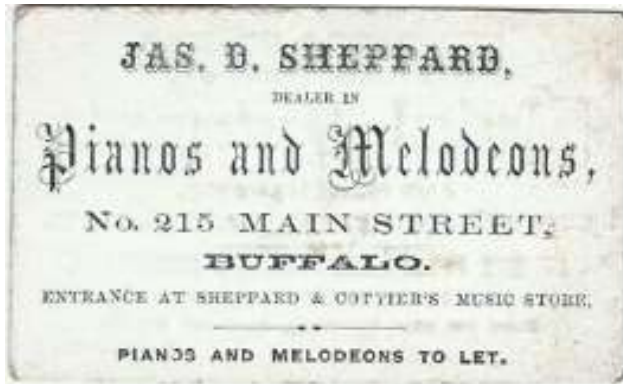


# Sheppard, Cottier & Co.

Buffalo, NY

1827 James D. Sheppard (1799-1881) (photo 1) establishes his music store in Buffalo, NY at #215 Main St.



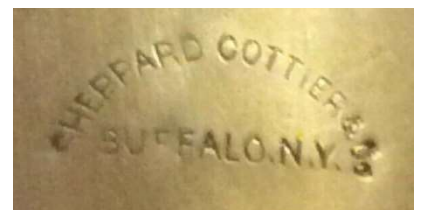
1854 Hugh Cottier (1820-1878) (photo 2) joins Sheppard to form Sheppard & Cottier.

1863 Robert Denton (1829-1903) (photo 3) joins them to form Sheppard, Cottier & Co.

c1865 SC&Co stencil on a Berliner valve Eb tuba is from this period (photo 4 & page 2, internet auction).

1867 Sheppard retires and name changes to Cottier & Denton.

Store in 1868



1878 Name changes to Denton & Cottier with the death of Hugh. His wife Kate assumes interest in the store.

- 1887 William H. Daniels (1859-1930) (photo 1) joins as a partner. Now Denton, Cottier & Daniels, #32 Court St.
- 1902 DC&D at #269-271 Main St at corner of E. Swan St; 5 stories tall (Buffalo Erie Press).
- 1920 William Daniels, piano merchant (census).
- 1973 Jim Trimper, Sr, GM of DC&D.
- 1976 DC&D moves to second store in Northtown Plaza.
- 1983 Trimper buys the company.
- 1999 DC&D moves to #460 Dodge Rd, Getzville.
- 2019 DC&D is still in business selling pianos & organs.

