

TO OUR READERS.

We Club, only, with such publications as we can recommend.

The Express and Godey's Lady's Book can be had for \$3.00.

Religious.

Rev. Joel Knight will preach on the first and third Sabbath in each month.

Rev. I. Groves will preach on the Second and Fourth Sabbath in each month.

Preaching every Sunday, at 11 o'clock, at the Christian church.

Best Ten Acres of Corn.

At a meeting of the President and Directors of the Montrie County Agricultural Society, held in Sullivan, March 5th 1860, a premium of ten dollars was agreed to be paid for the best one acre of corn, produced this year in Montrie county.

J. E. EREN, Pres. P. B. KNIGHT, Sec., pro tem.

DIED

On the evening of the 7th of March 1860, WILLIE M. CLEVELAND, son of E. D. and P. Cleveland, of this place.

Willie commenced in this office to learn the printing business, the fore part of this winter. He worked about two weeks, when he was taken sick and continued dangerously ill for several weeks; he, however, finally recovered, and on Monday last he thought himself able to commence work again.

The Newburyport Herald says that the strike among the shoemakers is not as extensive as some of the published statements would lead one to infer.

A few evenings since a barber employed on Fifth street, between Walnut and Main, Philadelphia, dressed himself to attend a masquerade ball.

The Maryland board of public school commissioners have recently made a report upon the character, objects, discipline and success of the floating school established by that state.

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The death, announced above, is the cause of another half sheet. Our friends will please indulge us.

Dr. Farrer, of Dover, N. H. has been convicted in the superior court on an indictment charging him with having entered the house of his wife's mother, and seizing and carrying away his child which had been committed to the care of its mother by order of court.

The Monmouth Herald says the Old Tennant House, upon the battle field of Monmouth, known far and wide as the former residence of Rev. William Tennant, and the head quarters of General Washington in the revolution, was torn down on Tuesday last.

A man was taken to the New Orleans charity hospital recently with a fractured thigh. It was necessary to perform some painful operation upon it, and chloroform was administered.

One of the Hanlon brothers, of Cooke's circus, while performing the ladder feat in England, came down head first from a height of forty feet, striking in the orchestra, utterly demolishing three fiddles, putting his heels through the double bass, and his head through one of the kettle drums.

A valuable discovery in the cultivation of hops has just been communicated to the French academy. It consists in making the plants run in horizontal direction instead of climbing up the pole.

The minister of police has given orders that the proprietors of the hotel in Austria shall in future announce to the authorities the Christian and family names of the traveler, his occupation, the day of his arrival, his usual place of residence, the number of persons accompanying him, the day of his departure, and the direction in which he is going.

It is reported in the newspapers that if Governor Wise is not nominated in the Charleston convention, his friends will nominate him as a candidate for congress from the Norfolk district.

A bill has passed the Kentucky house of representatives, providing that no slave shall be deemed emancipated until his previous owner shall give a bond for his removal from the state within ninety days.

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A friend tells a story of a little girl in Sabbath School, who wanted her mother to buy her a kitten-chism, as the cat-echism was too hard for her.

A wife's farewell to her husband every morning—"Buy, buy!"

Romance in Real Life.

The New York Express publishes the following story in its Havana correspondence:

A descendant of one of the old German Barons, named DeArnan, (born in Bavaria, I believe,) had fallen desperately in love with a very beautiful young lady, named Coffigny, who, in addition to her personal charms, possesses fifty thousand metallic ones in her own right; but that circumstance, of course, had nothing to do with the affair.

At length, becoming tired of playing the part of the fair one's shadow, he determined to possess himself of her in true knightly style, and, for this purpose and with this intent one evening last week, he awaited her return from her accustomed evening drive at the door of the residence of her parents.

When, however, the Senorita herself held out her hand in her turn to be assisted from the carriage, to her surprise, the Caballero did not take it with the alacrity she had anticipated, and she accordingly gave him one of her withering looks of scorn.

A hue and cry were raised in Matanza, and the runaway Seyavid and his unwilling companion were pursued by men on horseback, and others in carriages, at a speed that endangered their necks.

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It was here the knightly breeding of DeArnan exhibited itself; he exclaimed passionately: "I love the girl, cannot live without her; but I will not belie her. Let them do what they please with me; I go to give myself up." Go he did, by the next train to Matanza, where, throwing himself at the feet of his enslaver, he entreated her pardon for his rashness, again beseeching her to listen to his suit.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Fayette county in the state of Illinois, in favor of Judges, Pease & Co. and against Hugh Haulkins and Nathan Moulton, I have levied upon the following described land to-wit: Ne 1/4 of sec 5 T 12 N R 6 East, as the property of the said Nathan Moulton, which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan in said state, on the 29th day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

Joseph Thomason sheriff, by B. B. Hayden, dep. March 28th 1860. 10 3/4.

TAX SALE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at a sale of lands for taxes, in the county of Montrie in the state of Illinois, held at the court house on the 14th day of June A. D. 1858, I became the purchaser of the following tracts, to-wit: Sec 36 of sec 36 T 14 R 4, 40 acres, and s 1/2 of sec 36 T 14 R 4, 80 acres, by paying the taxes thereon for the year 1857.

STOVES AND TINWARE.

All those wishing to buy stoves for cash would do well to give me a call before looking elsewhere. I have a large lot of the very best stoves in use. Consisting of—

- The Charter Oak, The Elevated Oven, The Pride of the East, The Comet Air-Tight, The Empire State;

and, in short, all kinds of Heating and Parlor stoves. All kinds of Tinware, Japaned ware, plain tinware of all kinds, cast wash-boilers, cast teak-tiles. Extra stove trimmings constantly on hand.

C. A. CARTER.

I WOULD say to those knowing themselves indebted to me by note or account, that they will save cost by calling and settling them. I must have money. C. A. C. Feb. 2d 1860. 14 6m.

Fruit & Ornamental TREES,

Shrubs, Roses, Green House & Bedding-out Plants, CULTIVATED AT THE Great Western NURSERIES,

TOLEDO, OHIO. For Sale by B. B. PEDDICORD, Agent, Sullivan, Illinois.

Everything in this line warranted, in every case, to be what it is represented, and at the most reasonable prices. I can supply Montrie and the adjoining counties with fruit trees, all kinds of shrubbery, vines, flowers &c., on short notice.

Moustachio.

Prof. JAMES' celebrated Oriental MOUSTACHIO, a preparation to make the Whiskers and Moustache grow luxuriantly, also to start Whiskers in six weeks. Price 50 cents per box. Sent by mail to any part of the United States on receipt of price.

FARMER'S ADVOCATE.

A WEEKLY FAMILY JOURNAL. Devoted to Western Agriculture, Horticulture, Mechanics, Education, Literature, &c. &c. &c. HAYDEN and NEWS. J. C. MEDILL & Co. Editors and Publishers, CHARLES BETTS, Corresponding Editor. TERMS (Cash in Advance) 1 Copy 1 year \$1.25 5 Copies " " 6.00 1 Copy of the Annual Report 2.00

BARBER SHOP.

Shave—South side Square, over Dr. Jones's Drug Store.

Shaving, shampooing, hair-cutting and dressing, whiskers and hair colored, on the shortest notice and in the most approved style. Shop open every day and Sunday, too.

Ladies, wishing their hair colored or cleaned, will please send in their cards, and they will be waited on at their residences. C. H. BIRD. Sullivan, Mar. 1, 1860. (18y.)

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that we will sell to the highest bidder, at the court house in Sullivan, upon a credit of nine months, the following described Real Estate, lying and being situate in the county of Montrie and State of Illinois, to-wit: The s 1/2 of sec 13, the s 1/2 of sec 14, and the s 1/2 of sec 23, the s 1/2 of sec 26, the undivided 1/2 of the ne 1/4 of the ne 1/4 of sec 26, the undivided 1/2 of the w 1/2 of the ne 1/4 of sec 14, and the undivided 1/2 of the w 1/2 of the ne 1/4 of sec 24, all in T. 13 N., R. 6 E. Said Real Estate will be sold on Saturday the 17th day of April, A. D. 1860, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m.

JOHN A. FREELAND, } Adm'r of GEORGE PURVIS, } of John D. Poor, deceased. March 1st 1860. no 18 6w

Administrator's SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a decree of the Montrie county court at the February term 1856, I will offer for sale at the court house door in the town of Sullivan, in Montrie county, Illinois, on the 17th day of March A. D. 1860, on a credit of twelve months, the purchaser or purchasers giving note and personal security and a mortgage on the lands sold, to secure the purchase money, the following lands of which Thomas P. Carpenter, dec'd, late of said county, to-wit: Lot 4 of the ne 1/4 of the ne 1/4 of section 10, and ne 1/4 of sec 10, and the s 1/2 of nw gr section 11, all in township 14 N R 5 E, to pay the debts of said deceased. EZRA D. CLEVELAND, Adm'r Jan. 19th 1860:—13-6

Tax Sale Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that at a sale of lands for taxes, in the county of Montrie, in the State of Illinois, held at the court house on the 14th day of June A. D. 1858, I became the purchaser of the following tract assessed in the name of Reuben Harrison, to-wit: The ne 1/4 of sec 17 T 15 R 5, 40 acres; and of the following tracts assessed in the name of Daniel Badd, to-wit: N 1/2 of sw gr of sec 1 T 15 R 6, 80 acres, and lot 2 nw gr sec 1 T 15 R 6, 134 acres, by paying the taxes thereon for the year 1857.

Notice is hereby given, that at a sale of lands for taxes, in the county of Montrie, in the State of Illinois, held at the court house on the 14th day of June A. D. 1858, I became the purchaser of the following tracts, assessed in the name of William B. Duffield, to-wit: N 1/2 of sec 8 T 13 R 6 E, 20 acres, and s 1/2 of nw gr of nw gr sec 16 T 13 R 6 E, 20 acres, by paying the taxes thereon for the year 1857.

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By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Cook county, in the state of Illinois, in favor of Charles Means & others, and against Thos. A. Maddux, I have levied upon the following described lands, to-wit: Ne 1/4 of nw gr, and sw 1/4 of nw gr, and s 1/2 of nw gr, the s 1/2 of nw 1/4, and nw 1/4 of sw 1/4, all in sec. 1 T 14 N R 4 East of 3d P. M., as the property of the said Thos. A. Maddux, which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan in said state, on the 30th day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Montrie county, in the state of Illinois, in favor of A. N. Smiser, and against Jos. H. Evans, James H. Evans Jr., and James H. Evans Sr., I have levied upon the following described lands, to-wit: Sixteen acres off the south end of the sw gr of nw gr of sec 22, and 24 acres off the east side of nw gr of sec 22, and the s 1/2 of the s 1/2 of the sw gr of the ne gr of sec 25, all in T 14 N R 4 East, of 3d P. M., as the property of the said James H. Evans Sr., which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan in said state, on the 23d day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Montrie county, in the state of Illinois, in favor of George W. Ruggs & P. B. Knight for the use of Robert Street & Co., and against John A. Warren & Irvin Johnson, I have levied upon the following described land to-wit: S 1/2 of sec 25 T 15 R 6, and the s 1/2 of sec 25 T 14 R 5 East, as the property of the said John A. Warren, which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan in said state, on the 23d day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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CORN!

Will give 25 cents per bushel for good, sound corn, delivered in Sullivan, in exchange for goods at cash price. I will also take corn at the above figures on debt up to the 1st of February 1860—no 18 6w

Probate Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of George A. Field, late of the county of Montrie and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Montrie county, at the court house in Sullivan, at the regular term, on the 3d Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend, for the purpose of having them adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. WILLIAM BOLIN, Adm'r. February 27th 1860. [18 6w.]

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Montrie county, in the state of Illinois, in favor of James Hoffman, and against Henry Baley, I have levied upon the following described lands, to-wit: N 1/2 sw gr sec 17 T 15 R 5 E, and sw gr of nw gr of sec 17 T 15 R 5 East, as the property of the said Henry Baley, which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan in said state, on the 23d day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

Joseph Thomason sheriff, by J. W. Kendall, dep. March 1st 1860. 18 3/4.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Montrie county, in the state of Illinois, in favor of William L. Ward for the use of B. A. Cornwell and against William Sparks & Jno Y. Hitt, I have levied upon the following described land, to-wit: Sw gr or nw gr sec 20 T 14 N R 4 East, 40 acres, as the property of the said Wm Sparks, which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan, in said state, on the 23d day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Montrie county, in the State of Illinois, in favor of Bank of the Commonwealth, and against Thomas Wiley, I have levied upon the following described land, to-wit: W 1/2 sw gr sec 1 T 13 R 6, 80 acres, nw gr sec 12 T 13 R 6, 80 acres, nw gr sec 12 T 13 R 6, 160 acres, nw se sec 13 T 13 R 6, 40 acres, and sw se sec 11 T 13 R 6, 40 acres, as the property of the said Thomas Wiley, which I shall offer at public sale at the court house door in Sullivan in said state, on the 23d day of March A. D. 1860, between the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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All persons indebted to me, either by note or account, are earnestly solicited to call immediately, and pay the same to J. H. Egan, who has my books &c. in his hands in my absence. You will certainly save money by taking a hint. J. H. EYMER, Sullivan, March 1st 1860. [18 6w.]