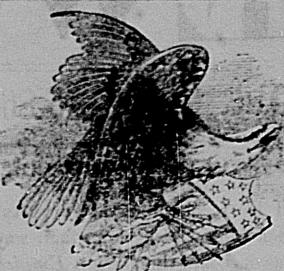


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C. H. BOWEN, JEROME KEENEY, may 8, 1859.

For President in 1860, STEPHEN A. DOUGLASS.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic National Convention, to be held at Charleston, South Carolina.

NEW ALBANY & SALEM RAIL ROAD.

TIME TABLE. Trains leave the Crawfordsville Depot as follows:

Going North.

Accommodation 9:55 A. M.; Freight 1:55 P. M.; Through Express 6:50 P. M.

Going South.

Through Express 7:22 A. M.; Freight 9:55 A. M.; Accommodation 4:05 P. M.

The Accommodation Train going North, connects with trains for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Chicago.

R. E. BRYANT, AGENT.

OFFICES FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY.—The following gentlemen were appointed by the County Commissioners, on last Saturday, to appraise the real estate in this county: C. H. R. Anderson, Clark township; William Gott, Scott township; Matthew F. Bowen, Walnut township; Samuel McConas, Coal Creek township; John Britton, Ripley township. They will commence their labors next week.

THE good effect of the suppression of the liquor traffic in town is already manifesting itself. Many of the most abandoned drunkards show signs of reformation. Men who have heretofore staggered to their homes daily in a state of beastly intoxication, now greet their wives and children as sober, rational beings. What good citizen will not rejoice in so glorious a redemption of fallen humanity. Order, sobriety and decency reign in Crawfordsville. The revolution has been successful and revolutions never go backwards.

Ira Crane has just received, direct from New York, one of Singer's celebrated first-class sewing machines. It is one of the most beautiful pieces of mechanism we have ever seen. Persons wishing garments made to order should call at Mr. Crane's tailoring establishment on Washington street.

LOANS.—Probably there never was a year in the history of Crawfordsville, when there was as many illiterates to be seen as at the present time. "Like the lillies of the valley, they toll not, neither do they spin." Most of these illiterates are young men. Now that the liquor traffic has been suppressed in our midst, would it not be well to adopt some measures to benefit these unfortunate specimens of humanity who are out of employment? The ball and billiard saloon, to a certain extent, serves to mitigate the *causa* with which they are afflicted, but it is evident that there is not enough exercise in that kind of amusement to warrant a healthy development of the muscular system. Like that poor vagrant, Charley Woodruff, they no doubt think that the world owes them a living.

THE LAFAYETTE COURIER.—This fine printing establishment, under the management of its energetic proprietor, W. S. LINGLE, is unquestionably the largest and finest concern of the kind now in the Wabash Valley. Mr. L. has now running one of Hoe's first-class cylinder presses, driven by a beautiful steam engine. He also has connected with the office a bindery, and is fully prepared to execute all kinds of book and blank work in a style unsurpassed by any establishment in the county. Many of our citizens no doubt have valuable magazines they would like to have bound; to all such we advise sending them to the Courier establishment where the work will not only be executed with neatness and dispatch but at the lowest rates.

READ the advertisement of Bannon & Boyland, in another column. They have a fine stock of groceries.

John L. Robinson, as will be seen by an article in another column, has at last caught a Tartar.

David Kester has just received a new supply of boots and shoes, also a large stock of leather and findings. He is selling at the lowest figures.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting of the Howard Association, of Philadelphia, (whose advertisement our readers will notice in another column) held on Tuesday, the 28th of December, 1858, J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, M. D., was elected *Acting Surgeon* of the Association, and it was ordered, that hereafter all correspondence of the Association be conducted by the *Acting Surgeon*, instead of the Consulting Surgeon, and that all advertisements of the Association be so changed as to give notice of this to the public.

Dr. George R. Calhoun still retains his position as Consulting Surgeon, and enjoys the fullest confidence of the Association in all respects. The object of the change is merely to relieve Dr. Calhoun of a very laborious duty, which interferes materially with his professional labors.

LADIES' AMERICAN MAGAZINE.

The January number of this magnificent periodical, which has taken the place of Graham, is a beautiful specimen of typography. Its fashion plates, which are designed and engraved in Paris, are the finest we have ever seen; while its choice selections of prose and poetry are delightfully entertaining and instructive. We recommend our lady readers to subscribe immediately for this choice magazine. It is published in New York, at \$2.00 per annum. Two copies, one year, \$3.00. Four copies, one year, \$6.00. Address, post-paid, Henry White, No. 7 Beckman Street, New York.

Houston & Martin.

Houston & Martin have removed their fine stock of Groceries to the room formerly occupied by J. G. Boyland, on Washington street. Mr. Houston will, in a few days, leave for New Orleans, for the purpose of purchasing a heavy stock of sugar, coffee, and molasses.

David Martin, Postmaster at Palatine, Ill., and his assistant, his son Abial, have been arrested for robbing the mail.

Dr. A. P. M. Rushton, formerly of Jacksonville, has removed to Jamestown, Boone county, where he intends commencing the practice of medicine. The Doctor is a skillful practitioner. His thorough classical education, his high attainments as a surgeon, and long experience in the practice, cannot fail to gain for him in his land a large and lucrative practice.

BLACKWOOD FOR DECEMBER.—This old favorite has been received. Its contents are as follows:

A Cruise in Japanese Waters; What will be done with it?—Part XIX; A Pleasant French Book; The International Copyright Congress; A Letter from a Member to a Literary Friend; The Indian Mutiny and the Land-slipment; Cousin John's Property; Sermons; Bright Absurdities.

We again call the attention of our readers to the advertisement, in another column, of these valuable periodicals. Every lover of first-class literature should subscribe for them.

UNION AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. At a regular meeting of the Union Agricultural Society, held at Russellville, on the 1st day of January, 1859, the following officers were elected, viz:

President—William W. Nelson. Vice Presidents—Josiah Hardin, Benjamin Walden.

Secretary—W. L. Harrison.

Assistant Secretary—Wm. P. Walden.

Treasurer—Jacob Purdum.

Assistant Treasurer—Daniel Evans.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Montgomery County—Swan Brookshire, J. Y. Durham, Stephen Allen.

Parke County—P. Yelton, E. Barnes, David Adams.

Pulaski County—Jos. B. Fordice, John H. Wilson, James Crawford.

The meetings of the Board will be held at Russellville, once a month, commencing the 1st Saturday in April, and continuing until the Fair, which commences the 30th of August.

THE time for shooting quails, under the game law of this State, expired on New Year's day. The birds have rest from now until the 1st of October.

Ara Van Orman, postmaster at Lima, LaGrange county, in this State, was apprehended on the 23d inst., charged with secreting and embezzeling a letter containing a ten dollar gold piece from the post-office, and required to give bail for his appearance at the next term of the United States district court.

THE Montgomery (Alabama) Advertiser, which has been an advocate of the reopening of the slave-trade, confesses to a change of views, and in a late number contains a strong and forcible article against it, the conclusion of which is as follows:

"In the name of Southern civilization and enlightenment we protest against the slave-trade and its concomitant horrors—In the name of a flourishing, prosperous, and all-powerful Southern Confederacy of States, we denounce a scheme that is fraught with every mischief that can degrade and weaken a nation."

SPiritual infant.

John M. Spear, the apostle of "Self-Development," has been living in a small shanty at Kiantone, New York, for some time, with his spiritual bride, Miss Hinkley. Recently, between the two, in some mysterious way, "a son of man has been made manifest in their flesh," as Spear says, and they both declare that it is wholly a spiritual development, with nothing natural or material about it. It is noted, however, that the thing cries and nurses, and does other things peculiar to natural babies, and some go so far as to say that it looks like its father.

My Little Daughter—Sleeping.

Soft be thy pillow, my darling,
That bears thee in slumber to-night;
Sweet be thy dreams, till the morning
Wakes thee to fairer delight;
My precious, my innocent darling,
My loving, my beautiful one,
God keep thee from sickness and sorrow,
Till life's little journey is done.

What were the light of the morrow,
If thou shouldst not waken again—
Whit but a cloud and a tempest,
And sadness, and anguish and pain?
The curls on thy brow are our sunshine;
The light of thine eye is our gladness,
And pleasures unfixed with alloy.

Surely the angels, my darling,
Will watch thee in sleep and sleep,
And God in his infinite goodness,
The way of thy footsteps will keep;
Tenderly, lovingly bending,
Shield her good angels to-night;
Sweet be her slumber, till morning
Wakes her to dearer delight.

COME TO ME IN CHERRY-TIME.

Come to me in cherry-time,
And as twilight closes,
We will have a merry time,
Here among the roses;
When the breezes crisp the bough,
And the buds quiver,
In our bough we'll safely glide
Through the rocky river.

When the stars with quiet ray,
All the hill-tops brighten,
Cherry-tips will sing and play,
Where the cherries ripen;
Then come to me in cherry-time,
And as twilight closes,
We will have a merry time
Here among the roses.

KING SOLOMON'S BLACKSMITH.

And it came to pass when Solomon, the son of David, had finished the temple of Jerusalem, that he called unto him the chief architects, the head artificers and cunning workmen in silver and gold and in wood and in ivory and stone—yea all who aided in working on the Temple of the Lord, and he said unto them:

"Sit you down at my table; I have prepared a feast for all my chief workers and artificers. Stretch forth your hands, therefore, and eat and drink and be merry. Is not the laborer worthy of his hire? Is not the skillful artificer deserving of honor? Muzzle not the ox that treadeth out the corn."

And when Solomon and the chief workmen were seated, and the fitness of the land and the oil thereof were set upon the table, there came one who knocked at the door, and forced himself even into the festal chamber. Then Solomon, the King, was wroth and said, "What manner of man art thou?"

And the man answered and said: "When men wish to honor me they call me Son of Forge; but when they desire to mock me they call me blacksmith; and seeing that the toil of working in fire exerts me with sweat and smart, the latter name, O King is not inapt, and in truth thy servant deserves no better."

"But," said Solomon, "why came you thus unbidden and unbidden to the feast; where none save the chief workmen of the Temple are invited?"

"Please ye, my Lord," I came rudely," replied the man, "because thy servant obliged me to force my way but I came not unbidden. Was it not proclaimed that the chief workmen of the Temple were to dine with the king of Israel?"

Then he who carved the cherubim said: "This fellow is no sculptor."

And he who inlaid the roof with pure gold said: "Neither is he a workman in fine metals."

And he who raised the walls said: "He is not a cutter of stone."

And he who made the roof cried out:

"He is not cunning in cedar wood; neither knoweth he the mystery of uniting pieces of strange timber together."

Then, said Solomon: "What hast thou to say, Son of the Forge, why I should not order thee to be plucked by the beard with a scourge, and stoned to death with stones?"

When the Son of the Forge heard this he was in no sort dismayed, but, advancing to the table, snatched up and swallowed a cup of wine, and said:

"O King, live forever! The chief men of the workers in wood and gold and stone, have said that I am not of them, and they have said truly. I am their superior, before they lived was I created. I am their master, and they are all my servants!"

And he turned him around, and said to the chief of the carvers in stone:

"Who made the tools with which you carven?"

And he said: "The blacksmith."

And he said to the artificer in gold and ivory: "Who makes your instruments by which you work beautiful things for my Lord the King?"

And he said: "The blacksmith."

And he said to the chief of the workers in wood: "Who made the tools with which you hewed the trees of Lebanon, and formed them into pillars and roof for the Temple?"

And he said: "The blacksmith."

And he said to the artificer in gold and

ivory: "Who makes your instruments by which you work beautiful things for my Lord the King?"

Enough, enough, my good fellow," said Solomon, "thou hast proved that I invited thee, and thou art all men's father in art. Go wash the smart of the forge from thy face, and come and sit at my right hand."

The chiefs of my workmen are but men—thou art more."

So it happened that at the feast of Solomon, and blacksmiths have been honored ever since.—London Magazine.

ERGON WELFRED.

THE late harvest in the Old World has been an abundant one. No better evidence could be adduced of the plentiful crops in Europe this season than is shown in the falling off in the export of breadstuffs from the port of New York since the 1st of September last, as compared with former years. For this period in 1857 there were exported 361,000 barrels of flour, 27,500,000 bushels of wheat and 500,000 bushels of corn, each export of which latter articles were in 1857 only one-half of what they were in the previous year. For the present year the export is only about 78,000 barrels of flour, 412,000 bushels of wheat, and 319,000 bushels of corn, being altogether less in value than the corresponding export of last year by some four and a half million of dollars.

THE WHEELING INTELLIGENCER says that at a party in that neighborhood, on Christmas Eve, an old lady ninety-seven years of age, out-waltzed a young man of twenty-five.

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

WASHINGTON, January 8th.

In the House to-day Mr. Nichols, of O. made a most severe attack upon the First Controller of the Treasury, Mr. Medill, because he would not pay damages to Carmick and Ramsay, for the alleged abrogation of their mail contract between Vera Cruz and San Francisco. Mr. Medill, by a law of Congress was directed to assess the damages sustained by said parties for the abrogation of their contract. The Attorney-General, by some means, got the case before him, and decided that there was no contract to abrogate. Mr. Medill acted on that opinion. Carmick and Ramsay claim that neither the Attorney-General nor Mr. Medill had any right so to decide, as Congress had an investigation, and by a report of its committee ascertained and decided that there was a contract, and that it had been abrogated; and that, therefore, all the Control had to do was to ascertain the damages. A reference was made to the Judiciary Committee, on the suggestion of Mr. Groesbeck. There was much warmth of feeling exhibited on the subject.

The Republicans have held a Congressional caucus, and resolved to oppose the admission of Oregon into the Union, unless they can insert in the same bill a clause repealing the restrictive provision of the English Kansas Bill. The people of Kansas have not asked that the restriction, as it is termed, should be taken off; and if they had, it would, I suppose, be done by the people of Kansas, and not by the Republicans.

The Union recently contained a severe article against the Southern extremists and disunionists. It created quite a sensation in this city, and will be doubtless extensively noticed. Its tone and temper gave great satisfaction to the National Democracy. I read it with great pleasure, for I have long been of the opinion that the Southern ultra-traitors were quite as much to be considered as the Northern Abolitionists. The Union, in noticing them in the manner it has, has struck the right chord, and I hope, will vigorously follow it up. No friend of the revival of the slave-trade, or disunionists, should be recognized as belonging to the Democratic organization.

The House Committee on Commerce has under consideration an important bill, which was introduced by Miles Taylor, of Louisiana. It authorizes that State to levy tonnage duties within certain limits for the removal of obstructions to navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi. This clothing the State with power to levy tonnage duties in aid of local internal improvements, if adopted by Congress, is of great importance. No public man can do this to the best of his ability, and the man who does it, will do it well. The Union applies to the support of the ticket of his party, and so far forgets his obligations and duties as a member of it, as to co-operate with our opponents to defeat our regular nominations, he is totally inexcusable. No public man can do this to the best of his ability, and the man who does it, will do it well. The Union applies to the support of the ticket of his party, and so far forgets his obligations and duties as a member of it, as to co-operate with our opponents to defeat our regular nominations, he is totally inexcusable. No public man can do this to the best of his ability, and the man who does it, will do it well.

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