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The Democrat.

ESTABLISHED, A. D. 1833. A. MCGREGOR, Editor.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

The new postal law requires the prepayment of postage on newspapers that are sent beyond the limits of the county...

BECKER gives emphatic denial to Hamilton's testimony concerning his (Becker's) purported confession of adultery with Mrs. Tilton.

THE COURT House at Newark, was burned Tuesday night. The valuable papers in the Auditor and Probate Judge's offices were destroyed.

WHEELING has been enjoined from getting the capital of West Virginia, and it may be the law providing for its removal from Charleston will be declared unconstitutional.

The new judicial law passed by the Ohio Legislature requires every Judge of the Court of Common Pleas to hold court \$300 hundred and forty days each year...

THE cost of the United States Marshals in the two districts of Arkansas last year were equal to the whole cost of the Federal judiciary of the entire Union in 1868.

BALTIMORE'S new City Hall covers an entire square, and is built entirely of white marble, and is described as the handsomest building of the kind in the United States.

ADJUTANT GENERAL BINGHAM, of the State of Missouri, has discovered frauds in the issue of certificates of debt on the part of the State for war services during the civil war.

THE organs are proclaiming very virtuously that the Cameron excursion to Mexico has no political significance, but is undertaken purely for pleasure.

His conversation recently with a representative of the St. Louis Republican, Ex Representative Phelps said the "Republican party is now squarely divided within itself, and from this time until the national convention next year, the contest between the Grant, or Radical, and the Blaine, or Conservative, factions will be the unrelenting."

There is food for thought in this paragraph from the Boston Herald: "Those people who think it impossible for President Grant to get a nomination for a third term have not looked at the figures. There will be 369 votes in the Convention. Of these thirty Southern States will have 138. Grant could get all these 369, and 48 more would give him a majority."

THE ELECTION

On Monday was carried on with unusual activity, and a very large vote polled. The cutting and slashing, scratching and mutilating, pulling and hawling, was far beyond anything we ever witnessed.

The township ticket is also mixed. The Democratic Trustees are re-elected, and we get two of the three constables; while we lose the Clerk, Treasurer and Assessor.

The fact is, no rule seems to have been followed—confusion reigned supreme. Personal considerations had considerable to do with some of the results.

The mistake was in not organizing and working unitedly for the whole ticket. Matters were allowed to run too much at loose ends, and, of course, the Democratic ticket suffered.

We speak thus admonishingly to our Democratic friends, hoping they will wisely profit by the late unnecessary disaster in our city.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The Ohio Legislature adjourned sine die, last Tuesday, for which we offer thanks. The Columbus Dispatch says this Legislature will compare favorably in its acts with any preceding one.

The total appropriations of the Legislature just adjourned, for the current year is \$2,189,556.39. The total for the two years, \$4,381,341.56.

The World commenting upon the recent able speech of Senator Bayard in New Haven says:

"Nobody knows better than Mr. Bayard and nobody can tell better what a narrow miss we have made of putting the government of this country into the hands of Mr. Grant without any restraint."

SENATOR BAYARD, of Delaware, in his speech at New Haven, on Tuesday evening of last week, alluding to the national finances, said: "The country could have afforded to pay Boutwell five million dollars a year to have him stay at home and leave the Treasury alone."

SCHAEFER AND PREYER

The following letter from Hugo Preyer to us, explains itself, and tells much truth of the unprincipled fellow who is now the head of the Repository ring, and who also manipulates Mr. Preyer and his Zeitung in the interest of the ring.

CANTON, December 17, 1874. A. A. J. McGregor, City—

GENTS: The following I submit to you as private and confidential, and trust you will make no use of it in any manner whatever at present.

I worked day and night for the paper, until I saw that under such editorialism it could not exist, when I made up my mind to discontinue. I have no objection to an editor expressing his views, but he should do so in a gentlemanly manner.

THE CONNECTICUT ELECTION.

The news from Connecticut is glorious. The Grant party had sent its talent into the State, recognizing the importance of that election. They thoroughly canvassed the State, pleading with the people to vote to save the Republican party in 1876.

The Enquirer says that the testimony in the Wood County Investigation developed that "there were a set of petty bribe takers in the Legislature."

The beauties of Grant rule in the South may be seen in Arkansas. Take the case of one of the Arkansas districts, for instance, and compare the costs of marshals, district attorneys, special counsel, clerks, commissioners, rents and all other items of expense in all the New England States.

THE Jim Gordon Legislative investigation of alleged corruption, growing out of the Wood county seat contest, terminated about as anticipated.

PENNSYLVANIA has the magnificent sum of \$1,76 in its treasury, the legacy of the State ring. A man could rob that State without committing grand larceny.

THE ELECTION FOR SCHOOL BOARD.

The vote polled Monday last for members of the Board of Education was, to the astonishment of every one, a very large one, exceeding even the large vote polled several years ago when the question of building a new school house was before the people.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have been duly appointed and qualified as executors of the estate of John Stuekey, deceased.

NOTICE.

Directors will be received by the Infirmary Directors of Stark county, until April 24, 1876, to fill the good best of the Infirmary.

Bridge Letting.

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Notice to Stockholders.

THE Wrought Iron Bridge company has this day declared a dividend of 10 per cent, on its capital stock, payable to stockholders at the company's office on and after the first day of May, A. D. 1876.

NOTICE.

WANTED—A responsible party to take the agency for the Singer Sewing Machine, for Canton and vicinity.

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THAT Simon Rupert will have the following terms for sale: Early Cabbage, per hundred, \$7.00; do do per dozen, \$8.00; do do per hundred, \$20.00.

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Of every style and variety, ranging from 100 lbs. to 100,000 lbs. weight, and of every material, and of every price.

A CAR LOAD

Marblehead Lime

CEMENT.

A CAR LOAD

Anchor Brand

Just received at DURBIN, WRIGHT & BENTLEY, April 7th—m.

AMENDMENTS.

Senate Joint Resolution

Relative to an amendment of Article Four of the Constitution relating to the Judiciary.

Resolved, By the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, that the members elected to each House agreeing thereto, that it be and is hereby proposed to the electors of this State to vote, at the next annual October election, upon the approval or rejection of the following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Ohio:

Section 22. A commission, which shall consist of five members, shall be appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, the members of which shall hold office for the term of three years from and after the first day of February, 1875, to dispose of such part of the business then on the docket of the Supreme Court as shall be referred to it by the Commission, and by arrangement between said Commission and said court, and to report to the Governor and the Commission shall have jurisdiction and power in respect to such business as are or may be pending in the Supreme Court, and the Commission shall receive like compensation for the time being, with the judges of said court. A majority of the members of said Commission shall be necessary to form a quorum, and the Commission shall have jurisdiction and power in respect to such business as are or may be pending in the Supreme Court, and the Commission shall receive like compensation for the time being, with the judges of said court.

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NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the State Bank of Ohio, at the residence of A. M. Blake, Clerk of Ohio, at 10 o'clock, P. M., on the 15th day of April, 1876, for the purpose of electing Directors thereof.