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Terre-Haute, Aug. 1, 1855.

A VERY MIRACLE.—A gentleman who, for three years past, had been afflicted with dyspepsia, yesterday stated that he had been entirely cured by the use of Hurley's Sarsa parilla. He had previously tried Bull's and Sand's, but Hurley's was the only effectual remedy. Go to Bacon, Hyle, & Co., 37 Main street, and procure a trial bottle.—[St. Louis Evening Mirror.]

P. M. Donnelly is the only agent here for the sale of this valuable Medicine.

¶ We advise all to try the great medicament.

The Public Speaking.

Tuesday about 2 o'clock we called in at the Court House, to hear the address to the people, by Judge Morton and Hon. L. D. Campbell. There was a large audience in attendance. When Mr. Morton, commenced and made a speech of 2½ or 3 hours. After apologising for his appearance, and speaking of the importance of the subjects now agitating the public mind, he proceeded to say that every man in the North who opposed the extension of slavery or opposed the repeal of Missouri Compromise, was denominated an Abolitionist(!) that thus many of the timid were frightened from a free declaration of their true sentiments. For himself he was no Abolitionist, he did not desire to interfere with Slavery where it now exists, he only desired to stop its extension. He desired that the people of the south should be taught that there is a North. He gave a receipt for forming a national party, namely, to submit tamely to every demand the South might make(?). The Republican party "he said" is the only constitutional party that exists.

Already the North had yielded to the South more than was her right, the basis of representation being the first concession, by which the South had gained a decided advantage, that there was no more justice in the arrangement, that five slaves should represent three white men, or that men should be represented on this property or chattel, than that other property in the North, as horses and lands should form a basis for representation.

He said that the Fugitive Slave Law had been wrung from the North as a servitor of the Union, and as an offset to the admission of California as a free State—that it was repugnant to him, but as a law on our statute book it should be obeyed, and he was willing to let it remain there, provided no further aggressions were made by the South. He puffed Underground Railroad, and alluring slaves away from their masters.

"The right and power of Congress," he said, "to legislate for the Territories were undisputable." That the Territorial laws of all other Territories, except Minnesota and Kansas, required the sanction of Congress to validate them. That Congress was responsible for the existence of slavery in Kansas, having the right to exclude it and not doing so.

Said that the laboring men of Indiana were interested in Kansas being a free State—that slave labor renders free labor dishonorable—so shutting out free

labor from Kansas. "Slavery," he said, "hindered the prosperity of a State."

Contrasted Ohio and Kentucky—Virginia and New York. He then spoke of the concessions of the North—said that the power was with the North, and that she should use it—that the North and South had an equal interest in and claim to the Territories, but that the South had no right to take their property—that the "Eternal claims of justice forbids it." The Territories are the property of the United States, and all have a right to say how they shall be settled—that the North has peculiar claims to Kansas and Nebraska—at the formation of the Federal Constitution it was understood that there be no more Slave States—many of the then Slave States desired and were planning emancipation. He reviewed the scenes in connection with the application of Missouri for admission.

He said that slavery lives on cotton—that the profit of slave labor alone sustains it. He spoke at length of the Missouri Compromise.

Came down with a philippic upon Southern arrogance—perpetrated a few jokes and wound up with remarks on Know-Nothingism.

Altogether, Mr. Morton made a right good speech, not taking ultra views on any of the points at issue before the people.

Mr. Campbell followed, with remarks on Know-Nothingism, but we were unable to hear him. At night, too, he made a long speech, which we did not hear. We are of opinion, from what we can hear on the streets, that his speech did not produce the terrible effect that was expected by his friends.

¶ The following extract of a letter to a gentleman in this place, written from Clark county, Ind., shows that 'Sam' is divided there, too. We are truly sorry that things are thus, but it is as it is, and we suppose can't be helped now, but we are in hopes that all will be right in the end:

"I understand the Know Nothings of Jeffersonville, have ratified the proceedings of the Philadelphia convention almost unanimously. The Northern portion of the State will probably adopt the minority platform, and these give us three parties in the State of Indiana, which would give the ascendency to the Democrats again, which is to be deplored after their long misrule of the State. To my mind the Northern politicians take awful responsibilities on themselves, when they refuse to admit a State in the Union, on account of slavery seeing their forefathers united with states having slave constitutions at the outset.

I would prefer that slavery should not extend farther, but the question is, would not a dissolution of the Union be too great a sacrifice to make between the choice of homes for a few negroes, (for I think it amounts to this, while the Slave Trade is held in check,) for in the States already Slave they have sufficient room to increase for centuries."

WHO WANTS TO BUY A RAILROAD?—On the 8th day of August, the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad is to be sold at the Court House door in St. Louis, to the highest bidder, on a deed of trust. Persons in want of a railroad will find this a fair opportunity to purchase one, as it is new, and will be sold below cost, no doubt, for cash in hand is very much needed just now to pay the hard fisted laborers who built this magnificent "six foot failure."

The mail matter transmitted by the Government, free of postage, under the franking privilege, would, if charged at the usual rates, yield the sum of two and a half millions of dollars to the Post-office Department.

Peter Besancon, one of the companions of Lafayette, who came with him from France to join our revolutionary struggle, died recently at Warsaw, New York. He was present at the execution of Major Andre, and remained in the army until the end of the war.

Plain Truth from an Eloquent Irishman.

Mr. S. Crawford, editor of the Protestant American, published at Aberdeen Miss., is an Irishman by birth, an accomplished scholar, and a fearless and eloquent writer. He took ground a few days ago in favor of the American party, and having been violently denounced for this by the editor of the Florence (Ala.) Gazette he has made a powerful and overwhelming response, from which the following is taken. Many foreign-born citizens might read them with profit and edification:

You charge against us that we conduct a Know Nothing journal. Did it ever strike you, sir, as possible, that the principles we advocate in this paper, and which you fear will arouse the indignation of your readers, are the principles we held many years before Know Nothings had an existence?—that we have not gone to them, but that they came to us!—that from the circumstances forced it upon their attentions so strongly that they cannot avoid it?—they must meet it and crush it or be crushed by it.

But let us look at the charge. What is the crime? I, an Irish Protestant, and found acting with a party whose leading object is to abolish the temporal power of Popery, am therefore crusading against my own countrymen! Shade of common sense, what ails the man? Did you expect me, sir, to aid, either with my pen or voice, a system which has hunted my fathers to the dungeon and gibbets; which gave them the rank, for argument; which placed on their legs the iron boot, and drove in wedge after wedge till the marrow overran this Popish argument (!); which, huddling women and children into a house, applied the torch, and caught them, as they ran madly out, on the heads of their iron pikes. With what party, pray, should I be? Just where I am sit, with the American party, because it has raised its mighty arm and sworn by Him that liveth forever and ever that such scenes shall never be enacted on American soil.

And for this I am called *slave, sycophant and abject*. And by whom? An American Protestant. A man whose ancestors periled all for "freedom to worship God." How long will that freedom last, when Popery becomes numerically supreme? Not an hour. How often would you in Florence visit the Methodist Chapel, if the Pope could prevent (and he is only waiting numerical strength!) Ah, sir, there would be no chapel there—the thunders of the Vatican would raze it "from turret to foundation stone" just as soon as it had subjects enough to carry out its bests.

¶ A society of ladies has been formed in Maine "for the purpose of improving the manners of the gentlemen."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Returned!

ISAAC M. RAY, ESQ., is at home again, and can be found at all hours in his office, ready to attend to any business in his line.

OFFICE, East side of the Public Square.

Aug2-dlw

Found!

A NEWFOUNDLAND PUP—Owner can hear of his whereabouts by calling at this office, and paying for this notice.

Aug2 2tf

Fresh Oranges!

" Lemons;
" Prunes;
" Raisins;
" Nuts of all kinds just received and for sale at Scudder & Co.'s Wholesale and Retail Confectionery, opposite the Stewart House.

A fine lot of cigars, choice brands, Fresh Cove Oysters, &c.

A new supply of Tonic Bitters, just received

Aug1-dtf

SCUDDER & CO'S.

Storage!

WE will receive and sell Flour on consignment—storing one month, for 10 cents per barrel, commission.

Liberal advancements, at fair terms, will be made on consignments.

July31-dtf.

SMITH & DODDS.

Harper's Magazine for August!

PUTNAM'S MONTHLY do.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK do.

July31-dtf.

At BUCKINGHAM'S.

TAKEN UP by William Bradbury, living in Riley township, Vigo county, Indiana, on or about the 7th day of July, 1855, one dark brown horse about fourteen and a half hands high, natural trotter, the cap down on the left leg, supposed to be four years old; appraised at sixty dollars, by Robert Chapman and James Brown, on 23d day of July, 1855. This the 30th day of July, 1855. S. B. JORDAN, J. P. (L.S.) A true copy from the record.

Aug2-xii w3 AND. WILKINS, Clk.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY!

Gold and Silver Watches, Cameo Pins and Ear Rings, Gold, Stone, Jet and Lava Ear Rings, and Pins, Gold Chains, Thimbles, Snaps, Bracelets, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Keys, Hooks, Seals, Slides, Buckles, Lockets, and fine Wedding Rings.

SILVER-WARE:

Table, Tea and Desert Spoons, Butter Knives, Fruin Knives, Forks, Thinbles, Combs, Children Sets, Fob and Guard Chains, Soup Ladles, &c.

Spectacles:

Gold and Silver-plated, German Silver and Steel Spectacles; also, Spectacles for far and near sighted persons, Goggles, &c.

REVOLVERS!

Colt's, Allen's and Sprey's Revolvers, Allen's self cocking Rifle Pistol.

Fancy Goods:

Shell Pearl Card Cases, Portmonaies, Work-boxes, Baskets, Toys, Accordeons, Violins, Flutes, Fancy Combs, Brushes, etc.

CLOCKS!

A large lot of 8 day and 30 hour Clocks, which will be sold cheap.

¶ Clocks, Watches and Jewelry repaired and warranted.

C. M. & J. M. CRISHER, July30-dwf

West side of the Square.

EYE AND EAR.

DR. A. C. SCOTT, Oculist and Aurist.

HAVING located in the city of Terre-Haute, tender his professional services to the citizens of this place and vicinity and surrounding country, in full confidence of rendering general satisfaction. Having had several years practice and experience in the treatment of diseases of the Eye and Ear, during which time he has the infinite satisfaction of knowing that he has successfully performed some of the most critical and extraordinary cures. All Ministers of the Gospel and poor persons will be cheerfully attended Free of Charge.

Dr. Scott will remain only a few weeks in the city, consequently those laboring under diseases of the Eye and Ear, would do well to call soon. He may be consulted at his Office at Clark House, First and Ohio streets.

¶ N. B. No charge will be made till cure is performed, except for consultation.

July31-dwf

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

AT THE—

Corner of Ohio and Second Streets.

HAVING purchased of J. W. Stratton his entire stock of Family Groceries at the above establishment, and greatly replenished the same with new purchases, I am ready and will take pleasure in waiting on my old customers and the public, generally, in the line of staples of every kind. It is useless to say what I intend to keep, as everything in the existing line, which love or money can procure, will be found in store ready to be dealt out to customers.

J. G. ADAMS.

July30-dwf

CREAM NECTAR!

SOME THING NEW—enquire at July30-dwf WESTFALL & TRAPP'S.

RAILROAD STOCK FOR SALE!

60 SHARES of STOCK in the T. H. & Richmond Railroad, for sale.—For particulars enquire of O. A. HOUGH, at the POST OFFICE from 4½ to 5 o'clock P. M. each evening.

Terre-Haute. July 30 dtf

TERRE-HAUTE AND RICHMOND RAILROAD!

On and after Wednesday, Aug. 1, the trains on this road will arrive and depart as follows:

MAIL TRAIN

Leave Terre-Haute, at 8:30, A. M.
Arrive at Indianapolis, at 11:42, A. M.

Leave Indianapolis, at 1:40, P. M.

Arrive at Terre-Haute, at 5:00, P. M.

EXPRESS TRAIN

Leave Terre-Haute, at 12:20, P. M.

Arrive at Indianapolis, at 3:12, P. M.

Leave Indianapolis, at 5:00, A. M.

Arrive at Terre-Haute, at 8:00, A. M.

Through Tickets to Cincinnati, Louisville, Cleveland, Buffalo, Wheeling, Pittsburgh, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, New York, and Boston, to be had at the Ticket Office.

CHAS. WOOD,
Secretary and acting Sup't.

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July 30 1855, d-2w.

BARTON, WALTER & PALMER, DEALERS IN

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Monuments, Tomb Tables, Head-Stones, Table Tops, &c., made to order on short notice, and at reasonable prices.

¶ Work done in the best of style.

July 24-df.

Fresh Arrivals!

200 boxes Lemons;

160 " Raisins;

25 " Tallow Candles;

A large invoice Fine Cigars;