ITEM COLUMN.

LECTURE ON THE PROHIBITORY LAW.

Hon. S. S. Beman, of New York, will deliver a Lecture on the Prohibitory Law, at the Court House THIS EVENING at 7 o'clock. The public are invited to attend. apl13

Springfield, Ills., March 30, 1855.

Hon. David Davis:

Dear Sir—The undersigned members of the bar in Springfield, would respectfully request your assent to an anouncement of yourself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of the Circuit Court, in, and for this judicial circuit.

Satisfied with the ability and impartiality with which the duties of the office have been discharged by you for the past six years,—they are confident that your acceptance of the office for another term would give general satisfaction to the people, and meet with the approbation of the members of the bar in the circuit.

With the hope that you will return an affirmative answer to this request, we are—Your friends.

Thomas Moffett,	Stephen T. Logan,
Jas. H. Matheny, Aty&Cl'k,	John T. Stuart,
Silas W. Robbins,	A. Lincoln,
James B. White,	B. S. Edwards,
T. G. Taylor,	E. B. Herndon,
Geo. W. Shutt,	James C. Conkling,
Wm. B. Baird,	A. McWilliams,
Wm. J. Conkling,	W. H. Herndon,
D. B. Campbell,	S. M. Cullom,
A. Campbell,	G Rucker,
W. J. Black,	N. M. Broadwell,
D. A. Brown,	Geo. W. Shaw.

Bloomington, April 10, 1855.

Gentlemen:—I am in receipt of your favor, of the 30th ult., soliciting me to become a candidate for re-election to the office which I now hold.

I am also in receipt of similar communications from other counties of the circuit.

The unanimity of the bar in Springfield in making this request, and the approbation which they have been pleased to bestow upon my judicial course—is very gratifying to me.

The question of my longer continuance in office, has engaged my thoughts for some time past; and the near approach of the election rendering a decision necessary, has not lessened my reluctance [illegible] one.

[illegible] be unprofitable to trouble you with the [illegible] own mind on the subject. As the result [illegible]ve my assent to announce me as a candidate for re-election to the office of Judge of this Judicial Circuit.

Most truly, your friend and ob't. servant,
DAVID DAVIS.

Messrs. Moffett, Logan, Stuart and other members of the bar, Springfield, Illinois.

The American Bible Society.—At a meeting of the Board of Managers of this Society, held in New York on the 5th inst., ten new auxiliary societies were recongnized: one in each of the States of Iowa, Wisconsin, Georgia and Tennessee, and two in each of the States of Arkansas, Texas and Illinois. Two thousand dollars was granted for China, one thousand dollars for Siam, and one thousand dollars for Germany.

Messrs Page, Bacon & Co. have advertised a speedy resumption, and have called upon such of their depositors as have signed off to come forward and receive the certificates at two, four, six and eight months.

Several Divisions of the Sons of Temperance have recently been established in San Francisco, and it is stated as a remarkable fact that in proportion as they have increased crime has decreased.

So urgent is the want of seamen for the naval service that the Secretary of the Navy has resolved to offer a bounty of twenty dollars to all able seamen, and fifteen dollars to all ordinary seamen, who shall enlist within the next 60 days.

Willis Hester, who had been previously convicted of negro stealing in Chatham, North Carolina, was last week sentenced to be hanged on Friday, 4th May. It is said the citizens are getting up a petition for his reprieve.

A correspondent of the California Chronicle, from Kern River, writes that he has found a monster gold boulder, worth two millions of dollars, and that he is watching it day and night. He begs some of his friends to come to his assistance. Do go.

Beale, the Philadelphia Dentist, is to have a new trial.

In the line of cigars, Bristol, opposite the post office, has some that are hard to beat.

S. B. Fisher, as will be seen by advertisement, has received his new goods, and is offering greater inducements than ever to purchasers.

L. H. Ide, of Wolf Creek, has already sold his immense stock of Osage Orange plants.

B. F. Fox, by the post office, is agent for the sale of Manny & Co's Combined Reaper and Mower, one of the best machines for reaping and mowing in the country.

An association is to be established in Toronto for the purpose of inducing emigrants from Ireland to settle in Canada in preference to the United States.

The New Haven Register says in relation to the Connecticut Legislature, that there will be in the House a majority of members who are now, or have been within the past year, known as democrats.

The prospects of our city going ahead the present season are fully equal to the last. We know several large business houses will be built besides quite a number of dwellings.

The Register says it is requested to announce O. C. Skinner, of Quincy, as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Judge Treat.

The song of the martin and lark were heard this morning for the first time here this season.

On the 11th, in New York City, it was snowing and raining.

Flour was selling for nine dollars in St. Louis on Monday. The same day in New York it was selling for $10 37 at wholesale.

C. W. Matheny has received a very fine stock of ladies' collars, chemisetts and undersleeves.

Spurious ten cent pieces are in circulation in the east. They are represented as being well executed.

The following adverstisement appeared a few days ago, in one of the dailies: "If the gentlemen who keeps a store in Cedar steet with a red head will return the umbrella he borrowed from a lady with an ivory handle, he will hear of something to his advantage."

MARRIED—In this city, on the afternoon of the 12th inst., by the Rev. Mr Hale, F. A. Moore, Esq. Editor of the LaCrosse Democrat, Wis., and Miss M. Cornelia, daughter of S. S. Kegwin, Esq.

On the 12th inst., by Rev. Prof. Daniel Garver, Helge Erekerson to Toroe Aerenes, all of this city.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Hon STEPHEN T. LOGAN is a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court for the 2d Grand Division of this State.

☞ We are authorized to announce, that WILLIAM A. TURNEY, in compliance with the following request, will be a candidate for CLERK of the SUPREME COURT, for the second Grand Division of this state, at the election to be holden on the first Monday of June, A. D 1855.

The Undersigned, from a personal knowledge of William A. Turney, Esq., believe that he is well qualified for Clerk of the Supreme Court for the Second Grand Division; we therefore request him to become a candidate for the office.

Archibald Williams, Adams.	S. H. Treat, Judge.
J. N. Morris, do	J. D. Caton, do
James M. Pitman, do	W. B. Scates, do
A. Wheat, do	E. Peck, Reporter.
Geo. Edmunds, Jr. do	N. W. Edwards,
Samuel Holmes, do	Charles Lanphier,
J. Grimshaw, Pike co.	George Walker,
C. L. Higbee, do	Thomas H. Campbell
Wm. R. Archer, do	A Starne,
J. S. Roberts, do	I. B. Curran, and
D. M. Woodson, Greene.	J. Finch, of
James M. Pursley, do	Sangamon County.
James H. English, do	W. B. Warren, of
H. D. Wyatt, do	Morgan county.
Tho. L. Harris, Menard.	D. A. Smith, do
John M. Palmer, Macoupin.	M. M. Connel, do
J. C. Davis, Hancock,	Wm. Brown, do
J. M. Campbell, M'Donough.	James Berdan, do
Jno. P. Richmond, of Schuyler co	J. H. McConnel, do
	H. B. McClure, do
S. W. Moulton, Shelby.	J. L. Morrison, do
W. C. Gondy, Fulton.	Cyrus Epler, do
J. B. McKinley, Dewitt.	Joseph Morton, do
R. J. Oglesby, Macon.	A. C. Dickson, do
J. S. Bailey, Brown.	J. R. Bennett, do
L. F. McCrillis, Calhoun county.	
H. A. Brown, Scott do.	

EXTENSION OF GAS PIPE.

The Gas Light Company are making preparations to lay pipe to all parts of the city where probabable consumption of gas will justify them.

Persons who desire to have the gas introduced into their neighborhoods are requested to make immediate appiication to the Company, as the pipe to be laid this summer must be ordered in Cincinnati before the first of May. In determining on the extension of their pipe, the company will be governed by the appications made.

Public lamps will be put up wherever the pipes are laid, and persons who desire an early extension of the line of public lamps from the public square to their neighborhoods as well as the introduction of this cheap, convenient and beautiful light into their house, should at once apply to the company.

March 29, d2w.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

TESTIMONY OF A PHYSICIAN.

Messrs. Baker & Co.—Dear Sirs: The public generally are fully aware of the thousands of remedies for Diseased Lungs, under the titles of Sarsaparillas, Pills, Plasters, Liniments, &c., that are daily brought to their notice through the newspapers, by way of advertisements.—My object in writing this note for publication is to induce the public, or at least those who are afflicted, (if they will use patent medicines,) to use one that contains articles *REAL USE* in *PULMONARY DISEASES*. I am conscious that, in so doing, I am acting most unprofessionally, and derogatory to the interests of medical science and the regular practitioners of medicine.

The medicine to which I refer is *"DR. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS."* I have prescribed it in a large number of cases, and *ALWAYS WITH SUCCESS*. *One case in particular*, to which I wish now to refer, was *GIVEN UP* by *SEVERAL PHYSICIANS* who had been called in consultation with myself. The Patient *had all the symptoms of confirmed Consumption*, such as Cold Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, Harassing Cough, with continued *pain* in the *lobe* of the *Right Lung*, attended with severe Diarrhoea! He commenced immediately to get better, by the use of the above named medicine, and was *soon restored* to his *usual health!* I have also found Dr. Hall's Balsam the *most valuable Expectorant* for breaking up distressing Coughs and Colds that I have ever used.

Cincinnati, Nov. 2, 1849. W. D. WRIGHT, M. D.

MORE PHYSICIANS' TESTIMONY.

We, the undersigned, Physicians of Cincinnati, certify that Dr. Wright's statements are entitled to the fullest confidence of the public, and we can fully corroborate what he has said, having used *DR HALL'S BALSAM* in a number of cases, with the happiest effects.

J. S. LAWSON, M. D.
WM. C. SMITH, M. D.,
Cincinnati, Nov. 21, 1849. J. L. JOHNSON, M. D.

☞See VAN DEUSEN'S advertisement in another column. mar28-d6m

☞To the Physicians of Illinois—and to all who use Liquor as a Medicine or as a beverage.

Physicians who proscribe Alcoholic Liquors for medicinal purposes should give the preference to WOLFE'S SCHEIDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS.

1. It is manufactured in Schiedam, in Holland, and exclusively in the factory of the proprietor, by processes and from material elsewhere unemployed and unknown.

2. It is proved, by the repeated analysis of several eminent chemists to be entirely free from the pernicious fusil oil which remains in every kind of liquor distilled from grain, and which is the cause of the nervous and visceral derangement, serious congestion, and morbid desire for habitual and intemperate indulgence, which such liquors invariably tend to superinduce.

3. It is proved by the same unerring tests that the Juniper Gin is not flavored with the coarse, acrid and indigestible oil of Juniper heretofore used, but with the specifically lighter, more volatile, aromatic and medicinal of the two essential oils of the Italian juniper berry, neglected by every other manufacturer.

4. It is chemically proved to be absolutely pure in its rectification—a quality obtained by an entirely new process, and which no other Holland Gin in the world has acquired.

5. It is proved by extensive medical experience and testimony to be an efficient as well as an agreeable remedy in many cases of incipient dropsy, gravel, chronic gout, rheumatism, flatulence, colic, concretions in the kidney and bladder, dyspepsia, fever and ague, general debility, sluggish circulation of the blood, deficient assimilation of food and exhausted vital energy.

6. It is a most grateful and renovating cordial, and when used as directed, never inflames the system, or induces inebriety, but tends rather to subdue the latter frailty, by creating a dislike to all inferior liquors. And it invariably corrects the ill effects of bad water, whether in swampy, or limestone districts. In all of these enumerated localities it has no rival in any market in the world.

Since the introduction of this celebrated medicinal beverage into the United States, a number of Liquor Houses in New York and our other large cities have commenced counterfeiting it. The genuine is only sold in quart and pint bottles, handsomely wrapped in yellow paper, with my name on the bottle, cork and label. I would advise those who use it medicinally, to purchase by the bottle, as Bars and Hotels, frequently fill my bottles with common gin and sell it for genuine. For sale by all the respectable Druggists in the United States. UDOLPHO WOLFE,
18, 20 and 22 Beaver St. New York.

The word "Schnapp" belongs exclusively to my article, all others are counterfeit.

☞Wholesale dealers in Chicago, Illinois: J. & S. Reed & Co., J. S. Doggett, Whittaker & Bro, Bay & Baldwin.

January 16

BAKER'S BROMA

A FRESH supply, just received and for sale by
mar17 WM. LAVELY.

Wanted.

FOUR or Five good Teams to haul Logs, and six good Choppers. Apply to
april10 ROSS & EASTMAN.

To all whom it may Concern.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I shall be present to the county court of Sangamon county, to be holden at the court house in Springfield, on the 3rd Monday in the month of June next, my resignation as guardian for John Wesley Renn, minor heir of Henry Renn, dec'd.

NANCY HUTTON,
april10 late Nancy Renn.

To John Hayward or his Legal Heirs.

A LAND Warrant for 160 Acres, is now in my possession, belonging to said Hayward or his heirs, which is subject to his or their order after expenses are paid.
april10 '55-3w JOSIAH FRANCIS.

A COOK WANTED.

ENQUIRE at the "Pennsylvania House" formerly Sangamo. april10-dtf.

POTASH—For sale by
april11 CORNEAU & DILLER.

SAL SODA—For sale by
april11 CORNEAU & DILLER.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—There will be preaching at 1st Presbyterian Church every night this week.

☞The cost of an Eye, or the value of an eye has heretofore been considered an unanswerable question, that organ being considered above all others the most precious and the least to be spared—but we have lately heard of a case in our city—where not only one, but a pair of the most beautiful and sound eyes were purchased for the sum of one dollar. The case was this and can be attested by numerous respectable citizens of Springfield who were familiar with the case. Mr. I. Stringham bought a horse for $40, in every way an extra fine animal, with this exception, he was totally blind; by making a judicious investment of one dollar, he increased his value to one hundred dollars.

We give his own version of the affair—

"When I saw the horse offered for sale, I examined his eyes, and finding them full and not broken, the idea struck me that Dr. North's Cherokee Liniment would cure them, as I had used it in so many bad cases of injuries on horses, particularly, a case of Fistula, which I cured with this Liniment. I began to think that it would cure almost anything on a horse I bought the horse, and immediately commenced using the Liniment, by pouring a little into the socket over the eye, every day, (not into the eye but over it,) and in about four weeks his eyes were perfectly restored, and I consider the horse worth $100, which leaves me $60 clear profit, on an investment of one dollar in the Cherokee Liniment.

Springfield, Ill. J. STRINGHAM."

☞Mr. S. is well known in our city, and if one doubts the above statement. We can satisfy them in fine minutes of its correctness.

TO THE FARMERS.

Gentlemen:—If you want to produce Onions the same year of sowing the seed, you can do so by procuring the *Large Red Onion Seed*, which you can get by calling at the Family Medicine Depot, in Springfield, Brown & Bros. of Decatur, or Stout & Bros. of Bloomington, who are agents for the sale of the Genuine Red Onion Seed.

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☞An advertisement of the wonderful effects of "Wood's Hair Restorative," will be found on the outsids of this paper.

VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

Dr. Johns, one of the most celebrated Physicians in New York, writes as follows:

Dr. Curtis—*Dear Sir*:—Having witnessed the excellent effects of your *Hygeana or Inhaling Hygean Vapor and Cherry Syrup*, in a case of chronic Bronchitis, and being much in favor of counter-irritation in affections of the the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, I can therefore cheerfully recomend your Medicated Apparatus as being the most convenient and effectual mode of applying any thing of the kind I have ever seen. No doubt thousands of persons may be relieved, and many cured, by using your remedies.

You are at liberty to use this in any way you think proper. Respectfully, yours,
C. JOHNS, M. D.,
No. 609 Houston street, New York.

Prof. S. Center writes as follows:—

Gentlemen,—I have recently had occasion to test your Cherry Syrup and Hygean Vapor in a case of *chronic sore throat*, that had refused to yield to other forms of treatment, and the result has satisfied me, that, whatever may be the composition of your preparation, it is no imposition, but an excellent remedy. I wish, for the sake of the afflicted, that it might be brought within reach of all.

Rev. Dr. Cheever writes:—
New York, Nov. 15, 1854

Dear Sir:—I think highly of Dr. Curtis' Hygeana, as a remedy in diseases of the throat and lungs. Having had some opportunity to test its efficiency. I am convinced that it is a most excellent medicine, both the Syrup and the inhaling application to the chest.

The HYGEANA is for sale by NORTH & BRISTOL, and by CORNEAU & DILLER, daw1y dec21

To the Creditors F & M. Bank.

ON Saturday the 14th of April, I will pay a dividend to the creditors of the Mechanics and Farmers Bank.
april9, '55 JOHN T. STUART, Receiver.

APPLE TREES, &c.

A FINE variety of Apple, Pear and Cherry Trees.—Also, Gooseberries, at the garden of S. Francis, and for sale by (april9) J. ORR.

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

PERSONS wanting Lumber can be supplied at short notice by sending their orders to the Saw Mill formerly owned by Priest & Eastman, near the Cottage Garden.
Springfield, ap10 ROSS & EASTMAN.

Practising Party.

MRS. MILLER'S last Practising Party for the season, will come off at the
MASONIC HALL,
On Thursday Evening, April 12th,
on which occasion, the ladies, without further notice, are invited to attend.

A good Band will be in attendance. Refreshments at 12 o'clock.

☞Tickets for gentlemen $1.50. ap9-td

CORNEAU & DILLER,

East Side of the Public Square—Springfied, Ill.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Paints, Oil, Varnishes, Perfumery and Fancy Articles, Glassware and Patent Medicines.

HAVE just received a large and superior stock of everything in our line, which will be sold on the best terms and at the lowest possible prices. Just call and see for yourselves. ap6

NEATS FOOT OIL—Just the article of your harness, &c.
ap7 For sale by CORNEAU & DILLER.

FISH OIL—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

LARD OIL—Just received by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

LINSEED OIL—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

TURPENTINE—for sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

ALCOHOL—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

WHITE LEAD—In 50 lb and 25 lb kegs for sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

RED LEAD—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

BLACK LEAD—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

COPAL VARNISH—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

SPIRIT GAS—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

VENITIAN RED AND SPANISH BROWN—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

LAMP BLACK—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

BORAX—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

CAMPHOR—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

LITHERAGE—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

ALUM—For sale by
ap7 CORNEAU & DILLER.

Life of the Chicago Banker, Geo. W. Green

WHO was found guilty of Poisoning his wife, and who committed suicide by hanging, in the Jail of Cook county. For sale by C. BIRCHALL,
mar21 No. 10 south side of the square.

PAINTING BUSINESS.

THE subscriber has taken into partnership, Wm. H. Eckler, and the will do business under the style of E. G. Johns & Co. They are ready to do all kinds of Painting, including sign painting, and paper hanging, on fair terms.

☞Shop near Hutchinson's Cabinet Warehouse.
ap7 E. G. JOHNS.

A GARDENER.

PERSONS who wish to employ a good Gardener, can find one by applying at the Reading Room of the Journal Office. ap6

A NEW FANCY HOUSE FOR SALE.

I WISH to sell my house and lot situated on the north side of Mason street, lot 14, block 15.—The house has been built about one year, is very substantial and convenient, contains two rooms, two closets and a hall. I will sell it very low if application be made soon.
ap5-d3w&b3 JOSEPH GOMES.

1855. 1855.

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS!

JOHN WILLIAMS & CO.,
NO. 2, NORTH SIDE THE SQUARE,

ARE now receiving direct from the eastern cities, one of the
LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS
ever opened in this city, among which may be found
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
Bonnets, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Ready-Made Clothing, Parasols, Umbrellas, Carpets, Carpet Bags, Looking Glasses, Hosiery, Yankee Notions, Hardware, Queensware, Gum and Oil Clothing, Wall Paper, Groceries, &c., &c.

We invite all to call and inspect goods and prices, as we promise not to be undersold by any other store in the city.
april2 JOHN WILLIAMS & CO.

P. S. All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for Goods.

6,000 Pieces Wall Paper!

WE have just received direct from the manufactory a large lot of Wall Papers, embracing some very new and beautiful patterns, which makes our assortment the largest and most desirable ever exhibited in this city, and at prices that cannot fail to please, varying from 12½c to $1 per roll.

We have also a beautiful assortment of Velvet and Gilt Borders and Paper Window Blinds in endless variety which we invite all to call and examine.
april2 JOHN WILLIAMS & CO.

NEW GOODS.

21 Cases Received this Morning!
50 Cases More on the Way
from the Eastern Cities, of which notice will be given. HICKOX HUNT & CO.
April 9, '55

CONSUMPTION! CONSUMPTION!

Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs,
—FOR THE—
Consumption, Decline, Asthma, Bronchitis, Wasting of Flesh, Night Sweats, Spitting Blood, Whooping Cough, Dificulty of Breathing, Colds, Coughs, Influenza, Phthisic, Pain in the Side,
AND ALL
DISEASES OF THE CHEST AND LUNGS.

DR. HALL'S BALSAM contains no *Opium*, *Calomel*, or any mineral poison, but is composed mostly of those roots herbs and vegetable substances which have a specific influence upon the lungs and their connected organs. The *immediate effect* is to allay all irritation and gently remove the *phlegm* and other morbid secretions from the throat and Air Passages, thus relieving the Cough, *by subduing the inflammation* and other causes which give rise to it. It also stimulates and imparts a healthy tone to the Lungs themselves, thereby enabling them more thoroughly to remove from the blood those impurities and diseased particles, which, if retained, do so much mischief in the system, and lay the foundation for incurable CONSUMPTION. It also exerts a decided action upon the skin, and assists nature in expelling through the Exhalents, much of that morbid matter which would otherwise be thrown back upon the Lungs, thus relieving them of a part of their work, and rendering the system pure and healthy. When tubercles are forming, it checks their development and farther progress; or if ulceration has taken place, it assists the lungs in throwing off the corrupted matter, soothes the irritation, heals the ulcerated cavities, and restores them again to healthy action. This medicine, therefore, is not a *palliative* merely, which only relieves for the time being, but is a *thorough curative*, as it strikes to the very root of the disease, and by removing it, removes at once all its remote and attendant consequences. This is its *distinguished characteristic*—a property possessed, in equal power, by no other medicine of like nature, now before the public.

THE MOST EXTRAORDINARY
CURES OF CONSUMPTION
Are made here at home, and certified to by such men as W. L. Wright, M. D., J. S. Lawson, M. D., Wm. C. Smith, M. D., J. S. Johnson, M. D., Capt. Wm Pearce, R. S. Mulford, esq., and others who are well known citizens of Cincinnati.

☞Call upon the Agent.☜

And get a pamphlet and read their certificates, in full, and you must be fully convinced of the *extraordinary merits of this medicine*.

CAUTION! Beware of Dr. Hall's Pulmonic Balsam; also, Dr. Hall's Cough Remedy, which is sometimes palmed off for the genuine.

☞Be sure and ask for Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs.

For sale wholesale and retail by
M. M. VANDEUSEN, Druggist,
mar24-1y West side square, Springfield, Ill.

A Wet Nurse Wanted.

APPLY at the Journal Office for further information.
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THE LIFE OF
HON. WM. H. SEWARD.
HIS SPEECHES ORATIONS AND WRITINGS.
In One Volume, with a Portrait.
Just Published. Price One Dollar.

Mr. Seward's biography is excelled by that of no living cotemporary in interest and importance. His principles and sentiments are clearly and eloquently stated in the extracts embodied in this volume. Several of his best speeches are given entire.

Universal Education, Freedom and Internal Improvements,

are the prominent topics of this book, as they are of the present age. In their discussion, every true friend of Republican Institutions is now more than ever interested.—To all classes of people, old and young, therefore this book is presented as a

MANUEL OF POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY.

Since the views and principles embodying Freedom and Improvement in this country have come to be generally known

AS SEWARDISM,

every intelligent person, on either side, requires to be fully "posted up" in the matter. J. S. REDFIELD,
mar30—3w Nos. 110 & 112 Nassau Street.

House and Lot for Sale.

IN E. Iles addition—Lot 3, Block 6, opposite the residence of O. Lewis, on 7th Street. The House contains 3 rooms and a back porch. There is a stable, smoke house and cellar on the lot. For particulars enquire of Jno. Bennet, Petersburg, or
ma 16 C. W. CHATTERTON.

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Artzman & Felheim, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All claims against the above, jointly or severally, will be paid by S. Folheim, and all accounts due to the firm, except such as are assigned to E. Artsman, will be collected by the same. E. ARTSMAN,
april2 SOL. FELHEIM.

City Collector's Office.

BY an order of the City Council, I am instructed to give public notice that the delinquent Street Tax List for the years 1852, 1853 and 1854, and also the delinquent claims for side-walks. And all other unpaid city claims are now in the hands of S. B. Adams, Police Magistrate, with instructions to bring suit thereon, if not paid previous to the 10th of April next. Those wishing to save cost can pay to S. B. Adams previous to that date.
S. B. MOODY,
mar24—td City Assessor and Collector.

ABNER Y. ELLIS. HENRY A. GRANNIS.
ELLIS & GRANNIS,
Forwarding and Commission MERCHANTS,
Third Street, between Washington and Jefferson, Opposite the C. & R. R. Depot.

WM. CAMPBELL,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW, Ewington Effingham County, Ill.—Will promptly and faithfully attend to all professional business entrusted to his care in Effingham and the adjoining counties. mar22

BELCHER'S SYRUP MOLASSES,

IN BARRELS, halves, and ten gallon kegs, just received and for sale in quantities to suit, by
mar20. W. LAVELY.

GEORGE V. BAKER,
MANUFACTURER OF
CIRCULAR SAW MILLS,
On Eighth, between Edwards and Cook Street, directly East of the City Mill, Springfield Ill.
mar 30, 1855-1y

GOOD ENOUGH FOR US!
We will pay 5 per cent premium in Goods, for
TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR
Mechanics & Farmers Bank Notes.
INDIANA MONEY WANTED!
GOLD AND SILVER NOT REFUSED!
dec11. WRIGHT & BROWN.

C. P. GRAVAT,
HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTER,
PAPER HANGER AND GLAZIER.
☞Shop over A. Freeman's Store
ap5 *SPRINGFIELD, ILLS.*

Hams! Hams!! Hams!!!

WE have a new supply of a very superior article at our Meat Shop, a few doors south of the American House. If you want a good Ham, you can be supplied at our shop.
mar16 FULLER & DAWSON.

AUCTION SALES

BY MAXCY & PHEASANT,

CASH SALE.
A LARGE HOUSE AT AUCTION.

WE will sell on Tuesday the 17th day of April, on the premises, for cash in hand, Lot No. 7, in Block 1, N. W. Edwards' addition to the town, now city of Springfield. This house is situated directly south of Esq. Kline's large house on north Fifth street. The lot is 53 1-3 feet front and 157 feet deep to an alley. The lot also comes in on an alley. On the lot there are three tenements—one of them contains 6 rooms, stable, &c., the remaining 2 contain 3 rooms each. The whole house will rent for $22 per month which will yield 25 per cent. on the cost of said property. Now is a chance for a bargain as the property will be sold for cost on above date. Come one and all—a bargain will be sold.

MAXCY & PHEASANT,
mar30 Aucts.

AUCTION SALE,
By authority of State House Commissioners.

WE will sell at public auction on the premises, ON MONDAY, the 16th day of APRIL, lots number fifteen and sixteen, block number eight, situated on the corner of 8th and Market streets, E. Iles' addition to the city of Springfield. (The premises can be more generally known as the Governor's house.)

Terms of Sale—One third cash, the remainder on the 1st of September next, or as soon thereafter as possession can be given, six per cent int. This house is situated in a beautiful part of the city, in a pleasant neighborhood, and well worthy of the attention of cash buyers. The house contains some ten or twelve rooms, and is well calculated for a boarding house. This property, from the probable amount it will be sold for, will rent for 20 per cent on the amount invested. MAXCY & PHEASANT,
ap7 Auctioneers and general land agents.

At Private Sale.

MAXCY & PHEASANT offer a good Dwelling House, on Washington Street, embracing lots 45 and 6 in block 2 in Crosby's addition to Springfield, containing 6 rooms, a good stable, good well of water, fruit trees, &c., in good order. All the improvements new and well arranged to suit the taste of almost any person. Terms easy. Apply to
MAXCY & PHEASANT,
mar23 Auctioneers.

N. B. Possession given the 1st of May next.

FURNITURE AT AUCTION.

ON SATURDAY, the 14th, at ten o'clock, we will sell in front of our auction room, a large lot of household and kitchen furniture, such as beds, bedding, lounges, settees, chairs, tables, parlor and bed room stoves, one large cook stove, plates, dishes, knives and forks, a general assortment of oyster fixtures, cups and saucers, 6 casters, tin safe, empty barrels, one mantel clock, one writing desk.

☞Also, a stock of sugar, coffee, tobacco, tea, molasses, feigars, spice, pepper, ginger, saleratus, starch, nut megs, cloves, gum camphor, rice, fish, lot of glass jars, &c., in act this is a big sale, and you must all come. Terms of sale cash. (ap5) MAXCY & PHEASANT, Auc'rs.

AUCTION SALE.

WE will sell at auction on THURSDAY the 12th, at 1 o'clock, on the premises, a lease to run 9 years from the first of last February, the north half of the south half of lot one and block eleven, old town plat, directly opposite the new block of brick buildings known as the Journal Buildings, on which there is a comfortable frame house containing five rooms, good well of water, a fine cistern. All well fined the house is well calculated for one or two small business houses, being only a half block from the square on north sixth street.

ON THE SAME DAY.

WELL sell on the premises, lot 8, block 3, N. W. Edward's addition. The lot is situated on north six street, three and a half blocks, north of the square. The lot fronts east one hundred and eleven feet, and runs back to an alley, 152 feet deep. This lot is high and dry, situated in one of the most pleasant parts of the city, and is well worthy of attention. Terms made known on day of sale.
ap5 MAXCY & PHEASANT, Auc'rs.

Auction Sale.

WE will sell at auction on the 19th day of April, at 1 o'clock, a well finished Frame House, containing 6 rooms, good dry cellar, fine well of water, cistern, small stable and other out-buildings, near the corner of Market and Fourth sts., opposite the residence of the Rev. Mr. Dodge, situated in block 2, and lot 3, B. S. Edward's addition to the city of Springfield. This is a pleasant residence and well worthy the attention of buyers.

Also, a good business lot with a small frame house on it. The house is now used by Mr. Maxwell as a stone cutter's shop. The lot is directly south of Hurst & Taylor's, and north of the third church and extends to the alley. The lot is 22 feet front and 70 feet deep to an alley of 10 feet

Terms of Sale—For house one-half cash, the remainder in 12 months with 6 per cent interest. For lot two-thirds cash, the remainder in 12 months with 6 per cent. interest.
MAXCY & PHEASANT,
mar15 Aucts. & R. E. A.

GARDENER'S LOOK HERE!

FOR sale or Rent, 20 acres of very rich rolling land, within a quarter of a mile of the western limits of the city, adjoining the Agricultural Fair Gronnds. There is lasting Water on the premises, and a log cabin and stable. A purchaser can buy this land on speculation. Enquire of
MAXCY & PHEASANT, Auctioneers,
mar7-d1w Opposite the Post Office.

FINE HOUSE AND LOT AT AUCTION.

WE will sell at auction on the premises, situated on Washington street, directly opposite Priest's oil mill, lots four, five and six, in block two, in Crosby's addition to Springfield. On one of the lots is a fine frame dwelling containing six rooms, a new house, well finished, a fine well of good never failing water, all necessary out buildings. Also, a good lot of shrubbery, fruit trees, &c. Possession given 1st of May next. Terms of Sale—One half cash in hand, the remainder in three and six months, 6 per cent interest. Sale on Monday, 23d day of April.
ap6 MAXCY & PHEASANT, Auc'rs.

LEASE AND FURNITURE OF THE Alton House, in Alton, for Sale.

THE Proprietor of this Establishment, wishing to retire from the business, will sell the lease and furniture of this Hotel to a good Hotel keeper, on reasonable terms; and also the stock of Livery attached—consisting of Horses, Buggies, Hacks, Carriages, Harness, Saddles, &c. Both together would suit two good men, who can carry on such a business jointly.

This old established stand is too well known to need much comment. For the last five years, it is enough to say it has a good and profitable business. The house contains about 80 rooms, and is well furnished—one-half of the Furniture purchased within the last year.

It is very eligibly located on the corner of Front and Alty streets, about midway between the Depots leading to Chicago and Terre Haute, and commands a fine view of the river. This presents a rare opportunity for engaging in an active and profitable business. For terms, and further particulars, address the undersigned at Alton, Illinois.
april3-1m AMOS L. CARSON.

FOR RENT.

A COMFORTABLE HOUSE. Possession given on 9th inst. Enquire of
ap5 H. C. MYERS & CO.

Partnership Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between Thomas Condell, Jr., and John S. Condell, under the firm of J. S. Condell & Co., was dissolved on 12th inst., by mutual consent.

All who are indebted to said firm will please call at the store and settle without delay.
THOMAS CONDELL, JR.,
JOHN S. CONDELL.

The business will be continued as usual at the same stand by John S. Condell who has associated with him William Stockdale and Joseph D. Condell, under the firm of
mar16—d1m CONDELL, STOCKDALE & CO.

TIMBER LAND FOR SALE.

WE will sell at private sale, if applied for soon, twenty acres of first rate timber land. This land is situated five and a half miles west of Springfield on the north side of Spring Creek. Terms of Sale—One third cash in hand, the remainder in six and twelve months with six per cent. from date. MAXCY & PHEASANT, Auc'rs.

BONNETS.

A LARGE variety of French, English, Durham, French Lace, and Gossamer—Hair and Straw—Belgrade, Silk, Satin, Florence Braid, hungarian, &c., now opening and for sale by
mar28 AYERS & WARDALL.

BOOK AGENTS WANTED.

TO CIRCULATE some most rapid selling and beautifully illustrated subscription Works, by which from $3 to $5 per day can be earned. Circulars with full particulars will be sent on application to HENRY HOWE,
mar22-w1y No. 111 Main St., Cincinnati, O.

PUMICE STONE—For sale by
april11 CORNEAU & DILLER.

INDIGO Spanish Float—For sale by
april11 CORNEAU & DILLER.

SALT PETRE—Purified, for sale by
april11 CORNEAU & DILLER.

ROSIN—For sale by
april1 CORNEAU & DILLER.

WHITTING—For sale by
april1 CORNEAU & DILLER.

BLUE VITRIOL—For sale by
apl1 CORNEAU & DILLER.

RED and WHITE CHALK—For sale by
apl1 CORNEAU & DILLER.

ORNAMENTAL SHRUBBERY.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

THERE are many residents of Springfield whose premises might be rendered very tasteful and pleasant, by being properly laid out, and ornamented with trees and shrubs, but who are deterred from any attempt to this end from the want of time to give personal attention to the matter, and from the expense of employing a competent gardener. For the accommodation of this numerous class, we propose to take charge of their grounds and lay them out, either in accordance with our own taste, or that of our employers, and to furnish and plant all

Ornamental Shrubbery, Trees, Plants, &c.

that may be needed. We will be responsible that it is properly done, and will always be prepared to furnish every desirable variety of Trees, Shrubs, and Plants, and will set out only those which we know will do well in this climate. Afterwards, we will, for a very moderate compensation, by the year or season, attend to the grounds and plantations, keeping the whole in good order, attending to the walks, edgings, &c., and, in every respect, relieving the owners from the care of the premises. The cost in this way of keeping up a pretty show of

SHRUBBERY AND PLANTS,

in the lots of town residences, will be much less than in any other manner, and scarcely any one need be prevented, on the score of expense, from giving their residences an appearance of taste and elegance.

One object in this arrangement is chiefly to extend the sale of shrubbery and other plants, and we do not expect or desire to make a profit by taking care of them after they are planted out; and we will charge only a very small advance on the wages we will have to pay to the persons who do the work under our constant supervision.

For the accommodation of this and the other branches of our business, we have taken the

ROOMS OVER CLARK'S EXCHANGE BANK,

where we will be ready to receive orders for ornamenting grounds, and all articles in the different branches of our business of

NURSERMEN AND FLORISTS.

We will also keep for sale, in the proper seasons, a fine and large collection of Shrubbery, Trees and out-door and green-house plants.

Our rooms will be fitted up and in order for the exhibition of a choice collection of bedding-out and other plants, in the beginning of April, and we will be pleased if our friends, and especially the ladies will call frequently.
ap4-dtf. M. DOYLE & CO., Sangamon Nursery.

BOUNTY LAND.

UNDER a late Law of Congress passed March 3d 1855, all persons who served 14 days or longer in any war of the United States since the year 1790, or their Widows or Minor Heirs, at the date of said Law, are entitled to

160 ACRES OF LAND.

If they have heretofore received any part of the 160 Acres, the amount received will be deducted from the same.

The undersigned having all the Laws relating to Pensions and Bounty Lands, are prepared to give prompt attention to such claims as may be placed in their care, and to put them through STRAIGHT.

WRIGHT & CONKLING,
mar20-dawtf Office No. 4, North side puplic square.

Farms & Lands for Sale.

15,000 *Acres Real Estate for Sal[e]*

THE subscriber with a view to winding up his Real Estate operations now offers his entire Landed interest (with the exception of his homestead farm, [illegible] miles south of Springfield) in Sangamon, Menard, Mason, Logan, Macon, Christian and Shelby counties, embracing in quantity over 15,000 ACRES, and located in the best Agricultural portion of Illinois.

These lands have been selected with an eye to their eligibility to Rail Roads, and a perfect adaptation to Stock Raising. Having fully resolved to sell, he invites the attention of Real Estate purchasers to his list, as follows: to wit:—

"RANS DES VACHE,"

Embracing 700 Acres—640 under good plank fence, and nearly the whole under good set of Timothy and Clover. A LARGE TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING, and Two Tenant Houses, quite an extensive Orchard growing on the premises, composing which there are 400 well selected Apple Trees, from the celebrated nursery of James Orr, Esq., Louisville, Ky. This farm is bountifully supplied with good durable Stock Water, being situated on Prairie Creek. The location is a fine healthy one, considerably elevated above all other adjacent tracts, and the neighborhood, perhaps the most prosperous and largest Stock Raising community in the State of Illinois.

"CASTLE POINT."

Embracing 680 Acres—100 Acres being Timber,—640 acres under fence and well set in Timothy, Clover, and Blue Grass. This farm being situated in the Island Grove, is nicely watered by Big Spring Creek, and is higly adapted for grazing purposes, more particularly for winter grazing as it is well protected from the northern and western winds by the timber of the Island Grove.—This tract has TWO TENEMENTS and a bearing Orchard; is within 3 miles of New Berlin Depot on the Great Western Rail Road.

"CHERRY BOWER."

Lying adjoining Castle Point and embracing 372 acres more or less—130 acres under plank fence, pretty good FRAME DWELLING, a growing Orchard and about 20 acres newly set in Timothy Meadow. The whole of this tract is of the first quality in point of soil, and its adaptation for general farming purposes.

"BARRET PLACE."

Embracing 770 acres more or less, with a fair proportion of Timber, about 280 acres under fence and a small Tenement. Well supplied with Stock Water by Little Spring Creek, and situated within two miles of Berlin Depot, and twelve miles from Springfield, on the Jacksonville road.

BERLIN FARM.

[illegible]0 acres of well fenced Land lying contiguous to the town of Berlin, Island Grove, and suitable for private residence.

SPRINGFIELD FARM.

80 Acres lying contiguous to the capitol of State well improved, with a good FRAME HOUSE, and the whole well fenced with post and rail fences and newly set in Timothy meadow.

"BLUE POINT,"

Embracing 280 acres of high and beautifully undulating Land, just eighteen miles from Springfield, on the Terre Haute road, in Christian county, 160 acres in cultivation, 40 acres timber; and the whole in good shape for subdividing into convenient fields. Well watered by two streams of good and durable stock water. Has a good

FRAME HOUSE,

suitable for a Tavern Stand. Also, a small Log Tenant House.

"TAYLORSVILLE FARM,"

Embracing 320 acres immediately adjoining and overlooking the prosperous county seat of Christian county, destined to be one of the wealthiest and most populous counties in the State of Illinois. This farm has a comfortable FRAME DWELLING, a bearing Orchard and well supplied with Stock Water.

"MAMMOTH SPRING,"

A beautiful picturesque Tract of 1200 Acres, lying mainly in Macon county, Ills., and well situated on the Great Central Railroad, 12 or 13 miles south of Decatur, embracing about 500 acres of Good Timber, in a locality where timber is destined to be scarce and valuable.

This tract is most bountifully watered by the Great Mammoth Spring, which contain from 15 to 20 feet depth of clear running water during the whole of the drought of last summer and fall. This Spring has never been known to depreciate in quantity during the history of the country.

This tract is wholly unimproved, but possesses natural advantages for Stock Raising not to be excelled by any location in the world.

"PRAIRIE HOME,"

Three miles north of Mt. Auburn, embracing 320 acres with a fair proportion of Timber; 160 acres under fence and in high state of cultivation, 40 acres newly set in Timothy meadow, a good *FRAME DWELLING HOUSE*, and small Tenant House, a young Orchard, good Stabling, Feed Lots, &c., and situated within two and a half miles of Long Point Depot on the Great Western Rail Road.

In addition to these tracts about 8000 ACRES in large and small tracts situated in the different counties mentioned above, will be sold on the most liberal terms. Time will be given to such as desire it.

☞Further particulars may be had at my office, or Fondey's Store, south side square, Springfield, Ills.

☞In my absence Messrs. Campbell & Fondey, occupying the same office, will sell for me.
Springfield, mar21 JAMES A. BARRET.

JAMES L. HILL,

OFFERS his services to the business men of Illinois as an accountant for adjusting complicated books and accounts, and for settling contested claims, making balances, and dividing and settling between parties that cannot agree, and to perform the duties of a Scrivener.

Will act as a Real Estate Agent, pay taxes, sell lands and collect rents. From 25 years experience as an accountant, he hopes to merit and receive a share of patronage from a generous public.

☞Office at the Counting-house of C. W. Matheny
May 16, 1854. d1y

THE IMPORTED SHORT HORNED
DURHAM BULL
YOUNG WHITTINGTON,

IMPORTED by the "Scioto Valley Importing Company of Ohio, in the year of 1852, will be allowed to serve a limited number of blooded cows at Twenty Dollars each, the money due when the cow is served.—Cows proving not to be in Calf will be allowed to return the next year, without charge.

☞Good pasturage will be furnished without charge.

☞Care will be taken to prevent accidents or escapes but will not be responsible should any occur.

PEDIGREE.

YOUNG WHITTINGTON, Roan, calved Nov. 19th, 1851 got by whittington; (see vol. 10, p. 235 English Herd Book.
1st Dam by Magician, (7185) "
2d " " Cleveland, (3403) "
3d " " a son of Cold Craddock's Magician, (2243
Grass Plains, Island Grove,
Illinois, mar28. JAS. N. BROWN.

LOST.

ON the morning of April 6th, a letter directed to M. W. Stout, of this city, and mailed at either Henry or Hennepin, P. O., Ill. Lost between Condell's corner and town branch. The finder will confer a favor by leaving said letter at the post office or returning it to subscriber.
ap7-pd6t M. W. STOUT.