...ED RETIREMENT OF SECRETARY CASS ...copied yesterday from the *Detroit Advertiser* ...rumor based, as that paper states, on information received from persons holding intimate ...relations with General Cass, to the effect that that gentleman would soon retire from the position which he now fills in President ...'s Cabinet. Without pretending to personal knowledge such as the *Advertiser's* ...ant may possibly possess, we are of the ...that the rumor is without foundation — ...Secretary is far advanced in years, but he is ...and vigorous, fond of public life, and, we ...not, far happier in his present position than ...would be in retirement. At the advanced age which the veteran statesman has attained, there is a liability at any time ...failing health and vigor, but, until that day ...we have every reason to believe that Gen. Cass will prefer to occuppy the position he has ...so gracefully filled under the present ad... His labors and cares are essential... ...by the very intelligent and attentive ...deputy, Hon John Appleton.—*N. Y. ... Com., March* 11.

...GREATEST DISCOVERY OF THE AGE.—I ...occurs, that we notice, under any circumstances ...medicines, restoratives, or any thing of the kind ...have a prejudice against most of them. But ...compels us to invite attention to the advertisement of ...Wood's Hair Restorative in the last column at the ...of the third page of this paper. We are too juvenile to require any thing of the kind, but some instances ...have come to knowledge which almost assure ...it is a sovereign remedy against the hair becoming ...prematurely gray. It is not a "Hair Dye," but upon its ...application as directed, the effect is produced on the skin, ...brings out the original, native colored hair, without ...and gives it a glossy and natural appearance.— ...persons who have used it, and they are ...pleased with it. Examine the advertisement.— ...*Republican.*

...by all Druggist.

...WILLIS, well known and highly re...says:—Mr Carter—Your GERMAN WORM CANDY ...best, and indeed the only Worm Medicine that ...I have tried quite a number, effectual in removing ...*Pin Worms*. They did just as you said they ...you are at liberty to use this statement."

...WALSH'S CASE.—Having been troubled for ...some time past with rather peculiar pains and uneasy ...my stomach and bowels from which ordinary medicines ...not relieve me. I tried by advice, CARTER'S GERMAN CANDY, taking the contents of a Box at three doses, ...effect really astonished me, I could not have slept a ...if I known or thought that I was the habitation of such ...living reptiles, as this medicine brought together. However relieved both from my pains, and the cause of ...altogether like another person, and as a matter of ...Messrs. Carter & Bro., and for the benefit of others I ...this public statement. JAMES WALSH.

The medicine used in the above case, was CARTER'S GERMAN CANDY, which is always of two kinds, Red and White. ...Jan. 28, 1858.

...ONE THING CERTAIN.—It is now made *certain* that no Medicinal Preparation whatever, whether ...or Syrup has ever been found equal in all respects to ...ANTI-COSTIVE AND LIVER POWDERS, as a safe, gradual, ...cure for Costiveness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, ...and Swimming of the Head, Jaundice, Bad Breath, Want ...especially for Breakfast, Waterbrash, Nausea, Faint ...Shiverings, Coldness of the Feet and Hands, with ...Flushes of Heat, &c., &c., there is scarcely an exception. ...statement. Full nineteen out of every twenty persons ...give them a fair trial, prove to their satisfaction the ...statement.

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MARRIED.

...March 7th, at the residence of Abel Bostwick, Esq., ...Shank, Mr. E. S. NICHOLSON, (*printer*,) of Meadville, ...Miss MARTHA A. BOSTWICK, of Medina, Ohio.

...11th inst., by Rev. G. W. Cleaveland Mr. JOSEPH J. ...DLE and Miss ELIZABETH OHLWILER, all of Harbor...

DIED.

...ville, on the 13th inst., at the residence of her step... A. Torbett, Esq., Miss AFFA KELLOGG, aged 24 ...of this City.

...on the 6th inst., at his residence, Mr. JASON ...the 71st year of his age.

A CARD.

...HALF as well of the Ladies' Social Circle, as of ...and Lady, we tender to the citizens generally, ...acknowledgement for the exceedingly liberal donation on ...last, week amounting to about $250

Mrs. C. McSPARREN,
" S. P. KEPLER,
" W. G. ARBUCKLE,
" W. P. HAYES,
Miss S. ZIMMERMAN,

...20, 1858.

WANTED.

...apprentice to the Book Binding business, a Boy about 16 ...of age. One from the country would be preferred.

...March 20, 1858. COLE & NASON.

Agricultural Notice.

...adjourned meeting of the Erie County Agricultural Society ...be held at their room in the City of Erie, on Saturday ...of April next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of ...time and place for the holding of the next Annual Fair, ...exhibition of Winter Fruit and other important business. A ...attendance is requested.

...March 20, 1858. P. ARBUCKLE, Sec'y.

Farmers! Take Notice!

...persons who have subscribed to the Capital Stock of the ...FARMERS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, are requested to meet in Erie, at the Agricultural Rooms, in the Court ...on Saturday the 3d day of April next, at 1 o'clock, P. M. ...purpose of organizing and electing officers. A general ...is requested. By order of the Commissioners.

...March 20, 1858 —45

MUSICAL ASSOCIATION.

...lovers of music, particularly ancient music, are requested ...to meet at the Good Templars Hall, on French Street, on ...evening next, at 7 o'clock, with a view of organizing an ...for the culture and practice of Music, especially ...but not intended to be exclusively so. ...March 20, 1858. PHILO HARMONICS.

REMOVAL.

...New Store! New Prices! New Goods!

...NEWBERGER & BAKER have removed their extensive ...stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, &c., &c., to their new Store, ...opposite Brown's Hotel, where they will be glad to see all ...customers as well as any quantity of new ones. In order ...with the times, they are now

ADDING DAILY TO THEIR STOCK,

...of CLOTHING and DRY GOODS, which will be ...at the lowest CASH RATES. In fact, they

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...similar establishment in the city. Hence they say, ...OLD, MARRIED and SINGLE,

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...are offering greater inducements, than ever, to all who ...MONEY.

...Department is in charge of one of the best work... ...the city, and as their motto is

"SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK SALES,"

...cost of most article for a small amount of money, will do ...give them a call.

...the place—NEWBERGER & BAKER'S NEW ...directly opposite Brown's Hotel, State Street ...March 20, 1858 —45.tf.

NOTICE!

...All Persons indebted to the Subscribers, by Note or Book ...Account, will please take notice that payment must be made, ...before the first of April, or Cost will be made.— ...March 20, 1858.—45 3w. SHANNON & BROS.

REMOVED.

...E. MAGILL, DENTIST, has taken new and better ...rooms, in Reinseeig's Block, where he may be found ...business hours, a few steps from the old Office, first entrance ...State Street, on the Park front. ...March 20, 1858.—45.

THE VERY BEST.

...thing that can be used to rid your Bedsteads of Bugs, is ...Carter's Compound Extract of Smart Weed, both safe and ...to use, yet so sharp that Bugs cannot endure it ...March 20, 1858. CARTER & BRO.

SWARMING

AT THE

THEY ARE SLAUGHTERING ALL KINDS OF

DRY GOODS!

AT

...ED MARK PRICES,

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THOSE WANTING BARGAINS,

"REAL BIG BARGAINS,"

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No. 4 & 2 Brown's Hotel.

...March 20, 1858.

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March, 20, 1858.—45.1y.

FOR SALE!

SOME valuable property on State and Ninth Street, is offered for sale at a great bargain. Any one desirous of purchasing property in a good location for business or private residence, will get a bargain by calling on Wilson or Richard M. Laird.
Erie, March 20, 1858.—45.

AUCTION.

WILL be sold on board the U. S. Steamer Michigan, on Monday March 29, 1858, 896 lbs. Cannon Powder.
Erie, March 20, 1858.—S5 2w.

BOOK BINDERY.

EXCELSIOR ESTABLISHMENT.

THE subscribers are happy to announce, (E. L. Nason having taken the place of J. J. Lintz,) that they are prepared with the best Tools and Stock, as well as with workmen unsurpassed for ability, for carrying on the

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In the most approved styles of Eastern cities, in all its branches, and at prices as low as can be done anywhere.

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Paper Ruled to order in a superior manner, the lines in any color desired. Having one of the best Ruling Machines in the world, they defy competition.

Those ordering work in either of the above departments, may rely on its being done promptly and well.

Bindery over the Park Row Book Store, where all kinds of blank work may be had at Wholesale and Retail.
Erie, March 18, 1858. COLE & NASON.

HATS AND CAPS.

HAVING BOUGHT THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

Hats, Caps, Furnishing Goods, &c.

OF TAGE BROTHERS,

WILL SELL THE SAME UNTIL THE FIRST OF APRIL

At Cost.

Wool Hats from 25 to 75 cts; Fur Hats from 75 cents to $2 50; Buckskin Gloves and Mitts from 50 to 75 cents; Caps from 25 to 75 cts; the finest Silk Plush Caps for $1; Ladies Victorines and Cuffs for $5; Gents Fur Gloves for $1; Silk Hats $1 50 to $3 50; Wool Socks 12½ cts; Shirts and Drawers 62½ cts; Cotton Hose 10 cts; and all other Goods in proportion.

Erie, March 6, 1858. JAMES S. BRYANT.

Guardian's Sale.

BY virtue and in pursuance of an order of the Orphan's Court of Erie County, Penn'a, I shall expose to sale at the Market House in the City of Erie on Saturday the first day of May, 1858 at 9 o'clock A. M., all the right, title and interest of John O'Connell, late of Erie, deceased in the following described real estate, to wit: All that piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Harborcreek, county of Erie and State of Penn'a, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post in the centre of a public road, the northwest corner of the tract, thence by land of Daniel Goodwin, Owen Peck, and by the centre of said public road south one and three-fourths deg. west, one hundred and twenty-three perches to a post; thence by land of Thomas Gray and Benjamin Goodwin, south eighty-eight and one quarter degrees east one hundred and sixty-four perches to a post; thence by land of Christian Shultz north one-half degree west seventeen and one-half perches to a post: thence by land of D. B. Rhoads north eighty eight and one-quarter degrees west, ninety-two perches to a post; thence by the land of the said D. B. Rhoads north one-half degree west one hundred and eighty perches and seven-tenths of a perch to a post; and thence by land of Henry Davis south eighty-nine and one-half degrees west sixty-eight perches to the place of beginning; containing sixty-one acres and eighty-two perches with the allowance of six per cent. for roads, &c., being the same land conveyed by Eldridge Goodwin to John O'Connell, deceased, by deed dated July 17, 1855, recorded in Deed Book in Erie Co., Pa., No. 4, p. 292.

TERMS OF SALE.—One fourth in hand, and the balance in 3 equal annual instalments with interest on the whole sum unpaid, to be paid annually—to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage on the premises. BENJAMIN GRANT,
Guardian of the minor children of John O'Connell, dec'd.
Erie, March 10, 1858.—3t44

In the matter of the Partition of the Estate of Welcome Aldrich, Jr. dec'd. } In the Orphans' Court of Erie County. No. 14, Feb. Term, 1858

WRIT OF PARTITION.

To Lydia Aldrich, widow of Welcome Aldrich, Jr. dec'd and Laville Aldrich, Thomas Jefferson Aldrich, ... Olivia Aldrich, intermarried with Abraham Hartman and Abraham Hartman her husband and Elisha Perkins, guardian of Ellerton Aldrich, Ida Aldrich, Henrietta Aldrich, Biola Josephine Aldrich and Frank Herbert Aldrich, children and heirs-at-law of Welcome Aldrich, Jr. dec'd, and to all others interested:

Notice is hereby given that an Inquisition will be held and taken upon the premises described below, on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1858, at 1 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of making partition among the heirs and legal representatives of Welcome Aldrich, Jr. dec'd, of the following described Real Estate, situate in the townships of Wayne and Concord and County aforesaid bounded on the north by lands of Daniel Yeager and Solomon Yeager, on the west by lands of Robert Osborn, on the south by lands of the heirs of H. J. Huidekoper, and on the east by land of James Broadhead, containing one hundred and seventy-six acres, and being part of tract No. ...

At which time and place you can attend if you think proper.
JOHN KILLPATRICK, Sheriff.
March 13, 1858—44 Per Rogers.

Perleyette McIntyre by her next friend } Alias Subpoena in Divorce.
W. W. McIntyre, } No. ... Feb. T. 1858.
vs
Ralph S. McIntyre.

Whereas, Perleyette McIntyre by her next friend W. W. McIntyre has preferred her petition to our Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County of Erie, praying for causes therein set forth, that she may be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with Ralph S. McIntyre.

Therefore, you are hereby required to be and appear ... the said Ralph S. McIntyre that he be and appear before our Judges at Erie, at our Court of Common Pleas there to be held on the first Monday in May A. D. 1858 to answer to the charge preferred in said petition and abide the judgment of the Court in the premises.

JOHN KILLPATRICK, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Erie, Mar. ... 1858.

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

IN the matter of the application of Archer Pierce to the Court of Common Pleas of Erie County, Penn'a, for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws, the Court made the following order, of which all creditors will please take notice:

"Now to wit, February 1, 1858, the petition presented and read in open Court, and the Court fix the first Monday in May, 1858 for hearing, and direct notice to be given according to law."

Erie, March 10, 1858. ... ARCHER PIERCE.

...

CHAMBERS' ... Californian ... an excellent article ...
Erie, Jan. 30, 1858. ERIE CITY IRON WORKS.

PARAGON COLUMN.

THOMAS M. AUSTIN.
(*Late of the firm of G. Loomis & Co.*)
DEALER in Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, Silver Spoons, Musical Instruments, Looking Glasses, Lamps and Fancy Goods wholesale and retail.

J. W. DOUGLASS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office removed to new building west of State Street, on the north side of the Park, over Clark & Metcalf's Exchange office.

ALLEN A. CRAIG.
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE—Office in New Block corner of Peach Street and the Public Square, Erie Pa.,

BRIGDEN & HUTCHINSON.
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office over Austin's Jewelry Store, North West corner of Park, Erie, P.
J. W. BRIGDEN, ... HUTCHINSON.

T. R. BLAKE,
MANUFACTURER and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Straw Goods, Artificial Flowers, Ribbons, Satin, Laces, and Fashionable Millinery, Paragon Building, fronting the Park, Erie, Pa. Particular attention paid to Orders.

BLAKE'S BONNET ROOMS.

Removed to the New Store recently fitted up by him in the "Paragon Building," opposite the West Park.

WHERE he will constantly keep on hand a large assortment and the latest styles of

Paris Millinery & Fancy Dry Goods.

Consisting in Straw, Silk, Satin, Velvet and Fancy HATS, Flowers, Ribbons, Laces, Caps, Head Dresses, Hoods, Jockeys, Bridal Wreaths, Ruches, Velvets, Satins, Silks, Feathers, Hat Frames and Materials, Band and Cap Boxes, and many other kinds of Goods too numerous to mention, to be sold at Wholesale and Retail, for Cash only, as low as can be bought in any of the Eastern cities.

MILLINERS supplied, as usual, at wholesale prices.
Old Bonnets Bleached and Pressed at reduced prices, only 20 cents.

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Dr. Kelley's Block, Main Street, ... Sandusky, Ohio, MISS JOAN TEAR, Superintendent.	PARAGON BUILDING Erie, Pa., MISS CLARA A. WILLARD, Superintendent.

T. R. BLAKE, Proprietor.
Erie, Dec. 4, 1857.—30.

ALL who know themselves indebted to Blake's Bonnet Rooms will please pay the same within 30 days and save costs.
Dec. 5. T. R. BLAKE, Proprietor.
Paragon Building, opposite the Park, Erie, Pa.

T. M. AUSTIN offers to any one in want of good/mechanical work in making new or repairing any part of clocks, watches, jewelry or Silver Ware, the services of competent workmen. Critical work on watches and jewelry of the trade is solicited and at much lower prices than formerly charged. All the latest styles of clocks, watches, jewelry sets, Port Monies, card cases, combs, silver and Plated Goods, silver tea and fruit knives, ... scissors, and a little of everything can be bought low, and almost all kinds of money will be received at par. Call and see.
Erie, Nov. 14, 1857.—27. T. M. AUSTIN,
Paragon Building.

ELEGANT Portrait and Picture Frames, Gilt Mouldings, Gilt Oval and Square Mirrors, now opening at the
Paragon Building, by
T. M. AUSTIN.

THE LANGUAGES.

THE undersigned respectfully announces to the lovers of the study of modern languages and literature, of Erie, that he intends, aside from giving private lessons, to establish an evening class, for the instruction in French, German and Spanish.

Those who wish to attend will please call at Bowman's Academy Room, Monday evening, December the 7th, for the purpose of organizing.

Ladies between 5 and 6 o'clock, P. M.
Gentlemen " 8 " 9 "
TERMS: for attendance at his class,
1 Language, (per course 24 Lessons,) $4 00
2 " " " 6 00

To be paid half at commencement, each half course for private lessons as announced before. A few applications more for private instruction will be respectfully received.
Erie, Dec. 5, 1857.—30. A. M. G. MOHR,
Teacher of the above languages, at Bowman's Academy.

PROVE ALL THINGS.

DR. H. W. WADSWORTH.
ECLECTIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

WILL be in attendance at his Office, as follows:—
Erie—Brown's Hotel, Sunday & Monday April 11 & 12, 1858.
Girard—Martin's Hotel, Tues. & Wed. A. M. " 13 & 14.
Conneautville—Power House, Friday, April 16.
Albion—Thursday April 15th.
Conneaut Ohio—Randolph House, Friday, " 30.
Kingsville " Rodgers House Thursday, " 29.
Cleveland " Johnson House, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 27 and 28.
Northeast, Pa.,—Brawley's Hotel, Saturday, April 10.
Westfield N. Y.—Westfield House, Friday, " 9
Fredonia, " —Johnson House, Thursday, " 8
Dunkirk, " —Lake Shore Hotel, Wednesday, " 7
Buffalo, " —Mansion House, Monday and Tuesday, April 5 and 6.

Dr. W. will visit the above places regularly every month in the present year, where he can be consulted by all afflicted with Chronic diseases, who desire a safe and speedy cure.

Among the diseases treated successfully by him may be enumerated the following:

SCROFULA,

And all diseases of Scrofulous origin, Ulcers, Tumors, Enlarged Glands or Joints, Hip Diseases, Swelled Neck or Goitre, Scrofulous Sore Eyes, Scald Head, Eruptions on the Face or other parts, &c. Cancer, Fistula, Spinal Diseases, Dyspepsia, Gravel, Impotence, Stricture. St. Vitus Dance, Epilepsy, Rheumatism, Dropsy, &c.

All Diseases peculiar to Females, and all Chronic affections of the Brain, Eyes, Throat, Lungs, Heart, Stomach; Liver, Spleen, Kidneys, Skin or other organs.

A speedy cure warranted in all diseases of a Syphilitic or Venereal character, without the use of mercury or other poisons, which destroy the constitution.

Fever and Ague permanently cured or no charge.

The mode of examination pursued by Dr. W. is very simple and almost entirely new, and by its disease and its symptoms are in a very few minutes detected with facility and certainty, without asking the patient a question, or having the least previous knowledge of the case.

The afflicted, on application, may depend on being relieved from any painful suspense they may have in relation to themselves, by being examined and advised of the exact location, nature and curability of their disease.

Patients unable to consult the Dr. personally, can have medicine sent by Express, by addressing a letter describing their symptoms, and enclosing a suitable fee, to
H. W. WADSWORTH, M. D.,
Erie, Dec. 19, 1857.—32. Buffalo, N. Y.

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AT

J. G. BARR'S,

NO. 10, BROWN'S BLOCK, STATE ST., ERIE, PA.

LADIE'S RUBBERS	50 cts.
GENT'S "	75 cts.
GENT'S Best Thick BOOTS	$3 00
BOY'S " " "	$2 00
YOUTH'S " " "	$1 50

LADIE'S GAITERS from 75 cts. to any Price you want.

The Balance of my Stock at Corresponding Prices.
March 6, 1858. J. G. BARR.

To Machinists and all Using Steam Engines

Hawkins, Goodwin & Cummings'

IMPROVED

Valve Air Cock!

PATENTED DECEMBER 15th, 1857.

The above cut represents an important improvement in Air Cocks for Force Pumps connected with Steam Engines, to which the attention of the public is respectfully solicited.

It will be found useful in all cases where steam engines are employed, but especially so where it is necessary to use a high pressure of steam or where the water is supplied from a well.— When the packing becomes impaired, or the feed pipe fractured, the use of this improvement will enable the pump to act by providing an escape for the air which finds its way into the pump barrel. This is an important consideration in respect to locomotive engines, as the feed pipe is often fractured while the engine is under way or between stations.

Parties desiring to purchase the Valve Air-Cock, can do so by addressing JAMES CUMMINGS, at Erie, Pa., or Messrs. Hawkins & Goodwin, Edinboro, Erie Co. Pa. It should be stated whether the pump to which the Cock is to be applied, is horizontal or perpendicular. Terms will be made known on application.

TESTIMONIALS.

ERIE CITY IRON WORKS, Erie, Pa., Jan. 27, 1858.

Messrs. HAWKINS, GOODWIN & CUMMINGS,—Gents—We are gratified to hear that you have obtained a patent for your "Air Cock" for force pumps, as we can say from certain knowledge that it is a good invention and well adapted for the purpose. Nothing has long been felt, as nothing about the steam engine has caused more trouble than the pump, which trouble your Air-Cock overcomes.
LIDDELL, HERSEY & Co.

MILWAUKEE, January 14, 1858.

DEAR SIR:—We received and are now using the patent Air Cock, ... We regard it as just the thing wanted to remove the air from the force Pump. It works like a charm and we would recommend it in preference to all others now in use.
MENZEL, CUMMINGS & GOODRICH,
Badger Iron Works, Milwaukee.

EDINBORO, January 11, 1858.

Messrs. Hawkins, Goodwin & Cummings—Gents:—We are happy to announce to you and through you to the public that your improvement in Air Cocks for force pumps, works admirably and to our perfect satisfaction; and we cheerfully recommend it to the confidence of the public, especially to all those using steam as a motive power. Respectfully yours,
BURLINGHAM, TWICHELL & CLARK.
Erie, Jan. 30, 1857.—

Wheeler & Wilson's

IMPROVED SEWING MACHINES!

MISS FANNY M. ROACH, Dress Maker, corner of Sixth and ... Streets, having been appointed Agent for the sale of these machines in Erie, invites the public to call and examine one in operation at her rooms before investing money in others.

These Machines operate on an entirely new principle—using no Shuttle, but one Needle and two Threads. They have been before the public for sometime years, and have been universally decided to be the only machine adapted to all kinds of FAMILY SEWING, working equally well on Cotton, Linen, Silk and Woolen Goods, ... Tucking and Gathering with a beauty and strength unequalled by any other Machine.

Among the undoubted advantages that they possess over all others are, 1st. Beauty and elegancy of construction; and consequent freedom from derangement and need of repairs. 2d. Unequalled ease and rapidity of operation. 3d. Noiseless movement. 4th. Beauty and strength of stitch; it is not a Chain stitch, but a Lock Stitch alike on both sides; every stitch being locked, it CANNOT BE UNRAVELED.

Any ... of these Machines and samples of their work in ...
Erie, Feb. 20, 1858.

Executors' Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters Testamentary, with will annexed, on the estate of ... deceased ... all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
Feb. 27, 1858.—3t43 Executor.

Executor's Notice.

LETTERS Testamentary on the estate of ... Hartland, ... having been granted to the subscriber, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against it will please present them duly authenticated for settlement.
MARY S. HAVILAND,
of Concord Tp., Executrix.
Feb. 20, 1858.—3t42

John Meade, } In Common Pleas of Erie County.
vs
Rufus Mills. } No. 14, Nov. Term, 1858.

IN PARTITION.

And now to wit: Feb. 25, 1858, Inquisition, Valuation, &c., returned and filed, in open court, and on motion of J. B. Johnson, Esq., ... for Plff, the court order and decree that the same together with the proceedings hitherto had, be approved and confirmed, and that the same be and remain firm and stable forever.— And ... a rule upon all the parties in interest to come into Court, upon the first Monday of May next, and accept or refuse the premises at the appraisement, or otherwise to abide the order of the Court, herein then to be made.

{ L. S. } Per Curiam
JAMES SKINNER, Pro

In pursuance of the order of Court in the premises, notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the above matter of partition of the foregoing rule and of its requirements.
Sheriff's Office, JOHN KILPATRICK,
Erie, Feb. 25, 1858 Sheriff.

McCONKEY & SHANNON'S

IS THE PLACE TO BUY

HEAVY OR SHELF HARDWARE.

NO. 3, REED HOUSE.

Blacksmiths

WILL FIND THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF

TOOLS,

In the City, at No. 3, Reed House.

IRON, STEEL, NAILS

WROUGHT AND CUT

SPIKE,

AT NO. 3, REED HOUSE.

PLINTS, MULEY,

MILL, CROSS CUT,

CIRCULAR AND BUTTING

SAWS.

AT NO. 3, REED HOUSE.

Carpenters,

THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR

TOOLS, CHEAP,

NO. 3, REED HOUSE.

McCONKEY & SHANNON.

Erie, Feb. 20, 1858.

THE NEW YORK

STEAM SAW-MILL AND MACHINE COMPANY.

CAPITAL $260,000.

This company has been organized with the above capital for the purpose of supplying the demand for the

COMBINATION

PORTABLE STEAM SAW-MILL,

AND OTHER IMPROVED MACHINERY.

THEY have purchased the entire machinery business heretofore carried on J. M. Emerson & Co., also the Montgomery Works at Yonkers, on the Hudson, near this city, and with the extensive and efficient facilities combined in its organization are prepared to furnish machinery of all kinds at more liberal rates than has ever been offered at any other establishment.

THE COMBINATION SAW-MILL was patented October, 1856, and is now generally acknowledged to be the cheapest, most practical, and efficient lumber manufacturing machine in the world.— A large number of them are in successful operation in different sections of this country, Canada, Cuba, and South America, and wherever their merits have been tested they are being adopted by lumber manufacturers in preference to all other mills.

Messrs. Emerson & Co.—Gentlemen: I have tried the saw-mill purchased of you, and will say that it performs well, and more than meets my expectations. I am well pleased with its performance. I set it up on a small stream that afforded considerable water about as thick as my little finger, which was much more than sufficient to supply the boiler. We are able to cut 3,000 feet of beautiful lumber in 12 hours, with something less than one cord of wood. It is the very thing we have so much needed in our county for a long time. With a little trouble and expense, we are able to move it from five to ten miles per day, and set it up in the heart of the timber, which saves the great burden of hauling the logs a long distance to the mill.

Yours, respectfully,
JESSE KERR, JR.
Louisville, Tennessee.

The Company have purchased LUNDY'S PATENT FEED ARRANGEMENT, which is illustrated and described in the Scientific American for October 24. This adds greatly to the efficiency of the mill.

THE COMBINATION MILL, with all the recent improvements, and steam power of 16-horses, is capable of sawing from 3,000 to 4,000 feet in twelve hours, and is sold for $1,450.

THE NEW YORK CIRCULAR SAW MILL

Is manufactured only by this Company. It is of superior construction, and sold for 25 per cent less than other mills of no greater capacity. A mill with 36 to 54-inch saw can be sold for $800 to $9000, and with a 20 horse engine and boiler is sold for $1,450.

STEAM ENGINES and BOILERS.—ENGINES of from one to 100 horse power; LOCOMOTIVE, TUBULAR, FLUE and CYLINDER BOILERS furnished at greatly reduced prices from former quotations.

Drawings, with plans and specifications for buildings and machinery, furnished gratis to our customers.

Competent mechanics are sent out to put up and set in operation our machinery, when required.

We also manufacture SHINGLE MACHINES, PLANING MACHINES, SUGAR MILLS, and MACHINERY IN GENERAL.

Special attention paid to getting up SHAFTING and PULLIES for manufactories, and all kinds of MILL-WRIGHT WORK.

This Company are selling in great numbers a PATENT CONICAL BURR-STONE MILL, for flour, corn meal, and all kinds of feed, which is pronounced by experienced millers, both in this country and Europe, THE BEST MILL EVER CONSTRUCTED. It will grind more grain in the same time, and with half the power, of any mill of the same price in the market.

We also furnish other styles of GRIST-MILLS, when required.

The undersigned are also publishers of

THE

UNITED STATES JOURNAL,

A large and magnificent illustrated monthly newspaper, devoted to MECHANICS, AGRICULTURE, LITERATURE and AMUSEMENT.

In addition to the usual attractions, which have already given it a circulation of nearly 100,000 COPIES per month, it will hereafter contain a complete record of all new and valuable MECHANICAL and AGRICULTURAL IMPROVEMENTS, embracing a larger amount of practical information from experienced writers in these specialities than any other publication in the world.

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UNITED STATES GRADUATED LANDS.

OFFICE PIONEER LAND AGENCY,

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Locating Government Lands,

AT 12½ CENTS PER ACRE,

AND

LAND WARRANTS.

N. P. STEPHENSON, & CO.,

NO. 29 NORTH FOURTH STREET, OPPOSITE PLANTERS HOUSE, ST. LOUIS, MO.,

WOULD Respectfully inform the Public, that he is prepared to locate or enter selected Government Land, at 12½, 25, 50 and 75 cents per acre, in Missouri Prairie, Timbered, Mineral and Pine Lands. Also, locates, buys and sells Land Warrants. Assignments of Land Warrants executed, examined and corrected. Selections invariably made from actual inspection; principally adjacent to the chartered lines of railroads which are under process of construction. Competent Surveyors constantly in the field, making examinations, and furnishing this office with the result. Persons who have not availed themselves of the benefit of the Graduation Act, approved August 4th, 1854, can acquire from the Government of the United States 320 Acres of Land at the above graduated prices, by making the required affidavits and applications, which affidavits and applications can be prepared for selected land, and the entries made through this agency.

Having a thorough knowledge of the country, and an unsurpassed experience ... in this business, enables me to make desirable and valuable locations or entries. The entire cost of 320 acres is $85. Will attend to the purchase and sale of Farms and Lands of all descriptions.

Those paid on hand in any part of the State. Prompt attention given to all communications, and perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Small business intrusted to this Agency. Persons desiring Lands in this State to make application. Persons desiring Patents for land entered, can have their claims attended to, by having their Duplicate Certificates.

REFERENCES:

Col. Armstrong, formerly Reg. Land Office, St. Louis, Mo.
Col. ... Tuttle, late ...
Col. ... Pub. Notary, ...
..., Mo.
..., Warrenton, Mo.
... Valle, St. Charles, Mo.
..., Mo.
..., Warrenton, Mo.
...
March ..., 1858.—3m44.

TRASH NOTICE.—That the cheapest Drug Store is at No. 5, Reed House, where every thing in the Drug and Medicine line can be obtained ... L. L. BALDWIN.
March 11.

CAMPHENE at Baldwin's No. 5, Reed House, at
March 11. L. L. BALDWIN.

PLASTER.

100 ... Plaster, prime quality, for sale at their Ware House at the Dock, by A. E. KELLOGG & Co.
Erie, Feb. 27, 1858.—3m43

Thomas McKee, Sam'l W. Keefer & John Hay, Directors of the Poor and of the Alms House of Erie Co

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" 28.	" " " " Hay,	6 00
May 19.	" D. G. Landon, for two Pigs,	2 50
June 2.	" A. King, for Barley,	12 00
" 16.	" M. & J. Sullivan, on acc't of J. Bell,	15 00
July 11.	" Eli Hayberger, inst. on money refunded,	12 25
" 20.	" Mr. Gullen, boarding children in P. H.	2 00
Aug. 3.	" John O'Connell, boarding his mother in Poor House,	5 00
" 4	" Messrs. Love & Gilbert, for pair Horses sold them,	175 00
" 6.	" County Commissioners, on requisition,	2,000 00
Sept. 4.	" John O'Connell, maintainance of his mother,	5 00
" 9.	" John McDonald, board g child'n in P. H.,	2 50
Oct'r 2	" Co. Commissioners, on requisition,	1,000 00
" 8	" J. O'Connell, maint'g his mother,	4 00
Nov. 6.	" J. Lantz on ac't A. Chauncey, a pauper,	10 17
" "	" John McDonald, brd'g children in P. H.,	2 00
" 9	" J. O'Connell, maint'g his mother,	4 00
Dec. 2	" Co. Commissioners, on requisition,	1,000 00
" 25	" " " in full of "	1,000 00
		9,182 15
	To am't of cash received as above,	8,182 15
	" Warrants in circulation at this date,	409 68
		8,591 83

CR.

By Warrants issued to pay sundry bills, as per Vouchers on file—	
For support of out-door paupers, of all grades,	$1,478 42
" removing Paupers to Poor House,	72 46
" Justice's orders to remove Paupers to Poor House,	11 70
" Coffins for in and out-door paupers and other persons, buried at the County's expense,	78 00
" Physician's bills for attending out-door paupers,	61 25
" Dr. J. L. Stewart, Phys'n to House in full of salary,	127 50
" S. B. P. Zuck, former steward, bal. of salary,	82 50
" S. Thos. Love, steward, on salary,	225 00
" Labor on the Farm,	201 41
" " in the House,	123 26
" Rye 80 75, Corn 91 44, Flour 90 73,	260 92
" Hay 15 00, Butter 56 08,	71 08
" Fire Wood 148 98, Stone Coal 105 08,	254 06
" Printing Annual St'mt 68 60, other printing 7 00	75 60
" Merchandise 255 42, Groceries 549 75,	805 17
" Drugs and Medicines,	83 28
" Beef and Beef Cattle,	743 04
" Butchering,	18 00
" Lumber 72 05, Carpenter Work, 66 03,	137 08
" Lime 11 18, Plastering new Building 40 74,	57 92
" Pa. State Asylum, for support of a Lunatic,	175 50
" Western Pa. Hospital, " " "	9 00
" Blacksmithing 30 62, Cooperage, 10 75,	41 37
" Tin-Ware 19 10, Hard-ware and Crockery, 59 71,	78 81
" Interest and Exchange,	119 20
" Soap 17 01, Potatoes 2 00,	19 01
" Clover Seed 25 50, Threshing Grain 41 98,	67 48
" Beans 4 13, Pumpkins 7 50,	11 63
" Ashes 80 c., Grinding Sugar-cane 50 c.,	1 30
" Increase of Farm Stock,	8 25
" Cabbage Plants 3 12, Harness 20 00,	23 12
" Oil-Cloth 3 75, Garden Seeds 5 75,	9 50
" Tailoring in the House,	17 00
" Leather Shackels for Lunatic,	2 50
" Cupboard 7 00, Repairing Farm Tools, 7 38,	14 38
" Use of Horse on Farm 2 00, Chairs 10 00,	12 00
" Constable's costs 1 25, 1 m Brick 5 00,	6 25
" Mending Wagon 2 65, Bed-stead 14 25,	16 90
" Cracking Wagon 45 00, Fixings for Wagon 4 00,	49 00
" Boarding Witnesses 10 63, Surveying Land 3 00,	13 63
" Pump 4 00, one eight day Clock 7 50,	11 50
" Use of Drill 2 60, Straw for binding sheaves 1 92,	4 52
" Stove and Pipe 7 50, Shoes 2 25,	9 75
" Expense towards procuring Land War't for a pauper,	1 46
" Seed Wheat 40 00, Pasturing Cattle 20 13,	60 13
" J. B. Johnson, Esq., Professional services, 1855,	10 00
" E. Babbitt, Esq., do do in 1854, 5, 6 & 7,	50 00
" do do do in R. R. suits,	86 00
" C. W. Kelso, Esq., services vs Lewis,	3 00
" one-half of a Mowing and Reaping Machine,	45 00
" S. B. P. Zuck, rent of farm,	120 00
" " " cash ret'd which was loan'd from him,	200 00
" James Sampson, one pair Horses,	250 00
" Jos. Gilbert, cash ret'd, which was borrow'd of him,	250 00
" Meat Bench 1 50, Stationery 1 46,	2 96
Directors' Salary, to wit:	
" Thomas McKee, 30 00, Extra Pay, 10 00,	40 00
" S. W. Keefer, 30 00, " " 46 00,	76 00
" John Hay, 30 00, " " 23 00,	53 00
" Thomas Moorhead, salary as Clerk,	75 00
" Thomas Moorhead, per centage as Treasurer, three per cent on 7881 62, warrants redeemed,	236 45
	7,497 68
By amount of Warrants issued as above,	7,497 68
" " in circulation at last settle'mt,	1,030 17
" Cash in Treasury at this date,	64 08
	8,591 93
To cash in Treasury at this date,	64 08

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Erie County, having met together at the office of the County Commissioners of said County, and having carefully examined the accounts of the Directors of the Poor and of the Alms House of Erie County, do report and certify that we find them correct as above stated.

Given under our hands and seals the eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1858.
N. W. RUSSELL, (L. S.)
JOHN W. CAMPBELL, (L. S.)
ELIAS BRECHT, (L. S.)

PRODUCTS OF POOR HOUSE FARM FOR 1857.

Wheat	122 bushels,	Corn in the ear	930 bushel,
Barley,	277 "	Oats,	253 "
Potatoes,	450 "	Carrots,	106 "
Clover Seed,	15 "	Apples,	125 "
Turnips,	75 "	Lard,	2 Bbls.
Pork,	6045 pounds,	Sour-krout,	2 "
Beef,	4212 "	Apple Butter,	1 "
Tallow,	202 "	SugarCane Syrup	2 Gals.
Candles,	126 "	Butter,	300 Lbs.
Cabbage,	1200 Heads		

MANUFACTURED IN THE HOUSE.

21 Dresses, 27 Chemises, 22 Aprons, 35 pr. Socks and Stockings, 80 Shirts, 12 Bed-Quilts, 5 Coats, 26 pr. Pantaloons, 87 pr. Pillow Slips, 52 Sheets, 29 yds. Carpeting, 15 Bed Ticks.

STOCK ON THE FARM.

1 Pair Horses, 8 Cows, 1 Heifer, 17 Store Hogs.

Inmates in the House, at last report,	79	
Admitted during the year,	144	—223
Discharged " " "	130	
Bound out " " "	2	—132
Now in the House,		91
Males,	64	
Females,	27	
Highest number in the House at any one time during year,		91
Lowest " " " " "		53
Average number,		79

WHERE BORN.

Ireland 39, England 8, Germany 9, Pennsylvania 2, Erie County, Pa., 21, Poor House 1, New York 16, Connecticut 4, Vermont 2, North Carolina 1, Massachusetts 3.

PHYSICAL CONDITION.

Blind 3, Partially blind 3, Cripples 13, Feeble 15, Deformed 1, Deaf 1, Deaf and Dumb 1, Healthy 54.

MENTAL CONDITION.

Idiots 6, Semi-Idiotic 1, Insane 7, Partly Insane, 3.

AGES.

From 1 to 5 years, 6,	5 to 10 years, 7,	10 to 15 years, 4,
" 15 " 25 " 8,	25 " 40 " 21,	40 " 60 " 27,
" 60 " 75 " 12,	75 " 85 " 4,	85 to 90 " 1,

Weekly Allowance from 2 to 12 months has been granted to 112, Out-door Paupers—Temporary relief has been granted to 488, who were not registered on the Books, as sustained by weekly allowances.

BOUND OUT DURING THE YEAR.

Eliza Mart, to Henry Dunker, of Millcreek,
Philander York, to John Dunker, "

THOMAS MOORHEAD, Treasurer of the Directors of the Poor and Alms House of Erie County.

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" "	" Cash on hand in Treasury at this date,	64 08
		8,182 15

Jan. 16, 1858, To Cash on hand in Treasury at this date, 64 08

We, the undersigned, Auditor of Erie County, having met together at the Office of the County Commissioners of said County, and having carefully examined the accounts of Thomas Moorhead, Treasurer of the Directors of the Poor and of the Alms House of Erie County, for the year A. D. 1857, do report them correct as above stated, and that we find a balance in the hands of said Treasurer, of Sixty four Dollars and Eight Cents.

Given under our hands and seals this Eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1858
N. W. RUSSELL, (L. S.)
JOHN W. CAMPBELL, (L. S.)
March, 1858. ELIAS BRECHT, (L. S.)

Administrators Notice.

WHEREAS, letters of Administration on the estate of P. W. Kellogg, late of Summit township, deceased, have been granted to the subscribers; All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the Estate of said decedent will make known the same, without delay.
JENNETT G. KELLOGG,
February 27, 1858.—3t42 W. J. F. LIDDELL,
Administrators.

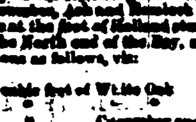
JUST RECEIVED at the Park Row Book Store, "Casey's" Reports, vol. 4. Also, a few copies of Purdon's U. S. Digest, late edition. E. L. NASON.
Erie, March 4, 1858.

BURNING FLUID—A superior article at No. 5, Reed House Drug Store of L. L. BALDWIN.

GLASS of all sizes and qualities, at the Drug Store of
March 11. L. L. BALDWIN.

LARGE ARRIVAL OF

PAPER HANGINGS,



AT PARK ROW BOOK STORE,
And more Coming!

I AM now receiving an extensive and well selected Stock of Wall Paper, Window Paper, &c., &c., for the Spring Trade, which will be sold cheaper than can be purchased elsewhere in this city. An examination of the stock and prices is solicited.

Also, the celebrated PENDULUM CURTAIN FIXTURE, far superior to any other now in use and equally as cheap.
Erie, March 6, 1858. E. L. NASON.

Government Timber for Sale.

SEALED proposals will be received until the 1st day of April, 1858, for the following lot of Timber, at Erie, Pa., viz: White Oak, Cucumber, Ash and Hemlock Timber, lying on the bank of the Lake at the foot of Holland street, at A. E. Kellogg's Warehouse, and of the North end of the Bay, near the old Carpenter Shop.— Dimensions as follows, viz:

		Length.	Size.
2,146	cubic feet of White Oak	26 ft	12 X 12
...	"	26 ft	8 X 10
4,000	" Cucumber and Ash	20 ft	12 X 12
160	" do do	16 ft	8 X 12
3,605	" do do	20 ft	8 X 8
64	" do do	16 ft	8 X 8
10,000	" Hemlock	26 ft	12 X 12
122	" do	16 ft	12 X 12
1,777	" do	20 ft	8 X 8

The bids should be made for the cubic foot, for each kind of timber separately. Parties can bid for the whole or in parcels to suit. All proposals must be addressed to Lieut. Col. J. D. Graham, Superintending Engineer of Lake Harbors, Chicago, Ill., and will be subject to the decision of that officer. Terms of Sale—Specie of U. S. coin, to be paid on ... delivered.
Erie, Jan. 30, 1858.

Wm. A. GRISWOLD'S COLUMN.

Hard Times have Passed.

CHEERING NEWS

AT THE

EMPIRE STORE.

THE LAST

Great Sale of the Season.

$56,000 Worth of

DRY GOODS!

CARPETS, &C.

A part of which were bought at the late forced Auction Sales in New York within the past ten days at nearly

ONE HALF THEIR VALUE.

All of which will be sold For Cash, at prices to suit the times, for 60 days only.

Wm. A. GRISWOLD,

having bought the entire Stock of Goods of G. H. Warner & Co., also having made large additions thereto from the late great

AUCTION SALES

in New York, offer the whole Stock at an

Immense Reduction for Cash.

Come to the Empire and for one dollar you can return home with TWO Dollars in Goods. This sale is positive and prices uniform.

TAKE NOTICE!

RESULTS OF THE TIMES!!

Fresh Goods and latest styles of Merimack, Cocheco, Pacific and English Prints, at 9 cents per yard. Fast colored Prints 5 and 6 cts. per yard.

Best English and American Muslin de Laines only 1s. and 1s 6d. per yard.

Merino, best French from 4s to 6s per yd.

All Wool Merino Plaid only 3s 6d per yard, worth 7s.
Fine Union " " " 2s " " " 4s.
Best Paris Printed Wool de Laines for 4s pr yd. worth 8s.
Plush Bordered Stella Shawls for $1.50 worth $4.

A large assortment of Wool Shawls at an Immense reduction.

Ladies Cloaks at half their Value.

Embroiderie & Dress Trimmings

SELLING AT A LARGE SACRIFICE.

EVERY DEPARTMENT IS FULL & COMPLETE.

We have not time to enumerate Goods and prices, and at a word would say come and examine for yourselves.

GOODS REVEIVED WEEKLY

ESPECIAL NOTICE.

I will make a deduction of 5 per cent on all accounts due and past due, also all accounts becoming due on the 1st of January next, if paid before the 10th day of December next, in par funds.

WM. A. GRISWOLD.
Erie, November 7, 1857.

CASH! CASH! CASH!

WANTED!

BY

SAMUEL Z. SMITH,

No. 5, Reed's Block, State Street,
For which will be given

PLAIN AND FANCY

Boots and Shoes of the Latest Styles

AT PANIC PRICES!

LADIES can now obtain a superior article of both Plain and Fancy Gaiters, Boots and Shoes without having to send to the Eastern cities.

Having a full assortment of the Finest Materials, I am prepared to do work which will satisfy the most fastidious.
S. Z. SMITH,
Erie, Dec. 12, 1857. No. 5, Reed's Block

STRAW KNIVES.—Straw and Hay Knives for sale by
Nov 28. J. C. SELDEN.

WANTED.

ALL kinds of Country Produce, for which the highest market price will be paid by BARR & BROTHER
Dec. 5. Hughes Block

LADIES.

WE offer for your inspection, a splendid selection of Basques, Cloaks, Hoods, Gloves, Trimmings, &c. &c.
Dec 5. BARR & BROTHER

GENTLEMEN.

WE offer for your inspection, the largest assortment of Gentlemens FURNISHING GOODS, ever brought to this market, consisting of Wrappers, Drawers, Shirts, Collars, &c &c. We shall not be undersold for the Cash. Call and see for yourselves. BARR & BROTHER

OVER SHOES. One of the Largest assortment ever offered in this City, for sale cheap at
BARR & BROTHER

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN'S Gloves, and Hosiery, the largest assortment in this City, is now offered at unprecedent low prices at BARR & BROTHER'S.
Erie, Dec. 5, 1857.—30. Hughes Block

Ye Bootless Crowd, come and Get

BOOTS FOR "BOOTY,"

And Shoes for Beauty Unsurpassed!!

Come and trade off all your old clothes and get new
Throw off your old and worn out garments with
"the old year," and commence the
new year with new and
clean clothes.
COME
to BARR & Bro's and get Soaps and wash and be clean
COME
to BARR & Bro's and get Oils, anoint your head
and be beautiful.
Come to BARR & Bro's and get

SHAWLS, CLOAKS, HOODS, COMFORTS, &c,

and be comfortable.

Come to BARR & BRO's and select your Gloves from the largest and finest stock ever brought into this market and appear genteel.

Come and do yourselves justice and get everything you want. Come in your wagons loaded with every kind of Country Produce and exchange for merchandise.

Come in your carriages, come in your buggies, come on horse back, come by railroad, come on foot to BARR & BRO'S and "swap" your CASH for goods where you will get your money back.

Come one, come all! we can supply the million, and like (t1, and Martin" are always on hand. Don't forget
BARR & BROTHER'S STORE
Erie, Dec 19, 1857. On State Street, Hughes Block

ROGERS & BENNETT'S HARDWARE and CROCKERY STORE.

IS the best place in America to buy Hardware, Crockery, Glassware, Looking Glasses &c.

Iron, Nails, Springs, Axle-Arms,

Steel,
Chain, Picks,
Crowbars, Mattocks,
Cutter Shoes, Grub Hoes,
Shovels, Forks, Hoes, Axes, Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Hammers, Sledges,
Store Hammers, Hand Hammers, Horse Shoe
Mill Saws, Cross Cut Saws, Hand Saws
Whip Saws, Thimble Skein Box
Joiners Tools, Coopers Tools,
Butts, Screws, Locks,
Latches, and all
kinds of

SHELF HARDWARE.

Saddlery

Harness and Carriage Trimmings of all kinds at the very lowest possible rates.

Crockery and Glassware.

A large assortment which will be sold at a very small advance

Silver Plated Ware.

Cake Baskets, Castors, Butter Dishes, Candle Sticks, Spoons, Forks, Knives, Salt Spoons, Mustard Spoons, &c., &c., Warranted to be the best quality manufactured in the United States.

Looking Glasses.

We can almost beat the world on Looking Glasses. It is useless to talk about competition this side of New York. Here is the place to buy Looking Glasses cheap.

We shall spare no pains in keeping up our assortment of Goods to supply the increasing demand of our numerous customers.
Erie, Sept., 26, 1857. ROGERS & BENNETT

Gutta Percha Belting.

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"Now to wit, to wit February 1, 1858, this petition presented and read in open Court, and the Court fix the first Monday in May 1858, for hearing, and direct notice to be given according to law.
Per Cur. ABEL FULLER
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