Courting in Right Style.

'Get caut you nasty puppy—let me alone, or I'll tell ma!' cried out Sally, to her lover Jake, who sat about ten feet from her pulling dirt from the chimney jam.

'I arnt techin' on you, Sal,' responded Jake.

'Well, perhaps you don't mean too nuther—do you?'

'No, I don't.'

'Cause your're too tarnal scary, you long-legged, lantern jawed, slab-sided, pigeon-toed, gangle-kneed, owl you—haint got a tarnal bit o' sense, get along home with you.'

'Now Sal, I love you, and you can't help it and if you don't let me stay and court you, my daddy will sue your'n for that cow he sold him t'uther day. By jingo, he said he'd do it, Sal.'

'Well, look here, Jake—if you want to court me, you'd better do it as a white man does that thing—not set off there as if you thought I was pizen.'

'How on airth is that, Sal?'

'Why side right up here, and hug and kiss me, as if you really had some of the bone and sinner of a man about you.—Do 'spose a woman's only made to look at, you stupid fool you? No, they're made for 'practical results,' as Kossuth says—to hug and kiss, and sich like.'

'Well, said Jake, drawing a long breath, if I must I must, for I do love you, Sal.'—and so Jake commenced siding up to her, like a magpie porker going to battle. Laying his arm gently upon Sal's shoulder, we thought we heard Sal say, 'That's the way to do it, old hess; that is acting like a white man.'

'Oh, Jerusalem a-n-d pancakes!' exclaimed Jake, 'if this ain't better than any apple-sass ever marm made, a darn sight! Crack-ee! buck-wheat cakes, slap jacks, and lasses ain't no whar long side of you, Sal. Oh, how I love you!' Here their lips came together, and the report that followed was like pulling a horse's hoofs out of the mire.

[From the Lincoln (Me.) Democrat.]

THE MEDAL.

It is proposed to present to the Massachusetts Legislature a large brass medal, bearing the following inscription:

Presented by
The citizens of Maine
to
The general court of Massachusetts
of 1854-'5,
As a token of gratitude to that honorable body for relieving the recent
Maine legislature
From the disgraceful imputation of being the most ignorant, ridiculous, bigoted, and corrupt legislative assembly our country has ever seen.

The reverse will be surrounded by a plain wreath enclosing two rampant jackasses, one very large, and the other very small, in bas relief.

The medal will be presented by Rodney G. Lincoln, Esq., and rec'd by Mr. Hiss, of Boston; supported on one side by Mr. Emery, of Orange, and on the other by Mrs. Patterson—all of the celebrated nunnery committee of the Massachusetts legislature.

Our Mrs. Partington listened attentively a short time since, to a scientific lecturer, and the following is the result of her cogitations:

'Well, rally, we live in a wonderful *generation*. That ere lecture man says we can't live without oxi*gin* and hydro*gin* and stitrogin, and I don't know how many other kinds of foreign *gins*. For my part I have always got along very well with Holland *gin*, and for that matter, sweetened whisky ain't bad; and as to our exhaling obnoxious gases I shouldn't wonder if we did while that fellow was about, for he was a gasing all the evening.'

"Hard Times' is an old cry, but we doubt if in the history of Cincinnati its truth has ever been so severely felt as at present. With flour at $13 per barrel, beef twenty cents a pound, butter not approachable, in consequence of its high price and *high rank;* vegetables, none in the market, and rent away up in the *picture*. Whew, if we were only single! Take warning, ye unso☞icated bachelors, the honey-moon is a very sweet thing, and so is the honey bee, but the first has a sting at the end of the *tale*, and the other carries one in its tail; its all the same, barring one letter.—*Cin. Com.*

Mr. Snips' Litany.—From Doctor's pills and western chills, and other ills, deliver us. From want of gold and wires that scold, and maidens old, and sharpers sold, deliver us. From stinging flies and greenish eyes, and baker's pies, and babies' cries, a man that lies, and cloudy skies, and love that dies, fickle ties, and gaudy dyes, deliver us.—From bearded females, and strong minded women, (this don't jingle,) female lecturers, and all other masculine ladies, deliver us. From creaking doors, a wife that snores—confounded boars deliver us. From cholic grips, and Mrs. Snips, deliver us. From modest girls with waving curls, and teeth of pearls—ah! never mind.

The St. Louis Democrat describes the ceremonies at the funeral of the late Mrs. Benton, on the 26th ult., as very impressive:—

"The body of Mrs. Benton was borne from the residence of Col. Brant, by the pall-bearers. Mr. John Brady Smith, Andrew Elliott, Mr. Kenneth McKenzie, Col. Duncan A Steward, Mr. Edward Walsh, Mr. Thomas Watson, Col. Robert Campbell and Judge Montgomery Blair. Upon entering the church, the procession was followed by Col. Benton and daughter, and as the metallic coffin was placed upon the table in front of the pulpit, all eyes were directed to the noble form of the chief mourner, who, as he stood gazing at the shrine which enclosed the dear remains of the one whom he had loved and cherished so long and tenderly, was convulsed with emotion. At the spectacle, tears of sympathy were shed by all present."

'Bridget, where's the tea-kettle?'—'Please, marm, Mr. O'Neil, the new border, is washing his feet in it.' The last seen of Mr. O'Neill, he was going down the front stoop, about six inches in advance of an empty coal-scuttle.

Buckeye Block,

No. 1, Front Street.

DISSOLUTION,

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of Oakes & Buskirk, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. F. J. Oakes having sold his entire interest to Messrs. George & Chas. H. Davis, all claims will be settled, and debts collected by Buskirk & Davis, our successors.

F. J. OAKES,
A. W. BUSKIRK.

A. W. BUSKIRK, GEO. DAVIS, CHAS. H. DAVIS.

BUSKIRK & DAVIS,

(Successor of Oakes & Buskirk.)
WHOLESALE GROCERS
AND
PRODUCE DEALERS,
Buckeye Block, Front Street,
PORTSMOUTH, O.
January 19, 1854.—tf.

Steam Cabinet Factory.

J. H. WAIT,

Corner of Jefferson and Second Streets,
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO,

CALLS the attention of the citizens of Vinton and adjoining counties to his superior stock of

CABINET WARE,

which he offers at wholesale or retail on reasonable terms. Give him a call.
Orders attended to promptly.
March 24, 1854.—1y

C. S. & J. W. SMITH,

Successors of Davis Smith & Co.,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
MERCHNTS,
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.
Dealers in Produce and Manufacturers of Star Mill Flour.
Consignments of Goods and Produce to Forward or Sell, solicited.
Nov. 4, 1853.—1y

S. H. HOLMES & CO.,

(Successors to Smith and Holmes.)
MANUFACTURERS OF
Tin, Sheet Iron, and Copper Wares,
ALSO DEALERS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL, IN
Stoves, Grates, & Hollow Ware,
MARKET STREET, EAST SIDE.
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.
Sept. 8, 1554.—1y.

GEO. SUTHERLIN & CO.,

AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF
Virginia & Kentucky Manufactured
TOBACCO,
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 1, Buckeye Block, Front St.,
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.
Office up Stairs.
October 3, 1854.

BIGGS HOUSE,

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

THE subscriber having leased the above House, (formerly the United States Hotel,) and having made a complete renovation pnbre-furnished the house with new Furniture throughout, respectively invites the traveling public to give him a call.

HIS TABLE

Will always contain the best that the market affords, and no means will be spared to make all comfortable. JOHN ROW.
Oct. 10th, 1854.

ISHAM HOUSE.

SMITH & SONS,

PROPRIETORS.
JACKSON C. H., OHIO.
Sept. 23, 1853.—1y

H. H. JOHNSON,

(SUCCESSOR TO JOSEPH JONES,)
DEALER IN
Medical, Theological, Blank and Miscellaneous Books, Stationery and Wall Paper,
PAINT STREET,
CHILLICOTHE, OHIO.
☞ Books received from the Eastern Market at their earliest publication, or ordered when desired.

W. M. Starr.....G. D. Tewksbury
WEELEY STARR & SONS.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
For the Sale of Western Produce
LEAF TOBACCO FLOUR, PROVISIONS, &c.
Nos. 85 & 87 S. CHARLES STREET.
Between Pratt and Camden streets.—near the Tobacco Inspection Warehouses,
BALTIMORE.
Liberal advances made on consignments.
N. B. We have recently removed to our new and extensive Warehouses, upon South Charles Street, where we have the advantage of a Rail Road track of our own, (connecting our House with the B. & O. Railway,) and are thus enabled to receive all our consignments, when sent in car loads, free of Drayage. We have, also, evey facility for the receipt and sale of Tobacco, Flour, Provisions, and Western Produce, generally.
We send a correct statement of the Markets monthly, to our friends, or oftener if desired
June 10 54—1yr.

STEIN & BROTHER,
Manufacturers and Wholesale dealers in
CLOTHING,
No. 316 BALTIMORE STREET,
Between Howard and Liberty-sts,
BALTIMORE.
July 8, '53.—1y.

G. W. ANDERSON,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
CENTER WHEELING WHARVES
WHEELING, VA., & BRIDGEPORT,
Has large and extensive Ware Houses, and is prepared with every facility, to attend to all business, entrusted to his care, properly He forwards freight by Car loads or otherwise
September 2, 1853. 1y

NO. D. PHŒNIX, T. M. BABCOCK, JNO. BABCOCK.
BABCOCK & CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS &
Commission Merchants.
No. 66 & 67 Water Street, NEW YORK.
Febuary 17, '54.—1y.

DENNING, CAMPBELL & Co.,
Importers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
Hardware, Saddlery, Iron, Glass, &c., &c.

WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have at length got into their splendid new room, and have fitted it up expressly for the Hardware trade, (in the burnt district) under the sign of the GILT ANVIL, East side of Paint, between Water and 2d sts, where they are opening, in addition to part of their former stock, a large and desirable stock of *American*, German and English Hardware, Saddlery, Iron and Glass, together with all articles usually kept in Hardware stores, and invite all to call and take a look at their new room and examine their stock.

They have continued a stock of Goods at their OLD STAND, sign of the Mill Saw, on Tagert's square, (under the immediate care of one of the firm) where they have been so liberally patronized the past year, for which they take this opportunity of returning their sincere thanks, and solicit a continuance of the same for both establishments, promising to keep as good Goods and sell as low as any in this market.
May 10, 1853.—n49 1y

IF YOU CALL YOU WILL BUY.

JOHN S. HAWK,

MAIN STREET, McARTHUR, OHIO,
Dealer in all kinds of
DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, BOOTS & SHOES, READY-MADE CLOTHING, IRON & NAILS, &c. Also,
Agent for
LOUDON & Co's. POPULAR FAMILY MEDICINES,

IS just receiving from Cincinnati, one of the Largest and best selected stocks of New, Fashionable and

CHEAP GOODS

Ever brought to McArthur, expressly for the Winter trade, which he is determined to sell on the most reasonable terms.
Just call and see my New Goods before purchasing elsewhere.
Bring along your Produce, for in the way of Barter he will give you as good bargains as though you brought the Cash.
November 17, 1854.—1st, c. 1y.

Books! Books!!

McGuffey's Series complete.—Primers.—Small and large pictorial.
Spellers.—McGuffey's and Elementry.
Readers.—McGuffey's 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th.
Heman's Young Ladies Readers,
Pinneo's Primary Grammar.
Pinneo's Analytical Grammar.
Ohio Teacher, a new work, expressly for Teachers.
Ray's Arithmetics; Parts 1st. 2nd, and 3rd.
Ray's Algebra; Parts 1st, and 2nd.
Mitchel's Primary Geography.
Mitchel's Geography and Atlas; latest edition.
Webster's School Dictionary (unabridged).
Copy Books, Quills, Steel Pens and Cases; together with all kinds of Stationary, for use of schools, for sale at
E. A. BRATTON'S.
April 2, 1855.

Always Thronged!

J. F. TOWELL & CO.,

DEALERS IN
Dry Goods, Millinery Goods, Queensware, China and Carpets,
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

WE have just opened our first Spring Stock of the above goods and are now exhibiting one of the finest assortments ever opened in this place.

To accommodate our increasing trade, we have converted our second floor into two handsome sale-rooms, one for the Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings and Window Shades, and the other for Bonnets and all kinds of Milliners' Trimmings at wholesale and retail. In this department we shall hereafter manufacture or trim Bonnets in the most fashionable styles. Milliners and others are invited to examine our superior stock of Bonnets, Ribbons &c., before purchasing elsewhere.

We shall continue as heretofore to supply Housekeepers, Hotels and Steamboats with every thing in the furnishing Dry Goods line, Table ware and Carpets at the very lowest price, J. F. TOWELL & CO.
No. 4 Enterprise Building.
April 7, 1854.—1y

CINCINNATI,
MAYSVILLE, & PORTSMOUTH,
REGULAR PACKET.
The new and splendid swift running steamer
BOSTONA:
Capt. WM. McCLAIN:
Will leave Cincinnati
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays,
at 11 A. M. precisely
Will leave Portsmouth
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays
at the same hour—touching at all way points,
THE **Bostona** was built expressly for this trade, and the people may rely upon the fact that she will remain there. Neither pains nor expence have been spared to fit up a first class packet, with an eye to speed, safety, and comfort; all requirements of the new law being complied with; and it is confidently hoped that the public will appreciate and encourage the enterprise. The Proprietors of this Boat, at all seasons of the year, will have a boat in the trade, so that no inconvienience will here after be given to travellers. Sept. 8, '54 6m

D. N. MURRAY, P. H. MURRAY, JAS. M'KEAN
MURRAY & CO.,
Importers of, and Dealers in,
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY,
SIGN OF THE ⅜ FRONT ST.
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO,
WE will duplicate bills with any regular jobbing House in the West. Country merchants, furnace proprietors, railroad contractors, and others, will subserve their interests by giving us a call.
May 19, 54.—1y.

JOHN J. ELLIOTT,

BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER,
One door East of D. D. T. Hard's Store,
HAMDEN, OHIO,

RESPECTIVELY announces to the citizens of *HAMDEN*, and vicinity that he has permanently located at Hamden, and has commenced the manufacturing of Boots and Shoes; Mens', Womens', and Childrens', of every variety. All work warranted, and made at the shortest notice.—Prices to suit the times. Repair done with neatness and dispatch.
December, 22, 1854.—3mo.

J. STEPHENSON,

BOOK SELLER. STAIONER, AND
BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURER,
No 4 Buckeye Block, Front St., Portsmouth, Ohio
Has on hand a complete assortment of
MISCELLANEOUS, LAW, MEDICAL, COMMON SCHOOL AND CLASSSICAL
BOOKS,
TOGETHER WITH A FULL STOCK OF
Staple and Fancy Stationery.

I am confident that it would be for the interests of dealers in this vicinity, to make their purchases of me, instead of going or sending East. The difference of time, the cost of transportation, with the advantage of frequent orders for small quantities, make it more economical as well as more expeditious to purchase in this market.

I invite buyers to examine my stock, and compare my prices with those of Booksellers in Cincinnati, or elsewhere.

School and Classical Books,
All the kinds in use, at the lowest rates.
A Complete Assortment of Law and Medical Books; Miscellaneous Books; All the New and Standard Publications.

I have also, in connection with my Book Store, an extensive *Bindery*, where Blank Books of any size and Pattern of superior quality, suitable for County Offices, Banks, Furnaces, Insuarance Companies, &c., are made to order.

Staple and Fancy Stationery of all kinds.
WALL PAPERS, CURTAIN PAPERS, AND BORDERING.

I offer the largest and best stock ever bro't to our city, and will sell them either at Whole sale or Retail, at as low rates as any house West of the Mountains. I have all kinds, from the richest Gilt to the commonest kind manufactured. I purchase them directly from the manufacturers, and can sell them very low to the country trade.

It will afford me pleasure to show my goods, and I shall spare no efforts to render entire satisfaction.

Booksellers, country dealers and private libraries supplied at the *very lowest rates*, in large or small quantities.

I shall be happy to receive orders, assuring those who send, that they will be filled promply. Particular attention paid to orders by Mail, or otherwise, for quantities, or single volumes.
Portsmouth, April 28, 1854.

CHAS. A. M. DAMARIN & Co

RECEIVED direct from New Orleans,
575 hhds fair to prime N. O. Sugar;
20 " clarified do.
109 bls loaf, crushed & pulverized sugar:
54 bxs white Havana, for candy and syrups;
2337 bls N. O. Molases;
75 do "St. James" choice sugar H, molasse;s
100 do Common sugar H. molasses.
10 do Golden syrup;
55 Tes Rice;
300 bags Rio and Java coffee;
Which, together with a full and completed stock of.

Woodware—Buckets, tub, zinc washboards, brooms, &c.

Fruits & Nuts—Figs, rasins almonds pecans, E. Walnuts, filberts; Brazil nuts; &c.

Spices—'Ground and unground—Pepper; alspices; cinnamon; cloves; ginger; nutmegs:

Fish—mackeral; dried herring, codfish; sardines:

Teas—A large stock of fresh imperial; Y: Hysou; gunpowder and black tea:

Tobacco—Fives; eights and pound plug of good Virginia, Missouri and Kentucky brands—also, Gedge & Bro's and other good brands of 6 twist tobacco:

Dye-stuffs—Indigo; copperas madder and alum:

Sundriet—Soap; candles, starch, chocolate; salæratus; super carbonate of soda; epsom salt; lead; shot; warpping paper; &c., &c.

We will sel at the regular Cincinnatti wholesale prices:
C. A. M. DAMARIN & Co.
Portsmouth, April 11, 1854.

TO THE BOOT AND SHOE TRADE!
R. BELL & CO.,
Wholesale Manufacturers and Dealers in
BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, LEATHER, SHOE FINDINGS, &c.,
No. 5, Enterprise Block, Front St.,
PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

HAVE the pleasure of announcing to the trade in general, that they are now filling their large shoe warehouse, with a more abundant stock than ever, direct from the hands of the best manufacturers East, and their own workshops at home; consisting of a great variety of the best class of goods suited to the wants of this country for the Fall Trade. All dealers at WHOLESALE are earnestly invited to call before purchasing, and examine for themselves their extensive stock now on hand, and still coming in, as they feel assured of their ability to please in quality and price.

Their largely increased trade affords one evidence of the favor with which their manner of doing business has been received, and while they testify to the liberality of their patrons and friends, they reiterate the assurance that they will spare no pains to render entire satisfaction. Their stock is large, manufactured mostly in their own shops, and by contract to their order. Their facilities for doing a large business are abundantly ample. They sell only at wholesale, have but one price, and will warrant all their goods as they represent them, An examination of their goods and prices, is respectfully solicted.
September 22, 1854.—3mo.

IRON, NAILS AND STEEL.
100,000 LBS. Rolled and Hammered Iron.
5000 Lbs. Norway Nail Rod.
500 Kegs assorted cut and wrought Nails.
3000 Lbs. square, round and octagon Steel. Just received at the Gilt Anvil.
DENNING, CAMPBELL & CO.
July 29, 1853.

LOOK HERE

JOHN SWEPSTON.....SAMUEL SWEPSTON.
J. & S. SWEPSTON have opened a fine stock of Goods at PRATTSVILLE, O. Call and see for yourselves.
Dec 1st, 1854.—6mo.

BOARDERS WANTED!

A FEW BOARDERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED by applying soon at LIBERTY HALL. A. CAMPBELL.
March 30, 1854.—3w.

Fresh Groceries.

RIO COFFEE, best quality.
NEW SUGAR, a good article.
NEW MOLASSES, best quality.
NO. 1 RICE; TEAS, SPICES,
And other Groceries, just received and for sale at the lowest chash prices, at
March 30, '55.—6m. E. A. BRATTON.

Notice to Watch Owners.

MR. A. STAHLBERG left with the undersigned all **Watches** left with him for repairs, when he left McArthur on the 26th inst. The owners are requested to call at S. S. Demuth & Cos., pay for the work done, and get their Watches. A. CAMPBELL.
March 30, '55.—3w.

JOB WORK, of every description neatly executed, at this Office.

PROCLAMATION.

PULVERMACHER'S
Hydro-Electric Voltaic Chains!

A NEW and NOVEL mode of applying a powerful remedial agent, so constructed as to be worn under the garments, next to the skin, producing a constant uninterrupted current of Electro-Magnetism, effecting
IMEDIATE RELIEF
from the most acute pain, and also a permanent cure of all
NERVOUS DISEASES.

It seldom has failed to furnish almost instant relief, and a Final Permanent Cure by being used according to directtion, to the following diseases:

Rheumatism,	Uterine Pains,
Gout, Sciatica,	Palpitation of Heart
Paralysis,	Periodical Headache

Painful & swelled joints, St. Vitus' Dance
Neuralgia of the Face, General Debilety,
Disease of the Spine, Pains of the Chest,
Deafness & Blindness, Hysterics, Dyspepsia

All Diseases that are caused by a deficient amount of *Nervous Fluid*, are greatly relieved, if not permanently cured simply wearing the chains for a few hours each day.

Be it understood that it is not claimed that it cures all diseases, but only those for which it is recommended, and moreover, we boldly claim and defy, that no medical agent of any kind has preformed so *many cures* during the last year, of those diseases just named as

Pulvermacher's Electric Chains.

And to prove this assertion we, defy any person to produce so many *well authenticated certificates* of Scientific Physicans and intelligent patients as may be found in a pamphlet of 36 pages, to be had gratis of the agent in this Town.

The Electric Chains were first introduced in France in 1850, and after being subjected to the most Thorough and Rigid Trial, by the first medical men in Paris, they were found to possess strong and marvellous powers in releving pain, wherever applied, and by their influence were idtroduced into the hospitals of that city, and alro, seeured by letters patent by the French Government.

They are now introduced in almost every Hospital in England, Germany, Austria, Belgium, and patented in those countries, where they have bcome the
Most Popular Curative Agent in the World!

They were first introduced in the United States about one year since, and went through with the same trial as in Europe, and were at once introduced into every Hospital in New York, where they are now in daily use, effecting even *more wonderful cures* than had ever before been awarded them. They are highly recommended Profs. Valentine Mott Van Buren, Post, and others, who have published their views of their power and value in several of the medical journals in that city, and are also in the daily practice of recommending their use to patients. A full account of their opinion may also be found in every pamphlet, and sent to the address of any person in the State, applying (post paid) to the agents. The Chains can be sent by mail, with full description for use.

☞ Price of Chains, $3 and $5.

Physicians are politely invited to call and examine their construction, and pronounce upon their merit.

One word more to Invalids.

No person need fear that they will not accomplish just what it is claimed they can do, and all persons who have become disgusted with a constant pouring down of patent nostrums (bottled swill) are kindly and politely invited to give them *a* trial.

Card to Ladies. Ladies who are enciente, are requested not to wear them for a great length of time, for by so doing, miscarriage is frequently produced.

N. B.—One Chain will last for years and lose none of its electric power by use, can be applied to either adult or child. For sale in all the principal cities in the U. S.

J. Steinert, General Agent.—N. Y.

All communications (Post paid) addressed to S. S. DEMUTH, McArthur Ohio, Agent for Vinton and adjoining Counties, will receive prompt attention.
June 30, 1854.—1y

A Public Invitation.

HICKOCK & Bro.,

HAVING just opened a Wholesale and Retail **HAT STORE** in Portsmouth on Front Street, between Market and Jefferson, they invite *All* to call and examine their stock of

Hats and Caps, Straw Goods, Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Umbrellas &c.,
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Purchasers can at all times find at our establishment a full and complete assortment of the richest and most desirable styles, at well as the most common fabrics. Our long experience in the business, and knowledge of manufacturing, with the facilities for purchasing, are such that we are confident we can sell lower than any other House in the West.

FURS of all kinds wanted, for which the highest prices will be paid.
Portsmouth, November 4, 1853.—1y

JOHNSON'S BOOK STORE.

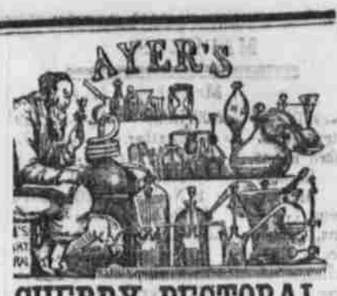
H. H. JOHNSON, (successor to Joseph Jones) keeps constantly on hand a large stock of
BOOKS, STATIONERY, WALL PAPER &c.,
Which he will sell at *Eastern Prices*. It is his design to afford Country Merchants, and purchasers generally, such facilities for supplying themselves with every article in his line, as they have not heretofore enjoyed.—Additions are now being made to his stock, which will make one of the Largest and Best in the Western country.

As a mere outline, his stock will be found to consist of
BOOKS—Medical, Scientific, Law, Theological, School, Blank and Miscellanecus.
STATIONERY—Letter, Cap, Bill and Note Paper.
ENVELOPES—Buff, Embossed and Plain White, and Government.
WALL PAPER—A heavy and well selected stock, at prices ranging from 8 cents, to $1,50 per bolt. Also, Borders of the greatest variety, and Window Blinds.
BLN K BOOKS—Ledgers, Journals, Day Books, and Time Books, all of every style.
PERIODICALS—Those issued Monthly, and others
MAPS—Large Maps of both Hemispheres and of the United States; Small Maps of each of the Western States, and of Mexico.
FANCY ARTICLES of different kinds.
ALSO—Slates, Copy Books, Copper Plate, Pencils, Gold and Steel Pens, Ink of all kinds, Inkstands, Wafers, &c., &c.
All of which will be sold low, at Wholesale and Retail at Johnson's Book Store, Jones' old stand, Paint St., Chillicothe, Ohio.
December 5, 1853.—1y.

J. & S. SWEPSTON,

At Prattsville, wish to purchase Hides for which the highest Market price will be given.
January 5, 1855.—tf.

OX YOKES.
16 YANKEE Ox Yokes, at the Gilt Anv
DENNING, CAMPBELL & CO.
July 29 1853.



CHERRY PECTORAL,

For the rapid Cure of
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

WE invite the attention of the Public to the Certificates appended below, and bespeak for them that candid consideration which their honest frankness deserves.

Men in such stations as many who voluntarily bear witness to the efficacy and value of Cherry Pectoral, do not wantonly trifle with, or distort facts, nor overstate their convictions. Judge then, whether this is not the medicine to trust when you must have relief for the throat or lungs; judge too, whether every family ought not to have it by them as a safeguard against the everywhere prevailing enemy, which steals with fatal frequency upon almost every flock and carries off the lamb from many a home?

Jackson C. H., Jackson City, O., 20th Nov., 1852.

Dr. J. C. Ayer,
Sir—The Cherry Pectoral is much inquired after. Several of our best Physicians have used it, three of them in their own case and always with the happiest effects. The numerous patent medicines always before them, lead to incredulity in regard to every new remedy; and it is only after undoubted evidence of value in any article, that anything like a general confidence can be excited.

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Dear Sir—Over application for the past three years to my duties as an advocate brought on some eight months ago a severe irritation of the bronchial tubes, which was a constant annoyance to me, and fast becoming a source of great apprehension. Every remedy tried, failed to even relieve me, till I used your Cherry Pectoral. This has not only relieved me, but as I trust, wholly cured me. I care nothing for the reputation of advocating Patent Medicines, and this is at your service. I shall reccommend it to members of the bar, and others whom I may meet, laboring under similar indispositions.
Yours truly,
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Trams No. 2 leave Jackson at 7½ o'clock A. M. and arrive at Portsmouth at 11 o'clock A. M. Returning leave Portsmouth at 2½ P. M. and arrive at Jackson at 6 o'clock P. M.
J. W. WEBB, Superintendent.
May 5, '54. tf. 1c 251.

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THE Board of School Examiners, of Vinton County, will hold their regular meetitgs for the examination of candidates on the FIRST SATURDAY of each month, at the school room of O. T. Gunning in McArthur, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. At every examination, a certificate of good moral character, recently signed by at least two responsible persons, will be requirer of each candidate, and the Examiners would especially guard individuals against recommending any person who is in the habit of using profane language or indulging in intoxicating drink, or in any other social vice, or immorality.
O. T. GUNNING,
Clerk Board School Examiners, V. Co.
Feb. 2, 1855—1y.