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TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

ASHTABULA, YOUNGSTOWN & PITTSBURGH R. R.
Leave Ashtabula, 2:45 p. m., 7:13 a. m.
Arrive at Ashtabula, 1:35 p. m., 8:25 p. m.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY.
WEST—leave Ashtabula, 2:55 A. M., 6:50 A. M., 11:32 A. M., 5:04 P. M., 5.35 A. M.
EAST—leave Ashtabula, 9:02 A. M., 1:21 P. M, 4:14 P. M., 11:40 P. M. 7:50 P. M.

FRANKLIN DIVISION—L. S. & M. S. RY.
Leave Ashtabula, 9:40 A. M., 7:50 P. M.
Arrive at Ashtabula, 11:30 A. M., 6:25 A. M.

YOUNGSTOWN DIVISION—L. S. & M. S.
Leave Ashtabula, 6:10 P. M. Arrive 11:15 A.M.

GOLD closed on Thursday 113, L. S. & M. S 82½.

Dan Rice's homestead at Girard, Pa., sold recently at Sheriff's sale, was bidden in for $8,000.

CHARLEY WATSON of the Chicago *Tribune*, is spending a few days vacation in town, among old friends.

Aspirants after pedigogical honors will take notice that a schedule of examinations appear in this paper.

The Court of Common Pleas will begin its February term on Monday next.—Letigents will hold themselves in readiness.

SINGLE COPIES of the *Telegraph* can always be found at the Central News Room, two doors south of the Fisk House.

The Daily Cleveland Evening *News* arrives at the Central News Room at 4.30 P. M. delivered on Main St. for 50 cents per month.

Geo. E. Paine has been elected President, and H. P. Sanford Secretary, of the Painesville and Youngstown railroad for the ensuing year.

HOUSE AND LOT SOLD.—O. P. TERRIL sold his house one ¼ acre lot on Station street, on Monday last, to conductor ADAMS of the J. & F. road for $2,000.

FOX, as it will be seen by adv. has embarked again in the "Burgum," business, and it is expected that Musk and Pachou la will immediately go into bad odor.

CHARLEY BURRALL, has started in upon his Spring business, and will now keep right along a supply of fresh and salt water fish, at the store of Capt. Billy Watrous.

We learn that Mr. Andrews, the popular Landlord at Madison, has disposed of his hotel property to Mr. Zeri Judd, and the latter gentleman has already assumed the position of host.

Besides selling out his stock, as adverted in the *Telegraph* some weeks ago, Mr. J. N. Means of Morgan, has disposed of his farm of 175 acres, for $7,000, to a gentleman from Troy, named Gardiner.

The reader's attention is referred to a tale written by a young Ashtabula friend, who proposes to favor us with more of the same sort. If what follows shall prove as good as that upon the first page, we shall feel like encouraging continued efforts.

Col. Tom. Scott and other Representatives of the Pennsylvania Company spent, the night here on Thursday of last week. They took a hasty survey of things here and at the Harbor, and left on a special train of the A. Y. & P., for Youngstown on Friday morning.

The ice packers at the Harbor have begun to get in their supplies. By clearing of the snow and giving the crust a chance to thicken, they have been able to make a fair beginning with ice of some 7 inches in thickness, but not of a very clear crystal character.

A. H. Rowley, Dry Goodsman and C. D. Snow, Grocer, are to form a partnership for carrying on both branches at the store of C. B. Pratt, occupied by Mr. Rowley. This arrangement, will relieve Mr. Pratt of the apprehended necessity of returning to trade, and running his own store.

Such a flood of mortgages is flowing into the Recorder's office as seldom occurs. Since the year began something like sixty documents of this kind have reached the office for recording, being about equal to the number of warrantees that have been sent in for the same time—the usual ratio being one-third.

CROSBY'S BED BOTTOMS are evidently growing in popularity. A half a dozen were introduced into the Ashtabula House during the present week, and will no doubt contribute to the refreshment and rest of some of the weary travelers who seek a restoration of jaded nature under this hospitable roof.

Another bereavement has occurred in the family of the late K. L. Holbrook, of Winona, Min. The daughter—Miss LIZZIE I. HOLBROOK, died on the 28th ult. of prostration coupled with influenza, consequent upon severe attendance upon her father in his last illness and death, some six weeks since.

SUSPENDED.—the Hemlock Billiard Saloon kept by the Hancock's has come to grief. The tables have been retaken by the party of whom they were purchased on a partial payment having been made, and Hitchcock & Prentice hold the building in pretty much the same way. The thing is closed up.

We were favored with two communications from Orwell the present week. That from our friend JOHNSON was in type when that from H. came to hand, and so far as they both covered the same ground, the letter was shortened in. Of course, our friend H. will not take exceptions, under the circumstances.

Ed. Tel.—We desire, through the *Telegraph*, to express our pleasure and gratitude for the pleasant donation visit made in our behalf at the Parsonage of the Presbyterian church of Rome, on the 6th inst; not only for the material benefits confered, but for the confidence and good feelings manifested on that occasion.

F. MCGINNIS & FAMILY.

Some of our friends seem to laugh at our ground hog—noticed last week—because of some of his peculiar appendages. To save their delicacy, it would, perhaps, have been as well to use the term *caudal*, instead of "carnal," but it only shows that our We-a-ther Agent was a perfect animal and in his pride and dignity of character spelled his name with an *a*.

BALDWIN of the Thompson House, Jefferson, seems to bring to that old favorite resort, much of the home-like enjoyments that have clustered about it in the past. Orderly, neat and quiet, and a due regard for the yearnings of the inner man, with prompt and ready attention, embrace about all the qualities needful for a proper enjoyment of the voyage of life.

The five new lamp posts have been located, and will soon we suppose, be erected and put to use. The locations are well chosen. Mrs. Richardson corner on Main street, L. S. Sherman's corner Prospect and Lake, Theodore Hall's corner Prospect and Station, the point of Triangle Park, and the front of South Park on Main, are the locations designated by the comm.

The large crib at the end of the pier at Fairport, on which the beacon light was to be placed, has been carried 40 or 50 rods down the Lake by storm, ice and freshet.

MT. UNION COLLEGE.—The numerous friends of this popular Institution will be gratified to learn, that the Winter term, notwithstanding the financial pressure of the times, has been better attended than any Winter term heretofore.—The Commercial Department has been a great success. Spring term commences Feb. 24th, Summer term May 12th. Circulars forwarded by addressing Mt. Union College, Mt. Union or Alliance O.

The sleighing for the past few days has been very fine, but Thursday, south wind and mild temperature played the dickens with it, leaving too much bare ground to tempt the use of that new cutter. By the way, the pair of cutters alluded to last week are both owned in town. Judge PARSONS having secured, as we supposed, the unsold one, we shall claim no superiority, therefore, over the Judge.

Sherman, Hall & Sherman took possession of their new office in Haskell's block, on Thursday last. They have a suit of three rooms over the north store, very handsome and pleasant. Their large library required a two horse team to move it, and two full loads were furnished at that. The combined libraries of the individual members of the firm, cost not less than from $5,000 to $6,000.

CLUB PARTY.—The last dance of the series was held at Haskell's New Hall, on Tuesday evening last, and was, like the former one, largely attended. McAfee's full band of, Cleveland, furnished the music, and gave, as usual, entire satisfaction. Those who have attended these parties, feel under many obligations to the proprietor of the Hall, Mr. M. H. HASKELL, for the efforts he has made to add to the pleasure of all.

The anniversary of Washington's birth day is to be observed by the Fire Department of the village in a social dance at Haskell's Hall—the hall we understand, having been tendered for the purpose. Our firemen are about as much at home in keeping time to the fiddle bow as to the surge and roar of crackling flames and we have no doubt that they will make things both lively and pleasant at this gathering on Friday evening the 20th.

The sound of that church-going bell recently returned to its high position in the tower of the Congregational Church, rang out last Sunday in tone not very dissimilar to that of its earliest and best days. Of course its ring will be somewhat clearer by use, as the sand is shaken out of it. Its tone remains the most agreeable and melodious of all the bells of the village. The attempt last week, to give its weight was a failure, reaching no farther than the first figure. It should have been 1271 lbs., having lost but three in the process of recasting. It is of somewhat different shape than before—being higher, and somewhat broader in diameter of opening.

That Conneautville robbery startled the world, last week, for its unaccountable, & astounding boldness. The lapse of a week, however, has stripped the thing of something of its bold defiance, to make way for its cool, calculating villainy. Reflection has led to the conclusion that there was a colud pustion in the fuel. Cashier Williams has fallen under suspicion and is credited with the arrangement of the plot, for the purpose of lifting himself over the consequences of fast and reckless living. He has been placed under arrest, together with Powers the President, and a thorough examination is to be had, and the whole thing sifted to its bottom.

Friend Reed.—We notice in the *Telegraph* of last week a notice speaking of a pair of yearling steers, belonging to Mr. Perry Parker of North Ridge noteriety, the weight of which was 1780. These figures sound *enormous*, especially to those inexperienced in the weight of cattle, but when we compare the weight of a few pairs of yearlings, within the limit of our acquaintance, we find friend Parker standing quietly in the shade.

W. H. Landon, of Ashtabula, is the owner of a pair of yearling steers, which weigh 1980 lbs.

G. W. Amsden another pair which weigh 1920 lbs.

B. N. Sperry has a pair which weigh 1820 lbs.

A little more meal, friend Parker!

SOUTH RIDGE.

To this list of fine stock, we annex the following account, handed in from another quarter:

MR. WM. A. CHURCH, of this place, has a pair of yearling, grade Durham steers, that he was induced the other day to drive upon the scales, when their weight was ascertained to be 2,104 pounds.

ANNEXATION.—The project for extending the limits of the corporation, came on for hearing before the county Commissioners, on Tuesday last, at Jefferson. The board was constituted by Messrs. Peck, Hurlburt and Morrison. Quite an array of counsel appeared for the defence. Messrs Sherman, Simonds, Kellogg and Wade were on hand, and duly earnest to carry out the wishes of their clients, in the defeat of the annoxation scheme. Mr Sherman had been retained by the corporation, but as he had a standing retainer from the L. S. & M. S. Co. and as the company was opposed to the measure, he felt constrained to espouse the cause of the older client. Messrs. Hall and Booth appeared for the corporation. The case was opened about ten o'clock, and Mr. Hall, corporation Solicitor, moved an amendment of his petition, considerably reducing the limits of the annexation territory. East village was dropped out and a line adopted running along the road from the iron bridge at the foot of Mill Hill, to the summit of the Harmon Hill, and then following down the John Harmon road to the point in the old line whence it diverges due north to the lake. The west line follows the township line from the lake to the lot line between lots 1 and 16, thence easterly along the lot line, and the centre of South street—the new street cut through from Round Head Road to the Cemetery road, and following the Cemetery road to the east line of the Jamestown & Franklin railroad, along the line of the railroad to the Plymouth line, about midway of the fill over Hubbard Run, along Hubbard Run to the Creek and the old line of the village, and thence to the iron bridge first mentioned. This change of limits led to a demand for a new ordinance and new notice on the part of the opponents of annexation. The commissioners, however, decided adversely, as they did two other feints to defer and dismiss the case. These questions having been successively disposed of, there seemed to be no obstacle in the way of proceeding, and witnesses on the part of the corporation were introduced. Mr. Nehimeah Hubbard and James Reed were put upon the stand, and at the conclusion of the testimony of the letter, the time had arrived for taking the train for home. Soon after this it was discovered, that there had been an informality of notice.—The notice, which had been duly published in the papers of the village, had not been, also, as the law requires, posted, and this was admitted to be a fatal mission. The proceedings, were there fore, brought to an abrupt termination.

Though the effect will be a delay of a few weeks, the ground, we apprehend, will be gone over again, as another ordinance has been already passed to that effect, to which reference is had elsewhere. mint, annis and cummin of the law.—Judging from the number of witnesses in attendance, much of the feather edge of the opposition had been lost. The whole number did not exceed a baker's dozen, and those about equally divided—for and against. As the annexation as now proposed, embraces but little more than the Harbor, we may expect that another move will be a comparatively easy and, with greatly diminished opposition.

THE CONCERT at the Congregational Church, on Friday evening last, was no favored with very agreeable weather. The snow, though light, was scarcely less combrous, and rendered locomotion tedious and tiresome. Beside it filled the air and was driven with blending force. The turnout, however, was very fair, and the audience quite select and appreciative. The programme embraced but twelve vocal pieces, just enough, for pleasurable enjoyment, and leaving nothing to weary the audience. The character of the music, too, was about as intelligently and happily chosen for variety and effect, as was the quantity. The performance of the voluntaries preceding each part, upon the organ, the first by Mr. Smith assisted by Mrs. J. B. Anderson, and the last by Mr. Smith alone admit of no criticism. As has been admitted, the organist is at home with his instrument and it would ill become a mere novice, or mere amateur in music, to play the censor. The choir evidently had been well trained and in the chorus of Mozart's Mass, showed its power as well as its appreciation of the work in hand. But choruses are not our choice, and we cheerfully pass to the Duett—Sabbath Morn—by Misses Annie Hulbert and Sophie Hall. These performers are both well endowed with voice & showed themselves not wanting in the skillful management of it. The rendering was good, and the effect perceptible upon the audience. The second duett by Misses Willard and Willey, was worthy of commendation, and we have hardly the disposition or bravery to attempt discrimination. The solo and quartett by Messrs. Blyth and Waite, and Misses Hulbert and Hall—Jesus Loves me—was a charming conception of Emerson, and the voices were well adapted to their respective parts. The blending was decidedly happy. Taking the music and the fine execution of it, it could not but be considered as one of the most effective pieces of the evening. The concluding piece of the first part, was a solo and chorus—Beautiful River. In this Miss Markham and Miss Willard performed important and very highly creditable parts. The variety and beauty of the music was brought out in a very agreeable and pleasant manner.

The next piece was also solo and chorus, and our individual impression was, that it was the best of the choruses. The solo, duett and chorus and the chorus with the organ obligato, ranged very fairly, but failed to bring the height of enjoyment of some of the previous pieces. The solo, duett and trio—Hear our Prayer—made a very perceptible impression upon the audience, and gave much satisfaction. It well prepared the way for the gem of the evening—the soprano solo—Consider the Lillies—by Miss Markham. The performance of this fine conception by Topliff showed taste and culture, which were well sustained by a not powerful, but a sweet, rich, flexible, and perhaps more than commouly well balanced voice. The singer took possession of the audience and held them spell-bound. Their feelings were so much excited, that the applause, that had been hitherto pretty much suppressed, at the conclusion of this solo, broke forth with earnest persistance, and refused to be quieted until the young lady reluctantly yielded to give another installment of the music.

Perhaps we have not noticed every performer who acquitted him or herself with credit, but they must accept the general verdict that the concert, taken all and singular, was a rare treat, and such as the participants as well as the community may feel a just pride in. It is but just that it should be repeated, and we trust that when another opportunity shall be offered our citizens to listen to it, the choir will be greeted with a house worthy of its merits.

The audience moved in the matter of repetition, and by vote gave a unanimous expression in favor. The receipts, we learn, were about $60.

OBITUARY.—AMANDA BENHAM, Wife of Thomas Benham, deceased, and Mother of Asahel Benham of this town, died at the residence of her son, Feb. 2nd 1874. She was born in Prospect Conn. Dec. 17, 1777. Married Oct. 1808. United with the M. E. Church in 1814. At that time it was a great cross. She belonged to an aristocratic family, who considered themselves humiliated at what she had done. But it was for conscience sake, and well done. She came to Ashtabula in 1815. There were then but a few log cabins here, and perhaps only half-a-dezen frame houses. Woods, poor roads, and cow paths were the principal things. She at once, cast in her lot with the Methodist Class, which had only been formed about two years before. She was an active, zealous, working christian. She was well educated, had fine natural abilities, and was a faithful and useful member of the Church. During the latter part of her life, by disease and trouble both at once, her mind became somewhat affected. She still remained sound upon religion. Like Cowper, under similar circumstances, she could say, "though tempest tossed and half-a-wreck, my Savior through the clouds I'll seek." Better sound on that subject alone, than sane everywhere else but there. She was very highly respected by all who knew her. She now rests in peace. She has passed from the land of clouds, and has doubtless entered into her glory.

Perhaps, after such a gratuitous and malicious assault upon our member of Congress by the editor of the Andover *Enterprise*, he is entitled to very little sympathy, and yet we hardly feel like harrowing the poor fellow so mercilessly for appropriating a few petty locals, which really every editor in the county has done more or less frequently by the slightest possible change of phraseology. Bold, bodily pirating is not very much more henious than the entering into another's labors by a little switching of the old gedtleman around the stump, as is practically quite general here and elsewhere. Hold your horses, gentlemen, unless you can show that this man is a sincere above all men, for, peradventure, ye may have to repent, or all likewise perish!

THE LECTURE COURSE which has been planned by the Congregational Church will commence on Wednesday evening-Feb. 25th. Rev. J. E. Daly of Painesville, giving the first one on the list, subject: "From Jerusalem to the Pyramids." These lectures will be held in the audience room and an admittance fee will be charged for the purpose of paying expenses and if possible raising a small fund for the church. Prest. Fairchild has consented to give one on "Egypt," Rev. Dr. Wolcott another, and gentlemen who have delivered addresses at Cleveland and elsewhere with acceptance, are expected to follow making five or six in all. We think that the course will not fail to interest and instruct the audience, and it is to be hoped that the effort will be successful by a full attendance.

THE CEMETERY ENTERTAINMENTS began on Wednesday evening, with a tolerable fair house. The enjoyments mostly were of the gastronomical class, and these very generally indulged in. Fancy articles, by the ladies after being displayed and duly admired, were sold either at private sale or auction—Mr. Jas. Prentice officiating as auctioneer. As the enterprise was gottten up for helping the Cemetery Association to improve their grounds, all parties and churches entered into it with earnestness, and the company was a very agreeable and pleasant one. The suppers were eaten at 50 cents a head, and the fancy goods were all sold at fair prices. Interest was excited by putting up a very handsome gold headed cane at lottery. The tickets were sold at 25 cents, and whether the number was limited, or not, we have not learned. A very handsome amount, at least, was raised in this way. The candidates for its posession, seemed to be only two—Rev. Mr. MOORE, and our joccse friend—GEORGE STEVENS. The contest proved a sharp one, but our reverend friend carried one too many guns for George, and therefore took the handsome prize.

The second night was a different affair, and beside the table enjoyments presented a very attractive programme of tablaux, which was well and thoughtfully gotton up. The appreciation of this style of entertainment was seen in the full house brought together. The Opera House was crowded to its utmost. The number of persons present was 748. The enthusiasm at times was very great. Especially was this true of the Art Gallery, which could hardly have been improved. For the purpose of giving the reader a more correct and detailed idea of this entertainment the programme is copied entire.

ONG—"Comin' through the Rye."...Miss Libbie Anderson.
TABLEAU.....
1. "How dare you, Sir?"
2. "If a body kiss a body, need a body cry?"
TABLEAU.....
"Song of the Shirt,"
"Oh, but to breath the breath
Of the cowslip and primrose sweet,
With the sky above my head
And the grass beneath my feet,
For only one short hour
To feel as I used to feel,
Before I knew the the woes of want
And the walk that costs a meal."
MUSIC.
TABLEAU....."It used to be in the olden time."
1st. "It used to be in the olden time,
When man and maid were fond of each other,
He told his tale in prose or rhyme,
And she—she made no particular pother.
Straight for the nearest parson they send,
And get them married and then an end."
TABLEAU.....The Modern way.
2nd. "But now they talk like Miss Preston's brats,
On art and science, are wordy and wise;
If love is mentioned at all—well, that's
Merely something to analyze.
And if he should happen at last to propose,
She says, 'you forget,' and turns on her toes."
MUSIC.
TABLEAU,.....
"The Seasons."
MUSIC.
ABLEAU....."The wife of the period."
TABLEAU..."Ferdinand and Isabella receiving Columbus."
INTERMISSION OF 20 MINUTES FOR REFRESHMENTS.
SONG .....
"Mistetoe Bough."
PANTOMINE.....
"Mistetoe Bough."
Scene 1st. Marriage Ceremony.
" 2nd. The Dance.
" 3rd. The Bride Hides.
" 4th. The Search.
" 5th. The Old Man comes in.
" 6th. The Discovery.
INTERMISSION OF 20 MINUTES FOR REFRESHMENTS.
ART GALLERY.....
1. Poesy. 6. Victory.
2. Hebe. 7. Ivy.
3. Minerva. 8. Hope and Pleasure.
4. Il Penseroso. 9. Magdalen.
5. Aurora. 10. Circassian Slave.
TABLEAU.....Witch Scene from Macbeth.
"Thrice the brinded cat hath mew'd."
MUSIC.
TABLEAU.....The bashful lover.
SONG—"Only."....Miss Libbie Anderson
TABLEAU.....
"The Silver Spoon."
1st. Open your little wee mouth, my sweet,
And take your foot from a silver spoon,
For you were born to a high estate,
And have even a right to "cry for the moon."
TABLEAU.....
"The Wooden Spoon."
2nd. "Take what you can get, and be thankful, dear,
If you've even a *wooden* spoon each year;
So open your plebian mouth, my sweet,
Mother can work for all you eat."
TABLEAU.....
"No Spoon at all."
3d. "Alas! my darling, my helpless child,
What can your mother do?
She's walked all day in the blinding sleet,
But she cannot find food for you.
Hush, hush, my little one! do not cry,
If we may not live, we at least can die."
TABLEAU.....Duel.
MUSIC.
TABLEAU.....Liberty and her Supporters.

The whole amount of money received, directly and indirectly up to the close of Wednesday evening, as we learn from Miss CONKLIN, Treasurer, was $361,10, and ion Thursday evening $443,15, making in all $803,25. The affair was, in all respects a gratifying and pleasing success. Much a due to the ladies for this result, and perhaps the chief credit belongs to Mrs JUDGE PARSONS, the first officer for carrying everything through so happily.

EAGLEVILLE.

Eagleville is a flourishing town, with a mail route from Jefferson, the county seat twice a day, and the prospect of a depot

The new mail route brings us the *Sentinel* the day it is published; before, it came Friday morning, via A., Y. & P. R. R.

Our depot will not be a union depot. We learn that the railroad company, has borrowed one of Eben Tuttle's sheds, and are going to put a stove in it, to keep us warm and shelter us from the storm. The citizens darkly hint that if the shed is fitted up, we will never see a new depot; but rail roads will have their little jokes.

The people of Eagleville, took advantage of the good sleighing, Tuesday, the 3d inst., to hold their annual donation, for Rev. S. W. Streeter. They met at the house of Mr. H. Henry, and passed a pleasant evening, had a generous supper from a loaded table, and handed $89 in cash to their minister. We heard a gentleman remark that he "should like to have 'em come to his house."

A Lyceum is held every Wednesday night, where little boys the size of grass hoppers get up and give their chirp, and the grown up men debate all the important questions of life, and usually decide in the negative. The young ladies edit papers, sing, and speak pieces.

There are also other attractions, a music box, jews-harp, mouth-organs, violins, melodians. Everybody goes to the Lyceum.

Eagleville has a fine mill-pond, a grist and saw mill, a post office, two blacksmith shops, two shoe shops, a cheese factory, a church, a school house, and a water tank. The fare from Ashtabula, is 35 cents; come and see, and you will be shown around the "City" by one of our accommodating guides.

O. B.

ORWELL.

Friend Reed.—Allow me to say through your excellent paper that our citizens have recently been favored with two very interesting and instructive lectures. The first by Rev. Mr. Peet, of your place, the other by Hon. S. A. Northway. I do not propose to give a synopsis of these efforts, but will simply say that every village in the county could not do a better thing for its people, young and old, than to secure a repetition of these lectures, and others from gentlemen whose services may be readily obtained. Our young people need quieting and stimulating to higher purposes than the mere gratification of present pleasures, and I know of no way so accessible as bringing them frequently in contact with the best minds in the county and vicinity.

The lectures here, by gentlemen from abroad, are secured through the instrumentality of the school, and will be continued from term to term. The next one in order will be by the Rev. J. E. Daly of Painesville, on Tuesday evening, February 24th. Yours, H. U. JOHNSON.

Orwell, Feb., 10, '74.

Mrs. Elisha Bigelow, one of the oldest citizens of this township, died on Sunday. The funeral services were held at the M. E. Church last Tuesday. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Mr. Baker of Windsor.

The Spiritualists of this place are making extensive arrangements to attend the mass meeting at Windsor, commencing on the 12th, and continuing three days. The meetings will be conducted by the inspirational speaker, Mr. Eckle of Kansas City.

Feb. 11th. H.

The Ravenna *Press* of last week says that Mrs. D. Burnham of Rootstown, Portage county, while in a coughing fit a few days since detatched her tongue at the roots, and it dropped out into her hand. The member had become paralyzed a year or two ago, and upon examination a cancroid ulceration was found in the attachments. Since this strange event Mrs. Burnham has been about the house attending to her domestic affairs as usual, and is able to talk so as to make herself understood. A later number of the *Press* says that the lady is still able to be about the house attending to her domestic affairs, and that her mouth is fast healing up, and her physician is of the opinion that her prospect of living many years is quite favorable.

A Tape Measure is a handy thing, and every purchaser of Tea at SWIFT'S can have one free gratis.

AUCTION.—Preparatory to moving East, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, at his residence, one-half mile west of Ashtabula Harbor, on Thursday February 19th, a quantity of household and farming utensils. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. Terms, cash.

J. ELWOOD.

LOCAL NOTICES.

CURES ALL KINDS OF CATARRH.

So successful has Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery proven, as a constitutional treatment for Catarrh, when coupled with the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, applied locally by the use of Dr. Pierce's Nasal Douche (the only method of reaching the upper and back cavities of the head,) that the proprietor of these medicines has long offered a standing reward of $500 for a case of Catarrh which he can not cure. The two medicines with instrument, for $2 sold by druggists.

A SPECIMEN OUT OF THOUSANDS.

CORTLAND, ILL., April 28, 1873.

Dr. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—It is with pleasure I make this statement to you that after taking medicine for twenty years for the Catarrh, I tried your Catarrh Remedy and effected a cure, so that it has not troubled me for two years. S. WHEELER.

We Claim that MISS SAWYER'S SALVE is entirely different from all others.

That there are a great many good Salves offered for sale but none so good as Miss Sawyer's Salve.

That every family should have a box.

That it will do all and even more than it is recomended to do.

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Centaur Liniment.

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Castoria is more than a substitute for Castor Oil. It is the only *safe* article in existence which is certain to assimilate the food, regulate the bowels, cure wind-colic, and produce natural sleep. It contains neither minerals, morphine or alcohol, and is pleasant to take. Children need not cry, and mothers may rest. 1988

MARRIED.

In Orwell, on the 7th day of February, by J. B. Phillips, J. P., Mr. CHARLES HIGGINS, to Miss MARIA TRIPTICK, all of Orwell.

In Williamsfield, on the 5th day of February, by Rev. P. W. Ish, Mr. HARVEY T. DAVIS, of Hartsgrove, to Miss SUSAN C. HEATH, of Williamsfield.

In Millerstown, Pa., Jan. 20, by Rev. H. C. Cheston, Mr. BARNARD C. WAKEFIELD, of Chicago, formerly of Kingsville, to Miss Rachel M. Hoffman.

In New Lyme, at the residence of O. R. Porter, Esq., on the 3d day of February, by Rev. G. H. Chappell, Mr. EDWIN P. HAYES, of Erie, Pa., to Miss LOUISE P. TURNER, of New Lyme, O.

DIED.

Announcements free: Commendatory Notices, half rate.

In Winona, on the morning of the 28th inst., of nervous prostration and epidemic influenza, LIZZIE I. HOLBROOK, daughter of K. L. and SARAH J. HOLBROOK, aged 26 years.

In Andover, February 5th, of Consumption, JOSEPH R., son of R. Marvin, Esq., aged 18 years.

In Andover, February 6th, DELIA A., wife of O. B. CASE, aged 63 years.

THE MARKETS.

Ashtabula Market.

ASHTABULA, Jan. 14 1874.

Dealers pay the following Prices.

WHEAT—No. 1, White	$1 65
DO —No. 1, Red	155
CORN—Shelled	70
DO —In the ear	55
OATS, old	45 to 50
BUTTER	28 to 32
CHEESE	13 to 14
DRIED APPLES	7
HAMS	11 to 13
LARD	8 to 10
EGGS	20
POTATOES	80 to 90
CORN MEAL—old—per ton	$29 00
CORN MEAL—new— "	$28 00
CRUSHED FEED—Corn and oats,	$31 00
WOOL	40 to 45
SALT—per bbl. at Harbor	$1 85
DO—1 store	$2 00
POULTRY	8

CHICAGO MARKET.

From the Chicago Tribune.

The Chicago produce markets were less active on Wednesday, with not much change in prices, except in wheat. Mess pork was in fair demand, and a shade firmer, closing at $14.15@14.20 cash. Lard was active and 10c per 100 lbs higher closing at $8.87½ cash. Meats were quiet and steady at 9½@10.18½c for sweet pickled hams. Dressed hogs were in fair demand and firmer, closing at $6.50@6.60 per 100 lbs. Flour was dull and unchanged. Wheat was dull and 1c lower, closing at $1,19¾ cash, and $1,20¾@$1,20¾ seller March. Corn was less active and ½c lower, closing at 59⅜ cash. Oats were quiet and steady, closing at 43½c cash, and 46 ½c seller March. Rye was quiet and firm at 83¾@85c for fresh receipts. Barley was dull and easier at $1.54@1.55 for No. 2. Live hogs were dull and weak, with sales at $4.75@5.70 for poor to choice. The cattle market was active and steady. Sheep were quiet, and a shade lower.

THE PANIC IS OVER!

CONFIDENCE IS RESTORED!

BUSINESS RESUMED

ITS WONTED ACTIVITY!

—and—

BORTREE & BARNES

have opened up a nice fresh stock of New

Groceries and Provisions,

which they propose to GIVE to those who favor them with a call—for a reasonable profit.

All kinds of Produce taken in exchange for goods.

CASH PAID FOR BUTTER.

Remember the place, Smith's New Block, Center St. Ashtabula, Ohio.

Feb. 1st, 1874.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Best Advertising Medium.

THE TELEGRAPH,

Commences the present year

Enlarged and Improved

We have spared no expense or labor to make it

THE LARGEST AND

MOST ATTRACTIVE

—WITH A—

NEW POWER PRESS

AND NEW MATERIAL

the Mechanical Department is greatly improved

—OUR—

JOB - PRINTING

Department still bears its former reputation as

being the BEST and CHEAPEST place

in Ashtabula County.

FINE WORK and LOW PRICES

WIN THE DAY.

JAS. REED & SON,

Proprietors.

Cor. Main & Spring Sts., Ashtabula.

FOR SALE.—Two Wood Stoves, a large and a small size, for sale at this office.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Groceries & Provisions

at the Grocery House of

A. H. & E. W. SAVAGE,

Goods sold as low as

ANY OTHER HOUSE

—IN—

ASHTABULA.

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STATE OF OHIO,
INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,
Columbus, O. January 20, 1874.

WHEREAS, the HOME INSURANCE COMPANY, located at New York, in the State of New York, has filed in this office a sworn Statement, by the proper officers thereof, showing its condition and business, and has complied in all respects with the laws of this State, relating to Fire Insurance Companies, incorporated by other States of the United States;

Now, Therefore, in pursuance of law, I, William F. Church, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that said Company is authorized to transact its appropriate business of Fire Insurance in this State, in accordance with law, during the current year. The condition and business of said Company, at the date of such statement (December 31, 1873,) is shown as follows:

Amount of actual paid-up Capital	$2,500,000,00
Aggregate amount of available Assets	4,852,697,65
Aggregate amount of Liabilities, (except capital, including re-Insurance	2,113,709,90
Amount of Income for the preceding year in cash	3,364,568,58
Amount of Expenditures for the preceding year in cash	2,975,389,78

In witness whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused the seal of my office to be (SEAL) affixed, the day and year above written.

W. F. CHURCH, Superintendent.
HENRY FASSETT, Agt. at Ashtabula. 12,1268

OH CHARLEY! what is it that smells so? Why, John, it's Fox buying them Skunk Skins again. That's so, ain't it Willard? Y-e-s.—
Cash paid for Fur by C. E. FOX & SON.
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TINKER & GREGORY,

PROPRIETORS.

WE are now ready to solicit orders for the manufacture of STEAM ENGINES, SHAFTING, PULLEYS, PLOWS and other Farming Implements.

Every description of

IRON & BRASS CASTINGS

made as low as the market affords.

Pattern Making

of all kinds done to order with neatness and despatch.

We are also prepared to do all kinds of Engine, Machine and general Repairing promptly.

We would especially invite the attention of those interested in the manufacture or use of

BOLTS,

that we have now in operation a Power Bolt Cutter by which we are enabled to cut Bolts from ½ to 1¼ inches in diameter, at least 25 per cent. cheaper than can be done elsewhere in this vicinity.

We keep constantly on hand at our new shop, the celebrated

CURTIS IRON BEAM PLOWS.

Also Points and Repairs for all the leading plows made in this section.

CALL AND SEE US.

Office and Works near Centre Street R. R. Crossing.

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Ashtabula, Feb. 6th, 1874. 1257tf

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I will sell for the

NEXT THIRTY DAYS

FOR CASH

the following goods at cost:

BUFFALO ROBES

MEN, YOUTH & BOYS

OVER COATS

"CHINCHILLEY REEFERS"

BEAVER SUITS

LADIES' FURS,

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UNDERWEAR.

BUCK, CHINCHILLY & FUR

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KNIT JACKETS,

WOOLEN SOCKS

WINTER CAPS & SCARFS.

EDWARD G. PIERCE,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ATTENTION

Farmers and Fruit Growers!!

We offer for the Spring of 1874 a Large and Select Assortment of

NURSERY STOCK.

100,000 Peaches—leading varieties—first-class. Prices low, by the 100 or 1,000. Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries, Quinces, Small Fruits, Vines, etc., in choice varieties. Also a large Assortment of ornamental and deciduous Trees, including the Am. Sweet Chestnut, Evergreens, Shrubs, Climbing Vines, Roses, etc.

A DESCRIPTIVE CATALGUE FREE.

One of the largest stocks of Greenhouse and Bedding Plants in Northern Ohio; 20,000 Tube Rose, Blooming Bulbs. Prices low by the 100 or 1,000.

We will pack with care all orders received for Spring planting and give our customers the advantage of our wholesale list by the 100 or 1,000 rates. All orders, however small, will receive attention. Refer to Aaron Wilcox & Co. bankers, Painesville, Ohio. Send for Catalogue and Price List. Address, LOOMIS & BRAINARD, Painesville, Ohio.

(Avenue Nurseries.)

O. L. & N. J. PALMER,

North Kingsville, O., in connection with their SPOON BUSINESS are

Grinding Meal & Feed,

have a good Corn sheller, and Corn Cracker, and can grind

COB MEAL

if desired.

GIVE US A TRIAL.

Remember the place, North Kingsville, O.

Jan. 15th, 1874. 2m*1254

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"Small Profits and Quick Sales."

JOHN DUCRO WOULD CALL

attention to his large and

SPLENDID STOCK OF CABINET FURNITURE,

The result of his enlarged and increased facilities for business.

He is Prepared to, & is Selling

Cheaper than any other establishment of the kind in the country or city. I mean what I say, and would invite the public in general to see for themselves before buying elsewhere. I am making it an object for any one to give me a call, and it will pay them well for coming to see a large stock to select from, which is as large as any in anycity. Having sixteen years experience in business and buying all my stock direct from the manufacturers East, and conducting my own business enables me to sell lower than any competitor in the region. My work is as it always has been—the best.

I also have on hand a large stock of Eastern work, which I sell very low; among which will be found single lounges, bed lounges, carpet and rep lounges.

Spring Mattresses, at greatly re