

CHEO. B. HILLS,
PRACTICAL HATTER.
HATS, CAPS, FURS, STRAW
GROUNDS,
CLOVES, MITTENS, ETC.
Old time made over into latest styles.
49-MADISON ST. N. Y.

Lockport Daily Journal
LOCKPORT, N. Y.
Wednesday Evening, Aug. 18, 1899.
CITY AND VICINITY.
The following petition is in circulation in this county. Persons desiring to add to the petition, not having a petition at hand, may copy this or it out and paste it at the head of a half sheet of note or foolscap. TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

The undersigned, Citizens of the County of Niagara, in the State of New York, in view of the continued high prices required by those who seek to have the control of the Mineral Coal Market, for that article, so necessary to the people as well as the fuel, respectfully and earnestly pray that all Duties be removed from Foreign Coal. Lockport, August, 1899.

Local News.
Rev. Dr. Winger returned to Lockport last evening, in improved health, after an absence of several weeks.
Business is getting better.
Be careful what you eat or drink just now.
As the autumn approaches the road summer weather begins.
Cucumbers are coming in quite freely and getting cheaper.
The Rochester century plant has now ten thousand blossoms upon it now.
Peaches are selling at seventy-five cents per bushel in Albany. We are glad to see that low prices are traveling westward.
We hope that not a single citizen will fail to sign the memorial to Congress, asking for a repeal of the duty on coal.

The Richmond manufacturing building is now completed, and the machinery is being put in. It will be in complete running order in a few days.
The millmen of Syracuse having called for their mixture the citizens hold a meeting and refused to stand the riot. Over four hundred signed a paper declaring that they would not pay above six cents per quart for milk.
A match game of base ball was played at Rochester yesterday afternoon between the Ontario of Oswego and Aleris, which resulted in favor of the Aleris—9 to 23.

John Sells, the baggageman who was in the Express car that was robbed recently on the Central road, and who was seized and taken to the jail, is reported to be recovering from his injuries. It is not likely to revive his injuries.
While there is such a general "rushing" through of local newspapers by our city folks, would it not be well for that ragged body to give some attention to the proper marking of the street corners with the names of the several thoroughfares.
A question for solution: Two ladies were walking along one of our streets the other day, each having her child with her. Soon they met two gentlemen. "Here," said one, "are our husbands." "Yes," said the other, "and our fathers." And our grandfathers, said the children. All our grandfathers in their statements. Who can solve this riddle?

FOUR COURT.
August 19, 1899.
James O'Neil, drunk, fined \$10 and 10 days in jail.
Virginia Miller, disorderly, discharged.

REAR DRUG DRAWING.—Tuesday afternoon a girl ten or twelve years of age, whose name was not given, was playing on the logs in the millpond near the town mill, in Lockport, slipped into the water. She kept her head above the surface by clinging to the logs until the terrified crowd brought a workman to the spot, who rescued her from her dangerous position. As the water was very deep in that place she took a severe cold, and would undoubtedly have been drowned had she not recovered timely aid.

A YACHTMAN ACCIDENT TO THE WATER.—The work of putting in a new out-fall in the main water pipe at the corner of Main and Erie streets, is progressing and will be ready for use in a few days. This stopcock will be found very convenient in case of fire when the water needs to be brought into immediate use. Now that the water works are being constantly extended to various parts of city, there is a probability that another stopcock at least, will be needed. The need of them has often been felt in the working of the water works especially in the spring time, when the water in the canal is low, as then a good deal of time is wasted in filling the pipes throughout the city before the hydrants can be brought to work. This stopcock or valve, when in a closed position, will shut off the water from the pipes in the eastern part of the city from Erie street, thus forcing the water to the point where it is needed. It is also valuable in case of the bursting of a pipe during a fire by cutting off the water without any damage to the remaining pipes, which can be used as often as necessary.

DIORAM CONVENTION.—The thirty-second annual convention of the diocese of Western New York will be held (D. Y.) in Christ Church, Rochester, on 7, August 19th. Morning prayer at 7 o'clock A. M.; at 10 A. M. During the session prayers will be said daily at 7 A. M. and the business meeting will be held at 9 A. M. About 100 clerical and 150 lay delegates are expected to be in attendance.

MUSICAL.—We learn that a union brass band convention is to be held at Jamestown, Ontario county, September 23 and 24. All the bands in Western New York and parts of Ohio and Pennsylvania are expected to be present. A. E. Allen, secretary of this convention, is in the city extending an invitation to all of our bands. We trust that this meeting will prove a success in every respect and that satisfaction will be given to all participating.—Rochester Chronicle.

NEW OPERA HOUSE IN LOCKPORT.—Ground was broken yesterday for a new opera house in Lockport, on the lot facing the canal, and in the rear of the old opera buildings from Chrysler's store on Piney street, to the iron bridge. The new building will be 100 by 60 feet and capable of seating 1,600 persons. The store on Pine street recently occupied by Francis Bidwell as a hat store, will be used as an entrance to the Opera House. There will be an ornate entrance from Main street by the alley, between Dolio's block and O'Brien's auction store. Mr. Strong of Albany, is the owner of the property, and through his agent here, has employed a force of men to push the work to completion. Lockport has long felt the want of such a building, and this work will now be finished with delight by its citizens.

SPECIAL TRAIN FROM LOCKPORT TO BUFFALO.—LUDIA THOMPSON TROUPE.—The arrangements for running a special train from Lockport to Buffalo and return this evening are all complete. The train leaves here at six o'clock P. M., and will return to this city again to-night when the performance is out. All the Lockport people who wish to visit the entertainment of the celebrated Lydia Thompson troupe at the Academy of Music, Buffalo, this evening, and return again without having to remain in Buffalo overnight, can now have an opportunity of doing so.

The diagram of seats is on exhibition at Saywell's New Room, on one side of the house being exclusively set apart for Lockport people. Tickets and seats can be secured at by calling at Saywell's and selecting your place. Of the performance of the Lydia Thompson troupe, the Buffalo papers speak in the highest terms. A large number of seats have already been taken by Lockport folk, and there is a probability that a larger number from this city will visit Buffalo this evening, than on any similar occasion in a long time.

THE YACHT QUESTION SETTLED.—The ladies of Lockport and vicinity, after thorough deliberation, have decided to purchase a yacht and to sail upon the water. The yacht is to be named "The Yacht" and will be built in the highest terms. A large number of seats have already been taken by Lockport folk, and there is a probability that a larger number from this city will visit Buffalo this evening, than on any similar occasion in a long time.

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ERRING BUT NOBLE.
A man named John Smith, who has been in the habit of drinking too much, has been arrested by the police. He is a noble man, but he is erring. He is a noble man, but he is erring. He is a noble man, but he is erring.

PAIN KILLER.
The greatest pain killer in the world is the one that is made by the Home Insurance Company of New York. It is a noble man, but he is erring. He is a noble man, but he is erring. He is a noble man, but he is erring.

THE KIDNEYS.
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READ! READ! READ!
A PACIFIC RAILWAY
GOLD LOAN,
\$6,500,000.
We beg leave to announce that we have accepted the agency of the

THE GREATEST PANIC
EVER KNOWN IN THE DRY GOODS MARKET.
Goods fall full one-half in the last thirty days, and not having much of a stock on hand to go to the aid of the public, we are forced to sell at a loss. We are forced to sell at a loss. We are forced to sell at a loss.

ONE PRICE SYSTEM!
June 1st, 1899, at
UNDERWOOD'S,
LOCKPORT, N. Y.
I now propose to give the citizens of this County the benefit of the one-price system, and will sell them at one price, less than any other store in the County. I will sell them at one price, less than any other store in the County.

DRESS GOODS.
5,000 Yards of Best Madras at 65c each, worth 75c.
2,000 Yards of Best Madras at 75c each, worth 85c.
1,000 Yards of Best Madras at 85c each, worth 95c.
500 Yards of Best Madras at 95c each, worth 1.00.

PAJAMAS.
100 Pajamas at \$1.00 to \$1.50, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00.
100 Pajamas at \$1.50 to \$2.00, worth \$2.00 to \$2.50.
100 Pajamas at \$2.00 to \$2.50, worth \$2.50 to \$3.00.

CLOTH DEPARTMENT.
1,000 Yards of Summer Stuffs at 25c, worth 30c.
500 Yards of Summer Stuffs at 30c, worth 35c.
250 Yards of Summer Stuffs at 35c, worth 40c.

SHAWLS.
100 Paley Shawls at \$1 to \$1.50, worth \$1.50 to \$2.00.
100 Best Summer Shawls at \$2.00 to \$3.00, worth \$3.00 to \$4.00.
100 Best Shawls at \$3.00 to \$4.00, worth \$4.00 to \$5.00.

MADAME FOY'S CORSET!
5,000 Best Corsets at \$1.00 each, worth \$1.50 each.
5,000 Best Corsets at \$1.50 each, worth \$2.00 each.
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DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.
1,000 Yards of Best Dress at 15c, worth 20c.
1,000 Yards of Best Dress at 20c, worth 25c.
1,000 Yards of Best Dress at 25c, worth 30c.

Commercial.
NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.
Cotton—Market steady. Receipts 100,000 bbls.
Wool—Market steady. Receipts 100,000 bbls.
Hides—Market steady. Receipts 100,000 bbls.

NEW YORK STOCK AND MONEY MARKET.
New York, August 18, 1899.
U. S. 5-20 coupon 102 1/2
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GOVERNMENT LAND GRANT OF THREE MILLION ACRES.
extending in alternate sections on either side of the track, from the 30th mile to Kansas to Denver. The proceeds of the sale of these lands are to be invested by the Trustees in the Bonds of the State of Kansas, and will be used for the benefit of the State of Kansas.

LOCKPORT CITY HAT STORE.
37 MAIN ST.
GREAT REDUCTION
HATS, CAPS,
STRAW GOODS,
SILK HATS,
PAINTS.

RALSTON & HUNTLEY,
DRUGS
MEDICINES,
PAINTS,
OILS, DYE STUFFS,
Teas, Coffees,
PURE WINES AND LIQUORS!

THE MOST SUCCESSFUL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY IN THE WORLD.
NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
CASH CAPITAL, \$1,000,000.

5,395 POLICIES,
\$15,142,800.
PERFECT SECURITY
Low Rates of Premium
LARGE DIVIDENDS IN ADVANCE
RETURN PREMIUM PAID

LEADS THE MARKET.
MASON'S FRUIT JAR,
SPENCER FRUIT JAR,
HERO FRUIT JAR,
GUN FRUIT JAR,
LYMAN FRUIT JAR,
China Mail, No. 5 Main St.

COOK-A-MOLE-DOE!
IT IS an established fact, that a mole can be killed by the use of Cook-A-Mole-Doe.

Special Notices.
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THE KIDNEYS.FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOCKPORT.

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