For the Evansville Journal.

CANAL MEETING—PIKE COUNTY.

Agreeable to previous notice, a large and respectable portion of the citizens of Pike co., met at the Court House in Petersburgh, on Saturday, October 6th, 1817, for the purpose of expressing their preference of a suitable person for Trustee of the Wabash and Erie Canal.

On motion of Col. Stewart the meeting was called to order; on further montion CHARLES ALEXANDER, was chosen President; GEO. BRENTON, and JOHN O. SELBY, Vice Presidents, and REDDICK HARRELL, and WM. HAWTHORN, Secretaries.

The object of the meeting having been explained by Col. Stewart, Wm. Hawthorn offered the following preamble and resolution, which, after being read, were adopted.

"We have assembled together as citizens of Pike county, for the express purpose of giving unanimity of action on the part of the friends of the Southern division of the Wabash and Erie Canal, having no political object in view, but the interest of the *Canal alone*.

"And further we wish it expressly understood that we recommend no individual through party bias or favor. But our whole design and object is to recommend to the consideration of the Legislature, an individual who will act for our interest and the interest of the State of Indiana, and who will be thoroughly energetic and will be the means of the Canal being completed in as short time as practicable.

"*Resolved*, That in asking a Canal Trustee South of White river we do nothing more than what in justice we are entitled to. And we further believe it beneficial to an early completion of the Canal to have an individual elected Canal Trustee who lives contiguous to the line of the Canal, and has, to some extent, an interest in its early completion.

Mr. McIntire offered the following resolutions, which were adopted.

"*Resolved*, That for the purpose of effecting the object embraced in the resolution adopted, we recommend that a convention, composed of delegates from the counties interested, meet on — day of ——, at —— for the purpose of recommending to the notice of the Legislature a suitable person as Canal Trustee.

Resolved, that the chair appoint three delegates from each township in this county to attend said convention should there be one held.

Whereupon the chair appointed the following gentlemen from their respective townships as delegates to said convention:

Jefferson Township—Stephen Chappell, Hon Robt. Logan, and Josiah Chappell.

Washington Township—Jonathan Wilson, C. M. Anthony, and William Hawthorn.

Madison Township—Col. T. C. Stewart, J. R. Withers, and Henry Brenton.

Clay Township—Dr. V. T. West, Thomas Hornbrook, and Judge Hillman.

Logan Township—Alex. Barns, Jas D. Crow, and M. Kime.

Patoka Township—Jas. Crow, J. C. Hathaway, und Erwin Hewins.

Monroe Township—Temple Woolsey, R. M. Barrett, and Geo. King.

C. M. Anthony offered the following resolutions which were adopted without a desenting voice.

Resolved, That we as citizens of Pike county instruct our delegates to the above convention to vote for WILLARD CARPENTER, of Evansville, as our first choice for Canal Trustee.

Resolved, That in case the convention above referred to should not be held, we do hereby instruct our Representative in the State Legislature, to vote for WILLARD CARPENTER, of Evansville as our first choice for Canal Trustee.

On motion of Wm. Hawthorn it was

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be made out and a copy furnished the editors of the Evansville papers and the Democratic *Clarion* for publication.

On motion of Mr. McIntire the meeting adjourned.

CHARLES ALEXANDER, *Pres't.*

R. HARRELL, WM. HAWTHORN, } *Sec'tys.*

☞The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore Sun, in a strong Loccofoco letter of the 7th inst., says:

I do not undertake to predict, as others have done, the character of the President's message; but I will say this—that if he does not show boldness, decision, and fixed purpose and policy, it will grieve rather than disappoint me.

PORK PACKING has commenced in Cincinnati. The *Commercial*, of Monday, says, "Deer Creek runs red with swinish gore, and dying squalls incessantly echo in the hills.

THE CONDITION OF ITALY.—Late accounts show that Italy is on the eve of a revoluton. The Pope, the greatest reformer of the age, has excited a spirit which, we hope and trust will continue to rise and extend, till it regenerates Italy, and restores its lost nationality. The Austrian government, controlled and guided by Metternich, one of the wickedest men of any age, is attempting, flagitious expediments, to check this spirit of progress. We doubt whether it will succeed in this.—If it do not, we may regard the regeneration of Italy as certain.

All Italy contains about twenty five millions of people, and though the masses are not very enlightened, still the educated portion are highly intelligent and patriotic, and burning with impatience for the redemption of their country. Among all classes of Italians the spirit of republicanism prevails; a fact easily explained by Italian history. It was divided into republics in the middle ages, several of which existed at the commencement of the French revolution in 1789, and two of which Lucca and San Marino, are still existing.—Excepting in Naples, no king was knwn in Italy, from a short period after the destruction of the Roman Empire or about the year 550, till the kingdom of Sardinia was created about seventy years ago. Its small States, Parma, Placensia, Milan, Tuscany and others, though with arbirrary governments for many years, had never knowa an Italian crowned head, till Napoleon became Emperor of France and king of Italy. And during his career, he did much to reform, resuscitate and regenerate Italy, his native country. Hence the political recollections of the Italians are much associated with republicanism, and in any general insurrection, they would naturally rally beneath a republican banner.—Then if the different States of Italy should unite under a national government, it must necessarily be of the federal character.—The different States have been too long separated for consolidation, and monarchy is not the head for a federal government. Among the revolutionists of 1839, the favorite project was a national union as 'The United States of Italy.'

The enemies of Italy are France and Austria. The latter already possesses Venice, Milan, and some other northern provinces, and is ravenous for more; and Louis Phillippe, who hates revolutions in favor of popular rights, though he began as a Jacobie, and is indebted to a popular revolution for his crown, earnestly opposes the Pope's reformations. Then, like the Austrian, the French government is hungry for territory, and in any convulsion in Italy, would seize the kingdom and the island of Sardinia, and the former the republic of Genoa.

Evansville Wholesale Price Current.

CAREFULLY CORRECTED EACH DAY, BY E. A. CORBET.

AXES—		IRON, &c.—	
Collins' ℔doz	§13@14	Common Bar ℔ ℔	3¼@–
Hunt's	11@13	Band, ass'd	4¼@5
Simmons'	12@13	Horse shoe &c	4½@
COAL—	15	Round and square	3¼@5
Pittsburgh		Hollow ware ass'd	34
Green River		Nail&ass'd ℔kg	4,75
COFFEE—		Spikes	5,00
Java ℔ ℔	12¼@—	MOLASSES—	
Rio "	7¼@8¼	Sugar House ℔gal	
Havanna		New Orleans	33
COPPER—		OILS—	
Sheeting ℔ ℔	27@28	Sperm ℔ gal	100@1,25
Old	12¼	Lard	75@1,25
DOMESTIC GOODS—		Castor	
Bro Shirting ⅞ ℔yd	7@–	Linseed	65@70
" " ⅞	8@8½	Tanners ℔bl	15@18
Blea. "	8@12½	PAINTS—	
Bro. Sheeting	8½@9½	White lead No 1,150@162½	
" Drills	10	" " pure 180@185	
Kentucky Jeans	20@30	Varnish ℔ gal	1,75@2,50
Check 4-4	9@11	PROVISIONS—	
COTTON YARN—		Mess Pork ℔bl	
700 ℔ doz	7½	Prime "	
600	8½	Lard ℔ ℔	6@7
500	9½	RICE—Prime ℔ ℔	
FEATHERS—		SALT—	
Live ℔ ℔	25	Kanawha ℔ bu	33
FISH—		Liverp'l ℔sack	2,25@2,50
Mackrel No 1 ℔bl	12@13	SEEDS—	
" No 2	10@11	Clover ℔ bu	3,50
" No 3	8@–	Timothy	2 50
Shad	7@8,50	Flax	65
Herrings ℔bx	75@100	SPICES—	
Cod		Ginger ℔ ℔	11@12½
FLOUR—		Mace	
City Mills ℔ bl	4,50	Pepper	10@11
Wabash	4 25@4,50	Pimento	14@15
FRUITS—		Cloves	40@–
Raisins ℔ bx	2,50@2,75	SUGAR—	
Lemons		New Orleans ℔ lb	6¼@7½
Figs ℔ ℔	15@16	Havanna	8@10
Ginger Citron	1,50@1,75	Lump	10@12
Almonds, soft ℔ ℔	15@18	Loaf	12@15
" hard	14@15	TEA—	
GRAIN—		Old Hyson ℔ ℔	75@100
Wheat ℔ bu	75	Young do	40@60
Corn	25	Imperial	55@80
Oats	18@20	Gunpowder	55@80
HIDES— ℔ ℔	6¼	Black	50@60
INDIGO—		TOBACCO—	
Manilla ℔ ℔	80@100	Virginia ℔ ℔	18@40
S. F.	1,00@1,20	Missouri	15@20
LEAD—		Kentucky	15@20
Pig ℔ ℔	4½	Indiana	8@12
Bar	5	Whiskey	20@–

Bank Note and Exchange Table.

Indiana—		Illinois—	
State Bank & bran.	par	State B. & bran.	50dis
Kentucky Banks	par	Shawneetown	75
Ohio Banks	par	Exchange—	
Tennessee Banks—		New York sight	4pm
Planter's bank Mem.	3dis	" " 30 days	par
Mechan. & Trad	50@60	New Orleans sight	par
Other Banks	3dis	" " 30 days	4dis

Specie. Table.

Eagle—coined before July 31, 1823	106	Ducats, Prussian	220
do do after	100	do Others	220
Guinea, Eng. (¼ in pro)	500	Fredericks	385
Sovereign do	483	Frederreckdors	780
Seven shilling piece	164	Pistole, Spanish	380
Double Louis French coined before 1786	960	Ryder, Holland (double in proportion)	600
Louis do do	480	Forty Livre piece	760
Double Louis, since	900	Johannas (¼ in pro.)	1600
Louis do	450	N. Car. & Geo §5 piec.	475
Napoleon or 20 frank, (double in propor)	382	German Crowns	100
Doubloons—Spanish	1600	French do	100
do Columbian	1563	Five Frank pieces	93
do Mexican	1565	Dollars, Spanish	104
do Peruvian	1565	do Mexican	100
X Thaler pieces (5 pro)	780	Pistareens, Head	18
X Guilder do do	395	Pistareens, Cross	16
		American Silver	100
		Spanish Quart. smooth	20

Standard Weights and Measures.

COAL—		GRAIN—	
Bituminous, Chald	36 bu	Wheat, bushel	60 ℔
Hard, Ton	2000 ℔	Rye, do	56 ℔
CORN MEAL—		Barley, do	48 ℔
Barrel	196 ℔	Oats, do	32 ℔
Puncheon	800 ℔	Corn, do	56 ℔
FISH—		PROVISIONS—	
Of all kinds, barrel	200 ℔	Beef & Pork, barrel	200 ℔
Salmon, tierce	300 ℔	do do tierce	304 ℔
FLOUR—		SALT—	
Gl all kinds, barrel	196 ℔	Liverpool Sack	224 ℔
FRUIT—		Kenawha, bushel	50 ℔
Raisins, keg	100 ℔	SEEDS—	
do box	25 ℔	Flax, American bu.	56 ℔
do—cleaned bush.	64 ℔	do F do.ignore	52 ℔

State of Indiana, Posey County, Sct.

AT the November term of the Posey Probate court A D 1847, said court declared the estate of William Edwards, deceased, to be probably insolvent; creditors are therefore required to file their claims against the estate for allowance in said Probate Court within ten months from the date hereof or they will not be entitled to payment.

nov 13 3w WILLIAM W. WARE. Admr.

State of Indiana, Spencer County, ss,

In the Spencer Circuit Court, In vacation.

John Martin, Sen. vs, George Martin, Catherine Martin, John Durham and Elizabeth Durham his wife, heirs of John Martin, Jr., late of Hamilton county, Ohio, deceased. } Petition for a Deed.

NOW at this time comes the petitioner by John H. Smith and John Pitcher his attorneys, and files his petition, and also an affidavit of the non-residence of the said defendants. The non-resident defendants above named, are therefore hereby notified of the filing and pendency of the said petition and that unless they be and appear before the judges of the Spencer Circuit Court on or before the calling of this cause at the next April term of said court, to be held at the Court House in Rockport in said county of Spencer, and plead, answer or demur to said petition the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

Witness: JOHN CRAWFORD, Clerk of said Court at Rockport, this 28th day of October, A. D. 1847.

JOHN CRAWFORD, Clerk,
nov-43t-pf §2,50 By S. W. FAIRFIELD, D. Cl'k.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has taken out letters of Administration on the estate of Jacob Dietler, late of Posey county; all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same are notified to present them for settlement, the estate is probably solvent.

oct 30--3t* WM. J. DEUBLER, Adm'r.

SCHOOL NOTICE.—The Trustees of School District No. 6, hereby give notice that on Thursday the 18th inst., the public school of said District will be removed to the room in the lower Engine House, formerly occupied by Mr. Sandford, and placed under the instruction of a competent teacher from New Hampshire.

Terms.—§2 50 to §3 00 per quarter, §1 25 of which will be paid from public funds. By order of the Board of Trustees. [nov 13*] J. C. HENSON, *Ctk.*

State of Indiana, Spencer County, ss.

In the Spencer Circuit Court in vacation, November 2d 1847.

Henry G. Wagoner, *vs.* Lydia Baldwin, Edward Cundall Thomas J. Snyder, Executors, and Elijah R. Brown, Benjamin Brown, Lyman W. Brown, Persey R. Brown, Mary W. Brown, Vashti Bishop, Mary Smith, Melissa DeWolf, —— DeWolf, her husband, Barnabas Webber, Daniel Webber, Daniel Stuteville, Daniel Harvey, Willis Snyder, Asa Baldwin, Clarissa Bunce, Clark Adams, Daniel Baldwin, Benjamin Baldwin, Eliza Pace, Harriet Smith, Sophia Allen and the American and Foreign Bible Society, Legatees and Divisees of Daniel Baldwin, late of Washington county, Pennsylvania deceased. } Petition for a deed

THE said Petitioner by John Ingle Jr., his solicitor having filed in the Clerk's office of the Spencer Circuit Court, a certain Petition for a Deed in the above entitled cause, and also, an affidavit of the non residence of all of the above named defendants except Thomas J. Snyder, Daniel Stuteville, Willis Snyder, and Daniel Harvey. The said non resident defendants herein are therefore hereby notified that said Petition is now pending in said Court, and that unless they appear and answer to said petition on or before the calling of this cause at the next term of the Spencer Circuit Court to be held at Rockport on the third Monday in April, 1847, the same will be taken as confessed and decreed accordingly.

Witness, JOHN CRAWFORD, Clerk of said court at Rockport; this 2d day of November, 1847.

JOHN CRAWFORD, Clerk,
nov. 11-3w. By S. W. FAIRFIELD, Dep Clk.

SHERIFF Sale.—By virtue of a special Fi Fa issued from the office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, in favor of Thomas McCalpin, and against Patterson Frame, I will on Saturday the 4th day of December, 1847, at the Court House door, in the City of Evansville, between the hours of 10 o'clock A M and 6 o'clock P M of said day, expose to sale at public auction and outcry, without regard to valuation or appraisment laws, the rents, issues and proffits for the term of seven years of the the following described tracts of land, to-wit: Lot No. 26, in Block No. 1, in Lalliston's and Lockhart's Enlargement of Evansville.

And should no person offer or bid for said rents, issues and profits a sum sufficient to satisfy said execution and costs, I will at the same time and place proceed to sell at public auction and outcry, the fee simple of said above described lot to satisfy said execution, interests and costs.

nov 11 3w-p f §2 JOHN ECHOLS, S. V. C.

SHERIFF Sale—By virtue of a Decree and Fi Fa issued from the office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, in favor of Ferdenand Hieskill, Francis Hoskins, Colton Hieskill, and Henry F. Heberton, *vs.* James T. Walker, (Administrator of Joseph Wheeler, Jr., deceased,) Thomas Wheeler, John Wheeler, and Eliza Wheeler; I will on Friday, the 26th of November, 1847, at the Court House door, in the city of Evansville, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 6 o'clock P. M., of said day, expose to sale at public auction and outcry, the rents, issues and profits for the term of seven years of the following described lot or tract of land, to-wit:

The lower half of lot No. 34, being that half adjoining lot No 35, in the upper enlargement of the city of Evansville, together with all the appurtenences thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining subject to, and excepting the right of dower therein of Mrs. Eliza Wheeler, widow of the said Joseph Wheeler, Jr., deceased.

And should no person offer or bid for said rents, issues and profits, a sum sufficient to satisfy said Decree and costs, I will, at the same time and place, proceed to sell at public auction and out-cry the fee simple of said above described lot and appurtenences to satisfy said Decree, interest and cost.

nov 4-3t-p f §2,75. JOHN ECHOLS, S. V. C.

SHERIFF'S Sale.--By virtue of a Fieri facias issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Vanderburgh Circuit Court, and to me directed, and delivered in favor of the State Bank of Indiana *vs.* John Law, I have levied upon and will on Saturday the 4th day of December, 1847, at the door of the Court House, in the City of Evansville, between the hours of 10 o'clock A M and 6 o'clock P M of said day, expose to sale at public auction and outcry, the rents, issues and profits, for the term of seven years, of the following described lots or tracts of land, to-wit: the whole of blocks number 61, 99 and 158, and lot number 2 in block number 137, lot 9 in block 59, and the undivided one-half, of lots number 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, in block number 74, in Lamasco City, together with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

And should no person offer or bid for said rents, issues and profits, a sum sufficient to satisfy said execution and costs; I will at the same time and place proceed to sell at public auction, and outcry, the fee simple of said above described lots and appurtances, to satisfy said execution interest and costs.

nov 11 3w--p f §2 50. JOHN ECHOLS, S. V. C.