MORNING EXPRESS.

Local, Literary and Miscellaneous.

BUFFALO, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 5, 1859.

THE SALARIES OF TEACHERS.—"The worst anticipations of the friends of the public schools of the city have been realized. The Republican and American Aldermen have expressed, more forcibly than by any language they could have used, their disapprobation of the school system, and their determination to cripple it.—We say this because their action was not called for by any public sentiment, nor demanded by any exigency of the times. It is universally admitted that business prospects are favorable, and that our city is rapidly recovering from the financial revulsion. The city has been paying teachers no higher salaries than are now paid in Cleveland and many other western cities, and lower than teachers at Boston, New York, Chicago and St Louis, are receiving. The compensation, especially, of the Principals of schools and departments, is no more than adequate for the services rendered; and it will be impossible to secure competent and experienced teachers at the salaries named, for the reason that better pay can be obtained elsewhere, and the consequence will be that an inferior grade of teachers must be employed, the character of the schools will deteriorate, and thus the purpose of a mere handful of men in the community will be secured."

The above, and much more to the same purpose, is from the *Courier* of yesterday morning—a paper which, on all occasions, has shown such a fondness for Treasury pap, that even the late Common Council, composed of a large majority of its political friends, and disposed to do all in their power for its support, found it impossible to satisfy its rapacious appetite, save by the grossest and most palpable violations of the city charter and of all equity of conscience. The people, at the recent election, having removed all pecuniary temptations from its path for the ensuing year, the *Courier* suddenly becomes energetically virtuous and virtuously indignant at the effort to carry out the wishes of the people, as expressed at the polls, and opens its batteries upon the new Council, before even the members are warm in their seats.

As stated yesterday, we are not prepared to approve or condemn the action of the new Council in reducing the salaries of teachers to so great an extent, for, while it appears to us that a more moderate reduction would have answered every necessary purpose, we are aware, and so is the *Courier*, that the main issue which divided the people at the polls in November last, and which effected the overthrow of the Democracy, was a prompt and thorough reduction of the expenses in all branches of the city government. This, we say, was the issue—the only real issue—and as too rarely happens in such cases the people were in earnest in regard to it and adopted the only available course to bring about the desired reform, by changing the entire political complexion of the Council and substituting intelligent tax payers in lieu of those who simply had a passenger interest in the welfare and prosperity of the city. The members of the new Council justly felt that this emphatic expression of public sentiment could not be disregarded, and they promptly took early and decisive steps to carry out the wishes of their constituents.

In applying the remedy prescribed in the various departments, it was discovered, to use a vegetable comparison, that a host of suckers had sprung up about the original plant, all of which only impeded the natural and healthy development of the system, at the expense of the City Treasury. These have been promptly lopped off or ... and wholly eradicated ... [illegible]

[illegible]

SOMEWHAT ALARMING.—[illegible]

The Shades, on the opposite corner ... [illegible]

Another case occurred in the day time ... [illegible]

THE FIRST WHEAT FROM CHICAGO.—The Chicago *Press and Tribune* of January 1st publishes in its annual review of the trade and commerce of that port, in the course of which it hunts up a goodly number of interesting ... Among other interesting details it gives the original bill of lading of the first shipment of wheat ever made from that port. From this it appears that Capt. P. P. Billings, now of this city, then master of the brig ..., brought the first wheat from Chicago to this port, at Black Rock, in the fall of 1839. The wheat amounting to 1,678 bushels, was shipped by Messrs. Newberry & Dole, October 9th, and was consigned to Messrs. Kingman & Durfee, millers at Black Rock.

The wheat was part spring and part winter, and the price paid to producers for the former was 62½ cents, and for the latter 67½@75 cents per bushel. Such was the beginning of a commerce which during the past year has swelled to the enormous amount of nearly 20,000,000 of bushels, with other products in proportion. Capt. Billings, the pioneer, wears his honors meekly, and on Monday of this week, experienced the truth of the old adage that "Republics are ungrateful," in failing to secure an election to the important post of Harbor Master, simply because he belonged to the unfortunate ... party.

THE CONSTELLATION.—This is the title of a mammoth forty column weekly just issued in New York by George Roberts, formerly proprietor of the Boston *Daily Times*. It is edited by Park Benjamin, one of the most brilliant of American writers, whose name is as familiar as a household word throughout the land, who after a retirement of a dozen years or more from the harness again assumes the editorial pen. The advent of this paper has been generally heralded, and if any disappointment is felt on its appearance, it will certainly be in its favor. The *Constellation* is as much superior in tone and healthy moral sentiment to the other New York weeklies of the *Ledger* stamp, as the latter are in advance of the ... *Paper* and *Police Gazette*. It is in fact, a magazine in itself, and its gigantic proportions ought to keep a large family in reading matter from week to week. Its selections evince much taste and judgment, while its mechanical execution is everything that can be desired. It is intended strictly as a family journal and if the number before us is a fair specimen of what is to follow, we can cheerfully recommend it. The subscription price is three dollars per year for a single copy.

UNPRECEDENTED SUCCESS.—We learn from the Boston *Traveller* that the Atlantic Monthly is meeting with great favor from all sources. Though the publishers printed nearly *thirty thousand* copies of the January number, the large supply was entirely exhausted on the very day of publication, thus compelling many news subscribers and others to wait a few days before obtaining a copy. The publishers have another edition of several thousand in press, which will be ready in a few days, and with their present facilities they will be able to supply the demand, however large it may be. Their subscriptions, received by mail alone from all parts of the country, have averaged more than one hundred a day for some time past. Mrs. H. B. Stow's new serial, "The Minister's Wooing," is immensely popular, as indicated by the success which is thus attending the enterprising publishers' efforts to make the Atlantic the embodiment of all that is entertaining and instructive.

BLAZE-PROOF DRESSES.—The London *Medical Times* says: "The melancholy accident by which the ladies ... and Charlotte Bridgeman and Miss Plunket have been such fearful sufferers, teaches a lesson which must not be neglected. The light fabric manufactured for ladies' dresses must be made blaze-proof. Nothing can be more simple. The most delicate white cambric handkerchief, or flimsy gauze, or the finest lace, by simply soaking in a weak solution of chloride of zinc, may be so protected from blaze that if held in the flame of a candle they may be reduced to tinder without blazing. Dresses so prepared might be burnt by accident without the other garments worn by the lady being injured. When poor Clara Webster was burned, we inculcated the same moral, and now the dresses of stage dancers are prepared in the way we recommended. Why are dancing ladies of rank to be exposed to dangers from which their dancing sisters by profession are protected? The hint may be put to profitable use by some enterprising manufacturer."

A NEW PROFESSION.—The *Home Journal* has picked out of an English paper an extraordinary paragraph, which some enterprising person in these parts may find suggestive. Mrs. Atleff was prosecuted by Mrs. Leverson for an assault, and in the course of the proceedings, the plaintiff, Leverson, gave an account of herself. She said she was ladies' decorator or face painter. For a fee of five guineas, she attends a lady going to a party, improves her complexion, hair and teeth, and supplies all deficiencies. This trade according to the woman's statement, brings her in not less than eight hundred pounds sterling per year, and what it enables her to afford may be inferred from the fact that the cause of action arose out of a dispute about a lodging she had taken in Bond street, at a rent of three guineas a week. Leverson boasts of having all the crowned heads among her customers, not excepting Her Majesty, whose patronage she pretends to enjoy.

BASSWOOD PAPER AND ELECTRICITY.—The editor of the Lockport *Journal* recently met Geo. W. Beard, formerly of Rochester, and learned from him that his invention of paper made from basswood was a decided success. The delay in manufacturing is only to continue till difficulties among parties interested can be settled. Mr B. ... has made another discovery ... [illegible]

EDITORS OF THE MORNING EXPRESS: I find ... [illegible]

NATIONAL HOSE ...—On Monday evening ... [illegible]

Foreman—Daniel McFarland(?); Assistant ...; President ...; Vice President ...; Treasurer ...; Secretary ...

NEW DRAMATIC ...—The Cleveland *Herald* ... [illegible]

... CONCERT.—The Concerts of Father Kemp's ... [illegible]

ILLINOIS.—The New York Ledger for Jan 1 ... [illegible]

POLICE COURT.—Before Justice Bidwell, Jan ... [illegible]

ACCIDENT.—[illegible]

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE POOR.—The Board of Superintendents of the Poor ... have appointed the following officers:
Clerk—Wm. P. East.
Keeper of the Poor House—...
Under Keeper—J. H. ...
Keeper of Prison Department—Lewis Pfeiffer.

BUFFALO SEA...—Messrs. Duncan, Sher... [illegible]

TO-NIGHT.—The English Opera Troupe appear this evening in selections from Traviata, Il Trovatore and The Love Spell. A selection of ... has been made ... [illegible]

TO ... Make a mix ... [illegible]

LITERATURE.—T. S. Hawks, No. 16 East Seneca street, has received the London Art Journal for December, also a book of poems by Frances Anne Kemble.

A DESIDERATUM long wanted by the spectacle wearing community of Buffalo, is to be commenced to day at 244 Main street under the name of "Buffalo Eye Infirmary" by Mr. J. F. Franks ... high optical skill ... adjustment of spectacles ... Franks, Professor of optics of New York ... [illegible]

FATHER KEMP'S OLD FOLKS CONCERT.—We attended the Old Folks Concert at St James Hall last evening ... [illegible]

WHEELER & WILSON'S SEWING MACHINES.—L. D. & H. C. Griggs, No. 209 Main street, the agents for this celebrated Machine, have lately received a new and extensive assortment of cases, and are prepared to exhibit their Machines with increased confidence to the ladies of Buffalo, satisfied that on a careful examination, no one of the different samples now in market will be preferred before them.

N. B. No person has a right to vend or use these Machines, in this locality, without the written permission of the patentees.

Fine Old Hennessy and Otard Brandies may be found at Knapp & Ayer's, No. 86 Main street, Buffalo, vintage 1849, which they guarantee pure in quality. no11f

A GIFT WITH EVERY BOOK AT WANZER'S, No. 247 Main street, Buffalo.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Children cry with Worms in the system and they also cry for MATHEWS' CHOCOLATE WORM DROPS, which are as pleasant as any candy and more efficient than any of the offensive vermifuges in the market, and perfectly harmless. Price 25 cents a box. A. I. MATHEWS, 220 Main st.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—To stop burglary and room thieving (which has become bold and daring,) ten live, active salesmen, with a small capital, to introduce every where and sell to every body, Kittle's Improved Patent Door Fasteners. Prices reduced, good salesmen can make from $3 to $5 per day. Call on or address S. P. KITTLE, au4-6m 226 Main street, Buffalo, N. Y.

COD LIVER OIL IMPROVED.—The difficulty of taking nauseous oil is entirely overcome by the use of QUERU'S COD LIVER OIL JELLY. It can be eaten as an agreeable article of food, and is approved by the New York Academy of Medicine. Penfold, Clay & Co., Wholesale Agents, No 4 Fletcher street, New York. For sale by O. H. P. CHAMPLIN, and Druggists generally. ja1-6t

COMMERCIAL.

MORNING EXPRESS OFFICE, Buffalo, January 5, 1859.

CANAL TOLLS.—The Collector of Canal Tolls for this city, says the Rochester *Union*, Mr John Rigney, has closed his business for the season and posted his books. He finds something of an improvement in the receipt of tolls over those of the previous season, though the figures are still far below those of years gone by, when tolls were higher and far more property was shipped from this place. The footings of the two years are as follows:

Tolls of 1858	$89,721 10
1857	76,[illegible] 91
Increase in 1858	$12,808 19

NEW YORK MARKET—January 4.
Reported for the Morning Express.

FLOUR.—The snow storm checked transactions in Flour, but the market continued firm. Sales 7,500 bbls at $4 25@4 50 for superfine State, $5 00@5 25 for extra State, $4 85@4 6? for superfine Western, $5 00@5 35 for common to medium extra Western, and $5 45@5 55 for good shipping brands of extra round hooped Ohio. Market closing firm and quiet. Canadian Flour is unchanged. Sales 250 bbls at $5 25@6 50 for common to choice extra. Small sales Rye Flour at $3 25@4 10. Buckwheat Flour at $2 50@2 75.

WHEAT.—Nothing of moment doing in the market, and prices nominally the same. Rye scarce and firmly held at 80c for prime. Barley dull. Sales 4,000 bush common at 65@70c. Corn market firmer. Sales 24,500 bush at 83c for mixed Western afloat and in store. Oats firmer. Sales at 51@52c for Western, and 51@54c for Canadian.

PROVISIONS.—Pork market a shade firmer. Sales 1,100 bbls at $17 00@17 15 for old mess, $17 50@17 65 for new mess, and $11 00@13 50 for old and new prime. Included in the sales were 1,000 bbls new mess for delivery in all February at sellers option at $17 25. Beef unchanged. Sales at $6 50@7 00 for country prime, $7 75@9 00 for country mess, $8 00@10 50 for repacked mess, and $10 75@11 50 for extra mess. Beef Hams quiet and nominal at $13 00@15 00. Prime Mess Beef quiet and nominal at $16 00@18 00. Dressed Hogs held at 6¾@7c for the whole range. Bacon—Sales 500 boxes Cumberland middles on private terms. Cut Meats are steady. Sales at 6½@6¾c for shoulders, 9¼@9½c for hams. 745 bbls prime hams sold at 9¼c. Lard is firmer. Sales 1,250 bbls at 11½@11¾c. The lower price refused at the close. Butter in good request at 14@18c for Ohio, and 18@25c for State. Cheese steady at 8@9¼c.

WHISKEY.—Market firm. Sales 1,800 bbls at 27c.

MONEY.—Very plenty and very easy on call at 3 per cent. Demand fair.

STERLING EXCHANGE.—Selling at 109¾@109½.

STOCKS.—But little business doing, with a dull and heavy market.

Chicago and Rock Island	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]
Illinois Central bonds	[illegible]
Michigan Southern	[illegible]
Michigan Southern guaranteed	[illegible]
New York Central	[illegible]
Reading	51
Michigan Central	[illegible]
Pennsylvania Coal Company	[illegible]
Galena and Chicago	[illegible]
Cleveland and Toledo	[illegible]
Panama	[illegible]
Harlem	[illegible]
Pacific Mail Company	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]

SECOND BOARD.

At the second Board Stocks were dull but firm.

New York Central	[illegible]
Panama	[illegible]
Galena and Chicago	[illegible]
Harlem	[illegible]
Harlem pref'd	[illegible]
Chicago and Rock Island	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Reading	[illegible]

Hurrah for the Bargains!

IMMENSE SACRIFICE!

SINGER'S CELEBRATED **Sewing Machines,** Manufactured by E. J. NAGLE, And the same ... sold last summer for $125 and $150 each, are now offered for sale at ... SOUTH DIVISION STREET (up stairs) Buffalo, at the extremely **Low Price of $65 and $75 Each.** All complete with stand ... warranted for 12 months. Hemmers and Binders ... Call soon for the Bargains ...

TO THE PUBLIC.

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES!!

The undersigned having made arrangements ... right to make use and vend Singer's Sewing Machines In the County of Erie ...

I. M. SINGER & CO. The original patentees and manufacturers of these CELEBRATED MACHINES. Hereafter I. M. Singer & Co. and their agents alone will have the privilege of right to sell Singer's Sewing Machines in Erie County. I. M. SINGER & CO., New York. ... Dated November ... 1858.

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINE, No. 230, Main Street. The new Family Sewing Machines at the extremely LOW PRICE of **FIFTY DOLLARS.** Also all the celebrated Standard Machines of the favorite Manufacture of I. M. SINGER & Co., of New York, of the most Improved and Ornamental Styles, at greatly Reduced Prices. For sale by HENRY D. BALDWIN, Agent for I. M. Singer & Co., 230 Main st.

MORHEAD'S MAGNETIC PLASTER The Great Strengthener & Pain Destroyer. The best and cheapest household remedy in the world. Simple and pleasant in its application, certain and effectual in its results. A beautiful scientific external cure, ... applicable for the relief of pain at any time, in any place, in any part of the human system and under all circumstances. If you put the Plaster anywhere the pain is there, the Plaster will stick there until the Pain has ceased. The Plaster magnetises the pain away and *Pain cannot Exist where this Plaster is Applied.* Rheumatism, Gout, Stiffness, Weakness, Debility, Nervousness, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, Coughs and Colds, Pains and aches of every kind, ... are IMMEDIATELY RELIEVED, and with a little patience, PERMANENTLY CURED by the ... influence of the MAGNETIC PLASTER. It is the simplest, surest, safest, pleasantest and cheapest remedy in existence. Its application is universal, equally to the strong man, the delicate woman and the feeble infant. To each and all it will prove a balm and a blessing. Its use is agreeable, and without annoyance or trouble. Its price is within reach of all, rich or poor, all may have it, and all should have it who are sick and suffering in any way.

FARMERS should be always supplied with this invaluable plaster. It will be the good physician in any household, ready at all times, and at instant notice.

Put up in air tight tin boxes. Each box will make six to eight plasters, and any child can spread them. Price 25 cents a box, with full and plain directions.

D. C. MORHEAD, M. D., *Inventor and Proprietor, Walker St. New York.* MORHEAD'S MAGNETIC PLASTER IS SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS, in every city, town and village in the United States. oc30 dead&cowly

DR. J. H. RATHBONE, Office in Bowen & Rogers' Block, CORNER OF ERIE AND PEARL STREETS. ja1 1m

Tuition in German. PROFESSOR FRANCIS SHANGLE WISHES to get a few scholars desirous of learning the German language. He will give private lessons or would engage in a School as such teacher. He has been educated in a German University and is well fitted to instruct in that language, but is now in this city and destitute of means, and would be glad to obtain a few scholars at least, at small pay, to enable him to live. Any communication addressed through the Buffalo Post Office to FRANCIS SHANGLE, will meet with prompt attention. ja4 1t

Dissolution. THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned, under the name and firm of Wm. S. King & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Dated Buffalo, Dec 8th, 1858. BENJAMIN BAGNALL, WM. S. KING. de31 3t

Situation Wanted. A GERMAN, WELL EDUCATED, WITH good business capacities and knowledge of the English and French languages, thrown out of employment for a long time, is anxious to find a place as Clerk, Office tender, Teacher, &c. For further particulars please call at corner of Oak and Tupper streets. de31 3t

PROF. L. DODGE, Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon, OFFICE NO. 1 CLARENDON HOTEL. Office Hours—7 to 9 A. M., 1 to 3 P. M. and 6 to 8 P. M. References: Drs Warner & Kenyon, and Rev J. Hyatt Smith. de11tf

For Sale at a Bargain, a Cottage. House and Lot on Carolina street, on the north side, and 100 feet west of Sixth street. The Lot is 30x100. Apply to CAPT SAMUEL WOOD, 19 Sixth street. de11-8m*

Boarding. A FEW BOARDERS CAN OBTAIN GOOD rooms and board. Also, a few day boarders wanted at No 7 Carroll street. no20tf

GREAT SALE OF STOVES AND HOUSEHOLD FURNISHING GOODS, At Reduced Prices, for Cash Only. **JOHN C. JEWETT,** 217 Main Street, Sole Agent for **THE ECONOMIST.** The best Cook stove ever introduced. The large Silver Medal was awarded to it at the New York State Fair, 1855, First Premium at the Ohio State Fair, 1858, and the first prize everywhere exhibited. This Stove has a good broiling hearth, also for toasting, admirable for roasting. Has a hot water tank, warming closet, &c. Castings very heavy, doors and plates all fitted perfectly air tight. Every stove warranted to suit the purchaser, or the money refunded.

SOLE AGENCY FOR **LITTLEFIELD'S IMPROVED** (NOT RAILWAY) **COAL BURNER.** This Stove is a perpetual burner. When a fire is made in the Autumn, nothing further is required until Spring; but to replenish with coal once in twenty four hours.

The Radiator Coal Stove. A beautiful Oval Stove, for Parlors, Halls, Dining Rooms, Offices, &c. Gives general satisfaction.

OLD DOMINION COFFEE POT. Gives you a far better beverage than any other. It saves one fourth of the coffee. Everybody should have one.

Together with the most complete assortment of Cooking, Parlor, Dining Room, Hall and Office Stoves, and House Furnishing Goods, ever exhibited in this city, at prices which will defy competition. Terms Cash on delivery. JOHN C. JEWETT, 217 Main street. de15

MARRIED,

By the Rev. Francis L. ..., Dec 30, 1858, Mr T. A. FREEMAN, of Fort Wayne, Ia., to Miss LOUISE W. GREY, daughter of E. G. Grey, Esq., of this city.

In Williamsville, Dec. 29th, by Rev W. H. Randall, Mr WILLIAM W. CURDY of Cleveland, and Miss HELEN A. SACKETT of the former place.

DIED,

At Ellicottville on the morning of Thursday, Dec. 30th, THEODORA, wife of Dr. James B. Colegrove, and daughter of the Hon. Staley N. Clarke, aged 25 years and 10 months.

THE QUEEN SEWING MACHINE IS COMING!!! ja3d12

Superior Coal. THE UNDERSIGNED HAS RECEIVED A consignment of a very superior article of **ANTHRACITE COAL,** which he offers at a moderate price ... any part of the city. This Coal is for steam purposes, manufacturing and domestic use superior to any Coal ... in the United States, being free from slate ... possessing great solidity and making no clinker. Orders through the Post Office ... at my office No. 28 Main street, will receive due attention. M. PINNER, Agent, No. 28 Main street, up stairs. ja3d19*

SAGE & SONS **NEW RAILROAD MAP.** THE ADVANCE COPIES OF THIS MAP are now ready, and are offered to our citizens at the regular price $1. As they are ... several different styles, those who have left their orders will please call at the Store and check for themselves. J. SAGE & SONS, 209 Main street, Buffalo. ja4 10

Dissolution. THE COPARTNERSHIP UNDER THE name and firm of Riddell & Ireson as Merchant Tailors is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and demands due the late firm are to be paid to P. J. Riddell. November 8th 1858. P. J. RIDDELL, JOHN IRESON.

The undersigned will continue the same business at the same stand No. 223 Main street, Buffalo, November 8th 1858. P. J. RIDDELL.

Muff Lost. LOST YESTERDAY, JAN ... A DARK MINK MUFF, probably dropped from the Carriage. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at No. 109 Niagara street, corner of Georgia. ja5 3t

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, Buffalo, Jan 4th 1859.

The following assessment rolls are ... in this office where persons interested therein may file objections thereto within ten days from the first publication of this notice.

No.
1739 For repaving Jefferson street from William street to Eagle street $72
1740 For repairing Pine street from Batavia street to Genesee street $196
1741 For repairing Erie street from the east line of Main street to Franklin street $43
1742 For repairing ... street from Pennsylvania street to Jersey street $51
1743 For repairing Fourth street between Court and Carolina streets $27
1744 For constructing a sewer in front of No. 18 Main street, and running thence southerly and through the abutment of the canal bridge $202
1745 For constructing a bank sewer in the easterly side of Niagara street from a point 100 feet northerly of Ferry street to a point 130 feet southerly from the first named point $116
1746 For taking up and re constructing the sewer and receiver on the southeast corner of Church street and the Terrace $[illegible]
1747 For constructing a sewer and receiver at the north west corner of Alabama street and Exchange street $69
1748 For constructing a sewer and receiver at the north west corner of Michigan street and Burton alley $61
1749 For repairing a wood sluice across Ferry street on the northerly side of Batavia street $2 [illegible]
1750 For constructing a wood culvert across Prospect street on the south side of ... street $12 50
1751 For constructing a wood sluice across De Witt street on the north side of 11th avenue $9
1752 For constructing a plank side walk on the north west side of State street from Canal street to Fly street $15
1753 For constructing stone side walk on both sides of Seventh street from the curb line on the southerly side of Hospital street to the curb line on the southerly side of Court street $121
1754 For repairing plank side walk on the north east side of Ninth street between Maryland and Carolina streets $[illegible]
1755 For repairing a plank side walk on the southerly side of Clinton street from Monroe street to a point 92 feet westerly therefrom $18
1756 For repairing a plank side walk on the south easterly side of Virginia street from Ninth street to ... street $62
1757 For constructing a plank side walk on the easterly side of Camp street from Genesee street to Sycamore street $24
1758 For repairing a plank side walk on the northerly side of Tenth street from Virginia to Carolina street $49
1759 For repairing a sidewalk on the northerly side of Folsom street from Michigan street to Chicago street $43 50
1760 For repairing a plank side walk on the northerly side of Exchange street from Chicago to Louisiana street $11
1761 For repairing side walk on the south east side of Carolina street from Sixth street to the Erie Canal $24
1762 For repairing a plank side walk on easterly side of Ohio street from Chicago street to Michigan street $29 [illegible]
1763 For constructing a side walk on the westerly side of Hamburgh street from Elk street to Buffalo and N. Y. City Railroad $115
1764 For re constructing a plank side walk on the southerly side of Ninth street from Hudson street to Georgia street $30 50
1765 For constructing a stone side walk on the southerly side of Sixth street from the curb line on the northerly side of Hospital street to the curb line on the southerly side of Georgia street $1[illegible]
1766 For re constructing a plank side walk on the easterly side of the Terrace from the westerly curb line of Delaware street to Eagle street $11
1767 For repairing a plank side walk on the westerly side of Fourth street from Court street to Carolina street $16
1768 For constructing a side walk on the north side of South street from Louisiana street to a point 12 feet east of the east line of Hamburgh street $101
1769 For constructing a sidewalk on the east side of Hamburgh street from South street to the freight track of the Buffalo and New York City Railroad Co. $112
1770 For constructing a plank sidewalk on the westerly side of Niagara street from Albany street to Auburn avenue $15 50
1771 For constructing a plank sidewalk on the northeast side of Niagara street from Massachusetts street to School street, $10
1772 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Fly street on the easterly side of Evans street $9 50
1773 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Madison street on the southerly side of Clinton street $3 50
1774 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Monroe street on the southerly side of Clinton street $4
1775 For constructing a plank cross walk across Hudson street on the southerly side of Fifth street, $5
1776 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Hudson street on the northerly side of Fifth street $5
1777 For constructing a plank cross walk across Tenth street on the westerly side of Vermont street, $5 50
1778 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Delaware and Church streets on the easterly side of the Terrace, $38
1779 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Carroll street on the west side of Alabama street, $6 50
1780 For reconstructing a stone crosswalk across Seneca street on the west side of Michigan street, $57 50
1781 For constructing a plank cross walk across Jefferson street on the north side of South Division street, $2
1782 For constructing a plank crosswalk on the southerly side of Seneca street continued across the Terrace from the easterly line of the Terrace to the westerly line of said Terrace, $39
1783 For reconstructing a stone crosswalk across Niagara street on the westerly side of Main street, $57
1784 For constructing a crosswalk across Vandalia street on the north side of South street.
1785 For constructing a crosswalk across Tennessee street on the north side of South street, $29
1786 For constructing a cross walk across Kentucky street on the north side of South street, $31
1787 For constructing a crosswalk across Vincennes street on the north side of South street, $27
1788 For constructing a crosswalk across Ottawa street on the west side of Hamburgh street, $6.
1789 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Ferry street on the easterly side of Niagara street, $6.
1790 For constructing a plank crosswalk across Ferry street on the westerly side of Niagara street, $7
1791 For abating a nuisance on ground fronting on the east side of Walnut street, being 27 feet front and rear by 106 feet deep, and commencing 141 feet south of Sycamore street $12
1792 For repairing and maintaining the public well and pump at the corner of Niagara and Breckenridge streets- $26.
1793 For constructing a plank sidewalk on the easterly side of Niagara street from Ferry street to Auburn avenue- $6.
1794 For repairing a plank sidewalk on the westerly side of Camp street from Genesee to Sycamore street $74
1795 For opening and making Tenth street between Niagara and School streets $202.
— For reconstructing a plank sidewalk on the westerly side of Michigan street from Goodell street to Burton alley -$19.
— To re imburse the Local Improvement Fund (old territory)—$1,720.

ja5 1t WM. H. ALBRO, City Clerk.

THE ECONOMIST.—ANOTHER LOT OF these celebrated Cook Stoves, with and without the extension, just received at the Agency JEWETT'S Housekeepers' Emporium, 217 Main street. de30

AMUSEMENTS.

METROPOLITAN THEATRE. REDUCTION OF PRICES During the present engagement, to *Twenty-five Cents to Dress Circle and Parquette.*

Third Night of the **LUCY ESCOTT OPERA TROUPE.** ARTISTS: LUCY ESCOTT, MR CHARLES DURAND, MR MAX MAYO, and MR RICHARD ESCOTT.

This Evening, Jan. 5, 1859,
Part 1 Selections from THE TRAVIATA.
Part 2 Selections from IL TROVATORE.
Part 3 Selections from THE LOVE SPELL.

TIME ALTERED—Doors open at 7, Curtain rises at 7¾. PRICES OF ADMISSION—Private Boxes $5, Dress Circle 50 cents, Orchestra Seats 50 cents, Family Circle 25 cents, Gallery 25 cents.

ST. JAMES HALL! THIRD GRAND CONCERT OF **FATHER KEMP'S** CELEBRATED **OLD FOLKS CONCERT TROUPE!** CONSISTING OF **37 Ladies & Gentlemen Vocalists** WITH THEIR **GRAND ORCHESTRA!** ALL OF WHOM APPEAR **Clad in Costume of 100 Years Ago.** WILL APPEAR **This Wednesday Evening, Jan. 5,** AT 7½ O'CLOCK. **Admission 25 Cents.**

A Grand Daylight Concert ... given THIS AFTERNOON (Jan 5) at 3 o'clock ... Children, on this occasion, 10 cents. ja5 1t

GRAND CARNIVAL AND FANCY DRESS BALL, BY **ST. ODY'S JUVENILE PUPILS,** AT ST JAMES HALL, **On Friday Evening, January 7th, 1859.** Parents and Guardians are respectfully invited to attend. Doors open at ½ past 6 o'clock. Dancing to commence at ½ past 7. The Gallery will be open for Spectators. Tickets to admit a Gentleman and two Ladies $1. Single Tickets 50 cents. To be had at the Music Stores of Sheppard & Cottier and Blodgett & Bradford. When the Juvenile Pupils have finished dancing will be resumed by the Senior Classes. de31

Grand Fire Department Ball! IN AID OF THE **FIREMEN'S BENEVOLENT FUND,** OF THE CITY OF BUFFALO. The Officers and Trustees of the Firemen's Benevolent Association, respectfully inform the public that the **TENTH ANNUAL BALL!** WILL BE GIVEN *AT ST JAMES HALL AND HOTEL,* **Thursday Evening, Jan. 13, 1859.** Tickets $... to be procured of the Directors of the Association.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

F. G. GARDNER,	WM. WOTON,
J. B. MASON,	I. P. MAURER,
GEO. F. McKNIGHT,	JOHN DASH,
GEORGE BAILEY,	M. GARDNER,
S. M. ROBINSON.	

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FRANKLIN FESTIVAL. ST JAMES HALL, **Monday Evening, Jan. 17, 1859.**

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

J. B. Clate,	A. A. Sinclair,	Mills Thorp,
S. D. Bidwell,	E. F. Spencer,	[illegible]
A. M. Hilton,	W. L. Cumming,	Wm. Hersee,
E. R. Murray,	D. D. Nims,	W. H. Baker,
D. M. Enright,	S. Murray,	M. Ryan,
N. W. Thayer,	L. Lockwood,	[illegible]
Joseph Lawson,	C. E. Felton,	Geo. J. Webb,
Chas. B. Noble,	A. J. Hill,	W. H. Laing.
F. O. Fairchild,		

The craft generally throughout western New York are cordially invited to be present. Carriages will be in attendance at the Hall at six o'clock P. M. de28

MARSHALL LEFFERTS & BRO. MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN **METALS,** NO. 57 BEEKMAN STREET, New York. ALL KINDS OF **Iron Work Galvanized!** Sheets Wire, Spikes, Nails, &c. SHEETS CORRUGATED & FITTED FOR ROOFING. **PLUMBERS' BRASS WORK.** Shot, Bar, Pipe and Sheet Lead. Tin Plates, Pig Iron, &c. no28 3m

DR. M. MAYER, HOMOEOPATHIST. *Graduate of the University of ... Professor in Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis.* Dr Mayer having returned again from Europe, has resumed the practice of his profession in all its branches, as formerly. Dr M will give his special attention to the treatment of diseases of a private nature, and the various diseases of the urino genital apparatus, without the use of mercury. Office and residence, 203 Ellicott street, two doors above Washington market.

GENTLEMEN'S **FURNISHING GOODS!** A large and good assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, at low prices, for sale by **E. H. MILLINGTON,** No. 259 Main Street—Clarendon Block. A good assortment of **Gentlemen's Walking Canes,** GOLD AND SILVER HEADED. Also, Ladies' and Gentlemen's **Silk and Gingham Umbrellas,** suitable for Presents at prices to suit the times. For sale at the Umbrella Manufactory of E. H. MILLINGTON, 259 Main street, opposite the Churches. de9 1m

NEW YORK STATE CANALS.—ENLARGEMENT OF THE ERIE CANAL. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. In pursuance of a Resolution of the Contracting Board, notice is hereby given that Sealed Proposals will be received by the undersigned at the Engineer's Office, in the city of Buffalo, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the 28th day of January next for ... and Superstructure of a Bridge ... Main and Hamburg street Canal at Louisiana street in the city of Buffalo.

Bidders will designate the plan of Superstructure upon which they bid. The Board reserves the right to accept and adopt such plan as they deem best for the interest of the State. The person or persons to whom the work may be awarded will be required to pay the patent fee on said Superstructure if the plan adopted is one on which a patent exists.

Penalty in bond, $1000.

The work to be completed on or before the 15th day of April, 1859.

All propositions must be for a sum certain as to the price to be paid or received, for each and every kind of work and no proposition not thus defined will be received or acted upon, and no proposition will be considered complete unless a price for every kind of work included in such proposition is distinctly and plainly inserted.

Every proposal shall be accompanied by an affidavit, endorsed thereon, of each person uniting in such proposal that he is not directly or indirectly interested in any other proposal for the same work or materials, or any part of the same, that he has no agreement or understanding with any other person to become interested in any other proposal or contract for the same work or materials or any part thereof, and that no other person than such as shall be named in the proposal is interested in the same, or has any agreement or understanding to become interested in any contract that may be made in pursuance of such proposal.

Every proposal for the above mentioned work or materials must be accompanied with a bond to the people of this State in the penalty specified above, and which bond shall be signed by the party making such proposal, and two or more responsible sureties, with such evidence of their responsibility as the contracting board shall require, and which sureties shall justify in sums equal in the aggregate to twice the amount of such penalty.

Each proposal must be accompanied by the certificate of the Supervisor of the town and the County Clerk, or the County Judge of the county in which said surety shall reside, or any two of them, as to the responsibility of said sureties.

The persons to whom the work may be awarded will be required by the Contracting Board to give the bond for the payment of laborers' wages, as required by chapter 278, of the laws of 1850.

No acceptance of a proposal or award of a contract by the Contracting Board, and no contract made by them, or any interest in the same, shall be assignable to any person or persons without the written consent of the Canal Commissioners.

Fifteen per cent. of the amount of any work done or material furnished, at the contract price thereof, shall be reserved by the Canal Commissioner until the whole work, which is the subject of the contract, shall be fully and entirely completed.

In case the Contracting Board shall be of opinion that the proposals made at any meeting thereof, pursuant to any advertisement, are, in consequence of any combination or otherwise, excessive and disadvantageous to the State, they may decline all or any of the said proposals, and advertise anew for the work or materials embraced therein.

Contractors will be required to receive and use in the work all such materials as have been previously procured and delivered for any of the above work, and allow such prices therefor as shall be exhibited at the office prior to the letting.

The prices in the contract will be considered as including the expense of furnishing all the materials and performing all the work, according to the plans, specifications, and notices exhibited at the letting.

The persons to whom the work may be awarded, will be required to enter into contract for the performance of the work within ten days after the same shall have been awarded to them, upon the terms prescribed by the Contracting Board.

The name or names of the persons proposing must be written out in full, with their places of residence.

The maps, plans, specifications, quantities of materials, propositions, blank contracts and bonds will be ready for examination at the place specified in this notice, ten days previous to the time specified for the letting.

IN ALL PROPOSALS WHERE THE FIGURES USED ARE OF DOUBTFUL CONSTRUCTION SUCH PROPOSALS WILL NOT BE CANVASSED.

Dated at Albany, Dec. 31st, 1858.

SAMUEL B. RUGGLES, CHARLES H. SHERRILL, JOHN M. JAYCOX, Canal Commiss'rs.
V. R. RICHMOND, State Eng. and Surveyor.
N. S. BENTON, Auditor.
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BY TELEGRAPH.

Reported for the Buffalo Morning Express.

BY THE MORSE LINE.

Yesterday Afternoon's Report.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.

The United States steamship Illinois will sail for Aspinwall on Thursday the 6th inst., at 2 P M, instead of the 5th, her regular day.

A heavy snow storm has prevailed here all night with a driving north east wind. Fully a foot of snow on an average has fallen thus far, but it is drifted somewhat and the streets are badly blocked. Snow is still falling heavily.—Thermometer 20 deg. above zero.

The Washington correspondent of the Tribune says Government has received from Utah, intelligence of an alarming character, indicating the prevalence of great excitement between the Mormons and Gentiles.

Great outrages have been committed by the Mormons, and a violent outbreak is apprehended before spring.

Mr. Colfax will give notice in the House to-morrow of his intention to introduce a bill to organize a new territory, embracing the South Platte gold diggings, and portions of Kansas, Utah and Nebraska.

The proposed territory will embrace in its limits the head waters of the Rio Grande and Platte Rivers.

Mr Phelps, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, says a majority of his committee are opposed radically to specific duties, and will report a bill increasing the duties ad valorem.

He also confirms the statement that the President had said to him that unless the present Congress increases the revenue by the tariff, or authorizes a new loan, he will convene a new Congress early in the summer.

The Times correspondent says Letters received at the British Legation, announce that Lord Lyons will arrive here early in February.

The report that Lord Abercrombie is to be the successor of Lord Napier, is a mistake.

Lord Napier has made representations to our Government, complaining of the address published to Mr Nugent, just before leaving Victoria, which address is deemed by the British authorities to have been full of premeditated, unprovoked insults.

The Herald correspondent says Advices were received here to day that Commander Turner of the Saratoga, off Tampico, had compelled General Garzia to refund the forced contribution levied on American citizens.

The Ironmasters convention in Philadelphia is looked upon here as a formidable movement. Quite a number of leading politicians have left this city to attend it. Its object is not only to urge upon Congress specific duties, but also the substitution of iron for government buildings and ships.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan ...

Senator Douglas arrived here this evening, en route for Washington.

He was received at the wharf by a committee, and the Keystone Club, the campaign body guard of the last Presidential election.

Salutes were fired from Windmill Island and a large procession formed with torches and escorted him through the principal streets in an open barouche to the St Lawrence Hotel. A heavy snow storm prevailed at the time.

On reaching headquarters, Mr Douglas, in compliance with the request of the assembly, addressed them.

He did not suppose the demonstration was intended as a personal compliment but as an evidence of attachment to the principles which he struggled to uphold. Mr Douglas will receive his friends tomorrow in Independence Hall.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 4.

A special dispatch to the Press from Springfield, Ill., says that the Illinois Legislature met yesterday, but the Republicans of both Houses absented themselves, breaking up the quorum.

Mr Morrison, anti-Lecompton democrat, had previously been elected Speaker of the House. The democrats were to meet last night to nominate Mr Douglas for re election to the Senate.

BALTIMORE, Jan 4.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the friends of Senator Douglas was held at the Gilmore House to-night. A committee was appointed to make preparations to receive him and tender him the hospitality of the city.

SAVANNAH, Jan ...

The Wanderer case was resumed to-day. Dr Drake testified that he visited some negroes on Montgomery plantation sixteen miles up the river, who could not speak English. The ... could not say they were Africans. The prisoners were committed for trial.

HARRISBURG, Jan 4.

The democratic caucus of the Senate have nominated John Cresswell, of Blair county for Speaker and the Americans and Republicans Glenn W. Scofield.

The House assembled this morning. The Senate meets this afternoon.

CINCINNATI, Jan 4.

A special dispatch to the Commercial dated Cairo says the steamer Martha Jewett lying at the wharf took fire from the stove yesterday and was totally destroyed. No one was injured. Loss $35,000.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 4.

A saw mill and dwelling houses on Apple street, in the 11th Ward were destroyed by fire this morning. Loss $20,000.

CLEVELAND, Jan 4.

The Governor's message was sent to the Legislature yesterday. It is wholly occupied with state affairs.

MOBILE, Jan ...

Gen Scott arrived here to day.

Last Evening's Report.

XXXVth Congress—Second Session.

WASHINGTON, Jan 4.

HOUSE.—There being no quorum there was a call of the House and a quorum obtained.

On motion of Mr. ..., the Committee on Territories were instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing for the completion of the territorial Capitol of Utah.

Mr John Cochrane presented a petition from the Canal Board, for an appropriation for the Lakes and Harbors in connection with the Canals of the State of New York.

Various reports were presented from standing committees, including the following:

By Mr ..., of Mass.—Making an appropriation for the improvement of the Harbor of Boston.

By Mr Washburne, of Ill.—The Senate bill making appropriations for the improvement of the mouth of Milwaukee river and Chicago Harbor.

By Mr Faulkner, of Va.—The Senate bill providing for the payment of the claims of Maine for expenses incurred by that State in ... a regiment for the Mexican war.

Mr Davis, of Mass., introduced a bill providing that invalid seamen may receive an annual stipend from the government, and reside with their friends when they so elect, instead of living in an asylum.

Mr Curtis, of Iowa, asked, but failed to obtain, consent to introduce a joint resolution providing for a commission of Members of Congress and army officers, to revise the militia and army laws.

On motion of Mr Phelps, of Mo., the House went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union on the Indian Appropriation Bill.

Without coming to a conclusion, the committee arose and the House adjourned.

SENATE.—The Senate met at noon in the Old Hall, from which the desks had been removed, but a supply of cane bottomed chairs had been provided for their accommodation.

The galleries and floor were crowded, notwithstanding the falling snow, it having been understood that the Vice President, Mr Crittenden and others would speak.

The proceedings as usual opened with prayer, and the reading of the journal, after which

Mr Stewart, of Mich., moved, that as many ladies were unprovided with seats in the gallery they should be admitted on the floor.

Mr Hamlin, of Maine, objected on the ground that the admission of ladies would embarrass the Legislative business. Consequently the ladies were not admitted.

Mr Davis, of Miss., submitted the report of Committee, stating that the New Chamber was ready.

Mr. Crittenden, of Kentucky, moved the adoption of the report. The parting from the Chamber he thought was an event of much solemnity. Many associations—many of them pleasant and proud ones, bind us to this Chamber. It has been the scene of great events. Questions of the American Constitution—questions of great national import—questions of peace and war—have been debated in this Chamber. Great men have frequently been the actors. Within these walls he had seen men whose name and fame had not been surpassed in Greek or Roman history. Here he had seen Clay, Webster, Calhoun and others. They have left on these walls the impress of their fame.—This majestic dome seems yet to echo with their voices. There are others too whom he would not designate, for they had not yet fulfilled their political services, but whose names are in no danger of being forgotten.

When Senators removed to the New Chamber they will carry with them the inspiration of their predecessors—they will leave behind them no iota of patriotism or attachment to the Constitution, these, our household gods, are carried with us. The new Hall will be the scene of the past. There will ever remain the Senate of the United States. The great preservative body of this great nation, conserving the sovereignty of the States and integrity of the Union.

The Vice President addressed the Senate, giving historical sketches of Congress at the various seats of the Government, until its location at Washington. He then narrated the burning of the Capitol by the British army—the assembling thereafter of the Congress in Blodgett's Hotel, on the site now occupied by the General Post Office, and finally the assembling in 1819 in the present building. He then went into an interesting comparison of the present character of the Senate in the early days of the Government and now.—Then it was almost wholly an Executive body, and much of its business was transacted with closed doors. The President often took part in debates, and it was not for many years that galleries were provided for spectators. He spoke of the great mission the nation has fulfilled, and is destined to fulfill; urged upon the Senators a due appreciation of the responsibilities resting upon them and revived the Senatorial career of the great dead, whose achievements and services in that Chamber illuminate our history. After further remarks, which were listened to with rapt attention, the Senate proceeded in a body to the New Hall.

While the mass of spectators were settling themselves in places several memorials, inaudible in the noise, but apparently of a private nature, were presented, and Mr. Mallory from the Naval Committee, reported a bill to build ten additional sloops of war, which was laid over. He said he would make an effort to obtain an early vote upon it.

Mr. Mallory also introduced a bill to raise the pay of the officers of the navy.

Quiet being restored, the Senate appropriately devoted the rest of the day to discussing Mr Johnson's, of Tenn., motion instructing the finance committee to investigate into the expenditures of the public money and report the means to bring the expenses of the government within the limits of rigid economy.

Messrs. Johnson, Seward, Bigler, Fessenden, Toombs, Shields, Davis, Collamer, Mason, Stuart, Clingman, Reid, Green and others, took part in the debate. All agreed as to the necessity of retrenchment, the only point debated being whether to refer to the finance or a special committee.

Without action the Senate went into executive session, and upon the doors opening, Mr Hunter introduced the first appropriation bills of the season, namely the Indian Pension and the Military Academy bill, then the Senate adjourned.

NEW YORK, Jan 4.

The steamship ... of the North German Lloyd, left Bremen Haven on December 14th, at noon, and has not been since heard from. The following is a list of her passengers and of such officers as are known to the agents of the Company in this city. The ship ... has been at this port:

Captain J. H. ...
First Officer, Leopold Hagemann.
Chief Engineer, George ...
Surgeon, F. Kramer, M. D.
Chief Steward, Schumann.

First Cabin, Henry ..., merchant, N. Y.; Second Cabin, Hermann Baer, ... Chicago, Julius Wilke do, ... [illegible]

The steamship ... [illegible]

The reported appointment of Lord ... to succeed Lord Napier as Minister to Washington, was the mistake of the gentleman who made up the news at Southampton.

The English papers received by the ... report the appointment of Lord Lyons.

CINCINNATI, Jan 4.

A special despatch to the Commercial says that the Legislature of Illinois convened at Springfield yesterday. The democrats went to ... regard to the Senatorial election and a caucus was held on Saturday, at which it was determined the election should take place on Wednesday. Two afternoon attempts were made yesterday to organize, but the republicans refused to attend. Only a temporary organization was effected. This movement is to ... postpone the election by ...

HARRISBURG, Jan 4.

The House has elected Mr W. C. Lawrence Opposition speaker.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan 4, 7 P. M.

The express train which left Boston early this morning for New York, and is ... as far as the snow two miles east of Worcester, and nearly covered up.

The New York express train due here at 1 ... has not yet arrived. The Albany train due here at ... arrived at ... o'clock.

HARTFORD, Jan 4.

The snow is nearly three feet deep and is still falling.

NEW HAVEN, Jan 4.

The 8 o'clock morning train from New York arrived at about ... p. m. A train from Springfield arrived about the same time, and left about ... o'clock for New York.

TORONTO, C. W., Jan 4.

The municipal election under the new law for electing the Mayor by a direct vote of the people passed off to-day with but little disturbance. Adam Wilson (clear grit) was elected by a large majority over both opponents.

Splendid Holiday Gifts! CAN BE HAD AT **COMSTOCK'S,** No. 202 Main Street, such as
FINE SETTS OF FURS, FOR LADIES.
FINE PR. SEAL GAUNTLETS,
FINE PR. MINK GAUNTLETS,
FINE SEAL HOODS,
FINE BEAVER MUFFLERS, FOR GENTS.
FINE BEAVER GAUNTLETS,
FINE OTTER GAUNTLETS,
FINE SETTS OF FURS FOR CHILDREN.
And a variety of Fur articles, which will make most acceptable GIFTS for the coming Holidays. de30

Payments Made by Telegraph. THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE MADE REGULAR arrangements to pay NOTES, &c. in NEW YORK PER TELEGRAPH. MANCHESTER & BEAL. de2tf

NEW FRENCH STORE, 156 Main Street, **EMILE SIRRET.** Has just received from France a choice supply of **Wines, Brandies, Cordials, Fruits,** OILS, &c., &c., that he will sell at WHOLESALE AND RETAIL at the Lowest Rates. He is sole Agent for the sale of the unequalled **Champagne Wine "Montebello,"** grown in a special spot in France, formerly owned by the Dukes of Orleans, and also for HOSTAUD'S TONIC NUTRITIVE WINE OF MALAGA, PERUVIAN BARK and CACAO, best preparation, approved by the Academy of Medicine of Paris and New York, for persons whose ... want a powerful yet agreeable tonic. See New York Journal of Medicine for September, 1858. oc20 3m

IMPORTANT TO SKATERS. THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF **Ladies, Gents, Misses and Boys' SKATES,** BOSTON, OXFORD, LONDON, and other Fashionable Styles. Just received at FLERSHEIM'S. de23-1m6

Splendid Christmas Presents At 175 Main Street. **HOMER & CO.,** HAVE JUST OPENED A NEW SUPPLY OF **Parian Figures, Parian Vases, China Vases, Bohemian Glass Liquor Sets!** WATER BOTTLES, ODOR BOXES, CARD STANDS, LIQUOR STANDS. With a General Assortment of Goods suitable for the Season, at VERY LOW PRICES. de18-2m

English, French and German Select School for Young Ladies, No. 27 Pearl Street, Buffalo. MISS NARDIN, OF PARIS, AND HER Lady Associates, have opened a Select School or Academy for Young Ladies, on Pearl street, between Seneca and Terrace streets. The Course of Instruction will embrace every branch necessary for a finished education in English, French and German, in Algebra, Natural History and Philosophy, Astronomy, Music, Dancing, Painting, Embroidery, &c. Terms moderate. oc29tf

MELANCON & COURTNEY, PAINTERS, CORNER PEARL STREET & TERRACE. All work entrusted to them will be promptly attended to on reasonable terms. ap30-1y

AUCTION SALES.

J. P. SHOECRAFT—AUCTIONEER. **AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE, FURS, &c.** At the City Auction Rooms—7 West Seneca street. By C. G. IRISH, Jr. On WEDNESDAY Morning, Jan. 5, at 10 o'clock, will be sold a large variety of—New and Second Hand Furniture, Bedding, Bedsteads, Chairs, Lounges, Sofas, Extension Tables, &c. Also—Blankets, Hosiery, Carpets, Stands, Quartettes, Corner Stands, &c. Also—Kitchen Furniture, Stands, &c. TERMS—Cash, current funds. ja5

J. H. LEE—AUCTIONEER. **ONE FRENCH PONY, BUFFALO ROBES, &c.** AT AUCTION. *At the Auction and Commission Store, 138 Main street.* WEDNESDAY Morning, Jan. 5th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold—One French Pony, 4 years old, perfectly sound, good in harness, single or double—sold to be fast. Also—Two Buffalo Robes. One English Travis for breaking young horses. Sale positive without reserve. Terms Cash, current funds.

T. PARSON—AUCTIONEER. **GREAT HOLIDAY SALE,** *AT NO. 316 MAIN STREET.* Under the American Hotel. Commencing on TUESDAY, Dec. 21, at 10 A M AND CONTINUED EVERY DAY at 10 A M and 2 and 7 P M, of a lot of articles suitable for Holiday Presents, consisting of Jewelry, Busts of distinguished Americans. A variety of Fancy Articles, Lace Sets, Embroideries, Shawls, Cloaks, Books, Pictures, &c., &c. Also One Country Seat, one Log House, And one Press House. Call and see them, something new. de20

AUCTION SALES BY **H. VAN ALLEN, Auctioneer, &c.,** *Sales Room—No. 240 Main Street, First door below Erie County Savings' Bank.* H. Van Allen will give his personal attention to arranging and conducting sales of Real Estate, Manufactures and Farmers Stock, Household Furniture and Merchandise generally in any part of the city or country, and will devote careful attention to the interest of his principals. He will also hold sales of Household Goods and General Merchandise at the Salesroom, every Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Miscellaneous Sales every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings commencing at 7½ o'clock. Liberal advances made on property left for public sale.

HINSDALE'S COMPOUND CONFECTION OF **ICELAND MOSS CANDY** FOR **COUGHS AND COLDS,** MANUFACTURED BY **JOHN BENSON,** 131 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS GENERALLY.

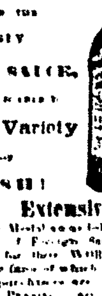
EXPRESS BOOK BINDING AND RULING ESTABLISHMENT. **T. F. COLLINS,** SUCCESSOR TO ... **Blank Book Manufacturer** No. 156 Main Street. Full setts of Books for Banks, Railroads, Insurance Offices and Merchants ... Music, Engravings and Periodicals ...

Gentlemen's Goods, At 205 Main Street, **R. J. & R. D. SHERMAN & CO.** Have just received an assortment of ... GENTLEMEN'S WEAR of recent importation, also NOVELTIES IN RICH VESTINGS. ... black and colored French ... Doeskins, ... Coatings. Under Shirts and Drawers ... R. J. & R. D. SHERMAN & CO.

Children's Clothing, CUT AND MADE TO ORDER, ... LADIES and INFANTS' GARMENTS ... EMBROIDERY ...

[illegible] Drs. BILLES & CHAMBERLIN ... arrived in Buffalo for the purpose of ... Electropathically and have taken rooms at ... HOTEL. Rooms Nos. 1 and 2. Business hours ...

LEA & PERRINS' CELEBRATED **Worcestershire Sauce,** PRONOUNCED BY Connoisseurs TO BE THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE, AND APPLICABLE TO Every Variety OF DISH!



EXTRACT of a Letter from a Medical Gentleman at Madras to his Brother at Worcester ... "Tell LEA & PERRINS that their Sauce is highly esteemed in India, and is, in my opinion, the most palatable as well as the most wholesome Sauce that is made."

Extensive Frauds! The only Medal awarded by the Jury of the New York Exhibition for Foreign Sauces, was obtained by LEA & PERRINS for their WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, the world wide fame of which having led to numerous imitations, purchasers are earnestly requested to see that the names of "Lea & Perrins" are upon the WRAPPER, LABEL, STOPPER and BOTTLE. Lea and Perrins will proceed against any one violating their rights by manufacturing or vending Spurious Sauce, and have instructed their correspondents ... to advise them of any infringement ... **John Duncan & Sons,** 105 Broadway, New York. A stock always in store. Also orders received for direct shipment from England.

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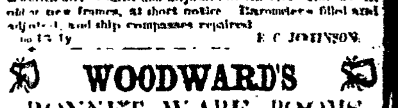

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