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## Professional Cards.

**CRITCHFIELD & GRAHAM,**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

RAYMOND BUILDING, South-west side  
of Public Square, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.  
April 11-79.

**CLARK IRVINE,**  
Attorney at Law  
MT. VERNON, OHIO.

OFFICE—Over Mead's Grocery Store.  
Aug. 30-79.

**GEORGE W. MORGAN,**  
Attorney at Law,  
KIRK'S BUILDING,  
PUBLIC SQUARE.

Oct. 4-79. MT. VERNON, OHIO.

**W. C. COOPER,**  
Attorney at Law  
109 MAIN STREET,  
MOUNT VERNON, O.

June 12, 1874-79.

**WILLIAM M. KOONS,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
MT. VERNON, OHIO.

Office over Knox County Savings Bank  
Dec. 22-79.

**A. R. McINTIRE,** D. B. KIRK.

**McINTIRE & KIRK,**  
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,  
MOUNT VERNON, O.

April 2, 1875.

**J. W. RUSSELL, M. D.** J. W. McMILLAN, M. D.

**RUSSELL & McMILLAN,**  
SURGEONS & PHYSICIANS.

OFFICE—West side of Main street, 4 doors  
North of the Public Square.

RESIDENCE—Dr. Russell, East Gambier St.  
Dr. McMillan, Woodbridge property, aug. 27-79.

**DR. R. J. ROBINSON,**  
Physician and Surgeon.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—On Gambier  
street, a few doors East of Main.

Can be found at his office at all hours when  
professionally engaged. aug 13-79.

**McLELLAND, W. C. CULBERTSON,**  
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.

OFFICE—One door West of Court House.  
Jan. 19-72-79.

**JANE PAYNE,**  
PHYSICIAN.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—corner Main  
and Chestnut streets, north of Dr. Russell's  
office, where she can always be found unless  
professionally engaged. aug 25-79.

**ABEL HART,**  
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,  
MT. VERNON, OHIO.

OFFICE—In Adam Weaver's Building, Main  
street, above Errett Bros. Store. aug 27-79.

**DUNBAR & BROWN,**  
Attorneys at Law,  
MT. VERNON, OHIO.

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ap. 27-79.

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AGENT:

Westchester Fire Insurance Com'y.,  
OF NEW YORK.

Merchants Fire Insurance Company,  
OF NEWARK, N. J.

Ashland Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,  
OF ASHLAND, O.

"Inman Line," Steam Ship Co., and Foreign  
Exchange.

Reliable Insurance at low rates. Cabin  
and Steerage Tickets by the above popular line.  
Sight drafts drawn on London, Dublin, Paris  
and other cities. Cheapest way to send money  
to the old country. Nov. 1, 1878.

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CONSERVATION SPECTACLES

PERFECT VISION  
&  
SYSTEM FOR FITTING EYES

RANGE OF VISION  
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**F. F. WARD & Co's.**

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**Watches, Clocks, Jewelry,**  
and Silver-ware.

**AT BOTTOM PRICES!**

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cial attention paid to repairing. Aug 16-79.

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All the BOOKS used in our

PUBLIC SCHOOLS at lowest

prices, at

**CHASE & CASSILL'S.**

aug 29-79.

**DIVORCE NOTICE.**

FRANKLIN BYRON SWETLAND, whose  
residence is unknown, is notified that  
Matilda Swetland did, on the sixth day of Oc-  
tober, A. D. 1879, file her petition in the  
office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas,  
within and for the County of Knox and State  
of Ohio, charging the said Franklin Byron  
Swetland with willful absence from this plain-  
tiff for more than three years last past, with-  
out any just cause or provocation, so far as  
this plaintiff is concerned, and also with habit-  
ual drunkenness for three years last past and  
more, and asking that she may be divorced  
from the said Franklin Byron Swetland, and  
that the care, custody and control of their minor  
children may be decreed to her, which peti-  
tion will stand for hearing at the next term of  
said Court. Dated the sixth day of October,  
A. D. 1879. MATILDA SWETLAND, Petitioner.

By H. T. Porter, her Att'y.

**JOB PRINTING.** In all colors, promptly  
and cheaply executed at this office.

## Great Attractions

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## BROWNING

& SPERRY'S.

Our Fall and Winter Stock

Just purchased by Mr. Browning, now open. Don't buy until  
you have seen our stock. EVERY DEPARTMENT FULL,  
and at prices you must acknowledge low.

All Our Black and Colored Cashmeres

Bought by the case—at case prices, thus enabling us to sell  
them as cheap as smaller dealers can buy them. Our Cash-  
meres excel in softness of wool and clearness of color.

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Can't be beat in quality or price. Special bargains among our

Dress Goods, Flannels, Waterproofs, Beaver,  
Underwear, Hosiery, Cloth and  
Felt Skirts and Blankets.

Those same home-made BLANKETS we have been selling—  
all wool and soft as down.

\$1,000 Worth of

CLOAKS AND SHAWLS

That every lady in Knox county should come and examine.

MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, Oct. 10-79

"A LIVING CURIOSITY."

A LIVE SENSATION

County Dry Goods Store.

Grand Display of Dry Goods

FALL SEASON!

The latest styles of Cloaks and Trimmed  
Hats for Ladies, ever offered in Mt.  
Vernon, on Exhibition.

One of the Largest and Best Selected Stocks of NOTIONS and GENTS'  
FURNISHING GOODS. We cordially invite our former patrons  
to call and examine our Mammoth Stock before purchasing  
elsewhere. NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.

**SAMUEL WEILL,**

Successor to **LEWIS HYMAN.**

Main Street, East Side, in Rogers' Arcade, Mt. Vernon.

October 10, 1879.

## REMOVAL

The undersigned having re-  
moved their entire stock of

**IRON AND WOOD WORK,**

To the room formerly occupied by A.  
Weaver and recently by C. A. Bope,  
would inform their numerous patrons  
that in addition to their large stock of

**IRON AND WOODWORK,**

Buggy Trimmings, Cloth Top Leather,  
And in fact everything you want to  
complete a Buggy or Carriage.

We keep Buggy Beds, Gearings and  
all kinds of Buggy Wheels.

We have also put in a general line of  
Hardware, Nails, Coil Chains, Rope  
Wire of all sizes, and everything  
in the Hardware Line.

WE ARE AGENTS FOR THE  
DIAMOND IRON PLOUGHS  
AND POINTS

For Nos. 30, 60 and 80.

Also for SHUNK'S Steel and Comb  
nation PLOUGH; THE INDIANA  
2-HORSE CULTIVATOR, and the  
MATTIA, SHUNK and STEVENS  
DOUBLE SHOVEL. We shall be  
happy to see all our old friends, and as  
many new ones as will call on us—  
Come and see our new stock of Har-  
ware. No trouble to show Goods.

**ADAMS & ROGERS.**  
Mt. Vernon, Mar. 3, 1878.

Advertisers Addressing Geo. P. Rowell & Co's  
Newspaper Advertising Bureau, 10 Spruce  
St., New York, can learn the exact cost of  
any proposed line of ADVERTISING in Am-  
erican Newspapers.

100-page Pamphlet, 10c. ad.

**\$10 to \$1000** in a few minutes every  
month. Book sent free explaining everything.  
Address BAXTER & Co, Bankers, 7 Wall St.,  
N. Y.

**CHEW**  
WILD ROSE  
2 oz. Package 10 cents.  
DON'T FAIL TO TRY IT.

**SMOKE**  
WIGWAM LONG CUT.  
4 oz. Package 10 cents.  
2 oz. Package 5 cents.  
IT SUITS EVERY BODY.

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## The Banner.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY.

Horrible—Paricide Near Berea, Ohio.  
CLEVELAND, Ohio, October 32.—Jacob  
Nutter, his wife and idiotic son, were shot  
in Strongsville Township, at one o'clock  
this morning, and the first named killed,  
while the others are not expected to live.  
The murderer was Nutter's eldest son, and  
the crime was one of the most atrocious in  
the criminal records of the county.

About one o'clock this morning a neighbor  
of Nutter's was awakened by the rapping  
on the door of Nutter's younger son, who  
was also crying piteously for help. He  
immediately got up, and on going to the  
door was told by the boy that some one  
had entered his house and had killed his  
father and mother, and attempted to kill  
him, in proof of which he showed wounds  
upon his head and breast. Awakening  
another neighbor, the two proceeded to  
Nutter's house. Here they found in front  
of the house a pool of blood, and it was  
evident that the crime had been committed  
in the bedroom, where the wife and son  
were found lying on the floor. Nutter was  
found lying on the floor, and was dead.

The tragedy had evidently occurred in  
the room occupied as a bedroom, and it  
appeared from the position of the body that  
Nutter had been sitting up in bed when  
shot and killed. The old man was fairly  
ridiculed with bullets. Mrs. Nutter was  
shot in the head, the tip and the left  
breast; the ball in the latter coming out  
into the arm. The son received a shot in  
the left breast, and another making a  
ghastly wound on the forehead. It is in-  
ferred that the murderer left them all for  
dead. In a brief time, however, Mrs. Nut-  
ter regained consciousness and directed the  
boy, who had also revived, to alarm the  
neighbors.

A search for the murderer was at once  
instituted. From the fact that he had  
been seen there the night before being  
fastened on a son, who had been living  
in the city, and according to a tip, the  
man was procured by the authorities, and  
with this in his possession Detective  
Goodrich started for the Union Depot,  
judging that he would attempt to escape  
on one of the railroads.

Goodrich had not been in the depot five  
minutes, and was exhibiting the tin-type  
to a friend, when a man stepped up to look  
over his shoulder at the detective. Good-  
rich turned quickly to see the intruder,  
and was confronted by the original of the  
picture that he held in his hand. He at  
once seized him and took him to the Cen-  
tral Police Station, where he was identi-  
fied as the man they were after. The  
murder was just about taking flight to To-  
ledo when Goodrich nabbed him. He had  
planned to get aboard the train at Good-  
rich's depot, and was just about to start  
when he was caught. He was nearly six feet  
tall, and wears a black mustache. He has  
been living some time in Toledo. He ad-  
mitted his crime, and said he went out to  
his father's last night with a big gun, and  
Berea; had some trouble with the old gen-  
tleman, who ordered him to leave the  
house, and finally losing control of him-  
self, shot his father.

Two weapons—a new, small-sized five-  
shot revolver, of cheap make, and an old-  
fashioned pepper-box, with six cham-  
bers—empty. His father was fifty-three  
years old, and was possessed of a small  
property of about twenty-five acres, in the  
center of which stood his house, a small  
and dingy building. Young Nutter has  
always been regarded as a hard-working  
and industrious man, and his crime seems  
unaccountable. He does not seem to re-  
alize what he has done, and his demeanor is  
only that of a person who is considerably  
frightened.

Masonic Election of Officers.  
The Grand Chapter of the Royal Arch  
Masons concluded its session at Akron,  
Saturday, 18th inst. The principal item  
of business was election of officers, as  
follows: J. H. Long, Ottawa, Grand  
Scribe; William A. Herlihy, Columbus,  
Grand Treasurer; James Nesbitt, Troy,  
Grand Secretary. The appointed officers  
are the same as last year, except Mr. Ver-  
non, who is succeeded by Mr. C. A. Bope.  
Waynesville, Grand Chaplain; Paul E.  
Werner, Akron, Grand Marshal, and Ja-  
cob Randall, Waynesburg, Grand Guard-  
ian. The Chapter adjourned to meet in  
Chillicothe on the Thursday after the  
second Tuesday in October, 1880. The  
following committee was appointed by the  
Grand Council of Royal and Select Mas-  
ters to revise the Constitution: J. B. Scott,  
Grand Master; R. T. King and A. B. Rob-  
inson. The Committee will report at the  
opening of the Council next year.

The Grand Lodge of Ohio Masons at  
Cincinnati on Wednesday, 22d inst., elect-  
ed the following officers: Right Worthy  
Grand Master, R. C. Lemon, of Toledo;  
Right Worthy Grand Secretary, S. L. Fish-  
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The "Man on Horseback" is gradually moving towards the rising sun.

The Democrats are going to hold an election next year, and they will go in to win.

The Democratic jollification will take place in 1880, just after the Presidential election.

Ewing had a majority of 858 in Richland county, while the majority for Rice was 911.

The Democrats were badly beaten in Muskingum, Noble and Washington counties this year.

Mr. Foster refuses to commit himself to Blaine, Sherman, Grant, or any other Presidential aspirant.

Chicago has appointed a committee of 500 to receive Grant, composed of her most prominent citizens.

The people of Allen county, on the question of erecting a new Court House, voted 1913 yes, and 3269 no.

The Constitutional Amendments were carried in Summit county by majorities ranging from 2,844 to 4,838.

Although Ewing had a majority of 1890 in Fairfield county (his home), he ran behind every other candidate on the State ticket.

As all blank ballots count "no," the Constitutional Amendments are defeated by majorities ranging from 276,465 to 351,651.

The people of Yorktown, Va., on Thursday last, celebrated the anniversary of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis, by a grand barbecue.

If you see any Republican tearing down the American flag, and running up a dirty piece of calico in its stead, "shoot him on the spot."

The late Dr. Le Moyne, of Washington, Pa., in addition to large bequests to his children, left \$20,000 to Washington and Jefferson College.

And Knox county had to fall behind.—Putting on city airs, eh?—Wayne County Democrats.

Too much calico money adrift.

The Urbana Union-Democrat says: Two years from this fall Durbin Ward will be nominated and elected Governor of Ohio. Mark the prediction.

Ex-Governor Stockdale, of Texas, thinks that Senator Bayard, of Delaware, is the most available candidate for President the Democrats can nominate.

The yellow fever epidemic at Memphis has subsided, the quarantine has been raised, and the refugees are rapidly returning to their old places of business.

The old Grand Ringsters at Washington are making extensive arrangements to give their idol a grand reception when he arrives at the National Capitol.

The Ashland-Wayne-Portage-Stark Congressional district, at present represented by a Republican, gave a Democratic majority of 430 at the recent election.

The Radical papers are still "pegging away" at Judge Davis and the "Rebel Brigadiers." Isn't it about time that this execrable was taken from the political field?

Hendricks and Hancock are the Presidential ticket in Indiana, while in Pennsylvania the Democrats prefer to have the ticket read, Hancock and Hendricks.

Bro. Estill, of the Holmes County Farmer says: "Now let the rag baby go out and take care of itself. We've kept ourselves poor long enough nursing it." So say we all.

Ex-Governor Dennison's Literary Bureau, at Columbus, are grinding out puffs by the wholesale, and are scattering them over State, "thick as autumn leaves in Vallambrosa."

St. Clairsville Gazette: Now let Gen. Durbin Ward run for Governor next June. Durbin is ugly but we'll let him come nearer being elected than any other Democrat in Ohio.

We will hear no more about "Ku Klux Outrages" in the South, until about four months before the Presidential election in 1880. Then the "horror mill" will be set to grinding again.

William H. Vanderbilt, of New York, and Mr. Mackey, of California, each hold \$5,000,000 worth of Government bonds, on which they receive every three months \$50,000 in interest.

Lieutenant-Governor-elect, Andrew Hickenlooper, it is said, favors the election of Charles Foster to the United States Senate, which arrangement would make Andrew Governor of the State.

If Mr. Tilden's candidate, Governor Robinson, is beaten in New York, Bayard, of Delaware, and General Hancock, of Pennsylvania, will loom up as Presidential candidates in 1880.

The Ohio river at Steubenville, was so low last week, according to the Gazette that "small boys roll up their pants and wade it, and throw stones across from one side to the other with ease."

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The Kilkenny cat fight was a mere circumstance compared to the fight that is now brewing among the Radical aspirants for the Senatorship. Ex-Governor Dennison is getting more newspaper puffs than any one else, but as they generally come from newspaper correspondents stationed at Columbus, we presume they are paid for at the usual advertising rates.

It is reported that Ben. Butler "is laying the ropes" to secure the Greenback nomination for President, and then capture a nomination from the Democrats. We give notice in advance that if any such political iniquity is perpetrated in this country, we will raise the standard of revolt, if we have not a single follower.

The Republicans all over the State raised a terrific howl because a Democratic Governor and a Democratic Legislature turned Republicans out of office and put Democrats in their places. Now, mark our prediction. Not a Democrat will be left in office after the Republican party comes into power at Columbus.

The "Devil" has been holding his carnival during the last few months; but as the preachers have returned from their summer vacation, we presume they will at once open their batteries upon the "Evil One," and we hope they will give him all he deserves and more too. The old villain should receive no quarters.

If the Democratic party expect to win hereafter they must rest upon a solid Old Hickory Platform, firm as the "Rock of Ages." We are tired of these soft pine platforms, intended to catch gudgeons, growlers and sore-heads. Let Principle, and not Expediency, guide our action in the future.

The official returns for Senators in the 17th-28th districts, as filed in the office of the Secretary of State, Columbus, make the majority for Mr. Harper over Mr. Hudson 2,160. Mr. Harper's majority in Holmes county which was reported 3070 should have been 3077.

The number of candidates for positions in Columbus, now that the Republicans have accidentally carried the State, is fearful to contemplate. Every county has from one to a dozen "calico" patriots, who are anxious to pick up a few crumbs at the State Capital.

The Republican papers are constantly reminding their readers that a wonderful "business boom" has started up all over the country. But we have not heard of the wages of the mechanic and the day laborer being increased by this so-called "boom."

The grand jury of Licking county, on Friday last, returned an indictment against Robert Leeding, the newly elected Republican Commissioner of that county, for violating the Seitz law. The result causes unusual excitement in that town.

The Irish Citizen, Cincinnati, edited by Governor Bishop's Superintendent of Printing, Mr. F. J. Elliott, has run this ticket up to its mast-head: For President, Samuel J. Tilden, of New York; for Vice President, Richard M. Bishop, of Ohio.

An immense number of independent Republicans in New York will scratch the name of A. B. Cornell from their ticket next Tuesday, but whether there will be enough of them to insure the re-election of Gov. Robinson, remains to be seen.

The Mansfield Herald, John Sherman's home organ, favors the election of General Garfield to the U. S. Senate, which would imply that Mr. Sherman is not a candidate himself, and will make a strike for the Presidency.

Elections take place on Tuesday next, November 4th, in the States of Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Wisconsin, New York, Mississippi, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, and in Louisiana on the 24 of December.

The Indianapolis Sentinel, Mr. Hendricks' organ, says that State will present his name in the next Democratic National Convention, and adds if there is anything in the drift of public sentiment he will be nominated.

There was a bad smash-up on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, near Connellsville, Pa., on Wednesday morning last, whereby eighteen cars were smashed to atoms, one man instantly killed and five others badly injured.

The Democrats of Baltimore, on Wednesday last, elected their candidate for Mayor by nearly 6,000 majority. The vote was as follows: Latrobe, (Dem.), 25,729; Hooper, (Rep.), 19,830; Mathiot, (Greenbacker), 95.

Mr. Wheeler, the bogus "Vice President," is making stump speeches in New York in behalf of Mr. Cornell, the Conkling candidate for Governor. No Democratic Vice President was ever guilty of such conduct.

A train on the Dayton and Michigan Railroad, near Dayton, on Wednesday morning last, ran into a buggy driven by an old man named Chester Lynn, tearing him into pieces, and smashing his buggy to splinters.

The Republicans are preparing to ship—they call it "emigrate"—a large body of negroes from the Carolinas to the State of Indiana—enough, they hope, to make the State Republican at the next Presidential election.

Hayes and Wheeler and Sherman, and all the members of the Cabinet, have been and still are busy making stump speeches. Their talk about "Civil Service Reform" is the shallowest humbug conceivable.

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Walbridge, the Republican candidate for State Senator in the Lucas-Henry district, although defeated by Dr. Wilkins, is going to contest the election on the ground that the Democratic ballots voted in Henry county were printed on paper of a greenish tint, which he claims is a violation of the law. The editor of the Cleveland Leader, (Reg.) who has seen one of these ballots, ridicules the idea of making a contest on any such flimsy ground. He says: "The paper is as nearly white as such of the paper used by weekly newspapers in printing their editions, and we very much doubt whether the use of this paper by the Henry county Democrats was more than an accident. At any rate the color is not sufficiently marked to constitute a violation of the law, and since Wilkins had a majority of the votes he ought to have his seat."

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of L. C. Hoovey, City Clerk of Urbana, for fraudulently issuing bonds of the municipality. Hoovey could not be found at his house and the Council has offered three hundred dollars for his arrest. How many spurious bonds have been issued is not known, but it is believed they amount to \$8,000 or \$10,000. Of course Hoovey is a "loyal" man, and is terribly distressed about the wickedness of the "Rebel Brigadiers."

We are every day asked if we think any other Democrat could have polled a larger vote than General Ewing. For answer, we say, unhesitatingly, that in our opinion Governor Bishop would have been a stronger candidate. Indeed, we believe, he could have been re-elected. General Ewing is a very able man, but he did not enjoy the full confidence of the Democratic party of Ohio. We might say more, but let this suffice for the present.

The Republicans declare that the late election "killed" Senator Thurman.—Fudge! The election defeated but did not "kill" any Democrat. Democracy, like truth, may be crushed, but it will rise again. Democrats may be outvoted, but they never give up the ship. Judge Thurman is as dear to the Democracy as he ever was, and the Democracy will come into power again,—hear that in mind, my Republican friend.

If Sherman is not a candidate for United States Senator, as he has authorized his friends to announce, then he must be a candidate for President, and to secure the nomination of his party for the latter position he will have to make open and successful war against Grant, Blaine, Conkling, and all the other rivals. We prefer Sherman, for two reasons: first, he is an Ohio man; and, second, he is a personal friend.

The election in New York takes place on Tuesday next. If the Democracy, through the fight between Tilden and Kelly, should be beaten, that will lay Mr. Tilden on the shelf as a Presidential candidate. But should Governor Robinson, the Tilden candidate, be re-elected over Cornell, Rep., and Kelly, the Tammany candidate, then Tilden's nomination for President may be regarded as "a fixed fact."

Infidel Bob Ingersoll don't believe in God but he believes in Grant. His so-called "Lectures" against God, Christianity and the Bible, are little else than political speeches, intended to aid the "Grant Boom." The pious Republicans should make Bob Ingersoll their candidate for Vice President. That would be in "accordance with the eternal fitness of things."

A Boston preacher the other day, in imitation of the Rev. Talmage, read from the pulpit a list of the gambling and other infamous houses in the city, giving the street and number where located.—This enterprise was accomplished by the aid of a private detective. We presume his next movement will be to read from the pulpit the names of the visitors to these disreputable places.

We have received a letter from our European correspondent, Mr. J. H. Loxe, written from Geneva, Switzerland, descriptive of Geneva, and its beautiful Lake. Our correspondent, in imitation of many other Americans, crossed the Alps on foot, and had a perilous trip, being out in a blinding snow-storm for twelve hours. The letter will be published in next week's BANNER.

The Steubenville Herald (Rep.) says, in speaking of the defeat of General Ewing and Rice, that "the General business is played out." We hardly expected such a frank acknowledgment from a Republican paper; but then, the editor of the Herald never had any love for soldiers, and his neighbor of the Gazette charges that he "had his teeth pulled to avoid the draft."

The remains of George Burr, who accompanied Prof. Wise on that fatal balloon excursion from St. Louis, over three weeks ago, were found on the shores of Lake Michigan on last Friday. The body was greatly decomposed, but it was identified by his name being found on his garments. The body of Prof. Wise is still missing.

The entire North wing of Bethany College, Brook county, Virginia, was destroyed by fire early Thursday morning last—the work of an incendiary. The wing was valued at \$30,000, on which there was an insurance of \$25,000. The societies lost all their property, including their valuable libraries and five fine paintings.

James H. Riddle, head of the firm of Riddle, Coleman & Co., and President of the Franklin Savings Institution of Pittsburgh, and his brother George D. Riddle, cashier of the same, have been convicted of embezzlement to a very large amount. They have heretofore stood high in that community.

"Private" Daltzell has been in Massachusetts telling the saintly puritans the most heart-rending tales of fiction about Ku Klux Outrages "right across the river in Kentucky and Virginia." Why are Lunatic Asylums built in Ohio when such subjects as Daltzell are permitted to run at large?

Ex-Governor Young, at present Congressman from Cincinnati, is making an effort to have Postmaster Lodge of that city removed because he has several employees in his office who voted the Democratic ticket the late election. Tom Young is as full of political malignity as an egg is full of meat.

The Republicans of Louisiana have nominated a full ticket, and they hope by the aid of the army of the United States, to elect it. Their candidate for Governor is a "Rebel Brigadier," but his hands have been forgiven, and he is an angel now.—The election takes place on the 24 of December.

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OFFICIAL VOTE OF OHIO.

The following is the official vote for Governor of Ohio at the election, October 14th, A. D. 1879:

COUNTIES.		For Ewing.	For Rice.
Adams.....	2391	2600	
Allen.....	2592	3615	38
Ashland.....	2676	3188	
Ashland.....	2428	2235	114
Athens.....	2341	2279	73
Auglaize.....	1473	2399	165
Belmont.....	5253	5366	67
Brown.....	2907	4156	26
Buck.....	3596	5674	1
Butler.....	2175	1548	51
Champaign.....	3802	2709	41
Clark.....	5200	3639	119
Clermont.....	3677	4070	403
Claire.....	2851	2851	4
Columbiana.....	5588	4240	134
Coshocton.....	2738	3389	29
Crawford.....	2213	4139	43
Cuyahoga.....	17496	1849	432
Darke.....	3243	4732	74
Defiance.....	1694	2800	34
Delaware.....	3246	3014	2
Erle.....	3286	2973	95
Fairfield.....	2948	4832	1
Fayette.....	2682	2174	12
Franklin.....	8433	9313	162
Fulton.....	2498	1632	60
Gallia.....	3228	2491	7
Geauga.....	4175	2175	1
Greene.....	4582	2440	9
Guernsey.....	3179	2527	9
Hamilton.....	29416	25971	159
Hancock.....	2911	3808	2
Harrison.....	3596	3023	3
Harrison.....	2639	2101	19
Henry.....	1474	2506	31
Highland.....	3549	3444	3
Hocking.....	2667	2971	10
Holmes.....	1296	3167	99
Huron.....	4149	3203	75
Jackson.....	2424	2022	16
Jefferson.....	3388	2915	76
Jesse.....	3283	2336	10
Lake.....	2661	1085	19
Lawrence.....	3930	2794	154
Licking.....	4043	5413	90
Licking.....	3472	3112	383
Lorain.....	5152	5245	1550
Madison.....	2553	2391	27
Madison.....	4179	3853	219
Madison.....	2032	2197	41
Madison.....	3107	2197	41
Meigs.....	4067	2831	4
Meigs.....	1118	2646	31
Miami.....	4639	3416	110
Montgomery.....	1243	3112	383
Montgomery.....	8547	2957	98
Morgan.....	2420	2100	8
Morrow.....	2305	2005	112
Muskingum.....	5641	5243	45
Noble.....	2917	2908	14
North.....	1811	2275	27
Ottawa.....	1289	1210	23
Perry.....	2903	2927	349
Perry.....	2640	2940	14
Pickaway.....	1570	2098	45
Portage.....	3652	3104	114
Preble.....	2952	2627	...
Putnam.....	1557	3045	67
Ramsey.....	4406	4511	16
Ross.....	4406	4511	16
Sandusky.....	2643	3427	287
Scioto.....	3965	3029	58
Seneca.....	3921	4627	108
Shelby.....	2917	2908	14
Stark.....	7008	6899	158
Summit.....	5146	3831	178
Tallmadge.....	5997	3064	278
Tallmadge.....	3759	4508	100
Tallmadge.....	2947	2144	10
Van Wert.....	2874	2479	8
Vinton.....	1539	1891	24
Warren.....	4225	2449	14
Washington.....	4128	3911	96
Wayne.....	4232	4710	12
Williams.....	2761	2628	89
Wood.....	3773	3187	217
Wyandot.....	2282	2812	217
Total.....	336261	319132	9129
Total vote cast.....	668,667		
Stewart, the Prohibition candidate for Governor, received 4,145 votes in the State, 119 of which were cast in Knox county.			

The Official Vote of BANNER.

Elsewhere in this week's BANNER we publish the official vote for Governor of Ohio by counties. The total vote for Governor, including Foster, Ewing, Platt, Hood (Socialist), and all the scattering votes, is 670,911. This leaves Foster's plurality 17,129, as given heretofore, but reduces his majority to 1,611, Hickenlooper's to 631, Johnson's to 1,611, Oglevee's to 140, Nash's to 1,129, Turner's to 429, and Fullington's to 2,171.

The votes cast on the proposed amendment to the Constitution of Ohio were as follows: Amendment Relating to Judiciary—For, 159,830; against, 168,642.—Amendment Relating to Election of State Officers—For, 172,728; against, 155,257.—Amendment Relating to Election of Township Officers (Trustees) to be elected for three years instead of one—For, 197,223; against, 130,455. The second and third amendments were to authorize the General Assembly to fix the time for holding elections. All the amendments were lost, as they required a majority of the votes cast. Total vote, 670,911.

The Senatorship.

Correspondents of the Enquirer have been "interviewing" the Republican Senators and Representatives recently elected to the Ohio Legislature, as to their choice for United States Senator, with the following result: Twelve Senators and twenty-two Representatives are for General Garfield; five Senators and sixteen Representatives are uncommitted; while three Representatives (Mr. Koons among the number) are reported "scattering." If these reports are reliable Mr. Garfield's nomination may be looked upon with reasonable certainty.

Vote of 1876 and 1878.

The following comparative table, showing the Presidential vote as compared with the vote this year, is of general interest:

1876—Hayes, 380,998; Tilden, 328,182; Hayes' majority, 7,516.

1879—Governatorial vote, Foster, 336,261; Ewing, 319,132; Foster's majority, 17,129; Foster over Hayes, 5,663.

1876—Total vote, 659,771; 1879—total vote, 670,911; showing an increased vote this year of 11,140.

A prominent New York Democrat, who wishes his name kept private, says: "I am assured, moreover, by another friend of Tilden's that in his usual mysterious way the sage of Gramercy Park is engaged in some tremendous work, the result of which will attend his opponents after election day, and secure both Robinson's election and his own nomination for the Presidency next year. It is at least wonderful how Tilden inspires his followers with hope."

Calico is King and is mightier than the sword.—Mt. Vernon Banner.

Mightier than the sword of Gideon, Ewing, Rice and O'Mahony.—Columbus Journal.

But not mightier than the sword of Mosby, Longstreet, Key and other "Rebel Brigadiers."

All those half-headed youths around Columbus, who write letters for the Cleveland and Columbus papers, are after clerkships in the Legislature.

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OHIO STATE NEWS.

—Burglars seem to be working right lively in Champaign county.

—An alligator three feet long was caught in the Ohio river at Cincinnati, Wednesday morning.

—Frank Frio, near Wilmington, had a hand badly lacerated Saturday by his gun bursting while out hunting.

—George W. Bachman, ex-Mayor and a prominent attorney of Tiffin, died Wednesday morning of apoplexy.

—A. R. Von Martels has been elected Police Commissioner in Cincinnati in place of P. J. Hogan, removed.

—John Savage and Henry Nohler were badly injured at Tiffin Saturday by the premature discharge of a blast.

—Lewis C. Muncie, well known in Northern Ohio as a detective, has been convicted at Cleveland of perjury.

—A Mrs. Anderson, living near Youngstown, fell down stairs the other day, receiving injuries which resulted fatally.

—A magnetic well has been discovered in Union county, which is said to be working wonders in the cure of rheumatism.

—Frey's flouring mill, near Betsville, Seneca county, was destroyed by fire Friday night. Loss \$18,000; partly insured.

—Patrick Whalen, while inspecting cars at Urbana Wednesday night, had his right foot almost severed by a car wheel.

—Daniel Stults, of Seneca county, Guernsey county, was kicked in the head the other day by a horse and instantly killed.

At Akron, on Wednesday morning, a laborer named Henry Myers committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart.

By the bursting of a bin at Akron Wednesday night, 300 bushels of corn were precipitated into a mill race and ruined.

R. P. Merkle's barn, near Millersburg, Holmes county, was burned Tuesday night. Loss about \$2,500; partially insured.

Hiram Cisco, aged nearly one hundred years, died near Logan, Hocking county, Tuesday night last from extreme old age.

Mike Burkhardt, a peddler of vegetables at St. Mary's, Auglaize county, was thrown from a wagon, Wednesday, and instantly killed.

At West Salem, Wednesday night, burglars blew open the safe of Nelson Harris, day goods, and realized \$2,000 for their enterprise.

A blind horse, attacked to a coal wagon, ran away at Delaware, Wednesday morning. It ran against a building and was killed instantly.

Bertie Huffman, a little boy eight years old, was killed



# THE BANNER.

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MOUNT VERNON,.....OCTOBER 31, 1879

## LOCAL AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

Regular meeting of City Council next Monday night.

Thanksgiving turkeys and pumpkins are being fattened.

The Mansfield Savings Bank has reduced its capital to \$60,000.

There are about 1000 cases on the Licking Common Pleas docket.

Iron fronts, flag pavements and slate roofs, are now "all the rage" in Mt. Vernon.

The Fredericktown Free Press favors the nomination of Hon. Columbus Delano for U. S. Senator.

The Misses Rogers have had a slate roof put on their large building, corner of High street and Monument Square.

Bring your Job Printing to the BANNER office. We will do it cheaper and better than any office in the county.

Only two townships in Holmes county voted in favor of the erection of a new Court House. All the rest were fenceless.

A fire in Dresden, Muskingum county, on Sunday afternoon, destroyed the business portion of the town. Loss over \$12,000.

There live in Salt Creek township, Holmes county, twenty-six persons whose ages range from seventy to ninety-four years.

The Central Ohio Teachers' Association met in Columbus on Friday and Saturday last, and transacted a good deal of business.

The people of Newark are to enjoy a series of first-class lectures the coming winter, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. Association.

Mitchell D. Walters, who was tried at Columbus, last week, charged with blowing up Corbin's hotel at Westerville, was acquitted.

The Democrats didn't lose many election votes this year, for the very good reason that they didn't risk much money in that kind of sport.

The Park Hotel, at Columbus, which was opened a year ago with a grand flourish of trumpets, has been closed, and the furniture will be sold at auction.

The track-laying on the Valley Railroad, between Akron and Canton, has been completed. The road will be open for business about the 1st of December.

Mrs. Harriet T. Hunt, wife of Ezra Hunt, died on Tuesday evening, of consumption, after a lingering illness. The funeral took place this (Thursday) morning.

There is so much freight over the Cleveland, Mt. Vernon & Columbus railroad at present, that they cannot procure cars enough to transport it, especially in grain.

The circus season has closed, and the revival season will soon open. There is always something to interest and instruct, if the people only have a disposition to see and learn.

The B. & O. Railroad has advanced the storage price of grain, at Baltimore, from 1 to 1 1/2 per bushel, at the elevators, owing to the immense amount sent forward for transportation.

Mr. N. L. Pierson, of the senior class of Kenyon College, was suspended for the remainder of the term, last Tuesday, for complicity in a locking out of students from evening prayers on Monday.

Two tramps entered the furnace at Hazleton, Mahoning county, on Saturday night, and crawling into the clay house to sleep, were found dead Sunday morning, suffocated by gas. Names unknown.

The B. & O. Railroad will run an excursion to Chicago, Tuesday, November 11th, for the benefit of parties wishing to attend the reception of Gen. Grant. Rate from Mt. Vernon \$5.00 for the round trip.

The Rial & Draper Company will produce the popular play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at Kirk's Opera House, on Tuesday evening next, Nov. 4th. Admission 25 and 35 cents. Reserved seats, 50 cents.

The Licking Grand Jury on Saturday last, returned eighteen indictments, three being against parties for attempting to bribe voters, two for perjury, and the balance for larceny, burglary, horse-stealing, &c.

We have received notice that Mrs. Rents's Minstrels and Vienna Lady Orchestra will visit Mt. Vernon on the 18th of November. It is a very strong combination, and will no doubt do a good business here.

A few delicate snow flakes—a dozen or two—came gently down and kissed the earth on Friday last. Snow fell, however, to the depth of twelve inches in Northwestern Pennsylvania, New York and New England.

The Congregational churches of Ohio propose to hold a series of mass meetings in different parts of the State during the coming month for the explanation and discussion of all the great missionary enterprises of the day.

The executors of James George have made some very desirable improvements in the store room, corner of Main and Gambier streets, occupied by Messrs. Armstrong & Miller, which will add greatly to the value of the property.

A bible peddler, named John W. Dunbar, although married, passed himself off as a single man, and seduced a Miss Griffith, of Clyde, under a promise of marriage. He was arrested at Cleveland, and is now in jail at Fremont.

Six prisoners confined in the Delaware jail for various offenses, made their escape on Monday evening. The jail has only recently been completed at an expense of \$30,000, and its insecurity has greatly excited the people.

Messrs. Armstrong & Miller have had the floor in the back part of their grocery store lowered to the level of the front part, and have had other desirable improvements made, which will greatly add to its convenience and appearance.

Mr. Enoch Bebout, a resident of Harrison and Pleasant townships for the last fifty years, and a much respected citizen, died on Monday last of heart and kidney troubles, and was buried on Tuesday. He was in his 77th year.

A dispatch from Millersburg, Oct. 24th, says: Diphtheria has broken out among the children at this place. Capt. Tannehill lost a boy six years old, and has two more stricken with the disease. Croup is also claiming some victims.

Private Detective S. L. Muncie, who worked up the evidence and was the principal witness in the McCormick murder case, was sentenced in the Common Pleas Court at Cleveland, this week, for four years in the penitentiary at hard labor, for perjury.

—Hereafter the treasurers of the counties will not be required to make their settlements with the Auditor of State in person, but the papers will be transmitted by mail, saving at least \$30,000 a year in mileage heretofore paid out to county treasurers.

—Sheriff Pendleton, of Norton county, Kansas, arrested C. C. Bunker, at Waynesburg, Holmes county, last week, charged with larceny, Bunker having stolen a team of horses in that State and sold them. The Sheriff had a requisition and took his prisoner to Kansas.

—Zaneville Signal: Mr. William M. Koons, who at one time was an honorable mechanic and who learned his trade at Duval's foundry in this city, has left his calling, and became a Republican member of the sixty-fourth General Assembly from Knox county. We feel sorry for him.

—The second session of the Mt. Vernon Ministers Meeting will occur on Monday next, Nov. 3d, at 2 P. M., in the chapel of the Presbyterian church. Paper on the "Second Advent" to be presented by Rev. P. B. Stroupe. All clergymen and any others interested, are cordially invited to attend.

—Those farmers who now refuse to sell their wheat for \$1.30 per bushel, hoping the price will run up to \$1.50, may find themselves in the fix of their brother farmers who some years ago refused to sell their wheat at \$1.00 per pound, expecting a higher advance, and finally after waiting for several years, concluded to sell for 35 cents.

—Recorder Kunkle is wearing a magnificent plug hat, which was generously awarded him by Auditor Cassel, in consideration of the fact that Calico Charley did not receive 30,000 majority in Ohio. Mr. Kunkle stopped growing when he was young, but this hat adds a full story to his stature, and otherwise greatly improves his good looks.

—The residence of Isaac Wiler, near the village of Shreve, Wayne county, was entered by a burglar on last Thursday night, who got away with \$1,255. Of this \$1,200 belonged to Mr. Wiler, and \$55 to a son living with him. Mr. Wiler had just received the money for his wheat crop, which was evidently known to the thief. There is some clue to the perpetrator, but no arrests as yet have been made.

—The entertainments given by the Katie Putnam party on Monday and Tuesday evenings at Kirk Opera House, gave the most unbounded satisfaction. Miss Putnam is a most charming and talented lady, and possesses a versatility that is not only rare but surprising. Her acting was, simply perfect, and she established a reputation among our theatre-going people that any actress might envy. The ladies and gentlemen who compose the company afford her good support, and have evidently been selected from among the best people in the profession. Manager Clifford can rest assured that if he ever visits Mt. Vernon again, crowded houses will greet his company.

—Mrs. Abel Hart is on a visit to friends in Lima, Ohio.

—Mr. Will Mason, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Jerome Rowley.

—Dr. Ed. Wilson left on Tuesday for Brooklyn, where he will resume his hospital duties.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Gilliam, of Pittsburgh, spent a few days this week with Mr. Vernon friends.

—Mr. T. B. Cotton took in the reunion of his old regiment, the 121st O. V. V. I., at Marion, last Friday.

—Low Britton, Esq., of Howard township, left on Tuesday morning on a visit to friends in Marion county.

—Alex. Kerr, Jeff. Irvine and Charley Weaver, have been on a fishing excursion to the Licking reservoir this week.

—B. C. Church, Esq., of Black Creek, Holmes county, was in the city on Friday. He is large and handsome as ever.

—Mrs. W. R. Hogue nee Rita Rowley, of Dayton, and her friend Mrs. L. Judson, are the guests of Jerome Rowley, Esq.

—Wm. H. Barnes has his eyes set on the Chief Clerkship of the Adjutant General's office, providing Bill Gibson gets the appointment.

—Miss Bessie Watson, who has been the guest of the Misses McCormick, during the past ten days, returned to her home in Tiffin on Tuesday.

—A brilliant young journalist of this city, is soon to lead a Pickaway county belle to the altar—Columbus News. Does that mean Col. Furay and Lilla Darr?

—Mr. Thomas Evans, Jr., publisher of the Delaware Signal, accompanied by his wife, daughter and sister, was on a visit to friends in Mt. Vernon during the past week.

—Clinton Commandery, No. 5, K. T., conferred the order of Knights of the Red Cross on B. Frank Smith, Chas. H. Tilton and Milo K. Huntsberry, Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Meacham, who has been in Mt. Vernon for a couple of years, waiting upon her sister, Mrs. Dr. Russell, left on Tuesday for her home in San Francisco, California.

—Rev. Dr. Payne, of Delaware, Ohio, preached the opening sermon before the Methodist District Conference at Rosse Hall, Gambier, last Monday evening, to a very large audience.

—T. Ewing Miller and family, of Columbus, accompanied by Miss Harris, and Misses Mary and Fanny Joyce (daughters of Mr. Miller's partner), leave this week for Europe. They will spend the winter in Italy.

—Mr. Edwin Clifford, Manager of the Katie Putnam Company, is a clever, genial gentleman, and during his short visit in Mt. Vernon made hosts of friends by his urbane manners. He is truly a "Prince of good fellows."

—Partridge in Delaware County.

—Smith Harriott, aged twenty-three, killed his father, George Harriott, two miles east of Bechtown, Concord township, Delaware county, on Thursday last. His father, it seems, has been too intimate with a sister of the young man's mother, and the father and son have had several quarrels. He was shot through the left eye. The son denies the shooting, claiming he was dressing in the house when he heard the shot. Evidence goes to show, however, that Smith slipped up behind his father while milking, and placing the weapon in front of him deliberately fired, the ball entering the corner of the left eye. The old gentleman was carried to his house, and placed on a bed, when he died, although weak, he said his son Smith did it.

—Browning & Sperry have the Largest stock of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, in wool and fleeced linen, ever brought to Mt. Vernon.

## WOMEN'S WORK.

Frenzied Freaks of Furious Fredericktown Females.

They March Thro' the Streets of that Village Armed with Axes and Completely Gut Two Saloons.

Notice Served on Other Dealers to Quit the Sale of Liquor.

Saturday last was an eventful day and will long be remembered in the history of our neighboring village of Fredericktown. Information was received at this office by the noon train B. & O. road, that a band of women were "raising the devil" up there, and a reporter was at once dispatched to the scene of commotion. Arriving there the first person we met was Mr. Edwards, of the Free Press, and in response to the inquiry, "What has been going on?" his reply was, "Oh, the women here have been having a little picnic, and indulging in the playful pastime of tearing out a saloon or two."

Our brother of the quill, who accompanied our thirty yards, were shown the ruined saloon, that had once been a saloon, but which looked as though a bombshell had burst in the interior, and blown everything to smithereens.

Careful inquiry was then made about the town among leading citizens and eye-witnesses, and the following facts elicited. For some two weeks past there have been mutterings and threats that certain women were organizing for the purpose of taking the law into their hands and ridding the community of the saloons and drinking places, where they claim their husbands and sons were enticed, relieved of their hard earnings, and then turned into the street to wander home crazed with liquor, while their poor families were left unprotected and without the necessities of life.

However this may, on Saturday morning last, matters culminated in a serious disturbance, which will long redound to the discredit of that town and its law-abiding citizens. About 11 o'clock A. M., the bell in the tower of the Baptist church, located on the Square, was tolled several times, and in response a body of women gathered there, and after choosing a leader and determining upon a plan of action, sallied forth. Their names, as far as our reporter was able to learn, are given:

Mrs. A. J. Mann and Mrs. Charles Fox (leaders); Miss Susie Lockhart (spokeswoman); Mrs. James Harby and her two daughters; Mrs. James Herdman and Mrs. Bentling; Mrs. Lockhart (widow); Mrs. Clark Howard; Mrs. Mary Royce (widow); Mrs. James Strang; Mrs. Columbus Harden; Mrs. Mary Smith (widow).

They left the church in groups of two and three, and concentrated before the drug store of Cass & Lewis. Four of the boldest of the band then crossed the street and marched down to the saloon owned by James Kelly, of Mt. Vernon, but operated by a man named Ed. Allen, "Katy" Randall. The latter had received warning that the "women were coming to tear the place out," and locking the doors and securing the windows, betook himself to a safe distance down the road, where he could be a spectator to the scene.

When the women reached the door they found it fastened, and after a fruitless effort to effect an entrance by the windows, they each drew from beneath their shawls a hatchet apiece and literally hewed the door down. This was the signal for the balance of the band, who quickly rushed to the place and a struggle ensued to see who should be the first to enter. Once inside, the work of demolition began right and left. The bar was hewed and hacked to pieces; an ice chest met the same fate; the windows, six in number, were shattered; the sash knocked out and cut up; an offensive stove was kicked over and broken; a barrel of gin had its "head" "caved in," and the floor was saturated with the juniper juice; a barrel holding a few gallons of whisky was treated in the same manner, as was also a cask of wine; a considerable quantity of bottled beer was destroyed, the bottles being broken into fine pieces; all the decanters and tumblers were pounded out of semblance, and in fact every vestige of furniture in the rooms laid low.

The shanty is a one-story frame 15x30 feet in dimensions and joins on to the rear of Odd-Fellows' Hall. It was divided into two apartments; had six windows and two doors, one opening on to the street, and the other at the rear leading out to a rickety platform, that looks as though it might tumble down at any moment. Randall has his stock at the time comprised 40 gal. of gin, 3 gal. of whisky, a cask of wine, 14 doz. bottles of beer and about 700 cigars, all of which were totally destroyed. He estimates the loss on building and stock at between \$300 and \$400.

During the scenes being enacted at "Katy's place," a large crowd of men and boys had gathered in the vicinity, but no effort was made to put a stop to the riotous proceedings, although it is said that the Mayor of the town was one of the spectators.

Through awkwardness and excitement, while smashing up the bottles, glassware and windows, several of the women had received gashes upon their hands and arms, from which the blood flowed freely and splattered over each other's faces and dresses. They emerged from the saloon, perfectly frenzied, and flourishing their hatchets in the air like a band of Indians doing a war-dance, they made a rush across the street to

TOM O'CONNOR'S PLACE.

The doors were closed and locked.—When they tried to force them open, Mr. O'Connor appeared; they demanded that his stock of whisky be emptied into the street at once. Tom being a patriotic Irish-American citizen, who has the fear of the law always before his eyes, undertook to reason with the band of irate females. He characterized their actions as "unconstitutional and in direct conflict with the great principles of the Declaration of Independence of our native country by adoption;" he declared that the Goddess of Liberty would hang her head in shame that any number of her sex should thus deport themselves. As Tom waxed eloquent, the women became more irascible, and vowed a solemn oath that "John Barleycorn should die." Mr. O'Connor was greatly concerned about his "creditors," and how they were to be remunerated for the destroyed liquor. As a compromise the crusaders agreed to allow him to take the stock on hand, three barrels of whisky, to the depot and ship it back to Cincinnati, where it had been purchased. A day was procured, and the "goods" rolled out and taken to the freight room of the B. & O. road. While this was being done the women indignantly entered the saloon and

smashed all the decanters, bottles, glasses, &c., that had ever contained liquor. A partially filled cask of sour ale was discovered, and soon it was headless and the contents emptied on the floor. Some of the women tried their hatchets on the beds of the billiard tables, but fortunately they were not formed of glass, and did not yield.

Mr. O'Connor places his loss at about \$50. Before leaving here one of the rancorous females proposed to go down to the depot and spill out the O'Connor whisky. When advised that this might get them into trouble with the corporation that manages the railroad, she replied, "Who cares?—the B. & O. depot has no more right to sell whisky than Tom O'Connor."

GEORGE W. WELLES

Runs a little bakery and grocery store on Main street. Here the women, followed by a motley crowd of men and boys, made a stop, and Mr. Welles appeared at the door. They said they wanted him to give up the sale of liquor and empty his stock into the street. He replied that he did not sell whisky, and never had. They then informed him that he sold ale and beer, and they would give him until Monday to quit the traffic, or they would serve him like they had the others. His reply was that "so long as I am engaged in a legitimate business, I will protect my property, and warn you not to molest me." After brandishing their hatchets in his face and repeating their threats they moved up the street to

DR. HOSACK'S DRUG STORE.

The burly form and genial face of the Doctor confronted them at the entrance of the store. In reply to the interrogatory, "What do you desire?" the leader of the mob said: "You have sold our husbands whisky long enough, and we want you to empty your liquors into the street, or we will do it for you." The Doctor with some emphasis replied: "There is not a woman in that crowd whose husband has sufficient reputation to buy a drop of liquor in my store." Turning and facing the crowd one of the Amazonian belligerents exclaimed: "If there is a man in the crowd who will back me, I will go in and clean the place out myself," at the same time encircling her head with a blood-stained hatchet. No one proffered his assistance, so with jeers and threats at the Doctor, the leader said, "Now let's go for

VINCENT & WYKE'S."

Everybody knows Ed. Vincent and Johnny Wyker, and they also know that two more honorable or high-minded young men are not engaged in business anywhere. Mr. Wyker had been absent from Fredericktown, and arrived home from the north train, just in time to find the crowd of infuriated females blocking up the doorway of his store, and his partner, Mr. Vincent, endeavoring to pacify them.

Whisky was what they were after, and their frenzy was not to be mollified, until they saw the streets flowing with "sour mash" and bourbon. The leader informed the proprietors of the drug store that, "we will give you just one day to empty out your whisky, dispose of it, or else take the consequences." When informed that the next day was the one which the Lord had set aside as a day of rest, one of the gang facetiously remarked, "that's so; we can't work on Sunday." They warned Messrs. V. & W. that they would return Monday, at which time all liquors must be turned out. Mr. Vincent said he would be prepared to give them an answer when Monday came.

This was the last place raided, and the wrath of the women for the time being seemed to be satisfied. After giving three cheers, which was joined in by the following of men and boys, they separated and sought their respective homes.

PUBLIC OPINION.

As is always the case, when a people of a community, public opinion is divided.—While the better-class and sober-minded citizens condemn the actions of the women, there are those, and some of them in high standing, who declare that "the women could do just right," that "for years back these hell-holes have robbed their husbands of their earnings, and taken the food out of the mouth of their wives and children."

Advertised sensations seldom are carried out. Monday came and passed but the women made no demonstration against the drug stores. Tuesday was the day then announced, but the usual serenity and calmness prevailed in the village. It is believed now there will be no further disturbances. The rumor was circulated that warrants had been sworn out against the riotous women and that they were to be arrested and brought to Mt. Vernon for trial, which no doubt frightened them from carrying their threats into execution.

Up to this date no arrests have been made, and as the next term of Court is so near at hand, it is likely that the matter will be brought before the Grand Jury, and indictments found against the women for house-breaking and malicious destruction of property, and the next step will be, in case of conviction of any of the party, to bring civil suits for damages.

Court of Common Pleas.

NEW CASES.

The following new cases have been entered upon the appearance docket since our last publication:

George Coventry vs. Caroline Mitchell et al; suit brought to foreclose mortgage; amount claimed \$400.

Thomas Wallace vs. Elizabeth Wallace; suit brought for divorce on the ground of adultery.

Ann Welker's Adm. vs. John Williams et al; suit brought to have Court direct how to distribute funds amounting to \$1,821.57.

Farmers' Ins. Co. vs. Geo. Critchfield; civil action; amount claimed \$1,725.

Farmers' Ins. Co. vs. Joshua P. Tracy; civil action; amount claimed \$1000.

Copper and McFarland vs. R. L. Winston—appeal.

Martin C. Horn vs. J. A. McCommet and D. McKee; suit brought to foreclose mortgage.

Jeff. C. Irvine vs. the City of Mt. Vernon; in error.

Knox County National Bank vs. E. G. Woodward's heirs; suit bro't to foreclose mortgage; amount claimed \$500.

R. R. Sloan's Adm. vs. Israel Hoover et al; suit brought to foreclose mortgage; amount claimed \$100.

James Dickey vs. Silas Mitchell; suit brought to compel the settlement of partnership accounts; amount claimed \$600.

Wm. Buchholz vs. Jacob Conrad et al; civil action; amount claimed \$1,479.81, with interest.

It matters not the age of sufferers from Coughs, Croup, or Croup, "Dr. Sellers' Cough Syrup" is good for all. Price 25 cents.

ELLA LYMBARGER, Hair Dresser, West Vine, between Mechanic and Sandusky streets, Mt. Vernon, O. Oct24w4

## New Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Mr. EDITOR:—An event of interest transpired at the town of Amity on Thursday, Oct. 23d, 1879. In accordance with previous announcement, Grand Master, E. K. Wilcox, of Cleveland, accompanied by a large number of visiting brothers from neighboring Lodges, proceeded to that place for the purpose of instituting Amity Lodge, No. 692, I. O. O. F. The Charter was delivered into the hands of ten resident brothers; later members of Quindaro Lodge, No. 316. After which the officers were elected and installed, as follows: L. A. Wright, N. G.; H. Phillips, V. G.; Z. Leonard, R. and P. Sec'y; Dr. T. Black, Treasurer. At the conclusion of these services, the assembled brotherhood to the number of about sixty, were invited to "Good Templars' Hall," there to partake of a most sumptuous banquet prepared by the good wives and lovely daughters of the resident members. And such a feast! My unskilled pen would utterly fail to convey an intelligible conception of the many "good things of this life" that that were set before us. Suffice it to say, that in quality it was *par excellence*, in quantity, unlimited. If the complimentary remarks made by the happy partakers could be written they would fill the entire space of the BANNER.

After having demonstrated our appreciation of the elegant repast in a manner which never fails to be understood, we again repaired to the commodious Lodge room, which has recently been built, and proceeded to the work of initiation of members. Six applicants were elected and initiated, while three joined upon Card, which with several petitions for membership, present a pretty good showing for the new Lodge.

The Order in our neighborhood were highly favored in having the unwritten work by the M. W. Grand Master in person, as an opportunity was thereby afforded to learn the work, rarely enjoyed, for though he is the youngest member of the Order who has ever attained that high and responsible position, yet there are none perhaps in the State who are better qualified to render the ritual correctly. His instructions in the initiating and degree work, were listened to with profound attention, and received with marked respect. At the close of which, a very late hour having arrived, the visiting members started for their respective homes, all feeling grateful to the brothers of No. 692, for the fraternal reception accorded them, to the families of the brethren and citizens generally, for the generous courtesies shown, and with the firm conviction in the mind of each that Amity, in Knox county, is a capital place to go to when you wish to be well treated.

MR. VERNON.

The City Adopts the Fire Alarm Telegraph.

A special session of the City Council was held on Monday evening to take action on the proposition of the Excelsior Fire Alarm Telegraph Company. All the members were present except Mr. Cole. After each one of the members had expressed his views on the subject under consideration, Mr. Rowley moved that Council accept the proposition offered at the last meeting, provided payments can be made annually in the sums of \$500 each year, for three years, deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent. Mr. Thompson, representing the company, said the terms were satisfactory, and Mr. Rowley's motion prevailed without a dissenting vote.

On motion, Messrs. Bann and Rowley were appointed a committee to confer with the leading manufacturers of the city to solicit them to put up private alarm boxes in addition to the number provided by the city. As soon as Council determines the points where the eight boxes are to be located, the posts will be set and wire stretched.

The Wheat Markets.

New York.—Cattle, poor to prime steers, 7 to 10 cts; lamb, 10 to 10 1/2. Sheep, 33 to 39 cts; extra, 35 to 40 cts. Hogs, \$5 to 6.30. Hogs, \$5 to 6.30.

Philadelphia.—Cattle, prime, \$5.50; good, \$5.25; medium, \$4.75; common, \$3.50 to 4.10. Sheep, prime, \$4.75; good, \$4.50; medium, \$4.25; common, \$3.75. Lambs, prime, \$6.00; good, \$5.50; medium, \$5.00; common, \$4.50.

Pittsburgh.—Cattle, best, \$5.50; fair to good, \$3.75 to 4.65; common, \$3.10 to 3.65. Hogs, \$3.75 to 4.15. Sheep, \$3 to 4; lambs, \$4 to 5.

The Wheat Markets.

There has been considerable decline in the price of wheat during the past week in all markets of the country.

On Monday the quotations were: At Chicago, \$1.16 to 1.18; Cincinnati, \$1.20 to 1.30; Baltimore, \$1.42 to 1.49; New York, \$1.35 to 1.44; Toledo, \$1.25 to 1.31; Philadelphia, \$1.44.

SPECIAL MEETING.

ATTENTION, BRO. KNIGHTS!—Timon Lodge, No. 45, will confer the First, Second and Third Degrees tomorrow (Friday) Eve, at Castle Hall, at 7 o'clock. All sojourning brothers in good standing are invited. By order, W. M. HARPER, C. C. C. W. PYLE, K. R. and S.

—Miss Frances McCally, a respectable young lady of Columbus, died Wednesday morning of last week from the effects of morphine administered by her own hand, and because her lover, a Mr. Joseph Coffey, yardmaster on the Pan-Handle Railroad at Bradford Junction, had apparently deserted her. For days before she had been noticed as being considerably depressed, and said she had no friends left in the world.

Agricultural Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties to whom premiums were awarded at the late Fair of the Knox County Agricultural Society, that the same will be paid at the Sheriff's office at Mt. Vernon, on and after Saturday, Nov. 1, 1879. In accordance with the rules of said Society, all premiums not claimed prior to January 1st, 1880, will be deemed forfeited.

JOHN F. GAY, Sec'y.

Cheapest Knives, Forks and Spoons at Arnold's.

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given that there will be no visitors admitted to the Knox County Infirmary, except on Thursday of each week. By order of the Board.

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99 rolls Oil Cloth, 160 rolls Carpet to choose from at lowest prices at Arnold's.

See those cheap Looking Glasses at Arnold's.

Dishes sold at lower prices than any other place in Central Ohio at Arnold's.

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## Mt. Vernon Grain Market.

Corrected weekly by JAMES ISRAEL, Grain Merchant, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Also Sole Agent for Dover Salt.

Wheat \$1.13/100; Corn, 40c; Oats, 30c; Rye, 50c; Clover Seed, \$5.00; Flax Seed, \$1.20; Timothy Seed, \$2.25.

## LOCAL NOTICES.

If you want to see the largest stock and lowest prices in Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings, Druggist and Rugs, call at Arnold's.

A splendid assortment of Hats, Furs, Trunks, Boots and Shoes, at VanAkin's—all under one management—purchased of manufacturers for cash, and sold lower than elsewhere in the city. See sign of the Big Hat, 2d door south of the Square. Oct24w4

A fine line of Wall Paper and Window Curtains for fall trade at Arnold's.

A splendid line of Underwear for Ladies, Men and Children, at Browning & Sperry.

Good set of ware, 46 pieces, \$2.50 at Arnold's.



BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

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Mt. Vernon, April 25, 1879-4f

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Cigars, large stock and fine quality, Tobacco, different brands of fine cut and plug, Country Produce wanted in exchange for Groceries.

GOODS DELIVERED AS USUAL.

Also Agents for the celebrated one Spoon Baking Powder, best and cheapest in the market.

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March 21, 1879.

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Offers a number of NEW STYLES in PICTURES!

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Mt. Vernon, May 16, 1879.

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All Sorts of Paragraphs.

There are new disturbances in Zululand.

There has been destructive floods in Spain.

Slavery is to be abolished in Cuba in ten years.

Missouri Democrats are for Tilden for President.

French agriculturists are emigrating to Texas.

A crisis is impending in the Turkish monarchy.

A ghost ten feet high has been seen at Dayton.

No trace has been of the lost St. Louis aeronauts.

A further advance in iron is reported from England.

St. Louis has voted to retain German in the public schools.

The National Board of Health will meet November 18, at Nashville.

Peter Hitchcock will probably be President, pro tem, of the Senate.

A number of Swiss colonists have just purchased 75,000 acres in Nebraska.

The scheme to explore the ancient bed of the river Oxus, has been abandoned.

Mr. Tilden manages his own campaign, independent of the State Committee.

Ben. Butler is confident that he will be the next Governor of Massachusetts.

The next National Democratic Convention will probably be held in St. Louis.

There are numerous highway robbers in the vicinity of Washington Court House.

The Duke of Cumberland has abandoned his pretensions to the throne of Hanover.

The women and children who were taken at the Milk River Agency, are reported safe.

Permission has been given for the use of Filbert street, Philadelphia, for an elevated railroad.

Cincinnati cast 55,000 votes at the recent election, which would indicate a population of 270,000.

"President" Hayes thinks that his speeches in Ohio aided largely in the defeat of the Democrats.

The Russian government has withdrawn its prohibition of the sale of anti-German newspapers on the streets.

The latest news Ali Kheyl represents that the frontier tribes, since learning of the fall of Cabul, are dispersing.

Official returns of the California election show the vote on Chinese immigration: In favor, 885; against, 154,638.

Frederick Bodenstedt, German journalist, traveler and author, has left Weisbaden for a lecturing tour in America.

The Government of India has abandoned the project of creating a separate Indian navy; the expense would be too great.

Dr. McCosh says that the Rev. J. Cook is "a heaven ordained man, coming at the fit time and in the appropriate place."

The dowry of the future Queen of Spain has been paid into the National Bank at Vienna. The sum is 20,000,000, or \$4,000,000.

The English Government has decided on the immediate construction of a railway to Candahar, and is already purchasing material.

A Berlin dispatch says that the Russo-German treaty of defensive alliance was signed by the Emperors of Austria and Germany last week.

On the island of Elba a monument was inaugurated on the 7th ult. with the inscription: "To Garibaldi—the European Washington," &c.

The Rothschilds are going to give 2,000,000 francs to the fund for relieving the experiments for constructing the English Channel Tunnel.

A prize fight between an unarmed man and a dog is reported at New Albany, Ind. Both contestants used their teeth, and the dog was whipped.

Property left for educational purposes by William H. Hume of England, valued in 1691 at \$200, is now estimated at from \$2,500,000 to \$3,500,000.

A number of engineers from Bradford left England Tuesday for Philadelphia, and another party will proceed next week for the same destination.

The Prince of Wales's son received as naval cadet a twenty-five cents a day, which will be raised to forty-five cents when they become midshipmen.

Ben. Lowe, a circus acrobat, stood on his head for two hours in a Texas bar room on a wager, and the feat brought on brain fever, from which he died.

Conscience impelled somebody to send \$2,500 anonymously to Isaac G. Jennings a Syracuse merchant, with the words, "I robbed you of this years ago."

In a deed to a large tract of land now on record at Santa Rosa, Cal., a mistake in the number of the township locates the land 12 miles out in the ocean.

The most novel joint stock company yet formed is at Chester, Pa., where fifteen stockholders own an animal said to be the best con dog in the country.

A Paris urchin recently tossed a lighted cigarette into a cask of petroleum and then put his eye to the bung-hole to watch the effect. It was his last experiment.

Somebody suggests that one of the leading topics touched upon in Thanksgiving sermons this year will be the next great walking match to take place in England.

Georgia's gold mines now yield over a million dollars a year, and the Georgia papers look forward to the time when that State will rival Colorado as a gold producer.

The ex-Empress Eugenie seems to go everywhere save to her mother at Madrid; yet she is her only surviving child, and has hardly another near relative in the world.

A man jumped into a well at Carrollton, Ill., for the purpose of suicide. Finding himself alive on reaching the bottom, he hanged himself with the well rope, and so accomplished death.

Prince Leopold, Queen Victoria's youngest son, having improved in health, is now being turned to account as an exhibition opener, which must be an immense relief to his brothers.

The Rev. Mr. Gaul, of Philadelphia, went to a menagerie and did not find all the animals that he had seen pictured on the street posters. He denounced the show from his pulpit as a humbug.

Every hotel in Brattleboro, Vt., is closed, and travelers are compelled to find accommodations at private houses. This is in pursuance of the plan to make the prohibitory liquor law unpopular.

As the entrance fee to the Masonic lodges in Turkey is so high that only the richest can join the order, the Turkish exiles in Connecticut have united with a lodge in the land of steady habits.

The Kladderadatsch of Berlin advises the English Government to promote the King of the Zulus to the rank of General, and make him Commander-in-Chief of the English army in Afghanistan.

Always keep the bottle handy, Do not place it out of sight, Fill it every, our little Andy, Who was coughing day and night, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

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Is a Standard Family Remedy for Diseases of the Liver, Stomach, and Bowels.—It is Purely Vegetable.—It never Debilitates.—It is Cathartic and Purgative.

It has Good Health, its unhealthful action causes Bilious Attacks, Headache, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Laundage, Bowel Complaints, Scurvy, and other Disorders.

The Liver is the seat of malarial diseases. The Liver Invigorator purifies the system from malarial influences. It regulates the bowels, assists digestion and strengthens the system.

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Oct. 17, 1879.

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Oct. 17, 1879.

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We have lately added to our business a manufacturing department, and are now fully prepared to do all kinds of

JOB WORK, ROOFING, SPOUTING, —AND— GENERAL REPAIRING.

J. M. BYERS & CO.

Aug. 23-ly

SHERIFF'S SALE.

vs.

Phineas Frazier et al.

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in Knox County, Ohio,

MONDAY, NOV. 3, 1879,

between the hours of 12 M. and 3 P. M. of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being and lying in the County of Knox, State of Ohio, Milford township, in East half of quarter three, township five, range fourteen, U. S. military lands in said county, and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone eight feet West of a stone in the county road opposite B. Rush's barn owned by E. W. Weston county surveyor, thence north forty-five and three-fourths rods to W. Myers' twelve acre lot; thence West nineteen rods to T. Atherton's one-half acre lot; thence South eight rods; thence West ten rods to the center of the road; thence South thirty-one rods to the center of the Marion road; thence South-east fourteen and one-half rods to the center of the road running East; thence East twenty rods and five feet to the place of beginning, to contain seven and two-tenths acres.

Appraised at \$210.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio.

H. H. Greer, Attorney for DE.

Oct 29 \$10-50.

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Knox County Teachers.

The days fixed for the examination of teachers, for the year beginning Sept. 1, 1879, are the fourth Saturday of every month, from September, to August, 1880. The hour is nine o'clock A. M. The place is the Davis School House, in the Fifth ward of Mt. Vernon.

ELI T. TAPPAN, Clerk of Board of Examiners.

Notice to the Tax-Payers of Knox County.

In pursuance of Law, I, THOMAS ODBERT, Treasurer of said County, do hereby notify the Tax-payers thereof that the Rates of Taxation for the year 1879, are correctly stated in the following Table, showing the amount levied in mills on each Dollar of Taxable property in each of the incorporated towns and townships, in said county, and the amount of Tax levied on each one hundred Dollars of Taxable property is shown in the last column:

NAMES OF VILLAGES, TOWNSHIPS, AND CITIES.	RATES LEVIED BY GEN. ASSEMBLY.		RATES LEVIED BY CO. COMMISSIONERS.		RATES LEVIED BY TOWNSHIP AUTHORITIES.		Total Levy for all purposes.	Tax on each \$100 of Taxable Property.	No. of Townships.
	Mills.	Cents.	Mills.	Cents.	Township.	Special.			
Sinking Fund.	50		County.	130					
General Revenue.	140		Poor.	50					
State Com. School.	100		Road.	100					
			Bridge.	50					
			Infirmary Land.	50					
Total.	290		Total.	430					
1. Jackson.	290		4.30	50	1 50	50	2 50	9 70	97
2. Butler.	do		do	50	4 40	50	5 40	12 60	126
3. Union.	do		do	45	3 20	100	35	5 00	12 20
4. Jefferson.	do		do	66	1 66	50	18	3 00	10 20
5. Brown.	do		do	70	2 80	50	40	4 40	11 60
6. Howard.	do		do	50	2 10			2 60	9 80
7. Harrison.	do		do	50	2 10			2 60	9 80
8. Clay.	do		do	20	1 30	50		2 00	9 20
9. Morgan.	do		do	50	1 30	25		2 05	9 25
10. Pleasant.	do		do	50	4 50	25		5 25	12 45
11. College.	do		do	50	4 50	25		5 25	12 45
12. Monroe.	do		do	50	4 40	25		5 15	12 35
13. Pike.	do		do	50	4 40	25		5 15	12 35
14. Berlin.	do		do	50	1 50			2 20	9 40
15. Morris.	do		do	60	2 70	50		3 80	11 00
16. Clinton.	do		do	60	3 50	50		4 60	11 80
17. Miller.	do		do	3	0 01	100	50	4 80	12 00
18. Milford.	do		do	50	3 00			3 50	10 70
19. Liberty.	do		do	40	1 60			2 00	9 20
20. Wayne.	do		do	60	2 00	50		3 10	10 30
21. Middlebury.	do		do	50	2 00			2 80	10 00
22. Hilliard.	do		do	50	3 50			4 30	11 50
Mount Vernon.	do		do	60	2 00	50		3 10	10 30
Fredericktown.	do		do	50	1 50	50		2 50	9 70
	do		do	50	1 50	50		10 12 50	19 70
	do		do	50	5 00			9 00 14 00	21 20
	do		do	50	3 50			4 00 8 00	15 20

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September 26, 1879-3m

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DENNIS QUAID, Salesman.

MOUNT VERNON, Sept. 26, 1879.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Home Insurance Co. Columbus, O.

vs.

Henry T. Porter et al.

BY VIRTUE of an Order of Sale, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in Knox County, Ohio,

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 1879,

between the hours of 12 M. and 3 P. M. of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Situate in the County of Knox, State of Ohio, in the 11th Range, 7th Township and 3rd Quarter, U. S. Military Lands, being the South half of the East half of lot No. 11, also twelve acres off of the East end of the North half of the East half of lot No. 11, also sixteen acres off of the West end of lot No. 6, East of, and adjoining the two places above mentioned, and being between the East line thereof and the old surveyed outer line of the Springfield, Mount Vernon and Pittsburgh Rail Road line, the whole containing sixty three acres, more or less; excepting out of the foregoing premises, a tract or parcel heretofore sold and conveyed by deed of H. T. Porter and wife to Wilson Critchfield, dated May 1, 1872, containing 1075-100 acres, recorded in volume 62, page 432, deed records for Knox County, Ohio, to which reference is made for particular description.

Also, the following described real estate situate in Clinton township, in said County and State, to-wit: Lots numbered 50 and 51, in Brown's Executors' Addition to the town, now City of Mount Vernon.

First described tract, 22 25 100 acres, appraised at \$8.

2d tract, 10 75-100 acres, conveyed to Wilson Critchfield, appraised at \$8.

3d tract, No. 50, Brown's Executors' addition, appraised at \$8.

4th tract, No. 51, Brown's Executors' addition, appraised at \$8.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio.

J. C. DEVIN et al. Attorneys for P.F.F.

Oct 10 \$16-50.

BAKER BROS., DRUGGISTS.

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Aug. 22, 1879.

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