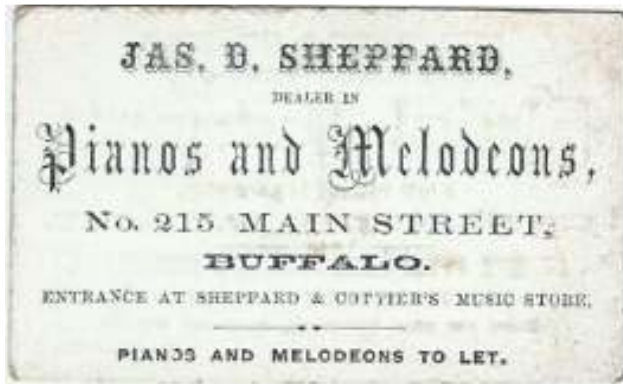


Sheppard, Cottier & Co.

Buffalo, NY

1827 James D. Sheppard (1799-1881) (photo 1) establishes his music store in Buffalo, NY; #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 Berliner valve Eb tuba 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 still in business; pianos & organs

