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All-wool pants, made to order \$5.00.

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BEGIN THE NEW YEAR RIGHT.

"A Penny Saved is a Penny Made," is an old and Wise Proverb.
It is What you Save that Makes you Rich. Remember this.

We have more goods than we want to carry, and to reduce our
Stock we have reduced prices to a point that will move them.

**Clothing, Hats
AND Dry Goods**

ALMOST AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

These are strictly the latest goods both in style and
qualities. No trouble to show them to you.

**Men's Women
AND Children's Shoes**

NINE HUNDRED PAIRS.

Bought before the advance; our customers get the ad-
vantage of this. Come and see if the don't.

**Everything to wear
AT Unheard of Prices**

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS.

Now is your time to save money by buying your
goods from us. Come and we will convince you.

We are in a Position
to Save You

\$ \$

Every Purchase.

We thank you for past
patronage, and ask-
ing a continuance
of the same, we are

Yours for Cash Bargains

PICKENS, CASSIDY & GO.

FUSION PROPOSED.

The Democrats and Populists Ap-
pointed Conference Commit-
tees, Monday.

L. W. Cruce Elected County Chairman

Pursuant to the call of the Chair-
man of the Democratic County Com-
mittee, that committee met Monday.
Mr. P. S. Maxwell tendered his resig-
nation as chairman. In tendering his
resignation he said that he was not
prompted by any unpleasant feelings
towards any one, that the work had
been pleasant, and that his relations
with the members of the committee
had been of a most agreeable nature,
but that he expected to be away from
the county a part of the time during
the year, that he had served for most
of the time during the last six years,
and that he felt that he had earned a
rest, and that it was best for the party
to make an occasional change. Not-
withstanding his speech a motion was
made that he be re-elected, and would
have carried without opposition had
he not interposed with the statement
that he would not serve.

After this the name of Mr. L. W.
Cruce was presented, and he was un-
animously chosen. He accepted, stat-
ing that he could hope to succeed in
making a good chairman only by the
hearty co-operation of all the mem-
bers of the committee.

After discussion a committee of five
was appointed to confer with the Pop-
ulists in reference to a fusion in the
county election this year.

The Populist committee met in the
afternoon and after discussing other
matters pertaining to the business of
the organization, the matter of fusion
was brought up. The result was the
appointment of a committee to confer
with the Democrats in reference to a
fusion. The two committees held a
conference and the consensus of opin-
ion was that the free silver people
should unite. No definite conclusion
was reached and the two committees
adjourned to meet in conference again.

Chairman Yandell, of the Republi-
can county committee, will call his
committee together the second Mon-
day in February, and will at that time
tender his resignation as chairman,
and ask the election of his successor.
Like Maxwell, Mr. Yandell feels that
he has served long enough, and that
others should be permitted to bear the
honor and do the work.

Usually Crittenden county politi-
cians and candidates are the first in
the field, early in the year, and the
last to retire after the battle is over,
but this year there was a tardiness all
around. Nobody seems disposed to
rush into what seems, so far, an un-
known quantity. To be sure there are
scores of men in all of the parties
perfectly willing to sacrifice them-
selves to the coming, routine work
of the county office, from Judge

down to and including that of Cor-
ner, but until the "lay of the land"
is known they do not feel disposed to
rush over each other in pursuit of the
nominations.

Crittenden Democrats think it is
Caldwell's time to furnish the candi-
date for Senator, but they say Web-
ster and Caldwell must settle among
themselves any difference they may
entertain on this point.

The State Senatorship is not being
discussed by the Crittenden Republi-
cans, just yet. But if Dr. Deboe
wanted the nomination again, we ven-
ture the assertion that he could get it
without opposition; but then he is
probably looking for, and he deserves
something better at the hands of his
party, either elective or appointive.

Crittenden Democrats feel that it is
their time to furnish the nominee for
Representative, and Messrs. T. J.
Yeast and J. W. Skelton are possible
prospective candidates; while Joe Ben
Champion, of Livingston county, is
dead sure that it is Livingston's time,
and that Livingston wants him to
make the race.

The Republicans are not discussing
this office so far as is known, but at
the proper time they can be counted
upon to be at the post with a good
runner.

The chairmanship of the county
committees of the two leading parties
in this county is not considered a boon
by those who have worn these honors.
The time, expense, worry, as well as
the usual condemnation which is heaped
upon the officer, to a small or
great extent, make the knowing ones
chary in accepting the honorable, but
salaryless job. No matter how con-
scientious, energetic, careful and fair
a chairman may be, there is somebody
in the party to find fault, and these
finders are not slow in advertising
what they consider blunders, and un-
fairness, malicious mistakes and im-
becile breaks. Both parties now have
good men in these places—Maxwell
and Yandell—and both of these men
are seeking an immediate and indefi-
nite furlough. Both declare that they
will not serve longer. Maxwell has
already called a meeting for the elec-
tion of his successor. Yandell will
resign in February, and has already
notified his party to pick its man.

It is a thankless job.

Don't bolt your food, it irritates
your stomach. Choose digestible food
and chew it. Indigestion is a danger-
ous sickness. Proper care prevents it.
Shaker Digestive Cordial cures it.
That is the long and short of indiges-
tion. Now, the question is: Have you
got indigestion? Yes, if you have
pain or discomfort after eating,
headache, dizziness, nausea, offensive
breath, heartburn, languor, weakness,
fever, jaundice, flatulence, loss of ap-
petite, irritability, constipation, etc.
Yes, you have indigestion. To cure
it, take Shaker Digestive Cordial.
The medicinal herbs and plants of
which Shaker Digestive Cordial is
composed, help to digest the food in
your stomach, help to strengthen the
stomach. When your stomach is
strong, care will keep it so. Shaker
Digestive Cordial is for sale by drug-
gists, price 10c and \$1 per bottle.

THE BOY IS KILLED.

Eli Davis, a Seventeen Year Old Boy,
Meets an Untimely Death.

THE TREACHEROUS SHOTGUN HAMMER

Friday evening young Eli Davis, a
son of Mr. W. R. Davis, of Crayne-
ville, was found lying in the woods a
short distance from his home, an em-
pty gun barrel and a terrible hole in
his head were all that could tell the
tale of bloodshed.

He left home and went to his grand-
father's; the latter was at work on the
farm some distance from the house.
Taking the gun, young Davis told his
grandmother that he would hunt in
the woods near the house and then go
to where the old gentleman was at
work. When the grandfather came in
from work, he had not seen the
young man, and fearing something
had gone wrong a search was made.
A short distance from the house the
boy was found lying upon the ground
and the gun was by his side. Life
was not entirely extinct, but the slow,
hard breathing and the wound indica-
ted that not much of life was left.
He lingered a few hours and then
died without ever regaining conscious-
ness. The manner in which the gun
was fired of course can only be con-
jectured. The accident happened at
the end of a large log that was used
as a bridge in crossing the creek. It
is supposed that prior to stepping up-
on this log, to cross, young Davis re-
sted the butt of his gun upon it, and
the weapon slipping off, the hammer
struck against the log with sufficient
force to fire the gun. The shot en-
tered the cheek just below the eye,
and passed upward into the brain.

Livingston County Items.

[From the Banner.]

The Baptist congregation at Grand
Rivers will build a new church next
spring.

A large rattlesnake was killed near
the residence of Mr. W. D. Edmonds
near town on Saturday last. He had
twelve rattles.

During the year 1896 county clerk
Lowry issued 67 marriage licenses—
59 white and 8 colored. During the
year 1895 84 were issued—74 white
and 10 colored.

The county board of supervisors
have raised the assessments in four
districts of the county \$12,375—in
Driskill \$2,600; Salem \$2,600; Dyer
Hill \$4,840; Smithland \$2,375. The
board is not yet through with Smith-
land, and will no doubt make some
heavy raises yet, with others to hear
from.

An order was made in the county
court Monday to divide the voting
precincts of Driskill, Salem and Dyer
Hill each into two precincts, they
having polled more than 350 votes,
each in the recent election, the num-
ber required by law to entitle them
to two voting places. In Driskill the
voting places will be at Luke and
Cumberland Valley; Dyer Hill pre-
dict the voting places Hampton and
Birdsville, and in Salem both voting
places will be in the town of Salem.

The friends of Sam J. Roberts
gave him a dinner at Lexington to-
day. The governor and all the rep-
ublican congressmen of the State
are invited.

SUPERVISORS WORK.

A Few Small Raises, and a Few
and a Few Lises Marked
Down.

The board of tax supervisors spent
last week in examining the assessor's
books. No considerable changes
were made; the aggregate amount
of the "raises" is comparatively
small. The following is the result
of the work:

A Dean, 380 acres land from \$2300

to \$2900.

Wm. Fowler, house and lot, from

\$800 to \$1000.

Peter Shewmaker, 200 acres, from

\$2000 to \$2900.

Electa Boaz, 3 lots, from \$2400 to

\$3000.

W. G. Carnahan one lot from \$800

to \$1000.

L. W. Cruce, house and lot from

\$200 to \$300.

T. C. Guess, house and lot in Mar-

ion, from \$800 to \$1000.

William N. Hodges, 40 acres, from

\$50 to \$240.

Emma G. Wheeler, one lot from

\$800 to \$1000.

R. W. Wilson from \$9000 to \$1250

S. G. Lee, 188 acres from \$1000

to \$1500.

A. H. Cardin, one thousand acres,

from \$6000 to \$7000.

W. F. Harmon, 267 acres, from

\$1500 to \$2000.

Geo. V. Lawrence, one hundred

acres from \$450 to \$800.

Lucy Mott, 200 acres, \$600 to \$800.

E. Gregory 120 acres, \$200 to \$400.

J. P. Sullenger, three hundred

acres, from \$1000 to \$1500.

Job Dean, 315 acres, from \$2000

to \$2500.

W. H. Heath, 210 acres, from

\$2500 to \$3150.

E. R. White, 396 acres from \$3500

to \$4500.

H. B. Williams, 200 acres from

\$750 to \$1000.

E. R. and R. C. Hill, 373 acres,

from \$2000 to \$3000.

Thomas Roberts, 185 acres, from

\$900 to \$1200.

Sarah E. Woods, 250 acres, from

\$1000 to \$1200.

Sam Carrick, 99 acres from \$300 to

\$400.

Harry Cully, four hundred acres,

from \$2600 to \$2700.

LOWERED.

Mrs. George A. Travis, 70 acres,

from \$350 to \$200.

Martha Linley, house and lot from

\$1000 to \$600.

Mrs. Emma Crayne, land, from

\$100 to \$800.

CASTORIA.

Chas. H. Fletcher

CARRSVILLE.

Every one nearly has the grip.

Jesse Wooten is in town visiting

relatives.

We are having a good revival

meeting here, carried on by Elders Burch

Brown and Little Charles Brown.

Our school this winter is quite a

success; teachers Boyd and Stevens

are well liked.

Candidates are very numerous, but

we must say Carrsville sends out two

life long Democrats. Shouse is for

jailer, subject to the action of Demo-

cratic and free silver party. He is

one of our best citizens, a good, hon-

est, upright christian man, and has

always voted the Democratic ticket

Babb is for assessor. He has been

our friend and neighbor and is a life

long Democrat.

LOCAL OPTION

May Be Knocked Clear out at the
Next Term of Crittenden
Circuit Court.

The Law Seems To Be Against It.

It is now the talk that the local
option law of this county will be
declared null and void at the next
term of Circuit Court. It all grows
out of alleged irregularities in calling
the election by which the law was
adopted. The statutes provides that
the petition asking for a vote on the
question shall be filed at one term of
the county court, and the order call-
ing the election made at the following
term of the court. Judge Pratt
recently rendered a decision in the
Livingston Circuit Court. In that
case the petition asking for the elec-
tion was filed and the order calling
the election made on the same day,
and Judge Pratt held that the law
was invalid. The law says the elec-
tion must be called "at the next
regular term thereof after receiving
said petition."

In Crittenden county the condi-
tions are a little different. The peti-
tion was filed on Saturday, May 11,
1895 and at the regular term on
Monday May 13, 1895, the election
was ordered. This seems to comply
with the law, but the Court of Ap-
peals has passed on this point. A
case was taken from the Warren
county Circuit Court to the Court of
Appeals in which this point was
involved. In this instance, the peti-
tion was handed to the County Judge
on the day before the regular term of
County Court, and the order for the
election made the next day. The
Court of Appeals in this case, Judge
Landes rendering the opinion, May-
6, 1896, virtually holds that the peti-
tion must be filed at one regular term
of the County Court, and the order
granting the election made at the
following term of the court. If this
is the law, at the next term of the
Crittenden Circuit Court our local
option law will be "knocked into a
cocked hat."

After this another election will
probably follow, and this with the
general election will be sufficient to
keep all hands talking election all
year.

If Judge Pratt decides that the law
is invalid, the question of saloons or
no saloons, will probably be sprung
immediately after the decision is ren-
dered, for application for license will
possibly be made to the trustees of
the incorporated towns at once and
the advent of the saloon will depend
upon the action of these boards.

TRYING TO GET TOGETHER.

Gold and Silver Men of the Watterson
Club Want to Harmonize.

Ten of the leading members of the
Watterson Club, including both gold
and silver men, have signed a call
for a meeting in the club rooms for
the purpose of seeking some common
ground on which the party in Louis-
ville and the State can unite. There
will be a full and free discussion, in
a spirit of reconciliation of the poli-
tical situation.

Alonso Walling killed murderer
Laughlin good bye as the latter was
taken from the Covington jail.

THE STATE DEBT.

Is Large and Continues to Grow, With No
Means of Relief in Sight.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 7.—Those
who hear the subject of an extra leg-
islative session discussed only in con-
nection with the election of a United
States Senator have little idea of the
greater needs of the State. The float-
ing debt of the State is really nearer
\$2,500,000 than it is the ordinary
million and a few hundred thousand,
at which it is usually figured. Not
even the officers of the State know
how many unaudited claims there are
outstanding in the hands of parties
who long ago learned that it was no
use to get warrants. There are \$1,
300,000 worth of regularly issued
outstanding warrants, not counting
the half million dollars borrowed sev-
eral years ago, and outside of the
bonded debt. The debts of the big
asylums, penitentiaries, other insti-
tutions for which the State is respon-
sible are piling up all the time, the
decreased revenue is not equal to the
present expenses of the government,
and the debt goes on increasing,
while the warrants of the State are
hawked about to the highest bidder,
and the Treasurer and Attorney Gen-
eral trump up excuses to keep from
paying out in the regular way what
money does go into the treasury.

Nor is this all. The expensive
state prisons are a much greater drain
on the state than any one is allowed
to believe.

LYNCHING STATISTICS.

Kentucky Tied With Georgia For Fifth
Place.

In the year 1896, 131 lynchings
occurred in this country, only two
years since and including 1895 show-
ing a smaller number. Those years
were 1897, when 122 persons were
lynched, and 1890, with 127. In
1892 the number was 235, and in
1893 it was 200. Of those whose
lives were taken by mob violence last
year eighty were negroes and fifty
whites. 122 lynchings occurred in
the south and 9 in the north. The
decrease in this form of unlawful
killing is agreeable, but there is still
room for improvement. It is no more
than fair to the State of Kentucky
to say that the general impression
that she heads the list in this awful
form of law breaking is incorrect.
Louisiana stands first with twenty-
five cases. Alabama next with fif-
teen cases, Tennessee third with four-
teen, and Florida with ten, while
Kentucky and Georgia have each
nine to their credit.—Hopkinsville
Kentuckian.

Children are more susceptible to
cold than grown folks, and their con-
ditions will not permit of quinine,
or other radical treatment. Dr. Bell's
Pine Tar Honey is not only absolute-
ly harmless but is pleasant to the
taste, and never fails to stop or cure
a cold.

We Are Glad He's Passing.

Dr. P. R. Shelby is fitting up the
cottage next to the C. P. church. He
will furnish it in the latest style and
will have a private office, a ladies'
waiting room, a gentlemen's waiting
room, laboratory; consultation room
etc. It will be a credit to the city
when completed.—Princeton Republi-
can.

Dr. W. S. CAIN.

Another Old Landmark Passes to the
Silent Majority.

FORTY YEARS A PHYSICIAN.

Dr. W. S. Cain died at his home in
this place Sunday morning, Jan. 10,
after several months illness.

For more than forty years he has
been a practicing physician in this
county, and among the old families
he was well and favorably known as a
physician. In a great many of the
homes in years past he has been called
to administer to the suffering, and
years ago, when he was in his prime,
he had a large practice, and was then
regarded as one of the leading physi-
cians of the county. For several
months past his health has been such
that he was compelled to give up his
practice, and for the past six months
he has been unable to leave his home.

Dr. W. S. Cain was born Jan. 26,
1827, in this county, and is a son of
Charles and Ellen (Stewart) Cain.
Charles Cain moved to Kentucky
from South Carolina in 1800, and
settled near Piney creek; he after-
wards moved to Illinois, where he
died in 1856. Dr. Cain's mother was
born in South Carolina and died in
Crittenden county in 1872. Dr. Cain
was the second in a family of seven
children. At the age of twenty two
he engaged in teaching, and taught
school in this county for two years.
In 1851 he commenced the study of
medicine under Dr. Gilliam, in whose
office he remained two years and then
commenced the practice of his profes-
sion at Bells Mines. In 1858 he gra-
duated from the St. Louis Medical
school, and from that date to 1877 he
practiced his profession in Marion, at
which time he moved to Cave-in-Rock,
Illinois, where he remained for some
years and then returned to this coun-
ty, where he resided and practiced
medicine until some time ago, when
his health broke down.

In 1859 he was married to Mrs. Ma-
ry A. Bruce, a daughter of Marcus
Twitwell of Ohio. She died in 1870
and he afterwards married Mrs. Susan
A. Peck, daughter of John M. Car-
ter of Henderson county. His wife
and three children survive him.

Mothers whose children are trou-
bled with colds, croup or whooping
cough will do well to read what Dr.
R. E. Robey, of Olney, Mo., says on
this subject. He writes: "For years
we have used Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy and always keep it in the
house. It is regarded in our family
as a specific for all kinds of coughs
and colds. The 25 and 50 cent bot-
tles for sale by J. H. Orme.

Paducah Growing.

In the preface to the Zorn's new
directory of this city the publisher
says there are 16,884 white and 6,
549 colored inhabitants in the city.
This gives the city a total population
of 23,533.—Paducah Register.

Insipient consumption is cured
with Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. In-
flammation is allayed and clogging
of the lungs is stopped. When this
is accomplished the road to health is
a straight one. Get a bottle to-
day.

FOR RENT.—Mrs. Stewart's resi-
dence and shop, on the west side of
the public square. Apply to T. H.
Cossitt.

WAY BELOW THE AVERAGE.

Was the Tobacco Crop of 1896 as Shown
by the Assessor's Book.

According to the figures in the
Assessor's book the tobacco crop of
Crittenden county for 1896 foots up
only 916,000 pounds, as against
2,650,000 for the year 1895. For
the past eight years the average yield
has been 2,200,000. Thus it is easy
to see that we are short on tobacco
this season. While the crop is short
the price is also short. The buyers
claim that the low price is due, in a
great measure, to the inferior grade
of the product. Good tobacco, real
good, is bringing a fair price, while
the low grade is literally going begg-
ar for a buyer. This condition should
certainly have much to do with the
grade of the '97 crop. The producer,
if he consults his own interests, will
strive to make superior tobacco, and
not bend his energies to the produc-
tion of a large quantity of even ordi-
nary quality. Put out few acres,
cultivate and handle it from the seed
to the bulk with a view of making the
best tobacco in the county.

Save Your Eye Sight!

The eyes are the windows of the
soul; take care of them, for no one
will take care of them for you. Rem-
ember they are priceless. Don't
wait until it is too late, but if you
need spectacles consult Dr. M. Rardin
the optician, will be in Marion the
15th and 16th of January, as usual,
in Dr. J.

1897



S we are just entering on a new year, I wish to say to my friends and customers that, realizing that times are very close and that prices on all farm products are very low, I have determined to sell, for CASH, at as low, or lower, prices than can be found elsewhere. I shall continue to keep **A COMPLETE STOCK OF EVERYTHING** in my line and always take pleasure in showing you my goods.

I have no doubt about convincing you that it is to your interest to buy your goods from me.

Thanking you for the many favors of the past, and hoping by fair dealing to continue to merit your friendship

I WISH YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

VERY TRULY YOURS

J. P. PIERCE

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The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

We are authorized to announce
GEO. W. LANDRAM
a candidate for the office of County
Clerk, of Livingston county, subject to
the action of the Democratic party.



There are more male candidates in Crittenden than you can "shake a stick at" in a month.

Several bank officials have committed suicide—they had rather do it than pay depositors off in fifty cent dollars.

We hope that the committee arranging the inaugural ceremonies will not fail to provide Palmer and Buckner with front seats.

The gold standard Democrats are certainly patriotic. Nobody hears of a single one of them offering for office. They are contented with the oppressive solitude of private life.

The Democrats and Populists are fusing in a great many counties of the State. The money question is one that fusion can really be made upon, if fusion is practicable at all.

The man who does not, at this time of the year, recognize his peculiar fitness for some office, and who is not impressed with the unanimity of his neighbors in urging him to run for that office, is a cold, callous creature.

Only forty-nine more days of Grover Cleveland. His administration has been the severest blow the Democratic party has had in a quarter of a century. If it survives it will be a potent influence for another century.

Mr. McKinley has not yet said the gold standard is the good thing that it is reputed to be by the people who elected him. He has sent Senator Wolcott to England to learn if there is not some satisfactory means of doing away with it. How do our goldbug friends who claim that the gold standard is the only panacea, like that, anyhow?

Congressman Money has been in Cuba investigating the status of the rebellion for himself. He finds that the Cubans are not crushed yet, and that the provinces reported "pacified" by Weyler are still full of insurgent soldiers. Our Consul General, Lee, tells Mr. Money that Spain will never conquer the rebels. Money says that the Spanish party on the island has great respect for Cleveland, but for no other American.

The Courier-Journal charges that the State Treasurer "overreaches himself" because he sought to plead a strange reason for refusing to pay the warrants of the Courier-Journal Printing Co. To be sure the official is overreaching himself, if he does not stand and deliver whatever is wanted to the Courier-Journal. That paper having broken away from the Democratic party, and being indubitably engaged in trying to get boots and breeches into the Republican party, it naturally expects its warrants to be paid without quibbling. Treasurer Long must be a bold, bad man to refuse the candidate for admission such encouragement and nourishment as a young convert needs.

NEWS NOTES.

Gomez has ordered all Spanish prisoners shot.

A monetary conference is in session at Indianapolis.

The Cleveland Cuban policy has been endorsed by Spain.

Senator Vest will be returned to the Senate from Missouri.

Idaho has amended her constitution so as to permit the women to vote.

Four persons were killed at Shamokin, O., by the explosion of torpedo magazine.

The home of Mary Lease, at Wichita, Kansas, was sold under the hammer.

Nailers at Ironton, O. decline to submit to a reduction of 20 per cent in their wages.

In Franklin county the Republicans and gold Democrats have fused on a county ticket.

Mrs. Lloyd of Benton, Ky., is mysteriously missing. It is feared that she has committed suicide.

In the Massillon district, O., 1803 coal miners have agreed to strike, rather than accept a cut in wages.

A half dozen Mormon elders ordered out of Elliott county last summer have returned, and trouble is expected.

Caldwell county republicans have petitioned Gov. Bradley to call an extra session of the Legislature without delay.

The Populists will hold a State Convention at Louisville April 7, to nominate a candidate for clerk of the court of appeals.

Senator Mills made a red hot speech in the Senate Monday on the Cuban question. He said "an assassin sits on the throne of Spain."

The Commercial bank of Eau Claire, Wis., the bank of Canton, Miss., and the bank of Lanesboro, Minn., all closed their doors Thursday.

Prof Brooks, of Geneva, N. Y., says there is now visible to the naked eye, through smoked glass, an enormous spot on the sun's face.

Congressman Hendricks has succeeded in passing through the House a bill authorizing railroad bridges over the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers.

At Cleveland it is still believed that Sherman will be the Secretary of State. At Washington it is not thought that Sherman will go into the Cabinet.

In his inaugural address Gov. Stephens of Missouri said that he could "use nothing in the immediate future to warrant a substantial prospect for better times."

At Carrollton, Ky., Frank Harris was acquitted of the murder of a man who had despoiled his home. The court held that it was a case where the unwritten law should prevail, and the accused was liberated.

The House committee has reported favorably on a bill providing for the construction of public buildings at Bowling Green, Lebanon, Paris, Hopkinsville and Mayfield, Ky. The bill appropriates \$50,000 for each of these places.

Great preparations are being made for the inauguration of President elect McKinley. The decorations, illuminations and ceremonies incident to the occasion will surpass in beauty and impressiveness all former inaugurations.

Jacob Crosthwaite who died at Connersville, Ky., Tuesday, provided in his will that the base of his monument should be covered with silver and that these words should be inscribed thereon: "Free silver at the ratio of 16 to 1."

CONVENTION CALLED

To Nominate Candidates for Circuit Judge, Attorney and State Senator.

Senatorial Convention at Marion, April 7, Judicial Convention at Princeton, April 8.

Yesterday the Democratic and Populist committees from this Senatorial district held a meeting at Princeton; all the members of each committee were present, except the Populist committeeman from Crittenden.

It was ordered that a district convention be held at Marion, April 7, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for State Senator. Precinct conventions are to be held in each voting precinct of all of the three counties, on April 8, to appoint delegates to the county conventions to be held at the county seats on April 5, and these county conventions are to appoint delegates to the district convention.

All supporters of Bryan at the last election, and all who may have become of age, and agree to support the nominees, since the election, are qualified to participate in these precinct conventions.

The Democratic committee at the same time ordered that the nominations for Circuit Judge and Common wealth's Attorney be made at a district convention to be held at Princeton April 8. The delegates to this convention to be chosen at the same time, and in the same manner, the delegates to the Senatorial Convention are chosen. The matter of the qualification of participants in the Judicial and Commonwealths Attorneys contest, was left open to be decided at a future meeting of the committee.

The question as to whether it is Caldwell's or Webster's time to furnish the candidates for Senator was discussed by the committee, and it was virtually agreed that it was Caldwell's time.

MAY BE COMPROMISED.

Talk of a Settlement of the Union County Railroad Debt.

Caseville, Ky., Jan. 10.—At last there is a probability of the famous railroad tax case in Union county being settled by compromise. Bondholder Preston has agreed to accept fifty cents on the dollar of the original debt, with accrued interest. One provision of the compromise is that the people may issue twenty year bonds bearing 6 per cent. interest, in payment of the debt. Caseville precinct would be compelled to issue bonds to the amount of more than \$130,000, with less than a million dollars' worth assessable property, and Lindsie precinct would have to issue to the amount of \$30,000, with less than half a million of property. The interest on the bonds annually in the Caseville precinct would be about \$8,000. To pay off the debt even on the compromise basis would require a tax on the people of more than double the amount of State and county taxes.

Whether the citizens will accept the compromise or not is hard to say. The majority are opposed to paying anything, but many property owners would be willing to compromise in order to be rid of the matter. This tax has hung over the two precincts for a period of twenty years or more, and has retarded the development of one of the richest sections of the State. The tax is for a railroad that never built, and the people have therefore resisted the collection of the enormous debt, and last year a war seemed imminent, when it was announced that a citizen of the county, Thomas Blackwell, had qualified to collect the tax. Blackwell never made the attempt for good reasons.

W. B. James and J. R. James were on trial yesterday charged with breaking the peace. The jury acquitted them; there was a similar charge against James Hoover, but the county attorney dismissed the case.

BLOWING THEMSELVES.

The "Goody Goodies" Kindly Agree to Stay on the Earth to Guide the Meek, and Punish the Indolent Ignoramuses.

Chicago, January 9.—At a conference of members of the National Democratic party in the Auditorium this afternoon there was unanimity in the expression and belief that the new party should be kept in the political field in the way of a balance of power, to check both the other parties, and by turning upon one or the other, administering such an admonition as it gave the Bryanites last fall.

Reunion with the Bryanites was declared to be out of the question, and a resolution offered by John P. Irish, of California, was adopted, calling upon gold Democrats through out the country to perfect their State and local organizations with the purpose of placing state and local tickets in the field at the next general election.

About sixty men were present, representing the states of Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Minnesota, Kentucky and California.

The conference was called to order by Franklin McVeigh and Gen. Simon B. Buckner was elected to preside and Henry Vollmer, of Iowa, made Secretary. Gen. Buckner, on taking the chair, sounded the keynote when he declared the National Democratic party inaugurated at Indianapolis should follow its political organization and begin forthwith a campaign of education that would prepare the people for its services and win from them a strong indorsement and a thorough recognition. He saw no means of reconciling the factions, and believed there could be no consolidation of the National Democrats, with those who stood upon the Chicago platform and advocated its doctrine.

Speeches were made by men from every state represented showing that the party was everywhere in good condition. A motion urging the members of the party to perfect their organizations throughout the country was presented and adopted. The question of a name came up for consideration, and John P. Irish said he would not be surprised if the party at its next convention assumed the name of Democratic-Republican party, the original name of the Jeffersonian party.

FREDONIA.

Miss Nannie Kirk, of Princeton, has been visiting in town for several days.

W. S. Rice, of Princeton, was in town last Sunday.

Rev. Crow, of Dawson, filled his appointments here last Sunday and Sunday night, preaching splendid sermons both times, from the same text—"all things are yours."

W. L. Adams went to Marion last Monday.

Rev. J. N. McDonald and family moved to Princeton last week.

Duke Scott, of Livingston county, came up Saturday evening after Mrs. Nellie Leeper to visit her father, Ray Duley, who is quite old and very sick. We are well stocked with everything in our line, all of the latest styles, best quality and lowest prices.

Bugg & Loyd.

F. S. Loyd and Abe Deboe went to Princeton Saturday.

Call and examine our stock of fine shoes.

D. M. Maxwell and family attended church at Bethlehem and visited W. S. Guess and family.

Charles Burres, a painter, was reported to have been burned to death in the Hughes house at Jonesboro, Arkansas last week.

W. C. Glenn, Gid Dollar and J. C. Rorer, of Fredonia, were in Marion Monday.

Marriage licenses have been issued to John G. McGee and Miss Ida M. Williamson.

Isaac Castoel and Miss Mollie Ann Corley.

S. O. Orider and Miss Rosa E. Berry.

NEW SALEM.

Married, at the residence of the bride's parents, Dec. 28, Mr. Rufus Threlkeld to Miss Eva Franklin; Mr. Will Davidson and Miss Carrie Harpending were the attendants. Rev. Henry of Marion officiating.

There is more people down with the grip than was ever known before in this section.

Henry Bruster spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives near Carrsville.

Mrs. W. C. Tyner was called to see her father, who lives near View, in this county, he being a very sick man.

Look out for another wedding in a short time.

There will not be one acre of tobacco planted in this neighborhood the present year, unless there should be an advance in the weed.

Our little man, N. J. Ferrigan, Crittenden's coroner, was in this section this week making things lively for the boys.

Our farmers, up to the cold snap of the 4th were moving right along, and plowing as thought it were April.

R. C. Carlick, of Marion, was in this section during the holidays.

Thomas M. Conyers has sold his farm near New Salem to Mrs. Susan J. Henley.

Marion Davidson will soon move to the Will Davidson place, near New Salem church.

Jesse Baker, from Shady Grove, will make his home for this year with his brother in law, Jos Pace.

Born to the wife of Rev E. M. Eton a daughter.

Glad Threlkeld, near Hampton, had a child burned last week.

Joe Parker and family of Hampton spent a few days last week the guests of relatives and friends.

W. I. Davenport, a member of Co. A 4th regiment U. S. regular army, returned to his post at Chicago, after an absence of 13 days furlough.

STONEWALL.

Rev. R. N. Woodside has located in this section.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn preached at Piney Creek the first Sunday.

Rev. Hayden, of Crayneville, is serving the church at Piney Fork as pastor.

Prof. R. C. Haynes will close his school here in two weeks, and Miss Maggie Phipps will close her school at Belmont about the same time, and it is generally thought there will be a wedding about that time.

Captain J. B. Bradley is making frequent calls at this place.

But little tobacco sold in this community.

Lee Vick, our poultry man is moving his business right along.

Mrs. Walker, wife of Henry Walker, was buried at Piney last Thursday.

R. W. Clark is making his home here, and appears to be looking for a better half.

Dick Butler, the young man who got his leg broke a few weeks ago, is able to be out on crutches.

Miss Nellie Thomason is just recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Frank and Miss Carsie Hill have had a close and severe spell of fever. The measles are now in the family of R. N. Thomason.

A. J. Thomason has moved to the Crayneville vicinity.

The debate at our school house has suspended for the want of patronage.

BAKER SCHOOL HOUSE

Mr. Lanham tells me he has twelve paupers in his care now, but one of them, Mr. Shaw, is about to pass away.

Rev. James W. Wilson has sold his farm and is talking of going west before long.

Mr. T. M. Winn's family, from Cooks mines was visiting E. R. Robertson's family of this section, Saturday night.

There has been a considerable mad dog scare in this community since the latter part of last week, and I suppose Mr. S. A. Nunn was bitten one day last week by a dog supposed to have hydrophobia.

Curt.

The Victory of Woman Suffrage in Idaho

To those who have borne the heat and burden of the fifty years of struggle for the political emancipation of woman, "the wandering in the wilderness of disfranchisement," as Miss Anthony has characterized it, the victory of today must signify infinitely more than it can mean for the younger women who have come into this battle but a few years ago. Does it not seem the very irony of fate that our far Western sisters, who, with but few exceptions, have come lately into the army, are the ones to reap first the advantages to come to women through their attainment of political freedom, the first to enter the promised land of equality of opportunity with men.

Of course we all know that what ever these new voters may do, they will be jealously watched and severely criticised by the enemies of our cause; that may not be avoided, but if they vote according to their best judgment, and with an honest desire to become helpers of whatever "makes for righteousness," they will hasten the day when we may enter into the kingdom of the enfranchised.

When we won in Colorado a few years ago we felt that we had a great victory, but in Idaho our majority has been still larger. Because of some doubt as to whether an amendment demanded a majority of all the votes which might have been cast at the election the matter had to be referred to the Supreme Court of Idaho, in which case Kate Green was the petitioner. Fortunately for us the court has rendered its decision with great promptness, and we now know that we are one step nearer the end of our struggle, to place in the hands of all women the right which under our form of government guarantees all other rights—the ballot.

This to us and to all who think with us, means that the time of peace and good will to men is being brought nearer "One hour of justice is worth seventy years of prayer," as is true now as when it was first uttered, and American womanhood is awakening to a knowledge of its truth. The right to have a woman's opinion counted at the ballot box means added respect for womanhood everywhere; it means the representation of the home in politics, it means a renewed interest on the part of good men when they go to the polls accompanied by the women of their household; it means that the country is to be "mothered" a little, and the rights of the children are to be considered in preference to the rights of the almighty dollar. It means that the great questions which are everywhere pressing for settlement are no longer to be settled by the mole half of humanity alone, but by a judgment which shall no longer divide the man and the woman, but shall give equal consideration to the opinions of both.

Rachel Foster Avery, Phila.

Tribute to the Memory of Annie Louis.

BY G. W. BROOKS.

Dear sister, like a blooming rose,
You withered from our view;
But glory to God who always knows
Just what is best to do.

We remember well the days gone by,
When you toiled with us in school;
How willingly you did always try,
To obey the teacher's rule.

We remember too, how patiently,
You taught the little one,
And always showed them kindly
How the lessons work was done.

How well do we remember
How you shouted on the way
To church on last November,
And did for sinners pray.

O! those happy meetings,
How sweet their memory still,
When we with God were pleading,
Our souls with love he filled.

Dear Annie, thou hast gone to live
With Him who called for thee;
Thank God! the grace that He did give
From sin did set you free.

Annie, you was a dear good girl,
And we shall miss you here;
But thank God for that better world,
We will try to meet you there.

Dear parents, sisters, brothers, all,
Weep not for Annie, now;
She went to Jesus at His call,
To his will we all must bow.

Mother, the heavenly race still run,
Look on life's bright side;
And when your toil of life is done,
In heaven you'll meet your child.

O, Heavenly Father lead us,
In the way that Annie has gone;
Help us to be more righteous
Make it better farther on.

Lord, bless her friends and relations,
Wherever they may be;
Double their determinations,
To do more work for Thee.

O, Father, we do thank Thee,
That we have a home above;
And some day may we all be,
At home with those we love.

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BRYAN TALKS.

"I do not want to stand for four years in the attitude of a Candidate."

"If our Opponents succeed in bringing about a Kinetel-Him They Relieve us."

It addressing a club at Chicago on the 8th, among other things Mr. Bryan said:

In view of the fact that the club under whose auspices we meet, has done me the honor to take my name, I feel that it is only just to the club and to myself to repeat here what I have said elsewhere, namely, that my judgment disapproves of the use of my name in connection with democratic or silver clubs. My objection is a twofold one. In the first place, I believe that a cause is so much greater than an individual that it should not be burdened by any mistake that he may make. While a man lives he is liable to err, and his errors are apt to injure any cause with which he is closely identified. During a campaign a cause must be identified, for the time being, with candidates for public office, but when the campaign is over and the candidate no longer stands in a representative capacity, I believe it is wise to dissociate him from the cause, as far as possible, in order that public attention may be centered upon principles and policies rather than upon men. The other objection is a personal one. I do not want to stand for four years in the attitude of a candidate for the presidency. I do not want zealous friends to be continually alarmed lest I should do something to alienate some of those who have given me their confidence and support in the past. I have spoken out on public questions, which in my judgment needed to be discussed, and I desire to occupy the same position in the future. When the next campaign opens, it will be time enough to select a candidate and we can then select a candidate suited to the conditions then existing and fit for the work then to be done. Fully appreciating the high compliment paid me and deeply grateful therefore, I still repeat my suggestion that my name be no longer connected with the name of clubs.

If those who bolted the Chicago nominees have a right to call them selves better democrats than those who supported such nominees, then the bolting democrats who bolted the bolting ticket and voted for the republican nominees have a right to call themselves better democrats than the bolters who voted the bolting ticket. The right to party organization belongs to the majority, and the right to the party name must also belong to the majority.

While the republicans have not yet had an opportunity to write their policies upon the statute book, we have proceeded far enough to discover that the mere announcement of republican success does not restore prosperity. If the advocates of free silver had won, every bank and business failure would have been attributed to their success.

During the month of November, 1896, seven national banks failed and in the month of December eight more closed their doors. I find upon examination of the statistics that December witnessed the closing of more national banks than were closed in any other month since January 1, 1893, excepting the three months of panic of that year.

One bank announced as the cause of its failure, "inability to realize upon assets." This notice was a confession of the argument made during the campaign by the advocates of free coinage. We have all along insisted that the gold standard was destroying the value of assets. With money rising in value and property falling in value, hard times must continue. That this is not due to local causes is evident from the fact that the same complaint comes from other nations. The press dispatches state that the holiday trade in Germany was a disastrous disappointment to merchants.

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The fact that senator Wolcott, of Colorado, has been sent abroad by the president-elect as an ambassador is not extraordinary, to bring Europe to bimetalism, is an evidence that the gold standard is still concealing its blessings from the American people. If the gold standard is the standard of civilization, why do we risk a return to barbarism by chasing after international bimetalism? If Senator Wolcott succeeds in stirring up a silver agitation in England, he will be doing of disturbing business and destroying confidence in the great center of financial confidence, London. If his errand proves a fruitless one it will only give additional evidence that the United States must stand alone. If our opponents succeed in bringing about bimetalism they will relieve us of a great deal of labor and enable us to turn our attention to other reforms. If, on the other hand, they fail to restore bimetalism, after conceding that bimetalism is a desirable thing, we may expect the American people to join in with us in the opening of our minds to the free and unlimited coinage at 16 to 1 without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation.

AFTER MOB LEADERS.

Three Men Indicted by the Henderson Grand Jury for Attempting to Hang a Murderer.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 7.—The grand jury today returned an indictment against Moses Bullington, Deputy United States Marshal, and John Asbury of Owensboro, charging them with feloniously confederating and heading themselves together for the purpose of intimidating and alarming the jury, and his deputies, and in attempting unlawfully and by force take from the county jail on November 16 the negroes Ben Ellison, Geo. Baskett, Wm Williams and Herman Baskett, charged with the murder of officer White, of Owensboro. Bond was fixed at one thousand dollars for each, and the papers will be served on the indicted parties at Owensboro.

A similar indictment was returned against John Born, of this city, who made a vain attempt to lead a mob to seize the negroes Dave Powell, Will Loving and Will Dixon, who shot Louis Metzner. The attempt was made the day these prisoners were removed to Hopkinsville for safety. Born's bond was fixed at \$150, which was promptly furnished for jailer.

Obituary.

Walter, the sweet little son of G. H. and K. L. Jacobs, departed this life to the realm of endless bliss on Dec. 16, 1896. His sickness was of brief duration; he leaves behind to mourn his loss a father, mother, and one little brother, besides a host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss. Walter was a sweet child, and by his kind disposition had won the love of every one who knew him. It is hard to break the tender chord with which love has bound the heart; it is so hard to speak the words, we must forever part. Dearest Walter, we have laid thee in the peaceful cold embrace, but thy memory will be cherished till we see thy heavenly face. Peaceful be thy silent slumber, peaceful in the grave so low.

Aunt Rosa.

FORMAL DAYS.

NEW YEARS DAY AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Grand Annual Reception of the President in Honor of the Advent of the New Year.

In Washington very little is seen of the pomp and display which form such noticeable features of life in European capitals. In France and Germany the army uniform is seen every where, but on the streets of Washington one almost never sees any one but in citizen's dress. The exceptions are officers and soldiers from the Marine Barracks, the Arsenal or Fort Meyer, or an occasional sailor from a visiting warship.

There are located in the city about two hundred army and navy officers, employed in the War and Navy Departments, but they are to be distinguished from civilians only by their erect bearing.

Upon one day of the year there is a relaxation from the general rule, and every one who is entitled to wear a uniform does it to make a formal New Year's call upon the President and the Cabinet officers.

The custom of making New Year's calls seems to be gradually dying out in other parts of the country, but in Washington it is one of the important features of the social lives of the inhabitants.

A regular programme for the President's reception is given in the press in order that every one may know when their turn for admission may come. The full Marine Band is always present, and renders a carefully prepared programme of the choicest music.

The doors are opened promptly at 11 o'clock, and the Vice President, Members of the Cabinet, and of the Diplomatic Corps are first received. They are all dressed in full court dress, and wear their medals and decorations. This is the only chance of the year for the people to see the Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Turkish and other representatives together in state and the approaches are thronged by curious crowds, who have no intention of personally presenting their compliments to the chief executive of the nation.

After fifteen minutes the Judges of the Supreme and other high courts are admitted.

Then, at 11:25, come the members of the Senate and House of Representatives.

After these, at precisely 11:40, the officers of the army and navy, all in full dress uniforms, and with side arms, march across the street from headquarters and enter the Executive Mansion in line, in order of their rank.

Following the army and navy officers are chiefs of divisions, of the various departments, and members of the Grand Army of the Republic, Union Veteran Legion, etc.

"My daughter, when recovering from an attack of fever, was a great sufferer from pain in the back and hips," writes Louden Grover, of Sardinia, Ky. "After using quite a number of remedies without any benefit, she tried one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and it has given entire relief." Chamberlain's Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. Sold by J. H. Orme.

The progressive ladies of Westfield, Ind., issued a "Woman's Edition" of the Westfield News, bearing date of April 3, 1896. The paper is filled with matter of interest to women and we notice the following from a correspondent, which the editors printed, realizing that it treats upon a matter of vital importance to their sex: "The best remedy for croup, colds, and bronchitis that I have been able to find is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For family use it has no equal. I gladly recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by J. H. Orme, druggist.

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The Cabinet ladies stand in line to aid in receiving the callers and back of the receiving line are many personal friends who stop to watch the brilliant pageant.

The dignity of the occasion is somewhat marred by the fact that the callers, after paying their respects, have to take their departure by climbing out of one of the front windows. The reason for this is that there is but one front entrance and this is blocked by the throng coming in. If the people should go through the house and out of the back door they would be compelled to walk a long way to their carriages. The humiliation is made as mild as possible by arranging an inclined plane covered with a canopy, leading from a window down to the ground.

After the reception is over the ladies of the Cabinet hurry home, and individually receive the same distinguished callers, that they had just greeted at the State levee.

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To Whom It May Concern.

With an assurance of sincere gratitude for past favors and the kindest feeling for all, we now say to every one owing us that circumstances make the collection of all money due us an absolute necessity. This notice is intended for all, and prompt settlements are expected. We will take any kind of money, and must have some kind quick.

Yours very truly,

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Last summer one of our grand children was sick with a severe bowel trouble. Our doctor's remedies had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy which gave very speedily relief. We regard it as the best medicine ever put on the market for bowel complaints—Mrs. E. G. Gregory, Fredericktown, Mo. This certainly is the best medicine ever put on the market for dysentery, summer complaint, colic and cholera infantum in children. It never fails to give prompt relief when used in reasonable time and the plain printed directions are followed. Many mothers have expressed their sincere gratitude for the cures it has effected.

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