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# THE BANNER.

WM. M. HARPER, LOCAL EDITOR.  
Mount Vernon, Oct. 8, 1875

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

BANNER for sale at Taft & Co's.  
The leaves are leaving us rapidly.  
Knock-kneed girls should not wear pin-baked dresses.

See to it that no Democratic voter is permitted to remain at home on election day.

Pass the word along the line. Every Democratic vote must be polled next Tuesday.

"The harvest is past, the summer is ended," and now is a good time to pay your subscription.

The frost has completed the ripening of nuts, and they are now being gathered in large quantities.

The Typhoid fever is very prevalent about Howard, and there were several deaths from near there last week.

It is said by those who claim to know that the yield of corn this year is much greater than it has been for years.

We are sorry to hear that our fellow-citizen, Clark Irvine, Sr., is confined to his home by a serious attack of dropsy.

Teacher—What events have particularly marked the present year? Small boy.

The Beecher trial and the Sartoris baby.

A spendthrift says that he has lived beyond his means so long that now he has not the means to live, and yet he means to live somehow.

Stark County Democrat: Thought not much of a tramp, Harper of Mount Vernon, has "carried the BANNER" for a number of years.

A man never looks so helpless and insignificant when standing around in a dry goods store waiting for his wife to get through trading.

Let us impress upon the reader the importance of going to the election on Tuesday, the 12th of October, at as early an hour as possible.

A vote for Hayes is a vote for tight times, forced sales of property, bankruptcy, and general ruin among the middle and laboring classes.

Do you know that if you spoil a stamped envelope when addressing it you can get the value in stamps by presenting it at the post-office? You can.

Miss Mary Mateman died at Gambier, of Typhoid fever on Sunday last, in the 21st year of her age, and was buried on Tuesday in Oak Grove Cemetery.

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend the First Exposition of the Tradesman's Industrial Institute, of Pittsburgh, which opened this week.

"The first step toward wealth," says an exchange, "is the choice of a good wife." And the first step toward securing a wife is the possession of good wealth.

There are two times in a man's life when he eagerly scans the newspaper—once, when he has been in an awful scrape, and again, when he is looking for a puff.

Mr. Gilead Register: Conference has concluded at Mt. Vernon, and chicken-coops there present as deserted an appearance as our pocket-book, we venture to remark.

A couple of hours spent in the visiting of our public schools will be profitable to the visitor, pleasing to Superintendent and teachers, and encouraging to the pupils.

The new postal cards are now ready for distribution, but postmasters are required to dispose of all the old ones in their possession before they issue any of the new ones.

In putting up a stove pipe remember that the elbow was made to fit the oven door, and that six blows from an ax will knock through and lightning out of any joint.—Free Press.

The Vicksburg Herald is the funny paper of the South. We do not see the Herald, but we enjoy many a good laugh over some of its side-splitting yarns, copied to other papers.

Mrs. Emma Cowden, wife of Mr. James M. Cowden, of Milford township, and daughter of the late Dr. Peazick, died, after a brief illness, on Saturday last, and was buried on Sunday.

Bill Sanderson's horse, "Joe Hooper," carried off the \$100 prize at the Delaware Fair last week, his competitors being "Honest Jim" and "Lady Green." We have no report of the time made.

These are the days of horse races. It's a doubtful pastime, but then as Bret Harte has it.

"Boys will be boys, and horses will be horses."

Mr. Joseph Killian, editor of the Mansfield (German) Courier, died on Friday night last of paralysis of the heart.—He was in his office attending to business at 12 o'clock on the night previous to his death.

Newark Advocate: W. W. Kingsbury, at the time of his death, held policies of life insurance to the amount of \$9,000. Of that sum, \$3,000 is for the benefit of his wife; \$5,000 for his children; and \$1,000 for his mother.

The Fredericktown Free Press is liable to indictment for "cruelty to animals." It says: "A Clinton township man got white calf a couple of months ago. That calf was now doing the locals on the Mount Vernon Republican."

Anything whatever, except an address, written or printed upon the side of a postal card intended for the address, renders such a card unavailable, and the same cannot be legally forwarded unless prepaid at the letter rate—three cents.

Two fine Mohawk colts, belonging to Mr. James Johnson, were run over on Saturday morning, by the cars of the C. M. V. & C. R. R., near the Infirmary, breaking their legs, making it necessary to shoot them. Mr. Johnson valued the colts at \$500.

The residence of Al Stevens, of Franklin township, Morrow county, was destroyed by fire a few days ago, together with a large portion of his household goods. His loss is about \$800, insured for \$500. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective fuse.

Mr. Al. Mitchell, who has charge of the work, informs us that the new County Infirmary is progressing finely. The second story is up, and the third will be completed in a few weeks, unless the Reverend Hamilton should "blow up" the building with one of his ferocious editorials.

Newark American: John Myers, the unfortunate young man who had his leg crushed by being run over by the cars last Wednesday at the B. & O. yard, this city died in a few hours after the accident. His leg was amputated, but he breathed his last within a half hour after the operation. Internal injuries are supposed by the physicians to have caused his death.

## Transfers of Real Estate.

(Carefully Reported for the BANNER.)

The following are the transfers of Real Estate in this county, as recorded since our last publication:

John Tador to John M. Ewalt, lot in Mt. Vernon, for \$100.

David J. Tabor to Oberholzer & Tidball, lot in Rossville, for \$100.

W. M. Price to W. S. Crawford, lot in Mt. Vernon, for \$400.

N. H. Hall et al., to J. S. Winterringer, lot in Bladenburg, for \$50.

O. Robinson to F. W. Mason, 4 acres in Milford, for \$750.

A. Thrift to C. R. Hooker, parcel in Fredericktown, for \$50.

Trustees of Wayne Tp. to C. R. Hooker, lot in Fredericktown, for \$500.

C. & J. Evans to R. Canning, lot in Mt. Vernon, for \$750.

G. W. Ryan to S. Hildebrand, lots in Bladenburg, for \$50.

S. Bell to J. E. & F. C. Harris, 60 acres in Morgan, for \$900.

G. W. Myers to N. Myers, 7 acres in Milford, for \$400.

S. D. Roberts to D. Files, lot in Rossville, for \$650.

J. Merriott to B. B. Eldy, 25 acres in Berlin, for \$1500.

J. Sapp to Eliza Porter, tract in Union for \$534.

Win. Bebout to J. A. Bebout, 100 acres in Harrison, for \$390.

Humbert & Simpson to A. Newton, land in Howard, for \$550.

H. Hupp to W. A. McFarland, 2 acres in Milford, for \$550.

J. R. Stephens to W. C. Hall, lot in Lock, for \$100.

U. Baile to J. W. Craven, 30 acres in Middlebury, for \$1500.

I. Ross to A. Wheaton, lots in Rossville, for \$600.

G. F. Keller to Tim Colopy, interest in Berlin, for \$1000.

J. A. Kish to J. C. Levering, land in Middlebury, for \$27.

John Harris to R. Forsythe, lots in Mt. Vernon, for \$900.

J. Harris to R. Forsythe, lots in Mt. Vernon, for \$150.

J. Armstrong to Ira Barr, lot in Centreburg, for \$8.

S. D. Nethers to J. W. Horn, Jr., 135 acres in Butler, for \$602.

C. Farrar to Wm. Wharton, 6 acres in Butler, for \$254.

S. Taylor to C. A. Taylor, lot in Mt. Vernon, for \$1000.

Marriage Licenses.

Licenses to marry the following persons were issued by the Probate Court during the month of September.

James Worley and Mary Jane Funck; David McCullough and Ella Parrish; Charles Hansome and Normanda Adams; Samuel Workman and Julia Richards; Samuel Allen and Mary Ann Bumpus; Francis Allen and Carrie Colby; James A. Belt and Dora E. Cary; Wm. Colville and Henrietta Bell; Samuel R. Starnum and Angelina Johnson; E. R. Stimmell and Nettie A. Barker; Edward M. Wright and Ella M. Branyan; Abraham H. Lavefer and Laura Edwards; Daniel Henry and Amelia Greer; F. P. Johnson and Martha R. Inehart; Moses Ayers and Catharine Harding; L. H. Lewis and Manassah Durbak; Louise Marshall and Lulu Kidwell; Jonathan Travell and Hannah Little; John P. Yearcus and Eliza Peranbaugh; John Zimmerman and Samantha Zimmerman.

E. A. Rowley and Hattie E. Eberole; John W. May and Mary F. Jagger.

Total for month—22.

A Glorious Democratic Rally.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, and the fact that a theatre was in full blast, the Democracy held the Court House on Wednesday evening, to hear Governor Walker, of Virginia, and Col. Isaac L. Egbert, of New York. Governor Walker is one of the finest looking men we have ever seen, and a splendid speaker. His speech was confined to the currency question, and was listened to with profound attention, and applauded to the echo. When he concluded he received three rousing cheers. Col. Egbert, a distinguished New York Democrat followed, in a thrilling speech in behalf of the people against the Bondholding aristocracy. He exposed the sophistries of Gov. Woodford and Carl Schurz in a very happy manner. His telling hits and happy illustrations were unrivalled. He, too, received three loud huzzas at the close of his speech. Two better speakers never before appeared before a Mt. Vernon audience, and we are sorry both gentlemen did not enter the Ohio campaign a month ago.

Woodward's Opera House.

Breslau's Combination, opened last night at this popular place of amusement in "Euterpea Borgia," to a good house.—The company is a meritorious one, and we can conscientiously recommend them to the lovers of the drama, and one of the best theatrical companies that has visited Mt. Vernon for many a day. To-day (Thursday) will be presented the "Hidden Hand," and to-morrow night "Leah the Forsaken," both capital pieces. Persons attending the Fair from the country will be well repaid by remaining over to hear this party in the evening. They appear on Saturday night, but the bill has not yet been announced.

Burglaries and Robberies.

Although, by the unequal system of secret police and detectives established by Mr. Bannum, pickpockets were kept from the show ground on Tuesday, still some of the "light fingered gentry" were at work in different parts of the city. While the family of Wm. Bounds were at the Hippodrome in the afternoon, their house was entered and several valuable articles taken, and on Tuesday night the house of Geo. Bann was entered, and a watch and chain and some money, to the value of about \$40 stolen. We have heard of some other small robberies, but could not learn the names of the parties.

The County Fair.

While our paper is going to press early on Thursday morning, our County Fair is progressing, but owing to the unfavorable weather, its success has not been as great as could be desired. A drenching rain on Wednesday made the grounds muddy, and to-day (Thursday) is clear, and the track will soon be in good condition.

The Fair will be continued on Friday, when some of the finest horses in the State will be entered.

A man named Ham is the writing editor of the *Inter-Ocean*, the only American newspaper in Chicago, and also held the office of United States Appraiser; but Mr. Ham wrote and published some truths in regard to the Washington thieves, and he was decapitated before the ink was scarcely dry on his paper. This is worse than Austrian despotism.

R. F. Trevellick, Esq., of Detroit, who is to speak in Mt. Vernon, on Monday evening next, addressed the workingmen of Akron on Monday week. The *Times* says: "The speaker has risen from the ranks of the laborers, and has every thing in sympathy with them. His forcible arguments had a telling effect."

Kenyon students will revive the *Revue* about the middle of November.

## OHIO STATE NEWS.

Hillsboro is now lighted with gas.

The new epizootic has reached Akron.

A new Opera House is being erected in Chillicothe.

A company of Zouaves is being organized in Circleville.

A new military company has just been organized at Dayton.

A Madison county man has raised a pumpkin weighing 96 pounds.

Large numbers of hogs are dying of cholera in the vicinity of Dayton.

There will be a reunion of the Thirty-second Infantry at Shiloh, Oct. 14.

An alligator broke loose in the Cincinnati Zoological Garden Tuesday.

The two new blast furnaces at Iron have an aggregate capacity of 120 tons per day.

Mr. Jules M. Mendenhall, dropped dead in his barn last Monday night at Spring Valley, Ohio.

Mr. A. W. Powell, Cleveland, committed suicide Friday, shooting herself through the heart.

E. G. Dyer, of the Hamilton manufacturing firm of Owens, Lane & Dyer, committed suicide Saturday.

The Middleport furniture factory was sold on Saturday last at public sale, for the sum of \$8238. Two years ago it cost about \$29,000.

On Sunday, 19th, ult., Archbishop Purcell administered the rite of confirmation to thirty-nine children at St. Philip's Church, Chillicothe.

John Stonebriar was instantly killed at the Ohio Iron Company's furnace, Zanesville, last Monday night, by the falling of the iron stack.

The Standing committee of the Diocese of Ohio have given unanimous consent to the consecration of Dr. McLaren Bishop elect of Illinois.

In Monroe, Noble and Washington counties the tobacco crop, it is said, will not be more than half average. About one-fourth of it has been hoaxed.

Capt. Thomas Beach, a well known lawyer and citizen of Chillicothe, died last Saturday, after three weeks' illness of typhoid dysentery, in his 62d year.

The Columbus Dispatch: They have one hundred and thirty-eight pupils at the school for blind, and expect a few more.

The school has opened in good shape, and is now under full headway.

Alexander Kenick, Sen., one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Chillicothe, died suddenly last Tuesday night. He was about during the day, returned home, and in a few hours died.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Wells, of Frankford, Ross county, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding on the 22d ult. Among the guest present was the lady who served as bridesmaid to Mrs. Wells fifty years ago.

The Van Wert Woolen Mill was totally destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. The fire originated from a hot box in the picker. Loss about thirty or thirty five thousand dollars; no insurance. The insurance ran out ten or twelve days ago.—It was not renewed because the owners intended to suspend operations for six months.

Zanesville Signal: The Baptists of Ohio held their next State Convention in October, in this city, at which place it was organized fifty years ago. They then did number 2,000 members in the State.—They now have 43,000. Appropriate addresses and statistics will be presented at the coming Convention, and exercises appropriate to the jubilee year.

What General Butler Says.

General Butler has been talking to a Philadelphia *Times* reporter. He told him that he expected William Allen to be re-elected Governor of Ohio by 30,000 majority, and, among other things, said:

"Four months ago the Government borrowed \$10,000,000 for the purpose of purchasing a metal substitute for the fractional currency, which can not possibly answer the purpose as well as the currency does. The borrowed money has lain idle since then at an interest expense to the Government of nearly a million of dollars. And when the substitution is made what will be the consequence? The metal currency will have to be considerably debased, or else every old woman in the country deserveth to be hanged, and we are sorry both gentlemen did not enter the Ohio campaign a month ago."

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## County Democratic Meetings.

Democratic meetings will be held at the following times and places in Knox county:

At Martinsburg, Friday Evening, October 8, 1875. Speakers: General Morgan and Hon. Daniel Paul.

At Millwood, Saturday, October 9th, at 1 o'clock, P. M. Speakers: General Morgan and Samuel Israel.

At Waterford, Saturday Evening, October 9th. Speakers: B. L. Swetland and D. W. Wood.

The New York Sun says the Republicans who made our paper money and who appointed two judges of the Supreme Court expressly to decide in favor of paper money, are bold enough to say that the Democratic party of the country is for inflation.

A controversy involving several millions of dollars has arisen in a suit now pending in the Summit county Common Pleas to foreclose a mortgage upon the Atlantic and Great Western railroad and its branch lines, a claim being made by Bischoffheim, a noted London banker, for \$50,000 in gold for money advanced to pay coupons of the company. Counter claims by way of set-off are presented by the company amounting to \$2,500,000.

LOCAL NOTICES.

FOR RENT—HOUSE AND LOT—Apply to Wm. A. Silcott.

Lost, a child's necklace, somewhere between the residence of Mrs. Shrimplin and the drug store. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at Mrs. Shrimplin's.

REMEMBER that Eshleman & Craig are making the best Shirts in the country.

J. H. Nixley, Agt. Mansfield, Ohio.

WANTED, to buy, a small farm, adapted to gardening and fruit raising, located in the suburbs of or near some growing town or city in Central or Southern Ohio. Address, giving description, A. E. Bigelow, 238 Superior St., Cleveland, O. St.

The Ice Crop.—The man who originated the rumor that the ice crop would be short this year, as it had been eaten up by the grasshoppers, is in an insane asylum. Talking of ice reminds us of HALL'S BALSAM, the grandest remedy for colds and coughs ever discovered. Price, \$1.00 per bottle. Sold everywhere.

FARMERS why will you have cold fingers and chapped hands, while husking your corn, when you can avoid it, by purchasing a pair of those celebrated Husking Gloves of Odbert & Randall, the cheap and popular haters and furriers, Wolf's Building, Main street, Mt. Vernon, O.

When you come to the Fair do not fail to call on James Sapp, and see how cheap he is selling Boots, Shoes & Rubbers. Oct. 1w2

We have just received to-day one of the finest and noblest line of Hats and Caps ever brought to this market—specialties in Browns and Blues. Remember the men and place—Odbert & Randall, the cheap and popular haters and furriers, Wolf's Building, Main street, Mt. Vernon, O. Oct. 1w2

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. aug27w6

Excelsior Zephyr.

All colors and shades for knitting Afghan scarves, etc., at sep21w6 C. PETERMAN & SON'S.

Dishes, Spoons, Knives and Forks at reduced prices at Arnold's. oct1w2

Notice.

Errett Bros. have removed to the Hank 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.

Wall Paper and Window Shades, at largely reduced prices at Arnold's.

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mats and Matting, Lowell Super, \$1; all wool Ingrains, 65c; good Ingrains, 35c to 50c; Hemp Carpets, 22c; Brussels, \$1.30. These are lower prices than they were ever sold for. Call at Arnold's and see the largest stock in Knox county.

Pictures framed cheap at Arnold's.

BARAINS in Black and Fancy Cashmere, Plaid Poplins and Invisible Plaid, and a full line of Dress Goods at sep24w3 C. PETERMAN & SON'S.

Looking Glasses cheapest at Arnold's.

Spoons, best plated, cheapest at Arnold's.

PRINTS, Prints, all the best styles and popular makes at sep24w3 C. PETERMAN & SON'S.

Arnold invites all to call and see the large stock at greatly reduced prices. Always something pretty to see; it may do you good.

CASSIMERS! Flannels, Waterproofs, Kentucky Jeans, Skirts and Shawls cheap sep24w3 at C. PETERMAN & SON'S.

Many new styles Picture Frames, prices very much reduced at Arnold's.

New Goods.

Ladies will do well to call at Ringwald & Jennings' and see their New Goods.—Having just returned from New York, we can show you the most attractive stock in city, and at such prices that every one can afford to buy. S17-2t.

New styles Wall Paper, Borders, etc., Window Shades at Arnold's.

1000 lbs. more of that same Woolen Yarn, at Ringwald & Jennings'.

Carpets, Oil Cloths, etc.; best and newest stock, lowest prices at Arnold's.

A large line of Black and Colored Cashmeres, just received at Ringwald & Jennings'. Please call and examine Goods and prices.

Silver plated Spoons, Knives and Forks, cheapest at Arnold's.

Ladies are invited to call at Ella Davidson's, and examine her Fall stock of Millinery Goods. S17-2t.

Carpets, Mats and Matting at Arnold's.

Ribbons in all the new shades at Ella Davidson's, West Gambier street.

Bring in your Pictures and get the low prices for framing at Arnold's.

## MT. VERNON CITY MILLS.

JAMES ROGERS. SAMUEL J. BRENT

ROGERS & BRENT

Beg leave to announce to the citizens of Knox county, that they have leased for a term of years, the old well-known

Norton Mills, Warehouse, Factory, Stock Yards and Scales,

And propose doing a GENERAL MILLING BUSINESS, and will buy, ship and store Grain, and do a COMMISSION BUSINESS.

Mount Vernon, Ohio, August 13-1875

WOOL CARDING, SPINNING AND WEAVING, DONE IN THE BEST MANNER AND ON FAIR TERMS.

Cash paid for good merchantable WHEAT. First-class FAMILY FLOUR, CORN MEAL AND FEED, always on hand.

STOCK YARDS AND SCALES in good condition and ready for business. ROGERS & BRENT.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Knox County Savings Bank,

Three Doors North Public Square, EAST SIDE, MT. VERNON, O.

One dollar a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 11,323.10

Two dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 23,046.38

Three dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 34,569.57

Four dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 46,092.76

Five dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 57,615.95

Six dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 69,139.14

Seven dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 80,662.33

Eight dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 92,185.52

Nine dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to, 103,708.71

Ten dollars a week deposited in this Bank for 50 years amounts to,



