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The Banner.

EDITED BY L. HARPER.

MOUNT VERNON, OHIO:

FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT. 9, 1870.

Democratic State Ticket.

SECRETARY OF STATE,
WILLIAM HESLEY, of Cuyahoga.
SUNSHINE, of Madison.
RICHARD A. HARRISON, of Madison.
CONTROLLER OF THE TREASURY,
JOHN H. HEATON, of Belmont.
MEMBER BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS,
WILLIAM SPENCER, of Licking.
FOR CONGRESS,
GEN. GEORGE W. MORGAN.
For Common Pleas Judge,
CHARLES FOLLETT.
For Member of the Board of Equalization,
WILLIAM BARTON, of Wayne.

KNOX COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR SHERIFF,
ALLEN J. BEACH.
FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY,
ABEL HART.
FOR COMMISSIONER,
JOHN LYAL.
INFIRMARY DIRECTOR,
SAMUEL SNYDER.
FOR CORONER,
GEORGE W. WELKER.

Tell the People!

The people of Ohio pay a million and a half more taxes than the people of all the New England States together.

TELL THE PEOPLE!
That two thousand million dollars of property invested in bonds is exempted from taxation, while merchants, farmers, mechanics and laboring men are taxed on all their own.

TELL THE PEOPLE!
That every member of Grant's Cabinet and the chief of every bureau in each Department, keep up a carriage and horses, driver and footman, all paid for out of the taxes paid by the people.

TELL THE PEOPLE!
That when General Grant made an excursion to Long Branch on the war steamer Tallapoosa, six hundred dollars worth of wine and cigars were purchased out of their taxes to supply his Presidential wants.

TELL THE PEOPLE!
That the President, and every member of his Cabinet, and every head of a bureau have free passes over the railroads, which favors to ask at their hands, and which favors are granted at the cost of the people.

TELL THE TAX-PAYERS!
That although General Grant receives a salary of seventy dollars a day, he charges the people five thousand dollars annually for fuel, and forty thousand dollars for gas light at his house, the capital and public grounds.

TELL THE TAX-PAYERS!
That the late session of Congress appropriated twenty-five thousand dollars to paint and refurnish the President's house, although it had been painted and refurnished only one year ago.

TELL THE TAX-PAYERS!
That President Grant's green-house cost them one hundred thousand dollars, and that the late session of Congress imposed upon the tax-payers, twenty-five thousand dollars (the value of a good house) to repair the President's green-house.

TELL THE TAX-PAYERS!
That this green-house is a place where pretty flowers are raised at the cost of the people, for the adornment of the chair and costumes of the President's family.

TELL THE TAX-PAYERS!
That the Administration at Washington is rotten through and through, and that THIS ONLY CURE IS A CHANGE.

REFORM!

The Wicked and Wasteful Extravagance of Grant's Administration.
The Republican papers boast that the Federal Government collected thirty-nine million dollars more in 1870, than in 1869. We admit the fact. It is true that the Government took from the people thirty-nine millions more last year, than the year before. But is that a merit? While the amount of taxes collected has been greater than in the previous year, so have the expenditures of the Government been increased in a corresponding ratio. And up to the close of the late session of Congress, nearly seven millions more were appropriated for 1871, than had been appropriated for 1870; and there is to be another session of Congress in which the appropriations for 1871 will probably be one hundred millions greater than for the last year. Let the following table speak for itself.

Comparison of appropriations for the year ending June 30, 1870 and 1871, up to the present time.	1869-70.	1870-71.
Legislative, executive, &c.	\$20,054,774.	\$21,406,623.
Navy	15,832,246.	15,832,246.
Army	35,500,000.	35,500,000.
Post Office	6,226,791.	6,226,791.
Fortifications	30,779,131.	30,779,131.
Consular and diplomatic	274,688.	274,688.
Pensions	1,110,734.	1,110,734.
Military Academy	12,250,000.	12,250,000.
River and harbor	9,440,000.	9,440,000.
Sundry civil bill	1,976,228.	1,976,228.
Total	\$226,087,783.	\$226,087,783.

	1870-71.
Legislative, executive, &c.	\$19,406,023
Navy	19,000,000
Army	30,000,000
Indian	5,000,000
Post Office	26,288,998
Fortifications	1,207,750
Consular and diplomatic	1,183,241
Pensions	39,490,000
Military Academy	314,890
River and harbor	3,800,000
Sundry civil bill	13,000,000
	149,618,000
Permanent appropriations	143,219,111
Total	\$292,837,112

Senator Sherman, in his Delaware speech, in defending his clients, the land thieves, declared that the Union Pacific Railroad was voted for by every Democratic member of Congress, and was supported "without distinction of party." Now, this is simply a falsification of the record. The Union Pacific Railroad Bill, making a gift of fifty millions of acres of the public lands, passed Congress on the 8th of April, 1862, and was supported by every Radical Congressman from Ohio, while every Democratic member voted against it. Mr. Sherman made a treacherous memory, or else he thinks he can impose falsehoods for facts upon the people.

Active Capital and Labor Pay Their Own Taxes and the Taxes of Unproductive Capital into the Bargain.

By unproductive capital, is meant money which is invested in bonds, or other securities, and upon the interest of which the bond-holder lives without labor, mental or physical. But the bond-holder is not satisfied with living without toil, but makes labor and active capital engaged in manufactures, agriculture and merchandise pay his taxes. Two men live side by side; one a bond-holder, the other a manufacturer. They are worth one hundred thousand dollars each. The manufacturer pays taxes, the bond-holder pays none. Near to these two, lives a laborer who toils from sun to sun to feed and clothe his family, and pay his taxes, and every dollar of tax he pays, his wife and children are deprived of a dollar's worth of comforts. In order to make up the taxes which ought to be paid by the bond-holder, he is taxed on every cup of tea, or coffee used by his family; on every hat and bonnet; on every coat and dress; on every shirt and undergarment; and on every pair of boots and shoes. This is not right. Every citizen is protected by the laws, and every citizen should contribute in proportion to his means to support the government. But the reverse is the case. Several laws were passed authorizing the issue of bonds, and prohibiting States, counties, cities, towns and townships from taxing them. This is a great wrong. If the bond-holder lives in a town lighted by gas, he enjoys the gas light, but does not help to pay for it. He has the benefit of well paved streets, but does not pay a cent to keep them in order. His children go to the public school, but his neighbors pay for their education. This is under the old laws, but the last session of Congress passed another law which authorizes the issue of more bonds, and not only prohibits the State, county, city, town and township from taxing the bonds, but prohibited Congress from doing so. The people without regard to party demand that this great wrong be reformed. The people demand equality of taxation. In a voice of thunder, they demand that labor shall no longer be made to pay the taxes of capital.

A Noble Trio.

The nomination, for a third time, of Hon. Philadelphia Van Trump, by the Democratic party in the Twelfth Ohio District, is a well deserved compliment to that distinguished gentleman and a proper acknowledgment of his devotion and service to his country. Mr. Van Trump was the first judicial officer in the North to interpose his official shield to protect the citizen from unlawful and arbitrary arrests, for doing which he himself was threatened by the authorities at Washington with seizure and imprisonment. He was also the first judicial officer to decide the Legal tender act invalidating previous contracts, to be unconstitutional, and while the decision was affirmed by the Supreme Court nearly eight years afterward. The Democratic candidates in the three great central Districts of Ohio, the Seventh, Twelfth and Thirteenth, JEWETT, VAN TRUMP and MORGAN form a trio of statesmen but seldom found in a Congressional delegation. And what is still more gratifying they will be elected.—*Pittsburg Post.*

Hamilton County Nominations.

The Democracy of Hamilton county held their County and Congressional Conventions on Saturday last. The following ticket was nominated:

Congress—First District—Milton Saylor. Second District—S. F. Cary. County Ticket—Sheriff, Thos. J. Stevens; Clerk, Hamilton Brewster; Auditor, E. T. Hollingsworth; Prosecuting Attorney, Aaron B. Champlin; Commissioner, W. M. Robb; Recorder, A. J. McCaffery; Coroner, Dr. Unzinger; Infirmary Director, Michael Eckert.

The ticket is represented to be a very strong one. Gen. Cary accepted the nomination in the Second district, in a stirring speech.

Ohio Politics at Washington.

The Ohio clerks in the different departments at Washington are very much agitated over the Ohio election, and have agreed to come home, and vote. They are also submitting to the assessment made upon them! How much they pay we know not, but we do know what portion is to be applied to swell the Schenck Fund, but we are advised that the Ohio Association voted \$15,500 to a colored man from the Sixth District to come home and vote for that "intellectual bunch," Smith. There is \$15,500 to the dogs, sure, for the old Sixth will elect a Democrat certain.

War to be Declared with China.

The London Standard of the 6th says: "We learn from a reliable source, that England, in conjunction with France, as soon as a stable government is formed in the latter named country, intends declaring war upon China, for satisfaction for the massacre of the English and French citizens at Tien-Tsin, demanding guarantees from the Emperor of China for the security of English and French subjects in that country in future."

Zanestroy in America.

The *Zanestroy Courier*, the organ of the Hon. C. W. Potwin, the Bank and Bond candidate, says that none but rich men should be sent to Congress, as poor men cannot be trusted. Potwin represents the bondholder, and Morgan represents the people.

Now and Then.

In 1860, Jay Cooke was worth ten millions and dollars—now he is worth ten thousand! Where did he get his money? From the taxes paid by the people.

The *Republican* is welcome to all the capital it can make for its party by its statement in regard to General Morgan being an "office-holder." General Morgan never occupied an office, but what he filled with honor to himself and credit to his government and his constituents. He never stole a dollar while in office, or out of office, nor did he use his official position as a means of amassing a fortune for himself at the expense of his tolling countrymen. It takes "loyal" Radical Congressmen and Radical office-holders generally to distinguish themselves in that line of business.

Senator Sherman, in his Delaware speech, thought he would "make a point," by asserting that Sheridan Shook, one of the Radical thieves, who robbed the Government of over a million of dollars, was "a champion of the whiskey ring—a good Democrat." This assertion was most unfortunate for Mr. Sherman; for it appears by the New York *Tribune* of Saturday, that Mr. Shook is not only an active Republican, but is a delegate to the coming Republican State Convention from the 15th ward of the City of New York. Mr. Sherman made other assertions equally groundless and preposterous as the above.

Hon. John Sherman "spoke his piece" at Delaware on Saturday last. He made a weak attempt to answer the overwhelming array of facts presented to the people by General Morgan, at the same place, a few days previous. Sherman's efforts was a failure; but he did his best to sustain a bad and sinking cause, and a weak and corrupt Administration. The speech was that of a paid advocate, defending his client, a criminal in the dock, who is certain of conviction, and dreads the verdict of the jury and the sentence of the law.

Chas. W. Potwin, the Republican nominee for Congress in the District composed of Knox, Licking, Muskingum and Coshocton Counties, is said to be a heavy bondholder—worth a million of money, and a President of a National Bank. As fit a representative of the bondholding, National Banking and monopolizing classes as his Democratic opponent General G. W. Morgan is of the retrenchment, anti-swindling—anti land-grabbing, sound Democracy.—*Delaware Herald.*

Potwin the Bank President, as a Legislator.

The Honorable Charles W. Potwin has been nominated for Congress because he is worth a million dollars, is the President of a Bank, and a large Bond-Holder. Whether these are good qualifications for a Representative of the People, is worthy of consideration. The banks and the bond-holders are constantly asking for new privileges which the people are denied, and there are already more than eighty bankers in the House of Representatives. A law was enacted at the late session which prohibits Congress from taxing the Bonds which may be issued under it. If Mr. Potwin was in Congress he would represent the banks against the borrowers; the bond-holders against the interests of the tax-payers; and the interests of the rich, against the rights of the poor.

Two thousand million dollars in bonds are already exempt from taxation, and Mr. Potwin's claims for Congress are based on the fact that he is a wealthy banker and bond-holder. Let the people decide.—*Coshocton Democrat.*

Complete Rout of the French.

The Emperor Napoleon Surrenders, with 100,000 men!

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From the King to the Queen:

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When news of this disaster reached Paris, the wildest excitement prevailed. The streets were crowded by an excited and infuriated populace; and while the feeling was unanimous in favor of resistance against invasion, still the people declared that the Napoleon dynasty was at an end. They marched through the streets shouting "Vive la Republique," and singing the Marseillaise. All the statues, busts and pictures of the fallen Emperor were destroyed, and the Imperial Arms, the flags of the National Guard, and the golden Eagle of France were torn from the walls of the Rue Castiglione. The Palace of the Tuilleries was also invaded, by a mob, who tore down the throne, destroyed everything marked with Imperial Bees, and other Napoleonic insignias, and carried away and cast into the Seine all busts, statues, and pictures of Bonaparte. Henri Rochefort was borne in triumph to the Hotel de Ville. In these scenes fratricide withered with the people and all shouted "Vive la France," "Vive Commerce." They laughed and wept with joy, and embraced one another.

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POLITICAL.

General Morgan's Delaware speech has been published in nearly every Democratic paper in the country.

The Columbus Journal is making superhuman efforts to send the murderer of Mrs. Surratt back to Congress. It will be a failure.

The Radicals of Florida have nominated a negro, named Wells, for Congress. That is just like them.

Job E. Stevenson was nominated Thursday as the Republican candidate for Congress in the School district, over General Baughman.

The Republican State Convention of Illinois nominated John A. Logan for Congress at large, Gen. Bates for State Treasurer, and Newton Bateman for State Superintendent of Instruction.

Hon. D. B. Linn of Zanesville is the Democratic nominee for election to the State Board of Equalization.

Hon. Milton Saylor was nominated for Congress in the 1st Ohio District by the Democratic Convention on Saturday morning, receiving 151 votes of the 170 cast.

Richard J. Haldeman, Democrat, representing the Fifteenth Pennsylvania District in Congress, has been nominated for re-election.

Gen. Negley has been renominated for Congress in the Pittsburgh district.

Marshall O. Roberts positively declines to be a candidate for Governor of New York.

It is announced that General Butler has expressly withdrawn his offer to contest Senator Wilson's re-election.

The Green National Union announced ex-President Andrew Johnson will not be a candidate for Congress.

I. J. McKissick, late Colonel in the Confederate service, has been nominated by the "Reformers" as candidate for Congress in the Fourth South Carolina District. His disabilities have been removed.

The next Legislature of Pennsylvania will have the apportionment of the Congressional and Legislative districts, the first for the next ten years, the second for seven. Both these are now fixed by the same legislature for the same time since 1801.

Charles A. Eldridge has been renominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Fourth Wisconsin District. The district is strongly Democratic. Mr. Eldridge was elected in 1868 by a majority of more than four thousand, and his re-election can not be doubtful.

The Philadelphia Age says that Governor Geary has appointed another negro a Notary Public in that city. There were several white applicants for the place, among them more than one married soldier, but the negro was selected. The black Cerberus will be fed.

The New York Sun urges Horace Greeley to accept the position of Minister to England, and let the nomination for Governor go.

The Sun says if Greeley is nominated for Governor he would probably be beaten, beaten man that ever ran for that office.

The New York Reformer considers the prospects of Radicalism in that State so hopeless that its party friends to make no "Republican ticket next fall. As things are," says the Reformer, "we are going to be beaten out of sight, or just as badly as the Democracy choose to beat us."

Some of Bingham's Radical rivals object to his continued candidacy; that "he has been twelve years in Congress, and hanged Mrs. Surratt, which ought to satisfy any reasonable man's ambition." It does not satisfy John A., probably nothing short of twelve years in the penitentiary would.

Col. E. Ball, of Canton, is announced as an independent workingman's candidate for Congress in the 17th district. Colonel Ball is a very competent and popular gentleman. The land-grabber candidate is Judge Ambler, of Columbiana county, Ohio.

PERSONAL.

General McClellan's salary as Superintendent of the Stevens' Battery is \$12,500 in gold.

Hon. George H. Pendleton and family arrived in New York on Tuesday, per the steamer Java, from Europe.

A Nevada man was bitten by a scorpion, which didn't hurt him much, but the nearly died of delirium tremens from drinking whisky to cure it.

As the Empress Eugenie is the acknowledged leader of fashion, we may shortly expect something *recherche* in the way of traveling dresses.

Long Branch estimates its visitors, this summer, at 200,000, Atlantic City and Cape May at 140,000, and Saratoga and Newport at 100,000.

The London Church Herald states that Archbishop Manning reserves the Cardinal's hat which the Pope has expressed his intention of offering him.

Chief Justice Chase is now at Narragansett, being somewhat indisposed from exposure during his recent excursion to the North-west.

Elisha Chamberlain died in Burlington, Iowa, recently, leaving his father \$10 out of \$160,000. One sister gets \$60,000, and another \$50,000, and a third just \$10.

The New York Star says that though the late Greenville T. Jenks had a yearly income of \$40,000, he was so poor that his club had to pay his funeral expenses.

One more Pittsburg lady craving aquatic honors appears in the person of Miss Rosa Steel, who offers to row two miles quicker than any other woman in the country.

WANTS A FARM.

A GOOD FARMER wants to rent a Farm of 50 or 100 Acres, on the shores, possibly to be given at once, and if not possible, then in time to put in a Spring crop. Address: J. S. MARTIN, Mount Vernon, Ohio.

Cincinnati Law School.

THE Thirtieth Annual Session of the Cincinnati Law School, will commence on Wednesday, October 13th, 1870, and continue until the third Wednesday of April, 1871. JUDGE BELLAIR, President. Professor of Legal Rights, HENRY A. MORRILL. Professor of Commercial Law and Evidence, GEORGE HOADLY. Professor of Equity and Dean of the Faculty, J. S. PYLE. Address: 314 Third St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Twelve Years among Wild Indians of Plains.

THE LIFE OF GEO. P. BELLEVILLE, from a love of wild adventure and a desire to gain a knowledge of the EVERY DAY LIFE and PEACEFUL CUSTOMS OF THE INDIANS, left a home of plenty in New Philadelphia, O., joined the Indians, adopted their mode of life, became a warrior of the "first class," and chief of 100 lodges, secured the Government with his braves against the hostile Indians, and as Lieutenant in the Regular Army, fought and won many battles. He has returned to the wild life he so much loves. 70 ILLUSTRATIONS, 34 of them FULL PAGE, with PORTRAIT OF THE AUTHOR, all engraved expressly for this work. Most attractive book, abounding in thrilling adventures, and curious, unusual and original information. Send for illustrated catalog, with terms, table of contents, and sample pages.

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THE BANNER.

Mount Vernon, Sept. 9, 1870.

LOCAL BRIEVES.

The Pic-Nic season is nearly over.
The pleasant autumn days are here.
"Fresh Oysters" are advertised at all the saloons.
Butter is now retailing at 25 cents per pound.
Look out for 50 cent counterfeit currency.
The wheat this season is said to make excellent flour.
Farmers, bring your best stock to the Knox County Fair.
Mr. Adam Pyle has had his corner painted in fine style.
Senator Thurman has our thanks for Congressional favors.
Wanted—cheap coal. Hurry up the Millersburg Railroad.
Potatoes are retailing at \$1.20 per bushel, and are scarce at that.
It is believed that a gang of burglars are now prowling around Mt. Vernon.
The "Western Rural," Chicago, is one of the best agricultural papers in America.
We are now printing 1000 small bills for the low price of \$5.00. Give us a call.
The Licking County Fair will be held on the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th days of October.
Some of the fastest horses in the State are expected at the next Knox County Fair.
There are thirty-seven old maids in Mt. Vernon, according to the census returns.
The Democrats will carry Knox Co. by a handsome majority, if our vote is all out.
We have added 150 campaign subscribers to our list during the past three weeks.
Gas pipes are now being laid along West Gambier street, between Main and the Railroad.
The bells of Knox county, and several other bells, will be seen at the next Knox County Fair.
Visiting Cards, equal to the finest steel engravings, executed at the BANNER Office, on short notice.
The Republicans say "the 5th ward are going to have a new engine." Am it, indeed!
Our enterprising young friend Frank Baldwin, who has our thanks for a mess of nice fresh Lake fish.
Mr. Graham, the "cattle man," is putting up a fine new brick house on East High street. Glad to hear it.
Our fellow-citizen, D. C. Montgomery, Esq., has returned from his trip to Kansas City, and the region thereabout.
Judge Norton, of Texas, drops in upon us every few days. We are always glad to see him. May his beard never grow less.
We have now one of the most complete Job Offices in the State. All our material is new and of the best description.
A gravel bank near Delaware caved in last week, killing a man named Charles Wall, and injured two others, Newton Corbin and Alvin Corbin.
The citizens of Mansfield are terribly in earnest in favor of the construction of a Railroad from that place to Coldwater, Michigan.
Mrs. White, wife of Robert White, of Worthington township, Richmond county, committed suicide by hanging herself, on Monday week.
The Ohio State Fair is now in full blast at Springfield. The Northern Ohio Fair, at Cleveland, will be held Oct. 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th.
The corn crop of this county will be very large and of excellent quality. Our exchanges throughout the State make the same representations.
Hon. Jacob Brinkerhoff is to deliver the address at the laying of the corner stone of the new Court House, at Mansfield on the 27th of September.
Every farmer in Knox County should endeavor to contribute something towards making the County Fair a grand exhibition of the products of the county.
A Cincinnati company are about to erect a splendid hotel at Put-in-Bay. It will be completed in time for the accommodation of guests next season.
The "grand piling match" between "Yankee Sam" and "Rattling Jim," at the County Fair Grounds, on Saturday last, resulted in favor of "Jim" by a large majority.
The citizens of the border townships between Licking and Knox are making grand preparations for their coming Fair, which will be held at Hartford on the 20th, 21st and 22d of September.
Whenever you want to purchase anything, take a look through the advertising columns of our paper. You will be sure to find some enterprising dealer asking for your trade. That's the very man you're after, as liberal advertisers are always liberal dealers.

Important to Housekeepers.

At the invitation of Mr. ROLLIN BEACH, we rode out on Monday afternoon to his residence on the Columbus road, for the purpose of witnessing the operations of Mefford's system of preserving fruits, green corn and all kinds of vegetables. After taking us through the cellar where he had tomatoes, sweet corn, peaches, pears, beans, cucumbers, and all kinds of berries, put up in large quantities, Mr. Beach gave us a full explanation of this new and important process of preserving, almost in their natural state, the rich products of the earth, so that they can be eaten, at any time during the year, as fresh and sweet as they were when gathered from the trees, bushes and vines. The process is exceedingly simple, and when understood, a child can follow the directions and do all the work that is necessary. There is no steaming or cooking or boiling over hot fires, to fret, tire and sicken housekeepers; but the whole secret of the system is simple application of a chemical law, by means of which fruits and vegetables can be preserved in a better, cheaper and healthier condition than by the old process.
The inventor is Mr. Mefford of Norwalk, Ohio, who, after years of study and experiment, has seen his labors crowned with complete success, and has already realized a handsome fortune from his discovery.
Mr. Beach, in partnership with Mr. H. Stevens, has purchased the right for Knox and Delaware counties for the sum of \$250, and a Company at Mansfield has purchased the right for the balance of the State for a large sum of money, and propose to engage in the business of canning fruits and vegetables on an extensive scale. Messrs. Beach & Stevens are prepared to sell individual rights for the low price of \$5, and Mr. B. informs us that he intends to erect a building on his premises for the purpose of supplying our citizens with fresh canned fruits and vegetables the year round. He deserves great credit for his enterprise and energy in taking hold of this business, and we trust that he and his partner will realize a handsome return for their time, labor and expenditure.
Persons who wish to see for themselves the fruits and vegetables preserved by this process, can be gratified by calling on Mr. Beach at the coming Knox County Fair.
The Mt. Gilead Register pays a high compliment to our young friend ABEL HART, Esq., the Democratic candidate for Prosecuting Attorney in this county. It says: "We have been well acquainted with Mr. Hart for a number of years, and know him to be one of the most estimable, honorable and upright young men of our acquaintance. If he recollects correctly, Mr. Hart was admitted to the bar about eleven years ago. Judge Dunbar one of the ablest lawyers in Ohio, was his preceptor. Since his admission he has, with the exception of the time spent in the army, devoted his whole time to the practice of his profession. The Democracy of old Knox have acted wisely in conferring this honor on one so worthy; and we have no doubt but the nomination will be ratified by his triumphant election on the second Tuesday of October next."
Bear in mind that the time for holding our County Fair is near at hand, and the farmers, mechanics and others, should begin to make their preparations. The managers are doing their part to make it a success.
ALMOST A FIRE.—A lot of lumber in the dry-house of John Cooper & Co., immediately over their boiler and furnace, caught fire on Tuesday evening, but the alarm whistle soon brought an immense crowd of people to the scene of danger, and the fire was put out before any serious damage was done. The Fifth Ward Engine was promptly on the ground and at work before the Steam Engine made its appearance. Indeed, there was a good deal of unfriendly talk about the bad management of the Steam Fire Engine on that evening.
GOOD NEWS FROM MIDDLEBURY.—We have cheering news from Middlebury. The Democracy there are in good spirits, are cordially united, and increasing in strength every day. To prove that we are not mistaken in this assertion, it is only necessary to state that the good wife of that sterling Democrat, Mr. Joel Starnes, the Waterford miller, presented her husband on the evening of the 30th ult., with three young Democrats at a birth. We are happy to add that both mother and babes are doing well. There is no discount upon the Democracy of Middlebury township.
LATE INVENTIONS, for which Letters Patent have been allowed through the Agency of Burridge & Co., Cleveland, Ohio:
A. D. Strong, vincer apparatus; C. D. Walker, bed bottom; G. Meyer, wiring blind machine; H. C. Crowell, boiler injurer; E. L. Yancey, harvester knife grinder; T. Garlick, lightning rod; J. White, fruit crate; G. W. Shaw, fire alarm; A. Naffel, varnishing compound; J. A. Wright, scaffolding; Lathrop & Gay, competing scales; H. Carter, stitching machine; English, French, Austrian, and Hungarian patents; W. H. Trissler, faucet repairer.
OH, DON'T!—Some chap in Philadelphia wishes us to fill up two columns of our paper with a soap advertisement, for one year, and to pay him \$240 besides, in consideration of which he agrees to send us \$500 worth of soap! He is entirely too kind and liberal. As we are not engaged in the soap business, we would advise him to send his favors to our "loyal" friend of the Republic, whose paper is very soapy, being composed chiefly of the raw material—fat!

THE CINCINNATI MURDER CASE.—The trial of Robert McCurdy, for shooting and killing his son, at Cardington, last November, was concluded at Mt. Gilead on Monday, and resulted in the acquittal of the accused. The prosecution was made, made on a strong case against McCurdy, and the general belief was that he would be found guilty of murder in the second degree, at least. But he had the benefit of able and ingenious counsel, who labored earnestly to secure his acquittal—the leading lawyer being our former townsman, Hon. F. H. HURD, who, we learn, spoke for six consecutive hours in defense of his client, making one of the best speeches of his life, which carried the jury as if by magic. The public, while admiring the ability displayed by Mr. Hurd, were indignant beyond measure, at the acquittal of McCurdy, and open insults and threats of violence were made against the jurors. The case created intense excitement in Mt. Gilead.

POSTMASTER'S SALARY.—The salary of a postmaster under present regulations is based on the amount of stamps canceled, amount of newspaper postages, and amount of box rents. The aggregate value of stamps canceled, sixty per cent is allowed as commissions on the first one hundred dollars, and in a proportionate rate of decrease of percentage for all above the amount stated. Five per cent is also allowed as commissions on all newspaper postages, and the entire amount of box rents is allowed up to the sum of two thousand dollars. It is provided, however, that the salary of a postmaster shall in no case exceed four thousand dollars—two thousand dollars from commissions and an equal amount from box rents.

HOW TO MAKE PEACH JELLY.—Cut a dozen peaches in halves, pear them and take out the stones. Lay a clear boiling syrup, made of a pound of white sugar, put the peaches and kernels. Boil twenty for ten minutes, lay half the peaches on a plate, boil the rest ten minutes longer. Then mix with the liquor of the peaches the strained juice of three lemons, and an ounce of isinglass dissolved and strained. Fill the mould full of jelly; when that is set, put in part of the peaches and a little more jelly; and when that is set, add the rest of the peaches, and all the mould with jelly. This makes an elegant table ornament.

A FINE ENGINE.—While making a business call at John Cooper's Works on Wednesday, we had the pleasure of witnessing the operations of a new Farm Engine that was just finished and being tested, built after improved models and intended exclusively for farm work, such as running threshing machines, &c. It is a model of neatness, and worked smoothly and beautifully, without any jar or noise. Mr. Cooper employs the best mechanics in the country, and all the work turned out from this establishment is of the very best description.

CULTON & SPRAGUE, of Chicago, on Tuesday received the first shipment of wheat and flour ever sent from California via the Pacific Railroad. They put on the market, on Wednesday, two car loads. This is the first load of the Pacific Railroad at the Panama Transportation Company, and is understood as but the beginning of a vigorous war on the Ocean Line.

ZANESVILLE SALT, laid in the dry, for sale at BALDWIN'S.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

MT. VERNON, Sept. 9, 1870.
BUTTER—Choice table, 25c.
EGGS—Fresh, per doz., 15c.
CHEESE—Western Reserve, 15c.
APPLES—Green, 50c. per bushel; Dried 8c. per lb.
POTATOES—New, 85c. per bushel.
RABBIES—New and bright, dried 10c. per lb.
BEANS—Prime white, \$1.50 per bushel.
PEAS—Prime white, 80¢ per bushel.
BEEF—Wax—Yellow, 85c. per lb.
LARD—Lowest, 20¢ per lb.
SEEDS—Cloverseed, 80¢ per bushel; Timothy 85¢; Flax, \$2.00.
HAY—Timothy, 85¢ per ton.
HOGS—Live weight, 10c. per lb.; dressed 12c. per lb.
CATTLE—3/4c. per lb.
FLOUR—\$5.50.
WHEAT—White, \$1.10 and scarce; Red \$1.00.
OATS—41¢ per bushel.
CORN—In the ear, 75¢ per bushel.
RICE—Timothy \$8 per ton.
The above are the buying rates—a little more would be charged by the retailer.

OCTOBER ELECTION!

Tuesday, October 11, 1870.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION!

The State of Ohio, Knox County, ss:
I, PURSUANCE of a law of the State of Ohio regulating Elections therein, I, ALLEN J. BEACH, Sheriff of the county aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and make known that the following is the list of the qualified electors of said county who shall meet at their proper places of holding elections in their respective Townships and Wards, between the hours of 6 o'clock, A. M. and 6 o'clock, P. M. of said day, and proceed to the polls at the following State and County Offices, to wit:
One person for Secretary of State;
One person for Judge of Supreme Court;
One person for Controller of the Treasury;
One person for Member of the Board of Public Works;
One person for Representative to Congress;
One person for Member of Board of Equalization;
One person for Sheriff;
One person for Prosecuting Attorney;
One person for County Commissioner;
One person for Inferior Director;
One person for Coroner.
And whereas, by an act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio, passed February 1st, 1851, it is made the duty of the Sheriff at the time of holding the election, to give notice to the Trustees of the several Townships and Wards of persons to be returned as Jurors from each Township, the apportionment of Jurors as made by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas to be returned is as follows:
Jackson Township.....4
Butler ".....4
Union ".....4
Jefferson ".....4
Brown ".....4
Howard ".....4
Harrison ".....4
Morgan ".....4
Pleasant ".....4
College ".....4
Monroe ".....4
Pike ".....4
Berlin ".....4
Morris ".....4
Clifton ".....4
Milford ".....4
Liberty ".....4
Madison ".....4
Madison ".....4
Hill ".....4
Given under my hand at the Sheriff's Office, in the City of Mount Vernon, this 9th day of September, A. D. 1870.
ALLEN J. BEACH,
Sheriff Knox Co., O.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

—The Orphans' Home, at Xenia, contains 125 children.
—Longworth's Executors pay the largest taxes in Cincinnati—\$26,800. George Carlisle pays \$19,000.
—The corner stone of the new Court House at Bellefontaine will be laid on the 9th of September.
—The population of Toledo, as returned to the United States Marshal, is 30,608. In 1860, Toledo had 13,763 inhabitants.
—Greenville is to have a rolling mill, the requisite amount of money having been raised, and all the arrangements completed last week.
—Emma H. Jones, a young inmate of the Cincinnati Orphan Asylum, has fallen heir to a legacy of \$30,000 by the death of a grandfather.
—Smiley Harbaugh, and old and well known citizen of Oshocton, died a few days since.
—In a drunken row that took place near Cambridge on last Saturday night, a woman was killed.
—The town council of New Philadelphia has appropriated \$300 for the purchase of a town clock, which is to be placed in the tower of the new Lutheran Church.
—The Bucyrus papers say that the contract for building the railroad between that place and Toledo, by way of Berwick and Fostalia, has been let.
—Henry Evertson, residing near Mansfield, Montgomery county, Ohio, attempted suicide on Saturday afternoon, by taking laudanum. The reason assigned for the act is financial embarrassment.
—The Napoleon Northwest says: The requisite stock for a paper mill (60,000) was subscribed on one day of last week in Napoleon. Arrangements will be speedily made for the erection of buildings.
—The Toledo Blade has indirect information that the safe of the Hancock county treasury has been forced open, and \$35,000 found to be missing.
—Mr. Michael Myers, residing in Berne township, Fairfield county, while digging a well, on a hill on his farm, at the depth of about forty feet, struck a vein of coal some two feet thick.
—A snake with two well developed heads was recently captured alive on Cat's Creek, Washington county. The persons who captured it wrapped it up so close that it smothered. It is now preserved in alcohol.
—The census takers have completed their work, and the population of Dayton is fixed at 10,900 below the general expectation of the citizens of that beautiful little city. The enumeration shows that since 1860 there has been an increase of population of 10,280.
—There is an old pool on one of Mr. Jonathan Stanley's farms, south of Salem, Columbiana county, Ohio, that is sixty years old. The shingles—three-fourth inch chestnut—were made and put on in 1810 by John Fawcett, father of Capt. J. W. Fawcett, and are yet in good condition.
—We learn from the Jeffersonian, that a full blooded negro cloped with a white woman from the Eagle hotel in Cambridge. The woman was employed in the house, and the negro was employed as hostler at the stables. They took the early train going west, and nothing has been heard from them since.
—The McArthur Enquirer learns that Solomon Shipley, of Zaleski, who is now hunting in the woods south of that place, one day last week captured two young bald eagles, the outstretched wings of which measure about four feet and eight inches, and which are too young to fly, but are good in a fight, even when food is offered them.
—The Ashland Union says: "Quite a sensation was created in Ashland a few days ago on learning that for the last two months a young lady had been in our jail in the guise of a young gentleman of seventeen. He (she) has successfully passed in Cleveland, Cincinnati and other places as a boy of seventeen, and until within a few days his (her) sex was never suspected. She is now in the debtor's cell."
—The Zanesville Courier of the 1st inst. says: "An old gentleman named English who had lately moved into Brush Creek township, was accidentally killed yesterday August 31st. He was engaged in loading a good sized saw log upon a wagon with the horse power, when the chain broke and the log rolled back upon him, crushing him to death instantly. He leaves a wife and several children, but the latter grown up."
—The Hancock Courier states that reports are current in Findlay that H. B. Wall, County Treasurer of Hancock county, has absconded with a large amount of the county funds in his possession. He left Findlay, on the 23d ult., for Columbus to settle with Auditor of State. He made his settlement there, and has not been heard from since. In the meantime the key to the safe is missing, and everything is in the dark with regard to the state of the county funds.
—Youngstown is getting "sensational," and is putting on Chicago airs! The Vin-dictor has an account of a physician being arrested on charge of rape; of a burglary and highway robbery; of a street encounter between prominent citizens, where a revolver was drawn; of an unfaithful husband being found by his wife in a brothel and various other matters are recorded which indicates clearly that there are some naughty, naughty people even in usually staid Mahoning.

LOCAL NOTICES.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SALE.—For sale, at this office, a Scholarship in the Union Business College, of Cleveland, Ohio, one of the best institutions of the kind in the country. A liberal discount will be made.
The Eagle Feed and Fodder Cutter and all kinds of Plow Points, at B. HARKNESS'S, Gambier.
The War Ended.
In view of this fact we are the first to reduce prices. Call and see at BALDWIN'S.
Go see the Davis Sewing Machine at the Johnston House. It beats them all.
CALL and see the fine Bott Water at Horner & Kelly's.
Galena Grapes.
The choicest that have been brought to this market for sale by the pound, hundred-weight or ton, at BALDWIN'S.
THE DAVIS SEWING MACHINE has a vertical-feed.
War! War!!
In war or peace, Singer keeps the best stock of French, English, Scotch and American suitings, offered for sale in this market, also Gent's furnishing goods, paper collars, ties, &c. Sept. 2d-21st.
Agency of Hokening Steam Mills.
FLOUR and all kinds of MILL FEED for sale at wholesale and retail, at (No charge for delivering.) BALDWIN'S.
A NEW lot of Looking Glasses just received at Horner & Kelly's.
THE DAVIS SEWING MACHINE is gaining friends every day. Don't fail to see it at the Johnston House store room.
HURRICANE Lanterns at Horner & Kelly's.
Prepare for the Cholera.
With the "heated term" comes the danger of that frightful pestilence—Cholera and kindred diseases. What untold and indescribable misery has been visited upon thousands annually by these awful complaints. But every one ought to be made aware that a specific to this class of diseases, as well as a certain preventive, is the celebrated MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS. It will positively fortify the system against the attacks of Asiatic Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Dysentery, Summer Complaint, Diarrhea, Cholera, Painter's Cholera, &c. D. H. Bissell, M. D., Physician-in-Chief of the U. S. Hospital, San Francisco, highly recommends it for Cholera, and has used it with marvelous success in such cases. It acts like an angel of mercy in every instance, sold by all druggists and dealers. Price one dollar per bottle. Aug. 29-31st.
GLASS Ware very cheap at Horner & Kelly's.
The Best Sugar in Town
For a shilling per lb. at BALDWIN'S.
Elegant Workmanship
In visiting the rooms of Melurin & Son the other day, we noticed among the collection of beautiful work always to be found there, a family monument of Italian marble that would elicit admiration wherever refined taste has an abiding place. It had just received its finishing touches, and to adorn the family burying lot of Geo. B. Putnam Esq., of Mt. Vernon. We have seen larger monuments, but never one exhibiting more taste and beauty and design, or higher artistic merit in workmanship. The monument is a fine specimen of the art, and a sufficient guarantee for the excellence of their monumental work. No one need hesitate in entrusting to them the execution of their wishes. They are not exacting and exacting in the same moment, which they make a specialty. Mr. Melurin is, in fact, an enthusiast in marble work, and the excellence of his jobs seems to afford him as much delight as his pecuniary profit. Their establishment bears on its face the indications of energy and prosperity, and our whole community feel pleasure and pride in its success.—Newark Advocate.
DON PIATT.
Don Piatt says: "I was in love with a fat girl, she was very fleshy. She was enormous, but the course of my true love came to grief. I was sitting with her in the dim twilight one evening. I was sentimental; I said many soft things. I was distracted part of her. She seemed distant. She frequently turned her lovely head from me. At last I thought I heard the murmur of voices on the other side. I arose and walked around, and there I found another fellow courting her on the left flank, and trying to persuade her to go to BILL ALLING'S and get a glass of Pepsin's 'All.' With a smile on her lovely countenance, she said: 'Oh, how delicious!—I will.' Aug. 19-31st."
Dr. A. Fry.
Of Iowa, who can show a good reputation for curing Chronic Diseases without medicine, and makes no charge for examination, may be consulted as follows, during the month of July; Mount Vernon, at the Johnston House, on Mondays and Tuesdays; Fredericktown, on Wednesdays; at Wagner House, Lexington, Richmond county, on Thursdays; at Mr. Chadwick's, on Saturdays and Sundays. The afflicted should call on him.
HARMLESS, BEAUTIFUL AND LASTING.—Mrs. S. A. Allen's Hair Restorer and Dressing. The attention of the public is invited to the valuable improvement recently made in this preparation. Its infallible property of quickly restoring Gray Hair to its original color, is here combined with its most agreeable Dressing, all in one bottle.
Also her EYE MAKE-UP, another preparation, clear and transparent. A toilet luxury for cleansing, dressing and strengthening the eyes, and is preferable to eye-powders, and at half the cost. Sold by Druggists.
June 11.

GREEN'S DRUG STORE.

Drugs, Medicines, Paints, OILS, DYE-STUFFS, PERFUMERY, PAINT AND VARNISH BRUSHES, CHEMICALS, NAVAL STORES, FINE SOAPS, SPONGES, CORKS, &c., &c. A LARGE STOCK, FINE ASSORTMENT, LOW PRICES. GOODS WARRANTED. FOUNTAIN OF HEALTH! Our Ice Cold Soda Water, is of unequalled Purity, and Most Delicious in Quality. MAIN STREET, MOUNT VERNON, OHIO.
SMITH'S DRUG STORE.
DR. H. W. SMITH.
TAKES PLEASURE in notifying the people of Mt. Vernon, and Knox county, generally, that he has purchased the Drug Store, formerly owned by Woodward & Scribner, on Upper Main Street, and refitted it in handsome style. He has purchased a large stock of new choice
Drugs of the Purest Class, And warrants them of the very best quality to be found in the Eastern Markets. His stock consists of everything that is usually found in a FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.
PURE FRENCH, GERMAN, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN
Choice Foreign and Domestic Toilet Articles and Fancy Goods, ALSO, CHOICE LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
Imported Perfumes, Soaps, Brushes and Druggists Sundries.
SODA FOUNTAIN, with the best Syrups, in full play during the Soda Season.
Prescriptions filled at all hours, and with the utmost care. A Complete Clerk always on hand in his absence. H. W. SMITH.
Mount Vernon, Ohio, June 17th, 1870-ly.
G. B. MESSENGER, W. D. BROWNING, O. SPERRY
MESSENGER, BROWNING & CO.
SUCCESSORS TO
MESSENGER & BEATY,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
STAPLE AND FANCY NOTIONS, Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c., MAIN STREET, MT. VERNON, OHIO.
We would say to the old friends of the late firm of MESSENGER & BEATY, that having greatly increased our facilities for getting Goods, and doing a strictly JOBBING BUSINESS, we will be able to give our entire attention. Orders from a distance promptly attended to, and prices guaranteed. In our Stock will be found a full assortment of
HOISERY, COLLARS, SUSPENDERS, GLOVES, NECKTIES, SKIRT-SILK, CORSETS, PINS, TRIMMINGS, SHOES, COMBS, PATENT SPOOL THREAD, FISH HOOKS AND LINES, HAIR OILS, POMADES, FANCY SOAPS, SPOOL SILKS, HOOP SKIRTS, WHITE GOODS, PERFUMERY AND EXTRACTS, &c., &c.
Please give us a call. Mount Vernon, O., March 11, 1870.
MESSENGER, BROWNING & CO.
CITY DRUG STORE
S. W. LIPPITT
ANNOUNCES to the public that he has re-purchased the old and reliable "City Drug Store," of Dr. Wang, and has taken possession of the same. She will continue it as a place
Where all Articles Usually Kept in a Drug Store
Will be found of the best quality, and warranted as represented—a full assortment constantly on hand, such as
Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Dye-Stuffs and Family Dyes, WINDOW GLASS, PUTTY, PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES, Hair Oils, Pomades, and Pure Wines and Liquors.
In addition to my large stock I will keep on hand the celebrated remedies of B. B. LIPPITT, as follows:
LIPPITT'S COUGH SYRUP, Lippitt's Cholera and Dysentery and Diarrhoea Cordial, Lippitt's Tonic Pills.
These medicines have a wide, and deserved reputation. She intends by care and strict attention to merit, and hopes to receive a liberal share of patronage, and invites the continuance of the customers of the old stand, and that of the public generally. Oct. 8, 1869-ly

Sheriff's Sale—In Partition.

Jane Wallace, Guardian, vs. Charles Wallace et al. In Knox Common Pleas.
BY VIRTUE of an order of sale in this case, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House, in Mt. Vernon, Knox county, Ohio, on
Saturday, September 17th, A. D. 1870, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit: Part of Common Pleas of Knox county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House in Mount Vernon, Knox county, Ohio, on
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A LITTLE NONSENSE.

Noose-paper—The marriage certificate. A quick trip—to trip on an orange peel. Money is hard to get—But easy to spend. Can a little girl weeping be called a cryer? The most difficult thing to remember—the poor.

Poor relief—being relieved of one's watch. Sun-day matters are to be found everywhere.

The swiftest arm of the military service—the fleet.

An Iowa man applies advice: "Kerosene and coffee."

When you get a stitch in your side—Send for a sherry cobbler.

To have a bang up time—be present at a steamboat explosion.

Dyeing for love—Coloring your moustache to please a woman.

Corn is quoted in the market as "steady," but how about the corned?

A clock may go on tick, but it is sure to meet its engagements on time.

Because a man sings bass, he should not be pronounced a low character.

You're a man of figure, as the mathematician said to the dancing-master.

Each wooden leg is but a proof that the glories of war have an artificial end.

May not the sun be arrested as an incendiary since it is burning up everything.

When a man gets so low that he will not even borrow trouble, his case is desperate.

A child is the beginning of what he will be; an old man the remains of what he has been.

Why is an address on board a ship like a bracelet? Because it is a deck (or decoration).

When did Noah go into the wine business? He made port about forty days after the deluge began.

Metropolitan query—When is the worst weather for rats and mice. When it rains cats and dogs.

Why does the minister have more wives than any one else? Because he often marries a couple at a time.

The fellow who attempted to "cloak his sin," found that he couldn't begin to get a garment large enough.

A constant reader writes to ascertain if the cold shoulder of office given to poor dependents is baked or roasted.

It doesn't follow because a man is after a cobbler that he wants his boots tatted. The tap may be in another direction.

The latest hair restorer out is that of a thief, who stole a quantity of wigs and afterwards returned them to the owner.

Brass instruments develop the countenances that have a lively development of brass.

Knox County Farmer.

"He who by the plow would drive," "Himself must either hold or drive."

Treatment of Glanders, A few days ago I saw in an eastern agricultural paper the communication of a very complicated remedy against glanders. I will give a simpler treatment, which I warrant to be not only immediately effective in giving relief to the suffering animal, but which also makes the price of the disease impossible, and is the only one which should ever be permitted to be applied. It consists simply of half an ounce of lead or five inches of steel administered in a proper way and place.

Cure for Founder. I noticed in your paper a few weeks ago a sure cure for founder horses. I send you mine which I have tried on many different horses, and in cases of long standing. Take some old worn blankets or rags—if wooden rags are not handy, take straw and wrap the legs tight, up as high as you can conveniently, then take hot water, not enough to scald the hair off on a well horse pouring it around the horse's legs until they are well soaked; then in one hour serve in the same way, except not quite so hot, and in two hours he will be a sure cure, and there is no danger of injuring the animal as would be the case with turpentine. The horse is paralyzed, the legs are cold, and the hot water will start the blood circulating, and start the perspiration. I have taken boiling hot water and applied it, and never injured a hair.

Fattening Animals. In fattening animals of every kind, it is important to feed them at the season when they will take on flesh the most rapidly at least expense. That season is in the late Summer and Autumn, when the weather is mild. I fully believe that the production of flesh in proportion to the consumption of food is one-fourth more in warm weather than in Winter. Meal may be fed in the warm season, but corn can only be fed in Autumn or Winter, as it does not ripen sufficiently until then, and it cannot be kept over for another season. It may be said that fat cattle, for Spring use, need not be fattened so early as to be ready for market by December. It will do no harm, however, to keep them in the feed until they are well fed, and they will hold their flesh all Winter, and on much less feed than if not so well fed in the earlier seasons, and thus secure the large Spring prices of winter feeding. This advantage can be fully obtained by feeding on ground grain in sheds and mangers, but cannot be secured by Winter stock feeding.—Allen.

Mice Destroying Oats. By mere accident four years ago, I found this remedy. It was a rainy, had been to harvest oats and save them. The last load I brought in was too damp to stow away in the mow. It occurred to me, however, if I would salt them perhaps they would dry out and save I therefore applied salt pretty freely. In the Spring, when I had occasion to use them, I found that they not only kept well, but were not disturbed by the rats or mice at all. While in the same mow, the oats not salted were literally cut to pieces and almost worthless. Every year since then I have uniformly employed salt, and with the same gratifying results.

Now, I say to farmers, try this method of saving your grain from the depredations of these pests of the farm. It is easily done, and I find that the stock eat the oats much better, feed them as you will.—C. L. Gault.

Hogs in Summer. W. H. Whitcomb, of Lavin Ridge, Ill., writes to the American Institute Farmers' Club, that within sight of the smoke of his chimney are mounds from 500 to 5,000 worth of pork next Fall. As near as he can learn by talking with many of them, they all think that now is the accepted time for erecting stagers and getting mills. They keep their hogs in clover pastures, and all who have mills (and many are just getting them, even if it is not so good a time as November), cook small portions of corn meal for their hogs. In this section no milk is fed to the hogs, for the reason that there is hardly enough for the people.

Farmers have found that hogs cannot live and thrive on grass alone but by making swill with cooked meal, they keep the hogs growing, thereby "getting large-framed hogs before the corn harvests."

These farmers generally plant large quantities of early sweet corn, which they eat up when in good roasting corn, and feed stalks and all. The success of these hogs, heads for a few years past has been the course described. Nearly all begin poor, and now are rich.

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Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
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Z. E. TAYLOR,
DENTIST.
OFFICE—On Main Street, first door North of King's Hat Store.

March 20-19. MT. VERNON, OHIO.

D. C. MONTGOMERY,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
OFFICE—North side Public Square, over St. James' Church. MOUNT VERNON, OHIO.

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GEO. R. BOWLEY,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER,
MOUNT LIBERTY.

Sept. 17-19. KNOX COUNTY O.

CIRO S. VERDE,
HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,
—AND—
SURGEON.

OFFICE—Over Green's Drug Store, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. March 6.

ADAMS & HART,
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AND CLAIM AGENTS.

OFFICE—In Banning Building, Dec. 26. 19. MT. VERNON, OHIO.

W. C. COOPER, H. T. PORTER,
COOPER, PORTER & MITCHELL,
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OFFICE—In the Masonic Hall Building, Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Feb. 17-19.

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OFFICE—In Wolf's New Building, corner of Main Street and Public Square, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. June 24, 1869-19.

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