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Trip to California across the Plains.—Driving Cattle.

We publish the following extracts from a letter received recently from Mr. U. Pelham Degman, a native of this County, because the incidents related are many of them interesting, and his rough sketching will give some idea of the hardships and privations of camp-life and traveling across the plains to the Pacific coast. The letter is dated Hill Rancho, Solano county, California, Jan. 12, 1855.

"We crossed the Missouri River on the 24th of April; and on the 26th hitched up and started—the wagons in the lead, the drove of cattle following behind, while my wife and self in the carriage brought up the rear. We travelled about ten miles and camped. The next morning we moved on. Nothing transpired worthy of note until the night of the 29th, when the Pawnee Indians, on account of the darkness of the night, succeeded in passing the guard, got in among our cattle and stampeded them; they ran off 40 head. As soon as day came, we started in pursuit, and the day following came up to them, about 35 miles from camp. The Indians were herding them in a small valley surrounded by low hills. As soon as they saw us, they fled and left the cattle, of which we were mighty glad, for there were 30 or 40 Indians and only 4 of us. We found here 34 head of the stolen cattle; the other 6 head we never got. We suppose the Indians had run them off to their village and killed them.

The same night that the Indians stole our cattle, they stampeded three other droves not far from us, and they lost about 100 head that they never recovered. Indeed, the owners of one of the droves were so terrified at the appearance of the Indians, that they would not go to look after their cattle at all. You would have laughed heartily enough if you could have seen them. There were several families who had for safety joined to go in company across the plains. They could muster about 60 men, well armed, and they started early in the morning, in pursuit of our cattle, their camp, which was a scene of perfect confusion—the women and children all crying and praying, and saying they had ever started to California; the men loading their guns, and cursing and swearing. I wanted them to join us, assuring them that they could get their cattle back if they could only pick up courage and follow the Indians; but the women protested against going after the "nasty, dirty Indians," and the men swore they would not go, if the Indians had taken every one of their cattle; and they had no doubt we would be murdered if we followed them.

On the morning of the 2d of May, we renewed our journey, and on the 4th reached Platte River. On the 9th, passed Fort Kearney. On the night of the 14th, we had one of the most terrible storms I ever witnessed. Our cattle stampeded, and ran 8 or 10 miles before we could stop them. The wolves caught a two year-old bull during the storm, and killed him; we had him bawl, but before we could get to him they had his entrails torn out. I don't suppose there is any place on the face of the earth, where wolves are so numerous as on Platte River; there are fifty now, to where there was one in 1850.

On the morning of the 19th, we crossed South Platte River; it was low, not being half deep in our horses. On the 27th, we passed Fort Laramie. This fort is about 700 miles from the Missouri River, at the foot of the Rocky Hills, or the commencement of the Rocky Mountains. Soon after passing Fort Laramie, we came in full view of Laramie Peak, a very high mountain, with snow on its summit, even in the month of June. We traveled in sight of this mountain peak several days, and each day saw a storm upon its summit.

We have now traveled up Platte River near 600 miles, and will have to continue along for most of the time 180 miles further. It is very tiresome traveling up this river, as there is no diversity of scenery. The valley is generally wide, and mostly sterile. It is coated in many places with an alkaline incrustation, and where this is the case, no vegetation can exist, except a short stubby kind of salt grass, that is not large enough to feed cattle. The country is almost entirely destitute of timber, and we are therefore compelled to use buffalo chips for fire, and cooking purposes, most of the time. The hills or bluffs on either side of the river are low and mostly sand, and the country back of them is a vast plain as far as the eye can reach, without a bush or tree upon it to obstruct the sight.—This plain is covered with a short grass called Buffalo grass, which is very nutritious. The Platte River is a wide, shallow stream, very rapid and very muddy. It is, in some places, one and a half miles wide, perhaps more; and can be forded in many places, at low water, on horse back the only danger in fording it arising from the quick sands.

After leaving Fort Laramie we travelled sometimes in short mountains and sometimes down on the North Platte River, until the 21 day of June, when we crossed that stream, and building a float adieu to all the Platte, struck out across the mountains for Sweet Water River, which place we reached on the 5th.—This is a beautiful little river, up which we travelled upwards of 100 miles. The light of the mountains on either side were covered with snow; we had heavy frosts nearly every night. The country, all the way up this river, is very sterile, affording very little grass; the mountains are entirely barren, and the valleys produce scarcely anything but wild sage and prickly pear.

Where we first struck Sweet Water River, stands Independence Rock, a large rock, or rather a small mountain of solid rock, isolated for 3 miles from any other mountain. It stands in the valley, with one side of it washed by the river, covers probably four or five acres of ground, and is about 200 feet high.

Four miles above this rock is what is called the Devil's Gate, a deep chasm in a solid rock, and through which pours the whole of the river. It is about 20 feet wide, and the water rushes through it like a mill tail; it is quite a curiosity. The earth around here has evidently been shaken by volcanic eruptions.

On the evening of the 10th of June we camp'd for the last time on Sweet Water, along side of a snow bank, and within 4 miles of the South Pass, or the Pacific Springs. Our cattle had little or nothing to eat. The next morning we crossed over and through the South Pass. This pass, as it is called, has not the appearance of a gap or swag in the mountain, as some suppose. It has more the appearance of an extended plain, than anything else, although it is the summit of the Rocky Mountains. From the Pacific Springs to Green River, is about 75 miles, the road almost on a level. I call it summit all the way to Green River mountain. While crossing the plain or summit, we can see the mountain peaks away to the north and south of us, rearing up to a great height, their summits capped with the snows perhaps of a thousand winters.

We reached Green River on the 14th, and swam our cattle across it the next day. This is quite a large river, very cold and very rapid. It heads high up in the Rocky mountains, and empties its waters into the Gulf of California, being the same there as Colorado.

On the 16th we struck out across the mountains for Bear River, about 65 miles distant, where we found a very rough and unsightly country. On the 19th we reached the top of Bear River mountain, in a snow storm. It was very cold for the time of year. That evening we camped down in Bear River valley—the only place fit for cultivation, or farming land, on our whole route through the Rocky mountains. Its meadows can't be surpassed.—Wheat, oats and corn would grow there to perfection. We have done more in Bear river than Spseth's cut-off, we took the latter.

We were now traveling over mountains, up canions, and down canions, all of the way, or nearly so, until the 8th day of July, when we reached the Humboldt River. This river of all others in the world is the most lonthesome. We were compelled to travel down it for about 360 miles, where it sinks and loses its sinking waters in the sand. I had first-rate luck with my stock until I got on to the Humboldt, not having lost 1 per cent; but we had not been on this river many days, until my loss amounted to ten per cent, and by the time I left it my loss was fifteen per cent; still it was small compared with others that came on behind me, for some lost one-half of their cattle, others three-fourths, and others even more than that. The water, grass and everything else on this river seem to be rank poison to cattle, horses and mules.

We got to the sink of Humboldt on the 23d day of July, and made preparations that evening for crossing the Desert. The next morning the 24th, we rolled out early on to the Desert; traveled all that day and night, only stopping long enough to eat dinner and supper, and reached Truckee River on the morning of the 25th about 10 o'clock. I lost 4 head of cattle on the Desert, that gave out, and four more after I got to the river. I think they died from the effect of drinking too much water. We rested a day, and then rolled on over and through the Trucky River Mountains, (bad roads all the time) until the 31st day of July when we came down on the summit of the Sierra Nevada Mountains into Beckwith Valley—being 93 days on the road from Missouri River to this place. This is a beautiful valley, and has the finest grass I ever saw. I left 20 head of my cattle here for three weeks, to recruit them. At the expiration of that time we started on for home, having then about 260 miles to come, and 100 of it we had a road we never travelled. We reached home 12th day of September, tired enough, but all in good health.

We found times very hard in California, harder than any man living ever saw in this country. Cows, and 3 and 4 year old steers, that came across the plains last summer, were worth about $50 per head, but there are very few selling. Fat cattle are worth from 12 to 14 cents per pound on foot.

Next summer, I hope they will get a little higher, for then I intend to sell, wind up my business, and return to Kentucky, to spend the balance of my days. I have about 300 head on hands that will be ready for market in the spring. I will have, by the 1st of May, 60 or 70 young calves.

HEMP SEED.

THE Mason County Agent is expected for the importation of *fresh* and *reliable* Hemp Seed, have the pleasure of announcing the purchase in Europe of a limited amount of very fine Seed. They are expected to arrive in New Orleans by the 10th of February. Orders will be received by M. Ryan, Maysville, Ky., who will furnish samples on application, in person or by mail. Persons in Missouri in want of Seeds, can (by giving notice prior to their arrival) have the New Orleans Hemp Seed delivered in St. Louis, and Hemp growers in the interior of Kentucky, at Louisville. Our Seed will not be offered at any price, but sold. For particulars and price address M. Ryan, our Agent at Maysville.

Also, a few dozen of the imported mammoth PUMPKIN SEED, at $1 per quart.

January 16, 1855

BLUE LICK WATER.

WE shall be, during the present season, regularly supplied with fresh Blue Lick Water, and are now enabled to sell upon very accommodating terms to those who wish to buy by the barrel or larger quantity. Families also supplied by the gallon, if sent to our Warehouse.

JANUARY & RICHESON.

Maysville, March 6, '55 Sole Agents.

TOBACCO ON STORAGE.

WE have Storage and Shipping facilities for doing a very large business and upon accommodating terms. JANUARY & RICHESON.

March 6, '55

Professional Card.

THO. E. STEVENSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL practice in the Courts of Mason and adjacent Counties and also in the Court of Appeals. Office on Second street, in the "Express" buildings

Maysville, August 18, 1854

JOHN N. JEFFERSON,
Attorney & Counsellor at Law,
MAYSVILLE, KY.,

STILL continues to devote his entire attention to the profession, in the Superior and Inferior courts of Mason and circumjacent counties, and Court of Appeals. Special attention given to collections.

Feb 19, 1854

S. S. STATON. S. S. MARSHALL.

STATON & MARSHALL,
Attorneys at Law.

THE undersigned will practice Law in the Courts of Mason and adjoining circuits, and in the Court of Appeals.

Until the return of Mr. Staton, in March next, the business will be attended to by Mr. Marshall.

Office Third, Second, and other claims of a public character, will receive special attention.

Refer to Hon. Geo. S. Shackelford, Hon. Geo. W. Ewing, Maysville, Ky.

Oct. 24, 1854. S. S. STATON.
S. S. MARSHALL.

W. H. WADSWORTH,
Attorney at Law, Maysville, Ky.

WILL practice in the Courts of Mason, Lewis, Greenup, &c., and in the Court of Appeals. Will give his attention to the leasing, purchasing and sale of real estate.

Office on Court street, West side, three doors below the Court House.

October 11, '54

RICHARD H. COLLINS,
Attorney at Law, Maysville, Ky.

WILL attend to business in Mason and the adjoining counties.

☞Office on Front Street, three doors above the Post Office.

Maysville, June 4, 1853

ELIJAH C. PHISTER,
Attorney at Law, Maysville, Ky.

☞Office on Second street, over the store of N. Cooper & Co.

January 1, 1854

VICTORY OR DEATH.

I AM always buying Land Warrants—paying the highest market price in cash. I also attend to getting Position and Warrants, on the shortest notice, for all those entitled thereto under all the various acts of Congress. No charge unless successful. JNO. N. JEFFERSON,

Attorney at Law, Maysville, Ky.

March 8, 1855—1y

J. W. PATTERSON,
Attorney at Law and Real Estate Agent,
MAYSVILLE, KY.

ALL kinds of Real Estate bought and sold on Commission, Land Warrants located, Taxes paid, &c. &c.

September 8, '53

GEORGE M. THOMAS,
Attorney at Law,
CLARKSBURG, LEWIS COUNTY, KENTUCKY.

WILL Practice Law in the Courts of Lewis, Carter, Greenup and adjoining counties.

REFERENCES:

Hon L. W. Andrews, Flemingsburg, Ky.
" " Lin. Rice, do do
" Jas. W. Moore, Mt. Sterling do
Harrison Taylor, Esq., Maysville do
Wm. D. Pollard, Esq., Clarksburg do
Joseph M. Robb, Esq., do do
Wm. H. Wadsworth, Esq., Maysville, do
Francis T. Hord, Esq., do do

September 1, 1853-tf

JOHN R. CLARK,
Attorney at Law, Maysville, Kentucky,

WILL Practice in the Courts of Mason and adjoining Counties, and also in the Court of Appeals.

Office on Court street, the same heretofore occupied by Reed & Clark.

February 10, '55—tf

CONWELL & COLLINS,
Attorneys at Law, Maysville, Ky.

THE undersigned have formed a partnership in the practice of the Law in Mason and adjoining Counties. Any business entrusted to them will be promptly attended to.

Office on Court street, west side, in the room heretofore occupied by Judge Collins

W. W. P. CONWELL,
July 11, 1854 LEWIS COLLINS.

Dr. S. S. CARTHILL,

HAS removed from Maysville to Washington, and will be found at his Office or Residence, unless absent on professional calls in the country. Office and residence the same recently occupied by Dr. Egan.

Washington, Sept 15, 1853

DR. SHACKLEFORD,

CONTINUES the Practice of his profession in Maysville and vicinity. Office on Third, between Market and Sutton Street.

Maysville, Feb 26, 1853

DR. A. D. OLIVER,
Office Corner of Sutton & Bridge Sts.

HAS removed his Office to Sutton street, opposite the Lee House, where he may be found at all hours when not professionally absent.

☞Dr. O. will publish in a few days some certificates of remarkable cures effected by him, among them several cases of the blind restored to sight.

Maysville, Dec. 15, 1853

M. BRATT,

RESIDENT DENTIST,

Office on Sutton Street, nearly opposite the Bank, Maysville, Ky.

Dec. 16, '54

KEMPER,
RESIDENT DENTIST,
Office, Bank Buildings, Sutton Street, Maysville,
Maysville, Feb 25, 1852

PIANO FORTES!

GREAT ATTRACTION!

I Have still on hand a full Stock of Superior Pianos, from the best Manufactures to which I would call the attention of buyers. I invite special attention at this time to the fact that I am offering to sell for CASH or approved Paper, at very REDUCED PRICES. The scarcity of Money is such that I am determined to sell at much reduced prices rather than carry a stock that needful article. Those who call early may rely upon getting bargains.

G. W. BLATTERMAN.

Nov. 11, 1854. Second Street.

COMMISSION BUSINESS.

The undersigned will succeed Hall & Shultz, and continue the General Commission and Forwarding business, under the firm of Dudley Hall & Co.

They will confine them-elves strictly to a Commission Business, and from their experience hope to give general satisfaction to all who may consign to them.

DUDLEY HALL,
A. MITCHELL HALL

Cincinnati, Jan. 22, 1855.

TOBACCO.

60 Boxes No. Ky. and Va. Tobacco, of different grades, for sale by

Jan 8 S. B. POYNTZ.

Business Cards.

A. G. SALLEY. W. H. MACKEY.

MACKEY & WOOD,
DEALERS IN
Drugs and Medicines, Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Brushes, Fancy Articles and Perfumery,
Second street, Maysville, Ky.

LEE HOUSE,
(Late Mrs. Goddard's Hotel,)
Corner of Second and Sutton Street,
MAYSVILLE, KY.

THE undersigned having recently become the proprietor of this popular and well known Hotel, would respectfully announce to the public that the establishment is still kept up in the old style, and pleasant accommodations upon moderate terms can be secured at the House by the

MILTON CULBERTSON.

Feb 26, '54

CARRIAGE MAKING, CHAIRS & TABLES.

FRENCH & PETERSTON,
Wholesale and retail dealers in
CHAIRS, TABLES, MATTRESSES, &c.
Next door to Pearce, Tally & Co's, Market street,
MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY

ARE now receiving and opening a various and extensive assortment of *CHINA, QUEENS and GLASS WARE*, comprising a variety of styles, some of which are entirely new and very desirable. Their stock has been purchased entirely for cash from the agents of European manufacturers, resident in the Eastern cities; which fact, coupled with ten years' experience in the trade, of one of the partners, will enable them, as they confidently believe, to offer such advantages to buyers as have not heretofore been offered in this market. As an evidence of their sincerity in this belief, they now pledge themselves to duplicate any regular Cincinnati bill (wholesale or retail) without the addition of carriage; or any Philadelphia bill purchased within the last year, with the addition of actual expense of transportation, with the current rate of exchange added.

They invite the attention of country merchants, as well as of families, to their stock, and pledge themselves not to be undersold west of the mountains. They will warrant their goods and the packing, and hope, by strict attention to business, to receive their share of public patronage.

Feb. 28, '54

MAYSVILLE AND CINCINNATI
PACKET LINE.

THE splendid fast running new steamer DEL. BOONE, Capt. W. MOLES, Master, will leave Maysville *every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday*, at 10 o'clock, A. M. Leaving Cincinnati on alternate days at 11 o'clock, A. M.

The Dan'l Boone has been built expressly for this trade, and no expense have been spared to fit up a *first class Packet*, with an eye to speed, safety and comfort, all the requirements of the new law being complied with. All we ask of the traveling public is to give this new and splendid boat a trial.

The fine Steamer KENTON, R. COOPER, Master, has been repaired and repaired, and will leave Maysville every *Monday, Wednesday and Friday*, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and Cincinnati on alternate days, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

By this line of Packets the traveling public and shippers may rely upon every thing being done for their accommodation and comfort, and it is confidently hoped the public will appreciate and encourage this *splendid old line of Park-ts.*

December 2, 1854

CINCINNATI & PORTSMOUTH PACKET.

SCIOTO RIVER.

KEPNER, Master, United States Mail Packet; carrying Mails three times a week between Portsmouth and Cincinnati. Leaving Cincinnati every *Monday, Wednesday and Friday*, at 12, M. Arriving at Cincinnati the night of the same day, at same time.

Leaving Portsmouth every *Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday*, at 12, M. Arriving at Portsmouth at 5, A. M., in time for Coach, leaving same morning for Piketown, Waverly, Chillicothe, Circleville and Columbus.

☞Stopping at all the intermediate Ports.

Prompt attendance to all business entrusted to our care. October 21, 1854.

Cincinnati, Maysville and Portsmouth
REGULAR PACKET.

The entirely new & splendid swift running steamer,

BOSTONA:

CAPT. WILLIAM McCLAIN,

Will leave Cincinnati *Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays*, at 11 o'clock, A. M., precisely. Will leave Portsmouth *Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays*, at the same hour, touching at all way points.

The BOSTONA was built expressly for this trade and the people may rely upon the fact that she will remain in it. Nothing shall be wanting, nor have been spared to fit up a first class Packet, with an eye to speed, safety and comfort; all the requirements of the new law being complied with and it is confidently hoped that the public will appreciate and encourage the enterprise.

☞The accommodation of this Boat, at all seasons of the year, will have a best in the trade, so that no inconvenience will hereafter be given to travellers.

October 21, 1854

THOMAS DOUGLASS,
5 PLATT STREET, N. Y.,
Importer and Dealer in every description of
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
HARDWARE,
Heavy English Goods by the Package.

SOLE AGENT FOR
BEE'S BRACES, TURNSCREWS, &c.
MANUFACTURER
Of the Premium Steel Squares, Premium Augers and Bits, Axes, Socket and Firmer Chisels, Patent Hollow Augers, &c.

AGENT for BURLINGTON WAGON AXLES.

DAVEY, KINGSLAND & Co., Manufacturers, Burlington, Vermont.

New York, Sept. 20, '54 W H McD June 17—1y

JUST RECEIVED,

1000 Lbs. Prime Dutch Madder;
400 lbs. Spanish Float Indigo;
3 Bbls. Alum;
" Copperas;
15 Casks New Castle Soda;
8 " Refined Salt Peter;
100 Mats Cassia;
200 Lbs Cloves;
1 Bbl. Nutmegs No. 1;
100 Kegs Pearl Starch, Pittsburgh;
1000 Lbs Red Lead;
3 Bbls Venitian Red;
2 " Chrome Yellow;
100 Lbs Prussian Blue.

We invite Country Merchants to examine our Stock.

MACKEY & WOOD.

Maysville Jan 13, '55

TRUSSES & SHOULDER BRACES.

THE only Prize Medal for Trusses was awarded to *Marsh & Co.* at the Fair of the Crystal Palace, for their *radical cure* Truss. This Truss is considered by the most eminent Surgical and Medical Professors, throughout the world, the most correct principles for effecting radical cures, of any in use.

MARSH & CO.'S SHOULDER BRACE, an improved article for expanding the Chest and preserving symmetry of form, adapted to fit men, women, and children. They are light, perfectly elastic, and beautifully finished the object designed.

MARSH & CO.'S ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, which are worn with great comfort, having no steel springs, yet are perfectly elastic. They are neat, light and well adapted to all cases where support to the abdomen is required.

A full supply of the above instruments have just been received and for sale by

Dec. 13, '54 SEATON & CO.

Business Cards.

CARRIAGE DEPOT.

J. A. BERRYMAN, J. A. ROBINSON,
Sterbotter & Robinson,
Second street, above Market, Maysville, Kentucky.

HAVING the largest and most complete shop west of the mountains, a full stock of the finest and most improved patterns and styles of Carriages and Trimmings; a corps of the very best workmen, Blacksmiths, Trimmers and painters, we are better prepared than any establishment we know, to do all sorts of Carriage work, and pledge ourselves to make as good, neat, handsome and durable work as any other, East or West.

Our stock of Carriages, Buggies, Rockaways, Wagons, Landaus, Coaches, &c., is full and complete. We invite all wishing work to give us a call. Jan 1, '54—tf

LUMBER DEPOT!

CHARLES PHISTER,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Third street, near the Court House, Maysville, Ky.

KEEPS always on hand

WHITE PINE LUMBER,

BLINDS, DOORS & SASH,
SHINGLES,
WEATHERBOARDING,
JOISTS,
SCANTLING,
LOCUST POSTS, &c. &c.

☞Orders promptly received and promptly attended to. CHARLES PHISTER.

Maysville, June 2, '54

JOHN C. REED,

STOVES, GRATES & CASTINGS,

MANUFACTURER OF
Tin, Copper, and Sheet Iron Ware,
No. 17 Market Street, Maysville, Ky.

HAVE on hand a good supply of Wood and Coal Cooking Stoves, &c., consisting of the following, viz:

Tin and Copper Ware		
Buckeye State Cook Stove	3 sizes	
Crescent "	" 3	"
Kentucky "	" 3	"
Eclipse "	" 3	"
Star of West "	" 3	"
Eliza "	" 3	"
Franklin Stoves,	4	"
Coal Heating Stoves,	4	"
Air-tight Parlor "	3	"
Cottage Parlor "	2	"
8 plate Hall "	3	"
7 " "	3	"
Enameled Grates	3	"
Common do	4	"
Sad Irons,		
Store Pipe, all sizes;		
Coal Buckets and Ash Pans;		

Plain Kettles; Sheet Iron; Fire Brick; Fire Clay, Stone-Ware, &c. &c.

All of which I offer for sale as low in price and on terms as accommodating as they can be purchased in this City. All kinds of approved Barter received in exchange for the above. Also, Tin and other Metallic Roofing done at the shortest notice, and in good workmanship manner.

As usual all kinds of Job Work done in my line of business. JOHN C. REED.

Sept 28th, 1854

GENERAL AGENCY & INTELLIGENCE OFFICE, Covington, Ky.

THE undersigned would inform the citizens of Covington and the public generally, that he will continue the office (formerly Moore & Porter) in Madison street, above Fifth, for the transaction of a general Agency and Intelligence business. A number of excellent City Lots, that must improve rapidly in value, for sale.

☞All business confided to his care will be attended to with promptness and on fair terms.

April 22—tf JAMES C PORTER.

HATS! HATS!! HATS!!!

I Am now prepaled to furnish my customers with HATS of the latest Genuine STYLE for 1854. Those wishing to purchase can get good article in my Store as they can find in Cincinnati or any of the Eastern Cities for the same price.

JAMES WORMALD,
Second Street, near Market.

Maysville, Feb. 28, 1854.

LOCUST POSTS AND SHINGLES.

700 Locusts Posts, and a sufficient number of Shingles for sale by M. A. HUTCHINS.

Sept. 7, '54

103 NEW PIANOS
For Christmas and New Years' Presents.

WE offer for sale from now until Feb. 1st, '55, the above number of new Rosewood Pianos at lower prices than have ever before been known in the United States, East or West, as follows:

3 Extra carved Louis 14th. carved tops, &c., manufacturer's price in Boston, $600; for sale, each $490

5 Full carved Louis 14th, 7 octaves, Boston price $550, for sale, each at 450

3 Carved Louis 14th style, 7 octaves, Boston price $500; for sale, each at 410

7 Louis 14th style 6½ and 7 octave, N. York price $400 to $500; for sale, from $350 to 410

30 Full centre Pianos, some extra ham 3some with carved cases, &c., usual prices $350 to $450 at 275 to 375

88 Of various styles, from 6 to 7 octaves, usual prices $325 to 375; for sale at $190, $195, $200, $240, $250, &c. &c.

A full written Warranty given with each instrument.

TERMS CASH

Never before has there been such an opportunity of purchasing Pianos either as regards price or variety. Our present stock being fully twice as large as any other in the Western Country, our PRICES ARE WELL KNOWN TO BE FROM THE FIRST MAKERS OF THE UNION.

Our friends in Cincinnati will understand the reason of this extraordinary reduction in price. Those living at a distance are informed that the extremely stringent state of the money market is the cause of our thus offering first class instruments at these rates. SMITH & NIXON,

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WILL cure Rheumatism;
Speedy relief for Burns;
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Have a splendid stock of Eight-day and Thirty-hour Clocks, from $1.50 to $12, warranted to keep time. Made by the makers Jerome & Thomas. Call and see them.

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January 20, '55

TIME TIME!

ROBERT F. ADAIR has just received his fine *Regulator*, which enables him to furnish all with the correct time.

Watches carefully repaired and regulated to the true time.

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March 8, '53

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POCKET DIARIES for 1855, fresh supply just received. ALSO,

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FIRST Lot of the Season, just received and for sale low, by COONS & MATTHEWS,

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200 Hhds new crop Sugar, of superior quality, just received per steamers Pike, Midas, Mediator and Golden Gate.

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50 Good LARD KEGS for sale by

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TO THE CITIZENS OF MAYSVILLE.
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Prudential Cures for all Private Diseases.

Paternacher's Electric Medicines were first used in France where they were introduced by the celebrated Dr. Paternacher, and after being submitted to the most searched Parliamentary Committee, were pronounced the most invaluable discovery of the present Medical Science. Since then they have been introduced in Germany, Austria, Prussia and Russia, and are now sent, introduced and patented by the United States Government.

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Rheumatism,	St. Vitus' Dance,
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Every Disease, called Nervous,

Quickly and rapidly cured, by simply wearing it CHEAP for a few hours each day.

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MAYSVILLE:

Thursday Afternoon, March 22, 1855.

☞See First Page.

Whig Meeting.

We are requested to state that the meeting of Whigs of Mason County called for next Saturday, will be held at the Court House at 2½ o'clock in the afternoon.

It is hoped the attendance will be large and punctual.

The Democratic State Convention.

We have already published the names of the various candidates for state officer recently nominated by the Democratic Convention. We published in our last some additional accounts of the doings of that Convention. With respect to the personal qualifications of the nominees, we are not prepared to speak, as they are, the most of them, gentlemen hitherto unknown to fame. In fact the high and important offices of state, so far as these are within the gift of the Democratic party, appear to have "gone a-begging" in this convention; and the question seems to have been, not who should have, but who would take, the nominations—a somewhat significant fact. Another circumstance which has struck us in the published accounts of this Convention, is the fact that the various delegations representing the several counties in the State were unusually slim—the attendance rather resembling, in its numbers and enthusiasm, a country prayer meeting, than the grand rally of a great political party. There is manifestly, we think, in the whole proceedings, a decided falling off in that zeal and enthusiasm, which has in former years enabled the party to triumph in defiance of its numerical inferiority and the unpopularity of its principles. The terrible phantom of "Know Nothingism" would seem to have paralysed the party, hitherto celebrated for its enthusiasm, energy and activity.

The resolutions adopted by the Convention, and published as a manifesto of the principles of the party, are distinguished principally by the vague generality of their propositions—containing nothing which is tangible, or which clearly commits the party to any issue. There is a great deal, as usual, about democratic expansion, the extension of the area of human freedom, the rights of man, &c., &c., but there is no precise or definite announcement of measures or assertion of principles. The expose of principles contained in this manifesto of the Democratic party of Kentucky, is, in politics, what "the whole Duty of Man" is in morals, famous in generalities, but marked by a total want of individuality and applicability to the practical exigencies of the times. It reads more like stealings from some old Fourth of July oration, than a political "platform."

The only well developed and full formed idea which seems to have animated this Convention, was dread and abhorrence of the "Know Nothings." This is a phantom which appears to have haunted the Convention like a ghost, in all its walks. The first thing done was the body organized was the presentation of some resolutions denunciatory of that terrible and mysterious order. This was done even before the election of officers, and the resolutions were subsequently adopted with unanimous enthusiasm. In nearly all the resolutions subsequently reported by the "Committee," reference, anything but complimentary, was made to the same absorbing topic. Denunciation of the "Know Nothings" begun and ended almost every statement of political principles and sentiment advanced. The fear of the order appeared to hang over them like a night-mare, and we are only surprised that the Convention did not adjourn with three groans for the "Know Nothings.

The letter of our neighbor, Dr. MARSHALL, which we copy in another column from the *Commonwealth*, gives an interesting insight into, or rather indication of, the state of feeling that animated and divided the Convention—the unwritten and unpublished portion of its action and doings, which only those who saw and heard can realize and appreciate.

Prepay your Postage.

The new postage law which takes effect on the 1st of April, provides that letter postage *must be pre-paid*. The public should bear this act in mind, as all letters on which the postage is not pre-paid will not be forwarded.

Dr. Parsons' Lecture.

It will be seen from the notice in another column that Rev. Dr. Parsons has set the 11th of April as the evening for the delivery of his popular lecture, heretofore announced—in the Court House—the proceeds to pay off the debt of the M. E. Church South, incurred in the repairs made necessary by the great Gunpowder explosion. Continued activity and perseverance on the part of those interested, can hardly fail to be entirely successful. We most heartily commend the enterprise to the liberality of the friends of the Church. The price of the tickets is $1.

The River.

The River commenced falling on yesterday—having reached a greater height than at any time within a year.

☞We take pleasure in commending, to those who desire a Commission Merchant in Cincinnati, our old friend, WM M SHAW, as a prompt and excellent business man, and a clever gentleman. See his card in another column.

☞The Cincinnati *Gazette* says that the Know-Nothing party of that city has made the following nominations: Mayor, James D. Taylor; Marshal, J. M. Huston; Police Judge, J J. Dennis; Prosecuting Attorney, Thos. A. Logan; Civil Engineer, R. C. Phillips; City Fire Engineer, H. R. Leonard.

Declined.

Maj. JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE, the eloquent and talented Representative in Congress from the Lexington District, positively declines being a candidate for re-election.

BISHOP HUGHES is said, by a writer in the New York *Herald*, to have property in his hands belonging to the Roman Catholic Church amounting to $25,000,000.

Maysville and Lexington Railroad Company.

We understand that, on yesterday, HENRY WALKER, Esq., resigned the Presidency of this Company, and that MATTH P. MARSHALL, Esq., was elected as his successor.

It is understood on the street—and we hope the report is correct—that Mr Marshall will shortly visit New York, with a view to a personal conference with the Mortgage Bondholders, and to close, if practicable, some arrangement for the completion of the Road. Mr. M. is an able, energetic, sound and prudent man, and has the confidence and best wishes of this entire community, in the arduous position he has accepted. We know his views of this great enterprise in its present prostrate condition, and what is policy and duty under the circumstances. We most heartily approve them, and so far as we have heard an expression of opinion, the soundest men among us cordially agree with him, and will be highly gratified if his mission can accomplish his purpose as developed.

☞We call attention to the advertisement of JOHN SHILLITO & CO.: It is one of the oldest and best houses in Cincinnati.

HENRY D. BIRD for many years the energetic President of the Petersburg and Roanoke Railroad Company, has been arrested on the charge of having embezzled some twenty-five thousand dollars of the Company's funds.

The Utah Indians are doing a large business in the horse-stealing line this winter. They say they intend to steal and kill every thing they can during the winter, and give the whites a big fight in the spring.

The well informed Washington correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun*, says that in diplomatic circles in that city, no doubt is expressed of the death of the Emperor of Russia, and a feeling prevails that it will lead to peace.

The committee of the Massachusetts Legislature to which was referred the subject of Judge Loring's removal from office, have decided. The majority are for removal, the minority against it.

Some days ago we published a proposition submitted by the Central Ohio Railroad Company to the corporate authorities of Wheeling, in which the company, in conjunction with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, proposes to erect a bridge across the Ohio opposite Wheeling, and extend the road to Wheeling, on certain conditions. We gather from the proceedings of the directory of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company that it refuses to give its sanction to the proposition.

We understand, says the N. Y. Evening Post, that Putnam has sold his Magazine for $12,000.

The New Orleans correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, writing under date of the 8th, says that the Cuba invasion is again agitated there.

Hon. John M. Botts has written to the Richmond Whig that he is not now, nor never has been, a candidate for the nomination of Governor of Virginia. He says he is sick of political life, and shall never seek to fill another public station.

RESULTS OF THE "REPRODUCITY."—The Rochester Union notices that a number of Rochester millers and wheat buyers are in Toronto operating. The Globe says that $1.64 was paid for wheat on Saturday, the highest figure yet.

MACON B. ALLEN, a colored man, was on motion of B. P. Hallet, Esq., U S. District Attorney for Massachusetts, admitted on Tuesday last to practice as Counsellor and Attorney in the Circuit Court of the United States.

Navigation has fairly opened in Lake Michigan, and vessels are making regular trips between Chicago and Milwaukee. The ice about the Mackinaw Straits will probably prevent an entrance to Lake Huron, until the 1st of May.

The Richmond (Va.) *Enquirer*, speaking of the Know Nothings, says "every Democrat should burn with a vindictive desire to dip his dagger in the blood of the assassin that conspires not only the destruction of the party, but the overthrow of the country."

FIRES IN THE WOODS.—The Charleston *Courier* gives additional details of the destruction caused by the fires in the woods in South Carolina and Georgia. Many houses, mills, and a great deal of other property, had been destroyed, together with several railroad trains laden with cotton. Whole plantations, with all the buildings on them, had been swept away. The turpentine distilleries also suffered. Near Cheraw, 300,000 turpentine boxes were burnt.

A MASONIC DIVISION HEALED.—The Masonic fraternity of Louisiana, who have for a series of years been divided and distracted, have lately, through the efforts of Dr. Mackey, of South Carolina, agreed upon a thorough and perfect union.

WHEAT CROP IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS.—The *Alton Courier* states that there are at least twenty per cent. more acres now in wheat in Central Illinois than in any previous year. The winter has been exceedingly favorable, and if we should be favored with our ordinary spring, Illinois will have a amount of wealth in that single crop which it would be difficult to estimate.

INDIANA LIQUOR CASES.—The son of a man named Johnson has recovered $500 damages in the Vigo circuit court, against one Smith, for having sold his father liquor, with which he became intoxicated, fell into the canal, and was drowned. Mrs. Julia A. Walker has likewise recovered $500 from Jam s Dilton, of Wabash county, for selling her husband liquor, causing his intoxication and death. Both cases are appealed to the supreme court.

MILITARY AND POLITICAL MEMOIRS.—The whole country, will be gratified to learn that Gen. JESUP, of the United States army, is preparing for publication—"Memoirs of 45 years in the Army," in which will be given numerous letters, military and political, relating to the organization of the army, the defences of the country, plans of campaigns, military administrations, the Texas and Oregon questions, &c.

ABOLITION PUSILLANIMITY.

Won't Take their Liberty.

The Negroes Remember.

The Negroes, Emanuel and Alfred, (claimed by BALDWIN HARE, as his slaves) who were brought before Judge Stover, on Habeas Corpus, recently, were this morning brought into Court, and being interrogated as to their preference of freedom or slavery, at once, unhesitatingly declared their wish to go with their master to Missouri.

Judge Stover then told them to do so, and they were soon across the river on Kentucky soil. This preference of the negroes, astonishing to the abolitionists and colored population generally, since a purse of fifty dollars was subscribed to start the negroes, if they should remain, and constant work at good wages, was promised them. The negroes expressed themselves delighted at getting off, and particularly so when told that some ten or a dozen other slaves of their acquaintance from Mason county, were to be taken along with them.—*Cincinnati Columbian.*

KANSAS CENSUS.—The Lawrence *Free State* gives the following as the full and correct returns of the Kansas census: 1st District 365 voters; 2d, 199; 3d, 93; 4th, 47; 5th and 6th, 797; 7th and 8th, 150; 9th, 36; 10th, 105; 11th, 94; 12th, 106; 13th, 101; 14th, 30; 15th, 311; 16th, 355; 17th, 50—aggregate, 3,036. Ratio for Council, 2,281.

It is proposed to convert the Crystal Palace of New York into a market-place, it being offered for $200,000 for that purpose, and subscription papers are being circulated to raise the necessary funds.

We notice that 300 sons and daughters of New England left Boston for Kansas, in one body on the 13th inst.

A delegation of Chippewa Chiefs, who have recently been in Washington, have negotiated a treaty with the United States Government for the sale of a body of land near the head waters of the Mississippi. The treaty which they have completed with the Government cedes about 12,000,000 acres to the United States, for which they are to be paid $1,310,000, in thirty annual instalments.

From the Frankfort Commonwealth.

Democratic Repudiation of the Resolutions of the Democratic State Convention—Letter from Dr. L. G. Marshall.

We have received from Dr SAMUEL L MARSHALL, editor of the *Maysville Express*—one of the ablest Democratic organs in the State—the following letter, and cheerfully comply with his request to publish it. It explains itself, and needs neither clavis nor glossary to make it understood.

MAYSVILLE, KY., March 16th, 1854.

To the Editor of the Commonwealth.

SIR: Understanding that the vote of the State Convention upon the resolutions adopted by that body will be given in the world as unanimous, I desire to assure the public, through your columns, that one vote is registered against them.

To be brief and intelligible, I will say that I regard the whole as a bag of fustian, and I humbly assure the people of the State of Kentucky that they were not sanctioned by one third or least of the delegates of the convention. They denounce the Know Nothings for their selection of Professors in the North, and yet applaud the Administration which has appointed 500 Professors and Abolitionists to office in the State of New York alone. Inasmuch as Secretary Guthrie's name has received especial mention, I presume, it is to—Are the people of the State of Kentucky ready to endorse his Bronson letter, and aid in crushing out the national men of the North, and elevating the enemies of the South? Are they ready and willing to sanction the interposition of the Administration with all its patronage and power in local affairs of the States, with a view to counteract their elections, as was done in New York by Guthrie, in Massachusetts by Cushing, and in Mississippi by Davis? Are they willing now to falsely their record, by sustaining Mr. Guthrie with all his protective notions, after having so emphatically arrayed themselves in the opposition, while the same proposition was advocated by the Whigs?

I shall, sir, with great pleasure sustain the nominees of this convention. I am, at all times and under, all circumstances, for the principles of my party. But I do insist that the time has now come when the Democracy shall shake off the incubus of Pierce, Guthrie & Co. and dare to think and act for themselves.

Yours, &c.

SAMUEL L. MARSHALL.

We have known for some time that elements of dissatisfaction and disgust with the miserable administration at Washington, perpetrated a large portion of the Democratic party of this State. This letter is one of the many recent indications that those elements have now acquired a power and concentration which, forbids any further ignoring of their existence. The members of the party who have become utterly sickened with the proceedings of the President and his Cabinet, are numerous, talented, and generally full of energy. They are determined to be heard and respected. They were numerous in the convention that has just adjourned—there being so, we are informed upon the most reliable authority, no less than *ninety-odd* delegates whose sentiments were substantially the same that Dr. Marshall has expressed in the above letter. They had not quite the numerical force to control the body, and did not show themselves fully in any public vote, but they were heard and felt in the committee rooms; they were feared everywhere; and they are now the subject of fearful apprehensions for the future to all those of the party who look merely to success and spoils.

Two sources of discord, more or less blended, were in full operation during the sitting of the convention—debouching, however, chiefly in the committee rooms and in private conversations and manœuvres. The first was the dissatisfaction with the Pierce administration; the second, the conflicting "claims" of Gov. Powell and Hon. Lynn Boyd for the Presidency. The result of the battle in the committee on Resolutions, as to the first, was the indorsement of the administration against strong opposition; as to the second, the committee, unable to agree upon anything else, agreed to say that the expression of any preference would be premature. After the action of the committee was known, but before its report was made, there was an attempt to dechange it and raise a new committee, but after some discussion the motion was tabled. But during the debate evidences of the discordant elements in the convention were abundant on all sides. Hon. John P. Martin suggested that the committee had not been fairly appointed; but upon the President, Gen. Desha, taking this as a personal imputation upon the chair, Mr. M. disclaimed intending to imply anything dishonorable in the proceeding.

Hon. Mr. Christman (who wanted Boyd recommended for the Presidency) said the convention was full of the elements of distraction, &c., and that unless some steps to harmonize were taken a new convention might be called to-morrow. Dr. Marshall (whose letter we publish) suggested that the horizon was dark, and a terrible storm was brewing. Such seems were the intimations of coming trouble that fell from prominent delegates. The resolutions were, however, reported and adopted with out any open opposition by vote, except an emphatic "No" from Dr. Marshall. The body of those opposed to them, knowing that they were not strong enough to defeat the objectionable once, contented themselves by silence.

For the Lexington (Mo.) Express.

Prices of Negroes, Fall of 1854.

Messrs. EDITORS: In looking over my note book, I find I have noted the prices of Hemp for the last twenty-five years; the publication of which may be some satisfaction to farmers and manufacturers. I quote in—

Years.	From	To	Years	From	To
1830.	$6 00	$6 00	'43	$5 00	$ 4 00
'31,	5 50	—	'44	5 00	—
'32,	5 50	—	'45	5 00	—
'33,	5 00	—	'46	5 00	—
'34,	5 50	—	'47	3 00	—
'35,	6 00	10 00	'48	3 00	4 00
'36,	6 00	—	'49	5 00	—
'37,	4 00	5 00	'50	4 00	—
'38,	5 00	—	'51	4 00	—
'39,	5 00	—	'52	5 00	4 00
'40,	6 00	—	'53	4 00	—
'41,	5 00	6 00	'54	5 00	—
'42,	3 00	5 00			

Being an av. of $4 68.

I would just add that I have made forty-five crops, and more or less hemp every year. Can any old farmer beat it? The figures above are per hundred pounds. From 1845, the crops were raised in Missouri.

OLD PILOT.

The Worcester *Spy* informs us that George Stacy, the supposed murderer of the two old ladies in Hardwick, was brought in that city on Tuesday and committed to jail. The evidence against him, as educed in a preliminary examination before a magistrate, is very strong. The *Spy* thus relates some of the facts which were elicited, tending to implicate him in the affair:

At the time of the arrest, Stacy had on two complete suits of clothing. His underskin was bloody, and there was blood upon his undermost suit of clothing; a bloody shirt was also found in his valise, and also a mitten which matched exactly with one found in the room where the murder was committed. The accused is apparently about twenty nine years of age. It is said that Stacy is a French Canadian. During the last winter he has attended school part of the time.

MORE SLAVES SOLD.—Auctioneer ANDERSON reports the sale of slaves made by him, Monday last, as follows:

One man, 4 months time,	$1,175
One man, 4 " "	1,305
One man, cash,	1,000
One man, cash,	1,000

Lexington (Mo) Express, 7th.

GREAT SALE OF NEGROES.—The slaves belonging to the estate of DAVID WARD, deceased were sold, on Monday last, by Mr. Sheriff WITHERS, under an order of the Probate Court, on a credit of Six months, as follows:

One negro man, aged 35 years,	$1,499
One " " " 28 "	1,601
One " " " 21 "	1,590
One " woman and child,	1,100
One " woman, aged 21 years,	950
One " girl, " 16 "	935
One " boy, " 8 "	830

Lexington (Mo) Express, 7th.

The Irish emigration continues to set back towards "old Country" as strongly as ever, while the current Hitherward has been in a great measure arrested. Almost every ship leaving this port for England takes out from thirty to fifty of these passengers. Some attribute the change to the influence of "Know-Nothingism;" but in a majority of instances it results from the improved condition of Irish lands under the operation of the "Encumbered Estates" bill and to the increased demand for labor. Should the proposed law of Parliament regulating passenger ships be sanctioned, Irish immigration will be much more, and still more sensibly diminished. Germans, on the contrary, will continue to pour in upon us in large numbers.—*Journal of Commerce.*

Duelling in New Orleans.

A correspondent writes from New Orleans to the *New York Herald*, as follows:

Despite our stringent duelling law, the "code of honor" is often applied to, to settle certain delicate matters daily transpiring here. Within the last two months, there have had no less than three duels, almost, if not quite within our corporate limits. The first resulted in the challenger receiving eight thrusts in the body with a small sword, and being thereby enabled to bed, perchance to rise no more; his adversary received a scratch, hardly "a pinhole hit." The second duel was also with swords, and was bloodless, a few passes sufficing to heal wounded honor. The third affair was with pistols, a shot through the heart, and instant death of one of the combatants, and the mysterious disappearance of the body and the survivor. Our vigilant (?) police may hear of these things one of these days.

Dr. Parsons' Lecture.

Dr. PARSONS will certainly lecture, in the Court House, *On Wednesday night*, 11th April, and but one night. He hopes to meet this entire community, thereby relieving the Church from her embarrassments.

For Fine Clothing call at MENDERSON & BRO.'S.

May Election, 1855.

CANDIDATES.

For Countable in Maysville-District, No. 1,

HIRAM S. OUTTEN.
JOHN A. SHEPPERD.*

☞We are authorised to announce THOMAS S. PAGE as a candidate for re-election to the Office of Auditor of Public Accounts of Kentucky at the ensuing August election.

For Fine Shirts and Collars CALL AT MENDERSON & BRO'S.

When death is at the door, the remedy which would have saved life, if administered—only upon time, comes too late. Do not trifle with disease. Rely upon it, that when the stomach will not digest food—when faintness and lassitude pervade the system—when the sleep is disturbed, the appetite feeble, the mind lethargic, the nerves unnaturally sensitive, and the blood impoverished, that it is that when these symptoms occur, the powers of vitality are failing, and that, unless the mischief is promptly checked, *life will be shortened*, as well as rendered miserable. Now we know from a mass of testimony, greater than ever were before accumulated in favor of one remedy, that Hoofland's German Bitters, prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, Philadelphia, will immediately abate, and, in the end, entirely remove all of these disorders we survey as mathematical proofs are to a problem. Who, then, will procrastinate the agony, and the risk of life, with health and safety within reach? See advertisement. March 1, '55.—1m

W. M. SHAW, PRODUCE & Commission & Forwarding Merchant,

No. 73 Walnut st., bet. Columbia & Pearl, CINCINNATI, O.

☞Special attention paid to the Purchase and Sale of LEAF TOBACCO.

March 22, '55—1wtf

CORN, MEAL, &c.

10 Brls. Clover Seed,
10 brls. Flour, extra;
50 bushels Corn Meal;
200 " Ear Corn;
25 Bales Hay. In store and for sale by

R. H. SHULTZ,
Corner 2nd and Wall street.

march 22nd

GARDEN SEEDS.

A Fresh supply of Landreth's Garden Seeds "have come."

SEATON & CO.

march 22, '55

DRY GOODS & CARPET STORE.

JOHN SHILLITO & CO.,

No. 12, East Fourth Street,

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Respectfully inform their customers and purchasers generally, that they are now opening an extensive and choice assortment of

FANCY AND STAPLE

English, French, German & American

DRY GOODS,

ALSO:

FOREIGN AND AMERICAN

CARPETING,

Imported direct from Manufacturers in Europe, and purchased at auction in New York, which enables us to offer our goods this season at about Eastern Jobbing Prices and Manufacturers prices.

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS,

Thoroughly seasoned, from 5 to 4 feet in width; a large stock always on hand.

Families, Hotel keepers, Steamboat owners and strangers are respectfully invited to find the best class of goods in our line at prices as low as they can be purchased in the Eastern cities.

March 22—6m

FOUND.

A Lady's Fur Cape—called, it is supposed, a Victorine or Pelerine—was picked up on Market street, on Friday night last. The owner can learn particulars by calling at the *Eagle Office*, and paying for this advert sement.

Maysville, March 22—3t

GROCERIES.

42 Hhds New Orleans Sugar, fair to choice;
70 Brls Plantation Molasses;
65 Hhd'ls do do do;
80 Baggs Java Rio Coffee;
40 " Eastern do;
35 Brls Belcher's Crushed Sugar;
50 Half Brls No. 3 Mackerel;
25 Brls Clover Seed;
20 " Timothy do;
112 " Hydraulic Cement, fresh;
165 " Louisville Lime;
10 Tons of Fresh Rosin;
200 Kgs Wheeling Nails;
50 Dozen Bed Cords

Just received and for sale by

JANUARY & RICHESON.

Maysville, March 22, '55

WHITE LEAD.

300 Kegs Pure Putsburg White Lead. *Fahnestock's Brand.* Just received and for sale by

SEATON & CO.

march 22, '55

CHEMICALS.

50 Ounces Sulph Quinine;
25 " " Morphine;
20 " Iodine Resublimed;
20 " Deep Fat Bulk;
10 " Saleine;
15 " Santonine;
100 Lbs Tart Acid;
50 " Rochelle Salts;
50 " Calomel, Resublimed;
50 " Blue Mass;
25 " Red Precipitate;
15 " Chloroform

Also, a full assortment of Chem'cals.

Received this day and for sale by

SEATON & CO.

march 22, '55

JAMES M. COBURN & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Dealers in Hardware, Cutlery, &c.

MAYSVILLE, KY.

WE are now in receipt of our Spring importation, comprising one of the largest and best selected Stocks of HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HARDWARE, SADDLERY, CUTLERY, &c., ever brought to this market. Our stock has been carefully selected from first hands, with special reference to this market; and we feel no hesitation in saying that we can offer inducements equal to any house in the West and superior to any in this City. The attention of Merchants, Saddlers, &c., is earnestly invited to an examination of our Stock before purchasing elsewhere. We will duplicate any bill made in Cincinnati, less freight, drayage and commission.

No. 14, Market street, Sign of the Padlock.

Maysville, March 20, '55

The Big Jack, Over 16½ Hands High,

REPUBLIC:

WILL stand the present season at my farm, and will be permitted to serve Jennets, at $10 the season, also one to the Jennet's foal away; good blue grass pasture for Jennets furnished gratis; and great care taken to prevent accidents.

Republic was 5 years old the 31st day of May last, is now over 16½ hands high, dark color, nearly nose, fine limbs, heavy body, and walks well. I have no doubt but he was the finest Jack of his age in Kentucky. He took the first premium in his class at the Fayette and Bourbon Fairs, last Fall. He will be permitted to go to only a few Jennets this season. RUFUS J. CLAY.

Near Paris, March 20, '55—1

Maysville *Eagle* insert to amount $5 and charge Paris *Citizen.*

WAREHOUSES TO RENT AT AUCTION.

ON Monday the 2nd day of April, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock, I will rent to the highest bidder for one year, the two large three story Warehouses on Sun street, just below the Tin and Copper Warehouse of Joseph Frank. The Houses to be used as Store Rooms or Warehouses.

JNO. SHACKLEFORD.

Maysville, March 17—td

THE IMPORTED SPANISH JACK,

MORO CASTLE!

IMPORTED into Kentucky in the Spring of 1853, by the Mason County Importing Association, and decidedly the finest animal of his kind in America, is now in fine health and condition, and is, for the first time, offered for a public season. He has made partial seasons only in the years '53 and '54, and has proven himself to be a sure foal getter, and as a breeder from Jennets and Jennies, never has a superior at his disposal. His Jack colts from Jennets of his own blood that were imported with him, are greatly in advance of anything ever before seen in Kentucky. Besides, and the introduction of this strain of ass cannot fail to mark an era in the breeding of this hitherto much neglected animal.

He will make his present season, which has commenced on the 1st November last, at the stable of H. W. Graves, ten miles from Paris on the road to Paris, and will serve Jennets at Fifty Dollars to insure a living foal; but will be allowed to serve small Jennets under 13½ hands high that are of native or common stock, at prices corresponding to their value as compared upon by mutual contract. Grass grain, and grain fed at moderate prices. He will be shown in Paris at the Mansion House court, and in Mt. Sterling at the April County Court.

H. W. GRAVES & CO.

Flat Rock, Bourbon co., Ky., March 1, '55—3m

Maysville Eagle copy weekly for 3 months and charge Farm *Flag.*

Notice to Slave-owners or Masters.

All States, after the date hereof, found in the A City of Maysville, after 9 o'clock at night, or on the Sabbath day, without a pass from the Master or Owner of such slave, will be punished or confined in jail till liberated by the Master or owner.

Mayor of the City of Maysville.

Maysville, March 6, '55—1m

To the Soldiers of the War of 1812 and other Wars.

I am prepared to attend to all claims for additional Bounty Land. Those who have received less than 160 acres, are entitled to a law passed last week to enough land to make up that amount; those who received only 40 acres to 120 more; and those who received 80 acres, to 80 more.

Claims are attended to, at the Land Office, in the order in which they are filed. Remember then, that *first come, first served.*

I will also attend to any claims for Pensions or arrearages of Pension, or moderate terms.

JAMES ARTUS.

AT E. F. McCeslie's Grain Store, Market st.

Maysville, March 6—tf

TURNPIKE NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the Dover and Minerva Turnpike Road Company are hereby notified that an election for President and Directors of said Company will be held in the Town of Dover, on the 1st Monday in April, 1855, for the ensuing year.

C. A. LYON, President.

Dover, Ky., March 15, '55—wtd

BOOTS AND SHOES.

BOOTS, SHOES, BROGANS, &c.

MANUFACTURED TO ORDER.

PETERS' BOOT DEPOT,

No. 3, Market st.

THE Sheriff of Hamilton County will sell the large and well stocked establishment, Tools and Fixtures, at the store, Nos. 2 & 3 Market st., Cincinnati, on Tuesday, the 27th day of March, 1855, at 3 o'clock P. M., and continue the sale from day to day, if necessary, until completed, at public auction, and sufficient to satisfy the execution in favor of the Bank of Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, March 20, '55—2tw

THE FAMOUS

LOCOMOTIVE,

By Lord Carrie's (GIBAT & H B) *Dam by Mr Clay's Sir Henry, Bedford Boy, &c.*

WILL stand the present season in my Farm, and will be permitted to serve mares, at $20 the season, (the season to be taken from Grass pasture for mares from a distance, furnished, and until notified to be removed, which will not be done until the foal has had a fair trial, or I am satisfied she is with colt; if so, however proven not to be in foal, she can be returned free of charge.

Locomotive is a beautiful iron gray, was sired the 7th of April last and imported the fall of 1853. He is a sure call getter, having gotten more than 40 mares the past season, many have already come, mostly run, and all to appearance. He took the first premium in his class last fall at the Bourbon Fair; also the first in his class at the National Cattle Show, Springfield—Ohio, the only time he ever was shown.

BRUTUS J. CLAY.

Near Paris, March 20, '55—3

Maysville *Eagle* insert to amount of $5 and charge Paris *Citizen.*

HAY FOR SALE.

25 Bales HAY just received, in store and for sale by

R. H. SHULTZ,
Corner 2nd & Wall sts.

Maysville, March 20—1w 14

SCOTT'S

LITTLE GIANT

CORN and COB MILL,

Patented Mar 16th, 1853!

Is double—an invention among the most important of modern times, for the use of the well situated farmer and stock feeder—and the universal favor with which it has been received from the first, more than anything else, attests its utility and superiority.

For portability, simplicity of construction, and convenient use, the Little Giant has no equal. It weighs from 3 to 5 hundred lbs., according to size, can be put in operation by the farmer in 20 minutes, without expense or mechanical aid, than adjusted and used with convenience by anybody.

The Little Giant has received the *First Premiums* at every State Fair from Missouri to Maryland the past Fall, and that in the most complimentary manner.

These Mills are guaranteed in the most positive manner against breakage or derangement, and warranted to crack feed from ear corn, and grits or fine hominy from shelled corn, with a degree of ease and convenience for farm purposes never attained before.

The subscribers are now prepared to furnish the trade with improved patterns and sizes, to suit the varied wants of all.

No 2 is offered at $44 complete, ready for attaching tue team, and warranted to crack 40 bushels per hour. No 3 at $55 will crush 15 bushels per hour. No 4 at $66 will crush 20 bushels per hour with two horses. No 7 Water Street, Cincinnati.

Liberal discounts to dealers

State and County Rights for Sale.

AGENTS.

A. DEWITT, Cleveland, Ohio.
JOS. P. ETZ, Dayton, Ohio.
JOHN R. MILLER & CO., Wheeling, Va.
MILLER, WINGATE & CO., Louisville, Ky.
D. O. & W. A. BRADLEY, Dubuque, Mich.
MUMFORD & CO., Lafayette, Ind.
RICHELAY RIDDLE & CO., Terre Haute, Ind.
B. ARD, CHINN & DUNN, Richmond, Ind.

Cincinnati, March 20, 1855—3mw

JNO. V JOHNSTON,

Commission & Forwarding Merchant,

No. 73 WALNUT STREET.

Ade ns made on Consignments.

Banking and Exchange Office.

UNCURRENT Money bought and sold. Collections made without charge and prompt returns.

JNO. V JOHNSTON.

Cincinnati, March 17—2

Jos. B. HAYES, NORWOOD PERSONS.

JOS. B. HAYES & CO.

Commission Merchants,

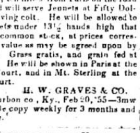
PHILADELPHIA.

MR. PENROSE will be in Maysville in a few days, prepared to advance on all shipments consigned to our house. We will found in the Counties of Hamilton Gray and Thomas J. Pickett.

N B. HAS just arrived. March 2'st, '55.

March 16, 1855

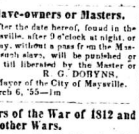
Ahead of the Fastest!



A. BERGER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Ready Made Clothing,

Corner of Market and Second streets, Maysville, Ky.



Have just received their large and well selected stock of *Clothing for Spring and Summer*, to which we invite the attention of our old patrons and the public generally.

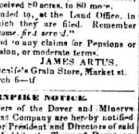
Our Stock contains every thing necessary for a Gentleman, and is of the latest style and best workmanship.

"Small profits and quick returns" is still our motto.

Having a large Wholesale Establishment of our own in Cincinnati, we can sell cheaper than any other customers the best inducements of any House in the West. Wholesale or Retail. Call and see for yourselves. Remember the Corner.

Maysville, March 17, '55

BLUM & KAHN.



ALWAYS AHEAD.

GREAT WESTERN

CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT.

HAVING purchased the interest of Solomon Blum in the Great Western Clothing Establishment, *Second Street, opposite Wormald's Hotel*, Maysville, Ky., we respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have on hand, the largest and most complete assortment of

Ready Made Clothing,

For Spring & Summer, now in the market—and feel confident that they are prepared to give their customers *better bargains* than can be obtained in this city. It is unnecessary to particularize our stock, but we will say, that it is new, fashionable, and well selected, and will be sold at prices unequalled!

Give us a call and test the truth of the above notice.

☞Remember the "GREAT WESTERN" in the place!

Maysville, March 15, '55