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Mount Vernon

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No trouble to answer questions! mar. 29.

Cleveland, Mt. Vernon & Columbus R. R.

TIME TABLE.

FREIGHT AND PASSENGER.

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NEWS ITEMS.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The Marquis of Londonderry is dead.

San Francisco pronounces the Arizona diamond fields a fraud.

Greely's official majority in Missouri is 32,387.

Grant's majority, officially reported in New Jersey, is \$14,501.

Several schooners and propellers are reported ashore in Lake Erie.

About two-thirds of the horses of Dayton are down with the epizooty.

Kansas polled 103,000 votes, an increase of 42,000 in the last two years.

The canal is still open at Buffalo, and shipping prospects are encouraging.

The Chicago, Clinton and Dubuque R. R. will be opened December 1st.

George Lewis, publisher, is the latest mysterious disappearance in New York.

The horse disease is abating in Cincinnati.

The private chaplain of the Pope is again reported ill.

Judge Ichabod Corwin, of Urbana, Ohio, is lying dangerously ill at his residence.

The official majority for Grant in Wisconsin is 18,493.

John Garvey was murdered in Scranton Saturday night. Patrick Gaven is suspected.

Eliza Cook, the English poetess, is very ill, and her recovery is regarded as impossible.

Hon. John H. Crease, for many years Treasurer of Arkansas, died Sunday at Little Rock.

Dr. J. F. Heaton, of Indiana, an officer in the Pension Bureau, died Sunday in Washington.

Boston proposes to borrow \$20,000,000, and loan the same, "on paper security," to sufferers by the fire.

Charles Hughes, of Denver, shot and killed John L. Heyman. Cause, a woman.

Minister Washburne is to have a public reception in New York December 31st.

"Gigantic fraud" is the verdict of San Francisco as to the Arizona diamond fields.

Kansas is increasing in population at the rate of one hundred thousand a year.

Bishop Cuxe has gone to Haiti, there to organize a diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

The statue of Queen Victoria was unveiled at Montreal Thursday. Twenty thousand were present.

The Erie railroad company has obtained an order of arrest against Jay Gould for misappropriation of the company.

Governor Hoffman, of New York, will go to Europe in January, 1873, to remain absent two years.

The steamer H. M. Shrieve was burned at Chester, Illinois, while coaling, on Monday. All the passengers were saved.

There have been 118 homicides in New York during the past year and only forty-two convictions have been obtained.

Paymaster Hodges, sentenced to ten years imprisonment on a charge of embezzlement, has been pardoned by the President.

The Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Railroad will be sold under the decree of the United States Court on the 7th of December.

A special from Washington says the British forces have been withdrawn from the island of San Juan, in accordance with the Berlin decision.

United States vessels have not as yet been ordered to co-operate at Zanzibar with the British expedition against the slave trade.

At Memphis, those who are fortunate enough to have oxen charge and receive a dollar and a half a day for hauling.

Mr. Parsons, Chief of the Land Department of the M., K. & T. R. R., died at Madisonville, in that State, last Sunday night.

Ex-President Woolsey, of Yale, is delivering a course of lectures on "Polytheism" and kindred themes, before the students of the Methodist Theological Seminary.

The Official Vote of Ohio.

We publish in this week's BANNER, the official vote of Ohio at the Presidential Election, from which it will be seen that the total vote of the State was 529,598, distributed as follows: Grant, 281,852; Greely, 244,821; Black (Prohibition), 2,100; O'Connor, 1,163; scattering, 162.

It will be seen that in this Presidential election there were polled 9546 more votes than cast at the State election, when Wykoff, for Secretary of State, had a majority of 14,500. Grant gains over Wykoff's vote 15,922, while Greely falls behind Wiley 7459. This gives Grant a majority over Greely of 37,531.

The vote of Knox was as follows: Grant, 2773; Greely, 2730; Black, 57; O'Connor, 49. Grant's majority over Greely only 43. Grant received 12 votes less than Wykoff, for Secretary of State, while Greely received 402 less votes than Wiley for Secretary of State, thus showing that about 350 Democrats, (deducting the O'Connor vote) did not vote for Greely. Notwithstanding their extraordinary efforts the Radicals of Knox county have nothing to boast of in the vote given to General Grant.

A Trip Over Our New Railroad.

The Editor of the BANNER (accompanied by his wife and daughter) made his first trip over the Cleveland, Mr. Vernon and Columbus Railway, from Mt. Vernon to Akron, on Friday, returning on Saturday. We left Mt. Vernon at 8 o'clock, A. M., and arrived at Akron at 4 o'clock, P. M. This is slow traveling, but it affords one an opportunity to see the country, and learn the news of the neighborhood at each station. The car was pretty well filled with passengers, all the way through, and a good deal of freight and express matter, such as butter, eggs, poultry, &c., was received at the principal stations on the road. The track, for a new one, is in excellent condition, being smooth and well ballasted. The bridges along the entire road, are well built and very substantial.

From the Mohican river to Black Creek, the road passes over a wild and romantic country, requiring some good engineering to carry it through. The deep cut at the summit and the grand trestle work on either side, will well repay a person for a visit over this portion of the road.

Down the valley of Black Creek, from Napoleon to Oxford, and up the valley of Killbuck, from Oxford to Millersburg, the track is in splendid condition. At Oxford, the work on the extension of the road to Dresden, Muskingum county, has been commenced, which will not only open to us the extensive coal fields of Holmes, Coshocton and Muskingum counties, but will give us a new and independent Railway communication with Southern Ohio and Cincinnati.

From Millersburg to Akron the road has been running for about twenty years, but the track will soon have to be relaid, as the ties and iron are pretty well worn out. This will be attended to soon as possible after the line is opened to Columbus.

At Orrville we were delayed for over an hour, or until some six different freight trains, going East and West on the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway had gone through the tedious process of switching, and loading and unloading freight. This delay, we understand, is encountered every day, and will continue until a new time table can be agreed upon, which will give the trains on the Mt. Vernon road the privilege of passing.

Orrville is a flourishing and enterprising town, of about 1,000 population, and receives and sends away an immense amount of freight. It has two good hotels, the Doncaster House and the Hurd House, (named after Judge Hurd), and supports a newspaper.

Our stay in Akron being brief, we did not find time to go much over the city, and witness the improvements that have taken place since we last visited there in February, 1871, at the time of the Editorial Convention. But the City has greatly increased in population and business since then; and many manufacturing establishments and fine dwelling houses have been built. But the largest and most attractive building that has been erected, is Buchtel College, recently dedicated and now in the full tide of success. It is under the special patronage of the Universalist denomination of Christians, and owes its existence to the munificence of Lewis R. Buchtel, Esq., a wealthy manufacturer of Akron, and some other public spirited gentlemen.

We visited the two leading printing offices while in Akron. The Times, published by our friend L. S. EVERETT, is the Democratic organ, and although comparatively a new paper, is enjoying a large circulation and a high degree of prosperity. Its local department is very full and complete. The old Beacon, the Republican organ, although twice destroyed by fire, is now on a firmer basis and in a more flourishing condition than during any former period of its existence. It is published daily and weekly by a joint stock company, of which our old friend S. A. LANE, Esq., is the leading spirit and business manager. Their new office is fitted up in metropolitan style, with all the modern improvements in machinery, &c., making it full and complete in every department. The first story is divided into two compartments, the business office and blank book and stationary department being in front and the job department in the rear. The composing and editorial rooms are on the second floor. The press room is in the basement, and the engine room in a cellar underneath. The building, which it has three stories in front, has five stories in the rear. An elevator, worked by steam power, carries the forms to and from the press room, and is also used in conveying the workmen to the different stories. The entire building is heated by steam.

While in Akron of course we called upon that extensive dealer and enterprising, whole-souled citizen, GEORGE WELCH, Esq. He is doing an immense business; and to the wholesale grocery and drug trade, he has recently added a variety department, where everything in the notion line from a baby's rattle to a house-furnishing outfit can be obtained. Mr. Welch shipped the first bill of goods and bought the first through ticket from Akron to Mt. Vernon, over our new Railroad. [We may add that Mr. W. has now completed and ready for occupancy one of the handsomest, best arranged and most complete private residences in Akron, and no man is more deserving of a good home than he is.]

Akron is very much in need of a first-class hotel. They have a miserable old rat hole there, called the Empire House, which was erected by a grandson of Noah, or some other man, where third-rate accommodations are furnished at first-class prices.

While in Akron on Saturday at 11 o'clock A. M., on our return trip, and arrived at Mt. Vernon at 7 P. M. General Jones, the gentlemanly and efficient Superintendent of the road, came over on the train, and Bishop and Mrs. Babbitt joined us at Orrville, and made their first trip over the new road to Gambier.

About one hundred French communists held a meeting in New York on Monday night week at which funds were subscribed for the widows and orphans of the communists, who fell in the late struggle in France. It was stated that these widows and orphans were suffering terribly at Paris and Belleville, from hunger and cold. The money subscribed for the fund collected by a similar organization in New York, will be forwarded shortly to the sufferers.

The wood pavement bribery investigation in Philadelphia discloses the fact that one of the parties, striving for a wood pavement on Broad street, would have had a clear one hundred thousand dollars to "divide" among his friends if he should get the contract.

When Chicago was burned there was no offer of relief from the National Treasury at Washington. But when Boston is consumed its head is prompt to extend assistance. Reason the eastern capitalists govern this country.

Trouble in the Grant Family.

Jesse R. Grant, the father of the President, is a Postmaster at Covington, Ky. He is a very old man, having arrived at this period of second childhood, and hence he is incapable of attending to the duties of the office. But he positively refuses to resign. The Special Agent of the Post Office Department, Mr. Shad. Easton, was requested to take charge of the office, but upon going there he was peremptorily ordered away by old man Grant, accompanied by a threat that he would split his head if he did not do so. Easton wrote to the President on the subject, and received the following answer:

"EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON CITY, Sept. 4, 1872.

"MY DEAR MR. EASTON: I have just received your letter inclosing your resignation as Special Agent in charge of the Covington Post-office, with the reasons therefor. I beg you to suspend action in the matter for the present. I regret very much that my father should attempt to interfere in your management of the office. I shall write him at once to desist, and to send him his resignation, as I am satisfied he will never again be competent to discharge the duties of the office.

"Very truly your friend, "U. S. GRANT."

Wing versus Sapp.

We last week gave Major Sapp a hearing in our columns; and wishing to be fair and impartial as between our Republican friends, we this week make room for the reply of Dr. Wing. Major Sapp, in a note to the editor of the BANNER, prefacing his article which we inserted last week, has the assurance to say we were the authors of the charges "against him." This is a little "too thin," Major, but entirely characteristic. The "charges" were made by your own confidential clerk, were duly sworn to, and are now on file in the proper Department at Washington. As to the character of these charges, the public can the better judge, after perusing Dr. Wing's comprehensive summary which we publish to-day.

Death of Gen. Edward Ball.

ZANESVILLE, O., Nov. 22.—Gen. Edward Ball, of this city, lost his life to-day by a terrible accident. He was engaged in loading cattle into a stock-car at the railroad, when his foot got caught in the frog of a switch. He was attempting at the time to get out of the way of an approaching locomotive. He was unable to extricate himself, and those who were near him failed, for some reason, to assist him. The engine struck him and passed over him, mauling him in a terrible manner. He was instantly killed. General Ball was one of our best known citizens. He was at one time Sergeant-at-Arms of the National House of Representatives, and was a member of the Ohio House of Representatives from Muskingum, in the session of 1863-4.

Serious Illness of Horace Greely.

News comes to us from New York that Horace Greely is seriously ill, suffering from nervous prostration—almost to the borders of insanity. During the last few weeks of his wife's sickness, he scarcely left her bedside for a moment, and since her death he has suffered great mental and physical prostration, being unable to either sleep or eat. The rumor that he was taken to the Bloomingdale Asylum is a mistake. He remains at the house of Mr. Stewart, in Tarrytown, and his physicians hope, that with rest and quiet he will be restored to his accustomed health.

A New White House Proposed.

The opinion is entertained by many that the President's residence should be situated in a more healthy locality north of Washington, and a bill has been prepared to be offered in Congress providing for the construction of a new edifice for the President, and also that the present mansion be converted into an office for the transaction of merely Executive business.

The delegation of Saco and Fox Indians of Missouri, who arrived at Washington several days ago from Nebraska and Kansas, had a talk with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Walker, yesterday, in which they expressed the desire of their people that one-half the proceeds of their present reservation, which is soon to be sold, may be invested and held by the Government as a school fund for their children.

Returns from Illinois like several other States show that General Grant is not so popular as when he ran in 1868. In the recent election he received just 9,378 votes less, notwithstanding he received the negro vote which he did not get in '68. The official figures, when all in from the various States, will furnish food for reflection upon the President's most enthusiastic admirers.

Those preachers who pretend to interpret the designs of Providence, having exhausted the Boston fire, are now turning their attention to the horse epidemic. A Cincinnati clergyman named Taylor, on Sunday night last, delivered a long discourse from a text in Exodus, ix, 3, "Behold, the hand of the Lord is upon the horses—a very grievous murrain."

The third and last session of the Forty-second Congress commences on Monday, the 24th of December, and ends on the 4th of March, 1873, by constitutional limitation. There will be no general session of the Forty-third Congress till December, 1873.

Hon. Robert Tyler, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee of Alabama, announces that there will be a Democratic majority of from four to five on joint ballot in the Legislature of that State. This will put a Democratic U. S. Senator in the place of Mr. Spencer.

In 1868 Grant had five majority in the City of Galena, Illinois, which is his home residence. At the late election Greely had 841 votes to Grant's 629. This was therefore a majority for Greely of 221. Grant appears to run the best where he is least known.

The Democracy of Knox were never in better condition, or more cordially united than they are at the present time. If an election would take place to-morrow, and a popular ticket nominated, we could carry the county by 500 majority.

Texas gives the next largest Democratic majority, Missouri being first on the list, besides she elects an unbroken Democratic delegation to Congress and has a heavy majority in the Legislature.

More of Grant's popularity is shown by the returns from Illinois. Notwithstanding he received the negro vote at the recent election, his vote is 9,378 less than it was in 1868.

When Monroe was elected President the second time his opponent, John Quincy Adams, got but one electoral vote. Let John Quincy Adams, Jr., take care. He came within one of getting as many votes as his grandfather.

Dr. Wing's Charges Against Messrs. W. R. Sapp and Ben. Grant.

MR. L. HARPER.—Sir: A communication appeared in your last issue over the signature of W. R. Sapp, in which he seeks, by indulging in personalities against me and a few flimsy statements, to exonerate himself and his confederate, Ben. Grant, from the odium of certain charges preferred by me against them at the Department of Internal Revenue in June last.

With your permission I will lay before your readers a statement of the charges, in order that they may judge for themselves to what extent they have been answered by Sapp's communication.

In my affidavit preferring the charges I set forth that I was the clerk in the office of the Assessor of Internal Revenue, during the months of April and May last, that during the same period Ben. Grant was the Assistant Assessor and Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue for the (Knox) county, and transacted his private and official business in the same room with myself; that on the first day of May, Grant made out an account against the United States for twenty-six days service performed during the month of April, (being the total number of working days in that month), specifying therein, the date of each day of service, and making oath thereto that his whole time, during business hours of each day, charged, was actually employed in collecting lists and making valuations, under the Revenue laws; that the account was certified to by W. R. Sapp, and a record made of the same by me in a book kept for that purpose in the Assessor's office; that the account so made by Grant, for the month of April, was false and fraudulent, for the reason that during a large number of the days charged, no service was performed by him for the Government, but that the time was actually devoted to other kinds of work, to wit: That on the first day of April, being the first Monday in April, and the day upon which the municipal election was held, Grant was a candidate for the position of Assessor of the 5th Ward of Mt. Vernon, and employed a large part of his time, during that day, in endeavoring to secure his own election and that of some of his favorite candidates for other offices; which can be fully substantiated by those whose interests or love of politics, induced them to attend the polls of the 5th Ward, on that day, that between the 13th and the 30th days of April, a large part of his time during business hours, was employed in assessing the personal property of the 5th Ward, as can be substantiated by the residents of the Ward, notwithstanding Sapp's thin attempt to evade the charge, by asserting that Grant's father assisted him. That about the 26th day of May, Grant presented an account for fifteen days services as Assessor of the 5th Ward, during the month of April, to the Auditor of Knox county, specifying therein the date of each day of service and making oath thereto that the particular days charged were actually employed in making assessments of the property in the 5th Ward.

Further, in my affidavit, I set forth that I issued an order in his favor on the Treasurer of Knox county, for the sum of ten cents per day, that he presented the order to the County Treasurer, and received his pay thereon. Further, that a portion of his time during the month of April was devoted several times during the month, to the Internal Revenue and in attending to his private business.

I further set forth, that at the time Grant's account for the month of April was presented to the Auditor, his certificate thereto, I believed Sapp to be fully cognizant of its fraudulent nature, for the reason, that Sapp knew by a conversation with me, that on the 13th day of April, during the month of April, when asking what Grant was doing, that he was engaged in making assessments of property in the 5th Ward, and he had kept no record of the time he had been so engaged, and he was, therefore, unable to furnish a satisfactory explanation of the edge of these facts, Grant's account for a full month's work was given to me two days after for record, with Sapp's certificate appended, and upon which I had carefully examined the account, that the number of days charged were necessary to collect the lists and make the valuations, and that the account was correct, and in accordance with law. I afterwards called Sapp's attention to the fraudulent character of Grant's account, but while tacitly acknowledging it to be false, he said it was too small a matter to be a subject of complaint, and upon expressing a determination to present the case to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, if he would take no action in the matter, I was removed from position as clerk.

I further set forth, that Sapp in reply to a letter from Supervisor J. W. Dyer, asking whether any of the Revenue officers in this District were engaged in any other kind of business, said in substance, that he had been engaged in the practice of the law for over thirty years; but he had subsequently retired, and he was now engaged with him two gentlemen who had taken charge of his old business, using his name in connection therewith, in settling up, being engaged himself in no other business, but in attending to the accounts, while the fact was, that he bestowed his undivided attention upon his law practice, from the time he was appointed Assessor of the 5th Ward, to the time he was removed from the office, and he placed his signature on the reports and communications going out of the office.

I presume Sapp thought if it only referred to the fact that he was engaged in a profitable business, his moral principles were of such an elastic nature, he could very easily comply with the demand.

Lastly I set forth that Sapp rented a room in Wolf's building, ostensibly for the Assessor's office, the rent of which was paid by the United States, but was used by Sapp and his law partners exclusively as a private law office, without any compensation to the government, the business of the Assessor's office being transacted in another room.

The charges, of which the foregoing is the substance, were forwarded by me to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, on the 7th day of June last, accompanied by the affidavits of Auditor Greely, of the 5th Ward, Ben. Grant, Robert Miller, Treasurer of Knox county, and a letter of transmittal, offering to furnish all the additional evidence necessary to sustain them; but by the inactivity of Sapp, and the refusal of his friend at the Department, the case was dismissed without an investigation.

At the last term of the U. S. Court, at Cleveland, I have been engaged in an investigation, and by presenting the case to the Grand Jury through the District Attorney, and although subpoenaed to appear and give testimony, when I did appear, I was not permitted by the District Attorney to go before the Jury, evidently having aroused some of the powers that be, from the complete change in the aspect of affairs, from the time the subpoena was issued, to the time I appeared in Cleveland. Comment is unnecessary.

Respectfully, E. D. W. O. WING.

If the Episcopal sect attack doctors, the Republican will be left without keys.

OFFICIAL PRESIDENTIAL VOTE.

Abstract of Votes Given for Electors for President and Vice President of the U. States, Nov. 5, 1872, in the State of Ohio.

Counties.	Grant.	Greely.	Black.	O'Connor.	Total.
Adams.....	1877	1972	11		3850
Allen.....	2010	2463	2		4475
Ashland.....	2183	2368	8		4559
Ashtabula.....	5764	1678	38		7480
Athens.....	2025	1838	29		3892
Auglaize.....	1180	2555	47		3782
Belmont.....	4267	3847	22		8136
Berks.....	2293	3337	9		5639
Butler.....	2937	4296	6		7239
Carroll.....	1817	1283	2		3102
Champaign.....	3059	2185	1		5245
Clarke.....	4005	2012	23		6040
Clermont.....	3493	3658	1		7152
Columbiana.....	4773	2857	30		7660
Coshocton.....	2252	2656	22		4930
Crawford.....	1223	1220	1		2444
Cuyahoga.....	4451	8033	178		12462
Darke.....	3669	2760	6		6435
Delaware.....	2710	2013	178		4801
Erie.....	2905	2287	17		5209
Fayette.....	2440	1545	12		3997
Franklin.....	5796	7345	56		13197
Fulton.....	2855	1545	15		4415
Gallia.....	2533	1854	25		4412
Geauga.....	2711	690	8		3409
Greene.....	4068	1961	7		6036
Guernsey.....	2293	1910	11		4214
Hamilton.....	2083	2491	1		4575
Hancock.....	2311	2441	3		4755
Harrison.....	2303	1895	9		4197
Henry.....	1160	1540	1		2701
Hocking.....	1350	1800	12		3162
Holmes.....	1089	2530	1		3620
Huron.....	1223	1220	1		2444
Jefferson.....	2276	1555	4		3835
Johnson.....	3775	2102	18		5895
Lake.....	2751	979	8		3738
Lawrence.....	3624	1837	44		5505
Licking.....	2293	1838	29		4160
Lorain.....	2735	1952	2		4689
Lorain.....	4332	2067	7		6406
Lorain.....	2735	1952	2		4689
Madison.....	1934	1625	24		3583
Madison.....	3767	2518	65		6350
Madison.....	2329	1838	29		4190
Meigs.....	2734	1895	12		4641
Meigs.....	5501	1812	3		7316
Meigs.....	1023	2010	33		3066
Meigs.....	1307	2878	59		4244
Meigs.....	6198	7183	38		13419
Meigs.....	2329	1838	29		4190
Meigs.....	2197	1689	30		3916
Meigs.....	4328	4304	20		8652
Meigs.....	1122	1439	3		2564
Meigs.....	979	637	7		1623
Meigs.....	1079	1272	1		2352
Meigs.....	2333	2290	25		4648
Meigs.....	1284	1568	1		2853
Meigs.....	2478	1838	29		4345
Meigs.....	2715	2013	18		4746
Meigs.....	1275	2131	20		3426
Meigs.....	2329	1838	29		4190
Meigs.....	3650	3711	5		7366

THE BANNER.

WM. M. HARPER, LOCAL EDITOR.

Mount Vernon, Nov. 29, 1872

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Butter has jumped up to 25 cents per pound, retail, and is scarce at that.

Hon. S. S. Cox has been making a visit to Zanesville and Columbus.

Dr. John L. Riggs, a prominent physician of Oxford, Holmes county, died a few days ago.

Four trains of cars passed through Mt. Vernon on Sunday on the B. & O. Railroad.

Mt. Vernon has several Mansard roofs, but they are on dwelling houses and not stores.

City Marshal J. A. Mitchell has been confined to his house for about two weeks, by severe illness.

In Hartford, Conn., the hearers are drawn by omen. Mt. Vernon has not come to that complexion yet.

The gentle ox now goeth through our streets, which is a novelty for the ox as well as the people.

Several thousand pounds of wool were sold at New Lisbon during the past week at 60 cents per pound.

Wooster is enjoying a big bore at present. The hole is now 345 feet deep, and the bottom has not been reached yet.

The horse epidemic has spread all over the country. The farm horses as well as the liveries horses, are afflicted.

Toy Hunt says he knows of several horses in town that commenced coughing in order to escape from work and get better feed.

Chickens, turkeys, geese, &c., are dying by the hundred along the Hudson river. We don't want the disease out this way.

The horse editor of the N. Y. World calls it "Hipporhinophlegmatolomoclastagmus." That's enough to kill any horse.

It is said that President Garrett, of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, lost by the recent failures in Baltimore from \$600,000 to \$750,000.

Our country patrons, who are in arrears for the BANNER, should not forget to call on us when they come to the city to pay their taxes.

The country is threatened with another visitation from the small-pox this winter. Get your arm vaccinated at once, and have some good vaccine matter applied.

Our citizens who laid in their supply of coal before the epidemic came to town are now congratulating themselves on their good fortune.

Some of our farmers, in coming to Mt. Vernon, leave their horses at some farm house, a mile or two from town. This is very foolish.

The City of New York, which was advertised in the BANNER, was last week sold to Messrs. Sperry, Raymond and Rogers for \$4300.

There are two reasons why some people do not mind their own business. One is they have no business, and the other is they have no mind.

MARRIED—On the 26th of November, at the brides residence, by the Rev. J. Shearer, Mr. Finley McKibbin to Miss Louisa Mills.

MARRIED—On Thursday Nov. 21st, by Elder Herrod, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Liberty, Mr. W. A. Thompson to Miss Ange A. Robertson.

Smoking and tobacco chewing is decidedly on the increase among the juveniles of this town. Quit it boys in your youth—when you get old you can't.

"Fritz" Voth served up for his customers on Saturday, a fat buffalo calf, sent to him by express from Kansas City by our former townman, Mr. A. Conolly.

It has been decided to run the line of Railroad from Oxford, to Dresden instead of to Coshocton. The people of Coshocton are not pleased with this arrangement.

There are quite a number of band some station houses being erected along the line of the C. Mt. V. & O. Railroad. Mr. Thomas, of Akron, has the contract for building them.

Our citizens cannot be too careful in guarding their premises against fire, especially as water is very scarce, and there are no horses in condition to pull the steam engine to a fire.

On Tuesday, the snow, the beautiful snow, came tumbling from heaven to earth below, when every pretty girl in town, with her beau, wished to go sleighing, you know, o'er hill and dale on the beautiful snow.

Timon Lodge No. 45, Knights of Pythias, gave a grand ball and supper (the former at Woodward's Hall and the latter at Wolf's Hall) on Wednesday evening. Both halls were well filled, and the affair throughout was a perfect success, reflecting great credit upon the members of the Lodge.

Important Railroad Meeting.
Pursuant to notice a meeting of the stockholders of the Cleveland, Mt. Vernon and Columbus Railroad Company was held at the Company's office in this city, on Wednesday morning; when it was agreed, by a unanimous vote, that a Branch of the Road should be built at once from Oxford, in Holmes county, to Dresden, in Muskingum county. Among the gentlemen present at the meeting were Mr. Messer of Pittsburgh, Mr. Orr of Orrville, Mr. Harpster of Millersburg, and Mr. White of Gambier.

A Nice Present.
Our excellent friend Joe Miller, will please accept the thanks of the Harper family for the present of a monster turkey, which he had the goodness to send us a few days ago. It weighs 21 pounds, un-dressed, and was one of a pair which Mr. Miller shot while in Pleasant township one day last week down on gunning. It was young, tender and delicious—far surpassing any thing in the turkey line we have ever tasted. We hope our friend Joe will live to wing a thousand such turkeys; and we wouldn't be the least surprised if he brought home a dear with him one of these days.

Excitement at Dover.
Dr. O. G. Seldon, of Canal Dover, is charged with having procured an abortion on Miss Eliza Dahmer, of that place. The girl died Saturday week ago, and intense excitement prevails in the neighborhood. The Doctor was arrested and released on bail, and it is said has disappeared. Dr. Seldon is a fine physician, and he is much respected as a man. Any quantity, quality and color of stories are afloat in regard to this unfortunate affair. The Doctor's absence himself should not be taken as evidence of guilt; it is not always prudent for the innocent to place themselves at the mercy of an excited community.—*Holmes County Farmer.*

Common Pleas Court.

The Court of Common Pleas for Knox county continued in session during the past week—Judge Adams on the Bench. A great many judgments in collection cases, were taken, parties of real estate ordered, and dowers assigned. The following are the leading cases disposed of:

State vs. John Kimball and Leander Morgan. Petit larceny—two cases. Plea guilty by both. Fined \$25 and costs.

State vs. Philip Church. Assault and battery. Plea guilty. Fined \$25 and costs.

State vs. John McGinnis. Petit larceny. Plea guilty. Ordered to make restitution in the sum of \$29, pay a fine of \$15 and costs, and imprisonment for fifteen days.

William Morris, Jr. vs. Nathaniel M. Young et al. as partners in the Bank of Fredericktown. Submitted to Court—Judgment for Plaintiff for \$403.65, and costs.

M. W. Wright et al., Commissioners of Ashtabula county, vs. Philip Numan, Wm. Mahaffey and O. M. Arnold. Controversy about the ownership of some forty maps. Submitted to Court. Judgment finding right of possession of property in plaintiffs, and against Numan for all costs except on order of replevin and summons, which Mahaffey and Arnold are to pay.

Elizabeth A. George vs. Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York. Judgment for Plaintiff for \$21.45.

E. G. Woodward vs. O. C. Baugh. Appeal Judgment against Defendant for \$70 and costs.

Samuel Rogers vs. Benj. Hamwell. Submitted to Court. Judgment for Defendant for costs.

Philip Numan vs. David C. Lewis. Suit on right of property in certain maps. Judgment against plaintiff for costs.

Basili Jones vs. C. G. Cooper & Co. Suit on bill of lumbur. Verdict for Plaintiff for \$30.46.

H. T. Porter vs. Jacob R. Robinson et al. Suit to recover possession of a pining mare. Tried by Jury. Verdict for Plaintiff for possession of property and damages for detention \$100 and judgment accordingly.

The Horse Epidemic.
The horse disease, which broke out in our city about two weeks ago, is still raging with unabated violence. Our streets are almost entirely deserted by horses, and present a dull and gloomy appearance. Business, however, is nearly as good as usual, at this season of the year. Instead of express wagons, hand-carts, wheelbarrows, &c., are now employed in delivering packages in all parts of the city. The Busses have all ceased running to and from the depots. Armstrong & Tilton were "running" a two-wheeled vehicle, by horsepower, labeled "Epidemic proof," which serves as an advertisement as well as a delivery cart. Our coal dealers have great trouble in filling their contracts. Mr. Mills runs one wagon with mules and another with oxen, and it is rather ludicrous to see the driver teaching "Buck and Bright" how to "go" and "hew." Although most of the horses in town and a great many in the country are more or less affected with the disease, we have not as yet heard of a single death. The owners are taking every possible care of their horses, and many of them are improving gradually. The moment symptoms of the disease manifested themselves, the horses were taken from work, properly blanketed and cared for. It is believed that in a couple of weeks many of the horses will be entirely cured and ready to resume their regular work.

Fall of a Clergyman.
The people of Gambier and vicinity will be pained to hear of the fall of the Rev. Robert J. McElheny, a son of Professor McElheny of the Theological Seminary. This young gentleman, after being admitted to clerical honors, was appointed to the Rectory of two parishes, one at Hudson and the other at Peninsula, preaching on Sunday morning at the first place and Sunday evenings at the latter. He was rather popular as a preacher, notwithstanding a certain roughness of expression. Although certain irregularities were discovered some months ago, it was not until within the past few weeks that his strange and unaccountable depravity came to light. The details (which are published in the Cleveland and Akron papers) are too shameful and disgusting for reproduction in the columns of the BANNER. Suffice it is to say, that the greater part of his salary, instead of being set apart to pay his board bills and other proper expenses, was squandered in making trips to Cleveland and Pittsburgh, on visits to bad women, and in drinking, smoking and gaming. These practices were so revolting, as to induce his some friends to believe that he was really insane.

Money Lost and Found.
Mr. Wm. Dupin, of Union township, Knox county, was in Mt. Vernon on Saturday to receive his pay for a lot of hogs he had sold. The amount (\$150) was enclosed in an envelope, and placed in his pocket for safe-keeping. He then went down street, unloaded some wood from his wagon and returned home. But upon looking for his money it was gone. He came back to the City on Saturday night, and supposing that the envelope containing the money might have dropped from his pocket, while unloading the wood, he procured a lantern, and to his great joy found the lost treasure on the street, at the spot where his wagon stood. We guess he will win his money in his pocket the next lot of hogs he sells. *Ans. C. R.*

Route Agent.
James C. Corbin is the new route agent on the C. Mt. V. & O. Railroad. Mr. Sel O. Sapp, who was an applicant for the position, was unsuccessful, because the Congressman from the Akron district, claimed that the appointment belonged to him. Mr. Sapp, we understand, has the promise of a place as soon as the Through Express train starts to Mt. Vernon.

Thanks.
A silver fruit knife, belonging to the Editor of the BANNER, was lost on Gambier street, some weeks ago. It was afterwards found by Miss Devos of Pleasant township, who, seeing our initials on the handle, kindly returned it through Mr. H. C. Rath. The lady has our sincere thanks.

Mansfield and Tuscarawas Valley Railroad.
On Friday last, certificates of incorporation of this company were filed with the Secretary of State. A party started from Mansfield last Monday to explore the route by way of Nashville, Napoleon, Oxford and Bloomfield, in this county. The road is to run from Urichville to Mansfield and then connect with the road running to Toledo upon which the iron is nearly all laid.—*Holmes County Farmer.*

LITERARY NOTICES.

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY for December maintains its high character as the leading literary Magazine of our country. Among the contributors to this number are: John A. Coleman, Charles Atkins, Paul H. Hayne, James De Mille, J. W. DeFont, Marian Douglas, Francis Parkman, Mrs. Oella Thaxter, James Partin, Edgar Fawcett, Oliver Wendell Holmes, and others. Published at Boston by Jas. R. Osgood & Co. at \$4 a year, or single copies 35 cents. Two copies, \$7.00; ten copies \$30.

LOCKE'S NATIONAL MONTHLY.—We have received the initial number of this new candidate for public favor, published at Toledo, Ohio, by Messrs. Locke & Jones. It is a neatly executed magazine of 48 pages, and is well filled with original articles, in prose and verse, among which are a poem by Mr. D. E. Locke, entitled "1861-1871" and a story, "The Misanthropes." It is decidedly the best Dollar Magazine in the United States. It starts with a list of ten thousand subscribers.

THE LADY'S FRIEND.—The December number of the Lady's Friend is filled with choice reading for the holidays. Its embellishments are unusually fine, and so are also the fashion plates, patterns, &c. Price, \$2 a year, or \$2.50 with a premium chromo. Published by Deacon & Peterson, Philadelphia.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS for December is a splendid number, containing stories, poetry and sketches from J. T. Trowbridge, Rose Terry, Elizabeth S. Phelps, Nellie Fyster, N. A. Eliot, and many other popular writers. Published by James R. Osgood & Co., Boston, at \$2 per annum.

A Puzzled Landlord.
Bob, Chief, of the "Commercial House," was in a terribly perplexed condition the other night, but he worked his way through in a very adroit manner. Twelve "customers" came off the cars, and each called for a separate room, while there were only eleven spare rooms in the house. But he managed to accommodate them all, and put the twelve men in the eleven rooms, each one having a single room.

Here are the eleven rooms:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11
"Now," said he "if two of you will step into No. 1, I'll find a spare room for one of you as soon as I show the other gentleman thieves."

Having put two gentlemen in No. 1, he proceeded to put the third in No. 2, the 4th in No. 3, the 5th in No. 4, the 6th in No. 5, the 7th in No. 6, the 8th in No. 7, the 9th in No. 8, the 10th in No. 9, the 11th in No. 10, then coming back to No. 1 where he had left the two first or the 12th gentleman along with the first he said, "I have now accommodated all the rest and still have a room to spare. So if one of you will please step into No. 11, you'll find it empty. So it was the twelfth gentleman got his room. And now reader we expect you to decide which is the "odd man" before you consider yourself competent to keep a hotel.

Cure for the Horse Disease.
A correspondent of the Zanesville Courier, who says he has had long experience with horses and cattle, gives the following recipe, knowing it to be good, not only to cure sick horses, but to prevent well ones from getting sick:
1 lb. Rosh.
2 oz. Copars.
1 lb. Saltpetre.
1 lb. Baking Soda.
1 lb. Flaxseed.
2 oz. Antimony.
Pulverize to a fine powder, and give a tablespoonful each evening, in damp feed. If corn is fed, straw should be fed with it. Feed oats and hay, well damped; keep stable warm; be careful to prevent a cold draft upon your horses through door, or other openings. If horse is very sick, wash his feet with warm water, and rub until perfectly warm and dry.

A Success.
The Baptist Sabbath School Institute of the Mt. Vernon Association, which was held at Fredericktown, on Thursday and Friday of last week, was all the friends of the Sabbath School would desire. A general good feeling prevailed throughout the entire proceedings, and a deep interest manifested by all who were in attendance.—*Mt. Vernon Sentinel.*

Fearful Storm in Minnesota—800 Men Starving.
We have terrible tidings of a dread disaster in Minnesota. A fearful snow storm visited that State cutting off communication with 800 men, who were employed in constructing a railroad from Winona. They are 100 miles from communication with the world, with a limited supply of provisions. Attempts to reach them by a train through the snow have been unsuccessful, it having penetrated but twenty-five miles in three days, and was still twenty miles from the unfortunate men. The storm had continued in great fury for six days, and it was feared the men would starve before supplies reached them.

In the thanksgiving proclamation of Gov. Edwin McKee, of Colorado, one of the causes enumerated why the whole people of the territory should give thanks to the Almighty God is the fact that "the people have voted to us another four years of Republican government." McKee is sure of his governorship for an indefinite period.

Colorado Territory is indeed prosperous, a sort of Western Canada. Here, before the Territory has imported largely of Eastern flour and grain; but this year over a million pounds of Colorado wheat have already been shipped from Denver to St. Louis, and it is largely sought for to mix with inferior grades of Eastern Spring wheat.

What Unspeakable Relief!
Is afforded to the burning and throbbing flesh by a single application of that unequalled balm for human or brute suffering, Mexican Mustang Liniment. The tormenting and flesh-destroying pains of rheumatism, gout and neuralgia, and completely banished by its use; stiffness of the joints and painful swellings, quickly yield to its emollient influence; it heals bruises, cuts, scalds, etc., with astonishing rapidity. For straining spring-halls, sore-shoes, saddle collar and harness galls, as well as the more serious external maladies of the horse, it is a swift and thorough remedy.

The Only Remedy.
Those who suffer from foul breath are open to the charge of carelessness. It is an offence that can be speedily abated, as a single bottle of the fragrant SODONOR will unmistakably accomplish the work. No toilet-table should be without it. It will preserve and keep the teeth white, and the breath pure and sweet.

Spalding's Glue, who would be without it?

OHIO STATE NEWS.

The Reservoir, near Hebron, Licking county, is now eight feet below high water mark, lower than ever known before.

A laborer engaged in grading the railroad near Toledo unearthed a twenty dollar gold piece, and the company got a full quart of a mile of grading done gratis by excited treasure-hunters.

George W. Adams, of Dresden, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, Judge Marsh assigned. The liabilities are \$200,000 and assets about \$500,000, including about 8,000 acres of valuable land.

Hon. J. T. Wilson, Congressman from the Ironton (Ohio) district, is ill, not having been out of his room for five weeks, except on election day, when he rode 150 yards to cast his vote.

Rev. Shrom, of Ashland county, has been unanimously called by the congregation, to the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church, of Zanesville, vacated some time ago by Prof. Webster, of Granville.

Application has been made to the Morgan County Court for an injunction to restrain the Commissioners from levying and collecting the sum (\$210,000) recently voted by the people for railroad purposes.

The Campaign County Court of Common Pleas opened in Urbana on Monday morning, with over two hundred and fifty cases on the docket, among which are four penitentiary cases pending before the grand jury for indictment.

The Spirit says there is a young girl named Kerner, aged 17 years, a resident of Switzerland township, Monroe county, who weighs 500 pounds. At the age of 13 years she weighed a little over 300 pounds.

It is announced by telegraph that Mr. C. W. Potwin is in Washington wending up the affairs of the Second National Bank of Zanesville, of which he is President and principal stockholder. It is said that Mr. Potwin will remove to Chicago.

The Athens Messenger learns from one of the contractors that the Athens Lunatic Asylum will be wholly under roof before severe weather sets in, and that the building will be ready for occupancy about next October.

Dennis Dowd, aged sixty-five, a farmer in the township of Dover, Cuyahoga county, committed suicide by hanging, on Sunday morning. He was suffering from aberration of mind.

The Commissioners of Tuscarawas county have let, since April last, the work of building fifty bridges and culverts in that county. Nine of these are iron bridges, two of them one hundred feet span, and fifty are over fifty feet span.

On Thursday a collision occurred on the Zanesville and Cincinnati Short Line Railroad, near Verona, about thirty miles from Covington, between two freight trains. One locomotive was totally demolished and the other damaged. Loss estimated at \$40,000. Three men were slightly injured.

John Coon, one of the proprietors of a steam saw mill, in Farmersville, Montgomery county, was terribly mutilated while filing a saw last Monday. Some iron turned on steam and the saw nearly severed Coon's leg before his perilous situation was discovered. The physician thinks he will save the leg.

At a meeting of the Trustees of Buchtel College, the widow of the late Rev. George Messenger donated \$25,000 to endow the chair of Mental and Moral Philosophy. A gentleman of Springfield, has agreed to endow another chair with the same amount, and a lady of Akron will do the same. Rev. A. Wilson was elected Trustee in place of the deceased Rev. Mr. Messenger.

A thief entered Mayor Sigman's room at the Phillips House, at Dayton, Friday night and stole his gold watch and chain. A 400 watch, belonging to General Bates, was also taken. Prugh's dry goods store was entered the same night by burglars, and silks amounting to \$2,000 in value were stolen. Colonel Russ' room in the Merchants' Hotel was also entered, and his gold watch stolen.

Abraham DeLong, of Van Wert, a soldier in the 46th O. V. T., died recently. His death was caused by a musket ball received at Mission Ridge, Nov. 25, 1864. He picked his skull and remained in his house. The Van Wert Bulletin says: "During his last suffering, Mr. DeLong was rational at times, but would occasionally imagine that he was in the army, and introduces himself as Sergeant DeLong."

On Friday morning a sad accident occurred in the railroad yard at Galena. A man named Henry Bush, in the employ of the C. C. & I. Railroad, pulled the switch and as he attempted to step away, his foot caught in the guard rail. When he tried to jerk his foot out, he fell and an engine train passed over his body. The engineer could not see him for the pony engine was backing up, and all that was heard was a cry. Bush was a single man, of good habits, and is much lamented by his fellows.

Notice.
HERBERT C. FOWLER, Dentist, has gone to Cincinnati to attend a course of lectures and practical instruction in the Dental College of that city, so as to further perfect him in the knowledge of his profession. In consequence of which his office will be closed until the first of March next. Nov. 29-2v

Perhaps no real medicine ever, gained the rapid popularity which Castoria has done. One person relates their experience of its good effects to another. It is a vegetable preparation, perfectly harmless, pleasant to take; does not distress or grip, but regulates the system, and is sure to operate when all other remedies have failed. Any person who has ever used Castoria for Stomach Ache, Constipation, Cramp, Flatulency, Worms, Piles, or deranged Liver, will never again use any nauseating Oil, Bitter Pills, or Narcotic Syrup. The Castoria contains neither Minerals, Morphine nor Alcohol. By its soothing, quieting effect it produces natural sleep, and is particularly adapted to curing and teaching children. It costs but 25 cents, and one bottle will save many dollars in doctors' bills. nov. 29-1

Wedding Cards
Initiation of engraving, neatly printed and despatched, at the BANNER Job Office.

Letter Heads
Printed with neatness and despatch, at the BANNER Job Office.

LOST! LOST!
On Wednesday evening, November 6th, a "CAMO EAR RING." The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at the BANNER Office.

Notice to the Tax Payers of Knox County.

In pursuance of Law, I, WM. E. DUNHAM, Treasurer of said County, do hereby notify the Tax Payers thereof that the Rates of Taxation for the year 1872, are correctly stated in the following Table, showing the amount levied in mills on each dollar of taxable property in each of the incorporated towns and townships, in said County, and the amount of Tax levied on each one hundred dollars of Taxable property is also shown in the last column:

NAMES OF VILLAGES, TOWNSHIPS AND CITIES.	RATES LEVIED BY GEN. ASSEMBLY.	RATES LEVIED BY CO. COMMISSIONERS.	RATES LEVIED BY TOWNSHIP AUTHORITIES.		Total Levy for all purposes.	Tax on each \$100 of Taxable Property.	No. of Townships.
			Township.	Special Road.			
State Debt,30	County,	1.70				
General Revenue, 1.10		Road,50				
State Com. School, 1.00		Bridge,	1.00				
Total,	2.90	Total,	3.50				
1. Jackson	2.90	60 1 10 27	1.87	8 27	82.7	1	
2. Butler	do	50 1 10 27	2.10	8 50	85.2	2	
3. Union	do	70 2 50	3.20	9 00	99.8	3	
4. Jefferson	do	30 2 60 50	2.40	9 50	98.4	4	
5. Brown	do	40 3 00	10 10 10	10 50	105.5	5	
6. Howard	do	28 1 22	1 50	7 90	79.7	6	
7. Harrison	do	25 1 45	1 70	8 10	81.6	7	
8. Clay	do	35 1 35	1 70	8 10	81.6	8	
9. attached to U. School.	do	35 5 25	5 60	12 00	120.6	9	
10. attached to Martinsburg	do	35 5 25	5 60	12 00	120.6	10	
11. Pleasant	do	34 1 66	2 00	8 40	84.9	11	
12. College and Gambier	do	35 5 50	4 50	12 90	129.1	12	
13. Monroe	do	50 1 00	6 00	12 40	124.4	13	
14. Pike	do	35 1 05	1 40	7 80	78.12	14	
15. Berlin	do	35 1 95	2 30	8 70	87.18	15	
16. Morris	do	27 3 10	3 37	10 40	104.14	16	
17. attached to U. School.	do	15 2 75	2 90	9 30	93.15	17	
18. attached to Fredtown.	do	10 7 40	7 50	13 90	139.40	18	
19. Clinton	do	10 7 40	5 00	12 50	125.00	19	
20. Pleasant	do	20 2 00 1 00	3 20	9 60	96.16	20	
21. Milford	do	25 3 75	4 00	10 40	104.17	21	
22. Liberty	do	3 20 24	3 44	9 84	98.18	22	
23. Wayne	do	50 3 30	3 80	10 20	102.19	23	
24. attached to U. School.	do	50 2 00	2 50	8 90	89.20	24	
25. Middlebury	do	50 7 40	7 90	14 30	143.43	25	
26. Hilliard	do	3 50 15	3 65	10 05	100.52	26	
27. Mount Vernon	do	55 1 35	1 90	8 30	83.83	27	
28. Fredericktown	do	20 5 30 1 00	8 00	14 50	149.00	28	
	do	50 7 40	5 00	12 90	129.93	29	

Each person charged with Taxes for the year 1872, on the Tax Duplicate of Knox county, is required by law to pay one-half of said Tax, on or before the 20th of December, 1872, and the remaining half on or before the 20th of June following; but may at his option, pay the full amount of such Taxes, on or before said 20th of December next. That while Tax Payers will be afforded every opportunity to pay their Taxes, yet in order to avoid the penalties prescribed by law in case of non-payment at the proper time, and to enable him to make his settlement according to law, they will be expected to respond promptly to this notice or incur the necessity and delicacy of sending out Collectors.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Mt. Vernon, October 25th, 1872-6w. WM. E. DUNHAM, Treasurer K. C. O.

LOCAL NOTICES.

THE BANNER
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INVITATIONS
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Wanted.
On subscription to the BANNER, 40 bushels of good potatoes and 20 bushels of choice winter apples.

M. LEOPOLD, The Clothier.
Is just receiving an entire new stock of the finest and best made Clothing, from the best markets in the United States, consisting of:
Blue Beaver Overcoats.
Black Beaver Overcoats.
Brown Beaver Overcoats.
Melton Beaver Overcoats.
Suits to match of all descriptions, for men and boys' wear.
Remember, all Goods warranted as represented, or the money refunded. Woodward Block, corner of Main street, Mt. Vernon.

A Card.
Miss HAWKINS begs to inform the ladies of Mt. Vernon and vicinity that she has entered into partnership with Mrs. WILKIN, of New York, and solicits a continuance of patronage. Dresses cut and made in the latest New York and Parisian styles. Nov. 1. 3m.

Farm for Sale.
Containing 232 acres, 33 miles North of Mt. Vernon, about 80 acres good timber.—Known as the Dice farm. For particulars enquire at Tudor's Grocery Store. oct18-1f

700 pairs of Mens, Boys' and Youths, heavy Boots, which will be sold at extremely low prices, at RENTREY & DEMUTH'S, North of the Public Square.

Study Your Interest.
By buying Monuments, Iron, Slate and Marble Mantels, of O. F. Meluhin & Son, Newark Ohio. Not a week passes without our receiving orders from Knox county for the above goods. This notice and govern yourselves accordingly. Oct. 22-m-2

Wrought Iron Bridges.
INCCLUDING THE Davenport Howe Truss Arch and Howe Truss Straight. JOSEPH DAVENPORT, Pres't. CHARLES A. ROTART, Sec'y. Nov. 1, 1872-1v

Executor's Sale of Real Estate!
We the undersigned, Executors of John A. Schuchley, Deceased, offer at private sale the following Real Estate, situated in Knox county, Ohio, to-wit:
24.46 ACRES Situated about a half mile South of Gambier, and three and a half miles from Martinsburg, being a part of what is known as the Peter Vestal farm. Thereon is a large stone house, and necessary out-buildings. A good Spring at the house and a small stream running through the farm. Two orchards of graded fruit. A large lot of the best timber.—Can be sold in two tracts. Also, 230 ACRES. Situated on Newark road, four miles from Mt. Vernon and one mile from Hunt's Station. There is a lot of good timber, and a never failing Spring on it. Can be sold in two tracts.—Terms easy. Apply soon to P. YEATCH SCHNEIBLY, Martinsburg, O. JNO. R. SCHNEIBLY, Mt. Vernon, O. Oct. 18-2m

SHERIFF'S SALE.
ROD. MORRISON, Assignee of H. K. Berry & Co. vs. William East and Wm. Yeisley, partners, &c. In Richard Common Pleas. BY virtue of F. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas, of Richland County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio, on Monday, Nov. 25th, A. D. 1872, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: One out lot No. one (1) and one in-lot No. one (1) in the Town of Palmyra, County of Knox and State of Ohio, with all the appurtenances and improvements thereon. Appraised at \$225. Terms—Cash. ALLEN J. BEACH, Sheriff K. C. O. Oct. 25-w-59.

Administrators Notice.
THIS undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified by the Probate Court of Knox County, Ohio, Administrator of the Estate of Philip Snyder, late of Knox County, Ohio, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them duly proved to the undersigned for allowance. CHRISTIAN SNYDER, Nov. 2-w-59 Administrator.

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Geo. Weimer,
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STOVES AND FURNACES,
FOR HARD OR SOFT COAL.
Come and see our new FIRST PREMIUM COOK and PARLOR STOVES. The NEW AMERICAN INLAND EMPIRE, RUBICON, ORIENTAL, REVOLUTION, are all FIRST-CLASS STOVES, and warranted to give the best satisfaction.
New Styles of Wringers and Washing Machines and a full assortment of House Furnishing Goods always on hand.
Mt. Vernon, Ohio, October 11, 1872.

J. Sperry & Co.
ARE NOW OFFERING
THE LARGEST STOCK
Best Assorted
DRY GOODS, CARPETS, &c.
A FINE STOCK OF FRUIT TREES, ORNAMENTAL TREES, GRAPE VINES, &c., FOR SALE AT STARR'S NURSERY, ALL OF WHICH IS IN FINE CONDITION, AND WILL BE SOLD CHEAP.
Sept. 6-3m.

NEW CLOTHING STORE!
Merchant Tailoring Establishment!
No. 3, Kremlin Block, MT. VERNON, O.
R. West & Co.,
ANNOUNCE to the citizens of Mt. Vernon and vicinity that they have just opened a splendid NEW CLOTHING STORE, at No. 3, Kremlin Block, where will be found a large and choice stock of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings! AND A FULL LINE OF Gents' Furnishing Goods, Which have been purchased within the last few days, and embrace some of the handsomest styles and best patterns ever brought to Mt. Vernon.

HARDWARE,

Wit and Humor.

A Western settler—The sun at evening.
A new name for tight boots—A corn crib.
Forgers to be encouraged—Blacksmiths.
The place for a picnic—The Sandwich Islands.

It is a queer woman who asks no questions, but the woman who does is the queerest.
If this is a borrowed paper you are reading "drop it." Your neighbor don't pay his money to lend you.
Woman ought to do all she can to make this earth a paradise for man, as it was all her fault he lost the other.

Never use profane language in the cars. Go out on the platform. Profanity is never thrown away on a brakeman.

It has been found that in nearly every civilized country the tree that bears the most fruit for the market is the axle-tree.

Avoid arguments with women. In spinning yarns among silks and satins a man will always be worsted or twisted, and finally wound up.

"Yes," said an old lady, thoughtfully, "it is all right. When God made Adam, he went right to work and made Eve to tell him what to do."

A poor but honest young lady, who earns a living by working on hoop skirts, in reply to an inquiry, states that she had spent the summer "at the springs."

A Revenue Assessor in Ohio, asking the usual questions, inquired: "Did you have any income last year?" "Yes sir," replied the assessed, "both girls."

A watering place correspondent writes that "very few bathers bathe at the West End," where Mrs. Partington says she "had an idea they bathed all over."

Chicago has a petrified baby. It was petrified with astonishment at seeing its father and mother get through one day without quarreling or threatening divorce.

A Missourian, suing for a divorce, was asked what let him to take such a course. "What let?" "Lead," he replied. "Lead—in my car—poured in by my wife!"

A Western editor has come to the conclusion that the young ladies in his village are not at all like St. Paul, because they pay so much attention to "things that are behind."

Knox County Farmer.

Curing Pork.
Some thirty years ago I lodged from Saturday to Monday with an inn-keeper in the country, who was also a farmer. On the table for Sunday dinner, there was a nice piece of pickled pork, boiled the day before. On tasting it, I thought it the most delicious I ever ate. I requested "mine host" to give his recipe for curing pork. He replied as follows:

"As soon as my hogs are dressed and cool enough to be cut, I pack the side pieces in a barrel or cask, with plenty of salt on all sides of each piece, and when my barrel is full I immediately roll it to my pump and pump in water until I can see the water cease to sink in the vessel, or to moisten the salt on top of the cask. I then lay a flat stone, as large as the vessel will receive, on the contents, so as to exclude the flies, and there it remains until a piece is wanted. Care must be taken to keep the meat under the pickle, otherwise it will rust."

Here is the whole secret of making good pickled pork for family use. We have used the above method, and we want no better, easier or more economical plan. It has often happened that when we wanted to put down new pork there remained some of the old in the bottom of the cask. In that case we poured off the pickle, took the undissolved salt, packed the fresh pork on the top of the old, using the salt which had been in the cask, with the addition of fresh salt if necessary, and then poured on the old pickle or water. In this way we have had pork three or four years in the bottom of our pork barrel, and when used it was as fresh from the hog as it was three weeks after it was put down. Indeed, we seldom emptied our pork barrel, except when it went hooping. We believe that boiling pork is useless, if not injurious. Pork ought not if it can be prevented, to be frozen before it is put down.

The best pork that we ever saw was that from some pigs under the charge of a lad who took as much care of them as some people do of their children. Every day he used to give them a dinner of hot potatoes for he said that he didn't see why a pig "shouldn't have their taters hot as well as himself." Then he used to scrub them several times a week with brush and soap, rinsing them well with clear water. The animals seemed to enjoy this lavation, and used to press quite eagerly toward him as he came in sight with his pail and scrubbing-brush. Their sty was also kept perfectly clean, and the sties were spread out frequently. In consequence the pork was perfection.

As a general thing it is a good plan to reject pork made from hogs that have been kept by distillers or butchers; but, if possible, get pork that has been bred and fed by a dairyman, and finished off with corn.—Cor. Country Gentleman.

Driving Colts in Harness.
Great care should be taken not to drive the colts too much at first, and at no time sufficient to produce exhaustion. Neither should his strength be taxed too much by driving up or down hill, until he has become accustomed to the noise and restraint of the wagon and learned to use his strength as required. Let his drives be moderate at first, both in gait and distance; about a mile or two on a walk first, gradually increasing the distance and gait, being careful not to crowd him to breaking. If he must not be expected because your colt is perhaps a good mover, that he will be a fast trotter. But if he is a real good stepper, it is so much the more necessary for you to use judgment and prudence in his training. There is usually too much anxiety to try a colt's speed and bottom, and he is often pushed, driven and spoiled, perhaps, before his powers are fully developed.

A colt must not be crowded too much in educating to harness. It is evident that he can not be expected to submit quietly to the irritation and excitement of harness and wagon, and drive quietly like an old horse, without experience. He must grow into familiarity with these things from usage and contact with them. The trainer must be particularly careful in the outset to overcome all fear from things touching the hind legs and parts of the body. This lesson must be very thorough, and of such progressive step in educating the colt is attempted, this point must not be lost sight of, and each successive point is clearly and thoroughly accomplished. The careful, careful labor will be rewarded in the possession of a kind, gentle, trusting and well-behaved animal, whose services will always afford pleasure to his owner and driver.—Prof. Magner.

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HAVING just added to our former stock of Job Type, a large and elegant assortment, we would say to all who contemplate having PRINTING done, that our facilities for doing all kinds of Job PRINTING are unsurpassed by any establishment in the State. Persons wishing work should not fail to examine our specimens before going elsewhere. Every one who will favor us with orders will be guaranteed satisfaction in regard to workmanship and price. We are prepared to execute in the latest and handsomest style.

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Especially would we call your attention to our Wedding, Reception & Visiting Cards which are executed in imitation of the finest engraving, and at the lowest cost.

All orders will receive prompt attention.
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Time of Holding Courts,
—IN THE—
SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT,
For the Year 1873.

The State of Ohio, Knox County, ss:
I, SAMUEL J. BRENT, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, within and for said County, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the original order made by the Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of the Sixth Judicial District of said State, of the times for holding Courts in said District for the year 1873, to be held at the times following:

At a meeting of the undersigned, Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the Sixth Judicial District of Ohio; it is ordered, that the several terms of the Court of Common Pleas, within and for said District, for the year 1873, be held at the times following:

DISTRICT COURT.
Delaware County, June 2.
Richland County, June 9.
Ashland County, June 16.
Morrow County, June 18.
Wayne County, June 23.
Holmes County, June 27.
Knox County, July 7.
Coshocton County, July 10.

Court of Common Pleas.
Ashland County, April 8, September 15 and December 2.
Richland County, February 17, August 11, November 17.
Morrow County, February 8, August 4, October 20.
Licking County, January 20, April 8, October 20.
Knox County, February 10, May 5, October 20.
Delaware County, March 25, September 2, November 25.
Wayne County, March 10, August 4, November 25.
Holmes County, January 20, April 14, September 1.
Coshocton County, February 11, April 29, October 21.

Signed: GEO. W. GEDDES, J. J. DILLI, CHAS. FOLLETT, Judges.
SAMUEL J. BRENT, Clerk Knox Common Pleas.
Nov. 8, 1872-47

City Cigar and Tobacco Store!
A. WRENTZEL,
RETAIL DEALER IN
Imported and Domestic Cigars,
AND SMOKERS' ARTICLES,
SUCH AS
Pipes, Tobacco Pouches and Boxes,
Cigar Tubes, Snuff, etc.
Please give him a call.
No. 22 MAIN ST., MT. VERNON, O.
March 29, 1873.

40 CASES PAINT and Varnish Brush
as just received from
SMITH'S Drug Store,
May 17, 1872.

DR. WILSON'S
COUGH MIXTURE.
This Medicine is the prescription of a regular physician, and has been used for many years in a very extensive practice for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, whether acute or chronic. It cures Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Inflammation of the Lungs, old, long-standing Coughs, and for Coughs, Croup or Croup (Children) it is the best remedy known.

"Sold by all dealers in Medicine at 50 cents per bottle. It is the best remedy known."

WILSON'S
COUGH MIXTURE.
The best Liniment of the Age.
Cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Chills, Brains, Sprains, Flesh Wounds, Burns, Scalds, Bore (Wound) or Quins, Frost Bites, and should be used whenever a Liniment is required. Cures Lameness, Sprains, Rheumatism, Wounds, Collar Bore or Galls on Horses.

"Knowing that the world is full of humbug medicines to impose upon the credulity of the sick and afflicted, the proprietors of this Medicine have the honor of alluding to being deceived by fully guaranteeing FURGUSON'S Wonderful Oil, Wilson's Cough Mixture to give entire satisfaction, and hereby authorize dealers to refund the money and charge back to us whenever they fail to do so. Large Bottles, only 50 cents. Sold everywhere."

WEBB'S
VEGETABLE
Worm Confections.
Are a positive and speedy remedy for the removal of Worms. They are pleasant to the taste, and any child will take them. If your child has Worms you will notice that the appetite is diminished and the child is more than ordinarily voracious. Thinks of nothing but eating, and is restless and fidgety in the sleep, grinding of the teeth, and bowels costive. The child is sometimes very pale and again flushed. These are only a few of the symptoms of Worms, which, if left without medicine to remove them, will produce convulsions or die, and frequently, to remove the Worms, buy Webb's Vegetable Worm Confections.

"Sold by all dealers in Medicine at 25 cents per box. Wholesale by C. E. WEBB & BRO., Drug and Apothecaries, Jackson, Mich."

STARTLING NEWS!!

75 Cases of Spring Style
HATS AND CAPS,
JUST OPENED AT
A. WOLFF & SON'S,
Comprising Dolly Varden—Grand Duke—Bruno—Mantua—Telegraph—in fact, every style to be worn this Spring and Summer.

A. WOLFF & SON,
Have the largest stock of HATS AND CAPS ever before offered for sale in Knox county.

A. WOLFF & SON,
Have just received 300 Trunks, at from \$2.00 to \$10.00 each.

A. WOLFF & SON,
DEALERS IN
HATS, CAPS,
TRUNKS, VALISES,
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Which will be sold 20 per cent cheaper than any firm in the City.

Don't forget the place
A. WOLFF & SON,
Wolff's Block, Public Square,
May 10, 1871.

CITY MARBLE WORKS!
ISRAEL HOOVER,
DEALER IN
ITALIAN AND AMERICAN
MARBLES!
For Monuments, etc., furnished to order.
Designs for Monuments, etc., always for inspection at the Shop.

AWARDED THE
FIRST PREMIUM!
AT THE
NORTHERN OHIO STATE FAIR,
HELD AT
CLEVELAND, OHIO.

PRICE \$50.00.
225 Sold in Knox Co.
OFFICE—1 Door North First National Bank, Main St., MT. VERNON, O.

Vernon Brothers, Agents.
Oct. 27th, 1871-72.

NEW HARDWARE STORE.
J. H. McFARLAND,
HAYING purchased an entire new stock of HARDWARE, desires to announce to his many friends, and the public generally, that he has now prepared to supply the wants of the public in the line of

Shelf and Heavy Hardware,
FARM IMPLEMENTS, &c.
Parties desiring anything in this line are requested to call at the rooms formerly occupied by DAYTON & STAMP, in POTVIN'S Block, on Main, three doors below Gambier St., where they will find a large assortment of

SHelf HARDWARE,
NAILS, GLASSES,
Paints, Oils, Turpentine and Varnishes, Axes, Brushes, Chains and Cordage, Cross Cut and Mill Saws,
Plows and Castings,
Building Material, Mechanics' and Farmers' Tools,
Of the best Brands in the Market, and at LOW PRICES, FOR CASH!
Please call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.
J. H. McFARLAND,
April 12, 1872-73.

ANNOUNCES to the public that he has leased the well-known Bennett Livery Building, N. W. corner of the Public Square, where he will keep on hand a large stock of Horses, Carriages, Buggies, Sleighs, &c. Farmers and others coming to town can have their horses fed and well attended to, at moderate charges.

Particular attention paid to the purchase and sale of horses; and dealers are invited to make their property known, when they come to the city.
The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.
LAKE F. JONES,
Mt. Vernon, Jan. 5, 1872.

NEW TIN SHOP.
(Formerly Foreman for Byers & Bird.)
ANNOUNCES to the citizens of Mt. Vernon and vicinity that he has opened a NEW TIN SHOP, on the corner of Main and Front streets, where he is prepared to do all work in his line of business in a prompt and satisfactory manner. Always on hand, a full and complete stock of

STOVES AND TINWARE.
Particular attention will be given to ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK, Such as Roofing, Spouting, etc. By prompt attention to business, and doing good work, I hope to receive a liberal share of public patronage.
A. A. BARTLETT,
Mt. Vernon, O., Nov. 17, 1871.

Bride and Bridgroom.
For Young Men on the verge of leaving the institution of Bridgroom and Bride in the institution of Marriage—a guide to matrimonial felicity, and true happiness. Sent by mail in sealed letter envelopes free of charge. Address: HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P, Philadelphia, Penn.
Nov. 17, 1871.

DEEDS, MORTGAGES, and ALL KINDS of BLANKS, for sale at this Office.

Crowell's Gallery,

Picture Frames,
AND
Picture Frame Emporium,
Ward's Block, opposite Post Office,
MT. VERNON, OHIO.
READ THIS!
JOSEPH H. MILLESS,
(SUCCESSOR TO W. F. BALDWIN.)
WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER,
No. 7, South Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

ESPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO
TEAS, COFFEE AND SPICES.
As I purchase all my goods for CASH, I will offer extra inducements to CASH BUYERS.

The highest market prices paid for all kinds of PRODUCE. Goods delivered free of charge to all parts of the city.

Call and see us and we will do you good, at the old stand,
East side Main Street, four doors North of the First National Bank, three doors South of the Knox County National Bank, and opposite W. C. Sapp's Dry Goods Store.
March 15, 1872.
JOSEPH H. MILLESS.

ESTABLISHED IN 1846.
Corner Main street & Public Square.

1846. 1871.
A. WOLFF.

CHARLES WOLFF.
A. WOLFF & CO.,
THE WELL KNOWN CLOTHIERS OF
CENTRAL OHIO,
OUR MAMMOTH STOCK
Is acknowledged to be the largest and most complete outside of the Eastern Cities. In addition to our immense stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, we would call attention to our

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT,
under the supervision of an experienced and successful Cutter. In this Department will be found a BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY of
CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES,
FANCY VESTINGS, &c.

We extend a cordial invitation to our many friends to call and examine our stock. They will be courteously received by gentlemanly clerks, and great pleasure will be taken in showing them the many inducements held forth to purchasers. Don't forget the place—WOLFF'S BLOCK, corner of Main Street and the Public Square.
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO, November 10, 1871.

NEW FIRM! 'The Old Drug Store.'
J. STAUFFER & SON,
(SUCCESSORS TO STAUFFER & WEST.)
ESTABLISHED 1837.
TAKE this method of informing the public generally that they are continuing the business the same as was carried on by the old firm at the old stand,
N. W. COR. PUBLIC SQUARE,
Having on hand a large stock of piece goods such as BLACK, BLUE, BROWN, and GREEN PLAIN and DIAGONAL COATINGS,
Fancy Pant Goods, VESTINGS, LINEN GOODS of ALL DESCRIPTIONS, HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS, VALISES, and a general assortment of Gent's Furnishing Goods, also a large stock of GENTS' and BOYS' CLOTHING.

The above goods were bought for cash at very low prices and must be sold. Please call and examine our largest stock of goods and our prices and you will be convinced that they will be sold.
J. STAUFFER & SON,
Mt. Vernon, July 5, 1872-73.

STONE & CO.,
Watch Makers and Jewelers,
East Side of Main Street,
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO.
Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, &c.
Which we will sell at greatly reduced prices. All Repairing in this line carefully done and warranted. We will also keep a full assortment of
FIRE-ARMS!
Consisting of
Double and Single Guns, Rifles, Revolving and Single Pistols.
The Very Best of Ammunition and Gun Fixtures.
One of the firm is a Practical Gun Smith and Machinist and will be prompt and thorough in Repairing anything in his line. He will also give special attention to cleaning, adjusting and repairing all kinds of
SEWING MACHINES.
Satisfaction Given or no Charges,
March 25, 1870-71.

Business Cards.

DR. J. R. BENNETT,
OFFICE—Over Men's Grocery, West side Main St., Mt. Vernon, Ohio. May 37-71.
W. R. SAPP,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Ap. 6-y Wolffs Block, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

JOHN M. ANDREWS,
Attorney at Law,
Special attention given to settling estates, and prompt collection of claims, etc.
OFFICE—In the George Building, opposite the Banner Office, Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. July 19, 1872-73.

EDWIN I. MENDENHALL,
Attorney at Law,
—AND—
NOTARY PUBLIC.
OFFICE—With D. C. Montgomery,
June 28-6m. MT. VERNON, O.

B. A. F. GREER,
Attorney at Law and Claim Agent.
ROOM NO. 3, WOLFF'S BLOCK.
Ap. 5-7.

C. E. BRYANT. ISRAEL BEDELL,
PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS,
OFFICE—Corner of Main and Chestnut Sts. Residence of Dr. Bedell in the rear of the office, in the Beech Building.
Dr. Bryant will give special attention to the treatment of Chronic Diseases.
Office hours from 9 to 12 A. M., and from 1 to 4 P. M.
Ap. 12, 72-73.

W. C. MCGILLI. W. C. CULBERTSON,
MCGILLI & CULBERTSON,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.
OFFICE—One door west of Court House—Collections promptly attended to. Special attention paid to all matters in connection with settlement of estates.
Jan. 19, 72

American House,
NEWARK, OHIO.
Reid & Scarbrough, Proprs.
G. W. NEWCOMER, M. D.,
SURGEON & PHYSICIAN.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—On Gambier street, a few doors East of Main—the same as formerly occupied by Dr. Lear.
Can be found at his office all hours without professionally engaged.
Nov. 10-71.

D. M. BARCUS,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO.
OFFICE—Over W. C. Sapp & Co's store, on Main street.
April 7, 71

W. M. BALDWIN, M. D.,
(Homeopathist).
Mt. Vernon, Ohio.
OFFICE—In Woodward's Block, in room lately occupied by Dr. Sward. All calls in town or country promptly attended to.
OFFICE HOURS—From 9 to 11 A. M., and from 1 to 3 P. M.

R. C. HURD. A. E. WINTNER,
HURD & MCINTYRE,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
July 30-y. MT. VERNON, OHIO.

Z. E. TAYLOR,
DENTIST.
OFFICE—On Main street, first door North of King's Hat Store.
March 26-y. MT. VERNON, OHIO.

ADAMS & HART,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
AND CLAIM AGENTS.
OFFICE—In Banning Building,
Dec. 26. MT. VERNON, OHIO.

W. C. COOPER. H. T. PORTER,
L. M. MITCHELL,
COOPER, PORTER & MITCHELL,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.
OFFICE—In the Masonic Hall Building Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Feb. 17-y.

W. F. SEMPLE. A. W. STEPHENS,
SEMPLE & STEPHENS,
DENTISTS.
OFFICE—Nos. 2 and 3 Woodward Block, up stairs.
March 14-y.

ISAAC T. BEUM,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER,
DANVILLE, KNOX COUNTY, O.
Will attend to selling sales of property in the counties of Knox, Holmes and Coshocton.
July 21-y.

PATENT OFFICE
AGENCY:
BURRIDGE & CO.,
127 SUPERIOR STREET,
CLEVELAND, O.
May 1.

JAMES LITTELL. W. H. MCGILLI,
LITTELL & MCGILLI,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
AND DEALERS IN
Foreign & Domestic Wines & Liquors,
No. 237 Liberty street, opposite head of Wood, PITTSBURGH, PA.

A large stock of Fine Whiskies constantly on hand.
July 14.

FOOT of Gambier Street,
and opposite Woodward's Warehouse, where they have on hand the largest and best stock of Lumber of all kinds ever offered for sale in Mount Vernon. They are thankful for past patronage, and cordially invite their old friends and the public generally to call and examine the new stock, being confident they will please both in quality and prices.
Oct. 27. PATTERSON & ALSDORF.

G. A. UPDEGRAFF. H. H. JOHNSON
UPDEGRAFF & JOHNSON,
WHOLESALE
GROCERS,
KREMLIN NO. 1,
MT. VERNON, OHIO.
Nov. 17, 1871-y.

RESTAURANT
—AND—
ICE CREAM SALOON.
PETER WELSH
TAKES pleasure in informing his old friends and customers that he has opened a NEW RESTAURANT and ICE CREAM SALOON, at his residence on Gambier street, near Main, where he intends keeping an orderly first-class establishment. Warm or cold meals served up at all hours.

OYSTERS
All Kinds of Game
In the season, Ice Cream, Strawberries, and all the tropical fruits, also in their season. A private entrance and parlors set apart for ladies. Positively no liquor sold. The patronage of the public is solicited.
PETER WELSH.
Mt. Vernon, March 10, 1870.

J. W. F. SINGER

MERCHANT TAILOR
High Street,
Corner of the Public Square—Axtell's Old Stand.
MOUNT VERNON,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND, A LARGE and well selected
STOCK OF GOODS,
SUITABLE FOR
ALL SEASONS OF THE YEAR.
ALL GARMENTS
WARRANTED TO FIT,
And Made in the Neatest Manner.

Always on hand and for sale, a large and complete stock of
Gents' Furnishing Goods,
AND HATS AND CAPS.
Singer's Sewing Machine.

I take pleasure in saying to my friends that I am sole agent for Knox County, for Singer's Celebrated Sewing Machine, the best now in use, for all work.
Sep. 28-74.

J. & D. McDOWELL,
UNDERTAKERS,
WOODWARD BLOCK,
MT. VERNON, OHIO.

COFFINS AND CASKETS
Always on hand or made to order in the best style. We have an
ELEGANT NEW HEARSE
And are ready to attend all calls either from town or country.

We also manufacture, as heretofore all kinds of
CABINET FURNITURE,
Embracing every article to be found in a First Class Furniture Establishment.

A continuation of public patronage is solicited.
J. & D. McDOWELL,
May 19.

THE COSHOCTON
Iron and Steel Company,
COSHOCTON, OHIO.

THIS COMPANY is now fully organized and successful. J. W. SHIPMAN, formerly of the "Shipman Spring and Axle Co.," Fort Plain, N. Y., is the General Manager; HENRIKSON HAT, President; F. S. BARKER, Vice President; T. C. RICE, Treasurer; J. A. BARNES, Secretary; and V. F. ALLEN, General Traveling and Sales Agent. The Company is prepared to build the celebrated

Whipple Patent Iron Bridges,
for either Railways or Highways, which are regarded as all competent judges, as the best Bridge now in use. The Company also manufactures to order, on short notice,
Cart, Truck, Omnibus and Railroad SPRINGS,
of the best kinds of English and Swedish Steel, which are warranted equal in quality and finish to any in the market.

All orders promptly filled, and all work warranted.
J. W. SHIPMAN, General Manager.
J. BARNES, Sec'y.
Feb. 23, 1872-73.

S. F. WADE. THOMAS COUGHLIN.
B. F. WADE & CO.,
MANSFIELD, OHIO,
Printers, Binders, Stationers,
And Blank Book Manufacturers.
Printing in all its various branches.

Books, Pamphlets, Magazines, &c., bound in any style and after any design pattern. County Officers, Banks, and Insurance Offices and Merchants supplied according to taste.

Blank Books
Ruled to any desired pattern. A full line of Pens, Pencils, Penholders, Rubber Bands and Rings, and Stationers' articles generally, kept on hand and for sale at low prices. Orders by mail promptly filled. Address
B. F. WADE & CO.,
Jan. 19, 1y MANSFIELD, OHIO.

WILLIAM KILLER,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
BUTLER TOWNSHIP,
KNOX COUNTY, O.
Post Office address Millwood. June 11-y

GOOD FARM FOR RENT
—AND ALSO—
TWO COWS FOR SALE.
For particulars inquire of
ROBERT CURRIE,
Oct. 18-3m
At C. & G. Cooper's Mercantile Shops.

JAMES L. ISRAEL,
MANUFACTURER OF
LINSEED OIL,
Oil Cake and Oil Meal,
Mount Vernon, Ohio.

THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE
PAID FOR FLAXSEED.
Sept. 1, 1871-y.

Tanning Business.
NOTICE is hereby given to the citizens of Knox county, that I have
Resumed the Tanning Business,
At my old stand, in Mt. Vernon, where will be pleased to receive a liberal share of public patronage.
Oct. 13-74. SAMUEL WILLIAMS.

J. KRAUSS & CO'S,
GREAT FURNISHING HOUSE,
120, 122 and 124 Ontario Street,
CLEVELAND, O.
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings,
Window Shades, Cornices, Lace
and Damask Curtains.
Also, Manufacturers and Dealers in all kinds of
FURNITURE
AND
LOOKING GLASSES.

The only establishment West of New York where a complete outfit can be obtained in furnishing a first-class residence, from the attic to cellar.
All Goods sold at Importers' and Manufacturers' prices.
Sept. 20-2m.

FARM FOR SALE.
THE UNDERSIGNED offers for sale his farm, situated in College township, Knox County, Ohio, one mile South of Gambier, said farm contains 100 acres, 25 of which are cleared and under cultivation; the balance covered with excellent timber. The improvements consist of a spacious house and good frame barn, with some fruit trees. Terms liberal.
Feb. 3-74. ROBERT WRIGHT.

New Sash Factory!
ANDERSON & FRY, Manufacturers of
Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings of all descriptions. All work out of good dry lumber, on hand at all times. Experience of 25 years ensures good work. All orders promptly executed, at C. & G. Cooper's Foundry, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.
March 31-74.

HALES

VEGETABLE SODA
HAIR
RENEWER.
Every year increases the popularity of this valuable Hair Preparation, which is due to merit alone. We can assure our old patrons that it is kept fully up to its high standard; and it is the only reliable and perfected preparation for restoring GRAY or FALLING HAIR to its youthful color, making it soft, lustrous, and silken. The scalp, by its use, becomes white and clean. It removes all eruptions and dandruff, and its tonic properties prevent the hair from falling out, as it stimulates and nourishes the hair-glands. By its use, the hair grows thicker and stronger. In baldness, it restores the capillary glands to their normal vigor, and will create a new growth, except in extreme old age. It is the most economical HAIR DRESSER ever used, and requires fewer applications, and gives the hair a splendid, glossy appearance. A. A. HAYES, M.D., State Assayer of Massachusetts, says, "The constituents are pure, and carefully selected for excellent quality; and I consider it the BEST PREPARATION for its intended purposes." Sold by all Druggists, and Dealers in Medicines. Price One Dollar.

Buckingham's Dye
FOR THE WHISKERS.
As our Renewer in many cases requires too long a time, and too much care, to restore gray or faded Whiskers, we have prepared this dye, in one preparation; which will quickly and effectually accomplish this result. It is easily applied, and produces a color which will neither rub nor wash off. Sold by all Druggists. Price Fifty Cents.
Manufactured by R. P. HALL & CO.,
NASHUA, N.H.

Ayer's Ague Cure,
For Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Chills, Fever, Remittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical or Bilious Fever, &c., and indeed all the various forms of ague, from