Wit and Wisdom.

☞ Why did Job always sleep cold? Because he had poor comforters.

☞ Shrewd inquiries are being made whether the cup of sorrow has a saucer.

☞ "I shall be indebted to you for life," an absquatulator said to his creditors, when he bolted to Australia.

☞ Here is another still better:—Why is a muff like a fool? Because it holds a lady's hand without squeezing it.

☞ Here is a conundrum got off by a Nebraska editor: Why is a Nebraska shinplaster like an impenitent sinner?—Because it does not know that its redeemer liveth.

☞ John asked Julia if she would have him. "No," said she, "I will not have you; but before John could recover from the shock, she archly put in, "but you can have me."

☞ A United States Deputy Marshal was lately sent to Springfield, Ill., to summon a Mrs. Thayer, *alias* Burnett, to court. He returned, saying he had summoned Mrs. Thayer, "but Alias Burnett could not be found."

☞ A young gentleman having made some progress in acquiring a knowledge of Italian, addressed a few words to an organ grinder in his purest accent. He was astonished at receiving the following response—"I no speak Inglis."

☞ "Why is the letter D like a ring?" said a young lady to her accepted. The gentleman, like the generality of his sex when placed in such situations, was as a hammer. "Because" added the lady, with a very modest look at the picture at the other end of the room—"because *we* can't be *wed* without it."

☞ An old soaker in Boston being found in the gutter on a rainy night, the water making a clear breach over him from head to heels, was asked by a passer-by what he was doing there?

"Oh," said he, "I agreed to meet a man here."

☞ An alderman by the name of Kirk owned a valuable mare, which was put under the care of an Irish servant. The mare happened to die one day by some violent disease, and the servant immediately informed his mistress.

"Marm, the mare's dead."

"The mayor dead!" replied the lady: "Then I suppose Mr. Kirk will be mayor now."

"Indade, marm," exclaimed Pat, "it's not the *man* mare, but the *horse* mare that I mane."

☞ The Vermont *Patriot* tells a story of an old usurer who went, one day, to visit a former borrower, who had since, fortunately grown to be independent.—They went into the garden. Passing along a walk flanked on either side with flowers of great beauty and variety, the visitor made no remark until he came to a potato patch when he exclaimed, "My friend, you'll have a fine crop of potatoes there!" "That's just like you," said the proprietor, "when gentlemen and ladies pass through my garden they look at the flowers, but when a hog comes in, all he can see is potatoes!"

Local Domestic Drama.

"Henry, dost thou love me, dearest?"

"Why askest thou, Helenora?"

"Not that I fear the answer, dearest Henry, but because I love to hear thee speak; say, dearest Henry, dost thou love me?"

"Ask the stars if they love to twinkle, or the flowers if they love to smell, or the rose to bloom. Love you! Aye, as the birds love to warble, or the breeze to waft its balmy influence—why askest thou me, flannel of my heart?"

"Because my soul is grieved; care has overcast the joy which once spread sunshine o'er thy face; anguish sits upon thy brow, and yet your Helenora knoweth not the cause. Tell me, my aching heart, why droopest thou, my soul—has beef riz?"

"No, my Helenora—thank the Gods!

"No; but my credit's fell. Wictor, from this day forth, sells meat for cash."

Helenora faints, screeches and falls into her husband's arms, who, in the anguish of the moment, seizes a knife, and stabs himself—over the left.

THE TOUGHEST OF TURKEYS--THE EFFECT OF BLOOD PILLS.

Cuff was a gentleman's gentleman down in old Virginia, and a darkie of most undoubted honesty and truth; but he would sometimes tell tough stories. He met "Kurnel Johnsing's nigg," as he called him, the othe day, and after cussing and discussing various matters appertaining to their matters, fell into the following conversation:

Sam—Well, Cuff how you was?

Cuff—O, I isn't no wuss.

Sam—How is all de folk down at de house?

Cuff—O, dey is able to be round, 'cept de ole man's darter; she had the doctor the other day. He came in, looked at her, kept lookin, at her, said she was bilyous, and guv her a box of Dr. Roback's Scandinavian blood pills. When de doctor go, she up and threw de pills out de window. *She* wouldn't take no pills, no *sah!* Wal, de ole turkeycock cum, an'—greedy kuss—he gobbled down de pills, box an' all, wid de whole directions.

Next day we had company, an' had to kill dat turkeycock, yer see. Brought him on de table, biled wid ister sass, massa flourish his knife, and try to cut him up; couldn't get de knife into him.

"Cuff," says he, "how long did yer bile dis turkey?"

"Bile him an hour, sah."

"Take him away and bile him *another* hour."

So I took him away an, bile him another hour.

Sam—Did de company wait?

Cuff—O, yas, de company waited.—Wal, I brought de turkey in, an' massa flourish his big knife agin an' try to cut him; but he couldn't do it, no sah!

"Take him away and bile him *another* hour."

So I take him down into the kitchen agin.

Sam—Did de company wait?

Cuff—Of *course* dey waited. I brought in de turkey agin, an' massa try to cut. But it was *no go*; massa git mad.

"Take him away an' *bile him a week.*"

Sam—*Did the compang wait?*

Cuff—O, yas, de company waited—bound to see de fun out, yer know.—Wal, in a week I brought in dat turkey. Massa thought he got him dis time sure; but he couldn't cut a hole in him; de ole cock wouldn't be cut. Massa send for de doctor, to hab de turkey examined. De doctor came, look at de turkey—look all over him. Says he, "It's no use; you can't bile dis turkey, for he has taken a box of dese Scandinavian blood pills, *an' dere isn't any bile in him.*"

THE CONFESSION OF A DEMOCRAT.

A clever correspondent of the Milwaukee *Sentinel* writes of an incident on the Hudson River Railroad, in which he was partly a participant. An old man sat by his side, and, finally addressing him, the Milwaukean said:

"Sir, you seem to have traveled a great distance?"

"Yes, some two thousand miles."

"Ah, indeed; what part of the West?"

"Iowa, Illinois and Wisconsin."

"Then you can express an opinion as to the result of the Presidential canvas in those States?"

"No, I can't. I might have done so before I left home, but now that I have got back, I confess I don't know anything about it."

"Don't you find the sentiment very strong for Lincoln?"

"Yes—sentiment, indeed, rather than sense. The Republicans enlist all the sentiment, they are a sentimental set."

Seeing I was rather amused than surprised, he continued:

"See here, I'll tell you. I am sixty years old. I have raised a family of four boys, and raised them all in the Democratic faith. Fifteen years ago my boy John went to Illinois, and voted the Democratic ticket regularly. I did well with John and helped him to stock his farm and pay off his mortgage. He was a smart boy—was John. Well, sir, when that debate between Douglas and Lincoln was raging in Illinois, John got a crochet in his head and became a Republican. It was a hard blow for me, I tell you. Well, Phil grew up and I set him up in Des Moines; bought him a quarter section, and told him to get married. Phil did well, but the first thing that I heard was that he had turned Republican, and the young scamp tried to convert me by writing long letters about the Kansas muss, &c. I talked pretty sharp to both of them, but they both voted for Fremont in spite of me. But there was Roger and Dan at home yet, and I felt sure that they would never desert the faith of their father.—I set Roger up in Iowa, alongside of his brother, with a faint hope that he might reclaim him. And Dan went off to Rock county, Wisconsin, and a year ago I found, sir, that Roger was publishing a Republican paper, and Dan was making speeches for a Republican Governor in Wisconsin. It nearly broke my heart, but what could I do. The boys said they now saw the error of voting for Buchanan. Well, sir, a few months ago I made up my mind to go West myself, for the first time in my life, and see about things. I did go West, and I happened to hear Douglas make a speech while I was away from home. You may not believe it, sir, but I am going home now, and I don't know whether I'm a Democrat or Republican myself."

Purity of Character.

Over the beauty of the plum and the apricot there grows a bloom and beauty more exquisite than the first fruit itself—a soft, delicate flush that overspreads its blushing cheek. Now, if you strike your hand over that, and it is gone, it is gone forever, for it never grows but once. The flower that hangs in the morning, impearled with dew—arrayed as no queenly woman ever was arrayed in jewels—once shake it so that the beads roll off, and you may sprinkle it with water as you please, yet it can never be made again what it was, when the dew fell silently upon it from heaven! On a frosty morning you may see the panes of glass covered with landscapes—mountains, lakes and trees, blending in beautiful and fantastic pictures. Now lay your hand upon the glass, and by the scratch of your finger, or by the warmth of your palm, all the delicate tracery will be obliterated.

So there is in youth a beauty and purity of character, which, when once touched and defiled, can never be restored—a fringe more delicate than frost work, and which, when torn and broken, will never be re-embroidered.—A man who has spotted and soiled his garments in youth, though he may seek to make them white again, can never wholly do it, even were he to wash them with his tears. When a young man leaves his father's house, with the blessing of his mother's tears still wet upon his forehead, if he once loses that purity of character, it is a loss that he can never make whole again. Such is the consequence of crime. Its effects cannot be eradicated, it can only be *forgiven*.

A Mother's Love.

Children look in those eyes; listen to that dear voice; notice the feeling of even a single touch, that is bestowed upon you by that gentle hand! Make much of it while yet you have the most precious of all good gifts—a loving mother. Read the unfathomable love of those eyes; the kind anxiety of that tone and look, however slight your pain. In after life, you may have many friends—fond, dear, kind friends—but never will you have again the inexpressible love and gentleness lavished upon you which none but a mother bestows. Often do I sigh, in my struggles with the hard, uncaring world, for the sweet, deep security I felt, when of an evening, nestling to her bosom, I listened to some quiet tale, suitable to my age, read in her tender and untiring voice. Never can I forget her sweet glances, cast upon me when I appeared to sleep; never her kiss of peace at night! Years have passed away since we laid her beside my father in the old church yard; yet, still her voice whispers from the grave, and her eye watches over me as I visit spots long since hallowed to the memory of my mother.—*Macauley.*

Mr. Beecher and the Doctorate.

PEEKSKILL, August 21, 1860.

To the President and Board of Trustees of Amherst College:

GENTLEMEN: I have been duly notified that at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees the title of *Doctor of Divinity* was conferred upon me.

It would certainly give me pleasure should *any* respectable institution bear such a testimony of good will. But that Amherst College, my own mother, should so kindly remember a son, is a peculiar gratification.

But all the use of such a title ends with the public expression of a wish to confer it. For the rest, it would be but an encumbrance, and furnish an address by no means agreeable to my taste. I greatly prefer the simplicity of that name which my mother uttered over me in the holy hour of infant consecration and baptism. May I be permitted, without seeming to undervalue your kindness, or disesteeming the honor meant, to return it to your hands; that I may to the end of my life be, as thus far I have been, simply HENRY WARD BEECHER.

Receipt for Vinegar.

Take forty gallons rain water, 1 gallon molasses, and 4 pounds acetic acid. It will be fit for use in a few days.—This is the receipt by which most of the cider vinegar is made, which is sold in the stores.

Insurance.

GUARD AGAINST FALL AND WINTER FIRES!
BY
Choice Insurance
WITH THE

Incorporated 1819—Charter Perpetual.

CASH CAPITAL, $1,500,000,

ABSOLUTE AND UNIMPAIRED.

NET SURPLUS OF $500,000.00,

And the prestige of 40 years success and experience. Upward of $12,000,000 of losses have been paid by the Ætna Insurance Company in the past 40 years.

The value of reliable Insurance will be apparent from the following

LOSSES PAID BY THE ÆTNA

DURING THE PAST FIVE YEARS:

In Ohio,	$431,520 83	In Michigan,	$158,043 81
In Wisconsin,	106,955 07	In Indiana,	146,839 81
In Kentucky,	204,939 40	In Illinois,	448,327 41
Missouri,	384,518 04	Tennessee,	97,549 21
Iowa & Minn.,	101,399 46	Kansas & Neb.,	19,945 77
Penn. & Va.,	31,595 82	Ark. & Ga.,	23,945 09

Mississippi and Alabama, $52,412 18

Fire and Inland Navigation Risks accepted at terms consistent with solvency and profit.

Especial attention given to Insurance of DWELLINGS and contents, for terms of 1 to 5 years.

The solid service long and successfully tried, and the many advantages the Ætna Insurance Company possesses in its line, should not be overlooked by those ready to insure and understanding their best interests.

During "stringent times" the necessity for reliable Insurance becomes an imperative duty—the ability of property owners to sustain loss being then much lessened.

Agencies in all the principal cities and towns throughout the State. Policies issued without delay, by any of the duly authorized Agents of the Company.

☞ Business attended to with despatch and fidelity. OREN BRANCH, Agent,

Sept. 20.—38-3m. Pomeroy, O.

Exclusively Fire Insurance.

POMEROY AGENCY,
MANHATTAN
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 68 Wall Street, New York.

CASH CAPITAL $250,000. CASH SURPLUS, $150,000.

INCORPORATED, 1821.

WM. PITT PALMER, President.
ANDREW J. SMITH, Secretary.

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W. P. Palmer, Samuel F. Mott, Rufus L. Lord, Wm. F. Mott, Wm. W. Fox, Edwin D. Morgan, Richard Tighe, Thomas Barron, Robert B. Minturn, Thomas W. Pearsall, Peter Cooper, Henry Kelsworth, Augustus W. Ward, James Colles, Sidney Mason, Moses Taylor, L. S. Suarez, John Caswell, John Stewart, John C. Green, Eben B. Crocker.

This staunch old Company having fully complied with the laws of this State, continue to insure the safer classes of property

Against Loss or Damage by Fire,

at as low rates as other first class Stock Companies. Their policies are free from technicalities, thus avoiding litigation, having had only one lawsuit during a business of

THIRTY-NINE YEARS.

Particular attention given to the Insurance of

Farm Property, Isolated Dwellings,

and their Furniture. Policies issued for the term of

ONE, THREE, or FIVE YEARS,

LOSSES equitably adjusted and promptly paid in Cash at this Agency.

JAMES RALSTON, Agent.

WESTERN BRANCH OFFICE,
No. 1 Superior Street, Cleveland, O.
S. S. COE, General Agent.
JOHN SEWELL, Assistant. [Apr. 24, '60.—163m

Educational.

FRANKLIN INSTITUTE,
HARTFORD CITY, MASON CO., VA.

This Institute has been successfully commenced under the patronage of the Hartford City Coal, Mining & Manufacturing Company, for the benefit of FARMERS' and MECHANICS' sons and daughters, where they may receive the advantages of a superior EDUCATION to what has hitherto been offered them in Common Schools, at charges sufficiently low for all to embrace a complete Academical Education.

It is now entering on its second session, and is delightfully situated on a gently sloping sandy eminence, overlooking the river Ohio, and only a short distance from the Steamboat Landing. The School Room and Teacher's Residence is held in ample accious building formerly known as the Brethren Church.

The room contains 2,000 square feet, and is replete e with every suitable convenience.

The heating and lighting apparatus is perfect; having four large stoves, and 280 feet of window-light, and being elevated 16 feet above the roadway, ranking it the most desirable, healthy situation imaginable.

There is also a Library and Reading Department attached, for the use of students, containing many excellent standard works, with monthly and weekly periodicals, to suit the desire of all parties, and it is intended hereafter, to add a Piano Forte, for the Ladies, as an accompaniment to the City Brass Band, now in full operation every evening.

The School is conducted by the Principal, aided by Assistants, male and female.

The male pupils are taught every branch of learning necessary for their future advantage, making them capable of entering on all such duties as may hereafter offer for their weal.

The female department are also taught every necessary accomplishment, with plain and fancy needlework, in addition to a sound scholastic course.

Hours of attendance, 9 to 12, and 2 to 5, for youth, and 6½ to 9, for adults.

Thus may the children of the above receive as liberal an education as in aristocratic institutions, whose charges exclude many a naturally talented child from obtaining the assistance necessary to develop its intellect.

Pupils charged only from time of entrance.

Terms per session of 3 months, $2.50 each.

A limited number of boarders are taken at a small charge.

References may be had to parents, of pupils, either in Ohio, West Columbia, Mason City or this place, on application to the Principal, at the Institute.

SAMUEL B. SAUNDERS, Preceptor.

Oct. 4.-40-tf.

WM. H. & J. GRANT

HAVING formed a partnership under the above name, and having purchased the "Crystal Mill," in Middleport, design running it regularly from this time. We will pay the

Highest Market Price for Wheat,

and other Grains, and hope by strict attention to business to merit and receive a good patronage.

April 10, 1860.—tf WM. H. & J. GRANT.

A. SEEBOHM,

DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY,

DEALER IN OILS, PAINTS, BRUSHES, Varnishes, Dyestuffs, Perfumery, and Fancy Articles,

Front Street, Pomeroy, Ohio.

Prescriptions carefully put up. Jan. 9.—2-2.

APPRENTICES.

THOSE wishing to take boys or girls at any age from infancy to 14 years, to live with them till of legal age, would be doing a public benefit by making known their wishes to Mr. Scott, Superintendent of the Infirmary, near Chester, or to either of the Infirmary Directors.

Feb. 7, '60.—tf. M. BOSWORTH.

MR. P. BRUNKER

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Pomeroy that he will give instructions on the Piano and teach vocal music at $10.00 for thirty-six lessons. Three lessons per week—two on Piano and one in singing. I have a Piano for the use of those who have none. No extra charge for the use of my Piano.

I can also sell New York, Baltimore and Boston

Pianos at Retail City Prices.

Pianos sold by me, tuned and put up in good order and kept so for two years after buying: also Prince & Co.'s Melodeons sold on guaranty, and exchanged if any imperfections appear within the first year. Lessons given on Melodeon same as Piano.

April 2, '60.—14-6m.

Sheriff's Sale.

State of Ohio vs. William Burchfield,

BY virtue of an execution to me directed from the Probate Court of Meigs County, I will offer for sale, at the residence of George Russell, in Salisbury township, Meigs County, at 10 o'clock A. M.,

On the 25th day of September, 1860,

the following described property, to wit: one 3 year old Heifer, one two-horse Wagon, and one sucking Colt; taken as the property of William Burchfield, to satisfy an execution in favor of the State of Ohio. Terms of sale, cash. J. J. WHITE, S. M. C.

Sept. 3, 1860.—35-2w 1.00

REMOVAL.

W. A. AICHER,

Watchmaker,

HAS REMOVED HIS JEWELRY STORE TO A. BURNAP'S NEW Building, immediately at the Head of the Wharf-Boat Landing Road, next door below Remington's Store, and informs herewith, all his customers and the public in general, that he did, at the same time, open his new Stock, comprising all the latest patterns of

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

JEWELRY AND FANCY ARTICLES,

Of every description, which he will sell at very reasonable prices, and he warrants every article to be of the value represented.

His Store-Room is spacious, and expressly fitted up for the commodious reception of customers, where they will find a prompt and satisfactory *attending* in all their wants appertaining to his business.

All his work, such as

WATCH, CLOCK AND JEWELRY REPAIRING,

Will be executed in the very best manner, prompt and durable. All his work is warranted to give satisfaction; otherwise the money laid out for it will be returned.

To all from whom he has received patronage, he returns cordial thanks, and wishes for a continuance of the same. W. A. AICHER, Jeweler.

2-3-tf. At the head of Wharf-Boat Landing Road, Pomeroy, O.

Miscellaneous.

A GIFT.

MOORE'S

Thirty Dollar Double Lock-Stitch FAMILY SEWING MACHINE.

A Beautiful Gift for Husbands to their Wives and Daughters.

THE introduction of this most beautiful and eminently practical machine will bring joy and gladness to the hearts of thousands of our country women throughout the land. It is pronounced by the best judges to be the most simple, practical and durable Machine now before the public, and the most desirable for family use, being reliable and accurate on all kinds of work, using any size and kind of thread, from No. 8 to 200. It will sew with equal facility the thickest and thinnest goods used in a family. We enumerate a few of its superior advantages.

1st. It makes the strongest, most elastic and durable stitch of any yet made.

2d. It has the best and most reliable feed and does not break needles.

3d. It sews from two common spools without rewinding.

4th. It uses no oil on top, thus preventing the damaging of goods.

5th. It runs with great ease, and quietly.

6th. It can be understood and operated upon with very little instruction.

7th. It is sold for the low price of thirty dollars.

Specimens of the work will be sent to any one desirous of seeing them, by letter, or the Machine and work can be seen at the agents' residence, next door to *Dr. Train's office*, near the Bank Building.

McMASTER & SON,

Sole and exclusive agents for Meigs, Athens and Washington Counties, Ohio. [Jan. 3, '59.—1-tf

WHEELER & WILSON'S

SEWING MACHINES

AT

New York Prices.

THE ELEGANCE, SPEED, NOISELESSness and simplicity of the Machine; the beauty and strength of stitch being alike on both sides, impossible to ravel, and leaving no ridge on the under side, economy of thread and adaptability to the thickest or thinnest of fabrics, has rendered this the most popular Family Sewing Machine in use.

Printed instructions accompanying each Machine, to enable purchasers to sew ordinary seams—stitch, felt, quilt, gather, tuck and bind; also, to keep the Machine in order.

Each Machine is warranted for three years.

For Further particulars apply to the undersigned agent. C. E. DONNALLY.

Pomeroy November, '59.—tf

Marietta & Cin. and Hillsboro & Cin. R. R

ON and after Thursday, April 26, 1860, trains will leave Athens as follows:

GOING EAST—Express Mail at 12:26 P. M.
GOING WEST—Mail at 10:36 A. M.

☞ Express mail east makes close connections at Parkersburg with the trains of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and at Cincinnati with trains for all points West.

☞ Passengers leaving Parkersburg at 8:10 A. M. arrive at Columbus 9:13 P. M.

☞ Tickets at reduced rates are sold at Chillicothe and Athens, for Columbus.

☞ Through tickets to all points East and West can be obtained at all the principal Ticket Offices on the line of the Road.

A discount of ten cents on each ticket from regular tariff rates will be made on all tickets purchased at the ticket offices. ORLANDO SMITH, Supt.

J. Foggitt, Gen'l Ticket Ag't. Chil. may. 1, '59.

L. B. MOORE,

Saddle, Harness and Trunk Manufacturer,

Middleport, O.,

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND, AND will manufacture to order, all of the various articles usually manufactured in such establishments. He calls particular attention to his Harness making, and "defies the world" on fancy mounted double or single Harness. Do not fail to give me a call, in my shop on Rutland street, at the head of First street, in Holt's Building, up stairs. Cash paid for all kinds of Hides, Skins, &c., at the highest market price.

June 21, '59.—25-1y

The Cheapest Store in Town!

Corner Front and Sycamore Streets,

POMEROY, OHIO.

SIMON SILVERMAN,

Wholesale and retail Dealer in

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS & NOTIONS,

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS,

AND GROCERIES,

Invites the public to his splendid stock, which he has recently received. It is unnecessary to particularize, but I will say, that my stock it is well selected and will be sold at prices unequalled. Jan. 24, 1860—4-4-tf.

A. G. CROWLEY & CO.,

WILL HEREAFTER CARRY ON THE Carpenter and Joiner business; Doors, Sash, Blinds, &c., executed to order. From long experience in business, we feel confident of giving perfect satisfaction in all orders entrusted to our care. For past patronage our thanks are due the public, and we respectfully ask a continuance of their favors. The Mill is a few doors above Williamson's Flouring Mill. 1-16-tf

REMINGTON HOUSE.

F. B. RIHELDARFER,
Proprietor,

At the head of Steamboat Landing,

Front Street, Pomeroy, Ohio.

Miscellaneous.

W. R. SKIRVIN. I. H. KELLEY. COL. THOS. SMITH.

EXCELSIOR MARBLE WORKS,

RACINE, MEIGS CO., O.

Opposite the U. S. Hotel, and two Doors North of Col. Smith's Store.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTfully inform the citizens of Meigs and adjoining counties, that they are now prepared to furnish to order,

Monuments, Head-stones, Counter-Tops, Table-Tops, Mantles,

and everything in their line, of the most approved style and very best quality of

Foreign or American Marble.

Those wishing to obtain GOOD WORK, of this kind, at prices which cannot fail to suit, will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. We are resolved to give full satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronag, personally, or by order.

SKIRVIN, KELLEY & SMITH.

Aug. 17.—1-33-tf

NEW GROCERY

AND

PROVISION STORE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST OPENED an extensive assortment of Groceries, Provisions, Queensware, Shoes, &c., &c. at Jennings' old stand, near the Rolling Mill, which will be sold UNUSUALLY LOW.

FOR CASH.

Constantly on hand—

Buckwheat Flour, Corn Meal, Oat-Meal, Dried Apples, Dried Peaches, Potatoes, Hominy, Pearl Barley, Beans, Peas, Raisins, Currants, White Fish, Prunes, Cranberries, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Sirup, Vinegar, Bacon, Dried Beef, Codfish, Mackerel, &c., &c.

C. E. DONNALLY.

Pomeroy, March 1.—2-9-1y

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.

WE invite the attention of buyers, to our large and well assorted stock of Ware—now on hand, to which we will receive additions during the spring.

We have no hesitancy saying that we will, and do sell, good styles and qualities of ware lower than they are sold in any other Western market.

All orders carefully selected and well packed. We solicit an examination of our stock.

PURSELL & GORDON,
13-1y. Front street, Portsmouth, O.

PLOWS! PLOWS!

I HAVE on hand one hundred

PATENT LEVER PLOWS,

Pittsburgh Pattern, which I will sell as follows:

Right Hand No. 2	$5.00
" " No. 3	6.00
" " No.'s 4 and 5	7.00
Left Hand No. 4	7.00
Hill Side No. 4	7.50

PRICE, THREE DIMES.

I also make to order three sizes Right and Left Hand, Rich's Patent Cast Iron Beam Plows.

Scrap taken in exchange.

mar. 6, '59.—tf J. W. G. STACKPOLE.

MAY PURCHASES.

SECOND SPRING STOCK.

J. F. TOWELL,

WHOLESALE DEALER IN

Dry Goods

Hats, Caps, Bonnets & Notions,

Front St., Portsmouth, O.

HAVING now in store an immense stock of Seasonable Spring and Summer Goods, I would invite the attention of merchants to the same. Parties who make their main purchases East, will find it convenient to replenish as they may need, at short notice.

Orders filled to best advantage, and on as good terms as if the purchaser were present.

Portsmouth, O., may 19, '60.—21-1y J. F. TOWELL.

ALFRED NESMITH,

(Late of the Firm of Stevenson, Bowen & Nesmith,)

NOW WITH

M. WILLIAMSON, & CO.

Wholesale Dealers and Jobbers in

DRY GOODS,

425 Market & 414 Commerce Sts.

M. WILLIAMSON, O. H. WILSON, S. M. ANDERSON, H. C. POTTER, } Bet. 4th & 5th North side PHILADELPHIA.

March 1, '59.

LANDS FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers FOR SALE, on reasonable terms, and in lots to suit purchasers, all the lands in Meigs county, and adjoining counties, belonging to the estate of Nahum Ward, late of Marietta, Ohio, deceased.—Title indisputable. WM. S. WARD,

Executor on the estate of

Marietta, O., May 30, '60.—23 NAHUM WARD.

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