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The Banner.

Official Paper of the County

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FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT. 3, 1875.



Democratic State Ticket.

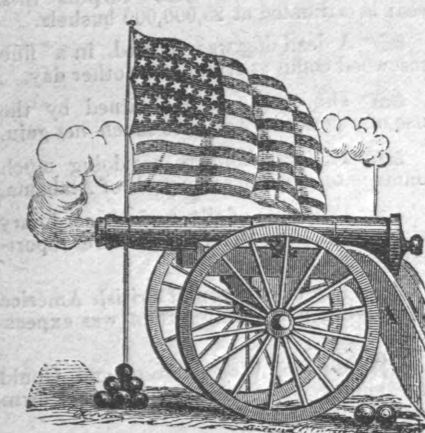
FOR GOVERNOR OF OHIO,
WILLIAM ALLEN.
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
SAMUEL F. CARY.
SUPREME JUDGE,
THOMAS A. ASHURN.
ATTORNEY GENERAL,
THOMAS E. POWELL.
AUDITOR OF STATE,
EDWARD M. GREEN.
TREASURER OF STATE,
JOHN SHREINER.
MEMBER BOARD PUBLIC WORKS,
HENRY E. OHAGAN.

FOR SENATOR,
JOHN AULT, Wayne county.

Democratic County Ticket.

For Representative—**ABEL HART.**
For Auditor—**SAMUEL NICHOLS.**
For Treasurer—**LEWIS BRITTON.**
Probate Judge—**BROWN K. JACKSON.**
Clerk of the Court—**JOSEPH J. FULTZ.**
Surveyor—**JAMES N. HEADINGTON.**
Commissioner—**SAMUEL BEEMAN.**
Infirmary Director—**MICHAEL HESS.**
(Vacancy)—**ADAM HARNWELL.**

FREEMEN, RALLY



HON. T. W. TIPTON,

Late Republican U. S. Senator from Nebraska,

HON. LEWIS D. CAMPBELL,

Congressman from the Butler District,

Will address the People of Knox County,

—AT THE—

Court House, Mt. Vernon,

Saturday Eve., Sept. 11, 1875,

Let the people turn out in all their strength,

and hear these able and eloquent speakers.

JOHN D. THOMPSON,

Chairman Democratic Central Committee,

The voice of Tom Young, the Radical

candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, is

no longer heard in the land. What is the

trouble?

Governor Allen and General Cary

have both promised to attend the Ash-

land meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 14th. It

will be a rouser.

Here is the issue that is presented to

the people of Ohio—**ALLEN and Reduced**

Taxation; Hays and Increased Taxation.

Voters, choose between them.

Hon. James B. McCreary, Govern-

or-elect of Kentucky, was inducted into

office on Tuesday, at Frankfort. The cer-

emonies were grand and imposing.

The people out in California have

discovered that when a financial crash

comes a gold basis does not help them

through any better than a greenback ba-

sis.

Let the taxpayers of Ohio remember

that Salary-Grabber Hays advocated

the erection of a palatial Executive Man-

sion at Columbus at a cost of over \$1,000,

000.

The resignation of Delano, it is

said, will not be publicly announced un-

til after the October election, for fear it

will "hurt" the party to make it known

sooner.

The Radicals are talking about

bringing the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher

into Ohio to stump the State for their

party. A desperate case requires desperate

remedies.

The Pope has not yet made his ap-

pearance in Mt. Vernon, and the slumbers

of those truly good men, Columbus Delano

and Reverend Hamilton, therefore remain

undisturbed.

"Rag Money" will buy anything

the earth produces or any article that is

offered for sale. It is the scarcity of "rag

money" that is making the trouble and not

the money itself.

We have heard the names of thirty

men in Mt. Vernon, heretofore Republi-

cans, who will vote for Governor Allen,

while we do not hear of a single Democrat

who will vote for Hays.

If the Catholics are trying to "over-

throw the liberties of the people," as as-

serted by the Radicals, why are Generals

Sherman and Sheridan, (both Catholics)

kept at the head of the army?

The Catholic priest at Steubenville

is a hot Republican, and the Steubenville

Harold, the Republican organ, is owned

and edited by a Catholic—P. B. Conn.

The scare about the Pope hasn't reached

Steubenville.

Mr. James S. Giles, postmaster at

Prescott, Arizona, seeing how freely his

political brethren were pocketing the pub-

lic funds, did a little business in that line

himself the other day and absconded. It

may be the power of unconscious imita-

tion.

No party and no person in Ohio

wishes a division of the school fund. All

alries to the contrary come from a set of

unprincipled politicians, who hope to keep

themselves in power, and perpetuate their

plunder schemes by presenting a false is-

sue to the people. "Down with Grant-

ism" should be the rallying cry of the

American people.

The Radicals of Hamilton county met in Convention at Cincinnati on Wednesday last, and nominated a ticket. One of the delegates (Hon. Ben. Eggleston) offered a resolution providing for the repeal of the Gagean law, when a strong opposition was made, and the resolution was laid on the table. This only goes to show that the talk about the Gagean law, "Popery," and the "destruction of our school system," is mere political clap-trap, intended to throw dust in the eyes of the people, and divert attention from the enormities of the Radical thieves who are now raving and ruining the country.

One Henry O'Connor, of Iowa, who is called a "converted Catholic," has been brought by the Grants to Ohio to make speeches for the party of plunder. He exhibited himself at Steubenville one day last week, in a beastly state of intoxication, and perambulated the streets linked arms with a drunken negro. The party of "great moral ideas" are getting along finely.

It was Tom Young, the Radical candidate for Lieut.-Governor, who originated the resally sentiment, "greenbacks are National lies." Thousands of workmen, who are glad to get these "National lies" in exchange for their labor, will vote for honest Bill Allen and the entire Democratic ticket in October.

Shortly after ex-President Johnson's trial he said to a friend who was congratulating him on his narrow escape:—"Yes, and when I die I want to be buried quietly, and hope the same wretched set of scribblers who have just been writing me down on impeachment won't be allowed to write up the funeral."

The Radical leaders have abandoned the discussion of every political question in which the people feel interested, and now confine all their speeches to tirades of abuse against the Catholics and the poor old Pope. This is a virtual acknowledgment that their party of plunder is on its last legs.

The cry is still they come. Lee & Shepard, Boston publishers, and Lee, Shep & Dillingham, of New York, have failed liabilities about \$500,000. And yet, Grant and his office-holders tell us that there is too much money in the country, and that business must come down to a gold basis.

Judge Taft gave a decision in a Cincinnati case, by which the Bible was kicked out of the Common Schools, and for this decision the Puritans refused to nominate him for Governor. This same Judge Taft now out-herods Herod in abusing the Catholics and hurling anathemas at the Pope.

The hard times are felt at Newark, also. Mr. Frank Downey, a leading clothing merchant of that city, who has always been a steady, industrious man, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. And yet the too-much money-holders tell us that there is too much money in the country.

Col. Wm. L. O'Brien, the popular General Ticket Agent of the Pan Handle Railroad, in Ohio, having been named as a candidate for Representative in Hamilton county, has written a note stating that his business engagements are such that it would be impossible for him to serve.

Hamilton don't like Deacon Bonar and his son-in-law Mr. C. W. Van Akin. The trouble, as we understand it, is this: Messrs. Bonar and Van Akin did not consider the *Republican* a suitable paper to go into their families, and stopped it. Hamilton will never forgive them for this act.

The efforts of the Grant office-holders and Radical politicians to force business on a gold basis, when there is not one-tenth enough gold in the country to do business with, are not attended with much success, as the daily failures in every part of the country will attest.

The Radical papers are giving great prominence to a story that Sam. Cary drank a glass of beer some time or other. Prodigious! But these papers have not a word to say in defence of their candidate for Lieut. Governor, Tom Young, who is a regular whisky soaker.

The Radicals are talking about bringing brother-in-law Casey to Ohio to make a few speeches for "the party." He could, if he would, throw a volume of light on the subject of the various trifling Rings about Washington. Let Casey be heard by all means.

The story published by the Cincinnati *Times* and *Banner* last week, about the finding of Donaldson, the balloonist, by a fishing party in the Ottawa district, near Lake Desquene, is not credited at Ottawa. No such lake is known in the Ottawa district.

The Reverend Hamilton, too, goes for the Pope. This will make the Pope feel badly. The difference between Hamilton and the Pope is simply this: The latter is a Christian, a gentleman and a scholar; while Hamilton can lay no claim to either.

The firm of Stirling, Ahrens & Co., Baltimore, the largest sugar importers in the United States, has failed, liabilities \$2,000,000. And yet the Radicals tell us "there is too much money," and that "the volume of currency must be contracted."

It is now said that Governor Hayes instigated the publication in the Toledo *Blade* relative to the withdrawal of Governor Allen. We supposed he was too high-minded a man to be guilty of any such petty meanness.

There are over fifty idle young men, and over one hundred idle mechanics and laboring men, now in Mt. Vernon, who would be very glad to get employment, and receive their pay in "rag-money."

The new Constitution of Pennsylvania forbids all persons from voting unless they have been assessed at least two months and paid their taxes at least one month before the date of the election.

An agent of the Russian Government is now traveling in the South to make a study of cotton culture, which that Government contemplates attempting to introduce into Turkestan.

If you are in favor of a salary-grabber for Governor, who voted to increase his salary from \$9,000 to \$9,000 a year and took nine months back pay, vote for Hayes.

The discussion as to the successor of Norman for Governor includes the names of Alexander H. Stephens, the Hon. Ben. Hill, and Senator Norwood himself.

The Shelby Democrat says the Republicans will find that no true Democrat will vote their rag-tag, Know-Nothing, church persecuting, crusade whisky ticket. The egg ain't good.

Pay of the County Commissioners. The Reverend Hamilton this week vented himself on the old subject, continued the pay of our County Commissioners. Possibly our present Commissioners have drawn more money out of the treasury for their services than some of their predecessors, but this is simply because they have done more work than their predecessors—work that was absolutely necessary for them to look after, in order to protect the interests of the county. The difference between the present Democratic Commissioners and their Republican predecessors is simply this: When a bridge is to be built or repaired, the present Commissioners superintend the work themselves, receiving only \$3.00 per day for their services, out of which they have to pay carriage hire, boarding bills, etc., leaving little or nothing left; while under the administration of Messrs. McClelland, Bonnet and Yates, a man was hired to superintend the work at the high price of \$4.50 per day, and an assistant at \$3.25, exclusive of boarding, which was furnished them at the expense of the county! We have seen a bill amounting to \$2145.44, for "repairs on the bridge near Fredericktown," which was allowed and paid by Republican Commissioners, that never would have been allowed and paid by our present Commissioners, simply because they would have had the work done for \$1500. The job seems to have been done by the day, and among the items charged to the county in addition to \$4.50 for the chief boss, was \$122 for "board for three men." Messrs. Halsey, Loyal and Levering don't believe in any such extravagance. They superintend all such jobs themselves, receiving only \$3.00 a day out of which they pay all their board bills and all other expenses. The county saves, but the Commissioners do not make any money by the course adopted; and one of the Commissioners to whom was assigned certain work in his district, was compelled to ask one of his brother Commissioners as a personal favor, to take his place, as his time services on his farm, (it being the harvest season), were worth three times more to him than the pittance pay received from the county. An examination of such facts as we have presented (and we can give columns of items from the record made by Republican Commissioners if necessary), will show that the present are the most economical Commissioners ever Knox county had. If the *Republican* wants these old accounts of its party friends ventilated the editor can be accommodated to his heart's content.

The Howard Bridge. The Reverend Hamilton gave publicity to the shameless but characteristic falsehood that our County Commissioners were building "Iron Bridges running into corn-fields." When challenged to name a place where such bridges have been built, Hamilton says he noticed an Iron Bridge at Howard which some person told him "run into Jim White's corn-field." This, even if it were true, would be no apology for Hamilton's wholesale lying about our County Commissioners. The truth about the Howard Bridge may be stated in a few words: After the completion of our new Railroad eastward, the town of Kinderhook, now Howard, became one of the most important points along its entire line for the shipment of cattle, produce, etc.—During the high stages of water in the river, it was impossible for farmers to reach the town from Harrison and other southern townships, without a bridge. It was petitioned for, and built in the best place to connect Howard with the road from the South; and its erection has given universal satisfaction to all parties in the neighborhood. This chronic fault-finder and habitual falsifier, Hamilton, is the only man in the county that we have heard of, that has conspired the Commissioners for building a good and substantial bridge where the public good required it. But ever since Hamilton ceased serving the Lord, and became the servant of the Devil, he has pursued our Commissioners with a ferocity and vindictiveness that has been unparalleled, simply because they would not give him advertising patronage to which he had no legal or legitimate claim.

General Morgan's Meetings. Meetings are announced for General Morgan as follows: Cambridge, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 2; Zanesville, Friday evening, Sept. 3; Sparta, Friday afternoon, Sept. 10; Mt. Gilead, Monday afternoon, Sept. 13; Ashley, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 14; Delaware, Tuesday evening, Sept. 14; Marysville, Wednesday evening, Sept. 16; Hillsboro, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 18; Chillicothe, Monday evening, Sept. 20; Waverly, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 21; Locust Grove, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 22; West Union, Thursday afternoon, Sept. 23; Russellville, Brown county, Friday afternoon, Sept. 24; New Richmond, Saturday afternoon, Sept. 25.

Governor Allen on the Stump. Governor Allen don't "decline" worth a cent. During the last week he addressed large and enthusiastic meetings as follows: Crestline on Tuesday, Leontona on Wednesday, New Lisbon on Thursday, Niles and Youngtown on Friday, Warren on Saturday; and this week, at Steubenville on Tuesday, Ballaure on Wednesday, Cambridge this (Thursday) afternoon. He also speaks at Zanesville on Friday afternoon, McConnellsville Saturday afternoon, New Philadelphia on the afternoon of September 10th, when he will return to Columbus to fulfill engagements in other parts of the State. Not many "palsied" men could go through that amount of political work.

Suicide of Ralston, President of the Bank of California. On Friday last, the day after the Gold Bank of San Francisco failed, Mr. Ralston, the President, went to a bath house on the beach, and after tearing up some papers and throwing the pieces into the water, drank the contents of a vial, undressed himself, swam out about 200 yards into the water, and this was the last seen of him alive. Soon afterwards his body was discovered floating near the shore. He undoubtedly committed suicide, but no papers were found in his clothes to throw any light on the subject of his tragic death.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company demand \$800,000 in addition to the \$300,000 they already receive for carrying the mails between San Francisco and China; and we presume the Radicals will form a King before the next Congress meets to bribe the measure through Congress.

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Shots from our Exchanges. Wayne County Democrat: According to the *Republican*, Greenbacks and National Bank Notes are not "honest money." Then, for fourteen years the Republican Party has afflicted the country with a dishonest currency.

Hardin County Democrat: Bill Allen is a farmer, and he knows the disadvantages under which this large body of our citizens labor, and he will do all in his power to redress their grievances. The farmers will vote for their interests and Bill Allen.

Fremont Messenger: Judge Taft said in his Marietta speech that the currency should be contracted fifty millions more.—That is the doctrine of Gen. Hayes and the money sharks.

Hardin County Democrat: When a dollar greenback was only worth 40 cents in gold Republicans threatened to mob Democrats for calling it "rag money." Now that it is worth 88 cents in gold, they think it worthless. Do the Republicans really know what they want?

Cincinnati Enquirer: Colonel John W. Forney is hastening home to take part in the Ohio canvass. The Republicans need all their strength. Colonel Forney only got \$25,000 of the Pacific Mail money, but he could wax eloquent on public virtue, and he knows about currency.

Steubenville Gazette: Is the laborer who is out of employment, satisfied with his condition, and does he wish to continue in the same situation? If so he should strain every nerve for the success of the Republican ticket this fall.

Steubenville Gazette: Does the farmer, who finds his gold bag begging for an buyer at forty cents per pound, have any doubt that there is too much money? If so, he should not hesitate to vote the Republican ticket.

Zanesville Signal: The amount of misrepresentation and falsification being done in this canvass by the Republican press should cause the overthrow of any party. "Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad."

Ohio Statesman: When Republicans talk about Catholic interference with our schools, and express fear of the Pope, just as they do the United States army under the command of two Catholic Generals? They will have more to say. Their pretended fear of Catholic influence is an audacious humbug.

Lancaster Eagle: If the people would escape bankruptcy and slavery, they must vote down the corrupt Radical leaders who are spending millions to put themselves in office to do the work of the bondocracy.

Allen County Democrat: The Republicans tell us that the way to prosperity is to contract the currency and increase taxation. The Democracy do not see prosperity in that direction, and hence oppose that policy. Which do the people prefer? They can make known their wishes this fall at the ballot-box.

Explosion of the Gold Banks of California! The Bank of California, at San Francisco, stopped the payment of checks on Thursday afternoon last. The President, Mr. Ralston, says the Bank has sufficient assets to meet all its liabilities, (that's the old story) but at present there is no coin to transact business. On the day of the suspension the Bank paid out one million four hundred thousand dollars in coin.—Ralston stated on his own responsibility and that of the officers of the bank, that there is no doubt they would be able to meet all obligations. In reply to the question when they expected to open again, he said, "Not at all," and subsequently, on repeating the question, he said, "We do not expect to resume." No assistance was received from other banks, though application was made for it. He had telegraphed to all the agencies of the bank to close, and thought no banks in the interior would be affected by the failure.

The excitement on California street was intense. The street was blocked during the afternoon. The crowd on the whole was quiet and good-natured, and much confidence is expressed in the ability of the bank to redeem its obligations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26—Midnight.—The general feeling about town to-night is of uneasiness. The Cashier of the Central Gold Bank and Trust Company stated to a gentleman, who interviewed him yesterday, that the bank would open in the morning, but might have to suspend during the day. This bank paid out all of its gold this afternoon and a good deal of silver. If it can make arrangements to-night for coin it may be able to tide over to-morrow.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 27.—The National Gold Bank and Trust Company have sent in the following notice for publication in the morning papers: "In consequence of the panic and the impossibility of obtaining coin, the National Gold Bank and Trust Company will close until further notice. The Bank has \$1,200,000 on hand and above all its liabilities, and as soon as coin can be obtained will resume business as usual. In the meantime, any creditor desiring can have good assets of the bank to the amount of the claim. A. L. DAVIS, President."

The Merchants' Exchange Bank closed its doors this morning. The Directors have prepared the following notice for the afternoon paper: "In consequence of the excitement and disappointment in getting coin, the Directors deem it for the best interest and the safety of the bank to close our doors for the present."

The Secretary states: "The bank has \$1,000,000 in coin on hand; the amount liable for deposits is \$300,000, but against that may be over \$400,000 in notes. The bank is perfectly solvent, and the only trouble is the lack of coin."

There is a run on the London and San Francisco Bank, but the manager, asserts its ability to meet all demands without trouble. Growls around the Bank of California, and the suspended National Bank and Trust Company, also the Savings Banks, but the action of the officers of the latter institutions last night effectually prevents a run on them. The excitement is great.

THE COLUMBUS DISPATCH, a large thirty-six column paper, published at the State Capital, is published at the extraordinary low price of One Dollar per year.—And what is still more extraordinary, they give every subscriber a large exhibit size engraving of Governor Allen, suitable for framing, which is worth the dollar itself, to every subscriber. The DISPATCH is one of the best papers printed in the State. Send your dollar and get the paper and likeness, which ought to hang upon the wall of every Democrat.

The Prince of Wales proposes to distribute a large number of souvenirs in the course of his tour through India. Several hundred gold and silver medals and gold rings have been ordered for the purpose. The prince will wear a profile of the Prince on one side and the three plumes with a record of His Royal Highness's visit on the other.

The Indian Ring Thieves. Secretary Delano's last estate promises to be much more than the first. His case by no means improves under Mr. Welch. The Philadelphia *Inquirer* says: Secretary Delano has many enemies, but none, we take it, can so bitterly hostile to him as to find satisfaction in the perusal of Mr. Welch's fourth letter. Every intelligent American will rise from the reading of this letter with a sense of sorrow and shame that a Cabinet officer of this Republic has laid himself liable to the direct and specific charges of connivance with fraud, here distinctly set forth. How petty seem the more personalities, and how insignificant the side issues that have been imported into this discussion, when we view the matter as an impending national disgrace—a view which the present letter compels us to entertain. All considerations for the man, his character or his fate, are of no moment whatever in comparison with the thought that one of the greatest officers of our Government can be and has been so prostituted to the base uses of unrighteous gain. The Philadelphia *Times* puts it in this way: "Suppose Delano did not know of these frauds till afterward; still he has made no effort to punish the thieves. The officials remain in office and the contractors continue in favor. This is enough."

Changes to the Democracy. General Redfield, ("H. V. R.") the intelligent and reliable correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, whose truthful letters from the South during the past year have attracted attention all over the country, is now in Ohio, and has attended some of the Democratic meetings, addressed by General Cary and others. After speaking of the meeting at Greenfield, General Redfield writes as follows in regard to the changes that have taken place in a single neighborhood. The same remark may be made by about nearly every county in the State. He says:

"What about changes? the reader may ask. Are there any Republicans who will vote the Democratic ticket at this extraordinary election, or vice versa? I am told there will be changes in favor of Democrats. It is said that one family, the Douglass family, casting and controlling about one dozen votes, will vote the Democratic ticket at the election for the first time. One gentleman told me that he thought he could make twenty-five votes in the county, heretofore Republican, who were discouraged and disgusted with Republican corruption and financial mismanagement, and would vote for Allen and Cary solely on this ground."

On the other hand, I do not hear of any Democrats who propose to leave their party on account of the financial issues, and the conclusion I reach is that the Democrats will make a slight gain in Highland county."

Reunion of the Forty-Second Ohio Regiment. The annual reunion of the Forty-Second Ohio Regiment was held in Cleveland, on Wednesday, August 27th. The headquarters were at the Forest City House, and the place of meeting was Halle's Hall, which was two-thirds filled with the veterans and their friends. Captain Jewett presided. Hon. J. H. Rhodes read the address of Welcome. General Morgan, in response to a unanimous call, delivered a lengthy address, in which he paid his respects to General Sherman and the misrepresentations contained in his 'Memoirs.' Speeches were also made by Colonel Sheldon, Gen. Garfield, and Captain Mann. Gen. S. M. Barber was chosen President for the ensuing year. At the close of the proceedings a series of resolutions were adopted, from which we extract the following:

Resolved, That it is a source of very great satisfaction to us to meet so many comrades here, and that it is an additional pleasure to meet the members of other regiments of the brigade, and we extend a cordial invitation to them to meet with us at our future reunions.

Resolved, That we are particularly glad to have with us to-day our gallant and able Division Commander, General G. W. Morgan, and that the thanks of this society are due to him for the very able and thoughtful remarks in regard to the part that the brigade, of which this regiment formed a part, took in the disastrous affair of Chickasaw bluff.

Significant Headings. The gentleman who edits the telegraphic dispatches for the *Enquirer* manages sometimes to throw more spice and meaning into his head lines than will be found in the dispatches themselves. Witness the following in regard to the Gold Bank explosion in San Francisco:

The Solid Basis: Which Can Never be Disturbed.—But There Seems to be a Little Trouble in Hard Money California.—A Few More Gold Banks Yield to the Pressure and Pass in Their Checks.—Several Other Specie Manipulators on the Brink of a Financial Niagara.—The Whole City in a Tremor.—The Money to be Called Out—All Because of the Remarkable Prosperity Where "Irreclaimable Kags" Don't Circulate.—President Ralston Drops out Himself.—The Bay and Reacher Hard Pan at Last.—The \$2,000,000 Failure in Baltimore—Another Big New York House Goes Up.—And This is the First Course of the Low City to Order of the Day.

The Radicals of Morrow county have made the following nominations:—Representative, Thomas E. Duncan; Probate Judge, Orrin D. Merriman; Auditor, Evan J. Crane; Clerk of Court, Daniel L. Chase; Recorder—John B. Gatchell; Surveyor, John T. Buck; Commissioner, M. B. Brooke; Infirmary Director, William Green.

The Bank of California had a gold capital of \$5,000,000, all paid up; but still it could not "stand the pressure," and had to yield to the inevitable. If the managers of the Bank could only succeed in getting up a big howl about the Pope, probably they might divert attention from their financial mismanagement.

The policy of the Grant Radicals has brought bankruptcy and ruin to the country; and now, when the leaders see the sad effects of their bad management, they raise the silly cry of "Down with the Catholics." "No Popery in America."—But no honest voter will be deceived by such shallow trickery.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* says: The Republican newspapers of Ohio are howling because their Republican colleague the *Catholic Telegraph*, doesn't furnish them with a weekly supply of ammunition. They fall back upon the *Shepherd of the Valley*, which perished in St. Louis twenty years ago.

Joseph Sooy, Jr., the Radical State Treasurer of New Jersey, has been arrested, charged with the embezzlement of \$50,000. This is a small matter as compared with the "danger to the liberties of the people" from the Catholics.

The Pope had nothing to do with the explosion of the Gold Bank of California.

Two years ago Mr. Ralston's private wealth was estimated at \$200,000,000. The recent heavy rains in Nebraska and Minnesota have done some damage to the crops.

The horses, harness and carriages of Wm. Butler Duncan has been sold at auction for \$4,404.

Moody and Sankey will open their revival exposition in Washington the latter part of October.

The Pope has conferred the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Gregory on the Lord Mayor of Dublin.

There is trouble in San Domingo. An insurrection has broken out, the insurgents declaring for Baz.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

—Miss Emma Strong, of Fort Wayne, Ind., is the guest of Miss Maria Wing, on High street.

—General Morgan addressed a rousing Democratic meeting at Steubenville, on Tuesday.

—Mrs. Clara J. Ingram started Wednesday on a visit to friends in Washington City and the East.

—Mrs. W. S. Pollard, nee Miss Mattie Sutton, of Evansville, Ind., was visiting friends in the city last week.

—Conductor Bonney, of the "Gann Accommodation," has been rusticated at Put-in-Bay during the past week.

—Andrew E. Errett, Esq., of the Pittsburgh Commercial, is at home once more, taking his usual summer vacation.

—Our young friend Austin A. Cassil, was admitted to the Bar at Akron, last week—passing a very creditable examination.

—Hon. Geo. H. Pendleton is announced to address the Democracy of Knox county at Mt. Vernon, on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 29th.

—General G. A. Jones, of this city, received a serenade from the Cornet Band while stopping over night at Millersburg, one day last week.

—It is rumored that Dr. John Cotton Smith, of Grace Church, New York City, will conditionally accept the Presidency of Kenyon College.

—Judge Thurman has our thanks for a copy of his great speech delivered at Cleveland on Saturday last, as published by the Democratic State Central Committee.

—Our young friend H. Allen Sturges, returned home unexpectedly on Wednesday evening, looking as though his European tour had agreed with him exceedingly.

—Mrs. Glenn, of Pleasant township, died last week, in the eighty-fourth year of her age, and was buried on Sunday last in the graveyard of the U. P. Church, on the Martinsburg road.

—Lake E. Jones disposed of his livery stable to G. M. Bryant, on Monday last, and purposes returning to his old home in Wayne county. Many a tear will be silently shed at his departure.

—Rev. Noah Hunt Schenck, of Brooklyn, formerly Rector of Rose Chapel, Gambier, will deliver the oration at the opening of the Cincinnati Industrial Exposition. He is an eloquent and popular gentleman.

—Judge Adams informs us that while traveling in England he had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Charles Hinton, who a few years ago resided and did business in Mt. Vernon. He is now Superintendent of an estate of 2000 acres of land in Wiltshire county, and is doing well.

—Clinton Commandery No. 5, Knights Templar, of this city, start on Monday next in a body, thirty strong, to participate in the review and drill of the Commanderies of the State, which takes place at Put-in-Bay, on Tuesday, the 7th. They will be under charge of Em. Cord. Alex. Cassil.

The Westerville Pic-Nic.
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—Conductor Bonney, of the "Gann Accommodation," has been rusticated at Put-in-Bay during the past week.

—Andrew E. Errett, Esq., of the Pittsburgh Commercial, is at home once more, taking his usual summer vacation.

—Our young friend Austin A. Cassil, was admitted to the Bar at Akron, last week—passing a very creditable examination.

—Hon. Geo. H. Pendleton is announced to address the Democracy of Knox county at Mt. Vernon, on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 29th.

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State Archeological Convention.

Quite a large number of the leading Archeologists from various parts of the State met in convention, at the Public Library Room, Cincinnati, at 11 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, Sept. 1st, 1875, and organized temporarily by the appointment of Dr. N. S. Townsend, of the Agricultural College, Columbus, as Chairman, and Mr. C. O. Baldwin, of Cleveland, Secretary. After the appointment of committees on permanent organization, and the order of business, the Convention took a recess until the afternoon. In the interval the members enjoyed themselves examining the Cabinet and Library placed in the basement rooms of the Court House by the citizens of Mansfield.

At 2 o'clock P. M., the Convention met in the M. E. Church, and was permanently organized by the election of President A. E. Taylor of the Wooster University, as President, Isaac Smucker, of Newark, 1st Vice President, L. D. Parrish, of Sandusky, 2d Vice President, and O. M. Booth, of Mansfield, Secretary.

An Address was then delivered by General R. Brinkerhoff, of Mansfield, welcoming the members of the Convention to the hospitality of the city, and stating the objects of the Convention, which was followed by a learned and eloquent address from the Rev. S. D. Peet, of Ashabula, on the subject of Archeology, and one by Isaac Smucker, of Newark, in regard to the ancient mounds of Licking county. Considerable discussion followed in regard to both addresses.

The Convention adjourned until Thursday, when the discussion was resumed. The members were very hospitably entertained at the residence of General Brinkerhoff in the evening.

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to marry the following persons were issued by the Probate Court during the month of August:

W. D. Mossman and Josie F. Watsons, J. R. Webster and Hattie L. Wright, E. C. Van Vorhes and Minerva J. Toothman.

George W. Myers and Eliza J. Moreland, John B. Workman and Flora Conkle, A. Miller and Francis Donnal.

Wm. Anderson and Mary Thomas, Telford F. Hayes and Mary E. Johnson, Joseph Sproule and Mary Mitchell, Frank S. Uley and Sarah M. Hughes, Richard Payne and Sarah A. Brown, Raymond Bell and A. Lou Lingerfield, David Cox and Elizabeth Shultz, Joshua Jones and Alice Bartlett, A. L. Wilson and Mary E. Muck, N. Litzenberg and Clara Moreland, Thomas Patterson and Priscilla Litzenburg.

Wilson Pealer and Margaret R. McClelland, N. C. Holthoff and Carrie H. Marquis, Frank Thrall and Melissa Hall, Wm. H. Maston and Margaret C. Fullbright, John Minick and Minnie Teagarden, Hal H. McCain and Jennie Bell, John W. McCain and Lorinda Lephley, Dennis Stoffer and Mel Grubb.

Total for month—25.

Defunct Feline.

Affliction has entered the household of John Post, or rather into his store-room. The frequenters of that haven of rest for the weary loafer, will miss from their midst an old, familiar face—that of the venerable Mr. Thomas Cat, whose sad countenance has illuminated the show window and counters for the past dozen years. He died very suddenly on Tuesday morning last, and was interred without ostentatious display, as befitting his style of living while in the flesh. George Sandford, his boon companion, is inconsolable with grief.

No more at night, he'll snarl and fight, His fur-pulling days are over;
And now he snuggles with sweet delight, Beyond the golden shore.
Gone to meet his paw and meow.
—Requiescat in pace.

Peterson's Journal of Popular Literature.

For September. The interesting serial, "The Deserted Husband," is continued in this number—there being the six chapters of "The Secret Society," "The Cat at Work," "Entanglements," "A Fascinating Wooer," "The Bird Flown," and "In the Name of the Carbonari." This number also contains a fine assortment of short stories and poetry, with a number of witty articles under the head of "Topics of the Times," including "The Ohio election," "Great Surgical Operation," "A Nutshell," "Hard Money," "Taking Iron," "Religious Fanaticism," "Butler on Contract," "The Public School," "Redemption," "Gleanings," &c. &c. Terms: \$3.00 a Year. Two copies \$5.00. Postage Prepaid. Single numbers 25 cents. Address H. Peterson & Co., 920 Walnut St., Philadelphia.

The improvement now being made on Mansfield Avenue will be of immense advantage not only to persons living in that part of the city, but to all those who travel in that direction. The cut at the head of the street will be eight feet, and the south taken out is employed in filling up and grading the street to and beyond the township line, which will make the approach to the city from the North easy and convenient. We believe the project of widening the Avenue at the upper end to sixty-six feet has been abandoned.

The working men at Kent, Ohio, made quite unpleasant for Morton. They put a couple of questions to him relative to his inconsistency in having maintained the legality of paying the five-twenty bonds in greenback and of having, last winter, favored an expansion of the currency. The ex-governor lost his temper, quivered like an eel, but attempted a reply which, while it was satisfactory to himself, was not to his interrogators, who avowed their intention to vote for Allen and Cary in Pitts. Dispatch.

Governor Allen is on the stump, speaking every day—sometimes twice a day, to large outdoor audiences. This does not look like there was any foundation for the Toledo Blade's silly story about him going to withdraw from the contest on account of failing health.

Grantism, says the New York Sun, corrupts politics, undermines private morality, promotes public robbery, and impoverishes and ruins the people. No matter whatever else you vote for, vote against Grantism every time.

The depositors in the exploded Gold Bank of California now say they will be glad to receive Greenbacks for the balances due them.

The cry of "No Popery" will not give employment to thousands of idle workmen, nor lay food for the hungry and destitute.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

—Thomas N. Adams, of Clinton county, died recently, aged 102.

—Of the twenty-one furnaces in the Mahoning Valley twelve are now in blast.

—Mr. C. Chapman is now the lessee and host of the B. & O. R. R. eating-house, Zanesville.

—A child, eighteen months old, was accidentally drowned in a cistern at Sandusky Tuesday.

—Isaac Austill, on the Vanmeter farm in Pike county, lost 450 ears of corn by the late frost.

—On Monday and Tuesday six vessels brought to Sandusky, from Marquette, 4599 tons of iron ore.

—The residence of Rev. H. D. Fisher of Alliance was recently burglarized to the extent of \$2500.

—The works of E. Ball & Co., at Canton, were damaged by fire, Monday, to the extent of \$10,000.

—Rev. E. B. Andrews, of Beverly, Mass., has been elected President of Denison University, Granville.

—The Tiffin Advertiser says the wheat in Seneca county, that has been threatened, is said to turn out well.

—Politics are badly mixed up in Mahoning county, there being four candidates for Representative in the field.

—The Fat Men's Association of the West will hold its annual reunion at Put-in-Bay on the 9th and 10th of September.

—Thirty-one different styles of chairs are now manufactured at the Marion Chair Factory, and the established is being enlarged.

—The strike in the vicinity of Massillon was practically ended, last week, a number of mines being started at 75 cents per ton.

—The Republicans of Fayette county have nominated Wm. Milliken, editor of the Herald, as their candidate for Representative.

—Eight prisoners broke jail at Upper Sandusky last Friday night. The Sheriff offered a reward of \$50 each for their delivery to him.

—The Tuscarawas Valley miners and operators have compromised their difficulty, and the miners are all at work again at 75 cents per ton.

—Martin Schilder, of Chillicothe, reports having sold last week, 9,000 bushels Tennessee wheat to the local trade, at \$1.05 per bushel.

—The Ohio and Toledo railway, from Carrollton to Columbiana, is now under contract and progress of construction. Its length is 65 miles.

—The Coshokton Iron and Steel Works turn out about fifty sets of springs and one hundred axles daily, giving employment to about eighty men.

—On 18th inst., George Shuster, of Seal township, Pike county, while driving cattle through Waverly, fell dead of valvular disease of the heart.

—A Liverpool (Columbiana county) pottery firm has contracted to furnish a Pittsburgh house three kilns of white ware a month during the next year.

—The missions in the Episcopal church at Hamilton, Middletown, Yellow Springs, Greenville and Wayneville, in the Southern Ohio Diocese, are all vacant.

—A monster copper kettle, weighing seven hundred pounds and holding fifty-five barrels, was manufactured in Zanesville recently for use in a brewery.

—The residence of J. P. Tweed, of Tweed & Andrews, near the Cincinnati Observatory, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday night week. Loss \$10,000.

—Soldiers' reunions: 126th Infantry at Cadiz, September 7; Seventh Infantry at Rocky River, September 10; 103d at Chargin Falls, September 10; Third Cavalry at Norwalk, September 23.

—A couple of Canton boys were recently practicing with a revolver, one holding up a pocket book for the other to shoot at. The one who was holding it let go when a bullet went through his wrist.

—At Bucyrus, on the afternoon of August 28, about six o'clock, Elv Odell and his son Grant were thrown from a wagon, and the boy, aged ten, suffered a fracture of the frontal bone of the skull.

—At Jamestown, Ohio, Thursday night a mob gathered around the jail where Gustave Humler, the German who cut the throat of his child, is confined, and threatened to lynch him, and the Sheriff and posse removed the prisoner to Xenia.

—Miss Sophia Comer, a respected young lady of Dresden, about twenty-five years of age, committed suicide on Monday last week by taking thirty grains of strychnine. Undkink treatment is supposed to have induced her to the commission of the crime.

—Hon. W. Green, Acting-Secretary of the State Central Board, says that the altitudes of space at the Philadelphia Exhibition will commence within the next thirty days, so that those who desire to be represented should lose no time in entering their application.

—Paul Weatherbe, one of the oldest and best known citizens of Tuscarawas county, died recently at Port Washington, aged 78. He was a soldier in the war of 1812, served as a common sailor in Perry's fleet, and at one time represented his county in the State Legislature.

—The Cleveland Rolling Mill company, which now employs 2000 men, with \$100,000 monthly pay roll, is about to introduce the Siemens-Martin process for making soft steel for boiler plate and other purposes. They have also decided to put a new building over the old mill, entirely of iron.

—David Shipman, died at Gustavus, Trumbull county, on Monday, 16th ult., aged 90 years. The deceased was one of the sterling and staunch pioneers of the country, and settled in the town wilderness of Trumbull county in 1812, his entire capital being an axe and twenty-five cents in money.

—Messrs. C. Aultman and W. K. Miller, of Canton, have gone to Kent, Ind., to join in a grand hunt. In the special freight car which they chartered at Columbus, were 17 dogs, trunks containing clothing, camp stools, a cook stove and trimmings, two colored servants, a tent 31x100 feet and a very large compartment packed with ice.

—Mr. H. Blandy, in administering a sharp castigation to the Newark American (Rep.), makes the following "bull's-eye" shot:

"But this I have to say, as between capital and labor, and legislation for the last few years, under our Republican rulers, has been most unjustly and cruelly against all kinds of labor. It has paralyzed the industries of this great country; for this, I said, I was ashamed of the Republican party, to their everlasting disgrace. It is a crime against humanity, and the people demand redress, and they will have it as surely as that this great Government will stand."

POLITICAL.

Every vote for R. B. Hayes is a vote for Radical corruption and rascality.

How do the laboring classes like Radical contraction as applied to them?

It is said that Van Pelt has agreed to return to Ohio and stump for Hayes and Young.

If you are in favor of economy in the public expenditures, vote for Governor Allen.

There is every indication throughout the State of an overwhelming Democratic victory.

The Republican State Platform endorses Delano and the stealings of the "Indian King."

The Xenia Gazette, a contraction paper, remarks: "Money is not so plenty as it might be heretofore."

The republican party is in favor of contracting the currency so as to make the rich richer, and the poor poorer.

The policy of the Republican party will result in knocking off fifteen per cent. from every laboring man's wages.

The New York World thinks only "the errors or apathy of the Democrats" can lose them Massachusetts this year.

Over a thousand Allen Clubs were organized in Ohio in a single week. The Democracy are organizing for Victory.

The New York Times advises the Republicans not to touch the "abominable Liberal faction" in the coming campaign.

Four years more of Radical rule would reduce nine-tenths of the people to slavery and put them in the power of the Money Kings.

Hayes is running for a third term for Governor. Grant will be a candidate next year. "Coming events cast their shadows before."

Advices from all parts of Wisconsin predict the success of the Democratic State ticket this fall by a largely increased majority.

Hayes drew nine months pay as Congressman, without doing a days work. Is that the kind of man the people want for Governor?

Grant's salary and White House expenses exceed a hundred thousand dollars a year—more than double any former President.

The people have just as many rights as the bondholders. That is the issue in Ohio. The Democracy are on the side of the people.

At a Hayes meeting in Cadiz, the other day, the band played, "Oh, I'm hard up." That's what's the matter with the Republican party.

Hayes represents the Money Power. Allen represents the honest, hardworking farmers and mechanics, the toiling multitude of the State.

Every vote for the Radical ticket is a vote for the Credit Mobilier swindle, the Salary-Grab, the Pacific Mail Subsidy and the Indian Ring thievery.

A large number of the most prominent Republicans of Mahoning and Trumbull counties have announced their determination to vote for Gov. Allen.

The Cincinnati Gazette is still crying "No Popery." We shouldn't be surprised if the Pope would strangle the truly good Deacon Richard Smith.

A Republican Hand-bill Answered by a Democratic Poster.

The Republicans in Summit county headed their handbills, for a meeting for Senator Morton, as follows, "Free Schools for All," "Honest Money for all," "The Democrats of that county held a meeting on the evening of the 20th, addressed by Senator McDonald, of Indiana. They very pointedly headed their posters as follows:

FREE SCHOOLS FOREVER!

The Democrats Made Them! They Will Stand by Them! No Division of the School Fund!

NO RELIGIOUS HATE! NO KNOWNOTHINGISM!

Same Money for Laborer, Banker and Bondholder!

Horrible and Unnatural Murder of a Child by its Father.

CINCINNATI, August 28.—Gustave Humler, of Jamestown, Greene county, Ohio, while intoxicated last evening, made an attempt to kill his wife. She fled across the street to the house of a neighbor. Humler followed, and made an unsuccessful effort to get into the house by breaking the window. He then threatened to return to his home and kill the child, which was eighteen months old, thinking this threat would induce her to come out; but it failing to have the desired effect, he returned to his home, procured a table knife, sharpened it, took the infant from the arms of his little girl twelve years old, laid it upon the floor and deliberately cut its throat from ear to ear. He then threw the child and knife upon the bed, went back and told his wife what he had done. He was afterwards arrested. He still regrets he did not kill his wife.

A new party which has for some time past been quietly at work in organizing, held a convention at Boston on Saturday, and proclaimed its name, candidates and platform. It is to be called the National Union party. It nominates Gen. Banks of Massachusetts and Gen. Lamar of Mississippi for President and Vice-President. Opposition to fraud and corporate monopolies, and honest adherence to the national platform concerning finance, are the salient features of the platform.

The peach crop of Delaware has been so super-abundant this year that all the markets are glutted and the prices reduced to little more than cover the cost of gathering and transportation. As a consequence the distillation of brandy and apple brandies has commenced with unusual vigor, and bids fair to be larger than ever before. If the people want eat peaches, they must drink them.

LOCAL NOTICES.

MR. VERNON, O., Sept. 1, 1875.

I will pay no debts contracted in my name after this date.

W. H. COVENTRY.

I hereby recall the meeting of County Grange, set for the first Saturday of September, and change to the third Saturday, at 1 o'clock, p. m.

ISAAC LAPEVER, Jr., Master.

We are closing out our stock—

Wall Paper at 8 cts.

Wall Paper at 10 cts.

Wall Paper at 12 cts.

And upwards, at J. SPERRY & Co's.

Notice to Township Treasurers.

The Township Treasurers of the different townships of Knox county, are hereby notified that the School, Road and Township Funds are now ready for payment.

JNO. M. EWALT,

83-2.

Auditor K. C. O.

It is still a fact that J. Sperry & Co. sell Carrots at lower prices than any house in the city.

83-3.

CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DISTRICTS.
First District—The First Ward.
Second District—The Second Ward.
Third District—The Third Ward.
Fourth District—The Fourth Ward.
Fifth District—That portion of the Fifth Ward lying East of Main street.
Sixth District—That portion of the Fifth Ward lying West of Main street.

FIRE ALARMS.
For a fire East of McKenzie or West of Sandusky street, give the alarm as follows: Ring the general alarm for half a minute, then pause give the district number, viz: One tap for the 1st district, two taps for the 2d, three taps for the 3d, etc. Then pause ring the general alarm as before.
For a fire between McKenzie and Sandusky streets, ring the general alarm as above, then give the district number three times, (pausing after each) and then the general alarm given.

Hats, Caps and Trunks.
First invoice of FALL STYLES, now ready for your inspection.

W. F. BALDWIN,
At King's Old Stand.

WOOLEN YARN.
500 lbs. Indigo Blue Mixed Yarn just received and for sale at Ringwald & Jennings. The best and cheapest ever offered in Knox county.

JAMES SAPP is receiving the largest and cheapest Fall stock of Boots and Shoes ever brought to Mt. Vernon. I am selling a hand made whole stock Men's thick Boot for \$2.00 a pair; Boys' shoes \$2.50 a pair. Do not fail to call and see for yourselves.

Ice Cream—Season of 1875.
Saint Jackson announces to the citizens of Mt. Vernon that he has opened his Ice Cream Parlors for the Season. Families and parties supplied on short notice. Don't forget Main street, next door to the Savings Bank. May 23-3m.

Notice.
Errett Bros. have removed to the Bank Building, next to Green's Drug Store, where they are selling all goods in their line at bottom prices. Sole agents for the celebrated Rubber Paint.

Go to J. Sperry & Co. for Margains in Dry Goods.

EDUCATIONAL.
Mr. C. Grebe's and his daughters' terms for 20 lessons on the Piano are—\$10.
do Flute & Violin, 12.
do do in Voice culture, 15.
do do in German, French, Spanish and Italian Languages, 15.
Mt. Vernon, Aug. 20-26.

Buy your Stoves, Tin and Woodwork, Ware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Spoons, Toilet Ware, Japaned and Plated Ware, very cheap, at Errett's.

CALL on Hunt and buy your groceries. He is selling more goods for \$1 than any grocery house in the city. The highest market price paid for produce. Jc25tf

Call and see the Gem Flour Sifter—the best in the market.—ERRETT BROS.

Go to W. A. Taitwell's City Bakery for your Bread, Cakes and Ice Cream. We have two large rooms fitted up in good style to accommodate all that may give us a call. Jc25tf

Eureka, Novelty, Reliance Wringers, Excelsior Horse Yokes, fine stock Whips, at Errett Bros. My7-5m

We believe Bogardus & Co. sell Hardware cheaper than any other store in Mt. Vernon. Call and see them. D19tf

Worth its Weight in Gold.
Undoubtedly the greatest modern discovery a medicine is Dr. Cass's Radical Cure for Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, loss of appetite and all disorders arising from a derangement of the digestive organs. Its results are astonishing and cure relief is guaranteed in every case when it is used as directed. It regulates the liver, or pelts all morbid humors from the system, restores the natural appetite. We fully believe that two-thirds of the cases of Typhoid and Bilious Fever might be prevented by its timely use. Trial size 10 cents. Sold by Dr. S. C. Thompson, Druggist, Mt. Vernon. may7c6ly

The best of Machine and Coal Oil for sale at Baker Bros' new Drug Store sign on the Big Hand. June26

If you want nice fitting Clothes go to J. H. Milles. He guarantees a fit every time.

Barrow's Cholera Cure will relieve you of cholera or any summer complaint. Baker Bros. agents for Knox county.

Health and peace—by getting a bottle of Baker's Worm Specific. It is easy to take and harmless to a child, but will clear away the worms effectually. It has stood the test for years and will give you entire satisfaction. Manufactured and sold at Baker Bros' new Drug Store, sign on the Big Hand. Jy17.

All the different kinds of patent medicines and favoring extracts for sale at Baker Bros. new Drug Store, sign on the Big Hand. Jy17.

Pumps, Gas Pipe, Gas Fixtures, Drive Wells, Gas and Steam Fitting, Marbleized Slate and Iron Mantels, at bottom prices, at Errett Bros. Mch27tf

CORN Husks for Mattresses, for sale at Bogardus & Co's. Mch27tf

The best place in the city to buy your Drugs, Patent Medicines, Perfumeries and a good supply of the best of Soap, is at Baker Bros' new Drug Store, sign on the Big Hand.

The most Wonderful Discovery or the 19th Century.
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Arabian Milk Cure for Consumption
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