

THE JOURNAL.

BOWLING-GREEN:

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1839.

The U. S. exploring expedition seems to have penetrated as far south as 70 degrees of latitude, during the past season when large masses of ice appearing in every direction, and the winter approaching, it was deemed imprudent to prosecute the voyage further at that time, and the expedition returned to Valparaiso and Callao, for the purpose of re-fitting; after which it proceeded to the Sandwich Island, whence on the return of spring it was expected to go south again, intending to push into as high Southern latitude as the state of ice would allow. The spring being now far advanced in that region, it is supposed that the expedition has been sometime on the voyage South, which it is intended to prosecute with vigor, until forced by the return of the fall season, (which will be our spring,) to return towards the milder latitudes, when it is intended to visit the Columbia River, the Oregon Territory, and the neighboring coasts and islands, and return to the United States by the way of the Cape of Good Hope; which it is not expected can be accomplished, in less than two years from this time.

The entire returns of the votes for Governor in Georgia, give the majority for McDonald, at 1917.

Work on the Georgia central Railroad, seems to be progressing rapidly. Eighty miles are completed and in use, and it is confidently asserted that not less than one hundred miles, will be finished by the first of January next.

From the Jefferson city papers we learn that the lead mines of that (Cole,) county, and the adjoining county of Miller, are enlisting a considerable share of attention; many discoveries have been made, and those engaged in digging for mineral, are said to be prosecuting their labors with great success, and advancing their fortunes rapidly. A considerable proportion of the land in that quarter has already been purchased, and from the stir which is made—it is thought that the period is not distant when not a foot of Government land will remain, in all the mineral region, "round about;" which on account of the sterility of soil, has hitherto been looked upon as worthless. The Jeffersonian Republican says that these mines "promise to surpass in richness even those of Galena."

The late land sales at Milwaukee which closed on the 20th ult. produced the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, all of which it is said was paid by the settlers. The sale continued two weeks only.

The Bank of the State of Missouri, having resolved to receive nothing in payment of debts, but her own notes, or gold and silver, has produced perhaps a greater sensation in St. Louis than was ever experienced there before. The citizens have called meetings, which have been numerous attended by the business men of that city, and resolutions have been adopted, by them, expressive of the opinion, "that it is a poor rule" that wont work both ways, and that as the bank has been mainly instrumental in circulating the paper of other banks in Missouri, she having commenced business, upon the borrowed notes of other banks, and having loaned out upon discount, a large amount in the paper of other State banks, she ought in justice still to receive such paper as she has paid out. Many of the merchants it is said have withdrawn their deposits; while others have suffered their notes to be protested, determined not to pay them in other kinds of money, than that which they received from the bank; unless compelled by law.

At Quincy Massachusetts, was lately celebrated the 200th anniversary of the establishment of the church at that place, which appeared to have been an occasion of great interest; although, as it fell upon the sabbath, few ceremonies were observed. An appropriate discourse was delivered by the Pastor of the church, and among other interesting exercises, the following hymn, (written for the occasion by the Hon. John Quincy Adams.) was sung.

THE HOUR GLASS.

Alas! how swift the moments fly!
How fast the years along!
Scarce here, yet gone already by;
The burden of a song.
See childhood, youth, and manhood pass,
And age with furrowed brow;
Time was—Time shall be—drain the glass—
But where in Time is now?

Time is the measure but of change:
No present hour is found,
The past the future, fill the range
Of Time's unceasing round.
Where then is now? In realms above,
With God's atoning Lamb,
In regions of eternal love,
Where sits enthroned I AM.

Then, Pilgrim, let thy joys and tears
On time no longer lean;

But henceforth all thy hopes and fears
From earth's affections wean.
To God let votive accents rise;
With truth, with virtue live;
So all the bliss that Time denies,
Eternity shall give.

We have some election news from New-York and Michigan; but it is very limited. The present indications are favorable to the Whigs. In Georgia both branches of the legislature have majorities on the other side.

Velocity of Lightning.—It has lately been ascertained by a series of ingenious experiments, that the velocity at which lightning, or the electric fluid, moves, is not less than 200,000 miles in a single second of time.

MARRIED.—On the 14th inst, by Rev. W. Chamberlin Mr. Abraham L. Matson to Miss Phebe Ann Cusher, all of St. Charles County.

On Thursday the 14th, inst, by the Rev. J. W. Campbell, Mr. John Stark, to Miss Elizabeth Fry all of this county.

Rev. John F. Gray will preach at the house of Mr. J. W. Barye, in this town, on Sunday the first day of December next.

WHIG TICKET FOR 1840.

FOR GOVERNOR,
GEN. CLARK, of Howard County,
FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
JOSEPH BOGY, of Ste. Genevieve.
FOR CONGRESS,
DR. MOSS, of Clay Co.
THORNTON GRIMSLEY, of St. Louis.
Electors for President and Vice President.
Wm. C. OWENS, of Jackson.
JOSEPH BROWN, of St. Louis.
STEPHEN CLEAVER, of Ralls
PHILIP COLE, of Ste. Genevieve
Delegates to the National Convention
URIEL WRIGHT, of Marion
Wm. RUSSELL, of Callaway
Wm. CAMPBELL, of St. Charles
Wm. HUNTON, of St. Louis

ADMINISTRATION TICKET FOR 1840.

FOR GOVERNOR,
THOMAS REYNOLDS, of Howard.
FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
M. M. MARMADUKE, of Saline.
FOR CONGRESS,
JOHN MILLER, of Cooper.
JOHN C. EDWARDS, of Cole.

To fill the vacancy of the Hon. A. G. Harrison deceased.

JOHN JAMESON, of Callaway.
Electors for President and Vice President.
ABRAM BYRD, 1st District.
EDWARD DOBYNS, 2nd District,
JAMES HOLEMAN, 3rd District.
WALKER G. MERIWETHER, 4th Do.

We gather from various sources the following state of votes, at the late Special election for members of Congress—

Counties,	Jameson,	Grimsley,
Callaway,	621	536
Marion,	373	432
Pike,	511	436
Clay,	226	262
Boone,	183	340
St. Charles,	262	291
Perry,	192	96
Jefferson,	197	107
Lewis,	212	103
Monroe,	309	582
Carroll,	126	46
Greene,	120	00
Jackson,	369	107
Morgan,	219	51
Newton,	176	00
Polk,	236	25
St. Charles,	260	289
Cape Girardeau,	355	185
Chariton,	209	82
Cole,	624	113
Cooper,	432	344
Franklin,	309	111
Gasconade,	384	33
Howard,*	637	313
Jefferson,	156	106
Johnson,*	117	21
Lincoln,	397	213
Montgomery,	201	144
Pettis,*	162	71
Pulaski,	260	26
Ste. Genevieve,	129	71
St. Louis,	861	1127
Saline,	128	82
Warren,	178	82
Washington,	291	224

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*Jamison, Scott 6,

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Miller, 174 1

TO THE PUBLIC.

WHEREAS reports and suspicions, injurious to the christian conduct of Elder John H. Hughes, have been afloat in the church of Christ on Ramsey's creek; and whereas some brethren were aggrieved & distressed on account of such reports and suspicions; it was unanimously agreed by Elder Hughes and the congregation that twelve referees, chosen from other churches, should be called; and that the whole matter should be laid before them for investigation and decision, and that by that decision each party should abide.

The referees were called, and a quorum met on the 15th of November 1839 in Paynesville. They retired with Elder Barton W. Stone, a short time to arrange the business of the day. It was concluded by them, from communications made, that the whole matter could be more satisfactorily settled by the

parties, Hughes, and the aggrieved part of the congregation, by mutual acknowledgments and concessions to each other, than by the referees as judges. It was suggested to them that Elder Hughes would publicly acknowledge that his conduct had been improper, and that it might be sufficient to excite suspicion, as it in fact did in the minds of some—that he now could, and did cordially forgive those who had indulged those suspicions.—It was also suggested to the referees that the congregation would acknowledge that such of their members as had heard of these reports, and had spread them to the injury of Elder Hughes, and had kept them concealed from him, had done wrong—that the aggrieved in the church, would also acknowledge, that on due reflection, they considered that the grounds of their suspicion of Elder Hughes were insufficient to prove him guilty—and that they were willing to abandon all suspicions, and forgive and forget those things forever; and give Elder Hughes the right hand as full confirmation of their peace and harmony.

The referees returned into the house, and proposed their plan of reconciliation. It was adopted by the congregation unanimously. Elder Hughes then rose, and said, he wished an investigation, but submitted to the plan proposed; then he made the acknowledgment above stated, but solemnly protested before God that he was not guilty of the crime alleged.—The congregation also made the acknowledgments above stated, and agreed unanimously to meet Elder Hughes, and join with him their right hands in token of their reconciliation; and that neither party were ever again to name those things afterwards. Elder Hughes stepped forward, and every member of the congregation cordially advanced and gave him their hand, and love, and thanksgiving to God concluded the meeting.—Signed by Elder Barton, W. Stone, and Enoch Martin Robert Burbridge, DAVID STEWART, WILLIAM YOUNG, DAVID JAMESON, THOMAS DODDS, THOMAS BURBRIDGE, Referees.

The deposition of Louisa V. Hucheson taken November 13th 1839, before Wm. Bowles Justice of the peace within and for the county of Pike State of Missouri. The said Louisa being of Lawful age, deposesh and saith as follows to wit:

Question 1st. Have you been much in the company of Dr. J. H. Hughes?

Ans. I have a good deal.

Question 2nd. Have you ever seen any conduct in him towards you either ungentlemanly or unchristian?

Answer. I never did.

Ques. 3d. Are you aware of the report in circulation about him and yourself, is it true or false?

Ans. I am aware of the report and say with a clear conscience that it is utterly false.

Ques. 4th. Have you ever given any person or persons ground to believe the report was true?

Ans. No I have not, that I recollect of.

Ques. 5th. Have you ever seen any thing in him, imprudent either in word or action?

Ans. I have not; I always believed him to be a christian.

Ques. 6th. Are you on friendly terms with him?

Ans. I am as much so as ever, I have always respected him as a preacher.

And further this deponent saith not.

Signed LOUISA V. HUCHESON.

The above deposition was taken subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of November, 1839.

Signed Wm. BOWLES J. P.

A true copy.

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF PIKE, } SS.

In the County Court of said county, of the Term of November, to wit—On the 9th day of November 1839.

It is ordered by the Court that the Clerk give notice by publication in the Salt River Journal, to all persons owing, or having in possession any monies, bonds, notes, or securities belonging to any Congressional township, or any district of any township in said county, to appear in the County court of said county, at the adjourned term thereof to be holden on the first day of January next, then and there to pay and surrender into the hands of the court all such monies, bonds, notes and securities, and then and there to renew their obligations, bonds, notes, &c. respectively, so that the same may be in conformity with the existing law.—A true copy of Record.

Attest, M. J. NOYES, Clerk.

And notice is hereby given accordingly.
M. J. NOYES, Clerk.

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF PIKE, } SS.

In the county Court of said county of Pike, of the Term of November, to wit—on the 9th day of November 1839.

In addition to the several allowances made by the tariff of prices heretofore established by this court, under the act entitled, "An act to provide for the establishing and keeping in repair, roads in the county of Pike." It is ordered by the court that the sheriff be allowed the sum of one dollar and fifty cents, for summoning, and one dollar and fifty cents, per day, for attending each and every Jury; and that Jurors be allowed seventy-five cents each, for every day they may be required to act, under said law. And it is ordered that public notice hereof be given by the Clerk, by the publication of a copy of this order in the Salt River Journal.

A true copy of record.
Attest M. J. NOYES, Clerk.

Likely Slaves For Sale.

In pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned by the County Court of Pike County Mo., at the November term, 1839. The undersigned will proceed to offer at Public Sale, on the first day of January next, in Bowling-Green, Three likely young Slaves, belonging to the Estate of Wm. S. Mackey deceased, upon a credit of twelve months, to wit:—Two men and one woman, all between 18 and 23 years of age. The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved Security for the purchase money bearing interest at six per cent from the day of sale, until paid.

JOHN MACKEY, Administrator.
November 23, 1839.—6-3t.

Pocket Book Found.

THE Subscriber living contiguous to the Town of Bowling-Green, Pike county Mo., found in the road, two or three miles from said Town a Pocket Book, containing some money.—The owner can have the same on application and making a satisfactory description of Pocket Book and contents, and paying for this advertisement.

NOAH ATKIN.
November 23, 1839.—6

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Wilson Cook, late of Pike County Mo. deceased, bearing date the 20th day of November 1839, have been granted to the undersigned; all persons therefore, who have any claims against the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same duly authenticated for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims are not presented within three years, they will be forever barred.

PATSEY COOK, Adm.
JAMES JONES, Adm.
November 23, 1839.—6-3t

State of Missouri, County of Ralls Sect
In the R. Hs Circuit court October term, 1839
Edmond Baley Complainant, }
In Chancery.

THE unknown Heirs of Judith Weeks, formerly Judith Baley Lucinda Porter, late Lucinda Baley, Harriet Haden, late Harriet Baley. The unknown Heirs of Henry Baley deceased, Clifton Baley, Robert Baley and Charles Baley, Heirs at law of Henry Baley deceased.

Now at this day comes the said Complainant Edmond Baley, by his solicitor Luke W. Watkins, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, by the affidavit of the complainant filed in this case, that the said defendants, the unknown Heirs of Judith Weeks deceased, late Judith Baley, and the unknown Heirs of Henry Baley deceased, are non-residents of the State of Missouri. Therefore, on motion of the Complainant by his solicitor, it is ordered by the Court, that the said Defendants be notified that the complainant, on the 14th day of September A. D. 1839, filed a bill in Chancery against them and others in this Court, the object of which is, to obtain a decree of this Court, for the conveyance of title by the heirs at law of Henry Baley deceased, to him for fifty acres of land lying and being in the county of Ralls in the State of Missouri, in section fourteen, Township fifty five North, and Range four West, to be taken off of the east side of the west half of the north east quarter of said section, and for such other & further relief, as to equity may appear, and that unless you the said Defendants be and appear in this Court, on the first day of the next March term thereof, which will be begun and holden at the Court-house in the town of New-London, in and for the county of Ralls in the State of Missouri, on the first Monday in March A. D. 1840. And answer the bill of the said Complainant, the same will be taken for confessed against you and a decree entered accordingly.—And it is further ordered by the court, that a copy of this order be published in some Newspaper, printed in this State, for eight weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least four weeks before the next term of this Court.

A Copy from the Record.
Attest, JOHN RALLS Clerk R. Ct. Ct.
November 16, 1839.—5-8t

State of Missouri, County of Ralls Sect
In the Ralls Circuit Court October term, 1839.
Grizy Miller Complainant, }
Bill in Chancery for Divorce from the bonds of

George Miller Defendant, } Matrimony.

NOW at this day comes the Complainant Grizy Miller, by Luke W. Watkins her Solicitor and files her bill in chancery against the said Defendant George Miller, Stating in Substance, that on the 15th day of July A. D. 1837. She was intermarried with the said Defendant in the County of Ralls and State of Missouri, and that he lived with her but a few days until he willfully deserted and absented himself from her without a reasonable cause, for the space of two years, and that she has resided in the State for the last five years. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, by the affidavit of the complainant, that the said defendant, is a non-resident of this State at this time. Therefore, on motion of the complainant, by her Solicitor, it is ordered by the Court, that the said George Miller, be notified that the said complainant has filed the said bill against him in this Court, the object of which is to obtain a decree of Divorce from her contracted and entered into with him, and for such other and further relief as to equity may appear, and that you the said Defendant are required to be and appear in this Court on the first day of the next March term thereof, which will be begun and held at the Court-house in the town of New-London in and for the county of Ralls in the State of Missouri, on the first Monday in the month of March A. D. 1840. To answer the bill of the said complainant against you, or the same will be taken for confessed against you. And it is further ordered by the Court, that a copy of this order be published in some Newspaper printed in this State for eight weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least four weeks before the next March term of this Court, until which time this cause is continued.

A Copy from the Record.
Attest, JOHN RALLS, Clerk Ralls Ct. Ct.

Partnership Notice.

THE undersigned have formed a partnership, for the purpose of keeping a whole-sale Grocery Establishment, and for the transaction of a General Agency, and Commission business, at Clarksville, Pike County Mo. under the firm & style of

J. M. & J. C. BELL.
Salt, Salt, Salt.
THE undersigned have on hand, and for sale on good terms,
400 Sacks G. Alum Salt,
130 L. Blown Salt,
170 Turks Island.

J. M. & J. C. BELL.
November 9th, 1839.—4

PAY UP.

ALL those indebted to the Estate of Edwin B. Tinker deceased by note or book account, are respectfully solicited to make immediate payment. Longer indulgence cannot be given, as the business of the estate requires cash.

HARMON CALDWELL, Adm.
ELIZABETH TINKER, Adm'x.
October 19, 1839.—1 3t

STRAY HORSES.

Ranaway from the subscriber about the middle of August last, a light sorrel horse, about eight years old, full sixteen hands high, has a few white hairs in his face, both hind feet white, has a small crop of the left ear and had on an old bell with a patched collar; and at the same time a yearling mare colt of a roan color, with white legs and belly, of common size, any person who will give me information, or leave word of them at the Salt River Journal Office, shall be suitably rewarded.

LEVI F. BENNING.
Nov. 2d 1839.—3-1t

Final Settlement.

All persons interested in the estate of William Collier, late of Pike county, Missouri, deceased, are hereby notified that the undersigned; administrator, will make application to the County Court of said county, at the next February term thereof, for a final settlement of my administration of said estate.

URIEL GRIFFITH, Adm'r.
November, 16th 1839.

TAKE NOTICE.

THE notes belonging to the Estate of John L. Williams deceased, having fallen due, it is expected that all those indebted will make immediate payment to M. KELLY, & I. N. BRYSON, Admrs. ALSO, those indebted to the late firm, of Williams & Bryson, are particularly requested to call and pay off their notes, as further indulgence ought not to be expected, and will not be given.

I. N. BRYSON.
November 9th, 1839.—4-3t

Information Wanted!

ALEXANDER H. HAYES, a Printer, left the State of New Hampshire in 1829, for New York, and has not been heard from directly, since. The editor of the Whig and Aegis, Havenhill, New Hampshire, a brother of Hayes, and of course anxiously interested, desires editors of newspapers to give publicity to the above notice, that his lost brother, if alive, may be found.

To all whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE.

THAT at the ensuing November term of the county court for the county of Pike, I shall make application to resign my letters of administration on the estate of M. Reynolds, dec'd.

A. H. BUCKNER Adm.
Est. M. REYNOLDS dec'd
Sept. 21, 1839.—49 8w

THE MISSOURIAN FOR SALE.

HAVING determined to change his business, the Proprietor offers for sale his entire Printing Establishment, consisting of a good News and Job Office, two years old, with fixtures and furniture as complete and ample as are usually met with in a country town. The paper has good circulation, both in reference to the number and the responsibility of its subscribers, and its advertising and Job custom is a liberal one. To a Whig, of respectable capacity, it will be sold not only on reasonable, but accommodating terms—the payments being secured. It need scarcely be added, that the county and adjacent country is the most fertile, populous, and wealthy portion of the state, and that epidemic sickness is scarcely known in the town and vicinity.

Fayette, Sept. 17th, 1839.

The Editors with whom he has exchanged will oblige the undersigned by giving the foregoing a few insertions, and any communications or enquiries addressed to him will receive prompt attention.

JAMES H. BIRCH.

NOTICE.

HAVING purchased the Drug Store, formerly belonging to Messrs. Heisen and Bell, and added thereto, a large supply of medicines; we request the citizens and public generally to call and examine the articles and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Physicians will be accommodated upon the most reasonable terms.

THOS. S. WATERS.
Wm. H. WATERS.
Bowling Green, Oct. 15th 1839.—t.

THE EMPIRE STATE.

(SUCCESSOR TO THE WEEKLY WHIG.)
Will be published every Tuesday morning, at
162 Nassau St. New-York.

The publishers of the New York Daily Whig, propose hereafter to issue their weekly paper under the title of *The Empire State*. No change will be made in the size or form of the paper; it will contain the full reading matter of six daily papers, and will be regularly forwarded to its numerous patrons, in the same manner as if no change in the name had taken place. Improvements in the mechanical execution of the paper are contemplated, corresponding with the increase of patronage which the publishers hope to receive under the new arrangement.

The paper will be under the editorial management of Horace Greeley and Jacob B. Moore, Esquires, the former of whom will attend to the Political Department, and the latter will devote his attention to the Literary and Miscellaneous portions of the paper—the design to make *The Empire State* not only a spirited and valuable political journal, but by increasing its attractions as a Family Newspaper, to render it worthy of a more extended patronage. The aid of gentlemen known as approved and able champions of the Whig cause, has been promised—and the Editors feel assured, that if ardent zeal, untiring energy, and unflinching resolution, joined to some experience as soldiers in the army and sentinels on the ramparts of Freedom, can ensure success, *The Empire State* shall fall behind none of its cotemporaries in service to the cause of Liberty and Prosperity.

TERMS.—Two Dollars per Annum, in advance—a price which, considering the amount of reading matter in its columns, renders the *Empire State* one of the cheapest Family Newspapers in the country.

Subscriptions received by J. Gregg Wilson & Co., publishers, 162 Nassau street, New York.

Editors with whom we exchange will confer a favor by giving the above one or more insertions

New York, October 3, 1839.

STRAYED from the Subscriber living on the road between Bowling-Green and Louisiana, four miles from the former place, about the middle of April last, a dark bay mare with black legs mane and tail, having no white about her as recollected, three years old last spring, about fifteen hands three inches high, was well broken to ride, and had been worked a little, and had marks of the geers on her shoulders and thighs, large head and ears, short thick mane and short neck, and had the scratches in the right hind heel had a peculiar walk appearing to be somewhat bound or confined in her gait. Any person taking up said mare and giving information at the Salt River Journal office, will be liberally rewarded.

ABNER L. MELWEE.
October 19, 1839.—1-4t

JOB INTPRINTING

Of all descriptions neatly executed at this office.