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ORGANIZATION OF THE HOUSE.

Under precedents which grew into the force of law, in Congress, the Clerk of one House of Representatives continued in office until the next House was organized, and made up the roll of members who were allowed to participate in the organization. This threw into the hands of the Clerk the power of organizing the House as he pleased. [illegible]

To do away with the possible exercise of such an arbitrary power, the last Congress passed an act defining the powers and the duties of the Clerk in organizing the House. The Clerk, therefore, in calling the next House to order has simply the power which this law gives him—no more and no less.

By this law the Clerk is directed to place upon the roll of the House such members, and such only, as have been elected in pursuance of the laws of Congress or of the States which they represent; and interpreting the law in the sense understood by those who framed and passed it, Mr. M'PHERSON, the Clerk of the last House, has given it to be understood that he will not place upon the rolls of the next House the names of members elected from the late rebel States, leaving to the House itself to decide whether they shall be admitted or not.

In this we think he is right. To decide otherwise would be to take out of the hands of the House the power to decide impartially the most momentous question that is likely to come before it, and give to the southern members the right to decide upon their own claims to seats. The last House which passed this law, persistently refused to admit members from Arkansas, Louisiana, Tennessee and Virginia, thus indicating unmistakably that it did not intend to recognize them as States or acknowledge their right to elect Congressmen.

If it is urged that the southern members have been chosen in pursuance of the laws of their respective States, and thus come clearly within the meaning of the law of Congress, we answer that that is begging the question at issue. The very question to be decided is whether the States lately in rebellion are States within the Union or not; and it is for those whose right to sit in the House is unquestioned to decide whether these States shall be readmitted into the Union, and whether the new Constitutions that have been framed are Republican in form or not. Any attempt to give the parties in interest the power to decide this question in their own favor is manifestly unfair and unjustifiable.

We hold, therefore, that the clerk is pursuing a strictly legal course. Fair play is a jewel. Let the friends of restoration be careful that they do not overstep the bounds of fair play in their eagerness to get into the possession of power. The public sentiment of the country will not tolerate the resort to any trick or forced construction of the law in the settlement of the vexed question of reconstruction. The Southern States must not try to *force* themselves back. A modest demeanor and a patient waiting on their part will serve their ends better than any *coup d'etat* such as they seem to contemplate.

Upon this subject the New York *Tribune* publishes the following extract from a letter of Mr. M'Pherson. His argument seems to us irresistible:

"In the several theories of reorganization, the controlling power in the premises is variously supposed to be lodged sometimes in the President, sometimes in Congress. The latter is likely to decision to the latter view, *and in any event is not likely to permit members to be forced into the House and seated by mob, in accordance with contraband paroling, these bodies themselves have passed upon the status of the applicants.*

"But the law of the case is plain. It provides—in a resolution bunglingly worded, but prepared and passed with direct reference to such a contingency as an effort by a tricky clerk to fill the House with illegitimate members—that the clerk 'shall make a roll, and place thereon the names of all persons, and of such persons only, *whose credentials show that they were regularly elected, in accordance with the laws of their States respectively, or the laws of the United States.*'—(Stat. at Large, Vol. XII., p. 804.

"On this it is clear:

"*First.* That no law of the United States authorizes the election of representatives in any of the insurrectionary States.

"*Second.* That no law of any of the States authorizes an election held at the call of a Provisional Governor, and from which large numbers of legally recognized voters (the unsworn rebels) are excluded.

"How, then, can any names be placed on the roll as from these States?"

SOUTHERN DISLOYALTY.

No one will accuse the New York *Times* of hatred to the Southern people. It has done its best, during the past summer, to convince the nation that the late rebels were now loyal, trusty, and worthy of our confidence. The testimony of its correspondent, now traveling in Alabama, is therefore of more weight than if it came from any source which people choose to consider prejudiced. Hear him:

In the fullest extent of the term there is little or no patriotism in Central and Southern Alabama, and but very little love for the United States Government. In Northern Alabama the people are warm and sincere in their devotion to the Union. This feeling is rife in that portion of the State lying north of the Tennessee river, and running from Tuscumbia, in the west to Stevenson in the east. The people in this section are true to the government and its interests, and can be relied upon indefinitely and all circumstances. In the southern and central portions of the State, with a great many the spirit of the rebellion has not ceased to exist.

MONTGOMERY BLAIR has come out in a venomous letter against the Maryland registry law, framed to disfranchise the disloyal, upon which the Baltimore *American*, which has heretofore been friendly to him, says:

"It will be remembered that Mr. Blair supported the new constitution of Maryland, which provides for the disfranchisement of the disloyal, makes the passage of a registry law the imperative duty of the Legislature, and embodies the very oath contained in the law itself. It will also be remembered that at the last session of the General Assembly, while this same now styled objectionable law was under discussion, Mr. Blair sought a seat in the Senate of the United States from the men who made the act the law of Maryland, the men who now denounces as "scoundrels," and "toadies," but not one word of condemnation did he utter against the constitution the law at that time."

THE OLD PENNSYLVANIA ANTI-SLAVERY SOCIETY, at its recent session at West Chester, very wisely resolved to continue its organization. Slavery is by no means to be considered as abolished as long as the spirit of slavery continues as rampant as ever, and as able to overawe such religious bodies as the Episcopal Convention. The old Abolitionists have still a big work to do.

WE LEARN that the President of the United States has conferred upon Lieut. Thos. Williams, Jr., of the 19th Artillery, the brevets of Captain and Major, to date from the 11th of March, for meritorious services during the war.

In the contest of [illegible] Court in the election of Earl Rutledge to the Premiership, The United States must look for a continuance, during his administration, of the bitter hostility towards us shown by the lately published diplomatic correspondence between himself and Mr. ADAMS. In that view, his elevation to the vacant place is much to be regretted. As, however, we are now in a much better position to resent insults offered to us than we were during the rebellion, we do not anticipate any manifestation that will lead to a conflict. The new Premier may indulge in the privilege of growling and showing his teeth, but will hardly attempt to bite.

THE TEST OATH IN MISSOURI.—The new Constitution of Missouri requires lawyers, preachers and other professionals to take a test oath, and imposes a heavy fine upon those who practice their profession without taking it. The pro-slavery clergy determined that they would not it, the Catholic priests leading off in resistance to it; but the Governor has endorsed the law, and the Supreme Court of the State has just decided that the oath is Constitutional, and cannot be evaded.

THE *Buffalo Courier*, the mouth-piece in Western New York of the Van Buren Democracy, goes for the assumption and payment of the rebel debt, quietly trusting its party to slaughter the Federal debt. It says:

"We vote for the Union and the payment of the war debt of both the South and the North."

THE fact stated in the New York *Times*, that a northern dramatic company was compelled to leave Lynchburg, Va., on account of the hostility of the people to anything from the free States, is highly significant. It proves that the old venom is as strong and active as ever.

Rev. R. J. Breckinridge, D. D.

This distinguished gentleman, having, as our readers know, been unanimously elected to the Presidency of Washington and Jefferson College, has just made a visit to the two places of its location, for the purpose of obtaining the requisite light to enable him to decide the question of his duty in the premises. He reached Canonsburg on last Thursday, in company with Dr. Beatty, and had extended conferences with the Trustees and Faculty there, and also addressed the students with great acceptance. He arrived at this place on Saturday morning, and spent the remainder of the day in consultation with such of the Trustees and Faculty as are resident here. In the evening he received calls from a number of our leading citizens, and was waited on by the students of this branch of the College, in a body, who congratulated him in the sweet strains of music, and, after introduction by the Hon. Jno. H. Ewing, received in return a few handsome words of acknowledgment, with the promise of an address in the College Hall, the next day. The Doctor occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning, and preached a very clear and able sermon, to the great gratification of a large audience. At three o'clock in the afternoon a social meeting of the Faculty and students was held in the college, when, in connection with devotional exercises, he delivered a stirring and most profitable address to the young men on the responsibilities of the present and the future.

During the Dr.'s stay, he was the guest of our townsman, C. M. Reed, Esq. He left on the Monday morning train for his home in Kentucky. We have not learned his mind in regard to the acceptance of the Presidency. Indeed we have reason to believe, he has reached no decision as yet. He looks, we are told, with the deepest interest upon the mission and prospects of the united College. At the same time, he is so identified with the grave questions of the church and state at the present crisis in the South, that it becomes a perplexing question to his mind, whether at this juncture he is at liberty to transfer his residence and services to the Presidency. Another large portion of the interest in the decision rests in the College, he will no doubt find a cordial and warm welcome, both in the community and the [illegible]

Gold in Greene County.

We have been shown a letter from Benj. F. Lewis, Esq., Superintendent of the Amber Oil Company, to Hon. J. C. Flenniken, from which we gather the following facts:

"This Company is boring for oil on the farm belonging to the estate of David Kerr, deceased, in Dunkard township, and at the depth of six hundred and seventy five feet, struck a stratum of very fine gas or source which proved to be from two and a half to three feet thick. As soon as they drilled through this hard vein, the water rushed into the borings and upon tapping, fragments of ore were brought to the surface resembling gold bearing quartz. A lump of the size of a hulled hickory nut was immediately forwarded to Mr. James McGinley, at Philadelphia, President of the Company, who had it analyzed. It was found to contain gold over twenty carats fine. The value of $2.35, was returned to Mr. Lewis, as the product of the small lump of ore, besides several small quantities which were reserved as specimens. A committee was appointed to visit the well, collect all the necessary information, and to report thereon.

"This discovery has created much wild excitement, and very wild speculations are rife respecting it. We presume a scientific investigation will be made preparatory to shafting for the precious metal. If these are facts, and Mr. Lewis says they may be relied on, it is an important feature in the mineral development of Greene County.—*Rustic's Reporter.*

VARIOUS ITEMS.

THE Supreme Court of Missouri in the case of Father Cummings, a Catholic priest, who was fined $500 in a lower Court for preaching without taking the test oath, has affirmed the sentence, thus sustaining the constitutionality of the ordinance.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Ohio *Farmer*, writing from Mattoon, Illinois, says sheep are not doing well there this season. Many sheepgrowers have lost one-fourth of their flocks since shearing; from the scours. This is probably owing to the wet season affecting the feed.

THE Lewistown (Idaho) *Journal* says that Mr. White, of Leeds, has raised one hundred bushels of fine cranberries this season on a small piece of bog land that was planted with this fruit a few years ago.

THE circulation of the Redmond *Weekly* is larger by one-third than it was before or during the rebellion. It ought to think well of the Union.

GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN is out with an epistle, in which he denounces what he calls the "disgusting toadyism" of giving dinners to the English capitalists.

THE citizens of South Danvers, Mass., were somewhat startled last week, by the discovery of torpedoes in their coal.

THE Unitarians have already subscribed $105,000,000 to the new college at Antioch, Ohio, and $70,000 are yet to be raised.

A FIRE in Cleveland yesterday destroyed a grocery, saloon and two dwellings, besides damaging an adjoining building. The loss is about $4,000.

THE West Tennessee *Whig* says: "Cotton begins to come in pretty fast, for this time of the season, and is sold here at fair prices."

WOMEN think, like historians, that no age is so barbarous as the middle ages.

THE Reading *Record* says: The Hammercreek Gap & Lancaster Railroad, is the title of the new road now in course of construction, from Manheim to Lancaster. It is to be finished from Gap to Ruegrove, and ultimately from Lancaster southward to New Castle, Delaware, where coal can be shipped during any season of the year. This enterprise is therefore of great importance to the Schuylkill coal operators.

THE movement against the dam in the Susquehanna river, which obstructs the ascent of shad, salmon and other fish in season, is assuming considerable importance. A formal call has been issued for a convention to meet in the House of Representatives, Harrisburg, on the afternoon of the second Wednesday in January next, to which all the counties interested in the Susquehanna fisheries are invited to send delegates.

THE apple crop in Huntingdon county this year is a failure.

STATE NEWS.

THE Johnstown *Democrat* says: A family in Johnstown about a week since, resolved on dissolution, or at least one part of it seceded. The husband having discovered some letters and a likeness about the house that did not in his opinion accord very well with the marital relations of his wife, he took his three children and suddenly decamped for Ottawa, Canada West.

MR. A. L. GUSS has retired from the publication of the *Juniata Sentinel*, which paper he has edited during the last three years. Mr. G. has taken the Cassville Seminary, which he will shortly open for the insurrection, exclusively, of orphan children of deceased Pennsylvania soldiers, in conformity with the law passed by our last Legislature.

ON last Tuesday, while two brothers named Simpson were hunting wild turkeys near Mill Creek, Huntingdon Co., James was accidently shot in the throat with a rifle ball by his brother. The wounded man was borne to his home in Mill Creek. The ball, which passed from his neck to his shoulder, has been extracted, and there is hopes of the recovery of the wounded man.

JACOB O. SHERRICK of East Huntingdon tp., Westmoreland Co., committed suicide on Wednesday of last week, by hanging himself. Mr. S. was a well known and highly respected citizen of Westmoreland Co. The reason of his self destruction does not appear to be known. He leaves a wife and several children.

THE COURT HOUSE in Huntingdon has been improved lately. The finishing touch was given to it last Saturday. The *Globe* says: The old building now presents a respectable appearance within; and while we venture the assertion, is not surpassed by any Court House in the Interior, for neatness, comfort and appearance.

THE Alumni of Lewisburgh University have taken preliminary steps for the erection of a suitable monument to the memory of their brother students who have fallen in the service of their country. It is proposed to place a plain marble shaft, in a conspicuous spot on the college campus.

THE Huntingdon *Globe* says: A bear, weighing about 150 pounds, was killed near the village of Shade Gap, this county, on Tuesday last, by a pack of hunters from Shirleysburg. Bears are reported to be plenty on our mountains.

A DAUGHTER of Jos. Hammond of Cambria county was killed on the 23d ult. by the accidental discharge of a gun in her father's house. The load passed through her head, killing her instantly.

DEATHS from hydrophobia have occurred at Lewistown, Mifflin county, two cases having been put down, both of which were those of a very good quality at a depth of about forty feet.

THE double track of the Northern Central Railway Company, is being laid with rapidity. It is expected that it will be completed as far as Sunbury.

B. M. JOHNSTON has erected and will soon have in operation a nail factory, in connection with his rolling mill in Hollidaysburgh.

BEARS are plenty in Juniata county, the papers say. Since the 1st of September last, seven have been killed in that county.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad Station house in Huntingdon, is fitted up in a beautiful style.

WILD GAME, such as bears and turkeys, are unusually numerous in Huntingdon county this year.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

FOR MAYOR

CAPTAIN WM. MAYS of the Seventh Ward,

will be a candidate for MAYOR, subject to the nomination of the Union party of the city of Pittsburgh, to be held prior to the next city election. nov1 to

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.
OFFICE JONES' FERRY COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 25th, 1865.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Jones' Ferry Company will take place on MONDAY, November 6th, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the OFFICE OF A. & R. M. SMITH, No. 15 Water street, Pittsburgh, at which time and place an ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held.

oct30 3td WM. M. HERSH, Secretary.

FOR THE MAYORALTY.—JAMES DONALDSON, Alderman of the Fourth Ward, at the solicitation of friends, has consented to allow his name to be used in connection with the next Mayoralty, and will be a candidate subject to the direct vote of the people. In accordance with the recommendation of the last Republican Municipal Convention. oct31tc

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CIDER—10 bbls. in store, one yr. old, suitable for Vinegar, for sale by
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PATENT FLOUR SIFTER — Every family should have one. Call and see them at No. 5 and 18 St. Clair st.
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UNIVERSAL CLOTHES WRINGERS. The best in use. Another large lot just received and for sale at No. 5 and 18 St. Clair st.
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Orders to southern ports executed at Diarrhœa and Dysentery, by applying to the subscriber at STRICKER'S DRUG STORE, corner of Fifth avenue and Wood street. Patent medicines extensively used in the Military Hospitals in connection with the Southern Army. Special attention to orders by mail. Circulars sent free. Price of Diarrhœa Mixture, $1 per bottle. The only preparation known as a safe and reliable remedy for Diarrhœa. Do not experiment with quacks or medicines. Get a safe and reliable remedy at once and be cured. Dysentery will be cured by the use of this mixture.
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QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, October 12th, 1865.

The following named Boats and Barges will be sold at Public Auction, as follows:

At LOUISVILLE, KY., SATURDAY, October 28th, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the steamboats OHIO and T. D. HORNER.

Eight Model Barges, and
(60) Fifty Coal Barges and other Barges.

Also at Louisville and New Albany, Ind.

At JEFFERSONVILLE, IND., TUESDAY, October 31st, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the steamboat LUE ESTES.

Six Model Barges;
Two Quinwaite Barges, and
One Wharfboat, lying at that place.

At ALTON, ILLS., NOVEMBER 1st and 2d, at 10 A. M., the steamboats "U. S.," one Wharfboat, and about eighty Model, Gunwale and other Barges, now lying at that place.

At SAINT LOUIS, MO., SATURDAY, November 4th, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the steamboats

AUTOCRAT, IZETTA,
H. A. JANUARY, [illegible]MERIKA,
METROPOLITAN, D. G. WOODS,
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One Wrecking Barge—E. M. Hyland, complete.
One Wharfboat Steamboat.
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FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The light draught passenger packet, LENI LEOLI, J. T. Campbell Master, will leave for the above and all intermediate ports, on FRIDAY, Nov. 3d, 1865.

For freight or passage apply on board
oct31 IRON CITY NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1st, 1865.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a Dividend of NINE PER CENT.

On the Capital Stock, out of the profits, since 1st of February last, payable on and after the 15th inst. to stockholders or their legal representatives, free of U. S. tax.

oct31d JOHN MAGOFFIN, Cash'r.

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oct31 118 Federal st., Allegheny City.

STRAY COW.—Strayed on 30th October, a SMALL COW, 5 or 6 years old, red-ty with some white on her; branded J. KING. A suitable reward will be paid for information of or the return of the Cow to me, at No. 4 Stockton Avenue, Allegheny City.
oct31 JOSIAH KING.

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oct31 3td JOSIAH KING, Secretary and Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1st, 1865.

TO CONTRACTORS, &c.—Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12th inst., for building a BRIDGE ACROSS BEAVER RUN, at the crossing of the Middle Road, near Sharpsburg. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned, where all information will be given. Bond required.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Tarr Story & Cheney Run Oil Company will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms, Wood street, on Tuesday, November 14th, 1865, at 3 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and transacting such other business as may come before them.

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DIARRHŒA.

Directors of this Company, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office, No. 62 Wood street, on Tuesday, the 14th day of November next, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M.

nov1-dtd WM. P. HERBERT, Sec'y.

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U. S. Bonds	$1,247,579 45
Notes	600,000 00
Real Estate and Ground Rent	35,324 82
Stocks and Miscellanies	21 00
Due by other Banks	143 881 69
Bank Notes, Checks & Trea. Notes	282 487 00
Specie	231,263 14
	$2,675,057 25

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$1,000,000 00
Profits and Earnings	243,441 25
1 per Cent. Dividends and Scrip Acct.	14,297 34
Due to other Banks	82,276 13
Circulation	21,411 00
Deposits	1,154,101 04
	$2,675,057 25

The above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN HARPER, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed, this 1st day of November, 1865, before me S. SMITH, Notary Public.
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JOHN W. FOLWELL, 813 Race Street, Philadelphia. Liver Complaint. 10 years pain in side and under shoulder. Heartburn in stomach. Loss of Appetite, Restless Nights. Depression of Spirits. Constipation. Operated on twice in Public Hall; status complete cure. Writes: "Dear Doctor, I feel as well as ever." Can be referred to.

REUBEN SNYDER, Schuylkill Haven, Pa. Complete cure of Liver complaint of 20 years standing, and complete cure by an operation of one minute. The gentleman will answer any inquiry. By the kind permission of the Hon. N. P. Steiner, 93 North Fifth street, Philadelphia, Representative from the Fifth District, Pa., who witnessed the operation and is well acquainted with the case, both before and after the operation, I refer to all who may be interested.

THOMAS PROCTOR, 239 Front street, Lancaster, Pa. Liver complaint in its worst possible form; could only sleep in one position; under the influence of opium, taking on an average, 7 or 8 ounces per day. After two operations, the first one of fifteen minutes, he was entirely cured, sleeps well, appetite good, spirits generally invigorated, left off taking laudanum, and is in a fair way for a complete recovery.

PATRICK BRADLEY, 2,000 Third Street, Louisville. From the result of an injury, was troubled with severe pain in the back; unable to stoop over, had not lifted a weight of ten pounds for more than a year. Complete cure in one operation of fifteen minutes. After two operations, the first one of ten minutes, unable to breathe without great difficulty, or do any work of any kind for a considerable time. Complete recovery with one operation.

JOHN W. LOCKE, 1,315 Filbert street, Philadelphia. Has not been able to bend over or touch the floor in twenty-two months. Cured with one operation.

REV. MARY ANN COOPER, Franklin street, Philadelphia. Had had painful dislocation of ankle joint. Had not been able to walk without a supporter about 18 months. Received pain a relief from the first operation. Is daily walked some three miles, and the next operation only.

MRS. ELIZABETH TURNER, sister of Teach and Turner, Philadelphia. Had dislocation. Has been busily sewing; great pain and stiffness in the joint when in motion. Received pain at once. Lady walked home as well as ever did.

REV. JOHN GATHLE, Cincinnati, Ohio. A Pastor for latter years with Dyspepsia, General Debility, etc. Completely cured in one minute. Would refer to any countries wide.

THOMAS M'LOUGHLIN, Cincinnati, Ohio, Ribs sanitation, Lameness, &c. Had not walked a step without crutches for ten years. Carried his crutches away on his shoulder after one operation.

JOHN PARROTT, aged 12 from Putnam, Ky. Seventeen years afflicted with Rheumatism and unable to use one of crutches. Left crutches, and walked home.

C. F. MYERS, Indianapolis, Indiana. Complete cure in one minute. Came to speak kind and sincere words in one minute. Will answer any questions.

MRS. CLARA LOUISA KELLOGG, Principal Soprano Grand Opera Troupe. Operated on Miss Kellogg's throat sometime. Completely cured in one moment, thereby preventing a long continuance to the assembled thousands at Pike's Opera House, Cincinnati, where she was announced to appear in the opera of Lucia.

LEAH A. HAWKINS, Cleveland, Ohio, sister of Capt. and Brig. Gen. Hawkins. Had talked on crutches for five years. Affected with Erysipelas. Cured in one minute.

HENRY JONES, Cincinnati, Ohio. Operated on in Music Hall. Great audience of the best and constant pain. Relieved completely in one operation.

CHARLES C. WARD, Cincinnati, Ohio. Partial deafness for eight years. Was unable to hear a watch in one moment.

LIBERTY BLACKMAN, Cincinnati, Ohio. Specialty of Corns, with Partial Loss of Sight. Relieved in one moment.

PELL TILMAN, Cincinnati, Ohio. Rheumatism, Loss of Limbs, such a acute pain upon pressure, that any relief was the operation.

FRED. A. WALKER, Book-keeper, Dexter's Bank, New York. Bleeding Piles. Suffered much pain. Was entirely unable to sit or stand. One operation. May be referred to.

MRS. E. F. STOUT, Saginaw, Michigan. Was a sewing machine girl two operations. Can be referred to.

EZRA M. BARD, Gold Water, Mich. Inflammation of Lungs. Was not able to walk across the floor. One operation. May be referred to.

WM. HARRICK, Cleveland, Ohio. Rheumatism and Neuralgia. Had not been able to walk for years. Operated on once. No return of disease. May be referred to.

CHARLES P. HERMAN, 99 Main street, Mine