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THE NATIONAL MUSEUM.

Many Strange and Interesting
Relics Gathered Together
There.

(Special to the Press.)

Washington is the great Mecca of America. No city in the country is visited annually by such countless numbers of people as this. One of the places which every one visits is the great National Museum, where the government has on exhibition thousands upon thousands of interesting and valuable objects. The average visitor wanders about from room to room, giving a glance only at each case, and goes away tired physically and confused mentally at the perplexing immensity of the exhibition.

For the benefit of those who cannot visit the museum I will describe a few of the things, some of them in out of the way corners, and which every one should surely see. The great war cloak of the early kings of the Sandwich Islands is one of the most curious and interesting exhibits. This was made of coarse cloth, covered with red, yellow and black feathers, arranged in a peculiar design. The yellow feathers were obtained from a rare native bird, which must be captured alive and set at liberty after the tuft of yellow feathers found under the wings are pulled out. Three of these feathers would bring in barter goods of the value of one dollar and fifty cents. The cloak was about one hundred years in making, and was finished in the eighth reign from the beginning. It constituted a most cherished possession of the crown and at present rate of wages cost more than a million of dollars, or more than the Orloff, Pitt or Kohinoor diamonds are worth.

In the room devoted to invertebrate zoology, in a case by the museum, will be found the precious great auk's egg and skeleton, to see which the enthusiastic ornithologist may well make a pilgrimage across the continent. The great auk was found in large numbers on Funk's Island, near Newfoundland. The early Dutch navigators found them so tame and stupid, that when in want of fresh fowl they would lay their ships alongside the shore and drive the birds up the gang plank into the boat. After a time the birds were all killed off, the last pair being taken in Iceland in the year 1844. Six years ago a single egg of this bird was sold at auction in London for about \$1,200. The specimen which the government now owns is in perfect condition, but the skeleton is made up out of a job lot of old bones.

One of the few things I remember having seen at the Centennial was a pair of boots made out of the tanned epidermis of homo sapiens, in other words of human skin. This gruesome but fascinating object is now in storage, not having been unpacked since its return from the World's Fair. The leather is coarse Morocco, and the boots look as though they would stand good service. In Europe the skin of criminals has frequently been tanned for such purpose. Let us hope that the "tough citizen" whose hide was worked up into these boots by an American tanner was at least of foreign birth.

The original Francis life car is to be seen in one of the side rooms. This car was constructed by Joseph Francis, and was taken to the New Jersey coast for trial. During a terrible of

snow storm on the night of January 12, 1812, the ship Ayershire was wrecked and the car was drawn out to it by means of a line tied to a ball which was fired from a cannon. Load after load of human freight it carried through the breakers to the shore. The two hundred passengers and forty eight of the crew were thus rescued from what would have been otherwise certain death. This car was never afterwards used, but was presented by the government to the inventor, "to be preserved as a relic through all coming time." For that purpose it was deposited by the inventor in the National Museum.

Everybody who goes to the museum of course looks first at the relics of George Washington and Gen. Grant. These are in cases directly in front of the main entrance, and are guarded both night and day by special policemen.

The government maintains a large force of curators and assistants whose sole duty seems to be to disarrange and rearrange the different objects. They are continually carrying things from one part of the building, where he will find an object he wishes to see. To an occasional visitor an important part of the in erect felt is in finding a solution to their latest plan of classification. For many years the writer has upon each visit tried to locate a large case containing life sized figures of a Japanese man and woman, who appear to be engaged in an incipient flirtation. It would be a safe estimate to say that in fifteen visits the case was found in at least a dozen different parts of the building. For that reason it is usually impossible to direct the visitor where to go to see certain objects.

CASE OF HYDROPHOBIA.

John Flowers Run Down By An
Infuriated Calf.

Some three weeks ago a dog afflicted with rabies attacked a yearling belonging to John Flowers, col. near Newstead, and succeeded in biting the animal several times before he was dispatched. About a week ago the calf showed signs of hydrophobia, and became so unruly that Flowers decided to kill it. He accordingly went out to the field where the animal was cutting its capers, gun in hand, and when within a few yards of the object made preparations to fire. The calf made a rush for him and he fired, but the load went wide of its mark, and the animal was so close on him that he dropped his gun and was thrown violently to the ground. The calf also fell and then came the death struggle. Flowers managed to lay it on top, and yelling for help, he was hunting near by. Watt came to his rescue in all haste, and shot the animal dead, thus saving Flowers from what might have been a horrible death. Flowers has been almost prostrated since and fears that he may yet become the victim of an attack of rabies from such close contact with the affected animal.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

"Now is the winter of our discontent made glorious summer" by Ayers Sarsaparilla. This wonderful medicine so invigorates the system and enriches the blood that cold weather becomes positively enjoyable. Arctic explorers would do well to make note

A WAR REMINISCENCE.

Andersonville Prison, and How I
Saw Six Men Hung There
On One Gallows.

Most of the readers of the Press have doubtless heard of Andersonville prison, which during the late civil war was the most heartily damned spot in this whole country; and as I happen to know something about it I propose to tell "an over true tale."

In the fall of 1864 I happened to be in Macon, Georgia, listlessly whiling away the time on convalescent furlough, when I one day ran across an old friend in the person of Lieut. Jim Forsythe, of the Sixth South Carolina Heavy Artillery, who was serving on detached duty at Andersonville. Familiarly slapping me on the shoulder he said:

"Come down to the Stockade, and I will show you a wholesome hanging."

"Agreed," said I, and we soon after boarded a train on the rickety old Albany and Macon railroad, and after a few hours of severe jolting we found ourselves at Andersonville, where the Commandant, Capt. Wirz, gave me a polite welcome.

The day after our arrival was the one set apart for the execution of the six prisoners; the gallows had already been erected inside the Stockade and all other necessary arrangements were completed for the ghastly event.

The doomed prisoners, six in number, were chained down under a tree outside of the prison and not far from the Commandant's office, and soon after our arrival Forsythe and I strolled down to interview them. They were all from New York city, I believe, and were about as tough a lot as one would wish to gaze upon. They were very talkative and lively, and even with the gallows in plain view, they imagined until the very last that it was all only a huge joke to scare them.

As we leisurely strolled back to the barracks Lieut. Forsythe gave me the following history of the horrible affair:

At that time about twenty thousand prisoners were at Andersonville, the prison being simply an open space surrounded by a twenty foot stockade and some thirty acres in extent. As money could be used inside the prison to purchase tobacco and other luxuries, it soon became evident that some of the Federal prisoners were murdering and robbing their comrades. A special police and detective force was finally organized among the prisoners, a regular court established and after patient watching these men were caught red-handed, as it were, in the act of murdering a fellow prisoner, and sentenced to be hanged. It was proven on the trial that these men had robbed and murdered at least ten of their fellow-prisoners, and that four of them had buried three of the victims in their tent and had for weeks been sleeping on top of the dead bodies.

The morning of execution arrived and each prisoner was escorted inside the stockade to the gallows by two Federals. Six Federal prisoners, one for each of the condemned, were selected by their comrades as executioners. Five of the victims had ascended the scaffold when the sixth, a burly and powerfully built young Irishman, suddenly broke loose and disappeared amid the dense thicket surrounding the gallows. Meanwhile the trap was sprung and soon five lifeless forms were dangling from the beam. By

this time the runaway had been recaptured, brought back and properly placed. Again the trap was sprung and he shot downward, falling heavily to the ground; the rope had broken. Half stunned, he was again taken to his position, the noose adjusted, and his neck scientifically broken.

I have read in more than one Northern newspaper, that Capt. Wirz was responsible for this hanging. I know this accusation to be false. All that Wirz had to do with the matter was to cause the gallows to be erected inside of the stockade, at the earnest solicitation of the Federal prisoners. No Confederate participated in the hanging in any shape or form; this I know from personal observation.

I am no particular admirer of Capt. Wirz, but do not think he ought to have been hanged after the war. He was by birth a Swiss, had been trained in the strict school of the French army, which teaches blind obedience to orders, and with this training he entered the Confederate service, was placed under the command of Pickett's Marshal General, John H. Wilcox, of his superiors was condemned and hung.

While I was at Andersonville Capt. Wirz, of his own volition, released six Federal prisoners, selected by their comrades, and sent them to Washington to represent to the President the horrors of Andersonville and to plead for an exchange of prisoners. I accompanied this delegation from Andersonville to Pocomo, in South Carolina, and saw them enter the Union lines. But nothing ever came of it. Rather than strengthen the Confederate army at that time by an exchange of prisoners, the Federal authorities at Washington deliberately condemned to a lingering death in Southern prisons thousands of their bravest soldiers.

The unwritten history of the late unpleasantness would throw to the surface many dark and insupportable deeds of men who now rest under handsome marble slabs into which are chiseled their records of imperishable glory.

NEMO.

TWO OF A KIND MEET.

Ex-Gov. Watt Visits Debs in the
Woodstock Jail.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Ex-Governor Waite, of Colorado, visited Woodstock, Ill., this afternoon for the purpose of making a visit to E. V. Debs, who is confined in the jail at that place. The visit was not of any very great length, but Mr. Waite, after his return to the city, expressed himself as greatly pleased with his trip, and said:

"I had a very pleasant visit with Debs, and we discussed the railroad strike of last summer at great length. Debs, in my opinion, has violated no law, and it is hard that he should be imprisoned. I think the Judges we have now are inferior to those we used to have."

Tonight after his lecture ex-Gov. Waite was entertained by the Chicago Press Club, the members of the club and the Governor seeming to enjoy the occasion hugely.

"I know an old soldier who had chronic diarrhea of long standing to have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Cough and Diarrhea Remedy," says Edward Shumpp, a prominent druggist of Minneapolis, Minn. "I have sold the remedy in this city for over seven years, and consider it superior to any other medicine now on the market for bowel complaints." 25 and 50 cent bottles of this remedy for sale by J. H. Orme.

Points in Politics.

OPENLY CONFESSED.

The confession of the Courier-Journal's Washington correspondent that "Kentucky is overwhelmingly for free silver," is merely a plain statement of truth long known of all men.—Glasgow Times.

MAYBE THE BARK WON'T DOWN.

When Stone got back to Washington and was asked by Stealey if he would be a candidate for Governor he only smiled and said nothing. And yet how impressively expressive that smile of Stone might have been! He merely smiled, not even saying he was in the hands of his friends; not even intimating that his Congressional duties occupied so much of his time that he, really, had not had time to give the subject proper attention. Stealey only spoke and Stone merely smiled. But when his bark goes down before Haggin's gale, he'll never smile again.—Covington Commonwealth.

In the United States Senatorial race proper, there is little doubt that it stands at present it is Blackburn vs. the field, and with the present entries in the race, although it will be the race of his life, Blackburn looks very like a pretty sure winner.—Lexington Press.

IS IT AN ASSIGNED SALE?

Several Legislatures will sell Senatorial honors to the highest bidder this week.—Owensboro Inquirer.

SPEAKING OF HARDIN AND CLAY.

But in advance of other gentlemen announcing themselves for this honorable position, the Democratic press is trying to prejudice the minds of the people against both of these honored Democrats. There are other good men in the State; if they become candidates all well and good, but if they do not the Democratic press should not belittle good men this early in the campaign so as to prejudice their election if they were nominated by the coming State Convention. When Democrats can't be pleased with men or measures then we predict that the party is in a terrible condition.—Benton Tribune.

Livingston County News.

(Smithland News.)

Mrs. Fox, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jarrett, and who was recently married, met with a painful accident with a murderous poker a few days ago. Under the floor of the residence into which the young couple moved, Mrs. Fox found an old gun barrel which was minus a breech pin, and decided to make it useful as a fire poker. While stirring the fire the barrel was discharged and the contents lodged in Mrs. Fox's knee, causing a painful wound.

Frank Branstetter went out Friday afternoon and killed two wild geese, two ducks and one wild turkey. Do you know of any other Nimrod who can beat this?

James and Axel Webb, charged with house breaking and stealing two watches from Dr. Clemens, was tried before Judge Baker at Carversville; the boys had sold the lady's gold watch at Metropolis for two dollars and the gent's watch about ten miles back of Golconda for six dollars and one old pistol. Young Axel Webb acknowledged to the house breaking and said his brother was not implicated. So Axel was brought to Smithland by Mr. Robert Threlkeld and Mr. Taylor, the Livingston county jailer, carried him to the Paducah jail, during repairs on the Smithland battle.

Obituary.

The angel of death has come again and Collin Hodge Koon is no more. He died at the home of his parents, W. H. and Fannie Koon, in Caldwell Springs neighborhood, on the 27th day of December, 1894.

He was born Nov. 6, 1874. Death is the liberator of those whom freedom can not release, the physician of those whom medicine can not cure. Such it proved to him to whose memory these lines of affection and love are now inscribed.

Young, having just emerged upon the stage of manhood, he was endowed with many noble and good qualities; loving and obedient to his parents, both of whom testify, to them be "never spoke an unkind word," unusually kind and affectionate to brothers and sisters, and was loved of all with whom he came in contact.

Collin professed religion about six years ago, and was baptized into the fellowship of Caldwell Springs church by Elder T. C. Carter, in which he lived until the time of his death, commencing to take on so young and useful from the walks of life. But the Lord knows best. Our loss is his eternal gain. We have no reason to doubt that he rests on the ever green shore, where death, parting, and tears are no more. Farewell, dear Collin; your parents, brothers and sisters will miss you, your church will miss you.

But we have brighter hopes, we know Short is this pilgrimage of woe: We know that our Redeemer lives, We trust the promises he gives; And part in hope to meet above, Where all is joy and all is love.

The funeral services were conducted by the writer at the parents' residence, after which his mortal remains were laid in the graveyard, there to await the resurrection morn. "May He who tempers the wind to the shorn lamb" comfort the hearts of the bereaved, is the prayer of the writer, W. R. Gibbs.

Obituary.

Lizzie Paris, daughter of Wm. and Nancy Paris, died at her home Dec. 29, 1894; She was born in Crittenden county, Ky., May 1, 1886.

Mysterious indeed to short-sighted mortals are the ways of an allwise Providence; strange that he would call one so young and sweet to try the realities of that blissful home beyond life's sunset radiant glow.

She was the idol of the home circle through all her childhood days, but the Angel of Death came and took her away; her loving voice is hushed, her sweet face sleeps beneath the sod, but her soul has flown to a brighter world to dwell in peace with God. Her sufferings are over, she is removed out of our sight, but a remembrance of her will be cherished for many years, and we mourn not as those without hope.

While the heart bows in submission to the call of the Master, yet a little daughter's love shall be remembered and cherished for years to come.

It is a great consolation to her numerous friends to know that Lizzie has gone to rest in that beautiful land beyond life's stormy sea, where sickness, sorrow and death never come, and where all is pure joy, love and happiness.

To the parents, brothers, sisters and relatives we say weep not. Only a little while and in that beautiful world on high, where the parting tear is never shed and where the farewell never quivers upon the lips, you will meet the loved one, whom it was so hard for you to lay away in the cold and silent grave.

"Hush, my dear, lie still and slumber Holy angels guard thy bed."

E. L. G.

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Due from Banks	12,728.38
Furniture Fixtures and Real Estate	9,800.00
Cash on Hand	7,947.28
Total	\$66,492.55

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$20,000.00
Deposits	44,460.88
Surplus and Profits	2,031.67
Total	\$66,492.55

I certify that the above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. THOS. J. YANDELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, by Thos. J. Yandell, Cashier, Dec. 31, 1894. R. L. MOORE, Notary Public.

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The Press.

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ONE YEAR - ONE DOLLAR

Colorado is shipping silver direct to China.

Monday Kansas exchanged a Populist Governor for a Republican—Levellings gave way to Morrill.

The Democratic Governor of California was inaugurated Monday; he is all we have left, and he is only a Budd.

Is Congressman Ellis going to follow his neighbor and fellow townsman, Tom Pettit, out of the Democratic party.

Axle, a prominent citizen of Versailles, died of lockjaw Monday; fifty thousand dollars had been offered for him; he was a horse, of course.

Over five thousand street car men are on a strike in Brooklyn. The strike was caused by an attempt on the part of the company to make men work overtime.

The citizens of Mt. Sterling have held a meeting and denounced the recent lynching of Thomas Blair and appointed a committee "to assist the officers of the law in the discharge of their duty."

Hon. Bill Reed, the big, brawny, jolly politician and lawyer of Benton has just returned from Washington and brings the news that Capt. Stone will in a few days announce himself a candidate for Governor.

The millionaire is kicking at the income tax, the brewer is frothing at the idea of an increased beer tax, and everybody kicks at all other taxes. The truth is, all kinds of taxes are odious, to us classes, masses, and aces.

Gov. Brown refuses to pardon Hugh Mulholland, ex-postmaster of Paducah, who is in jail charged with forging. Mulholland was convicted of robbing the mail and a pardon from President Harrison saved him from a term in the penitentiary.

The men who are affected by the work of the Tax Supervisors will see a white mark just under the weather vane on the court house cupola. The Supervisors think that the kicking should be done at that mark, as no part of the board's anatomy is altitudinous enough for kicking of that character.

Congressman Sibley, of Pennsylvania, and Bryan, of Nebraska, have been roasting the President about his sins of omission and commission, as they see them, and now Gov. Waite announces that he is going to deliver a lecture in New York on "Our Fat Friend."

The South will send two trains of supplies to the suffering people of Nebraska this week. Louisiana sends rice, sugar and molasses, while meat and grain fills the train to start from Atlanta. So long as this spirit of brotherhood pervades the people, the country has not gone to the bad by a large majority.

Gov. Brown has appointed Hon. L. P. Lynn, of Calloway county, Judge of the Third Judicial District, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the promotion of Judge Grace. Several prominent lawyers in that district had placed themselves in the proper attitude to be "struck by lightning," and there will consequently follow some sadness and not a little heartburning. The appointment is said to be a good one.

The First congressional district has candidates and prospective candidates for State offices. One of the latest to be mentioned is the name of Hon. Ike Quigley in connection with gubernatorial honors. He is a young man of marked ability, full of energy, and wherever tried has developed capabilities beyond expectation. Governor Brown gave a high testimonial to his worth when he appointed him to the Appellate bench to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Judge Bennett. Mr. Quigley would rally the young Democracy of his district.

While the Senate has made no appropriation for putting in force the income tax law, Secretary Carlisle has reached the conclusion that the enforcement of the law does not depend on the making of an appropriation, and he will proceed to the collection of the tax with the present force of revenue officers. The income tax has come to stay. Congress may fail to enact some wholesome measures, but the time has not come yet when it will have the audacity to disannul such equitable legislation as the income tax.

Senator Jones, of Arkansas, has a compromise currency measure which promises to harmonize some of the conflicting interests of the reform movement at Washington. The new plan provides for issuing five hundred millions of 25 cent bonds to redeem Treasury notes, and the withdrawal of national bank and treasury notes, to be substituted by silver certificates. The free coinage of silver is also provided for. The bill has both a gold and silver filigree and hence the hope that it will satisfy both sides.

Collector Johnson, of Louisville, recently criticized the civil service law, as extended to employes in the revenue service; and suggested ways and means whereby this fault of the President could be eluded. The collector's conduct was reported to the President and the latter is indignant and severely reprimands the collector. The country is in sympathy with the collector and the mugwumps with the President.

If Judge Buchwalter's surprising conduct in refusing to turn over to the authorities a criminal wanted in Kentucky, will turn the lawless element in Kentucky and the South towards Cincinnati, he will have been a benefactor to the section that gives up this undesirable factor in our civilization. By all means let Cincinnati be made a city of refuge if she so desires. A touch of the old Jewish custom would be refreshing just now, anyhow.

There appears to be opportunities for the young men in the west yet. The State Treasurer of South Dakota has run away with \$350,000 of the State's money. Dick Tate got only about \$150,000 from Kentucky. The superiority of the West for enterprising men is elucidated in this.

Hon. Rhey Boyd is an announced candidate for the Legislature from McCracken county. He will make a high type representative, and if McCracken puts him forth she will have set a good pace for the other counties of the district.

Adjutant General Grass reports Kentucky's militia at 1469 officers and men. He says nothing about the bloodless conflict the valiant soldiers had with a Kuttawa hen last year.

Abbott, cashier of the National bank at Dover, N. H., killed himself Monday. He was short ninety thousand dollars. They once went to Canada; they now probably go to a warmer place.

Eliza C. Harris, of Hampton, has been granted a pension.

Senator Hill gave the income tax a parting blow in the Senate Friday. It was not a love lick; the Senator thinks the next Congress will repeal it.

Stephen B. Elkins and Thomas H. Carter have been nominated by the Republicans for the United States Senate from West Virginia and Montana, respectively. Neither nomination reflects credit upon the Legislature making it. The party has many better men than these professional politicians, and it was hoped that its return to power would be marked by a new race of men, in these quarters at least.

The Board of Tax Supervisors is more of a preventative than a corrective decoction. The knowledge of its existence serves to goad those who are disposed to give in property too low for taxation, and the result is there is comparatively little dereliction along this line, consequently there is not much work for the board to do when it convenes. The fear of future punishment does much towards holding us all in the line of duty.

Tuesday's edition of the daily Courier-Journal is the greatest piece of newspaper work Louisville ever sent out, and nothing in the entire country, as far as our knowledge extends, surpasses it. The edition is six times larger than usual, which means forty-eight pages. It is distinct by a Kentucky edition, and the three greatest industries of the State—that of stock raising, tobacco growing, and handling and distilling come in for the largest share of attention. The advantages that will accrue to these interests alone from this paper is simply incalculable; nothing has ever been sent abroad that will attract so much attention to our great State as will this paper. The proudest Commonwealth of the greatest country on earth may well be proud of such an advocate.

"Harmony," is the cry among Democrats at Washington. If their vocabulary had contained that word a year ago the party would have been in better shape now. It will be a good day for the party when the present congress ends.

Gov. Brown once penetrated the rhinoceros hide of Ben Butler, and judging from the way he flings darts and arrows at the Cincinnati Judge one is inclined to the opinion that his tongue has not lost its cunning.

What's Guffy Doing?

The new Court of Appeals got down to work in earnest Saturday. The branch, composed of Judges Hazelrigg, Grace and Paynter, came in with two decisions each, and Chief Justice Pryor, who presides over both branches, also brought in a couple of opinions, making eight in all. Whether the Chief Justice expects to keep up this pace he is setting for the future Chief Justice remains to be seen. If he does, and with the two branches makes the court average anything like eight decisions a day, the new body won't be long catching up with the docket and the procession.—Frankfort Capital.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles! If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all female complaints, giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, constipation, headache, fainting spells or are nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy, or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Both health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only 50 cents at H. K. Woods' drug store.

Get the biggest dollar's worth of sugar in town for a dollar at A. F. Griffith's.

Reminds Us of Dr. Metcalf.

Hopkinsville, Kentucky: S. A. Browning, of Hopkins county, has sued J. B. Lovelace, marshal of the White Plains, for \$2,500 damages for a legal arrest and assault. Lovelace is only an officer employed by the village to keep order.

Liquor and Snow.

John Bradley, a prominent farmer of near South Carrollton, was found frozen stiff in the snow, last Wednesday night by his daughter. He left Central City late and started to walk home in the face of the raging snow storm, and was considerably under the influence of liquor. His family became alarmed for him and his daughter started to look for him. A few hundred yards from the house she stumbled across his dead body in the snow. He had fallen several hours before, and was covered with snow.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

Silver and Gold.

Something everybody wants, something all can get by securing a copy of Vick's Floral Guide for 1893, a work of art, printed in 17 different inks, with beautiful colored plates. Full list, with description and price of everything one could wish for, is given. It is a beautiful and useful book, and a valuable cover of silver and gold combined.

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America's In It.

The Grand Rivers Herald has the following about a gentleman well known in this county:

Prof. A. M. Barnett one of the best known men in Western Kentucky, a gentleman who has indulged slightly in poetry, speculated a little in paint mines, tried a few months of law, had some experience with mechanics, done some repair work and philosophized on almost everything, has now invented and sketched an electrical-gas-mechanical aerial navigation machine, the like of which has never before been seen by mortal man. It has a balloon to hold it up, two wires to hold it down, some fan wings to steer it, and an electric dynamo to keep it moving. The sketch of this apparatus is now in our office, and can be seen by any caller (who is not blind). While we are not as yet prepared to endorse this marvelous invention as a success, we can safely say that it combines some features that were never dreamed of by any other inventor that has ever lived, ancient or modern. Prof. Barnett has an invention that deserves consideration as the dream (or nightmare) of a genius if nothing more.

BLOOMING ROSE.

We are having a good school at this place under the tutelage of Miss Nar Ainsworth.

One moves out and another moves in: Dr. Vaughn moves to Blooming Rose, Wm. Croft moves to the town of Macedonia.

Dr. Vaughn has built a nice residence at this place.

Singing at Mr. J. E. Malcomson's Christmas night; we met with Septe Claus and Mr. Taylor Mullinax.

Mr. Chas. Evans, from Salem, visited our school Friday. Come again, Charlie.

Ayer's Hair Vigor prevents the hair from falling and restores gray hair to its original color. Ayer's Almanac at your druggists.

DEMPSEY.

Rev Hays filled his regular appointment at Green's Chapel Sunday. On account of the cold the congregation was slim.

Mrs. Hicklin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jeff. Asher, at Eddyville, this week.

Mr. W. R. Sullivan and son Percy who have been sick for the past six weeks, are convalescing.

Mrs. H. L. Sullivan and Miss Eva Nunn are on the sick list.

Mr. Foster has removed to R. H. Grady's river farm.

Messrs. Hugh and Mark Tabor and John Henry Truitt visited the school Thursday afternoon. The call was highly appreciated by the teacher.

Miss Etta Nunn and the correspondent spent the day at Mr. H. L. Sullivan's Sunday week.

There will be a missionary entertainment at Weston next Saturday night.

Mr. Dan Fox visited his brother Harvie Sunday.

Mr. G. W. Gahagan is having his house completed. When the house is finished, a party will be given to the young people.

Daisy Kid.

SALEM.

Quarterly meeting will be held at this place the third Saturday and Sunday.

Gov. Traherne filled his appointment at this place Sunday last.

Mrs. J. A. Farris is on the sick list.

Homer McGrew and sister attended church at this place Sunday.

Thos. Evans and family will move to Southland soon.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Ada Alvis and Mr. John Houston.

Miss Mary Marshall is the guest of Mrs. Frank Wyatt.

Mrs. M. F. Butler and son spent several days with friends in Caldwell county last week.

Mrs. P. Grassham and daughter, Mrs. Bryan, returned home last week after a long visit with H. H. Ligon and wife of Henderson.

Frank Taylor has his new residence almost completed.

John Rutter, of Hampton, was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Markey died at her home near Hampton the 10th.

Messrs. Everet Butler, Bob Hardy John Stevens, and Misses Myra Stevens and Jennie George, all of this place, will attend school in Marion. This speaks well for Prof. Evans.

Fairy.

TOLU.

Judas sold the Saviour for sixteen dollars and ninety-six cents, and Joseph was sold by his brethren for eleven dollars and twenty-eight cents.

The river is on a high tear, playing havoc with things generally, more especially with pines and railroad ties, in the lowlands.

W. L. Crues, of Marion, was here today on legal business.

Mrs. Maggie Moore has returned home from Jonesboro, Ark., where she has been visiting her father, Judge Clapp.

We understand there is a big stock company organized at this place for the purpose of embarking in the mercantile business on a large scale, and company will keep all things, from a corn popper to a torpedo boat.

Mr. W. C. Farmer has sold out at this place and moved to Harlin county, Ills.

C. J. Bozeman is buying and shipping corn to Clarksville, Tenn.

Mrs. Julia Frank, wife of D. H. Frank, will start to Colorado in a few days and will make that her future home.

Next Tuesday is the day of the big sale at the residence of the late S. F. Crider. Everybody in need of good stock and farming implements will find it to their interest to be there.

J. J. Thomas, pilot on the canon boat from Tolu to Marion says there is no rest for the weary.

W. N. Weldon, ex-missionary for the Peabody fund, has retired to private life.

Wonder if the Carlyle bill has anything to do with the weather.

Tom Moore, Jr., has a full fledged case of measles. Madam.

FREDONIA.

Born to the wife of Grant Bugg on Thursday the 10th, a fine large girl.

Miss Hattie Satterfield, of Princeton, has been visiting in the neighborhood for the past week.

Misses Isabella Garner and Lillie Brown have been visiting at H. C. Turley's, of Crider, for the past week.

George W. Glenn, of Crider, was in town last Friday.

Mrs. Sallie Bice is visiting friends in Marion.

David Gardner, of Princeton, was in the neighborhood last Sunday morning.

Rev. McDaniel filled his appointment at the M. E. Church in Kelsey last Sunday.

Some of the boys failed to take their cars in out of the cold, one night last week, in time to keep them from being frozen bitten.

The girls in the same crowd, went prepared for the sudden change in the weather.

B. A. Jacobs and Thomas Ordway were in Louisville last week.

Wm. Threlkeld, of Hampton, died at his home last Thursday, after a long protracted illness. He was in his 83rd year, and had been in good health until within the 1-4 year.

Hisson A. S. Threlkeld, of Kelsey, went down to see him last week, and was there at his death and burial, returning home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Loyd, of Crayneville, died last Friday of heart trouble.

A little boy by the name of Sanders, was burned to death at his grand-mother's, Mrs. Ordway, of Crayneville.

Thomas Ordway went to Princeton Monday.

Mrs. Barney Markey, of Hampton died last Thursday, and was given a Catholic burial on Sunday, of which church she was a member.

Turning buggies into sleighs is the fashion these days.

The weather was too cold for many to attend the marriage at Bethlehem church last Sunday, of Miss Mary Mott and Mr. O'Hara, from this neighborhood.

Gold Cranks.

Paludah Standard.

There is said to be some excitement in Marshall county over the supposed discovery of a gold mine near the residence of Mr. E. Elliott, on the Paludah and Benton road. A gentleman in from that section informed the Standard yesterday that three or four parties have been digging for several days and had sunk a shaft to the depth of about twenty-five feet. Their search for the yellow metal has proven futile so far, but it is said they are confident of finding it in paying quantities. The result of their operations will be looked for with much interest by the people of that locality.

UNPARALLELED WRECK.

A Tow of Thirty Barges of Pittsburgh Coal Caught in a Dense Fog Bank.

Hawesville, Jan. 14.—About 5 o'clock this morning one mile above this city the big tow boat "Boat" owned by J. W. Pittsburg, and having in tow thirty boats and barges of coal belonging to Fawcett, of the same place, met with an accident by which it is known, twenty three of the coal barges are a total loss by the wreck. It is feared that the greater part of the crew is lost, of this, however, it is impossible to learn if such is the fact. As the steamer with her big tow was rounding the bend above town she was caught in a dense bank of fog, and was immediately at the mercy of the rapid flowing current. It swung around her tow struck a high stone and went to pieces. About twenty of the barges went down to the bottom almost in the twink of an eye near where they struck, and the current, jammed tightly in between great ice floes, and carrying with them many of the crew, whose cries for help could plainly be heard all over the streets by persons then moving around. The fog was so dense that those on shore could not see boats. The pitiful cries of the freezing men added to the distress whistles of several steamers caused terror to reign on both sides of the river, and yet the ice was so heavy that no assistance of any kind could possibly reach them. The "Boat" drifted by here later in a disabled condition and nothing has since been heard of her. When the tow struck the shore the steamer swung around and the crew thinking she too was going down jumped to the barges and most of them drifted down. Only four of the men have so far been accounted for. It is now certain that twenty-three of the coal barges are a total loss, and only a few of the remaining ones have been heard from. The "Boat" and tow left Louisville Sunday morning in fine trim.

A DREADFUL EXPLOSION.

At Butte, Montana, Cars Loaded With Explosives Are Ignited.

Death and Destruction Follow.

Butte, Mont., January 13.—During a fire at the Montana Central rail yards at ten o'clock this evening, several cars of powder caught fire and exploded with tremendous force, killing a number of men and injuring many others. Seven men are known to have been killed outright. There were three separate explosions, the first two breaking nearly every window in a radius of two miles. The fire attracted a large crowd, and hundreds were standing near as the first explosion occurred. Men and women were moved down the grass before a side, but many were stunned by the force of the terrific explosion. The debris from the cars and adjoining buildings were scattered high in the air, and for half a mile away. Many of the flying articles struck people in the crowd. Every ambulance, and vehicle and doctor in the town was soon on the scene and carrying off the mangled dead and wounded. The ground was strewn like a

field of battle with the dead and injured. Owing to the facts that there were still several cars of powder on the track and the report that one of the burning warehouses also contained a quantity of powder, few dared enter the first explosion to venture to the assistance of the injured, and when they did they were met by the second explosion like a rolling fire from an army.

The second was soon followed by the third, and the whole heavens were lighted with flames, the report being heard and the clouds felt for miles. After the third explosion the hospital corps and police began the work of picking up the dead and of carrying off the wounded. Fifteen dead bodies were piled together, and many of them mangled to such an extent that they were not identified in the excitement. Every house in the vicinity was turned into a hospital, and the scene about the explosion was beyond all description.

Men and women wrung their hands and cried in agony. It is said that every fireman was either killed or fatally injured.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canaanville, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house, and his family has always found the remedy in all their troubles. He would not be without it if it were not for the fact that he has used it in his family for eight years, and has never failed to do all that it claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Wood's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.

Many stubborn and aggravating cases of rheumatism that were believed to be incurable and accepted as life legacies, have yielded to Chamberlain's Pain Balm much to the surprise and gratification of the sufferers. One application will relieve the pain and suffering, and its continued use insures an effectual cure. For sale by J. H. Orme.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of taxes due the State and County for the year 1892 and '93, I, or one of my deputies, will on Monday the 25th day of January 1893 between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., at the Court House, in Marion, Crittenden county, Ky., expose to Public Sale, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of taxes due, as aforesaid and costs), to-wit:

PRECINCT NO. 1.

J. H. Brantley, col. 2 lots in Marion, Eliza Metcalf's, 1 lot in Marion, Lewis Fowler col. 1 lot in Marion, Giles Hamilton, col. 1 lot in Marion, Abraham Harvey, col. 1 lot in Marion, Frank Lovell, col. 1 lot in Marion, Wiley McLean, 1 lot in Marion, Richard Waddell, 1 lot in Marion.

PRECINCT NO. 2.

W. H. Briggs, 1 lot near Marion, Emily D. Brown, 1 lot near Marion, Joseph M. McDowell 20 acres near J. R. Woodall.

PRECINCT NO. 3.

Mrs. Laura Adams, 80 acres near Frances, Gordon F. Pickering, 3 lots in Dyersburg, John Reynolds, 150 acres near McComb, Thomas S. Wade, 50 acres near S. C. Cassidy, Mills Crider, col. 65 acres near Clifton.

PRECINCT NO. 6.

Sam'l Williams, 1 lot in Weston, John H. Burton, 1 lot in Weston, Mrs. Nancy McColins, 74 acres near Maces Valley.

PRECINCT NO. 7.

Mrs. Tacy Farmer, 132, acres near R. L. Lucas, James T. Morgan, 52 acres, John W. Clark, col. 40 acres near Weston, Andrew Young, 40 acres near Mariah Sales.

PRECINCT NO. 8.

C. Hazel, 100 acres near Bells Land, J. F. Bireh, 1 lot in Shady Grove, Frank E. Boyd, 30 acres near Albert McConnell, D. E. Williams 10 acres near Shady Grove.

PRECINCT NO. 9.

Isaac H. Trubee, 250 acres near P. C. Barnett, Mrs. H. E. Nesbitt, 90 acres near P. C. Barnett.

JNO T. FRANKS, S. C. C.

LOCAL NEWS.

IVORY SOAP

IT FLOATS

BEST FOR SHIRTS.

Dr. T. H. Cosmitt, Dentist, Marion.

Mr. A. J. Bennett, of Tolu, was in town Tuesday.

A H. Cardin started his stammer to work Tuesday.

Students can get board in Marion from \$2 per week up.

East Marion won't come in and won't let Marion come out.

The streets were crowded with people Monday, and no politics, either.

All persons indebted to us will please call and settle, by note or cash.

Walker & Olive.

Mr. F. E. Robertson has been ill several days, and is still confined to his room.

The big clock will begin to toll off time from the school house tower this week.

A. F. Griffith wants to sell you groceries. He will sell them exactly right.

Go to S. D. Hodge & Co's and buy a pair of moccasins and children's wool hose for 15c per pair.

Prof. W. E. Wilcox desires to move his family to Marion to get the advantages of our school.

Marriage licenses have been issued to John W. Henson and Miss Ada Alvis; Geo. R. Hardin and Miss Mary L. Sailer.

Fifty class lamps to class out at 25 per cent. under actual cost.

H. K. Woods.

Miss Taylor Woodard went to Cayceville Saturday to spend a few weeks with friends and relatives.

Mr. A. H. Cardin has bought several crates of tobacco; five and two cents are the prevailing prices.

Miss Mattie Henry returned from Sturgis a few days since, after spending two weeks with friends at that place.

Rob't. Traylor will be before Judge Moore Saturday to answer the charge of shooting on the public road.

The cheapest grocery house in town is Fent. Griffith's. He can't be undersold. His goods are the best and freshest.

Dr. W. J. Deboe went to Louisville yesterday to attend a meeting of the Republican State Central Committee.

The School Superintendent, Miss Mina Wheeler, was gratifying the teachers Saturday with her signature. It was attached to a bank check.

Mr. J. H. Brewster went to Nashville Saturday to spend a few days with his friend Representative Waddell, and to see the sights.

Blank books, such as ledgers (single and double entry) daybooks, cash books, all sizes and styles of binding, at H. K. Woods. If you want to save money, see him.

Dr. J. H. Clark left Sunday for New York. He goes to take a post graduate course in one of the leading medical colleges of the metropolis.

Get ready for school. H. K. Woods has a full line of school books and his prices are exceedingly low.

Dr. W. J. Deboe is acting in the capacity of County Attorney Travis for a few weeks, until the latter completes his term in the school room.

Miss Broomfield, the twenty year old daughter of Mr. Moss Broomfield, a prominent farmer of Livingston county, residing near Smithland, died Sunday.

REMOVAL.

A. F. Griffith has moved his stock of groceries into the house recently occupied by J. W. Skelton, next door to Wood's drug store, where he will keep a splendid stock and will be glad to have his friends call.

DEDICATORY CEREMONIES.

The New School House Will Be Formally Turned Over To The Teachers Saturday.

The new graded school building is rapidly nearing completion, and by Saturday evening the work of the contractor will have been completed. On the same evening a public meeting will be held in the Chapel. At a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees Messrs. Charles Evans, S. W. Adams and H. A. Haynes were appointed as a committee to prepare a programme for the occasion. The committee endeavored to get the State Superintendent to attend, but at the last hour a telegram announced that he could not come; Prof. Peterman, of Lexington, was invited, and many people, especially the teachers of the county, were exceedingly anxious that both he and Supt. Thompson would grace the occasion. Failing to get these, the committee concluded to use home folks, and prepared the following programme:

Invocation, Rev. W. H. Miley.
Music—Old Hundred, by the audience.
Presentation Address—R. C. Walker, President of the Board of Trustees.
Response—Chas. Evans, Principal.
Vocal Music—Male Quartette.
Address, Religion in Schools—Rev. J. F. Price.
Address, America's Safeguard—O. M. James.
Vocal Music—Male Quartette.
Address, Some Reminiscences—C. S. Nunn.
Address, Congratulations—Miss Mina Wheeler.
Music—America, by the audience.
Some Lines—S. W. Adams.
Benediction—Eld. J. S. Henry.

Mr. Danney Hammond is visiting his friends and relatives at this place. He is a railroad worker, with headquarters at Poplar Bluff, Mo. He has been from home five years.

Yesterday marriage license was issued to Mr. W. P. Crider and Miss Nora McAmis. Both are prominent people of Tolu. The marriage was celebrated last evening. The Press extends congratulations.

Attend S. D. Hodge & Co's clearance sale. They have many rare bargains to offer you in blankets, comforters, coarse boots, and all other winter goods.

Mr. Larkin Hard will be, for a while at least, the assistant jailer, and make things merry 'round the sombre walls of the gloomy old prison. He is a "rare compound of oddity, frolic and fun."

Eld. Reed, the Adventist, left Monday for Memphis, where he will hold a meeting. He preached faithfully here for five weeks, and aroused some interest among those who attended. He has some followers here.

Miss Eva Williams will teach book-keeping in the Graded School. She is a graduate of the Bryant & Stratton business college, and is a capable teacher and worthy young lady.

Dr. J. V. Hayden, of Salem, was in town Saturday. He is one of the most successful physicians in Southern Kentucky, and Salem and Livingston county justly feel honored of such a man.

If you want a bargain in a house and lot in Marion, or one near the corporate line, or a small farm, see A. M. Gilbert who will give you the best bargain you ever saw. Terms easy.

Carlton Cornwell, foreman of the Gazette, Middletown, N. J., believes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy should be in every home. He used it for a cold and it effected a speedy cure. He says: "It is indeed a grand remedy. I can recommend it to all. I have also seen it used for whooping cough with the best results." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Dr. J. H. Orme.

Mr. John Wolfe, of Evansville, was in town Saturday en route to Tolu, where he will probably go into business. If the stock company store materializes Mr. Wolfe will have charge of the business.

The parties interested may congratulate themselves upon securing the services of John Wolfe; there are few better business men in the country, and then he is one of the most companionable gentlemen one would meet with in a month's travel; and besides that, he is a public spirited citizen and will add much to the community in the way of solid citizenship.

Mrs. Markey died at her home near Hampton Thursday morning Jan. 10, of paralysis. She was the wife of Mr. Barney Markey, one of the leading citizens of Livingston county. A large circle of relatives and friends mourn the death of the most excellent lady.

THE EQUALIZATION BOARD.

It Makes Some Changes in a Number of Tax Lists.

From Monday until Friday the tax supervisors pondered over the assessors' books and increased the list of ninety tax payers. The increase is made on real estate alone. The board will convene again on the 24th, to hear the complaint of any of those who have been raised. The following is a list of the raises. The first row of figures represents the list as given in by the tax payers, and the second row the figures as fixed by the board:

	From.	To.
Henry Hamby,	950	1200
John Matthews,	1000	1250
Henry Matthews,	900	1000
W. M. Wheeler,	700	850
Henry Bennett,	2000	2500
J. N. Bunton,	800	1000
G. S. Brooks,	340	500
J. H. Crayne,	500	700
W. B. Oliver,	4200	4800
S. E. Turpin,	700	1000
S. W. Watson,	750	1000

UNION.		
J. V. Hayden & Co.,	300	500
R. B. Brown,	700	800
W. J. Brown,	850	1000
J. L. LaRoe,	1000	1200
A. F. Franklin,	800	900
A. T. Harpending,	570	900
G. H. Kirk,	500	750
J. C. Matthews,	200	325
J. T. Matthews,	275	500
W. L. Taylor,	880	1500
R. S. Threlkeld,	750	1000
W. C. Tyner,	1200	1400
L. F. White,	600	850
F. M. Clement,	8150	10000

FOURTH FERRY.		
Louis Daughtry,	1000	1400
Jas. H. Hughes,	1300	1600
A. B. Rankin,	3600	4500

BELLS MILES.		
J. O. Burton,	600	800
J. W. Cook,	1800	2000
Alex. Woody,	400	600

PINEY.		
C. M. Mayes,	400	600
C. W. Allen,	1200	1500
W. M. Babb,	950	1200
S. D. Brown,	800	1000
J. F. Casey,	1600	2000
G. R. Campbell,	800	1100
J. M. Dean,	2600	3000
E. F. Drenning,	2000	2500
E. R. & C. R. Hill,	2500	3000
E. L. Horning,	800	1000
D. M. Hubbard,	100	200
Elliott Jones,	400	500
John W. Johnson,	192	250
Geo. D. Kemp,	1200	1400
Jeff Melton,	800	900
W. I. McConnell,	1000	1250
Albert McConnell,	1000	1000
B. F. Horning,	200	300
W. C. Ogilby,	350	600
J. A. Shetlworth,	700	1200
J. N. Todd,	1000	1200

ANY ON.		
A. J. Baker,	600	800
Mrs. E. M. Boaz,	3500	4500
John C. James,	800	1000
J. W. Johnson,	700	1000
J. H. King,	1200	1500
R. Mayes,	800	1000
J. S. Mayes,	500	700
A. Dean,	1600	1800
E. M. Duvall,	800	1000
S. T. Fletcher,	50	150
L. H. Paris,	1200	1450
M. Schwab,	200	300
P. C. Stephens,	1000	1200
Samp Stenbridge,	120	300
H. B. Williams,	1000	1250
Lee Hughes,	900	1200
P. E. Shewmaker,	2000	2400
U. S. Graves,	500	750

HURRICANE.		
Jacob Bettis,	800	1000
Jonh Belt,	800	1000
G. T. Croft,	9000	10000
T. S. Croft,	18910	21334
John H. Curnel,	1000	1500
John Todd,	500	800
J. M. Phillips,	1750	2000
W. B. Sullinger,	1800	2500
T. E. Sullinger,	2255	2650
George T. Sullinger,	1300	1550
J. E. Sullinger,	600	750
A. Sullinger,	600	900
R. E. Flannery,	2000	2250
T. T. Barnett,	10880	12000
J. N. Bettis,	1650	2500
G. H. Croft,	250	450

Mr. Arnold, a drummer, gave an entertaining lecture at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. His subject was the "World from a Bible Standpoint." He has an immense chart, representing the great events of the world from the garden of Eden down to the present decade and it is so arranged that it shows what great things were transpiring at the same time in different parts of the world. His talk was very highly appreciated by a large audience.

Squire Mabry held his first court Saturday, when Wm. Polk was before him, charged with a breach of the peace. The defendant was fined \$1, and this with the usual trimmings, amounted to \$11.85. Everything passed off pleasantly.

There was one applicant before the Board of Pensioners yesterday—Wm. M. Morgan, of this place.

Highest of all in Leavening Power—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Burned to Death.

Saturday a six year old girl of Dr. Russell, near Crayneville, suffered a painful death. Her clothes were accidentally ignited from the fire place, and her screams attracted Mrs. Ordway, who was in another room, she ran in and carried the child to the front porch; just then Mr. Tabor was passing the gate and seeing the flames enveloping the screaming child, he ran in and by rolling the unfortunate little sufferer in the snow succeeded in smothering the fire, but not until she was fatally burned. She died that night.

Commissioners Sale.

Master Commissioner, A. Wilborn sold the pieces of real estate Monday to the purchasers and at prices named below:

Hamp Clark farm, 77 acres, bought by M. M. Tabor, for \$260.
A. P. Robertson farm of 504 acres T. J. Stone, price \$285.15.
Glen Owen farm of 150 acres, W. I. Cruce, price \$505.
One sixth interest in N. M. Walker farm for \$60, I. S. Walker.
R. E. Phillips farm, about 50 acres, R. L. Moore, price \$397.75.
Jas. Williamson farm, 83 acres, W. I. Cruce, \$374.55.
Crider Hotel, J. W. Guess, price \$3100.
Kit Flannery house, W. J. Howerton, price \$775.
H. T. Flannery residence, W. J. Howerton, \$905.
Flannery cottage at Crittenden Springs, A. D. McGee, \$101.

Williamson-Wilson.

Sunday, January 6, 1895, at 6:30 p. m., Mr. John Williamson, at Cottonwood Point, Miss., and Miss Lizzie Wilson, of Livingston county, Ky., were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Crewdson officiating. The happy couple were congratulated by many friends, and loved ones. Mr. Williamson is a worthy young man and will make a kind and loving husband; he is a farmer and also a merchant at Cottonwood Point. Miss Lizzie is a beautiful young lady of twenty summers; her gentle qualities will win her friends wherever she may go. She is a devout christian and never failed to let her light shine for God and his glory. Her christian influence will win many sinners to prepare to meet the God. After the ceremony, at the request of the parents we had a feeling and effective prayer meeting, and all went home feeling that it was good to have been there. On Tuesday the young couple bid friends farewell and started for Cottonwood Point, which they will make their future home.

A Friend.

A New Postoffice.
A new postoffice will shortly be established at J. H. Robinson's, near Crittenden Springs, on the Marion and Ford's Ferry route. The name of the office is "Mound," and J. H. Robinson will be the official to stand upon it.

John S. Pierce.

The many friends here of Mr. John S. Pierce will be sorry to learn that he moved from Eddyville. He is a young lawyer of marked ability, and had made many friends in this county, who hoped that he had located here permanently. He has formed a partnership with Judge Rochester, of Marion, for the practice of law. Our association with Mr. Pierce, while in this county, was indeed pleasant, and to the good people of Crittenden county, with whom he has cast his lot, we would say, you can rely on him as a lawyer, as a friend and as a citizen. He is a worthy christian gentleman, and entitled to the full confidence of those with whom he may become associated. He has many friends here who wish him the greatest success in his new home—Eddyville, Va.

Death's Doings.

Mrs. W. P. Loyd died at her home near Crayneville Thursday, and the funeral took place from the church at Chapel Hill Friday. Mrs. Loyd was the wife of one of the leading farmers of the county and mother of city marshal Loyd. She was a most estimable christian lady.

Mr. T. E. Porter died at his home in the eastern portion of the county Friday. He was a good, substantial citizen, and leaves a wife and several children to mourn his loss. He was a son of the well known citizen, E. H. Porter, of that section.

Mrs. Elkins died at her home in the Chapel Hill neighborhood Sunday. She was the mother of Wm. Elkins, and was more than seventy years old. A child of Bud Hughes, col., died Friday.

NOTICE.

All parties indebted to W. E. Weldon, deceased, or Weldon Bros., must call and settle at once. Those failing to make settlement by first day of March, 1895, will have to settle with an officer. On March 1st I will give all notes on hand to a collector; there will be no exception to this rule.

E. J. & L. A. Weldon, Administrators.
January 10, 1895.

Notice.
I am now prepared to grind corn, cob, shock and all. I crush at one-sixth toll and sell at 60c per bushel. Corn meal 50c per bushel. I have a 30 inch Bradford corn mill, with belts picks and all complete, cheap for cash or will exchange it for a good horse.

J. M. McChesney.

Liner Sims Assassinated.

Providence, Ky., Jan. 12.—Liner Sims, a resident of this place, was waylaid and shot to death last night by unknown parties near the depot, while going home. Four shots entered his body.

Sims was thirty years old and unmarried. He was quarrelsome when drinking, and was the case last night, but agreeable when sober.

On account of the prevailing storm last night, but few people were about, and Sims' body was not discovered until daylight this morning. No arrest has been made but the officers are following a clue that may lead to the perpetrators of the deed.

Providence, Ky., Jan. 15.—James E. Green has surrendered himself to the officers and confessed to killing Liner Sims here. His plea is self defence.

A Cheeky Thief.

Princeton, Ky., Jan. 15.—J. White, a farmer living three miles from this city, took a fine mare last night. The thief left a note pinned to the stable door saying he would ride the mare to Dawson and then turn her loose so she could return, and thanking Mr. White for the use of her.

Fresh canned goods of all kinds—the best brands too—at A. F. Griffith's.

Deeds Recorded.

T. E. Griffith to W. R. Thomas.
J. S. Ainsworth to L. C. Terry,
100 acres for \$1000.

See H. K. Woods for your school tablets. He has a splendid line and can supply your children at very low prices.

Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray, by Jonathan Belt, living near Knott Belts, Crittenden county, Ky., one black steer about two years old, marked with crop and overbit in left ear and crop off the right; no other marks or brands, and appraised by Knott Belt at seven dollars. This the 5th day of January, 1895.

J. W. Armstrong, J. P. C. C.

County Court.

The following claims were allowed:

George A. McBride, pauper claim, \$16.20.
M. Schwab, public road, \$1.
Foster Threlkeld, A. Towery, P. K. Cooksey and D. P. Campbell were sworn in as deputy county clerks.
Zach Terry was granted a change in public road.

Buy your school books from H. K. Woods.

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I WILL ON

TUESDAY JAN. 22, 1895

At the residence of the late Foster Crider, one half mile East of Tolu sell to the highest bidder on a credit of 12 months the following property:

9 head of horses, 3 head of mules, 1 short horn bull, 1 Jersey cow and calf, lot of farming implements, 136 inch cylinder Heilmann thresher and 10 horse engine, household and kitchen furniture, etc., etc.

Note with approved security bearing 6 per cent. interest from date, will be required before property is moved. Sums of \$5.00 and under cash in hand. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M.

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That were 10c now go for 5c.

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That have been bargains at 40c now go at 25 CENTS.

Cups and Saucers
That were 20 cts now go for 15 CTS.

Glass Oil Cans
That have been 35c now go for 25c

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That has been 25c now goes for 15c.

China Cups
With handles, that have been 65c now go at 35c.

Glassware, Tinware
In glassware, queensware and Tinware I am greatly overstocked and will sell at your price.

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Saddles and Bridles
And other articles in the harness line, such as is now in stock, 30 per cent off

269 Kegs of Nails
On hands. Get my prices and see if I am not selling out.

THE DIVORCE COURT.

WILL HEAR THE STORIES OF THE WICKES.

A SENSATIONAL PROCEEDING IN CHICAGO.

The Wife of the Vice-President of the Pullman Palace Car Company Brings Action—They Were Leaders in Chicago Society.

HE BLINDS ARE pulled down at the handsome residence, 3947 Grand boulevard, Chicago, for the past ten years has been the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wickes and their three interesting children.

Partial explanation of this sudden withdrawal from public gaze of one of the most prominent business men in Chicago and of his amiable wife and daughters is found spread on the cold, insensible pages of the records in the Circuit court of Cook county.

The other day there was filed on the equity side of that court a bill on behalf of Laura H. Wickes praying for an absolute divorce from Thomas H. Wickes, second vice-president of Pullman's Palace Car company. The news of the legal proceeding fell like a bomb shell among the members of the south side society and was a hint to all kinds of conjecture and comment. Through all the years during which Mr. and Mrs. Wickes have moved among the full glare of social scrutiny for a decade, and the general verdict was that they were utterly devoted. Society is always the last to see the skeletons staid through its select circles.

She avers that she was married to him March 15, 1871, more than twenty-three years ago, in the city of St. Louis.



MRS. THOMAS H. WICKES.

They had lived together continuously, she says, ever since Aug. 15 of the present year. During that time she has borne him four children, three of whom are now living. They are Mrs. Annette Walker, aged 22; Miss Florence H. Wickes, aged 16, and Thomas H. Wickes, Jr., aged 19 years.

The cruelty of which Mrs. Wickes complains is alleged to be extreme and continuing over a long period. Several times since their marriage were pronounced she accuses him of having "beaten, struck, kicked and ill-treated her." The torture of words, it seems, was added to that of blows, for she says he "used vile, abusive and opprobrious language toward her, so that her life has been rendered miserable."

The value of Mrs. Wickes' real estate in Chicago is placed by the allegations at \$50,000. His wife asserts that he owns personal property in the form of stocks and securities to an amount of her unknown. She declares that he receives as payment for his services a large income, and that he is abundantly able to support herself and children in comfort. Destitute of means herself, she prays the court to issue a decree pending the trial of the cause directing the defendant to provide for herself and children and pay the costs of the action. The bill concludes with a prayer for absolute divorce, with alimony and the custody of the children.

To Avenge a Murder.

Edward Perry, the young man who was mysterious friend of Bennett's Mills, Ky., and his wife, who were thrown into a deep creek, was a member of a mutual aid society composed of sixty young men. They held a secret meeting the other night to devise means to run down the murderer. The members are on the ground and busy looking up evidence.

and seeing that none of the suspected parties got out of the neighborhood. At the inquest it was found that Perry's skull had been crushed by a blow from some blunt instrument. One of the men under suspicion refused to go to the inquest.

Died from Inhabing Gas.

Thomas Lloyd of Buffalo, N. Y., who with a companion, George Whalan of 18 Astor street, Chicago, was found in a room in the Le Grand hotel, 30 North Wells street, suffering from inhaling illuminating gas last Wednesday morning, died last night at the county hospital. Whalan has entirely recovered.

Mr. Gilbert's Pleasant Sensation.

W. S. Gilbert was lurching, long ago, at a country hotel, when he found himself in company with three cycling clerymen, by whom he was drawn into conversation. When they discovered who he was, one of the party asked Mr. Gilbert "how he felt in such a grave and reverend company." "I feel," said Mr. Gilbert, "like a lion in a den of Danites."

Two Big to Arrive.

Another killing in Hancock county, Tennessee, during a free fight precipitated by whisky, occasioned another attempt on the part of the government officers to arrest Mrs. John Mullens, a 600-pound heavy-weight, at whose house, located at an almost inaccessible spot in the mountains near Knoxville, liquor has been sold in violation of the revenue laws for years. Here deposed James Mullens was murdered, and here the officers came to make the arrest, but the woman's enormous size and weight compelled them to return empty handed.

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BIG CLAIM OF A MODERN QUAKER.

PLACES THAT SUM AS THE PRICE OF AFFECTION.

An Unusual Suit at Law in Which a Banker Is Accused of Leading a Dual Life—Some Quaker Circumstances.

WILLIAM T. McMillan, a Quaker, who has just begun an action for \$300,000 damages against George S. Fox, one of the most prominent of Philadelphia bankers, charges that the district attorney has endeavored to force him not to prosecute his suit against Fox, by threatening him with a charge of adultery and would be extorted and tried. McMillan bases his allegation upon a letter of which he is a copy, signed by the district attorney and addressed to George S. Fox, in which the district attorney announces to Fox that he has been informed of McMillan's suit against Fox, and calls to his attention that the defendant or friends of the defendant in that action have made application to him to have McMillan extradited from New York city, where he now is.

The trial of such a case, the letter goes on to say, could make public a letter

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