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Eaton, Ohio.

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National Democratic Ticket.

For President,
MAJOR-GENERAL
G. B. McCLELLAN,
Of New Jersey.

For Vice President,
G. H. PENDLETON,
Of Ohio.

FOR ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

ELECTORS AT LARGE.
Charles Reemelin,
Thomas W. Bartley.

CONGRESSIONAL ELECTORS.
John L. Vattier,
John Schiff,
William J. Gilmore,
Luther Smith,
Charles N. Lamison,
William B. Telfair,
William H. Creighton,
Judson A. Beebe,
Edward S. Stowe,
James G. Haly,
Henry C. Moore,
James Emmitt,
Charles H. Johnston,
Neal Power,
Robert A. Constable,
Oliver J. Swaney,
Charles M. Aten,
David R. Paige,
Simeon L. Hunt.

TO THE PATRONS OF THE "DEMOCRATIC PRESS".

Mr. WILLIAM FERGUSON has dissolved his connection with the "Press," and Mr. HARPER FERGUSON has taken sole and exclusive control of the same. The latter gentleman for more than three years, has had charge of the mechanical department of the "Press," and has most diligently and faithfully labored to sustain it, and having now assumed its entire control, we deem it our duty to say in his behalf, that in all our intercourse with him, we have found him an upright and honorable gentleman, and we believe him worthy of the respect and confidence of the people in all respects, and we bespeak for him a liberal patronage from the Democracy of Preble county.

W. J. GILMORE,
J. V. CAMPBELL,
J. H. FOOS,
J. B. STEPHENS,
ABNER DUNLAP.

SUMMARY.

It is reported that *Forrest* is concentrating a large force near Jackson Tennessee.

The soldiers in the army of the Potomac have already commenced to vote on the Presidential question —the New York Regiments casting heavy majorities for McClellan:

General Ricketts, who was seriously wounded at the recent battle of Cedar Creek, is very low, and it is thought that he cannot recover.

It is stated that Early is about to reorganize his army for another campaign.

The yellow fever is raging in several of the Southern cities.

The largest gun in in the world was to be tested at Fort Hamilton, yesterday. The weight of the ball used in this gun is half a ton.

It is reported that the enemy have replaced their heavy guns in the Petersburg fortifications, and are keeping up a brisk firing into our camps.

It is rumored that there is a difference in the British Cabinet, which may bring about a modification in the Ministry.

Governor Hall, of Missouri, reports that the Federal cavalry are seriously damaging Price's rear, and that the enemy are making rapid marches into Kansas.

The Federal prisoners in Charleston, and the Confederate prisoners on Morris Island, have all been removed from under fire.

General Doubleday and a Mexican Minister have arrived at Fortress Monroe.

Gold closed yesterday in New York at 214½.

THE PROSPECT.

The news that comes to us from all quarters is most encouraging, and the election of McCLELLAN and PENDLETON is almost certain. Let not our friends, however, think that individual exertion is unnecessary. Every man should work as if the election depended upon him alone. Our opponents are fully alive to their chances of defeat, and will move heaven and earth to secure the election of their candidates. Let the Democracy be as united and energetic as their foes, and victory will be ours.

JUDGE D. S. GOODING.

We stop the Press, to announce the advent in Eaton of that noted orator D. S. Gooding, of Indiana. Wishing to hear for ourselves, we repaired to the Conrt House this afternoon, and there we "saw the elephant." About 79 people were present, to listen to this "livest of orators." Of course the usual Billingsgate was forthcoming, and as we viewed the speaker, walking up and down his stand with his hands in his pockets, and making a great display of a very dirty pocket handkerchief, we could not help agreeing with him in one sentiment—"Things are not as they used to be."

"HOW ENCOURAGING!"

Under the above heading, in the "Register" of this week, will be found some extracts from Southern papers, which "tit-bits" the Editor assures us he inserts for the solace of his Democratic friends. "One good turn deserves another," and we take pleasure in commending to his attention, the following extract from the Richmond *Examiner* of the 17th instant;

"Some doubt remains as to the political complexion of Pennsylvania. But we entertain strong hope that the Republicans have done what they seemed at first to have done, and confess a deep desire that the present result may foreshadow the re-election of Abraham Lincoln. FOR ABRAHAM LINCOLN IS THE SOUTH'S BEST ALLY. *

"If the people of the United States choose to re-elect him, they thereby pronounce a decree establishing the independence of the South. We can bring larger armies into the field to fight Lincoln than any other Northern President."

READ THIS!

General BEN BUTLER says: 'The re election of Mr. Lincoln will be equivalent to a *twenty years'* war."

General SHERMAN says: "This war has *just begun*, and its issues are the mysteries of the dim future."

General JIM LANE at a Republican meeting in New York, said: "By G— I want to make this war *a permanent institution*."

The "Peace Plank."

The shoddyites are continually howling about the "peace plank" of the Chicago platform. The kind of peace they want is aptly defined by General Tilton in a speech made at a Republican meeting in Boston, October 10. General Tilton said: "I don't want any peace except on such terms as Abraham Lincoln will make. I won't say under the Constitution, but under such terms as he chooses to make, for I don't know where the Constitution is."

That states the point precisely, and there the Democrats take issue with the Lincolnites on the subject of peace.—[Ex.

☞ In consequence of some typographical errors, which were overlooked last week, we reprint the following.

A FINAL FAREWELL.

FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS—It will not be deemed out of place or discourteous that I should on giving up my connection with the Eaton "Democratic Press", address a few words to my personal friends in Eaton and old Preble. For three years and five months I have served you to the best of my humble abilities, but have not always pleased either you or myself. Still the cause in which I have been engaged is most near and dear to my heart, and shall be till I die. That I have been misunderstood by many of my readers is a fact for which I am sorry. Whatever I may have said, done, or written that has offended or grieved any one has been more an error of my head than of my heart. I never during a public life of over forty years, intentionally injured a human being, and if any person or persons in our town or neighborhood have felt themselves aggrieved by anything I have said or published, I sincerely hope they will remember that "to err is human, to forgive, divine." Let me then bear the conscious burden of imperfections, and let my friends, and neighbors enjoy the approbation of conscious forgiveness. Eaton will ever be remembered by me as a place in which I have spent some of my best, and upon the whole, happiest years. It would be invidious on my part to mention names and families, otherwise I could cheerfully record many acts of real kindness done both to myself and family, but what prudence forbids me to publish in this short address, is engraven in my heart, and will ever remain there as a memento of kindness received.

My opinion on the question of slavery has been frequently and greatly misunderstood by many of my neighbors. I am, as I have always been, honestly opposed to immediate and unconditional emancipation. Slavery is a certain condition of American society, just as much as the corns on my toes are a certain condition of my toes, but I do not feel at liberty to cut off my toes to get rid of my corns. I have always advocated gradual emancipation, and compensation to the owners of slaves. On this great question of questions I have the most thoughtful, profound and ablest politicians, both in Europe and America on my side. I look upon the Abolitionist as totally and entirely mistaken in their views on the question of slavery, but I am not going to denounce or abuse men because they differ from me in opinion.

My son will continue to publish the 'Press' as already made known, and my heart will live in it, and my best wishes for its prosperity, attend it.

W. FERGUSON.

ANOTHER STATE.

Nevada Territory, by the vote of its people on the 7th of September, ult., was transformed into a State. An election for State officers will take place on the 7th of November. A letter from Austin says:

Party lines were strictly drawn, and although we have not the official vote, enough is known to know that A. C. Bradford, Democratic candidate for delegate to Congress, was elected by a very handsome majority, his opponents being Thomas Fitch and J. Cradlebaugh, ex district Judge of Utah Territory, and ex-delegate to Congress from this territory. And the Democracy being greatly elated with their recent success are preparing for the ensuing State and Presidential campaign with renewed vigor. It is confidently believed by all Democrats and many Republicans that Nevada will cast her maiden vote for McClellan and Pendleton.

The Polish Government.

Of late it has been pretty generally supposed that the Polish rebellion was suppressed; but the Polish National Government has just given unexpected proof of its vitality by issuing a proclamation, declaring that the revolution is still in progress, despite the representations of Russia. The proclamation is prefaced with this preamble:

"After nineteen months of desperate struggle against all the power of Russia, assisted by her accomplices in the murder of Poland and encouraged by the indifference of the West, our insurrection is weakened and our ranks are thinned.

"Over the tombs of fifty thousand heroes slain in battle; along roads furrowed by the wheels of the kibitkas, which have borne one hundred thousand of our martyrs to Siberian snows; above the ruins of thousands of burnt towns and villages, the invader in one breath hymns of triumph, and redoubles his barbarian rage. He intones a perfidious and a lying hymn, the chorus of which is applauded by the accomplices of Russia, conspiring for our fall, who all repeat, 'The struggle is ended, and Poland is no more.'"

☞ "Why does the operation of hanging kill a man?" inquired Dr. Whately. A physical gave replied, "Because inspiration is checked, circulation stopped, and blood suffuses and coniests the brain." "Bosh," replied His Grace, "it is because the rope is not long enough to let his feet touch the ground.

In one of the courts lately there was a long and learned discussion as to whether a witness should be allowed to answer the question "what did Mary say?" Three judges gave long and elaborate opinions in the affirmative, and the question being repeated, the answer was, "Not a word."

Local and Miscellaneous

Why Is It?

Why is it that DEEM & LAKE'S Dry Goods Store is always crowded? Just because they always have on hand a well selected stock of Goods, which they sell at remarkably low rates. They have just received a fresh supply of everything suitable for the season. Those who wish to purchase must call at once. Remember the Store, next door to Dr Minor's Drug Store.

MEN'S WINTER WEAR.

Michael Filbert has just received an immense stock of Goods, which he offers to sell cheap for Cash — He has Overcoats, Pants, Vests, and Underwear in great variety.—Pay him a visit.

BAILEY'S CIRCUS.

This Grand Combination is announced to visit Eaton on Saturday next. This is said to be the best Exhibition that is now traveling, and we hope they will be well patronized here. ☞ See Bills ☜

FIRE! FIRE!! FIRE!!!

Walter P. McCabe has just received at his store n Cherry St. a large number of stoves of the following patterns; Charter, Russian Queen, Advance and America cook stoves, Peerless, parlor cook, Peerless and Beauty, sheet iron, Anchor, Forest rose and Fluted heating; Signal, parlor. Also troughs, spouting, roofing, tin ware and all articles usually kept in his line.

Call at Messrs. Huston & Stephens, on Main Street, and you will there find Dry Goods at greatly reduced prices. Huston and Stephens foreseeing the great decline in the price of gold, and knowing the great reduction in the price of Dry Goods that must necessarily follow, resolved to clear out their stock at once, and they are now selling the greatest and best bargains, sold in Eaton for years past, at really low prices. Their broadcloths, tweeds, muslins, boots and shoes, are of the best quality.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GREAT
Gift Distribution!
250,000
WATCHES, CHAINS, DIAMOND RINGS, &c.,
WORTH OVER
ONE MILLION DOLLARS!
All to be sold for
ONE DOLLAR EACH!!

Without regard to value!! Not to be paid for until you know what you are to receive!!!

Splendid List of Articles!! All to be Sold for One Dollar Each!!!

250 Gents' Gold Hunting-case Watches .....$50 to $150 each
250 Ladies' Gold and enam'l case Watches ... 35 „ 70 „
500 Gents' Hunting-case Silver Watches..... 35 „ 70 „
200 Diamond Rings ..... 50 „ 100 „
3000 Gold Vest and Neck Chains ..... 15 „ 30 „
3000 do. do..... 4 „ 6 „
3000 Gold Band Bracelets 4 „ 8 „
5000 Chased G'ld Bracelets 5 „ 10 „
2000 Chatelaine Chains & Guard Chains ..... 5 „ 20 „
7000 Solitaire and Gold Brooches ..... 4 „ 10 „
2000 Lava and Florentine Brooches ..... 4 „ 6 „
5000 Coral, Emerald and Opal Brooches ..... 4 „ 8 „
5000 Mosaic, Jet, Lava, & Florentine Ear Drops 4 „ 8 „
7500 Coral, Emerald and Opal Ear Drops ..... 4 „ 6 „
4000 California Diamond Breast Pins .....2 50 „ 10 „
3000 Gold Fob and Vest Watch Keys.....2 50 „ 8 „
4000 Fob and Vest Ribbon Slides ..... $3 „ 10 „
5000 Sets Solitaire Sleeve Buttons, studs, &c ... 3 „ 8 „
3000 Gold Pencils, Thimbles, &c ..... 4 „ 7
10000 Miniature Lockets 2 50 „ 8
4000 do. Magic Spring ... $3 „ 20
3000 Gold Crosses, &c. ... 2 „ 8
5000 Plain Gold Rings ... 4 „ 11
5000 Chased Gold Rings... 4 „ 11
10000 Stone Set & Signet Rings .....2 50 „ 10
10000 California Diamond Rings..... $2 „ 10
7500 Sets Ladies Jewelry 4 „ 15
10000 Gold Pens, Silver Extension holders & Pencils ..... 4 „ 10
10000 Gold Pens and Gold Mounted holders ..... 3 „ 8
5000 Gold Pens and Gold Extension holders ... 6 „ 10
5000 Silver Goblets and Drinking Cups ..... 5 „ 50
3000 Silver Castors..... 15 „ 50
2000 Silver Fruit and Cake Baskets ..... 20 „ 50
5000 doz Silver Tea Spoons $10 to $20 ℔ doz
5000 Dozen Silver Table Spoons and Forks . ... $20 to $40 „

In consequence of the great stagnation of trade in the manufacturing districts of England, through the war having cut off the supply of cotton, a large quantity of valuable Jewelry, originally intended for the English market has been sent off for Sale in this country, and *must be sold at any sacrifice!!*

Under these circumstances, ARRANDALE & CO., acting as Agents for the principal European manufacturers, have resolved upon a GREAT GIFT DISTRIBUTION, subject to the following regulations:

CERTIFICATES naming each article and its value are placed in SEALED ENVELOPES, and well mixed. One of these envelopes will be sent by mail to any address on receipt of 25 cents.

All Articles Sold at One Dollar each, without regard to Value

On receipt of the Certificate, you will see what you are going to have, and then it is at your option to send the Dollar and take the article or not. Purchasers may thus obtain a Gold Watch a Diamond Ring, or any set of Jewelry on our list for ONE DOLLAR, and in no case can they get less than one dollar's worth, as there are no blanks. The price of Certificates is as follows:

One for .....25 cents
Five for $1
Eleven for 2
Thirty for 5
Sixty-five for 10
One hundred for 15

AGENTS will be allowed ten cents on every certificate ordered by them, provided their remittance amounts to One Dollar.—Agents will collect 25 cents for every certificate and remit 15 cents to us either in cash or Postage Stamps.

ARRANDALE & CO.,
167, BROADWAY, NEW YORK.
October 27, 1864—3m

WILSON'S NEW $18 FAMILY SEWING MACHINE.

Complete, with a valuable invention for hemming, tucking, cording, binding, unsurpassed for ease and grace of movement. This machine is manufactured without any complicated machinery, therefore it is not liable to get out of repair, which is always unpleasant for the operator especially to beginners. It is made to take the place of the high price machines, doing its work equally as well and is perfectly adapted for every description of family sewing and manufacturing purposes. It has a beautiful movement, making nearly two thousand stitches per minute, with scarcely any noise. It is giving entire satisfaction as a perfect Family Sewing Machine to all who have them in use. For durability and convenience it is unequalled, and the style of finish makes it an ornament for the parlor or sitting room. On the receipt of $18 we or any of our authorized agents will send one machine complete, free of express charges, to any address, and they can use it for one week, and if it does not prove satisfactory, they can return it to us in good order, free of expense, and we will refund the money.

Agents wanted.

MATHER & WILSON.
Cleveland, Ohio.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Lewis Perkins and Sophia Perkins his wife, vs. Mary Bosworth, et al. } Preble Comm'n Pleas. In partition.

IN obedience to the command of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas within and for the county of Preble in the above case, to the sheriff of said county directed, I will offer for sale at public auction at the door of the Court house, in Eaton in said county on Saturday the 22nd day of October A. D 1864 between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, the following real estate situated in the county of Preble, and State of Ohio, and bounded as follows, to wit: 101 acres off of the West side of section No, 19 in Township 8, of range 1 East, &c. Being the same land conveyed by deed of Henry Bosworth to John Bosworth, and recorded in Book No, 17 page 399 land records of Preble county Ohio appraised at $5,555,00. Also the South West corner of the South West quarter of Section No 19, in Township No, 8 Range No 1, East &c., containing 19¼ acres more or less Appraised at $1,267.00 the two tracts containing in the aggregate 120¼ acres, more or less, all free and clear of dower.

Terms Of Sale—⅓ of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, ⅓ in one year and ⅓ in two years; deferred payments to bear six per cent. interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

JOHN R. McCLEAF
Sheriff of Preble county.
Gilmore & Campbell, Attorneys.
Sept. 22, 1864—tds.

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Purely vegetable pills, prepared for the various geological formations to neutralize all miasmatic, mineral or other influence upon the system, and without drastic effect, which should be avoided. The best and most reliable family medicine extant; harmless under any system of diet, or exposure, acting mildly and surely, and leaving the stomach and bowels in a natural and healthy condition. To dyspeptics they are invaluable. Price 25 cents

IMPERIAL COUGH PILLS

If you suffer from a cough it is your own fault. A trial of these pills will convince you of that fact. They decompose the Phlegm, and subdue all inflammation. It is the best compound ever put together for colds, coughs, asthma, spitting of blood, and consumption. All afflicted with coughs, from whatever cause—even children with worms—can be cured by their use. Price 9 cents.

Anti-Cholera Pills.

A positive cure for any case of cholera. No matter how virulent may be the attack also, Diarrhea or Dysentery—a sure and speedy cure. Sufferers from Chronic Diarrhea should try this established result of disease—Price 50 cents.

Magma.
A LINIMENT CURING ALL INFLAMMATIONS.

The most extraordinary liniment ever produced or elaborated by science or experience for neuralgia white swelling, swelling of the joints, neck, breast, arms or elsewhere; lumbago, sore throat, erysipelas, gout, inflammation of all kinds, nervous affection, ulcers of every character diseases of the skin, such as tetter ring-worm, itch, &c., &c., bites of venomous animals, stings of reptiles and insects, flesh wounds, external poisons, also burns and scalds. Price 50 cents.

MIASCETUM.

A Purified and Tonic Bitters sensation without Alcohol.

The Miascetum acts upon the stomach in such a manner as conclusively to neutralize the effects of miasmatic, malarious and all other impure or deleterious atmospheric influences upon health. It energetically removes the morbid condition of the stomach, imparts renewed vigor to every function of the human system, is a sure preventive of fever and ague, and all other biliary derangements, and a reliable protection against the disease of tropical climates. Price 75 cents. N. B—Preventive of all malignant fevers, particularly the spotted.

HUILE D'OR.
(OIL OF GOLD.)

THE HUILE D'OR is the product of the most careful analysis and anatomy of the hair. It will remove and prevent all disease of the scalp strengthen the roots and increase the growth of the hair, beautifying and deepening its color; give vigor to the natural supply of coloring matter that gives life to the hair; and, in short, can have no superior for aiding nature in giving flexibility, beauty and strength to the prime ornament of the person.

PRICE, ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE
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PRINCIPAL DEPOT, No. 91 Liberty St. N Y
SMITH & CO
July 28—3m

NEW BREWERY.

MESSRS. MILLER BAU & CO., HAVING purchased the brewery formerly owned by E. Thompson, beg leave to inform the citizens of Eaton and vicinity that they have on hand a constant supply of the best Ale and Lager Beer in large and small quantities to suit customers.

NOTICE.

Susan Wysong's Estate.

ON the 27th day of September A. D 1864, the Probate Court of Preble county, declared the estate of Susan Wysong deceased, to be probably insolvent.—Creditors are therefore required to present their claims against the estate to the undersigned for allowance, within six months from the time above mentioned, or they will not be entitled to payment.

MAHLON KARN,
Adm'r of Susan Wysong, dec'd.
Sept. 29, 1864-w6.

U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be received for Coupon Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum,—principal and interest both to be paid to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent gold bearing bonds, payable on less than five nor more than twenty years, from their date, as the government may elect. They will be issued in denominations of $50 $100, $500, $1,000, $5,000, and all subscriptions must be for fifty dollars or some multiple of fifty dollars.

The notes will be transmitted to the owners free of transportation charge as soon after the receipt of the original Certificates of deposit as they can be prepared.

As the notes draw interest from August 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any one time will be allowed a commission of one quarter of one per cent., which will be paid by the Treasury Department upon the receipt of a bill for the amount, certified to by the officer with whom the deposit was made. No deductions for commissions must be made from the deposits.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES OF THIS LOAN

IT IS A NATIONAL SAVINGS BANK, offering a higher rate of interest than any other, and *the best security*. Any savings bank which pays its depositors in U. S. Notes, considers that it is paying in the best circulating medium of the country, and it cannot pay in anything better, for its own assets are either in government securities or in notes or bonds payable in government securities or in notes or bonds payable in government paper.

It is equally convenient as a temporary or permanent investment. The notes can always be sold for within a fraction of the face and accumulated interest, and are the best security with banks as collateral for discount.

Convertible into Six per cent. Gold Bond.

In addition to the very liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the current rate for 5-20 bonds is not less than *nine per cent.* per annum, and before the war the premium was six per cent. U. S. stocks was ever twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan, at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

Its exemption from State or Municipal Taxation.

But a side from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress exempts *all bonds and Treasury notes from local taxation*. On the average, this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum according to the rate of taxation in various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the government. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties, or stock companies, or separate communities, only, is pledged for payment while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all the obligations of the United States.

While the government offers the most liberal terms for its loans, it believes that the very strongest appeal will be to the loyalty and patriotism of the people.

Duplicate certificates will be issued for all deposits. The party depositing must endorse upon the *original* certificate the denomination of notes required, and whether they are to be issued in blank or payable to order. When so endorsed it must be left with the officer receiving the deposit, to be forwarded to the Treasury Department.

SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Treasurer of the United States, at Washington the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositaries, and by the

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First National Bank of Hamilton
and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and

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