

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DECEMBER.

HOLIDAY GOODS

At Popular Prices. Add suitable Goods For DECEMBER TRADE WHOLESALE.

S. C. SWIFT, 24 Paint Street, CHILLICOTHE, O.

QUEENSWARE TOYS

HOLIDAY GOODS, N.YE & MACKAY.

OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE, 67 PAINT STREET, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO.

IN VITE the attention of merchants and fur-

N. J. BOWERS, RESIDENT DENTIST, McArthur, Ohio.

Particular attention given to the treatment of the natural teeth.

J. P. DOWELL, Portsmouth, Ohio, offers to the Merchants and Furnish-

Notice to Teachers.

THE BOARD of School Examiners for Vinton County will meet at the Union School House, in McArthur, on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of March, April, May, September, October and November, and the 1st Saturday in January, February, June, July, August and December, in each year.

M. R. BARNES, Board of J. S. HUNN, School Ex- L. O. PELICUE, Ck., aminers.

Howard Sanitary Aid Association. For the Relief and Cure of the Erasing and Un-

Essays on the Errors of Youth, and the fol- lowing of Age, in relation to Marriage and Social

McARTHUR ENCAMPMENT NO. 115, I. O. O. F.

REGULAR Meetings of this En-

SHEIFF'S SALE

State of Ohio, Hocking Co., ss.

The First National Bank of Logan, Ohio, Plaintiff,

Against Thomas J. Brewer et al., Defendants.

IN HOCKING COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—AN EXECUTION

PURSUANT to the command of a execu-

Monday, the 5th Day of January, 1874

At the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described lands and

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THAT WHICH IS WORTH DOING

—IS— WORTH ADVERTISING.

PRINT AND PROSPER

GENERAL complaint is being made by the people that the Supervisors in Elk township have failed to do any work on the roads, notwithstanding a tax has been levied for that purpose.

Prof. ADLEY, of Washington and Jefferson College, is here spending the holidays.

We are under obligations to Gideon's or some other band, for a serenade last week.

THE VINTON RECORD.

Official Organ of Vinton County.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Railroad. The force on the railroad at this point was increased this week to nineteen teams. There is a force working just south of Vinton Furnace, but we did not learn how large. We understand though it will be considerably reinforced next week by teams from the furnace.

The easiest and best time to settle is now. To those who contemplate evading payment by law, if such there be, we have only to say that they will only succeed in making unne-

Each one subscribes and pays on the faith of the whole, and all must toe the mark. Now is the time that it can be paid to the best advantage to the subscriber and the company.

Mr. S. B. ULLOM'S house on the corner of Mill and Jackson streets is a fine looking, well finished building and speaks well for Mr. Ullom's workman-

A NELSONVILLE barber has been on the rampage here for a while past. He rented a room from Dr. Doddridge, paying a month's rent in advance; gave it up before he had occupied it, bought out Job Lucas, made some improvements in the furniture, then "folded his tent like the Arabs and silently stole away."

THE following are the officers elect of McArthur Lodge No 365 I. O. O. F. S. B. Ullom, N. G.; Wm. J. Rannels, V. G.; A. Will, P. S.; H. C. Jones, R. S.; J. S. Will, Treas.; John P. Dunkle, Trustee. They will be installed next Tuesday evening.

Mr. McCOLLUM, an agent of the Pension department, where this week investigating matters connected with the pension of a widow of a deceased officer of the army will be cut off in consequence. The agent however was recent as to the probable result of his visit.

A MAN named Wm. Adam an ore-digger working for Gaskill, had his head badly cut by a stone thrown by Andrew Dye, on the day before Christmas, at the Vinton Station grocery.

Festival.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold a festival at the Court House on Friday evening, Jan. 2d. when they will smile their prettiest to those of their friends who favor them with their patronage.

We will send the Record and Wood's Household Magazine, one year for \$2.50, and make each subscriber a present of a handsome chromo of the celebrated Yosemite Valley. Wood's is the best magazine for the price in the country, and the chromo is a fine picture. Specimens of each may be seen at this office.

THE McArthur Brass Band gave a public serenade in front of the Court House, on the afternoon of Christmas, attracting audience. The band has become one of the permanent fixtures of McArthur and is making commendable progress under the efficient leadership of Mr. Henry Horton.

ONE of the Enquirer's printers enriched the coffers of the town of McArthur in the sum of \$12, for the fun of hitting one of his fellow workmen over the head with a shooting stick, last week. Boys, it won't do; shooting sticks were never made to pound off each other's heads off!

MISS ANNIE RICEY's school children had a Christmas tree at Vinton Station, on Christmas Eve. The tree was a very fine one, bore about \$125 worth of presents, and the distribution was a very pleasant affair, attended by most all the people of the district.

THE following are the officers elect of McArthur Encampment No 115 I. O. O. F. Paris Horton, C. P.; M. R. Barnes, P. R.; A. W. Ullom, S. W.; J. S. Will, J. W.; John T. Raper, Scribe; John P. Dunkle, Treas. They will be installed on Wednesday evening, Jan. 14.

THERE will be an entertainment at the School House Hall this, Thursday evening, for the benefit of the M. E. Sunday School. A small admission fee will be charged and all the children in attendance will receive a New Year's present.

It should be remembered by all good people that the philosopher J. N. the disinterested advocate of truth will deliver an address at McArthur, to-morrow, (Friday,) evening. Turn out and hear him.

HENRY RUSSENBRAU the little barber who has been in the employ of Job Lucas for the past two years, died at Mr Lucas' home last Saturday. He was a native of Albany, Athens Co., O.

HON. MILT McCoy got on the train at Cincinnati one night for Chillicothe and woke up in time to get off at Hamden. Yet Milton wants to be Speaker of the Democratic House of Representatives.

EXTRA copies of the Record containing Rev. H. A. Pallister's letter to the members of the Christian church at this place will be found on sale at Geo. Sisson's and at this office.

SAMUEL LOWRY was at home last week on a visit and announced himself well pleased with his new home. He is living at Springfield, Mo.

SOME land negotiations are now on foot which, if successful, will result in the erection of a furnace at or near McArthur in a short time.

THE boys and girls have had an opportunity to try their new skates during the past week.

A NEW water wheel is being put in the mill just south of town. We will send the Record and the nearest Gazette to subscribers one year for \$3.25.

Swan Grange.

The following are the officers elect of Swan Grange, No. 107. They will be installed on Saturday, January 3d, at 1 o'clock P. M. The members of Elk Grange, and the public generally are invited to attend, at Mt. Zion church: Fredrick Frick, M.; Edward Walter, O.; S. S. Albin, L.; Hiram Johnson, S.; John S. Witherspoon, A. S.; Mathias Shurtz, C.; Charles Shurtz, Treas.; James Faulkner, Sec'y; Fenton Johnson, G. K.; Annie Rinehart, O.; Margaret Frick, P.; Caroline Norris, F.; Mrs. D. E. Witherspoon, L. A. S., Wm. Earnhart, G. W. Rinehart, and J. D. Murphy, S. Com.

THE Cincinnati Gazette reports a very large holiday trade in Cincinnati and attributes it to the unusual amount of holiday advertising. Here the trade was unusually dull; we believe in consequence of our merchants making no effort to make or push it by letting people know that they were prepared to cater for holiday wants. The stores generally bore the appearance of Sunday. Sisson's was the only exception; his store has been crowded to overflowing for two weeks past, day and night. Moral—if you want trade to be brisk you must stir around briskly yourselves, and let the people know you have something to sell and want to sell it.

Rev. J. B. JOHNSTON was installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place on Tuesday last. Revs. H. W. Biggs and Prestley of Chillicothe, R. K. Campbell of South Salem, John Barrett of Pisgah, J. M. Gibson of Jackson, and Elders Bell of Chillicothe, and J. M. Johnston of Hillsboro were present and assisted in the ceremonies.

AT the last regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. of McArthur it was decided to hold a series of prayer meetings, during the week of prayer, in accordance with the suggestions of the American Evangelical Alliance, the meetings to begin Sunday evening, Jan. 4, h. 1874 and to continue one week. They are to be held in the Presbyterian church. MORRIS EVANS, Pres't.

N. J. BOWERS, Sec'y.

Does it Pay? One of the Agents of The Christian at Work, T. De Witt Talmage's paper, recently obtained 380 subscriptions in about eighty hours absolute work. This was great success to be sure, but the agent had a fine paper and superb chromos to back him. There is room for more agents of the same sort. Samples and terms free. Office 102 Chambers street New York. See advertisement.

JOSEPH HIRN, opposite the Court House, Chillicothe, is prepared for the Holiday trade. He keeps the largest stock of toys, fancy cakes, candies, etc., to be found in the city at wholesale or retail. Parties furnished with everything required. Orders cheaper than elsewhere, served in every style, or furnished in quantities at Baltimore rates. Give him your orders, or call on him when you are in Chillicothe.

McArthur Market. Flour, per sack, \$2.00. Corn, .50. Oats, .40. Wheat, 1.20@1.40. Beans, 2.00@2.50. Potatoes, 60@75. Dried Apples, 1.50. Dried Peaches, 3.00. Hay, 12.00@15.00. Hams, country, 12 1/2. Sugar cured, 15. Smoked Sides, 7@8. Shoulders, 7@8. Pickled Pork, 7@8. Eggs, 20. Butter, 20. Lard, 35. Chickens, live, 15-25. Hocking Salt per bbl., 2-40. Sacks, 15@35. White Fish, 9.00. Rio Coffee, 33@35. Coffee Sugar, 15. Demarara, 12@15. Cuba, 12 1/2. New Orleans Molasses, 80@1.00. Sorghum, 40@50. Syrup, 70@1.00. Star candies, per lb., 25. Tallow, 15@20. Soap, country per lb., 8@6. Cacao, 30. Coal, per bus, 7@8. Hogs, dressed, 4.50 a 5.00.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the AUDITOR'S OFFICE, M. ARTHUR, Vinton County, Ohio, 2 O'CLOCK, P. M., Monday, January 26, 1874, for the building of

One Covered Bridge with Stone Abutments, Across Big Raccoon Creek, in Madison township, at the crossing of the Salem and Parkersburg roads, near the Salem Steam Mill. Also, One Covered Bridge with Stone Abutments, Across Big Sand Run in Brown township, near the residence of Isaac Keeton.

Plans and Specifications are on file for inspection at the Auditor's Office, and the County Commissioners do hereby invite

Proposals on Any Other Plan Than those on file at the Auditor's Office, at the option of bidders; but proposals on other plans are required to be accompanied with plans and specifications, setting forth the number of spans, the length of each, the nature, quality and size of the materials to be used in the erection of the same, the strength of the structure when completed, the probable cost of the same and superstructure, and also whether there is any person right on the proposed plan and if so, on what part, if not on the whole. All proposals must be accompanied with a bond, in double the amount of such bid, with at least two good sureties. The Commissioners, however, reserve the right to reject any of all bids. By order of the Commissioners, W. W. BELFORD, Auditor of Vinton County, Jan. 1, 1874.

RAILROAD ELECTION NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the Gallipolis, McArthur & Columbus Railroad Co.: NOTICE is hereby given that the annual election of seven (7) directors for said railroad company, will be held in Gallipolis, Ohio, on Wednesday January 21, 1874. Commencing at nine (9) o'clock in the forenoon and closing at four (4) o'clock in the afternoon of said 21st day of January, 1874. Secretary of the Gallipolis, McArthur, & Columbus Railroad Company, J. J. GAYNE, December 31, 1873.

GREAT BARGAINS IN LANDS.

FARM FOR SALE.

WITHIN 1/4 mile of the M. & C. R. 100 acres cleared. Fair improvement. A good coal bank open and working. 4 1/2 feet best coal. For sale cheap.

200 Acres in Jackson Township.

100 ACRES improved. Fair house and stable. 100 grafted apple, 100 peach, 50 cherry and pear trees. I will take \$1,750 for the tract; \$1,000 in hand. Liberal terms on deferred payments. Title perfect. This land must sell.

120 Acres in Harrison Township, GOOD timber land, well watered and near the railroad. Title perfect. Will be sold low. H. C. JONES.

LADIES' MISSES, AND GENT'S FURS

Fur Trimmings! AND SWAN'S DOWN! MINEAR'S HAT STORE PAINT STREET, CHILLICOTHE, 1874

400 BARRELS OF CHOICE WINTER APPLES.

Assorted Varieties, AT HENRY J. BAILEY'S FRUIT STORE, No. 11 Main Street, Near Paint, CHILLICOTHE, O.

Orders promptly filled. 1874

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Ohio, Vinton County: Will, Brown & Co., Plaintiffs, Against A. C. Dowd, et al. Defendants.

IN VINTON COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—ORDER OF SALE

PURSUANT to the command of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Vinton County, and to me directed as Sheriff of said County, I will offer for sale in front of the Court House in the town of McArthur, Vinton County, Ohio, on Saturday, the 24th Day of January, A. D. 1874,

At the hour of 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: Lot No. 222 in the town of McArthur, Ohio. Appraised at one hundred (\$100) dollars, and must bring two-thirds of that sum. To be sold as the property of A. C. Dowd, et al. to satisfy an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas in favor of Will, Brown & Co. TERMS OF SALE—Cash in hand on day of sale.

GEORGE KALEB, Sheriff, Vinton County, Thursday Dec. 25, 1873.

Notice.

H. C. JONES, Adm. instrutor of the estate of Maria B. Jones, deceased has filed his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and the same will be for hearing on the 10th day of January, 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M. in the Court of Common Pleas, at Chillicothe, Ohio. J. W. HAYES, Probate Judge, December 25, 1873.

Guardian's Notice.

Probate Court, Vinton County, Ohio. NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Schurba, guardian of Mary J. and Martha L. Fisher, minors, has filed his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and that the hearing thereon is set for the 30 day of January, A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M. in the Court of Common Pleas, at Chillicothe, Ohio. J. W. HAYES, Probate Judge, Dec. 18, 1873.

REDUCED TO SUIT THE TIMES.

IF YOU WOULD CONSULT YOUR INTEREST, LOOK AT THIS OFFER. 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT On all Styles for Cash! WE OFFER NONE BUT THE BEST INSTRUMENTS MADE. EVERY ONE WARRANTED 5 YEARS. A \$190 organ for \$140. A \$200 " " 150. A \$250 " " 170. A \$300 " " 200. A \$400 piano " 300. A \$500 " " 375. A \$600 " " 450. Ministers, Churches and Sabbath Schools furnished at wholesale rates. M. R. BARNES, High St., two doors west of Market, 1874. McARTHUR, O.

Holiday Goods! Holiday Goods! —AT— THOS. A. MELLOR'S, THE BRICK STORE, ZALESKI, In looking for Holiday presents do not forget that Mellor has just received a new stock of goods especially for the Holiday Trade. JEWELRY, NOTIONS, DRESS GOODS, MILLINERY, QUEENSWARE, FINE GROCERIES, CLOTHING, And a thousand other Articles of Comfort Utility and Ornament. JUST RECEIVED FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE. Examine my stock and prices before buying. THOS. A. MELLOR. 1874

OLD KRIS Toy Books, Toys, Fine Candles, Toilet Stands, Toilet Boxes, Work Boxes, Fancy Baskets, Lava Card Bank, Writing Cases, Portfolios, Cigars, Pipes, Pouches, Cigar Cases, Tobacco Boxes, Etc., Etc., Etc. As usual is making his Headquarters at Sisson's, where will be found an endless variety of Holiday presents, suitable for all ages and conditions—men, women and children. Main St., second door west of Court House.

FOR A HOLIDAY PRESENT Nothing is so Beautiful, Nothing is so lasting, —AND— Nothing will Give so Much Pleasure and Profit to the Young and Old of The Family as one of those BEAUTIFUL ESTEY ORGANS. D. H. BALDWIN & CO., Dealers in Pianos and Organs, 158 WEST FOURTH ST., CINCINNATI, O., GENERAL WESTERN AGENTS. Organs delivered to any part of the Country free of Charge. J. S. HULICK, Agent for Vinton County, Hulbert House, McArthur, O.