

The Intelligencer.

OFFICE: No. 15 Quincy Street. WEDNESDAY, JAN. 17, 1872.

The Steubenville News is vigorously showing up the excessive prices paid there for city and county printing. It is let by contract, and the News shows that higher prices are paid than anywhere else in the United States (except in New York under Tammany.)

The joint resolution introduced in Congress by Mr. Mygans to repeal all taxes upon incomes for the year 1871 should be passed at once. Congress in 1866, and again in 1867, enacted that the income tax should be levied each year until 1870, and no longer; and although in 1870 that body, at the earnest solicitation of the Secretary of the Treasury, repudiated its promise and continued it in force for the year 1871, the time fixed by law for its collection has not yet arrived, and the immense surplus of the Government receipts above its expenditures proves there is no necessity for its collection at all.

The new Territory of Oklahoma, which it is proposed to set off in the northern part of Dakota, will contain about 74,000 square miles, being nearly one-half the present area of Dakota. The new Territory contains a large area of fertile and well-watered lands, but its inhabitants consist as yet almost entirely of Indians. It will be crossed midway, however, by the Northern Pacific Railroad, which will build up settlements and towns rapidly along its route, and from the line of the railroad population and agricultural development will be diffused in all directions.

The Weston Democrat thinks the capital-moving movement will not come to anything. Unless he can see a chance for Weston, the editor proposes to let the question severally alone. "At any rate," he adds, "we shall not attempt to give additional strength and influence to that bloated and unscrupulous monopoly known as the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, by aiding to fix the State capital at any point on its line."

The Supervisors yesterday ratified an agreement with the Pittsburgh, Wheeling & Kentucky Railway Company, and subscribed the authorized \$250,000 to its stock. The agreement is printed in full in our local report. Ohio county is to pay a proportionate share of current expenses for preliminary survey. In case the survey should show that the road cannot be built without increasing the subscription by this county, the county reserves the right to withdraw the subscription and rescind the contract.

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On Thursday, the 26th of December, 1871, I was guarding two convicts who were handling coal from the railroad with the mule team. When one of the convicts asked me if they might go into a citizen's house and get a drink of water, and I gave them privilege to go, and went along with them. There was no water in the well and one of the girls went to the well and got some water, and after they took a drink, they talked for about fifteen or twenty minutes, while I stood on the floor all the time with my gun on my shoulder, and never had it off while in the house. Whoever those two or three prominent citizens of the town were that stated we were hugging and kissing the girls, are infamous liars, and so far as the Superintendent and officers of the Penitentiary are concerned, they are not to blame for that act, as they know nothing of it at the time. I alone am to blame for allowing the convicts to go into the house.

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WEST LIBERTY LETTER.

WEST LIBERTY, January 15, 1872. Editors of the Intelligencer: It has been but a short time since I visited one of the famous resorts of America, and while everything is still fresh in my memory, I would like to tell you about my visit.

The Niagara Falls form an irregular semi circle, about three-quarters of a mile in extent. The water falls from the crest of the American continent, and while everything is still fresh in my memory, I would like to tell you about my visit.

As a new Magazine, The City, Dr. Bellows has a paper on "The Townward Tendency," from which we extract the following: The old social principle is at the bottom of many a new tendency in the race, the disposition to congregate in towns and cities.

It is common enough for moralists of the Jeffersonian type to deplore the existence of great cities, and to describe them as sores on the body politic, while they exult in the superior innocence and simplicity of the rural life.

Is there any Tweedism in the Supervisors? I see by your published proceedings of our Board of Supervisors that a man by the name of Wharton persistently presents a bill for ten to twelve hundred dollars for work done on the Bethany turnpike, which bill, I believe, was rejected and settled by the old Board.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

ALWAYS GET THE BEST. The most Reliable Preparation for COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, &c. Reed's Cough Syrup.

A HOME MEDICINE. Dr. A. S. Todd's Liver Pills. Dr. A. S. Todd's Liver Pills. Dr. A. S. Todd's Liver Pills.

LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE—PRO- NOUNCED UNRIVALLED. "THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE." It improves appetite and digestion, and it is unrivaled for its flavor.

ON MARRIAGE. Happy Relief for Young Men from Effects of Errors and Abuse in early life. MARRIAGE. Happy Relief for Young Men from Effects of Errors and Abuse in early life.

WATCHES. The Watch bearing our firm name, imported directly from Switzerland, cannot be surpassed for steady and accurate running.

WANTED—BY A BOOT & SHOE Jobbing House in Baltimore. A SALESMAN. Who has had experience in this business and who has in his control a large trade.

NATIONAL INSURANCE CO. STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Insurance Company, for the election of Directors, will be held at the office of the Company, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of January, 1872, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 3 P. M.

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WANTED—ONE HUNDRED GOOD TOBACCO STRIPPERS. Apply immediately to N. LITTLE & CO. FOR SALE—OFFER FOR SALE the House situate on the corner of 5th and Deiny streets.

FOR RENT—THE OFFICE NOW occupied by THE FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE CO. Pensions given April 1st. Enquire at the Merchants' National Bank. HOLDING BED LOUNGES. The only style having plenty of room within itself to conceal the bed clothing is HUBBARD'S PATENT.

TRUST SALE—BY VIRTUE OF A Decree of Trust made by John Carney and Mary Jane his wife, dated January 2, 1862, and of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in Book No. 52, page 291, I will offer at public sale at the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, on

German Study Lamps! Just received at F. C. WINSHIP & CO'S, No. 31 MONROE STREET. Sign of the Big Pitcher. Knights of Pythias Ball! THE FIRST ANNUAL BALL OF Baltimore Lodge No. 6, K. of P.

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OLIVE LOGAN. "Nice Young Men" WASHINGTON HALL, Wednesday Evening, Jan. 17. TICKETS 50 CENTS.

Straw & Sawtell, GENERAL AGENTS FOR SINGER'S Sewing Machines. OFFICE AND SALESROOMS, 113 Market St., Wheeling, W. Va.

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IN MOURNING GOODS, HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS. 10 Pieces Table Linen, warranted all Linen, reduced from 65 to 45. 10 Pieces 4 Heavy Damask, reduced from \$1.00 to 75c.

J. H. SMITH. Will sell his entire Stock of Dry Goods at Cheap Counter Prices! BLACK ALPACAS, FRENCH MERINOS, EMPRESS CLOTHS, SATINS, FLANNELS, AND ALL SEASONABLE GOODS.

Christmas Trade! JEWELRY EVERY DESCRIPTION LATEST STYLES. Wm. H. Hennegen & Co's, NO. 104 MAIN STREET. For the Holidays--Ladies Watches. A LARGE VARIETY AT POPULAR PRICES.

Dry Goods. Railroads! Railroads! Closing Out Sale! DRY GOODS BAZAAR. JOHN ROEMER & CO., Nos. 31 and 33 Main Street, CENTRE WHEELING.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A COMFORTABLE DWELLING HOUSE on Ohio Street, between Broadway and Huntington, in Wheeling, West Virginia. FOR RENT—A HOUSE containing five rooms, pantry and cellar. Enquire on the premises or apply to ROBERT KYLE.

FOR RENT—THE STORE ROOM & DWELLING. 10 Main Street, Centre Wheeling, three doors above Mill street, now occupied by Jacob Nicoll. The Store Room is 20 by 42 feet, nicely fitted with gas throughout. The Dwelling contains six rooms, lower and upper halls, finished attic, with gas throughout.

FOR RENT—THE STORE ROOM AND DWELLING. Now occupied by Miss Kate Garrow as a Millinery Store, is for rent, from the 1st day of April. Apply to P. KENNEDY. STORE ROOM AND DWELLING. Now occupied by Jacob Strub, No. 25 Main Street. Possession given on April 1st. Apply to H. KURTZ.

FOR RENT—TWO MAGNIFICENT BRICK HOUSES, corner 5th and Monroe streets, containing 12 rooms, bath, room and good dry cellar, gas and water throughout. Also one brick house on Market street, between Madison and Jefferson streets, containing 10 rooms and cellar, gas and water throughout. Also three dwellings containing 13 rooms and good cellars. Possession given on April 1st. Apply to JOHN MOLAN.

Books, Stationery, &c. J.D. STANTON. DEALER IN Books, Stationery, WALL PAPER, Window Blinds, CORNER MONROE & MARKET STS. OPPOSITE MILLER HOUSE. Keeps constantly on hand a large stock of miscellaneous and School Books, Bibles, Hymn Books and Prayer Books. Also a full line of Blank Books, Pass Books, Bill Books, Scrap Books, &c. The best assortment of Cap, Letter and Note Papers, Initial Stationery, Envelopes, Ink, &c., to be found in the city. Marble, Todd & Co's celebrated Gold Pens and Pencils. Always kept on hand. Pocket Books, Portfolios and Writing Books of every description. Also leading Periodicals and Fictional Papers kept on hand. Books sent by mail, postage prepaid, on receipt of Publishers' prices. jml

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NOTICE. HAVING LEASED FOR A TERM of years from Geo. W. Smith the "OLD WHEELING BREWERY," under the firm name of SMITH & CO., ALFRED H. SMITH, ARTHUR M. TUCKER, General Partners. GEO. W. SMITH, Special Partner. Wheeling, Nov. 1, 1871.

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