THE OBSERVER.

LOCAL, LITERARY & MISCELLANEOUS.

Items, Local and Otherwise.

[illegible] weather the theme of every-day conversation, has [illegible] this week.

[illegible] days, sharp days, long nights com[illegible] space [illegible] shall hide us from the Winter's face?

[illegible] very [illegible] of the appearance of winter has No[illegible] The trees are almost as green as they [illegible], while the grass shows very little [illegible] the sharp days [illegible] the last month of [illegible] speaking of [illegible] not the fashion [illegible] herself in [illegible] those days"—did any body [illegible] ever see [illegible] stylish overcoats as "our [illegible] delight to increase their fair proportions. Like [illegible] said to have been worn by the old man [illegible], [illegible] down before" from the instep to the chin.

[illegible] called upon to advise our City Fathers [illegible] them to get that Old Court House [illegible] out of the [illegible]. It is an eye sore and a nuisance, and [illegible].

[illegible]—Incipient manhood is now betray[illegible] on the chin, called whiskers and three [illegible] tobacco above the chin, called a cigar! In[illegible] by six flounces on a hoop on the street, [illegible] "Speaking [illegible] the following [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] of Mead [illegible]

[illegible] Mr W. B. Bral [illegible] Meadville [illegible] are getting [illegible] New York [illegible] The Buffalo Express [illegible] have refused [illegible]

[illegible] Pennsylvania argument [illegible] during the past year, its ma[illegible] will be 100 000. A goo[illegible] The Post Mas[illegible]

[illegible] Buffalo to be baptized [illegible] Having arrived there [illegible] The Church [illegible] First Presbyterian church [illegible]

[illegible] women are said to have [illegible] young gentlemen in the United States [illegible] reminds us of the remark of a co[illegible] should not and we believe they gen[illegible] kissed by Editors because [illegible] for the perfect *freedom of the* [illegible] Lowry, formerly mine host of the Am[illegible] has been elected to the Senate, or Coun[illegible]. He is a Democrat of the right [illegible] Sandusky [illegible] and wishes to hear [illegible] believe that the [illegible] last.

[illegible] was sworn in as Sheriff [illegible] With the commission in his [illegible] office, [illegible] will take a higher [illegible] him [illegible] guess." So that matter [illegible] next [illegible]

[illegible] ever a favorite among a large [illegible] commences its new volume on the 6th of [illegible] increased attractions. Among other [illegible] Novel in serial numbers, by N. P. [illegible] Editors, entitled "PAUL FANE; or Parts [illegible]." Besides the contributions and labor [illegible] *Home Journal* will contain the Foreign [illegible] correspondence of a large list of contribu[illegible] the European Magazines, the selections [illegible] publications of the day, the brief [illegible] stories, the sparkling wit and amusing [illegible] news and gossip of the Parisian papers, the [illegible] sketches of public characters, the stirring scenes [illegible] we live in, the chronicle of the news for ladies, [illegible] the facts and outlines of news, the pick of [illegible], the wit humor and pathos of the times, [illegible] literature, society and morals, and the [illegible] careful choosings from the wilderness of [illegible] literature, criticism, poetry &c. The [illegible] will remain the same—$2 per year, three [illegible] Morris and Willis, Publishers, 107 Fulton st., [illegible]

[illegible] Tuesday was an unprecedented mean day just [illegible] day for a suicide, treason or any other [illegible] mean. The Buffalo *Express* says that, [illegible] stable, disgusting, diabolical and drizzling [illegible] remember to have seen, this was the "queen [illegible] the right bower of mean days—ugly as [illegible] the contemplation of the grave, sad as or[illegible] widowhood. It rained as if the heavens were [illegible] Buffalo the Maelstrom—as if we all were [illegible] falling water was our punishment. May [illegible] as violets on Mount Blanc." So say [illegible] Thursday was bright and joyous enough to [illegible]

[illegible] J. W. Farrelly, Cousel for the Borough [illegible] written the Burgess and Council a letter [illegible] right to erect a market house on the Public [illegible] a step in the right direction, and we hope [illegible] the removal of our nuisance from the [illegible] He says "the Public Square is now appro[illegible] for the purposes of ornament and recre[illegible] of health and ventilation, and for [illegible] convenience and [illegible] persons, consequently the Burgess and Town [illegible] authority to erect upon it a market [illegible] license from the Legislature."—[illegible] Public Square in Meadville now was [illegible] market house was erected.

[illegible] a weekly Journal of Entertain[illegible] Improvement and Progress," published in New York [illegible] commenced its second volume on last [illegible] new dress, and changed to a Quarto. We [illegible] per every week during the past year, and [illegible] by all odds the best family paper pub[illegible]

[illegible] a letter retained in the Buffalo post office [illegible] of postage, addressed to Mrs. Israel B [illegible] Pa. The following are retained in the office [illegible] the same reason.

[illegible] care of American Consul, Panama, N G

[illegible] Miss Jane, Franklin, Pa.

[illegible] K, New Market, N. J.

[illegible] Rome, N. Y.

[illegible] B, Beaver Dam, Wis.

[illegible] H. Hatson, a conductor on the Buffalo and [illegible] been appointed to the assistant superinten[illegible] of the same.

[illegible] Buffalo *Commercial* says there are in [illegible] bills of the Farmers' Joint Stock Bank [illegible] of Upper Canada of the same denomina[illegible] containing the words, "Bank of Up[illegible]" the words "Joint Stock Bank." A person [illegible] the plate of the Bank of Upper Canada [illegible] be imposed on by this counterfeit.—[illegible] up to the light the fraud is at once de[illegible]

[illegible] HAWK.—Did any of our young lady [illegible] hawk? Don't all answer "yes" [illegible] In a breach of promise case recent[illegible] Springfield, Mass., Mr. Frederick Dwight was [illegible] for the benefit of Eunice C [illegible] Among other [illegible] was one in relation to a [illegible] exhibited to Eunice.—[illegible] by Eunice's mother, in [illegible] Dwight saw Eunice mop[illegible] to come to the door and see a [illegible] She went out, and in a moment [illegible] hawk, [illegible] I did not see any hawk, [illegible] with his arm around Eunice's waist, [illegible] and tell her he didn't want her to mop [illegible] A word advice to our young lady friends: When a [illegible] young gent asks you to go and see a very [illegible] don't you do it—if mamma is about!

Proceedings of the City Councils.

COUNCIL ROOMS, MONDAY EVENING, November 5, 1855.

Councils met. Present Mayor Laird, Messrs. Sterrett, Dunlap, Arbuckle and Snyder, of Select, and Messrs. Barr, President, Achison, Smith, Goalding, Kennedy, Sterrett, Wild, Henry, Carter and Koch, of the Common Council.

The Select Committee to whom was referred the petition and accompanying plans of the Western Railroad, asking Councils for the grant of free right of way for said road on the route therein designated, to the Harbor, made the following report, which was adopted by both councils:

The joint committee of the Select and Common Councils, of the City of Erie, to whom was referred the memorial of WILLIAM CASE, Esq., President of the Cleveland, Painsville and Ashtabula Railroad Company, together with the surveys and report of Samuel H. Selden, respectfully report:

That they have carfully examined said surveys and report, and learn with regret that the said railroad company has, upon the surveys made for them, adopted as their proposed line of extension to the harbor, route No. 1. Your committee cannot view this in any other light than an effort to force the City Councils to refuse their assent thereto, and with a hope to claim for that reason an exemption from extending the track of their road to the Harbor of Erie, at or near the grounds of the Sunbury and Erie railroad.—This route is in no respect in accordance with the act of Assembly requiring such extension. It diverges, it is true, from the track of the company's road west of Liberty street, but it only does so until it reaches 12th. street, and then runs along 12th. street in a line parallel to the line of the present road across the entire length of the City, and beyond it for a considerable distance, and then approaches the terminus fixed by the act of Assembly in a northwestwardly direction, instead of diverging west of Liberty street and thence proceeding by the most practicable route in a northeastwardly direction to the harbor. This route would be so injurious to the city, in addition to its palpable evasion of the Act of Assembly, that your committee have no hesitation in recommending that the City authorities do not grant the free right of way thereto to the said company.

Routes No 2 and 3 are held so objectionable by the company that they need no farther remark from your committee than that they would be, if possible, more objectionable on account of evasion of the act of Assembly, and injury to the city than No. 1, both passing through the Public Square and passing for a long distance on two principal streets, and that no grant of the right of way ought to be given by the city authorities to construct said extension by either of them.

In regard to route No. 4, your committee regret that it had not been adopted by the company, as they would recommend that the city authorities grant the free right of way to said company over any of the public grounds of the city, or over any of the streets thereof so far as they have power to grant the same. Your committee have read the labored effort of S. H. Selden, the Engineer of the company, to point out the disadvantages and difficulties to be encountered in adopting said route, as if conscious that it required all his efforts to convince the company and the public that it was not the best route in every respect.

Notwithstanding all this, it appears by his report that the grades are better and the cost not greatly beyond that of route No. 1. It avoids the injury to the city in crossing it from west to east and it makes the legal divergance and pursues the course of approach to the harbor indicated by the Act of Assembly. Your committee have been long residents of the city of Erie and acquainted with the ground proposed to be occupied by this route along the bank of [illegible] lake, and are satisfied that neither the apprehended [illegible] nor a stratum of rock fifteen feet thick, will have to be encountered as the result of adopting this route. Your committee are very desirous that every facility in the power of the city authorities, be afforded the company to comply with the Act of Assembly requiring the extension of the track or tracks of their road to the harbor, by any reasonable and legal route, and further they have no hesitancy in expressing their belief that a better and more eligible route than either of those surveyed and reported [illegible] company can be found diverging and running to the Harbor a short distance west of route No. 4. And for the purpose of testing this, they would recommend an exploration of the ground traversed by route No. 4, and west of it, and they recommend also, that the Councils unite with the Company and choose an experienced and skillful citizen to be agreed upon by the company and a committee of the Councils, and that they will pay half of the expenses of making such exploration and survey of routes, so [illegible] the company be unwilling to adopt route No. 4, a better one may be ascertained at the joint expense of the city and of the company.

The committee recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That they will grant the right of way over any public ground belonging to the city and over the streets of the same as far as they have power to do so, for the construction of a track of the Cleveland, Painsville and Ashtabula railroad by route No. 4, or any other route to the harbor with a proper divergance, and continuing west of that line.

Resolved, That the Councils will co-operate with the said railroad company or any committee of the same duly appointed, to select an experienced Engineer to make an exploration and survey of the ground traversed by route No. 4, and west of it, with a view to ascertain the best practical route, and that they will agree to defray half the expense of the said survey.

A resolution relative to the Plank Walk on Tenth street was referred to Side Walk Committee.

Bills amounting to $137 7[illegible] were ordered paid.

Adjourned.

MEAN.—The Buffalo papers record an act of meanness that is worthy to record, if for nothing else than to show how mean and depraved people can become. They say that the Washington Monument Box at the First Ward Polls, was stolen by some miscreant, during a brief absence of the Inspectors on Tuesday evening. It was supposed to contain about $100. The person who would perpetrate such an act as that would sell the gray hairs of his mother for rope yarn.

The Iron is being laid on the Cleveland and Mahoning Railroad, and will be completed to Warren by the first of January, showing that while we in Pennsylvania talk, talk, talk, on railroads, in Ohio they make them!

We notice that J. B. Sansom, Esq., editor of the Fulton *Democrat*, is a candidate for the post of Seargeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives of this State. We dont know Mr. S., but as he is a Democratic Editor, it must be all right; we therefore go *Sansom*, and nobody else.

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In Cuts, Wounds, Sprains and Bruises—casualties to which children are contantly subject—the action of the genuine DALLEY'S PAIN EXTRACTOR, is ever the same! How much Pain and Suffering may not thus be prevented! *Moreover*, Life itself is often dependent upon having at hand the Genuine DALLEY EXTRACTOR, and for particulars for which I respectfully refer to my printed pamphlets, for the truth of which I hold myself responsible.

No case of Burns and Scald, no matter how severe, has ever yet, in any one instance, resisted the all-powerful, pain subduing and healing qualities of the DALLEY'S PAIN EXTRACTOR.

No Pain Extractor is genuine unless the box has upon it a Steel Plate Engraved Label with the signatures of C. V. CLICKENER & CO., proprietors, and HENRY DALLEY, manufacturer. Price 25 cents per box

All orders should be addressed to C. V. Clickener & Co., 81 Barclay street, New York.

For sale by Burton & Herron, Erie, Pa. 3m23

$100.—PROCLAMATION.—*To the Mayor*:—Ask the following highly honorable and well known citizens of Philadelphia whether my "Ellectric Oil" cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache and Pains of every kind—in fact, whether it does not produce an immediate effect without the remotest injury:—E. Killingsworth, Esq., owner of the [illegible]; Dr. Wood, Wood's Museum; F. Duffy, Esq., 20 [illegible] large livery owner; J. Wyman, Esq., Chesnut st.; Robert Betham, Esq., League Island road; D. C. Buchanan, Esq., corner of Seventeenth and Lombard streets, and five hundred others, besides any number of ladies and children cured as if by magic, by this wonderful Pain Reliever, known as "De Grath's Electric Oil." Ask all the cured in Philadelphia. It will cost you but a trifle to be cured. No long doctors' bill to foot up. It does not taste bad, nor stain your skin nor your linen. Try it, you that have tried every thing else in vain for Rheumatism, &c. Rub it well, and keep the bottle well corked.

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The large bottles are ten times the cheapest. 7

A CARD TO THE LADIES.—Dr. J. Duponco's Golden Periodical Pills 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 invariably 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 wholesale and retail, at the proprietors price by CARTER & BROTHER, No. 5 Reed House, to whom all orders must be addressed. 1y26.

Hosiery and Gloves.

JUST received the best Stock of winter Hosiery and Gloves of every variety of size, color and price ever [illegible] in this city.
Nov. [illegible] CADWELL & GRISWOLD.

Commercial and Marine.

OBSERVER OFFICE, November 9, 1855.

ERIE MARKET.—Wheat $2,00; Corn new in ear 28c per bushel; oats 29c; Rye 88, Barley 1,12. Flour 9,50; Meal 1,70 per 100 lbs.; Buckwheat 3,00a4 00 per 100 lbs., potatoes 40a50c per bush. Apples 25c per bushel; Cider 1,50 per barrel; Butter 18a20c per lb.; Cheese 8; Lard 12½. Cranberries 1,75a2,00 per bushel Hay 8a8,50 per ton; Wood 2,25a2,50 per cord. Coal 4,00a4,50 per ton.

BUFFALO, Nov. 9.

There was but little or nothing doing in flour, owing mainly to the fact that holders were above views of buyers. No sales except to the trade at previous rates. Wheat in good supply and dull. Sales 800 bushels red Kentucky at 1,86; 2000 bushels Wisconsin Spring on private terms. Rye plenty and lower. Sales 2000 bushels at 108c. Whiskey firm and in good demand. Sales 100 bbls at 38c.

New York Markets.

Reported for the Observer by Bennett & Huntington, Commission Merchants, 4 Front Street, New York.

NEW YORK, November 7, 1855.

The market for Flour and grain, during the week, has been marked with much buoyancy, and straight brands of State Flour being in good demand for shipping attained a point, closing rather tamely at a slight decline.

BREADSTUFFS.—We quote common State 8,93¾a9,00; Extra, do 9.00a9,25; extra Genessee, 9,75a12,00; common to good Michigan, 8,81¼a8,87½; extra do., 9,00a9,25; common to good Ohio, Indiana and Wisconsin, 9,00a9,18¾; extra do., 9,31¼a9,25; Rye Flour, 6,50a7,50. Buckwheat, Flour 2,50 per 100 lbs.

GRAIN.—Wheat, is active, and prime parcels are firm at 2,15a2,22½ for white Canadian, 2,20a2,2,25 for Southern; prime white from the interior of the State, 2,10a2,2,25; ordinary do. 1,85a2,00; red do. 1,80a2,05; red Ohio and western including Illinois spring, 1,80a2,05; white do. 1,85a2,20 for ordinary to prime. Rye, 1,18a1,20. Oats, 46a47c bu.; for State, 47a50c for western. Corn is in good demand without much change in prices, say 95a96c bu. for western mixed. Southern white, 1,00a1,06.

PROVISIONS.—Pork is firm with a good demand at 22,50a22,62½ for Mess, 22,00a21,25 for Prime, and western Prime mess 21,60; country mess Beef 13,00a14,00 bbrl. prime do. 9,50a10,00; repacked Chicago, Indiana and Wisconsin, 16,50 extra mess, 16,00; prime mess, 20,00a24,00; Beef Hams, 14,50a17,00. Live Hogs, 7½a7½c. Dressed Hogs, 9¼a10c.

BUTTER.—Contrary to the early expectations of the dealers and receivers generally, continues to rule firm at full prices, and think we the present prospect is that prices will be well sustained during the season; we advise moderate and judicious operations. The demand for prime butter is hardly supplied by the daily receipts, and the stock of all descriptions is light. We are selling choice dairies and Fall made butter at 23a24c lb. good fair quality do. at 22a22½, common and store packed 19a21; Ohio and Pennsylvania Fall made uniform color 18a20, common and summer made 15a17; Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin 19a20; grease butter 11a12½c.

CHEESE—The stock here is in few hands, and choice dairies of state sell readily at 10½a10¾c lb; common to fair do [illegible]a10½c lb; Ohio and Pennsylvania 9¼a10; English dairy do. 11a12. Lard is in good request and not plenty at 12a12½c lb.

PRODUCE, &c.—Dried Apples are in brisk demand, at 6¾a7c lb for shipping. Green apples 1,25a1,10 per barrel. Dried Peaches 13a14c; do. Plums 14a15c lb. White Beans are very scarce and in active request; our sales today were at 2,50 bush. Canada Peas 1,31 bush. Timothy seed 2,12½ bush. Clover seed 10½c lb. Flax seed 2,00 a2,05 Hops 8a10c lb. for old and 10a13c lb for good eastern and prime western.

ASHES.—Pots are firm at 6,37½; Pearls 6,50. Saleratus 6,00

WOOL.—Medium Saxe 35p40c; medium fleece western, 35a37½c; fine 40a45c lb.

Causes for Trial on the 2d Monday in Dec. 1855

Wallace	vs. Evans	No.	37	Aug. T. 1852
Wallace	vs. Gallifone		38	" "
Cochran	vs. Hearn		65	Feb. T. 1853
Marshall & Vincent	vs. Hall		95	" "
Miranville	vs. Silverthorn		46	May T. "
Bennett et al	vs. Reed		96	" "
Pearce & Bro.	vs. Reed		97	" "
McConnell et al	vs. Reed		98	" "
Howell	vs. Reed		99	" "
Lyon	vs. White		128	" "
Hart Adm. of Trask	vs. St. M. I. Co.		2	Aug T. "
Horton	vs. Humphrey		144	" "
Comstock	vs. Robison		19	Nov. T. "
Gulliford & Evans	vs. Reed		87	" "
Seiple & Co	vs. Sherman		92	" "
H D Smith	vs. Vincent		110	" "
Seigle	vs. Ellis, Petrie & Co.		120	" "
Balliott	vs. Robison		178	" "
Hunt	vs. Newton		190	" "
Sterrett	vs. Wright		12	Feb. T. 1854
Callin	vs. Ferguson		52	" "
Stockton & Fuller	vs. Kellogg		82	" "
Patrick	vs. Reed & Boyle		83	" "
Jas. Van Buskirk	vs. Reed & Boyle		84	" "
John Reed	vs. Reed & Boyle		86	" "
Chas. Van Buskirk	vs. Reed & Boyle		88	" "
Patchen	vs. Wetmore		171	" "
Newton	vs. Adams & Gray		3	May T. "
Midler	vs. Warfel, et al		65	" "
Dunn	vs. Able		89	" "
Guard's of H L Hamot	vs. Gable		139	" "
Johnson	vs. Long et al		161	" "
Baumont	vs. Thornton		165	" "
Martin	vs. Boyle		177	" "
Martin	vs. Reed		178	" "
Booth	vs. Oliver et al		179	" "
Cook & Kelso	vs. Jackson & Harris		197	" "
Lowry	vs. The Franklin Canal Co.		73	Aug. T. "
Scott	vs. Campbell		112	" "
Fisher	vs. Compton		122	" "
Fisher	vs. Hamilton		123	" "
Bennett, Proch. ami.	vs. Chambers		128	" "
Wetmore	vs. Lowry		144	" "
Ellis	vs. Norris		245	" "
O B Dunn	vs. Jas B Dunn		249	" "
Kelley	vs. Barr		29	Nov. T. "
Safford	vs. Mitchell		31	" "
Wm Knox	vs. Philip Steinmetz		85	" "
Moor	vs. Norris		137	" "
Zimmerlee	vs. Bates		140	" "
Dunham	vs. The E. & N. E. R. R. Co.		148	" "
Himrod & Boyd	vs. Reed & Hearn		176	" "
Dibble	vs. Dibble		16	Feb. T. 1855
Frear & Co.	vs. Thos Mehaffey.		90	" "
Doe	vs. Fritts		111	" "
Mills	vs. Excrs. of H L Brown		143	" "
Cadwell	vs. Bates		225	" "
Gifford	vs. Gifford		190	" "

Erie, Nov. 10, 1855.—26 A. KING, Pro.

STRAY CATTLE.

CAME to the enclosure of the subscriber living in Summit township on the 1st inst., five young Cattle, a black steer 3 years old, a 2 year old red and white steer, and two 2 years old and one late yearling heifers, no artificial marks noticed. Whoever owns said cattle are requested to call, prove property, pay charges, and take them away.
Summit, Nov. 10, 1855. R. M. T. TATE. 3t55

Two Corner Lots on 8th Street for Sale.

INLOT No. 1440 on the north east corner of eight and Myrtle streets; also Inlot No. 1377, on the northwest corner of Eight and Holland streets, on which is erected a large frame house.

These lots will be subdivided and will afford to purchasers an opportunity of securing on good terms most desirable building lots on one of the best streets in the city and in proximity to the centre of business. The property will be sold at private sale. JAMES SILL.
Erie, Nov. 3, 1855. 2t25

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the "Marvin Creek Coal Co." will be held at the Secretary's office in Erie, on the 17th inst., for the purpose of filling a vacancy in the board of directors, and to make sundry alterations in the bylaws of the Company. By order of the President.
Erie, Nov. 3, 1855.—2t25 JAS. G. PAYNE, Sec'y.

STRAYS.

STRAYED from the subscriber living near Elliot's Mill, Millcreek tp., on the 24th ult., a brown heifer in good condition with no private marks, also a dark brown steer in good condition, his horns bend downwards. Whoever gives information of their whereabouts will be rewarded for their trouble. HENRY NIEMEYER.
Millcreek, Nov. 1st, 1755. 3t

Light, Newton & Bradburys' PIANO FORTES VICTORIOUS!

A COMMITTEE, appointed by the "New York Harmonic Society" to select the very best piano that could be made for their use, gave the preference to

Light, Newton & Bradbury.

Lowell Mason, Thos Hastings, H. C. Timm, Geo. F. Root and a host of other eminent Musical talents, pronounce those the very best.

They have just introduced a great improvement in the *Patent Arch West Plank.*

They were awarded the first Premium at the Great World's Fair and at the American Institute.

A splendid assortment just received by the Agent at Manns Music store, Sign, big Fiddle.

E. M. MANN is agent for Boardman, Gray & Co. Dolce Campana Attachment Piano Fortes.
Erie, Nov. 3, 1854. 25

Teachers Wanted.

THE Directors of Greene township will meet with the Superintendent to examine teachers on Wednesday, the 16th of November, at the Lawrence school house. Teachers desiring situations will do well to attend. By order of the President.
Erie, Nov. 3, 1855.

THE EMPIRE ON HAND.

WITH the best assortment of Hardware, Carriage and Harness Trimmings, Crockery &c., that has ever been offered for sale in this place, having bought our goods principally from the manufacturers. We can say without hesitation that we can afford and will sell goods at prices [illegible] please the buyer.

We intend to sell a large quantity of Goods this Fall and Winter and in order to do so have concluded to sell goods at a smaller advance than usual.

Carriage and Harness Trimmings.

In regard to our saddlery department we can safely say that we can sell Carriage and Harness Trimmings at prices as low as any house west of Albany, as they were bought with the greatest care. Our assortment is very large. Carriage and Harness makers are solicited to call and examine.

CROCKERY.

Our crockery assortment is complete under the name of crockery. Comprising in part the richest gilt and plain China sets, vases, motto cups &c.; also white, Britannia and light colored china, a large assortment. Glass ware, Britannia ware and everything belonging to the crockery trade, which will be sold for cash at the lowest possible rates.
Erie, Nov. 3, 1855. ROGERS, KENNEDY & REYNOLDS.

GREAT BARGAINS.

WE are receiving this week one hundred and fifty Boxes and Bales, direct from the Manufacturers of all kinds of Dry Goods, comprising the largest assortment of the most fashionable goods that have been in market this year, which will be sold at lower figures than any establishment west of the Atlantic. CADWELL & GRISWOLD.
Erie, Oct. 3, 1855. 25

Window Cornice.

CURTAIN Bands, Bosses and Glass Curtain Pins and Stair rods just received at
Nov. 3 —25 ROGERS, KENNEDY & REYNOLDS.

New Goods AT THE PERRY BLOCK.

WE, the subscribers, have just returned from New York with a splendid stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, to which we call your attention when visiting our city, hoping it may be your interest as well as ours. We have bought our goods at a very low figure, and are determined to make it an object to buyers to select largely. Our motto is quick sales and small profits. Ladies and gentlemen all, we ask is to give us a call—examine and be your own judges. We make no charges to show our goods. You will soon find yourselves in the midst of a large and well selected stock of goods of every description and variety imaginable, bought at prices which will enable us to sell at about the old prices, notwithstanding the great advance in Cotton and Woolen Goods. We have also received a very large assortment of

Men's and Boy's Hats and Caps as well as Men's and Boy's Boots and Shoes.

With a large variety of Ladies, Misses and Childrens' Shoes and Rubbers, &c. &c. Our stock of Groceries, Queensware and Hardware is full and desirable.

We have just received an elegant sort of Ladies Collars, Undersleeves, Worked Bands, Kid, Silk and Lisle Thread Gloves and a large variety of all kinds and sizes of Hosiery, which we sell very low, in fact our whole stock is got up with the greatest care, and all can be accommodated with all qualities and prices of goods.

We return our most sincere thanks to our liberal friends and customers for past favors, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a liberal share of their patronage.

All Kinds of Country Produce Bought.

For which the highest market prices are paid. No. 3, Perry Block, State st., Erie, Pa. KEPLER, BOOTH & CO.
Erie, Nov. 3, '55. 25

SELLING OUT AT COST.

JOSEPH SILL, NO. 4, CHEAP SIDE,

WILL commence selling out his entire stock of fresh Groceries, Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Spices, Wooden and Willow ware, Fish, Salt, Fruits and House furnishing Goods at cost as I am determined to close out my entire stock. All those wanting anything in my line will do well to call and supply themselves.

TEA! TEA!! TEA!!!

I shall sell from this date my immense stock of Young Hyson, Old Hyson, Imperial Gunpowder and Blk Oolong and Souchong Teas, consisting of the largest assortment in this city, at cost.

Sugars and Coffee.

15 Hds. P. R. Sugar	20 Bags Rio Coffee
15 Bbls. Coffee Sugars	10 " Drk Rio Coffee
5 " Crushed "	5 " Laguara "
5 " Pulverized Sugar	5 " Java "

all of which will be sold at cost.

Almonds, Raisins, Filberts, Brazil Nuts, Eng. Walnuts, Sardines, Segars, Stone Ware, Candles, Pickles, Pepersauce, Catsups, Sperm Adamantine, star and opal Candles, Maccaroni, Vermecilli Codfish, Mackerel, Herring, Tobacco, &c &c., in any quantity and at the lowest prices at JOSEPH SILL'S Tea and Grocery store.
Erie, Nov. 3, 1855 25

100 BUSHEL Chesnuts wanted at Sills for which the highest price in cash will be paid. No. 5 Cheapside
Oct 26 —24

FALL AND WINTER CAMPAIGN.

JOSEPH SILL, No 5 Cheapside is now receiving his fall and winter stock Groceries, Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Syrups, Spices, Fish, Nuts, wooden and willow ware, which I will sell for cash or produce at wholesale prices. All those purchasing anything in my line of business, will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock as I shall make it to their interest to purchase of me.

TEA! TEA!! TEA!!!

I will commence selling from this date my immense stock of Choice Fresh Green and Black Teas at Wholesale prices: Country Merchants, Hotel Keepers and all those wishing to purchase by the package are requested to call and look at our Teas and prices before purchasing as we will sell all quantities of Teas cheaper than ever at Sill's Tea Store
Erie, Oct. 26, 1855. 24

FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS. TO THE LADIES OF ERIE.

Mrs. L. S. Dunn, State street below Fifth,

HAS received her usual stock of fashionable FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY, to which she invites the attention of her OLD CUSTOMERS AND THE PUBLIC.

Among her stock may be found Silk, Satin and Velvet Bonnets and Bonnet Ribbons; French and American Artificial Flowers, Feathers, &c. In short, a general assortment of Millinery Goods of the most fashionable and approved styles. Erie, Oct. 27, 1855.

NEW GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE.

Just opened at No. 3 Hughes' Block, State st., Erie, Pa.

JOSEPH A. STERRETT respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has just opened a fine stock of GROCERIES at the above place, which he will dispose of at the lowest possible rates. The stock contains choice TEAS of all grades, prices and description, both Black and Green; Coffees, Sugars, Spices, Rice, Codfish, White Fish, Trout, Mackerel, Cheese, Wooden and Willow Ware and all that pertains to the business as well as Potatoes, Apples, and all articles in the Provision line usually kept in Groceries. My stock being fresh and new, families can rely upon getting clean and good Goods, at prices as low as any other establishment in the city. My old friends and acquaintances are requested to call, as well the whole public, confident that I can accommodate them with anything in the Grocery line. JOS A. STERRETT.
Erie, Oct. 26, 1855 14

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

THE subscriber having purchased the "Right" for Erie County, to a valuable Patent

CORN SHELLER

Takes this method to notify the farmers of said county that he is now prepared to fill all orders with promptness. In presenting this truly valuable Machine to the public, the subscriber is apprised that no small amount of prejudice exists against "Patent Rights," "new Inventions," &c. This incredulity has originated in the fact that many worthless inventions have been palmed upon the public. While he admits and deplores this fact, he nevertheless contends that the Patent Corn-Sheller is not among the number of worthless productions, but can in all truth and honesty be classed among the numerous improvements of the age acknowledged on all hands to be of incalculable value to the world.

The superiority of this Machine over all others of the kind is proved by the fact that

THE FIRST PREMIUM

Was awarded to it at the New York State Fair in 1854 and at the late Erie County Fair; also by its simplicity and cheapness—a single Machine

Costing only $10,

Thus coming within the reach of every Farmer—by the ease with which it is worked, enabling a boy 12 years old to shell from 40 to 60 bushels per day. It has been examined by a large number of Farmers, all of whom have pronounced it the very thing for their purpose and no Humbug!

The subscriber has also purchased the right for Erie county to a Drag, pronounced by a large number of Farmers to be superior to anything yet in use. The chief advantages of this

HARROW OR DRAG

consists in the readiness with which the Teeth are adjusted

Both the above Machines may be seen by calling at F. Wittich's Carriage Shop, 2 doors North of Bennett, Barr & Co's Furnace R. J. SIBLEY
Erie, Oct. 26, 1855. 1t94

STRAY CATTLE.

STRAYED from the subscriber, living in Greene township, sometime in May last, three two years old Heifers, and two two year old steers; one a black steer, one a spotted brindle and white, one a brindle Heifer, and two red, all marked with a notch out of the right ear in the shape of the letter V. No other marks. Any person, returning said strays, or giving information where they may be found, shall be liberally rewarded.
Erie, Oct. 26. [illegible] C. DROWN.

Fever and Ague.

JUST received a fresh supply of Osgood's India Cholagogue, Rowands Tonic Mixture, Rhoe's Tonic Mixture, Deshler's and Jaque's Ague Pills, for sale by the dozen or single Package by CARTER & BRO.
Erie, Oct. 26, 1855. 24

2000 POUNDS Live Geese Feathers for sale at
Oct. 16 —23 TIBBALS, HAYES & CO.

GRAIN CRADLES for sale at
June 30 —7 RINDERNECHT & JUSTICE.

Special Notice.

CADWELL & GRISWOLD are now receiving direct from New York, Boston and Philadelphia another large and beautiful stock of Dry Good which even exceed in point of beauty style and cheapness the beautiful ones exhibited for a few weeks back. Our stock is now complete, comprising everything in the Fancy and Staple Dry Goods line and all who are in want are cordially invited to call. We would particularly call the attention of the public to our carpet and domestic Goods department, which has been newly fitted up and filled to overflowing.
CADWELL & GRISWOLD.
Erie, Oct., 17, 1855. 21

MARSHALL'S SALE.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the United States Circuit Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and to me directed, I will expose to Public Sale at the United States Court Rooms, corner of Fifth and Smithfield streets, in the city of Pittsburgh, on Monday, the twelfth day of November next, at 10 o'clock A. M., all the right, title, interest and claim of Dr. William A. Irvine, of Warren County, Pa., of, in, to and out of all the following described property, viz:

All that piece or parcel of land known in the general plan of in and out lots of the town of Erie, as out lot No. 467, it being now in the city of Erie, commencing at the south-east corner of Peach and 12th streets, in said city; thence southwardly by east line of Peach street, six hundred and sixty feet to land of John A Hane; thence eastwardly three hundred and thirty feet to state street; thence by west line of State street northwardly six hundred and sixty feet to south-west corner of State and 12th streets; thence by south line of 12th street three hundred and thirty feet to place of beginning. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Wm. A. Irvine, of Warren county, Pa., at the suit of Wood & Dunlap, of Ohio.

ALSO—All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Erie, Erie county, Pa., and known as lot No. 1955, bounded on the north-west by Sixth street, on the north-east by lot No. 1956, and on the south-east by Lot No. 1950, and on the south-west by lot No. 1954—containing about one-third of an acre. Also—All that piece or parcel of land situate in said city of Erie, known as lot No. 1960, bounded on the north-west by Holland street; on south-east by Seventh street, on the southwest by lot No. 1957, and on the north-west by lot No. 1959 [illegible]. Also—All that piece or parcel of land situate in said city of Erie, known as lot No. 1957, bounded on the south-east by Seventh street; on the south-west by lot No. 1958, and on the north-west by lot No. 1956, containing about one-third of an acre. Also—All that piece or parcel of land situate in said city of Erie, known as lot No. 1958, bounded on the south-east by Seventh st., on the south west by lot No. 1953, on the north-west by lot No. 1953, and on the north-east by lot No. 1957—containing about one-third of an acre. Also—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Erie, in the township of Mill Creek, Erie County, Pa., and numbered in the general plan of in and out-lots No. 271, and appended in the general plan of in and out lots [illegible] bounded on the west by Ash Lane and containing about five acres. Also—All that certain piece of parcel of land situate adjacent to the city of Erie, in the township of Mill Creek, Erie county, Pa., and numbered in the general plan of in and out lots No. 272, containing five acres, being bounded on the west by Ash Lane. Also that piece or parcel of land situate in said township, and [illegible] of in and out lots No. 201, bounded on the north by lot No. 202, and on the east by lot No. 200, and on the south by Beach Lane, and on the west by lot No. 270, containing about five acres. Also—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in said Mill Creek township, and numbered in the general plan of in and out lots No. 270, bounded on the east by Beach Lane, on the north by lot No. 201, on the west by lot No. 271, and on the south by [illegible] containing about five acres. Also—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in [illegible] Mill Creek township, and numbered in the general plan of [illegible] lots No. 270, bounded on the [illegible] by Beach Lane, on the [illegible] by lot No. 273, on the [illegible] by lot No. 199, and on the [illegible] with the improvements, [illegible] property of Wm. A. Irvine, at [illegible], at the suit of George Heiner & Co., of Ohio.

ALSO—All that tract of donation land situate in Amity township, Erie county, Pa., in the tenth district, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a cucumber stump, the S. W. corner of tract No. 196; thence north four degrees, west by centre of the road, two hundred and eighty perches to a stake; thence north eighty six and a degrees, east by tract No. 182, three hundred and eighty four perches to a birch tree, thence south 3 deg. E. [illegible] hundred and eighty perches to a stake; thence south eighty-three and 6-10 [illegible] west by No. 187, three hundred and [illegible] to the place of beginning—containing [illegible] and allowance, 200 acres improved and two frame houses and barn.

ALSO—All that lot or parcel of land situate in Mill Creek township, county of Erie, Pa., and numbered in the general plan of out lots adjacent to the city of Erie, two hundred and [illegible] eight and containing five acres.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Wm. A. Irvine, [illegible] Pa., at the suit of [illegible] WESLEY FROST, [illegible]
[illegible] Oct. 20, 1855.

RICH'S SALAMANDER SAFES.

WILDER'S PATENT, RICH'S IMPROVEMENT.

Manufactured by

Stearns & Marvin,

NOS, 144 AND 146, WATER STREET, NEW YORK

HAVE YOU A SAFE? Not one of the worthless articles once supposed to be safe, but a genuine Salamander, made by the subscribers. If you have not, the following interrogations are deeply interesting to you:

Would not the destruction of your valuable books, papers &c., greatly derange your business, and subject you to serious if not ruinous loss?

Since such a calamity can be avoided during your life-time by the outlay of fifty, one hundred or even two hundred dollars in the purchase of a Safe, does not true economy counsel [illegible] outlay.

If you pay annually for insurance on your stock in trade, is it not equally important to effect insurance on your books and papers for a series of Years paying a small premium once for all.

During the last thirteen years, these safes have been tested in accidental fires one hundred and ninety seven times and in every trial have sustained the reputation [illegible] article.

The subscribers are the sole proprietors of Brahams patented "LA BELLE" LOCK which from its construction and finish is powder and Burglar proof, and not liable to get out of order.

STEARNS & MARVIN, the only makers of Salamander Safes combining Wilder's & Rich's patents.
Sept. 29, 1855. 3m25

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!!

HAVING sold our entire stock of Patterns and Tools and leased our Foundry and Machine shops to Messrs. Liddell, Kepler & Co., we take pleasure in recommending them to our friends as enterprising, energetic, competent mechanics, and hope they may receive the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us.

By our contract we retain the exclusive right to sell Stoves "at Wholesale," and shall be happy to serve dealers at our Sales Room with the best of Stoves at the lowest prices. VINCENT, HIMROD & CO.
Erie, Sept. 1, 1855. 2m20

N. B.—We avail ourselves of the opportunity to notify all indebted to us, that payment must be made without delay or costs will certainly follow. We therefore urge all indebted to walk up to the rear office at the old stand and settle. V., H. & Co.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

Corner of Fourth and State Streets, 3 doors north of Post Office

THE undersigned would say to the people of Erie and vicinity, that they have opened the above store, and are now offering for sale a new and choice lot of goods consisting of Groceries, Provisions and Ship Chandlery.

Our goods were purchased for Cash, and selected with good care by one of the firm, who has been acquainted with the Grocery business.

Persons wanting to buy such goods as our store contain, will save time and money by calling in and examining our stock before they try elsewhere.

We are sure that by fair and honest dealing, close and strict attention to business, and a disposition to accommodate all, to establish a permanent trade and gain the patronage and good will of our numerous friends who shall favor us with a call.

We have but little to say, and a good deal to do. Try us and see for yourselves. R. O'BRIEN & CO.
Erie, Sept 22, 1855 19

WILLIAMS AND GUION'S OLD BLACK STAR LINE OF PACKETS.

PASSAGE from any part of Great Britain and Ireland secured at the lowest possible rates by old established Line, sailing from Liverpool for New York every five days, comprising the following magnificent ships

Ships.	Tonnage.	Ships.	Tonnage.
Australia,	1800	North America	1000
Arabia,	1600	Owego,	1100
Conquerer,	1600	Ohio,	1500
Dewitt Clinton,	1600	Robert Kells,	1500
Enterprise,	1400	Saratoga,	1400
Guy Mannering,	1900	Southampton,	1600
George Washington,	1600	Ticonderoga,	1400
Jacob A. Westervelt,	1700	Universe,	1400
Irene,	1400	Vanguard,	1500
John Bright,	1700	William A. Harbeck,	1.0
Leviathan,	1300	Thornton,	1400
Marmion,	1200	New Ship,	1800

The Ships of this Line are the largest and swiftest in the trade. Their accommodation for passengers are unequaled and the frequency and punctuality of their departure offer advantages to the emigrant not to be had by any other Line of Packets. Such passengers as decline coming out, the money paid for them will be promptly refunded without discount.

No certificate of passage will be issued for children under 14 years of age unless accompanied by an adult who must be paid for on the same certificate.

Persons desirous of having their friends brought out from Great Britain and Ireland, by the Black Star Line of Packets, can purchase tickets at my Office (agent) and thus secure to them that despatch and good treatment for which the above Ships are noted.

Drafts of £1 and upwards, on Great Britain, Ireland and Germany may be procured at this office the payment of which is guaranteed without discount in the nearest Bank of the parties in either to the above named countries.

RICHARD O'BRIEN, Agent
Corner of Fourth and State Streets.
Erie, Sept 22, 1855 1y19

PARTICULAR BARLEY NOTICE!

100,000 *bushels wanted immediately before Navigation closes. The price will fall as soon as the Winter sets in and it cannot be shipped.*

THE Subscriber having been a constant purchaser of BARLEY in Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter for the last fifteen years, begs leave to assure the Farmers of Erie county, that he is now ready to pay the

Very Highest Market Price in Cash

For any quantity of good healthy BARLEY delivered at his Malt House in Erie, or at any of his agencies in the West. Wanted immediately before the close of navigation one hundred thousand bushels to ship east and west. Sincerely grateful to the farmers for the large quantities delivered heretofore, and having excellent conveniences for storing, and CASH to pay, the subscriber hopes to see all his old customers and as many new ones as possible.
Sept. 22, 1855—19 A. KING.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITON OF THE MERCHANTS' INSURANCE COMPANY, of Philadelphia, on the 30th of June. 1855.

OFFICE, NO. 12 MERCHANTS EXCHANGE, PHILA.

Amount of Capital Stock		$300,000 00
Amount of Capital Stock paid in and invested		200,000 00
		$200,000 00
ASSETS.		
Amount of Cash in hand,		370 23
Amount of Cash in Bank,		2,053 39
Amount of Cash in hands of Agents,		10,611 01
Bills receivable		19,990 75
		24,641 19
Real Estate unincumbered,		20,000 00
Pennsylvania State Bonds, 5 per cent.,	$50,000 00	$46,500 00
Camden & Amboy Railroad Bonds, 6 per cent,	7,000 00	7,000 00
Cleveland, Painesville & Ahstabula R. R. Bonds, issue of	6,000 00	5,400 00
Reading Rail Road Bonds, issue of 1841,	4,000 00	3,600 00
Allegheny County 5 per cent Bonds,	15,000 00	11,350 00
Washington County Pa., Coupon Bonds,	7,000 00	7,000 00
Michigan Southern & Northern Indiana R. R. Bonds,	5,000 00	5,300 00
Debts to the Company by Mortgage,	47,500 00	47,500 00
Debts otherwise secured,	46,010 00	46,010 00
Debts for Premiums, see Bill Receivable	10,980 75	
		$233,614 64

(Market Value)

EXPENDITURES.

Losses paid since Organization of Company, Nov 13th, 1854	$28,626 01
Salaries and Commissions	9,535 35
Expenses and Discount	5,533 90
Re-Insurances,	2,6[illegible]
Returned Premiums.	390 67

LIABILITIES.

The Company owe no Bank or other Creditor	
Losses adjusted and due,	None.
Losses adjusted and not due,	None.
Losses claimed, and resisted by the Company,	$3,500

The greatest amount insured in any one risk, is $10,000 generally limited to $5,000.

The Company have no rule in regard to the amount to be insured in any city, town or village, or in one block, these depending upon circumstances.

(Signed) JOHN C MONTGOMERY, President,
DWIGHT J. McCANN, Secretary.
G. A. BENNETT, Agent, Erie, Pa.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, City and County of Philadelphia. } ss.

On this 23d day of July, 1855, John C. Montgomery, President, and D. J. McCann, Secretary of the Merchants's Insurance Company, appeared before me, and being duly sworn did depose and say, that the foregoing statement subscribed by them is true, according to the best of their knowledge and belief.
(Signed) EDWARD SHIPPEN,
Sept. 1, 1855.—17 Commissioner of De[illegible]

SILVER PLATED WARE—such as Table Spoons, Desert and Tea Spoons, Table, Desert and Oyster Forks &c., a low figures at the Empire.
June 9.—4 ROGERS, KENNEDY & REYNOLDS.

A NEW FIRM.

THE undersigned have purchased the entire interest of Wm. F. Rindernecht in the

Grocery and Provision Business.

And have entered into Co partnership for carrying on the same, would say to their friends and the public that they will endeavour by strict attention to business to receive a liberal share of public patronage. They would say to the public that they have on hand and will continue to have

Groceries and Provisions

of all kinds; Flour, Pork, Fish Salt Grain Fruits, Wooden, Willow and Stone Ware, &c. &c., which has been and will be selected with great care and bought for cash and will be sold as cheap as the cheapest. Not wishing too be to windy at first we will conclude by saying that we are determined by fair dealing and strict attention to business to retain all the old customers of our illustrious predecessors and accommodate as many new a will give us a call at the old stand, corner of Fifth and State street.
J. RINDERNECHT.
Sept 1, 1855 —17 J. M. JUSTICE

Fresh Dye Stuffs.

INDIGO and Madder of superior quality with a general assortment of Dye stuff at the Drug Store of
Oct. 26, '55.—24 CARTER & BRO.

SUNFLOWER seed wanted at the Drug Store of
24 CARTER & BRO.

ELECTION NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the Erie and Waterford Plank Road Company will hold their annual election at the office of the secretary in Erie on the first Monday of November next, at two o'clock P. M., to elect one President, five Managers and 1 Treasurer for the ensuing year M. R. BARR,
Erie, Oct. 13, 1855—21 Secretary.

AN extensive stock of Shawls of various kinds including Brocha Bay State, Scotch, Cashmere & Silk which have been selected with great care in New York and Philadelphia just received at the Store in the Bennett Block.
Erie, Oct 6, 1855. 21

New all Goods.

THE Subscribers are now receiving a very extensive and well selected stock of staple and fancy Dry Goods, Dress Goods Prints, De Laines, Merinoes, Genon Satin Stripes, Silks, Brocades, Vestings, Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Satinetts, Shirtings, Boots and Shoes, Crockery, Groceries, Hardware &c. &c., all of which will be sold as low as the lowest for cash, barter or approved paper. Give us a call.
Erie, Oct. 6.—21 SENNETT, BARR & CO.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL!

WE Have just filled our store with *A Large Assortment* of Bleached and Brown sheetings, shirtings, stripes, drillings, Tickings, Canton Flannels, and 15,000 yards of very desirable styles of Calicoes from 5d up. If you want to get GREAT BARGAINS don't forget to give us a call.

N. B We have received by American Express, Stella, Thibet and Cashmere shawls, Saxony, Plaids, &c.
Oct 13, 1855—22 SMITH JACKSON & SON.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration have been granted to the subscriber on the Estate of Emeline Laird, late of the City of Erie, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against said estate present them legally authenticated for settlement.
Erie, Oct 13, 1855—22 WILSON LAIRD, Administrator.

NEW SINGING BOOKS FOR 1855-6. ONE THOUSAND TUNES AND ANTHEMS.

I. B. WOODBURY'S GREAT WORK,

The Cithara.

For Sale by Booksellers and Music Dealers generally.

THE Publisher will, on receipt of the retail price, postage stamps, [illegible] the [illegible]
Oct. 13.—22 F. J. HUNTINGTON & CO., Publishers, 23 Park Row, New York City.

(From the New York True American.)

GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS!!

Those of our readers who have not tried that valuable preparation known as DR. JOHN BULL'S FLUID EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA, for the cure of the very many diseases with which mankind are afflicted, are requested to read the annexed testimonial forwarded to DR. BULL a few days since, by JACOB G. FRENCH, Esq., a gentleman long connected with French's Hotel of this city, and extensively known as a man of unblemished integrity, who would not endorse any medical preparation whatever, unless thoroughly convinced of its efficacy.

French's Hotel, New York, December 6, 1854.

JOHN BULL, M. D.—Dear Sir: The immense practical benefit I have derived from the use of your *Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla* induces me to recommend it urgently to all who like myself, have been subject to that distressing malady, *Complaint of the Kidneys.* I have found your preparation all I could desire, and regard it as one of the best remedies within my own personal knowledge. Sincerely grateful for the health I have secured through your immediate agency, I beg leave to subscribe myself,

Very respectfully, yours,
JACOB G. FRENCH.

True American Office, New York, December 8, 1854.

DR. BULL, No. 2 GILSEY'S BUILDING, NEW YORK—

Dear Sir: Being personally acquainted with Mr. French, I take pleasure in superadding my corroboration in testimony of the cure effected in his case through the instrumentality of your invaluable compound. Having personally availed myself of the curative properties of your *Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla*, particularly in the purification of the blood and the consequent anticipation of those universal disorders attendant upon the changes of the season, I would cordially recommend it as a family medicine which should be maintained in every household. A remarkable instance of the influence of your remedy upon the restoration of the frame, and the all-but miraculous resuscitation of a body weakened to the last degree by the excesses of animal indulgence, occurred in the case of an eminent manufacturer in this vicinity, whose modesty, and not want of inclination, precludes him from a publication of the detailed circumstances of his afflicting disease, which threatened to determine into a settled case of premonitory leprosy. I am assured by him, that by the use of your *Fluid Extract*, he has been completely restored to his former and correct enjoyment of unimpaired health.

Yours, sincerely,
THOMAS PICTON,
Editor of the True American, New York.

ASTONISHING AND RAPID CURE OF SCROFULA.

We urgently request our readers to read attentively the following statement presented to DR. JOHN BULL last St. John's Day, by WILLARD A. GOLDSMITH, Esq., of this city, and solemnly sworn to before a Public Notary. It exhibits the case of a gentleman who has been afflicted with Scrofula *from his earliest Infancy.* He had completely *exhausted* the skill of the medical faculty of New York, and was apparently a doomed man. A trial of *Dr. John Bull's Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla* has given him health, and he now recommends to *others* that valuable and potent remedy which has saved *him* from a premature grave. The original affidavit, to which is affixed the Notarial Seal of Henry C. Banks, Esq., before whom the deposition was taken, can be seen at DR. BULL'S principal office, No. 2 Courtlandt-street (Gilsey Building), Near Broadway, New York.

STATE OF NEW YORK, City and County of New York, } ss.

WILLARD A. GOLDSMITH, being duly sworn, pursuant to law, deposes and says, that he resides in the City of New York; that he is engaged in the business of steel and copper-plate engraving;

That *Scrofulous Affections* have been heir-looms in his family and hereditary; that all of his immediate relations have been more or less afflicted with it, and that he has not been free from the disease at any time since his earliest recollection; that being in much bodily pain, and prevented from attendance to business, he tried many of the physicians, but found no substantial relief;

That about three months since, *Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla* was recommended to him as possessing some qualities which would relieve his difficulties and purify his blood;

That after using this medicine for a short time, a feeling of improvement was manifest, and from that moment to this, a gradual but steady advance has been realized, and he is now, not only entirely free from all pain, but is enabled to give his business all attention, and is enjoying better health than he ever believed was in store for him;

That he has also used the *Sarsaparilla of Dr. Bull* in his family with similar results, and believes it to be the best purifier of the blood that can be used, and as a general tonic medicine *without an equal*,

That he can and does, with *the most positive confidence*, recommend the use of this medicine to *all* who may be similarly afflicted.

And further this deponent saith not.

(Signed) W. A. GOLDSMITH.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, State, City and County of New York, } ss.

Be it Remembered, That on this twenty-seventh day of December, A. D. 1854, before me, HENRY C. BANKS, a Notary Public, resident in said city, duly commissioned and qualified by the authority and under the laws of the State of New York, at my office, No. 57 Chambers-street, in the city aforesaid, personally appeared WILLARD A. GOLDSMITH, to me known to be the same person named and described in, and who gave and subscribed the annexed deposition in my presence, who being by me duly, publicly, and solemnly sworn, pursuant to law, did depose and swear, that the matters and things therein contained were true

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Notarial Seal, at the City of New York aforesaid, this twenty-seventh day of December, A. D. 1854, and of the Independence of the United States of America the seventy-ninth.

HENRY C. BANKS, *Notary Public*,
57 Chambers-street, N. Y. City

STATE OF NEW YORK, City and County of New York, } ss.

I, RICHARD B. CONNELLY, Clerk of the City and County of New York, and also Clerk of the Supreme Court for the said City and County, being a Court of Record, do hereby certify that HENRY C. BANKS, before whom the annexed deposition was taken, was, at the time of taking the same, a Notary Public for said City and County, duly appointed and sworn, and that his signature thereto is genuine, as I verily believe.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court and County, the fourth day of January, 1855.

RICHARD B. CONNELLY, Clerk.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES No. 2 GILSEY BUILDING, Courtlandt-st., N. Y., and No. 1 Fifth-st., Louisville, Ky.

AGENTS

For sale at the Drug store of BURTON & HERRON.
March 10, 1855. 1y43

TO BLACKSMITHS.—I have now in store a full assortment of Iron, Steel, Malable Iron, Wrought Nutts and Washers, Springs, Axles, Ground Boxes, Carriage Bolts, Anvils, Bellows, Vices, Screw Plates, &c., which I would like you to examine. RUFUS REED
Erie, June 23, 1855. 6

TIBBALS, HAYES & CO. No 1. Brown's Hotel.

WE beg leave to invite an Early Inspection of our FALL and WINTER STOCK, which we have just completed, It comprises and Novelties of Merit. All the newest designs and Best Qualities in which they can be produced. We deem it superfluous to say that we have the largest stock and the cheapest ever offered in this market as an examination will satisfy the most skeptical. Within our Store Room are long lines of counters, heaped up with

DRY GOODS,

of all descriptions, of every variety of Texture and Patterns, of the most modern styles, and from many a market—in our

Merino and De Laine Deparment,

there are collected and displayed, with great attention to the convenience of purchasers, a superb assortment of Plain Brocade and Figured French, English and American Mouse de Lain's and Merinoes. We imagine that the most fastidious of lady purchasers might here, without much difficulty, suit her self. Indeed, we fancy that there are but few husbands who would hesitate to give their "better halves" a "carte blanche" to supply herself at this busy mart of Trade. Our

PRINT DEPARTMENT.

is almost like going into a Picture Gallery,—so many beautiful and varied are the designs that meet the eye. In

SILK GOODS

as may be expected, we have a magnificent exhibition. Our Silks are of considerable splendor and are to be seen in almost countless varieties—from the most costly material to the cheapest. Fancy yourself in a Temple whose draperies are of Rainbow hues, a prismatic palace, in fact, whose tints resemble the flashing gems which are dug from the mines and caves of mother earth. In

Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, Tweeds, Vestings.

&c., we claim to have a stock in which the highest and the humblest,—the very "top blister of the upper crust," as well as the substantial farmer Mechanic, and Artisan, who prefer substance to show, and utility to fashion, can alike gratify their tastes and supply their wants with perfect confidence that they are getting their money back. We have made large additions to our

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT AND THE HOUSEKEEPER

can here revel in such piles of table linens, Napkins, Towelling, Crashes, Linens, Sheetings, &c., and get such quantities of them for so small an amount of money as would gratify the most avaricious. Our Oil Cloths, Carpetings, Stair Carpets, Druggets, Matting, Rugs, Door Mats, &c., are in perfect keeping with our whole Stock.

We here publicly make known, that we have purchased our Goods advantageously and with reference to the tastes and wants of this community, and will just intimate that we are determined to sell them.
Erie, Sept. 29, 1855 29

LOOKING GLASSES.—Come and see yourselves at the store of SENNETT, BARR & CO.

(ESTABLISHED IN 1780.)

PREMIUM CHOCOLATE.

WALTER, BAKER & Co's American, French, Homeopathic, and Vanilla Chocolate; Prepared Cocoa; Broma, Cocoa Paste; Cocoa Sticks, Soluble, Homeopathic and Dietic Cocoa; Cocoa Shells, Cracked Cocoa; &c. &c.

THESE Manufactures to which first premiums have been awarded by the chief Institutes and Fairs of the Union, are an excellent diet for children, invalids and persons in health.—They allay rather than induce the nervous excitement attendant upon the use of tea or coffee, and are recommended by Drs. Warren, Jackson, Hayward, Ware and Adams, of Boston, and by eminent physicians elsewhere.

For sale by all the principal Grocers in the United States, and by their Agents.

D. C. MURRAY, New York; GRANT & TWELLS, Philadelphia; THOMAS V. BRUNDIGE, Baltimore, KENNETT & DUDLEY, Cin.

WALTER, BAKER & CO., Dorchester, Mass.
Sept. 29, 1855. 3m20

CAUSES for TRIAL 4th Monday in Nov. 1855.

Mary B Wusterby her next friend	vs. John G Wuster	No 144	May T.	1855
Alfred Dibble	vs. Charlotte Dibble	No 16	"	"
Mary McClure	vs. John McClure	82	Feb. T.	"
Tho. Mehaffey	vs. Vincent Himrod & Co.	121	Aug. T.	1852
Chas. Maranville	vs. J H Silverthorn	46	May T.	1853
Bennett & Evans	vs. C M Reed	95	"	"
Pearce & Bro.	vs. Reed, Parke & Co.	97	"	"
McConnell et al	vs. same	98	"	"
George Howell	vs. same	99	"	"
Tho. Bishop	vs. O Lowden	133	"	"
S Comstock	vs. N B Robinson	19	Nov. T.	"
John Evans, jr.	vs. J M Reed	87	"	"
B Balliett	vs. A Robinson	178	"	"
Simeon Hunt	vs. E R Newton	190	"	"
Newton & Adams	vs. Wm. Gray	3	May T.	1854
Cook & Kelso	vs. Jackson & Harris	197	"	"
M B Lowry	vs. Franklin Canal Co.	73	Aug. T.	"
J Doolittle et al.	vs. Margaret [illegible]	[illegible]	"	"

Erie, Oct. 26, 1855. [illegible] A. KING, Pro.

[illegible] Call in and get a good large and [illegible] as any of those especial attention [illegible] that Branch of the Trade, [illegible]
June [illegible] RINDERNECHT & JUSTICE.

AYER'S PILLS

Are curing the Sick to an extent never before known of any Medicine.

Invalids, Read and Judge for Yourselves.

JULES HAUEL, Esq., the well known perfumer, of Chesnut street, Philadelphia, whose choice products are found at almost every toilet, says:

"I am happy to say of your Cathartic Pills, that I have found them a better family medicine for common use, than any other within my knowledge. Many of my friends have realized marked benefits from them and coincide with me in believing that they possess extraordinary virtues for driving out diseases and curing the sick. They are not only effectual but safe and pleasant to be taken, qualities which must make them valued by the public, when they are known."

The venerable Chancellor WARDLAW, writes from Baltimore, 15th April, 1854:

"DR. J. C. AYER—Sir: I have taken your pills with great benefit, for the listlessness, languor, loss of appetite, and Bilious headache, which has of late years overtaken me in the spring. A few doses of your Pills cured me. I have used your Cherry Pectoral many years in my family for coughs and colds with unfailing success. You make medicines which cure, and I feel it a pleasure to commend you for the good you have done and are doing."

JOHN F. BEATTY, Esq. Sec. of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., says:

"PA. R. R. Office, Philadelphia, Dec. 13, 1853.

"Sir: I take pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficacy of your medicines, having derived very material benefit from the use of both your Pectoral and Cathartic Pills. I am never without them in my family, nor shall I ever consent to be, while my means will procure them."

The widely renowned S. S. STEVENS, M. D., of Wentworth, N. H., writes:

"Having used your Cathartic Pills in my practice, I certify from experience, that they are an invaluable purgative. In cases of disordered functions of the liver, causing headache, indigestion, costiveness, and the great variety of diseases that follow, they are a surer remedy than any other. In all cases where a purgative remedy is required, I confidently recommend these pills to the public, as superior to any other I have ever found. They are sure in their operation, and perfectly safe, qualities which make them an invaluable article for public use. I have for many years known your Cherry Pectoral as the best Cough medicine in the world, and these Pills are in no wise inferior to that admirable preparation for the treatment of diseases."

Acton, Me., Nov. 25, 1853.

"DR. J. C. AYER—Dear Sir: I have been afflicted from my birth with scrofula in its worst form, and now, after twenty years trial, and an untold amount of suffering, have been completely cured in a few weeks by your Pills. With what feelings of rejoicing I write, can only be imagined when you realize what I have suffered and how long.

Never until now have I been free from this loathsome disease in some shape. At times it attacked my eyes, and made me almost blind, besides the unendurable pain; at others it settled in the scalp of my head, and destroyed my hair, and has kept me partly bald all my days, sometimes it came out in my face and kept it for months a raw sore.

About nine weeks ago I commenced taking your Cathartic Pills, and now am entirely free from the complaint. My eyes are well, my skin is fair, and my hair has commenced a healthy growth, all of which makes me feel already a new person.

Hoping this statement may be the means of conveying information that shall do good to others, I am with every sentiment of gratitude, Yours, &c.,

MARIA RICKER."

"I have known the above named Maria Ricker from her childhood, and her statement is strictly true,

ANDREW J. MESERVE,
Overseer of the Portsmouth Manufacturing Co."

Capt. JOEL PRATT, of the ship Marion, writes from Boston, 20th April, 1854:

"Your Pills have cured me from a bilious attack which arose from derangement of the Liver, which had become very serious. I had failed of any relief by my physician, and from every remedy I could try, but a few doses of your Pills have completely restored me to health. I have given them to my children for worms, with the best effects. They were promptly cured. I recommended them to a friend for costiveness, which had troubled him for months; he told me in a few days they had cured him. You make the best medicine in the world, and I am free to say so."

Read this from the distinguished Solicitor of the Supreme Court, whose brilliant abilities have made him well known, not only in this but the neighboring States.

New Orleans, 15th April 1854.

"Sir: I have great satisfaction in assuring you that myself and family have been very much benefited by your medicines. My wife was cured two years since, of a severe and dangerous cough, by your Cherry Pectoral, and since then has enjoyed perfect health. My children have several times been cured from attacks of the Influenza and Croup by it. It was an invaluable remedy for these complaints. Your Cathartic Pills have entirely cured me from a dyspepsia and costiveness, which has grown upon me for some years,—indeed this cure is much more important, from the fact that I had failed to get relief from the best Physicians which this section of the country affords, and from any of the numerous remedies I had taken.

You seem to us, Doctor, like a providential blessing to our family, and you may well suppose we are not unmindful of it.

Yours respectfully

LEAVITT THAXTER."

Senate Chamber, Ohio, April 5th, 1854.

"DR. J. C. AYER—Honored Sir: I have made a thorough trial of the Cathartic Pills, left me by your agent, and have been cured by them of the dreadful Rheumatism under which he found me suffering. The first dose relieved me, and a few subsequent doses have entirely removed the disease. I feel in better health now than for some years before, which I attribute entirely to the effects of your Cathartic Pills. Yours with great respect.

LUCIUS B. METCALF."

The above are all from persons who are publicly known where they reside, and who would not make these statements without a thorough conviction that they were true.

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

Sold by Burton & Herron, Erie; Jas. A. White, Girard; W. H. Townsend, Springfield and by all dealers in medicine everywhere.

Beware of Counterfeits and worthless preparations attempted to be palmed off under a similarity of name.
July 28, 1855 4mll—ly

Great Excitement at Jacksons!

NEW GOODS JUST ARRIVED.

JUST imported into Erie a splendid addition to our former stock embracing many new styles for the Fall and Winter Trade, Black Gro Du Rhine, Gro De Naples, Brocades, Fancy Changeable Figured and Plaid Silks, Florence and Marcelina Satins, &c.

Our Stock of Irish Linens, Crash, brown and bleached Damask, Table Cloths, Colored Linen, Embossed Cloths is complete, also, Jackonet, Cambric, and Swiss Muslins, Fancy Tulet Do Brilliants, Silk Illusion, Wash Blonds, Bobbonett, plain and figured.

We would call your especial attention to our splendid stock of Ladies Collars, Muslin Bands, Jaconet and Swiss Edgings and Incertings, German Thread, Laces &c.

White, red and yellow plain and twilled Flannels, Salisbury do Linings and Plaid Linings, &c.

Ladies Cashmer, Lambs Wool, Lama and Merino, white, brown, mixed, slate and blk Cotton Hose, Children's Hose of every description, Men's white, brown and mixed Cotton Hose, Merino and Lambs Wool, &c.

Ladies and Gents Kid Gloves, of superior make; also Cloths, Fur, Silk, Brushed Lamb Silk Mitts, &c.

Plain and Figured Velvet Ribbons, Galloons, Moss Mort Antique and Worsted Trimmings,

Brochae, Long and Square Cashmer, Thibet, Bella and Bay State Shawls,

Those wishing to secure GREAT BARGAINS will do well to give us a call before purchasing else where.
Erie, Oct. 2, 1855.—21 SMITH JACKSON & SON.

CASIMERES, Cloths, Tweeds &c., in great variety at the Store in the Bennett Block.

GINGHAMS, a good assortment at the store of
Oct. 6, 21 SENNETT, BARR & CO.

SYTHES at Wholesale and Retail at
June 30—7 SENNETT, BARR & CO.

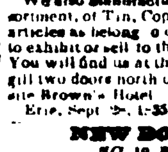
Administrator's Notice.

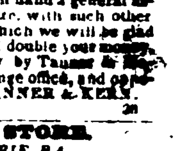
LETTERS of Administration having been granted to the subscriber on the estate of Capt. Lyman Roberts, late of Edenboro, deceased. All persons knowing themselves indebted will make payment immediately, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement. E. W. GERRISH, Adm'r.
Edenboro, Oct. 6, 1855 6t21

German Vegetable Cattle Powder.

FOR fattening cattle, increasing the quantity and improving the quality of milk; and curing various diseases to which they are liable. Sold by STEWART & SINCLAIR.
Erie, June 16, 1855 5

STOVES! STOVES!!





THE subscribers have the best assortment of stoves ever offered for sale in this city, among which is the

[illegible]stern American.

a cooking stove which took the premium at the Worlds fair in New York. It is an elevated Oven Stove and the best one ever offered in this market, for proof of which we ask a comparison of *stoves and prices.* We have all kinds and will sell at prices that can't be beat, even by the manufacturers of the city. Call and see.

We also manufacture to order and keep on hand a general assortment, of Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron ware, with such other articles as belong to our line of business, which we will be glad to exhibit or sell to the needy. Walk up and double your money. You will find us at the stand occupied lately by Tanner & Hegill two doors north of C. H. Wrights Exchange office, and opposite Brown's Hotel. TANNER & KERN.
Erie, Sept. 29, 1855. 20

NEW BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

NO. 10 BROWNS, BLOCK, ERIE PA.

J. G. BARR & CO are now opening, in the Store lately occupied by Wilcox & Norton, a new, select and fashionable assortment of

BOOTS AND SHOES.

to which they invite the attention of purchasers. Without going into an inventory of their stock, or particularizing the various styles, they would simply say to all

Ladies and Gentlemen

in want of anything in their line, that they can be accommodated at this establishment.

Their Custom Department is under the supervision of that superior workman, Mr. JAMES COTTER, so well and favorably known to the Erie public. Hoping for a share of the public patronage, they invite an examination of stock and prices.
Erie, Oct. 16, 1855 22

NOTICE.

ERIE CITY BANK, Erie, Pa., Oct. 16, 1855.

THE annual election for Directors will be held at the Banking House, on Monday the 19th day of November next, between the hours of eleven o'clock, A. M., and 3 o'clock, P. M., and on Tuesday the 6th day of November next, a general meeting of stockholders will be held at the Banking House, at 3 o'clock, P. M., agreeably to the Charter.
23 J. G. LAWTON, Cashier.

SMALL PROFITS, QUICK SALES, AND TERMS CASH!

WILLIAM SEXAUER,

Matress, Bedding and Furniture Ware-Rooms.

STATE ST. ONE DOOR BELOW FIFTH,

Where he will keep constantly on hand or make to order, SPRING Wire Matrasses, from $10 to $25; good curled Hair, Sea Grass, Husk, Cotton, Moss, and Straw Matrasses, of all sorts and sizes, with Pedesteads of all kinds. Also comforts, quilts and pillows all styles.

In the line of furniture he has marble top centre, side and card tables, Mahogany and Black Walnut Bed sofas from $12 to $30; French Sofas, tete-a-tetes, all sizes and qualities; a general assortment of arm chairs, French and common Rocking seat do., cane seat and wooden rockers, and a general assortment of plain and fancy cane seats, together with many other articles needed in House Furnishing, not enumerated.

He keeps on hand always a large assortment of spring and plain Bottom Lounges, footstools &c.

All persons in want of any of the above articles for which they intend to pay CASH, will consult their own interest by giving us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as he is determined to sell for cash only, at as low rates as can be afforded. Call and see. WM. SEXAUER.
Erie, Oct. 26, 1855. 1y20

Arrival of the Washington. JACOB KOCH IN THE FIELD AGAIN! Fashionable Clothing cheaper than ever.

JACOB KOCH would beg leave to inform his numerous friends and customers and the public generally, that he has just returned from New York and Philadelphia with a large and well selected stock of cloths, cassimeres, vestings, &c., and a [illegible] furnishing goods, and ready made clothing which he has [illegible] and will sell at prices which defy competition. The stock [illegible]

Over-coats of every fashion.

[illegible] Frock and Dress Coats.

[illegible] Cloth Pants.

Velvet, Plush and [illegible] Vests.

[illegible] Cravats, [illegible]

[illegible] wear, [illegible]

[illegible] attention is paid to the cutting department [illegible] or no sale.

[illegible] stock of ready made clothing of every variety and [illegible] will be sold and cash buyers will do well [illegible] themselves that the cheapest [illegible] the city is at [illegible]
JACOB KOCH'S, 20
[illegible]