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TIFFIN TRIBUNE.

Local and Miscellaneous

TO ADVERTISERS.—The Tribune has a larger circulation than the combined number of paying subscribers to any TWO papers in the county.

Communications.—All Communications must be accompanied by the name of the writer, (not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith,) or they will go into the waste-basket.

Notices, Etc.—Birth, Marriage and Death announcements FREE. Five cents a line will be charged for obituaries accompanying death announcements, and also for the resolutions by societies of an obituary character. No deviation will be made from this rule.

Tiffin, Thursday Eve., Oct. 8, 1874

The roof of the new M. E. Church is being slated.

The gas trouble is at an end, and the street lamps are now lighted at night. It is a great relief.

Grapes of the finest quality, fresh from Dr. Kagy's vineyard, received daily and very cheap, at Wilson & Lamberson's.

Monday night Gen. Gibson and J. H. Ridgely addressed a large meeting at Bettsville. The speeches were excellent, and gave the best of satisfaction.

Rev. L. Grosenbaugh will preach next Sabbath morning and evening in the Presbyterian Church of this city. The public are cordially invited.

See the notice of assessment by the Seneca county Farmer's Mutual Relief Association. The time and place of receiving some of the assessments have been changed.

Some scoundrel, whom the night watchman failed to hear last Sunday night wrenched the handle off the bell pull at Marquardt's Drug Store, and made way with it.

Dr. Kagy has our thanks for a basket of Catawba and Isabella grapes, from his Vine Hill Vineyard. The grapes were very fine, and we understand that the crop raised by the Doctor is very large.

A new branch of business has been started in Rost's Block by the Benner Bro's., who have opened a General Auction Commission Store. They also keep a variety of goods which they sell at private sale.

H. Britton sold two pigs this week that weighed 630 pounds. In April last when he commenced feeding them they weighed 175 pounds, which shows a gain of 355 pounds, or two and one-seventh pounds a day. It is hard to beat.

Saturday afternoon and evening Hon Chas. Foster addressed meetings at Republic and Melmore. He was well received at both places and his speeches were highly appreciated, and they were an able presentation of the issues of the day.

At last a part of the tunnel man-trap has been fixed. On the B., P. & C. portion of it floors have been laid down, and the danger in crossing it at night greatly lessened.

Now let the other the railroads follow the good example set.

One day last week as Mrs. D. K. Myers was leading her little girl, who was just learning to walk, the child staggered and turned partially around, and one of her shoulders was dislocated. A physician was called and replaced the shoulder without trouble.

Rev. J. C. Ogle has been returned to the First Methodist Church of this city, for another year. He was unanimously chosen by his church for the coming year and the conference simply confirmed the wishes of his members. Mr. Ogle will preach next Sunday.

Monday night nine of our Nimrods went 'coon hunting. The result was the loss of two tires from the wagon wheels, a very tired crowd and not a 'coon. After the party left the hunting ground the 'coons held a meeting and unanimously voted thanks to the hunters.

Festival.—The Soldier's Decoration Society will give a Festival at National Hall on Friday evening, Oct. 16, at which oysters and other refreshments will be served, patriotic music will be rendered by superior singers, tableaux will be presented, and a splendid time generally will be the order of the evening.

Friday night last the saloon of Jos. Unser was entered and the money drawer carried off with $15.00 or $20.00 in it. The fellow was seen to run off with his booty, and the next day a man was arrested on suspicion, but nothing could be proved against him. Entrance to the saloon was effected through the outside cellar door.

Dance at Bloomville.—On Thursday evening, October 15th, the Harmonia Band will give a grand ball in Sherer & Einsel's Hall, Bloomville. The people of the entire country who are fond of good music are cordially invited to attend. Pains will be taken to please all, and good order will be preserved.

New County Map.—O. B. Craine will visit the different townships of this county with the proof sheets of the new county maps, for the purpose of getting all inaccuracies corrected. It is hoped that all needed assistance and information will be given him. The citizens of the county have an interest in the correctness of the map as well as the publishers.

John Loesser has greatly improved his building with a coat of paint.

The B. P. & C. road will be completed to Chicago about the middle of next week.

There are over two hundred civil cases on the docket for the November term of Court.

A transfer track between the B. P. & C. and T. T. & E. roads has been put down, opposite the freight depot of the latter road.

The new steeple for the Court House is nearly completed. The town clock will soon be in place so that he who runs can tell the time.

The excursion train, on the B. P. & C. road for Defiance leaves this city to-morrow, Oct. 9th, at 6 o'clock A. M. Fare for round trip $2,50.

Tuesday morning Col. Stevens, H. A. Buskirk, Al. Buskirk of this city, and Thos. Ross, of New York, went to Henry county to hunt deer. They will return Saturday.

The south abutment of the Washington street bridge is completed and the work on the north one is progressing rapidly. The stone work will all be completed in about eight days.

Dr. A. A. Freyman died in this city, Tuesday morning last, at twenty minutes past twelve, of kidney disease. He was sick but two days and suffered greatly. His age was forty-one years.

The horse of D. Beeler, the gardener, became frightened at the cars one day last week and ran away, throwing Mr. Beeler against a rail fence with such force as to cause serious injury, though he is able to get around.

We learn that one day last week A. Crockett, of Adams, township, aged about seventy years, dropped dead in the barn, while harnessing his horses. He was preparing to go to Green Spring, and being absent for some time from the house, his niece went to the barn and found him lying dead at one of the horses' heads.

For Defiance.—To-morrow Adriatic Steamer Company, No. 1 Hook and Ladder Company, Crescent H. & L. Co., No. 1 Hand Engine, Young America and No. 4 Hose Companies and both bands will go to Defiance to attend the Tournament and fair. Half-fare will be given over the B. P. & C. road.

On Saturday morning last, at 5 o'clock, Freeman & Son's Stirrup Factory, situated one square north of the depot, was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was sounded, but blows were first to arrive were unable to save a thing from the burning building, and bent their energies in saving adjoining property, which was in great danger.

The factory and its contents, valued at $1,500, were completely destroyed. The books of the firm, which were in the building, were also lost.—*Van Wert Bulletin.*

Aaron V. Ogle, of Toledo, formerly of this city, died at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Maria Shawhan, Monday morning last, at four o'clock of typhoid fever, after an illness of two weeks. His niece, Miss Mattie Shawhan, visited Toledo two weeks since and found the deceased in a delirious state although able to be around. She brought him home with her, and from that time he began to get worse and died as above stated.

List of Letters remaining uncalled for in the Tiffin Postoffice, October 7, 1874:

Alicken, A	Martin, Hiram, F
Adams, J W	Miller, Chas A
Curl, Roscoe	Murray, Maggie
Craun, Deborah	Odenbaugh, J
Cramer, Susan	Pultz, Edward
Dice, Sabina	Reid, Geo E
Hasfield, John	Robison, Isabella
Hulburt, Edward	Shriver, Emma
Hess, Geo	Steer, Geo
King, W N	Tailor, James
Lamson, Lovina E	Taylor, Amanda
Lewis, John S	White, Ada
Youngpeter, N	

Persons calling for these will please say advertised.

L. WEIRICK, P. M.

Real Estate Transfers for the week ending Saturday last:

F Reif to J Griebel, lot 226, 5th Ward	$ 375
B Tomb to N Umsted, lot 128, 3d Ward	550
T B Tomb to N Umsted, lot 127, 2d Ward	350
A H Byers to C Ruess, lot 168, 4th Ward	3,500
D Schnee to J Magers, 15 acres, Reed Tp	1,200
J W Shedenhelm to H D Shedenhelm, 40 acres in Pleasant Tp	1,800
T McIntyre to J Lower, 40 acres, Pleasant Tp	2,000
B Knopp to W Stewart, lots 4 and 5, Bloomville	225
E Andrews to D High, lots 55, 56 and 57, Bettsville	350
E Andrews to C Merchant, lots 31, 32, 33, 82, 83, and 84, Bettsville	670
E Andrews to E. Bishop, lots 58 and 59, Bettsville	230
J V Jones to S J Canel, lot 84, Fostoria	425

Bold Burglary.—Sunday afternoon last the house of G. M. Gase, on the Mohawk road, just outside of the corporation, was entered by burglars and between $70.00 and $80.00 in money taken. Entrance was gained by breaking out a light of glass so that access could be had to the catch and the window raised. The money was in a bureau drawer, three dollars of it being silver. A pocket book, purse and knife were also taken. The family was absent at the time. It was rather a bold movement, as there was a number of houses close to the house that was robbed. No clue has been found to the burglars.

Milk Sickness.—A disease known by the above name in some localities, although not generally recognized as such by medical men, has been raging in the vicinity of Eagleville, Wood county, and has proved fatal in a number of cases. Eight or nine deaths occured within the space of one week, and four funerals took place on Sunday, the 26th ult. The cause of the disease has not been satisfactorily determined. Some claim that it is produced by using the milk of cows, while others think it is the result of a mineral poison in the water, which, at this season of the year is generally very low, and consequently a greater proportion of it is taken in a given amount of water. Whatever may be the cause, the disease has abated very materially since the late rains.

Council.—Monday night all members present at the meeting of the Council.

The account of Peter Kiefer for labor on Union street was referred to the City Solicitor.

The account of the Tiffin Agricultural Works was referred to the Finance Committee.

The request of Hand Engine Co., No. 1 for leave of absence to attend the Defiance Tournament was refused. Seneca Chief was also refused the same privilege.

The matter of lighting the city with gas was discussed at great length, and finally a motion of Mr. Brickner that the City Solicitor be instructed to enter into a contract with the Gas Co. to light the posts at $25.00 each, per year, the city to designate the number, was passed. The vote stood: Ayes—Brickner, Cunningham, Snyder, Huber, Gross, Landon and Scheiber. Nays—Silvers, Schinness and Seewald.

On motion of Mr. Huber, plank walks were ordered in front of lots 10, 16, and 18, on the south side of Mulberry street.

On motion of Mr. Snyder the Gas Co. was ordered to light all city lamps until otherwise ordered.

The monthly pay ordinance was passed. The amount on the different funds is as follows:

General Purpose Fund	$844 83
Street Improvement	385 71
Police	307 50
Bridge	100 00
Fire	73 10
Fire Apparatus	299 25
Poor	15 00
Gas	10 45
Washington Street Tunnel	200 00

Adjourned.

W. S. Hammaker has entered the employ of Chas. L. Zahm, of the Upper Sandusky *Union.*

Geo. Hartman showed us a radish raised by Frank Wagner, weighing 8½ lbs, length 23 inches, circumference 16 inches.

Lost—on Washington or Market street, a gold enameled sleeve button, which the finder will please return to the TRIBUNE office.

C. L. Zahm and family have removed to their new home in Upper Sandusky. Mr. Zahm sold his house on Greenfield street to Louis Seewald. Consideration $2,300.

Money Lost.—Mrs. Dr. Pennington lost a $10.00 bill in front of her residence on Clay street. The finder will receive one-half as reward upon returning it to her or at this office.

Board of Education.—The Board met Friday with Kaull, Zeller, Rust, Hovey and Brewer present.

The following accounts were allowed:

John Tinterman, janitor	$75.00
Geo. H. Grant & Co., School Furniture	49.25
P. R. King, School Enumerator	52.00
Beckwith, Sterling & Co., velvet for rubbers	18.75
Hershiser & Hubbard	52.11

On motion the Committee on Repairs and Supplies was directed to seat the room occupied by Mrs. Boyce, in 2d District with Grant furniture.

On motion, the Clerk was directed to draw orders upon the Treasurer for the amounts due teachers and janitors; and it was decided to pay at the middle and end of the term instead of at the close, as has been the custom.

Bach-Reber Concert.—Friday evening the Bach-Reber troupe will give a concert at National Hall. This company is composed of five musicians and should be well received. In reference to a recent concert given in Sandusky the *Register* says:

The first of a series of concerts to be given by Mr. Jay Bach and Miss Sallie Reber, of this city, drew a very large audience the Opera House Tuesday evening. Every seat in the house was filled. The programme, arranged by Mr. Bach, embraced several pieces of his own composition and some of the most artistic selections that have ever been presented to a general audience. It opened with a trio for the piano, violin and violoncello, composed by Mr. Bach himself. It proved a very happy introduction to the evening's entertainment and was received by the audience with marks of the most cordial approval. Mr. Bach's first appearance in his piano solos before our people, since his three years absence in Germany, was awaited with much interest. He certainly met the fullest expectations of his friends on Tuesday evening.

Miss Reber, as usual, sang exquisitely, and at the conclusion of each piece the applause that burst forth on all sides attested the keen appreciation of the audience. She was encored on both her appearances on the stage and responded each time in a manner that drew forth the prolonged and hearty applause of the audience. The music-loving people of our city are too familiar with Miss Reber's musical ability to necessitate an extended and critical review of her wonderful vocal performances.

Mr. Joseph Bock, who played the violin in the Trios, is a musician of rare ability.

Mr. Charles Abele's performances on the violoncello were very fine indeed.

Taken as a whole the concert was an eminently successful one in every respect, and the large attendance and the enthusiasm of the audience were flattering testimonials of the high place occupied by the musicians in the estimation of our people.

Local Correspondence.

REPUBLIC NEWS.

In the absence of Rev. Baker, Rev. Duffy will preach at the M. E. Church at the regular hour, next Sunday, and in the evening Rev. Mr. Sandoe (German Reformed) will hold services.

"How good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity," and, how pleasant and agreeable it is for one to sit under the droppings of the sanctuary and hear the promulgator of the divine doctrine cast vile denunbications upon a sister church. It is really agreeable, and so encouraging for one to attend services, and, withal it manifests a truly lofty and christianly spirit on the part of him who endeavors to promulgate the divine truth.

Stoves will be put up in the Universalist Church ere another Sabbath, and the room made warm and comfortable for the Sabbath school. There will be services held again, Sunday, the 18th.

Hon. Chas. Foster addressed a meeting of our citizens, at the Town Hall, Saturday afternoon last. The notice given was very short, but nevertheless a good attendance was there. We believe Mr. Foster made one of his best, and one of the most telling, and convincing speeches of this campaign. He will carry more than the strength of the party in Seipio, providing every Republican in the Township will turn out, and *that* we expect they will do. Come early next Tuesday, the 13th—stay all day, and see that every man votes. It is important that Mr. Foster wins this race against Ben. Butler's money and the Democracy.

Shaw & Bromley are just receiving a large stock of ready-made clothing, which they propose to dispose of at very low rates, as well as a full assortment of other goods.

Mrs. S. A. Blodgett returned last week from a summer's visit, among the grasshoppers in Kansas, and is now ready to see her old patrons.

Bill Smith retired from the hotel business yesterday, (Wednesday) with a sale of all hotel effects. Whether the Nelkirk House will be closed or leased again, we have not learned.

The most solemn, dejected, and shame-faced dog in this vicinity, belongs to S. Cunningham. Passing trains was a source of annoyance to his dogship, and he determined to throw them from the track. So the other day he sought a convenient spot on the coming of a train, put his tail across the rail and waited. The train came thundering on, passed him, taking all the tail he had. He didn't linger long about that spot, but left rather expeditiously, a disgusted dog.

The Star Hook & Ladder Company went to the Clyde tournament to-day (Thursday,) to secure the $50 prize.

The self-styled "Prof." P. J. Louis Von Retting, of whom we made mention some time ago, is perambulating in this "flowery vale" again with an old shot gun slung to his venerable shoulders. What he is in pursuit of we are unable to say, but feel rather suspicious that he might be looking for us, and that his pensive meditations are not wholly upon "Homes for the Friendless." We understand now why an editor's life is not the most agreeable. If we were fully qualified, we would not be one for "much money."

In a counter-claim in a case before one of our courts, a charge of $2 was made for water, obtained at the defendant's well. Can anybody beat that kind of charging?

A very respectable and intelligent appearing gentleman, wife and son, hailing from Upper Sandusky, stopped at one of our hotels Tuesday evening for supper. Soon after their arrival he inquired for a saloon, and when told there was none in the town he grandly remarked, "umph! a Republican town," and furthermore he thanked God that he was a Democrat. When asked who were the candidates for Congress in his District he couldn't tell. We relate the above simply to illustrate the intelligence of the masses of the Democratic party. The man was intelligent enough to know that where there was no whisky there might be found Republicans.

REPUBLIC.

FLAT ROCK NEWS.

Mr. Frederick Harpster died last Saturday evening, aged 74 years. He was one of the pioneers of this neighborhood, and one of the founders of Flat Rock. He was highly esteemed as a Christian and citizen.

Mrs. Hammer and daughter are in Circleville, O., visiting friends. They expect to be gone about four weeks.

U. G. A.

BEECHER-TILTON.

The Scandal in Court.

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The Evening Post publishes the following: Mr. Beecher was before the grand jury about an hour to-day answering questions from the members of that body in reference to the published articles attacking his character. The indictment against Theodore Tilton for libelling Mr. Beecher was then specified and read to the latter, who said it was correct. The document sets forth that Theodore Tilton wickedly and maliciously, with intent to injure and scandalize Rev. Henry Ward Beecher in his good name, fame and character, subjecting him to contempt and disgrace, and to provoke him and his friends to commit breach of peace, published on or about September 19th or caused to be published in the Daily Graphic and circulated in Brooklyn and elsewhere, a false, scandalous and malicious libel concerning him. The part of the article referred to was the alleged commission of adultery in October 1868, with Mrs. Tilton, and the assertion as to the doubtful paternity of the child born the following year.

The grand jury also read to Beecher the second indictment, against Frank D. Moulton, which is worded similar to that found against Tilton, charging him with libeling Beecher by causing the publication of false, malicious and slanderous reports in the Daily Graphic.

After Beecher left the grand jury presented the indictments to the Court of Sessions, and were discharged by Judge Moore, who thanked them for their services.

The counsel for the Brooklyn Eagle this morning appeared before Judge Nelson and asked that the two suits for libel brought against his client by Henry C. Bowen be consolidated. Decision was reserved.

Messrs. Tilton and Moulton will not be formally arrested, but will be notified to appear on Monday and furnish bonds pending their trial, which, it is intimated, will take place at an early day.

What Has Been Done in Ten Years.

In less than ten years, since the close of the war, we have paid off a third of the public debt; have reduced the taxes $300,000,000 a year; have readjusted the relations of the rebellious States; have provided for the colored race so far as the circumstances surrounding them permitted; have re-established the public credit so that our Government bonds sell for sixteen or seventeen per cent. above par; have offered large loans to European financiers at five per cent. with the prospect of a reduction to four at no distant day, and have so established ourselves in the respect of the world that, without war, we can command reparation for injuries and dictate the terms of just and honorable international regulations. Any unprejudiced man would say this was reasonable success in administration; that foreign nations and bankers so regard it, is certain, from the estimation in which they hold our securities, and the readiness with which they listen to our suggestions. Now what have we done, or neglected, which entitles the Democracy to assail us, or to succeed at this time in the management of Government affairs? What capacity or disposition have our opponents at any time displayed, higher and better than our own, which entitles them to the confidence of the people? Is it not fair to say that with them it is only a scramble for place and power, an effort, by misrepresentation and abuse, by subterfuge and fallacy, without regard to unity or consistency, to monopolize once more the honors and emoluments of official position?—*From Gov. Noyes' Columbus Speech.*

The following delicate sentiment from the pen of *Courier-Journal* Watterson, will be thought very brilliant and beautiful in the enlightened South:

"We have always thought that if we were the King of Dahomey—to be whom has long been the golden dream of our lives—we should have us a necklace composed of a few hundred scalps, if the crop of carpet-baggers and scalawags were large enough to supply the material."

There is, we believe, in Charleston, S. C., a punch-bowl made of a skull of a Yankee soldier, and the rebel maidens of the South were honored by their chivalric lovers with drinks out of the jewelry made of the bones of Mr. Lincoln's fallen "hirelings." Perhaps some of those ladies will lend Watterson a necklace of human teeth or an amulet made of the scapula of a Union soldier to appease his thirst for a necklace of carpet-bagger eyeballs. It is disheartening to see the leading editor of the South, the unrivalled poker player of the Western hemisphere, in this cannibalistic frame of mind.—*Leader.*

Public Debt Statement.

Six per cent. bonds	$1,207,261,000
Five per cent. bonds	517,625,200
Total coin bonds	$1,724,929,800
Lawful money debt	14,678,000
Matured debt	6,457,710
Legal-tender notes	382,995,467
Certificates of deposit	50,350,000
Fractional currency	46,781,018
Coin certificates	26,415,000
Total without interest	$ 511,672,695
Total debt	$2,236,937,595
Total interest	32,681,177
Cash in Treasury, coin	77,409,653
Cash in Treasury, currency	16,115,840
Special deposits held for the redemption of certificates of deposit as provided by law	56,350,000
Total in Treasury	$ 149,875,518
Debt less cash in Treasury	$2,139,743,196
Increase during the month	455,417
Bonds issued to Pacific Railroad companies, interest payable in lawful money—principal outstanding	64,623,512
Interest accrued and not yet paid	962,332
Interest paid by United States	21,825,206
Interest repaid by transportation of mails, &c.	5,409,978
Balance of interest paid by United States	18,855,418

The Murder of Colored Republicans Justified.

Mark the following from the Shreveport, La., Times, referring to the murder of a poor old defenseless negro:

"There has been some red-handed work done in this parish that was necessary, but it was evidently done by cool, determined, and just men, who know just how far to go, and we doubt not if the same kind of work is necessary it will be done again."

And this from the same:

"We say again that we fully, cordially approve what the white men of Grant and Rapides did at Colfax. The white men who does not is a creature so base that he shames the worst of his species."

Five-Twenties.

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that the principal and accrued interest of the following five-twenty bonds of 1862 will be paid at the Treasond and after the 1st of January 1875, and the interest on said bonds will cease on that day: Coupon bonds $50, No. 1,331 to 4,200, both inclusive; $100, No. 1,966 to 6,200, inclusive; $500, No. 1,787, to 5,000, inclusive; $1,000, No. 4,371 to 14,900, inclusive; total, $9,000,000. Registered bonds—$50, No. 1,801 to 1,820, both inclusive; $100, 13,901 to 14,150, inclusive; $500, No. 7,961 to 8,070, inclusive; $1,000, No. 32,951 to 33,350, inclusive; $5,000, No 10,151 to 10,260 inclusive; $10,000, No. 12,501 to 13,2000, inclusive; total, $1,000,000. Grand total, $10,000,000.

There was great excitement in Brooklyn when it became known that Mr. Beecher had appeared before the grand jury and that complaint against Tilton and Moulton, and that indictments were found against them for malicious libel and slander. It is understood that when Mr. Beecher gave his testimony he was in the highest degree emphatic, and declared that the allegations of Tilton and Moulton with reference to himself, Mrs. Tilton and another lady, were "atrocious falsehoods."

Little is said in the press about the charges pending against Dr. Jenner, the Democrat put in charge of the School Children's Orphans' Home by the uncalled for and unjust partisan legislation of last Winter. The reason is that the matter is not of a character for general publication. And it was to make room for such a man that the Democratic General Assembly legislated this Home out of the hands of its founders and friends.

A polite way of putting it: Troubled with a chronic indisposition to exertion.

In the warmth and interest of our home campaign there has been a tendency to forget the discussion going on in other parts of Ohio over the State ticket. In Southern Ohio the controversy over the fitness of Judge Gilmore, the Democratic candidate for Supreme Judge, is exceedingly sharp. Judge Gilmore, we need hardly say to any one who has read an Ohio newspaper since the Democratic Convention, is objected to on account of his dissipated habits and general incompetency. His nomination was hardly announced before one worthy citizen jumped up to say that Judge Gilmore had been arrested and fined for drunkenness by the mayor of the village in which he resided, and numerous lawyers were ready to testify that the sheriff of Judge Gilmore's court frequently found himself obliged to adjourn the court for days at a time in order to permit the Judge to recover from a prolonged debauch. All this made it apparent that the nomination of Judge Gilmore by the Democracy for the highest judicial position in Ohio had been a great outrage, and was likely to do serious damage to the ticket. Whereupon the Cincinnati *Enquirer* felt impelled to go to the defense of the Judge, and a sorry mess Brother Cockerill has made of it. Every word of explanation or denial that he could put forth has only waked up new witnesses on the other side, and the testimony against Judge Gilmore is now such as should drive him into retirement and make him withdraw his name from the ticket. In addition to his drunkenness the charge of incompetency is thoroughly fastened upon him. At a recent District Court more than one half of Judge Gilmore's decisions were reversed. There is no practical limit to the testimony on these points. The Democracy in nominating Judge Gilmore have insulted not only the bar of the State but the public sense of decency. The people will see to it that this judicial reveller does not get a step higher in official position.

TEXAS.

Lawlessness in Montague County.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—The Globe has a special from Dennison, Texas, which says that on the night of September 25th, twenty or thirty armed and masked men, riding blanketed horses, visited Thomas Boyd, at St. Joseph, Montague county, and called on William Stone, who with his family boarded with Boyd, to come out. Stone refused, whereupon he was informed that there was a body of armed men near by who intended to hang him if he did not leave town in twenty-four hours.

The party then visited several other houses and made similar demands upon the inmates. The next day Deputy United States Marshal J. M. Redman and several other United State officers arrived at St. Joseph and found Stone and others packing their wagons preparatory to leaving, and accompanied them fifteen miles on their journey and camped with them the first night, keeping out pickets to prevent a surprise, as the intention was to follow and murder them.

Yesterday the refugees appeared before United States Commissioner Chas. E. Maurice, and filed complaints against twenty-two members of the gang whom they could identify. Warrants were issued and placed in the hands of Deputy Marshal Wright, who, with a posse of armed men, left Dennison for Montague county to make the arrests.

The demonstration against Stone and others was to prevent them from appearing against certain parties.

State Finances.

NEW ORLEANS, October 3.—In reply to a criticism that the only reduction of the State expenses under the present state government has been at the expense of the bondholders, Governor Kellogg has addressed the following supplemental statement to the *Picayune*:

The expenses of the State government last year were 411,000 less than the expenses of 1872, and $803,000 less than the expenses of 1873. This year the expenses will show a still greater reduction. It is true the tax of four mills for general purposes remain unchanged; but this tax has heretofore never been sufficient to meet the expenses of the State Government. In 1869 the amount of warrants issued in excess of receipts from the four mill general fund tax was $750,000; in 1870 it was $1,014; in 1871 it was $1,497,162, and in 1872 it was $1,116,040. It is by this excess of warrants over receipts that a large portion of the floating debt of the State has been piled up. We are endeavoring to confine the expenses within the receipts from the four mill tax, and have so far succeeded that there remained only a balance of $180,000 in excess of expenditure over the receipts of last year. This year it is believed that the receipts will nearly or quite cover the expense. One of the constitutional amendments to be voted on in November renders it impossible to issue warrants in excess of its receipts, and this cuts off one great source of the present financial difficulties of the State.

Centennial.

On the 5th of October occured the one-hundredth anniversary of the first official act of the American Revolution—the convening of the General Court of Massachusetts at Salem, and the vote resolving the assembly into the first Provincial Congress. In brief, the history of the event is as follows: General Gage issued a call for the Assembling of the General Court, and set the 5th of October for the day, but shortly thereafter the doings of the patriots at Salem and elsewhere led him to rescind the call and dissolve the Assembly by proclamation. But the members of the body gathered at the town and Court House in Salem on the day first appointed and began a session. On the seventh the body voted to announce itself as the First Provincial Congress, and throw off the yoke of oppression. An adjournment was then made to Concord to meet on the eleventh, which they did, and from that time down there has been the General Court of Massachusetts. The patriots seized the treasury, organized the militia, and established a Court of Inquiry in place of the regular Courts, thus giving to the world the first act of the Revolution.

Gift of the Spirit.

We have great reason to adore the wisdom and goodness of God in the dispensation of the Gospel, that by the sending down of his Holy Spirit to endow the first publishers of his heavenly doctrine with such miraculous powers and gifts, He hath given such abundant testimony to the truth of our religion, and such plain grounds for our faith to rely upon. Had God left the Christian religion to have been propagated only by its own rational force upon the minds of men, what a slow progress would it in all probability have made. So St. Paul intimates, that had not the mighty power of God accompanied their preaching, and made it effectual to the conversion and salvation of men, they might have been ashamed of the Gospel of Christ. Thus dry the belief of the Gospel men should live in obedience of faith, and conformly to the precepts of that holy religion which the Son of God by so many miracles hath plainly and preserved in the world.—*Arch-bishop Tillotson.*

The Republican State Executive Committee have been playing a joke on the Democratic Committee. The Columbus *Journal* tells how it was done:

The Republican State Executive Committee has played a cruel hoax on the Democratic leaders. Knowing that they would snatch at anything marked "Confidential," and give any such matters free publication, the committee has prepared a circular embodying the laws as to election day, challenging votes, etc., and the Democratic Committee has been permitted to steal a copy of the circular. The result is that the circular is printed in all the Democratic newspapers, and it will not be the fault of our shrewd Republican committee if Democrats are not fully informed as to the penalties for illegal voting, and the rights of Republican challengers at the polls.

General Sherman having been asked to furnish a better portrait of Mr. Fitch, his daughter's *fiance*, than the one already possessed, replied: Oh, if you don't get it in time, buy a picture of any young naval officer in uniform and stick Fitch's head on him. That will do for Fitch." The reply being made that the *Daily Graphic* never publish anything but genuine pictures, the General answered, "Oh, it does, does it? Well, the rest of the illustrated papers don't take that trouble. I have ridden General Washington's horse twenty times in pictures, and so have Grant, Sheridan, and the rest. They keep Gen. Washington's horse on hand, and stick a head of any of us on it, when convenient.—*Graphic.*

The List of Counsel.

The Brooklyn Argus, speaking of the indictments against Tilton and Moulton, says: "The array of counsel in the Tilton case will be unusually large. Roscoe Conkling has accepted a retainer, and will sum up the case. William M. Evarts, B. F. Tracy, John K. Porter, W. O. Bartlett, John Graham, and T. S. Sherman, will assist Mr Conkling. The list of Tilton's counsel is said not to be complete. Senator Carpenter, of Wisconsin, Daniel Dougherty, of Philadelphia, and David Dudley Field, are mentioned. Mr Moulton has secured Judge Fullerton, although General Butler will take the lead in the case, and personally appear. Mr. Beach will most likely appear also. A motion will be made for a change of venue. This is a matter in the discretion of the Court. A motion will be made for a *certiorari* to carry the case before the Supreme Court. This, we believe, is a motion of right, and an effort will then be made to remove the case to Albany or Westchester. It is thought the trial will take place in a fortnight, and it will probably last for three or four weeks.

The New Japanese Volcano.

Stories come from Japan that the "Earth Dragon" is uneasily heaving under Japan. Last June a severe shock was felt in China, and now Japan is bragging of one of her volcanos which is throwing fire, cinders, smoke and burning sand around the district of Isenewua. It is reported that in the ten days' discharge of the volcano 108 houses were burned by the falling sand. This is not the worst either, for if rumors are facts, the old dragon is hoisting up the irritating earth crust and making mountains on his own account. From a plain in the volcano district three mountains have, at any rate, in a very short time sprung up like mushrooms, one of which was 1,800 feet high. The old fellow also shoved up a piece of land from the bottom of the ocean 1,800x500 feet, joined it to the islands, and the Japanese are rejoicing over a new peninsula.

A 22,000-barrel tank, belonging to the Hazlewood Oil Company, on the Jamison farm, east of Central Point, sprung a leak Saturday afternoon, and the oil is wasting rapidly. The inhabitants of the region have abandoned their homes for fear of fire.

Horse thieves in Texas serenade by string bands.

Local Business Notices.

AUCTION STORE.—The Benner Bros. have opened a General Auction Store in Rost's Block, where they will sell goods of every description at Auction and Private Sale both day and evening. Persons having goods to dispose of will consult their interests by calling on Benner Bro's.

CLOSING OUT TO LEAVE THE CITY. W. Harman, having concluded to remove his stock from Tiffin, offers at the Great Bargain Store, in National Hall Block, goods at astonishingly low prices. He would prefer to sell them at customers' prices rather than pack them and pay freight. Come at once.

FINE STOCK OF JEWELRY.—This week Wm. Gallup, the veteran jeweler, received a full and complete stock of new goods, making the finest stock in the city. He wishes to call particular attention to his new styles of Ladies' jewelry in full or partial sets, chains of every description, solid gold rings, plain or set in fine style, and a splendid stock of Gold and Silver Watches. Call and examine the new goods.

SINCE taking the Premiums on Boots and Shoes the trade of Sponsler & Romig has so rapidly increased that they have concluded to sell goods lower than ever. They have a splendid stock for the Fall trade, and will give great bargains to every customer.

DON'T FORGET—The splendid suburban lots, on Sycamore street, for sale by J. S. Yerk. All aim to see him before purchasing.

FIRST IN TOWN.—A Fine Stock of Ladies' and Misses Furs just opened by W. H. Schlosser & Co., who will sell them very cheap. Call and make your selections now.

BUFFALO Clothing House ahead in premiums at the Seneca county Fair Business suits, Best Made Over Coats, Best made Vests, and the Best display of Tailor Work.

M. FRANK.

MONEY WANTED.—The owner of a valuable property in Wyandot County wishes to borrow $3,600 for which he will pay 10 per cent. and give ample security. Call at this office for particulars.

ALWAYS TRIUMPHANT!—The "Singer" again took the First Premium at the Seneca County Fair on Best Family Machine and Operation, and Best Sewing Machine Work. Come to The Singer Office in the Shawhan House building for the best Machines. No other Machine took a premium for Family Work. C. H. MILLER, Agent.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC OF OMAR AND VICINITY.—E. Bernard having purchased a lot at the Station, South of Omar, on the B. & O. railroad, will, in the next ten or fifteen days, move his entire stock of merchandise and his family to the Station. He would call very respectfully upon all indebted to him by book account or otherwise, to call and settle up immediately, before he leaves his present location.

OMAR, O., Oct. 3, 1874.

EDWIN BERNARD.

OYSTERS sold by the can or served up in any style at B. Schmitt's Market Street Restaurant.

BEFORE going to Press we notice that M. Frank has received twenty cases of Clothing, the First and Best Assortment in the city. Give him a call. Remember the sign of the Big Buffalo.

FOR the best refreshments go to B. Schmitt's Market Street Restaurant. The best of wines, ale and beer for invalids and on draught.

BLACK & Co's. great Dry Goods House is to be opened Thursday morning, Oct. 7th. We do not see how this is possible. Judging from the immense quantity of merchandise they are receiving, one would suppose it would take at least two weeks to get them open ed, but the boys are working day and night in order that the public can give them a call on Thursday, at the old stand of L. K. Loudermilch. Let all give this stock an examination, and then leave your money with the house that will give the most for it.

A MATTER OF FACT.—That York, Brown & Co., 55 Washington street, Tiffin, took the First Premium at the late successful Fair, given by the Seneca County Agricultural Society, on the following articles:

Best Cook Stove,
Best Self Feed Calcium Base, Burner,
Best Wood Parlor Stove,
Best Box Stove,
Best Tin Ware,
Best Copper Ware,
Best Display.

This firm have on hand the finest assortment of Coal and Wood Stoves ever exhibited in this city, which is unsurpassed in finish, style and durability.

All who are in need of any of the above will be well paid by calling and examining their stock before purchasing.

They also "cleaned the platter" on Agricultural Implements. This is a matter in which the Farmers are interested. Call and see the machines that took the First Premium at the last Seneca County Fair

BOARDERS WANTED.—A small family, or two or three gentlemen, can be supplied with board, with rooms furnished or unfurnished, as desired. Apply at TRIBUNE O.

CHOICE FAT OYSTERS.—All lovers of Oysters will go to B. Schn. Market street, as he gets a fresh ply daily.

"THEY ARE LOVELY!" was the expression of every one that saw those Oil and Water Colored Photographs at the Fair, the production of Mrs. A. L. Oakley. Pennington's Gallery, operated, by A. L. Oakley, is the only place in the city that make these beautiful pictures.

THE Cincinnati Daily *Commercial* will be delivered *promptly* at Hotels, Shops and Private Houses at 25 cents per week. Subscription received at the American Express Office, where extra copies may be had every evening. Toledo *Democrat* and *Herald* delivered at 20 cents per week.

MASSILLON LUMP COAL for sale at J. T. Crooks & Co's Coal Yard.

THE WHOLESALE TRADE of H. A. Buskirk & Son has increased wonderfully within the past few months, and with the shipping facilities now afforded they can supply every dealer in this vicinity to better advantage than can Cleveland or Toledo.

They also have an extensive retail trade.

NEW MILLINERY GOODS—Fall and Winter Styles, in all varieties, received at JOHN YOUNG'S.

STING came out ahead again at the County Fair last week, he having received the First Premium on Best Family Sewing Machine, Tailors' Sewing Machine, Shoemakers' Sewing Machine, and First Premium as having the best and largest display of Sewing Machine Work.

For the Best Sewing Machines in the world go to C. H. Sting.

ALMIGHTY CHEAP.—Scheib cannot think of two words which will explain his manner in selling goods better than the above. He has a fine stock, and he makes them in good style, and sells Cheap for Cash.

BEFORE you buy your supply of Coal for the winter, see Stanley. He has the best