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EFFINGER, WHITE & LATTA'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

NO. 66,
SIGN OF THE
PAD-LOCK & MILL-SAW.

EFFINGER, WHITE & LATTA
are now receiving one of the
largest stocks of Hardware than
any other establishment in the West,
and we have the reputation of keeping the
greatest variety and best quality of goods, and selling a
little lower than any other establishment, and we
are determined to stand up to the competition in the
sale of all goods.

House Building Materials.

EFFINGER, WHITE & LATTA offer extra-
ordinary inducements to Carpenters and
Builders in the purchase of the following
materials, and we have the reputation of
selling a little lower than any other
establishment in the West.

Farming Implements.

EFFINGER, WHITE & LATTA offer extra-
ordinary inducements to Farmers in the
purchase of the following implements,
and we have the reputation of selling a
little lower than any other establishment
in the West.

Saddles, Pumps and Hacks.

EFFINGER, WHITE & LATTA offer extra-
ordinary inducements to the public in
the purchase of the following articles,
and we have the reputation of selling a
little lower than any other establishment
in the West.

FRESH ARRIVAL.

PHILIP RISING & JOHN LYONS,
Having purchased the interest of Mr. Jacob
Crawley in the Dry Goods business, in the
Market Street, Lancaster, Ohio, and
having added thereto a large assortment of
Spring and Summer Goods,
Selected with the greatest care in the Eastern
cities, respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.
Their stock consists in part as follows:
Ladies' Dress Goods, all the latest styles,
Lace, calicoes, silks, linens, muslins, Alpaca,
de la Saxe, etc. The above assortment consists of
over twenty thousand dollars worth of goods,
and is the largest and most beautiful
assortment of goods ever brought to
Lancaster.

GREAT ATTRACTION!

CITY GROCERY STORE!

AT THE NEW STAND,
One Door East of the Hocking Valley Bank,
Main Street, Lancaster, Ohio.
The undersigned most respectfully calls the attention
of his friends and the public generally to his
SPRING ARRIVAL OF GROCERIES.
If not the largest in the city, still he offers himself
as being one of the most superior, choice and well
selected assortment of Groceries that has ever been
brought here. Therefore, he is known and understood
that everybody who wishes to purchase cheap, good
articles, and get the worth of their money in full, to
call at this celebrated establishment.
The stock consists in part of the following articles:
SUGAR AND RIO COFFEE:
Sugar—New Orleans, Leaf, Crushed and Palmyra-
New Orleans Mocha and Sugar-house, Sugar-
house Syrup and Natural and Cream Syrup.
Imperial, Young Hyson and Black Tea;
Rice, etc., Raisins, Oranges, Raisins and currants;
Almonds, Brazil Nuts, Filberts, English Walnuts
and Pecan Nuts.
Spices—Pepper, Allspice, cloves, cinnamon, Nut-
meg, Mace, Ginger, etc.
Fish—Mackerel No. 1 and 2, cod
fish, and a large lot of White Fish, Pickled
etc., expected on and will be here in due season,
at wholesale and retail.
Sea Grasses, Ropes, all sizes, Bed-cords, Wooden-ware,
such as Washboards, Buckets, Tubs, etc., Bishops-
ticks, Baking-Powder, Smoking and chewing Tobacco,
Sopars, Pipes, etc.
Wines and Brandy—Port and Muscat Wines
of the very best, also of this fine Old Brandy
Brandy, not to be sold less than by the bottle.
Walker's and Cleveland Ales.
And a great many articles too tedious to mention.
Persons will please call and examine for themselves,
and an attendant will be delighted with their visit to
the city grocery store, and not go away without
purchasing.
Lancaster, April 21, 1853. H. A. GREEN.

To the Germans of Fairfield County.

THE PHIL COMMISSION STORE has secured
the services of a GERMAN SALESMAN, who
will find a gentleman on Willock's Agent,
and see him.
Lancaster, April 20, 1853. Eagle and Telegraph Co.

NEW GOODS, SUPERIOR QUALITY & CHEAP PRICES

WE are now in the receipt of our New Spring
and Summer Stock of Goods, in all their
variety, in the
DRY GOODS, QUEENS AND GLASSWARE,
SHOE AND HARDWARE LINES, &c. &c.
Which we offer to the public at the most interesting
and cheapest stock of goods brought to this market,
to which we invite the public attention, and which
we will sell on the most reasonable terms, at the Old
Store Room, first door East of the Swan Hotel.
Lancaster, April 21, 1853. W. H. JULIAN.

WAR IN EUROPE.—A writer in the New York Tribune, under-date London, July 15th ult., says:

At last the Russians have entered the
Principality. The harvest had begun a-
bout the 20th of June. On the 3d of July,
the first corps of the invading army, about
12,000, crossed the Pruth, to be re-inforced
subsequently by another corps of about 13,
000 men. But far greater masses of troops
are marching to the frontier. The prepara-
tions of Russia are on a larger scale than
before the Hungarian campaign, in which
150,000 men were sent out of the country.—
The Czar has issued a proclamation appeal-
ing to the fanaticism of the Greek Church,
and charging the inoffensive Sultan, the
Khalif, the head of the Mussulman religion,
with perfidious perjury. This proclamation
was not known in Constantinople when the
last post left that capital, but it is easy to
predict that the Turks, and all the Mussul-
mans, will be excited beyond measure and
that the war cry raised on the Neva, where
the Russians, at the last solemn procession
of the Czar to the Church of St. Isaac, im-
plored him to lead them on a holy crusade to
St. Sophia, at Constantinople, will be re-
echoed from the Bosphorus. Yet the re-
lations and the diplomatists of Europe cling
to every trifling incident which can afford a
hope of maintaining peace. When the news
of the occupation reached Constantinople,
and it was known that the Russians had re-
ally crossed the frontier, the Ambassadors
of England, France and Austria went to
the Sultan, requesting him not to take the
invasion for a *cassus belli*, and not to summon
the fleets to the capital. The Sultan reluctantly
accepted the advice, taking it for a sign
that, after all, he cannot rely upon England
and France, and will have to carry on the
war unsupported by the Western Powers.—
The influence of Lord Stratford has accord-
ingly materially declined.
In the mean time secret negotiations have
been carried on at London, and propositions
made to the Czar, without the knowledge of
the Sultan, about the terms under which the
combined powers are ready to make a set-
tlement. But the conduct of Baron Bruck,
the Austrian Ambassador at Constantinople,
becomes daily more suspicious. He offered
the good offices of Austria, but at the same
time he once more insisted upon the cession
of the Sutorina and Kleck, the two strips
of Turkish territory intersecting the
continuity of the Austrian possessions on
the Adriatic, which had been refused to
Count Leiningen.
While such negotiations are going on at
London, at Constantinople, Russian em-
bassies are preparing an outbreak in Ser-
via against Prince Alexander Karageorgewich,
and it is hinted in the papers abroad
that the Russian interest, that an occupation
of Serbia may follow the invasion of the
principality, and Austria has in fact sent
two regiments to the fortress of Peterwar-
din, close to the frontier of Serbia.
The Turks, on the other hand, have succeeded
from the port of Batoum, on the Black Sea,
where their garrison has been considerably
reinforced—in smuggling great quantities
of arms and ammunition into the mountains
of Circassia. A force of 80,000 men, too large
for the defensive, has been assembled at
Erzeroum, which, if war is declared, can
reach Shamyl and his heroic mountaineers
in ten days. The preparations on both
sides are enormous, and the price of arms has
risen to such a height in Constantinople some
sixty per cent., but neither George Law nor Col.
Colt has taken advantage of this splendid
opportunity.

FREE TRADE AND DIRECT TAXATION.

The New York Courier and Enquirer says:
—The Jefferson Davis, in his late visit to
the city proposed the summary abolition of
the entire revenue system, the extinction of
duties, the suppression of Custom Houses,
and, more and worse than all, a sweeping
dismissal of the whole army of Custom
House officers. He wanted no half-way re-
form, under the name of a judicious revenue
tariff, but would be content with nothing
less than absolute, unreserved free trade.
We are glad to see an avowed development
of the policy of the present administration;
and the plan of one of Gen. Pierce's Cab-
inet, may be considered almost official.—
How will the manufacturers and mechanics
of the Northern and Middle States like the
new policy! All duties are to be abolished,
and foreign fabrics are to be poured in upon
us, to the ruin of our own laborers. But the
absurdity of Mr. Secretary Davis' plan will
appear in this, that it must end in direct tax-
ation, which a portion of the States in this
Union could not possibly bear. How would
Mr. Davis' own State—the poverty-stricken
and repudiating State of Mississippi, like to
be called upon to pay three or four millions
annually, to support the Government, in all
its mad schemes of foreign conquest! We
should like to see how direct taxation would
be received by the Democratic States of Illi-
nois, Mississippi, Pennsylvania, Maryland,
Arkansas, Texas, &c., States which can
hardly pay their present debts. We hope
President Pierce will recommend direct tax-
ation in his Message at the opening of Con-
gress. This would bring the subject before
the people in a tangible shape, and give them
an opportunity to be heard on the subject.—
National Intelligencer.

AN AMERICAN FEMALE PEDESTRIAN IN ENGLAND.—An American female, called by the romantic name of Miss Kate Irvine, has commenced at Sheffield, in England, the arduous task of walking 800 miles in as many consecutive hours, for (it is said) a desire to be about 30 years of age, tall, and of rather prepossessing appearance. Her carriage is remarkably erect. She wears the Bloomer costume—a straw hat, a jacket of thin black material, a light vest, with bright buttons, a tunic silk skirt, and light boots. She started for the first mile at six o'clock in the evening, and accomplished it in 12 1/2 minutes. The average time of each mile varied from 12 1/2 to 13 minutes, which, for a woman, may be considered really wonderful. Nearly 300 persons paid a visit to the fleet- footed American on the first day.

THE BRITISH POST OFFICE.—Official re- turns have been made public of the business of the Post office of the United Kingdom, for one year 1853, as compared with each of the thirteen previous years. From these official data, it appears that the increase in the number of letters since 1840, (when the postal charge was introduced,) is fully 135 per cent; and the net revenue has increased from £500,789 to £1,090,419, although the actual receipts are not yet equal to those of the year 1853, (the last year of the old sys- tem.)

A Prize of 1,400 francs has been offered for the best dramatic produc- tion of three to five acts, to be produced in the Theatre Royal of Turin; another of 1, 000 francs for the second best, of from two to five acts; and a third of 600 francs for the third best, of from one to five acts.

SHOCKING MURDER IN MISSOURI.—The Murderer Burnt at the Stake.—The negro man, says the Booneville Observer, belong- ing to H. France, of Heath's creek, Pettis county, Missouri, who murdered the wife of John Rains, living in the same neighbor- hood, was burned at the stake, in or near Georgetown, on the 13th instant. The circumstances attending this murder, so far as we can learn, were as follows: The negro man, aged nineteen or twenty, visited Mr. Rains' house on Sunday morn- ing, the 3d of July, while Rains was absent at meeting, for the diabolical purpose—ac- cording to his confession—of committing a rape upon the person of Mrs. Rains. The consequence was that this lady, within a few weeks of confinement, was brutally mur- dered with a club; the negro attempted to kill her oldest boy, and fancied he had kill- ed him, fearing as he said, he would tell on him—and two younger children were badly bruised, and thrown in a fence corner.— According to his confession—of committing a rape upon the person of Mrs. Rains. The consequence was that this lady, within a few weeks of confinement, was brutally mur- dered with a club; the negro attempted to kill her oldest boy, and fancied he had kill- ed him, fearing as he said, he would tell on him—and two younger children were badly bruised, and thrown in a fence corner.— According to his confession—of committing a rape upon the person of Mrs. Rains. 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