above lumber to be all square edged, plump thickness and clear of knots.

N. B.—Flour constantly on hand.
Erie, Feb. 17—3m40 F. L. NASON.

Lumber! Lumber!

THE subscriber will pay the highest price in cash for 50,000 feet of white wood Chair Plank, [illegible] " [illegible] inch boards, 1,500 [illegible] " " "

The lumber must be of a good quality and sawed plump thickness to insure a sale. J. C. SELDEN.
Erie, Feb 13, 1855

SPRING STYLE HAT.

JUST received at WARREN'S for 1855. Call and look at them, No 5 Brown's Block.
Erie, Feb. 17, 1855—40. J. H. WARREN.

SUGARS! SUGARS!—Porto Rico, New Orleans, Havanna, pulverized, crushed, granulated and coffee sugars, very low at
Nov. 18, 1854—27. T. J. HOSKINSON'S.

APPLES.

STERRETT & GRAY would beg leave to inform their friends that they have received a large and choice supply of R. I. Greenings, which they will dispose of on the most reasonable terms. Erie, Feb. 10, 1855—39.

GRAHAM FLOUR.

ALWAYS on hand, Graham Flour, also the best brands of Erie County Flour at SILL'S
Erie, Feb 10, 1855—39

SUGAR CURED HAMS.—A choice lot of Sugar Cured Hams and any quantity of Shoulders at SILL'S Grocery Store
Erie, Feb. 10, 1855—39 No. 5 Cheapside.

Flour! Flour! Save your Money!

JUST received by the subscriber, 250 barrels choice Family Flour from Cincinnati, made from Winter Wheat, and warranted to give as good satisfaction as Flour made in our own city, and the reduced price of 9 Dollar 50 by the barrel, and still less by the quantity. For sale at the Brick Store, corner State and Fourth streets.
Erie, Feb. 20, 1855. A. PARKINSON.

Auction and Commission Store,
Not Quite Closed, But Closing!!

SALE of a large consignment just closed out, but a new and larger one just received, consisting of everything in the Staple and Fancy Line of Dry Goods, all to be sold at auction without reserve or at private sale on intermediate days. Better bargains than ever on hand for somebody. All are expected to apply. First Auction sale on Saturday Afternoon and evening, and to continue through next week. Book Sale on Monday evening, Feb. 5th.

The present Consignment is Positively the LAST that will be received and offered for sale at this establishment till after the 1st of April next. Hence the necessity on the part of purchasers looking for bargains to be on hand with the Dimes in their pockets.
Erie, Feb. 3, 1855. J. J. LINTS, Auctioneer.

DISSOLUTION.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing under the name of I. Rosenzweig & Co., will expire by limitation on the 1st of April next. All persons having unsettled accounts with said firm are requested to call and settle the same without delay, as our business must be closed before the expiration of the partnership. I. ROZENZWEIG
Erie, Feb 3, 1855—38 I. W. NEWBERGER.

CHEAP LIGHT.—CARBON OIL received and for sale by
Erie, Feb 3, 1855. CARTER & BROTHER

DR. A. THAYER'S PANACEA,

FOR the cure of diseases in the form of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, *Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Inflamation of the* Throat, Stomach, Lungs, Kidneys and Bladder.

Rheumatism both acute and chronic. Also, warranted to cure the Piles in any stage.

Hysterics, weak Nerves, lowness of Spirits, suppression and other delicate Female complaints promptly relieved.

Prepared and sold only by Dr. A. Thayer, No. 4, Wright's Block, State street, Erie.
Jan. 13, 1855 35.

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. SENNETT & CO.
Erie, Nov. 18, 1854. 27

REMEMBER the New Drug Store, No. 4, Wright's Block, where you will find an assortment of Drugs, Medicines, and Extracts of the Purest and best quality ever brought to this market, which will be sold cheaper than can be bought at any other store in town, for cash.
Erie, Jan. 13, 1855 A. THAYER, M. D.

CLOVER and Timothy Seed for sale by
Jan 6 STERRETT & GRAY'S

FRUIT.—Raisins, Currants, Citron, Prunes, very cheap at
Jan 6 STERRETT & GRAY'S

MUSICAL JUBILEE!

THE Erie Musical Academy have engaged the services of Prof. WM. B. BRADBURY, of New York, author of the Alpine Glee Singer, Metropolitan Glee Book, Psalmista, Shawm and many other Musical Works now in popular use, to conduct the excercises of their THIRD CONVENTION which will commence *Tuesday the 20th of Feb. next*, and continue four days, closing with a

Grand Vocal Concert.

The Works used on the occasion will be the Metropolitan Glee Book and Shawm. The lovers of Music, far and near, are cordially invited to participate in the festival. We anticipate a magnificent time. Tickets, Gentleman and Lady, $2. Ladies $1.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE.
Erie, Jan. 27, 1855—37

HARVARD BLACKING.

THE Sullivan Blacking Company after years of experimenting have at last discovered a composition which will beautifully polish any kind of leather and at the same time oil and soften Boots & Shoes. This splendid composition is truly unrivalled in this or any other country for its shining quality and its nutritious elements to the leather. All who "go in" for an elegant polish will use this article. For sale in Erie by Sterrett & Gray, Hollister, Case & Hoskins, Sennett & Co., Hanson & Sterrett, Clark & McCarter, J. B. Perkins, F. & M. Schlaudecker, W. F. Rindernecht, H. Baldwin, Burton & Herron, Carter & Bro. and T. J. Hoskinson. SULLIVAN BLACKING CO.
Jan. 27, 1855—*2t37 Boston, Mass.

POWDER.—300 Kegs, all qualities, Cannon, Blasting and Kentucky, Rifle Powder, Canister and Flask Powder, for sale at the same place that every thing else can be had cheap, on cheapside, at STERRETT & GRAY'S
Erie, Feb 10, 1855—39

FLOUR.—The best Erie county Brands of FLOUR can always be found at SILL'S Grocery and Tea Store. Any Flour bought of us we warrant to be of the best quality or the money refunded. Dec. 16, 1854 31

Great Bargains In Ladies Furs.

NOW is the time to buy a set of Furs cheap. In order to close out this branch of trade for the season, the balance on hand will be sold very cheap, regardless of cost. Do not miss this opportunity of getting a bargain. Come and price them, and judge for yourselves. Call at No. 6 Brown's Block.
Dec. 30, 1854—33 JOHN H. WARREN.

North Western Insurance Company.
Office No. 76 Walnut street, Philadelphia, and corner of Fifth and State Streets, Erie.

Charter Perpetual.
Assets to the Insurance of the company $213,000. Fire Marine and Inland transportation risks taken at current rates.

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NUTS.—Another lot of fresh Grazil Nuts, English Walnuts and Almonds now opening at SILL'S.
Jan. 6, 1855 34

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS.
At Austin's Jewelry and Fancy Goods Store,

WOULD be fully observed [illegible] [illegible] grand exhibition of rich, rare and beautiful Goods for [illegible] benefit of every body having a desire to pass the compliments of the season with *social* tokens of regard to the proprietor, who has more extensive preparations for this interesting time. He is of the opinion that he has the kind of goods [illegible] to the occasion and within the reach of all good folks [illegible] and as to style and variety, no place in Erie is better [illegible] Gifts for the Holidays than at AUSTIN'S [illegible] and see the Laws and Cameo sets of Jewelry, Gold Chatelaines, Watches, Lockets, elegant Silver articles of Card Cases, Tooth Picks, Forks, Napkin Rings, Salt Cellars, Cut Mounts, and a thousand other things of Gold and Silver, for use and ornament, and Ladies can find the thing they want from a Tooth Pick to a Pistol, and Toys for the Little Folks and Juveniles, such as Tops, Pop Guns, Squeaking [illegible] and in short a little of every thing for every body. Now is the time for a sight. Admittance free for a few weeks. Remember the place at I. M. AUSTIN'S
Erie, Dec. 23, 1854—32 State st., directly opposite Brown's

I SAY FRIEND,
What Has Caused this Great Commotion in Town?

I HAVE just opened a new Drug Store, at No. 4, Wright's Block, where I am opening the largest and best assortment ever offered in town, consisting of Drugs, Medicines, Confectionaries, Chemical Perfumeries, Surgical Instruments, Liquors for medical uses, Cegars and Tobacco, and also an assortment of India Rubber goods of the latest and most approved style. Also, Horse Liniments, Kerr's Petroleum, Brown's essence of Jamaica Ginger, Husband's calcined Magnesia, Cod Liver Oil, Rheumatic Drops, Tonic mixture, Plasters of various kinds, Fancy Goods, and a great variety of other articles too numerous to mention.

Persons in town and country are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves, at No. 4, Wright's Block, where they will find low prices, new Goods, and a plenty of them.
Erie, Jan. 6, 1855—34 DR. A. THAYER.

For Sale.

A Steam Engine, of about 30 or 35 horse power, with two boilers, grates, and other fixtures complete, all nearly New and superior articles.
Erie, Jan 13, 1855—tf35. WM. G. ARBUCKLE.

LOOK AT THIS.

KIERS Petroleum or Rock Oil, like the water of the Mineral Springs, flows spontaneously from the bosom of the earth. It is a remedy for Tetters, Scald Head, Ring Worms, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Burns, Scalds, and Piles. For sale at the Erie Drug Store, No. 4, Wright's Block.
Erie, Jan 12 A. THAYER.

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 Musical merchandize, ever offered in this city.

We are agents for the most celebrated Manufacturers in the United States, among whom are Boardman & Gray, Chickering, Leight, Newton & Bradburys, A. F. 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.
A. C. DAVIS.
Erie, Dec. 2, 1854—1y29 E. M. MANN.

Wanted! Wanted!!

MONEY in exchange for goods at low rates in any amount will be received at my cheap Hardware store if offered soon. I would also gently hint to some who know themselves indebted to me that a little of the needful would be very acceptable, and by offering some soon they will save costs.
Erie, Sept. 17, 1854—17 J. C. SELDEN.

SOME of Alexanders superior Kid Gloves, may be had by calling early. Also, very nice Silk Kid Cashmere and Fleecy lined Gloves at S. JACKSON & SON'S.
Nov 11, 1854.

JUST received by Express, another large stock of ladies dress Goods, comprising Plain, Striped and Changeable Silks, Fr. Merinos, Thibet cloths, &c. S. JACKSON & SON
Nov. 11, 1854 26

BROOMS, Pails, Tubs, Wash Boards, Mop sticks and Willow Ware in general, cheapest this side sunrise, at
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ANNUAL STATEMENT,
Of the Commissioners of the County of Erie for the year 1854

IN compliance with law, the Commissioners of the county of Erie, make the following exhibit of the Receipts and Expenditures of said County for the year A. D. 1854, to which is annexed a statement of the Duplicates of county and State Taxes levied on each township, borough and ward in the County for said year; also a statement of the outstanding notes due as per Auditor's report Jan. 1855.

RECEIPTS.

Am't of cash in Treasury per Auditors' report $		3521 12
"	" received from Cadwell and Bennett on loan of $30 M	4600 00
"	" " E. Huidekoper et al, sale of county Bonds	14000 00
"	" on Unseated Lands for 1852	418 86
"	" " 1853	377 20
"	" from Collectors, for the year 1853, S C	1358 34
"	" " " S P	30 01
"	" " 1854 S C	32858 62
"	" " " S P	505 08
"	P. E. Burton, ex-Sheriff on fines and fees	234 56
"	T. B. Vincent, " "	569 44
"	S. Perley, clerk, Com. vs. Davis	75 00
"	" " C. Liek	16 09
"	" " Norton	34 34
"	D. Pierce expenses of bringing A. Pierce	10 00
"	D. W. Vorse, esq., sale of stray	10 78
"	Com. being 5 per cent on adv. payment	557 58
		$59307 02

EXPENDITURES.

AUDITORS' PAY.

Amount paid Samuel Reeder	$12 00
" Oren Reed	12 00
" Robert Gray	12 00
" J. W. Wetmore, and't Pro. & Recorders accounts	15 00
	$51 00

FUEL.

Am't paid for coal and wood for Jail, and Court House, and Commissioners' office	816 25

INCIDENTAL.

Am't paid Heman Bump, Collector of Springfield, tax over paid on settlement for the year 1853	12 95
" D. McAllaster, Reg. Births, Deaths and Marriages	17 00
" Hiram Hull ballot-box for Summit	3 00
" For Postage	3 62
" M. Goodwin, esq. candles for Courts	1 00
" Sterrett & Gray do. and Com. office	7 77

PRISON EXPENCES.

Am't paid J. L. Stewart, Phy'n for Prisoners at Jail	$15 00
" Mrs. Yaple for making Comfortables	6 50
" Clark & Metcalf materials for same	12 09
" J. M. Justice for shirts	1 00
" R. T. Sterrett material for comfortables	21 38
" J. Rosenzweig & Co. clothing for pris'rs	37 63
" S. Deveaux, shoes "	2 38
" John Genshimer clothes	6 75
" T. B. Vincent material for comfortables	8 75
" Mrs. R. Haskins et al making the same	7 00
" T. B. Vincent esq. boarding prisoners	1736 24
" John Dillon, ironing "	2 00
" Adam Miller repairing privy at Jail	5 00
" Liddle Kepler & Co repairing cells	65 44
" W. E. Rindernecht brooms for Jail	1 83
" T. B. Vincent hat and shoes for pris'rs	1 15

JURORS.

Am't paid Traverse Jurors in Courts of Common Pleas, Oyer & Terminer & Session	$2303 13
Grand Jurors in Oyer & Terminer & Quarter Sessions	619 15

COMMONWEALTH COSTS.

Am't paid Dep't Att'y, General, Sheriff, Clerk of Quarter Sessions Justice Constable & witnesses in Commonwealth cases	1122 99

CONSTABLES

Am't paid Constables making returns to Quarter sessions	183 12

TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.

Am't paid Constables for giving notice of election and notifying officers elected	115 20
" Election Boards & attendance of Assessors and making returns	283 48

GENERAL ELECTION.

Am't paid several Election Boards for holding General election on the 2 Tuesday in October 1854	870 70

COURTS.

Am't paid A. E. White, Court Crier	117 00
" D. Bran, Tip Stave	93 70
" P. McGloin "	76 25
" H. Giles "	86 25

CLERK HIRE.

Am't paid Com's and Auditors Clerk	460 00

COMMISSIONERS.

Am't paid Rodney Cole	243 06
" R. R. Robinson	226 36
" Wm. Parker	175 20
" Flavel Boyd	33 72

PROTHONOTARY

Am't paid Samuel Perley, Prothonotary and Clerk of the several Courts, his fees for issuing veniras, certifying Jurors' fees and Court fines, and for recording election returns and certifying to Secretary of Com	102 58

CORONER.

Am't paid S. Dunn, holding P. M. Inquisitions	140 56
" Wm Scott	17 71
" Seymour Washburn	16 13
" E. W. Gerrish	17 03
" J. Davis	17 53

PRINTING.

Am't paid for publishing Annual Statement Sheriff's proclamation of General Election, adv., blank work &c.	233 25

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Am't paid sundry persons for repairs on county bridges, and viewers for vacating roads	49 60

NEW TOWNSHIPS.

Am't paid sundry persons for viewing and reporting for new township and election districts	33 50

STATIONERY

Am't paid O. Spafford et al, for paper, ink, quills &c., for Courts and Commissioners' Office, and blank books, dockets for Pro. and Rec'ds office	121 66

ASSESSORS.

List of the several Assessors in the County of Erie for the year 1855, together with the several amounts each received for taking the several Assessments.

Districts.	Assessors Names	
Erie East Ward	Sam'l L. Foster	$40 00
" West Ward	Thomas Stewart	40 00
Millcreek	John Mohr	40 00
Harbor creek	G. H. Wagner	25 00
North East Tp.	Dyer Loomis	30 00
" Bo.	R. A. White	10 00
Greenfield	John Walker	18 00
Venang	Norman Chapin	25 00
Wattsburg	H. McLean	7 00
Amity	F. D. Hill	22 00
Wayne	F. W. Hill	25 00
Concord	W. C. Webb	19 00
Union	Josiah Shreve	28 00
LeBoeuff	A. J. Holmes	28 00
Waterford Tp	James Oldfield	26 50
" Bo	Wm. Judson	14 00
Greene	H. P. Barney	17 00
Summit	J. J. Graham	18 00
McKean	Job Stafford	26 00
Washington	Jacob Lefever	22 00
Edenboro	J. J. Calbertson	10 00
Franklin	O. G. Wood	18 00
Elkcreek	D. R. Gordon	23 00
Conneaut	Patrick Kennedy	29 00
Fairview	Johnson Eaton	26 00
Girard Tp	J. C. Coffman	30 00
" Bo	Nathan Smith	10 00
Springfield	Daniel Eagley	30 00
		$656 50

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.

Am't paid requisition in full for 1854	3030 00

SHERIFF.

Am't paid T. B. Vincent, convicts to Penitentiary	134 23
" Summoning Jurors	340 40

COMMISSIONERS' COUNSEL.

Am't paid J. B. Johnson, 1 year salary	50 00
" expense in going to Philadelphia with Sunbury and Erie Railroad Bonds	75 00

ASSESSORS FOR 1854.

Am't paid Andrew Nicholson, Lyman Morse and Nathan Smith, Assessors for 1854	66 00

NEW COURT HOUSE.

Am't paid James & Sanborn for lumber	$12 41
" Daniel Youngs for brick	57 35
" Cadwell & Bennett for roofing N. C. H	1101 65
" " iron, nails &c.	292 23
" Hill & Hoskinson for laborers	649 20
" A. Scott for coal	68 00
" J. H. Burton & Co. for glass	208 34
" J. Lawyer, for hauling sand	29 25
" Carter & Brother for flooring	36 00
" M. Goodwin for basket	1 25
" M. Allen lumber	4 20
" J. Groiner, et al for trimming W. table	37 56
" Hill & Hoskinson on contract	22753 60
" Sam'l Low for survey and set grade	2 50
" Erie Gass Company for service pipe	48 40
" E. Meneeley & Sons for bell and fixtures	961 00
" A. J. Thomas for hauling some from dock	4 00
" Geo. W. Colton expense in going to Buffalo for the said bell	6 00
	$26272 97

INTEREST ON COUNTY LOAN.

Am't paid E. Huidekoper et al, interest on Co. Bonds	2830 00

COURT HOUSE.

Am't paid P. McGloin superintending old C. H. repairing the floor, brick, &c.	15 00
" Constable & Co. saw dust for floor	1 00
" H. J. [illegible] repairing seals for Courts	2 25
" Vincent, Himrod & Co. stove for	6 00
" Lynch & Atkins setting and furnishing glass	31
	17 24

LUNATIC HOSPITAL.

Am't paid for board and clothing for T. Filland Fellows	63 25

TREASURER.

Am't of commission allowed James Chambers, County Treasurer, by the Commissioners with the approbation of the Auditors, being 2½ per cent. on $45,617 54 amount of warrants redeemed by him and cancelled by the Auditors.	969 37

STATE FUNDS.

Am't paid the Commonwealth being the State proportion of cash received on taxes assessed on county rates and levies for the year 1854, in full for said year, except the State tax on unseated lands 12887 67

" On State personal 516 86

Total am't of disbursements including am't of State tax collected and paid over to the commonwealth	56860 55
Am't of cash in Treasury, Jan. 1, 1855	2337 61
Add for warrants redeemed issued prior to 1854	108 86
	$59307 02

Note.—The commission and allowances to collectors on their duplicates, settled during the year are not embraced in the foregoing statement inasmuch as they were neither paid into or out of the treasury, are as follows (including abatements for errors) to wit:

Am't of lost tax allowed collectors for 1854, on state and county tax		484 28
" "	1854 S. P.	16 00
" of fees "	" S & C	1609 47
" "	" S on P	27 10

STATEMENT
Of Balances outstanding January 1, 1855.

Bal. outstanding on unseated lands 1853	42 52
" " 1854	626 13
Due from Collectors.	
Asa Pratt, Wattsburg, 1853	17 52
Ansel Gates, " 1848	39 51
E. Hart, North East tp. 1854	487 25
Amos Gould " bo. " St. & Co,	63 12
" " St. Personal	4 75
Andrew Burton, Greenfield St. & Co.	121 64
John McCray, Concord	3 82
Alex. Hamilton, Washington, "	303 40
" " State Personal	75
Wm. Brown, Elkcreek, St & Co	103 82
Wm. Taggart Girard tp "	43 50
" " St on P	4 27
Due from individuals.	
Am't from E. W. M. Blain fines and fees (in suit)	205 13
" Wm. E. McNair "	303 79
" P. E. Burton "	456 47
" T. B. Vincent "	421 61

STATEMENT

Of the amount of duplicates of county poor and state tax levied on each of the respective townships and boroughs in the county of Erie, being 50 cents county and poor, 30 cents state tax on every $100 of the valuation for the year 1854.

Townships and Boroughs	Collector's Names	Am't of State and County taxes on Co rates & levies	Am't of State tax on excess of occupation & carriages	Am't State tax on extra of office	Amount of State tax on watches	Amount of Military fines and Taxes
East Ward, Erie,	M. Mayor,	5005 34	254 50	19 00	43 75	147 00
West " "	J. Zimmerly,	4582 38	99 50	16 00	52 00	52 00
Millcreek,	Jas. C Russell,	4016 61			8 75	79 50
Harborcreek,	P. D. Bryant,	1745 01				47 50
North East,	Edmond Hart,	2003 7[illegible]				25 00
N East bor.,	Amos Good,	397 60	2 00		6 00	12 00
Greenfield,	Andrew Burton,	535 73				20 00
Venango,	D. W. Titus,	724 16				23 00
Wattsburg,	A. P. Rouse,	173 30	8 30		2 25	3 00
Amity,	Ira Chaffee,	459 03				15 50
Wayne,	Edwin Hatch,	677 53				17 50
Concord,	John McCray,	503 95				17 00
Le Boeuf	James Mattison	801 26				60 50
Union,	John Odel,	702 21	1 40		2 75	14 50
Waterford,	Jos. Thomas	1001 88				19 50
Waterford bor.,	M. S. Vincent,	607 16	1 00		7 75	27 00
Greene,	Wm. B. Wood,	1272 46				23 00
M'Kean,	John L. Beers,	1283 92				57 50
Washington,	Alex Hamilton,	1159 66			75	41 00
Edinboro,	James Reeder,	170 77			1 75	22 50
Franklin,	Judiah Gardner,	417 83				7 00
Elkcreek,	William Brown,	717 28				70 50
Conneaut,	W. E. Fellows,	1092 10				50 00
Fairview,	Robert Robinson,	1813 92	4 00		2 00	62 00
Girard,	William Taggart,	1580 39	1 50		3 00	25 50
Girard bor.,	Seymour Pease	409 48	16 50		6 00	14 00
Springfield,	A. Eagley, Jr.,	2028 09	7 00		3 50	41 00

Am't of county tax, which includes fees for collecting lost tax and unseated lands	$20348 02
" poor tax levied by requisition of Directors of the poor	3000 43
" State tax levied	13665 43

We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Erie County, do certify that the foregoing statement is a full exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of said county for the year 1853.

R. R. ROBINSON,
WM. PARKER, } Co. Commissioners.
FLAVEL BOYD,

Attest, GEORGE W. COLTON, Clerk.

Com's Office, Erie, Jan. 1, 1855

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the County of Erie, having met together at the office of the County Commissioners of said county on the 1st Monday in January A. D. 1855, and having carefully examined the accounts and vouchers of the Commissioners and Treasurer of Erie co. aforesaid, for the year 1854, do report that we find them correct, and that we find a balance in cash in the treasury of two thousand three hundred and thirty seven dollars and sixty-one cents also a balance outstanding due the county from several sources mentioned of three thousand one hundred and sixty nine dollars and thirty four cents which amount includes the balance of State tax uncollected on unseated lands.

Given under our hands and seals at Erie this 16th day of January A. D. 1855.

OREN REED, [L. S.]
ROBERT GRAY, [L. S.]
GEO. W. BRECHT, [L. S.]
County Auditors.

Jan. 25, 1855—4t37

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The Schooner "Illinois," do 150 do	4,500
The Schooner "Traveler," carries 340 tons, built at Port Huron in 1853,	[illegible]
One brick House and lot, situate corner of Peach and 12th sts. Erie, Pa. lately owned by M. M. Moore,	2,500
One Farm of 100 acres well improved, and watered, with barn and cider mill, 1½ miles from the village of North East, Pa., substituted for "1 House and Store, in a flourishing village in Erie Co.,"	2,000
One Farm 167 acres, well watered and improved, with large frame dwelling house, several good barns, and located near North East, Pa., substituted for "1 House and 14 Acres attached, in a flourishing village, in Erie Co.,	2,000
One House and Lot in the beautiful and wealthy village of Fredonia, N. Y., situate near the Academy, and recently owned by H. W. Chapen, (in place of "1 House and Lot in a flourishing village in Erie county,)	1,700
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2 Fine Gold Chronometer Watches, $250,	500
30 Fine Gold Detached Watches, $50 to 100,	2,250
30 Fine Gold Cylinder Watches, $40 to 50,	1,500
30 Fine Gold D. B. Cylinder Watches, $30 to 70,	1,500
30 Fine Gold D. B. Detached Lever Watches, 55 to 85,	1,950
40 Silver D. B. English Lever Watches, 20 to 50,	1,400
100 Fine Silver D. B. Detached Lever Watches, 15,	1,500
100 Fine Silver D. B. Cylinder Watches, 10,	1,000
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100 Fine Gold Keys and Seals, 4 to 12,	800
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1 Fine Gold Diamond Pin and Ear Drops,	600
1 Fine Gold Ruby, and Emeral Pin and Ear Drops,	150
10 Pearl and Coral Setts, with Pin and Ear Drops, 30,	300
24 Fine Gold Bracelets, 10 to 40,	600
100 Fine Gold Ladies Brooches, 3 to 12,	750
100 Fine Gold Ladie's Ear Drops, 2 to 16,	900
50 Fine Gold Ladies' Ear Hoops, 1 to 3,	100
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200 Fine Gold Pencils, 1.50 to 12,	800
200 Fine Gold Finger Rings, 1 to 5,	700
300 Fine Gold Finger Rings, 1 to 2,	450
10 Fine Gold Crosses, 2 to 30,	100
20 Fine Gold Cuff Pins, 1 to 2,	30
10 Fine Gold Sleeve Buttons, 4 to 12,	70
100 Fine Gold Pens and silver cases, 1 to 2,	157
20 Fine Gold Thimbles, 2 to 6,	80
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1 Fine Silver Pitcher,	200
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12 Sets Fine Silver Table Spoons, 24,	288
24 Sets Fine Silver Tea Spoons, 10,	240
4 Sets Fine Silver Dessert Spoons, 12,	48
12 Setts Fine Silver Forks, 30,	360
1 Plated Tea Set,	100
1 Plated Tea Set,	75
1 Plated Tea Set,	50
2 Plated Urns,	50
10 Plated Cake Baskets, 8 to 26,	200
21 Plated Castors, 8 to 30,	240
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For sale at Dr. J. McCLINTOCK'S Medical Depot, N. W. corner NINTH and FILBERT Streets, Philadelphia, and by Druggists. Druggists or Dealers in Medicines who wish to become Agents will please address Dr. McCLINTOCK, furnishing reference, name of Post Office, County and State.
[illegible] 1855 6m34

NEW HARDWARE STORE.

I AM now receiving [illegible] [illegible] best assorted Stock of [illegible] [illegible] ever brought to Erie co. [illegible] [illegible] cash from manufacturers, without the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] were selected expressly for this [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] my Stock of American [illegible] [illegible] sizes, Sanderson & [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Amerian and [illegible] [illegible] Halter Chains [illegible] [illegible] Drills and [illegible] To Carpenters [illegible] [illegible] offered. My reputation for keeping good tools [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of Bench tools, Socket Firmers, [illegible] excels any thing ever offered.

[illegible] of Socket Firmers and carpenters [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] all kinds Hand, Panne, Rip [illegible] Pad and Buck saws are [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Hoe's & Hoe's mulay mill saws. [illegible] Flints wood saws. My stock of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a good assortment of [illegible] [illegible] mallets and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] assortment of their tools, crow [illegible] shovels & [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] general assortment of House furnishing goods [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the Boston belting [illegible] [illegible] packing, [illegible] [illegible] rubber.

But my pen tires [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] citizens of Erie county [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] always hangs out [illegible] 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 from 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 17, 1854. 27

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, Merinoes, French and English Merinoes, Paramattas, Wool de Lains, Alpaca, Shawls, Laces, Clothes and Trimming, Silk Velvets, Laces, Ribbons, Cloths, Vestings, Gloves, Hosiery, &c. &c.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS.—Attention is particularly directed 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. 2, 1854—30 CADWELL & BENNETT.

MECHANICS' TOOLS.—A large stock has just been received at the CHEAP Hardware store, No. 3 Reed House.
Erie, Dec. 23, 1854

BEAUTIFUL French wrought Collars from one shilling to ten Dollars, may be found at S. J. & SON'S
Nov. 11, 1854

SLEIGH Bells in lots to suit purchasers, at
Dec. 23, 1854 REED'S.

NUT Cracks & Picks can be found at RUFUS REED'S 31

Teas! Teas!!

AS the public have as yet been unable to obtain a really good article of Tea, we have at the solicitation of numerous customers purchased a few chests of fine young Hyson and choice Black Teas. We wish to have it distinctly understood that a finer quality of Teas can be had for the same money at No. 5 Reed House, than at any "Tea store in the City." Call and try them. BURTON & HERRON
Dec. 30, 1854 33.

WE are now offering our entire stock of Thibet Wool, Plaid and Printed Cashmere, Brochi Long and Square Scotch Plaid and Bay State Shawls at a very small advance from cost.
Nov. 11, 1854—26 J. JACKSON & SON

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

ALSO, Chemisetts, Under Sleeves, Bands, &c., &c. very cheap at Nov. 11 S. J. & SON'S.

A Rare Chance for Bargains.

THE subscribers, wishing to make room for a stock of Goods that can be bought for almost a song and a little of the "ready" from forced sales of Eastern Jobbers, owing to the tightness in the money market, have concluded to dispose of their large and magnificent stock of GROCERIES at unusually low prices for ready pay. The buying public will do well to call, as another such an opportunity, may never again be offered.
Erie, Jan 6, 1855—34 STERRETT & GRAY.

DE Laines and other winter dress goods selling at cost.
March 4, 1854—42. JACKSON & SON.

Latest Arrival of Fresh Fruit.

RECEIVED this day, a fresh lot of Raisins, Currants, Figs and Prunes, at SILL'S, No. 5, Cheapside.
Jan. 6, 1855. 34.

[illegible] 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 diseases 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 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 peoples. Although not in as 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. A. White, Girard, W. H. Towns in Springfield, and by all dealers in medicine everywhere.

Beware of Counterfeits and worthless preparations attempted to be palmed off under a similarity of name.
Nov. 25, 1854 3m30—1y11

CASH, 2,000 yards Madder Prints warranted pure Madder at 6¼ cts. Nov. 4—25 TIBBALS & HAYES.

CASH, 1,500 yards, Lancaster and Glasgow Ginghams, colors fast [illegible] TIBBALS & HAYES.

1,500 YARDS colored and Black Coburgs, double width fine quality and very desirable colors, from 18¾ to 44 cts per yard, at Nov. 4 TIBBALS & HAYES.

FRESH FRUIT.—Now receiving—Almonds, Brazil nuts, Eng. Walnuts, Filberts and Pea nuts, Rasins, Citrons, Currants, and Figs, at SILL'S.
Nov. 25, 1854. 29

BLACK VARNISH.—For iron fence, grates, stoves and all similar purposes. CARTER & BRO.
Nov. 25, 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.

YEAST LOAF.—A very large assortment of Teas, at prices which no Tea store this side of [illegible] can beat, at
Erie, Nov. 18, 1854—27 HOSKINSON'S

WANTED.—A few Dollars of Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois and Ohio money, in exchange for groceries, at Cash prices. Nov. 18, 1854 T. J. HOSKINSON.

HOME JOBS.

WATCHES and Jewelry of every description carefully repaired by first rate workmen. Jewelry of all kinds made to order. Also Silver Spoons from coin silver. Engravings in any style done well. Canes mounted with gold and silver, and many other jobs too numerous to mention, done on short notice by
Erie Dec. 23, 1854 I. M. AUSTIN

300 POUNDS Star and Opal Candles, nearly equal to Sperm, and at half the cost.
Dec. 30, 1854. BURTON & HERRON

FLOUR, FLOUR.—The best brands of Erie County flour made from selected wheat, by the barrel or pound at
HOSKINSON'S 32

CANDLES! CANDLES!—Twenty boxes, Star, Sterine and Opal Candles just received from Cincinnati and for sale by the box or pound at HOSKINSON'S

A FRESH lot of raisins and figs just received and for sale cheap at HOSKINSON'S.
Erie, Dec. 30, 1854.

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

MILL, Cross Cut, and Butting Saws at the Cheap Hardware Store of RUFUS REED.
Erie Dec. 23, 1854 31

AS I am desirous of closing up the Liquor business, I offer the largest and purest assortment of Brandies, Wines, &c for cost. T. J. HOSKINSON

SOME splendid pieces of colored cloths and French Cassimeres, for pants, just opened at JACOB KOCH'S,
Sept. 16, 1854—16 No. 7, Reed House.

CHEAPEST LIGHT IN THE WORLD.—A supply of CARBON OIL, just received by
Jan. 27, 1855. BURTON & HERRON.

SELLING OFF AT COST.
Bargains in Clothing to be had at No. 1 Perry Block.

DESIRING to close the present business on the first of April, the undersigned will dispose of their ENTIRE STOCK OF CLOTHING AT COST, thus offering to those in want of any thing in their line one of the best opportunities ever offered to make

Capital Bargains in Clothing.

It is quite unnecessary to enumerate our stock, but we will just say that the one [illegible] [illegible] of which call and examine. SANNER & SCHLURDORF
Erie, Jan 27 [illegible]

DISSOLUTION.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing and known as the firm of [illegible] & KELSO, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The books and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] settlement [illegible] & KELSO
N. B. The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] continued by the subscriber as heretofore. [illegible] KELSO
Erie, January 20, 1855. 3m38

STARCH, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] CARTER & BRO.
Aug. 26, 1854—14

PAINTS! PAINTS!

PURE [illegible] White Lead, Dry and ground in Oil, [illegible] [illegible] Zinc Paint [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Red, Red Lead, Yellow Ochre, Chrome Yellow [illegible] [illegible] dry and ground [illegible] [illegible] Indian Red, Ver Dementia, Van Dyke Brown, [illegible] [illegible] Marine Blue, Prussian Blue, [illegible] [illegible] American and Chinese Vermilion, [illegible] [illegible] Carmine Drop Lake, Gold Leaf, Bronze, [illegible] crimson and citron and almost every thing in the line of Paints, Wholesale and Retail. BURTON & HERRON.
Dec. 16 1854 31

POWDER [illegible] [illegible]
Nov. 25, 1854—29 HOSKINSON'S

ORDER [illegible] Feathers, [illegible] received at
Nov. 11, 1854 J. H. WARREN'S

NOTICE.

THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the SUNBURY and ERIE RAILROAD COMPANY, will be held on Monday, the [illegible] [illegible] at [illegible] o'clock, A. M., at the office of the company, No. [illegible] South Third Street.

At this Meeting an ELECTION for Managers will be held according to the provisions of the charter of the Company. [illegible] PHILIP M. PRICE, Secretary.

30,000 Fruit and Ornamental Trees.

[illegible] now prepared to furnish in lots to suit [illegible] APPLE, PEAR, CHERRY and PLUM [illegible] SIBERIAN CRAB, HONEY LOCUST, SILVER [illegible] [illegible] CHESTNUT TREES. These trees are three years grown and are being grafted and are very [illegible] Catalogues of kinds will be given next week.
CONRAD BROWN, Jr.
Erie Jan 27, 1855 37 M. R. BARR

M[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Brown [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] STERRETT & GRAY'S

WE have just received a large lot of Stuart's Extra Syrup, which we are selling lower than was ever offered in this city, at SILL'S, No. 5, Cheapside.
Jan. 6, 1855 34

MEDICATED INHALATION.
A New Method.

A MOST wonderful discovery has recently been made by Dr. Curtis, for the cure of Asthma, Consumption, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and all complaints, by Medicated Inhalation.—Dr. CURTIS'S HYGEANA, or INHALING HYGEAN VAPOR and CHERRY SYRUP, has accomplished the most wonderful cures of Asthma and Consumption in the City of New York and vicinity for a few months past ever known to man. It is producing an impression on Diseases of the Lungs never before witnessed by the medical profession. See certificates in hands of Agents.

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,—supplying the lungs constantly with healing and agreeable vapor, passing into all the air-cells and passages of the lungs that cannot possibly be reached by any other medicine. Here is a case of

ASTHMA CURED.
BROOKLYN, N. Y., Dec. 20th, 1853.

For about eight years I have been severely afflicted with Asthma; for the last two years I have suffered beyond all my powers of description; months at a time I have not been able to sleep in a bed, getting what rest I could sitting in my chair. My difficulty of breathing, and my sufferings, were so great at times, that for hours together my friends expected each hour would be my last. During the past six years I have had the aid and attendance of some of the most celebrated physicians, but have received no permanent benefit, and but little relief. I at length had the good fortune to procure Dr. Curtis's Hygeana, or Inhaling Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup. At the time I first obtained it, I was suffering under one of the most violent attacks, and was in great distress, almost suffocating for want of breath. In less than ten minutes from the time I applied the Inhaler to my stomach, and took a teaspoonful of the Cherry Syrup, I was relieved in a great measure from the difficulty of breathing, and had a comfortable night. I have since continued it with the greatest possible benefit, and am now comparatively well. God only knows the amount of suffering this medicine has relieved me from. My advice to the sufferer is,—TRY IT.
MARGARET EASTON.

CONSUMPTION CURED.
NEW-YORK, Dec. 27th, 1853.

I came to New York in the ship [illegible], 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 physicians pronounced my case Consumption, and beyond the reach of medicine. I accidentally heard of Dr. Curtis's 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. H. RING, corner of John street Broadway, N. Y. Price $3 per package.

For sale by Burton & Herron, and Carter & Brother, agents for Erie.