

From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

USEFUL REMEDY.—I send you below, Messrs. Editors, a recipe for making a composition which will render wood entirely incombustible. It is very simply prepared, and quite easy of application, being used the same as paint with an ordinary brush. A good coat of it applied to the floor under stoves would be an excellent precaution.

Take a quantity of water, proportioned to the surface of wood you wish to cover, and add to it as much potash as can be dissolved therein. When the water will dissolve no more potash, stir into the solution 1st, a quantity of flour paste of the consistency of common painters' size; 2d, a sufficient quantity of pure clay to render it of the consistency of cream.

When the clay is well mixed, apply the preparation as before directed to the wood; it will secure it from the action of both fire and rain. In a most violent fire, wood thus saturated may be carbonized, but it will never blaze.

If desirable, a more agreeable color can be given to the preparation by adding a small quantity of red or yellow ochre.

It might also be useful for you to mention in your paper, especially at this season of high winds, that a handful or two of sulphur thrown on to the fire when a chimney is burning out, will almost instantaneously extinguish the flame.

When a husband comes home to dinner, his wife should see it properly prepared; she should know from personal observation too. Some wives seem to think they were born to be waited upon. A woman who always wants a host of servants to tend upon her, is not fit to be at the head of a family, and ought never to be married. We bar this everlasting call upon one another to wait upon you.

Help yourself. Why, what were your hands made for but to use?

N. Y. Atlas.

Rheumatism.—Take a pinch of the spirits of turpentine, to which add half an ounce of camphor; let it stand till the camphor is dissolved; then rub it on the part affected, and it will never fail of removing the complaint. Flannel should be applied after the part has been well fomented with turpentine. Repeat the application morning and evening. It is said to be equally effectual in cases of burns, scalds, and bruises.—*Bay State Democrat.*

MARRIED.—On Tuesday evening, the 29th December, 1840, by the Rev. Samuel R. Alexander, Mr. ANDREW AMMERSON, Jr., to Miss CAROLINE McDONALD, both of Knox county, Va.

DIED.—In this place, on Thursday, December 31st, 1840, Mrs. MARY BENTLEY, widow of Capt. Robert Bentley.

On the same day, in this place, Mrs. ADELA WATKINS, consort of Mr. Edward Watkins.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa., to me directed, from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit Court, I will expose to public sale, at the Court House door in Vincennes, on Saturday, the 6th day of February, agreeably to the 3d section of the Act, subjecting real and personal estate to execution, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 o'clock, P. M. of said day, the following property, to-wit: One town lot in the town of Bruceville, known as lot No. eight, with a dwelling house thereon, which was levied on as the property of Obed Macy, to satisfy the above writ against James Foreman, Obed Macy and Jonathan P. Cox, in favor of Benjamin Wolf.

A. SMITH, SHERIFF. K. C. Jan. 13, 1841—32-33.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an alias writ of venditioni expons, to me directed, from the Clerk's office of the Knox Circuit Court, I will expose to public sale, at the Court House door in Vincennes, on Saturday, the 16th day of February next, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., of said day, agreeably to the 3d section of the law subjecting real and personal estate to execution, all that certain tract of land, 42 acres, let the same be more or less, lying and being in Knox county, it being three shares out of seven of location number 147, it being given up as the property of Wm. C. Fullerton to satisfy the above alias writ of venditioni expons in favor of Ezra Talmadge, Chesterfield M. Ward, and Joseph Marks, and against Alfred Bellwood, Wm. C. Fullerton, and Allen H. Ramsey.

A. SMITH, SHERIFF. K. C. Jan. 16th, 1841—32-33.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has taken out letters of Administration, from under the hand of the Clerk of Gibson county, on the estate of Chauncey Pierce, dec'd., late of said county. All persons having claims against said estate, are notified to present them, legally authenticated, for settlement; and all those indebted to said estate, are requested to make immediate settlement. Said estate is supposed to be solvent.

JONATHAN LATHOM & HUDSON BROWN, Admrs. Jan. 12th, 1841—32-33.

FIRE! FIRE!

The members of the Vincennes Fire Company knowing themselves indebted to the Company are respectfully invited to call and settle the same, immediately; they know, or ought to know, that it is impossible to sustain the Company without some expense, consequently, there are a number of debts against the Company which ought to be paid.

A. W. HULL, Treasurer. Jan. 8, 1841.

TOBACCO.

RECEIVED, 20 Boxes, No. 1, Kentucky Tobacco, and for sale by

MADDOX & GASS. Nov. 13th, 1840.

BRASS Kettles just received and for sale by

N. SMITH Aug. 28, 1839—14-15.

Ague! Ague!

A CERTAIN CURE FOR AGUE AND FEVER.

DR. SAPPINGTON'S Ague Pills for sale at the store of DANIEL & WINGATE, July 11, 1840—15-16.

Shaker Garden Seeds.

ON hand and for sale by the undersigned, a fresh and general assortment of Garden Seeds, cultivated and put up by the Shaker's, warranted of genuine quality and low for cash.

MADDOX & GASS. January 15th, 1840—32-33.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a decree of the Knox Circuit Court, and by virtue of a writ of venditioni expons, to me directed, from the Clerk's Office of said court, agreeably to the 3d section of the Act subjecting real and personal estate to execution, I will expose to public sale, on Saturday, the 6th day of February next, at the Court House door in Vincennes, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A. M. and 5 o'clock, P. M., of said day, all that certain tract or parcel of land in Knox county, known and designated as part of lot No. 10 in the old donation, beginning on the corner of lots Nos. 78 and 90, running thence North 45 w., with the line dividing lots Nos. 79 and 80, 38 chains 33 1/2 links to a stake at John Kniff's corner, thence North 45 East, 9 chains and 36 links to a stake in Kniff's line, thence south 45 East 33 chains to the State Road, thence 740 South with the State Road to the line dividing lots No. 89 and 90, to a stake thence south 45 West 12 chains and 60 links to the place of beginning, containing 50 acres be the same more or less, taken as the property of George H. Ranch, to satisfy the above writ of venditioni expons in favor of George Byers.

A. SMITH, SHERIFF. K. C. Jan. 15th, 1841—32-33.

NOTICE.

Partnership heretofore existing between John W. Madox and David Gass will expire by limitation on the 1st day of February, 1841. All those indebted to us must make prompt payment on or before that time, as the business of the firm must be settled.

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NEW ARRANGEMENT For 1841.

J. M. CLARKE, Agent, For D. S. GREGORY & Co.

MARYLAND LOTTERY.

Class 3, draws January 13th, 1841. Capitals, \$20,000, 10,000, 5,000, 20 of 1,000, &c. Tickets \$5, shares in proportion.

MONONGALIA LOTTERY.

Class 4, draws 16th January 1841. CAPITALS, \$35,797, 10,515, 5,000, 50 of 1,000, &c. Tickets \$10, shares in proportion.

MARYLAND LOTTERY.

Class 3, draws 20th January, 1841. Capitals, \$20,000, 10,000, 5,000, 20 of 1,500, &c. Tickets \$5, shares in proportion.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY.

Class 1, draws 27th January, 1841. BRILLIANT SCHEME. Capitals, \$20,000, 5,000 and 50 prizes of 1,000, &c. Tickets only \$5, shares in proportion.

ONE PRIZE OF \$30,000 and 100 of 1,000 LEESBURG LOTTERY.

Class A, draws January 30th, 1841. Capitals, \$30,000, 10,000, 5,000 and 100 of 1,000, &c. Tickets \$10, shares in proportion.

Address your orders to J. M. CLARKE, 127 Main street, Wheeling, Va.

NOTICE.

GREENHOW & BOYLE have now in store and offer for sale on a very small advance on Louisville prices,

25 Bags Rio Coffee, 5 Bls Leaf Sugar, 25 " N. O. do,

30 Boxes 5 by 10, 10 by 12, 12 by 18 window Glass,

20 Reams Wrapping Paper, 30 Kegs assorted Nails,

1 Ceroon Spanish Flat Indigo, 10 Kegs White Lead,

12 Chests Y. H. Tea, Linsseed Oil, Lamp Black, &c., &c. Oct. 11, 1839—20-41.

DR. JOHN B. I. BATH,

A MEMBER of the Faculty of Medicine of Paris, intending permanently to settle in Vincennes, respectfully offers his services in the practice of Medicine, Surgery, Dentistry, and all other branches of the healing art.

Office at St. Gabriel College, Oct. 2, 1840—15-16.

W. M. ENDREY, J. T. RUSSELL, LINDLEY & RUSSELL,

Commission and Forwarding Merchants, No. 30, FOTRAS STREET.

NEW ORLEANS.

Refer to: Messrs. A. P. Gray & Co., New Orleans; Clurchman, Roberts & Co., New York; Lea, Banker & Co., Philadelphia; William Garvin & Co., Louisville, Ky.; Pindexter, Rhey & Co., Pittsburgh; N. E. Janney & Co., St. Louis; Jos. Collet, Eugene, La.; J. Farrington, Terre-Haute, Ind.; J. M. Stockwell & Co., Evansville, Ind.; N. Smith, Vincennes, Ind.

Vincennes, Oct. 30th, 1840—21-41.

BRANDY, GIN, WINE, &c.

10 BLS. Good American Brandy, 5 do do Gin,

5 do Sweet Madaga Wine, 1 Pipe 4th proof Cognac Brandy,

1 Cask Champagne do 30 Bags Shot assorted Nos.,

500 lbs. Bar Lea 1, 10 lbs. Prime N. O. Sugar,

10 Bags Rio Coffee, 20 Reams Wrapping Paper.

For sale low for cash by E. BROWN, Market st. Dec. 18th, 1840—28-41.

NOTICE.

All those indebted to E. N. Coleman, by note or book account, are hereby notified to pay the same on or before the 1st of December, or abide the consequences. E. N. COLEMAN. Vincennes, Oct. 30th, 1840—23-41.

NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers have just received direct from Philadelphia, a general assortment of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Glassware, Cutlery, Boots, Shoes, English, Straw and Leghorn Bonnets, Brush Fur, Russia, Beaver and Palm Leaf Hats, Iron, Nails, Castings, &c., which they will sell on reasonable terms.

THORN & TRACY Dec. 12th, 1840—27-41.

Dr. Jenkins' Patent Specific Ointment,

FOR the cure of white swellings, ulcers, glandular tumors, felon, rheumatic pains, sprains, bruises, burns and scalds, inflammation, glandular swellings, old and fresh wounds, chilblains, tetters, piles, ring worms, eruptions of long standing, sore eyes, &c. For sale by

H. E. PECK. sep. 13, 1840—15-16.

DR. AMOS G. HULL'S GENUINE PATENT TRUSSES,

FOR THE CURE OF HERNIA OR RUPTURE.

AN invaluable article for the above disease, for sale by

H. E. PECK, Druggist, Market st. opposite Clark's Hotel. Oct. 2, 1840—15-16.

STOVES.

JUST received from the Lamason Foundry, three very superior Union cooking stoves, a new and approved pattern, suitable for small families, at reduced prices. Also, Cannon, and tent stoves, for sale by

GREENHOW & BOYLE. Vincennes, Dec'r. 12th 1839—29-41.

BROADWAY HOUSE.

VINCENNES, IND.

THIS establishment has undergone a thorough repair, and has been fitted up in a neat style, with entirely new furniture, and is now open for the accommodation of Travellers and Boarders. The rooms are large and pleasant, and it is situated in the most pleasant part of the town, and near the Middle Ferry.

The subscriber having taken the above stand for a term of years, will make the care of it his entire business, and he assures his friends and the public, that nothing will be wanting on his part, to give entire satisfaction.

E. W. TUXBURY. Dec. 4, 1840—26-41.

The Louisville Journal, (weekly,) Terre-Haute Courier and Evansville Journal, will publish the above advertisement to the amount of three dollars each, and forward their accounts to this office.

CASH FOR WHEAT.

I WILL give the highest market price in Cash for wheat delivered at my mill.

J. L. COLMAN. June 12, 1840—1-41.

OLIVE BRANCH.

THE undersigned respectfully announces to his friends and the public in general, that he has just fitted up a Coffee House, on Market street, in the room formerly occupied by Jacob Harper, as a store, where he will accommodate, to their entire satisfaction, all who may favor him with a call.

N. B. Superior Liquors of all kinds, sold by the gallon or quart on moderate terms.

ERASMUS COLEMAN. Vincennes, Feb. 20th, 1840—39-41.

Notice to Farmers.

JUST received, between two and three hundred bushels of blue-grass seed, a fresh and genuine article, from the rich pastures of Bourbon county, Ky., and for sale low for cash, by the subscribers.

MADDOX & GASS. Vincennes, Dec'r. 11th 1839—29-41.

NEW FIRM.

WILLIAM BURCH has associated himself with John Heberd and A. W. Hull, and will do business under the name of W. Burch & Co., in the corner store lately occupied by Messrs. Burch and Hannah, where they have a fine stock of goods, well assorted, and where they will be pleased to accommodate the former customers of the house, and the public generally.

W. BURCH. JOHN C. HEBERD. A. W. HULL. Vincennes, August 22, 1840—21-41.

NOTICE.

GREENHOW & BOYLE are just in receipt of additional supplies of Winter Goods, which render their stock complete and quite extensive. Purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine their prices before purchasing, as they will sell for the cash, unusually low.

Port of good quality will be taken at the highest cash price in the market for goods of the lowest cash prices at the store of

GREENHOW & BOYLE. Dec. 1839—30-41.

NOTICE.

JOHNEYMAN CHAIR MAKER, can get constant employment and a good situation by applying to

JOSEPH ROSEMAN. Oct. 23, 1840—20-41.

Valuable Town Lots for sale.

THE undersigned will sell at public sale, by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Knox county, Indiana, on Saturday, the 21st day of January next, at John C. Clark's Hotel, in Vincennes, all the right, title and interest of Alexander D. Scott, deceased, of, in and to four undivided fifth parts of Town Lots number two hundred and eighty-five (No. 285) and two hundred and fifty-six (No. 256), in the borough of Vincennes, on a credit of six and twelve months, the purchaser or purchasers giving bond with approved security.

ANDREW PURCELL, Sec. WILLIAM R. MCCORD. Executors of Alexander D. Scott, deceased. Vincennes, December 26th, 1840—29-41.

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Burch and Hannah was dissolved on the first instant by limitation, Mr. Hannah having withdrawn from the establishment. All persons knowing themselves indebted by note or book account, are particularly requested to call and settle the same immediately, as the books are to be settled up as speedily as possible.

WM. BURCH. J. B. HANNAH. Aug. 18th, 1840—21-41.

TAILORING.

THE subscribers would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have commenced the above business in the room formerly occupied by Martin Robinson, Esq., as a Magistrate's office, on Market st., where by their experience in, and attention to their business, they hope to merit a liberal share of public patronage.

SAM'L R. DUNN. B. H. CORNWALL. Nov. 1, 1839—23-41.

The Finish.

L. L. WATSON respectfully informs the citizens of Vincennes, and the community at large, that he has opened a house under that name, on the cash system, for the gratification and accommodation of the public, and trusts to the generosity of the citizens for the support of the house.

The Bar shall be furnished with the best of Wines and Liquors, and all the fashionable extras usually kept in coffee houses.

A Reading Room is attached to the house, upstairs, large and pleasant, where papers from all parts of the United States can be found, and some from foreign countries.

To the Ladies.

The ladies are respectfully informed that a pleasant room is furnished expressly for their benefit, where they can be furnished, without intrusion, day or night, with Ice Cream, Soda Water, fine Cakes, Raisins, Almonds, the best of Cordials, the finest of Wines, and Sangaree, and he hopes to secure their patronage. He pledges himself that nothing shall be wanting on his part to tender general satisfaction.

J. L. COLMAN. July 24, 1840—27-41.

DANIEL & EBERWINE, RECEIVING.

Forwarding and Commission Merchants. VINCENNES, IA.

REFERENCES: Wm. Burch & Co., Thorn & Tracy, Lytleton Thomas, S. W. & J. Wise, Geo. Cruikshank, Maddox & Gass, Bonner & Carman, J. M. Stockwell & Co., Wm. Thurston & Co., H. Hise & Co., Jacob Keller & Co., Thomas J. Carson, Nov. 28th, 1840—25-41.

Evansville, Ind. Louisville, Ky. Baltimore, Md.

LAST NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby requests all such as owe him by note or book account, to come forward and make payment on or before the 1st of March. This is his first and last call.—Those failing to comply with this request, will be promptly drawn up to the full.

HUGH DOAK. Nov. 20th 1840—24-3m.

300 ACRES OF VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.

L YING on the river Wash, 5 miles above Vincennes, running back to within about one hundred yards of the State Road leading from Vincennes to Terre-Haute. The land is of the first quality—has a fine orchard, and well timbered—has 80 or 90 acres under improvement.

I. N. WHITTELSEY. Dec. 4, 1840—26-41.

P. HANSBROUGH LEMEN ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Merom, Sullivan county, Ia. OFFICE IN THE COURT HOUSE. Mar. 22, 1840—52-41.

STOVES

PREMIUM COOKING STOVES, suitable for small families, for sale low by

GREENHOW & BOYLE. Ploughs! Ploughs! A lot of superior Ploughs just received, and for sale by

N. SMITH. Jan. 22nd 1840—36-41.

STOVES! STOVES!

THE undersigned has just received a large supply of Cooking, Franklin and Wood stoves of the most approved patterns, which they will sell low for cash.

MADDOX & GASS. May 7th, 1840—50-41.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby notifies all persons indebted to him by note or book account to make immediate payment, as he is compelled to have money to pay his debts. He would say to those who have work to do, and owe him, that 2000 lbs. will be taken, if delivered soon. Such persons as have made arrangements to pay their accounts in Wood, are requested to do so immediately.

SAMUEL GOCHENOUR. Dec. 12th, 1840—27-41.

LAW NOTICE.

THE undersigned would inform the citizens of Knox and the adjoining counties, that he has opened a Law Office in Vincennes, and will attend punctually to all business entrusted to him in the line of his profession. He will attend personally to the management of causes in the Circuit and other Courts of this and the neighboring counties.

Office on Market street, between second and third.

ENOCH B. TALCOTT. Dec. 3, 1840—2-41.

HARNES AND TRUNK MAKING.

JOHN C. BONNELLY, WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Vincennes, and the public in general, that he has commenced the above business, on Water street, in the rear of Maj. LeRoy's Fancy Store, where he is prepared to do any thing in his line, and solicits a portion of the public patronage. He pledges himself that his work shall not be inferior to any made in the West.

Dec. 31, 1840—26-41.

Head and Foot Stones.

JUST received fifteen sets of Head and Foot Stones, assorted sizes, and for sale by

D. WHITMORE. Oct. 25, 1839—22-41.

ESTRAY.

STRAYED away from the subscriber some time during last summer, a red cow and heifer calf, purchased from Mr. Geo. Davis. The end of the right horn of the cow is off; probably sawed off when young. There are other marks, but the color and the horn are sufficient by which to recognize the cow. The calf is of the same color of the cow. Any person returning the above described cow and calf to the undersigned, will be liberally rewarded.

R. Y. CADDINGTON. Dec. 18, 1840—

Salt! Salt!

800 bls. of Kenawha salt, and 200 bls. of extra superfine, just received and for sale for cash only, by

THORN & TRACY. March 12, 1839—46-41.

WANTED

A QUANTITY of Cypress Shingle Timber, for which I will give eight dollars per cord, got out as I may direct, and delivered at my Mill in Vincennes.

J. L. COLMAN. Dec. 11, 1840—27-41.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

THE public are hereby directed to the medicinal advertisements of Dr. HARTLICH'S celebrated Compound Strengthening Tonic, and German Aperient Pills, which are a Medicine P. Hartlich, a celebrated physician of Altdorf Germany, which has been used with unparalleled success throughout Germany. This medicine consists of two kinds, viz: the German Aperient, and the Compound Strengthening Tonic Pills.—They are each put up in small packs, and should both be used to effect a permanent cure. Those who are afflicted would do well to make a trial of this invaluable medicine, as they never produce sickness or nausea while using. A safe and of actual remedy for

Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

and all stomach complaints; pain in the side, Liver complaints, loss of appetite, Flatulency, Palpitation of the heart, general debility, nervous irritability, sick headache, Female diseases, Spasmodic affections, Rheumatism, Asthma, Consumption, &c. The German Aperient Pills are to cleanse the stomach and purify the blood. The Tonic or Strengthening Pills to strengthen and invigorate the nerves and digestive organs and give tone to the stomach, as all diseases originate from impurities of the blood and disordered stomach. This mode of treating diseases is patronized by all practical Physicians, which experience has taught them to be the only remedy to effect a cure. They are not only recommended and prescribed by the most experienced Physicians in their daily practice, but also taken by those gentlemen themselves whenever they feel the symptoms of those diseases, in which they know them to be efficacious. This is the case in all large cities in which they have an extensive sale. It is not to be understood that these medicines will cure all diseases merely by purifying the blood—this they will not do, but they certainly will, and sufficient authority of daily