TO THE PEOPLE OF KNOX CO.

FELLOW CITIZENS: At a very large Temperance meeting held in Calhoun, Mo., on the 9th of May, 1853, over which W. A. Gray presided as chairman, and W. S. Holland as secretary, the following preamble and resolution were unanimously adopted, and the undersigned committee appointed to carry out the provisions of the resolution:

Whereas, Many citizens, voters of this county, have signed a solemn pledge that they will vote for no man for representative who is not in favor of the Maine Liquor Law: Therefore,

Resolved, That the chairman appoint a committee of three to write an address, setting forth the plan of operation which we have adopted, and its advantages—asking the co-operation of other counties, and requesting all papers in the State friendly to the Maine Law to publish the address.

Our object is if possible to have the Maine Law adopted by our State at the next session of the Legislature, and in order to do this we purpose electing men who are in favor of the law, and to secure the election of such men, we are signing a pledge of honor of which the following is a copy.

We, the undersigned, by these presents do mutually pledge our sacred honor to our country, and to each other, that we will vote for no man to represnet us in the lower house of the next General Assembly of the State of Missouri, who is not avowedly in favor of the adoption by this State of the Maine Liquor Law, or a law of similar provisions and like intentions. But the condition of this pledge is such that it shall not go into effect or be considered until twenty-five names are pledged in good faith.

The object of putting the condition in the above pledge, was to leave men free to act as they chose, until enough were found willing to work in unison, to make their influence felt in the selection of candidates; but we now have the pleasure of knowing that the condition is not only complied with, but that nearly quadruple that number have already signed the pledge, and that we are procuring more names daily.

Henry county is awake to her interests and is setting the noble example of a county actively and efficiently engaged for the Maine Law and the good of the State.

And now in behalf of our county, we call on every county throughout the State to lend us a helping hand, to make an early and powerful struggle for the accomplishment of this great desideratum.

We know that some counties can do but little, but in most counties the friends of Temperance have the balance of power, and the only question worth considering is, how we shall get them around so as to exercise the power they hold.

The spirit of do-nothing seems to hold the friends of Temperance spell-bound—so much so that a great many who would be with us heartily, if once aroused, are lying supinely quiet and if asked to do anything for the cause, will only say, 'we can't succeed, and it is therefore useless to try' Now suppose we admit that the chances are against our success, (which we do not with the friends at their posts,) that is surely no reason why we should not make every effort of which we are capable. Suppose any portion of the State to be needing a railroad and we tell them that they cannot get it, because other parts of the State will defeat them, will they be likely to turn quietly round and vote for a man opposed to the road? They would tell us no. Our interests require that we should go for the road, and we will do it regardless of what the rest of the State may say or do.

Thus it should, and we believe will be, with the friends of Temperance. It is the interest of each county, and of the whole State, to have the Maine Law adopted, and we hope and expect to see men voting for their best interests and the principles they approve, without stopping to ask whether or not we will be likely to succeed; for the only way in which we can succeed is to go boldly to the work, nothing doubting. Henry county has taken this noble stand, and single handed and alone if need be, has enlisted for the war.

The passage of the Maine Law is surely a matter of the first magnitude of importance to the people of Missouri. Drunkards can never be reclaimed while their resolves to reform are constantly tempted by an influence or power which leads them captive at its will. Men whose appetites and desires are ruinously increased and perverted, can never refrain from drinking while rum is placed to tempt them at every corner of the street. Young men will be tempted and gradually ruined just so long as fashionable groggeries are permitted to hold a place among the *business* establishments of our country. The only way to disarm this alarming monster of its potent sting, is to remove it from the reach of those who would gladly throw off its embraces, but cannot while it holds its present close proximity to their deranged, enfeebled and yielding powers of resistance; and the only way in which the removal of alcoholic beverages can be effected, is by stringent legislation.

Perhaps no man in our community can be found who would contend that the drinking of intoxicating liquors except as a medicine (in which way the Maine Law would not debar its use) does them any real or material good; but, on the contrary, not a man can be found with sane reasoning powers who does not know that strong drink is annually ruining thousands.—Then if intoxicating drinks are doing us no good, and are doing our friends and neighbors an irreparable injury, every Christian man is bound by the Golden Rule to use his best endeavors to ward off the curse from those on whom it is likely to fall. But it is not our province to descant on the evils of intemperance, the blessings of total abstinence, or the advantages of the Maine Law, subjects with which our fellow citizens are as familiar as ourselves. But as many have doubts of the constitutionality of the Maine Law, we will quote the highest authority in the United States, in favor of its constitutionality. Chief Justice Taney says:

"Every State may regulate its own internal traffic, according to its own judgment, and upon its own views of the interest and well being of its citizens. I am not aware that these principles have ever been questioned. If any State deems the retail and internal traffic in ardent spirits injurious to its citizens, and calculated to produce idleness, vice, or debauchery, I see nothing in the Constitution of the United States to prevent it from regulating and restraining the traffic, or from prohibiting it altogether, if it thinks proper."

We shall not offer to argue the many advantages to be anticipated from the Maine Law; but of the best steps to be taken in order to secure its adoption, we are expected more partially to treat. And the first step in point of importance is the election of men to the Legislature who are the warm and fearless friends of the law—for if we elect men opposed to the law, although we may instruct them by petition to go for it, they will give it no more than a cold support, whereas, if we elect men who are the open and zealous friends of the law, from principle, we may safely expect them to be untiringly active in its behalf. And we believe that the plan we propose and have adopted, offers better prospects of success in electing such men than any other plan we have seen proposed.

The pledge we recommend will be signed by Whigs and Democrats irrespective of politics, which will compel both great political parties to bring out Maine Law men, for neither party will be anxious to run a man against whom so many of its members, and those of the most influential class, are pledged. And with the candidates of both parties in favor of the law, it will not be made a test question at the polls, and yet we secure the object. Indeed, we could not make this a test question if we were so disposed—for although many men of both parties make the Maine Law their point in politics, believing it of more importance to the State than the election of United States Senators, or the location of railroads, and would vote for the liquor law candidate irrespective of party, yet a majority of Temperance men consider the Maine Law a matter of secondary importance, but are still anxious to vote for it, provided they can do so without voting contrary to their political principles.

We feel well assured that the friends of the law in most counties have the balance of power, and in many they have a decided majority; and if we do not procure the passage of the Maine Law at our next Legislature, we should hold the friends, not the enemies of Temperance responsible, for if the friends of the law will go vigorously to work, the enemies will scarcely say nay. Much less will men run for office basing their claims to preferment on their opposition to the Maine Law and the good of their country,—at least men who can establish any claims to popularity and influence, will not be particularly desirous of resting their claims to public favor on such a basis.

(To be Continued.)

New Boot and Shoe Manufactory!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes this method of informing his old customers, friends and the public generally, that I have again commenced the manufacture of Boots and Shoes of the very best material. Persons wishing articles in my line will do well to give me a call, before purchasing elsewhere, as my stock is well sellected, comprising the best article of French and American calf skins, ditto kip, ditto upper, all of which I will make to order at the shortest notice.

☞ Shop on Hill street, a few doors east of Selmes' Store. RICHARD FITZPATRICK.

P. S.—I will keep constantly on hand an assortment of fine calf boots, kip boots; also, coarse boots and shoes, which I will warrant to be of the very best quality. [mch16-d1mwtf] R. F.

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI,
Commission and Forwarding House,

JOSEPH MOGRIDGE. FRANCIS MCFAUL.

MOGRIDGE & McFAUL,
(Late Twitchell & Mogridge,)
Corner Commercial and Pine streets,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

CONSIGNMENTS and Commissions will meet with prompt and personal attention, and liberal CASH ADVANCES will be given on Consignments or Bills of Lading IN HAND.

The forwarding and receiving of merchandize and produce will meet with especial care and dispatch; the lowest rates of freight will always be procured, and the expense of storage and drayage as much as possible avoided.

Orders for purchasing filled at the shortest notice and lowest market prices.

REFERENCES:
J. & E. Walsh; Page & Bacon; Charless, Blow & Co.; Choteau & Valle; Doan, King & Co.; } St. Louis.
Blow & March; Frost & Forest; Charles A. Meigs; } New York.
T. C. Twichell & Co., New Orleans.

We have an open policy of Insurance, which will cover all shipments to our address, when advised by letter per mail, or when endorsed on bills of lading before, or at the time of shipment.

MOGRIDGE & McFAUL.
St. Louis, Janury 29, 1853. (1yw)

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of J. L. T. McELROY, deceased, will apply to the Ralls County Court, on the first day of the next August term, to make final settlement of his administration. All persons interested, may then and there attend, if they think proper. ALLEN G. GALLAHER, Adm'r.
May 26th, 1853.—(w4t)

NOTICE!!!

ALL persons having claims against me, as Contractor of the Hannibal and New London Plank Road and Salt River Bridge, are hereby requested to present them at my Counting Room, for settlement, on or before the 18th of June, 1853. T. R. SELMES.
Hannibal, June 9th, 1853.—(w1t4t)

GILCHRIST PORTER,
Attorney at Law,

HAVING located at HANNIBAL, Missouri, will practice in the courts of the counties of Marion, Ralls, Pike, Montgomery, Warren, Lincoln, and St. Charles.
(Office in Collins' New Building, corner of Main and Bird Sts.,) je2'53] [wly.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned administrator has obtained from the County Court of Ralls County, letters testamentary, upon the estate of WILLIAM T. DUBOIS, deceased, bearing date June 6, 1851.

All persons having demands against said estate, are required to exhibit them for allowance, within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims are not exhibited within three years they will be forever barred. FRENCH GLASCOCK, Ex'r of WILLIAM T. DUBOIS, dec'd.
June 9th, 1853.—(w3t)

E. F. PITTMAN. W. H. PITTMAN.

PITTMAN & BROTHER,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers in
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY-GOODS,
No 97, Main St., ST. LOUIS. MO.
June 9, 1853. (je9w1y)

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate in The City of Hannibal.

IN virtue and by authority of an order of the County Court of Marion county, State of Missouri, made on the 5th day of July next, at the Court House door in the town of Palmyra, while the County Court is in session for said county, proceed to sell to the highest bidder at public auction, all the right, title and interest which Churchill Samuel, deceased, had at the time of his death, in and to the following described real estate, to wit: The number eight (8) in Block number thirty-eight (38) in the City of Hannibal, and blocks numbered 101 and 109 in South Hannibal, all in the County and State aforesaid—upon the following terms, to wit: one-half of the purchase money cash in hand, and the other half in six months. Immediate possession will be given to the purchaser, and title withheld until the purchase money is paid. Sale to take place between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 5 o'clock, P. M.

THOMAS L. ANDERSON, Adm'r
Of the Estate of Churchill Samuel, dec'd.
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STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss.
COUNTY OF RALLS,
In the Circuit Court, March Term, 1853. April 2, 1853.

James H. Hawkins, Plaintiff,
vs. } Attachment.
Arcolus C. Hawkins, Defendant.

NOW at this day comes the said Plaintiff, by his Attorney, and it appearing to the Court, that the said Defendant, Arcolus C. Hawkins, is not a resident of the State of Missouri. On motion of said Plaintiff, it is ordered by the Court that the said Defendant be notified that a civil action by Attachment, has been commenced against him by the said Plaintiff, for the sum of one thousand two hundred and twelve dollars and seventy-five cents, alleged to be due to said Plaintiff from the said Defendant, on book account, and that the debtors of said Defendant have been garnasheed on account of the same, and that unless he be and appear at the next term of said Court, which will be begun and held at the Court House, in the Town of New London, within and for said County of Ralls, on the fourth Monday of August next, and on or before the third day thereof answer said action, the same will be taken against him as confessed, and judgment entered accordingly; and it is further ordered by the Court that a copy of this order be published according to Law.
ANDERSON & LANCASTER, Att'ys for Pl'ff.
A true Copy Teste:
SAM'L K. CALDWELL, Clerk.
May 19, 1853—(8w-w)

DRUG STORE.

J. B. BROWN & CO., Druggists and Apothecaries, City Hotel building, Hannibal, Mo Keep constantly on hand, a full and carefully selected Stock of Drugs, Medicines, Proprietory Medicines, pure Wines and Brandies for medical purposes, Remedial instruments, Paints, Oils, Brushes, Varnishes, Dye-Stuffs, Window Glass, Glassware, Spices, Perfumery, Fancy Goods &c., with every thing usually found in a completely furnished drug establishment. Our Medicines are selected with especial regard to freshness and purity, and are all WARRANTED genuine.

☞ In making our purchases from abroad, we deal only with respectable and responsible men, and are governed in our selections, by the QUALITY rather than by the price of articles.
(mch24-'53-w1y) J. B. BROWN & CO.

J. PARKES. WM. BILSBARROW.

PARKS & BILLSBARROW,
CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS,

CORNER of Hill and Fourth Streets, Hannibal, Missouri.

The subscribers beg respectfully to inform the inhabitants of Hannibal and vicinity, that they are prepared to enter into contracts to any amount for the erection of churches, dwellings, Stores, &c., or the superintending of the erection of the same, &c.

N. B. They are also prepared to supply plans and specifications of every description. Buildings erected on moderate terms. Property taken in part payment.
JOSEPH PARKES,
WILLIAM BILLSBARROW.
References—T. McDannold, J. Fry, F. P. Magher, Architect. feb3'53-y.

DR. B. H. WASHINGTON,

IS Agent for the Phrenological, Water-Cure, and all other publications of Messrs. Fowlers & Wells, and will procure theirs or any other works on accommodating terms. Orders respectfully solicited. (my19w4-m)

That Long Narrow Room,
Opposite the Drug Store of Messrs. Brittingham & Co., and next door to Mr. McElroy's Book Store,

IS now being filled with great bargains in **Clothing and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,** Purchased in Philadelphia and St. Louis, at Reduced Prices.

Although not a MAMMOTH STOCK, for Variety, &c., it is not excelled in our city, and for Cash will be sold at very SMALL PROFITS.

A large assortment of Umbrellas, direct from the Manufactory in Philadelphia, consisting in part, of Ladie's and Gentlemen's fine Silk, and Men's Scoth; Gingham, &c., &c.; also Iron Frame Leather Trunk, (a superior article,) Carpet Bags of every variety Saddle Bags.

14 dozen superior LINEN COLLARS; Ladies' Merino and Gauze Vests.

Bear in mind the "Long Narrow Room" is the Place
HIRAM McVEIGH Ag't.
Hannibal, April 13, 1853—(w-1y)

1853. ST. LOUIS AND KEOKUK, 1853.
U. S. MAIL STEAMERS.
DIE VERNON, Rufus Ford Master.
KATE KEARNEY, Dan Able Master.
JEANNIE DEANS, J. Brown, Master.

One of the above Splendid Steamers leave the Keokuk Wharf Boat, foot of Locust Street, St. Louis, every evening at 4 o'clock, Sundays Excepted.

They will leave Hannibal in the following order:—The Die Vernon will pass up every Tuesday and Friday Morning, at 10 o'clock, down Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 10 o'clock, A. M. The Kate Kearney will pass up on Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 10 o'clock, A. M., down Thursdays and Sundays, at 10 A. M. The Jeannie Deans will pass up on Thursdays and Sundays, at 10 o'clock, down on Fridays and Mondays, at 10 A. M.

☞ It will be observed by the above arrangement, no Packets pass up on Monday or down on Tuesday.

For Freight or Passage having superior accommodations. Enquire on board or of
MILLER & POAGE, Agents.
Hannibal, April 6, 1853 tf

"A LITTLE MORE GRAPE, CAPTAIN!"

THE undersigned having sold out his entire interest in the Saddle and Shoe Department, would respectfully and most earnestly request all persons indebted to him, either by note or book account, to call and settle their respective dues. He can assure his friends, that he very much needs the money to meet his own demands, and hopes that all indebted to him, will at once see the importance of paying their indebtedness. Mr. Dallass, or Messrs. Pitts and Jordan will attend to all who may call at the sign of the Saddle and Shoes, to pay their dues, the subscriber, himself, will generally be in the shop, from one till two o'clock. *Don't forget that he very much needs the Money* (je2 w4t) JOHNATHAN GORE.

"A LEETLE" AHEAD!!!

NEW GOODS! JUST RECEIVED AT THE "PEOPLE'S STORE," A FRESH SUPPLY OF GOODS, consisting of the usual varieties, and adopted to the present and coming season. I would respectively invite the attention of the LADIES to the assortment of latest style BONNETS, some of which are indeed very handsome and fine, als Flowers, Ribbons, Dress Goods, French worked Collars, Sleeves and Cuffs, also Embroidered Handkercheifs, Kid Gloves, Silk Mits, Lace Veils, Tapes, Illusions, and sundry other articles too tedious to mention.

The Gentlemen will find the "TON" in the way on a fine Hat, also a fine lot of Boots, equal to those made by the "Judge," and, of course, much lower; we have "perhaps," the finest gentlemen's fancy Kid Gloves you know "on." Indeed, not to particularize, we wish it distinctly understood by all these presents may come, that we have and, intend to keep on hand, (not this lot, but others instead) a general assortment of Dry Goods, Queensware, Groceries, Hardware, &c., and that we sell as low as the lowest; and we particularly and "most respectfully" invite all of our old customers and friends, and the public at large, to remember us, and we promise to trade on the "mutual" principle, and will use our endeavors to give entire satisfaction to our customers.

I am also Agent for W. N. Green's Cordage Factory, and keep on hand packing yarn, bed cords, halter ropes, wines, &c., and can have any articles manufactured at the shortest notice by orders being left at the Store. [mch17w3m] W. KERCHEVAL, Agent.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned administrator has obtained from the Clerk of the Ralls County Court, in vacation, leters of adminstration, upon the estate of ELLISON A. DANIEL, dec'd, bearing date May 18th, A. D., 1853.

All persons having demands against said estate, are required to exibit them for allowance, within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims are not exhibited within three years they will be forever barred. ROBERT A. DANIEL, Adm'r.
May 26th, 1853.—(w3t)

Look out for the Old Lumber Yard.

WELL seasoned Pine Lumber suitable for all building purposes, can all times be had at the Old Hannibal Lumber Yard, which has been established 8 years. The proprietor deems it unnecessary to puff his Lumber to make it sell, or to say any thing about experience in the business except to those who never purchased from him. He would remark that an experience of eight years in the business gives the decided advantage over any other who never had *experience*—his Lumber has been purchased for cash and selected with great care, from the best mills in the Pinery. Mechanics and others wishing to purchase Lumber would find it to their advantage to call and examine the stock of Lumber and Shingles at the Old Lumber Yard before purchasing elsewhere. If you cannot get it for a less price, I will guarantee you can get it as low and a better article for the same money. Also, Lumber, Shingles and window sash.

☞ Don't forget the Big Sign on the west side of Third, between Bird and Hill streets. Look out for the Sign of THOS. S. MILLER'S
feb26tf LUMBER YARD.

A Card.

The friends of Temperance are requested to meet at Temperance Hall in Palmyra on the 4th Wednesday in June next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., (being the 22nd day of June,) to organize a County Temperance Society, to meet quarterly at the different parts of the county, to wit: The City of Hannibal, West Ely, Warren, Little Union, Huston, Philadelphia, Taylor's Mill, Palmyra, &c., for the Public discussion of the Maine Liquor Law, and all other subjects connected with the cause of Temperance, that now agitate the Union.

T. H. TATLOW,
EDWARD McCABE,
R. E. ANDERSON,
May 12, 1853. Committee.

E. & G. W. HAWKINS,

HAVE just received a portion of their Large and Extensive assortment of Ladies' Fancy Dress Goods, and Gentleman's wear. (mch-24-w-tf)

To the People.

I WOULD solicit the special attention of all persons who know themselves indebted to me, to the fact that with the commencement of this year I am DETERMINED to close up all of my old accounts, either by CASH or NOTE; and that an early call and prompt action on the part of every one of my debtors will oblige Your humble servant,
jan20-tf T. R. SELMES.

FRESH FANCY AND STAPLE GOODS,
RICH AND BEAUTIFUL
Spring and Summer Styles!
COLLINS & BREED,
Main Street, Hannibal, MO.,

Call the attention of purchasers generally, to their carefully selected stock of fresh and fashionable

DRY GOODS,

Which are just now received. They refer particularly to their stock of

EMBROIDERIES, of real French Work Collars, with and without points; Under Sleeves; Ladies Embroidered Handkercheifs; Edgings and Insertings; Transfering Bands, Chemisettes; Capes; also, some beautiful Soutach Collars. This stock is one of the most complete ever brought to this City.

DRESS GOODS.—Prints; Ginghams; Jaconets and Lawns; Barege de Laines; Tissues; Plain and Figured Bareges; small Figured French Chintzes for Children; Summer de Laines; Alpaccas; Poplins, &c.

DRESS SILKS.—A selection of the most elegant Fashionable Styles, among which are the plain colored Poult de Soies, so much in demand; also, a variety of Black Silks, of all widths and prices.

BONNETTS AND RIBBONS.—A superior selection, and cheaper than the same styles were ever sold before.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR.---Cassimeres; Linens, Drap d'Ete; Vestings and Cottonades, of the newest styles; also, a fine assortment of Children's Goods, such as Cashmerettes Tweeds, &c.

STAPLES AND SUNDRIES.—Domestics, Checks, Hickory; Chambrays; Nankeens; Curtain Muslins; Shawls; Handkercheifs; Cravats; Hosiery Flannels, Swiss and Jaconet Muslins; Irish Linen Ladies' Skirts; Filet Mitts and Gloves, Parasols and Fans.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—We wish to call the attention of the Ladies to our Stock of Ladies' Shoes. We have some of the finest and the latest styles custom Made. We have also an excellent stock of Men's and Children's Shoes and Boots, from the finest to the coarsest.

HATS AND CAPS—Gents' fine Silk Hats, all prices and Spring Styles, Panama, Leghorn, Citizens' and Palm Leaf Hats, Gents' and Boys'.

QUEENSWARE AND GLASSWARE—Of the Newest Patterns and Styles.

CARPETS—We have a lot of Ingrain, three-ply and Stair Carpeting, which we will sell at St. Louis prices.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND MILLINERS.—Will find in this stock many styles not to be found in Wholesale Houses and as they were all selected from the importers, in the East, will be sold at such prices as cannot fail to give entire satisfaction.

☞ Call and examine the Goods before purchasing elsewhere—even if you do not buy, we will be pleassed to show them. COLLINS & BREED.
(apr-7-1853 w-1y)

The Arrena Mill

IS now in full operation, and will buy all the *Good* Wheat and Corn offered for sale at their Mill. We keep on hand the best article of Superfine Family Flour for sale, or we will exchange Flour for Wheat. We will always sell as low or lower than Quincy Flour can be had of the same quality.

☞ Call and examine for yourself.
A. S. ROBARDS & SON.
Hannibal, June 3, 1852-tf.

New Cigar and Tobacco Store!
AT THE WIGWAM IN SHOOT & DAVIS' NEW BUILDING, IN COMMERCIAL ROW.

LEER & ARBOGAST hereby inform their friends and the public generally that they now occupy a room in SHOOT & DAVIS' new building, where they are prepared to fill all orders in their line, as cheap, if not cheaper, than any other house in the city. They have a choice selection of Tobacco, Cigars, Snuffs, Pipes, &c., &c.; and they can truly say their stock of goods is the largest, best and most complete assortment ever offered in Hannibal.

The following comprise a part of their Brands:
10,000 El Sol Regalias;
5,000 La Paloma do.
5,000 La Normas;
20,000 Justo Sanz Principes;
5,000 Cazadoras;
2,000 Plantation;
15,000 Common Regalias;
10,000 Half Spanish;
20,000 Melees

Virginia Chewing Tobacco.
Wm. Hare's, Jesse Hare's, James Thomas', and Seth Halsey's Tobacco.

Missouri Tobacco.
D. J. Garth's No. 1; Henderson's No. 1; Buckner's No. 1; Jamison's No 1; Dansman's Cherry Juice No. 1; Moffett & Harris' 5 Lump.

All of which we will sell low for cash.
[mch24-wtf] LEER & ARBOGAST.
Received—A new lot of Imperial Cigars.

THOS. S. MILLER. GEO. B. POGUE.

MILLER & POGUE,
(Successors to Thos. S. Miller,)
Wholesale Grocers & General Commission Merchants,
No. 3 Levee, Hannibal, Mo.

"Co-Partnership."

THE undersigned have entered into co-partnership for the purpose of transacting the Grocery and General Commission business, under the name and style of MILLER & POGUE at the old stand of Thos. S. Miller, No. 3. Levee.

THOS. S. MILLER,
GEO. B. POGUE.
Hannibal, June 10, 1852. (je10-tf)

ST. LOUIS STOVE STORE.

C. W. BRYAN,
Stove Dealer, Sheet-Iron Worker, Coppersmith, and Tinner,
Main Street, Two Doors North of "Grady House,"
HANNIBAL, MO.,
Sells at Wholesale Prices,
STOVES AND TINWARE.

I INVITE particular attention to the
Prize Premium Cook Stove,

which has given universal satisfaction to all who have used it. I warrant all my stoves for twelve months, and if any of the plates break during that time, I furnish new ones free of charge.

As I design remaining permanently in this place, the public are safe in taking my guarantee for the good performance of the stoves kept by me.

All my stoves are manufactured of
MISSOURI MOUNTAIN IRON,
and for goodness of metal and beauty of casting, they excel any stoves made in the Western country.

☞ The man who moulds Hollow-Ware for G. P. Filley is considered the best workman in the United States, and this accounts for our Hollow-Ware and Stove Vessels being so much smoother and better than any others you will find in market, whether made East or West.

I have constantly on hand, a supply of TINWARE, to which I particularly invite the attention of the country trade, as the quality of my ware, and the prices, shall be such as to induce them to call on me again.

I will wholesale to merchants living in the country at five per cent. less than St. Louis wholesale prices. I will sell at retail, Cook Stoves from two to three dollars cheaper than you can buy the same for in St. Louis. All orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Give me a call, if you please, and I will do my best to render satisfaction.

READ THIS!
THE introduction of
FILLEY'S STOVES

into Northern Missouri, to any extent, has been in the last three years; since which time they have been gradually in-creasing the manufacture and sale of them; and although, owing to their being light and smooth, and something new, some little difficulty attended the sale and use at first, yet by always making stoves and castings of the best quality of Scotch Pig and Missouri Mountain Iron, they have proved to withstand fire better than any other Casting made in the Western country. The Furnace Castings and Hollow-Ware particularly, have been superseded by it, wherever it has been brought into use, and always given satisfaction. Having lived here a number of years, and being permanently located here, purchasers can rely on our guarantee as to the quality of the articles sold by us; and as to the operation of our celebrated Prize Premium Cook Stove, just read the certificates of those who have used them, and are using them now. And another advantage a purchaser will have in buying a St. Louis stove of us, he would not only be getting a stove made of the best material in the world, but he can at any time get an odd piece or plate without any charge, by letting us know that such is wanted, as all our stoves are warranted, and, in case of imperfection, the articles will be promptly made good to the purchaser, which he will not find the case with *Cincinnati, Chicago, Pittsburgh, and Eastern made* STOVES, as you cannot get any odd Pieces. Even if they were warranted, it would be impossible to get odd plates from such a distance.

CERTIFICATES.

We, the undersigned, having used the St Louis Stoves manufactured by G. F. Filley, of St Louis, and sold by Carter W. Bryan, at Hannibal, Mo., take pleasure in recommending them to the public as superior in point of draft, durability, economy, convenience and ease of regulation, to any stoves which we have ever used:

John I. Ellet,	T. R. Selmes,	Washington Moyers,	W. R. Davis,
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Orion Clemens,	B. S. Young		

☞ I want it distinctly understood that the St. Louis Stove Store is the only place in Hannibal where FILLEY'S celebrated stoves are to be had. I have the exclusive privilege of selling the different patterns of stoves in this place, which Filley makes, including all his patent Stoves, and no one else can get any of them; consequently, they have not got them to sell. If any one wishing to buy Cook Stoves will come in, I can soon show him the difference between Filley's Premium Cook Stove and other St. Louis Stoves, as I have some of them on hand which I intend to keep for that purpose. I can also soon show them the difference between a Prairie State and a Charter Oak Cook Stove. dec16'52-tf.

500 of Filley's Celebrated Stoves!
FOR SALE AT THE ST. LOUIS STOVE STORE.

THE SUBSCRIBER takes this method of informing his friends and the public in general, that he has the largest stock and greatest variety of Stoves ever brought to Hannibal, which he is determined to sell low for cash. Persons wanting Stoves would do well to call and examine his stock, particularly his new patterns of Parlor Stoves, among which are the Grecian Parlor and Mound Parlor.

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Main street, two doors north of the Monroe House, Hannibal, Mo.

New Cook Stoves!

PERSONS wishing to buy stove, should give us a call, and examine our new patterns of

"Charter Oak"

Cook Stoves,

The Charter Oak stove posssesse advantages over common Stoves, in thickness of the Plate, and improvement in the Draft. It is given up by all stove dealers and manufacturers, to be the best Pattern for a descending flue, of any stove now made East or West.

This Stove was patented September, 1852, and wherever they have been used have given general satisfaction. This stove weighs some 40 pounds more to the number than any other stove ever brought to this city. The plates in them are from ¼ to ½ of an inch in thickness. No. 4 weighs over 250 pounds. We warrant them all against fires. These Stoves have a Patent Hot Air Flue, which carries the heat that is generated under the fire-plate down the front part of the Stove between two thick plates to the draft at the bottom of the Stove, thereby adding great heat to bake with on the bottom, and remedying that which has always been a fault with stoves of a descending flue, heretofore. The Charter Oak has one flue and one plate more than any Air Tight stove yet invented. They will cook with one-half the fuel which one of the ordinary stoves will, and will last for twenty-five years.

"Prize Premium" Cook Stove.
PATENTED, 1851.

This superior article has only been in use since January, 1851, and since that they have given such universal satisfaction that they are now the principal stove sold up the Illinois, Missouri and Mississippi rivers. The late improvement made by Filley, by putting a division in the draft below, divides the heat as it passes under the oven, and prevents it from all concentrating on the centre of the fire-plate, as it does in other stoves of similar form.

Another great improvement in the Premium Stove is the Patent Damper, which is so constructed as to insure it against breakage by fire; and if necessary, by turning the damper up a little, you can throw the heat under the oven without burning what is baking, as some do.

I have just made another great improvement in Filley's Patent Prize Premium stove, by adding to it a large, heavy Grate, for the wood to rest on, which not only aids the draft, by keeping it always clear, but also keeps the wood from breaking, and burning out the bottom of the stove.

This Grate is made so as to prevent the wood from falling against the doors, and burning them through, as is the case with stoves that have no grates; and as we have the only Premium Cook Stoves that have Grates in them, we hesitate not in saying that we can sell a cheaper and better stove than can be had elsewhere in the western country. Persons wishing to buy stoves would do well to call before purchasing.

The difference between Filley's Patent Premium and other stoves of the same form in use, are, in the first place, the improvements made in the Draft Damper; and secondly, a contraction of the smoke flues, by which the heat is more confined against the Oven, heating it more regular and quicker, and always insures the stove to draw well, in any situation. Thirdly, the boilers are nearer the fire than in most stoves, and having the flue contracted to the width of the boiler in front, it brings all the heat in use. Fourthly, the ovens are much larger than those of most stoves of the same kind in use, and particularly the Cincinnati stoves, as the ovens are very narrow and less useful. In all sizes of the Prize Premium Cook Stove the openings in front and back are the same size—so that you have two oval openings, the Wash Boiler fitting either, or you can make four round holes of a size and any of the trimmings will fit either hole.

All of the above stoves may be procured at the

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