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Dry Goods.

ELIAS & COHEN

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Dry Goods, Clothing, &c.

DRESS GOODS!

We have just received a

MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF DRESS GOODS!

And propose to sell them at a very close margin.

Our FLANNELS have never been so cheap as now.

We have a Fine Line of Worsted Fringes and Gilet Trimmings.

Our Stock of CARPETS is nearly all new. Call and see them.

We keep a good line of TRUNKS.

We sell the best Unsaundershirt in the United States for the money.

Ladies and gentlemen will find a good Assortment of FLANNEL UNDERWEAR.

Ask for Night-gown Goods. Ask for anything you want in our line. We have it.

ALEXANDER & HARRIS.

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The Worn Out Font of Type.

I'm sitting by my desk, George; Before me on the floor, There lies a worn-out font of type.

What tales of horror they have told, Of temper and of wreck, Of murder in the midnight hour.

Of earthquakes and of suicides, Of falling crops of cotton, Of bank failures, broken banks,

Of robbers bursting, steamboats snagg'd, Of riots, duels, and of wars, Of hollers with their prey escaped,

Of flood, and fire, and accident, Those worn-out types have told, And how the pestilence has swept,

Of marriages, of births and deaths, Of things that never were; Of one man jumping overboard,

They've told us how sweet summer days Have faded from our view, How Autumn's chilling winds have swept

I can't pretend to mention half My inkly friends have told, Since, shining bright and beautiful,

They issued from the press, they have brought, To others grief and tears; Yet to the rest they kept

INDIANA'S school fund is now \$8,007,095—the largest held by any State in the Union.

An Englishman recently rode from London to Bath and return, a distance of two hundred and twelve miles, in a single day on a bicycle.

Dean Stanley preaches but twice in this country, in Boston and New York, his sermons being put in his sermons where they are most needed.

There is a man out in Independence, Mo., who is called named Mann, who is 105 years old and has a little sag in his back.

Theodore Tilton, who has just returned from Europe, left his daughter, Alice and Edward, to finish their studies in Germany, the one being devoted to painting and the other to music.

The Indians are really more capable of civilization than we are disposed to believe. They have taken to robbing trains. The first you know some of them will start a savings bank on the Boston plan.

This is a perilous season for a newspaper. It is liable to overlook the fact that one of its constant readers took the second prize for crooked-necked squashes, in which event it acquires a bitter enemy.

Mr. Edison contemplates the invention of a wall paper which will absorb and store up light during the day and throw it out at night, lighting the room for several hours. That's all very well, but can a fellow turn it off, or blow it out, or in any way suppress it?

Six years ago two young men in Philadelphia inherited from their father about \$80,000 each. Since that period one has died poor and the other is now driving a furniture cart for a living.

It is beginning to be an open question, says the Philadelphia North American, whether the Maine election is an instance of the Democratic dog wagging the Greenback tail or the Greenback tail wagging the Democratic dog. It looks as though the tail had the best of it.

There is a good deal more of truth than poetry in the following from the Emerald Gazette: "The prominent religious feature in some men's devotion is the amount of money they make in the 'Amen' and the supreme silence they assume when asked how much they will give towards some charitable object."

There are two persons in Vermont who are objects of envy in their respective neighborhoods. Uncle Luke Poland swept all the premiums at the State fair on berries, Mrs. Julia C. Dorr, of Rutland, has received the personal thanks of King Alfonso, of Spain, for a sonnet on the late Queen Mercedes. In Vermont is proud of anything it is her pigs and poetry.

THE STORY OF MRS. LANGTRY.

How it was that the "Jersey Lily" became the Belle of the Season.

[From a London Letter.]

LONDON, August 17.—A couple of young ladies, of whom I have heard a good deal, ago no one outside of their own little circle of friends had ever heard, became famous, the one through a mistake, the other through accident.

Watches and Jewelry.

J. NO. T. BUTLER.

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER.

ESTABLISHED, 1858.

I would respectfully announce to my friends and the public generally that my STOCK is the Largest in the State, and consists of

FINE GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, Both of Gents' and Ladies' Sizes, in Key and Stem Winding.

Ladies' Opera, Levithian and Guard Chains, Necklaces, Lockets, Charms, Bracelets, Sets, Breast Pins, Ear Rings, Silver Buttons, Studs.

Gents' Gold and Plated Vest Chains, Collar Buttons, Large Stone and Plain 18 karat Gold Rings, in variety.

Silver and Plated Ware, Gold, Silver and Steel Spectacles, Eye glasses, &c., &c.

All Goods sold by me are fully warranted as represented.

ENGRAVING, in all its branches, neatly and promptly executed.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and warranted for 12 months.

The highest price paid for Old Gold and Silver. Be sure to call on J. T. BUTLER, as there are some unprincipled "road blocks" that play off as Butler when any one happens to be unfortunate enough to call on them.

SPECIAL NOTICE. All Jobs left with me before January 1st, 1878, will be sold for "Repairs" January 1st, 1878, if not called for.

P. LASNE, From Paris, France. WATCH and CLOCK MAKER, GILDER and SILVER PLATER.

Trade Street, opposite First Presbyterian Church, Nat Gray Store.

Every kind of repairs made at once at half price, and warranted one year.

A SPIELER, PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER. Has opened a Store on Trade Street, opposite Horner Fire Company No. 1, for the Repair of Watches.

Fertilizers.

THE OLD AND RELIABLE

WHEAT FERTILIZER.

Miscellaneous.

ANTI-FAT.

ALLAN'S

WOMAN.

WE ARE PLEASED

To announce to our friends and customers the arrival of our stock of

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Book and Job Printing.

THE OBSERVER JOB DEPARTMENT

Has been thoroughly supplied with every needed stock, and with the Latest Styles of Type, and every manner of Job Work can now be done with neatness, dispatch and cheapness.

Dry Goods, Clothing, &c.

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