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THE CAPITOL.

Louisville is Campaigning for the State House.

A SUMMARY OF HER CLAIMS.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 25.—A rousing meeting was held to-night at Liederkrantz Hall for the purpose of expressing the city's feelings on the question of the location of the State Capitol, and to put forth the arguments in favor of Louisville. Speeches were made by various prominent gentlemen, and, according to Bennett H. Young's statement, which was fully endorsed by the meeting, this gathering would settle the question in about fifteen minutes by moving the capital to this city.

The committee on resolutions reported the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted: "Whereas, The Constitutional Convention seems wisely resolved that the location of the Capitol of the State should now be finally fixed and that a suitable State-house, costing not less than two million dollars and not more than two and a half millions, should be at once built, and, whereas, a Committee on the Capitol has been appointed by the convention to consider and report on this subject, and the committee have announced that they would be glad to hear from any city willing or eager to be selected as the site for the future Capitol, be it

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GRINDING AWAY.

The Constitutional Convention Still Moves Slowly.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 24.—The last two days have been devoted principally to Municipal Matters, including tax rates. Among the important portions adopted were these: The cities and towns of the State are divided into six classes; the organization and powers of each class to be defined and prescribed for by general laws. Cities of the first class shall be those of 100,000 population or over; of the second class, those with a population of 20,000 or more, and less than 100,000; of the third class, those with a population of 8,000 or more, and less than 20,000; of the fourth, those having 3,000 and up to 8,000; of the fifth, those less than 3,000 and more than 1,000; of the sixth, towns of 1,000 inhabitants and less.

An inhibition is placed upon municipalities, which prevents those of the first and second class and those of the third class of 20,000 and over from levying taxes at greater rate than \$1.50 on the \$100; those of the remainder class can not exceed \$1 on the hundred; and counties are limited to fifty cents on the hundred.

No county, city or town is allowed to become indebted in any manner to an amount exceeding, in any year, the income and revenue provided for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the voters of the county, city or town, etc. The power of cities, counties, towns and taxing districts to incur indebtedness is limited. Cities of the first, second and third classes, to 10 per cent. of the assessed valuation; of the fourth, to 5 per cent.; of the fifth and sixth to 3 per cent. Counties are limited to 2 per cent.

REPRESENTATIVE FOR EIGHT HOURS.

Nearly 150,000 Miners to Begin the Contest May 1.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 22.—The miners of the United States have just completed plans for the great strike which will be held in America. The conflict between the miners and mine-owners will take place on the 1st of May. The entire national organization of miners, comprising 150,000 will be directly involved in a demand for the eight hour day. At the convention of the American Federation of Labor, held in Detroit some weeks ago, it was decided to back the miners for eight hours next May. The utterances of the officers of United Mine Workers on the subject leave no doubt that the miners will make the fight.

An immense strike fund is being made ready for the miners, and when the latter go out they will have at their back for immediate use nearly \$1,000,000. This fund will be swelled from time to time at the rate of \$50,000 a week. W. J. Dillon, secretary of the American Glass-workers Union, United States organizer for the American Federation of Labor, to-day gave the following interview on the coming fight:

"In the aggregate we figure on about 150,000 miners in the United States. Almost 75,000 of these are active members of the United Mine Workers. The remainder are members of the organization when it comes to a struggle. These are the men who will strike for eight hours next May unless something unforeseen should occur. The Federation numbers about 600,000 men, and 500,000 men can be counted upon. For six weeks before May 1 strike contributions will be levied on the members at the rate of 10 cents a week. This will make \$300,000 for the six weeks. The formal ratification of the matter will take place at next month's convention of the United Mine Workers to be held in Columbus, O. The latter organization has a strike fund of its own amounting to several hundred thousand dollars. Besides this, it will raise a special fund before the fight, so that \$1,000,000 will be ready by May 1 on which to conduct the contemplated conflict."

The Gun Was Loaded.

Murray, Ky., Jan. 21.—Charles Cross, a well-known young farmer of Golden Pond, Trigg county, was shot in the mouth yesterday morning. He took down an old rifle from its accustomed place over the door, and, pushing the hammer back with one foot, he started to blow in the muzzle to ascertain if it was loaded. As his mouth neared the hammer fell and the gun was discharged, the ball entering his right jaw and lodging in the rear of his head. He is in a critical condition, and the probability is that he will die.

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KANSAS HEARD FROM.

The Force Bill Denounced. Free Coinage Wanted.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 21.—The most exciting discussion of the session took place to-day in the House upon a resolution introduced by Dr. Neely, of Leavenworth, the leader of the Democratic, denouncing the Force bill, and urging the Kansas delegation to use all means to defeat it. The resolution was as follows: Whereas, The peaceful revolution of last November expressed a demand of the electors or their representatives in Congress that they shall in the future legislate in the interest of the masses as against a class, 25,000 of whom have appropriated one-half of the wealth of the country therefore.

Resolved, That we request our senators and representatives in Congress to exercise their influence to accomplish the defeat of the so-called "Force bill," a measure calculated to ferment sectional strife and disturb that peace and tranquility which is absolutely necessary to encourage the development of the exhaustless resources and correlative greatness of the West and South. We condemn the enactment of any law that is calculated to continue in force the unequal and unjust economic legislation which disgraces the statutes of the government. The New York Tribune, a leading authority on protection, legislation boldly proclaims that there are a dozen McKinley bills in the said force bill, and whereas one such bill has brought us face to face with commercial ruin, we hereby demand its repeal and the enactment of equal and just legislation having due regard for the necessities of all of the people and a proper respect for the great agricultural interests of the West. Be it

Resolved, We call upon the Congress of this nation for the enactment of laws authorizing the free and unlimited coinage of silver and the enlargement of the volume of currency issued by the government sufficient to properly accommodate the already great and growing necessities of the people.

A DEAD DISEASE.

The Meningitis Plays Hooch at Clayton's Ridge.

At Clayton's Ridge, five miles southwest of Hanson in Hopkins county that devastation type cerebrospinal meningitis which afflicted portions of Webster county which is so much virulence has fallen with a heavy hand. This disease is spreading at a rapid rate and almost invariably means death in a short time. It is horrible to behold the sufferers. They are attacked suddenly. Their heads are generally thrown back and the eyes almost bulge from their sockets. Appealing piteously in their contortions they only find their relief in death which generally comes in a day or two.

Five new cases were developed Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. John Clayton and her child are already among the dead. Another child was dying yesterday.

Those visited with the disease should recover are almost sure to be blind or maimed. Many are preparing to move from the locality it is probably that it will soon be deserted as a plague stricken district.

AT SEBREE.

Four cases have been developed at Sebree: a 10-year-old son of W. J. Melton, a 15-year-old son of Not Melton, a 11-year-old son of Frank Dwyler and another boy. Young Dwyler was taken Saturday evening and died Sunday evening. Another died yesterday morning who was taken Friday.—Henderson Journal.

Riley Boyd, of Paducah, is in trouble again. His old weakness have cropped out, and he's said to have left his home for St. Louis on a tear and under a cloud. Before leaving, while drunk, he was badly beaten in a drunken row, and it is claimed that he has gone to the dogs generally. He is one of the brightest lawyers in the Purchase, and notwithstanding his bad record in the past he was fast building up a lucrative practice at Paducah, but it seems, as the Standard says, "he will not redeem himself." He has many admirers for his own sake and his distinguished father's, and much regret is expressed on all hands that he hasn't the stuff to make a man.—Clinton Democrat.

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CASE OF THE SAYWARD.

A View of the Troublesome Behring's Sea Controversy.

(From the New York Herald.) The Governments at Washington and London are not quite free and independent in dealing with the Behring's Sea controversy. England is much under the thumb of the Privy Council of Canada, and the United States are subject to a pull by the powerful company holding a lease of the Pribiloff Islands. There is no dispute concerning jurisdiction in Behring's Sea excepting in regard to seal fishing, two weeks.

When London gives indications of yielding for the sake of international peace and justice, the United States, and when Washington is for a fair adjustment the new lessees of these islands protest. Up to 1885-6 there was no collision between Canada and the Alaska Commercial Company. It may be that up to that date Canada sealers did not enter Behring Sea, and it may be that before 1885 the Alaska Commercial Company could not get Treasury revenue cutters to make seizures in waters not adjacent to our coast of islands.

The sudden way in which seizures began in 1886; the ignorance of what had been done by our revenue cutters and by our Federal Court of Alaska; the lapse of eight months before our Department of State could get from Sitka a copy of the judicial proceedings in the cases of the Carolina, Onward and Thornton; the order by President Cleveland commanding "the discontinuance of all proceedings, the discharge of the vessels and the release of all persons under arrest," and then the beginning during the next August of similar seizures on similar facts and theories of law—all indicate that what was done in seizing, releasing again was not in the control of one mind at Washington.

Certainly the President's order of release in February, 1887, was calculated to encourage Canada and American poachers to begin again that season. There were no seizures at all in 1888. If the laws of Congress were preemptory in requiring the Treasury to seize every marauder, such intimation in seizing is very confusing for plain sort of people. It makes the country apprehensive that the seizing is, and has been, quite much under the real control of the lessees of our Pribiloff Islands as in pending negotiations. London is, and has been, under the control of the Canadian Privy Council.

The Sayward was one of the batch of seizures made in 1887, only six months after the President released the Carolina, Onward and Thornton. She was seized more than 60 miles from land, having on board 450 seal-skins, 64 of which were taken in Behring's Sea. The skins were delivered to the Federal Marshal at Unalakleet and the vessel towed to Sitka. The master and the mate were indicted, arrested and gave bonds to appear for trial. In October of 1887 the British Minister protested at Washington. In May of the next year, a decree having been entered that the Sayward be condemned as forfeited, and her owner having perfected an appeal from the decree in admiralty to the Supreme Court, she was appraised and delivered to the owner on a bond (for the appraised value) to prosecute the appeal and obey the final judgment.

Early in the next September the Foreign Office at London asked its minister at Washington to report "when the appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of the W. P. Sayward is likely to come on." He replied that the case "has not yet been docketed" at Washington. Canada then pushed Lord Salisbury to act more vigorously in that case. In April, 1889 Colonial Office at London again prodded the Foreign Office about the Sayward. Lord Salisbury wrote to Washington, and the minister replied on April 29, 1889, that the appeal had been filed, but the case would not for three years be reached for argument.

In August, 1889, the Foreign Office at London wrote to Canada that the Behring's Sea cases would be in a stronger position in a diplomatic way, in the appeals to the Supreme Court were pushed on, and added that "it is very unusual to press for diplomatic redress for a private wrong so long as there is a reasonable chance of obtaining it from the tribunals of the country."

Lord Salisbury suggested to Canada a test case for our Supreme Court. Up to that time Lord Salisbury had only protested and had not demanded indemnity. In September, 1889, the Canadian Privy Council reported to London a doubt whether an appeal would lie in the

Sayward case and urged Lord Salisbury not to longer postpone pressing for indemnity. It was not until February, 1890, that the British Minister opened at the State Department the question of indemnity for the lost seal claim for \$500,000; was told by Mr. Blain that Congress would not pay that sum excepting on an international award, and that the President would only consent on the condition that an arbitration for the lost seal claim be set on foot.

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NEWS NOTES.

Joseph King, a young lawyer at St. Paul, has been driven insane by his losses at poker.

The Wisconsin Democrats nominated and will elect Gen. W. F. Vilas to the United States Senate.

The Arkansas legislature refuses to take action in the World's Fair until the face of the Force Bill is settled.

At Buffalo, N. Y., two firemen perished in the flames they were fighting.

The troops are leaving the scene of the late Indian war.

Bob Ford, the slayer of Jesse James, figured in a duel at Wolsburg, Col., last week. He was slightly wounded.

Near Bartonville, Ky., Epp Moore committed suicide by blowing his brains out. He had killed two men, and, it is supposed, the remorse caused his suicide.

The German Reichstag is debating a motion to remove prohibition from American pork.

The Illinois legislature refused to table a motion calling upon the Congressmen of that State to vote against the Force bill.

Crown Prince Baudoin, heir to the throne of Belgium, is dead.

In Congress, the Committee on Levees and Improvements submitted a report to the House, recommending an appropriation of \$10,000,000 for the construction of levees from Cairo to the head of the passes on the Mississippi.

Forty miners were killed and thirty severely wounded by an explosion at Goldenkirchen, Germany.

Fish an inch long are alleged to have fallen in a snow storm on the streets of Nashville, Saturday.

Chilian insurgents are said to be increasing in strength and boldness.

Wils Howard, one of Kentucky's noted outlaws, is serving a term in the California penitentiary.

The lower branch of the Tennessee legislature has passed a resolution, calling upon the State's members of Congress to support a Constitutional Amendment providing for the election of United States Senators by a vote of the people.

George Harris, of Newburg, Ill., undertook to starve himself to death and has about completed the job.

An avalanche of snow fell in the city of Quebec and demolished several houses.

The first spadeful of earth taken out for the World's Fair was dug on the lake front Tuesday.

Banker Brenham, of Litchfield, Minn., blew out his brains because he had only \$10,000 with which to pay liabilities amounting to \$190,000.

The Ohio Farmers Alliance is opposed of the third party movement.

The deficit in the Arkansas State Treasury is said to be \$80,000.

The county round about Grafton G. V., was lighted up for 29 miles by someone touching a match to a sea of oil resulting from a broken pipe.

A Congress of representatives Texas, Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, the two Dakotas, Iowa, Wyoming, Utah and Montana is to be held at Galveston next month to unify the people of these States and Territories to secure needed national legislation.

Over 100 miners were killed in an explosion near Charkow Russia.

Caldwell county will build a work house in connection with the new jail. If such institution can be made to pay its way, the building of them in many counties would prove to be a useful factor in the arrangement of county affairs. (There is a class of individuals in every county, who care nothing for the sting of disgrace of going to jail to pay small fines; they and their kind are a convenient and comfortable way to pay fines, and do not grumble; the county feed and care for them while in prison at an expense to the better classes of society. Attach a workhouse, where the miscreants can be made to labor at an advantage, and they will feel less like squaring accounts that way. The question is one upon which there could be some profitable study.

Reynard.

It is estimated that 50,000 people were thrown out of work by the cold weather in France.

TAKE NOTICE.

IN THE FIELD AGAIN.

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ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

We are authorized to announce S. G. CLARK, to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The House has not passed the Silver bill yet.

Money, more money is the cry of legitimate business everywhere.

Lucy Decker Young, eighth wife of Brigham Young, is dead. The other seven widows are still living.

President Polk, of the National Alliance has complimented Gov. Boies, of Iowa, for his tariff utterances.

Senator Farwell, who was defeated for re-election, says his defeat was caused by "the unpopularity of Benjamin Harrison."

The Force bill still hangs fire in the Senate, but public sentiment is growing stronger against the infamous measure.

The opposition to the Force bill is almost a unanimous thing out of the halls of Congress, and the heart of the bitter partisan.

The three F. M. B. A. members of the Illinois Legislature are voting solidly for Streator, while Palmer gets 101 and Ogelsby 100 votes. There is yet no prospect of an election.

The Frankfort Lottery has gained a victory before Judge Jackson's court in Louisville. A case was tried to test the validity of the law abolishing the charter of the lottery. The court decided that the law was unconstitutional. The case will be taken to the Court of Appeals.

We have always thought that Frankfort was good enough for the State Capital, and the Capital was not too good for Frankfort, and have a decided leaning that way yet, but if in the course of human events, it becomes necessary to make a change, Louisville should have the Capital.

Senator Ingalls has headquarters at Topeka, and is hustling for re-election with the chances against him. Had he delivered his recent speech twelve months ago, he would not now be worried about such office. Ninety-one of the ninety-two Alliance members have pledged themselves to vote against the erratic but brilliant Ingalls.

President Irwin is catching it on all sides, and if he succeeds in getting himself out of the troublesome stew, he will have accomplished a herculean task. The County Union everywhere are upholding the Tobacco Growers Association and condemning Irwin's course. He published a card Sunday, asking the Union to suspend judgement until he has an opportunity to show the facts whereon he stands. He says: "We never have uttered a word in favor of this warehouse since we found out that it was not going to be under the control of the farmers."

There is one thing that should not be overlooked in selecting members for both branches of the next legislature, and that is, should the new constitution be adopted, all of our laws will have to be remodeled. In fact a new start will practically be taken, a general rubbing out of the work on the old slate, and a fresh start made on the new. Hence the work will be far more important than that which usually comes before the Kentucky legislature. The local bills are insignificant enough in any session, but in the coming one, such work will pale into insignificance, indeed, when compared to the all important work of remodeling, rearranging and redistricting. Pick good men, capable and true, and, hereafter, will have less occasion to swear at the legislature for its sins of omission and commission. The legislature is but the creature of the people, and the creator is certainly responsible for the character of the creature, in cases of this kind at any rate.

The Hopkinsville Kentuckian says: "Mr. Urey Woodson, member of the State Executive Committee for the Second District is working to secure an early convention, which is clearly in the interest of Mr. Brown's candidacy. * * * An early convention is the trump card for Mr. Brown's friends to play and they are preparing to play it." We are inclined to believe that the Kentuckian takes an erroneous view of the case. We have misjudged Mr. Woodson if he is the man to use official position to advance the personal interests of a friend to the detriment of the party, or in unfairness to gentlemen who are not his choice for Governor. The party's nominee for Governor should have ample time to canvass the State, and discuss questions of State policy before the people. To hold the convention later than May would not give that time.

The Circulating Medium.

Much misinformation is abroad concerning the amount of currency in the country. The most trustworthy statement is that in the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, made last December.

The amount of currency and coin in circulation October 1, 1890, was \$1,408,072,709, or \$23.96 per capita. This sum was made up as follows: Gold, \$386,939,723; silver dollars, \$62,132,454; subsidiary silver and fractional currency, \$56,311,840; gold certificates, \$158,104,739; silver certificates, \$309,321,207; United States notes, \$348,012,226; National Bank notes, \$177,250,514.

On October 1, 1870, the total circulation was only \$770,312,000, or \$19.87 per capita.

On October 1, 1880, the total circulation was \$1,022,033,685, or \$20.37 per capita.—*Courier Journal.*

Ingalls is Defeated.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 27.—The vote was taken to-day for United States senator to succeed John F. Ingalls. The result was as follows: John F. Ingalls, 101; Benjamin Harrison, 100.

Four Hogsheads Sold.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 27.—The tobacco grower's new warehouse held its initial sale here this morning. None of the regular buyers did any bidding, but there were a number of purchasers present from Cincinnati. The first hoghead sold brought \$14. Only four sold in all.

Foyce Bill Put Aside.

Washington, Jan. 26.—It is an undeniable fact that Senator Aldrich and the Republican Senators were completely taken by surprise by the action of the Senate to-day in laying aside the Closure resolution and taking up the apportionment bill.

Forsythe Was to Blame.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—"Has the committee appointed to investigate the Wounded Knee fight reported yet?" was asked tonight of Assistant Adjutant-General Corbin.

"Not yet," he replied, "though the report is about finished."

"What is its tenor? Does it condemn any one?"

"Yes, it does its findings is that the officer in charge—Col. Forsythe—was unskillful in preparing instructions that had been issued by Gen. Miles against the very things that happened on that day. They sat for several days and took the evidence of witnesses who saw the fight. The reports circulated about the court having been the responsible parties for the blame are erroneous."

The Physicians are Mad.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 20.—Very recently President Harrison removed an old doctor and soldier of this city from the Board of Pension Examiners and substituted a negro named Elbert. It has stirred up the old soldiers and physicians of the State wonderfully. To night at a large meeting of physicians the action was denounced as "a base and inexcusable prostitution of the office of Pension Examiner to partisan purposes, and an insult to every reputable physician and soldier of Indiana." A copy of the resolution was ordered sent to the President.

Owensboro Dry Sunday.

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 21.—Ex-Mayor Jo Lee has been fined \$25 and costs in the Circuit Court on a charge of malfeasance in the office. The offense was in failing to close the saloons and other business houses on Sunday. On the strength of the action of the court Mayor Hickman has issued a proclamation ordering all houses to close, and to-day police officers visited the proprietors and warned them that if it has been their custom to do any business on Sunday, they must close.

Lost a Leg.

Princeton, Ky., Jan. 25.—First section of train No. 10 on the Mississippi Valley railroad ran over a son of Thomas Rucker near Dufney, in this county, this evening and rendered the amputation of one leg necessary to save his life. The boy was standing on the track leaning against the caboose and the train backed up, knocking him down and running over his leg, and otherwise bruising him.

Carter's Sentence Commuted.

Frankfort, Jan. 26.—Gov. Buckner to-day commuted the sentence of death to life imprisonment, in the case of John C. Carter, of Mayfield, murderer of Wm. Trafford over two years ago. The commutation is made on account of the prisoner's extreme youth and his having been reared in a school of vice. Carter was sentenced to hang on Feb. 4th.

Mountain Feud.

JACKSON, Ky., Jan. 27.—The sheriff of Breathitt county on last night cornered John Fugate and James Miller, the murderers of R. B. Slade Combs, at the house of Fugate's father, on Troublesome creek. When they ordered the two men to surrender to the arrest they broke out of the house, firing their revolvers at the officers as they ran. The latter returned the fire, and John Fugate fell, with a ball through the jaw. The wound is an ugly one and may prove fatal. Fugate being so badly hurt that he was unable to return here with the sheriff.

Toin.

Walt Clement spent Sunday in Marion. Mrs. Susan Hammond has gone to Kuttawa. George H. Crider has gone to New Orleans.

J. W. Patton of Rosa Clare was in town Monday.

Mr. Graham the pump man was here Saturday.

E. R. White has moved back to his country home.

Herman Anspach of Evansville was here Monday.

Jose Hammond has quit the mill here and gone to farming.

The river is not so full of river water as subsequently.

Quite a number of the farmers have sold their corn at 50c.

Clement & Croft are buying all kind of fur. "Not very far."

We understand that Prof. Wilcox will teach a spring term of school.

Quarterly meeting was held at the church here last night.

William L. Smith, of Paducah, is associated with "Kos" in the mill business.

The striking anatomy of J. Willis Stallion was visible on our side walks last week.

Crawford & Nichols have a new stock of shoes and are preparing to shoe the county.

Crawford & Nichols have just received an immense stock of hats. Prices natural.

Crawford and Weldon's shell has been shelling corn on Salem street this week.

To be, or not to be, is the great question that is agitating our Roller Mill proprietors now.

The P. O. has a new P. O. and Mr. Mc steps about and handles out mail with renewed energy.

Daniel Stone wants four farm hands. Men with families wanted. House and garden furnished free.

Are many morns the crazy loud mouthed wedding bells will ring here about. "After many years &c."

Mr. Russell Gray attended by his mother Mrs. Mary Gray visited relatives near Cave in Rock, Ill. last week.

Uncle Billy Weldon, the sage of Sheridan, was here Sunday demonstrating that ox was the masculine gender. Why not?

Albert Weldon left for New Orleans Sunday per steamer Mary Houston. He was accompanied by several males.

George Bell of the firm of Beard & Bell is now a legalized resident of Tolu, occupying the White property in the east end.

Quite a number of the town people are putting side walks in front of their property. This is a move in the right direction.

Brownie Franks is rapidly developing into a first-class banjo "plucker." He alternates on the accordion, and sweet discords are ripe at all hours.

A conglomerate aggregation left the landing Tuesday for Trigg county to work for the Cincinnati Coal & Coke Company. It was indeed a varied crowd and Noah's Ark savors of insignificance in comparison. Had Longfellow been here he perchance might have woven another Evangeline.

Fredonin.

Miss Robbie Byrd returned from Mt. Vernon, Ill. last Saturday.

Mrs. Lou McChesney, Dr. Mott and wife went to Sturgis last Saturday.

Mrs. Nellie Cooper, returned to her home in Hopkinsville last Monday.

New drug store in Kelsey. Dr. Burton and W. M. Green proprietors.

Miss Viola Partle, of Ohio county is visiting her aunt Mrs. D. B. Ferguson.

A. A. Brown, of Beaver Dam Ky., is here on a visit to friends and his best girl.

Miss Sallie Wood, who has been making her home at Mr. Moore's of Flat Rock, died Friday night.

Miss Orphetta Wyatt will leave in a few days for Philadelphia, where she was taking music lessons last year.

Miss Sue Johnson returned last week from an extended visit to her sister Mrs. Mat Bushing of New Madrid, Mo.

Mr. Vinson, of Walnut Grove died last week, after a lingering illness. He was Newton Love's father-in-law. He lost his mother and his wife last year the same week.

There is talk of the mill changing hands again. Farmers and millers are the most independent people on earth. Farmers raise the grain, and it has to go through the millers hands before it is ready for consumption. Consumers have to pay well for what comes into their possession.

W. C. Glenn wants the man that took his hand saw away from Gray's house in Salem to return it at his earliest convenience. If he is ashamed to bring it back himself, he will please send it by some one else and

J. L. RANKIN, at Weston.

GREAT BARGAINS ? AT WESTON, KENTUCKY.

I am overstocked and must unload to make room for spring goods. To do this I am offering some great bargains. If you want to make money by saving it in the price of goods I am the man you are looking for, and now is the time to buy.

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Groceries, Hardware,

FURNITURE AND DRUGS.

These goods will strike while the iron is hot. I did not buy space in this paper just for fun, but to state cold facts and if you will come to Weston, I will show you what a bargain is. I want, delivered on Ohio river or the O. V. railroad.

50,000 RAILROAD TIES. 50,000

For which I will pay the highest market price. I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of produce. Don't forget that old Weston is still in the ring with a variety of goods and the cheapest freight rates. For bargains come to

I. H. MASON, SALESMAN. J. L. RANKIN, Weston, Ky.

he will be amply rewarded. The saw of Henry Diston & Son's make. Rip saw with common wood screws through handle. I need it.

Mrs. Catharine Love died last Saturday at the residence of her son-in-law, G. E. Caldwell, in the 81st year of her age. She was very active and energetic for her age. She was out in town calling on some of her neighbors only two days before her death. Her remains were entered at Piney Fork camp ground on Sunday. Newton Love of Salem neighborhood is her son.

SALEM.

The members of the Christian church will meet in Salem on Saturday before the second Sunday in February. All the members are requested to be present at that time.

Rev. W. H. Ligon, preaches here every second Sunday in each month. Mrs. M. E. Barnes, of Marion, is visiting friends in Livingston county this week.

We noticed a little too much whiskey drinking last week, by good men who are mature in years, and some of these were regarded as men of judgement. For their own benefit we take the privilege to call their attention to the matter and request them to stop just a little while and think what it will lead them to. What is your minds for but to think.

Miss Willie Pritchett, of Madisonville has secured a music school here. She is a fine teacher, and the people of Salem are fortunate in getting her services.

John Mary, of Arkansas, is visiting friends in this community. He has been gone 12 years.

Reed & Babb shipped 600 head of hogs from the Salem Valley to Cincinnati last week; they went by river.

I am indebted to some kind friend I know not who, for sending me The Story of a Country Town, by E. W. Howe. It is a fine novel, and I enjoyed it the more because I was personally acquainted with Mr. Howe when living in Atchison, Kan. He was at that time editor of the Daily Globe, of that city.

A. L. Alley is now collecting taxes in this precinct due ex-Sheriff Terry.

Miss Edith Cook was visiting in Salem last week.

We are informed that the Baptists will begin a protracted meeting here next week.

John Foley was in Salem last Saturday. The sweet smile of a lovely maiden, with a fragrant red lips as luscious as a ripe peach, caused him to linger in the neighborhood until over Sunday.

Blanton Boyd started for Lebanon, O., Jan. 26th, where he will attend school.

Gray & Farris have just received a large and handsome lot of men and boys clothing which they will sell cheap for cash. They have also a fine stock of new shoes. No one need leave Salem now to get fine shoes or boots, for Gray & Farris can suit everybody in that line, both in style and price.

Charlie Benage's little boy fell in the fire one day last week and burnt his head and face in a dreadful manner. Should he get well, he will be disfigured for life.

O. S.

Frances.

Ben Patterson of Salem has moved to the Adams property.

A candy breaking at the residence of Mrs. Nancy Brasher's was largely attended.

W. H. Tater has built a new blacksmith shop and is ready for work.

Geo. L. Campbell, one of our best young men, and Miss Mollie Bailey,

of Dycusburg, were married on the 21st inst. We tender our best wishes etc.

J. J. Simpkins has moved to G. A. Franklin's farm. S. G. Taber has moved to Taber's Lick.

E. D. Perkins of Paducah is visiting here.

O. S. Young is here on professional business.

W. B. Crichlow of Salem is here. G. L. Whit has gone to Kuttawa to-day.

Burnett A. Spridge has a child dangerously ill.

W. W. Pogue lost a horse recently. John Lynch, of Tenn. is visiting relatives here.

We are pained to announce the death of Miss Cora Parish, one of our most promising young ladies. She died on the 31st after a brief illness of intermittent fever. Cora was a bright and lovely girl, loved by all who knew her; and leaves a host of friends and relatives, who mourn her loss. Her heart broken parents have our deepest sympathies in their great bereavement.

Hampton.

As I never have written for the Press before will beg leave for a little space. Almost one month of the new year is gone. We have now crossed over the limits of '90 to '91. Its account is closed, and what every balance sheet may show, as to our standing, it is too late to change the entries; their impress is indelible and must remain. We are now speeding our way along to the untired scenes of another year. What shall be its varied experience? Who can tell? Who would know? Eager as we sometimes are to pry into the hidden realities of the future, yet who would dare lift the curtain that separates the future from the present? Who would not shrink from such a revelation? Even for the short time of a single year it would be too much for us. What important question, social, moral or of business; or this year to be settled; perhaps including not only our present, but our future will bring? What of social life or joy or sorrows; of business? Shall it be success or failure? Who can answer? We will wait silence gathering as we go.

Several of the Academy young men, including Prof. Sikes, attended church at Good Hope last Sunday. The Prof. looked very pleasing. Thought of having a social party at John Ratters last Friday night but failed. Boys be more careful next time don't engage your girl's company before you have consent of the Prof.

The school is progressing nicely. New pupils coming in every week. The first of March will have one hundred pupils.

Mr. McCord has a new clerk, Mr. Baxter. Henry McCord has quit our town and gone home. He is missed very much.

Miss Bertha Westerman starts for Ohio next Thursday. Hope she will have a pleasant trip.

Mr. Will Parker is going to crop with Mr. Jim Nelson this year. Will is a nice young man and is liked by every one.

A wedding near by last Wednesday eve, Mr. Clem Gupton to Miss Belle Hardin. Quite a crowd attended. Wish them a long and happy future.

Miss Linnie Akers spent Saturday with Mr. Markey's family.

What has become of Miss Katie M. have not seen her since 23rd Dec., then she was on her way to Paducah. Think there will be a wedding soon.

Miss Alice Brown, n. g. school at Good Hope closed Friday.

Von Worten and John Faulkner started for Lexington to school last Wednesday.

Feel sorry for John; had to leave his girl behind.

FARM, FIELD, GARDEN.

TOPICS OF INTEREST TO COUNTRY AND SUBURBAN READERS.

Reasons given by American Cultivator for the Continued Popularity of Wheat as a Farm Crop—Wheat Growing as a Part of a Successful Rotation.

Wherever wheat can be successfully grown it is certain to be an important farm crop. The past year the average bushel of wheat sold for 75 cents, and when some in the fall, as a seedling, last two, three or four years, the loss of the crop. There is no sign anywhere of the abandonment of wheat growing in any locality where it has heretofore been successful, but rather of more general attention to this crop. The reason for this continued popularity of wheat is that its cultivation admirably supplements other crops in the relations usually adopted. No other grain grows as good a seedling as winter wheat, and with it can be sown not only the clover which succeeds only in spring, but also timothy and other grasses which do best when sown in the fall, as a seedling.

Where the clover or grass seedling is sown, the wheat is sown in the fall, and the farmer can be as well fertilized with commercial and mineral manures as with those from the stable. If, whenever wheat is sown, the land is seeded with clover, the soil will continue to improve while the stable manure is applied to crops that pay better while they are less favorable for maintaining soil fertility.

So far as possible wheat farmers should sow only the four or five wheat they sell only the four or five wheat they grow. As a rule they generally sell wheat as grain, but they can easily buy again as much wheat bran and fine middlings as the grain would make and feed it out to their stock. Doing this will not be found exhaustive to the soil, and when clover is always sown with it the two combined may be fairly considered beneficial to soil fertility.

There is a class of farmers that never think of being clipped, excepting when some one else does or other shoddy condition descends on them. This applies to hock and cab horses that daily stand in exposed stables awaiting orders, often for an hour or two at a time. It applies also to animals that stand like a great deal in cold stables, heavy and slow working horses, brood mares, especially if well advanced, and those that persevere easily, not from the superabundant coat, but from some obscure, hidden condition, where the surroundings, age and value of the animal would make it inadvisable.

The same class of reasons apply to the clipping of the legs. Judgment must be used in this also. When the climate is wet and the roads muddy it is certainly an advantage to keep the hair from the ankles down about, as it dries more readily, and the mud and dirt are more easily removed, lessening materially the liability to irritation of the skin at the extremities.—Horse Breeder.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

No diptheria.
Where is the city council?
Quarterly Court is in session.
Marion's health is good, thank you.
Come to town: there is no diptheria.

Born to the wife of J. F. Conger, Jan. 25th a girl.

Mr. Levi Fitzer, of this place is running an engine at Marion, Ind.

Geo. Boston is engaged as the carpenter in Bennett's furniture store.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Jas. C. Kirk and Miss Delia Pace.

The O. V. is doing a splendid business this month. There were two extra freight trains Sunday.

Mr. Howell, of Henry county, delivered a lecture on Sunday Schools at the Presbyterian church Tuesday night.

Quite an enjoyable time was spent by the young folks last Saturday night at the residence of Mrs. Douglass.

Wm. Carrier is postmaster at Cullen in place of Dr. Preston, who has moved to Crittenden county—Sturgis Enterprise.

J. P. Pierce spent two days in Louisville. A tobacco house of that city is endeavoring to secure the services of Mr. Pierce as a traveling solicitor.

Will Taylor, the victim of Charlie Debo's pistol, was on the streets Tuesday; slightly disfigured but still in the ring.

The boys at Midway will, Friday night, Feb. 6th, debate the following: Resolved that Grant was a greater General than Washington. Everybody invited.

F. E. Robertson & Co. are increasing the "mashing" capacity of their distillery. Hereafter thirty instead of fifteen bushels will make a mash. The business of the firm is increasing.

A telegraph line is being constructed from the depot to the new bank building. The wires will be connected with the O. V. wires at the depot, and messages can be sent from the bank to all parts of the world.

Rev. J. W. Bigham preached to a large congregation at the Opera House Wednesday night. He is as popular as a preacher now as he was a politician and stump speaker in this county some twenty years ago.

Eleven carloads of railroad ties, and two of staves were shipped from the depot at this place last week. Agent Brawner has an order out for thirty five cars for the purpose of hauling ties from various points along the O. V.

So far as we have been able to learn the Alliance of Crittenden county has made no public utterances touching its position on the third party movement. Without any tip, we are inclined to believe that a majority of the members of that order are opposed to making the Union a political party.

Several weeks ago Charlie Cliff's mule was bitten by a mad dog and on Wednesday about noon the mule began to act queer, and was at once placed in chains. The hydrophobia soon developed. He became furious, his eyes glaring, green, and hid fits until this morning when it died in great agony.—Sturgis Enterprise.

Messrs. H. H. Loving and J. H. Morse have formed a copartnership for the purpose of conducting the insurance business. Each have been engaged in the business separately and now they will do business together. They represent some of the best companies in the world, in both fire and life insurance; and being clever, honest business men, they will continue to do a good business.

There was a couple in Marion Monday wanting to marry, and badly, too, but the fates were very properly against them. First they didn't have money enough to buy the license; a sympathizing lot of youngsters made up the money, but the ergel clerk refused to issue the papers, just because the would be bride had another husband somewhere. His name was Vaughn, age 26, her name was Vaughn, age an unknown quantity. They left town, she riding, and he leading the horse, —discouraged but not without hope.

Clover Seed, timothy, red top, blue grass, or chard grass, have advanced 20 per cent. but you ought to see the stock that Schwab bought in December, before the advance, and will be sold at prices ruling before the advance.

We keep only the very best clover and grass seed that money will buy — get our prices.

Pierce & Son.

Seventy-Fourth Birthday.

On Sunday January 25th, 1891, Mr. M. G. Gilbert celebrated his 74th birthday; the occasion was an enjoyable one at his home three miles north of Marion. About forty of his relatives and friends spent the day with him, and a superb dinner was served. He interlarded in the good old Kentucky style, surrounded by loving hearts and warm friends, the typical old Kentuckian spent a happy day, and made those who partook of his hospitality feel at home. Seventy-four years ago he was born near where he now lives; as he grew up he "chewed out" himself a farm from the forests; on it he spent his early manhood, then the middle age, and now lives there in peace and plenty at a ripe old age enjoying the evening of life. He has raised a large family of children and they are now married and have children of their own, with these surrounding him, adding to his comforts and pleasures, he looks back over a well-spent life with no regrets, and looks to the future with that cheerful, born of hope.

THE GREAT VIOLINIST.

Joseph Heine, at the Opera House Feb. 4 and 5.

Under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, Joseph Heine, the blind violinist, will appear in grand concert with Miss Evelyn Heine, the Australian soprano and Mrs. Heine the eminent pianist, at the Opera House in Marion, Feb. 4th and 5th. Prof. Heine is wonderfully gifted with musical talent and has met with a warm reception wherever he has appeared. The press everywhere accords the highest praise to him. The Salt Lake Evening News says:

"Prof. Heine is simply a master of the violin. Under his touch the instrument laughs, shouts or weeps, according to his will. He can move his auditors with profound emotions, or excite their laughter by wondrous imitations of sounds in nature. There is a suggestion of mystery and a weirdness about his genius, as if from the dark world in which he is forced to pass his existence, he is able to draw melody of a quality which other artists cannot imitate."

Fatally Injured.

Several months ago, Geo. Griffith, sixteen-year-old son of Mr. T. E. Griffith, who lives near the Springs, was thrown from a mule. In the fall his leg was injured. The wound was thought to be of a trivial nature at the time; it grew worse and the physicians were called in; they were for some time, of the opinion that the injury was not serious. Last week Dr. A. Hodge, of Henderson, was called in consultation for the purpose of amputating the leg. After examination and consultation, it was decided that amputation would do no good, and there is now no hope for the untimely boy's recovery.

The people here were somewhat surprised yesterday morning when the announcement was made public that the Rigg House had been sold. This is the only hotel in this place and has become very popular under the management of mine host, T. N. Cockrell, the past two years. The house belonged to Mr. Rice, of Freedom, and was purchased by Mr. Wm. Green, of Livingston county. Mr. Green is a brother of Judge D. B. Green, the jollyman of Kuttawa, and will be heartily welcomed by the people as a valuable addition to the population of our town. Consideration for building and grounds, \$5,000 cash.—Kuttawa Times.

Sayings and Doings of the Poet.

We'll be into our new building next month.—Marion Bank.

Have you seen my button case?—T. J. Cameron.

I would be glad to have you enroll at the Academy, Feb. 2.—J. F. Price.

Have you seen our latest mineral specimens.—J. W. Blue, jr.

That sir, is tip-top lead ore; this fine iron; but beauty is zinc.—G. C. Gray.

Highest prices in cash for produce.—M. Schwab.

If it's a pump you want, and a hole to put it in, I'm your laddie.—L. S. Leffel.

Taxes, them old taxes.—E. C. Flannery.

I must wind up, and can't wait any longer.—A. J. Pickens.

Let's get our church paid for.—S. K. Breeding.

Chippy, get your hair cut.—W. M. Morgan.

I want to swap for or buy somebody's grocery.—B. F. McElman.

Is as pure as snow, and as harmless as a dove.—When handled right.—F. K. Robertson.

Nothing for you.—R. Goffield.

Take stock in the Building and Loan Association.—H. A. Laynes.

Here is a little draft on you.—Ham Loving.

Insure, insure.—John Morre.

LABOR UNION.

The County Union on the Action of President Irwin.

A call meeting of the Farmers and Laborers Union was held at the courthouse Monday. The attendance was good, most of the sub-committees of the county being represented.

W. C. Tyner was appointed delegate to the district meeting at Mayfield, Thursday Jan. 29th to organize a district Union.

The following resolutions were offered and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, S. B. Irwin, President of the Farmers and Laborers Union of the State of Kentucky and editor of our State organ has seen cause through his paper (the Kentucky State Union) to denounce unneccessary terms, the farmers' in establishing tobacco warehouses in Louisville and has advised the Farmers Labor Union to have nothing to do with it until it proves itself.

Therefore, be it resolved that we condemn the action of President Irwin in the course he has taken, believing that his aim was to turn over our order to the tobacco combine.

Resolved, that we demand of the Executive Committee, that they take appropriate action to remove S. B. Irwin from the position he now holds as an unworthy filth and vice-President T. T. Gardner of Carlisle county be called on to fill the functions of that office.

Resolved that we heartily endorse the actions of the Tobacco Growers Association and pledge them our co-operation and support.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the Farmers Home Journal, Marion Monitor and Crittenden Press with a request that they publish them.

J. L. Bogg, Pres.,
L. W. Cruce, Sec'y.

COURT DOINGS.

The Assessor's Account Allowed.

J. M. McCaslin, county assessor, filed his account of \$104.14 for assessing, and the same was allowed. The five tax supervisors were allowed \$50 for services.

The supervisors filed the tax book for 1891 with the county clerk. J. W. Crawford allowed \$2.00 for medical services to Adams—prisoner in jail.

On motion of A. L. Cruce, J. F. Loyd was appointed deputy sheriff.

F. J. Lubben was allowed \$10, on his claim for keeping paupers.

J. B. Lowery resigned the guardianship of D. H. Walker.

Goods Recorded.

Mary C. Maters to John T. Salinger 20 acres for \$100.

Thos. H. Paris to U. S. Paris 45 acres for \$400.

W. F. Paris to Thos. H. Paris 26 acres for \$678.

J. R. Clifton to Sue W. Garrett lot for \$10.

Sue W. Garrett to C. H. Richards interest in lot for \$270.50.

Our Taxable Property.

The supervisors have completed their work of overhauling the assessors, making only a few changes. The taxable property for the year 1891 amounts to \$2,389,243, and is more than any previous assessments.

The assessor reports only 79 deaths and 168 births.

Card of Thanks.

To those friends who rendered us so many kindnesses during the illness of our little boy, we desire to return our sincere thanks.

B. E. Martin,
Dora Martin.

AN EYE FOR AN EYE.

Geo. Bakers Head and a Piece of Iron.

Sunday afternoon at the mill south of town, Geo. Baker, colored, received a blow on the forehead that impaired his vigor a season, and he is still unable to attend to business. A little dispute occurred between Baker and John Mitch, a young white man. Baker applied an ugly epithet to Mitch, and the latter picked up a bar of iron that was near by, and made a terrific blow at his antagonist; the iron struck Baker at the top of the forehead, peeled the skin off downward, until it hung flat fashion over his eyes, making an ugly as well as a severe wound, and knocking the man senseless for some seconds.

Have you been at Schwab's store lately? Go there. It is so pleasant you can hardly turn around; it reminds one of stepping in one of the largest wholesale houses in New York.

How is this?

Hays has just received direct, a barrel of N. O. open kettle molasses. The finest that ever came to town. Come and see.

I will pay you more, in cash, for produce than any house that ever was in Marion and nowhere to stay. Eggs full count, and balance of produce full weight.

M. Schwab.

PERSONALS.

J. W. Bue was in Princeton Monday.

Mr. F. N. Wilson is very sick with pneumonia.

W. C. Tyner went to Mayfield Wednesday evening.

Mr. A. L. Maxwell, of Caldwell was in town Monday.

Mr. E. L. Nunn, of Bells Mines, was in town Friday.

Mr. J. J. Nunn, of Union county, was in town Friday.

John Wilson returned from Bowling Green last week.

Mrs. A. Schwab and sons returned from Louisville last week.

Mr. Jas. Rankin, Weston's enterprising merchant, was in the city Monday.

Messrs. W. and Henry Love, and Alex. Jones went to Eddyville Tuesday.

Miss Cora Williams has returned to town after a two weeks' visit in the country.

R. W. Hill returned from Webster county Saturday. He taught school in that county.

Mr. R. H. Dean will start to Texas next week. He expects to locate in that State.

Mr. C. F. Noggle, of DeKoven, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Dr. A. B. Boney Weaver.

Thos. Oldham returned from Caldwell Tuesday, where he has been several days with his friends.

Messrs. Mattie and Fannie Blue, Nellie and Mary Wilson and Mrs. Dell Wilson left for New Orleans Saturday.

Mr. A. L. Wolf, of Iron Hill, returned from Louisville last week, having spent five weeks there under treatment of Dr. Yandell.

Jose Crawford has returned from Livingston county where he has been teaching. He is making arrangements to go to Lebanon, O., to the Normal school.

Mr. R. F. Haynes, of Weston, was in town Monday. In two hours and twenty minutes he walked from Weston to Marion, a distance of twelve good long miles.

Lois News.

Clem Glutton and Miss Belle Hardin were married last week. We wish them a long and happy life.

The supervisors raised Livingston county's tax list thirty thousand dollars. The boys kicked like young mules, but it did no good.

Prof. Wright's school will close Saturday. He is preparing for a nice time. He taught as a good school.

Tom Robertson's gold watch was stolen from his residence. His gold chain and \$25.00 gold piece, charm went with it. Dick Champion and P. J. Robertson represent this part of the county on the grand jury.

A new girl at Brice Lewis.

Horses are still dying with blind staggers.

Jas. Hall is unable to work on account of rheumatism.

J. A. Williamson has moved to B. S. Kennedy's farm.

Rev. Sidney Childress is thought to be improving.

There was a very pleasant musical entertainment at Mrs. Mitchell's Saturday night, also a cotton picking.

Effect of Grain on Cows at Pasture.

For two seasons there have been experiments carried on at the station of the Cornell university to determine the question of the profit of a grain ration fed to cows while in pasture. Messrs. Roberts and Wing report on said experiments as follows: "In two trials in two seasons we have received no return in milk and butter from feeding a grain ration to cows on good pasture. In one trial with cows soiled on fresh grass we have received increased milk and butter production and in saving of grass consumed barely enough to pay for the cost of the grain ration added. In neither case has any advantage been made for increased value of change either grain fed, which would be considerable in any case, but difficult to estimate with exactness. The opinion is further expressed that several repetitions of this experiment will be needed before the matter can be considered conclusively settled."

Farm Notes.

The notes here appended from Farm Journal are worthy of notice:

Tubercles in cows tend to do the milking are a failure. They spoil the tests.

A bad smell in the stable will often cause the milk from the cows in it to taste rancid.

Rob the scolden milker of a cow with raw linseed oil. Take twenty minutes to do it.

If sheep have the smutles their noses should be washed with soap and some warm tar smeared on them.

The feet of the sheep should be carefully looked after. If the toes are long, cut them off. Do not wound the feet in so doing.

Land Plaster in the Barn Yard.

Several years ago Horst's Dairyman started the agitation among dairymen relative to the use of land plaster in stables and the manure heap for the purpose of absorbing the ammonia. The practice is growing rapidly, and a number of farmers who have used it in the barn yard are greatly pleased with the results. Lime should not be used, as it has the effect to set the ammonia free, whose plaster absorbs it.

American Agriculturist says that the mucous duct has not been very extensively used by farmers and breeders notwithstanding it is good for crossbreeding the large breeds of ducks, making a fowl that meets the demands of our markets. Many ducks weigh from ten to fourteen pounds each, and ducks from seven to ten pounds.

Who says we have advanced, but having an immense stock on hand, I will sell you Granulated 134 for \$1.00; beautiful open kettle N. O. 17 lb., \$1.00.

M. Schwab.

Damages Suit.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 23.—The damages suit of James A. Watson, executor, against the Ohio Valley railway, concluded today, the jury finding for the plaintiff and fixing the damages at \$1250. Jas. Watson took passage on an Ohio Valley freight at Morgantown, intending to go to his home in Corydon. The caboose was overturned and he was killed in the accident. His widow brought suit against the road for \$15,000.

I have just received the prettiest, and the largest stock of Queensware and Glassware that ever was in the town of Marion.

M. Schwab.

School opens Monday. It is a pleasure to bespeak a full attendance for the worthy and popular teachers in charge.

The diptheria scare has subsided. The board of health has revoked its order prohibiting schools, churches meeting and public gatherings.

NOTICE.

To the Democratic County Committee.

The members of the Democratic county committee are hereby requested to meet in Marion on Saturday, Feb. 7, 1891, to transact some important business. The business demands the attendance of every member of the committee, and it is requested to send proxies.

J. W. BLUE, CHAIRMAN.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 3,159 Hbds with receipts for the same period of 1,988 Hbds, sales on our market since Jan. 1st, amount to 8,731 Hbds. Sales of the crop of 1890 on our market to date amount to 4,313 Hbds.

The market for old tobacco furnishes very little room for change of description. The common grades continue low with an occasional improvement which is generally too temporary to get into print. The better grades of old dark leaf are remarkably scarce, but this scarcity has not developed any material improvement. The offering of new dark tobacco continue very small but prices for such are more satisfactory than for the old crop.

The following quotations represent our market for dark tobacco crop of 1890.

Trash 50c @ 1.00
Common Lugs 150 @ 2.00
Dark lugs extra quality 2.00 @ 4.00
Good " 2.50 @ 3.50
Common Leaf 3.50 @ 5.50
Medium " 6.00 @ 8.50
Good " 6.50 @ 8.50
Fine " 8.00 @ 12.00

I have 200 bushels of oats for sale at Market price, they are high but will sell them at Market price.

M. Schwab.

Try that Cellery Salt at Hays' It answers for celery.

Just look at the good things that Hays has to sell. Come and see. Prepared Mustard, Celery Salt, De-Cocoated Nudene Flakes, Hominy Flakes, Mince Meats and Irish Potatoes and 1004 other articles.

Come and see. Whenever you see an advertisement stating that you know that you have saved 25 per cent by trading with him or any other man you just know its a lie and go buy your groceries of Hays who will not be under sold by any one, but sells more goods for \$1.00 than any man in the county. Come and see good, clean fresh goods, low prices and courteous treatment is our motto. Come and see.

OUR PREMIUM

Chief Gall, who succeeds Sitting Bull as head of the Sioux Nation, led the Indians in the battle that brought defeat and death to Custer. He is not only fond of fighting, but is capable of handling a body of Indians successfully when in the field, and has frequently exhibited the qualities of generalship. He is, moreover, an Indian of some honesty.

1890 is Gone

But that Old Gray Headed account of yours is yet with us. Now Please don't think, for a moment that because of it having been with us so long that we have become so much endeared to it that "a parting would give us pain." For while we have the most profound respect for its advanced years and highly appreciate the "bald dogtenacity" with which it has clung to us through out past ages. We must now insist on a speedy separation. Our business demands money. If you owe us please call at once and settle. As all accounts made prior to Jan. 1st must be closed.

Yours Truly,
Pierce & Son.

Hogshand Staves Wanted.

I want a lot of hogshand staves, either sawed or rived.

A NEW MERCHANT

A Word With you about Trade.

I have a large, well assorted, and cheaply purchased stock of General Merchandise, viz: Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Furniture, Groceries, etc.,

and I will sell at the very closest living margin. I will treat you fairly, sell you goods at the bottom prices, and will appreciate your trade. When in need of any article, see my goods, get my prices.

Respectfully Yours,

J. H. Rutter, Salem, Ky.

American brewers, headed by Adolphus Busch, of St. Louis, have organized an opposition company to the British syndicate in San Francisco.

harness horse.

R. H. Dean.

Hans Sanders, a Denver musician, and his wife took morphine at Leadville. The dose not proving fatal, Mrs. Sanders decided she did not want to die, Sanders took another dose and is dead.

If "C. C. C. Certain Cough Cure" is not the best remedy you have ever used for coughs and colds your money will be refunded. Sold by Hillyard & Woods.

Hon. David Miller, of Canada, a high authority on international law, says that Sir John Thompson's action in bringing the Behring Sea question before the United States Supreme Court is a mistake.

Mrs. Wolf is still giving away a present with every five dollars worth of goods bought.

Watch chains a specialty at Freeman's; the greatest variety, the best goods and the lowest prices are his "watch" words now.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has 27,715 members at present, an increase of 2312 during last twelve months. In former years the average increase was about 1500.

Do not suffer any longer.

Knowing that a cough can be checked in a day, and the first stages of consumption broken in a week, we hereby guarantee Dr. Acker's English Cough Remedy, and will refund money to all who buy, take it as per directions, and do not find our statement correct. For sale by Hillyard & Woods.

The Italian Government is about to begin some new public works on a large scale, for the benefit of unemployed workmen.

Dr. Acker's English Pills.

Are active effective and pure. For sick headache, disordered stomach, loss of appetite, bad complexion and biliousness, they have never been equaled, in America or abroad. For sale by Hillyard & Woods.

Senator Plumb, of Kansas, is a very hard man to report when he makes a speech in the senate. He has a habit of starting his sentences with great deliberation and then hurrying them on to the end with the speed of a race-horse. This varying lingual gait naturally disconcerts the stenographers.

In the morning, hurried or difficult breathing, raising phlegm, tightness in the chest, quickened pulse, chilliness in the evening, or sweats at night, all or any of these things are the first stages of consumption. Dr. Acker's English Cough Remedy will cure these fearful symptoms, and is sold under a positive guarantee by Hillyard & Woods.

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