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VOLUME XLII.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Knox Co. Nat'l. Bank vs. L. B. Curtis, 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, on Monday, Oct. 28, 1878, at 2 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: In lot numbered one (1) in H. B. Curtis' Addition to the town (now city) of Mount Vernon, in the County of Knox and State of Ohio, and being the same premises conveyed to said L. B. Curtis, by deed of Henry B. Curtis and wife, dated March 21st, 1855, recorded in Book No. 54, Page 420, Records of Deeds, Knox County, Ohio. Appraised at \$1,500. Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. DEVIN & CURTIS, Attys. for Plff. sep27-w389

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Joseph Watson vs. Knox Common Pleas. BY VIRTUE of a vendi expositio 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, on Monday, Oct. 28th, 1878, between the hours of 1 P. M. and 3 P. M. of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Situate in Knox County, Ohio, known as Lot No. 6, in the subdivision of the Peter Davis farm by Matthew Miller, a plat of which said subdivision is recorded for convenience of reference in Book H. H. page 2, reference is hereby made for greater certainty. Also lots Nos. 272 and 284, in Section 1, addition to the town now City of Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio. Appraised at \$1,500. Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. W. C. Cooper, Att'y. for Plff. sep27-w389

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Mt. V. S. L. & B. A. vs. Knox Common Pleas. 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, on Monday, Oct. 28th, 1878, between 1 P. M. and 3 P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being Lot No. one hundred and forty-five, in Norton's Southern Addition to the town (now city) of Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio. Appraised at \$4,000. Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. W. C. Cooper, Att'y. for Plff. sep27-w389

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William Craig Cooper vs. Knox Common Pleas. BY VIRTUE of a vendi expositio 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, on Monday, Oct. 28th, 1878, between 1 P. M. and 3 P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being Lot No. one hundred and forty-five, in Norton's Southern Addition to the town (now city) of Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio. Appraised at \$1,500. Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. W. C. Cooper, Att'y. for Plff. sep27-w389

SHERIFF'S SALE.

H. Phillips' Adm'r's vs. Knox Common Pleas. 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, on Saturday, Oct. 26th, 1878, between the hours of 1 P. M. and 3 P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being Lot No. forty-six, situate at the corner of Vine and Gay streets, in the City of Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio. Appraised at \$1,200. Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. McClelland & Culbertson, Attys. for Plff. sep27-w389

SHERIFF'S SALE.

M. S. L. & B. A. vs. Knox Common Pleas. 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, on Monday, Oct. 28th, 1878, between the hours of 1 P. M. and 3 P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Being Lot No. thirteen, in James Rogers' Addition to the City of Mount Vernon, Knox County, Ohio. Appraised at \$1,000. Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN F. GAY, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. Lennon & Davis, Attys. for Plff. sep27-w389

Farm and House and Lot for Sale.

THE undersigned, as agents for the owners, will offer for sale at public auction, at the door of the Court House in Mount Vernon, Ohio, on Saturday, October 19, 1878, a good farm containing 112 acres, situated in the North-east corner of Howard township, Knox County, Ohio, covering parts of lots numbered nine and ten in said quarter. Also, Patterson resides on the same—and is the same farm MacElroy died seized of and now belongs to his heirs. Also, Lot No. 7, in the Eastern Addition to Mt. Vernon, O. Said Lot has a good dwelling, well, cistern, etc., and is situated on the South side of East Chestnut street, near the junction of the Coshok road with said street and immediately East of Mrs. Dr. McElroy's residence. Said property was lately occupied by Mrs. Thomas McElroy and now by Mrs. Margaret E. E. Terms of Sale—Cash. Twenty per cent. in hand; 19 per cent. April 1, 1879, and 19 per cent. every six months thereafter until all is paid, with interest from April 1, 1879. Any person desiring to purchase said property should examine said property before the day of sale.

MCCLELLAND & CULBERTSON, sep27-w3

THE NEW ELASTIC TRUSS.

THIS NEW ELASTIC TRUSS is a new and original invention, and is the only one of its kind in the world. It is made of the finest materials, and is of a simple and elegant design. It is adapted for all cases of weakness, and is of great value in the treatment of all diseases of the urinary system. It is of a simple and elegant design, and is of great value in the treatment of all diseases of the urinary system. It is of a simple and elegant design, and is of great value in the treatment of all diseases of the urinary system.

BAKERY AND GROCERY.

F. P. HAYMES & CO., (T. DUBIN'S BUILDING), SOUTH MAIN STREET, HAVING sold my interest in the store to the firm above mentioned, I recommend them to the patronage of the public, feeling assured that they will give satisfaction in their manner of conducting the business. I shall still continue to remain at the old stand, and respectfully request all persons who are indebted to call and make immediate settlement. J. D. HAYMES, aug20m3

VEGETINE.

REV. J. P. LUDLOW WRITES: 178 Baltic street, Brooklyn, N. Y., November 14, 1874.

H. R. STEVENS: Dear Sir—From personal benefit received by its use, as well as the personal knowledge of those whose cures thereby have seemed almost miraculous, I can most heartily and sincerely recommend the Vegetine for the complaints which it is claimed to cure.

VEGETINE.

SHE RESTS WELL. South Poland, Me., Oct. 11, 1876.

MR. H. R. STEVENS: Dear Sir—We feel that the children in our home have been greatly benefited by the use of this medicine, and during that time have taken a great many different medicines, but none of them did me any good. I was restless, nervous, and had no appetite. Since taking the Vegetine I rest well and relish my food. Can recommend the Vegetine for what it has done for me. Yours respectfully, Mrs. ALBERT RICKER.

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The Banner.

A Young Lady who adds Variety to Social Life by Barking.

From the Banner, later-October. The Inter-Ocean yesterday contained a paragraph to the effect that Mary Klein, known as "the barking girl," had another attack of the malady which rendered her so conspicuous something over a year ago and was again placed under restraint at the Webster avenue police station. Last night a reporter of this paper was sent out to see the girl and found her lying in a cell there, on the boards, with a coat under her head, moaning all the time and periodically breaking out with shrieks and screams too terrible to hear. During the reporter's stay there was no sound emitted resembling a "bark," but residents in the vicinity testified positively that she both barks and growls. This is the third attack, the first was of about three days' duration, and then left her prostrate for a few days more, during which she was seen and conversed with, appearing quite rational, and stating that she had no recollection of her condition of her previous condition. The second attack was a brief one, and now, after an interval of some ten months, the third is on. She is in much the same state as formerly, the malady appearing to be neither more nor less violent in its effects. The girl is about seventeen years old, and with a prepossessing face. Last night she appeared totally unconscious. Her knees were drawn slightly up, and her hands sometimes moved over her bosom, and at other times reaching out and clutching wildly, when the shrieking fits came on. A word spoken to her would draw her across a hand laid on her would throw her into convulsions, and she would also snap her teeth, as if trying to bite the person touching her. Lieutenant Fox, who has charge of the district, and a family friend, called on Wednesday night information was brought to the station that a girl was lying in the grass by the roadside, on Hurlbut street, near Lincoln street, and "barking." When the girl was brought to the station, she was nearly dead. She was very restless and noisy, "barking" distinctly at the doctor. Dr. Gauger, who attended the girl before, said that nothing could be done with the girl except to put her in her hospital and release her when she had recovered. The parents of the girl (her father is a bricklayer) who live on Sullivan street, near Sedgwick, visited her between 7 and 8 o'clock last night and wanted to take her home, but Lieutenant Fox very properly refused to let her go. As to this case stands. It is, so far as known, without parallel, and demands immediate attention in interest of science.

Ship-Canal Across Florida.

A correspondent of the Savannah (Ga.) News, writing from Pilatka, Florida, says: "The people of Florida are getting waked up in regard to a ship-canal to be built across the peninsula of Mexico, from the Atlantic to the Gulf of Mexico, by way of the Suwannee river. This is the most practicable route across the State, for several reasons. This first and most important reason is that it would have an excellent harbor at each end of the canal, and no obstructions at either end. There would not have to be more than seventy miles of canal on this route, and then it would reclaim at least 1,000,000 acres of the best lands in the State. This land, when reclaimed, would be worth the price of cutting the canal, and the whole route would be well supplied with natural feeders. The distance from New York to New Orleans by this route would be much less than any other route farther south, and would be from 1,000 to 1,200 miles less. This is the thing that would make a difference of from 2,000 to 2,200 miles saved on the round trip, and would save yearly \$5,000,000 in the way of shipwrecks, and \$3,000,000 annually in the way of cargo lost. It would also save a freight in a revenue of at least \$30,000,000 or \$10,000,000 annually in the way of tolls, especially when the Darien canal is completed, as it would throw a vast amount of shipping from California, Japan and China through the Gulf of Mexico, and through the Florida Ship canal to New York and Liverpool to other ports."

Golden Rules for Young Folks.

1. The person who first sets these rules to be printed says truly if any boy or girl thinks "it would be hard work to keep so many of them in mind at the same time, just think also what a happy place it would make of home if you only could!"
2. Shut every door after you, and without slamming it.
3. Never shout, jump or run in the house.
4. Never call to persons up stairs, or in the next room; if you wish to speak to them, go quietly where they are.
5. Always speak kindly and politely to servants, if you would have them do the same to you.
6. When told to do, or not to do, a thing, by either parent, never say you should or should not do it.
7. Tell your own faults and misdoings, and do not excuse your brothers and sisters.
8. Carefully clean the mud or snow off your boots before entering the house.
9. Be prompt at every school exercise.
10. Never sit down at the table, or in the parlors, with dirty hands or tumbled hair.
11. Never interrupt any conversation, but wait patiently your turn to speak.
12. Never disrespect your good neighbors, but be equally polite at home and abroad.
13. Let your first, last and best friend be your mother.

Peculiarities of the Epidemic.

The most remarkable feature of the epidemic now raging at the South is the visitation of a score of small towns, never heretofore supposed to be in the slightest danger of such an affliction. In large cities, where portions at least of the population are crowded in small tenements, and the decomposition of vast quantities of human excrement is constantly going on, the break of the pestilence is expected as a matter of course almost every year, and its coming excites little surprise. But places scarcely to be found on the map send out groups of the fever-stricken, and in twenty cases have occurred, for instance, at Dry Grove—a place about which nothing is known save that it is five miles from Terry, in the State of Mississippi; and the heaviest plague of the season has been sent to a place called "The Springs," where twenty cases have occurred, for instance, at Dry Grove—a place about which nothing is known save that it is five miles from Terry, in the State of Mississippi; and the heaviest plague of the season has been sent to a place called "The Springs," where twenty cases have occurred, for instance, at Dry Grove—a place about which nothing is known save that it is five miles from Terry, in the State of Mississippi; and the heaviest plague of the season has been sent to a place called "The Springs," where twenty cases have occurred, for instance, at Dry Grove—a place about which nothing is known save that it is five miles from Terry, in the State of Mississippi; 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MOUNT VERNON, OHIO:

FRIDAY MORNING.....OCT. 11, 1878

The BANNER is "vindicated!"

The total vote cast in Knox county at the late election was 6031.

And they are still voting for Johnny Gay up in Pike township.

John Body beat Johnny Gay only one vote in his own township (Jefferson.)

Frank Moore, for Prosecuting Attorney, carried the 5th Ward by a majority of 87.

The vote in Pike township for Sheriff was: Gay 217, Body 27—majority for Gay 190!

It will now be in order for Mr. Wilkinson to return that line of type we loaned him last year. He will understand what we mean.

Since brother Orville was sent to a Lunatic Asylum, we do not hear so much talk about General Grant being a candidate as formerly.

We presume the howling hyena of the *Republican* will no longer tear up the grave-stones that cover the remains of Sheriff Gay's children.

To prepare for resumption, John Sherman has added \$96,000,000 to the bonded debt, and \$4,000,000 annual interest to the burdens of the people.

In the City of Mt. Vernon, which usually gives a Republican majority of about 300, John F. Gay leads John Body some 284 votes, or nearly two to one!

The election of Frank Hurd in the Toledo district is a victory that is gratifying as it was unexpected, and his hosts of friends in Mt. Vernon rejoice over the result.

John Body's friends are cursing Willard Hyde, and Willard Hyde's friends are cursing John Body.

Och, brethren, you should never let Your angry passions rise.

Johnny Gay is the gayest and happiest man in Knox county to-day—having received the largest majority ever cast for a Democratic candidate. Wilkinson hates himself.

Governor Bishop's majority in Knox county last year was 475, while the majority on the Democratic State ticket this year is 571,—showing an increase of about 100.

While Wayne township gives the Republican State ticket a majority of 52, Johnny Gay carried it by a majority of 24. This is the way Johnny is "vindicated" at his old home.

Mr. Hayes has been secured as one of the attractions for the Cumberland (Md.) Fair on the 24th, and the managers are after Rarus, the Minnesota trotting elk and the Oskosh hairless calf.

Hon. George L. Converse has been elected to Congress in the Ninth (Columbus) district, in the face of the bitterest and most malignant opposition that was ever waged against a candidate.

It is a pitiable sight to see Virginia, the "Mother of Presidents," hawking about the money market for a loan to pay the expenses of her schools. There is no more striking illustration of the hard times.

Hon. Alex. H. Stephens, of Georgia, favors the nomination of Hendricks and Hampton, as the Democratic ticket in 1880. He contradicts the report that he desired to run on the ticket with Ulysses S. Grant.

The vote on the question of teaching German in the St. Louis schools last Tuesday was: For German, 3,106 votes; against German, 3,479 votes. The election was held chiefly in the German wards of the city.

The California Constitutional Convention has been organized on a non-partisan basis, to the exclusion of Kearneyites. They were in a plurality in the Convention, but there was a pooling of issues to beat them.

Men who are indebted to the Democratic party for all they are worth in the world, who stood at the polls all day Tuesday peddling out tickets with Mr. Brent's name erased, and Hyde's written in its place, will be remembered.

According to Secretary Sherman's official record, he has increased the public debt in a year and a half from \$1,697,697,500 to \$1,818,261,550, or just \$120,564,050, with an increase of the annual interest charge of about five millions of dollars.

John Body, when last seen, was climbing a tall hickory tree on the top of one of the highest hills in Jefferson, to view the landscape over. The only sound he heard was the voice of an old Democratic rooster down in the valley, which rang out: "Hurrah for Johnny Ga-hay."

If a body meet a Body
With a flask of rye,
If a Body treat a body,
Why should a body cry?
Johnny Body was the body,
Johnny Gay sent high,
And every body laughed at Body,
When coming through the rye.

A New Orleans telegram, Oct. 7th, says: The statement by Collector Smith that fifty thousand destitute people are in the city by no means exaggerates the situation. It is safe to say that at least that number have been prostrated since the fever commenced.

The great body of the Republican Nationals throughout the State, voted a straight Republican ticket on Tuesday.—The fact is the men who started this new party movement were acting in the interest of the Republican party—their sole object being to divide the Democratic party.

Moody, when drawing his first quarter's pay as Consul, remarked to the paying teller of the Treasury, "This is the second time I have drawn on the United States for money. The first time when I pulled up a couple of army paymasters during the late war."

The balance of trade continues to be heavily in favor of the United States. The returns for the month of August just completed show that the excess of exports over imports was \$21,000,000, an increase of \$19,000,000 on the corresponding month of last year. Gold is pouring into the country.

HERE I AM AGAIN!



KNOX COUNTY ERECT!

A Great and Glorious Victory!

The Entire Democratic Ticket Elected!

Glory Enough for One Day!

We have just passed through one of the most exciting and hotly contested political battles that was ever fought in Knox county, and the Democracy have come out with flying colors, and with "victory" perched upon their banners.

At the present writing the official returns were not opened; but enough is known to make it clear that the Democratic majority in the county, on the State ticket is about 570 and on Congressional about 600. If every county in the State had done as well as Knox our majority would be at least 30,000.

On the county ticket there has been some wild voting. In most of the townships "Old Scratch" seemed to have been at work in fixing the tickets to suit himself. John F. Gay, our candidate for Sheriff, leads all the other candidates,—his majority in the county being about 1550!

Well done for Johnny! Frank Moore, for Prosecuting Attorney, has a majority of over 800, notwithstanding Mr. Culbertson's "honeyfogging." Samuel J. Brent, for Clerk, beats Willard S. Hyde 153, which is a wonderful triumph, considering all the circumstances of the case. We congratulate our friend Brent on this "vindication" by the people of the county. Nearly every member of the bar, and the better class of Republicans in Mt. Vernon voted for him; while the "bummer" element went against him. Judge Critchfield's majority over Dr. Green is nearly 900, which is a high compliment to the Judge. These figures of course are unofficial.

Bro. Pepper's vote for Congress, in the townships reported (which does not include Brown, Butler, Harrison, Jackson and Morgan), is 680. We have no estimate of the Prohibition vote.

The Result in Ohio.

Eleven Democratic Congressmen Elected!

The indications are that the Republican State ticket is elected by a majority of about 5,000 to 8,000.

The Democracy, from the best advices, have carried eleven of the twenty Congressional districts. The following is the probable result:

DEMOCRATS.

1. John A. McMahon, of Montgomery.
2. Benjamin LeFevre, of Shelby.
3. William D. Hill, of Delaware.
4. Frank H. Hurd, of Lucas.
5. E. B. Finley, of Crawford.
6. George L. Converse, of Franklin.
7. Thomas Ewing, of Fairfield.
8. Henry L. Dickery, of Highland.
9. A. J. Ward, of Washington.
10. Gibson Atherton, of Licking.
11. James A. Garfield, of Lake.
12. George W. Geddes, of Richland.

REPUBLICANS.

1. Benj. Butterworth, of Hamilton.
2. Thomas L. Young, of Hamilton.
3. J. Warren Keifer, of Clarke.
4. Henry S. Neal, of Lawrence.
5. William McKinley, of Stark.
6. James Monroe, of Lorain.
7. J. T. Updegrave, of Jefferson.
8. James A. Garfield, of Lake.
9. Amos Townsend, of Cuyahoga.

INDIANA DEMOCRATIC!

Indiana has gone Democratic by a majority of about 12,000, which is an immense gain. The National vote shows an increase of thirty per cent.

The Personalities of the Campaign.

The most unpleasant feature in the late campaign in Knox county was the bitter personal character it assumed; which, so far as the Democracy are concerned, became unavoidable. It was our earnest desire to avoid all personalities in conducting the fight on the part of the Democracy. Towards every man on the Republican county ticket our personal relations have always been of a pleasant and friendly character. But before the campaign had scarcely opened the editor of the *Republican* commenced a virulent warfare upon John F. Gay, our candidate for Sheriff, which was malignant as it was unequalled. After permitting these attacks to continue for several weeks, we finally gave Wilkinson notice in "A Few Words of Warning," that if they were not stopped, we would be compelled to retaliate, and make revelations in relation to certain transactions of "some of the candidates on the Republican ticket, which, if made public, would place them in no enviable light." One of the candidates on the Republican ticket, seeing the undesirable position in which he was placed by his editor, at once withdrew from the ticket. But Wilkinson, disregarding the advice of his political friends, kept up his malignant attacks upon Mr. Gay, even invading the sanctuary of his home and heart, and tearing open the graves of his buried children. This forced a retaliation, and made it necessary for us to speak of Mr. Hyde's gambling performances at Newark, his embezzlement of C. & G. Cooper & Co.'s money, and kindred transactions, not necessary now to recapitulate.

As to Hyde's mismanagement of the affairs of our Agricultural Society, that is a matter that demands a rigid investigation, by financial experts, and the farmers of Knox county should never rest until such an examination takes place. The report that was prepared by Hyde, and doctored up by two of his political friends, was a cunningly devised trick to deceive the people of the county, but it was just plausible enough to create sympathy for him, which he turned to good advantage on the eve of the election, as the result shows. Hyde's story that he paid last year's debts of the Agricultural Society out of his own pocket, and then waited for eight long months to pay himself back out of the receipts of this year, is too preposterous to be believed by any person in Mt. Vernon who has knowledge of his straightened financial condition. Men don't usually pay other people's debts, who are unable to pay their own; and yet Hyde managed to make a

great many people believe that this was so, who voted for him because they thought he was "persecuted." We now repeat, what we have said above, that the affairs of our Agricultural Society must receive a searching investigation, covering the last two or three years. Let the Society employ such men as Fred D. Sturges, A. R. McIntire, H. H. Greer, John D. Thompson, C. E. Critchfield, John S. Bradock, and Jack Butler to do this work, and it will be thoroughly done.

Mrs. Jenks's husband, according to a Washington dispatch to the *Philadelphia Times*, has been appointed a temporary clerk in the Treasury Department. The same paper says that Colonel Mosby has not yet gone to the scene of his duties in China, although he has been appointed more than a month. He has drawn a quarter's salary and is still about Washington. He will be a member of the President's party in the latter's trip to Montpelier, Va., the home of James Madison, on the 9th instant.

Five noble and wealthy English girls are about to take the veil, all having considerable fortunes in their own rights. They are Lady Elith Noel, daughter of the Earl of Gainsborough; the Hon. Constance Howard, sister of the Marchioness of Bute; two daughters of the Hon. Maxwell Stuart, of Traralgar, Peebleshire, and the youngest daughter of Mr. Blount, of Mapledurham, the representative of the staunch Catholic family among commoners in England.

A railroad in Tennessee, which cost \$8,000,000, was sold the other day by a receiver appointed to administer its affairs for just enough to cover his own fees and legal expenses. The stockholders held a meeting the next day and wrote said official a sarcastic letter, thanking him for not bringing them into debt. The receiver replied cheerfully, begging them not to mention it, and saying he was sufficiently rewarded in the consciousness of having done his duty.

The venerable George Bancroft, who while riding near the water-works at Newport, Tuesday evening, was thrown from his carriage with great violence, had the left side of his head badly cut and his left arm and shoulder injured, and possibly dislocated. Although suffering great pain he retained his consciousness. Four physicians were summoned, but the limb was so much swollen they could not determine whether or not it had been broken.

During the years 1877-78 about \$1,500,000 were left as bequests to twenty-two of the 358 American colleges. It seems certain that there is a gratifying increase of benevolence on the part of wealthy Americans to institutions of higher education. A good example was set in 1872, when the private bequests aggregated over \$11,000,000, the bulk of which, however, was included in the Baltimore John Hopkins University endowment fund.

It is proposed by certain Maine Republicans that in order to defeat the Democratic candidate for Governor in the Legislature, the Republicans in the Senate, when the names of candidates are sent to that body, shall divide their votes equally between the Democrat and the Greenback man, and throw the responsibility of selection entirely upon the eleven Greenback Senators, who will, of course, select Major Smith.

Our friends A. McGregor & Son, proprietors of the old and faithful *Stark County Democrat*, have commenced the publication of the *Canton Daily Democrat* in that go-ahead City. The Daily is a six-column paper, half the size of the weekly, and is a well gotten-up lively paper, full of news, and spicy editorials. We hope the enterprise will meet with all the success its enterprising publishers deserve, which is unbounded.

The Rev. Pepper delivered a violent political harangue on the public square on Monday night, which was replete with vile epithets and personal abuse heaped upon Democrats. We understand that one of the gentlemen abused by this Reverend mountebank wrote him a scorching letter, which would be a pretty souvenir for him to carry in his "tramps" up and down the earth.

A New National Bankrupt act is already projected, and by a body of business men—the Commercial Law Committee of the United States Board of Trade—who will undoubtedly endeavor to avoid the faults of the old law. But some years will have to elapse before Congress will attempt to frame a just and proper law, the prejudice against the old one being so great.

Recent and former observations of the prevalence of epidemic and miasmatic diseases confirm each the other as evidence going to show that the line of winter snow corresponds with the line separating the zone within which men have the greatest measure of physical health from the regions within which they are subject to a constant succession of miasmatic diseases, and to frequent and terribly fatal epidemics.

In August, 1877, 7,000,000 of letters were carried by the United States is what is known at the Post-Office Department as the Middle States division. In the same month this year 17,000,000 were carried in the same division. This marked increase of the use of our postal facilities is a plain and irrefutable indication of an improvement in the business affairs of the country.

Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks has nine times been elected a member of Congress from the Fifth District of Massachusetts; but he was defeated on Thursday in contest for a tenth term, Mr. S. Z. Bowman, a young lawyer of Somerville, carrying off the honor in the District Convention, on the fifteenth ballot, by only one majority.

All over the county the friends of Hyde sold out the other candidates on the Republican ticket to make votes for that "persecuted" individual. We are credibly informed that in Howard township this business was carried to the extent of trading three votes for one. John Body and Israel Green were the principal victims of this political chicanery.

Matt Carpenter has declined the Republican nomination for Congress in the Milwaukee district, not, however, till after the Convention had nominated some one else. However, as the district is Democratic by 5,700 majority, he is quite justified in regarding the grapes as sour.

South Carolina Republicans have sent complaints to Washington that the United States Fifth Artillery Band is constantly used at Democratic political meetings, and that the commander, Major Hunt, used the garrison as Democratic headquarters.

NEWS ITEMS.

Savage & Lyman, extensive Montreal jewelers, have failed. Liabilities very large.

Joseph P. Chamberlain, Representative in the Thirty-seventh Congress, died at Seneca Falls Saturday.

In a quarrel between some colored boys in Washington, D. C., James Walker was shot dead by Henry Watson.

A Calcutta dispatch reports great enthusiasm in the Indian army at the prospect of active service.

The hostile Indians in Western Nebraska are still being driven on before the advancing forces of troops.

A dispatch from Atlantic City announces the full recovery of Mrs. Gen. Sherman from her recent dangerous illness.

The Prince and Princess of Wales have signified their intention of witnessing the distribution of prizes at the Paris Exposition.

A private letter from Alex. H. Stephens says that his hemorrhages are subsiding, and there is a consequent improvement of his health.

The Emperor of Japan is again childless, his son, Takano Miya, born less than two years ago, having died on the 26th day of July last.

Saturday's cricket game, at Philadelphia, was a "draw," but the Americans, when time closed the game, were forty-three runs ahead.

Henry Greenbaum, late President of the Germania Savings Bank, of Chicago, was arrested Saturday on the charge of embezzling \$225,000.

Memphis is now the Niobe of Southern cities; its population of 40,000 only two months ago has been reduced to 2,500 whites and 6,000 Africans.

A Vienna correspondent says the Porte is showing a disposition to recognize Austrian occupation of Bosnia and Herzegovina as an accomplished fact.

Christopher Mann of Independence, Mo., has just celebrated his 105th birthday. He has a son only eight years old, and is the father of twenty-eight children.

Gilmore's Hotel and six other buildings at Junction City, Lane county, Oregon, burned Saturday. Loss about \$50,000. Insured for \$15,000. Incendiary.

In a steep chase near Montreal Saturday one man was thrown from his horse and killed, another had his arm broken and still another his wrist fractured.

At San Jose, California, Saturday, the trot between Fullerton, Occident and Nutwood was won by Fullerton in three straight heats. Time, 2:18, 2:20, 2:19.

The "President" and family will move into the Executive Mansion from the Soldiers' Home next week. The White House is being prepared for their reception.

Midhat Pasha telegraphs from Canaan, Crete, a denial of the statement that he suggested that the British Government should secure the cession of Crete to Greece.

Allen Shipp, John D. Sloan, Charles Keyzer and Wm. P. Cook, moonshiners from near the Arkansas and Missouri line, have been sent to the Penitentiary in default of bail.

Mr. H. M. Stanley, the explorer, has completed arrangements for the delivery of 100 lectures in various parts of Great Britain, embodying descriptions of his recent discoveries.

A rigid investigation has been ordered into the causes of, and to ascertain who was responsible for the explosion on the steamer *Adolph*, by which a number of lives were lost.

Pope Leo XIII. has expressed his satisfaction that pilgrimages to the Vatican have, under his pontificate, been resumed from all countries, and especially from the provinces of Italy.

The grand prize of 2,500 francs, offered by the Orientalist Congress for the best essay on the different phases of Aryan civilization in India, has been awarded to Dr. Immer of Germany.

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The first Chinese child's magazine has been started in Shanghai. It is published monthly, contains a variety of amusing and instructive matter, with illustrations, and is but 15 cents a year.

Willard Brown was arrested at Jackson, Mich., Saturday for stealing a stallion valued at \$1,500 from L. Hayman, of Troy, Ohio. The animal is in the hands of the officers, and Brown is in jail.

The Bank of Mons, a local branch of Glasgow Bank in the Isle of Man, held \$1,500,000 of deposits, about all the spare money in the island, and many persons are left destitute.

A Franklin special to the National American says John Thomas, colored, was caught and lynched on Saturday for the rape of a five-year-old daughter of James G. Shannon. He confessed his guilt.

The fall meeting of the St. Louis Jockey and Trotting Club was a very disastrous one financially, and the probabilities are that the Association will not attempt any further to popularize trotting in St. Louis.

It is rumored that Potter, one of the Directors of the City of Glasgow Bank, and who was also a member of the firm of Potter, Wilson & Co., had failed when the bank closed its doors, had large advances from the broken bank.

The last wire of the last cable of the East River bridge at New York, was run over Saturday afternoon, and the completion of this part of the work was greeted with the flinging out of flags, and loud cheers by the workmen on the anchorages.

The Norwegian brig *Patriot* arrived at Liverpool Saturday from Wilmington, N. C., with all hands, the captain and four men, down with swamp fever. One seaman was buried at sea on the 27th ult., on the 28th ult., and the first mate on the 30th.

The Secretary of War has again ordered the distribution of rations at New Orleans to the suffering destitute, and the work of aiding in sending funds, clothing and other material for relief still goes on in New York and many other places. Suffering in New Orleans is very general.

Another Devilish Outrage at Newark. NEWARK, O., Oct. 6.—Another case of rape was perpetrated just outside the corporate limits of this town this afternoon, the revolting particulars of which are as follows: A little eleven-year-old daughter of a Mr. Bates, a blacksmith, resident of Franklin's Addition, a suburb of Newark, was sent by her mother this afternoon, about 8 o'clock, on an errand to a neighbor's house, not far distant but on an unfrequented road. On passing a cornfield the girl was seized by one Birch Moore, taken into a thicket near by and the devilish act committed. The cries of the child were heard by a Mrs. Murphy, living not far from the scene of the outrage, but not in time to prevent it. Moore made his escape, but was arrested at his house, about one mile distant, soon after and identified by the girl as the one who committed the act. His clothing in fact is a witness against him. The indignation of our citizens is almost unbounded. Talk is being given the miscreant is freely indulged in by the excited crowds on every street corner. An extra force of police is guarding the city prison and law-abiding persons are counseling moderation. What the end of this will be, time alone can only tell.

Change of Programme.

New York Sun. What a contrast in the circus business between this year and last! Then Hayes and his Cabinet travelled together, and were the greatest show on earth. Now, as if alarmed or disgusted, each by the other, and all "with Hayes, they struggle about the country as far apart as possible. While Hayes was boldly assuring the people of Toledo that Michigan, Indiana and Ohio are all parts, and important parts, of the old Northwestern Territory, Wheeler, whose soul is above rivalry, was telling the Canton farmers that no spot in the wide world is so free from the notions now rocking society as St. Lawrence county. While Lawyer Everts hides himself in the recesses of Vermont, Erring Brother Key scuts as far as possible in the opposite direction, bringing up on the shores of the Pacific, and Schurz shows how "Federal officers should never engage in election campaigns."

At Cincinnati, the beautiful spectacle of Hayes and his Cabinet brethren assembled in harmony on one platform is no longer seen; each is running a circus of his own.

A Mystery Wrapped Up In Grapes. ZANESVILLE, Ohio, Oct. 5.—On last Wednesday afternoon two young ladies came to Elly's Station, on the Muskingum Valley Railroad, arriving there a little after two o'clock. One of the ladies handed Charles F. Mercer, telegraph operator at that station, a lot of grapes, carefully wrapped in paper, and asked him to keep them at the time, laid them aside. Afterward Mr. Mercer ate the grapes. In about an hour after he was taken very sick, vomiting and going into violent convulsions, which lasted over an hour. Ladies residing at the station came to his assistance, and administered such remedies as were at their command. In about two hours Mr. Mercer was dead.

Mr. Mercer was a telegraph key, and told the operator Dresden to send a physician to him at once. Dr. Dorsey started immediately, and remained with him all night. The doctor pronounced the symptoms undoubtedly those of poisoning by arsenic. Grapes given to children about the station by the same ladies were eaten with impunity. The whole affair is a mystery.

Murders a Woman in Church. NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—The worshippers at 8 o'clock mass this morning in St. Francis Xavier's Church, West Sixteenth street, were startled by seeing a man approach a woman in one of the center pews and plunge a large knife into her body, without a moment's warning. The would-be assassin then fled from the church, followed by about a hundred of the congregation. He was at length arrested. The woman was meanwhile taken to the hospital and found to be suffering from a severe and deep cut in the abdomen. Her name is Mary Logan, landress of the Hoffman House. The prisoner's name is John Carpenter, living at the corner of Grand and Clinton streets. Carpenter, who has been separated from his wife for some time, went to church this morning, knowing her to be in attendance there, intending to kill her; but being half drunk he mistook Mrs. Logan for his wife and plunged the knife into her.

Terrible Trip Across the Ocean. NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The hatches on the steamer City of Chester, that came in port to-day were opened this evening to allow the unloading of freight. When the men descended into the hold they were amazed at finding a man lying on a pile of freight boxes in a famished condition. He had been there the entire voyage, across the sea, the hold having been undisturbed all that time. He was brought to the deck and restoratives and food administered. He said his name was James Donnelly, from Scotland, twenty-three years old. He secured himself in the hold with the purpose of coming to this country, having no money. Eleven days the trip lasted, and Donnelly starved in darkness. He had no food, and driven to desperation by thirst, drank his own urine.—He was sent to the hospital.

Lake Champlain's sea serpent is vouched for by Prof. Markes of the University of Pennsylvania and Prof. Owen of the Sherman Academy at Port Henry, N. Y. They say that they saw the monster while sailing a few days ago. It was moving through the water at a rapid rate, having the back of the head two large folds projecting above the water, and at some distance, say fifty feet or more behind, two more folds at what was apparently the tail. As it passed along in its course the head would go under the water and lift itself above at a distance easily discernible. The motion was similar to that of a snake, sinuous and undulating. They could easily distinguish the head as it appeared above the water and the motion of the folds. It was within plain sight for some five or more minutes. The smoothness of the lake proves satisfactorily to the Professors that they were not deceived in believing that the object was a marine monster of some description.

Mr. J. P. Pattmann, a German traveler who has been visiting the five regions upon the Amor River, will on Tuesday next, deliver a lecture before the German Scientific Union upon the "Country of the Amor and its Inhabitants." Mr. Pattmann has repeatedly lectured upon these subjects in the large cities of Germany, and especially before the geographical societies of Munich and Frankfurt.

The inhabitants of these remote lands are in many respects unlike those of any other part of the world, and some of their customs are strange indeed.

The cost of the Paris Exposition building is set down at 50,000,000 francs, and the receipts for the entire show are estimated at 21,500,000 francs, but it is calculated that the government and the municipality will not receive more than 10,000,000 francs from it in the form of customs duties, taxes on railroads, omnibuses and cabs, stamps for letters and dispatches, and excise duties on wines and liquors.

Two men were under arrest on suspicion of murder in Covel, Cal. The evidence against them was slight, and subsequently they demonstrated their innocence, but the bare fact of accusation was convincing to a mob, and the jail was surrounded, the intention being to hang the prisoners. The jailer was of an unpopular mind. He fired on the mob, killing its leader and effectually dispersing it.

Mr. Halstead writes a graphic account of the Cincinnati Commercial of the recent beheading of two murderers at Paris. "The execution by guillotine," he says, "is certainly more impressive than that by hanging, and if it is the purpose of the State to make a spectacle of the death of a felon awful, the French succeed."

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We shall keep the best Goods the market will afford and sell at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD, and hope by our promptness and careful attention to business to merit and receive a liberal share of the patronage of this community.

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SAMUEL E. BARR,
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We invite the special attention of Physicians and County Merchants to our large stock and will sell at WHOLE-SALE to them as low as they can buy elsewhere. CALL AND SEE US.

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MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, Oct. 11, 1878-m3

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We are determined to continue to lead the Clothing trade, and to maintain also the high reputation which we have acquired.

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Remember that we will sell goods at lower prices than any yet quoted by anybody; no exception made, and that this is not idle talk, but we mean what we say. REMEMBER THE PLACE!

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J. Sperry & Co. New Fall Goods.

HAVE THE
Cleanest, Lightest, Sweetest, Best
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Well Stocked with Newest
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DRY GOODS,
RUGS, MATS,
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Ever Shown in Central Ohio.

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Near the South-west Corner
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THE BANNER.

MOUNT VERNON, OCT. 11, 1878

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The weather prophets are predicting a long and cold winter.

Rabbit shooting may be done legally after the 15th of this month.

The State has furnished the Ohio National Guard with 1200 new duck waders.

We should be delighted to have a call from any subscriber in arrears with the BANNER.

The new iron bridge over the creek, near Gains' Mill, Gambier, was completed last week.

The Tennesseans assisted the choir of the Church of the Holy Spirit at Gambier, last Sunday.

Copies of the BANNER, with or without wrappers, can always be had at the office for five cents.

A young man from a neighboring town broke off an engagement because the girl named her pet calf after him.

Trade dollars and Mexican dollars are at 10 per cent. discount, but are taken at par at this office on subscription.

Rev. Howard Kingsbury, the late pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, Newark, died at Amherst, Mass., recently.

October glows on every cheek.

While up the hill and down the dale Her crimson banners fly.

In many places in Ohio, the boards of School Directors are attempting the enforcement of the Compulsory education law.

As the days grow shorter the appetite incescently. Beware lest greediness breedeth serious ills and bringeth tribulation.

All the ways of man are clear in his own eyes, except the way the delinquent subscriber has in not paying for his newspaper.

The full fashions announce a great change in the shape of ladies' hats. Brown brims will be worn with much larger crowns.

The Philadelphia Press believes that the howling of a dog always brings a death. Not always; sometimes the old gun don't go off as fast as the dog.

Somebody called Hays a soft money man, whereupon the Burlington Hawkeye—a radical sheet—suggests that the word "money" be stricken out.

Married, at the home of the bride, near Fredericktown, Oct. 3, 1878, by Rev. W. M. Ferguson, Mr. John A. Merrin and Miss Mervie J. Lyon, all of this county.

Ribbon bows, with long flowing ends, are fastened on the left side of the waist. In fact, bows of ribbons will form one of the chief dress garniture of the season.

The earth is now passing a portion of its annual orbit in which meteoric display are of frequent nightly occurrence, and which will justify a few hours less sleep to witnes.

Nothing, says an exchange, makes a man so mad as to get about five blocks away from the dentist's and make the alarming discovery that he had the wrong tooth pulled.

The ice-cream season is over, young man and you can come forth from your lair and fan and rekindle that otherwise unyielding spark of love in the breast of your girl and self.

It is a common occurrence these days to see a man with a joint of stove-pipe under his arm walking hurriedly toward his home, and it reminds one of the coal bin being looking after.

It is stated that W. C. Quincy, formerly of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has been appointed General Manager and taken charge of the Pittsburgh and Youngstown railroad.

The Newark Rolling Mill has been purchased by Mr. John M. Bronson, of Pittsburgh, a son of the Rev. James I. Bronson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of this city.

The woman who doesn't put up any preserves this fall will miss the torture that some will experience about Christmas time, when they open jars after jar only to find every one spoiled.

A raptured writer inquires: "What, is there under heaven more 'humanizing,' or, if we may use the term, more angelizing than the black eye in a woman?"

Answer: Two black eyes.

Judge Eliaz Abbott, one of the pioneers of Ohio, died at Granville, Licking county, on Friday last, aged 78 years.

He was associate Judge of Licking county under the old Constitution.

A correspondent furnishes the Columbus Journal information that the locusts were here in 1863 and as they put in an appearance every seventeen years, they will be on hand again in 1880.

This is the season of the year when the night air is very dangerous, but the girls face death at front gates with the same heroism which has always been one of the chief adornments of the sex.

A good many men, old and young, about these times, are made to swear by cuss-words when they go to look for their last winter's heavy woolen clothes and find that they have been worked up into a rag-carpet.

A cheap revolver is a handy thing to have about the house. A Newark man drew one in a lottery, and when his wife tried to shoot him with it, it exploded and shattered her wrist so that her arm had to be amputated.

An ounce of kernels from peach stones contains enough hydrocyanic (prussic) acid to kill an adult person. Watch your children and see that they are not permitted to feast on peach seeds if you desire to raise them.

A new military company called the "Levering Guards," has been organized in Mt. Gleed, and Hon. Allen Levering, after whom they took their name, made them a present of \$100, in acknowledgment of the honor conferred.

The Newark American boasts that tramps who are on their return trip from the West to the East, do not honor that place by making a friendly call, because they do not wish to make the acquaintance of the Newark police.

Gold-dollars are no more popular than silver ones. They are as much too small as the others are too large, and paper is better than either. However, we take any of it at par—when offered us. Terms, \$2.00 per annum, invariably in advance, if we can get it.

The Cleveland, Mt. Vernon & Columbus Railroad, had an increase last year of 14.5 per cent. in the freight business, and a loss of 8.3 in the passenger and 13.3 in the miscellaneous. The increase in the gross was 41.4 per cent. The deficit for the year was \$410,257, which left the deficit balance at \$989,851.

The Newark Driving Park Association will hold their Fall Meeting for 1878, on the 15th, 16th and 17th of October.

The races promise to be unusually good. Mt. Vernon will send down a good delegation.

Monday last was the feast of Yon Kipur, or day of Atonement, in the Jewish church. Although there is no Hebrew church in Mt. Vernon, yet all the people of that faith privately observed the festival in a becoming manner.

Mathew Russell, late of Steubenville, deceased, left by will \$30,000 to the benevolent institutions of Ohio, of which \$18,000 will go to the Central Lunatic Asylum at Columbus, and \$12,000 to the Deaf and Dumb Asylum of the same city.

Many of our farmers are feeding their hogs new corn. This is right. Put all the flesh upon them you can before we have cold weather. One bushel of corn now will be equal to one and a half bushels when the weather is inclement.

We call attention to the advertisement of Messrs. Tudor & Barr, druggists, successors to Israel Green. Mr. Tudor is one of our solid citizens, and Mr. Barr is an accomplished druggist. They will make a strong team, and will do a good business.

A telegram was received in this city on Wednesday from Nashville, Tenn., announcing the death of Henry McGaughey, from yellow fever. Deceased was a native of Mt. Vernon, and was recently married here, when he went to Tennessee to engage in railroading.

Sheriff Gay desires us to express his thanks both to his Democratic friends for their earnest efforts in his behalf, and to his Republican friends (about one thousand in number) who honored him with their votes and influence on last Tuesday, when he was so triumphantly re-elected to the Sheriffship.

The Opera House Dramatic Company will visit Fredericktown on next Saturday evening, on which occasion they will produce that pleasing Irish drama, "Robert Emmet." We hope they will be liberally patronized, for their efforts are worthy such reward. Special rates are offered on the R. & O. road to parties who may wish to attend from Mt. Vernon.

"The Modern Argosy" is the title of a new literary paper that comes to us from Columbus, the first number being issued on Saturday last. It is a six column quarto, beautifully printed on new type, and is filled with original and selected sketches, choice miscellany, spicy editorials, gossip, pungent paragraphs, etc. A. H. Dooley, proprietor. The editor's name is not given, but we presume it is Mr. Jackson. \$2 per annum. Success to The Argosy.

Rev. William French, of Cleveland, preached at Gambier last Sunday.

Mr. A. M. Stadler spent last Sunday and Monday, at his home in Urbana.

Mr. Sanford Cunningham, of Newark, spent last Monday with friends in this city.

Miss Jennie Newton left on Tuesday for North Amherst, to visit Mrs. George C. Worthington.

The Misses Woodward, of Bellevue are the guests of Mr. G. B. Putwin, of Gambier avenue.

Miss Ella Sturges left for Chicago, on last Sunday, accompanied by her uncle of Zanesville, to visit friends.

Miss Flora Starke, of Morrow, Ohio, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Belle Beam, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Rogers, accompanied by her son Orlo, left on Tuesday for Belmont, Kan., and thence to Denver, Colorado, where her son John resides.

Mr. J. W. Donovan, the polite and gentlemanly manager of the Tennesseans, was in the city on last Saturday, and honored the BANNER office with a call.

Galion Inquirer: Chas. W. Bechtel and bride returned from Mt. Vernon on Saturday, and Charley has taken his old run on the Bee Line express as though nothing unusual had occurred.

Newark Advocate: Miss Laura Jones and Miss Clara Atherton (daughter of Hon. G. Atherton,) arrived home from their European tour, on Saturday last. The ladies were absent three months, and returned in good health and greatly delighted with their trip.

Narrow Escape from Death. Miss Lizzie Wallace, living near Hunt's Station (a cousin by marriage to Mr. P. C. Lane, of this city), attended the Newark Fair on last Thursday, and while walking around the ground came near losing her life by being struck with a stray bullet fired by a man who was shooting at a target. The ball was of 22-calibre, and after passing through an inch board, and wounding another young lady on a hand, passed through the skin covering the stomach, from right to left, about a distance of five inches. The wound, although painful, is not dangerous, and the lady will recover. She is attended by Dr. Rogers, of Ulica. This target-shooting at County Fairs has become a nuisance, and should be abated. Too much of it was done at our own county fair for the safety of those who attended.

Grangers' Fair at Bladensburg. The Patrons of Husbandry, of the Southern portion of Knox county, had a grand fair at Bladensburg, on Saturday last, which was largely attended by the farmers, and their wives, sons and daughters. One building was devoted to the exhibition of agricultural products, such as wheat, rye, corn, oats, fruits and all kinds of vegetables. Another building was devoted to an exhibition of domestic fabrics, fancy work, needle work, flowers, plants, etc. Altogether, it was a pleasing and satisfactory exhibition, and the Grangers were pleased and happy.

New York Wool Market. Walter Brown & Co.'s Monthly Wool Circular for the month of October reports but little apparent change in the Eastern Wool Markets for the previous month.

The following are the quotations for OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA AND VIRGINIA:

XXX and Picklock.....40 1/2
XX.....35 1/2
X.....30 1/2
No. 1.....25 1/2
No. 2.....20 1/2
Common.....15 1/2
Combing.....10 1/2

How to Get Sick. Expose yourself day and night; eat too much without exercise; work too hard without rest; doctor all the time; take all the vile nostrums advertised, and then you will want to know.

Which is answered in three words—Take Hop Bitters! See other column.

The man is decidedly Green who fails to protect his Body by some of those warm Underwear to be found at BALDWIN'S. They are Gray and you had better Graden one fatter.

Look at the 4 Hats! } At Baldwin's.
Look at the 10c Trunks! }

"SCRATCH." "SCRATCH." The Entire Democratic County Ticket Triumphantly Elected, Despite the Bitterest Opposition.

It is estimated that fully fifty gross of lead pencils were consumed on Tuesday last, by the "scratches" of all parties. The day was a most glorious one—sunshine and delightful breezes prevailing—giving hope and encouragement to the candidate and inspiring him to labor. But what a time! All the available carriages and vehicles, both private and to hire, were brought into use, and the voting precincts never bore more evidence of activity and interest in the results of the day. Old-timers say that never before in all their experience can they recollect a time when the voters came to the polls with their minds made up and so fully prepared to vote. The candidate, the politician, the rallying-committeeman, each stood with his hand full of tickets ready to pounce upon the unwary elector, and persuade him to change his ticket. But "no, I thank you," would be the response, "I have my ticket already prepared," and up to the ballot-box he would march, carefully drawing a ballot from his vest pocket, and deposit it in the hands of one of the Judges.

In the evening the count was prolonged by reason of the heavy "scratching" that occurred. Some of these tickets would be to preserve as curiosities. For instance, one would be of the long "home-landed" national tickets, that would have nearly all the candidates scratched off, and the names of the Democratic or Republican candidates substituted; then out would come a Democratic ticket treated in the same way, and then a Republican ballot would appear having gone through the same course of doctored. While the Democracy may well feel proud of the success of their entire county ticket, they should be especially jubilant over the fact that their candidate for Clerk of the Court, Samuel J. Brent, was elected in the face of the money that was freely spent to secure votes against him; the religious prejudice that was aroused, and the large number of Democratic traitors that labored from morning until night to secure his defeat—some of them men, who have been honored by the Democratic party in times past, by remunerative positions, and others with political aims and ambitions. Some of these latter will find that their actions on last Tuesday will be brought up in judgment against them, when they appeal to the Democracy to show them political preference.

Sensational Suicide at Denver. DENVER, COLO., October 7.—This community was shocked yesterday by a report that Eben W. Keys had committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart, a report which proved true.

The cause of the rash act is attributed to domestic difficulties, which culminated August 20 in the desertion of his wife, who, during his temporary absence in Colorado, had left the city, taking with her her four children, aged sixteen, ten and eight. The homestead was in her name and he was ordered by her attorneys to leave it on the day he killed himself. "He declared he never would leave the home alive, and he did not. He retired as usual Saturday night, and Sunday morning was found dead, the fatal ball passing through the body and the head. He will be buried Wednesday, and the public schools of Denver out of respect will be closed that day. His wife, was Miss Carleton, of his former home, Newton, Mass. Keys had numerous friends in St. Louis, and some relations in Kirkwood.

Fight with Tennessee Moonshiners. NASHVILLE, TENN., October 7.—Deputy United States Revenue Collector Phillips has returned a raid in Overton, Jackson, Fentress and Putnam counties. Several illicit distilleries were destroyed, ranging in value from one hundred to three hundred dollars. On the 3d inst. the party reached Crawford's Mill, a few miles from Livingston. When the party was about to cross the river several armed men were noticed on the top of the bluff on the opposite side of the river. A detachment of the Revenue force were sent higher up the river, crossed and approached the enemy from the rear. They found a force estimated at fifty men armed with long-range rifles, awaiting them. Firing immediately began and continued until the ammunition of the Revenue force was nearly exhausted, compelling them to retreat. It is reported four of the distillers were killed and several wounded.

The horse that carried Sheridan into the fray from Winchester, sixteen miles away, is dead. He was a jet-black colt, with a small white star, standing black high, and three years old when presented to the General, then colonel of the Second Michigan Cavalry, in 1862. Rienzi was his name at first, from the fight in Mississippi, but after the famous "Fido" he was always known as Winchester. The General had not ridden since the war closed. A Rochester taxidermist is to prepare and set up the skin of the horse.

The General Conference of Canadian Methodist Clergymen in a three-days' discussion of whether pastors should be long or short, at length decided by a small majority in favor of the short term. Those who favored five years of continual service in one church urged that a pastor's first year was lost because his time must be occupied in becoming acquainted with his flock. The other side side argued that where the clergyman was not efficient, or made himself disagreeable, it were better to keep him going.

Mr. T. William Thorne has just been nominated for Congress in North Carolina. He is the gentleman who was expelled from the Legislature in 1874 for publishing a pamphlet denying the existence of a God. His trial before a committee of the House caused much excitement at the time, and was attended by many clergymen from all parts of the country.

Mrs. FANNIE PARKER will open a nice selection of fine Millinery, for the inspection of her friends and customer, on Thursday Oct. 10th, in her rooms in the Hooker Block. Entrance West Gambier Street—up stairs.

Men's Underwear, all prices, at BALDWIN'S.

Extra Liability to Malarial Infection. Persons whose blood is thin, digestion weak and liver sluggish, are extra-labile to the attacks of malarial disease. The most trifling exposure may, under such conditions, infect a system which, if healthy, would resist the malarial taint. The only way to secure immunity from malarial in localities where it is prevalent, is to tone and regulate the system by improving weakened digestion, enriching the blood, and giving a wholesome impetus to biliary secretion. These results are accomplished by acting so effectively as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which long experience has provided to be the most reliable safeguard against fever and ague, and kindred diseases, as well as the best remedy for them. The Bitters are, moreover, an excellent invigorant of the organs of nutrition, and an active depurative, eliminating from the blood those impurities which originate rheumatic ailments.

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OHIO STATE NEWS. The Union Life Association, of Newark, Ohio, has been incorporated by Charles Pollett and others.

Diphtheria is raging in Cleveland. The Health Officer reported twenty-five deaths from the disease last week, up to Friday.

Mr. H. B. West, late of the Put-in-Bay House, has succeeded in his negotiation for the Shawhan House at Tiffin, of which he will take possession Oct. 10th.

The second trial of Charles McGill, who shot Mary Kelly on Cross street, Cleveland, and was granted a new trial by the Supreme Court, will be taken up Thursday.

Last Sunday night Frank Kinney, a watchman at Tunnel No. 17, P. C. and St. L. Railroad, near Bloomfield Station, was struck by the fast line East and killed immediately.

About four o'clock Sunday morning thieves visited Gottlieb Mounds, a wealthy farmer living nine miles west of Cardington, taking three horses, harness, wagon and thirty bushels of wheat.

Sunday afternoon Andy Clark, of Cleveland, a brakeman on the Atlantic and Great Western Railway, died from injuries received by falling under the cars, when both legs were cut off.

George W. McCook and Miss Anna Gill were married Thursday afternoon at three o'clock, at the residence of the bride's mother on North Fourth street, Steubenville. Rev. J. A. Worden officiated.

About thirty tramps made a demonstration against the city prison at Akron on Friday, threatening to release their incarcerated brethren, but they were dispersed by the prompt action of the police.

The wonderful vitality of Loman Griffin, who has lately died in Lodi, O., aged 106, was shown by the fact that he breathed several days after his limbs were lifeless, although he had not eaten for a week.

The Pan Handle authorities sold off the goods at Steubenville a few days ago, taken from the train wrecked by the floods. Calicoes and other goods went off very cheap. Coffee, which was somewhat damaged by getting wet, was given away to the poor.

A work train on the Toledo and Ann Arbor railroad was thrown from the track on Monday, and Engineer Richard Nasby, of Wooster, Ohio, and Edward Adams, brakeman, of Deerfield, Michigan, were killed. Six or seven workmen on the train were more or less injured.

A negro named Wade, living near Greenville, O., who bore a bad character, was on two occasions notified to leave the country. These warnings he disregarded. Sunday night he was attacked by an armed mob. In endeavoring to escape from his house, he was shot.

The wife of William Turner, residing a few miles north of Marion, fell dead while sitting in her chair Saturday afternoon. Supposed heart disease. Captain Carlos M. Crawford, aged fifty, living at Marion died suddenly Saturday in Smiley's saloon with an epileptic fit.

John Limber, a pottery hand, visited the fair at Akron, on Friday, got drunk and laid down on the railroad track near Tallmadge, and was struck in the head by the night freight train. He was horribly mangled and death must have been instantaneous. He leaves a wife and six children.

The Toledo Bee has made charges against County Clerk Enright, accusing him with forming a conspiracy to extort penalty for delinquent taxes from certain parties. Enright had the editors and publishers arrested on a charge of libel, and the case commenced on Monday of this week.

The barn of William Branchner, near Canton, Ohio, was burned to the ground Friday night. Supposed to have been set on fire by tramps. Two thousand bushels of wheat, other grain, hay, farm machinery and fourteen head of cattle were burned. Loss, \$5,000. No insurance.

Last Saturday morning, Warren Seney committed suicide at the residence of his father, Josiah Seney, near Chillicothe, by shooting himself in the head with a pistol. He had been a hopeless invalid for some time, suffering terribly from spinal disease. He was 28 years of age and married.

The Zanesville Signal, last week, says: The question of admitting colored pupils to the High School was again brought up at the Board of Education meeting last Tuesday evening, and that body once again expressed its determination to provide a separate room and special teacher for applicants of that color and class.

John Butler, aged eighteen years, of Westfield, Morrow county, while out hunting on Tuesday night of last week, with his father and twin brother, climbed a tree to shake down a con, when the limb he was on broke and he was precipitated sixty feet to the ground and instantly killed.

Joseph Springer, of New Lisbon, was buried on the 13th inst., in a grave dug and walled with brick by his own hands several years ago, his body encased in a cherry coffin manufactured to order by the late James Barnes at about the same time the grave was prepared. He died on his eightieth birthday.

Two brothers named William and Daniel Carpenter, living near Middle-town, Friday night got into a difficulty, the former getting the latter down in the road, pounded him about the face and head until he became unconscious, and then left him. He was found shortly afterward and brought to town. His recovery is doubtful.

In Revenna, O., between six and seven o'clock Saturday night, Mrs. Mary McGrogan was seized and dragged a short distance from the sidewalk and horribly outraged by two roughs, thought to be tramps. Mrs. McGrogan was insensible when found, about seven o'clock. The scene where she was stopped was in the heart of the city and highly populated.

Benjamin F. Leroy, the oldest inmate of the Soldiers' Home, died in the hospital at Dayton, on Sunday. He was in his hundredth year, and was a veteran, having fought in many battles, among which was that of Lundy's Lane. He was a quiet and interesting old gentleman and much endeared to all the inmates, and his kindly face will be missed by the regular visitors of the Home, who have often listened to his tales of the war of '12.

A Mrs. Mary McGrogan, of Ravenna, as she was walking along the sidewalk in the heart of that city, Saturday evening, was seized by two roughs, supposed to be tramps, and dragged from the sidewalk and there horribly outraged. She was found insensible a half hour afterward. No exact time was stopped, but although the officers were using every endeavor to find the scoundrels, and if found it was claimed they would be hung to the lamp posts at once.

FOREIGN NEWS. Lord Chelmsford, formerly Lord Chancellor of England, is dead.

The Grand Orient of France (Free Masons) has sent Minister Noyes a thousand francs for the fever-stricken sufferers of the South.

There is great distress among the laboring class at Rome, and both the Pope and King Humbert are taking measures for their relief.

A Vienna correspondent says the Porte is showing less disposition to recognize Austrian occupation of Bosnia and Herzegovina as an accomplished fact.

The Serbian Government has received the Porte's reply to a request for the restoration of diplomatic relations. The reply is most amicable, and desires a revival of friendship.

Sir Francis Grant, the famous portrait painter, and President of the Royal Academy, died suddenly Saturday, and there is much mourning with respect to the choice of his successor.

An imperial decree has been published accepting the resignations of the whole Hungarian ministry, but ordering them to remain in administration of affairs until the appointment of their successors.

Dispatches from Rome, collated with those from Berlin and Paris, show that the negotiations between the Vatican and the German Government are still in progress, and that the Pope is not inclined to believe that they will be successful.

The Porte has sent a circular to the Powers requesting them to compel Austria to conform to the declarations of her plenipotentiaries at the Congress, and to stop the advance and excesses of her troops pending decision of the Powers.

Dispatches from Berlin say that Prince Bismarck is pressed to resign unless the Socialists be passed without further amendment to the law of the press, and upon the action of the committee, and it is deemed very doubtful whether any compromise can be effected.

Yet Another Poisoning Case. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Mrs. Margaret Mooney and John Sexton, of the town of Perinton, Monroe county, were locked in jail in this city yesterday, charged with the murder of James Mooney, husband of the first named prisoner. Mooney died on Wednesday last. Shortly after his death Mrs. Mooney and Sexton appeared in Fairport together and endeavored to obtain the permission of the Catholic priest there to have the deceased buried at once. Sexton and the woman had been suspiciously intimate for some time past. The priest suspected that all was not right, and telegraphed to the coroner. Fairley of this city. The coroner took charge of the body and held an investigation. It was proved that Mrs. Mooney had purchased some ounces of arsenic in the drug-store on Fairport on the 27th of September, and on the day that Mooney died had obtained fifteen grains of strychnine at another store. Mooney had suffered for a week with violent gastric pains, vomiting and had been treated by Dr. W. S. Fuller.

The verdict of the coroner's jury was that Mooney came to his death by poison administered by his wife, and decided that Sexton should be held as an accomplice to the crime. The stomach of Mooney is to be submitted to chemical analysis.

A nice election scandal is talked about in Canada. At the close of the poll in the Minister of Justice's county, according to the story, the returning officer pretended to be sick, put the ballots into a sideboard, which he locked up, and went to see the doctor. A man a lot of ballots had been placed in the sideboard, and upon the floor and the bottom of the sideboard. So soon as the coast was clear he came up, selected a sufficient number of opposition ballots, replaced them with Lafontaine tickets, and vanished.

UNFORTUNATE VICTIMS who have lost Hats on Election will buy of "BALDWIN THE HATTER."

Hall's Husking Pins only 5 cents at BALDWIN'S.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE KNOX COUNTY NATIONAL BANK, of Mt. Vernon, in the State of Ohio, at close of business, October 1, 1878.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$125,479.30
Overdrafts.....	2,508.73
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	100,000.00
Individual deposits.....	2,114.15
Due from other National Banks.....	1,100.75
Due from State Banks and bankers.....	1,655.72
Due from State and National Banks.....	6,380.10
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	968.03
Other cash and other items.....	1,220.87
Bills of other National Banks.....	6,688.00
Fractional Currency (including nickels).....	73.55
Specie—Coin.....	135.00
Gold-tender.....	2,114.15
5 per cent. Redemption Fund.....	4,500.00
	\$264,551.86

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	8,506.25
Undivided profits.....	14,981.45
National bank notes outstanding.....	80,400.00
Individual deposits.....	29,876.51
Demands of Clothing and Grocers.....	2,828.70
Due to other National Banks.....	213.48
Due to State Banks and bankers.....	213.48
	\$264,551.86

State of Ohio, Knox County, ss: JOHN E. EWART, Cashier of the Knox County National Bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of October, 1878. JOHN S. BRADDOCK, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: C. COOPER, Notary Public. H. L. CRIST, Directors. October 11, 1878.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Knox County Savings Bank, of Mt. Vernon, in the State of Ohio, before the commencement of business on the first Monday of October, 1878.

RESOURCES.

Loans on Real Estate.....	\$ 90,000.00
All other Loans and Discounts.....	52,171.67
Overdrafts.....	2,533.33
United States Bonds on hand.....	1,750.00
State Bonds.....	0.00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages.....	15,738.88
Due from other Banks and Bankers.....	14,915.35
Real Estate.....	0.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,000.00
Current Expenses.....	961.07
Premium on Bonds.....	0.00
Cash Items.....	2,646.29
Gold Coin, 500 Silver Coin.....	1,076.43
United States Bonds.....	12,500.00
United States Notes.....	18,650.00
	\$124,995.02

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	1,200.00
Undivided profits.....	14,981.45
State Bank Notes outstanding.....	0.00
Dividends unpaid.....	0.00
Individual deposits.....	29,876.51
Due to Banks and Bankers.....	1,308.08
Bills and Bills re-discounted.....	0.00
Bills payable.....	0.00
	\$124,995.02

State of Ohio, Knox County, ss: J. SAMUEL H. ISRAEL, Cashier of the Knox County Savings Bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Seventh day of October, 1878. WM. M. KOONE, Notary Public, Knox Co. O.

This Institution was incorporated September 13th, 1873, under the laws of Ohio, and commenced business December 20th, 1873. SAMUEL H. ISRAEL, Cashier. Oct. 11, 1878.

A LAY to Agents canvassing for the FIFTH VOLUME of the "FARMER'S FRIEND," Address P. O. VICTORY, Augusta, Maine.

Miss Nellie Thurston, who has made more than one hundred balloon ascensions in central and northern New York in the last six years without an accident, ascended on Onondaga on Friday in a balloon. In sixty minutes she was safely landed in Buddington Flats, Onondaga County, sixty-five miles away. "It was the finest as well as the fastest ride I ever took," she said. While a mile from earth she tossed a pigeon belonging to the Onondaga Community. The bird seemed bewildered in the clouds, the gale, and the approaching darkness, and for some minutes hovered around the balloon. Then it shot downward; but it has not been seen since.

John Evans dropped into Tyring, Mass., two years ago, from nobody knows where. He would never explain who or what he was; but he soon became popular, and married the daughter of a resident. A few days ago he quit the table in the midst of dinner, went out of Tyring, and has not been there since. Why he disappeared is as much a mystery as where he came from. Even his wife only knows that while he remained he was a kind husband.

The German Government has paid the utmost attention to the piscicultural establishment of Hunenigen, which passed the hands from 1871 to 1873. Some two million salmon have gone thence to the Rhine, and as many other young fish to the rivers of Upper Alsatin, with the result that fish are now plentiful in those waters and have become once more cheap.

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

Wheat, 82¢/bush; Corn, 35¢; Oats 20¢; Rye, 40¢; Clover Seed, \$3.50; Flax Seed, \$1.25; Timothy Seed, 80¢.

LOCAL NOTICES. Where You Can Buy the Banner. THE BANNER can be had each week, immediately after it goes to press, at the Bookstores of Taft & Co. and Chase & Cassil, and also at the News Stand of Geo. Bann, Jr., Curtis House.

Poland China Shoats. For sale, a few choice Poland China Shoats. Inquire of JOHN LITZENBERG, Oct. 11/3 3 miles South of Mt. Liberty.

Wanted. A good Trimmer for Millinery, at New York City Store. Oct. 11-1.

Hall's Husking Gloves \$1.25 at BALDWIN'S.

Farmers sell your Apples to Geo. D. Neal, Mt. Vernon, O. Oct. 11-2.

Young men see Stadler's elegant stock of business and dress suits before you buy. Equal to custom work. Sep. 27-4.

Farmers sell your Apples to Geo. D. Neal, Mt. Vernon, O.

On account of Holiday Monday, my store will be closed, will re-open same evening at 6:30. A. M. STADLER.

Farmers sell your Apples to Geo. D. Neal, Mt. Vernon, O.

We wish our friends to call and see our elegant line of Black Cashmires. They are remarkable for their fine texture, superior dry and softness of wool, at Browning & Sperry's.

Hello! Have you heard the news? The Young America Clothing House have bought so many Goods they can't get them in the store. They are stocked to the ceiling and out on the sidewalk. Overcoats, Dress Coats, Sack Coats, Suits and Underwear by the hundred, all new and fresh, from their own manufactory, and they are bound to sell or give them away to make room as the more coming. Go and see them. Corner Main and Vine street, Woodward Block.

Boys and Childrens Clothing, in an endless variety, at Stadler's One Price Clothing House.

We still keep those splendid home-made blankets at bottom prices. Browning & Sperry.

A large variety of all wool home-made Flannels in dress and shirting style, at lower figure than any one offers them, at Browning & Sperry's.

The cheapest trimming Velvets in Mt. Vernon, at Browning & Sperry's.

The best unaltered Shirts ever offered for sale, at Browning & Sperry's. \$2.75.

Good Cashmere suits at Stadler's. One Price Clothing House, for \$5, \$7 and \$8. Sep. 27-11.

A genuine Guinet Black Silk for \$1.25, superior to anything offered for \$1.50 per yard, at Browning & Sperry's.

Do not forget that Stadler has just received his entire new, elegant Fall and Winter stock. It is immense. Sep.

