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NO. 40.

CARPETS.

We have just received fresh from the factories a LARGE STOCK OF
Ingrain Carpets.
The patterns are all new and pretty, and prices are LOWER than ever offered in the West.

OUR DRESS GOODS

Stock is not equalled in the country. It comprises all the Novelties of the season, and prices will be found MUCH LOWER than heretofore.

CURTAIN GOODS

Of every description.
Something in this line ENTIRELY NEW.

SEE! SEE! SEE!

Our Ladies' and Misses' Corsets.
Our Ladies' Muslin Underwear
Our Hosiery and Gloves.
Our Lace and Embroideries.
Our Table Linens of every description.
Our Towels, Towels, Towels.
Our Crashes, Crashes, Crashes.
Our Clothes for Men and Boys' Wear.
Our Men's and Boys' Laundered and Unlaundered Shirts.

On these goods we are making lower prices than will be found anywhere.

A. LYNCH.

Remember the Philadelphia Shoe House when about to purchase Boots and Shoes.

LIVERY AND FEED STABLE AND HACK LINE.

PETER EGAN

Would respectfully announce to the citizens of Ottawa and vicinity that he has one of the choicest Livery Stables in the city, at the City Stable, such as
The Latest Styles of Hacks, Carriages and Buggies,

To let at prices to suit the times. Parties, Weddings, Funerals, Picnics, etc., supplied with Good Horses on short notice. Funerals in the country or adjoining towns promptly attended. Persons taken to or from the depot, or to the country, night or day.
Remember the place—on Madison street, east of sidewalk, one block west of new court house.
OTTAWA, Feb. 4, 1884. PETER EGAN.

A treasure in the house,
A treasure of flavor,
A treasure of nerve-stimulating strength,
A treasure of purity,
is "Treasure Tea," imported solely by C. F. HAEBERLE, and only in Perfection Tea Cans.

Ottawa Markets.	
FLOUR AND FEED.	
Local Flour.	
Victor Mills—Silver Cloud, patent, 4 cwt.	\$2.90
Hungarian	2.40
Corn Meal, retail, per 25 lbs.	2.30
Buckwheat, per 25 lbs.	1.15
Foreign Flour.	
Patent, 4 cwt.	3.30
Kansas Winter, 4 cwt.	2.75
Minnesota Spring Wheat, retail.	2.15
GRAIN AND SEED.	
Wheat, 4 bush.	77
Rye, 4 bush.	56
Corn, new, shelled, 4 bush.	11.65
Corn, new, ear, 4 bush.	4
Turkeys, 4 bush.	9.60
Ducks, 4 bush.	19.11
Geese, 4 bush.	6.00
Hay, 1 ton.	6.00
LIVE STOCK.	
Cattle on foot, cows, 400 lbs.	4.00
Cattle on foot, steers, 400 lbs.	4.75
Fat calves, live weight, 400 lbs.	4.50
Sheep, 400 lbs.	2.50
Lambs, 400 lbs.	3.00
Live Hogs, 100 lbs.	4.00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs.	5.00
TALLOW, HIDES AND SALT.	
Lard, 100 lbs.	74
Tallow, in oil, per 100 lbs.	59
Tallow, lower, per 100 lbs.	56
Salt, per 100 lbs.	1.25
Hides, per 100 lbs.	64
Calf, 100 lbs.	9.60
Flint Hides, 100 lbs.	12
Dry Salt, 100 lbs.	12
The grain prices cover whole range of market, from warehouse prices to prices paid for old lots for feed.	

WANTED.—A girl to do general housework in a family of two. Must be competent to do all the work. Apply at this office.

F. A. Sherwood purchased, for \$10,000, the Ruzg property on the bluff which adjoins the Dickey property recently bought by him.

One of the three furnaces of the Ottawa Glass Co.'s window glass works shut down yesterday. The other two furnaces will complete the season.

The regular physicians and surgeons of La Salle county meet in Ottawa, at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, May 12, to organize a Medical Society. All the regular physicians are invited to attend.

Quarterly meetings of Grand Ridge Circuit will be held April 25 and 26 at the Yale church. Hours of service as follows: preaching, Saturday, at 2 p. m.; Sunday, at 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. Rev. M. V. Crumbaker, of Tonica, will assist the pastor, O. M. Durley.

Notice to Deaf-Mutes.
A combined service in the interest of church work among deaf-mutes will be held in Christ (Episcopal) Church, Ottawa, on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The rector, the Rev. N. W. Heermans, will read the evening service, assisted by Rev. A. W. Mann, general missionary to deaf-mutes, who will interpret in the sign language to the deaf-mutes present in the congregation. Anyone reading this notice who has a deaf-mute friend or acquaintance is kindly requested to hand it to him. Church people and all others interested in this work are cordially invited to attend.

Carpets Cut, Made and Laid in Less than Two Hours!

The most interesting subject we have to handle to-day is that of carpets, and none can be more opportune. Indeed, the carpet question is a good deal more important than any other domestic matters of the day, now, but, after all, a great deal of this worry the housekeepers indulge in on this question can be saved them if they will carry their wants to H. J. GILLEN. It is needless to say that everything in this line can be had at GILLEN'S, nor is it necessary to catalogue his stock. He has gone into the carpet trade better prepared than ever to meet all requirements of the trade; and it is morally certain that from his stock, the largest and most complete in the city, every want can be supplied.

But having the stock does not always solve the entire problem. Most people when they want a carpet "want it bad." The house is all torn up; everything must be in disorder until the carpet is down; life is always a burden to the whole household until the carpet is down. The chief cause of the delay is getting the carpet made. In the busy season this always drags, and not only customers but the house itself has been annoyed to death in the busy season by the sheer inability to fill orders with any degree of satisfaction. This, by the great number of sales made since the season opened, had become already so very unsatisfactory to Mr. Gillen that he was compelled to seek a remedy, and of course he found it, one that forever ends delay, and puts it in the power of the house to tell to a minute when a carpet can be laid; and not only that, but has made it possible for him to repeat the feat accomplished this week of cutting, making and laying a large Brussels carpet within 24 hours after the order was left; something never before accomplished here and possibly by no other house in Ottawa!

The fact is Mr. Gillen has secured a carpet-sewing machine, which sews the heaviest moquette or the thinnest ingrain. It not only sews faster but better than any hand sewing. By its use all carpets ordered in the morning can be laid the same day, and parties from the country can leave their orders on arriving and after doing their other trading can take their carpet home early the same afternoon, made and ready for the floor. The public will readily see the advantage of such a condition of things, and should the more appreciate it since carpets will be made and made better than they can be by hand, without extra expense for the next 30 days. All are invited to call and see this novel piece of machinery and examine the work it does.

In connection with the carpet stock the house is showing now a large line of all fabrics for window dressings and window shades—in which lines it is maintaining the prestige acquired during last season both in completeness of stock and lowness of prices.

In spite of the adverse weather the trade in general dry goods has been excellent, and the new dress fabrics of all kinds, the new notions, etc., etc., have delighted a large number of visitors and buyers. Indeed, the "Old Reliable" opens the spring trade with a genuine old-fashioned "boom," which is likely to continue for weeks to come. All are invited to call and examine the new stock in all departments.

The ice cream season has opened at Phelan's, in the Opera House block. Visit his parlors and enjoy a dish of his cream.

McMullen roasts his own coffee.

HATS—New and elegant spring styles. Prices the lowest. M. STIEFEL, Leading clothier.

On Tuesday morning last, a steamer was discovered in the canal near the Chestnut street bridge. Coroner Clendenen was notified and held an inquest the same forenoon, at which it was developed that the name of the drowned man was James Coughlin, a glass blower, apparently about 47 years of age. He had been on a carousal Monday night, and it is likely that while under the influence of liquor he fell into the canal.

Louis Hess bought the large, handsome mirror formerly owned by Forbes & Flick which he will have in his ice cream rooms.

Miss Welsh, who suffered the loss of a limb by amputation, last week, is getting along very well under the care of the Drs. Dyer. A suggestion was made by the FREE TRADER, last week, that our people aid the sufferers; but her folks will not permit any such assistance to be rendered her.

Elegant new spring styles in boys' and children's clothing. Come and see them. They will please you and they will save you money. M. STIEFEL.

Friday afternoon last, the FREE TRADER man found himself in the midst of a bewildering amount of all those exquisite and beautiful things that go to make up a fashionable lady. It was the annual opening of the spring millinery business at the fashionable establishment of Miss A. D. Brady's, next to the National City bank. Such a tasteful arrangement and brilliant display of millinery goods has seldom before been received in this city. The store was literally covered and packed with these goods, and such an array of handsome Parisian flowers, elegantly trimmed goods, laces of all descriptions, etc., made the exhibition one well worth viewing. The opening for the past two days was well attended and will continue to-day. The ladies are invited to call and see the very latest styles.

Philadelphia Lawn Mower.
LATEST MANUFACTURED. ITS REPUTATION IS ESTABLISHED. FOR SALE BY
MANLEY & JORDAN.

Horses and saddles for hire at Eagan's livery stable.

New gingham and percales just received at
LACEY & SMITH'S.

Paints of all kinds, of all shades in cans of all sizes at Lorriaux's.

Paint and white wash brushes at Lorriaux's.

The Anniversary Sale

Of Scott Bros. & Co. is a grand success. The very low prices made for this sale are attracting large crowds. Every department is full of the choicest goods in the market at prices which are surprising. Elegant new stock of millinery—all the new shapes, styles and colors. Beautiful white and colored embroidered suits very cheap. Big bargains in hosiery and gloves—fine Lisle thread hose 45c, worth 75c. The calicos at 15 yards for 50c will be continued till Saturday evening. Beautiful 48-inch colored cashmeres only 50c, worth \$1.00. Big bargains at
SCOTT BROS. & CO.'S.

A private entertainment was given in Turn Hall last Sunday night by the actors' section of the Turn Society. The name of the play produced on the stage was "The Thunder-Storm in the Mill." The best part was in the hands of C. Henrich, but the others did well and were rapturously applauded. After the curtain fell in the last act the chairs were removed, and all enjoyed themselves dancing. These entertainments are to be kept up fortnightly. The one last Sunday night was the finest the society has had in many years. Those Americans who understand the German language, and would like to attend should apply to the committee on invitations for tickets, as no one will be permitted to attend outside of the society, who has not been specially invited.

Show cases for sale at Forbes & Flick's.

To the Ladies.
If you are in need of goods, see A. J. Williamson, Forbes & Flick's.

The proprietor of Kendall's hardware store has been so busy all week that he could not find time to write a local ad, for this paper. He is now handling a line of gasoline stoves that for cheapness and durability excel anything ever before put on the market. If you purchase a gasoline stove you will not be troubled by the backs getting burned out; neither will the chimney effect them. They are just the thing for a long cold winter, such as the one past, when coal could not be got for love or money, sometimes. The gasoline stove is just the thing for summer, as it does not keep your kitchen in a roasting condition. Call at Kendall's, and he will explain them fully to you.

\$5,500 to loan for 2 or 5 years on good farm security at 7 per cent. interest.
ROGER & EBERSON.

James Endsley, a former resident of this city, and here as a witness in the Gilbert-Mooney case, was arrested in the circuit court Tuesday last for embezzlement as he stepped off the witness stand. He was once the proprietor of a bucket shop here, and hence the claim of about \$1,700, which is now made against him.

Bargains in buttons at Forbes & Flick's.

Daily, from 9 to 12 o'clock a. m., I will make a special private sale to the ladies, of Corsets, Ribbons, Dress Buttons, Kid Gloves, Lisle and Silk Gloves, Embroideries and Fancy Goods. These goods must be sold and will be offered at prices never before given.
A. J. WILLIAMSON, Assignee.

Mrs. M. J. Ford, the Opera block milliner, has removed to rooms over Trask's jewelry store, and in connection with her millinery she will do dress-making.

SCHREIB-WYLLIE—Married on the evening of April 23, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. E. W. Schreiber, of Ottawa, to Miss Janette, eldest daughter of Mr. W. F. Wyllie, of Waltham. At 8 o'clock, the hour appointed for the ceremony, the bridal party was ushered into the east parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, Miss Jessie presiding at the piano. The parlors were tastefully decorated with plants and flowers. Under an arch, festooned with evergreen, the bride and groom took their places. Miss Fanny Jones and Mr. John Wyllie, brother of the bride, being attendants. After a few appropriate words the Rev. Mr. Leard pronounced them man and wife. The friends then passed around to offer congratulations and good wishes, after which the company repaired to the dining room, where they were bountifully entertained. The bride was elegantly attired in golden brown silk and brocade velvet, with natural flowers. The bridesmaid wore brown cashmere, with velvet applique trimmings. About sixty guests were present, among whom was Uncle John Carrie, from England. The occasion was doubly interesting, being the wedding anniversary of the bride's parents. The number of beautiful and costly presents displayed gave evidence of the great regard in which the bride is held by her relatives and friends. A beautiful silver water service was presented by the church in which she has been organist for several years. After a very pleasant evening spent in music and social enjoyment, the bridal pair left for Ottawa, which will be their future home. Mrs. Schreiber has left many warm friends, and will be greatly missed in Waltham society.

Children's waists, the best and largest stock in Ottawa, from 25c to \$1. M. STIEFEL, Leading clothier.

Special sale of dress goods to-day at
LACEY & SMITH'S.

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Wallace Libbey delivered to Phelps and Curry Monday, April 20th, two Poland China pigs, 10 months and 36 days old, one weighing 45 lbs., and the other 45 1/2 lbs. Mr. Libbey sold 72 Poland pigs for breeders last season. The above two were the culs. This is a good showing for Polands.

Great bargains in everything at Forbes & Flick's.

Pins and Needles.

Larry Donagho is again connected with the Streater Free Press.

There is big dissension in Streater over the high school. There seems to be something rotten in its management.

Had it not been for Thomas Pollitt, one of the jurors, a verdict of \$4,000 would have been awarded Jos. Coughlin in his suit for damages against the Coal Run Company, of Streater.

The Streater candidates for office, last Tuesday, all clubbed together to get their election tickets printed at cut rates and totally ignored the home printing concerns.

Special sale on velvet and velveteen at Forbes & Flick's.

The per cent. of attendance at drills of Co. D, since Nov. 18th last, up to April 1st, has been 84. This is a good showing and tends to prove that the members take a lively interest in the welfare of their organization.

The safe in the Wash depot, at Streater, was blown open last Tuesday morning and \$78 taken.

Great bargains in everything at Forbes & Flick's.

Will Fitzgerald's band again inaugurate those summer night open air concerts from the balcony of the court house? A great many will be interested in the answer, especially if it is "yes."

Jesse says the Times did it by announcing him for Treasurer, last Monday, instead of City Attorney, and that the mistake cost him 300 votes.

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs! I have some good light Brahma eggs; \$1 for 15.
JULIUS ZELLER.

The colored troops fought nobly.

John Gross thinks—well, he doesn't know what to think about the result.

Frank O'Mera, a former Ottawa boy, was elected city treasurer of Streater, on Tuesday last, verifying the prediction made by the writer. It was Frank's letter on the silver question that gave him solidity, together with his extensive popularity, he having received more votes than his two opponents combined.

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The News-Herald, of Peru, says that that city wants a good base ball club for this year. That's nothing; it needed a good club last year.

The Novelty Machine Works received a \$1,000 order a few days ago, from the De Steger glass company, of La Salle, for molds.

Call soon at Forbes & Flick's if you want any goods, as they are going fast.

City Treasurer elect, Chas. E. Hook, of this city, and Frank O'Mera, of Streater, are said to be the youngest officials ever elected to such an office in the state, having just about obtained their majority.

The Ottawa Council stands six democrats to four republicans.

A. J. O'Connor defeated Geo. H. Lacey for mayor of La Salle, last Tuesday, by a majority of 382.

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The Times is somewhat particular. It advertises for a girl that will sleep at home every night, and for a boy who thoroughly believes in the "moral dignity of human labor" at \$3 a week.

The "Beaver," a steamboat owned by Peru parties, struck a snag at St. Louis, last Monday night, and went to the bottom with ten feet of water over her decks. Loss \$7,000.

Bargains in buttons at Forbes & Flick's.

Twenty-five dollars and 26 days in the cooler is what got two fellows got for being on an election drunk at Mendota. A pal threw an ax in to them and they chopped their way out.

The total vote cast in Ottawa, last Tuesday, was 1,742; La Salle, 1,339; Streater, 1,115.

It was bank against bank at Streater; here the bank had things its own way.

Great special sale of notions at Forbes & Flick's.

Bureau county has an income of nearly \$3,000 from her dogs.

Trenary carried over ward in the city.

The Norway druggist, Chas. Pierson, committed suicide last Tuesday by killing himself with a revolver.

Planters!

To secure a full stand of corn, get the new Evans Planter, the best and cheapest sold in Ottawa. Call and see it at J. E. Porter's.

Amusements.
The management of the rink desire to announce that it will soon be closed with a grand attraction—the best that can be secured. The closing will be duly announced. Wait for the great attraction; watch for it.

A deserved compliment was paid Frank Fitzgerald, Thursday night, while playing in the orchestra which has been engaged for the Rose Easton dramatic company. He gave a cornet solo, Yankee Doodle, with variations, which was simply immense and received thunders of applause and an encore.

The Opera House management takes great pleasure in announcing an engagement with the talented young actress, Miss Genevieve Rogers, and the well known and popular actor, Frank E. Aiken, supported by an unusually strong company in a repertoire of standard plays, for one week, commencing Monday, April 27th, on which evening they will present the beautiful emotional drama, "Camille," with Miss Genevieve Rogers in the title role. Although Miss Rogers and Mr. Aiken have been here before and played to high prices, the low price rule will be kept up; that is, 10 and 20 cents.

The Rose Easton Dramatic Company has been playing all week in the opera house to full houses every night and has met with the same measure of success awarded the Kendall combination, two weeks ago. Monday night the company opened to a crowded house, in "Married for Money;" Tuesday night "Hazel Kirke" was given; Wednesday night the play, "The Miner's Wife," was attended by a good audience; Thursday night "Our Boys" was rapturously applauded by a well filled house, and last night the "Ticket of Leave Man" was produced, Miss Easton taking the title roles in all the plays. To-night the company are billed in "Divorce, or Woman against Woman." This afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock a matinee, "Hazel Kirke" will be given, the prices being just the same, children being admitted to all parts of the house. There have been no fault-finders or unjust criticisms of the company except by a few, who want a dollar's worth for ten cents. Miss Easton may well feel assured that her patrons here have had an equivalent at the popular prices of admission and that her company has been a success.

Grand Millinery Opening.

The general spring and summer opening at the ladies' fashion emporium will take place on Friday and Saturday, May 1st and 2d, 1885. Mrs. Henrich has done her utmost, and has succeeded in selecting the largest and finest variety of imported millinery and fancy goods ever brought to Ottawa. The ladies are cordially invited to attend her opening and they will be convinced that Mrs. Henrich understands her business, of which she will give proof, both as to taste and quality of materials and work. Miss Julia Wood, Miss Cora Henrich, and Mrs. Henrich herself will be pleased to wait on and show goods to their old friends and customers, whether they purchase or not. Don't forget the place—No. 10 Court street.

Old fashioned lead and oil at Lorriaux's.

At French's hat store, Ottawa, you'll find the very largest stock and lowest prices in the city, both in felt and silk, as well as straw goods.

We invite horsemen's attention to C. M. Smith's stallion Alroy, advertised elsewhere, as a very worthy animal whose high breeding is unquestionable. Blood will tell, and Alroy is warmed by the best blood in American trotters. His services are limited and early application should be made.

Plow Shoes! Plow Shoes!
Plow Shoes, all styles and prices at
D. LEAHY'S.

THE NEW CASSIDY.
BEATS THE OLD ONE.
MANLEY & JORDAN.

Municipal Election.

After a well contested and stubborn resistance on the part of those who opposed the administration of Mayor Allen, the fight ended last Tuesday in his election, and though it was the dearest bought triumph for the victors in any municipal election for many years, they seemed to enjoy it thoroughly. The vote was the largest ever cast, being 1,742 as cast for treasurer, against 1,557 for H. C. Nash for the same office two years ago, being an increase of 185.

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Allen, Mayor,	120	272	250	175	186	1003
Lincoln,	63	96	272	147	144	723
Kelly, city clk.,	77	173	389	234	215	1078
Bell,	104	187	133	97	107	627
Trenary, att'y.,	101	201	439	221	225	1187
Ruger,	81	168	79	98	99	525
Hook, treasurer,	185	373	535	324	325	1742
Skinner, ald'n,	102					
Griffith,	69					
Gross,	12					
Weil,	210					
Cullen,	150					
D. A. Maher,	257					
Stormont,	137					
P. Maglier,	90					
Ebersol,	191					
Bryant,	120					
White,	311					

In the first ward Griffith was defeated for re-election; both contestants in the second ward were new men, as were also the candidates in the third; Chas. Bryant was defeated for re-election by J. W. Ebersol in the fourth.

The sale of the personal effects of the Reddick estate on the farm, one mile west of the city, was commenced last Thursday and continued yesterday. The sale was largely attended and the live stock brought good prices. There was a vast amount of traps, the accumulation of years, together with the machinery, all of which went under the hammer of the auctioneer. About \$15,000 worth of stuff were sold.

To the Ladies.
If you are in need of goods, see A. J. Williamson, Assignee, Forbes & Flick's.

SPRING STOCK OF DRESS GOODS

New Fabrics,
New Colors,
New Prices.

Great Corset Sale at a MARKED REDUCTION.

CARPETS!

The Largest and Most Complete line ever opened in the city.

New and Desirable Patterns in all qualities of this class of merchandise.

NEW CURTAINS

And Window Dressings. Do not fail to examine this stock before purchasing. Prices lower than ever, and all goods warranted as represented.

Bargains in BOOTS & SHOES. 500 pair Plow Shoes at a great sacrifice.

New Goods in all departments, and the extreme of low prices on all lines. Call and examine.

H. J. GILLEN. ROOFING.

Having Put on OVER 400 SQUARES OF
H. W. JOHNS' Asbestos Roofing
Last Year, with the MOST PERFECT SATISFACTION

To my patrons, I am now prepared to put on Roofs on the most Reasonable Terms, and guarantee Satisfaction. This is no experiment, as the following certificate will show:

OTTAWA, N. Y.—We have used H. W. Johns' Asbestos Roofing for 25 years, and now have acres of it in use. We like it the best for flat roofs of any we have ever used.
KINSFORD & SONS,
Ottawa, Starch Factory.

I refer to King & Hamilton Co., Ottawa Glass Co., Simon & Jacob's (Pottery Works), and H. Bendor (Carpet Weavers).
E. HARVEY SMITH,
March 21, 1885. P. O. Box 1773, Ottawa, Ill.

McMullen sells the best Rio Cigars 8 pounds for \$1.

Messrs. Williams & Hess are to double the size of their works at Brickton, a new building 70x150 feet being erected. A new and larger engine has been purchased.

Thursday night, at a meeting of Co. D, it was decided to visit the state encampment at Mobile. Twenty or more members of the company will start next Saturday under command of Capt. Blanchard.

Corn Planter.
NEW ROTARY AVERY PLANTER.
The new Rocker movement Challenge.
THE JORDAN CHECK ROWER IS PERFECT.
MANLEY & JORDAN.

At a meeting of the Reddick Library trustees last night the members "drew cuts" for the length of service. The one-year men are Messrs. Kneuss, Dwyer and Catlin; the two years, Messrs. Swift, Cook and McKinlay; three years, Messrs. Hess, Graham and Hatheway; Max Kneuss was elected vice president, this having been overlooked at the first meeting. The following committees were appointed: Finance, Messrs. Swift, Kneuss and Hess; executive committee, Messrs. Catlin, McKinlay and Dwyer; book committee, Messrs. Cook, Graham and Hatheway.