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A CARD

WE ARE glad to announce to the people of Crittenden and adjoining counties that we have purchased the

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stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Carpets, etc., of Pickens Cassidy & Co. This stock we believe to be the

Best Selected, Cheapest, Cleanest, Highest Grade

stock of goods ever brought into this county and we are prepared to offer you prices on every thing in our line that will defy competition.

We have permanently located here and intend to pay

Spot Cash

for every dollar's worth of goods that crosses our threshold. We intend to have the advantages of the very best markets of the country and to buy our goods

Only Where the Dollar Buys the Most.

Will you do likewise? If so, do yourselves the justice of examining our stock, of getting our prices, before making your purchases. You certainly would have nothing to lose, but all to gain. We will guarantee you kind and courteous treatment and will, at all times, appreciate the opportunity of showing you our goods. We shall handle only

Good, Clean, Honest Goods.

No worthless trash, but you will find our store crowded at all times with a strictly up-to-date stock, and on which will always be placed the lowest possible price that can be had.

Honest goods, honest and fair dealings, kind and courteous treatment, quick sales and small profits shall be our motto.

We are also very glad to inform you that we have been most fortunate in securing the services of MR. G. C. GRAY, who will be very glad to have his old friends and customers to come and see him. Earnestly soliciting your patronage we are

YOURS TRULY
J. H. CLIFTON & SONS
 NEW MASONIC BUILDING.

SUGAR TRUST

I. Broker Chapman is behind the bars. And a nation of 75,000,000 people stands amazed at this proof that a corporation of \$75,000,000 capital has been unable to keep him out of jail. There is exultation as well as amazement, for this is the first time that the law has shown itself to be stronger than the Sugar Trust.

In this initial victory there is promise of a larger trial to come. President Henry O. Havemeyer and Secretary John E. Seales may also be sent to jail.

The spectacle of these two potentates in cells would affect the American people as did the discovery by the aborigines that the white invaders, with their tubes discharging thunder and lightning, were human like them selves, and might be met in battle and slain.

If trust presidents can be jailed, then it is not a wild dream that the trusts themselves may be found to be vulnerable.

The overthrow of the Sugar Trust would be as mighty, as significant a triumph for the people of the United States as would be the defeat and expulsion of the Turks for the Greeks. For the Sugar Trust is among the foremost of the trade combinations which have conquered America, and

rule and rob it for profit. It is more powerful than most, but typical of all in its methods, its greed and its sinistral influence upon the national life. If rebellion against the Sugar Trust can be successful, then the whole system of government by the business man for the business man, with no other end than profit, can be attacked and abolished. It is a foul despotism which must be destroyed if free institutions are to live.

II.

What are the chances? The Sugar Trust is immensely powerful, not only in itself, but in its allies for every trust is the confederate in interest and aim with all other trusts. To attack it is practically to attack the predatory trusts of the whole country. Trusts occasionally fight each other, it is true, but these conflicts have in them no element of hope for the people, since they are merely the quarrels of pirates over booty. The heaving in sight of another prize stops the disputes and all hands jump for their cutlasses and to their stations ready for common action to get more spoil. And the trusts fight under the black flag.

The Sugar Trust is a creature of the legal and political and commercial conditions which the American people permit to exist—conditions that were compatible with liberty and the general prosperity before steam and electricity transformed industry, transportation and communication, and made the combination of capital and effort easy, a change that has given to joint business talent and opportunity the advantage which a giant has among savages.

In 1887 fifteen sugar refining companies combined in New York. The refineries of some of these companies were located outside the state—in Massachusetts, Maine, New Jersey, Missouri, Louisiana and California. All these companies bound themselves to act in concert for the purpose of controlling output and prices. The total capital stock of the companies forming this trust was about \$7,000,000, and the combined production was capitalized at

\$50,000,000, a valuation placed upon their earning capacity, and the estimate in this regard was not extravagant. In 1888 a legal attack was made upon the trust. The Attorney General of New York brought an action against the North River Refining Co. praying for the revocation of its charter for entering the combination. The Circuit Court of Appeals decided that the trust was a monopoly within the meaning of the law. A monopoly Judge Barrett declared to be, "any combination, the tendency of which is to prevent competition in its broad and general sense, and to control and thus to enhance prices to the detriment of the public." The commercial power of the Sugar Trust he thus described:

"It can close every refinery at will, close some and open others, limit the purchases of raw material—thus jeopardizing, and in a considerable degree controlling its production—artificially limit the production of refined sugar, enhance the price to enrich themselves and their associates at the public expense, and depress the price when necessary to crush out and impoverish a foolish rival."

Placed thus under the ban of the law did the trust dissolve? Hardly. It gave an exhibition of how easily the law may be made to defeat its own ends. The trust simply stepped over the North river into New Jersey and incorporated there under the name of the American Sugar Refining Company, and came back to New York to do business at the old stand in the old way, claiming to be no longer a trust combination but a single corporation, and therefore legal. This was as if a New York court had forbidden Brown to practice the profession of a highwayman, and he had got the New Jersey Legislature to alter his name to Jones, and returned with horse and pistol to the roads of New York, so secure in his own respect as a law-respecting citizen.

Later the Philadelphia refineries were brought into the trust, and the capital stock was increased to \$75,000,000, the basis being as before, not the actual value of the property, but its earning capacity. By the inclusion of the Philadelphia concerns the trust made about 98 per cent of all the refined sugar produced in the United States.

At the very time when the falling of Broker Chapman has revived the popular memory and resurrected the scandal of 1894, the Trust is again putting the Senate on view as its humble servant. Not satisfied with the great booty captured under the letters of marque issued to it by the Wilson tariff, it is back again asking for more. Under the amended Senate sugar schedule of the Dingley bill the trust is given an added protection to the value of \$12,000,000, or just double what it gets now—\$24,000,000 a year to be taken from the people of the United States and given to the trust, which is under the wing of the Government, whose corrupting and defiant enemy it is.

The trusts reject the doctrine that the general welfare is of higher importance than anybody's private welfare. They have got outside the government of the people, by the people for the people, and are it most powerful enemies—for the success of their money-making aim can only be achieved by defeating the purposes of that government.

The working maxim of the trusts is that the wealth of the country belongs to those who are clever enough to take it from the pockets of its owners, and all means—including the corruption of Legislatures and courts—necessary to the success of trusts in their enterprises are justifiable. The trusts are reducing the United States to industrial slavery, and either political liberty or industrial slavery must perish. The trusts have rotted not only our industrial and commercial and political life, but they rot our private life as well. They hold most of the roads that lead to success. The young men in the professions, seeing their power, seek their favor. The ambitious, who dread their hostility compromise with integrity and self-respect and surrender. Many newspapers, like lawyers, prefer trust service to public service. When talent is proved, if it be the talent likely to be dangerous, the trusts offer the highest price.

The rule of the trusts is the rule of bribery, and its inevitable effect a pervasive sordidness. We are arriving at the trust millennium, when not principle, nor patriotism, nor pride nor any sentiment which has generosity or nobility in it, will be respectable if it be in antagonism to business interest.

WANT CIVIL SERVICE COUNTY CONVENTION

The Distillers Petitioning President McKinley.

THEY WANT THE OLD MEN RETAINED.

A petition has been signed by nearly all of the prominent distillers of this state, requesting the President to see that the civil service law, as applied to storekeepers and gaugers, is not repealed. They claim that it would be a great loss to the country, as well as themselves. Under the existing state of affairs no change can be made, but if the President sees fit he can have the civil law governing the offices repealed, and new men will be appointed.

The distillers have been actively engaged in preparing the petition, ever since the election of President McKinley. They realized what a great hardship it would work on them to have new men put in charge, and are determined, if possible, to prevent the repeal of the law, which says that such officers are to be removed only for incompetency and causes, other than simple party changes in office.

When Mr. Cleveland was elected the last time he saw that the civil service law on this question was passed. He was shown the full of continual changes and thought the best thing to do would be to put a stop to it. The men now in charge know their business and are the proper ones to hold on. If new ones were chosen it would take them several months to become familiarized with their duties and the distillers and government would suffer in the meantime. It is thought by the leading distillers that the president will look at the matter in this light and refuse to repeal the law so that new men may be appointed.

The petition will be sent to Senator Lindsey, who will be requested to take it to the president and do all he can personally in the matter. Not only are the Democrats interested in the action of Mr. McKinley in the matter, but the Republicans as well. It is said that more Republican distillers have signed the petition than Democrats. This shows how important it is for the old officers to be retained.

It is not known how the president stands on the matter, but it is the general opinion that the law will be repealed in order to satisfy office seekers who worked for his election. Heretofore these appointments have been of great assistance towards vote getting, and it is not likely that they will ever remain long under a civil service law. The petition will be sent to Washington in a few days—Louisville Dispatch.

OUR TAXES.

Tax Auditor Writes the Sheriff A Letter Giving the Figures.

TO THE SHERIFF OF CRITTENDEN COUNTY:

Sir: The total taxable property in the county of Crittenden for the year 1897, as shown by the assessments returned to this office, consists of the following items:

Land,	\$1,421,352
Town lots,	272,725
Personally subject to equalization,	317,684
Personally not subject to equalization,	280,299
Total assessed valuation,	\$2,292,060

These items, having been compared and corrected by the State Board of Equalization, under authority of an act approved May 4, 1888, stand as follows:

Land,	\$1,478,206
Town lots,	272,725
Personally subject to equalization,	330,391
Personally not subject to equalization,	280,299
Total valuation fixed by State Board Equalization,	\$2,361,621

Tax upon this amt at rate of 52 1/2 cents on each \$100 valuation, 12,398.51
 As Sheriff of Crittenden county you are charged upon the books of this office with the aforementioned sum, which it is your duty to collect and pay over as speedily as possible.
 Sam H. Stone, Auditor.

Mr. Will Skillman, Burns, Ky. had sore eyes for years. He tried many doctors and remedies and always failed to get relief until he tried Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve, which cured him inside of one week.

NEW SALE.

Mrs. Dora Bruster and T. A. Harpending have been sick for the past two weeks.

Henry Jones and Harry Harpending made a trip to Tolu on their wheels last Saturday.

Wm. Davenport has been on the river shelling corn this week.

Phelix Tyner and wife spent part of last week visiting the family of James Harris near Greens Ferry.

John W. Bebout, of Sheridan, spent Sunday in this section.

It looks rather strange to see our people collecting fuel of evenings to make fire at night and morning. The first of June, but so it is.

Wood Garnet spent Sunday eve in this section. Wood informs us that he is nearly through setting tobacco. Is setting and watering a hard way to raise the weed with the present prices.

Isaac Hodges and Frank Adams, of Crayneville, were the guest of uncle Ervin Bruster's family last Sabbath.

Chas LaRue and wife, of Levisa, spent last Sunday with friends in this section.

Miss Laura Bebout, of Sheridan, was the guest of Misses Harpending last week.

Misses Dora Threlkeld and Blake Harpending were the guest of Mrs. Carrie LaRue, of Levisa, last week.

The farmers are the most discouraged at this time up in 10 years past. What corn is up is doing no good and a great deal will have to be planted over; pastures are eaten down to the ground, meadows no account and the wheat promises a little better than it did 10 days ago; with no money and none of last year's crop on hand the prospect is anything but promising.

Spillman Threlkeld and wife spent a few days last week visiting the family of Jo Parker, near Hampton.

Esq. Jockey Shreeves received the sad news last week informing him of the death of his daughter in law, Mrs. James Shreeves; she died in St. Louis and the remains were taken near Nashville, Tenn., for burial.

M. C. O'Hara and lady, of View, were in this section calling last week. Charley Ballard was in this section last week trying to buy hogs, but the figures were too low for the boys.

Mitchell Champion past by last week with a traction engine. They alarmed the natives with their steam whistle. Later we learn that opposite to Esq. Bryant the old machine alarmed them to such an extent that they took to their heels and left the old staid to attend to herself which she did by bursting. Glad she left these parts before the burst came.

CARRSVILLE

Our little town continues to be quiet and peaceful, save in fighting the devil.

Mr. T. A. Rhodes is circulating a petition which he will send to the county judge, to call an election for the purpose of voting on prohibition.

Misses Nora Bryant and Grace Gwintney successfully passed the teacher's examination, and received their certificates.

Prof. Royle's spring term of school was out last Friday, and the school, together with several visitors, had an outing, visiting the spar mines at Ross Clark and all report an enjoyable time.

Prof. C. C. Howard, of Hampton Academy, made application for the Carrsville school last Friday. Prof. Boyd is also an applicant.

The steamer "Little Drummer" is doing a good business.

A stomachful of undigested food is about as unhealthy a mass as one can well imagine.

What can be done with it? There it stays. It won't digest. It churns up, ferments and decays; becomes poisonous, as all putrid matter does, and causes great pain and deep seated disorders.

In order to change all this, take Shaker Digestive Cordial.

It cleans the stomach of poisons already there, and helps it to turn the food that remains into healthful nourishment. It strengthens the stomach for the next meal.

Here is the whole philosophy and cure of indigestion in a few words. And what is more, it's all true. Try it.

Shaker Digestive Cordial is for sale by druggists, price ten cents and \$1 per bottle.

Not only piles of the very worst kind can be cured by DeWitt's witch hazel salve, but eczema, scalds, burns, bruises, boils, ulcers, and all other skin troubles can be instantly relieved by the same remedy. At Haynes' drug store.

A mass meeting of nearly five thousand persons at Syracuse, New York, protested against Sunday baseball playing.

Tribute of Respect.

Bro. Marshal N. Crayne was born May 6, 1836, died Feb. 26, 1897, professed faith in Christ November, 1860, and united with Pico Creek Baptist church; he was married to Miss Frances P. Moss, January 4, 1860; there was born unto this union ten children, eight of whom are living.

He was born and raised in Crittenden county, Ky., and was one of those men to know was to like and respect. He was not a man to express himself in a public way, but he carried with him at all times a firmness that marked him as a man that could be relied upon on all occasions, in the church, the Sunday school and the prayer meetings he always filled his seat, and his heart and means were always ready for every charitable and Christian purpose, he never failed to respond liberally according to his means.

Now we wish to say to his children, who is going to fill your father's place in the church Sunday school and the prayer meetings? You have lost a good father, the community a good citizen and the church a consecrated brother co-worker for the Lord. But our loss is his eternal gain, and we must submit to the will of the Lord.

A Friend.

Retribution Sure.

As I reflect on days of youth, When fancy painted pictures bright Of justice, purity and truth, In armor battling for the right.

I sometimes think the contest long, To reach at last the destined goal, And fear the enemy so strong, No final conquest may enroll.

As I behold the dawning light, To which some miscreant has soared While those who've sought to find true light, To greatest depths of want are lowered.

I feel that men two fold conclude That might is right in honor's race And trample down, with feelings rude The rights of all, in their mad pace.

But retribution still is sure: And long delay does only prove, That God is patient to endure, That we are compassed by His love.

That not one deed escapes His eye— That not one cry will go unheard— That not one sin does He pass by, So sure and steadfast is His word.

R. B. GASS.

"There's no use in talking," says W. H. Broadwell, druggist, Ly Cygn Kas, "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhea Remedy does the work. After taking medicine of my own preparation and those of others I took a dose of Chamberlain's and it helped me; a second dose cured me. Candidly and conscientiously I can recommend it as the best thing on the market. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale at Orme's drug store.

The President has decided to go to Nashville June 12. His party will include Mrs. McKinley, the Cabinet officers, and their wives, and brief stops will be made along the route in Kentucky, Tennessee and North Carolina.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

To be held at the Princeton District Conference, Thursday, June 16.

The following is the programme of the Princeton District Sunday School Convention, which will be held in conjunction with the District Conference in the Methodist church at Marion, June 16:

Sermon Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., by J. T. Rushing.

Thursday Morning Session.

1. 9:00, Devotional exercises.

2. Organization.

3. The Relation of children to the church—Fraser, Cambell, McDaniel, and Cobb.

4. Qualifications of Teachers—Sheffer, Boggess, Archer and Abin.

5. Pastors and Supts reports.

6. Preaching at 11 by B. F. Sheffer.

Afternoon Session.

1. Devotional exercises.

2. Sunday School literature—Browder, Reid, Bennett and Guess.

3. Pastor's relation to the Sunday school—Russell, McConnell and Mitchell.

4. Uses and abuses of lesson helps—J. T. Rushing, W. W. Price, and R. Johnson.

5. Parents and the Sunday school—Hardison, Brandon and Crowe.

6. Pastors and Supts reports.

Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

S. C. Allen, P. E.

FANCY GROCERIES!

and Confectioneries.

I have opened a stock of Fancy Groceries Confectioneries in Marion. Always the freshest and best goods on hands.

Fine Candies, Fruits of all kinds, Summer Drinks of every kind, lunches served at all hours.

W. H. Copher has been employed as salesman, and shall be glad to have his friends call.

A. J. BUTLER.

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Pianos and Organs.

LOW PRICES, EASY TERMS.

I am agent for the old reliable firm of Harding & Miller, of Evansville, and handle the best instruments made. We sell at the lowest prices, and on terms so easy that anybody can buy and pay for a piano or organ. If you are thinking of buying, I will be pleased to call on you, show the instruments and make prices and terms. Prompt attention given to mail orders.

W. O. WOODALL, Crayneville, Ky.

Wall Paper.

Having purchased the largest and most select stock of paper ever brought to the county. I invite the public to call and examine my stock

Respectfully,

Jas. H. Orme.

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Everything but interest on money is low.

The idea that the tariff is a tax is pretty generally accepted now.

Dr. Hunter will not contest the seat of John Rhea in congress.

Even the goldbugs are beginning to find out that there are perilous times.

Even the New York Herald has risen to remark: "Things can not go on as they are."

The farmer is bustling now to make the grain for the big speculators to make money on next year.

Mr. Hanna does not seem to be the chairman of the Senate; on the other hand he is but one of the boys in the remotest trenches.

If a new crop of money was being made by Uncle Sam, the owners of the old crop would not keep their holdings piled up in New York banks.

The Democrats of Kentucky will go forth to do battle on a free silver platform again this year. The right can never be surrendered and will ultimately prevail.

Weyer declares that Cuba is pacified and the Louisville Post knows that free silver is dead. In each instance the wish is father to the thought. That's all.

Kentucky papers are at a premium in Texas newspaper offices. Texas has an extra session of the Legislature on its hands, and her newspapers are in search of descriptive adjectives.

Gov. Bradley has refused to approve the April payroll for the Edwille prison on the ground that the expense for guards exceeds the limit fixed by the prison commissioners, and that the payroll included full pay for Warden Happy, although the Warden had been absent half the time.

Mr. Courtney Yates, of Smithland was in town Saturday. He came up to deliver a number of copies of his book, which had been subscribed for by Marion people. The book, "Chronicles of a Kentucky Settlement," is a narrative of events which transpired in the early history of Livingston county. Besides the general narrative the author gives us a view of life in the palmy days of old Salem, the characteristics and story of men who lived here before the present generation appeared upon the stage. The identity of the characters is hidden behind fictitious names but the natives of this section, having heard around the fireside somewhat of many things told in the book, can soon recognize most of the people whom the author has made to appear as Joseph Adair, Christopher Howard, Col. Andrew Lovell, Judge Gilroy, James Brantley, James Dancan, preacher Wright, et al.

There is just enough of the romantic to lend spice, and the historical is ingeniously woven in without any warp of "blood and thunder," and without a single prosaic thread in it.

In his message to Congress in December, 1890, following the passage of the law requiring four million ounces of silver to be coined every month President Harrison, referring to the law, said:

"The increased circulation secured by the act has exerted and will continue to exert a most beneficial influence upon business and upon trade. The enlargement of our currency by the silver bill undoubtedly gave an upward tendency to trade, and had a marked effect on prices. But this natural and desired effect of the silver legislation was by many erroneously attributed to the new tariff act."

No one has ever disputed this statement. It stands uncontradicted to this day. "The enlargement of our currency by the coinage of silver, put activity into trade and exercised a most beneficial influence upon business." If that remedy was good in 1890, when business was languishing, why would it not be a good tonic in 1897?

If "this natural and desired effect of legislation favorable to silver was erroneously attributed" to a bill increasing the tariff in 1890, why expect relief by the passage of a bill increasing the tariff in 1897?

Benjamin Harrison was President of the United States, when he wrote that message, and he was not "talking through his hat."

A general strike of miners is to be ordered in Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia. More than 50,000 miners will be affected.

GENERAL NEWS.

Chicago's population is estimated at 1,800.

A race war in Pope county, Ark., has resulted in five deaths.

Attendance at the Nashville Exposition during May exceeded 200,000.

On June 20 Queen Victoria will have reigned over England for sixty years.

Gov. Budd, of California has fixed June 11 for the hanging of Theodore Durrant.

Three women are implicated in a ballot box fraud in Colorado, where women vote.

Many New York theaters may be compelled to close on account of the lack of patronage.

All of the \$200,000 appropriated by the general government for the flood sufferers was used.

Spanish officials ridicule the assertion that the lives of United States Consuls in Cuba are in danger.

An earthquake shock was felt in Eastern Kentucky, and in Ohio, Virginia, Georgia and Tennessee Monday.

About 670,000 persons are receiving pensions in the United States. Of this number 104,000 live in Ohio.

Hon. Whitlaw Reid has accepted the post of Special Ambassador, from the United States to the Queens Jubilee.

President McKinley is expected to pass through Louisville June 11, on his way to the Nashville Centennial Exposition.

The Presbyterian Assembly at Charlotte, N. C., last week, voted to organize a separate church for the colored Presbyterians.

About twenty five hundred of the striking garment makers in New York have returned to work, leaving 22,400 still out.

Taylor county Republicans have nominated a Democrat for School Superintendent. The Democrat is a woman.

In Barren county a negro, Talbot Stone, assaulted Miss Moore, a teacher, and he had to be taken out of the county to escape a mob.

The Supreme court of Indiana decides that bribery or attempted bribery renders a candidate ineligible to office in that state.

It is reported by the Philadelphia Junta that Gomez is coming to the United States to discuss Cuban affairs with President McKinley.

The first Mormon church, erected in Kentucky, will be dedicated in June. It is on the dividing line between Green and Metcalf counties.

"Divine Healer" Schrader was stoned out of Clayton, Mo., a suburb of St. Louis, by a crowd of men and boys who refused to hear him speak.

Congressman Smith, of Kentucky will introduce a resolution to amend the constitution in order that Senators may be elected by popular vote.

Austin Gallaher, the only surviving playmate of Abraham Lincoln during the latter's early life in Kentucky is at the point of death. He is now ninety one years old.

The trial of Henry O. Havemeyer President of the Sugar Trust, for contempt in refusing to answer the questions of the United States Senate, resulted in acquittal.

Commander Booth-Tucker, of the Salvation Army, has been convicted in New York of maintaining a disorderly house. All night meetings were too much for the neighbors.

Ex Secretary Carlisle has not removed to New York, as has been reported. He will retain his residence in Washington until next winter, and then he will probably remove to New York.

The New Jersey Legislature was called in extra session last week. The session lasted just seven hours, and was called for the purpose of correcting an error in a bill passed at a former session.

Mr. Pettigrew, of South Dakota introduced by request a bill authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to contract for the construction of an air navigating machine to be used by the weather bureau.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are today its warmest friends. For sale at Orme's.

The white widow of Fred Douglass has offered an acre of ground, on which to erect a monument to her husband's memory. She wants the monument paid for by penny contributions from every colored person in the United States.

Orders have been given to Spanish commanders to kill all insurgents who surrender. This order was issued because Col. Monte de Oca, who surrendered some time ago, left for the field again, having organized a large party of men, who joined the insurgents.

Colored citizens of Tecumseh county Oklahoma have applied to Governor Renfrow for aid. They say that notices have been left on their doors, telling them to leave the territory under pain of death. Most of the men are cowed and afraid to resist and several have already left.

At a meeting of the tobacco men in Louisville last week, a strong protest against the increase of tax on tobacco, as proposed by the tariff bill, was passed. A committee was appointed to lay the protest before the Finance committee of the Senate.

A couple of St. Louis men propose to aid the Cuban cause by bombarding the Spanish forts with dynamite from a balloon. Their plan has been carefully prepared and they are in correspondence with the insurgent leaders preparatory to beginning the aerial warfare.

State Agent Burch, of the Tennessee Centennial, has advised Director General Lewis that the tree on which Daniel Boone carved "D. Boone killed a bear on tree in the year 1760," should not be cut down and taken to the Centennial. Mr. Burch says the tree is good for another hundred years.

An earthquake was felt in Cincinnati about 1 o'clock in the afternoon last Monday. The vibrations were felt in tall buildings. A great wave swept across the lake at the Ludlow Lagoon. Helens Laughlin and Josie Patterson, who were out in a small boat, had a narrow escape.

A Helena, Mont., Dispatch says: The Cheyenne Indians have gone on the warpath and are said to have killed almost a dozen men, including five United States soldiers. The white settlers are up in arms and the women and children are all being sent in to the Northern towns for safety.

Near Welch, West Va., while J. H. White and wife were away from home visiting recently, some one supposed to be an enemy of the family, fired the house and five children, aged from four to twelve years, were burned to death. Bloodhounds have been called to track the criminals.

The schooner John D. Long, and the tug Alexander Jones, which left Wilmington, N. C., May 18 are said to have taken a load of war supplies which were transferred off the coast of Florida to the filibuster Dauntless and were landed in Cuba. Another expedition is said to have left Seminole Key, Fla.

The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "from a Russian source comes news of a conspiracy against King George of Greece far more deeply rooted than was supposed. There is indubitable evidence that Premier Ralli and his colleagues in the cabinet are gravely implicated in a plot to overthrow the dynasty."

The silver Republicans of Ohio, in conference Thursday, seventy five delegates being in attendance, adopted resolutions denouncing the financial policy of the government, declaring in favor of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and pledging their support to the party that will labor to bring about favorable legislation.

President Ingalls of the Big Four and Chesapeake and Ohio railroads, proposes that the next world's fair shall be held in Cincinnati in 1903 to celebrate the centennial of Ohio's admission into the Union. For the vast work he says that five years and \$5,000,000 will be needed, and he proposes that Cincinnati shall at once set about to raise the sum. President Ingalls wants the next centennial city built in one of the suburbs to Cincinnati.

Marshal Walter Holland, of Murray shot and fatally wounded Arthur Dunn, colored, Saturday evening about 8:30 o'clock. Dunn had made his escape from the town prison and was pursued by the town marshal. When the officer located his man and went to arrest him, the latter drew his pistol and fired. Marshal Holland knocked the negro's pistol up, and was discharged and the ball took effect in his shoulder. The officer immediately opened fire on Dunn, shooting him in the bowels three times. The negro lived until 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning when he died from his wounds. Marshal Holland was exonerated by the coroner's jury as having acted clearly in self defense.

The Oklahoma government has made formal objection to receiving Dr. Frank B. Angell, of Michigan, as Minister of the United States to Turkey. It is said the Porte does not want as the diplomatic representative of this country at Constantinople a man in close touch and sympathy with the Christian missionary element in the Sultan's possessions.

The number of saloons in New York has been decreased by 7,437 since the original Rains law went into effect on April 30, 1896, or in a little over a year. It is expected there will be a gradual decrease each year, owing to the operation of this law.

WEDDING BELLS.

At the residence of Mr. W. B. Yandell Wednesday afternoon, Mr. W. M. Thomas, of Hopkins county, and Miss Lila Hubbard, of this place, were united in marriage, Rev. T. C. Carter officiating.

Quite a number of friends witnessed the ceremony, and after congratulations, Mr. Thomas and wife left for his home near Dalton.

The bride has been a member of Mr. W. B. Yandell's family for a number of years, and is known as a most excellent young lady; the groom is a prosperous farmer and stands high in his community.

Ainsworth-Clement.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. L. Clement, in Marion, Wednesday, June 2, Mr. Julian Ainsworth and Miss Lina Clement, Rev. R. T. McConnell, of Carverville, officiating. The parlors of Mrs. Clement's home were filled with friends of the contracting parties, and hearty were the congratulations the young couple received. Mr. Ainsworth and bride left shortly after the ceremony for their home near Irma.

The bride is one of the most popular young ladies in Marion. She has been a teacher in the school at this place, and is valued highly by every one who knows her.

The groom was a student in the high school two terms, and his manly deportment and industrious habits commended him to the good will of all; and he has many friends in Marion, and all congratulate him upon his good luck in winning the heart and hand of so estimable young lady.

McCaun-McFarland.

Dr. J. H. McCaun and Miss Blanche McFarland, both of Carverville, were married at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. Craig, at Elba, on Monday evening. Miss McFarland is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of one of the pioneers of Davison county, and a most estimable young lady in every particular, while the groom is a highly esteemed young physician who is intelligent, active professionally as well as in every enterprise of a public and progressive nature. Each had, and now both have innumerable substantial and admiring friends. -Owensboro Messenger.

Dr. McCaun resided in Marion some years ago and has many friends here who will join with the Press in wishing continued happiness to himself and his bonny bride.

ERUPTION FEARED.

Fissure a Mile and a Half Long Appears in the Mountains.

Bristol, Tenn., May 31.—Two rather violent earthquake shocks were felt in Bristol today at 1:57 p. m., Washington time. The vibrations were from north to south; buildings swayed to and fro and some chimneys fell. The disturbance lasted more than a minute and caused much fright. The shocks have been experienced in Giles county, Va., east of here, nightly since the 25th and families are moving out. An eruption is expected in the mountains near Pearisburg, Va., where, it is said, the seismic disturbances have caused a fissure a mile and a half in length.

Baptist Association.

The Baptists of Kentucky will meet in the sixtieth annual session of their general association in Georgetown, Ky., on Wednesday morning, June 16th, at 10 o'clock. The annual sermon will be preached at night by the Rev. E. V. Baldy, of Bowling Green. The Kentucky Baptist ministers' meeting, of which the Rev. Dr. Joseph M. Weaver, of Louisville, is president, will meet Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, June 16, in the first Baptist church, Georgetown, Ky. Mr. Mason W. Sherrill, of Louisville, is the only one living who was a member of the general association when it organized sixty years ago. Although in feeble health, he will probably attend this session.

Sunday School Gathering.

Greens Chapel, May 30.—There was a big gathering at this place today. It was a Sunday school mass meeting, and a large crowd was present quite a number of people from Union county. There were several addresses and fine singing. Dinner was spread on the ground and there was plenty to eat and to spare; withal it has been a great day for the cause and a pleasant, profitable one for the people.

New York, May 31.—Mark Twain is dying in the most humble lodgings in London. Utterly broken down, mentally and physically, his once brilliant mind incapable of further effort and almost penniless, his life is drawing to a close. Friends of the great author in this city have received word of his distress. They say his condition is brought about by a broken heart.

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AT R. E. BIGHAM'S STORE.

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

We will sell you Dry Goods, Dress Braid, Laces, Embroideries, Notions,

Gents Neckweares, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Clothing, Big stock Custom-made and medium price Shoes

We Close out the Entire Stock at Lower Prices than you can find elsewhere

We mean business and the above stock is going to sell REGARDLESS OF COST PRICES. If you want bargains, call early.

Next Door to Pierces Hardware Store. WILL BROWNING, Salesman.

AMONG THE FARMERS.

J. H. McDowell, of Shady Grove, says there will not be more than half the acreage of tobacco in his section this year.

Mr. J. C. Adams has cut down his tobacco acreage this year. His crop will be twenty five per cent less than last year. He is done setting, having finished yesterday.

Mr. A. Crossen was in town Tuesday. This, he says, is the first year for twenty five, that he has not raised tobacco. This year there will not be a plant on his farm.

Messrs. S. G. Clark and Clark Dorroh of the Salem valley were in town Thursday. They are among the prosperous farmers of Livingston county, and each owns a fine farm in the famous valley.

Mr. J. F. Conger, one of the thrifty farmers of Pleasant Hill neighborhood, had nine acres of tobacco set the middle of last week. He tells us he has wheat that will yield 25 bushels per acre. If any one has a good crop, Frank is sure to be that one.

W. C. Tyner has plowed his corn three times and says he has the best in the neighborhood, but the best is nothing extra. Notwithstanding his superior farming qualities Mr. Tyner finds time occasionally to fox hunt. He has the finest pack of hounds in the county.

When a cold is contracted, cure it at once. One Minute cough cure will set you on the road to recovery in a minute. It will cure pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and all forms of lung and throat troubles. At R. F. Haynes

GREENS CHAPEL.

Mrs. Martha Sullivan and Miss Mollie Truitt visited friends in the Sugar Grove neighborhood last week. Rev. Hoyt lectured at the school house last Saturday night in the interest of the A. P. A. society. His lecture was good and we would be pleased to know that every voter in the United States would take up the same idea regarding Catholicism.

Messrs. M. A. Wilson and A. Avitt attended a supper of strawberries and ice at Caseyville Tuesday night.

Henry Farrar and wife, of Cave in Rock, Ill., visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

The Sunday school picnic at this place Sunday was a grand success. People were present from all parts of the country and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The lectures by Revs. Biddle, Bennett, L. T. Price and B. F. McMeen were splendid. The welcome address by Miss Lillie Wilson was delivered with ease and was good, making everyone feel at home. After the programme for the picnic had been completed Charley Brown, the "Boy Evangelist" preached a short but good sermon, and as an appreciation of same a very nice collection was given him by our good and charitable people.

Mr. F. is a very conversant little gentleman and will tell you about his beautiful State, with a capital building alone that cost six million dollars.

Very respectfully, W. B. Cruce.

Mr. Frog arrived on time in good health and fine spirits, and seems to be enjoying Kentucky sunshine—Ed. Press.

FREDONIA.

Miss Anna Dorr, of Marion, was visiting relations here last week.

Rev. Payne of Princeton preached at the M. E. church Sunday.

Rev. J. P. Halsey preached at Jackson school house at 3 p. m. last Sunday.

Rev. J. N. Halsey of Houston, Tex. preached at the C. P. church Sunday night.

Clair and Marshall McDonald, of Bell Buckle, Tenn., were in town last Sunday, en route to Vincennes, Ind., to visit friends.

Miss Nettie Wigginton attended church at Flatrock Sunday.

Mrs. O. L. Dear of Franklin, who has been visiting here for several weeks returned home last Thursday.

Mrs. G. R. Caldwell has been very sick for a week or two.

Misses Sadie and Nellie Thomas of Marion have been visiting their aunt Mrs. B. A. Whitlock, during the past week.

Misses May and Georgie Garner, were visiting Mrs. H. C. Tarley of Orford last week.

Miss Maud Dodds, of Orford was very sick last week but is improving.

Extend the Summer School

All our Students will have the opportunity of attending the Kentucky State Teachers' Association, which meets in Bowling Green June 29-30 and July 1, 1897. If you want a better education, prepare yourself for teaching, get a better certificate, or to take a thorough COMMERCIAL COURSE, it will pay you to write to us. Special Emphasis put on the STATE TEACHERS' COURSE. You can enter now and find classes to suit you. Mention Course wanted. Write now. SOUTHERN NORMAL SCHOOL and Bowling Green Business College, Bowling Green, Ky.

NOTICE.

Change in Election Precincts.

At the April term, 1897, of the Crittenden county court, it was ordered that the Dycusburg magisterial district be and the same is hereby divided into two voting precincts, and that the voting place of one shall be at Dycusburg, which shall be known as Dycusburg precinct No. 5, and the other voting place shall be at Frances which shall be known as Frances precinct No. 12. The line dividing Dycusburg precinct into the two precincts is and shall be as follows:

Beginning at the Bishop bridge, on Livingston creek; thence to F. N. Dalton's, leaving him in Dycusburg; thence to W. B. Oliver's, leaving him in Dycusburg; thence to Sam C. Ben nett's, leaving him in Dycusburg; thence to John M. Brown's; thence to George Parish; thence to John A. Yandell's; thence to Ed. Asbridge's; thence to David Brown's; thence to Wm. Reid's; at Clay Creek, leaving the said Ham by, Brown, Parish, Yandell, Millican Asbridge, Brown and Reid in Frances precinct.

It is also ordered by the court that Marion precinct No. 4 be and the same is hereby curtailed, and the portion cut off by the line herein designated be and the same is hereby added to Marion No. 3. The line curtailing said precinct is and shall be as follows:

Beginning in Main street in Marion, between the bank building and Marion hotel; thence east to the street at Dr. J. H. Clark's and Robt. Hodge's; thence with said street south to depot street; thence eastward with depot street and road to Lemuel Clark's, leaving him in No. 4; thence to John A. Hunt's, leaving him in No. 3; thence to the John Hunt place leaving it in No. 3; thence with the new public road to Wilson's Chapel, on the Flynn Ferry road; thence a straight line from said chapel to Bob Brown's place, leaving it in No. 3.

D. Woods, Clerk C. C.

Growing Children

One-third of all the children die before they are five years old. Most of them die of some wasting disease. They grow very slowly; keep thin in flesh; are fretful; food does not do them much good. You can't say they have any disease, yet they never prosper. A slight cold, or some stomach and bowel trouble takes them away easily.

SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites is just the remedy for growing children. It makes hard flesh; sound flesh; not soft, flabby fat. It makes strong bones, healthy nerves. It changes poor children to children rich in prosperity.

Book about it free for the asking. No substitute for Scott's Emulsion will do for the children what we know Scott's Emulsion will do. Get the genuine.

For sale by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. SCOTT & BOWNE, NEW YORK.

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Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work.

Hood's Pills

Not only acute lung troubles which may prove fatal, in a few days, but old chronic coughs and throat trouble may receive immediate relief and be permanently cured by Scott's Emulsion cough cure. At Haynes.

Tired Mothers

and Help in Hood's Sarsaparilla, which gives them pure blood, a good appetite and new and needed STRENGTH.

Thirty years is a long time to fight so painful a trouble as piles, but Jacob Little, of Unionville, Pa., struggled that long before he tried the De Witt Witch Hazel Salve, which quickly and permanently cured him. It is equally as effective in eczema and all skin affections. At Haynes.

Practical Jeweler

LEVI COOK.

Has opened a Jeweler shop in J. L. Barnes millinery store, next door to Pierce-Yandell-Guganbath Co. Repairing of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry of all kinds done.

Mr. Cook has had three years experience; he has a fine set of tools and guarantees all work.

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OUR BREAD

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

New goods at Fohl's.

The Prusse and Louisville Dispatch for \$1.65.

German millet at J. P. Pierce's.

L. H. James went to Louisville Tuesday.

Haynes' drugstore is being treated to a new floor.

Schwab has a number of "wool pickers" at work.

Mr. J. A. Pierce, of Salem, was in town Tuesday.

Born to the wife of Will Hughes, May 29, a fine girl.

Mr. A. J. Hill is spending the week with friends in town.

Mr. Will Hendrick of Smithland was in town Saturday.

Mr. J. A. Demaris' family is visiting friends at Cave-in-Rock.

W. E. Enochs moved to the Hebron neighborhood this week.

Miss Esther Smith, of Sturgis, is the guest of friends in Marion.

The postoffice fixtures at this place have been sold to the Salem office.

Born to the wife of John Baker May 31, a handsome 10 lb. girl.

Crittenden county will be well represented at Smithland this week.

G. F. Jennings has just completed a new residence for M. K. Ashbridge.

Mr. Henry Ledbetter, of Elizabethtown, Ill., spent Sunday in Marion.

Mr. O. M. James is attending the State Convention at Frankfort this week.

J. H. Walker, of Henderson spent Sunday with his parents in this place.

Mr. H. L. Elder and wife will go to Union county today to visit their daughter.

J. B. Walker, representing the Geiser Mfg. Co., of Waynesboro, Pa., is in town.

One of the attractions of the Springs this year will be a splendid string band.

W. M. Freeman is building a residence on Depot street, where his mother once stood.

Mr. W. H. Crider delivered forty head of hogs yesterday to Thos. Carter at this place.

Rev. Grant Hughes returned home from Clinton Monday where he has been attending school.

Mr. Urie Kevil and wife of Princeton spent Sunday with their son, J. B. Kevil of this place.

Miss Elizabeth Hillbourne, of Carmi, Ill., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. W. Kerr, of this place.

Miss Maggie Moore left this week for Bowling Green, where she will attend Cherry Bros. school.

Mr. J. A. Farmer and wife, of Evansville, were guests of Mr. Vick-ers' family the first of the week.

Mr. C. J. Burgett has drawn plans for a residence for Mr. T. C. Jamison. The structure will be on Depot street.

The town of Salem has revised its by-laws, and is preparing to do business as a first class and thriving little city should.

W. O. Wilson, the at fresco type of Uniontown, was in Marion Saturday distributing bills for the Uniontown Fair. "Buck" is a whole team and is "buck" to open.

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT

Thomas Mayes and Wife Knocked Senseless by the Cars.

Both Are Badly Hurt and Mrs. Mayes May Not Recover.

Tuesday evening the northbound passenger train ran into the buggy of Mr. G. T. Mayes at what is known as the Geo. Howerton crossing, three miles north of town, and near Mr. G. W. Howerton's residence, and as a result Mrs. Mayes is lying at death's door, and Mr. Mayes is badly bruised up, and it will be a long time before he is fully recovered.

Mr. Mayes and wife were returning home from town, and the road was pretty well filled with people returning from the show. Mr. Mayes and wife were just in the rear of a wagon and other vehicles were just behind them. As they neared the crossing the train whistled, but the driver in front calculated that he could make the crossing easily enough as the train appeared some distance down the road. Mr. Mayes likewise came to the erroneous conclusion that he could follow the wagon across in ample time to avoid the approaching train. Just as the buggy got squarely on the track, the cowcatcher struck the vehicle, smashed two wheels into splinters and sent the buggy flying over the embankment. The harness gave way and the horse was freed, while the buggy and its occupants fell in a heap twenty feet away. When picked up Mr. and Mrs. Mayes were both unconscious. They were carried to Mr. Howerton's physicians were summoned. Drs. J. H. Clark and E. M. Newcomb arrived in a short time. A large, ugly gash over the left eye was the chief wound on Mr. Mayes, and over Mrs. Mayes' left ear a wound three inches long laid bare the skull. Mr. Mayes soon recovered sufficiently to get up and walk about. Yesterday at noon Mrs. Mayes was still unconscious, but the physicians thought her condition improved, and she may possibly recover.

Dr. Letcher, the railroad physician came down from Henderson yesterday evening. As soon as possible after the accident the train was stopped and the trainmen did all in their power for the wounded.

Mr. Mayes and wife are old people and their home is near Mattoon.

BADLY HURT.

Miss Josie Clement Thrown From a Buggy and Picked Up Unconscious.

Monday Miss Josie Clement drove to town to attend to some business and started home just before noon. About two miles from town the horse she was driving became frightened and ran away, and the buggy was overturned and Miss Josie was severely hurt. The horse ran to West Rice's, and Mr. Rice, seeing that something was wrong, went to investigate and found Miss Clement unconscious on the roadside. She was carried to his house and a physician summoned. It was feared that some internal injuries had been sustained, but at 11 o'clock the sufferer is resting easy and it is thought that she will soon recover.

House Burned.

The residence of Mr. G. W. Horning, two miles from town, was destroyed by fire a few days ago. The fire occurred during the night, and when the family awoke it was too late to save any of the household goods, and everything was lost. Mr. Horning is a poor man, and the loss is a large one to him.

Notice to Local Preachers

Of the Princeton district. Local preachers who expect to apply to the Princeton District Conference for recommendation for deacons or elders' orders are requested to meet the committee of examination at the Methodist church, in Marion, June 16th, 9 a. m.

J. D. Fraser,
Chairman Committee.

District Convention.

The members of the Democratic committee of Fords Ferry managerial district are hereby called to meet at Fords Ferry at 2 o'clock, p. m., Saturday June 12, 1897, for the purpose of nominating candidates for magistrates and constables.

J. H. Wood, Ch'n,
The Show.

There was an immense crowd in town Tuesday. The show brings them out for a day of relaxation. About one-third of those who came to town attended the show, and the tent was fairly filled. The balloon ascension was the most attractive feature of the show. The aeronaut went up some 600 or 1000 feet, and cut his parachute loose and landed on the ground safe and sound. It was a small show, but some of the features were very good. There were but few fairs along, but some of the boys managed to find them and give them some money. Some people will always be green.

DECORATION DAY

Observed by Appropriate Ceremonies in Marion.

Flowers Upon the Graves of Soldiers, Music and Speeches.

Decoration Day, with its hallowed and solemn memories, has come and gone. Nearly thirty years ago, at the instance of John A. Logan, the soldier's true friend, the Congress of the United States set apart the 30th day of May as a day to be devoted to the memory of those that gave their lives that the Nation might live.

This year the 30th of May came on Sunday, and for that reason Saturday the 29th was set apart as the day to be observed.

The early morning did not appear very favorable, but it was cool and pleasant, and as the day wore on the clouds cleared up and the weather proved to be all we could wish.

The attendance was fully as large as we expected, the contributions of flowers were liberal and the exercises all passed off without a hitch. How interesting or uninteresting they may have been to others than ourselves, must be judged by others.

The opera house was well filled by 9 o'clock, and the exercises were opened with a few appropriate remarks by the Commander of the Post, and after prayer had been offered by the Chaplain, W. F. Paris, an address of welcome was delivered by A. C. Moore, in his usual felicitous and appropriate style; and was listened to by an attentive and appreciative audience. The address was appropriately responded to by Commander J. M. Walker. Then a recitation, "The Nation's Debt," by Archie Campbell of Caldwell county, and Will Carlton's Memorial poem, "Cover Them Over," by Miss Carrie Moore, completed the indoor exercises of the morning.

The procession then formed in the street, headed by the veterans of the "Blue and the Gray," followed by the sons of veterans. The Flag and Flower brigade, in charge of Mrs. Henri Cameron, came next, followed by a long concourse of people, men, women and children.

The entire procession, under command of Marshal of the day, F. S. Loyd, assisted by assistant marshal, J. R. B. Cole and Senior Vice Commander, A. C. Deboe and other officers of the Post, marched to the new cemetery and with appropriate ceremonies decorated the following graves: R. F. Haynes, Capt. Co. E 20th Kentucky Infantry.

J. V. Guthrie, Co. J 1st Ky. Cav. Charles E. Koons, Co. K 22nd Ohio Infantry.

Thence to the old cemetery and deposited floral tributes on the graves of the following deceased comrades: D. A. Elder, Corporal Co. E 29th Illinois Infantry.

Wm. A. Elder, Co. B 3d Kentucky Cavalry.

Robert M. Burland, who was not a member of any organization, but was recruiting a company for the Union army when he was killed.

Wm. R. Gregory, Co. E 48th Illinois Infantry.

Thos. J. Cameron, Co. L 8th Kentucky Cavalry.

John S. Black, Quartermaster 20th Kentucky Infantry.

A soldier whose name is said to have been either Cooke or Poole, belonging to either a Wisconsin or Illinois regiment, and who was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun on the Morganfield road, about two and a half miles from Marion, in 1864.

The grave of Maj. Berry D. Young was not decorated because, unfortunately, it could not be identified.

After the services were over we learned that Amos Witherspoon, whose remains rest in the old cemetery, was a soldier in Co. E 8th Kentucky Cavalry. We very much regret that his grave was overlooked; but while we knew that comrade Witherspoon was buried there we had never learned that he was a soldier.

We spared no pains in endeavoring to identify every soldier's grave.

After dinner the people repaired to the opera house and spent the afternoon with speeches and music.

W. J. L. Hughes read an address on the "American Flag." W. H. Walker delivered an able and eloquent address on "American Patriotism," and W. A. Blackburn delivered an excellent oration on "The American Volunteer Soldier."

Rev. J. F. Price made a short but very appropriate talk and the exercises closed with an address by Commander J. M. Walker.

We extend the hearty thanks of Crittenden Post to all who in any way aided us or favored us with their attendance; and we feel especially grateful to Mrs. Henri Cameron and all the members of the Floral committee for their untiring work; to Messrs. Will Woodall and Mack Bushing and the Misses Vic and Henri Cameron and Ollie Wallace for their sweet and excellent music; and last, but not least, we will never forget Messrs. Ed. Gray and Joe Bourland for their martial music. Whenever those two young men desire promotion, from President of the United States down,

they will find Crittenden Post solid at their backs.

Thirty-two years, with their joys and their sorrows, their sunshine and their storms, have rolled by since the thunders of civil war ceased their mutterings, the sombre clouds dispersed, and the sky cleared up. Thirty-two springs have scattered sunlight, and grass and flowers over the graves of our fallen comrades, from Bull Run to Appomattox. Thirty-two winters have gently covered them over with winding sheets of snow.

When in 1865 the Union soldiers stacked their arms took off their knapsacks and cartridge boxes, and doffed their old, dusty, ragged uniforms and threw them into the common heap, they threw all their animosities into the pile also, and returned to their homes, happy in the thought that their country was once more united, and patiently and patriotically proceeded to do their part in building up what the ravages of war had torn down.

We do not meet on these solemn occasions to keep alive the appetites of the war, as some appear to think; but to pay a tender tribute to the memory of those who shared with us all the hardships that can not be fully appreciated by any, however patriotic, that did not experience them. In doing this we cherish no ill or unkind feeling toward any one. In loving each other we need not and do not hate anybody else.

Of all classes of people none will more heartily welcome the time when in sentiments of loyalty and patriotism there will be no North, no South, no East, no West than will the ex-Union soldier.

With unfaltering loyalty and devotion to our country and its institutions, "with charity for all and malice toward none," we will continue these annual meetings, and with loving devotion pay this tender tribute to the memory of our dear departed comrades and press the hands of the living, so long as two of us remain alive.

On behalf of Crittenden Post.

J. M. Walker, Com. Official: W. J. L. Hughes, Adj.

A NEW CHURCH.

The Presbyterians Complete Their Organization.

A new church has been organized at Tolu Sunday and a large crowd was present to witness and assist in the services. The commission appointed by the Paducah Presbytery to complete the organization were Revs. Miley, Caldwell and Spencer, and Mr. J. W. Blue. All were present. The organization sermon was preached by Rev. Spencer; his text was: "So that ye were examples to all them that dwell in Macedonia and Achaia."

The following officers were ordained and installed: Wm. Barnett and Christopher Shepherd, elders, A. J. Bennett and Dr. Trisler, deacons. The following is membership: Mrs. Susan Threlkeld, J. O. Brown and wife, W. L. Stinson and wife, Christopher Shepherd and wife, Wm. Barnett and wife, Chas. Bozeman and wife, Wm. Crawford and wife, A. J. Bennett and wife, Wallace Bennett and wife, Nannie Lemon and wife, Cynthia Thomas, Clyde Moore, Earnest and Mamie Boyd, Nannie Lemon and wife, Mrs. G. B. Crawford and Miss Blanche Crawford.

The organization of a church is an important event in any community. Who can estimate the value of a church, or tell its influence for good in shaping the destinies of individuals and communities? Hurricane, a neighborhood noted for its religious zeal, since the days of Col. Andrew Love, now has new reasons to congratulate itself upon this stong addition to the army of the Lord.

The new church is a strong one, embracing some of the best people in the county, and with their influence, and means the possibilities of the new church are great.

About \$800 has already been subscribed for a building and work on this line will be pushed until a house is completed. Rev. Miley will preach there on every Saturday night before the second Sunday and on the second Sunday at 11 o'clock.

PEARY'S PLANS.

The Explorer Will Find the North Pole or "Bust."

New York, June 1.—Lieut. Peary talked about his proposed expedition to make a sure thing of reaching the north pole, even if the effort should extend over ten years and cost \$150,000. He has secured a five year leave of absence from the navy, and a promise of the necessary financial backing. His plan embraces the so-called "station plan," and a dash, with light sleds and skilled Eskimau drivers, over the shortest line possible to the apex of the earth.

Deeds Recorded.

W. I. Paris to J. R. Braisher, 50 acres for \$450.

W. T. Perry to N. H. Motes exchange of town lots.

Marriage Licenses.

Wm. M. Thomas and Miss Lula Hubbard.

To Trustees.

No poll sheets for trustees' election have been sent me. If I get them in time I will mail them to you. If you do not get them use other paper. Supt. Davidson says they are not yet ready.

Minna Wheeler.

County Court Orders.

Lizzie Blansitt was allowed \$4.00 per month for the benefit of Mrs. Jane Duacan.

J. G. McCain was appointed road overseer.

Pocket Book Lost.

Lost between Marion and J. W. Robeson's or in Marion, purse containing a ten dollar bill, and \$1.25 in silver. The finder will please leave it at the Press office and be rewarded.

Ben Dickerson.

Notice.

The Sunday School Institute to be held at Enon Saturday before the fifth Sunday has been postponed indefinitely. Friends will please preserve the programme as published, and oblige.

J. B. McNeely.

Having sold my interest in the grocery business, I am to collect the accounts due me. If not paid at once I will be compelled to place them in the hands of an officer. Persons owing me will save cost by paying up at once.

S. D. Patmor.

Marion, Ky., May 24, 1897.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given the public that we will not pay certain notes executed to the Southern Mfg. Co. by E. R. Vick, principal, and J. W. Ray, security, and all persons are warned not to buy same with the expectation of payment.

E. R. Vick,

J. W. Ray,

Repton, Ky., May 21, 1897.

Potatoes For Sale.

I have a lot of Rose of Evan Irish potatoes for sale. It is a late potato; a new variety in this section, and as fine a potato as ever grew in this section.

GEO. D. HUGHES,

Weston, Ky.

My Wool Cards.

Are in first class order, with some new cards put on this spring, and I am doing as good work as all can be done with wool cards. All work guaranteed. Have been running for three weeks, and will do your work at any and all times. I have a fine emery stone for grinding plow points. Bring them on, don't run your points dull any longer.

Reespy.

S. J. Mitchell.

A House To Trade.

A new house and good lot to exchange for a farm.

B. F. McMican

A Bargain In a Home.

The Martha Linley property, a house of 7 rooms and two acres of ground, in Marion, is in my hands for sale at a bargain price.

R. C. Walker,

Real Estate Agent.

1600 People Take It.

And at least 6,000 people read it every week, and these 6,000 tell at least 4,000. THE PRESS we mean, of course. If you have a business, don't you think it will pay you to talk to these 10,000 about it. There is no way to reach these people so effectively and none cheaper.

What is it?

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H. F. RAY.

The Board of Trustees Marion Graded school have extended the time for the collection of unpaid tax for 1895 and 1896 to June 1st, with instructions to report all tax delinquents at that time for levy. Please settle and save cost.

H. A. Haynes, Treas.

May 18, 1897.

FIFTY DOLLARS A WEEK EASILY MADE. Agents wanted in every locality for Hon. W. J. Bryan's great and only book, "THE SINNER'S BATTLE." The best seller ever produced. Agents are taking as many as 200 orders per week. Beware of fraudulent imitations. Send for outfit and begin work at once.

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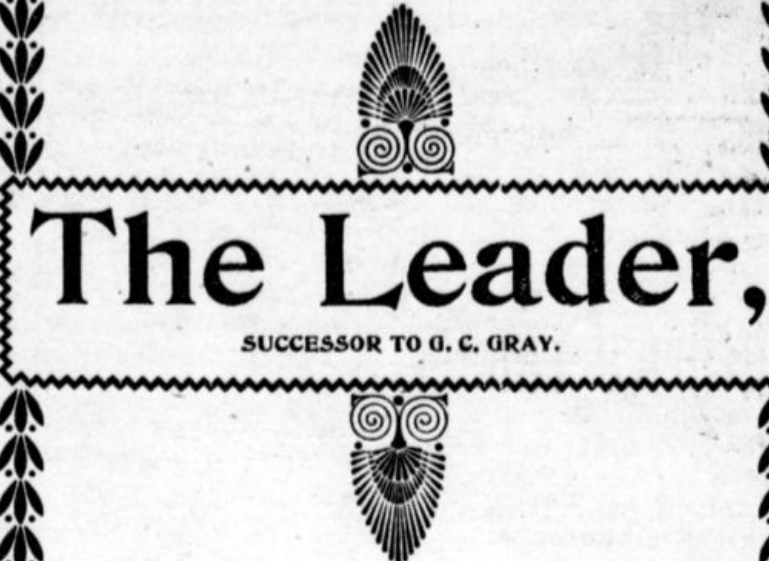
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To the Voters of Crittenden County.

At the earnest solicitation of my friends from all political parties, and in the meantime having received the nomination of my party, I do very willingly announce that I am a candidate for reelection to the office of county court clerk, and if elected, promise you a faithful discharge of the duties of said office. I feel thankful and do appreciate the favors you have shown me in the past, and I trust that no official or other act of mine has caused any one to regret the interest you have so manifested in my behalf in the past; and should you, by your influence and vote at the next November election, again favor me with said office, I will appreciate the favor as much as possible for man to do, and will use my best endeavors to make you a faithful and efficient officer, showing no distinction or partiality to any one on account of politics, position, creed or color.

Your obedient servant and friend,

D. Woods.

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Do you know that many broad minded physicians are using **Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup** in their practice. They have found no remedy that gave as satisfactory results for all throat and lung complaints as this great cough medicine. For sale at R. F. Haynes drug store.

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Foley's Kidney Cure is a safe, sure remedy for all kinds of kidney and bladder diseases. At Haynes.

FARMERS' COMBINE.

Will Organize to Hold the Wheat For Good Prices.

A Convention to be held in Louisville in July.

Versailles, Ky., May 25.—A movement was inaugurated here today by representative W. O. Ford county farmers looking toward the formation of a "Farmers' Trust," for the immediate regulation of the price of wheat, and for the permanent protection of agricultural interests.

The wheat crop of 1896 throughout the Middle States has been entirely exhausted, and in Woodford and adjoining counties there is hardly a crop to be had. Damaged wheat has recently been selling from ninety cents to one dollar a bushel. "Why not," say the farmers, "require the same price to be paid for the crop of 1897, as for the crop of 1896?"

At an informal meeting a plan was formulated which is to make a call upon all the farmers of Kentucky and Tennessee and each other States as may feel interested, to meet in mass conventions at their respective county seats, on or about the 25th June, and elect a delegate from each county to a bi or tri state convention, to be held in Louisville the first of July, for the purpose of organizing and perfecting a permanent Board of Farmers for the advancement of the farming interests, and with the immediate object of entering into an agreement to withhold from the market all of the present wheat crop for a period of thirty or sixty days, in the hope of compelling higher prices.

The growing wheat will be needed by the millers as soon as it is harvested, and as the Northwestern grain will not be available until some weeks later, the farmers feel like they now have the situation within their own hands, and they can starve out the buyers until they get living prices for the product.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec 19, 1892. Messrs. Ely Bros.: I have used Ely's Cream Balm a number of years and find it works like a charm. It has cured me of the most obstinate case of cold in the head in less than 48 hours from the time I felt the cold coming on. I would not be without it. Respectfully yours,

Fredk. Fries.

Cream Balm is kept by all druggists. Full size 50c.; trial size 10c.; we mail it.

Ely Bros., 56 Warren st., N. Y.

Hydrophobia Among Foxes.

A plague of mad foxes in the upper end of Tennessee river is reported by people arriving in Paducah in the last day or two. Old hunters say that dogs, cats, wolves and other animals have been known to become mad, and, forgetting their natural timidity, attack human beings, cattle and all living creatures that may cross their path. Up the Tennessee it is not quite so bad as all this. Still foxes evidently suffering from hydrophobia have entered barnyards in the low lands, and snapped at the farm animals, refusing to retreat and keeping up their deadly work until killed. The bodies of many dead foxes have also been found in the bottoms. In the extreme upper end of the Cumberland river the evil of rabid Reynolds is said to be much worse.

Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough cure is easy to take and will do what its name implies. At Haynes drug store.

Ohio Valley Earnings.

Receiver John McLeod, of the Ohio Valley railway, has filed his report of the earnings and expenses of the road from February and March in the office of the clerk of the United States Circuit Court. The earnings for February were: Freight \$13,979.64; passenger, \$7,791.32; miscellaneous, \$49.89; total \$21,819.85. The expenses were: Maintenance of way, \$4,223.61; maintenance of the equipment, \$11,053.44; general expenses, \$2,345.38; total \$21,346.10; net earnings, \$473.25. During the month of March the road earned in freight \$16,581.73; passenger, \$8,093.90; miscellaneous, \$44.70; total \$24,720.33. The expenses were: Maintenance of equipment \$3,514.84; conducting transportation \$10,827.20; general expenses, \$2,264.01; total expenses \$22,047.93; earnings \$2,702.45.

Electric Bitters.

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish, and a need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has of ten averted long and perhaps fatal bilious attacks. No medicine can so more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, constipation, dizziness yield to Electric Bitters 50 cents and \$1 per bottle at Orme's drug store.

HEAD SHOT OFF.

Brooklyn Taylor the Victim of an Accident Near Smithland.

Brooklyn Taylor, aged 10 years, and white, was shot and instantly killed near Smithland Thursday, by Walter Morris, aged sixteen years, colored.

The boys and several companions were out on the old Weaver farm, near town hunting rabbits. According to Morris story young Taylor ran up against the muzzle of the gun and the weapon, which he held cocked, was discharged. The charge at least tore the lad's head from his body, and his death was instantaneous.

The victim of this tragic occurrence was a son of Mr. S. C. Taylor, a prominent and well known citizen, who is a son of Rev B. T. Taylor, the Baptist minister.

Don't think your blood with sassafras or poison it with blue mass; but aid Nature by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, and stomach and liver troubles. They are purely vegetable. At Haynes.

GUERRILLA WOREFARE.

"Cuban Pig Meat For Sale" is the Spanish Way of Talking.

Havana, May 29, via Key West, Fla., May 30.—More than 150 persons have died from hunger at Artemisa, Pinar del Rio province. The concentration of pacificos near the towns continues, and Gen. Weyler has issued fresh orders to the army to kill every one found outside of the Spanish forts.

At San Antonio de Los Baños, in Havana province, six poor countrymen, after having been in the town for two days, without food, asked permission from the military commander to go one mile outside the forts for vegetables. Permission was granted, but half an hour later the local guerrilla force was sent out "to operate against the enemy." The guerrillas met the six pacificos and killed them. Their bodies were brought to the town and cut to pieces. In one of the streets these bodies were put on a table with this inscription:

"Cuba pig meat for sale. Meat of American pigs expected soon."

In medicine the best only is good enough. The best gives the quickest and longest relief without leaving any evil after effects. Dr. Ball's Peppermint Chill Tonic is mild. It does not rack your bones and shock your nerves. Take it and see the results. Chills and malaria disappear as snow before the sunshine of spring. The after effects are sound bone, rich red blood, good flesh and no more chills.

Blind Stagers.

Nearly a thousand horses have died near Hutchinson, Kansas, this winter from blind staggers or something much resembling that disease. The animals droop, refuse to eat, and seem to have no idea of distance. They will throw their heads against the stall and in getting their mouths into their feed boxes will strike their teeth violently against the bottom of the box. A post mortem examination shows that the brain has turned to a mass of corruption. Very few recover under treatment. Impure food is supposed to be the cause of the trouble.

PERFECT and permanent are the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it makes pure, rich, healthy, life and health-giving BLOOD.

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"For several years I was troubled with carbuncles on my left side and my back. They would disappear in winter and return the next summer. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have never had any carbuncles since. My little son had a fever and an indolent ulcer appeared on his left limb and spread half way around it. Our physician recommended a blood purifier and I gave the boy Hood's Sarsaparilla with gratifying results." A. G. B. JAMES, Polkville, Miss.

"I have been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism and in October began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. I continued its use until January when I could go about as well as any one and I have had no acute pains since." I. W. MERRICK, Grand Isle, Louisiana.

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Stop dragging yourself with quack nostrums or "cures." Get a well known pharmaceutical remedy that will do this work. **Catarrh and Cold** in the head will not cause suffering, if Ely's Cream Balm is used. Druggists will supply 10 cent trial size, or 50 cent full size, we mail it.

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DAILY	No. 1	DAILY	No. 3
Lv. Evansville.....	9:15 am	Ar. Henderson.....	4:30 pm
Ar. Henderson.....	7:02 "	Ar. Morganfield.....	6:03 "
Ar. Morganfield.....	7:55 "	Ar. Marion.....	7:35 "
Ar. Marion.....	10:31 "	Ar. Princeton.....	8:40 "
Ar. Princeton.....	11:30 pm	Ar. Hopkinsville.....	9:50 "

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

DAILY	No. 2	DAILY	No. 4
Lv. Hopkinsville.....	5:20 am	Ar. Princeton.....	3:30 pm
Ar. Princeton.....	6:37 "	Ar. Marion.....	4:45 "
Ar. Marion.....	7:31 "	Ar. Morganfield.....	5:41 "
Ar. Morganfield.....	9:02 "	Ar. Henderson.....	7:13 "
Ar. Henderson.....	9:32 "	Ar. Evansville.....	8:55 "

UNIONTOWN BRANCH.

Lv. Morganfield.....	9:10 am	Ar. Uniontown.....	7:15 pm
Ar. Uniontown.....	9:35 am	Ar. Uniontown.....	7:40 pm
Lv. Uniontown.....	7:35 am	Ar. Morganfield.....	5:25 pm
Ar. Morganfield.....	7:50 am	Ar. Evansville.....	8:50 pm

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GOING EAST.

No. 43.	No. 44.		
Lv. Henderson.....	7:20 a. m.	Ar. Louisville.....	2:55 p. m.
Ar. Louisville.....	1:00 p. m.	Ar. Louisville.....	8:00 p. m.

GOING WEST.

No. 43.	No. 41.		
Lv. Louisville.....	8:30 p. m.	Ar. Henderson.....	7:45 a. m.
Ar. Henderson.....	11:55 a. m.	Ar. Henderson.....	1:15 p. m.

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