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# Mount Vernon Democrat

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TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

Cleveland, Columbus & Cin. R. R.

SHELBY TIME TABLE.

Going South—Mail & Express, 9:31 A. M.

Night Express, 11:14 P. M.

Going North—New York Express, 9:35 P. M.

Night Express, 11:14 P. M.

Mail & Express, 9:30 A. M.

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

GOING NORTH.

Streamline Express, 5:12 A. M.

Way Freight, 8:00 A. M.

Express and Mail, 12:57 P. M.

Way Freight, 3:45 P. M.

Chicago Express, 6:40 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

Through Night Freight, 6:12 A. M.

Express and Mail, 12:57 P. M.

Way Freight, 3:45 P. M.

Freight and Passenger, 8:10 P. M.

Baltimore Express, 11:07 P. M.

Pittsburg, Ft. W. & Chicago R. R.

CONDENSED TIME CARD.

May 25th, 1871.

STATIONS, [EXPRESS], MAIL, [EXPRESS], [EXPRESS]

Pittsburgh, 1:55 A. M.

Rocheester, 2:42 A. M.

Alliance, 4:55 A. M.

Orville, 6:28 A. M.

Manfield, 8:28 A. M.

Crestline, 9:20 A. M.

Forest, 10:27 A. M.

Lima, 11:32 A. M.

Ft. Wayne, 12:57 P. M.

Plymouth, 2:22 P. M.

Pittsburg, 3:20 P. M.

Chicago, 6:20 P. M.

STATIONS, [MAIL], [EXPRESS], [EXPRESS]

Chicago, 5:00 A. M.

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Forest, 1:00 P. M.

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Manfield, 3:00 P. M.

Orville, 4:00 P. M.

Alliance, 5:00 P. M.

Rocheester, 6:00 P. M.

Pittsburg, 7:00 P. M.

Chicago, 8:20 P. M.

F. R. MYERS, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

USEFUL INFORMATION.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Christian Church, Vine Street, between Gay

and McKenzie. Services every Sabbath at 10

o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M. Sabbath

school at 9 o'clock. Elder L. J. B. BENT.

Evangelical Lutheran Church, Sandusky St.

—Rev. E. L. ELSNER.

Presbyterian Church, corner Gay and Chest-

nut streets.—Rev. D. B. HERVEY.

Methodist Episcopal Church, corner Gay and

Chambers streets.—Rev. W. D. GODMAN.

Protestant Episcopal Church, corner Gay and

High streets.—Rev. R. B. P. P. P.

St. Andrew's Church, Mulberry street,

between Sugar and Hamilton.—Rev. J. H.

HAMILTON.

Catholic Church, corner High and McKen-

zie streets.—Rev. J. B. BENT.

DuSable Church, Vine street, between Mal-

berry and McKenzie.—Rev. A. J. WIAST.

St. Vincent's Church, Main street.—Rev. T.

R. B. MOORE.

United Presbyterian Church, corner Main

and Sugar streets.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Mr. ZION LODGE No. 9, meets at Masonic

Hall, Main street, the first Friday evening of

each month.

CHAPTER No. 24, meets at Maso-

nio Hall, the first Monday evening after the

first of each month.

CLAYTON LODGE No. 5, meets at Ma-

sonio Hall, the second Friday evening of each

month.

I. O. O. FELLOWS.

MOUNT ZION LODGE No. 20, meets in Hall

No. 1, Krennlin, on Wednesday evening of each

month.

QUINBAR LODGE No. 316, meets in Hall-

or Warner Miller's Store, Tuesday evening of

each month.

KOKOSING ENCAMPMENT meets in Hall No. 1,

Krennlin, the 2d and 4th Friday evening of

each month.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

St. Vincent's Lodge No. 71, meets in Hall

No. 1, Krennlin, Monday evening of each

month.

KNOX COUNTY DIRECTORY.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Sheriff, ALLEN J. BEACH.

Clerk of the Court, J. B. BENT.

Recorder, S. W. FARQUHAR.

Prothonotary, C. E. CRITCHFIELD.

Coroner, GEORGE W. WELKER.

Commissioners—D. P. Halsey, John Lyall,

Simon H. Smith, J. H. COTTON.

Infirmary Directors—Samuel Snyder, Platt

Beardsley, Richard Campbell.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

William Dunbar, Mt. Vernon.

The Banner.

SPEECH.

HON. GEO. H. PENDLETON.

—AT—

Loveland, O., Aug. 22, 1871.

Grand Rally of the Democracy of

Clermont, Hamilton and War-

ren Counties.

I thank the State Central Committee

for having assigned me to Loveland.

I have no pleasant recollection of the

last visit I made here, that they could not

have given me a more agreeable appoint-

ment with which to commence the duties

assigned me during this canvass. Almost

the last political speech which I made was

here. Soon afterward I met with an acci-

dent which kept me a close prisoner for a

long time, and whose effects prevented me

from taking an active part in the canvass

for the last two years.

Reflection has not increased the acrimony

of my temper, nor led me to look with

less charity upon the motives of our fellow-

citizens who differ with me. More and

more have I come to see that the widest

difference of opinion and conduct in political

matters are consistent with the most

unselfish patriotism and purest motives.

In this canvass, while I shall speak with

the plainest language of the principles and

policy of the Republican party, I shall en-

deavor to do justice to the intentions

and motives of men.

Who can commence the discussion of

political questions without being carried

revolutionarily to the scene of anguish and

death which so lately clothed our party,

our State, and our country in mourning?

"The silver cord is loosened; the golden

bow is broken."

the voice that spoke so eloquently and well

is still. The intellect which thought so

truly exerts its powers on other subjects,

in other spheres. The strong brave heart

beats as before. The conflicts of time.

When I think of this I feel that we

might inflict the captives of Judea, who

"by the waters of Babylon, hung their

heads down, and wept, and said, 'How

wept when they remembered Zion, I did

not know Mr. Vallandigham so long, per-

haps, as many of you, but I knew him

very well. During his whole career in

the South, when his colleagues were

the successful sessions of 1867-68 I was

his daily associate and intimate friend.

During the years of his arrest and trial and

imprisonment, I saw him often, and I

was possible, and did what I could to

mitigate the pains which an infamous tri-

nal inflicted. In all those times of an-

guished soldier, lately the incarnation of

force, already become "one among ten

thousand," and soon to become "altogether

lovely!"

General Garfield followed Sherman. He

was chosen by his glorious country.

Even his imagination could only supply a

color or add a tint which the Senator

had omitted. In a style of his own he

sounded in the empyrean and taught the

stoutest blue which the "boy of the West"

and of promise." He descended to the

lowest depths of ocean and brought up

the timest and purest dust which lingered

there, that having found no faith, he had

escaped the condemnation that he who

carot not for his household is worse than

an infidel; and that having done so well

that he had turned the day of Mili-

tial happiness and came to the highest

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of the billow. And with these he warmed

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the lack of industry and energy; not from

loss in the quantity of their stocks of goods

or property, but because their sales were

slow and prices were decreasing. They

would be obliged to sell for less than they

had agreed to pay. The proceeds would

not suffice to pay their notes, much less

afford a profit for a living. Ask those who

have not failed, and they will tell you that

these are consuming the accumulated pro-

fits of other years, and unless a change soon

occurs they must give up business or fail.

Gentlemen, this is true; it must be so.

These twelve months' reaction for the

policy of the Republican party. During

the war a million of men were taken from

the ranks of producers and placed among

the consumers; an expanding currency

substituted for an unsteady, and perhaps

natural, activity every branch of industry.

The Government furnished an absorbing

market for almost every product. The ap-

proportion of it was into the Treasury, but

all of it got into the pockets of the man-

ufacturers. The Commissioner of Internal

Revenue, Mr. Wells, in his last report, says

that the duty on lumber paid into the

Treasury in 1868 was two million two

hundred and fifty thousand dollars, but that

it cost the people sixteen millions to collect

it. The duties on salt yielded in 1867 one

million of dollars, but the price of every

bushel of salt made in this country was

raised, to the consumer, from twenty-three

to forty-eight cents a bushel.

In 1868 the people paid, by reason of

the duties on pig-iron, \$1,836,000 of which

the Government received \$700,000 and the

iron master more than \$1,100,000. On

cotton fabrics the Government received

\$8,100,000, and the protected industries re-

ceived \$22,000,000. On woolens the Gov-

ernment received \$26,000,000 and the pro-

tectionists received \$105,000,000. Indeed,











## Wit and Humor.

"A little nonsense, now and then,  
Is relished by the wisest men."  
"Popular song for the Cabinet—"We met  
by chance."  
A social glass to which ladies are addic-  
tated—the mirror.  
A new name for the Grecian bend, is the  
"back-stoop."

Consolation for the ladies—The world  
abounds with him-perfection.  
Why had taken to an evening party  
frequently comes to the good ear.

Why are nice like fashionable women?  
Because they each carry a little behind.  
Doctor—Have you taken any remedy?  
Patient—No, but I've taken lots of physic.

Curious to say that most home-owners  
when in difficulties, prefer their grays to  
duns.

Why was Louis Napoleon's army like  
his moustache? Because it was waxed at  
both ends.

There is a town in Illinois called Mar-  
sailles. The men of the town are all Mar-  
sailles hians.

"The house of need"—You cannot help  
knowing it, for when it does come it is sure  
to strike you.

A wholesale house advertiser: "Wanted—  
women to sell on commission." Gals,  
there is your chance.

Soldiers in battle are not allowed to  
whistle to keep their courage up. That  
must be left for the bullets.

Commenting on the proverb, "Peace  
hall be victorious," says, "Just so, more  
fall in than in war."

A baby who kisses his mother and fights  
his father may be said to be partial to his  
ma and marial to his pa.

The epitaph of the double-headed baby  
pronounced by the New York Mail, is, "She  
are dead; they are gone."

An unpunctual youth describes his fian-  
cée's hair as frizzled in front, and frizzled  
and frizzled at the back.

A Western obituary closes by saying:  
"she had an amiable temper and was an  
commonly fond of ice cream and other de-  
licacies."

What is the difference between an en-  
trance to a barn and a loafer in a printing  
office. One is a barn door and the other  
is a darn door.

## Knox County Farmer.

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

Wheat on Late Plowed Land.  
Sometimes a farmer is tempted by ap-  
pearances which indicate that it will be a  
lucky hit, to plow soil ground as late as  
August, and even in September, and sow  
to wheat. And if a paying crop is realized  
by such culture, it may be regarded indeed  
as a mere "lucky hit," and not as the re-  
sult of suitable culture for the crop. It  
would be desirable in many instances to  
sow wheat on a field that has been mown  
the same season, but experience teaches  
that it is very unsafe to do so. There may  
be cases, as where a field is very fertile, and  
under a clean clover and only one year's  
growth, in which the soil can be put in full  
condition for the wheat crop if plowed af-  
ter the clover crop is mown. But even  
then it is only a second rate way of pre-  
paring the soil to grow an important crop  
and if sown too early or too late, and if  
firm—the chance for a crop of wheat by  
plowing it after having will be poor in-  
deed.

In the first place there is not time to  
kill the grass roots by working the land  
before the time of sowing, and as a conse-  
quence, considerable grass will make its  
appearance in the crop the following sea-  
son. The grass roots, not being decayed,  
furnish but little food for the wheat  
plant, and the whole soil is in fact too  
crude a state to promote vigorous growth  
in the wheat. It may be rich enough, but  
the richness is not available.

Wheat needs a soil that has been thor-  
oughly worked, and in which all the plants  
and weeds are killed, and the soil is in a  
fine, whether it comes from barnyard ma-  
nure or sod, is reduced to a condition to be  
available in growing the crop. Hence it  
requires a summer fallow, or it must follow  
some spring crop which has taken the ex-  
cess of out and the fertilizers. The man-  
ures for wheat should be in fine, well de-  
composed, and not such as might be used  
with good results on corn, like fresh barn-  
yard manure. As wheat is the most deli-  
cate grain, so it needs the finest and most  
perfect culture.—Burd Home.

Colic in Horses.

In this disease, prevention is better than  
cure. Colic may be prevented by care in  
feeding. When succulent green fodder is  
used, such as the blades and tops of the  
green corn, colic is common. It is caused  
by the production of gas in the stomach  
and intestines from the fermentation of  
the food, or by permitting the horse to drink  
too freely of cold water when tired and ex-  
hausted by work. Feed sparingly of succu-  
lent food until the animal has become ac-  
customed to its use. Water often, and  
give little at a time and never immediately  
before or after a feed. If the horse has  
been permitted to become very thirsty, give  
no more than a half pailful at a time; let-  
ting fifteen minutes elapse between the  
drinks, until he is satisfied. If not still  
standing all care, he is still troubled with  
colic, give him two ounces sweet spirit of  
nitre and one ounce tincture of aloes. Any  
spasmodic medicine should be carefully ad-  
ministered. If no inflammation be present  
a pint of rum with an ounce of pure gin-  
ger might afford relief.—Ee.

Sowing Wheat after Oats.

This is a very common rotation, but un-  
less care is taken to thoroughly eradicate  
the oats self-sown during the harvest, there  
is great danger of serious injury to the  
wheat. One plowing will not do this; two  
at least are necessary. Three plowings  
are certain, will pay. Part of a  
field that we plowed three times gave us  
at least one third more wheat, and not a  
blade of oats was to be seen; but where two  
plowings only were given on the remain-  
der of the field the oats were thick enough  
to seriously interfere with the wheat.  
Therefore our practice has been to give  
three plowings whenever it was possible,  
even though it deferred the sowing a week  
or ten days later. Wheat will do well  
sown after the 15th of September, but it  
should not go later than the 20th. We  
would much have it in the ground before  
the middle of the month, believing that  
the more roots the plant is able to throw  
out, the better the chance of filling in the  
spring.—Ee.

Two Plowings before Seeding Wheat.

As the grass crop is to us in this section  
more important than the wheat crop, there  
can be no question that a plowing as soon  
as possible after oats is off, and a second  
one immediately preceding wheat sowing,  
is very favorable to the successful germina-  
tion and rooting of the grasses. The soil  
is made mellow and, perished by double  
plowing, it is aerated, more points for ab-  
sorption of atmospheric gases are presented  
—and because, when seeded down to grass  
it is important, that when the opportunity  
offers for thorough plowing and harrow-  
ing, these operations should be fully performed.  
We believe, if a portion of the subsoil,  
which has never yet seen daylight, is also  
brought to the surface, and incorporated  
with the top soil, it will often result in new  
and valuable combinations; and the in-  
creased depth will, so far as it goes, tend  
to prevent damage from drought; which is  
more or less liable to every season.—  
Practical Farmer.

## THE CONTENTED FARMER!

HE BOUGHT HIS FARM OF JOHN S. BRADDOCK.



## CHOICE FARMING LANDS FOR SALE In Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska! FOR CASH OR CREDIT.

NEBRASKA LANDS are situated in Pierce, Wayne and Butler counties, mainly in Pierce  
county, from two to six miles from Pierce, the County seat, situated on the line of the  
Freemont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley Railroad. The soil of the bottom lands is of a rich, al-  
luvial character of great depth, and inexhaustible fertility, producing splendid crops of Wheat,  
Corn, Oats, Barley, &c. The soil of the uplands is similar to that of the bottoms, but is not so  
deep. The climate is agreeable and beautiful, milder than in the same latitude in the eastern States,  
and the atmosphere is dry and pure. Said lands will be sold in

Tracts of 40 to 640 Acres Each,  
AT \$3.00 TO \$10.00 PER ACRE.

Will trade a small portion for City property. For further information call and examine  
maps, &c., or address the undersigned.

Also, a few GOOD FARMS IN THIS COUNTY,  
from 3 to 6 miles from Mt. Vernon, for sale at a bargain.

## I BUY AND SELL LAND WARRANTS.

Select and enter GOVERNMENT LANDS, procure Land Warrants for Sol-  
diers, widows and heirs, for all Warrants, from 1876 to 1895, and collect BOUNTY  
PENSIONS and arrears of pay for the late war.

**J. S. BRADDOCK, Real Estate and Claim Agent.**  
OFFICE—East side of Main street, in room formerly occupied by Gen. George W. Morgan  
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO. June 23.

G. B. MESSENGER. W. D. BROWNING. O. SPERRY.

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STAPLE AND FANCY NOTIONS,

Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c.,

**JOHN CLARK, JR., & CO.'S  
SPOOL COTTON!**

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MERCHANT TAILOR,  
AND DEALER IN  
READY-MADE CLOTHING,**

Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, Trimmings,  
HATS, CAPS TRUNKS,  
AND A COMPLETE LINE OF  
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods!

CUTTING DONE TO ORDER, on short notice and Reasonable Terms.

Ever grateful for the liberal patronage received, I invite all to examine my stock before  
purchasing elsewhere, at my NEW AND ELEGANT ROOM, WOODWARD BLOCK, corner  
of Main and Vine streets, Mount Vernon, Ohio.  
Mt. Vernon, May 2, 1868.

**M. LEOPOLD.**

**AT  
J. Sperry & Co.'s  
BEST ASSORTED STOCK  
SUMMER  
DRY GOODS!**

SPECIAL ATTENTION  
IS CALLED TO OUR  
Black Iron Granadines,  
At 75c, 90c and \$1.00.

**White Victoria Lawn**  
42 inches wide, at 35, 45, 50 and 60 cts.

**French Swisses & Organdies  
BISHOP LAWN,  
TARLETONS, &c.**

**WHITE PIQUES,  
Stripes, Figures & Wells.**

A NEW LOT OF  
DRESS and SUIT LINENS,  
JUST RECEIVED.

Also, a more complete stock than ordinary of  
DOMESTIC  
COTTON GOODS.

Which are to be sold at  
**J. SPERRY & Co.**  
New Store West Side of the Square.  
Mt. Vernon, June 19, 1871.

Attachment Notice.  
Joseph Mahaffy, plaintiff, vs. R. G. Dilline,  
defendant.—Before Wm. Danbar, J. T., Knox  
County, Ohio.

ON the 20th day of June, A. D. 1871, said  
Justice issued an order of attachment in  
the above cause for the sum of Seventy-five  
dollars and twenty cents.

JOSEPH MAHAFFY.  
August 11, 1871—w3

Subscribe and pay for the Banner.

## REMOVAL!

**M. W. WILLIAMS**  
HAS REMOVED HIS STOCK OF

**NOTIONS**  
—AND—  
**FANCY GOODS!**

TO THE CORNER OF  
MAIN AND CHESTNUT STREETS.

Four doors above their old place of business.

HAVING just returned from the East, where  
we have purchased a large and varied  
assortment of goods FOR CASH, we are ena-  
bled to offer them at good inducements.  
Thanking our friends for their liberal pa-  
tronage, we solicit a continuance of the same.  
April 14-47

**M. W. WILLIAMS.**

## NEW GOODS

**THIS DAY RECEIVED!**

Brown and Bleached Muslins,  
Eight to twelve and a half cts. a yard.

Heavy Cassimeres,  
Sixty-five cents per yard.

Kentucky Jeans,  
Twenty-five cents per yard.

Prints, 8, 10, 12, and 16 yds.  
For One Dollar.

Batting, 12 1/2 cents per pound.

Checks, Stripes, Ticks & Denims  
Very Cheap.

Shawls, Hats, Caps and Furs,  
Less than Cost.

Dress Silks, Poplins, Alpaccas,  
Plaids, Merinos, Bombazines,  
At a Price between the War.

**Carpet Yarn.**  
Best four-ply Sea Island Carpet Warp, one  
hundred yards to a pound, twenty-five yards of  
yard wide Carpet, with 220 threads to the yard.

**SWEETLAND & BRYANT.**  
Mt. Vernon, Feb. 10, 1871.

**We Defy Competition**

**HILL & MILLS**  
ARE NOW RECEIVING the largest, best  
and cheapest stock of

**BOOTS AND SHOES**  
Ever offered in this market, which they are of-  
fering at CASH ONLY, at prices far below  
the lowest. Our stock of CUSTOM WORK  
is unsurpassed. This is no humbug, Call, ex-  
amine and compare before purchasing if you  
wish to save money.  
Oct. 14, 1870.

**G. B. GRAY**  
MANUFACTURES ALL KINDS OF  
**FIRE ARMS.**

TO ORDER, on Main Street, opposite Bergin  
House. If you want a fire-arm, call on  
me to order, cheaper than the cheapest; if  
you want one of Gray's or Remington's  
Loaders, call on me to order, cheaper than  
the lowest. Our stock of CUSTOM WORK  
is unsurpassed. This is no humbug, Call, ex-  
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Oct. 14, 1870.

**ISRAEL, DEVIN & ROWE,**  
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,  
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO:

Prompt attention given to all business en-  
trusted to them, and especially to collecting and  
securing claims in any part of the State of Ohio.  
OFFICE—Three doors North of the  
Public Square. Sept. 17-y.

**Z. E. TAYLOR,  
DENTIST.**  
OFFICE—On Main street, first door North of  
King's Hat Store.

**CIRO S. VERDI,  
HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,  
—AND—  
SURGEON.**

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

**ADAMS & HART,  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,  
AND CLAIM AGENTS.**

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

**W. C. COOPER, J. T. PORTER,  
L. H. MITCHELL,  
COOPER, PORTER & MITCHELL,  
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.**

OFFICE—In the Masonic Hall Building,  
Main Street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio. Feb. 17-y.

**Dr. Jacob Stamp,  
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.**

OFFICE—In Wolf's New Building, corner  
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