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# DAILY PORTSMOUTH DISPATCH.

Devoted to Commercial, Manufacturing and General Intelligence.

VOL. I.

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NO. 163

## THE DAILY DISPATCH.

Is published every morning, Sundays excepted, at the Office of the Portsmouth Inquirer, by:

### CLEVELAND & MILLER,

TERMS.—A dime a week.

Advertisements by the day, week or month, inserted on liberal terms.

#### Rates of Advertising.

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FOR

## PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

TERMS.—From two to four dollars per annum for each concern, according to quantity of matter.

### BANKERS.

#### P. KIVETT & CO.,

Bankers and Brokers, buy and sell, exchange, receive Deposits, sell Gold and Silver, and buy uncurrent notes. Money loaned on favorable terms.

#### KINNEY & TRACY.

Bankers and Exchange Dealers, loans money at long or short dates, receives money on deposit allowing interest on the same, collects notes &c. Gold, Silver and uncurrent notes bought and sold.—Office 4 doors below the U. S. Hotel, Front street.

### BANK OF PORTSMOUTH.

Capital \$100,000. Deposits received at all times. Sells Exchange at current rates.

### INSURANCE COMPANIES.

City Insurance Company of Cincinnati. S. R. ROSS, AGENT.

Capital amply secured. Policies issued at this Counting-Room.

### PORTS INSURANCE CO.,

Office at the Store of J. Lodwick & Son, 66 Front street. Takes every description of Fire and Marine Risks and loans money, on the most liberal terms. Capital Stock \$150,000.

Protection Insurance Co., of Hartford. B. F. Conway, agent of this old and well known company, takes risks on the most favorable terms.—Office at B. F. Conway & Co.

### Columbus Mutual Insurance Co.,

Thomas Dugan, agent. Policies issued after approval by Directors at Columbus.

### COMMISSION AND FORWARDING

### MERCHANTS WHOLESALE

### GROCERS AND PRODUCE

### MERCHANTS.

#### B. F. CONWAY & Co.,

Commission and Forwarding Merchants, pay particular attention to the receiving and forwarding of goods. Pig Iron, Flour, raw Whisky, and all kinds of Merchandise generally bought and sold.—Warehouse Pig Iron Row, Front st.

#### DAVIS, SMITH & Co.,

Wholesale Grocers, Forwarders and General Commission Merchants, Market street. Dealers in all kinds of Produce, and keep at all times a full assortment of Groceries on reasonable terms. Give strictest attention to receiving and forwarding goods. Flour, Lard, Salt, &c., always for sale.

#### S. R. ROSS.

Wholesale Grocer, Produce Merchant, and Forwarder, Front street, buys and sells all kinds of Produce, receives and forwards goods, and has always on hand a full and complete assortment of Groceries at eastern wholesale prices.

#### W. S. BROWN,

Wholesale Grocer, at his Old Stand, Front st., offers a large and well assorted stock of Groceries, selected with care, and offered on the most accommodating terms. A full assortment of Foreign and Domestic Liquors always on hand.

#### M. & G. GILBERT,

Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Dealers in Produce and Foreign and Domestic Liquors, Front street, have always on hand a full and complete assortment. Hotels, Steamboats and Families supplied.

#### JOHN TILLOW,

Dealer in Groceries and Boat Stores, at Retail. Canal boats stores supplied. Front street.

### W. P. MARTIN.

Boat Stores, Groceries, Dry Goods and Provisions, corner of Court and Front Streets, has a well selected assortment, at low prices. Cordage of all sizes for sale.

### S. P. DRAKE.

Family Groceries and Provisions, S. E. corner of Market and Second streets. A full assortment of every article suitable for the subsistence of families, of excellent quality and at low prices. Paper, Woodware and a variety of other articles kept constantly on hand.

### DRY GOODS & WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

#### J. V. ROBINSON & SONS,

Wholesale Dealers, have a heavy stock of Dry Goods, suitable for the season, which they offer 15 per cent lower than any other House west of the Mountains. Sell at Retail and Wholesale. Front street, Commercial Row.

#### JAMES PURCELL,

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in Queensware, China and Glass, and General Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods. Front Street, Portsmouth, O.

Being largely engaged in the direct Importation of Queensware, all sales will be guaranteed as low as they can be afforded by any establishment in the United States.

#### JAMES LODWICK & SON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Fancy and Staple, Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods. Country merchants are invited to call.

#### WILLIAM ELDEN & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Dry Goods, which are offered at Regular Prices, a heavy stock of all kinds of Goods on hand. Store on Market street, near the Bank.

#### JAMES GIBSON,

New Philadelphia Store, Dealer in Dry Goods, Shoes, &c. Pedlars supplied, prices low. Store next door to Bank. Market street.

#### J. RIGGS & SON,

At his Old Stand, Front street, offers a large and varied assortment of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Caps, &c., at wholesale and Retail prices, lower than usual.

### MERCHANTS, HATS AND DRAPERS

#### A. C. DAVIS,

Merchant Tailor, offers a well selected stock of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, which will be made to order at short notice.

#### S. P. BISHOP,

Merchant Tailor, Old Stand of Davis & Bishop, has a large stock of Gentlemen's Ready Made Clothing, and makes to order, Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings always on hand.

#### LANG & KERR,

Merchant Tailors, No. 61 Front street, next door to Kinney's Hardware Store. They keep always on hand a full stock of Ready Made Clothing, suitable for every season, which they offer on the lowest terms. They make to order all kinds of gentlemen's garments at the shortest notice and in the latest styles.

#### MILLER & CASAS.

Corner of Front and Jefferson streets. Merchant Tailors and Drapers, have a heavy stock of French and American cloths, Vestings, Cassimeres &c., which are offered at small advance from cost, or made to order on short notice. Capot bags in great variety.

### MILLERS, FLOUR AND LEATHER DEALERS.

#### WALLER & ROBINSON,

Manufacturers and Dealers in Flour and Leather, keep on hand a large stock of the above named articles, which they are prepared to sell in large or small quantities, on the most liberal terms. Union Mills and Tannery on west side of Scioto; Store on Front street, adjoining B. F. Conway's.

#### BOOTS AND SHOES.

#### M. KENNER.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Overshoes, &c., at his Old Stand Front street.

#### J. RIGGS & SON,

Dealer in Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Walking Shoes, &c., at their Dry Goods Store, Front street.

#### FURNITURE, &c.

#### J. H. WAIT,

Wholesale Dealer in all Descriptions of Cabinet Ware, a large stock always on hand. Quality of the work guaranteed. Jefferson street, corner of Second.

#### HARDWARE, STOVES, &c.

#### H. R. KINNEY,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Shelf and Heavy Hardware, sign of the Saw, Front street, offers a well selected stock of Goods. Prices low.

#### J. GRIMES

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Stoves and Tin Ware, Jefferson street. Parlor and Common Grates in large variety. Tin ware made to order.

### HATS AND CAPS.

#### D. WOLFARD.

One door below the Franklin House, offers a large and well selected assortment of Hats and Caps, Furs, Muffs, childrens Hats, &c., at wholesale or retail. Cash paid for Hatting and Shipping Furs.

### DRUGS AND MEDICINES

#### J. L. McVEY & Co.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Drugs and Chemicals, Paints and Oils, Dyestuffs and Perfumery, No. 53, Commercial Row.

#### SHACKLEFORD & CRICITON,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Paints, Oils, Drugs and Medicines, Perfumery, Chemicals &c. No. 56, Commercial Row.

#### DR. J. CORSON,

Front street, above Market, has a general assortment of Drugs and Medicines. Prescriptions carefully compounded.

### ORNIES AT LAW, COUNSELORS, &c

#### HON. W. V. PECK,

Judge of Circuit Courts and Counselor. Office at his residence on Market street.

#### S. M. TRACY,

Attorney and Counselor.—Office on Front st.

#### CHARLES OSCAR TRACY,

Attorney and Counselor at Law.—Office on Front street in Overturns building

#### W. A. HUTCHINS,

Attorney and Counselor. Office on Market street, over the Bank.

#### E. W. JORDAN,

Prosecuting Attorney, and Attorney at Law. Office on Market street, over the Bank.

#### O. F. MOORE,

Attorney and Counselor.—Office on Market street, next door to Mayor's office.

#### ELI GLOVER,

Attorney and Counselor.—Office on Market street, next door to Mayor's office.

#### GEORGE JOHNSON,

Mayor of Portsmouth, Attorney and Counselor in the Mayor's office.

#### B. RAMSEY,

Attorney and Counselor.—Office over P. Kinney & Co., Front street.

#### JAMES M. ASHLEY,

Attorney and Counselor.—Office in Overturns building.

### BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

#### SAMUEL WELLS,

Dealers in Books, Stationery, Wall Paper, Annals, &c., at lowest prices. Subscriptions to Magazines received.

#### D. N. MURRAY,

Front street, offers an assortment of School and other Books, at lowest prices, to close out the stock.

### CLOCK AND WATCH REPAIRER.

#### M. & J. YAUCHLER,

#### No. 7, Front Street,

An assortment of Clocks, Watches and Jewelry, offered at the lowest prices, and best Repairing of all kinds of Watches, Clocks and other movements.

#### J. CLUGSTEN,

Watches and Clocks repaired. A full assortment of Jewelry and Watches for sale.

### PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS.

#### HEMPSTEAD & MOORE,

Physicians and Surgeons, at office of Dr. Hempstead, on Third street, attend promptly to all calls in the practice of their profession.

#### SHACKLEFORD & McDOWELL,

have associated themselves in practice, and will attend to all calls. Surgical cases carefully treated. Office at Shackelford & Crichton's, on Front street.

#### J. CORSON,

Physician and Surgeon.—Office at his Drug Store, old stand of W. J. McDowell.

#### J. VOGLESONE,

Physician and Surgeon.—Office on Second street, below Jefferson.

#### B. WORK.

Surgeon Dentist, office at his residence on Second street, attends to all operations connected with his profession.

### BAKERS AND CONFECTIONERS.

#### A. DRESCHER,

Wholesale Dealer and Manufacturer of Candies, in every variety. Sells at Cincinnati prices. Manufactory on corner of Court and Second street.

### H. STEWART,

Manufacturer of Candy at Wholesale, can fill all orders for pilot bread, butter crackers, cakes &c. Wedding and Fancy Cakes furnished, at the shortest notice. One door below United States Hotel.

### JAMES BALLARD,

Family Baker, has always on hand fresh Bread, cakes, crackers, etc. Orders solicited.—Opposite Rolling Mill.

### C. SULSMAN,

German Bake, keeps always on hand White and Brown bread, Crackers, and all kinds of fine and common cakes, and is prepared to fill all orders in his line on reasonable terms.

### JOHN FRESHEL,

Opposite Post office, supplies parties with cakes of choicest kinds of Baking attended to, crackers, bread and pies always on hand.

### FRANKLIN HOUSE.

### ROBERT MONTGOMERY,

### Proprietor,

Opposite the Steamboat Landing, Front Street, PORTSMOUTH, O.

Nov. 29 '49—81

### WM. ELDEN & Co.,

### WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

Regulators in Dry Goods, HAVE just received the largest stock of Spring and Summer Goods they have ever offered in this place. We will not attempt an enumeration of articles and the prices at present, but invite all our friends and the public in general to call and see the stacks of Goods we have, on the lower and upper floors of our house. The styles we know will speak for themselves, and we now CHALLENGE the western country in prices.

Having heretofore sold the CHEAPEST goods in this market, and received the title of "Regulators" of prices, by the spontaneous voices of the people, this fact is the best guarantee that we can and we will sell the cheapest Goods now. Country Merchants will find good bargains in store for them, and will only have to call before purchasing elsewhere to be convinced of what we say. We are better prepared in that department than heretofore.

Portsmouth, March 22, '50—02tf.

### B. F. CONWAY & CO.

Pig Iron Row, Front st. HAVE on hand for sale, at the lowest market prices,

1000 Bbls. Old Wheat Superfine Flour, a little better than any manufactured in these "regions."

150 Bbls. No. 2 Superfine, a superior article; 200 Bbls. Raw Whiskey, or High Wines; Mess Pork, Lard, Hams and Shoulders in bulk; Sugar, Coffee and Molasses, Pepper, Vinegar, &c., etc.

Pig Iron of every quality and kind. Corn in abundance in the Ear and shelled. Any person wanting the above articles would do well to call on us.

Portsmouth, Feb. 6, '50—65m1

### Sundries.

20 boxes Mustard.

10 " Pepper Sauce

10 " Citron.

20 " Ginger.

50 Gross Matches.

For sale by S. R. ROSS.

Portsmouth, Jan. 21, 1850.—Tribune copy.

HAVANNA AND LAGUIRA COFFEE

20 packets Havanna and Lagaira Coffee for sale by S. R. ROSS.

Portsmouth, Nov 13, '49—32tf.

### CALIFORNIA AND

### Tampico Hats.

I have just received 60 doz sorte Tampicos, which I offer to Country Merchants on better terms than can be had in Cincinnati.

D. WOLFARD.

Portsmouth, Dec. 8, '49.—16tf.

JUST received and for sale, 200 sacks new Rio Coffee, a superior article.

Feb. 6, '50. W. S. BROWN.





SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 1, 1850.

Advertisements intended for the Daily Dispatch must be handed in by 3 o'clock of the afternoon previous to the day on which they are expected to appear.

## METEOROLOGICAL AND RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

Day.	Temperature.	Winds.
1850.	6 A. M.   2 P. M.   A. M.   P. M.	
May 31	49   65	N. W.   N.

River stationary—clear and pleasant.

From some injury to the wires, we were unable to obtain a report yesterday.

## FIRE!!

A fire broke out, about 1 o'clock yesterday morning, in the rear, between a small frame occupied by Mr. Willis as a Coffee house and another vacant one adjoining on the west. There was very little wind but, everything being dry, the fire spread rapidly and the two buildings first caught, together with two other small frames on the east, one occupied by Mr. Sidenbach as a clothing store, and the other by Mr. T. Lawson as a grocery, were soon enveloped in flames. The engines were on the spot in good season and, although the four frames could not be saved, did good service in checking the fire, and preventing it from spreading further. Much of the property in the buildings was saved, and we understand that Mr. Sidenbach was insured. It is not certainly known how the fire originated.

The men at the engines worked nobly and until they were exhausted; although there were hundreds at the top of the grade gazing idly on the flames. Our citizens ought to remember that at this stage of water, there is a height of about 50 feet to overcome before reaching the pavement, and then sometimes as much more to the top of high buildings. This requires great power, and it is too much for one, or even two sets of hands to do properly. At the engines, the most efficient aid can be rendered; in fact, the first thing should be to man them sufficiently. Where was the hook and ladder company? Or is there one in existence? We should judge not, from the fact that at a late moment some citizens went after those implements, so necessary in a fire like this.

## Stream of Time.

A gentleman is in town procuring subscribers to a very fine historical chart, appropriately called the Steam of Time. We saw it three or four years since, and was so favorably impressed with its usefulness and superiority over anything of the kind, that we then became a subscriber. We cheerfully recommend it as well worthy the patronage of our citizens.

Accounts from Bahia, Pernambuco, Rio Grand, St. Catherine, Monte Video and Buenos Ayres, state that the yellow fever had broken out in all those places. Yellow Jack is waging war against all eastern South America.

Of the million tons of sugar annually consumed, in the world, Cuba furnishes two hundred thousand.

Al, doctor, does the cholera affect the high awdaw?" asked an exquisite of a celebrated physician, in New Orleans.

"No," replied the M. D., "but it is death on fools, and you had better leave the city immediately." The fellow sloped.

The following letter, from our fellow citizen, Charles S. Smith to his brother, will be found interesting, although he had not yet reached his final destination. Other letters have been received within a day or two, which we have not seen.

PANAMA, May 5, 1850.

Dear Brother:—I received your letter on board the Empire City a few hours after we started, it was given to one of the passengers by Mr. Bushe who took it from the office but could not find me; and glad was I to hear from you all, and that you were well. I am well and have been since I left you. John and Alpheus were gone before I got here; how long, or how, I do not know. The steamer in which they were to go has not yet arrived. The weather is very warm, say from 90 to 115 degrees. Young, Gregory, & co., are here. Young was not very well yesterday. McCloud is preparing to go back—says that he cannot, nor will not stay 4 or 5 weeks here waiting for the Sarah Sands, which we will have to do. I think that is better than going back or taking a sail vessel—Fagash, of N. Richmond is here. He took a sail vessel last year. He prefers to stay here 2 months rather than go on one again. It soon will be the rainy season here, and then calms are the consequence to all the vessels. I have not felt like turning back as yet. There have been a great many people here, say near 3,000 at a time. We have been here 8 days. The Oregon left with about 500, and sailing vessels are going daily with from 1 to 200. At this time there are not more than 1500 or 2000 people here. Some are at hotels at \$8 to 10 per week; others are camping in tents; others rent rooms at 50 cents per day. We have a room 10 cents per day, and boarding ourselves, which costs us about 75 or \$1.00 per day. Probably Young & co., will come and take part of our room with us this week. Everything in the eating line is very high. California prices, flour 8 to 10c per lb., potatoes 4c lb., Pies dried Apple 40c a piece, Eggs 30 to 40c per dozen, Coffee 20c, Sugar 15c. Crossing the sea or Atlantic, I was not at all sick. The river from Chagres to Gorgona, is a very pretty little stream, similar to Scioto, only not quite so rapid, and the road to Panama is not much worse than the road to Jackson. I was very much and very agreeably surprised with it. We all walked over which is called 24 miles, but I thought it nearer 46 before I got through. We came in one day. Our baggage cost us \$8 per hundred—I had 104lbs. I have written to Mr. Locke, and given him a more particular account, probably he may or will send it to you. We had some ladies on the route with us from Chagres to Panama. I would advise them to stay at home until the canal or railroad is completed, for they have to undergo all kinds of trials and hardships, sights and inconveniences which I cannot describe, but look with pity on them. I believe that the time will be and that before long when they can travel through here as well as they can in the States. The uncertainty of the steamers will be obviated soon. The regular mail line is now very certain, but if you do not go in the best manner and have through tickets on that line, you will be treated more like brutes, than human beings. But I must say that all the officers and crew on the Empire City were first rate, and did all they agreed to do; but Gregory & co., on the Georgia, were treated very badly. The day they were getting off they had to pay 20 cents per quart for water, and got nothing to eat all day. Mr. Locke has put it in my power to get if I may want \$1,000 from a house in San Francisco.

I wish you to write (both Newman and Joseph) to me, and direct to John Hatch, Sacramento. There are cock fights and processions, also fandango's here every day—all catholic's. The Priests attend the cock fights. I as yet have not seen any, probably will go this evening. Thompson has sold his ticket on the S. Sands, and bought one on a sailing vessel which will go this week, it is the Norman. I have been in bathing twice since I have been here—have fogs 2 miles to wash our clothes, or pay 1 dime for about 4 gallons of water which is carried on a mule. They construct wythes that will carry 4 of them at a time. There is no wheeled vehicle in this part of the world, they are not allowed by the government, the natives will carry from Gorgon to Panama, trunks, bags or boxes weighing from 75 to 150 lbs each, walk all day and go as fast as a mule or horse, and eat quite as little. I will write you again before leaving here in all probability, and now farewell until we meet again. For my sake, you will please go to the grave of my poor Mary once and in a while and there pray for us all. Good by dear brothers and relative

CHARLES

PANAMA, New Grenada, May 7, 1850.

Dear Brother:—The mail closes this day at 5 o'clock. I would just say that we are all well as yet, in good spirits and fine appetites. McCloud has concluded to go on to San Francisco with us, he went so far as to sell his ticket to Young, but he let him have it again this morning. I send Capt. Davis

a paper with some Chilli Wheat in it, I done it up and give it to Buck to bring, but have to send it by mail. It is raining and shining alternately, which I presume is the beginning of the rainy season. The staple products of the country are dogs and puppies, with a few young negroes or Pickaninies.

You may rest assured that I will do my best in all ways; our time will hang heavy on our hands, but it will pass. If I had known precisely how long we would have to tarry here, I would have you written here, but when you receive this it will be too late. Good bye dear brothers and friends.

CHARLES.

## Correspondence of the Dispatch.

COLUMBUS, May 29.

Messrs. Collins and Barbee, each presented a petition this morning, asking that provision may be inserted in the new constitution requiring the legislature to pass laws prohibiting the sale of spirituous liquors.

The convention again went into committee of the whole on the report of the Legislative committee, and progressed during the day as far as to the 19th section, making divers amendments; and that, too, without making any long speeches!! Quite an improvement in that particular!

The first important amendment, in addition to what I gave you yesterday, was to the 5th section, which relates to the qualifications of senators. The amendment requires that they shall have the same qualifications as a Representative, and nothing more.

Section 10 was amended so that any one member (instead of two) of either House, shall have the right to protest against any act or resolution, & to have such protest entered upon the journal. That portion of the 15th section which declares that all bills providing for any appropriation of the public money shall originate in the House of Representatives, was stricken out.

Section 18 was all stricken out. It provided that the General Assembly should fix the compensation and term of all officers not fixed in the constitution; and also, that no change in the salary of any office should affect the person filling that office when such change should be made. It was certainly not very wise to strike out the latter provision.

The Reporter through the President, laid before the convention a communication, stating that he was unable to procure the publication of the debates in the German language, in accordance with a resolution previously passed, the papers named in the resolution having refused to make the publication for the prices fixed therein.

Yours, &amp;c.

ZED.

## Awful Steamboat Explosion.

Twenty-five persons killed—Forty wounded.

St. Louis, May 29th—Last night about 10 o'clock the steamer Saint Louis collapsed two fives three miles below this city, at Quarantine killing 25 and wounding 40 persons. The sufferers are nearly all deck passengers. Half the number scalded will die. We have have not learned the names of the dead. Nine bodies have been buried, and others jumped over board. The badly scalded are Christian Hall, John Williams, Peter Staker, Harriet Smith, John Smith, Margaret Coils, Michel Carpenter, Margaret Neal, Mrs Rickman, B Kilcommoin child, and slave.—The cause of the explosion is not known.—The boat and machinery were all new.

W. F. Lowry, of Steubenville, committed suicide on Friday last, by taking morphine. He leaves a wife and family.

## Society of Ladies.

One must live long in the world to acquire the happy medium between indifference and marked attention in his treatment of women. The inexperienced man in the fulness of his heart, will behave to every woman as though he was on the point of making her a declaration, and the consequence is, that he is often suspected for being either an universal lover, or a male coquette.

The best "take off" we have seen of the various letters written on the Parkman murder, is one which professes to be written by Parkman himself, saying he is dead and that Webster killed him,

Those of our dress-loving, church-going ladies, who see a likeness in the following hit, sent us by a correspondent who had seen a lady showing around a handsomely embroidered handkerchief in church, can clip it out and paste it on their hymn-books:

In church aye e'en in holy church,

Her love of dress vain woman shows;

See how she passes round for view,

That rich appendage of her nose.

With what delight she feasts her eye

On each embroidered flower and leaf.

That some poor starving artists wrought

Upon that envied handkerchief.

## Notes about Town.

We strolled into the Drug Store of Dr. Corson, the other day, who has a choice assortment of everything in his line. We were particularly struck with the great variety of toilet accompaniments, tastefully and beautifully got up; such as soaps, oils, pomades, dentrifices, perfumes, brushes, &c., many of them designed especially for the ladies, the uses and application of which we are profoundly ignorant of, and would not wish to be thought profane enough to inquire into. The Doctor's establishment, we fancy, will become a favorite resort for those who wish to improve or preserve their personal attractions, which after all is a matter that, within reasonable limits, ought never to be neglected.

## More Factories in Georgia.

The Atlanta Intelligencer says:—We learn that the Manufacturing Company at Roswell, in Cobb County, have recently laid the foundation of a new factory near the site of the one now in operation. The new factory is to run 5000 spindles and the building materials are all nearly in readiness. We learn also that Gov. McDonald has just completed a new factory in Campbell County, to run 5000 spindles. Thus the work goes bravely on.—Chron. and Atlas.

## Milk Cow for Sale.

ONE first rate Milk Cow for sale, enquire June 1 of C. P. CHANDLER.

## New Books.

WAYS of the Hour, by Cooper; Talbot and Vernon; Greenwood Leaves; Physician and Patient; Fisks Travels in the Holy Land; Woman's Friendship; Sketches of the House of Orleans; Listner by Miss Fry; Sights in the Gold Regions or Travels in California; Tour through Egypt and Holy Land, by Rev. J. A. Spencer; Prison Life, by Rev. J. B. Finley. Just received and for sale June 1 by J. STEPHENSON & CO.

LEAVES from the Note Book of a Louisiana Swamp Doctor, by Madison Tensas, M. D.; Ex. V. P. M. S. U., Ky., author of Copping on the Sternum, &c., a few copies of this laughable book for sale by June 1 J. STEPHENSON & CO.

100 Bushels of Oats for sale by June 1 J. PETTIS.

50 CORDS of dry wood for sale by (may 30.) S. P. DRAKE.

## Summer Fashions.

THE subscriber has received her Summer stock of fashionable Bonnets consisting in part of Embroid Lace, Tissue, Albino, Zephyr, Cactus Lace, Straw colored Hungarian, Embroid Ex-celsior, White Brocade and Pamelas, Fluted Satin, Coburg, Queens Own, Milan Chief, White Lace, China Pearl, Florence Braid, Jenny Lind, California and white Chip, Tulip Braid, fine soft English straw, etc., etc. A large quantity of Childrens and Misses chip Hats, Gipseys and Bonnets. A full stock of fashionable Ribbons, trimmings for dresses, thread and Lys's Laces. Ladies' and children's Lysle thread Gloves. Fine French Flowers, Sprigs and Roses, together with a good assortment of fancy Millinery which will be sold cheap.

N. B.—Particular attention paid to Altering, Bleaching and Trimming Bonnets.

H. E. CURRIE, northwest corner of 2d and Market sts., opposite Market house. Portsmouth, May 30, '50—tf

JUST received 1,000 lbs of Hams and Shoulders, a superior article and for sale by H. E. BROWN, May 30, '50—6f cor. 4th and Chillicothe sts.

STONE WARE—1000 gallons, comprising Jugs, Jars and Crocks, for sale by H. E. BROWN, corner of 4th and Chillicothe streets. may 30

OATS! Oats! I—Just received 100 bushels of clean white Oats, for sale by H. E. BROWN, cor. of 4th and Chillicothe sts. may 30

## Tailors, Look at This!

I WOULD inform the trade that I have Madison's Improved system for cutting garments in the various styles and latest fashions, together with the necessary instructions. Price, with instructions, \$10. Call soon or you will not get them for sometime!

A. C. DAVIS, Agent.

Who is still in town!

May 27, 1850:—w2



### Steamboat Register And Travelers Directory.

Coaches leave the Stage Office every morning for Chillicothe, Columbus and Zanesville.

Tri-weekly steamers leave for month of Sandy and Pomeroy, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Steamer Scioto leaves every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12 o'clock, for all points below Portsmouth to Cincinnati.

The steamers of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati daily packet line, run in the following order, arriving at Portsmouth as follows:

#### Down Up

Buckeye State, Monday night Wed. night  
Keystone State, Tuesday " Thursday "  
Hibernia No 2, Wed. " Friday "  
Cincinnati, Thursday " Saturday "  
Brilliant, Friday " Sunday "  
Clipper No. 2, Saturday " Monday "  
Messenger No. 2 Sunday " Tuesday "  
Canal-boats Bedford, Gallant, Brilliant, and others, leave daily on Ohio canal, and are fitted up for accommodation of passengers and freight.

#### TO RENT.

THE two story frame building on the corner of Front street and Locust alley, between Jefferson and Madison streets, belonging to the estate of Frederick Stenshorn. The building was thoroughly repaired a short time since, and is now in excellent condition. It has a good cellar and a good stable back, and is well calculated for a tavern or boarding house, or for two stores with room enough for two family residences. It will be let entire or in parts, as may suit applicants. Its situation in the heart of business, renders it a very desirable stand. For terms and other particulars apply to the subscriber.

MACTELINA STEMSTERN.

Portsmouth, May 29, 1850—60tf

### H. E. BROWN'S Grocery Store!

Formerly J. R. Powers' Stand.

THE subscriber wishes to inform his friends and the public, that he has just received a large and choice assortment of groceries, too numerous to mention. He dislikes puffing, by saying that he can sell cheaper than others as many do, or by advertising that he has things on hand when he has not; but he has this much to say, he has on hands at all times a good and general assortment of provisions; and all persons who will favor him with a call, will find that they can purchase articles as cheap at his stand, as at those places where they say they defy competition. He will guarantee that one trial will prove the fact as regards the cheapness and quality of the articles. Groceries by wholesale or retail.

H. E. BROWN,

Don't forget H. E. Brown's stand on the corner of Fourth and Chillicothe streets, May 27, 1850.

**50 BUSHELS** Oats in store and for sale by S. P. DRAKE. May 26.

**LANCASTER BUTTER**—A few lbs choice Lancaster Butter just received, (in good order) and for sale. Families in want of a choice article for table use had better call before it is all sold. [may 25] S. P. DRAKE.

### B. F. CONWAY & CO.

Pig Iron Row, Front street.

**HAVE ON HAND** and for sale, at lowest market prices: 750 Bbls. OLD WHEAT superfine flour; 500 " mixed brands, equal to any Cincinnati mixed brands, and at as low if not lower prices than it is now selling for at Cincinnati. A lot of No. 2 superfine; Raw and R. C. FINEST ASHBROOKS BEST, always on hand;

Mess Pork, Lard, Hams, Shoulders and Bacon a superior article of each kind; Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Pepper, Vinegar, etc. on hand and constantly arriving on consignment and otherwise.

Pig Iron of every description and quality, also Clay and Fire Bricks;

Soap a superior article manufactured at Chillicothe, which we will sell at Cincinnati prices, although a better article than made there.

**CORN** in the ear or shelled, in any quantity that may be required or wanted, Portsmouth, May 24, '50—57tf

#### THOROMAN & HYATT

**CERTAINLY** have the cheapest and best Groceries in this city. Come and see, and if you do not find our words correct, you can just "take our hat."

**DRIED APPLES**—A choice article for sale by J. PETTIS. May 22.

**DRIED APPLES** in store and for sale by S. P. DRAKE. May 21.

### Furniture Ware-Room.

THE subscribers respectfully inform the public that they have opened a furniture Ware-Room on Court street, one door south of the Fire Engine House, between Front and Second streets, where will be found a large and well assorted stock of CHAIRS and CABINET WORK of every variety of style, suited to this market; which they will sell as low as any establishment in Portsmouth. They would also remind the public that they are manufacturing all kinds of Cabinet work which can be sold as low as the same can be bought for in Cincinnati.

They have employed good workmen, and use the best of materials.

They have purchased a hearse and are prepared to attend to the undertaking business on the shortest notice. Please give them a call. March 17, '50—7yl BRIANT & JONES.

#### Look Here! Everybody.

THE subscriber has just fitted up a SODA FOUNTAIN at his SALOON on Front street, next door above Joseph Riggs' store. He also serves up

#### ICE-CREAM.

and other refreshments in a magnificent manner, and hopes he will receive a liberal share of the custom of his friends and the public.

GEORGE FOGLEMAN.

May 18, '50—51w2\*

#### Houses and Lots for Sale.

WE offer for sale the House and Lot situated on the south side of Fourth street, between Court and Washington. The said house has all the conveniences necessary for a small family. Terms moderate and easy.

Also—the House and lot on 6th street, formerly occupied by John Sloat.

KINNEY & TRACY, Real Estate and General Agents. May 15, '50.

**LARGE WILLOW CLOTHES BASKET**—Just suited for family use, just received. may 8. THOROMAN & HYATT.

### J. PETTIS,

ON Market, one door from Second street, is now opening and intends to keep constantly on hand, for the benefit of his friends and the public generally, a full supply of

#### Choice Groceries,

consisting of coffee, sugar, spices, salt, vinegar, almonds, raisins, cheese, potatoes, bacon, butter, eggs, etc., etc., being all that is needed for the supply of families, and which will be sold on accommodating terms. He trusts his friends will give him a call, and learn from experience that he knows how to give good bargains.

Find the place, one door from the corner of Market. may 4, '50—39

#### Rooms to Rent.

TO be rented on the Gallipolis road, in the immediate vicinity of Portsmouth, two apartments. The house is pleasantly situated, and there is excellent water on the premises. Apply to Mr. Downey, United States Hotel, Portsmouth.

May 9, 1850.—43\*1w

**RICE**—A very choice lot, which can be sold lower than at any other place. may 8. TH. ROMAN & HYATT.

#### Pickled Pork.

A choice lot, well cured, just opened by May 4, 1850 J. PETTIS.

### Family Groceries,

Fourth Street, two doors East of Court. THOROMAN & HYATT.

HAVING just received a large stock of fresh and choice family groceries, are now prepared to furnish everything in their line of a superior kind and at the very lowest prices, in fact, as to quality and price they challenge competition. As they intend to keep on hand everything needed for subsistence of families, it will be useless to specify the great variety of articles which can be found in their Store. Suffice it to say that all the leading articles such as

Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, &c., &c., will always be of the best that can be procured. They will also keep on hand fresh Butter, Eggs, and country produce generally.

Portsmouth, May 8, 1850

#### Great Bargains in Property.

THE subscriber intending to remove from Portsmouth, offers for sale, on favorable terms, a lot of ground on Sixth street, 41½ feet front and 107 feet deep; also, the house and lot where he now resides on Fifth street, which is a very desirable residence for a small family, and the small building at the corner of Fifth and Court streets, now occupied as a milliner shop. Also, two milch cows, ten hogs, and various other articles. Persons desirous of obtaining bargains, will make application soon to JAMES SIMPSON.

May 24, '50.—84

**Macanaw Trout** of a superior quality for sale by J. PETTIS. May 22, 1850.

**WHITE FISH** from Lake Superior, for sale by J. PETTIS. may 6

### City Insurance Company OF CINCINNATI.

S. R. ROSS, at Portsmouth Agency, Insures property of all description against loss or damage by FIRE; also, against the perils of the SEA, or inland Navigation.

All losses will be promptly met at their Agency here, and policies issued at rates of Premium, as low as other responsible offices.

The President, Directors and Company are known to be among the most responsible citizens of Cincinnati, which is a guarantee that all transactions will be adjusted on satisfactory terms.

Policies issued on application, at the Counting Room of S. R. ROSS Agent, City Insurance Company. Portsmouth, May. 1, 1850.

### FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE.

THE undersigned would call the attention of merchants and others having property exposed to loss by Fire or the perils of Navigation to the superior advantages offered by the

#### PROTECTION

INSURANCE COMPANY

OF HARTFORD, CONN.—VIZ:

1st. Rates of Premium as low as those of any other Responsible office

2d. A Speedy and satisfactory adjustment of losses by the General Agent of the Company for the Western and Southern States.

3rd. Arbitration of all differences which may arise by referees mutually chosen.

4th. Awards promptly paid in Specie, Bankable Funds or exchange on New York, Baltimore, Charleston, New Orleans, St. Louis, Louisville, Pittsburgh or Cincinnati, at the option of the insured.

5th. Prompt settling forth the made and principles of adjusting losses—Rates of Premiums—classification of hazards etc., etc., furnished to the customers of the office free of charge.

For further information apply to the undersigned who is fully authorized to insure Dwelling, Stores, Hotels, Warehouses, Mills Manufactories, Barns, etc. etc.

Also—Household Furniture, and Goods Wares and Merchandise, contained or stored therein, against loss or damage by FIRE.

Also—Dry Goods, Groceries, Manufactured Goods, Produce, Household Furniture, Live stock, and every other description of Merchandise or personal property, shipped or to be shipped per good steamboat, or boats to and from points on the Western Waters, or between Eastern cities [via Lakes, or other inland route] and any towns in the Western country, against the hazards of INLAND TRANSPORTATION.

Also—Shipments of Goods, Wares and Merchandise, per good vessel or vessels, between New Orleans and Eastern ports—between New Orleans and other Gulf ports—between all American ports and English or European ports, or to any maritime port whatsoever in the Atlantic waters, against the PERILS OF THE SEAS.

B. F. CONWAY, AGENT

Protection Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. Portsmouth, Feb. 7, '50—66m3

#### Surgical Instruments.

MESSRS. Shackelford & Crichton have received the agency of

#### Doct. S. S. FITCH,

707 Broadway, New York, and have a supply of his celebrated instruments on sale, namely: Supporters, Shoulder-straps and Inhibiting Tubes. These are the best instruments of their kind, and are known and used extensively in Ohio, with the fullest approval of all who know them.

April 20, '50—27w3\*

#### PORTRAIT PAINTING.

#### J. F. METCALF,

WOULD respectfully inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he has opened a room on Second street, three doors east of the Farmer's Hotel, where he offers his services to the public as a Portrait Painter.

Mr. M. flatters himself that his experience as an Artist, and the assurances which he can give of qualification, &c., will be satisfactory, and ensure him a generous patronage.

Ladies and Gentlemen are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens. Portsmouth, April 3, 1850—12.

**DRIED PEACHES**—A fine lot just received and for sale by may 8, THOROMAN & HYATT.

**SUGAR CURED DRIED BEEF**—A superior article for sale by [April 24] S. P. DRAKE.

#### Teas! Teas!!

THE finest assortment of Green and Black Teas, in half chests Caddies and Canisters Philadelphia importation, for sale by January 7, '50. S. R. ROSS.

### S. P. DRAKE, DEALER IN

Groceries and Provisions,  
S. E. Corner Market and Second Streets,  
Portsmouth, Ohio,

#### FRESH ARRIVAL

25 BBLs. Molasses, at lowest Wholesale prices;

25 bbls. prime Sugar;

20 bxs. Candles;

20 " 1½ lb. and ¾ lb. Bar Soap;

together with sundry other articles for sale Wholesale or Retail at the lowest cash prices. S. P. DRAKE.

March 15, '50

#### Sundries.

**GOLDEN SYRUP**, Lemons and Raisins, No. 1 Mackerel, Stoneware, 10,000 Old half Spanish Cigars, Old Principle Cigars, a splendid article, Ground and Unground Pepper and Allspice, just received and for sale in small or large quantities, by S. P. DRAKE. Portsmouth, April 30, 1850.

### Groceries at Wholesale or RETAIL.

THE subscriber, in order to supply the wants of an increasing patronage has just made considerable additions to his former stock of

#### Groceries and Provisions,

Which he offers for sale at Wholesale or Retail, at the lowest CASH rates, and will warrant them to be just such articles as he represents them to be. His stock was brought low for cash, and he will sell them as low as such articles as he keeps can be bought in this market. S. P. DRAKE. Portsmouth, April 22, '50.

### DR. J. W. DENNIS,

Physician & Surgeon,

PORTSMOUTH OHIO.

Office in Overturns buildings, Front St.

Residence North side of 6th Street, 4 doors above the Court-house

March 7, 1850—90tf.

### WILLIAM WERTZ,

Draper and Tailor,

No. 11 Front Street, above Market.

Has just received a Spring Stock of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, besides other varieties suitable for gentlemen's Summer wear. These he will make up in the most fashionable style, on short notice and on reasonable terms.

He invites his friends to give him a call, as he feels confident that his work will give complete satisfaction.

Particular attention paid to custom work. A choice stock of ready made clothing on hand.

Portsmouth, April 1, 1850.

#### REMOVAL.

### Dr. M. L. Reid,

INFORMS his friends and the public that he has removed to the house formerly occupied by Mrs. Williams, on the north side of Second street, upper corner of the first alley above Court, where he can be found when not absent on professional business. April 22, '50 2w2

#### To Builders.

**LUIS LIME** always on hand. Also Calumet Plaster and Cement, of superior quality. Also, common Lime, fresh burned, received daily per Wightman, for sale by April 3, 1850. S. R. ROSS.

A. CORR.

P. POLAND.

### CORR & POLAND,

Successors to DAVID CORR,

Wholesale Grocers,

LIQUOR

AND

Commission Merchants,

Corner of Second and Sycamore Streets,

CINCINNATI.

The business of the late David Corr, will be settled by the New Firm, Feb. 26, 1850—82m3

### MORSE'S LINE.

New Orleans and Ohio Telegraph Company

Office in Basement story of U. S. Hotel,

Portsmouth, O.

THIS Line having lately undergone thorough repairs, is prepared to transact business with increased dispatch and correctness, and as cheap as the cheapest. Messages sent to Cincinnati, Columbus, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Wheeling, Maysville, N. York and Canada. Portsmouth, May 4, 1850—39w3



