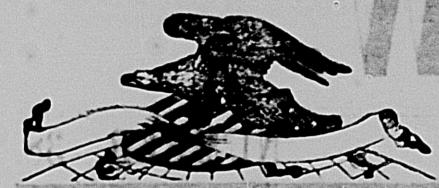


THE REVIEW.



CRAWFORDSVILLE,

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THE Crawfordsville Review, furnished to Subscribers at \$1.50 in advance, or \$2, if not paid within the year.

CIRCULATION LARGER THAN ANY PAPER PUBLISHED IN CRAWFORDSVILLE!

Advertisers call me and examine our list of SUBSCRIBERS.

All kinds of JOB WORK done to order.

To Advertisers.

Every advertisement handed in for publication should have written upon it the number of times the advertiser wishes it inserted. If not so stated it will be inserted until ordered out, and charged accordingly.

WE wish it distinctly understood, that we will not receive any paper containing political or sectional bias. We insist on those wishing work done to call up, and will show them our assortments of type, cuts, &c. We have got them and no mistake. Work done on short notice, and on reasonable terms.

AGENTS for the Review.

E. W. COOPER, U. S. Advertising Agent, East Building, N. W. corner of Third and Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

S. H. PARVIN, South East corner Columbia and Main Streets, Cincinnati, Ohio; our Agent to procure advertisements.

V. B. PALMER, U. S. Advertising Agent, New York.

For President in 1856,
JESSE D. BRIGHT,
Subject to the decision of the Democratic
National Convention.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

For Governor,
ASHEPIL P. WILLARD, of White.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN C. WALKER, of Laporte.

For Secretary of State,
DANIEL MCCLURE, of Morgan.

For Auditor of State,
JOHN W. DODD, of Grant.

For Treasurer of State,
AQUILLA JONES, of Bartholomew.

For Attorney General,
JOSEPH F. MCDONALD, of Montgomery.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM C. LARRABEE, of Putnam.

For Clerk of Supreme Court,
WILLIAM B. BEACH, of Boone.

For Reporter of Decisions of Supreme Court,
GORDON TANNER, of Jackson.

FUSION PLATFORM.

"Abolitionists to rule America."

"Let the Union slide!"

Watchword for the Campaign:

"Put none but NIGGERS on guard to-night." — FRED. DOUGLASS.

NEW JOB TYPE.

We have just received another large assortment of splendid Job Type, comprising the latest and most beautiful styles. We have now one of the finest Job Offices in the West, and persons wishing work done will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

Harding & Munns are now receiving their spring and summer stock. Splendid posters containing a catalogue of their goods will appear next week.

WATSON & VANCE.—These gentleman are now in receipt of their stock of boots, shoes, leather, findings, &c. Their unique and beautiful posters will appear next week.

HANNAT & CASSEL.—This firm have now on their shelves the finest assortment of Clothing ever brought to this market. Their bills will appear next week.

PARISH & BIRN.—Our readers will notice the advertisement of this firm in another column. They have a splendid assortment of hats and caps.

Read the advertisement in another column, of Allen, Galey & Keenan. They have the finest stock of goods ever brought to Crawfordsville.

Crawford & Mullikin are now receiving their spring and summer stock. They are in the establishment to get good bargains.

The Concord (N. H.) Patriot, states that in a dozen cases, during the recent election in New Hampshire, the opposition (anti-Democratic) candidates were elected by a single vote.

Wilson, Gaines & Co.—This firm are now receiving their mammoth stock of dry goods, clothing, hardware, groceries, &c. We would advise our friends in the country to give them a call, as they are men who understand their business, and their stock is not surpassed by any in town. Advertisement next week.

The Detroit Tribune of Saturday evening, says, the Lake at Toledo presents an unbroken surface of ice as far as the eye can reach. Until within a week past, there has been uninterrupted communication on the ice, between that city and Canada. Heavily loaded teams still pass over the ice on the Lake at Ontario.

The rose of Florida, the most beautiful of flowers, emit no fragrance; the birds of Paradise, the most beautiful of birds, give no song; the cypress of Greece, the finest of trees, yields no fruit.

An officer of Detroit held an execution against a citizen, who turned out a quantity of liquor as security. He cannot sell it without making himself amenable to the laws, and if he does not sell, he is liable for the debt.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

Do not our readers have all noticed that the time of holding the District Convention has been changed to the 29th of May. The Democracy will have a glorious rally then, and we hope as many of our brethren as can do so, will go up from Montgomery. Lafayette, a central and accessible point, has been selected by the committee with the hope of inducing a general attendance. We are about engaging in a warfare more important than any we have undertaken for years—greater principles are to be discussed—a more bitter enemy, with a hatred more implacable, and means and aims less scrupulous is to be encountered. Then in the very beginning of the contest let every Democrat strip his sword to the storm, and upon the old altar where Jefferson and Jackson swore, let him take the oath of eternal fidelity to the principles of his choice. Daniel W. Voorhees, Esq., without mistake will be our Captain, and with such a gallant leader, and such strong friends as his support will prove to be, we feel assured that our victory will be triumphant.

A TRADITION OF THE ARABS.—King Nimrod one day commanded his three sons to enter his presence, and he caused to be placed before them by his slaves three sealed urns. One of the urns was of gold, the second of amber, and the last of clay.—The king desired his eldest son to choose among them that which appeared to contain the greatest price. The eldest chose the vase of gold on which was written "Empire." He opened it and found it full of blood. The second chose the amber vase, on which was written "Glory." He opened it and found it filled with the ashes of men who had been famous upon earth.—The third took the remaining vase—that of clay. He opened it and found it empty; but in the bottom of it the potter had written one of the names of God. "Which of these vases weighs the most?" demanded the king of his court. The ambitious replied, "The vase of gold; the conqueror, the vase of amber; the sages answered and said, "The empty vase, because a single letter in the name of God weighs more than the entire globe."

AN AWKWARD SCRAPE.—A man in Pittsburgh accidentally spilled some oil on a bundle of bank notes. To remove the oil he rubbed the notes with a solution of potash, which had the effect of removing the signatures of the officers of the banks.

TRUE.—Please cut this out and paste it up. A sensible man says:

"My confidence in the power of advertising is such that were I engaged in the wood trade I would advertise the superiority of my kindling wood over that of any other. If you have an article to sell, let the people know it, and you will find a customer."

Mr. EDITOR: The second word of the Journal's reply to my humble communication in last week's Review, being "scourous"—thus scurrilously spelled at that—and, therefore, an admirable index of the whole article, is altogether unworthy of notice.

When the editor of the Journal doffs his arrogance, and puts on only as little pretension as the merits of one of double his mental calibre would deem himself entitled to, he can have a discussion upon any subject he likes. I treated him with every respect, and in return for such treatment, in his very first line, by getting off two epithets of abuse, he gets off two falsehoods. I am not aware that ignorance is ever allowed as a good plea, and, therefore, I say "falsehoods." Two in one line is doing very well for so young an editor and old a Methodist, as he is of the Journal.

Respectfully,
ECCLESIASTICUS.

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT has "sequestered" Oude, with its four millions of inhabitants. If such an act of territorial aggression had been performed by the United States there would have been an universal outcry against cut filibustering. When the people of the United States want to enlarge their territory instead of filibustering, as in India, they honestly pay for it. They gave fifteen millions of dollars for Florida, about twenty millions for California and New Mexico, and ten millions for the Mesilla Valley. In addition to this they gave the inhabitants of the acquired territory a free and better government than they possessed before the exchange. This is the difference between American annexation and British sequestration.

MR. HUME, a literary gentleman, who flourished some time ago, and whose history of England and other works are very fairly written, once remarked:

Show me the business man, who amounts

to a row of pins, that ignores the glorious

benefits of a judicious system of advertising, and I'll show you a man that don't know

what's good for himself.

MR. BEECHER, in his investigation said:

"I do not understand the details of credit business—my business has always been in a cash business—pay before you go in;" I never knew the meaning of the expression, "bill payable," until within a year.

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From the Richmond Enquirer.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

MESSRS. EDWARDS.—Since you have predicted the possible and probable declination of Mr. Fillmore, and that, too, upon seemingly strong grounds, I beg that you will insert the following suggestion for the benefit of the Know Nothings, in the event of that deplorable contingency, namely: that if Mr. Fillmore should decline, George Washington Park Custer shall be substituted in his stead, so that the ticket shall then read:

For President,
GEORGE WASHINGTON park custer.
For Vice President,
ANDREW JACKSON donelson.

COL. BENTON AND THE REPUBLICANS.—The Albany Atlas, alluding to the slavery question says:

We may add that we have reliable information that Col. Benton, in personal intercourse, speaks freely upon these subjects, and relies upon the Democratic party of the nation, instead of any new-fangled Republican party, to guard the honor and perpetuate the prosperity of the country. We speak of this, because there have been industrious efforts to use the name and fame of Col. Benton, as authority in favor of Seward Republicanism, and in justification of secession from Democracy.

THE PAY OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.—A Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger says:

Notice has been given in the Senate of the introduction of a bill providing for the increase of the per diem pay of members of both Houses. Under the present system none but rich men can really afford to become members of Congress. The community generally know nothing of the immense demands made upon them, for all sorts of purposes; and the expense of living in Washington, as a member is expected to and must live, speedily eats up all that they now receive. I understand that it is proposed to fix the pay at twelve dollars per day. I learn, also, that an amendment will be proposed, giving the members a fixed annual salary.

THE MONSTER STREAMSHIP.—Next week about 1,000 men will be employed on the "Great Leviathan" belonging to the Eastern Steam Navigation Co., now in course of construction at Scott & Russell's. She will be 23,000 tons register, and will carry 12,000 tons of coal in addition! She will carry 10,000 passengers, and will have eight screw steamers, as her compliment of large boats, four on each side. She is of most gigantic proportions, and when she is completed in the water, she will assuredly draw "all London" to her, and in fact the greatest curiosity in the kingdom.—London Times.

At an election for Mayor, the other day, in Burlington, Iowa, the entire Republican vote was cast for a negro barber who resided there. The Gazette of that city says that the negro is decidedly the most respectable man among them, and as they wouldn't vote for anybody but a man of their own party, their votes couldn't have been more worthily bestowed.

In a late session of the Circuit Court at Grand Rapids Mich., a new plea in a divorce suit was entered. The defendant, a strong minded female, proclaimed that the plaintiff was not her "spiritual husband," and so left him in disgust, to search for a more congenial spirit, commonly called "free lover."

AN OFFICER of Detroit held an execu-

tion for the Review.

GREAT GUNS AND SHARPS RIFLES.

When "in the name of God Almighty" the thirty-five hundred Protestant Clergy men, demanded of Congress a repeal of the Nebraska act; we did not dream they would dare disgrace their heavenly calling by openly advocating civil war, butchery, and blood. Here is the evidence of their damnable intent taken from one of their own organs. A Kansas meeting has lately been held at New Haven, of which a lively report is given in the New York Times.

Henry Ward Beecher who has outgrown all the old-fashioned prejudices respecting the properties of the clerical office was there, and, like a meek ambassador of the Prince of Peace, spoke eloquently in favor of Sharp's rifles and good gunpowder. We quote the interesting report of the shooting scene:

Prof. Silliman of Yale College, then arose and said that he did not hope that Sharp's rifles would be put to the test of which they are capable; but self-defense, especially in the cause of Freedom, as a sacred duty. He deprecated the necessities of the time which demanded such precaution on the part of settlers of Kansas, but he believed in meeting manfully the exigencies, bad as they might be. He said he desired to head the list for the procuring of a number of weapons of defense for the party setting out, and that therefore Mr. Lines might put down on the paper, "B. Silliman, one Sharp's rifle."

The price of a rifle was \$25.

Mr. Russell and Mr. Dutton rose both at once. Mr. Russell speaks first: "Put me down for one."

Rev. Mr. Dutton (pastor of the church) —one of the deacons of this church, Mr. Harvey Hall, is going out with the company, and I, as his pastor, desire to present to him a Bible and a Sharp's rifle. [Great applause.]

F. P. PIE—I will give one.

Stephen D. Pardee—I will give one for myself and also one for my wife.

Mr. Beecher—I like to see that it is a straight right and left. [Great laughter.]

Charles Ives—Put me down for three.

Thomas R. Trowbridge—Put me down for four. [Continued laughter.]

Dr. J. I. Howe—I will subscribe for one.

A gentleman said that Miss Mary Dutton would give one.

Dr. S. G. Hubbard—one.

Mr. Beecher here stated that if twenty-five could be raised on the spot, he would pledge twenty-five more from Plymouth Church, fifty being a sufficient number for the whole sum.

Mr. Silliman now left Mr. Beecher to speak for the bid, and sat down to enjoy the occasion.

Mr. Killian—I give one.

Mr. Beecher—Killian!—That's a significant name in connection with a Sharp's rifle. [Laughter.]

Prof. W. A. Norton—one for me.

Mr. Vining—one for me.

Mr. Moses Tyler—I will pledge one Sharp's rifle from the Junior Class in Yale College!—[Great applause.]

Prof. Silliman (rising in his seat and sweeping the gallery with his eye.)—There are four classes in Yale College! [Immense sensation.]

Henry Trowbridge—One!

John G. North—One!

Mr. Beecher—I think Kansas will now know that there is a North!—[Great applause.]

William Kingsley—One!

Louis L. Oldmstead—One!

Mr. Dunlap—I will pledge one for the Senior class in Yale College!

It was now ascertained, that instead of twenty-five, twenty-seven rifles had been subscribed, the cost of which together with the amount received at the door for admission fees, made the collection for Kansas in the North Church, one thousand dollars.

The meeting then adjourned.

IF A CATHOLIC CLERGYMAN should be found counselling war, eulogising gun powder and collecting rifles for any purpose whatever, what a howl would be set up by these same Protestant Clergy against the Papist Priests, the Pope, and the Devil! O what pangs of piety and consistency they are.

A BEAUTIFUL INCIDENT.—A lady while passing through one of the frequented thoroughfares of New York, observed a little girl very sparsely clothed in ragged garments, shivering from the effects of cold and hunger. Interesting herself in the little sufferer, she immediately conducted her to a store, where she purchased some cake. Though she was aware that bread might be better for the child than cake, yet desiring to gratify the shivering forlorn one, she bought and gave her the cake she wanted.

She then took her to another place, where she procured her a shawl and other articles of comfort. The grateful little creature looked the benevolent lady up full in the face, and with artless simplicity, said, "Are you God's wife?"—Did the most eloquent philologist ever employ words to better advantage?

THE DEER AND THE SNOW.—So terrible has been the effect of the cold and snow on the mountains west of us, that the deer have become so weak from starvation that they have been captured in numbers by individuals who have them confined in their stables for the purpose of saving their lives.

Mr. William Gladstone has nine in confinement, and so tame have they become that they will readily eat from the hand.—Cumberland (Md.) Telegraph.

FIRST GUN IN INDIANA.