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EXCHANGE OFFICE,
No. 5 Sidway Block, Commercial Street,
BUFFALO,
Is the Oldest and Best, having been established for TEN years during which time several *thousands of dollars* have passed in passage orders and drafts, safely through the hands of the undersigned, and been duly forwarded to the destination required, and duly paid on presentation to the Irish Bank, and have not to be sent to Liverpool to be paid, as others are.
To those who desire to have their friends brough to this country from any part of Europe, the subscriber would say, that he is the authorized Agent of that popular and unerring Line of Packet Ships called
THE OLD BLACK STAR LINE,
of Liverpool, a few of whose ships it will be sufficient to name,

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The Royal Bank of Ireland and National Bank of Ireland.
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Banks of Messrs. Glynn, Halifax, Mills & Co. London, and Guion & Co., Liverpool.
JOHN WALSH, Agent.
Exchange Brocker, 5 Sidway Block, Commercial st., Buffalo, N. Y.
N. B.—Specie and Bank Notes of every description bought, sold and exchanged at close rates.
Buffalo, April 9, 1852. ap10

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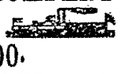
1852.



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BETWEEN NEW YORK, BUFFALO, DUNKIRK, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS & INTERMEDIATE PLACES
MESSENGERS now leave Buffalo and Dunkirk, Daily, Sundays excepted, for New York and intermediate places, on the Albany and Buffalo and N. Y. and Erie Railroad, and for Erie and intermediate places, by Buffalo and State Line Railroad; also by the several lines of Steamers on the Lake from Buffalo and Dunkirk to Cleveland, Sandusky, Toledo, Monroe, Detroit; from thence to Columbus, Cincinnati, Louisville, Chicago, Galena, Milwaukee, and St Louis, by the several lines of railroads steamboats, &c
☞ Each express is sent in charge of trusty Messengers provided with iron chests for the safety of valuable packages entrusted to their care.
At the West the line has lately been extended over several new routes, and is now prepared to receipt and forward packages with great despatch and safety to most of the principal places in the Western and Southwestern States
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10 Wall, and 8 Erie Place, New York.
LIVINGSTON, FARGO & Co.,
157 Main-street, Buffalo.
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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
7 trains daily, excepting Sundays.
On and after Monday, April 26th, 1852, the Cars will leave Buffalo for Albany, New York, Boston, and intermediate places, as follows;
Train No 1—New York Express, 5 45 A. M. stopping, at Attica, Byron and Bergen.
Train No 2—Steamboat Express, 7 45 A. M. stopping at Attica, Byron and Bergen,
Train No. 3—Freight, 9 A. M. No passengers taken on this train.
Train No. 4—Mail, 10 A. M., stopping at all the stations.
Train No. 5—Emigrant 12 M. Stopping at all the station.
Train No. 6—Evening Express, 5 P. M. stopping at Attica, Batavia and Bergen.
Train No. 7—Accommodation, 6 P. M., stopping at all the stations.
☞ Only one train on Sundays, the Evening Express train leaves at 5 P. M.
☞ The Trains will leave Buffalo by Syracuse Time, which is about 15 Minutes faster than Buffalo Time.
HENRY MARTIN, Superintendent
Buffalo and Roch. Railroad.
Superintendent's Office, Buffalo, April 24th 1841
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SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
BUFFALO & NIAGARA FALLS R. R.

THREE TRAINS DAILY,
(SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)
Cars will leave Buffalo at 9 o'clock A. M.
" " " " " 12 " M.
" " " " " 4½ " P.M.
Cars will leave the Falls at ½ to 7 o'clock A. M
" " " " " 2½ P. M.
" " " " " 6 P.M.
☞ One Train only on Sundays.
Leaves Buffalo at 8½ o'clock A. M.
" Niagara Falls at 5 o'clock P.M.
WM. A. BIRD, Supt
Buffalo, May 15, 1852. my25

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BOUGHT AND SOLD ON THE MOST FAVORABLE TERMS,
BY HORACE HILLS,
Exchange Broker, Under O. Lee & Co's, Bank.
☞ Business paper, and Bonds and Mortgages negotiated on reasonable terms. aug5

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CASH CAPITAL.....$1,600,000
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ISAAC ABBATT, Sec'y. T. J. SWEET, Agt.
223 Main st., over Coleman's Drug Store.

FARM ON GRAND ISLAND.—For sale, a FARM of 40 acres on Grand Island—15 acres cleared, balance will average 50 to 60 cords of wood to the acre. Good log house and log barn. Price $20 per acre. Apply at 246 Main street under Patchin Bank, to GUY H. SALISBURY,
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P. S. STEVENS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars,
ALL IMPORTED BRANDS,
Mansion Block No. 7, Exchange St., Buffalo, N. Y.
On hand and Daily Receiving Congress Water Direct from Saratoga Springs.
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Fire, Marine and Life Insurance.
FRANKLIN MARINE & FIRE INSURANCE CO.
Hon. Cady Hollister, Prest.—Wm. L. Avery, Secy
CAPITAL $300,000.
REFERENCES—Hon. E. G. Spaulding, Benj. H. Folger, Esq., Messrs. R. Hollister & Co., Hon. Stephen Clark, Albany; Hon E. C. Delevan, Ballston, N. Y.; James P. Lee, Cashier Farmers Bank, Saratoga Co. N. Y.; J. Cady, Esq. Pres. Bank of Schenectady, Schenectady Co. N. Y.

HUDSON RIVER INSURANCE CO.
Abijah Peck, Prest.—Alfred Noxon, Vice Prest.
CAPITAL, $300,000.
REFERENCES.—Messrs. Pratt & Co., Hon. Orlando Allen, Hon. E. G. Spaulding, Elias Week, Esq. Central Wharf, William R. Miller, Esq., Messrs. Cutler & DeForest.

Rochester Fire Insurance Company,
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Hon R. Chamberlain, President, J. P. Milliner, Esq., Vice President.
REFERENCES.—Freeman Clark, Esq., President Rochester Bank; Hon. H. Stillwell, Mayor of Rochester; Jas. S. Wadsworth, Esq., Geneseo; Hon. J. Delafield, Geneva.

New England Mutual Life Insurance Co.
CAPITAL, $450,000.
Hon. Willard Phillips, Pres., E. F. Stevens, Esq. Sec.
LEONARD WILSON, Agent.
Capt. JOHN N. GARDNER, Marine Inspector.
Office No. 4, SPAULDINGS EXCHANGE 7mjy14

Northern New York Life Stock Insurance Company
PLATTSBURG, NEW YORK.
CAPITAL.....$50,000,
Incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, July 1851,
Horses, Cattle, and all kinds of Life Stock Insured against death by the combined risks of Fire, Water, Diseases, &c.
Stock transported by Water, Rail Road, or driven on foot to market Insured at fair rates.
The Subscriber having been appointed Agent of the above reliable perfectly solvent Co., is prepared to issue policies, at as low rate of premium as any responsible Company, in the United States.
He respectfully invites the attention of Carmen, Cabmen, Farmers, Milkmen, Hackmen and all others interested All losses promptly paid in this City.
T. J. SWEET
20tf. 223 Main Street Corner of Swan.
Over Coleman's Drug Store.

A. & J. KEOGH,
PIANO FORTE MANUFACTURERS,
Corner of Pearl and Seneca Streets.

THE subscribers keep constantly on hand a choice assortment of Piano Fortes in elegant Rosewood Cases, which they warrant to be equal in tone, touch and finish to any manufactured in the country. Persons desirous of obtaining a superior instrument, are respectfully invited to give them a call.
☞ Dealers supplied on liberal terms.
jy28 A. & J. KEOGH.

DISSOLUTION
CHESTER BRADLEY having sold his entire interest in the business of BRADLEY BROTHERS, the firm is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The Paper Manufacturing and Commission Business will be continued as heretofore, by B. BRADLEY & Co., who are authorized to settle up the affairs of the firm.
BENJ. BRADLEY.
Buffalo, May 15, 1852. CHESTER BRADLEY.

HOUSE'S PRINTING TELEGRAPH.
This most reliable Line is now completed, and in full operation to the city of New York, Messages can be forwarded at all times, and delivered, *Printed in Plain Roman Capitals*, ensuring entire accuracy Patrons are assured that no efforts will be wanting on the part of those connected with the Line to insure prompt delivery of all despatches intrusted to them Buffalo, May 14.

REMOVAL.
N. BRITTON has removed his stock of Wares and Manufactory to the corner of Lloyd and Canal-sts. 2nd Block below the Merchants' Hotel, where he is prepared to manufacture every description of Copper, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware, at usual rates. Tin, Japaan and Britannia Ware constantly on hand. 17-3m

BUFFALO MUTUAL INSURANCE SCRIP WANTED.
THE subscriber will pay the following prices for $1,000 or $2,000 of the above Scrip, viz.:

Scrip of 1848	83 cts.	Scrip of 1851	68 cts.
" " 1849	7 "	" " 1852	60 "
" " 1850	73 "		

B. A. MANCHESTER,
Sept. 11. Bill and Stock Broker.

CLINTON IRON RAILING WORKS.
CLINTON ST., OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE.
R. M. EDDY & CO., having taken the above premises for a term of years, are now prepared to receive orders for Iron Fences, Balconies, Verandahs, Stairs, Railing, Grates, Iron Doors, Shutters, &c.
We are also prepared to furnish light castings, sash weights, fence and railing castings, &c. All orders for anything in our line, left at the works on Clinton street, or at the Furnace on Jackson street, will be promptly attended to.
Having purchased the stock in trade and patterns of the late Levi H. Larkin, and united with the patterns owned by R. M. Eddy, we have a large variety and are confident we can satisfy all, both as to price and style. Call and see for yourselves.
R. M. BINGHAM,
aug11-1m R. M. EDDY.

GENERAL AGENCY.
FOR the purchase of city property and farms, for negociating business paper, bonds and mortgages and other property
W. V. STUDIFORD,
At Hill's Exchange office, under O. Lee & Co.'s Bank, will attend to the purchasing and selling of Real Estate, Renting Houses, negociating Bond and Mortgage. aug10-1y.

Buffalo Piano Forte Manufactory
KENAGA & POINSETT,
(SUCCESSORS TO D. BENSON & CO.,)
RESPECTFULLY announce to that they have taken the premises No. 194 Washington street, formerly occupied by Messrs. D. Benson & Co., where they will continue the manufacture of Piano Fortes of every description They are now finishing and will keep constantly on hand an assortment of 6, 6½, 6¾ and 7 octave Piano Fortes, in Rosewood and Mahogany, which they offer at as low prices as similar instruments can be obtained in any city in the Union.
Their instruments combine all the latest improvements, including the celebrated arch bottom iron brace, &c.; and the members of the firm, being practical workmen, (Mr Poinsett having had over twenty-five years experience in the principal cities of the Union,) they feel confidence in *warranting* their instruments to purchasers.
Piano Fortes tuned and repaired. Old Instruments taken in exchange for new. All orders promptly attended to. Dealers dealt with on liberal terms. aug9

Hemlock Lumber.
100,000 Feet three inch Hemlock Plank, Suitable for Stable Floors, Bridges, Sidewalks, or Decking, for sale cheap, by
J. A. PERRY,
sep18tf Ohio st. near the Canal.

Real Estate, Life, Fire and Marine Insurance Office.
☞ Under Oliver Lee & Co's Bank.
aug10-1y W. V. STUDDIFORD.

THE ONLY TRUE PORTRAIT OF WASHINGTON.
JUST PUBLISHED,
T. B. WELCH'S MAGNIFICENT
PORTRAIT OF WASHINGTON.
Engraved (by permission) from Stuart's only original portrait, in the Atheneum, Boston.
This superb picture, Engraved under the superintendence of THOMAS SULLY, Esq., the eminent and highly gifted artist, is the only correct likeness of Washington ever published It has been characterized as the greatest work of art ever produced in this country As to its fidelity, we refer to the letters of the adopted son of Washington, GEORGE WASHINGTON PARK CUSTIS, who says, "It is a faithful representation of the celebrated original," and to CHIEF JUSTICE TANEY of the Supreme Court of the United States, who says. "As a work of art its excellence and beauty must strike every one who sees it: and it is no less happy in its likeness to the father of his country. It was my good fortune to have seen him in the days of my boyhood, and his whole appearance is yet strongly impressed on my memory. The portrait you have issued appears to me to be an EXACT LIKENESS, representing perfectly the expression as well as the form and features of the face." And says SENATOR CASS, it is a life like representation of the great original PRESIDENT FILLMORE says, "The work appears to me to have been admirably executed and eminently worthy of the patronage of the public" Says MARCHAND the eminent portrait painter, and the pupil of Stuart, "your print to my mind is more remarkable than any other I have seen, for presenting the WHOLE individuality of the original portrait, together with the noble and dignified repose of air and manner, which all who ever saw him considered a marked characteristic of the illustrious man it commemorates"
For the great merits of this picture we would refer every lover of Washington to the Portrait itself, to be seen at the office of this paper, and to the letters of the following Artists, Statesmen, Jurists and Scholars accompanying it
ARTISTS.—Marchant and Elliott, of New York; Neagle, Rothermel and Lambdin, of Philadelphia; Chester Harding, of Boston; Charles Fraser, of Charleston, S. C. and to the adopted son of Washington, Hon Geo. W. P. Custis, himself an artist. STATESMEN.—His Excellency Millard Fillmore, Major General Winfield Scott, Hon. George M Dallas, Hon William R. King, Hon. Daniel Webster, Hon Linn Boyd, Hon. Lewis Cass, Hon. William A. Graham, Hon John P Kennedy, Hon. R. C. Winthrop, L. L D JURISTS—Hon. Roger B Taney, Hon John Duer Hon. John McLean, Hon. Rufus Choate SCHOLARS—Charles Folsom, Esq, the well known Librarian of the Boston Athepeum, who says, "I would rather own it than any painted copy I have ever seen;" E. P. Whipple, Richard Hildreth, Hon Edw Everett, L. L. D, Jared Sparks, L.L D., William H. Prescott, L. L. D, Washington Irving, Ralph W. Emerson, Esq., Prof T. C Upham, J. T. Headley, FitzGreen Halleck, H. W Longfellow Wm. Gillmore Simms; and FROM EUROPE, Lord Tallourd, T. B. Macauley, Sir Archibald Alison, Lord Mayor of London, &c &c &c. THE PRESS, throughout the entire Union, have with one voice proclaimed the merits of this superb engraving.
To enable all to possess this valuable treasure, it is sold at the low price of $5 per copy.
Published by GEORGE W. CHILDS,
N. W. corner of Fifth and Arch streets,
Philadelphia.
WILLIAM TERRY,
Sole Agent for the State of New York,
This Portrait can only be obtained from MR TERRY, or from his duly authorized agents.
Arrangements have been made with the Post Office Department, by which copies of the Portrait can be sent to any point, per mail, in perfect order.
☞ Persons by remitting FIVE DOLLARS to WILLIAM TERRY, 113 Nassau Street, New York, will have a copy of the Portrait sent to them FREE OF POSTAGE
☞ Magnificent Gilt Frames, got up expressly for these Portraits, furnished at the low price of $5 each.

JUST ISSUED,
A MAGNIFICENT PORTRAIT OF
GENERAL JACKSON,
Engraved by T. B. WELCH, Esq., after the original Portrait painted by T. SULLY, Esq.
This Portrait will be a match for the Washington, and is in every respect as well got up.
Price $5 per copy. Address as above

The Evening Post.

A Strange Story.

A remarkable circumstance is related by Mrs. Catherine Crowe, in the "Night side of Nature," as having occurred at Odessa, in 1842. An old blind man named Michael, had for many years been accustomed to get his living by seating himself every morning on a beam, in one of the timber yards, with a wooden bowl at his feet, into which the passengers cast their alms. This long continued practice had made him well known to the inhabitants, and as he was believed to have been a soldier, his blindness was attributed to the wounds he had received in battle. For his own part he spoke little, and never contradicted the opinion. One night Michael, by some accident, fell in with a girl named Pawleska, who was friendless, and on the verge of perishing with cold and hunger.—The old man took her home and adopted her, and from that time instead of sitting in the timber yard, he went about the streets in her company, asking alms at the doors of houses. The child called him father, and they were extremely happy together.

But when they had pursued this mode of life for five years, a theft having been committed in a house where they had visited in the morning, Pawleska was suspected and arrested, and the blind man was left once more alone. But, instead of resuming his former habits, he now disappeared altogether, and the circumstance causing suspicion to extend to him, the girl was brought before the magistrate to be interrogated with regard to his probable place of concealment.

"Do you know where Michael is?" inquired the magistrate.

"He is dead!" replied she, shedding a torrent of tears.

As the girl had been shut up for three days, without any means of obtaining any information without, this answer, together with her unfeigned distress, naturally excited considerable surprise.

"Who told you that he was dead?" they inquired.

"Nobody."

"Then how can you know it?"

"I saw him killed."

"But you have never been out of prison."

"But I saw it nevertheless?"

"But how was that possible? Explain what you mean,"

"I cannot. All I can say is, I saw him killed."

"When was he killed, and how?"

"It was the night I was arrested."

"That cannot be; he was alive when you were seized."

"Yes, he was; he was killed one hour after that; they stabbed him with a knife."

"Where were you then?"

"I can't tell, but I saw it."

The confidence with which the girl asserted what seemed to her hearers impossible and absurd, disposed them to imagine that she was really insane, or pretended to be so, so leaving Michael aside, they proceeded to interrogate her about the robbery, asking her if she was guilty.

"Oh, no!" she answered.

"Then how came the property to be found about you?"

"I dont know; I saw nothing but the murder."

"But there is no ground for supposing Michael is dead; his body has not yet been found."

"It is in the aqueduct."

"And do you know who slew him?"

"Yes; it was a woman. Michael was walking very slowly, after I was taken from him. A woman came behind him with a large kitchen knife; but he heard her and turned around; and then the woman flung a piece of grey stuff over his head, and struck him repeatedly with a knife. The grey stuff was much stained with blood. Michael fell at the eighth blow, and the woman dragged the body to the aqueduct, and it fell in, without ever lifting the stuff that stuck to his face."

As it was very easy to verify these latter assertions, they dispatched people to the spot, and there the body was found, with the piece of stuff over his head, exactly as she had described. But when they asked her how she knew all this, she could only answer, "I don't know."

"But you know who killed him."

"Not exactly; it is the same woman that put out his eyes; but perhaps he will tell me her name to-night, and if he does, I will tell you."

"What do you mean by *her*?"

"Why, Michael, to be sure."

During the whole of the following night, without allowing her to suspect their intention, they watched her, and it was observed she never lay down, but sat upon her bed in a sort of lethargic slumber. Her body was quiet motionless, except when this repese was interrupted by nervous shocks, which pervaded her whole frame.

On the ensuing day, the moment she was brought before the judge she declared that she was now able to toll the name of the assassin.

"But stay," said the magistrate; "did he never tell you when he was alive how he lost his sight?"

"No; but the morning before I was arrested he promised me to do so; and that caused his death."

"How could that be?"

"Last night Michael came to me, and pointed to the man hidden behind the scaffold on which he and I had been sitting. He showed me the man listening to us when he said, "I'll tell all about that to-night;" and the man—

"Do you know the name of the man?"

"It is Luck; he went afterwards to a broad street that leads down to the harbor, and he entered the third house on the right."

"What is the name of the street?"

"I don't know; but the house is one story lower than the adjoining ones. Luck told Catharine what he had heard, and she proposed to assassinate Michael, but he refused saying, "that it was bad enough to have burned out his eyes fifteen years ago, while he was asleep at your door, and to have kidnapped him into the country." Then I went to ask charity, but Catharine put a piece of plate in my pocket, that I might be arrested; then she hid herself behind the aqueduct to wait for Michael and she killed him.

"But since you say all this, why did you keep the plate? Why didn't you give information?"

"But I did not see it then. Michael showed it to me last night,"

"But what could induce Catherine to do this?"

"Michael was her husband, and she had forsaken him to come to Odessa to marry again. One night, fifteen years ago, she saw Michael who had come to see her. She slipped hastily into the house, and Michael who thought she had not seen him, lay down at her door to watch; but he fell asleep, and then Luck burned out his eyes, and carried him to a distance."

"And it is Michael who told you this?"

"Yes; he came very pale, and covered with blood, and he took me by the hand and showed me all with his fingers."

"Upon this Luck and Catharine were arrested, and it was ascertained that she had actually been married to Michael in the year 1810, at Kherson. They at first denied the accusation, but Pawleska insisted, and they subsequently confessed the crime.

When they communicated the circumstance of the confession to Pawleska, she said, "I was told it last night." The affair naturally created great interest, and people around the neighborhood hastened into the city to learn the sentence.

FUNNY.—To see a milkman looking over the "price current" to see how chalk is going.