THE JOURNAL.

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FRIDAY, October 23, 1874.

The Grand Lodge of Masons is in session at Columbus.

Geo. F. Edmonds was on Tuesday last, elected U. S. Senator, from Vermont.

Beecher wants Tilton to file a bill of particulars, placing a value on each act for which he claims damages.

Latest reports from Indiana indicate a Democratic majority of 16,000—and there is no balm in Gilead.

And the Democracy are not satisfied with their Congressional gains in this state. Some of them growl because Foster had 162 majority left.

In round numbers we have 221,000 school teachers and 14,000,000 schoolable children in the United States, and pay $95,000,000 for their support.

Garfield's majority in the Nineteenth district is 6,300. He ran 2,818 behind Wikoff, so that his re election is not much of an endorsement after all.

The *Blade* and *Commercial* are now discussing the important subject of "Who's to Blame?" When they arrive at a conclusion the public will rejoice.

Later returns will make Finnefrock's majority in the District about 500. Lucas could easily have overcome this, but for Nasby, Kent and crusade.

The Republican Congressional tickets in Ohio run 10,000 behind the State ticket. This will be a point for future nominating Conventions to bear in mind.

Col. Fred Grant was married on Tuesday to Miss Ida Maria Honore, at Chicago. It was a brilliant affair, and attended by numerous magnates of the land. Gifts were numerous and expensive.

We have a morsel of hope left. Holmes county has gone Republican and Ross county has repudiated Allen. If there are any more grains of comfort pass them along.

Hurd's majority in Lucas county is 758. Not quite so bad as we at first Hurd it was. But bad enough for Pratt, Kent and Nasby. Have they all returned to the X roads?

The Toledo Bar has expressed its preference for J. S. French, Esq., as successor to Judge Seney, resigned, but local politicians it is affirmed, are endeavoring to manipulate matters otherwise.

The Democratic majority in this District on Secretary of State is 1,218. Seney ran 341 behind Bell in Seneca, 194 in Sandusky and 341 in Hancock, and proportionally behind in Erie and Huron.

The *Blade* by its unwise course in securing the shelving of Sherwood, has thrown Lucas county into the hands of the Democracy, lost us one Congressman and two judges. This is not rhetoric but fact.

We dont care to hear much of the election last week. In fact we are tired of folks bidding us good bye and all that. We acknowledge a beat, and feel very much like joining in the demand "Let us have peace,"

We think it pretty evident, from the way the election went in the State, that the Democratic plank in regard to license, was not so much of a failure as it first appeared to be. The majority of 7000 against license was not maintained.

A portion of the Republican county ticket barely escaped defeat in Erie county. The majorities ranged from 56 for Dimon, Infirmary Director, and 63 for Miller, County Commissioner, to 470 for Merry, Auditor and 719 for Chamberlain, County Treasurer.

The army of the James had a reunion on the 21st at New York, Gen. B. F. Butler being the orator of the occasion, and Dr. J. G. Holland the poet. Dr. Holland professes to be an intensely respectable man, and it must have been a trial to him to appear as the companion of Butler even in a good cause.

Reports from Nebraska are full of misery and want. The grasshoppers have spread desolation everywhere, and unless the people of other states come charitably to the rescue, starvation with all its horrors will be added to the other desolations of that State. Cannot something be done here in Fremont, toward their relief? The ladies should make a "crusade" in this matter.

The Democracy, in the present Congress, have 93 out of 292 Representatives. In the nine States which have already held elections they have 19 members, and the Republicans 44, but in those states, at the recent election they have gained 14, so that they will have a representation from those same states in the next Congress, of 33, while the Republicans will have but 30. In the 13 states yet to hold elections this fall, they claim a gain of 15, and it is possible they may get it, but can they secure enough to control the House? It is not impossible although it seems improbable. To do so they will have to gain twenty-two from the North, and their success in Ohio and Indiana would not place that result among the impossibilities. Republicans everywhere should stand to their guns.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* narrates the following incident:

Some time ago a German came from fatherland to this city with $100,000 to invest. On the advice of his bankers, he purchased some Government bonds. He has drawn his interest on the regularly, and was pleased with his investment. Last Wednesday he called on his bankers to direct his bonds to be sold.

"What is the trouble?" was asked, "Why do you sell them?" The reply came quickly: "I don't like these Democratic victories. I am afraid of them. Thoy talk to much repudiation." The bonds were sold. With the proceeds a draft was bought on Hamburg, and the money is on its way back to the old country.

Our friends of the *Courier* should remonstrate with that German and show him the error of his ways.

The New State House.

Inspection of Plans.—The State House Commissioners, appointed by the last legislature to obtain and examine plans for a new State building are now in session in the city, and will be for some weeks to come.

Yesterday was occupied in fitting up a room for the suitable display of the plans and designs which are to be examined. Of these there are received and under inspection 37 sent by the most noted and accomplished architects from all parts of the United States. Of course the duty of learning the merits of these plans, their cost, adaptations and intrinsic claims is difficult, important and of the high est responsibility. The sessions of the committee, their discussions, progress and action will be withheld entirely from the public or any outside parties till the time comes to report to the legislature. At discretion, the authors may be called to delineate their work and set forth the merits of their design. Beyond this no one will see the inside work of the commission.—*Indianapolis Sentinel.*

It will be remembered that J. C. Johnson Architect, from this city, has submitted a plan which is regarded as hard to beat, and we would not be surprised to find him carry off the palm.

NEWS ITEMS.

Astitabula proposes to invest $6,500 in a steme fire engine.

Judge I. L. Fulle. of Warren, Trumbul Co., died on Thursday last.

Extensive fires are reported in the woods near to and within the city limits of Toledo.

Jefferson, Carroll, Belmont and Harrison counties propose to have a children's home.

In Fairfield county, most of the corn has been cut up for fodder, as a substitute for the short hay crop.

Monroe county reports the lightest crop of tobacco that has been produced there for twenty years.

James Finucane murdered John Ryan, at Chicago, on the 19th. Ryan had accused him of stealing a revolver.

The total receipts of the Exposition at Cincinnati were $69,161 57. Total attendance, 553,228; total net profits, $10,000.

Delaware has a new ordinance, closing billiard rooms at 10 P. M., and prohibiting base ball playing within the city limits.

General J. H. Godman and son are now engaged in investigating the Auditors and Treasurer's books of Belmont county.

There is now a prospect of the completion of the Washington Monument. There was a similar prospect twenty-five years ago.

At Indianapolis, on the 16th, Wm McGinnis fell from the roof of the Court House 90 feet to the ground, but strange to say was not killed.

The Columbus rolling mills rolled 124 tons of re-heated iron on Monday of last week, the largest roll of re-heated iron ever made in this country.

The Vaughn House, at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, the finest watering place hotel in the state, has been destroyed by fire. It is a very heavy loss to the city.

The Rev. I. G. Billman of Mount Vernon, O., commenced his ministration as pastor of the Washington street congregational church Toledo on Sunday last.

Among the arrivals from Europe, at New York, on Thursday, was Mr. J.W. Garrett, president of the B. & O. Railroad, who has been absent from this country for the past twelve months.

We learn that the Rev E. S. Gillettee of Cleveland has been appointed district superintendent of Ohio, for the American Bible Society. Mr. G. is a member of the Erie Methodist Episcopal Conference.

Mrs. Howe says, the one thing necessary for the amelioration of women, is to let them know what money is and what it is not." Our pocket book is at their service for the purpose of teaching the latter part of the lesson.

A unique and elegant constructed lady's work table composed of 3,500,000 different pieces of wood, was exhibited at one of the recent fairs in central Ohio. It contained a number of secret drawings and was a marvel of ingenuity.

A marble cutter, named E. B. Williams, aged 22 years—an excellent mechanic and a graduate of a prominent Western college, cut his throat at Columbus on the 10th while suffering under delirum tremens. He is a native of Newark, O.

According the the Elyria *Democrat*, C. W. Johnson Esq., has the finest and most productive vineyard on the Lake Shore. It contains about 18 acres, and he has gathered and sold over 30 tons of fruit already netting him above allexpenses for the season, about $3,000.

The pocket book which Williams, Paulding and Van Wert took from Major Andre, when they overhauled him on his way New-Yorkward, with Arnold's passes for his protection, has been placed in the Connecticut Historical rooms at Hartford, with Benedict Arnold's watch.

Reports from Spain say that Francis Jerrard, a representative of the English Carlist Committee, and Ceriel Buckland, a correspondent of the New York Times, were shot by the Republicans on the 18th. The report lacks confirmation, and it is as well to keep cool.

The Souhegan National Bank, at Milford, New Hampshire, was entered by masked burglars on the night of the 19th. and robbed of $25,000 in currency and bonds. They captured the cashier and compelled him by placing a rope around his neck, to go with them and open the safe.

On Saturday, during a fire at Cleveland, a team belonging to John Ellsworth scared at a steamer, ran away and came in collision with a team owned by a Mr Dunn. There was a fearful wreck, and the horses were much injured; a fine $300 horse belonging to Mr. Ellsworth was killed.

The engine Cortwright, driven by J S Townsend, on the L S & M S R R, on Tuesday conveyed Commodore Vanderbilt and party from Cleveland to Erie—95 miles—in 123 minutes, including six stops, which made the actual running time one hundred and three minutes. The trip through from Cleveland to Buffalo, was made in four hours and thirteen minutes.

In a dance house row, at Toledo on Saturday night, P. C. Nobl fared very roughly at the hands of some desperados, who kicked his revolver from his hand and otherwise brutoly assaulted him. Though very unfortunate there is not a pluckinr officer in the State, in proof of which, more dead and alive he brought one of his assailants to the lock up—owo others of whom have also since been apprehended.

On the 15, at the Jeffersom county court of Common Pleas, Judge Pillars gove a couple of criminal's their just deserts. David Gray, for attempting to commit rape, in August last, on Miss M. George, was sentenced to 2 years hard labor, and Peter Houser, for stealing wheat from D. J. McConnell, of Orange township was sentenced to 40 days in jail—required to make double restitution, and required to pay a fine of $50 and cost of the prosecution.

There are nearly three hundred coal mines in this State, the annual production from which is over 5,000,000 tons, though it will fall far short of that this year—every mine suffering from the panic. Only two-thirds of the mines are at present working, and they do not average three days a week. We recently interviewed an excellent working English miner, who has been working in Hocking Valley and left in search of better employment among our agriculturists. He assures us many hundreds are at present working simply for their board, and the general look out in the Pitteburg district is truly distressing to working men.

Change in the Cabinet.

Now the President's Long Branch season is over, it is confidently asserted that there will be a change in the cabinet, and that before the first of December. It is known that the President and all heads of departments have bought largely of tickets for the next Grand Gift Concert of the Public Library of Kentucky, to draw Nov. 30th, and they flatter them selves that they will capture one or more of the large prizes, which will make plenty of *change* in the cabinet.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The ladies had a pic nic on the fair grounds, on Wednesday. Croquet matches were in order and were hugely enjoyed.

If you desire a splendid dish of fresh fish—cleaned and delivered at your house, reasonable, order from Bloeser, the fish merchant, State street.

Bread is never so nice as when made with the famous "Corn City Yeast." Have no *other* palmed off upon you. Most grocers keep it and no family should be without it.

Wheat is only coming in slowly, and is worth 98c; corn is more plentiful at 70c. for old, and 40c. for new in the ear. Oats are coming in well at 45c. Clover sued, $5.50.

The chicken cholera seems to be gaining ground in the rural districts and our market is far from satisfactorily supplied with poultry. Eggs are, also, in consequence, advancing in price.

The laying of a culvert at the crossing of Napoleon street, near Mr. A. Och's carriage factory is nearly completed, and is an improvement long needed. Our council deserve credit for it.

Builders of houses will save money—secure the most exceptional material and workmanship by ordering their glazed sashes direct from Marshall, of St. Clair street, Toledo, Write for prices.

Quite a number of enterprising young Fremonters have clubbed together and opened a very nicely appointed gymnasium in Union Hall; a more extended reference to which we purpose giving in our next.

The L. S. & M. S. R. R. Co., we are glad to find, purpose making a substantial and servicable wood crossing on Croghan street, near the Depot. The track is being leveled with gravel and substantial planks placed in good order.

Good butter is still very scarce, and though poor qualities are less so, prices keep up well. If ever dairy maids had a chance to make pin money it is now. Dealers are willingly paying from 28c. per pound to as high as 30c. in some instances.

It was Mr. George Hufford, of Rollersville road we so recently saw in the town with a smile on his face as radiant as the rising sun. He hinted to some one to tell some one else if ye local happened round, it was a daughter—t'other was a son.

The work on Mr. C. Dillon's new house is progressing very favorably, and the joiner's work by Mr. P. Johnson, contractor, gives evidence of imparting a finish to the design of our city architect, J. C Johnson complimentary to both gentlemen alike.

The contractors for the sewer work on Croghan street will now soon be through with their wearisome work, having already reached the store of Harry Dwelle, near the depot, and with unabated energy they appear to be pressing the work forward.

We have this week to report the loss of another old and respected citizen, on the 19th, in the death of Mr. W. H. Williams, sr., of the East side, aged 76 years. The interment took place at Oakwood Cemetery, on Wednesday the funeral being largely attended.

Ducks are plentiful this season though it is not exactly every party that goes down the river for sport that returns loaded. At present the boys are, however, making it lively for the birds, and the birds are reported as much nicer and easier to eat than bring down.

Mr. A. Och has our congratulations on having the glass front of his spacious show rooms, office, &c., artistically ornamented. Mr. Och has long been characterized for going ahead and in no respect purposes to be second to any in appearance or genuineness.

June & Co. are making steady progress on the restoration of our old fire engine, but find the internal defects render new flues necessary, some 250 of which are being inserted. It may be taken for a dead certainty this first will spare no pains or expense in turning it out A 1.

Potatoes are flocking into our market in style this week—up to Wednesday evening over one thousand bushels per day passing over our city weigh bridge, or scales. Most of the samples were exceedingly fine, and the average wholesale price has been 70c. per bushel.

At the "Four Mile House," on Sunday, there was a largely attended funeral—that of Mrs. Aaron Binkley—when over seventy conveyances were in attendance. She was a lady widely beloved and her loss is deeply felt by a large family and numerous friends and acquaintances.

The fixing of a very fine new stove in the Birchard Library has proved a great boon to those attending the institution, though we much regretted to find the indefatigible librarian—Miss McCulloch—suffering from a severe cold, taken prior to the introduction of said improvement.

The unfortunate Ballville farmer, Mr. Wm. Pryor, who was seriously injured by the caving in of a well last week is steadily recovering under the able treatment of Dr. Brinkerhoof, who in reducing his dislocated hip was ably assisted by Dr. Groat. The unfortunate gentleman is now able to move about.

Singers, attention!—Where do you get your book and sheet music? The nicest, latest and most interesting selection will be found at Rosa's, 181 Summit street, Toledo. Send at once for catalogues. Have you ever seen Rosa's piano forte? It is a perfect gem and no one should purchase till they have seen one.

We understand that Capt. Young and Johnny Schoedler, of the East side, have joined issues in purchasing the corner lot where Johnny has of late been conducting business, and the two will in future run the store together, establishing it as the headquarters on the East side for all matters commercially, socially and, probably, a wee bit politically.

Should any of our county exchanges desire their paper to fill a conspicuous place among the reading community of our prosperous city, and should they possess a generous feeling for a deserving cause, there are empty reading desks at the Birchard Library, Fremont, where a perfect copy would be gladly filed if sent gratuitously. Of course, the Journal awaits them for companionship.

We noticed, during the past week, police officer Eddy once more busily engaged repairing our city "bird cage" for the reception of winter birds. If some of our leading American caricaturists could once catch a sight of the novel patch work exhibited by that wooden institution, verily posterity would be tickled with a cartoon that would immortalize Fremont to eternity. Jim knows how to drive nails.

Base Ball.—The Croghans met a picked nine of Cleveland and Norwalk, at the base ball grounds of this city on Friday last, and after an animated contest were led captive, the score being 18 for the picked nine and 15 for the Croghans. The playing was good on both sides and and each treated the other to four goose eggs of mammoth proportions The Croghans would like to reverse the judgment.

Another instance of the uncertainty, if not to say unfairness of the turf, is reported to us of Piqua, where Mr. T. Bush, of this city, sent his two famous horses, Nelly Bush and Utica, last week. Nelly's reputation is too well known everywhere she has run to require eulogism from this side, and she was entered in the mile and repeat race. At the close of the first heat it was distinctly visible her jockey was not doing his duty and that he had "pulled" her. The second heat she came in full two lengths ahead but in the middle of the track—and for this the judges refused her the heat. Mr. Hurdick, who was in charge of Nelly, protested, and at once left the ground, with both horses, for home. Utica was not allowed to run for fear of also being housed by similar partiality. Mr. Bush has since laid the matter fully before Mr. George Wilks, editor of the *Spirit of the Times*, and awaits his decision. That the jockey was not sincere to his trust was flagrant, but his certainty, and faithful promises expressed to Mr. Hurdick induced him to let him ride the second heat. We long to see the day when the turf is stripped of many of these "shuffling" discrepancies which so frequently crop up where heavy betting is at stake, or very soon the race course will lose all the prestige it at present enjoys.

EXCURSION.

Farmers and capitalists taking an interest in the prosperous west have now a splendid opportunity of seeing through that wonderful region for the merest outlay. Who has not read of and longed to view the famous Kansas Valley—a district where land is now being submitted within the means of every one, and where settlers are turning in with the most desirable prospects of success. Messrs. Kahlo & Crowe, of 258 Summit street, Toledo, are agents for lands in this region, and have made arrangements for a cheap excursion, November 3d, by T. W. & W. R. R. from Toledo to Atchison, Topeka and Sante Fe, or through to Colorado and return for *one and one-fifth rate round trip* FIRST CLASS, the tickets being available for 60 days. Excursionists may therefore lay themselves out for hunting to their "heart's delight" while viewing that inviting district. Messrs. Kahlo & Crowe are disposing of tickets rapidly—and as the time is short, early application to them is highly necessary to secure the same. Such an opportunity may not again present itself for a lengthed time and those who desire to see the west and indulge a *cheap ride* should not by any means miss so valuable a chance.

Jollification at Fostoria.—On Tuesday evening last agreeably to announcement, a train was made up on the L. E. & L. R. R., to convey an excursion party to Fostoria to join in the jollification over the election of Hon. Chas. Foster to Congress from this district. Two car loads came over from Bellevue and Clyde, and three car loads from this place made up the load, which was augmented at stations on the line before reaching Fostoria. Detachments from Findlay, Tiffin and other points had already arrived, and soon after the delegations from Sandusky and Norwalk put in an appearance. About eight o'clock the procession was formed, marching through the principal streets, and stopping at Foster, Olmsted & Co.'s corner, where a platform had been erected for the occasion. Here the vast crowd was entertained by short speeches from Foster and others, and after a time of rejoicing, was adjourned, a large number going to Mr. Foster's residence, where a splendid collation was served to all who desired to participate. The occasion was one which will long be remembered for its sociality and good feeling.

It is to be regretted, however, that some fighters from Tiffin and Fostoria took occasion to settle their differences on that evening. Several disgraceful rows occurred, and one man we learn, was badly cut in the leg and had to be taken to a surgeon's office for repairs. It was also reported that one man had been shot and badly injured, but we could not learn the name of either.

Toledo Artificial Marble Works.

To those erecting, or about to erect private residences—local organizations contemplating public structures—builders, contractors architects, &c, we have never found so important an enterprise as the above, which has recently opened out under the proprietorship of T. S. Bridgman & Co, and which works and show rooms are located in the basement of Campbell's Block, corner of St. Clair and Jefferson streets. We recently visited the establishment and we were kindly shown over by Mr. Bridgman, hence we know, full well, whereof we speak. The key to this business is to produce the most costly and elegant designs in mantels, furniture tops, wainscotings, base boards, and general decorations for walls and floors, in absolute perfect representation of French marbles, granite, or any other stone, as also tiles, &c, in most instances, at less than one-third the ordinary cost of the genuine articles. Similar works are in existence in Rochester, Springfield and New Jersey, &c., and wherever located they have not only astonished beyond measure but prospered immeasurably. In proof of this a single call on Messrs. Bridgman & Co., will amply convince the most skeptical. Their show room abounds with really fascinating and substantial designs in mantles, sufficiently rich to adorn the most palatial residences, and yet submitted at prices within the reach of any one building. Table tops and ornamental tiling for hearths or floors are also largely represented and enchant the eye with unbounded admiration which is only intensified on making comparison with the genuine material so faithfully imitated. The process is simple, and the ingredients used to produce solidity are of the most durable character—hydraulic cement of the finest description being largely imported into it. It is, with more than an ordinary degree of pleasure, our privilege to first publically introduce so important an adjunct of Toledo trade to the confidence and early attention of the public, feeling fully satisfied there is an abundant prospect in store for so desirable and commendable an enterprise commensurate with its value to the public and the growing prestige of Toledo. Gentlemen, success to you.

Vicissitudes of a Popular Detective.

We recently gave a brief sketch of our inspection of the Toledo Police Establishment, in which we were unable to refer at greater length to prominent members of that force, though many of them, by their intrepid conduct are as popular throughout the State as in their own city. And especially may this remark appiy to

Detective Officer R. S. Hanks,

Who at the juvenile age of sixteen years first put in an appearance at Toledo—to wit, in 1835. Possessing a fair average education, he first gained the favor of one Stephen Marsh, grocer, of Summit street, and with him engaged as a clerk, in which capacity he served for seven years. Feeling old enough and strong enough to "swim" himself, he next resolved to "float on his own account," and at once opened a grocery on the corner of Lagrange and Summit streets. At the end of a year's successful business he became a victim to "the devouring element," and that while he lay in bed suffering from an attack of Maumee fever. Recruiting his strength he found, (though he had been insured for $1,800,) that he was minus $1,500, and after clearing up had only $150 left in the world. But he managed to open out at the old stand of his former employer, on Summit street, to whom he sold out after running one year. He then moved to the corner of Cherry and Summit streets, to a wood block, converted two stores into one, and opened out more extensively in groceries, general dry goods, liquor, wood and willowware, &c. About a year subsequently he again became a victim to fire, loss $5,000. But having $3,000 left, he now opened on the corner of the street, where Witstine's store stands, and for four or five years successfully ran the grocery business. Having sold out to Carrington, Casey & Stevenson, with improved finances he went on Cherry st., and built the present Hank's block, where he remained for a year or two and then opened on Summit street again, opposite the Toledo mill, corner of Oak street. He also opened another grocery and provision store on Monroe street, where the Opera House now stands, and at this time—about 1855—had three stores running, and was of course a leading citizen. But force of circumstances at a time when the country was undergoing a financial crisis, led him into embarrassments, and all he possessed was brought to the hammer for the benefit of creditors—even his homestead—and he was left comparatively penniless.

In 1859 he was elected marshal, and so efficiently did he fill that office that he secured election for two following terms. When the organization of the present city police force, under the metropolitan system occurred, he was unanimously chosen to take charge of the detective department, which responsible position he has filled for the past eight or nine years, with the utmost credit to himself and and satisfaction to the citizens.

During the war he was engaged by the government in working up counterfeit cases, and gained a wide reputation for his tact in capturing evil doers. Among smashers, thieves and other notorious characters it would be difficult to find any officer so well known and suspiciously looked upon as Hanks—while his successful career in detecting crime, within the city limits, is widely known. He is the oldest member of the force—one of the most expert and highly accomplished—and, as we said before one of the most popular detectives in the State. Capt. Purdy and Toledonians generally have our congratulations on possessing an officer so admirably adapted to the duties—while it is to be hoped his prospects, on the shady side of fifty, will produce an experience considerably smoother and more worthy the man, than the checkered vicissitudes of his early career.

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

Amount of actual paid up capital	$500,000.00
Aggregate amount of available assets	695,500.30
Aggregate amount of liabilities, (except capital) including re-insurance	138,312.12
Amount of income for the preceding year in cash	382,421.71
Amount of expenditures for the preceding year in cash	195,468.74

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused the seal [SEAL] of my office to be affixed, the day and year above written.

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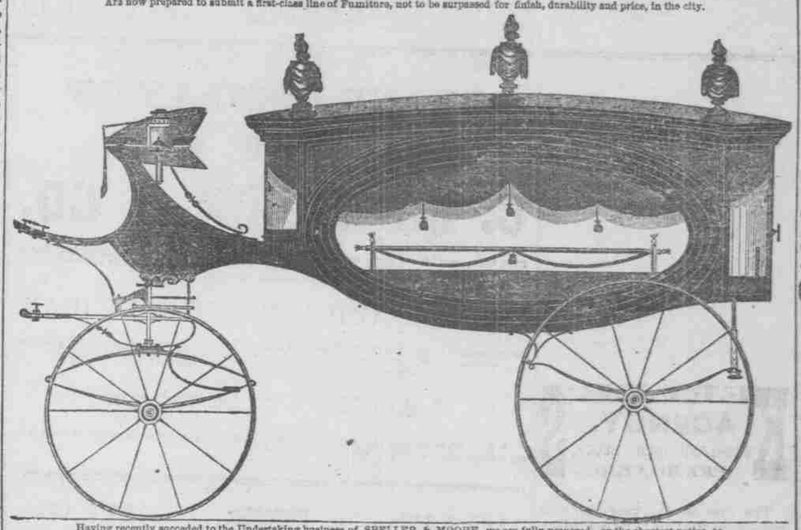

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IN THE

Fourth Judicial District

FOR THE YEAR 1875.

To B. C. Winters, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of Sandusky and State of Ohio:

It is ordered that the Courts of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Ohio, for the year 1875, commence and be held as follows:

First Sub-Division.

IN THE COUNTY OF ERIE.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Monday, March 29th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, February 1st.
On Monday, May 17th.
On Monday, October 18th.

IN THE COUNTY OF HURON.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Monday, March 15th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, February 15th.
On Monday, May 31st.
On Monday, November 15th.

IN THE COUNTY OF LUCAS.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Monday, April 5th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, January 18th.
On Monday, May 3d.
On Monday, October 18th.

IN THE COUNTY OF SANDUSKY.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Friday, March 19th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, January 18th.
On Monday, April 19th.
On Monday, October 18th.

IN THE COUNTY OF OTTAWA.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Thursday, March 25th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, January 11th.
On Monday, May 3d.
On Monday, October 4th.

Second Subdivision.

IN THE COUNTY OF LOBAIN.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Monday, August 16th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, January 18th.
On Monday, May 10th.
On Monday, October 25th.

IN THE COUNTY OF MEDINA.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Friday, August 20th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, January 4th.
On Monday, May 3d.
On Monday, September 27th.

IN THE COUNTY OF SUMMIT.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Monday, August 23d.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, January 25th.
On Monday, May 17th.
On Monday, October 25th.

Third Subdivision.

IN THE COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA.

DISTRICT COURT.

On Monday, August 30th.

COMMON PLEAS.

On Monday, February 8th.
On Monday, May 3d.
On Monday, November 1st.

And that said order be published for three consecutive weeks in each of said Counties in the manner provided by law.

Witness the official signature of a majority of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of said Fourth Judicial District, at the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the City of Cleveland, in said Cuyahoga County, this first day of October, A. D. 1874. Notice of the time and place of said meeting of the Judges was given to his Hon. S. W. McClure, but he failed to attend.

SAMUEL B. PRENTISS,
W. A. COLLINS,
W. W. BOYNTON,
CHAS. E. PENNEWELL,
DARIUS CADWELL,
WILLIAM G. LANE,
JOSHUA R. SELSEY. } Judges.

The State of Ohio, }
Sandusky County, ss. }

I, B. C. Winters, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the said County and in whose custody the files, journals and records of said Court are required bylaw to be kept, hereby certify that the foregoing is taken and copied from the original, and that the same is correct.

In testimony whereof I do hereby subscribe my name officially, at the Court House in the City of Fremont, in said County, this 21st day of October, A. D. 1874. L. S.

B. C. WINTERS, Clerk.

Official Abstract of the Vote of Sandusky Co. at the Election held October 13, 1874.

TOWNSHIPS AND WARDS.	STATE TREASURER. A. T. Wikoff.	SUPREME JUDGE (Pt.) W. Bell.	SUPREME JUDGE (Lt.) L. Day.	CLERK SUPREME COURT. W. J. Gillmore.	BOARD PUBLIC WORKS. W. W. Johnson	SCHOOL COMMISSIONER. Geo. Rex.	REPRESENTATIVE. H. Foos.	PROBATE JUDGE. Arnold Green.	COUNTY TREASURER. T. W. Harvey.	COUNTY AUDITOR. C. S. Smart.	COUNTY SURVEYOR. S. R. Hosmer.	COUNTY SHERIFF. M. Schiller.	COUNTY COMMISSIONER. C. Foster.	COUNTY COMMISSIONER. Geo. E. Seney.	COUNTY INFIRMARY DIRECTOR. W. A. Collins.	COUNTY CORONER. R. C. Lemmon.	COUNTY SURVEYOR. C. E. Pennewell.	ASSISTANT COUNTY SURVEYOR. T. P. Finnefrock	JUDGE COMMON PLEAS COURT. J. G. Fitch.	PROSECUTING ATTORNEY. F. J. Giebel.	CLERK COMMON PLEAS COURT. C. G. Greene.	JUDGE COMMON PLEAS COURT. M. Longabach	JUDGE COMMON PLEAS COURT. H. H. House.	JUDGE COMMON PLEAS COURT. N. C. Rathbun.
Fremont, First Ward	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174	174
" Second "	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124	124
" Third "	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118	118
Ballville	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Clyde	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Green Creek	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Madison	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Sandusky	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Scott	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Townsend	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Woodville	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Washington	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Rice	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74	74
Total	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376
Democratic Majority	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376	1,376

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