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MONROE DOCTRINE.

England's Aggressions Will be Resisted by Secretary Gresham.

Washington, March 27.—It would seem strange if some of the complications between the United States and other countries now pending did not lead to more serious results than are at present anticipated. There has hardly been a time in the past twenty years when this country's foreign relations have been so complicated as now.

The point has been reached, so it would seem, when the dust must be wiped off the old Monroe doctrine, or else that doctrine must be abandoned. If the administration carries out its policy with the vigor which characterized its declaration in the outset, and there is every reason to believe that it will, the anxiety which attends the dramatic Alliance episode will sink into insignificance by the side of more serious complications with Great Britain. The situation resulting from this last affair is viewed with some alarm by the State Department. For it England insists upon its claims in Nicaragua, or upon its encroachments upon the disputed Venezuelan territory, the United States must declare once and for all if the Monroe doctrine is to be upheld, and by force if necessary.

England's ultimatum to the Nicaraguan government is regarded here as grossly unjust and the provisions that bars the American citizen from the commission as a denial of the right of this country to protect the interests of the South American republics against foreign aggressions. It is not at all improbable that England may attempt the same game in Nicaragua and Venezuela that it did in Egypt when it undertook to compel the payment of claims by an occupation of territory. Such an occupation upon American soil would be a violation of the Monroe doctrine and would also force an immediate interference from this country.

Vigorous diplomatic correspondence between Secretary Gresham and the Court of St. James has already begun. If England does not show the disposition to treat fairly on a basis of compromise, then President Cleveland will notify the British Government that any attempt to drive Venezuela forcibly from its territory will be regarded by the United States as coming within the scope of the Monroe doctrine.

The situation is further complicated by France's demands upon Venezuela. At the same time Germany is taking steps to make a naval display in Venezuelan waters to secure claims to its citizens. All this is making a great diplomat of Mr. Gresham. Diplomacy is rampant in Washington, just now. The Secretary of State does not want too many complications on his hands if he has to treat with England, and he is therefore using great finesse to keep France from pushing her claims just at this time. Minister Brockbridge has been instructed to appeal to our old ally, Russia, to interfere for Venezuela to France, and also to use her good offices with Germany.

These complications with England are more serious than imagined, just now. But their full importance is thoroughly recognized by the administration. There is a feeling of suppressed excitement pervading official circles here, for there is no telling at what minute this government may be called upon to resent forcibly an insult or to declare its intention to enforce by arms the Monroe policy. In the meantime Mr. Cleveland sits unmoved by the excitement which torments others so, viewing with calm judgment the trend of affairs, but ready at a moment's notice to uphold the traditions of this country and the dignity of its flag.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY.

Magnitude and Cost of Social Entertainments.

Special to the Press.

Social entertainments in Washington are perhaps on a larger scale than similar events in other cities where people of wealth have their homes. It may be said that the ostentatious display of wealth in this direction is not so common as elsewhere. Society at the National Capital is cosmopolitan, and it is impossible to apply strictly the standard of money. There are many persons whose official position entitles them to social recognition who have only moderate incomes. They mingle on equal terms with those who are favored with a greater share of this world's goods, and also do their part in entertaining.

Now that Lent is here, and the rapid pace which society maintained during the season has somewhat abated, an opportunity is given to look back over the past. No doubt in many cases an estimate is made of what it costs to take a prominent part in the life of society. A great deal of money has been spent, and while it is customary to say that the past season has exceeded all others in point of elaborate entertainments, yet such a statement is hardly correct. It appears that whatever may be the condition of the money market, or which party is in power, society at the capital pursues its way without any change. There are always some people who spend a good deal of money, and it for any reason they have not the same aspirations next year, there is always some one else to fill their places.

While those who entertain most extensively would not care to have a mere money estimate placed upon their hospitality, still this feature makes a very convenient method of classification. At the head of the list, perhaps, stands senator Bruce, or rather Mrs. Bruce. They occupy one of the largest private residences in the city, and during the past winter they have given one entertainment after another. In addition to providing elaborate refreshments and costly floral decorations, Mrs. Bruce has secured the services of some of the most noted musicians, who have sung and played to furnish an evening's pleasure for her guests. They have, of course, been liberally compensated, and it is within the bounds of a moderate estimate to say that one such a musicale has cost the hostess the fine sum of one thousand dollars.

The widow of the late Mr. Hearst, the millionaire Senator from California, gave perhaps the most costly and magnificent entertainment of the season in the form of a Luncheon reception. On this occasion the servants were liveries of that period, the guests were appropriately gowned, and the famous orchestra leader, Seidl, with his musicians all dressed in the costumes of the period, furnished the musical program for the evening. To secure the latter feature Mrs. Hearst must have paid a very extravagant sum of money.

The wife of the inventor of the air brake, Mrs. Westinghouse, occupied a suite of apartments at one of the leading hotels here, and each week she gave a tea or an afternoon reception, which because the talk of the town on account of the profuse display of costly flowers, American beauty roses, which cost then a dollar apiece, were lavishly used, while the orchids and other rare flowers were massed on the tables and on the mantel pieces.

There is a wide range in the scale of social entertainments, and while such lavish expenditures of money as above noted did not mark all the entertainments, still there were numerous receptions given which easily cost the entertainer four or five hundred dollars. It is possible, however, to be in society and not spend so much money, and perhaps quite as much enjoyment is derived from the host and the guests, when the flowers and music and refreshments do not represent such a large outlay of money. All this however is not regarded as extravagant by those who can afford it. It puts money into circulation and helps business. As a trade promoter it has no small influence, and perhaps the only criticism that can be made is that some people that have not means are tempted by ambition to try to entertain on the same scale of magnificence.

THE BEST ROUTE.

A Survey of the Marion and Golconda Railroad.

HAMPTON, Ky., March 12, '95.

EDITOR PRESS: In the Crittenden Press of February 14th, we see an article written by a citizen of Golconda who on request of the "railroad magnates" as to what he thought was the best route from Golconda to Marion, told them by way of Rhodes Landing, Carversville, Lela, Salem, Levia and on to Marion. He says he "responded quickly." No doubt the gentleman's answer would have been different if he had taken time to think calmly and deliberately on the subject, or had possessed a more accurate knowledge of the geography of the country between the two places.

He is evidently mistaken in regard to deep water at Rhodes Landing, for we are informed by a reliable man who lived in the neighborhood of the landing for a number of years, that a large sandbar at that place would prevent all transferring during low water. How he would construct his railroad from Lela to Salem is a question we would like to have answered. Now we have in mind another route on which we think a road could be constructed with less expense, to-wit: By way of Compton's Landing, down the river to the Frank Davis spring, thence up Bayou creek to Raspberry, thence up Raspberry to Hampton. A road could be built to the last named place with very little cutting.

Between Hampton and Sandy creek which drains Salem valley, there would be too small cuts; thence up Sandy creek to Salem, on to Levia, Sulphur Springs and Marion.

This is the route we would suggest as cheapest and best for the railroad company. It passes through the territorial center, the agricultural center and stock raising center of the country and for this reason we believe the citizens would donate more liberally for the construction of a road along this line than along the line proposed by our unknown friend in the Press. L. & R.

IS STONE IN?

Friends Say the Ex-Congressman Will Make the Race for Governor.

HENDERSON, Ky., March 21.—Ex-Congressman Stone was in Henderson today and left for his home at Kuttawa this afternoon. Friends with whom he was in conference say that he had decided to make the race for the Democratic nomination for Governor. He had been looking over the field for some time, and had finally decided to become a candidate. They say he stated that he would begin his canvass at once, and that he would make a fight to win. Mr. Stone left Henderson before his friends gave out the announcement, and as he will not get to his home before morning, no direct statement from him could be procured.

Kuttawa, March 22.—Ex-Congressman Stone said tonight: "I have not announced myself a candidate for Governor. Solicitations by letter and personal pledges of support have been more numerous than ever before, and far more than I ever anticipated."

Some pledges of support have gone so far as to assure me that the delegates from several counties would be instructed to vote for me whether I became a candidate or not. I have been disposed to consider the race made up, but under the present political condition in the State I feel that it is the duty of the Democracy to select as their candidate for Governor whomsoever in their judgment is best suited for the position, regardless of the ambition or candidacy of any one."

TO SAVE HIS LIFE

Murderer Mays Hurried Away From Hopkinsville to Eddyville.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 21.—Peter May, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for life yesterday for the murder of W. B. Lyle, was removed from jail here to the penitentiary at Eddyville last night. It was feared that the friends of Lyle, who swore to have his slayer's life, would make an attempt to take Mays from jail and lynch him. They are greatly incensed over the verdict, and Mays, who had lived in the terror of a mob ever since his arrest, begged to be taken to the penitentiary for safety.

VERDICT UNSATISFACTORY.

The Acquittal of Henry Delaney Does Not Meet With Approval.

Morganfield, Ky., March 21.—There is considerable dissatisfaction and not a little feeling in Morganfield over the acquittal of Henry Delaney, one of the participants in the Oliver-Delaney tragedy. The Commonwealth seemed to have proved by six witnesses that a conspiracy existed, and while the evidence as to the murder of the young bride was circumstantial, the defendant was contradicted by several witnesses. The people here think the county has already received a bad enough name through the tragedy, and the acquittal of the man thought by all to be the principal has served to make them more concerned as to the county's welfare.

It is Now Evangelist Boyd.

Rhey Boyd, of Paducah, has actually begun his work as a minister of the gospel. The Paducah news says:

"A number of Paducah people took advantage of the cheap rates and went to Fulton yesterday to hear Rhey Boyd make his initial effort as an evangelist. Those who have heard Mr. Boyd make his eloquent speeches in court and other places expected to hear a good talk, but they were not prepared for the plain, simple appeal, clothed in words spoken from a sincere heart, that fell upon their listening ears. Mr. Boyd spoke for an hour and a half, and there were none who grew tired or desired the speaker to end. Everywhere in the congregation the most intense interest was displayed, and when he had finished illustration after illustration, not a sound could be heard except the nasal chattering of sympathetic church workers. At the conclusion many came forward and professed Christ, while twenty or more came forward for prayer and fully two hundred gave the speaker their hand and promised more consistent Christian lives. The night was indeed a remarkable one, and showed to its fullest the magnetism and power of the speaker."

The Monkey and the Parrot.

To see the monkey in the man you have only to study the faces, bodies, and habits of the baby. Such is the theme of a very interesting article contributed by Mr. S. S. Backman to the new number of the Nineteenth Century. The acts of children are he says like "ancient monuments of prehistoric times. The human infant is an interesting object of scientific research, and even a cross baby should be calmly contemplated by the philosophical mind." The Westminster Gazette subjoins a dozen of the numerous illustrations which Mr. Backman gives to show how survivals of our simian ancestry may be found by any nursery philosopher.

1. Monkeys are snub nosed (simian); so are babies.

2. Babies have pouch-like cheeks. To judge from ecclesiastical monuments this characteristic is supposed to be specially angelic. It is really monkey like. Baby cheeks are the vestiges of cheek pouches, possessed for storing away food, as in Cercopithecus, a monkey in which this habit of storing may be observed at the zoological gardens, it is vitiously feed it.

3. At the base of the vertebral column babies have a deep circular depression. This is the mark of the monkey's tail.

4. Babies—as Dr. Louis Robinson has shown—have a superior arm power and very short legs. So have monkeys.

5. Babies in catching hold of anything don't use the thumb, but clasp it between the fingers and palm. This is the action of monkeys in going from branch to branch.

6. A baby can move any of its toes independently, and it can move them one from another, so as to make a V between any of them. As it grows older it loses this power, and also the power of turning its ankle; but that it has such power over its muscles when young, points to ancestors who used their feet more than their hands as organs for picking up small objects and relied on arms and hands for supporting their body.

SERIOUS EPIDEMIC

Of Cerebro Spinal Meningitis In Floyd County, Ky.

Louisville, Ky., March 21.—Dr. B. W. Smack, who was sent to Floyd county to investigate the fatal epidemic there, has made his report to Secretary McCormick of the State Board of Health at Bowling Green. He found the disease to be cerebro spinal meningitis. It was confined to an area of four miles between Beaver Creek and Bull creek. There have been twenty-five cases and twenty deaths up to date. Those attacked died quickly, one having succumbed in two hours.

"Perhaps you would not think so, but a very large proportion of diseases in New York comes from carelessness in catching cold," says Dr. Cyrus Edson. "It is such a simple thing and so common that very few people, unless it is a case of pneumonia, pay any attention to a cold. New York is one of the healthiest places on the Atlantic coast, and yet there are a great many cases of catarrh and consumption which have their origin in the neglect of the simplest precaution every day life. The most sensible advice is, when you have one get rid of it as soon as possible. By all means do not neglect it." Dr. Edson does not tell you how to cure a cold, but will. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will relieve the lungs, expectoration, open the secretions and soon effect a permanent cure. 25 or 50 cent bottles for sale at Orme's drug store.

Resolutions of Respect.

SHADY GROVE LODGE, No. 559, F. & A. M.

Whereas, it has pleased the Grand Master of the Universe to call from from earthly labor to heavenly refreshment our beloved brother James C. Little, who departed this life Feb. 22, 1895, with pneumonia, in the 57th year of his age.

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Little the church has lost a consistent and devout member and a zealous worker. The Masonic fraternity has sustained an irreparable loss. That while we bow in humble submission to the will of the Great Master, we feel great sorrow in the final departure of our brother, who has been a faithful worker among us.

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Little the community has lost a useful and peaceful citizen. He had the good will of all who knew him. Resolved, That we tender to his wife and children our sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement, and exhort them to emulate his virtues. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to his wife and children and copies be sent the Crittenden Press and Masonic Home Journal for publication, and a copy be spread on our minute book. The brethren are requested to wear the usual badge of mourning for 30 days.

Committee—S. A. Fraser, J. H. McDowell, D. A. Lowery.

On account of meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Honor, at Louisville, Ky., Tickets will be sold to delegates on April 8th and 9th at one and one third fare for the round trip.

T. C. Jamerson, Agent.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives the best satisfaction of any cough medicine I handle, and as a seller leads all other preparations in this market. I recommend it because it is the best medicine I ever handled for coughs, colds and croup. A. W. Baldrige, Millersville, Ill. For sale by J. H. Orme.

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Heavy and Shelf Hardware, Farming Implements, Harness, Saddlery, Stoves, Tinware, Fertilizer, Lime, Cement, Etc., Etc.

In fact our stock will be as complete as you can find in any Hardware store in the country. We will sell

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We will have strictly first class goods in all lines that we carry and our prices will be as low as the same quality of goods can be sold anywhere.

Honest weights, good goods, close prices and courteous treatment to all IS OUR MOTTO.

We want your trade and influence, and will take pleasure in showing you what we have, we believe we can make it to your interest to trade with us. Come and see us,

YOURS TRULY,

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CURT J. PIERCE, Manager.
J. A. PIERCE, Asst. Manager

JOHN ELDER, } Salesmen.
OSCAR PIERCE, }

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I have no money to lose,
But my tools never rust,
For I've experience and hands to use.

W. A. Letzinger,

EXPERT JEWELER,

Has returned to Marion and has opened a Jeweler's Shop in Thomas Bros. grocery, the old J. N. Woods stand, and is prepared to do all kinds of repairing of Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Etc., Etc. His long experience and abundant supply of the very best Jeweler's tools enables him to do the very best work. HE GUARANTEES ALL HIS WORK. His prices are very low. The works of a watch, the wheel of a clock and the value of jewelry all require delicate handling, and it behooves the owner to take them to a workman who thoroughly understands his business.

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The Press.

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We are authorized to announce

DAVID ADAMS

a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

G. N. McGREW

as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Hardin is a great speaker, and he has a knack of mixing with the people, too.

Hampton knows the route for that railroad, and is not going to hide her light under a bushel. Wonder if Tola and Lola have any pointers?

Hardin is a free silver man up one side and down the other. He is as outspoken as Joe Blackburn, and about as uncompromising on that point.

Capt. Stone seems to be having between two opinions. He would yet make a strong fight for the nomination for governor, but the odds are against him as it is such a late stage in the game. If he had not made the last race for Congress he would have been the next governor of Kentucky, but that "if" has stood between many a man and fame and fortune.

The announcement of Mr. G. N. McGrew as a candidate for the legislature appears in this paper. He is one of the best known citizens of Livingston county, and among all her splendid people, none stand higher than George McGrew. Those who know him best speak in the highest terms of his many good qualities, both as a man and citizen. That he would make a good member of the House goes without saying. He is a man of fine natural sense, and he has a mind well filled with a store of general information. In state matters he is conversant as any citizen in the district. He is a man who has the courage of his convictions in all things; upright, honest and industrious; he is and always has been a staunch Democrat.

The Press is in receipt of a communication from the State Board of Health concerning the small pox epidemic. Among other things the Board says:

Although it is a statutory offense to neglect vaccination, and ample authority is given to city councils and county courts to provide for the people in this regard, it is estimated that over one third of the people of the State have never availed themselves of it. Intelligent persons should not wait for the law to force them to an evident duty, especially at the present time. Health and school boards everywhere should cooperate in requiring vaccination as a condition of admission to all schools public and private, and managers of manufacturing and railroad should make the same requirement of their employees.

Vaccination is a simple but very important operation. It should always be done by a competent physician, under anti-septic precautions, at three points in the same arm, and the person should be kept under observation until a perfect result has been secured. Imperfect vaccination can only give rise to a false sense of security, and is the bane of the authorities in the management of the small pox. Reliable virus may always be had from the National Vaccine Establishment at Washington, D. C., or from its agents in all the large cities.

Gen. Hardin Speaks.

The announcement that Gen. P. W. Hardin would address the people at the court house Monday at 1:30 o'clock filled every nook and corner of that room with people, and for two and a half hours no speaker ever had closer attention in Marion. Gen. Hardin has been popular in this county since he first appeared in public life, and his friends and the public in general were anxious to hear his answer to Gen. Clay's allusions. On these points Mr. Hardin substantiated said: For thirty years I have labored in behalf of Democracy; I have met every prominent Republican in the State, from the Big Sandy to the Mississippi, and I have answered satisfactorily to the people every charge they have ever brought against the Democratic party, but this is the first time I have ever had to answer slanders and innuendoes against myself. These reports have been industriously as well as insidiously circulated. Papers containing articles reflecting in an insidious way against me have been sent out, even beyond my own State; these articles were marked as advertisements and were paid for by some one. Money, possibly hundreds of dollars, have thus been spent to traduce me. I come not, fellow citizens, to ask your sympathy; I appeal not to your generous hearts for mercy; no, I appeal to your manhood; I appeal to your judgment and ask you to decide the case on the evidence and in the light of absolute facts. I was reared in a modest county on the head waters of Green river. I have been raised up among the people; I am within touch of the masses; I never had a dollar given to me; until ten days ago I never used my opponent's name. In all my canvasses for the party I never alluded to my own race. I am not now going to refer to my opponent except as self-defense demands, and this defense is made necessary by him. His own county paper is a seat broadcast with an article marked "adv." which means advertisement, to damn me. My opponent had an interview with himself—written in his own palatial home, and it was taken from his own lips; one of his charges is that it is dangerous to nominate any man who had any connection with a "State House Ring." If I am guiltless I can explain myself, but if there is a ring, the Democratic party is guilty, and it would be better to nominate some one who would not forsake us for the other fellows. A "State House Ring" is a dangerous thing; if there is or has been one the party is responsible for it. I have answered these charges a thousand times, on the stump and otherwise, and have satisfied the people. Why is it whispered around against me now? Why is it said I would be weak because of the Tate matter? If I cannot clear my skirts of this, if I cannot show that I had no more right to go in his office and investigate than I would to go over to your bank and demand the cashier to hand over my money. The law limits every official; the law fixes the duty of every official, and no officer has a right to go beyond the duty prescribed. Your circuit judge can not go beyond his duties any more than a constable can go beyond his sphere. Here the speaker read from the general statutes the law naming the duties of attorney general and showed conclusively that he had no right whatever to investigate Tate, that he was in nowise responsible, directly or indirectly, for the defalcation. He then read from the acts of the legislature of 1878, the law prescribing that at each session of the legislature it was the duty of that body to appoint a committee to investigate the books of the treasury. Mr. Clay was in the Senate with that statute looking him in the face; what would he say if the Republican nominee came at him with this statute. He did not blame Clay, though a member of the Senate, for not finding Tate out. He fooled everybody; he fooled Howard Smith, Fayette Hewitt and all the committees. When the time for investigation came Tate had

the money on hand. No man had a better reputation than Dick Tate when he was elected. Tate deceived all, but the Republicans could not raise their hands in holy horror at Tate. All over the country could be found Republican officials who had defaulted. In a single judicial district in Kentucky a Republican judge and a Republican commonwealth attorney had beat the State out of more money than Dick Tate ever did. Besides about one-third of the Legislature were Republicans, and the same law that started Clay and other Democrats in the face, was before the Republican members. But if there is a State House Ring, who composes it? Gov. Blackburn, who was governor when I first served as attorney general, is dead and all the officials under him are gone from Frankfort; Gov. Knott is teaching at Danville and none of the officers who served with him are at Frankfort; Buckner is at his home in Hart county and the officials of his gubernatorial career are scattered. Now who in the name of heaven composes this ring? Nobody can give their names, nobody can give the name of a single one of them.

But Mr. Clay refers to the Mason Ford Co. as a kind of bad smelling flower of some kind, he does not tell just what, how or why. My connection with the company is this. In Gov. Blackburn's time the legislature passed a law making the leasing of the prisoners imperative. I had nothing whatever to do with the passage of the law. Before the prison was leased it was costing the State about \$11,000 a day. It was advertised for lease in ten of the largest cities of the country. Mason Ford Co. was the only concern to bid, and of course it got the lease. Here the speaker read the law providing for the leasing of the convicts at Ellettsville, which explicitly said the Governor was authorized to do it, and the attorney general had nothing whatever to do with the passage nor the carrying out of the law. Mr. Burnett introduced a bill to curtail the lease, to disannul it, but Mr. Clay voted against the Burnett measure. Yet in spite of these facts my name is associated with the matter why did Mr. Clay tell the people I had anything to do with it.

But he says corporations might control me. I was never directly or indirectly in the employ of any corporation as attorney, agent, instrument or lobbyist during my term of office, before or since. I have never solicited, directly or indirectly, support, pledge, promise or otherwise, taken, aid, influence, from any corporation, their agents or officers, nor has the same been tendered me. Every dollar of taxes today gathered from railroads is the result of law established by suits that I instituted, that were carried to and settled by the Supreme Court of the United States. I wrote the briefs, I made the arguments, I did the work. I never have and never will wear anyone's collar. If I am elected governor I promise you only the law, justice between man and man.

But he charges that I shift the discussion from State to National matters. Why not discuss National finances? Am I afraid to tell the people know my views; are Democrats mere shuttles to be blown by every breeze; must Democrats seal their lips and hide when National finances are mentioned. No, no; the Democratic party has a history on the financial question. It now has a great duty to perform. Since the crime of 1873 all the Democratic platforms, all her speakers, in and out of Congress, had denounced that crime, that conspiracy that destroyed silver. Beginning with Thurman, pure hearted and with a bright intellect, down to the death of the vigorous, staunch and honored Beck, the cry against that crime was unanimous. Beck's last speech, almost his last breath, was an appeal to restore silver. In 1878 John G. Carlisle said: "the world's stock of precious metals is none too large, and I see no reason to apprehend that they will ever become so; indeed, mankind will be fortunate if the metals keep pace with civilization." If this was true then it is even truer now. At another time Carlisle said the conspiracy which had been for-

ed in England and in this country to destroy from three-sevenths to one-half of our money was a gigantic crime, and would do more harm than all the wars and famines. Now, said Mr. Hardin, when all these prophecies stand fulfilled, why should the party turn away from the doctrines it so earnestly advocated from Thomas Jefferson in 1792, down to the death of the great Beck. Because there are some in power who do not believe it, shall the rank and file abandon it. No. Let us be true. It was not over production, as claimed by Mr. Clay, that made times hard; it was under consumption, and this was because of the destruction of one half of our money. If to illustrate, all the money in the world was \$8,000,000 of silver and one half of that was dumped into the ocean, the purchasing power of the remaining \$4,000,000 would be double, because the four millions would have to do the work of the eight.

I do not believe that either gold or silver has intrinsic value (commodity or merchantable value would more properly express it). Destroy both metals as money and their commodity value would be substantially nothing, for there is not sufficient stock of both or either on hand to last for commodity purposes for half a century. It is the money value the people want and must have. Nature has limited the supply of both metals, and at no time in the world's history have we had a supply equal to growth of populations and commerce. The world's supply of both metals will not exceed five dollars per capita. Gold is good for filling teeth, and making watch chains, silver for plate, spoons, etc. Yet nine tenths of the world never had a tooth filled or wore an ornament. These are their commodity value and uses, but what are these compared with their money value—that function which makes them a legal tender and a medium of exchange, a sovereign representative of all the wealth of man. Their money value, their exchangeable value, depends upon quantity, not quality. The inexorable law of supply and demand determines all value. Increase quantity and lessen demand, you depreciate value; decrease supply and increase demand, you appreciate value. If this applies to all property, why doesn't it apply to money, the thing that represents in exchange all property and all that men want, not for filling teeth and making spoons, but for what it will buy. Have we not, then, appreciated gold by robbing silver of its money function, decreasing the quantity of redemption money and enhancing its purchasing of exchangeable value until \$1 today—the world over—buys twice as much of every product of human labor as it did when we changed the unit of value from silver to gold, and destroyed the free coinage of silver.

Yes, I am for free and unlimited coinage, always have been and always expect to be until the normal quality is restored and the equilibrium of values so adjusted that \$1 won't fetch from human toil and labor twice as much of its products as it ought to. Reason, prophecy, history and the pitiless, unrelenting facts as we see them, outweigh all theories.

DEMPSEY.

Miss Gertrude and Valeria Nunn are visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr. R. F. Wheeler visited friends here last week.

Miss Ella Sullivan is teaching our spring school.

Mr. Fox Wallace is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Nellie Grady is attending school at Salem.

Mrs. Amanda Cain visited Mrs. G. W. Gahagan last week.

Mr. John Imboden's child, which has been sick for several weeks, died the 10th inst.

Messrs. E. L. Nelson and J. N. Truitt are building a lot of picket and rough and ready fencing.

Prayer meeting at Greens Chapel every fourth Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Hoyt, of Union county, was with the Greens Chapel people Sunday.

The "white caps" have been visiting a few more of the boys giving them their orders.

NEW SALEM.

The sick and those feeling badly are too numerous to mention. Plenty of rain at last. No gardening due and but little farming.

Dr. Shelby and family, of Salem, came out to church Sunday.

Bunk Baker represents this end of the county on the grand jury at this term of court.

Hon. W. H. Wadell returned to Nashville, Tenn., Sunday.

Gracey Wadell, of Missouri, returned home Sunday after a week's visit to relatives and friends in this term of court.

Bro. Lowery filled the stand at New Salem the 4th Sabbath.

Sabbath School was organized at New Salem on the fourth Sunday, with Uncle Jakey Shrover as Superintendent and Frank Threlkeld as Secretary.

Charles LaRue and wife and E. L. Franklin and wife, of Lewis, came over to church Sunday.

Spillman Threlkeld, Tom Wadell, and James Lowery each had a horse to die last week.

Hig Howard has gone into the medicine business; he spends most of his time in the woods digging herbs and roots. Henry Bruster is in co-partnership with Dr. Howard. We bespeak a good word for the boys.

Everybody wants to buy cattle. A few months ago a bonus had to go with a calf in order to get rid of it.

Rev. Eli Eaton will preach at New Salem on the 5th Sunday in this month.

Rev. Hodge Murphy will preach at the Grimes school house on the second Sabbath in April.

Mr. Charles Wadlington will farm with W. C. Tyner this year.

Mr. Lee White and wife, of Simpson Chapel, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Croson Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nellie McKinney, of Marion, was the guest of all the many friends in and around Lewis and New Salem last week.

TOLA.

Marion Wright, of Livingston county, made a short visit last week to his son, E. S. Wright, the hotel proprietor.

Rev. Rob. Johnson is holding a series of meetings at this place; Rev. J. D. Fraser will assist this week.

Shepherd Bros have finished sacking corn on the island. They sold it for 75 cents per bushel.

J. L. Love has moved to the Mott farm.

Wheat looks well in this section of the county.

Another incorporated company, composed of L. A. Weldon, John Weldon, J. A. Bennett and L. A. LaRue, they will put up a fine roller mill of fifty barrel capacity, and of the latest machinery; work will begin to-day.

Modoc has declined the idea of going to Tennessee for a while, he is now complaining of a pain under the left wing.

Farmers are starting to work now as the weather has opened up.

Dr. Boyd and E. B. Moore are talking of organizing a silver league, (not a Sibley league.)

I believe we can boast of having about the best Sunday school in the county. 75 in class on the fourth Sunday, besides many visitors.

Will Wallace, the barber, will try farming this year, he probably thinks that will be his calling—by matrimonial rights—in the near future.

The seven clerks at the "People's Store," failed to get their midday meal Saturday on account of a rush of customers—good business done.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Mr. C. E. Weldon and Miss Lou Stone, Wednesday evening at the brides fathers, Mr. Chas. Stone, J. W. Guss will soon have the new streets opened.

R. M. Franks was around Sunday working on the S. S. interest.

Notice.

One blue mare mule strayed from me near Tola, Ky., aged 3 years, about 145 hands high. Any information concerning her will be liberally paid for her return to me.

J. W. Swanigan.

FREDONIA.

Columbus McNeely and Mrs. Florence Young were married at Cookseyville church last Sunday evening, ceremony by Rev. Gibbs.

Miss Ella Henson, of White Hall, came up Sunday to attend the meeting at the M. E. church which commenced Monday night.

Mrs. H. C. Turley, and Miss Mary Adamson, of Crider, were in town Monday.

Rev. J. F. Price, of Marion, was in town one evening last week.

The Baptist meeting closed last Thursday night.

Mrs. J. S. G. Green has been quite sick for the past week or more.

The whooping cough is in town; a good time to have it.

W. J. Stone, of Lyon county, was at the Fredonia Valley Mills last Friday evening.

Miss Nettie Wigginton has been in Marion since last Thursday, visiting her sister and other relatives.

Miss Carrie McDonald will give an exhibition at the close of her school Friday night.

Will McElroy and Will Rice, of New Bethel, were in town last Sunday evening.

John Crider and Miss May Garner attended church at B-n-lehem Sunday.

Jack Turley, of Crider, was in town Monday evening.

The warm days made the farmers somewhat restless.

Al Dewey, of Marion, was in town Sunday.

J. T. Carter had a visitor from Union county.

We have four Democratic and two Republican candidates for Representative in the next Legislature.

It is said one of the candidates is already training a big lot of roosters to crow as they will be in practice by the primary.

FRANCES.

The tobacco crop is about all marketed, and few preparations are being made for a new crop.

No candidate for the Legislature yet; are we slighted.

Squire Mackey is a terror to evil doers.

J. Henry Bruster, the tourist of New Salem, spent Sunday here. He is so changed from what we knew him. Only his moustache and fondness for chicken betray the bachelor of yore.

William Wallace Hardin, of Livingston county, was here on business this week.

John Smith has moved back to Livingston county.

Mrs. H. T. Pogue and Mrs. W. W. Matthews are on the sick list.

Frank Davis has moved to Caldwell county.

Geo. Whit is a model tax collector.

Mrs. Crayne and daughters, of Crayneville, visited here Sunday.

Will Matthews will move to the county for the summer; while W. F. Meredith, of Morgansfield, will occupy the property vacated by him.

D. H. Olivers have moved to the Wilborn property.

Bro. J. B. McNeely will deliver a Sunday school lecture here Sunday.

The latest arrivals are: at Tom Matthews a girl; at John R. Crowell's a boy; at L. Burdick's a boy.

Uncle Wash Perkins was seriously kicked by a mule Tuesday.

The needs of our country: Tariff reform, free silver, a road tax, and capital punishment indicted.

Caution hearted jurors will soon make murder a pastime. A few red handed murderers hanged on the hill tops would be a thinking object lesson to the rising generation.

James Brown, of Fairdeal, Mo., visited relatives here last week.

J. W. Brown is visiting near Carville this week.

A Mr. Cline is taking the mortuary list through here.

Prof. Max Rushing, the blind musician, was in these parts last week.

We have a splendid blacksmith in the person of S. H. Lee.

God made the earth broad enough for all; still some people "scrooge."

J. T. Burns and family spent Sunday in Caldwell neighborhood.

Uncle Jim Shewcraft attended church at New Salem Sunday.

TOM SLASHER.



One of the best blooded, if not the best, horses ever brought to Crittenden county is a superb saddle animal now owned by A. H. Cardin, and the attention of stock breeders is especially called to this horse. Fine saddle horses bring good prices when other horses are selling at the lowest figures. Tom Slasher is a representative of one of the greatest saddle families in America. His style, carriage, gait and record recommend him and there is not a superior bred horse in Southern Kentucky. The farmers of Crittenden and surrounding counties are invited to call at my farm and see this horse or write me for other particulars.

DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE:
TOM SLASHER, bay stallion, foaled in spring of 1886, 13 3/4 hands high, bred and owned by J. H. Cranberry, Mt. Pleasant, Tenn. He was sired by Bay Tom (p. 4) 23 1/4, etc., by Bledsoe's Tom Hal, sire of Kittrell's Knight Snow Hired, sire of Sweepstake, dam of Hal Pointer, p. 200, etc. No. 19 and 20 in record book. Tom Hal's dam by Knight's Snow Hired, sire of Knight's Tom Hal. First dam by Thompson's Slasher and by M. O. Slasher.

TOM SLASHER is a horse of grand style and color, heavy mane and tail, the very best of feet and legs, a capital saddle horse, and carries himself well. He has been driven on track just enough to break, and he paces a full mile in 2:35, with proper training he will make a race horse. Come and see the best and fastest saddle horse in this section of the country.

A. H. CARDIN.

SHERIFF'S SALE FOR TAXES.

By Virtue of Taxes due the State and County for the year 1893 & 94, one of my Deputies, will on Monday the 8th day of April, 1895, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 2 o'clock P. M., at Court House door Marion in Crittenden County, Ky., exposed 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 cost, to-wit:

- MARION NO. 1.
Demetrius Jno. 1 lot in Marion taxes for 1891 and 94.
Murphy Mrs. Mary T. 1 lot in Marion taxes for 93 and 94.
Hansen Chas. 80 acres near L. M. Hughes taxes for 93 and 94.
Turney Mrs. Jane 180 acres near D. W. Carter taxes for 93 and 94.
Hearse George A. 1 lot in Marion taxes for 94.
Barnett Harriet col. 1 acre near Marion taxes for 94.
Harris Chas. W. col. 1 lot in Marion taxes for 94.
Head Elizabeth col. 1 lot in Marion taxes for 94.
- MARION NO. 2.
Brown Mrs. Emily D. 1 lot near Marion taxes for 93 and 94.
Fletcher Jas. W. 3 acres near Tom Young taxes for 93 and 94.
Marion Elgin Cheese Co 2 lots near Marion taxes for 94.
- DUCHESBURG NO. 3.
Wade Thomas F. 30 acres near Duchesburg taxes for 93 and 94.
Bennett Frank L. 1 lot near Duchesburg taxes for 93 and 94.
Day Samuel R. 31 acres near Dan Hill taxes for 94.
Garrett Mrs. Sue 2 lots in Duchesburg taxes for 94.
- UNION NO. 4.
Johnson Geo. W. guardian Watson heirs, 177 acres near S. Threlkeld taxes for 94.
- HURRICANE NO. 5.
Hollands Mrs. Nancy 8 acres near Irma taxes for 94.
- FORDS FERRY NO. 6.
Burton Jno. H. 1 lot in Weston taxes for 93 and 94.
Flannery D. A. 1 lot in Weston taxes for 93 and 94.
Lamb James M. 114 in Weston taxes for 93 and 94.
Murphy David Z. 2 lots in Weston taxes for 93 and 94.
Stone Harry col. 1 lot in Weston taxes for 93 and 94.
Williams Samuel 1 lot in Weston taxes for 93 and 94.
Worford & Gass 1 lot in Fords Ferry taxes for 94.
- BELLS MINES NO. 7.
Black T. J. guardian Wilcox heirs, 177 acres near Rathford taxes for 94.
Brantly Ed 30 acres near Jer Brantly taxes for 94.
Marvell Thomas 40 acres near John Holdman taxes for 94.
Nick Herman 19 acres near Thos. Day.
Rutherford W. H. 74 acres near Thos. Day.
Sweets heirs by L. H. James 50 acres near Dave West.
Wells Hickey 10 acres near E. M. Linton.
- PINEY.
Barnea Mrs. Abell E. 40 acres near Robt Kemp.
Davis, Henson. 1 lot in Shady Grove.
Kemp D. P. 1 lot in Weston.
March 13, 1895.
- JOHN T. FRANKS, S.C.C.

Farmers Attention!

Spring is here and with it comes the time to purchase numerous articles used on the farm. Never before were farming implements so cheap, and never before was there a better grade of goods. No firm in this section keeps a better stock, and none will sell cheaper than the undersigned. We are in Salem to stay, we want your trade in

Farming Implements of all kinds, Hardware, Groceries, Saddlery.

We carry everything in the Hardware Line, we carry everything in the Grocery Line. We sell the celebrated

MITCHELL WAGON, M'CORMICK HARVESTING MACHINES.

Do not go away from Salem to buy these goods, do not buy at Salem until you get our prices.

YOURS TRULY,

J. A. Utley & Co.

SALEM, KY.

We Never Before bought as Cheap,
We Never Before bought Better Goods,

We Never Before Bought as Large a Stock,
We Never Before Bought as Great a Variety.

Better goods were never before offered to Crittenden and adjoining counties,
As Good Goods were never before at such LOW PRICES,
Such a variety was never before on the Marion market.
We give you better values for your money than anybody else.

The Latest Styles in Dress Goods,
The Latest Styles in Trimmings,
The Latest Styles in Shoes
The latest Styles in Neckwear,

The Latest Styles in White Goods,
The Latest Styles in Hats,
The latest Styles in Clothing
The latest Styles in Carpets

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LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. T. H. Conitt, Dentist, Marion.
Big crowd it was in town Monday.
Sweet potatoes at M. Schwab's.

Mr. John Poole, of Princeton, was in town Tuesday.

Capt. Hammon, of Union county was in town yesterday.

Mr. Brownie Franks, of Owensboro, was in town yesterday.

500 bushels shelled oats for sale at Schwab's.

300 bushels of Mrs. Whitt's seed sweet potatoes at Schwab's.

John Griffith, of Henderson, has been visiting friends in this section.

Wanted, 5,000 lbs. country bacon and lard. M. Schwab.

Rev. G. S. Summers will preach at Tolu, the second Sunday in April, at 11 o'clock.

My corn mill will grind on Friday and Saturday of each week. B. F. James.

Sheriff Franks has bought property in East Marion, the most prosperous and fashionable suburb in our city.

Mr. A. Noe, of Sturgis, was in town yesterday to establish an insurance agency.

Clover, Timothy and Red Top at Schwab's.

Dr. Willets will deliver his lecture, "Sunshine" at the School House Hall Friday evening, April 6.

After circuit court Mr. W. L. Crue will leave for Ardmore, I. T., where he may locate.

Home made sorghum molasses at 25 cts. per single gallon—low by the barrel. Schwab.

They say that the medium weight champion ship of the prize fighters changed locations a day or two since—a Marion boy turning it over to Grand Rivers.

Soda 7 pounds for 25 cents. M. Schwab.

The Rev. J. H. Hays reports that the meeting at Bethany closed Sunday night. There were ten conversions and eleven additions to the church.

Tinware at your own price, Schwab.

Marriage license have been issued to John N. Little and Fannie Vanhousen.

C. E. Weldon to Lula May Stone. Millet seed at Schwab's.

Disc Harrows, wagons, buggies, plows of all kinds at cut throat prices at Schwab's.

Miss Laura Hurley has opened a stock of millinery goods at Salem. She is a thoroughly competent milliner and a deserving lady, and we bespeak for her a share of the public patronage. See her advertisement.

Ex-Representative J. R. Summers, of Livingston, was mixing with his friends in Marion Monday. While not a candidate he takes a lively interest in politics. He is a great admirer of John Young Brown, and wants to see him a member of the United States Senate.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin entertained a number of lady friends yesterday afternoon. A handsome luncheon was served at 4 o'clock. The leading feature of the evening was a game of lotto.

Another Pauper.

Saturday Acey Dobbs was declared a pauper and sent to the poor house.

No Changes.

The State Board of Equalization has notified the county judge that no changes were made in the assessment of Crittenden county this year.

Peoples Party Meeting.

The Peoples party will meet in Marion Tuesday April 2, at 2 o'clock, to elect delegates to attend the district council at Paducah, Ky., Saturday April 6th.

To Sunday Schools.

Each Sunday school of Crittenden county is requested to send the name of its superintendent and his address, and the number of pupils enrolled to either of the undersigned. Send at once.

J. F. PRICE, President.

NELLIE WALKER, Secretary.

Marion, Ky.

The Wets Win.

Saturday the town of Blackford voted on the prohibition measure, and by a vote of 38 to 18 the liquor side won. The town had been under prohibition for a long time, and of course the wets are rejoicing. After April 15 there will be as many as two saloons in the town. The town tax on saloon license is \$300. It is said that the money for two has already been deposited, and two other persons are contemplating similar steps.

Cruee Gets the Prize.

Mr. A. C. Cruee, formerly of this county, has been appointed United States District Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana Territory. The office pays \$5,000 or \$6,000 a year. The appointment is a splendid one; Mr. Cruee is in every respect capable, and there is no worthier man in the West. While the Press congratulates Mr. Cruee, it also congratulates the President upon his choice.

Quarantined.

Immediately after the report of smallpox at Princeton reached Marion, the Town Trustees took such steps as they could to prevent its reaching here. Quarantine was declared against all suspects, and the police force set on watch; but the Trustees are so handicapped that but little can be done. Not more than half of Marion is within the corporate limits, the Trustees have no supervision whatever over the outside; not even the depot is in town, hence the precautions are practically worthless, if the town limits are strictly observed; but such will not be the case. Everything will be done to protect the community, town limits or no town limits. On account of some complications we have no local board of health, a body which has more power to protect the community than any other forces; the Town Trustees Tuesday telegraphed the Secretary of the State Board, asking the appointment of a board, and doubtless the request will meet with a response.

There is very little danger of the loathsome disease reaching here, but to neglect a single precautionary step would be criminal. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Of course there are people who are not afraid of smallpox, and had rather have it two or three times than have a sour stomach, but in this country majorities rule, and the people of Marion by a large majority prefer "no smallpox in theirs," and they want the authorities to spend a little money, if necessary, to keep it away.

J. A. Daniel, of Lola, was in town yesterday.

Small Pox at Princeton.

Princeton, Ky., March 25.—Dr. King called in to see a negro this afternoon and as soon as he opened the door he told the occupants that the negro had small pox. There were about twenty-five negroes in the room at the time and they went out in a hurry. The negro has been sick about a week but no physicians had been called in until this afternoon; but now three of our physicians pronounce it a well developed case. How he contracted it, is not known. He lately came here from Cincinnati. The yellow flag has been stuck up and the house has been quarantined, but since he was taken sick there have been hundreds of negroes in the room, and it is thought the plague will be spread. The County Judge and Mayor have been consulting as to the best method of suppressing it so far as they can. The negroes in town seem scared to death. Developments are anxiously awaited.

Mr. Joseph Loving died at his home in Marion Tuesday night, after an illness of several weeks. His remains were taken to Madisonville Wednesday for burial.

Mr. Loving moved from Hopkins county to Marion a few years ago. He was a good citizen, a most excellent old gentleman, and was liked by all who knew him. His quiet disposition, childlike simplicity, and moral uprightness was admired by the people of Marion.

A Repton citizen called to see us a day or two since, and requested us to say to the Curdsville young man and his friends that they might ground arms for the present. Just now Repton and vicinity is busy pitching a crop, and can't possibly make a hostile demonstration against Curdsville at this season of the year. Besides the sun is getting too warm for active military service, and life is too tempting anyhow to sacrifice blood just as fish begin to bite.

F. E. Robertson is sitting up his house near the depot for a grocery store, and next week he will put in a stock of goods. He has a cosy house for the business. In connection with the groceries he will continue the sale of "Old Hickory" by the quart.

Smallpox is in an adjoining county. Everybody should vaccinate and badly should be vaccinated. Call at R. or J. H. Clark's office, where you can be vaccinated with pure vaccine virus; it will only cost you 50c.

J. R. Clark, H. Officer.

At Cookeville church Sunday evening at 4 o'clock, Mr. Columbus McNeely and Mrs. Florence Young were united in marriage, Rev. W. R. Gibbs officiating in his usual happy style. A large crowd of friends witnessed the event and extended congratulations.

Saturday two more of the liquor cases were in court. Joe Bourland was charged with giving Ed. Doss whisky, and Ed. was likewise charged with giving Joe a drink. The case against Bourland was dismissed and Doss was fined \$50.

According to semi-official reports Lacey Worton will be the Third party candidate for the Legislature. It is said that he wants the empty honors, and his party in Livingston county has recommended him.

Ben Wright got too much tea Monday, and had to be arrested and confined in jail. Tuesday morning, having duly sobered up, was tried and fined \$10.00.

Trustees who receive no notification to the contrary may understand that their boundaries are unchanged.

W. H. Brantley, of near Repton, has a yoke of good work oxen for sale.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Docket—Cases Disposed of—Judge Moore Ask for Licenses to Practice Law

Circuit court convened Monday, with Judge Pratt on the bench. The following grand jurors were empaneled and instructed:

W. A. Newcom, jr., T. T. Murphy, Wm. Elkins, W. H. Robertson, W. E. Flannery, Jno. B. Cook, Isaac D. Hodges, D. M. Daniel, J. W. Baker, John D. Boaz, R. N. Grady, David Vaughn.

Richard Jones pleaded guilty to the charge of an affray and was fined \$2. John C. Moore was fined \$50 for flourishing a pistol.

John C. Moore was acquitted of the charge of malicious shooting.

John Howerton was fined \$5 for injuring a school house.

Wm. Copher, selling cigarette material, acquitted.

Lawson Kearley, concealed weapons, dismissed.

John Clement, adultery; failing to appear the jury fixed punishment at \$20.

Wm. Boston, hunting on Sunday; failing to appear the jury fixed his punishment at \$10.

The other cases on the docket for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, except Nos. 1024, 1025, 1060, 1086, were continued.

Wm. Henry Canada was declared a lunatic.

County Judge James A. Moore made application to the court for license to practice law, and attorneys L. H. James and J. W. Blue, Jr., were appointed to examine him.

COMMONWEALTH DOCKET.

MONDAY, MARCH 25.

1. F. W. Blackburn, forfeited recognizance.

2. John Davall, same.

3. J. D. Sullivan, same.

4. James Deboe, same.

5. J. S. Murray, same.

6. John Green, same.

7. John Ramsey, same.

TUESDAY, MARCH 26.

1002. Green Ben Milligan, rape.

1003. Wm. Maynard, perjury.

1004. Thos. Myers, detaining woman.

1007. Dick Carr, detaining woman.

1008. Horace Walker, breach of peace.

1010. Houston Stenbridge, concealed weapons.

1011. Tom Butler, selling liquor without license.

1014. Tom Butler, same.

1015. Richard Jones, affray.

1016. Wm. Bailey, assault & battery.

1017. Chas. Nickelson, disturbing worship.

1018. Jno. C. Moore, malicious shooting.

1019. John C. Moore, same.

1021. Elzie Trail, concealed weapons.

1022. Elzie Trail, same.

1020. Lacy Wright, concealed weapons.

1024. Foster Threlkeld, shooting in sudden heat and passion.

1025. Foster Threlkeld, breach peace.

1026. Mrs. Alzona Wright, feloniously breaking house, etc.

1027. Will Stuey, concealed weapons.

1059. Lawson McKearley, concealed weapons.

1060. Will Brown, assault & battery.

1061. Harvey Lynn, concealed weapons.

1062. Harvey Lynn, flourishing a pistol, etc.

1064. Wm. Copher, selling cigarette material.

1065. Wm. Copher, same.

1067. Marion Clark, selling goods on Sunday.

1068. Marion Clark, same.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27.

1063. Mrs. Nancy Winders, keeping a bawdy house.

1075. Billy McDowell, assault and battery.

1076. John McDowell, vagrancy.

1077. Bob Clement, adultery.

1078. War Burton, hunting on Sunday.

1079. George Blain and Yance Collins, fornication.

1080. Crockett Hazel and others, disturbing worship.

1081. Thos Morgan, malicious shooting.

1082. Thos Morgan, concealed weapons.

1083. Anderson Morgan, concealed weapons.

1084. John Gibbons, breach of the peace.

1085. Jno McGee, concealed weapons.

1086. Rochester Wallingford, cutting in sudden heat, etc.

1086. G. W. Watson, assault and battery.

THURSDAY, MARCH 28.

1071. Ed. Long, attempt to burn a barn.

FRIDAY, MARCH 29.

1087. Dinks and Will Todd, disturbing lawful assembly.

1088. James Ray, malicious shooting, etc.

Common Law Docket.

MONDAY, APRIL 1.

500. Adora Wright, etc., vs. E. A. Nation, etc.

501. W. A. Tackwell vs. J. H. Mott.

502. James Willoughby vs. H. A. James.

504. Wm. Stout vs. Evansville Grain Co.

509. J. T. S. Brown & Sons vs. T. J. Graves, etc.

510. M. E. Peck, etc., vs. S. C. Bennett, adm'r, etc.

511. A. J. Bennett vs. J. H. Kirkham, and J. H. Kirkham vs. J. C. Funkhouser.

517. R. F. Lemon vs. John McLeod, receiver, etc.

520. Geo. S. Santag and others vs. Clement & Dyer.

523. W. H. Stuart vs. R. E. Bigham.

525. B. M. George vs. J. H. Humphreys.

530. J. A. Davidson vs. Jno. Lee, jr.

532. M. C. Bennett vs. C. Bennett, jr.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2.

533. P. C. Barnett vs. Charley Sherfield, etc.

534. H. T. Flannery vs. W. B. Carnahan.

535. J. F. Brumling & Son vs. W. H. Copher, etc.

536. A. M. Baldwin vs. W. S. Crowell, etc.

537. R. L. Moore vs. H. T. Flannery.

538. R. Manheimer vs. W. H. Copher.

Wilson, etc.

550. Benent Scitz Co. vs. Copher & Wheeler.

551. Benent Scitz Co. vs. W. H. Copher.

552. Bamberger, Bloom & Co. vs. G. L. Rankin.

553. J. S. Bugg vs. John Guess.

554. J. S. Bugg vs. John Guess and A. D. Guess.

555. J. S. Bugg vs. F. M. Jones.

556. Pierce-Yandell-Gugenheim Co. vs. F. M. Jones.

557. H. B. Williams, vs. John McLeod, receiver, etc.

558. Nancy Young vs. John McLeod receiver, etc.

559. Marion Bank vs. W. L. Bigham, etc.

Yesterday evening at the residence of Mr. J. J. Franks, the bride's father, Mr. Will Elder and Miss Birdie Franks were united in marriage, Rev. J. S. Henry officiating. A number of friends witnessed the happy event. Both are popular young people and have scores of friends who join with the Pursses in wishing them unalloyed happiness.

Money Found.

We have the exclusive agency for the coal of the Tradewater Coal & Coke Company, at Sturgis, Ky., and will meet all competition prices, and will pay \$50 to any charitable society designated by the county judge if on a strict test our coal does not prove as good as any in the market.

Champion & Crittenden.

Tobacco News.

LOUISVILLE TOBACCO MARKET.

(Furnished by Glover & Durrett, Louisville Tobacco Warehouse.)

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 4545 hbls with receipts for the same period of 7222 hbls. Sales on our market since Jan 1st amount to 45,061 hbls. Sales of the crop of 1894 on our market to this date amount to 49,345 hbls.

The market remains firm and practically unchanged for new dark tobacco. The offerings of the week included 355 hbls of new dark tobacco which were in the main of medium quality.

The following quotations fairly represent our market for dark tobacco, 1894 crop:

Dark to med. lugs, 1.00 to 1.50

Common lugs, 1.50 to 2.50

Dark leaf lugs, ex. qual 2.50 to 3.50

Common leaf, 3.00 to 4.00

Medium to good leaf, 4.00 to 5.50

Leaf extra length, 5.50 to 7.00

Wrappy styles, 7.00 to 8.50

FREEDOM.

This is ground hog weather.

Bob Nesbet, Willie and Emmet Fritts are back with us again. They say they have not found a place they like so well as old Crittenden.

The good people of this neighborhood are trying to organize a Sunday School. Let the good work go on. The farmers are taking advantage of the fine weather and are plowing for dear life.

Mrs. James Brown, who was down with la grippe, is up and around.

There was a social gathering at Mr. Woodsides' Friday night. It was a grand success.

MILLINERY.

I wish to say to all of my lady friends that they will find my millinery store one door South of the Marion Hotel where I will keep a small and well selected stock of millinery goods that I will keep a small and well selected stock of millinery goods that I will sell in accordance with the hard times. Come and see for yourselves. Prices, fashions and goods to suit you. Thanking you for past favors, with a hope that you will give me your patronage, I remain, Mrs. LAURA HURLEY.

NEW Millinery Store!

IN SALEM.

I have just returned from market, where I spent two weeks, learning the styles and selecting a nice stock of Hats, Bonnets, Trimmings etc. I offer the ladies of Salem and surrounding country a stock of the nicest and best goods, all of the late styles in everything. Trimming done to order. Prices very reasonable. I solicit the public patronage. Come and see my goods.

LAURA HURLEY.

Music.

It don't take five years to learn to play a piece of music, neither does it take a year to learn to play several pieces; that is if you go to the right teacher. I will teach your children music for \$1 per month, 6 lessons per week for the first week and 3 afterward, and if I don't learn them more and have them to understand the rules of music better and in less time than they have ever been taught in Marion, I will not charge you anything.

Come and see me about your girls and I will explain to you my method of teaching and how a girl ought to be taught to understand music. Yours respectfully, Mrs. Wm. Freeman.

Boarders Wanted.

I have made arrangements to take boarders at the rate of \$2.50 per week. Separate room for boarders. For further information call on Carroll Hodge or P. R. Hodge, or at the residence of W. H. Crow, Prop'r.

STOCK FOR SALE.—Three young mules, broken; three horses and mares three milk cows for sale. Will sell on time for good notes.

A. D. McFee, Paducah, Ky.

JEAN PANTS

IN THE WORLD.

Manufactured by THE GOODWIN CLOTHING CO., EVANSVILLE, IND.

ASK FOR THEM EVERYWHERE. WARRANTED.

All persons indebted to me by note or account, and those owing the estate of T. J. Cameron, deceased, must settle without further delay. I need not have the money; do not delay longer, but save cost by calling at once.

AS9-4w. J. N. Woods.

Granulated Sugar 22 pounds for \$1.00. Light Brown 23 pounds for \$1.00. 4 1/2 pounds Best Coffee for \$1.00.

A severe rheumatic pain in the left shoulder had troubled Mr. J. H. Loper, a well known druggist of Des Moines, Iowa, for over six months. At times the pain was so severe that he could not lift anything. With all he could do he could not get rid of it until he applied Chamberlain's Pain

Ex-Representative J. R. Summers, of Livingston, was mixing with his friends in Marion Monday. While not a candidate he takes a lively interest in politics. He is a great admirer of John Young Brown, and wants to see him a member of the United States Senate.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin entertained a number of lady friends yesterday afternoon. A handsome luncheon was served at 4 o'clock. The leading feature of the evening was a game of lotto.

After circuit court Mr. W. L. Crue will leave for Ardmore, I. T., where he may locate.

