The Intelligencer.

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MONDAY, JULY 1, 1878.

THE Second District Republicans have plenty of good material for Congress. There are such men as Gov. Peirpont, Mr. Willey, Col. Latham, John W. Mason, Judge Hoke, Spencer Dayton and Harmon Sinsel.

The Tale of Two Cities.

The rival directories of Chicago and St. Louis are out, and now comes the usual cuts and thrusts of the rival press over the respective showings. The Chicago *Times* heads the figures from the advance sheets of the directory of that city thus: "*This will make them howl!*" and then goes on to remark that the figures of the new directory show that Chicago is "nearly a third larger than the village on the Big Muddy." According to the Chicago figures that city returns 153,607 names, while St. Louis returns only 108,120 showing an excess in favor of Chicago of 45,487 names. Applying the rule of statistics to these figures, viz: to multiply them by 3½, gives Chicago 537,624 inhabitants, and St. Louis 378,420. It is claimed that the former city has added 4,481 names since her last directory while St. Louis has lost 1,687 names.

Col. Poorman.

No man had truer friends in the Steubenville Convention than Col. Poorman of Bellaire. His friend Mr. Cope, handsomely and forcibly presented his claims for the nomination. There was a good feeling towards the Colonel among many delegates who did not, because under the circumstances they could not, vote for him. Before he came out as a candidate they were already committed to some one else, which was one barrier, and another was that Belmont County was just closing three terms of Congressional service in the person of Capt. Danford. Col. Poorman's merits and abilities were highly spoken of by all who discussed the various candidates at Steubenville, and had it not been for the circumstances alluded to he would have stood as good a chance as any one else for the nomination. Col. Poorman's merits as a man, a soldier and a Republican, have been made widely known in this canvass, and the record thus disclosed will, we trust, be of service to him hereafter. He would make an excellent Congressman.

Large Sale of West Virginia Lands.

The sale at auction of 360,000 acres of white oak timber and mineral lands in McDowell county, W. Va., drew a large crowd at the Exchange salesroom yesterday. The property was sold by order of a Western court for an estate of which A. J. Downs, of Chicago, was trustee. It was put up in large lots, none of which were less than 10,000 acres, and the final lot sold embraced 300,000 acres. The bidding was spirited, but the average price obtained was only one cent an acre. Most of those present were persons who wanted to buy in smaller lots, and if the property had been offered in that way, it was thought ten cents an acre might have been realized. It was expected by the auctioneer who conducted the sale that ten cents an acre could be obtained.—*New York Paper of 27th.*

The above news does not read as if West Virginia land is in very much request in New York, but it remains to be stated that the land in question is in a thinly settled, out of the way region, where the light of civilization does not amount to pale moonshine; where land titles overlap; where the total State tax on real estate in 1876 was only $1,899 17; where not a single piano or melodeon is known to the Auditor's report: where only five wheeled vehicles of any kind or description were found by the Assessors, and where the people vote the Democratic ticket almost unanimously. How could the land be worth anything?

Will Col. Ben Wilson be a Candidate for re-nomination?

Wheeling Letter in the Parkersburg Sentinel.

The candidates are J. B. Jackson, (Jake,) J. Hans Good, and Col. Dan Johnson, with Alex. Campbell and Joe Gallaher as dark horses.

I do not mention Col. Ben Wilson as a candidate for the reason that from what I can gather he is not in the field.

I learn the following facts from four different parties with whom I have conversed, and I give the statements as facts because of the well known honorable standing of the gentlemen, and besides none of them are candidates for the office.

Possibly, if my informants were candidates I would have some hesitancy about giving publicity to their statements, but, as they spoke freely and unhesitatingly, and were reciting a bit of political history, I repeat it:

At the time of the meeting of the Convention in Parkersburg two years ago, Col. Wilson was fearful he would not be re nominated. There were, in fact, more than one half the delegates who were not for Col. Wilson. Knowing this and that a combination would certainly defeat him, Col. Wilson went personally to prominent friends of other candidates and said, in substance, that during the past session he had been sick a greater portion of the time and in consequence had been unable to do himself or his constituents justice.

He had made no record for himself and he disliked to leave Congress with the reputation of having accomplished nothing. He desired a re nomination, and if the Convention would give it to him, that at the expiration of the term, (just ended) he would not be a candidate for the position, and to this assertion voluntarily pledged himself. Out of sympathy, and also as a matter of justice, every other candidate withdrew, and Col. Wilson was re-nominated unanimously.

Knowing Col. Wilson to be a man of honor and uprightness in all the departments of life, and as having made these pledges of his own accord, I say that he is not a candidate. Col. Wilson is not a man to break his word to his friends, and when he said he would not be a candidate in 1878, he meant it.

The contest, therefore, is narrowed down to Jake Jackson and Hans Good, though the others I have named are understood to be candidates with a strong following. May the best man win.

Failure of an Iron Company.

CINCINNATI, O., June 27.—The Pomeroy Iron Company, V. B. Horton, president, of Pomeroy, O., have made an assignment. Liabilities estimated at $70,000. The assets consist of the rolling mill, real estate and outstanding accounts.

A CORRESPONDENT thus lightly sketches Henry Watterson: "He looks well and has an offhand, breezy, half-commanding way, a good deal like a captain on a Mississippi steamboat. He seems to be a cross between a stump speaker and and a book agent, with a slight touch of the Methodist preacher thrown in.

Court House Removal in Taylor County—Second Letter from Harmon Sinsel.

PRUNTYTOWN, TAYLOR CO., W. V., June 29, 1878.

Editors Intelligencer:

I see an editorial in the Grafton *Sentinel* of to-day, under the caption of "The Removal of the County Seat," in which the editor criticizes my article in your issue of the 16th inst. He says I "say some very unfair and hard things of the people of Grafton." Will any of the good and law abiding citizens of Grafton, construe any thing in that article to reflect upon their character? certainly not. Every community has its violators of the law, and certainly Grafton is not an exception to the rule. Is it fair to tax the law abiding citizen for their special benefit? The editor says "the only line of argument (?(the opponents to removal have to fall back upon, to-wit: abuse, misrepresentation and vilification of the people of Grafton?" If I have misrepresented the debt of the corporation of Grafton, give the people the facts in figures, showing the debt, principal and interest at this time. The widow Texter did lend the corporation $15,000, and I have been credibly informed that the unpaid interest has largely augmented it. That one item does not make the whole of the debt by any means. If there have not been expended and lost in one way and another $20,000 on the Fair, and still a judgment and lien on the lands for the purchase money, for more than they will bring, show us the facts from the record, and not a mere assertion that I have misrepresented the facts. One might ask, what has this to do with the removal question? It has much; I wish to compare their past acts with what they then promised and failed in, and what they now promise. This is where it hurts; this the "vilification" of the good people of Grafton.

Salt thrown on a well person does not hurt; it only smarts where there are sores. The opponents of removal are not to open their mouths, but submit like slaves, or be traduced and slandered in the most vile and malicious manner. I have encountered that spirit before, in my opposition to the pro-slavery party before the war. The editor tries to sour the persons who signed the proposition to build the public buildings for $9,000, by saying that I think it was not done in good faith. I say now what I said then: that no such proposition is binding in law, and every intelligent person knows it. I will say more than that, if the County Court were to enter into a contract with those persons at our next court and the buildings were removed, that contract would be void in law for want of jurisdiction to make it, and you ought to know it. All such propositions are made for sinister motives, to forestall public opinion. He says "it is everywhere conceded that better buildings than we now have can be put up for the sum named therein. And there is no man in the county who knows the truth of this better than Mr. Sinsel himself. I now assert, and most honestly believe, that such a jail as we now have, and such a court house as we ought to build if we remove it with all of its fixtures cannot be built for less than $25,000, to do justice to the contractors. They still persist in saying that 1,900 of the voters will be benefited by the removal. Let us see how that is. If all of the votes of the county were polled there would be about 2,500. At least 2,000 of that number never have any business connected with the court, as suitors, jurors or witnesses. About 200 persons at one time or another are liable to be called upon as jurors, 100 of which are from the west side of the river and would be injured by a removal. One third of the business would probably be from the west side of the river, which would be about 100 of the suitors and witnesses, who would be injured by a removal.' So in round numbers we would have injured by a removal 2,000 not connected with the court at all, 200 jurors, suitors and witnesses on this side, making 2,200 voters who would be taxed and inconvenienced for the benefit of 300. Every intelligent person must know that the above estimate is a fair one. Editors of the *Sentinel*, if you wish to do the fair thing, will you please publish my articles in parallel columns with your editorials, and the arguments for removal? Editors INTELLIGENCER, when you furnish me with the proper name of "Vox Populi," which I have requested you to do in a private letter, I will pay my respects to the vile calumniator, who should have signed his name Vox Diaboli. I do not wish to shoot in the dark, lest I should waste my ammunition on a Polecat, which every decent man should shun. Respectfully yours,

HARMON SINSEL.

A Few Words to the Boys recently Graduated at Bethany, Morgantown and Washington.

The Commencements of our colleges are over, and the boy graduates, burdened with classic lore and good advice from the newspapers, are launched on the ocean of life where classmates will meet hereafter like ships at sea that signal each other, take bearings and depart. We have just one word of advice not of very serious import, but which seems opportune for the moment. Our young friends from academic halls have got their last opportunity for a good vacation. Let all of them that can do so take one, and a long and restful one, ere they begin the steerer work of earning bread and fame. Some of them in law or medical schools may still foresee, or think that they foresee, vacations like those that have been bright spots in the oasis of college life. But when those resting times are reached they find that they are shadowed by the realities and responsibilities that impend from the life work beyond; and when these young fellows go a step farther into the struggle they will discover what so few of them realize now, that a vacation for the toiler is mere recess, so short that one scarcely catches breath before the end of it is reached. They will be workers who must step for rest and not for pleasure. So may they realize that the college vacation that they now enjoy is their last real playtime, far different from those transient intermissions from business which we call vacations as a pleasant fiction of habit. Let our graduate friends therefore rejoice and recreate for a goodly number of weeks while they are still youth and before they become men with men's cares.

BELLAIRE LOCALS.—Since the establishment of our High School, three years ago, the annually recurring ceremony of launching a class of its graduates upon the realities of life, has elected an interest from our citizens that has been truly commendable. This year was no exception. The closing exercises began about 8 o'clock at the Union School Hall on Friday evening last. The place was literally packed with the friends and parents of the scholars. Rev. Gaston opened the exercises with an appropriate prayer; and Prof. Cochran's orchestra was on hand to furnish the music upon this occasion. The "Nineteenth Century" was the subject of an essay read by Master Ben. H. Faris, which was well written, and the thoughts given to the audience were interesting and suggestive of the kind of instruction received at the high school. An essay, "The Clothes We Wear," by Miss Ella M. Blankensop, was also well written and delivered in good style. Miss Alice J. Fitton, in a recitation, "Pyramus and Thisbe," showed a marked degree of refined culture, and is deserving of more than ordinary merit. The valedictory remarks by Prof. John T. Duff, the Superintendent, were A 1. It was entirely free from that "gush" which generally characterizes this performance, and just had enough of the sentimental to make it affecting, when accompanied with his animated delivery. Altogether, the audience was well pleased with the efforts of each of the class. The graduates were Master Ben. H. Faris, Wm. C. Stewart, D. L. Thoburn and Miss Ella Blankensop.

We are sorry to chronicle the death of Mrs. Jacob Maser, the wife of one of Belmont county's estimable agricultural citizens, after a lingering and painful sickness (cancer of the stomach), at his residence, about two miles west of this city, last Saturday night.

The Eastern bound passenger train, last Friday evening, about one mile west of this city, sped at a rate of about thirty miles an hour through a drove of cows that were grazing along the track, killing three and crippling a number of others. The engineer, in order to prevent a first class railroad horror, was compelled to force his way through at the fullest speed.

Mr. Henry Rankin, of this city, employed in the B. & O. yard, last Friday evening, while in the act of turning a switch accidently fell, striking his stomach upon a sharp iron post. He was taken to his home senseless, and yesterday forenoon death relieved the sufferer. Mr. Rankin was an exemplary young man and he not only leaves a wife and child to mourn the loss, but also an aged and affectionate mother, beside a large circle of friends.

J. Cochran, the colored individual who on Wednesday morning expired without a groan, came to his death, as the post mortem examination last Saturday disclosed, by eating about a gallon of cherries, whole, and quenching the burning thirst with ice water.

Out of Tune.

When the tones of a musical instrument becomes harsh and discordant, we say it is "out of tune." The same may be said of that far more wonderful and complicated piece of mechanism, the human structure, when it becomes disordered. Not only actual disease, but those far more common causes, overwork, mental anxiety and fast living, may impair its vigor and activity. The best remedy for a partial collapse of the vital energies, from those as well as from other causes, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which is at the same time an agreeable and mind cheering cordial, and the best possible invigorant in all cases of debility. It is an incomparable stomachic and anti-bilious medicine, eradicates fever and ague, and prevents subsequent attacks. It remedies with certainty and thoroughness bowel and kidney complaints, dyspepsia, nervousness, rheumatic troubles, and many other bodily ailments. It also counteracts influences which predispose to disease. eodaw

DIED.

FRISSELL.—On Saturday evening, June 29th, 1878, at 9:30 o'clock, JOHN T. FRISSELL, aged 25 years.

Funeral services will be held at the house of his father, Dr. John Frissell, Tuesday morning, July 2d, 1878, at 9 o'clock. Interment at Moundsville.

HERSEY.—On Sunday morning, June 30, 1878, at the residence of A. H. Forgey, on Wheeling Island, JOSEPH S. HERSEY, in the 53d year of his age.

Notice of funeral to-morrow.

CASEY.—On Sunday, June 30, 1878, at 10 o'clock P. M., JOHN CASEY.

Funeral notice to-morrow.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

B. & O. R. R.	A. M. 8:45	A. M. 10:55 P. M.	P. M. 5:55	P. M.
Cent. O. Div.	8:05	4:10†	11:15	
W. P. & B. Div.	5:55	1:25	A. M. 6:40*	5:00
Clev. & Pitts.	6:15	A. M. 11:10	P. M. 8:30	5:00‡
P. C. & St. L.	7:07	P. M. 4:47	6:17	

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.

B. & O. R. R.	A. M. 9:05	P. M. 5:00	P. M.	P. M. 10:55
Cent. O. Div.	11:35		12:10	6:55
W. P. & B. Div.	10:30	5:45	A. M. 8:10*	5:35*
Clev. & Pitts.	A. M. 10:55	5:55	P. M. 8:25	A. M. 9:00‡
P. C. & St. L.	9:07	11:32	7:32	

*Triadelphia Accommodation.—This train only runs between Wheeling and Triadelphia.
†Daily except Sunday—Newark Accommodation.
‡Steubenville Accommodation.—This train during the day passes backward and forward between Martin's Ferry and Bellaire, stopping when required at Sherman House, Minnieville, West Wheeling and Gravel Hill.

ON AND AFTER WEDNESDAY, the 19th inst., Cars on the Wheeling & Elm Grove R. R. will run as follows. Cars will leave the City (corner of Market and Eleventh Sts.) and Stamm's at—

*6:15 A.M.	10:05 A.M.	2:55 P.M.	6:55 P.M.
6:35 "	11:35 "	3:35 "	7:35 "
7:35 "	12:15 P.M.	4:15 "	8:15 "
8:15 "	12:55 "	4:55 "	8:55 "
8:55 "	1:35 "	5:35 "	9:35 "
9:35 "	2:15 "	6:15 "	
10:15 "			

*Sundays excepted.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A General Rebellion.

Triumph of a Great Discovery!

The public has *rebelled* against *contorting Hair Dyes*. Fashion has for sworn them. A sagacious community has adopted in their stead,

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and for *these reasons*: It embrowns and blackens the *hair*, not the *skin*. It is a *vegetable emollient*, not a *burnt fluid*. It does not burlesque nature with *burning metallic tinges*, but produces her own *living hues*. Its cooling effect is lasting. It *defies detection*. Its results are *uniform*. It *never fails*. Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, No. 10 William St., New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers. je15-5aw

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MESSRS. EDITORS—Please announce our worthy fellow-citizen, CAPT. JOHN CARLIN, as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the County Court of Ohio county, and oblige

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je28

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A CARD.
To the Voters of Ohio County:
I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of County Court and respectfully ask your support at the election to be held in October next.
jy1 BENJAMIN DAVENPORT.

RESERVED SEATS
FOR KEMPLE'S LECTURE
Will be on sale at C. Y. Lucas' Music Store at nine o'clock this morning—price 50c.
Persons holding admission tickets can have them exchanged for reserved seat tickets by paying 25c and delivering their ticket to Mr. Lucas. jy1

COPARTNERSHIP.
Mr. J. Klotz has this day been admitted as a partner in the firm of Cohn, Sampliner & Co., the firm name remaining unchanged.
COHN, SAMPLINER & CO.
WHEELING, July 1, 1878. jy1

WANTED—
An experienced Nurse Girl, not under 16 years of age, who can come well recommended. None other need apply. Inquire at this office for name of advertiser.
jy1*

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
The Directors of the Franklin Insurance Company have declared a dividend of 5 per cent on the Capital Stock of the Company out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on demand.
jy1 T. P. PHILLIPS, Sec'y.

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.
The Coupons of the Bonds of the Cleveland, Tuscarawas Valley & Wheeling Railway Co., due July 1st, will be paid on presentation at the First National Bank, Bridgeport. jy1

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MARIETTA, Ohio, July, 1878. jy1

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Waltham Jeweled Chronometer Balance Watch, in 3-oz. Sterling Silver Case,
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NOTICE BY THE MAYOR.
To prevent accidents resulting from the careless use of fire-arms and fire-works on the Fourth of July, I call attention to the ordinance regulating their use within the corporate limits of the city.
"An Ordinance defining and prescribing the punishment of certain offences.
"SEC. 23. It shall be unlawful for any person to fire or discharge within such parts of the city which are or shall be laid out into lots, or within five hundred feet of said limits, any cannon, gun, pistol, or fire-arms, or any cracker, squib, rocket or fire-works, except it be in case of necessity, or in the discharge of some public duty, or at a military parade by order of the officer in command, or with the permission of the Mayor of the city."
The City Sergeant has been instructed to enforce the ordinance against all offenders.
WM. C. HANDLAN,
jy1 Acting Mayor.

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SEALED PROPOSALS.
CLERK'S OFFICE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, WHEELING, W. VA., June 29, 1878.
Sealed Proposals are invited for taking down and rebuilding the north abutment of the Bridge over Short Creek, at its mouth on the line between Ohio and Brooke counties. The Masonry will contain between two and three hundred cubic yards of true-rise ranged rock work, laid trust and back in full cement mortar, the interior of the wall to be thoroughly grouted in same. The Masonry will rest either upon a grillage of timber or upon piles, as the undersigned may hereafter determine.
The form of proposals must be as follows:

	$ C.
Per cubic yard of excavation above low water mark in this river	
Per cubic yard of Masonry above low water mark	
Per cubic yard of Masonry below low water mark	
Per 1000 feet board measure of timber laid in foundation, not including piles	
Per pile driven and cut off	

The present superstructure of the Bridge to be kept in position by tunneling or otherwise, at the contractor's risk and expense.
Timber and piling to be of best white oak. The piles to have not less than 16 inches diameter at the small end.
All excavation below low water mark, all pumping, baling and coffer-dams, and laying and fastening of timbers, will be at the contractor's expense.
Bids should be addressed to the undersigned care of C. H. Dulany, Clerk of Board of Commissioners of Ohio county, in this city, and must give post-office address of bidder, and satisfactory references as to his character and capacity.
The Proposals will be received at above address until Friday, 12th July next, at 4 P. M., and will be opened on the following day at the Short Creek House, mouth of Short Creek, in Brooke county, on the 20th day of July, at 12 M.
The undersigned reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
For further information apply to C. H. Dulany as above.
For Brooke County—ABRAM WILSON,
" " —J. B. WHITEAM,
For Ohio County—JNO. W. McCOLLOCH,
" " —WM. H. WADDLE,
Joint Committee.
jy1

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ORGANIZED 1847.

DIVIDENDS PAID TO POLICY HOLDERS	4,724,011 11
LOSSES PAID	2,462,801 71
ACCUMULATED CAPITAL	1,878,300 29

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It has declared more dividends to member, and of a larger percentage than any Company in the United States.
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Agents wanted in every section of the State; also, City Solicitors. ap27

DRY GOODS.

IMMENSE
REDUCTION
IN PRICES!
—AT—
C. T. BRUES & CO'S.
Entire Stock of New and Fashionable
DRESS GOODS
Marked Down to
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SPECIAL.
Ten pieces ALL SILK and WOOL Figured Grenadine at $1.25, worth $2.50.
Fans, Fans.
Best Assortment in the City. Prices reduced to ACTUAL FIRST COST.
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GRAND, GOOD BARGAINS
—AT—
HENRY ROEMER'S.
Fifteen and 20c Dress Goods reduced to 10c.
All other Dress Goods reduced to cost price.
All-wool Black Cashmere for 50c.
Extra quality Black Cashmere for 60c.
Handsome Parasols, the cheapest in the city.
Look at them, they are bargains.
Splendid Table Linen for 25c.
NEW STYLES OF CARPETS.
Flowered Carpet for 25, 30, 35 and 40c.
Grand Bargain—all-wool Carpet for 60 and 65c.
Best Cottage Carpet for 25c.
When you want to buy Dry Goods, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Window Shades, &c., call at
HENRY ROEMER'S,
CHEAP CASH DRY GOODS HOUSE,
No. 2006 Main Street, Wheeling, W. Va.
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GENERAL NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
OFFICE OF WHEELING & BELMONT BRIDGE CO., WHEELING, W. VA., June 25, 1878.
The Board of Managers of this Company have declared a dividend of three (3) per cent on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on demand on or after the 1st day of July, 1878, to the stockholders or their legal representatives holding stock this day.
je26 JOS. LAWSON, Sec'y.

DISSOLUTION.
The firm of Adams & Lucas has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. A. M. Adams retiring. The business of the old firm will be settled by A. M. Adams, who will continue at the old stand, No. 1227 Market street, until October 1st, 1878, for the purpose of disposing of a remnant of stock retained by him, consisting of new Pianos and Organs; also several good second-hand Pianos and organs, most of which have been on rent but a short time—all of which will be offered at the most reasonable prices and terms.
Mr. C. Y. Lucas succeeds to the business and secrecies of the various Pianos and Organs heretofore held by the old firm, together with Sheet Music, Musical Merchandise, &c., and will continue at the old stand, No. 1227 Market street.
A. M. ADAMS.
C. Y. LUCAS.
WHEELING, W. VA., April 17, 1878. ap19

A CARD.
In retiring from the firm of Adams & Lucas, I desire to thank my friends and the public generally for their liberal patronage, and ask that the same be extended to my successor.
A. M. ADAMS.
ap19

A CARD.
In succeeding to the Music Business of Adams & Lucas, I take this occasion of thanking my friends and the public for the liberal patronage extended to the old firm, and solicit the same for myself.
C. Y. LUCAS.
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PITTSBURGH IRON WAREHOUSE.
W. T. BURT & CO.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Iron, Nails, Steel and Heavy Hardware,
CARRIAGE AND WAGON WOODWORK, LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER PARIS, &c.
Agents for Fire and Burglar-Proof Safes, and Sturtevant's Blowers.
No. 1215 MAIN ST., WHEELING.
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WANTED—Everybody to know that Jos. Hope is Agent for the Celebrated Domestic Sewing Machine. Also for the White and New Home Sewing Machines. Mr. Hope is a practical Machinist, who has done the repairing for the different Machine Companies in this city for several years past, and is now conducting a Repair Shop for himself at 1213 Market Street.
All work warranted. Send in your Machines.
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Call at
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Agent for six popular Steamship Lines.
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When you can buy GENUINE OIL PAINTINGS, in handsome Walnut Gilt Frames, for $9 00,
At KIRK's—1005 Main Street.
Picture Frames, Mouldings, Photographic Materials, Looking Glasses 50c, Brackets and Wall Pockets 50c, Artist Materials, Albums, Stereoscopic Goods, at
je24 KIRK'S—OPP. GRAND HOUSE.

FOR SALE.

PUBLIC SALE—On SATURDAY, June 29th, 1878, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the front door of the Court House. The very desirable residence on west side South Front street (immediately opposite 12th street), Wheeling Island, now occupied by John Morgan. House contains nine rooms, pantry, bath room, &c. Everything under one roof and complete in every respect. Lot 60x125 feet; solid and improved. TERMS—One-third cash; remainder in equal installments at one and two years, with interest and secured by deed of trust on property.
HERVEY & PACE, Auctioneers.
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Sale adjourned till WEDNESDAY, July 3, 1878, at 2 o'clock P. M. jy1

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF A
Desirable Chapline St. Residence.
By virtue of a deed of trust made by Octavia A. Moore, P. H. Moore and Henry Moore, trustee, to the undersigned, dated the 3d day of May, 1875, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Ohio county, West Virginia, in Deed of Trust and Mortgage Book No. 8, pages 516, 517 and 518, I will on
SATURDAY, the 29th day of June, 1878,
Beginning at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House of said Ohio county, sell at public sale to the highest and best bidder the following described real estate, viz: to-wit: The southern half of Lot numbered fourteen (in square numbered ten (S. half of Lot No. 14 in square No. 10), on the west side of Chapline street (old Fourth), between Eleventh street (old Union) and Twelfth street (old Monroe), in the city of Wheeling, together with all and singular the improvements thereon and the hereditaments and appurtenances belonging thereto.
TERMS OF SALE—One-third, or as much more as the purchaser may elect to pay, in cash, and the residue of said purchase money in two equal annual installments at one year and two years from the day of sale, the purchaser to give his notes with approved security for the payment of said deferred installments and the interest which may accrue upon the same.
JAMES P. ROGERS, Trustee.
J. C. HERVEY, Auctioneer. ap28
The above sale is postponed until SATURDAY, July 6th, at 10 o'clock A. M.
jy1 JAS. P. ROGERS, Trustee.

FOR SALE CHEAP—ONE TOP BUGGY WAGON, in good order.
Call at 10 Twelfth street.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF
Valuable Short Creek Land.
By virtue of the authority vested in them by the Will of Henry J. Crawford, late of Ohio county, deceased, the undersigned executors will, on
WEDNESDAY, September 11, 1878,
At the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, in the city of Wheeling, beginning at 10 o'clock A. M., offer at public sale the "Longe Grove" farm, lying about five miles north of said city, and one mile east from the Ohio river, and lately owned and occupied by said Henry J. Crawford. This farm contains about 250 acres, and has thereon erected a large and commodious Stone House, in good condition and repair; a good barn, with stable, dairy house and other necessary outbuildings. There is also on this farm a thrifty and productive Orchard of well selected fruit of various kinds. The farm is well watered, well timbered, and underlaid with coal. It is in good condition and peculiarly well adapted both for cultivation and for grazing.
TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money in cash in hand, and the residue in three equal annual payments with interest from day of sale, the purchaser to give his notes with approved personal security for the deferred payments, the same to be secured by proper deed of trust on the land sold.
Possession given on day of sale.
For further information apply to A. J. Clarke, Attorney, No. 71 Twelfth street.
CHARLES CRAWFORD,
ELIZABETH J. FAHNESTOCK,
Executors.
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SALE OF VALUABLE
Business Real Estate.
The undersigned, John F. Edmundson, Administrator with the will annexed of Michael Tierney, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will on
WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of July, A. D. 1878,
Commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House of Ohio county, in the city of Wheeling, Ohio county, W. Va., the following described real estate in said city, to-wit: All that piece of land fronting on the east side of Main street, between 10th and 11th streets, and being next south of the property of C. A. Worcester, formerly belonging to John Stamm, having twenty-two feet front on Main street and running back of even twenty-two feet in width to an alley in the rear thereof between Main and Market streets, being same property the legal title to which was conveyed to the undersigned by Morris Jones, formerly executor and trustee of said deceased, but property is same occupied at present by Simon Bloch Bros. as a cigar factory, and is well suited for business purposes.
Title believed good, but being only a personal representative the undersigned will warrant the same specially.
TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the purchase money cash in hand, and the residue in two equal installments payable in one and two years from day of sale, with interest. The deferred payments to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned.
JOHN F. EDMUNDSON,
Administrator as aforesaid.