

With Supplement.

The Salvation Army will invade Logan, July 17. They will stay six months or perhaps longer.

NEARLY every Republican school teacher out of a job in Ohio, talks of running for School Commissioner.

The Teacher's Institute will convene August 2, at Logan and continue for two weeks. G. P. Coler will be the instructor.

OUR subscription list, though large, is not quite full. Like the proverbial street car, there is always room for one more. Send in your names.

We learn through the Cincinnati Enquirer that Lancaster is to have a new Democratic paper, with John C. Tutthill as editor. If so, it will be well edited. We wish it success.

THE output of coal in Hocking county, according to the annual report of the State Inspector of Mines, was in 1884, 372,694 tons, and in '85, 656,441 tons—the greatest increase in the State.

THOSE of our citizens who have read our first issue express themselves in the highest terms of praise. We expect to improve and continue to merit the kind expressions so lavishly bestowed.

Judge John L. Green, for twenty-five years a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas at Columbus, died at his home in that city, Friday, aged eighty-six years. He was one of the ablest jurists Ohio has produced, and he made an excellent dispenser of justice.

FITZ JOHN PORTER has at last been vindicated. In conformity to the recent legislation of Congress, the President this week nominated him to be placed on the retired list of the army as a Major-General. He will, when confirmed by the Senate, bear the same relation to the army of the U. S. as if he had never been suspended.

We Are Wondering.

Will Gen. Logan be invited to stump Ohio for the Republican ticket this year?

Will he be nominated for President on the Republican National ticket in 1888.

Will he be talked about in every conclave of Republican politicians as the great and good John A. Logan.

Our Nation's Birthday.

Since our last issue the United States has passed its One Hundred and Tenth Anniversary, and notwithstanding so great a period of time has elapsed since that momentous era in the history of the world, the day has not been forgotten by the people who reap the blessings of the act, that separated us from the Mother Country and literally carried out the injunction inscribed on the old "Independence Bell," "Proclaim Liberty throughout all the land and the inhabitants thereof," and the boy today is anxious to expend his last penny in fireworks as was his father half a century ago.

But how many of our young people now ever think of the stern heroism required by the men who signed their names to the Declaration of Independence. No wonder they hesitated in view of the responsibilities of the situation. No wonder that the debate was long and earnest, and that all the eloquence of Adams, Jefferson, Pinckney and others were required to induce the convention of patriots to agree to its passage. Each one knew and felt that by placing his name to the document he was, in event of the failure of the struggle, signing his name to his own death warrant and entailing on his children a heritage of ignominy and shame.

America was thirteen colonies, sparsely populated, poorly equipped and provisioned, battling against the Nation who delighted to designate herself as the mightiest of the earth, and mistress of the seas.

What faith in their cause, and trust in success of the right animated these men, we may dimly see, but perhaps, can never fully appreciate.

Happy indeed are we that our ancestors had the heroism to declare and the prescience to establish and maintain for us those principles of government, which is, or should be, the pride of every American citizen.

Give us a Rest.

We have a few Republican neighbors who are determined to see no good in the Democratic party, and to set down every Democratic performance as bad. They are just now engaged in proclaiming a weak theory that Hon. Beriah Wilkins was renominated for Congress by fraud. Of course they present no proof, and not even suggestions of proof. They never do. They simply rise up on their hind legs and yell "fraud!" There was a very warm contest in the convention which recently nominated Wilkins for the third time. Holmes, Coshocton and Licking counties all had strong candidates to whom they were devoted, and as Mr. Wilkins had already been elected twice, they pressed their men with uncommon vigor. The contest had to come to an end some time, and if it had closed in favor of Judge Hunter, of Newark, there would no doubt have been as many charges of fraud as there are now. It is claimed that the votes which finally renominated Wilkins were captured from Licking county, through the machinations of Col. Isaac R. Hill, a very "slick" politician, who now occupies the position of Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the National House of Representatives, and who has the threatening front of Jove when he goes for refractory members with the mace. Isaac once facetiously observed that he was for Wilkins in Washington and Hunter in Newark, and we verily suspect he was for Wilkins in Coshocton, where the convention was held. He no doubt influenced a number of Licking county delegates to leave Hunter and vote for Wilkins; but he influenced them by his persuasive eloquence, and not in the mercenary manner remotely suggested in the Republican prints. Isaac has a tongue as wheedling as that of the duke of Gloucester. Licking county has no great ground for complaint. Indeed, our understanding is that Judge Hunter and his friends are not "kicking." It is the Republicans who are throwing their boot heels into the circumambient air and squealing themselves hoarse about fraud.

We pause to inquire, what business it is of the Republicans, anyhow. Don't they know that not one of their party would have voted for any one of the candidates even had he been nominated.

Democratic Unity brings Strength. For many years the custom has obtained in the Democratic party of determining in advance of the election who among its numbers shall be permitted to be a candidate for the suffrages of the people at the general election.

This custom has its origin in the sound Democratic truth that the majority of those interested in any matter should control. This is not only Democratic but the true policy of all free government.

Were the Democratic party always governed by the maxim it would be invincible in this county and we believe would soon become so in the State and Nation.

But unfortunately there are those among us who hold personal preference at a price greater than the good of party or State.

While humanity exists and we have human nature and propensities we will have combinations and cliques whose only power is, sometimes to place upon our ticket a candidate who is distasteful to a great portion of the honest voters of the party, and by this means weaken its (the party's), power for good.

There is perhaps no specific for this evil except external vigilance on the part of the great mass of the voters of our organization, who are among the non office seeking class, and who vote the ticket because they believe in the principles and policy maintained by their party.

Those in office or about to offer for office, are as a rule too anxious for votes to leave any chance untried that promises to increase their chances at the ballot box.

Then let the honest true Democrats know and feel that it is their duty to attend and vote at every primary election, and in casting his vote let him be governed by his honest convictions of right. Let each one closely scrutinize the merits of each candidate and be governed in his selection, not so much by personal likes and dislikes as by the honesty of the candidate and his fitness for the position he seeks.

If all our Democratic voters will act on the above honest independent principle, we shall know of defeated candidates, and bolting the ticket at the general election, only by the traditions that come to us from the years of the past, and the star of hope and promise will constantly illuminate the path of the Democracy.

CANADA'S AGGRESSION.

Another Schooner Seized. Let us Have Peace.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 1.—It is learned that last evening the American fishing schooner City Point put into the Shelburne harbor for water and repairs, and that she was seized and is still held by the Dominion cruiser, Terror, pending instructions from Ottawa. It is understood that her offense was taking water on board before being reported to the custom house.—Exchange.

Just how long the government of the United States will remain quiet under the repeated insults to our flag, we are unable to tell, but there is a point at which forbearance ceases to be a virtue.

England should be meekly solicited to keep violent hands off the property of the citizens of this common-wealth, and if she continues to persist, Canada should at once be annexed to the U. S., and an attempt made to civilize her people.

The possession of the vast territory known as British America by the Government of England is a standing menace to our Government and should not be tolerated. We are for peace, permanent peace, if it takes every soldier and gun in the U. S. to bring it about.

The Salvation Army.

The Gallipolis Journal thus delivers its opinion of the Salvation army as run at Gallipolis:

We have been told that the Salvation army is about to fold its tents and steal away. "Laus Deo." They came here without the solicitation and they will leave without being regretted. They may have done some good, but we are sure they have done much more harm. Some members of Christian churches at first encouraged them, hoping that they might have accomplished something, but very soon dropped them in disgust. We believe them as a rule, to be persons who are too lazy to earn an honest living, and who find it easy to impose on persons, and "steal the livery of heaven" to serve themselves and the devil in. It is a matter of almost common knowledge here that their conduct has been such as to shame the cause they pretend to advocate, and should have earned for them the distinction of having been run out of town with a coat of tar and feathers on them.

Nelsonville News.

Mrs. Minnie Sterrett, is the guest of friends in this city.

Mrs. Sue P. Dillon, of Adelphi, is visiting friends in Nelsonville.

I. G. Poston, of the Hocking stock farm, was in town Thursday.

Dr. C. W. Cable received the appointment of medical examiner for the Brotherhood of Brakemen.

Dr. R. W. Hansen and lady, of Columbus, were in town several days this week, looking for a location.

The work of sinking the gas well is progressing slowly, in consequence of difficulties that have been encountered. At present work is somewhat retarded by the excavation being filled with salt water, but that will be eased out and work proceed more rapidly. They have reached a depth of about 350 feet.

WASHINGTON ITEMS.

LEESBORO, O., July 8, 1886. ED. DEMOCRAT:—Most of the wool raisers of Washington have disposed of their wool at fair prices.

The wool crop in this township is no mean part of our products.

The wheat is all in barn or stack at this time, and the yield was generally good.

Corn in this township is not looking as well as usual for this season of the year, because of the ravages of the grub-worms, which have worked great injury to corn and grass.

We, however, hope for the best, and with occasional rains, we may yet have a reasonably fair yield.

We are happy to say we have no deaths or serious cases of illness to report.

The DEMOCRAT appears to please the people, and if kept up to its present standard, will, I believe, be well supported.

A New Newspaper.

We are in receipt of the initial number of "The Valley Register," a new, five-column quarto, published at Nelsonville, Ohio, by Messrs. Tullis and Mains. The paper before us is good in mechanical execution, interesting in matter and independent in politics.

We heartily wish them success in the new enterprise, and may their subscription list be large and remunerative.

Attention.

Members of the Hocking County Service Pension Association: The regular meeting of the above association will hereafter be on the Second and Fourth Saturdays of each month in Phillip Slisher's Hall, at 2 o'clock p. m. All ex-soldiers and sailors are invited to join.

Best Quality of Seed Wheat.

of Martin's Amber wheat, White Farmers desiring to secure the best wheat, also the prolific, hardy European wheat, for seed, can secure the same of Col. Rempel, at his ware house in Logan, O. The crops of the above wheats for the seasons of 1885 and 1886 have been very satisfactory and largely beyond the product of the common wheat heretofore raised in this county. Come and examine it.

AN IMMENSE CUT FOR TEN DAYS.

BEGINNING WITH JULY 7 1886.

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AT LESS THAN HALF FORMER PRICES,

BY F. J. HARMISON & CO., Logan, O.

Table with 3 columns of prices for various fabrics like 1,000 Yards Best Standard Prints, 1,000 Yards Fancy Figured Lawns, etc.

TWO SPOOLS OF CLARK'S MACHINE THREAD FOR 5 CENTS.

The above prices will positively be for the time named only. F. J. Harmison & Co. Acker Building, Logan, Ohio.

Gibsonville Gleanings.

GIBSONVILLE, O., July 6, 1886. Farmers have almost completed their wheat harvest which was plentiful and good.

We think the OHIO DEMOCRAT a boss paper, and will do all in our power to increase its circulation.

The store formerly owned by Mr. T. D. Woods, has passed into the hands of W. F. Hood.

Children's Day services will be held at the M. E. Church of this place July 11. All are invited to attend.

Mr. Wm. Brashares and his lady love, Miss Berry, are spending a week among friends at Circleville. They expect to return the 10th inst.

A wedding is predicted in the near future. Ask Ed K.

A term of Normal School will be taught in our district by W. E. Engle, beginning July 19. We Normalites expect to learn all contained in our text-books, beside lots of fun.

Somehow the young men of our vicinity can not find pleasure in any thing but pitching horse shoes. Well it is rather warm to work, isn't it boys?

Our district boasts of four school teachers. What country school can beat it?

Any one who enjoys the beauties of nature should pay our town and surrounding country a visit in the spring and summer.

Good bye. CLAR.

South Perry Notes.

SOUTH PERRY, O., 7, 5, 1886. ED. DEMOCRAT:—Having received a copy of your paper, I congratulate you in this glorious struggle in unfolding the sterling principles of Democracy.

Our schools are rather slow to be taken up this year. The following are the lucky teachers so far: Mt. Union school, Simon Steel; Dry Tavern, Wm. Rummel; Poland Ridge, Allen J. White.

Mr. Wm. Hoey and wife were the guests of John A. White and lady July 4th.

Mr. Benj. White of Logan is spending this season in the back woods starving grasshoppers and making hay. Guess he will get there.

Our venerable Pete Haden Jr. lays claim to the fact that he has the finest Clydesdale horse in these parts.

The M. E. Sunday school picnic which was to come off in the near future has been postponed until after camp-meeting.

Miss Lulu Marshall has returned from Darbyville.

Mr. John T. Hilliard, one of our most accomplished young teachers has returned from Texas where he has been for some time past.

Miss Belle Deffenbaugh and Miss Della Willard are at present the guests of Rev. I. M. Brashares, of West Rushville, O.

Miss Ida B. White is making her home at present in Hayesville, Ohio.

Quite a stupendous affair came off at the residence of Nels Fetheroff in the form of an ice cream party, a few evenings ago. Quite a number of the young folks had assembled and we had an enjoyable time. The hours passed so swiftly and pleasantly that the guests almost forgot to return home.

Soon the Champion reaper with sharpened sickle will have gathered the golden grain, which is a fair crop.

Our village was almost depopulated of young folks on July 3rd. They had gone to the Rock House to a picnic.

James Creighton, the little son of Rev. Joseph A. and Maggie M. Wolf, was born July 21, 1885, died June 25, 1886, aged 11 months and 4 days. The funeral took place Saturday afternoon the 26th; the

services were conducted by Rev. T. L. Hass. Text—2 Kings, 4:26: "Is it well with the child?" and she answered, "it is well." The funeral was well attended by sympathizing friends, who assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to one so young. His brief life ended after a short illness. But we know that the blessed Redeemer who knoweth all things doeth all things for our good. Then in the language of the poet let us say:

"And when the angel of shadow, Rests his feet on waves and shore And our eyes grow dim with watching And our hearts flit at the oar.

Happy is he who heareth, The signal of his relief, In the bells of the Holy City, The chiming of eternal peace." P. C.

What They Say of Us.

The first issue of THE OHIO DEMOCRAT, a new Democratic weekly at Logan, Ohio, came out on the 3d inst. The proprietors are Ex-Mayor Brehm and City Solicitor, John F. White, and the editor, Mr. Alex. Wilson. It is a bright, spicy sheet with a true Democratic ring. The proprietors and editor are gentlemen of standing in Hocking county, and the success of the new paper seems assured. Here's to the DEMOCRAT.—Daily Cincinnati Enquirer July 7.

THE OHIO DEMOCRAT is the title of a paper which made its first appearance on Saturday at Logan, Ohio, with A. H. Wilson as its editor. The Democrat is a seven column folio, and is devoted largely to Hocking county affairs, and the preaching of the Democratic gospel.—Somerset Press.

Two new papers have appeared in a generous effort to help supply the demand in the Hocking Valley, viz: THE OHIO DEMOCRAT at Logan and The Valley Gazette at Nelsonville. They are both bright and interesting papers.—Athens Herald.

A bright new paper called the OHIO DEMOCRAT has just been started at Logan, Ohio. It is an 8 page quarto. Messrs. Brehm and White are the publishers, and A. H. Wilson, editor.—Ohio Eagle.

The first number of THE OHIO DEMOCRAT, published at Logan, O., has made its appearance on our table. Brehm & White are the publishers, and our old friend, A. H. Wilson, is the editor. It is a well printed and ably edited paper.—Wayne county Democrat.

The health of this locality is unusually good at this time.

The thirty-third, and last liquor dealer in Hocking county has paid his tax.

A son of Harvey Stultz, while attempting to board a train at our depot, one day last week, came near losing his foot between the bumpers. The timely signal of a brakeman is all that saved him. As it was, his foot was severely bruised.—MORAL: Boys keep away from the moving trains.

The village of Trimble has a real sensation, in the form of an attempted elopement by a married man, named Sears, who kept a Hotel in the place, and his kitchen girl named Mary McDonald.

LOGAN MARKETS, RETAIL.

Table listing market prices for Flour, Corn Meal, Wheat, Oats, New Potatoes, Green Apples, Onions, Butter, Lard, Eggs, Breakfast Bacon, Hams, Sides, Shoulders, Wool, Fine Unwashed, Wool, Medium, Wool, Tub Washed, Wool, Floor Washed.

OUR SUMMER PRICES, SHALL BE EXCEEDINGLY LOW,

AT THE POPULAR CORNER STORE, OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE.

WHITE GOODS IN ENDLESS VARIETY. India Linen, India Mull, Swiss, Jaconette Embroideries, Laces, Towels, Table Linens, and Lace Curtains. ALL BARGAINS.

DRESS GOODS, SILKS, SATTEENS, LAWNS, AND CRINKLE SEERSUCKERS, AT THE LOWEST. We will close out our Stock of Carpets at very low prices, to make room for our Fall Stock. Now is the time to buy, if you wish to save money, caused by the advance in wool.

We have added to our Immense Stock of Dry Goods and Notions, a Stock of MEN'S BOYS' AND YOUTHS',

READY MADE CLOTHING,

Also, White and Colored Shirts and Overalls. Which we guarantee to be made from the BEST Goods. NO SHODDY. Do not be deceived by those houses that advertise goods at 20% less than they are worth, they are delusions and snares, when you want to purchase goods at a fair price, just what they are worth, call at the Corner Store OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE. We haven't time to measure our goods to tell you how many yards. We have enough to supply all our patrons.

COLLINS & MOORE.

A. MICHIE & CO. AGENT FOR RACCOON COAL CO.

We are authorized to announce the name of Henry Trimmer as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the name of Amos Kline, of Laurel township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the voters at the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the name ofquire Benjamin Rebert, of Falls township, as a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary.

We are authorized to announce the name of Samuel Stradley, of Green township, as a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election.

We learn from our exchanges that the Democratic Judicial Convention will be held at Chillicothe, July 28, but no official notice of the event has yet reached our committee.

LEAVE ORDERS AT George Fox's Meat Store, John Ucker's Meat Store, The People's Bank, or with Private.