The Crazy Convention at Philadelphia.

In any other age than this, stupified as it is by all sorts of fanaticisms, the crowd of Know Nothings assembled at Philadelphia would be taken as a set of mad men, just let loose from an insane Asylum. They avow sentiments that are abhorent to human reason, and disgraceful to the country that gave them birth.

They claim to be the nobility of the land—the better blood of the country—the annointed of the Republic, and born to rule the rest of mankind. A set of political outcasts from all the other parties of the country—undeserving any longer of the confidence of their fellow men—they associate together and proclaim that they are the chosen spirits of the age to lead mankind to a new political standard and a sublime excellence.

They cast aside the labors of a Washington and Jefferson, and make, Mormon-like a new political Bible, and send Preachers to propogate the new faith.

Such are the impudent, self-conceited, brainless and characterless bigots that are committing sacrilege in the old Hall of Independence in Philadelphia. Political bastards—Temperance drunkards—Religious infidels and blood thirsty moralists, they set at utter defiance every principle of common sense, common honesty and the brotherhood of mankind.

A correspondent of the New York Tribune thus describes how he gets their secrets:

Some curiosity and uneasiness are exhibited at the full and faithful reports of the Council which appear in the New York papers and more especially in the Tribune. There was a complaint made about it in the meeting this morning. The Times newspaper of this city very solemnly warns the public not to believe anything published in the Tribune about the council. Yet everybody will read and believe, for their friends inside invariably refer them to that paper for the particulars of their action. If the council desire to put a stop to the truth leaking out let me give them a hint: Let them adopt a strict Maine law unto themselves. "When the wine is in the wit is out," is a truism as old as the Union and as everlasting; and if the members do not wish to have their secrets printed in the Tribune they sho'd beware of accepting too many invitations to drink from good natured, jolly good fellows loafing about the hotels. This is disinterested advice, for if followed, "my occupation is gone," and I shall only save my "levies."—*Statesman.*

The State Convention Yesterday—Nomination of Hon. Allen Trimble.

The Convention held here was called scarcely ten days before its assemblage, yet, during the afternoon, the City Hall was entirely filled. It was not as large as either the convention held by the Democracy of Ohio on the 8th of January last, nor as that of the 13th of July. But it was larger than other State conventions held heretofore, by parties organizing for a State campaign Of its spirit and enthusiasm, it is not fair to either our friends nor to our opponents, to speak slightingly. It was an enthusiastic Convention. The members were not only manifestly in earnest, but many of the members and speakers appeared very sanguine that this would not only be the starting point of a distinct party for national purposes, but that they would be able to make a very formidable, if not successful effort to obtain ascendency in Ohio next fall.

Let not the Democracy of this State flatter themselves that they are to obtain an easy victory. Our enemies have modified their positions, it is true. We may be compelled to encounter, in the new organization of yesterday, the real foe with whom we shall have to dispute the field. But it carries with it the secret councils and futive machinations of Know Nothingism. This should redouble our zeal and vigilance. Let every Democrat stand to his arms and be hourly prepared.

Plain Talk.

The *Piqua Register*, fusion, took the *Dayton Journal*, old line whig, to task for not supporting *Chase*. The Dayton Journal retorts in very plain language. It says:

"We have never 'apologized for slavery,' nor have we ever failed 'to condemn the aggressive conduct of the advocates of the institution.' We no more 'apologize for slavery' than we 'apologize' for abolitionism. We are just as much disposed to 'condemn' fanaticism at the South as fanaticism of the North. But we do not believe for all this that all the patriotism and philanthropy which the Union contains, is held North of 'Mason & Dixon's line;' that all the North is 'Simon Pure,' and all at the South is wicked and corrupt. We have no more confidence in the political honesty of Joshua R. Giddings and Salmon P. Chase, than we have in the decency of Stringfellow—not a whit."

Again:

"What folly then is it for the sake of conciliating such men as Joshua R. Giddings and his adherents to keep the great, the only question, 'State Reform,' in the back ground, so as to allow Giddings & Chase to reproduce their old speeches against slavery, and so aid in bringing Ohio into the position of a rank, seditious Abolition State? The Register can trudge at the heels of Giddings and his piratical crew, and fight under his black flag of treason and disunion, but we will have none of him or his."

Hon. J. Scott Harrison Declines.

By the following letter it will be perceived that John Scott Harrison declines the nomination for Governor tendered him by the Whigs and Know Nothings of Cincinnati. He however embraces the opportunity to express his hostility to the sectionalism of Fuson in as strong terms as the proprieties of the occasion will allow:

BROADWAY HOTEL, CINCINNATI,
August 6th, 1855.

Hon. James Hall,

Dear sir:—At a meeting of the citizens of Cincinnati, held on the evening of the 2nd inst., at which you had the honor to preside, I perceive my name was favorably presented to the consideration of the people of Ohio as a candidate for the chief magistracy of the State. I have also observed movements of a similar character in other counties, and desire through this communication to respond to each of these meetings.

I trust, Sir, I duly appreciate the honor proposed, and will ever cherish with grateful recollections the kind partiality which has so manifestly governed the action of my friends. But, Sir, I must be allowed to decline the honor which is tendered me. I cannot consistently with trusts already assumed, suffer my name to be used in any connection that will at all infringe upon the duties I owe the people of the Second Congressional District of Ohio. I shall therefore remain at the post which has been assigned me in the national legislature—always defending, with unabated zeal, the rights of my constituents, whenever assailed by Executive or Legislative aggression. At the same time not forgetting the duty I owe our common country as a National representative, in doing what I may to arrest every attempt to shatter the ties that bind our glorious confederacy.

Allow me again, Sir, to express to you, and through you to my fellow citizens composing the meeting of the 2d instant, my sincere thanks for the honor they have done me, and to indulge the hope that whoever may be called to preside over the councils of our State, he may be a man free from sectional prejudices—national, union-loving man—a man who in times of excitement like these can forget that there is a North or a South, and remember only how glorious and patriotically the blood of each mingled in harmonious union in cementing the rampart of American freedom.

With true respect,
Your friend and obedient servant,
J. S. HARRISON.

The Elections.

In Tennessee it is finally conceded, says the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, despite the efforts of the telegraph, which elected Gentry several times, that Johnson, Democrat, is chosen Governor. Here is the latest dispatch to the Louisville *Journal*, dated Nashville, August 8. It says:

"The dog's dead at last, but died hard. All the counties in but two, Johnson is elected by from one thousand to fifteen hundred majority."

The dog alluded to is "Sam," who is completely throttled. The Congressional delegation will be divided—five Democratic and five Know-Nothings. The Legislature is in doubt.

In North Carolina it is finally settled that the Democrats have six or eight members of Congress, and a large majority of the popular vote.

In Kentucky, the Louisville *Courier* reports Jewett, Democrat, elected to Congress from the Fifth District, by a majority of 696. The *Courier* thinks that Elliott, Democrat, is elected in the Sixth District, and there is a chance for Talbot, Democrat, in the Fourth District. Humphrey Marshall, Know-Nothing, elected, by fraud and violence in the Seventh District, and A. R. Marshall in the Eighth District. Mr. Harris, we regret to say, is defeated in the Tenth District, by a small majority.—In relation to the State ticket the *Courier* says:

"In the forty counties reported above Morehead has a majority of 5,676. As yet but very imperfect returns have been received from the mountains, and nothing from the First District. Mr Clarke who is at present in the city, depends upon these sections for his strength, and, if they meet his expectations, the success of the Democratic State ticket may not be considered altogether an impossibility."—*Chil. Advertiser.*

Road Tax 1855.

THE rate of Taxation for Road purposes, in Vinton county, for the year 1855, is at the rate of Ten Cents on each Hundred Dollars valuation of taxable property, which may be discharged by labor on the Roads, under the direction of the Supervisors of the several Districts, at the rate of one dollar per day.
JOSEPH MAGEE,
[aug. 17 4] *Auditor V. C. O.*

MORE GOODS & GROCERIES.

I have just received a new supply of WALL PAPER and BORDERS; the largest lot ever brought to McArthur.

ALSO, COFFEE, RICE, MOLASSES, TOBACCO'S, &c.; all of which I will sell at the lowest figures. E. A. BRATTON.

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CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATION.

MR. BRATTON,—Please announce the name of **S. S. Murry**, Esq., of Wilkesville, O., as a candidate for nomination, subject to the decision of the Democratic Legislative Convention of Vinton and Jackson counties.
VINTON DEMOCRATS.

MR. EDITOR,—Please announce the name of **E. F. Swift**, of Oak Hill, Jackson co., as a candidate for nomination, subject to the decision of the Democratic Legislative Convention of Vinton and Jackson counties.
MANY DEMOCRATS.

BLANK DEEDS, BLANK MORTGAGES *and all Blanks required under the Justices' Code, for Justices of the Peace, are constantly kept on hand and for sale at this Office.*

PATRICK D. McKINNIS' ESTATE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned has been appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Patrick D. McKinnis, late of the County of Vinton, deceased. SAMIRA G. McKINNISS.
July 13—3w.

MARKETS.

McArthur, August 17.

Apples, D.,	2,00	Iron,	6a9
Butter per lb.	12	Leather,	18a31
Smoked Hams,	11	Lard per lb.,	8
" Shoulders,	9	Molesses pr gal.	60
" Sides,	9	Nails, 3d to 10d,	6a10
Brooms,	30	Oats,	40
Beans, W.	2,00	Potatoes, Irish.	50
Coffe	14	Peaches, D.,	2.00
Candles,	20	Pork pr cwt	4,00
Cheese,	12	Sugar N. O.,	10
Cloverseed	606	" Loaf,	15
Corn	65	" Crushed,	10a12
Eggs per doz	6	Salt, per bbl	3,50
Flour per hun.	4,00	" Table, pr Sack,	37
Flour, per bbl	$8,00	Soap per lb	3a5
Flax Seed	75	Teas, Y. H.	75
Feathers,	40	" Imperial	$100
Fish, White,	8	Tallow,	12
" Mackerel,	8a10	Wheat per bu.	1,00
Hides	4	Wool per lb	20a50

Portsmouth Price Current.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY
BUSKIRK & DAVIS.

PORTSMOUTH, August 17 1855.

Apples, Dried	175	" Loaf	9
Brooms pr doz	$2a50	" Crushed	10
Bacon Hams per lb.	9½	Salt, Kanawha, bu.	45
" Shoulder "	10	Teas, loose & in packs.	
" Sides "		" Y. H., lb.	45a60
Beans, W. per bu.	3,00	" Imper'l,	55a65
Candles, mould	15	" Gunp'wder	65
" Star	24	Tobacco M&K. cav.	25
Cotton Yarns	18½	" Va. cav.	20a30
Cheese, W. R. lb.	8½a9	Oil, Lard pr gal.	80
Coffee, Rio	13	Oil, Linseed "	100
Cloverseed,	6.00	Oats pr, bu.	50
Flour pr bbl	$9	Peaches, Dried	2,00
Feathers pr lb.	45	Potatoes, Irish.	125
Flaxseed, pr bu.	1,00	Saleratus pr lb.	5a5½
Fish, Cod pr lb.	5	Tallow pr lb.	11
" Mackerel	$12a21	Tar pr bbl.	5,50
Lard pr lb.	9	Timothy seed,	$3 00
Molasses, N. O. gal.	40	Wheat pr bu.	1,50
" S. H. "	45	Whiskey, Common	30
" G. S. "	50	" Mon'hala,	50
Nails, 10 to 8d	$4¾	" Rye,	60
Sugar N. O.	7a8		

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NEW ARRANGEMENTS.

PASSENGERS leaving Columbus at 2:15 a. m., Cincinnati at 6 a. m., or Chillicothe at 11 a. m., arrive at Byers' (23 miles east of Chillicothe) at 12:30 p. m.

A Train leaves Byers' daily (Sundays excepted) at 1:40 p. m., by which passengers arrive at Chillicothe at 3:15 p. m., Cincinnati at 8:20 p. m., or Columbus at 11:15 p. m.

Stages to and from Athens, Pomeroy, McArthur, Hamden, Jackson, Gallipolis, &c., connect with the Trains at Byers', and passengers can make the trip between either of these places and Columbus, Cincinnati or Chillicothe in a single day.

An accommodation Train is run daily—except Sundays—from Chillicothe to Blanchester and back.

Passengers by this train leave Chillicothe at 5 a. m., and arrive at Cincinnati at 11:13 a. m., or Columbus at 1:45 p. m. Leave Columbus at 11 a. m., or Cincinnati at 4 p. m. and arrive at Chillicothe at 10 p. m.

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do. do. to Chillicothe 70

Through Tickets between Columbus and Chillicothe $3,50, to be had only at Columbus and Xenia Railroad Ticket Office at Columbus, and on the cars of Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad on leaving Chillicothe.
[aug. 10 55.tf.] JOHN WADDLE

Shades & Reynolds, Pl'ffs } In Attachment.
against
George Ullom, Defendant. } (Civil Action.)

THE Defendant will take notice, that the Plaintiffs in the above case, on the 24th day of July, a. d. 1855, caused an order of Attachment to be issued by J. W. Swepston, Justice of the Peace for Elk township, Vinton county, Ohio, against the goods, chattles, stocks, interest in stocks, rights, credits, moneys and effects of said Defendant, an absconding debtor of said county, to satisfy the claim of the Plaintiffs' for five dollars and eighty-six cents and fifteen dollars the probable costs of suit and that said cause has been continued for service on said Defendant, and will be for hearing before said Justice, at his office in McArthur, in said township, on the 8th day of September, a. d. 1855, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, last aforesaid. SHADES & REYNOLDS.
aug. 10 55]

SAMUEL H. MOORE'S ESTATE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Peter S. Moore, Administrator of the estate of Samuel H. Moore, late of the county of Vinton, deceased, has filed in the Probate Court of said county his accounts, and vouchers for inspection and final settlement, and that said accounts will be passed upon by said Court, on the 1st day of September, 1855.
B. P. HEWITT, Pro. Judge V. co.
aug. 10 55 3w]

THOMAS A. GREEN'S ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Chas. Brown, Administrator of the Estate of Thos. A. Green, deceased, has filed his accounts and vouchers, in the Probate Court of Vinton county, Ohio, for inspection and final settlement, and that the same will be passed upon by said Court, on the 18th day of August, 1855. B. P. HEWITT,
[july 27—3w] Pro. Judge V. co.

HAZEL BARBEE'S ESTATE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Simon Radcliff, Administrator of the Estate of Hazel Barbee, late of the county of Vinton, deceased, has filed in the Probate Court of said county his accounts, and vouchers for inspection and final settlement, and that said accounts will be passed upon by said Court, on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1855.
B. P. HEWITT,
July20,"55.3w Pro. Judge V. C., O.

Baird & Clark, Plaintiffs, } In Attachment.
against
George Ullom, Defendant. } (Civil Action.)

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aug 3 3w] BAIRD & CLARK.

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ROAD NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that a Petition will be presented, at the next session of the Commissioners of Vinton county, Ohio, praying for an alteration of that part of the Athens and McArthur Road described as follows, to wit:—Commencing at the West end of the bridge across Big Raccoon, near the land of W. H. Black, in Knox township in said county; thence running North-west 30 or 40 rods along the old Mill road; thence nearly West to the high ground above high water mark; thence a South-west course on the lower bench of the hill, on the North side of the creek on said Black's land; continuing said last mentioned direction until it intersects the old Road west of a large rock, on the bank of said creek, on said Black's land; thence along (or near) the old road to the first run on Jacob Tedrow's land; thence through the field on the North side, on the best ground, intersecting the old road in the most convenient place; thence the nearest and best route thro' the low gap at Wm. Meyers' place in Madison township, in said county; thence the nearest and best way to the foot of the big hill near M. Reeves' house; thence on the nearest and best ground to Maurice Albough's, there to end; and Petitioners pray for a view and alteration of the same. MANY PETITIONERS.
august 3, '55—4w]

ROAD NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that a Petition will be presented at the next session of the County Commissioners, within and for the county of Vinton, O., praying for an order of Survey, View and an alteration and location (if found to be a good route) of a County Road, within said county, commencing for the same at the bridge, near the house of Jacob Ankrom, in Jackson township, thence along the McArthur Road to the corner of said Jacob Ankrom's meadow; thence on the South side of the road leading to McArthur; thence Eastwardly to a Sugar tree, on the land of James McMichel, near the corner of his field at the Township road; thence along the East side of the hollow, through the land of Isaac Wyscarver; thence through said McMichel's land to a green tree on the land formerly owned by Jacob Lutz; thence up the left hand side of the hollow to near John Clawson's spring; thence to a white Oak tree, at the end of said Clowson's lane; thence to John Hawk's fence, and along said fence to intersect the road leading from Locust Grove to McArthur, and there to end;—and that said part of said first mentioned McArthur road be vacated.
[july 27—4w] MANY PETITIONERS.

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[aug 3 tf] Superintendent.

NOTICE.—The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Receiver of moneys from all those indebted to the late firm of Fultz & Hard, of the "McArthur Herald." All those knowing themselves indebted to the said firm for Subscription, Job Work or Advertising, are requested to call on the subscriber, McArthur, Ohio, and settle the same within 30 days from date hereof, and save costs, or their accounts will be left with the proper officers for collection, without any acceptions. J. W. SWEPSTON,
[july 27—1w]

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[july20'55—6m] McArthur, Ohio.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a certain Execution to me directed, from the Court of Common Pleas, within and for the county of Vinton, Ohio, I will offer and expose to sale, at Public Auction, at the door of the Court House, in said county of Vinton, on Saturday, the 11th day of August, 1855, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M. of said day, the following described property, to wit: In-lots Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 22, 23, 24 and 31; also: Out-lots Nos. 1, 2, 6, 9 and 10. Aforesaid lots are all situated in the town of Prattsville, in said Vinton county, designated as laid out and recorded in the plat of said town; and taken as the property of P. J. Crawford and John Wagoner, to satisfy an Execution in favor of Samuel S. Hard:

Out-Lot No.	1, appraised at			$78,33
" "	2,	"	"	140,00
" "	6,	"	"	325,00
" "	9,	"	"	30,00
" "	10,	"	"	30,00
In-Lot "	31,	"	"	150,00
" "	22,	"	"	22,00
" "	23,	"	"	20,00
" "	24,	"	"	533,33
" "	6,	"	"	21,33
" "	7,	"	"	21,33
" "	8,	"	"	21,33
" "	9,	"	"	28,33

And must sell for two-thirds of the aforesaid value. WM. TISUE,
July 6,'55—5w] *Sheriff V. C., O.*

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A CERTAIN WRIT OF Sale, from the Court of Common Pleas of Hocking county and State of Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer and expose to sale, at public Auction, at the door of the Court House in Vinton county, Ohio, on Wednesday, the 15th day of August, 1855, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described Real Estate, to wit: Out-lots number thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two; also, In-lots number one hundred and twenty-nine and one hundred and thirty, in the town of McArthur, county of Vinton and State of Ohio; taken as the property of Joel A. Walden to satisfy an Execution in favor of the Logan Branch Bank. Appraised as follows, to wit: In-lots number 129 and 130, $114 66, each; Out-lots number thirty, appraised at $166 66; number thirty-one at $194 33, and thirty-two at $192 66, and must sell for two-thirds of the appraised value. WM. TISUE,
[july20 1855—5w] Sheriff V. C., O.

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"I am happy to say of your CATHARTIC PILLS, that I have found them a better family medicine for common use, than any other within my knowledge. Many of my friends have realized marked benefits from them and coincide with me in believing that they possess extraordinary virtues for driving out diseases and curing the sick. They are not only effectual but safe and pleasant to be taken, qualities which must make them valued by the public, when they are known."

The venerable Chancellor WARDLAW, writes from Baltimore, 15th April, 1854:

"DR. J. C. AYER—Sir: I have taken your Pills with great benefit, for the listlessness, languor, loss of appetite, and Bilious headache, which has of late years overtaken me in the spring. A few doses of your Pills cured me. I have used your Cherry Pectoral many years in my family for coughs and colds with unfailing success. You make medicines which cure, and I feel it a pleasure to commend you for the good you have done and are doing."

JOHN F. BEATTY, Esq., Sec. of the Penn. Railroad Co., says:

"*Pa. R. R. Office, Philadelphia, Dec. 13, 1853.*

"Sir: I take pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficacy of your medicines, having derived very material benefit from the use of both your Pectoral and Cathartic Pills. I am never without them in my family, nor shall I ever consent to be, while my means will procure them."

The widely renowned S. S. STEVENS, M. D., of Wentworth, N. H., writes:

"Having used your CATHARTIC PILLS in my practice, I certify from experience, that they are an invaluable purgative. In cases of disordered functions of the liver, causing headache, indigestion, costiveness, and the great variety of diseases that follow, they are a surer remedy than any other. In all cases where a purgative remedy is required, I confidently recommend these Pills to the public, as superior to any other I have ever found. They are sure in their operation, and perfectly safe, qualities which make them an invaluable article for public use. I have for many years known your *Cherry Pectoral* as the best Cough medicine in the world, and these Pills are in no wise inferior to that admirable preparation for the treatment of diseases."

"*Acton, Me., Nov. 25, 1853.*

"DR. J. C. AYER—DEAR SIR: I have been afflicted from my birth with scrofula in its worst form, and now, after twenty years' trial, and an untold of amount of suffering, have been completely cured in a few weeks by your Pills. With what feelings of rejoicing I write, can only be imagined when you realize what I have suffered, and how long.

"Never until now have I been free from this loathsome disease in some shape. At times it attacked my eyes, and made me almost blind, besides the unendurable pain; at others it settled in the scalp of my head, and destroyed my hair, and has kept me partly bald all my days; sometimes it came out in my face, and kept it for months a raw sore.

"About nine weeks ago I commenced taking your Cathartic Pills, and now am entirely free from the complaint. My eyes are well, my skin is fair, and my hair has commenced a healthy growth; all of which makes me feel already a new person.

"Hoping this statement may be the means of conveying information that shall do good to others, I am, with every sentiment of gratitude, YOURS, &c.,
MARIA RICKER."

"I have known the above named Maria Ricket from her childhood, and her statement is strictly true.
ANDREW J. MESERVE,
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CAPT. JOEL PRATT, of the ship Marion, writes from Boston, 20th April, 1854:

"Your Pills have cured me from a bilious attack which arose from derangement of the Liver, which had become very serious. I had failed of any relief by my Physician, and from every remedy I could try, but a few doses of your Pills have completely restored me to health. I have given them to my children for worms, with the best effects. They were promptly cured. I recommended them to a friend for costiveness, which had troubled him for months; he told me in a few days they had cured him. You make the best medicine in the world, and I am free to say so."

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"*New Orleans, 5th April, 1854.*

"Sir: I have great satisfaction in assuring you that my self and family have been very much benefited by your medicines. My wife was cured two years since, of a severe and dangerous cough, by your CHERRY PECTORAL, and since then has enjoyed perfect health. My children have several times been cured from attacks of the Influenza and Croup by it. It is an invaluable remedy for these complaints. Your CATHARTIC PILLS have entirely cured me from a dyspepsia and costiveness, which has grown upon me for some years,—indeed this cure is much more important, from the fact that I had failed to get relief from the best Physicians which this section of the country affords, and from any of the numerous remedies I had taken.

"You seem to us, Doctor, like a providential blessing to our family, and you may well suppose we are not unmindful of it. Yours respectfully,
LEAVITT THAXTER."

"*Senate Chamber, Ohio, April 5th, 1854.*

"DR. J. C. AYER—Honored Sir: I have made a thorough trial of the CATHARTIC PILLS, left me by your agent, and have been cured by them of the dreadful Rheumatism under which he found me suffering. The first dose relieved me, and a few subsequent doses have entirely removed the disease. I feel in better health now than for some years before, which I attribute entirely to the effects of your CATHARTIC PILLS. Yours with great respect,
LUCIUS B. METCALF."

The above are all from persons who are publicly known where they reside, and who would not make these statements without a thorough conviction that they were true.

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