

The Local Lounger.

SCENE—A dark and gloomy cellar under a brick building. Editor of the dark and gloomy organ of the dark and gloomy cellar under the brick building discovered at dirty pine counter.

So Diphtheria has appeared again in Ottawa. This is decidedly impudent on the part of Diphtheria when one recalls the fact that the health officer has been warning it (at 10c. a line) not to put in an appearance here.

The telegraph says the Illinois River Improvement bills, referred to the congressional committee on railroads and canals, have been given in charge of our member, Col. Ralph Plumb.

Some men have funny careers. There is, for instance, Richard K. Fox, the editor of the Police Gazette and the noted patron of the prize ring.

Ottawa is threatened with an outbreak of diphtheria.—Free Press.

Down in La Salle they seem to need a shaking up if the story be true that comes from Peru, that one day this week a member of the school board made a visit to his charge in a beastly state of inebriety and made a disgusting exhibition of himself before the pupils.

The attack of Parks of the Joliet Express on the city official whom he charged with drunkenness and bad conduct resulted in his arrest on Friday last on the fictitious charge of drunkenness.

Industries that are the outcome of home brain and energy, home talent, as it were, should be looked upon with favor by our business men, as well as by manufacturers.

may become prominent in manufacturing circles, but put your shoulder to the wheel and make room for the men who are trying with all nerve power strained to give employment to men and win for Ottawa a name as a great manufacturing center.

Phocion Howard has uttered his prog'nostication on Illinois candidates for Governor and predicts that Oglesby will be in the field again.

Thought so. Streator has got it. If there is any thing Streator hasn't got, let's here of it, right away. The other night all the water pipes in town froze up.

THEY EMPLOY 600 MEN.

An Industry That Supports 3,000 People. Under the reputation which our beautiful city has enjoyed for half a century, that of being the center of culture, refinement and wealth of this great country, the fact has somehow been lost sight of that we are a manufacturing center of no mean or imaginary pretensions.

It is, however, of the glass industry that we shall treat in the present issue, and we are warranted, by statistics carefully collected, in saying that it gives employment to 600 men and sends from our doors nearly \$700,000 worth of manufactured material every year.

Our facilities for the manufacture of glass are too well known by the public at large to bear extended reference. Ever since the summer of 1868, our city has been the recognized center of a tract of glass sand and coal absolutely unlimited in quantity and and awfully superior in quality to any under the wide heavens.

Our facilities for fuel are unsurpassed. East, west, north and south of us the coal underlies the surface of the earth for miles. Whole towns owe their existence to the Black Diamonds, for the county is fast assuming the aspect of one great coal mine.

The Ottawa Window Glass Co. was organized and began operations in 1865, with what is now known as the Central Factory. Year by year the business increased, until five years later, in 1873, the West House was erected, doubling the capacity.

It was operated with coal until '87, when Mr. Catlin, being impressed with the appearance of gas-melted glass, built a gas generating plant of the most perfect design, making gas from slack, the only plant of its kind in America.

side of the meeting furnace equally and making complete combustion. In the blow furnace, oil and steam uniting in a gaseous vapor are used, producing a greater heat than mere gas.

The Window Glass Co. employ 225 men in the operation of their three factories, and turn out 100,000 boxes of glass per year, amounting to \$350,000 to \$400,000.

The Flint Glass Works, owned and operated by the Ottawa Bottle and Flint Glass Co., was erected in 1881, and the first fire was put in in the fall of that year.

The La Bastie chimney works, under the management of M. de La Chappelle et cte, removed to this city from Brooklyn in the summer of 1865, starting the first fire in the fall of that year.

Mr. Catlin, of the Window Glass Co., has placed a 100 light electric light machine in his factories, and will use 80 of them himself, renting 20 to M. de La Chappelle.

Mr. Henry Robelle, late of the Window Glass Co., and of the Laramie Glass Works in Wyoming, and Mr. Malcolm, opalescent glass expert, are endeavoring to perfect arrangements for the establishment of an opalescent plant, and have already secured promises of aid.

Excitement in Texas. Great excitement has been caused in the vicinity of Paris, Texas, by the remarkable recovery of Mr. J. E. Corley, who was so helpless he could not turn in bed, or raise his head; everybody said he was dying of Consumption.

Married. On Sunday evening, the 15th inst., by Arthur Lockwood, Esq., Mr. JACOB P. SCHAEFER to Miss EMILY J. HORTON, all of Ottawa.

OTTAWA MARKETS. OTTAWA, ILL., Jan. 20, 1887. FLOUR AND FEED. Local Flour, per 25 lbs. \$2.50. Victor Mills—Silver Flour, patent, 5 cwt. \$2.50.

A RARE CHANGE. For sale, a stock of general merchandise, will invoice about \$2,000, located in one of the best towns in La Salle county.

ESTRAY NOTICE.—Taken up by G. A. WILSON, at his residence in the Town of Miller, in the county of La Salle, and state of Illinois, on the third day of December, A. D. 1887, one stray horse, described as follows:

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ADVERTISED LETTERS.

LETTERS REMAINING UNCLAIMED in the Post Office at Ottawa, State of Illinois, on Thursday, JANUARY 13, 1887.

A NEW ERA IN Grocery Prices. We are better prepared than ever to take care of city and country patronage this year, and, as we

Pay No Exorbitant Rentals, Can offer best qualities in Staple and Fancy Groceries.

Table Ware, Flour, Feed, and Shelf Goods AT LOWER PRICES Than we have ever offered before.

Our Teas and Coffees ARE THE BEST FOR THE DOLLAR. You don't ask any more than a good dollar's worth.

DELAHANTY & FOLEY, Corner of Columbus and Superior Streets. NOW OPEN.

JOSEPH SCHAEFER Manufacturer and Dealer in Harness, Saddles, Horse Clothing and Turf Goods.

A CARD.—Having opened business in my new quarters, in the Colwell Sherwood block, I am ready to supply the public with everything in my line.

PUBLIC SALE. Mrs. Ella Collins will sell at public sale, at her farm, 3 miles northwest of Ottawa, in the town of Wallace, on Tuesday, Jan. 31st, 1887, beginning at 10 o'clock A. M.

PUBLIC SALE. The undersigned will sell at public auction, at his residence in the town of Ottawa, three miles west of Ottawa, on Tuesday, January 24, 1887, the following property:

GEORGE H. HAIGHT, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF O. B. STANARD. By virtue of an order and decree of the Probate Court of La Salle county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, O. B. STANARD, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, at the January term, A. D. 1887, of said court, to-wit, on the sixth day of January, next, the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon, at the court house of two o'clock P. M. of said day, sell at public sale, at the south door of the County Court House, in Ottawa, in said county, the real estate described as follows:

FOR A 2 CT. STAMP. To protect the public from the use of counterfeit stamps, the undersigned has secured the following stamp:

"CAN I AVOID CHAPPED HANDS?" The undersigned has answered this question by making "Williams' Celebrated Ointment" for the cure of chapped hands, a skin medicine, which will cure any case of chapped hands, and cannot be got for your drug store, we will send a liberal quantity of this Ointment, free of charge, to any of our customers for 10 years of the famous Genuine Talcum Shaving Soap.

Board and Feed Stable. I have re-leased the Barn in the rear of White's Hotel and am running the Barn in front of White's Hotel (known as the Barn Yard), and have good warm stables to take horses by the day or week, and guarantee satisfaction.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.—ESTATE OF MOSES S. COCHRAN, DECEASED.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in said estate, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of said deceased, Moses S. Cochran, deceased, will appear before the Probate Court of the county of La Salle, and state of Illinois, at the County Court House, in Ottawa, in said county, on Wednesday, the 25th day of January, A. D. 1887, for the purpose of rendering an account of his proceedings in the administration of said estate for the final settlement.

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Fascinators for 37 cts. That are worth 75 cts.

Very Large Extra Fine Fascinators for 49 cts. That are worth \$1.00.

Another Lot All Wool Toboggan Caps For 12 Cts.

And we are reducing Toboggan Caps that have sold for 69 and 75 cts. to 24 cts. We are also offering a lot of

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