

It gives certain privileges to each of its members, according to the grade or class, and certain annual salaries for life. It is now contemplated to make some other provision for the members out of the confiscated estates. How far this will promote the full and free enjoyment of human rights, I leave to others to judge; but certain it is, that it will act as a cementing bond of union between the government and those who compose it: it gives some little displeasure, but many of those who speak against it would accept it if offered to them.

"Neither Mr. Prevost nor Mr. Hill resisted the paper blockade. Captain Downes made a partial remonstrance. The Macedonian is expected here from San Blas and Lima. Mr. Prevost will leave here in three weeks, for Buenos Ayres.

"Mr. John Higginson goes to the United States in the vessel which will convey this, to raise a loan there for the government of Chile, to foment certain favorable sentiments respecting the acknowledgement of its independence, preparatory to a public or private embassy from this country, and also to canvass for his friend P——. An agent, or ambassador, charge des affaires, or some other public functionary, will soon leave here for Washington. His object will be to act privately, until the public mind is prepared for the exhibition of his credentials. It will, therefore, be necessary to know the sources of information and the motives for giving it, before a correct judgment can be formed of the actual state of things here.

"Neither the government of Buenos Ayres nor of Chile has paid, nor made provisions for paying, the arrears upon the town vessels built by their agent, Mr. Aguirre, at New-York.

"The newspapers and government paper are intended to aid their objects in the United States. Rather unfriendly sentiments prevail towards us. England, with her commerce, manufactures, her subjects, and maritime force in this quarter of the world, has the start of us, and I think for some time will retain a great influence. The affairs with Portugal, rather Brazil, bear an aspect of collusion. The squadron which has gone to Peru, consists of ten sail, viz: one ship of 64 guns, 3 frigates, 2 corvettes, and 4 brigs and schooners."

Map wanted.—One which will exhibit the north Pacific ocean, the opposite coasts of Asia and America, their contiguity at Behring's Straits, the East India islands which spangle the ocean, and the progress of the Russian settlements on both its shores.

Such a map would illustrate the truth of the scriptures, by shewing how easy it was for the inhabitants of the old world to people the new by crossing over at Behring's Straits; where the two continents of Asia and America are about thirty nine miles apart, & an island between, from which both may be seen at the same time.

It would shew the extent and beauty of the north Pacific Ocean, its surface studded with rich islands, its Asiatic

coast lined with the wealth of India; its American with the mines of Mexico, the pearl fishery of California, and the fur trade of the more northern regions. It would shew the interest which the republic has in the commerce of that sea; its wisdom in having sent a ship of war there to protect the operations of our merchants and traders.

It would shew the progress of the Russian empire in Asia and America, the efforts of that gigantic power to people the banks of the river Amour, to launch a fleet from the sea of Okotsk and the peninsula of Kamskatka; to assume the sovereignty of the north Pacific Ocean, monopolize the wealth of India, and give law to the opposite coasts of Asia and America.

It would shew the approaches of Christianity and civilization, coming east from Russia and west from the U. States, destined to a moral certainty to meet upon the Pacific, to reanimate Asia, and to encircle the globe with their benign influence.

St. Louis Eng.

EXTRAORDINARY.

From the Lexington, Ky. Advertiser.

We do not recollect to have seen any notice taken by our newspapers of an extraordinary birth in Woodford county, in September last.

Martha Ann and Mary Jane were born September 22d, 1819; the former is smaller, and remained in a state of apparent death for three quarters of an hour, when she was revived by the vigorous circulation of her sister. These children are joined together at the back, below the loins; before, the junction is fleshy, behind, bony; having their bodies and faces placed half side ways towards each other. From their connexion upwards they are perfectly formed, and have lower extremities similar to other children, but only one extremity of each child will be employed in walking, viz. the external, as the other two are similar, and the feet point backwards. One child *cries* while the other is *asleep*. They are sprightly and intelligent of their ages, and give every indication of living. They excite the commiseration of those who have visited them, among whom are several physicians, who almost unanimously declare that any surgical operation, to separate them, would prove immediately, or ultimately fatal.

The scandalous sale of indulgences in the Roman church; it is well known, produced the reformation.—One Tetzel, a Dominican friar, and a retailer of indulgences, had picked up a vast sum at Leipsic. A gentleman of that city, who had no veneration for such superstition, went to Tetzel, and asked him if he could sell him an indulgence before-hand for a certain crime, which he would not specify, and which he intended to commit. Tetzel said: "Yes, provided they could agree upon the price." The bargain was struck, the money paid, and the absolution delivered in the due form. Soon after this, the gentleman knowing that Tetzel was going from Leipsic well loaded with cash, way-laid him, robbed him, and cudgelled him; and told him, at parting, that this was the crime for which he had purchased an absolution. George duke of Saxony, a zealous friend of the court of Rome, hearing of this robbery, at first was very angry; but, be-

ing informed of the whole story, he laughed heartily, and forgave the perpetrator of a crime that was thus spiritually pardoned by anticipation.

Madison Land agency.

The subscribers have opened a Land Agency Office, in the town of Madison, Indiana, for the purchase and sale of lands and of general land intelligence. A register will be kept of lands offered for sale by individuals, and information given of their qualities and local advantages, to emigrants and others; all persons holding the title of lands either by bond, certificate or patent, may deposit the same together with their terms of sale, which will be open for the inspection of any person wishing to purchase.

They will transact on commission or for a reasonable compensation, all kinds of negotiation connected with real estate—such as purchasing either of individuals or of the offices of the United States—paying taxes, &c. and will act as agents in all landed concerns. As it is the intention of the proprietors to render this establishment both permanent and useful, it is scarcely necessary to add, that no exertion shall be wanting on their part, to merit the confidence and patronage of those who may wish to make use of their services in the above business.

All kinds of conveyancing, either by bond, deed or mortgage, will be attended to. So soon as any section of the new purchase may be offered for sale, by the general government, maps descriptive of the soil, water courses, &c. &c. also plats of all the quartered lands, with field notes which describe the quality and soil will be kept, to which references may be had, and such other local and geographical information, as may be advantageous to the purchasers.

WM. C. ENOS,
J. T. BROWN.

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N. B. It is apprehensive that those persons who are wishing to dispose of their lands in this section of the country, with an intention of going to the new purchase or elsewhere, would do well to deposit their titles and terms in this office.

Letters addressed in the name of the firm to this place, (post paid) will receive prompt attention.

Mills for Sale.

THE subscriber wishes to sell his Grist and Saw Mill, lying in Milton township, Jefferson county, Ia. and on the waters of Indian Kentucky, generally known by the name of Manville's Mills. The grist mill has one pair of stones and the saw mill one saw—the machinery of both is in good order, & the seat is supposed to be the best in this part of the country. Sixty acres of land will be sold with the mills, ten of which are under cultivation; there are two very good springs on the land, and a good situation for a distillery. Any person wishing to purchase can ascertain the terms by applying to the subscriber on the premises.

ISAAC HOWARD.

February 17, 1820. 165

CASH

Given for clean linen and cotton rags at this office.

NILES' WEEKLY REGISTER.

NILES' REGISTER has been published at Baltimore since September, 1811, and perhaps, no publication issues from the American press that is more generally read. It is received in every state and territory of the union, taken and preserved in all the great departments of the general government, and complete sets of the work are furnished to all the foreign ministers of the United States: It is oftentimes quoted in our courts of law, and to be found in many public libraries. A number of copies are regularly transmitted to Europe, South-America and the West-Indies.

The public documents contained in this work would cost, if purchased separately, more than twice the amount that is demanded for it per annum; but so much other matter is got into it that the documents, perhaps, do not generally occupy a third part of a volume. It is a history of men and things, and the most extensive book of reference ever published in any country—useful as to the past, and agreeable and interesting for the present and future.

Its politics are of the old republican school—but striking only at first principles, men are not regarded. The chief purposes of all its original articles, which are numerous, is to raise up a national character, encourage home industry and support other great interests of the people. These objects are fearlessly pursued.

The REGISTER has received the most flattering sanction of a large number of the principal characters in the United States, and a volume of approbatory letters, from high and honorable men, might be published, if it were necessary.

TERMS, &c.

Niles' Register is published at Baltimore every Saturday, and immediately transmitted, being securely packed, to any post-office in the union; or, if preferred, it will be delivered in volumes.

The price is five dollars a year, payable always in advance.

Numbers lost or damaged in the mail, (which does not often happen) are gratuitously supplied, the application therefor being made without expense to the editor, that gentlemen may preserve their files complete.

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The safe carriage of money remitted by mail is guaranteed—but it is expected that the postage will be paid.

TAKEN UP

By William Banister, Dearborn county, two miles from Watts' mills, two bay horses; one about 10 years old, a star in his forehead, shod all round, all his feet white, about 14 1-2 hands high, some saddle marks. The other five years old next spring, about 15 hands high, shod all round, a very light blaze in his forehead, both hind feet white and white on the withers by being rubbed by the collar. One appraised to 35 and the other to 45 dollars. C. L. Pate and John Green, before me a justice of the peace in and for the county of Dearborn.

JOHNSON WATTS, J. P.
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TAKEN UP

By Thomas Branham of Lancaster township, Jefferson county, Indiana, one Dark Bay Horse, supposed to be 5 years old last spring, no marks or brands perceivable but some white hairs on his back, and fresh docks—Appraised to 35 dollars, by Joseph Hill and Jas. Owens before me, this 11th day of January, 1820.

H. SPOUT, J. P.
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LEXINGTON, Jan. 6, 1820. THE Managers of the Kentucky Auxiliary Bible Society, are happy to have it in their power to give notice to all Bible Societies and Associations auxiliary to the American Bible Society in the western country, that, by a resolution of that society, they have been authorized to supply, for the space of one year, with Stereotype Bibles printed at Lexington, at the rate of 69 cents per copy, and such societies as may wish to do so, Application for Bibles to be made to Thomas Wallace, Esq. of Lexington.

JAMES B. LYTHER, Cor. Sec.

NEW FACTORY.

Y. CIRODE,

HAS, for sale at his shop, on 5th cross street, back of Messrs. Prather & Jacob's store, Chamois & Buck Skin, Suitable for Glover's & coach-maker's, Printers, Suspender Manufacturer's, &c. &c.

White Leather,

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He has always on hand a quantity of Wool for Hatters, etc. etc. He will give cash for Sheep and Deer Skins.

Louisville, Nov. 6, 1819.
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