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OFFICIAL PAPER OF HENRY COUNTY. When you pay more for the Rent of your Business House than for Advertising your Business, you are pursuing a false policy.

Attention, Democrats!

Freedom Township Caucus. The Democracy of Freedom township are requested to meet at their usual place of holding elections, on Saturday, March 20th, 1881.

Napoleon Corporation Caucus. The Democracy of the village of Napoleon are called to meet at the City Hall, on Saturday, April 2, 1881.

Napoleon Township Caucus. The Democracy of Napoleon township are requested to meet at the City Hall, in Napoleon, at 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, April 2, 1881.

Washington Township Caucus. The Democracy of Washington township are requested to meet at the School House in Colton, at 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, March 20th, 1881.

Pleasant Township Caucus. Please announce that a caucus will be held at Beaverson's Hall, in Holgate, at 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, March 26, 1881.

Liberty Twp. Caucuses. The Democracy of Liberty township are requested to meet at Chroninger's School House, on Friday, April 1, 1881.

GENERAL STEADMAN recalls in a pleasant way the first inauguration which he ever attended. It was 40 years ago when "Tippecanoe and Tyler too" took their oaths of office.

FRED DOUGLASS must vacate. His color is obnoxious to Garfield. Now Foster says he did not want a Cabinet position! Sour grapes.

EX-GOVERNOR WALKER, of Virginia, is about to locate in New York to practice law.

THE constitutional amendments, voted on in Indiana on Monday, were adopted. The vote was tight.

THE editor of the Signal is on the anxious seat. We would warn him to be on the lookout for crooked pins.

IT is thought that LeDuc will go out of the agricultural department. Quite a crowd want to step into his shoes.

POSTER feels so bad that as yet he has been unable to tear himself away from Washington. Jas. G., give him a sugar-teat.

SCORE another victory for the Democracy. Rochester went Democratic at the charter election last week by a good round majority.

THE Ohio Legislature went on a pilgrimage to Washington but not one among their number was chosen to help run our big government.

DEMOCRATS in every township in the county should have their tickets printed for the spring election. We will do the work reasonable, for cash.

IT is not unlikely that Indiana will profit by the treatment she is receiving at the hands of Garfield and vote the Democratic ticket hereafter.—Enquirer.

GARFIELD has nominated Ex-Senator Thurman as one of the International Monetary Commissioners to go to Paris. It is a nomination fit to be made.

CAPT. KAGA is announced as a candidate for Representative, in the Sidney papers. The Capt. will be remembered as a former resident of this place, holding a position under Andy Johnson, that of whisky storekeeper.

SECRETARY EVARTS is said to have spent \$20,000 a year above his salary while he has been in Washington, much of it being for entertainments properly chargeable to the president.

SIX members of the new Senate are not natives of the United States.—Farley, of California; Fair, of Nevada; Jones, of Florida, and Sewell, of New Jersey, were born in Ireland; Jones, of Nevada, in England, and Beck, of Kentucky, in Scotland.

AN elegant bronze statue of Gen. J. B. McPherson will be unveiled in Cincinnati at the reunion of the Army of the Tennessee April 7. It will remain there a few weeks and then removed to Clyde, Ohio, where the remains of the dead hero are interred.

THE Pond Liquor Bill passed the Ohio Senate last Thursday. As the bill stood in the Senate it fixes the tax in Cincinnati and Cleveland at \$250, and in all other places at \$100. The bill was passed by a vote of 21 to 14. Senator Wilkins voted in the negative.

AN exchange says Hon. Martin Schilder, of Chillicothe, who has just served out two terms as member of the Ohio Board of Public Works, has been presented with a fine gold-headed cane by employes of the Ohio Canal, which they sent him by express. Mr. Schilder is a Democrat, and is unqualifiedly one of the best men in Ohio.

THE Legislature to be elected in Ohio this year will not be called upon, except in case of death or resignation, to choose a United States Senator.—The Ohio Senators are in good health, and it is safe to say neither one of them will resign. This is a state of affairs calculated to induce lassitude in the Legislative campaign, save among those who hope to be Clerks and Sergeant-at-Arms, or possibly Stewards or Stokers in the State institutions.—Enquirer.

THERE is talk of transferring Frederick Douglass from the Marshalship of the District of Columbia to Brazil, where he will be associated with colored men high in place and find his associations more congenial. President Garfield should be careful about taking any backward step from the color line. The eyes of the colored Republicans are upon him. They expect him not only to march boldly up to the color line, but to step over it and stamp and expectorate upon it.—Enquirer.

MAHONE is now a bigger (?) man than Grant. Money from the Republican corruption fund has bought him. He is a disgrace to the State he represents.

HON. JOE BLACKBURN, of Kentucky, visited the Ohio Legislature on Friday, and that body took a recess for a few minutes in order that its members might pay their respects to the distinguished gentleman.

THE Nationals at Toledo have made the following nominations: For Mayor, Jacob Romeis; Solicitor, W. A. Chamberlain; Police Judge, Thomas Dunlap; Police Prosecutor, Ira E. Lee; Water Works Trustee, I. Lippert.

ON account of illness and press of business O. B. Ramey, member of the board of equalization from this district, has resigned. Gov. Foster will fill the vacancy by appointment. It is said that Gen. Steadman is pressed for the position.

THE Democrats of Damascus township have put in nomination the following ticket: Trustees, J. M. Hoff, man, J. Galbraith, Henry Briney; Treasurer, G. W. Vogel; Clerk, J. W. Hanna; Assessor, J. P. Snapp; Constables, A. H. Peery, A. May.

THE National Banks should see to it that a suitable fund is raised to compensate Ex-Pres. Hayes for his veto of the funding bill. Let each of the two thousand National Banks contribute \$250, and \$500,000 is raised. The banks could well afford to do this. Verily, the laborer is worthy of his hire.—Sunday Journal.

HAYES no doubt returned to Ohio with the biggest end of the \$200,000 swag that rightfully belonged to Mr. Tilden, notwithstanding the Republican press wish to make it appear that he spent it about all in paying up his old debts. Well, let it be one or the other, he had no right to it, either to keep it or to pay his debts with. He has simply taken \$200,000 which did not belong to him.

THE Nebraska Legislature came within two votes of casting the required three-fifths in favor of submitting the Kansas amendment to the people of Nebraska. Failing in that, the temperance men carried through a license law which compels saloon keepers to give a bond of \$5,000, pay \$1,000 for a license in cities of 10,000 inhabitants, and \$500 in smaller towns. The law also prohibits the use of screens, and make it a misdemeanor for one man to treat another.

GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS, of New York, in speaking of Senator Pendleton's Civil Service Reform Bill, says: "The best bill ever introduced in the interest of Civil Service Reform is that which Senator Pendleton introduced on the 10th of January. It contains the principles that have been approved and tested by experience, and made applicable in the most reasonable manner. This bill which differs somewhat from that introduced by him earlier in the session has the hearty approval of the Civil Service Association in New York. It is a simple, practicable measure, upon which all the friends of reform in the country can stand together. To secure its passage would be to aid President Garfield in the way that he once indicated. Whatever the course of the new administration may be, the reform of the Civil Service will be pressed by its friends as urgently and confidently as ever."

HOW'S THE BABY. "How's the baby?" "His croup is better this morning, thank you. We gave him some of Thomas' Electric Oil as you advised, doctor, and shall give him some more in an hour or so." Next day the doctor pronounced the youngster cured. For sale by J. C. Saur.

DICKENS to tell inimitably a story about Carlyle, the scene occurring at a dinner held at Proctor's where were present, among others, Carlyle and the well-known editor of a review. The editor had enunciated some weighty opinion on the subject under discussion—as Dickens used to say, "treating it in the usual—Review manner, wrapping it up in a small parcel and laying it on a shelf as done with forever"—and a dead silence ensued. This silence, was to the astonishment of all broken by Carlyle, who, seated immediately opposite the editor, looking across at him in a dreamy way, said as though to himself, but in audible tones, "Eh, but you're a pair creetur, a pair, wretched, miserable creetur!" then, with a sigh, he relapsed into silence.

THOUSANDS of ladies have found sudden relief from all their woes by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the great remedy for diseases peculiar to females. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets.

RECORDED to witness with banded head: "Did he have any provocation when he struck you?" Witness: "He may have had something of the kind conveyed about his person, but it was a brick he struck me with."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, March 14, 1881. The new Administration is fairly started upon its career, having been ushered in with more parade, enthusiasm, and good feeling than any administration for years.

THE Cabinet, of which opinions have been already freely expressed, is generally regarded as politic and by no means weak in its composition. Much has been written in the daily press about the dissatisfaction of Senators Conkling and Cameron, but this, as nearly as I can ascertain, is mostly sensational. A careful analysis of the Cabinet does not reveal a preponderance of any of the elements that are said to be more or less antagonistic. It is not a Blaine Cabinet, but it is a Garfield Cabinet. In fact it appears from a disinterested standpoint, that the President has so nicely balanced the different interests that all the factions must be satisfied of his intention to deal fairly with them, while holding himself in a position to play them off against each other and provide for his own re-nomination in 1884.

THE Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Conkling, may have wished to name a Secretary of the Treasury, but he cannot complain when he has a friend for Postmaster General instead. Mr. Cameron doubtless wanted to have some voice in fixing Pennsylvania's representation also, but he cannot reasonably complain that his own brother-in-law is Wayne McVeagh.

AT the very outset the President and his advisers are called upon to grapple with the important question. The situation of the national banks, growing out of the action of the latter pending consideration of the funding bill in Congress, and the question whether an extra session is advisable, are matters that have occupied the serious attention of the Cabinet. The bolding tactics of the banks in surrendering legal-tenders and withdrawing their circulation, have not been enough, while Congress was in the way, but now that they want to take it all back, there is some doubt whether it is just the thing to let them do so.

CONCERNING an extra session of Congress there are many considerations favorable to it. Senators Edmunds and Conkling and Secretary Widom are of the opinion that one should be called, as are also many other of the party leaders, but Secretary Blaine and the President have questioned the wisdom of this. I think, however, it may be regarded as tolerably certain that a session will be convened about the 15th of May. The importance of passing a re-funding measure that will save the \$1,000,000 per month difference in interest, together with the settlement of questions relating to apportionment and the desire to promptly organize the new houses in the interior, may induce the principal considerations operating in favor of a called session.

THE Senate confirmed promptly the appointments sent in so far, and has spent the rest of the time in canvassing over reorganization. So long as the Republican vacancies remained unfilled the Democrats have had control, but with the seats all filled there is an element of uncertainty in the situation. Judge Davis, it is now understood, will vote Democratic, and has been awarded the chairmanship of the Judiciary Committee in the new make-up of the committee. But if Senator Mahone comes down from the fence and lands on the Republican side there will be a tie, and Vice President Arthur will throw the organization into the hands of his party.

SEVERAL well-known faces are mingled with the Senate chamber since March 4, and among them some of the ablest and most respected members of that body. This is especially true of the Democratic side. The fortunes of war have taken the best. Chief among them is Senator Thurman. Friend and foe agree that the country has produced few larger or better men than he. He is a great lawyer—always a consistent Democrat. He speaks the truth in the other extremity when he said he was brought up in a school that really believed what he said. However people may differ as to the soundness of Mr. Thurman's political views, it must be admitted that he has always been an honest and hard hitter in their behalf. His efforts on questions of legislation, especially those involving the relation of the Government with great corporations, have been of long and high value. How efficient and worthy his successor may be, the country parts with regret with Senator Thurman—a strong, vigorous, honest, kindly man, whose weakness have, like the weakness of other great men, been the result of his ambition for the Presidency. He is now an old man, and not likely to return to any very active post in public life.

SENATOR Eaton is another who will be missed. There is a great deal of affection felt for this old diamond. Honest men love an honest opponent and a hard fighter, who stands up squarely and manfully and never resorts to artifice or treachery. Eaton is such a man, and the strong men on the Republican side like him. Like Thurman, he has always been on the honest side of legislation. McDonald is also missed by both parties, but he is young enough to come back some day, perhaps. Wallace is another of the party, whose loss will be a serious one to his party. Kernan, too, makes a break in the ranks, and his face has probably been seen for the last time in public position. The Republican loss has been among the minor lights, whose places have been filled mostly by better men, and in this last turn of the wheel the advantages have largely fallen on that side of the chamber.

OHIO FISH LAW. The following is the substance of the Ohio Fish Law, and will be of interest to many of our readers, especially the mill-owners: Under a penalty of a fine of from \$50 or \$100 it is forbidden to catch any fish for salting or packing and selling from the 1st of June to the 1st of September. The fine goes into the Common School Fund. The owner of every dam across any river or creek in the State must keep a chute or way open for the passage of fish. When he does not do so, such passage may be made at his expense. Fishing by seine or net, or in any other way than by hook and line, except for minnows, is prohibited, except in the Mercer county Reservoir, Laramie Reservoir, in Shelby county, and Lake Erie. The penalty for violating this provision is a fine of from \$10 to \$50, or imprisonment from ten to thirty days. Fishing of any sort, except in bodies of water containing as much as a thousand acres, is prohibited during the spawning season, from April 1st to June 15th.

THE MARKETS.

GRAIN MARKET. NAPOLÉON, OHIO, March 9, 1881. (Corrected by H. H. Vockler & Co.)

Table listing various grain prices including Wheat, Corn, and Flour.

Flour, Feed and Grain.

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Provision Market.

Table listing prices for various provisions like Apples, Eggs, and Butter.

CONCERT MENDELSSOHN.

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MISS MARE NELLINI.

This renowned club, whose record of more than thirty years of successive triumphs, is known to lovers of Music throughout the land, is the most perfect combination of its character on this continent, and is in the front rank of similar organizations in the world.

Disolution.

THE partnership between H. E. Cary and T. R. Carroll, as H. E. Cary & Co., of Napoleon, Ohio, and Cary & Carroll, of Defiance, Ohio, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

\$500 Reward.

WE will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation or Costiveness we cannot cure with West's Vegetable Liver Pills.

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NOTICE OF School Election!

NOTICE is hereby given to the qualified voters of the Napoleon Union School District of Henry county, Ohio, that the next annual meeting for the election of Directors for said district will be held on Monday, April 4th, 1881.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Michael Elden, Administrator of the estate of Mathias Weaver, deceased, has filed his first partial account for settlement, which will be for hearing April 1st, A. D., 1881.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that my wife, Mary Deane, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation and that I will not be responsible for any debts which she may contract.

House and Ten Acres of Land for Sale.

THE undersigned offers at private sale a house and ten acres of land, situated 1 mile north of Liberty, Ohio. The house is new, 5 acres of the land cleared, balance in timber. Young orchard on the place. Price \$3000—cash down, balance in two years.

Application for Pardon.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Ohio, on the 22nd day of April, 1881, or as soon thereafter as a hearing can be had, for the pardon of Timothy Beardon, convicted at the October term of the Court of Common Pleas for 1879, within and for the county of Henry, begun and held at Napoleon, Ohio, on the 23rd day of October, 1879, on the charge of house-stealing, and sentenced to the Ohio Penitentiary for a term of five years.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Evers and Louis Evers, Administrators of the estate of Louis Evers, deceased, have filed their final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 19th, 1881.

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NOTICE is hereby given that William H. Conn, Administrator of the estate of William Conn, deceased, has filed his final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 19th, 1881.

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NOTICE is hereby given that A. S. Stucky, Administrator of the estate of John Stucky, deceased, has filed his final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 19th, 1881.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Newton S. Cole, Guardian of the minor heirs of Jacob Reichelt, deceased, has filed his first and final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 19th, 1881.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jacob Lombardy, Administrator of the estate of Daniel Mollet, deceased, has filed his first and final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 25, 1881.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that William McGee, Jr., Administrator of the estate of John Harrison, deceased, has filed his first and final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 26, 1881.

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that C. H. Gidley, Administrator of the estate of John Gidley, deceased, has filed his first and final account for settlement, which will be for hearing March 26, 1881.

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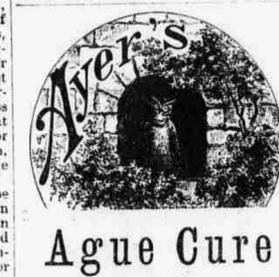
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It is a startling fact, that quinine, arsenic and other poisonous minerals, form the basis of most of the "Fever and Ague Preparations," "Specifics," "Syrups," and "Tonics," in the market. The preparations made from these mineral poisons, although they are palatable, and may break the chill, do not cure, but leave the malarial and their own drug poison in the system, producing quinine, dizziness, ringing in the ears, headache, vertigo, and other disorders more formidable than the disease they were intended to cure.

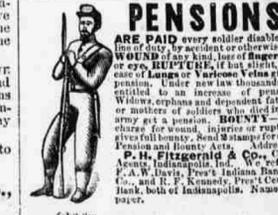
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For Liver Complaints, AYER'S AGUE CURE, by direct action on the liver and biliary apparatus, drives out the poisons which produce these complaints, and restores the system to a vigorous, healthy condition.

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