Poetry Corner.

OVER THE LEFT.

O, don't you remember Bill Spriggs, mother,
Old Spriggs that lived at the mill;
With eyes just like a pig's, mother,
And nose like a parrot's bill?
With a tuft on his chin,
And a yellow skin;
He was just the man for a beau,
Over the left, you know, mother,
Over the left, you know.

He came to court me—once—mother,
When we lived over south,
And tried to kiss me—the dunce—mother,
And poked his chin in my mouth;
The old scapegrace!
I slapped his face—
But he said 'twas a loving blow,
Over the left, you know, mother,
Over the left, you know.

He was ugly and old—but rich, mother,
The last an important thing—
So I left the stupid wretch, mother,
Come, when a present he'd bring.
He said, "My dove,
Will you be my love?"
I told him, "Oh, yes, just so,"
Over the left, you know, mother,
Over the left, you know.

And Harry got quite jealous, mother,
Although no reason had he;
And sighed like a broken bellows, mother,
But I told him "Riddle-de-ree!"
It's all a sham.
The old thing to bam;
For all the love I show
Is over the left, you know, mother,
Over the left, you know.

And ere I was wedded to Harry, mother,
I still my humor would please;
And though I consented to marry, mother,
I yet could not help but tease.
I should love evermore
Old Spriggs, I swore—
It made Harry as mad as a hoe,
But 'twas over the left, you know, mother,
Over the left, you know.

When I stood up at the altar, mother,
To wed the man of my choice,
I pretended to tremble and falter, mother,
And spoke with inaudible voice,
To "love and obey"
Dear Harry, that day,
To pledge I was no ways slow;
But 'twas over the left, you know, mother,
Over the left, you know.

Scientific.

WOODWORTH'S PLAINING MACHINE.

The *Scientific American*, has the following as to the above machine. It may be difficult precisely to understand where interests now are; the combination of two such managers and capitalists as Wilson and Beardslee, will make it difficult for parties to protect their interests. We have heard that Beardslee and Wilson, who were in opposition, combined, that B. took the interests of Wilson and is now receiving the rents and the profits of Wilson, as assignee of Woodworth's and at the same time selling his own. There are many assignees of the Woodworth machine here in Ohio and the West, and it may be of much moment to know what is going on.

WOODWORTH AND GOODYEAR PATENT EXTENSION.—In the telegraphic reports of New York daily papers of the 21st, we find the following statement:—

"The agents of Messrs. Woodworth's and Goodyear's patents are preparing to extend their business, by special act of Congress. There are, however, a number of opponents very active against them."

This fully confirms the truth of our statement made in No. 10, in respect to these patents, and it should act as a powerful stimulus, upon all those who, from principle, are opposed, to these extensions. Our position is well understood by the readers of the "*Scientific American*," but we notice with regret that some of our most able and trusty co-operators last year, are now either dumb or are avowedly friends to the Woodward Extension scheme. There is danger,—let all those who feel upon this subject, be active in their efforts to bring public opinion to bear upon Members of Congress.

We have not a farthing's interest in the matter, it cannot effect us for good or evil, but a host of inventors, manufacturers, and mechanics, are liable to sustain immense injury thereby, therefore they should organize in one determined effort to thwart the movements of these schemers, and speculators. In volume seven we devoted column after column to the discussion of this subject, and have presented every argument which we deemed important, to effect the object in view.

Our readers who are specially interested cannot expect us to devote much more space to its consideration, therefore we shall, in future, briefly allude to the efforts of the schemers, without entering upon lengthy discussions of the merits of the case, which are bad enough to insure its defeat.

We are irrevocably opposed to the extension of either of the patents in question, and are prepared, when our services are needed, to exert what personal influence we possess. Some active and trusty person should be employed to watch the movements going on in Washington and report progress; our daily paper reporters do not feel interested in the matter, and are therefore not expected to keep the public advised. We recommend our readers to read carefully the Report of the House Committee, published in Vol. 7,—it is truthful and powerful, showing up the Woodworth patent in its true condition.

☞ Lucius Paige, of Cavendish, Vt., has invented an improved tea-kettle, which is constructed by placing in the bottom of an ordinary tea-kettle, several elbow shaped flues open at the bottom and at the sides just below the flange. By this arrangement a larger amount of heating surface is obtained, and the water is made to boil in much less time. A very good idea certainly. The inventor has applied for a patent.

Farmers' Column.

How blest the Farmer's simple life—
Far from the noise of the City's strife.

CURING HAMS.

[In the last Patent Office Report, Mr. Jas, Campbell, of Weston, New Jersey, gives the following as a superior process for curing hams:]

The best method I have found for curing hams is, after the hams have been cut, let them lie out on a shelf, where they can have plenty of cool air, so that the animal heat is entirely out of them before you attempt to put them down in salt; then corn them down for two or three days; after which drain off any bloody water which may come out, and then make the following pickle, sufficient to cover them: Take nine pounds of salt, three ounces of saltpetre, one ounce of saleratus, four pounds of brown sugar or molasses, and six gallons of water. Let them lie in the above pickle from three to six weeks, according to the size of the hams, when you may take them out and smoke them with good hickory or apple wood until sufficient to suit your taste. They should be taken down and hung up in a dry place to protect them from the flies.

I have hams cured after the above method, which were almost as fine when eighteen months old as when taken from the smokehouse. And while upon the subject of hams, I would further say that, when you boil them, they should be boiled until done, in good soft water; and when nearly done, throw in a handful of clean timothy hay; it absorbs all impurities that may be around the outside of the ham. As soon as done, take out the hay but leave the ham in the water until nearly cold, when you may take it out.

TO PREVENT COWS FROM SHEDDING MILK.

Collodion (liquid cuticle) is a somewhat recent discovery, and has been applied to useful purposes by surgeons, but I am not aware that it has been used to prevent the loss of milk by leakage from the udder of the cow. The mode of applying it is as follows:

After milking take a thin piece of muslin about the size of a three cent piece, wet it in the collodion and apply it quickly to the end of the teat. It dry's immediately, and adhering firmly, prevents the escape of milk from the orifice. It can readily be removed at the next milking.

On first making use of this means, I did not anticipate anything more than temporarily to prevent the evil. After making a few applications it was discontinued, and I was somewhat surprised to find that it had permanently lessened the fault. Upon reflection, the *modus operandi* appeared as follows: First the collodion contracts the orifice, and then prevents the escape of milk; and second the bag becoming distended, its capacity is permanently enlarged. Try it.

Another useful purpose of this article may be mentioned. Cows' teats, often become tender from chaps and deep fissures in them. They may readily be cured by moistening a piece of muslin in this liquid and applying it smoothly to the parts affected. It adheres so firmly that it will not be loosened, even if the calf, is allowed to draw the milk.

Mr. Editor:—The above recipe I cut from a Harrisburgh paper. As it gives no credit it may be original. Please publish it in the *Stock Register*, and add, that *molasses* is 'the sovereignest remedy' for the chapped teats of a cow—to be applied after milking. Of course the udder should be washed with cold water, which of itself will frequently cure slight cases.

My observation and experience, though limited, go to prove the better plan to be letting the calf have free access to the dam for twenty-four hours after birth.—The sucking and butting it administers is just the right treatment for the swollen udder; and cases of "Garget" are extremely rare where it is plan is practiced. It is also much easier to separate the mother from the calf the next day, the maternal instinct being then partially quieted.

Also, it should *never* be permitted to kill a calf in any place which the cow can have access to. Their piteous lowings in such cases leave no room to doubt that they recognize the blood of their offspring. The writer has known of *actual tears* pouring down the face of a cow, on being shown the bloody hide of her calf. These may be thought matters too trifling for the consideration of "men of mark"—but it is not so; the beautiful humanities must all combine, to form the perfect character —S—*Rural New York.*

☞ Lamartine says: "The Turks, as a race of men, and as a nation, are still the first and most elevated amongst the people of the East. Their character is noble and grand; their courage is intact; their virtues religious, civil and domestic, are calculated to inspire in every impartial mind esteem and admiration. Their nobility is written on their brow, and in their actions. If they had better laws and a more enlightened government, they would be one of the first people in the world."

FLAP JACKS.—Scald a quart of Indian meal with sufficient water to make a thin batter. When it is lukewarm, stir in half a pint of wheat flour, and a gill of yeast, and a teaspoonful of salt; let it stand over night. If sour in the morning, add a little saleratus, dissolved in warm water. Allow two table-spoonfuls of the batter to a cake, and fry them in butter or nice lard enough to prevent them from sticking to the frying pan. Eat them while hot with butter and molasses, or sugar.

LABOR VERDICT.—James Gordon Bennett, Editor and proprietor of The New-York Herald, has been tried and fined *Ten Thousand Dollars* for libelling Edward P. Fry. He has to pay the costs also.

Railroad Matters.

The Broad Guage Road to the East

The Dayton *Gazette* contains an account of a recent conference in that city of the Dayton stockholders with President Kent and Treasurer Earl of the Broad Guage Company.

Interesting statements were made of the contemplated route, showing the distance by actual survey to New York to be 100 miles shorter than any other road from the south-west. There were two routes through Pennsylvania from the State line. The Venango road is under contract to its intersection with the Sunbury and Erie road, which is under contract to Philadelphia, and both will be finished as soon as the Ohio part can be. The city of Philadelphia has subscribed two millions to the capital of the Sunbury and Erie road.—This line connects with one direct across New Jersey to New York city.

The other route runs from Franklin to intersect the New York and Erie road, and there are ample means for its completion.

On the Ohio part of the line there are bona fide subscriptions to the amount of ten thousand dollars per mile, for the 210 miles from Dayton to the State line, and the whole line has been let to Mr. Doolittle. The object is to construct a road from "the great Southwest of uniform guage, easy grades and ample curves," direct to New York—of grades fifty per cent. better than either the Baltimore and Ohio, or the Pennsylvania Central—a road of the greatest capacity and on the shortest route to the Emporium of commerce. When this is done, the question will not be "can the road procure business?" but "can the road do all the business that will be offered?" Liberal donations of right of way and depot grounds, and large additional subscriptions to stock are being made.

Messrs. Winters and Beckel on the part of the Company, and Messrs. Grimes, Parrott, Steele, Garst, Thresher and Swaynie, on the part of the citizens, were appointed a Committee to open a correspondence with the interests Southwest on the subject of their connecting at Dayton, with their line by a road of the same guage. The Report of the President with a map, will be published in a few days.

The Mississippi and Pacific Railroad.

A railway bill, of which a copy is now before us, has recently passed the legislature of Texas, by a strong majority in both Houses, which is intended to secure to Texas the advantages of the great Pacific and Atlantic road. The bill, which is attributed to Senator Rusk, is liberal in its provisions.

It directs the Government of the State to advertise for proposals, to be made up the 1st of August next, to build a railway from a point on the eastern boundary of Texas, not north of Fulton in Arkansas, to the Rio Grande near El Paso; the road to cross the Trinity, Brazos and Colerado rivers, as near the 32d degree of north latitude as practicable, and to be built and equipped in the most approved manner. Fifty miles are to be finished and in operation within eighteen months after entering the contract, and one hundred miles more every year until completed. The bill grants to the company obtaining the contract twelve thousand eight hundred acres for every mile constructed and put into operation—the lands to be surveyed in sections of six hundred and forty-seven acres each; and the alternate sections to belong to the State. The lands thus granted are to be alienated by the company; one fourth in six years, and the remainder in the next six years.

The act also provides for the union of this company with the other companies which may form the different links of the great railroad. It requires a deposit of $300,000 guaranty on the part of the contractors that the terms of the act shall be complied with: and in case of failure at any time on their part, to fulfil the contract within the time, and in the manner specified, forfeits the guaranty and the work already done to the State.

It is said that a company of responsible northern men are about to organize, and commence proceedings under this bill. —*Evening Post.*

The Panama Railroad.

There is a fair prospect that this long-desired work will, within a few month, be completed, and a transit from ocean to ocean be effected in about two hours with ease and comfort. The New York Tribune learns from the report of the engineers, a copy of which has been furnished to it, that the entire length of this road from Aspinwall, the Atlantic terminus, to Panama, on the Pacific, is 49 miles. Of this distance, 23 miles are now in operation, and in January next the cars will run 31 miles—leaving a section of 18 miles to be constructed. This section is on the back-bone of the Continent, or the summit ridge, of which the maximum grade on the Atlantic slope is 81 feet to the mile, and on the Pacific slope 70 feet to the mile. The highest elevation of the road is 250 feet above the high tide of the Pacific. It is estimated that 5,000 men can complete the road in six months. The force now at work consists of 1,600 men, in round numbers. Of these about 400 are white men, and the remainder natives, Coolies, and Jamaica men. Arrangements are made to bring 2,500 native workmen from Carthagena and the adjacent country in January, and the Board of Directors have ordered the shipment of 1,700 Coolies from China, and 1,000 hands from Ireland.—*Boston Transcript.*

INDIA RUBBER BENEATH RAILS.—The New York Central Railroad Company have assumed the expense of laying one or two miles of India rubber under their tracks, intended to obviate materially the present destruction of rails and machinery, and do away with the noise attendant upon the motion of the trains. We are glad to learn that this invention is to be tried in this country. A patent was taken to England two years ago, but we have never heard of its adoption there.

☞ Gold and silver are metals quite too heavy for us to carry to heaven; but, in good hands, they can be made to pave the the way to it.

The Ohio Union.

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Book and Job Printing.

Having lately made large additions to our assortment of Job Materials, we are now prepared to execute all kinds of

PLAIN AND FANCY JOB PRINTING,

in a style that cannot be surpassed by any establishment in this or adjoining counties, and at the lowest possible prices. All kinds of

BLANK DEEDS,

will hereafter be kept constantly on hand, and for sale at this Office.

Johns & Allen's Column.

JOHNS & ALLEN.

Dealers in all kinds of

IRON, NAILS, GLASS AND DOORS

ANNOUNCE to the citizens of Ashland Co. that having purchased the business of H Luther & Co., they intend adding to their stock, during the present week, a complete assortment of

Tools, Building Materials, House Furnishing, and Coach and Saddler's Hardware, all of which they invite the attention of Farmers, Mechanics and House-keepers, and recommend it as complete as any establishment of the kind in the country.

Ashland, Nov. 23, '53. 27-tf.

JUST RECEIVED!

1000 lbs. assorted sizes Lead Pipe.
1000 " " " Smoothing Irons.
1000 " Strap Hinges.
100 Cows Chains.
500 Yards Waterproof Cloth,
100 Kegs Pure White Lead.
100 Gallons best Sperm Oil.
100 " No. 1. Lard Oil.
100 " " " Linseed Oil.
100 " " " Turpentine.
50 " No. 1. Furniture Varnish;
30 " " 1. Coach "
100 Boxes Glass all sizes.
500 lbs. Putty.
5000 Lights Sash.
1000 lbs. Pump Chain.
1000 feet Pipe Tubing.
50 Wheels, complete,

ALSO.—Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Hammers, Sledges, Rasps, Files, Piacers, &c., &c. All of which we off r lower than can be had any where in this part of the State. Apply to

JOHNS & ALLEN.
Adjoining the Bank.

December 21, 1853. n31 tf.

FLAX WANTED.

SMITH, DOVE & Co.,
TROY, NEW YORK & ANDOVER MASS.,

Will pay the highest market price for **100,000** pounds of good clean Flax, delivered at the Hardware Store of their agents in Ashland.

JOHNS & ALLEN,
Adjoining the Bank.

Ashland, Jan. 18, 1854.—n33 tf.

David J. Millard, *Manufacturer of Scythes*, of all qualities. Also 2, 3, and 4 tined Steel, Cast Steel, Hay, Barley and Manure Forks, Clayville, New York. For sale, Wholesale and Retail, by our only Agents, JOHNS & ALLEN, Hardware, Iron and Nail Dealers, adjoining the bnk. [Dec. 28 '53.tf.]

H. C. Redington, *Manufacturer of Grain and Grass Scythes*, Littleton, New Hampshire, near the White Mountains, wish the citizens of Ashland county, to remember that they can at all times find our Scythes for sale at the Hardware Store of our only authorized Agents, JOHNS & ALLEN. [Dec. 28, '53] adjoining the Bank.

Eminger & Sherman, *Manufacturers of Sash, Doors, Blinds, &c.*, Mansfield, Ohio. Orders received by our Agents in Ashland, JOHNS & ALLEN. [Dec. 28, '53] adjoining the Bank.

Gardner & Walker, *Dealers in Garden, Field and Flower Seeds*, Akron, Ohio. A constant supply can always be found with our Agents in Ashland, JOHNS & ALLEN. [Dec, 28, 1853 adjoining the Bank.

Barnhill's Patent Corn Planter, manufactured by McBright & Co., Cleveland, Ohio. A supply for this county will be found at the agency of JOHNS & ALLEN. [Dec. 28, '53] adjoining the Bank.

Griffeth & Carvers, Concave Steel Cultivator Teeth for sale Wholesale and Retail at the agency of JOHNS & ALLEN. [Dec. 28, 353] adjoining the Bank.

White's Axes. A large stock on hand; also a great variety of other makers to be had at the Hardware Store of the Agents JOHNS & ALLEN. [Dec. 28, 1853.] adjoining the Bank.

Johns & Allen, being Agents for a great number of Makers of Tools of all descriptions, wish the people of Ashland, and adjoining counties to remember that they can buy such articles cheaper of them than they can elsewhere. Their store is adjoining the Bank. [Dec. 28, 1853] JOHNS & ALLEN.

Just Received, French Calf Skins, light and heavy Lining Skins, Cochineal, Bronzed, Blue, Green and Pink Colors, Cork Soles of all sizes, Boot Webb, Wax, Thread, Bristles, Awls, Pegs, Shoe Knives, &c. &c., Apply at the Agency of [Dec. 28, '53.tf] JOHNS & ALLEN.

Franklin Fire Insurance Company, Saratoga, New York. Capital $500,000. Insure property on terms as liberal as any other first class responsible company. Applications received by our Agent [Dec. 28, '53] T. JOHNS. Office in Johns & Allen's Hardware Store, adjoining the Bank.

RENTERS, LOOK HERE!!

I HAVE procured a right for an improvement in building houses, by which a house may be built for a small amount of money, with all the conveniences and comforts of the dearest houses; and as I have appointed John Smalley, of Ashland, as my agent for this county, please call on him and examine the model, and procure a right.

ANDREW S. NORRIS.
Troy, Ashland co., Aug. 8, 1853. 2tf

NEW AND FASHIONABLE HATS,

THE subscriber has just received from New York a large stock of

Fall and Winter Hats

Of the latest and most fashionable styles and best qualities, which he is offering at rates which cannot fail to be satisfactory to his customers.

☞ N. B. cash for furs and sheep pelts.

M. S. CAMBELL & CO.
Ashland Sept. 1, 1853 15tf

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

NO MONEY will hereafter be received for Taxes by me other than Gold and Silver, and the Bills of Solvent OHIO Banks. This is by order of the State Treasurer.

J. W. BOYD.
Treasurer of Ashland Co.
Dec. 7, 1853. 29 tf.

Merchants, &c.

New Hardware Store!!

R. D. BOICE, presents his regards to all of his old friends, formed when, in the House of H. Luther, & Co., and wishes it distinctly understood that he can be found at all times at his establishment on Main Street, in the room formerly occupied by R. Kellogg, ready and willing to attend to the wants of all, and purposes keeping Hardware in all its branches

TOOLS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS,

Building Materials, House Furnishing Goods, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Framing, Firmer Chisels and Gauges, Broad Hoes and Chopping Axes, Adzes and other edge Tools,

IRON, NAILS, GLASS, SASH

and Putty, Mills Cut, Hand, Panel, Rip and Wood Saws, a large assortment. Braces and Bits of all descriptions, Planes, Bitts, Gouges, Cow and Rosewood, Butcher's Horse Rasps and files of all descriptions. Log, Cable, Trace and Cow, chains, Locks, Latches, Butts and Screws, Sad Irons, Strap Hinges, &c., Bench and Shingle Knives, Pump Chain, Tubbing and fixtures, Brass and Porcelain Kettles &c. Scoop Shovels, Shovels and Tongs; Lead Pipe, Bar Lead, Zinc, Gun Barrels, Locks, Trimmings &c.,

SADLERY HARDWARE.

Coach Trimmings, Enameled and Floor Oil Cloths Cheap, Shoemakers findings &c., Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Varnish and Paint Brushes, Dust Brushes, Hand Bellows, Corn Toasters, Steel Springs and Axles, Malleable Iron, Brass Bands, &c., &c.

Space is not sufficient to enumerate all the articles, but call and buy at the Cheap Hardware Store

R. D. BOICE.
Ashland, Dec. 28th, 1853. n32tf.

YANKEE SULLIVAN IN THE SHADE!

A Great Knock-Down!

Not at Fist-i-Cuff, but in the price of Goods!

YOU may talk about the scrimmage between the Turks and Russians, and the "rest of mankind," but it does not begin to equal the "war of extermination which J. C. Bushnell is now waging against his high-priced competitors. He is now receiving a large assortment of

NEW GOODS OF NEW STYLES!

in addition to his former stock, which he will sell at much lower prices than could be afforded earlier in the season. He has no *leading* articles, but will sell his stock on average, at the lowest possible prices. The unprecedested and unrivaled sales of this establishment, speak louder than all the humbug advertisements which have been thrown out before the public by CASH STORES, CHEAP STORES, &c.

He would particularly call the attention of the public to his large stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING!

of his own manufacture, all of which is warranted to the purchaser, at prices that cannot be undersold. All are invited to call and examine his stock. Seeing is believing—none shall doubt but those who see not.

T. C. BUSHNELL.
Ashland, December, 1853. 2m30

GOOD NEWS

FOR THE MILLION!!

ROBERT McMAHAN

APPEALS to the people! He thinks he has a right to demand a fair hearing. He asks no more, and don't feel willing to submit to anything less. He has opened up, in the Store Room formerly occupied by Musgrave & Bashnell, an immense stock of new and fashionable

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

To which he invites the attention of all those who wear clothes, and eat food. He does not feel inclined to go into anything like details. There are not type sufficient in the county to commerate his entire stock. He will merely say that he has the newest and most beautiful style of

DRESS GOODS,

such as Delaines, Berages, Black Silks, Lawns, Collars, Sleeves, Edging, Ribbons, and a full assortment of all the new fabrics, in the way of

READY MADE CLOTHING

and Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Staple Goods, his stock will compare with any ever brought into the county.

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, Hats,

and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Boots and Straw Goods Umbrellas and Parasols in great quantity and variety. All of which will be sold at extremely low prices for Ready Pay. Also, FLOUR BY THE BARREL from the Jeromesville Mills. Pork, Fish, Salt, &c. All kinds of

COUNTRY PRODUCE

taken in exchange for goods at the highest market rates.

☞ N. B.—My competitors say that it is "old goods" that I am selling here. This is a mistake, as they will learn in good time. My numerous customers, who crowd my store, daily, can assure them that I sellonly NEW goods at NEW PRICES! The good buying people of the town of Ashland and vicinity, have established a ready disposition to rally under the new banner of new goods and new prices!

"Forever float that standard sheet!
Where breathes the foe but falls before it!"

R. McMAHAN.
Ashland, May 17, 1853.—32tf

NEW JEWELRY STORE IN ASHLAND!

I. R. GOODFELLOW has opened in the new room, two doors east of Messrs. Risser & Risser's Store, on Main street, a

Watch and Jewelry Establishment,

where he will offer every article usually kept in such establishments, at very low rates.

Among his stock may be found **Gold and Silver Watches,** of every description, variety and quality. Pins, Ladies' Gold Broaches, Grape, Enameled, Cluster, Knot, Cuff and Scarf Pins.

EAR DROPS, HOOKS AND RINGS.

Gold Rings, Lockets, Pencils, Gold Chains, Bagley' Gold Pens and Holders, large assortment.

SILVER SPOONS.

Table and Tea Spoons of pure silver, German Silver and plated Spoons, Butter Knives, Salt and Sugar Shovels, Silver Forks, &c., &c.

POCKET CUTLERY,

of every description, from the best American and English establishments. Also Needles, Port Monies, Dressing and Pocket Combs, and Pocket Books, Violin and Guitar Strings.

Goggles, Eye Shades, Compasses

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Ashland. Dec 21, 1853. n31 tf.

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Legal Notices.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Samuel M. Curkin, use of Sage, Kellogg, et. Jonas H. Giethart. } In Ashland Common Pleas.

PURSUANT to the command of an order of sale, issued in the above case, from the Court of Common Pleas of Ashland county, and State of Ohio, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the door of the Court House, in said county, on

Monday the 6th day of March, 1854,

between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M., and four, o'clock P. M., of said day, the one undivided half of the following described real estate situated and being in the county of Ashland, and State of Ohio, to wit: Part of the north-west quarter of section No. (28) twenty-five, township (22) twenty-two, range (16) sixteen beginning at the north-east corner of said quarter, thence south on the east quarter line one hundred and forty-two (142) rods, to the centre of the creek called Jerome Fork, of the Mohican creek; thence north along the centre of said creek to the north line of said quarter, thence east on the said north line one hundred rods to the place of beginning. Also, part of the south-west quarter of section twenty-four (24,) township and range as above beginning at the south-east corner of said quarter, thence north one hundred and sixty rods and eighteen links to the north-east corner of said quarter, thence west to the quarter line sixty-three rods seventeen links to Benjamin More's lands, thence south eighty-eight rods with the east line of said More's lands, thence west with the said More's lands to the center of the creek; thence southan the center thereof to the said south line, thence along said line to the place of beginning, one hundred rods distant, containing seventy-six acres thirty-five rods, the first above described tract of land, containing sixty-four acres one rood and four rods.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

J. D. JONES, Sheriff.
Feb. 1, 1853.—n57. 4w. pf $5,50.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Solomon H. Merrill, vs. S. Smith. } In Ashland Common Pleas.

Charles H. Smith, Adm'r. of McEachman, Dec'd. vs. Samuel Smith. } In Ashland Common Pleas.

PURSUANT to the command of two orders of sale issued in the above cases from the Court of Common Pleas of Ashland County, and State of Ohio, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the door of the Court House, in said county on

Monday the 6th day of March, 1854,

between the hours of ten o'clock, A. M. and four o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described real estate to wit: In lot number ninety eight, in the town of Loudonville, in the county of Ashland and State of Ohio.

Appraised at three hundred dollars. Terms of Sale—Cash.

J. D. JONES, Sheriff.
Feb. 1, 1854.—n57. 4w. pf4,12.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Richard Gregg, vs. Eli Bailey, et. al. } In Ashland Common Pleas.

PURSUANT to the command of an order of sale, issued in the above case, from the Court of Common Pleas of Ashland county, and State of Ohio, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the door of the Court House, in said county on

Monday the 6th day of March, 1854,

between the hours of ten o'clock A. M., and four o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described real estate to wit: Being lot No. thirty-eight, in the town of Savannah, in said county and State of Ohio.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

J. D. JONES, Sheriff.
Feb. 1, 1854.—n37. 4w. pf$2,75.

L. O. Wilson, George W. Gasheire, Wm. W. Johnston, Samuel M. Waller and Charles A. Atkins, Partners under name of L. O. Wilson & Co., Pltfs. vs. Judson McComb, Albert McComb, Chas. H. Manning, Wm. Johnston, McBride, Sheldon & Co., James McBride, & Henry McBride, McBride, Robinson & Hoover, Joseph McComb, Mary Jane McComb, Day Griswold & Co., Chittenden, Bliss & Co., John R. McBride & Luther, Crail & Co.,—Defendants. } Civil Action. } In Ashland Common Pleas, Ohio.

JAMES McBRIDE, Henry McBride, John K. McBride, McBride, Sheldon & Co., McBride, Robinson & Hoover, Day, Griswold & Co., and Chittenden, Bliss & Co., defendants above named, will take notice that the above named Plaintiffs filed in the Clerk's office, of the Court of Common Pleas of Ashland county, Ohio, on the 10th day of January, A. D 1854, and on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1854, their Petition and supplemental and amended Petitions, in which said original and supplemental and amended petitions, it is averred that the Defts. Judson & Albert McComb are indebted to the pltfs. by notes as follows:

1st. Note dated April 13, 1853, due at six months, and calling for $318 14-100.

2d. Note dated Sept. 19, 1853, due at six months, and calling for $1109 50-100.

Plaintiffs further seek to hold goods, ware and merchandize which have been assigned by chattel mortgage to Defts. McBride, Sheldon and Co., James and Henry McBride, McBride, Robison and Hoover, John K. McBride and Joseph McComb. Also, Notes Book accounts and other choses in action assigned to Defts. Day, Griswold and Co., and Chittenden, Bliss and co. both of which sales and transfers, plaintiffs allege to be fraudulent.

Plaintiffs also seek to hold defendant, J. M. McBride for representations made to plaintiffs, as to the solvency of defendants, J. & A. McComb.

The prayer of plaintiffs petitions are substantially as follows: the allowance of an injunction, the appointment of a receiver, an order of attachment with notice to garnishees named therein, also, plaintiffs pray that said assignment and sale may be set aside as fraudulent, and proceeds applied to the payment of plaintiffs claims, and for other and further relief.

Defendants will further take notice, that unless they plead, answer or demur, to said plaintiffs petitions, on or before the 25th day of March next, the same will be taken as confessed, and plaintiffs will demand relief sought.

KELLOGG & ALLISON,
Attorney's for Plaintiffs.
Ashland, Jan. 25 1854.—n36 6w.

PETITION TO SELL LAND.

Luke Selby, Administrator of Jonathan Hazlett, dec'd. vs. James Dunlee, and Sophia Elizabeth Dunlee } In Probate Court, Ashland County, Ohio

THE said James Dunlee and Sophia Elizabeth Dunlee, who are heirs and legal representatives of the said Jonathan Hazlett, dec'd. are hereby notified that on the 21st day of January, 1854, said administrator filed his petition in the Court of Probate, of said Ashland county, Ohio, the object and prayer of which is to obtain in order &c., at the March term of said court for the sale of the following real estate, (of which the said Jonathan Hazlett, deceased, seized,) or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debts of said decedent, to wit: The farm upon which the said Jonathan Hazlett resided at the time of his death, situated in Ashland county, Ohio, and described, as follows: "The north half of the south east quarter of section twelve, in township twenty-two, in range number seventeen, excepting four acres heretofore conveyed by said decedent to Christian Vesper, containing seventy-six acres more or less.

LUKE SELBY.
KELLOGG & ALLISON,
Attorneys.
Ashland, Jan. 25, 1854.—n36 4w.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY ORDER OF PROBATE COURT.

ON the 17th day of February A. D. 1854, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. on the premises hereinafter described, will be sold to the highest bidder, the following real estate, as the property of John Lehman, deceased, to wit: situate in the County of Ashland, and State of Ohio, and in township twenty-three, and section twenty-five, and range sixteen, and being part of the north-east quarter, bounded as follows, beginning at the north east corner of John Maldo