

[From the Republican and Argus.  
The Freedom of the Seas.

The haughty Briton once surveyed  
The Ocean fair and wide,  
And as he swayed his sceptre, claim'd  
Dominion o'er the tide.  
For many ages he had thought  
That every genial breeze  
Was his, 'till Yankee merchants taught  
The "Freedom of the Seas."

When nations, vexed and sore oppress'd,  
Had entered in the fight  
To settle long disputes, and thus  
Determined which was right,  
Our country took an active part—  
But not on bended knees—  
To gain a point—at last secur'd  
The "Freedom of the Seas."

The second war with Britain was  
To gain the sailor's rights—  
Protection on the seas—for this  
The cheerful freeman fights.  
American success proclaim'd  
Though Britain disallows—  
That heaven-born principle she taught,  
The "Freedom of the Seas."

A master spirit urged the views  
Of patriotism, and press'd  
The subject on the minds and hearts  
Of those whom he address'd;  
The European despots grant,  
America to please,  
The principle for which we fought—  
The "Freedom of the Seas."

The man who, placed by freedom's voice,  
Our views thus to proclaim,  
Deserves, as he shall soon receive,  
The merits due to Fame.  
Our toast, "Free Trade and Sailor's Rights,"  
Our banner to the breeze—  
Then here's success to LEWIS CASS,  
And Freedom of the Seas!

**Horrid Accident.**—This morning, says the Milwaukee Daily Wisconsin of the 14th Jas. H. Smith, well known as a public contractor and street grader, descended the public well at the corner of Jackson and Division streets, which is about 90 feet deep, for the purpose of repairing it. Mr. Smith not coming up, Mr. James Walsh, a man in his employ, descended the well to ascertain the cause, who also made no signs of return, and upon examination, it was ascertained that both of them had been suffocated from foul air.

This sad and afflicting accident ought to caution every one in descending deep wells, which are always liable to be charged with poisonous air.

The Cincinnati Signal states that great disaffection exists in the whig camp in Indiana.—The whigs of the counties composing the Switzerland district met this week—resolutions, ratifying the nomination of Gen. Taylor, were warmly opposed by James H. Craven, ex-member of Congress, and were rejected by a vote of two to one. Mr. Craven then offered a resolution, repudiating the nomination of Gen. Taylor, which was carried by a large majority.

The same paper specifies seventeen whig papers in its own State (Ohio) which have, directly or indirectly, rejected the nomination of General Taylor.—[Enquirer.

"What are your politics?" "Haven't got any." "What? no politics?" "No, not a darned politic."

Religion should be the garment worn next the heart—too many people make a cloak of it.

**AN IMPORTANT CURE BY DR. JAYNE'S ALTERNATIVE.**

We have been informed by Mrs. Mahan, (a grand-daughter of old Gen. Wayne) that she suffered for a number of years from the growth of a large Goitrous Tumor, which besides great deformity, produced both a difficulty of deglutition, and of breathing. Indeed, she says, the pressure upon the wind-pipe was so great, as to prevent her from sleeping in a recumbent position, and often suffocation appeared inevitable. She also labored under severe indigestion from Liver Complaint and Jaundice, with a horrible train of nervous affections, for which she used Dr. Jayne's Alternative, which she took regularly for six or seven weeks, with occasional doses of his Sensitive Pills, and her general health was thereby completely re-established, and now perceiving some diminution in the size of the Goitrous Tumor, she was encouraged to persevere in the use of the Alternative, until every vestige of the painful Tumor was entirely removed.

We cannot speak too highly of this important preparation of Dr. Jayne, and for the sake of suffering humanity, hope that it may become more generally known.—Public Ledger.

**WORMS! WORMS! WORMS!**

To remove those troublesome and dangerous inhabitants of the stomach and bowels, which so often impair the health and destroy the lives of children, use Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge, a certain and safe preparation for the removal of the various kinds of worms, dyspepsia, sour stomach, want of appetite, infantile fever and ague, and debility of the stomach and bowels and organs of digestion. It is without exception, one of the most valuable preparations in the world.

Prepared only by Dr. D. Jayne, Philadelphia, and sold on agency by H. E. Block & Co., Louisiana, Mo.

**NEW MERCANTILE FIRM.**

**WM. LUCE & CO.**

**R**ESPECTFULLY announce to their friends and the public, that they have purchased the new and elegant stock of Goods recently brought to this market by McKay & Co., to which they invite the attention of dealers.

It is their design to make all necessary additions, from time to time, so as to keep constantly on hand a complete stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, &c. to suit all classes of purchasers. Their Goods are of the best quality and latest style; and their prices shall be such as to insure satisfaction, for they have determined to not be undersold by any establishment north of St. Louis. With this determination, they flatter themselves they will be able to make it to the interest of purchasers to give them a share of their patronage. Call and examine for yourselves, "for it is no trouble to them to show goods." Their store is in the house formerly occupied by McKay & Co., the lower door of Draper's row, on Water Street, where they would be happy to receive calls if it is only to examine their goods.

All kinds of country produce at liberal prices will be taken in exchange for goods.  
Respectfully, WM. LUCE & CO.  
Louisiana, Mo. June 12th, 1848.

N. B. To farmers and others, they would say they have a large and commodious warehouse where they will carefully receive and forward freight on the most reasonable terms.

W. L. & CO.  
10—1f.

Louisiana, July 3d, 1848.

**COURT NOTICE.**

Wesley B. Trower, Henry A. Trower, George A. A. Riggs and Lucy his wife, Evan Owens and Jennetta his wife; Levi Long and Sarah his wife, and John Long, and Minterva Long his wife—

Petition for Partition of Real Estate.

John Slavens, Ayres Askew and Louisa his wife, Samuel Hogen and Pamela his wife, Henry Kennedy and Martha his wife, & Andrew J. Bradley and Maria his wife, and Ayres Koffman.

AND now at this day the petitioners, appear by their Attorney, and file their petition for the partition of the following described real estate, viz: Lots twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, being each sixty feet on Oak street, and ninety feet back—and the north-west end of lot twenty-six, being fifty feet on Oak street and forty-five feet on Fulton street, all in the Town of Ashley, in said county, and it appearing from said petition, and the affidavit thereto, that the said defendants are non-residents of the State of Missouri, it is ordered by the Court, that they be notified of the filing of said petition, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for eight weeks successively in some newspaper printed in this county.

STATE OF MISSOURI, } SS.  
County of Pike, }  
I, James M. Martin, Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the record.  
Witness my hand, and official seal.  
Done at office in Bowling-Green, in said county, this 23rd day of May A. D. 1848. J. M. MARTIN, Clerk,  
May 29th.—(8w8.)

**SPRING AND SUMMER CAMPAIGN OPENED.**

**FRESH SUPPLIES TO SUIT ALL TASTES.**

THE subscriber has just replenished his already large supply of READY MADE CLOTHING, consisting in part of dress, frock and business cloth coats; black and figured casimere pants; superior black satin vests; silk, beaver and neutria hats; shoes and boots. He has also a large variety of linen and tweed sack, frock and business coats; linen and tweed pants; summer vests, shirts and drawers, together with a good supply of DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES, to suit the season. All of which he will sell as low as the times will possibly admit, for Cash, country produce, or to punctual customers on time.

To dress yourself from top to toe Right down to my house you should go, For, to you bargains shall be sold For country produce or for gold.  
JOSEPH RICHARDSON.  
Louisiana, April 29th, 1848.

**Beef! Beef! Beef!**

TO the citizens of Louisiana: The undersigned propose to relieve the inconvenience labored under at present by the citizens of our town, in obtaining a good article of fresh meat, by opening a regular market in C. Jackson & Bro's. ware house, on every Friday morning, where they would be pleased to supply their friends and the town generally.  
McALISTER & SHAW.  
Louisiana, June, 5th, 1848.—8—1f

**LOOK HERE! LOOK WHERE?**

WHY right in at Wm. L. TANNER'S Clothing Store, where you can get a full suit of clothes for very little money.  
He has Coats, Pants, Vests and Shirts of all sorts and sizes, carefully selected by himself expressly for this market. His establishment is on Georgia, between Water and Main streets, Louisiana, where he would be happy to see his friends and visitors generally.  
April 17th, 1848. 2—1f.

**Tobacco Wanted.**

THE undersigned wish to purchase, immediately, TWENTY-FIVE Hhds. Good Tobacco, for which the highest market price will be paid in Cash.  
H. E. BLOCK & CO.

**To the People of Pike County.**

At Bellville, Ill., a town 13 miles from St. Louis, 400 packages of Dr. STORM'S CANDY were sold in three months; and the agent received the following certificate from a large number of persons who used it:—

Bellville St. Clair Co. March, 14, 1847.  
We the undersigned, citizens of Bellville, St. Clair County, Ill., having used the medicine known as Dr. Storm's Scotch Cough Candy, prepared by H. Wade, of St. Louis. Mo., do cheerfully testify to its efficacy as a remedy for Diseases of the Breast and Lungs, and we recommend it to the public as a safe and agreeable compound.

C. J. HOUTS, Methodist Minister,  
L. B. CABAUNE, Merchant,  
DAVID MCCOY, "  
O. J. RAPIER, "  
W. S. FLEMING, Ed. Belleill Democrat,  
And many others too numerous to mention

We have thought it unnecessary to offer certificates from individuals in all cases, as purchasers are unable to inform themselves of the actual existence of most of the signers. The following, however, is from a well known citizen of St. Louis, Mo., residence No. 210 main street two dollars below Cherry:—

Mr. WADE.—Dear Sir: It affords me pleasure to offer my testimony to the efficacy of the article known as Dr. Storm's Scotch Cough Candy. And in doing so, I am actuated by a desire to benefit others who may be suffering. My wife was laboring under a severe cough for a long time, which threatened serious injury. After having tried many other remedies to no purpose, she used a few packages of Storm's Cough Candy, purchased from our neighbors, Messrs. Snow & Quirk, and in a very short time she was entirely relieved, and now enjoys good health. My servant was also afflicted with a severe breast complaint, and she experienced almost immediate relief from the use of this truly valuable remedy.  
Respectfully,  
E. EVANS,  
No. 210 Main Street  
St. Louis, May 4, 1847.

The action of Dr. Storm's Scotch Cough Candy differs very materially from any other compound ever invented. It not only allays Bronchial Irritation, but operating as a very mild purge, it keeps the stomach and bowels in a healthy condition, leaving the patient an appetite which few other Cough Mixtures could impart.

We have no disposition to injure the inventor of any particular medicine, but in justice to the world, we will give it as our honest opinion, formed by the observations of eleven years in the school of medicine, that large and frequent draughts of nauseous liquid—Compounds taken into the stomach from time to time—must have a tendency to destroy the healthy tone of that vital organ of the human system.

No such objection can be urged against the use of this valuable Medicated Candy, for Sugar is agreeable both to the palate and stomach, and we honestly believe that this preparation will do all that medicine can do towards the relief of persons suffering with Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Bleeding of the Lungs, Pain in the Side and Breast, Difficulty of Breathing, Hoarseness, and all other symptoms of Consumption.

Orders from the Country, or applications for Agency, directed to Messrs. J. H. BARNARD & BRO., General Agents, No. 140 Main Street, St. Louis, Mo., will meet with prompt attention.

For sale by Druggists generally. It may also be obtained of any respectable country merchant in the South or West.

To avoid counterfeits, our readers would do well to inquire for Dr. STORM'S SCOTCH COUGH CANDY, prepared by Hamilton Wade, St. Louis, whose written signature is on the wrapper.  
A liberal deduction made to country dealers.  
March 13th, 1848. 49—6m.



**Louisiana Livery Stable.**

IN view of the inconveniences to which individuals and the public generally have been subjected, for the want of proper conveyances to and from our city, the subscriber has been encouraged to establish in Louisiana, at an immense outlay of "toil and treasure," a Livery Stable, well supplied with Horses, Buggies and Hacks. They flatter themselves by keeping constantly on hand, and well rubbed, horses of all gates and colors, suited both to the saddle and harness, that they will receive a generous support from community. Business men, and pleasuring men, as well as the travelling community, can at any time be supplied with single horses, buggies, or hacks, by calling at their stables, between Georgia and South Carolina streets.

It is also his design to run an accommodation hack to all the Bowling-Green courts, and neighborhood meetings, to which four or five passengers can be obtained. His prices shall be as low as the lowest.  
H. W. P. WOOTEN.  
Louisiana, April 3d, 1848.

**SPRING AND SUMMER.**

**Goods!**

WE are now receiving a large and well assorted stock of Goods, suitable for the season, consisting of  
Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, &c., which we will sell at very low prices for Cash or Produce. Persons wishing to purchase Goods will please give us a call before purchasing.  
C. JACKSON & BRO.

**C A R D S.**

**Wm. M. Coffee,**

Attorney and Counsellor at Law, WILL promptly attend to any business that may be entrusted to his care. He will practice in Warren and the adjoining counties.  
Office in Warrenton, Mo.  
May 8th, 1848. 5f.

**P. CARR,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW, ATTENDS regularly the courts of Pike, Lincoln and St. Charles counties.  
Office in Warrenville, Pike county, Mo. November 8th 1847.

**E. G. McQUIE,**

LOUISIANA, MO. DEALER in Dry Goods, Groceries, READY MADE CLOTHING, Produce &c.

**JOSEPH D. WITHERS,**

TOBACCO FACTOR, AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, St. Louis, Missouri. WILL make liberal advances upon Tobacco and all other Produce consigned to him. Office on vine, between first and second streets, at the "Vine Street Hotel."

**THURMOND'S HOTEL,**

Corner of Main and South Carolina Streets, LOUISIANA, MO.

THIS HOTEL, formerly known as the Missouri House, is now open for the accommodation of boarders and travellers. Every effort will be made to render those who may call at Thurmond's comfortable; and the proprietor hopes, by constant exertions to please, to merit a liberal share of public patronage.  
Dec. 6th 1847.

**ALBERT NEWBERRY.**

No. 19, Main Street, St. Louis, Missouri HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND of his own Manufacturing, a Wholesale and Retail supply of TIN and COPPER WARE, Sheet-Iron Wire, STOVES, GRATES, and every other article, in that line of business, Cheap for Cash

**Dr. J. L. Wood,**

INFORMS the public that the time of his association with Dr. E. M. Bartlett having expired by limitation, he now offers his professional services to the citizens of Louisiana and surrounding country: Hoping that close attention to his profession will entitle him to some of their cash. Office in a room of the Store of Edwin Draper & Brothers, where he may be found unless professionally engaged.  
Nov. 15th 1847.

**J. B. Henderson,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW, CLARKSVILLE, MO. WILL promptly attend to any business that may be entrusted to his care.  
Clarksville, May 3d, 1847.

**S. S. Allen,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW, BOWLING-GREEN, MO. Will promptly attend to all business entrusted to his care.

**S. F. Murray,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Bowling Green, Mo. Will promptly attend to any business that may be entrusted to his care.

**G. Porter.**

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Bowling-Green, Mo. Regularly attends the Circuit Courts of Pike Falls, Lincoln, Warren and Montgomery.

**N. P. Minor,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW, BOWLING-GREEN, MO. Office in the Court House.

**CHEAP CASH BOOK STORE.**

J. HALSALL, WHOLESALE and Retail Bookseller and Stationer, No. 124, Main Street, Saint Louis, Mo., keeps on hand a splendid assortment of School, Law, Medical and Miscellaneous Books; Quills, Ink, Wafers, Steel Pens and Slates, Writing and Wrapping Papers; Blank Books

in great variety, together with every other articles in his line of business. Books bound in the best manner. Call and examine—No. 124, Main Street, St. Louis.

**New Arrangement.**

THE undersigned will run regularly a good two horse hack from Louisiana to Bowling Green, on every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. It will leave Fouls' hotel on each of the above named days precisely at 1 o'clock P. M., and as it carries the mail it will be compelled to arrive at Blain's Hotel in Bowling Green at 4 o'clock of the same day. An extra hack will there be in readiness to carry passengers to any point they may desire.

Price of fare from Louisiana to Bowling-Green 50c. WM. W. BLAIN.

DRY GOODS—A good and well selected stock of spring and summer Goods, which will be sold at reduced prices for cash or produce.  
H. E. BLOCK & CO.

**MECHANIC'S LUMBER YARD.**

THE undersigned have on hand a large and well selected assortment of Wisconsin Pine Lumber, which they offer for sale at reduced prices. Persons wishing to purchase are requested to call on the undersigned "ground town generally," or at the Store of Messrs. Block & Betts.  
FARBER & ENGLISH.

**REGULAR PACKETS.**

U. S. MAIL DAILY LINE OF PACKETS.



For Clarksville, Louisiana, Hannibal, Marion City, Quincy, Lagrange, Tully, Alexandria, Warsaw and Keokuk.

The new and light-draught passenger steamers, LUCY BERTRAM, CHAS. DEAN, Master, KATE KEARNEY, JAS. WHITNEY, Master Will run regularly to the above named ports—leaving St. Louis every afternoon, at 5 o'clock, except on Sunday, and Quincy every morning, at 9 o'clock, except Tuesday. Their speed and comfort of accommodation, for passengers, cannot be surpassed by any boats in the trade.—Promptness of arriving and departing will be strictly observed, and their officers will spare no pains to promote the comfort of passengers, and the interest of shippers. For freight or passage, apply on board, or to R. F. SASS, Agent, 11 Commercial st. St. Louis, Feb. 18—48.

**Regular Packet.**

For Clarksville, Louisiana, Hannibal, Marion City, Quincy, Lagrange, Tully, Alexandria, Warsaw and Keokuk.

The new and elegant passenger steamer EDWARD BATES, N. Cameron Master, will run as a regular packet during the season between St. Louis and Keokuk.

Leaves St. Louis every Tuesday and Friday, at 5 P. M. And on her return trip, leaves Keokuk every Sunday and Thursday morning, at 6 o'clock, and arrive at St. Louis same afternoon.

The EDWARD BATES has been expressly built for this trade, and shippers and passengers may rely upon her continuing in it during the season, and upon the regularity of her trips and times of arriving and departing. Passengers and freight will be received or landed any where on the river, and all signals will be attended to without extra charge.

It is hoped that by strict attention to the interest of shippers and passengers she will receive a liberal share of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed on other boats under the command of Neil Camron. For freight or passage, apply on board. April 10, 1848.

**FOULKS' HOTEL,**

Louisiana, Mo.

THIS well known House is still open for the accommodation of the traveling community. The proprietor, grateful for the liberal patronage he has so long received, hopes by constant attention to the wants of his customers, to merit a continuance of the same. He promises that his table shall at all times be supplied with the best that the country can afford; and that particular attention shall be given to his tables.

His prices are as follows:

Board by the day, - - \$ 50  
do for man and horse, - - 75  
single meals, - - 25  
do for man and horse, - - 30  
two meals - - 40  
do by the week - - 2 00  
do for horse - - 1 50  
do for horse per day - - 25

Persons wishing to go to any point in the county, can be accommodated with a hack, or single horses at reasonable prices.

For the benefit of strangers he will say that Fouls' Hotel is situated on Third Street, one door south of Baird's hotel and immediately opposite the Academy. JOHN FOULKS Sr.  
Nov. the 29th, 1847.

**COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.**

THE undersigned have this day associated themselves in business under the firm and style of Orr, Duke and Campbell, for the purpose of transacting a general Mercantile, Produce and Commission business, in the store formerly occupied by George W. Jenks, & Co. Water Street, Louisiana Missouri.

W. C. ORR,  
C. M. DUKE,  
W. H. CAMPBELL.

March 13th, 1848.

ORR, DUKE & CAMPBELL beg leave to inform their friends and the public that they have taken the above commodious store and Warehouses adjoining, and are now receiving from St. Louis, a large and well selected stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Iron, Nails, Boots, Shoes, Queensware, Hardware, &c. They are now ready to accommodate their friends and the public generally with all articles in their line, and at prices that will make it to the interest of dealers to purchase of them.

To their friends in the country they would offer their services for transacting any business in the way of Receiving, Storing and Forwarding Produce or merchandise of any kind. Their Warehouses being situated immediately on the Wharf will enable them to ship and receive goods on better terms than any other house.—Their facilities are such as to enable them to make liberal Cash advances on any produce entrusted to their care. They respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.  
Louisiana, Mo., March 13th, 1848.

WE are paying the highest market prices for Produce, either in cash or merchandise at our store—Water street, Louisiana, Mo.  
ORR, DUKE & CAMPBELL.

**Salt.**

WE have just received, and have for sale Ground Alum, Liverpool Blown and Kansas Salt which we offer at reduced prices.  
ORR, DUKE & CAMPBELL.

**Salt for Stock.**

WE have store in a large lot on consignment, which will be sold very low by  
ORR, DUKE & CAMPBELL.