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IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

THE EMPIRE WHEAT DRILL

We are also selling

The Highest Grade Fertilizers for Less Money
than any Other House in the County,

For cash or on 12 months time

COCHRAN & BAKER.

Come and examine our goods and get our prices

A 644 MILE DRIVE FINISHED.

Over Santa Cruz Mountains—How Fruit
is Raised in the Great Fruit
Belt of the Golden State.

DEAR SIR: Nine miles from Monte
ray, near the beach, is the old Carmel
Mission, founded by Junipero Serra in
1771. This old stone building with
out floor still stands a monument to
the memory of its founder, who lies
buried under the platform on which
he preached to the Indians more than
one hundred years ago. Thousands
of tourists visit this old mission every
year, as I noted by the great number
who had registered. There is a church
held every Sunday. An admission of
ten cents is charged visitors, to go in
and inspect the edifice that has with-
stood the storms of one and a quarter
centuries.

Monterey is a great fishing point.
The biggest hauls are made at night
or early in the morning. The men
were all busy baiting their hooks and
mending their nets, dozens of them.
The fishing is done in a small sailing
craft, with hook and seine. Rock cod,
sole, king fish, smelt, salmon, flound-
ers and squids were everywhere in ev-
idence, as the fishermen were just ar-
riving from their morning catch. These
fishermen are nearly all foreigners,
live cheaply, have very little of this
world's possessions, spend a good por-
tion of their lives toiling in their lit-
tle boats, don't seem to know what
sickness is, and are rollicking, jovial
fellows. It was interesting to see
them mend their seines and fold their
huge nets for the morning's labor; and
some of the nets and seines were too
heavy for a man to carry. As they
were taken from their boats they were
spread upon the wharf to dry, and the
catch was taken directly to the whole
sale houses from which shipments are
made each day to San Francisco and
other points. We have had every op-
portunity to try every variety of salt
water fish caught here, and I must
say that they are very palatable. The
squid is used entirely as a fertilizer.
None except the Chinese fish for them.
They are a species of the devil fish,
are not more than six inches long and
they are caught by the whole ton and
cured by spreading on the grass and
sun dried.

On to Watsonville I go, 42 miles
in a day. It is a big drive and our
brownie felt the pull. The country is
beginning to look more substantial—
better farms, more acreage in crops—
roads fenced, but not fenced in, dwell-
ings improved, soil rich, and one per-
son don't own a county. All along
the road the fencing is of redwood—
split pickets, which are covered on
the north side with moss. This fence
I am told will stand twenty years.
The public roads are wide, smooth,
solid and well nigh perfect. But near-
ly all dwellings are set back some dis-

tance from public thoroughfares. Ab-
out a mile South of Watsonville my
horse shed both her hind shoes, hav-
ing traveled 396 miles in them. The
front shoes were still good. We push-
ed on to Santa Cruz, one of the loveliest
towns in the state and with a cli-
mate well nigh perfect. It is near to
the sea, and has a five mile cliff drive
which is a wonder. The road is per-
fect, scenery grand, climate without
a flaw. Here we found berries, peaches,
cherries, figs, prunes, apricots, a
dozen kinds of grapes, apples, etc.,
but of all the fruits raised here the
cherries are finest. In size and flavor
they have no superiors. In all of the
fruit I sampled, and I partook liberal-
ly, I never saw a worm. All of the
orchards and vineyards hereabouts
are small, and consequently the grow-
ers are prosperous. I note that this
is one spot in California where the
blossom of health on their faces, and
and they all look as youthful as they
do healthful.

East and north of here the moun-
tains rise abruptly. Seven miles in
a northerly direction is a 70 acre patch
of virgin red woods. It costs you 10
cents to see this patch of timber, but
it is worth the price. I penned the
notes for this letter in the hollow of
one tree which is named the Gen Fre-
mont, after the explorer, who camped
in the cavity at its base when he was
making his trip through California more
than half a century ago. Gen. Fre-
mont, Grant, Sherman, Grant and Jun-
bo are the names of some of these big
trees. These trees are 20 to 21 feet
in diameter, at the base, and from
280 to 300 feet high. Standing be-
side one a man looks like a pigmy.
The redwood is an evergreen, resem-
bles the eastern hemlock, except the
wood is softer, and when the trees are
taken to the mills to be converted into
lumber they are split with dynamite
before the can be gotten on to the
mill carriage.

Northeasterly from Santa Cruz the
Santa Cruz mountains to Los Gatos,
a distance of 25 miles. This is a won-
derful drive and one that is full of
surprises. We climb a mountain 1,
400 feet and go down on the other
side. The entire distance we found
here and there little farms, small vin-
yards, five and ten acre orchards chin-
ked in here and there, where the land
was level enough to cultivate. The
road is too narrow to pass a team for
much of the distance, and in many
places I could sit in my carriage and
split down one thousand feet. If one
drives a scary horse or even a nervous
animal, over these precipitous moun-
tains he takes his life in his hands.
Not a mile from a large vineyard,
while making this journey a moun-
tain lion crossed the road in front of
us and darted into the dense under-
growth. The wild animals are very
plentiful here and give the settlers
much trouble. As we glided down
off the mountain and rolled into the
beautiful Santa Clara valley, which is
the most prolific fruit belt in the state
we thanked heaven we had gotten
over without an accident.

Four days we spent wandering
through the orchards, sampling the
cherries, and prunes and apricots and
figs. This country is a forest of or-
chards. Nearly every farmer has his
sign out like a merchant. Here are
some of them: "Denman's Haven,"
"Oro Vineyard and Winery," "Trux-
edo Ranch," "Sordis Fruit Co.," etc.
This valley is flat and level and near-
ly every acre is under cultivation. I

had never before seen such fruit far-
ming. Five hundred dollars per acre
would not buy some of these fruit
farms. The attention that the fruit
culture is given in this valley opened
my eyes. The trees are looked after
constantly. A worm nest in the
branches or a dead limb or a crooked
tree, or a tree with the yellows, is ne-
ver seen. Every tree is perfect. If
a tree gets sick it is doctored and cur-
ed. Curculio and tree lice and cat-
erpillars and worms are not permit-
ted to take possession of the trees.
They are worked around, and watch-
ed, and soaped, and limed and spray-
ed whenever anything is wrong, and
the result is the most healthful fruit
ever saw—trees that bear bountifully
every year and bear perfect fruit.
And then just as much pains is taken
in packing and shipping the fruit.
This I think accounts for California's
great success as a fruit growing state.
In the first place the varieties particu-
larly adapted to the climate and soil
are secured by careful propagation,
and experiment, and then a study is
made of tree culture and fruit ship-
ment.

We drove from Los Gatos to San
Jose and thence to Mt. Hamilton, 27
miles farther. Here is located the
wonderful Lick Observatory. We
were permitted to view Jupiter through
the big telescope, which is 56 ft.
long and has a lens 36 inches in di-
ameter. This fully compensated for
the long drive of 56 miles, for we had
to return to San Jose to get off of the
mountain. This observatory was found-
ed by James Lick, who was a friend
to rich and poor. Three quarters of
a million dollars have been expended in
building and equipping this observa-
tory which is on the apex of Mt. Ham-
ilton, 4443 feet above sea level. The
building is a palace in finish and ap-
pointment, and is maintained by a
fund provided by Mr. Lick before he
died, who is now buried under the
foundation of the great telescope.

The distance from San Jose to San
Francisco is 82 miles, which we made
in a day and a half. For 20 miles
the orchards extended, when the fruit
belt ran out and we encountered biting
winds and sandbanks and flats are ev-
erywhere to be seen. And as we ar-
rived at San Francisco in midsummer
we passed out of tropical heat into a
temperature of 55 to 65 degrees—so
cool and piercing is the wind that hea-
vy underwear and winter wraps are
worn by every one.

We have now traveled by carriage
644 miles, passed through 83 large
and small towns, and interviewed hun-
dreds of farmers, merchants, herdsmen,
miners, and tourists. We will dis-
pose of our outfit, visit the metropo-
lis of this coast a few days, and then
board the overland for our far east-
ern home. Meanwhile I will pick up
some items hereabouts that I will en-
deavor to weave into two or three
more interesting letters.

An Editor's Soliloquy.

An editor reclining in a hammock
was looking up at the leaves of a tree
and dreaming which he had rather do
—sit on the bank of a deep creek and
fish away that still, hot morning, or
put on a bathing suit and surge about
in the green salt surf, or get a car-
riage full of girls with a fine lunch,
and drive along the shady ridges to a
cool spring and discuss the lunch; or
take a sail on the moonlit bay with
some fair maiden singing to the soft
accompaniment of a guitar; or sit on
Pikes Peak in the middle of August
and brush the snowflake clouds from
his brow, or—stay at home. He
stayed at home. That was the right
thing. In fact he couldn't do any-
thing else. He had no money.

ACCUSED IN STONE.

Tennessee Furnishes a Parallel for Kut-
tawa's Graveyard Scandal.

MAKES WAR IN WPAKLEY COUNTY.

Paducah News.

Memphis lawyers have within the
last couple of days brought suit up in
Weakly county for damages for defama-
tion of character alleged to be con-
tained in an epitaph on a tombstone.
The suit is attracting attention all
over West Tennessee.

Such a cause of action is probably
unheard of in the annals of the courts
of the country, nevertheless the wor-
ding on this tombstone is such as is
seldom seen in anybody's graveyard.
There is, so far as can be learned, but
one parallel instance, and that exam-
ple is to be found in the old grave-
yard at Kuttawa, Ky., where the body
of the man killed by young Hy
Skinner lies buried. Upon the tomb-
stone the widow of the dead man had
engraved:

"Murdered by Highland Skinner."
Many Paducah people have seen this
queer inscription and it has grown so
common in Lyon county that people
fail to pay any attention to it. But
down in Tennessee they look at these
things differently.

The parties to the suit in question
reside near Martin, in Weakly county
of which the seat is Dresden, and at
Dresden this lawsuit is brought. Back
in December, 1896, L. B. Cate was
shot and killed by one Bill Penick.
Penick was indicted and tried on the
charge of murder. He was defended
by the same lawyers herein before
mentioned, who are now acting for
him in this civil suit. The accused
was acquitted on the plea of self de-
fence.

The parents of the deceased L. B.
Cate thought to honor his memory by
erecting a suitable tombstone over his
grave and by having cut in the mar-
ble a legend setting forth some of the
circumstances of his taking off. The
following was accordingly cut in the
tombstone:

"L. B., son of J. C. and L. J. Cate
born April 10, 1870. Married Willie
Freeman December 21, 1887. Was
shot and killed by Bill Penick Decem-
ber 11, 1896; caused by Penick swear-
ing a lie on Cate's wife. Aged 26
years, 8 months and 1 day."

It is alleged by Penick that this
stone was sculptured by J. H. Hutchi-
son, a sculptor at Martin, and it is
alleged that the stone was exposed to
public gaze in the yard of J. H. Hut-
chison for quite a while before it was
erected at the head of the grave con-
taining the remains of the deceased
Cate.

Since the vindication of Penick by
the trial jury up in Weakly county,
he has sought reparation for the word-
ing of this tombstone, and a couple
of days ago the suit for damages for
the defamation contained therein was
brought in the circuit court of Weak-
ly county. The complainant sues
both the sculptor and father of the
deceased for \$10,000 damages.

YANDELL'S SWEEPING ORDER.

Thirty-Six Revenue Employees at Owens-
boro Notified to Walk the Plank

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 29.—Collect-
or or Yandell has notified thirty six of
the seventy seven gaugers, storekeep-
ers and storekeeper gaugers in his of-
fice that their commissions have been
revoked under the rule requiring him
to keep on duty those actually requir-
ed with a reserve allowance of 15 per
cent. This reduces the active list to
thirty six and the reserve list to five.

The thirty six active duty men, inclu-
ding one Republican just reinstated,
have been assigned to various distric-
ties. Some of the dismissed men ex-
pected the order, but it was a great
surprise generally to the force, and
is construed as meaning the ultimate
dismissal of all Democrats to make
way for reinstated Republicans and
new appointees.

A CARD.

Smithland Banner.
To the Democracy of Crittenden
and Livingston Counties—Gentlemen
—I was a candidate in the late pri-
mary for the nomination for Represen-
tative in this legislative district. I went
down in defeat, but as every true De-
mocrat should, I accepted defeat
gracefully, and wish to say to you
that I am for the nominee, R. C.
Walker, and will do all I can to se-
cure his election. Trusting that all
other true Democrats will stand by
Bob, and also by your county candi-
dates, I am,
Yours for success,
J. B. CHAMPION.

A CARD.

To the Voters of Crittenden Coun-
ty: I hereby take this method of say-
ing to you that I am a candidate, in
the full sense of the term, and hav-
ing secured the necessary papers
from Judge Pratt and the circuit
court clerk of Hopkins county, I can
come before you with some assurance
that you will recognize me as being
qualified for the place to which I as-
pire. And I desire to say to you,
that I realize the importance of the
office, but feel confident that I can
fill the place with credit if elected;
and I am not inessential of the fact
that I very much need the proceeds
of the office, and will know full well
how to appreciate the favor if best-
owed upon me. I will say that, ow-
ing to sickness and other hindrances
I will be unable to see you all at
your homes, but will endeavor to see
you if I can. I am not out for fun
or honor, I am out for the office of
circuit court clerk, and will do all in
my power that is honorable to secure
it.

Yours respectfully,
R. M. FRANKS.

List of Letters.

Mrs. Nannie Holloway, Mrs. Mellie
Erwin, Casper Pink, Mrs. Marion Del-
avis, Mrs. S. L. Calhoun, Mrs. Della
Custard, Mrs. M. V. Clark, R. S. Brown,
Mrs. Josie Bryant, W. A. Burris, Mr.
W. B. Walker, Mrs. Leona Wilson,
Miss Ida Winders, Mr. A. W. Wilson,
Mr. Ellis Sanders, Mr. John L. Rey-
nolds, Nih Pomgetto, W. Lawson,
Mr. J. B. Kelley, Rev. A. D. Dige, Rev.
C. H. Pold.

If the above letters are not called
for in 30 days they will be sent to the
dead letter office.
George M. Crider, P. M.
Marion, Ky., Oct. 7, 1897.

ANNORA.

Not seeing anything from this place
for some time will try to give your
readers a few items.

No birth nor deaths to record.
Real estate is on the rise and has
been for some time past, and doubt-
less will be for some time to come—
oh never mind, it's only the dust.

A series of meetings began at the
church Oct. 2nd. Rev. John Rush-
ing, of Golconda, Ill., preached the
opening sermon. He preached a very
interesting sermon.

On last Sunday Rev. E. B. Black-
burn preached the funeral of the la-
mented R. T. Rushing. He paid a
glowing tribute to the life and charac-
ter of that worthy old father in Israel
who was a member of the Baptist
church for forty five years.

Long may his memory and example
live green in the hearts of his family
and friends.

Tom Young has been quite sick for
several days, but is up again.

Old Mrs. Watson has been
dangerously ill for some time is re-
ported as being some better.

Mrs. Alice Rushing was quite sick
last week but is much better at this
writing.

Mr. Grey has sold his farm to J. E.
Stephenson and is preparing to emi-
grate to a land of perpetual summer.

Rob. Rushin has moved to the Greer
houses near D. P. Campbell's.

J. B. Young is at work with the
fencing gang on the railroad.

Miss Alice Greer is visiting friends
in Fredonia this week.

A number of persons from Fredon-
ia and vicinity are attending services
at Cookeysville.

Some parties from Illinois passed
through here on last Sunday with a
drove of cattle. Would that our au-
thorities would see that our Sabbath
laws are respected and obeyed.

The early frost did considerable
damage to late corn and tobacco in
this neighborhood.

The cane juice is flowing freely and
the molasses pan is shedding "its fra-
grance on the desert air." Get ready
young folks for the canny pullings.

NEW SALEM

Miss Charlie Woolford is still sick
and under the care of a doctor.

Jeff LaRoe and Jim Carter have
had the clover hulled at work on their
farms this week, hulling clover. We
are glad to see those gentlemen take
hold of the seed saving business and
if others would follow their example
there would be a saving of many big
100 cent silver dollars to our farmers.

Archey Croson was in Paducah
last week to sell his '96 crops of opo-
bacco. He sold about one half of it
at satisfactory prices.

Lou Jolly, Tom Malin and Joe
Hayes, of Livingston county, were
the guests of Archey Croson, Sunday.

The drouth is causing many of our
neighbors to go to digging for water.
Our farmers who have any wheat
ground broken are trying to get it
so as to be ready if it ever rains.

Felix Tyner arrived home from
Arkansas Sunday eve. He has been
held by quarantine at Cairo, Ill., for
two weeks. Felix has bought some
land West and may move some
time.

Protracted meeting commenced at
Tyner's Chapel last Sunday. It is
being conducted by Revs. Murphy
Ha' and others.

Mrs. John Kirk happened to a
very serious accident last Sunday eve-
ning whereby she got her arm broken.
She is doing as well as could be ex-
pected for one of her age.

Bro. Erven Bruster represented
New Salem church at presbytery at
Good Spring this week.

Livingston Goes Dry.

Smithland Banner.

By a vote of 365 to 910 Living-
ston county went dry last Saturday.

Following is the vote by precinct:

	Yes.	No.
Smithland No. 1,	45	117
Smithland No. 2,	27	65
Luke,	11	80
Cumberland Valley,	34	38
Salem, north,	47	58
Salem, south,	33	87
Birdsville,	33	93
Hampton,	21	96
Rays Springs,	26	66
Carrollville,	36	122
Lola,	46	75
Pan Handle,	6	13

Total, 365 910
Total vote polled in county 1275.
Majority against whiskey, 545

One button put on wrong on a pair
of pants makes the whole work bad.
The BUCKEYE [BREECHES] are
as carefully inspected before they leave
the factory as if they were diamonds.
If you find one little fault in them
take them back and get another pair,
or your money. If we can't sell the
best pants made we won't sell any.

AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE
EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND
"PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.
I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts,
was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same
that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* wrapper.
This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been
used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty
years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is
the kind you have always bought. *Chas. H. Fletcher* on the
and has the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* wrapper.
No one has authority from me to use my name ex-
cept The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is
President.
March 8, 1897. *Samuel Pitcher, M.D.*

Do Not Be Deceived.
Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting
a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you
(because he makes a few more pennies on it), the in-
gredients of which even he does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought"
BEARS THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF

Chas. H. Fletcher
Insist on Having
The Kind That Never Failed You.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 17 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

I SELL Groceries!

A full stock of clean,
fresh goods. I buy
them cheap and I sell
them cheap.

Fruit jars at bottom
prices. Nobody un-
dersells me.

Repairs for the Deering
Binder.

The best oil for all
Harvesting Machines.

Persons owing me must settle, I am
bound to have the money.

A. F. GRIFFITH.

I BUY

Country Meat

Lard

Chickens

Eggs

Butter

Molasses

Potatoes

Highest

Prices

Paid

in trad

or cash

Marion Planing Mills

Are prepared to dress all kinds of lumber needed in build-
ing, make mouldings and frames of all kinds to order. If
you need siding, ceiling, frames of all kinds, mouldings of
any pattern, it will pay you to see us before placing your
order.

We are here to stay and want your trade, and will treat
you exactly right in every way.

R. N. DORR, Propr.

A CARD.

To the Voters of Crittenden County:
I am a candidate for re-election to
the office of Circuit Court Clerk.
Deeply grateful to you for what you
have done for me in the past I earnestly
solicit your support again if you
have found me worthy and competent
I have used every exertion to dis-
charge the duties of the office with
credit to myself and satisfaction to
you. In the discharge of my official
duties I have made no distinction on
account of politics, condition or race,
but have endeavored always to treat
all men exactly alike.

If re-elected I can only pledge you
that I will as earnestly and conscien-
tiously strive during the next term to
meet every requirement of the place
as I have in the past.

Believing I can serve you accepta-
bly I want to assure you that I will
heartily appreciate the support of
every one.

Your obedient servant,
H. A. HAYNES.

A Card from Mr. Truitt.

To the People of Crittenden County:
I most heartily thank those who
have already honored me, and assure
all that, whatever the result may be,
such an expression of confidence will
never be forgotten. I will greatly
appreciate the support of all in the
approaching election, and should I be
chosen your Assessor, my utmost en-
deavor and greatest hope will be to
make you a capable, faithful officer.
I shall endeavor to see all in person
and in the meantime remember that
I am a candidate and that no one
will hold your support in higher re-
gard. Your obedient servant,
J. N. TRUITT.

To the Voters of Crittenden County.

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 candi-
date 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 thank-
ful 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
behavior 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 men
to do, and will use my best endeavor
to make you a faithful and efficient
officer, showing no distinction or par-
tiality to any one on account of poli-
tics, position, creed or color.
Your obdt servt and friend,
D. Woods.
May 14, 1897.

It is always gratifying to receive
testimonials for Chamberlain's Colic,
Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, and
when the endorsement is from a phy-
sician it is especially so. "There is
no more satisfactory or effective rem-
edy than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera
and Diarrhea Remedy," writes Dr.
R. E. Robey, physician and pharma-
ceut, of Oney, Missouri, and as he
has used the remedy in his own fam-
ily and sold it in his drug store for 6
years he should certainly know. At
Orme's.

RICH RED BLOOD is the founda-
tion of good health. That is why
Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True
Blood Purifier, gives **HEALTH**.

GRAND FALL OPENING!

Not such as is usually seen in small towns, but an opening of FINE FALL STOCKS, fraught with metropolitan features and resplendent with full rich stocks. Come and bring your families; we've got something that each of them need, and at prices they can't resist. Our store is the PEOPLE'S STORE, and we are attentive to 'lookers' as well as to buyers. Come see our stocks and we will be glad that you come. Here is where your \$ will buy the most. Pay cash, sell for cash, no bad debts.

Mens Shoes.

Best \$1.50 shoes EVER BUILT. Box calf, enameled calf, and the New Golden Brown Tans—all styles—"Klondyke," the new winter last—our \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes can't be beat.

MEN'S CALF SHOES, strong, neat and durable, \$1.25.

MEN'S "VIOLETT" some new shapes and styles, lace or gaiter.

A good stock of Heavy Boots.

Ladies Shoes.

FALL STYLES, all of the very newest types.

Beyond doubt, we have the greatest line of women's fine shoes ever seen in this town.

BEST \$1.50 shoes EVER BUILT, BEST \$1.25 shoes EVER BUILT.

See our great line of women's heavy shoes.

Here is where you can find the biggest, best and cheapest line of Ladies' Shoes.

MENS' CLOTHING.

SUITS that make a tailor grow green with envy—that are made of good material, fashioned by skilled tailors and finished in a style equal to made-to-measure garments. Our clothing is of the Ready-to-wear kind.

Black and Blue Cheviots

All styles and all sizes \$3.00 to \$12.00. Fancy Cheviots, newest colors and patterns—well suited for young men—\$5.00 to \$10.00.

FINEST ALL WOOL SUITS—equal to the best tailor products, and far ahead of anything ever shown here—\$6.00 to \$12.00.

MENS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Mens' Fancy Shirts—new styles in Checks, Stripes and Plaids.

We can show you the largest line in the county.

FINE WHITE SHIRTS, FIT FOR A KING, \$1.00.

Mens' Hickory Shirts—good, strong and pretty patterns—\$1.00.

Mens' Blue Flannel overshirts, the greatest bargain you ever saw, \$1.00.

See our great 75c and \$1.00 line.

Mens' Underwear.

The Best 25c shirt ever made.

We can show you a line of underwear that

Can't be Matched

in this county.

Everything in up-to-date

Neckwear.

Capes and Wraps.

EVERYTHING that is newest in the way of Capes and Wraps is found in our stock.

DAINTY PLUSH CAPES, HEAVY CLOAKS AND CAPES, servicable for winter wear. ALL NEWEST WEAVES OF CLOTH, up-to-date in styles.

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Shawls, Hoods and Fascinators.

OVERCOATS

"You ain't so warm," but you will be if you get one of our over coats.

BEAVERS, KERSEYS, MELTONS, ULSTERS,

They are made right, fit right and are right in prices.

An elegant line of nice light-weight overcoats for young men.

LARGEST AND BEST LINE OF MACKINTOSHES IN TOWN.

Dress Goods.

A line of dress goods that is matchless in extent, variety, novelty and beauty.

Woolen Stuff

In every conceivable design. Fancy mixtures, choice Henriettas and Cashmeres.

BROADCLOTHS

In all qualities and in all colors. Everything in dress trimmings. All of the latest braids, in silk and woolen, all colors.

THE LATEST RIBBONS. THE LATEST SILKS.

LADIES FURNISHING GOODS.

Ladies' Vests—a great variety and at prices that defy competition. The best

25c Vest

ever shown here.

Misses' and Childrens' underwear, union suits, etc.

All the latest styles in

COLLARS, CUFFS, BELTS,

Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Gloves, Hosiery, Etc.

See our great line of women's

25c Hosiery

The largest and best line of women's and childrens' hose in town.

WASH GOODS.

FALL PERCALES for shirt waists—new patterns—Roman stripes and Scotch plaids.

CALICOES.

CALICOES, everything in the print line—you never saw such a stock—its ple indigos and Turkey reds.

OUTING CLOTH.

OUTING CLOTH, Savoy flannel, Swans down, Teazle down, Duck, etc., makes nice fall dresses. Our stock represents an endless variety of beautiful patterns.

HATS

NO MAN looks well in an unbecoming hat. Our stock is so varied that ugliest man in the country can find something that will improve his appearance.

DERBYS, ALPINES, CUBAS, ALASKAS, CORDUROYs, all the very new styles and at prices that are the very lowest.

Everything in men's and boys' caps.

Carpets, Oil Cloth, Oriental Rugs, Trunks and Valises.

New Masonic Building, MARION, KY.

CLIFTONS.

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

Perhaps it will not rain until Kentucky goes for free silver. That will be Nov. 2.

The governor has offered rewards for the men responsible for the lynching at Hawville.

"One swallow does not make a summer," neither does one defeat crush out the silver cause.

Recently a paper trust and a malt trust has been organized. They organize to control output and prices.

Tammany Democrats have nominated a Bryan Democrat for Mayor of Greater New York, and have spoken out against government by injunction.

The distillers association want the tax on whisky reduced to seventy cents, and the bonded period unlimited. In short, they want lower taxes and their own time in which to pay.

Goldbug speakers are tramping up and down Kentucky numerously, but the Republicans are keeping housed. They are enjoying the fat of the land while their hired men are doing the work.

Shall the circulating medium be both gold and silver—products furnished by nature—or shall silver be cut off and the national bankers hired and paid by the people to furnish the circulating medium to the extent that silver is debarr'd?

We lament lynch law, but the thing to lament is the condition that gives rise to lynchings. When the conditions are eliminated, lynchings will be heard of no more, but until then there will be occasional heroic administrations of justice.

The Democrats of Massachusetts, in convention assembled, endorsed the Chicago platform and nominated George Fred Williams for Governor. Williams helped make the Chicago platform and hence it can be readily seen that free silver has lost none of its strength in the east.

The Dingy tariff lacked \$3,500,000 of producing enough revenue to meet the expenses of the government in September. These deficits are

just what the bond speculators want. Bonds are their stock in trade. The greater the indebtedness of the people, the greater the bond dealers' prosperity.

During the past three months the market values of the railroad stocks owned by the Gould estate have advanced \$15,916,112. The prosperity we have been hearing about is, in a great measure, confined to such estates. While stocks have soared up enriching their already rich owners, where have farms advanced in value?

The sugar trust proposes to withdraw its opposition to the annexation of Hawaii, if the Hawaiian government will withdraw its opposition to the sugar trust. This exchange of courtesies seems likely to take place, and a wayfarer man can form some idea from this example of the power of trusts in directing the affairs of a government.

When trusts and combinations are formed the parties to them claim that the steps are taken to reduce the expenses of several establishments, that one big concern controlling the entire output of certain manufactured articles can make the goods cheaper than several smaller houses. This may be true, but the union destroys competition and the trusts controlling all, almost invariably advance the price to the consumer.

The Paducah Register has discovered a man who can take two Mexican silver dollars and in a few moments convince any one that "free coinage is a mistake." The country is pining for that man. Let him, through the columns of the Register proceed to fill the aching void. The colorless attitude of the editorial page of the Register inclines us to the belief that this man has been working his rabbit's foot in the neighborhood of that paper for some time.

The position Dr. Hunter gets, that of Minister to Guatemala, is by no means a "thankless job." The salary is \$10,000 and contingent fund—whatever that means—and fees make an additional \$6,000. The honors are not so great as that of a Senator, but the salary will go out after the dollars that the wiley doctor was compelled to spend at Frankfort.

The civil service commissioners are becoming alarmed at the attitude the collectors are assuming towards the law that called them into official existence, and, to keep their courage

up, announce that they are going to stand by the law with an iron hand. They also console themselves with the belief "that the law is stronger with the people now than it ever was before." The law never has had a multitude of friends. A few people, here and there, think it is a good thing, and the political parties have made favorable mention of it in their platforms, as a kind of soothing syrup to allay the colic of its few advocates, knowing that the great mass of people understood that it was to be taken in the Pickwickian sense. To the party in power by right and reason belong the offices, and the only civil service law that will meet universal approval is one that will compel that party to put only its competent men in office.

Owing to hostile legislation the production of oleomargarine has fallen off 5,000,000 pounds since last year.—Courier-Journal.

"Hostile" legislation! We have heard something of that before. The silver orators and writers have been telling us that "hostile" legislation reduced the demand for silver, and the demand being reduced, the price went down. The goldbugs tell us that the government can not create value, that legislation has nothing to do with it. Now here is the Courier-Journal telling us that "hostile" legislation prevents the use of oleomargarine, and on account of "hostile" legislation the industry is on the decline. "Hostile" legislation cuts off the demand. Now if "hostile" legislation cuts off the demand for oleomargarine why has not "hostile" legislation cut off the demand for silver? If the "hostile" legislation touching oleomargarine were undone that article would boom again. The principle that applies to the one applies with equal force to the other. The two articles are unlike, and are used for different purposes altogether, but the result of similar legislation affects them similarly.

A Historical View.

Hon. Horace Chapman, candidate for Governor of Ohio, is making some telling speeches in behalf of the cause of the people. The following extract from one of his speeches is worthy of the consideration of every earnest, sober thinking man:

In support of these propositions I quote from some of the wise men of the country again. Daniel Webster said: "Liberty can not long endure in any country where the tendency of legislation is to concentrate the wealth in the hands of a few."

Garfield said: "Whoever con-

trols the volume of money in any country is absolute master of all industry and commerce."

Abraham Lincoln said: "I affirm it as my conviction that class laws, placing capital above labor in the structure of government, are more dangerous to the republic than was chattel slavery in the days of its haughtiest supremacy; that labor is prior to or independent of capital. Capital is only the fruit of labor and could never have existed. Labor is superior to capital, and deserves much the greater consideration."

Thomas Jefferson said: "I am not among those who fear the people. They and not the rich are our dependence for continued freedom; and to preserve their independence we must not let our rulers lead us with perpetual debts."

Chauncey M. Depew said: "Fifty men in these United States have in their power, by reason of the wealth which they control, to come together within twenty-four hours and arrive at an understanding by which every wheel of commerce may be stopped, and every electric key struck dumb. These fifty men can paralyze the whole country, for they can control the circulation of the currency and they can create a panic whenever they will."

History tells us that in the zenith and greatness of Rome 85 per cent. of her population held titles in lands and cultivated their own. Then her people were happy and prosperous, hardy and brave. Her legions were invincible; then her currency was in volume eighteen hundred millions of dollars.

When Rome perished her lands and wealth were in the hands of 2,000 individuals, and by class legislation her currency had been contracted to less than two hundred millions.

Colonel Heath tells us that when Rome died 97 per cent. of her wealth was centered in three per cent of her population.

Babylon's fall was caused by 98 per cent of her wealth centering in 2 per cent of her people. Persia, the empire of 127 provinces, perished when one per cent of her population had gobbled up the entire wealth of the realm.

There is a constant warfare going on among the nations of Europe to get possession of gold. Of the supposed four billions used as money in existence, England, France, Germany, Austria, Spain, Italy and Russia hold in the vaults of their imperial banks seventeen hundred and forty-one millions.

In the last two years Russia alone has increased her holdings one hundred and seventy millions and Austria forty three millions.

The London Economist in one of its issues says that by reason of the demonization of silver their people were \$250,000,000 better off annually on the cereals, cotton and other things purchased from the western hemisphere from 1891 to 1896, inclusive, and if this be true, the people who sold them are that much poorer. And who furnished a very large proportion of what they purchased making for the five years \$1,250,000,000.

The United States, Mexico, and Bolivia in three years, 1891, 1893, and 1894 produced three quarters of all the silver of the world, as shown by the report of the Director of the mint in 1895, and England purchased a large part of it.

Is it any wonder she stands by the single gold standard and will continue until compelled to let go.

We read in history that when Solon took the reins of government in Athens he found the people were suffering from debts and depression in business, and that almost every farm and home had a corner stone placed to indicate that it was mortgaged, and upon investigation he found the cause to be the want of money, and class legislation. He at once took measures to increase the currency and change the laws, and in a few years prosperity returned, the corner stones disappeared, and the people were again prosperous and happy; but at a later date, when other rulers came into power, reversing his policy, the republic perished, when less than 1 per cent. of her wealth was distributed among 95 per cent of her people.

Shall the American republic go in the same manner by class legislation?

Ex President Cleveland is said to be ambitious to round up his official career as a United States Senator, and a movement is now on foot to make him Judge of the Court of Appeals of New Jersey. He is the great office seeker of the age, and would doubtless take anything from road overseer to the executive chair.

The new Prime Minister of Spain will propose genuine home rule for Cuba. This is recognition of a partial victory for the Cubans, but the patriots are not likely to accept this, after their long struggle for liberty. Nothing short of the independence of the island will satisfy the spirit of freedom that pervades the "Gem of the Antilles."

Clocks were never so cheap before as at Freeman's now. A big stock of the prettiest goods.

TO TEACHERS.

Teachers desiring to see me on business next Saturday will find me at my office until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Wheeler.

With Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Virginia, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts standing pat on the Chicago platform, and New York nominating a Bryan man for Mayor, the so called "revolt against Bryanism" does not seem to have struck a very big chunk.

Gen. Neal Dow, the original Prohibitionist, died at his home in Portland, Maine, Saturday. He was born in 1803.

Henry George will run for Mayor of greater New York.

Fire destroyed \$30,000 worth of property in Evansville Sunday.

The report is current that Weyler will leave Cuba Oct. 10th.

TOLU.

Our farmers are still plowing for wheat. Judson Bennett has 150 acres broken and aims to break 50 more. Our sick people as reported last week are all better, but new ones taken their places. Mr. Chas. Bozeman and son are quite sick with fever, also Bill Beard and Geo. Beard.

Mrs. Allie Dowell has just returned from Marion, visiting her sister, Mrs. Dixon.

Mrs. Tom Croft is also back from a visit to the country.

Mrs. LaRoe and daughter Lillie left us for a visit in Missouri, where they will remain some months.

Sunday night two of our ministers said farewell. We had a sweet, solemn service. Bro. Milliken preached and Bro. Bennett concluded. Bro. Milliken goes to the Illinois conference, has an appointment near Springfield, and has been with us many years, and we will hate to see him leave.

Bro. Bennett goes to Highway, in Clinton county. Both preachers leave many friends at Tolu, who can pray fully say, "God bless them."

Our school is doing well, and Mr. Hines is proving a success as a teacher. The patrons are all rallying to him, which should be the case everywhere. We have four physicians and they say they are all kept busy.

BELLEVILLE BEND

We are getting uneasy about Traderswater lest she cease to be.

At the hospitable home of Mr. A. F. Early a few nights since the young folks were given an old fashion candy pulling.

Equire Leech has just recovered from an attack of fever.

With seed high and ground hard the wheat crop will be small in this section.

Preaching last Sunday at Jericho, by Ed. Driekell.

Our club met at Hoods at the appointed time expecting a speech from Judge Nunn. Being disappointed in that the chair called for Prof. J. N. Towery, who made a Populistic speech right "in the middle of the road." Aaron Towery, K. J. Cates and W. R. Word also made speeches.

Our next meeting will be provided with a red hot programme.

FREDONIA.

Miss Minnie Guess of Crider, is visiting in town this week.

J. P. Myers and wife of Troy Tenn came Sunday on a visit to her parents, T. M. Butler and wife.

Several weddings of the near future in this part of the world.

Mr. Stone and Miss Melton were married at her home in New Bethel, neighborhood a week ago last Sunday.

The dust is too deep for much visiting in this part of the world.

Fred Guess of Crider was in town Sunday; he is always punctual and on time.

Mrs. Josie Wilson and Mrs. George Glenn of Crider were in town shopping Monday.

F. S. Loyd went to Princeton last Monday looking for success in November.

C. B. Loyd was in Dawson several days last week and is improved.

Vic Wathen went over to Morasfield Sunday to stay a few days, and attend the Fair.

Water is getting to be scarce in several places and the dust deeper than ever known.

Miss Maggie Mott, of Crider, is visiting relatives in town this week.

Drs. J. D. and J. B. Mott are in Louisville this week.

A protracted meeting was begun at the Baptist church Monday night. Rev. Hodge Gregory is attending.

A crowd of delegates stayed with Dr. S. M. Leeper Monday night, on their way to Good Spring to attend the meeting of Presbytery.

B. L. Wigginton is sick this week.

Mrs. Henry Woodridge of Salem is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Cox. Mrs. Sid Rice of Marion is in town this week.

John Smith, who has been at work in Sturgis for some time was at home to see his family Monday, returning Tuesday.

Thomas Ordway went to Marion Tuesday.

The rain failed to reach this section on the 27th and will come later.

We defy competition in prices on groceries, queensware and tinware. Don't fail to see

Bugg & Loyd.

We are determined to lead in the dry goods and shoe trade, if the best quality of goods and lowest prices will suit the people in the future as in the past.

Bugg & Loyd.

We want your bacon, lard and poultry at highest market prices.

Bugg & Loyd.

Everything to eat and wear.

Buy your knitting yarn of

Bugg & Loyd.

Aleck Hamilton, of New Bethel, was in town Tuesday.

For the next thirty days we will sell all our summer dress goods and white dress goods.

Buckner & Son.

We have just received a big lot of winter boots and shoes which we are selling at a bargain.

Buckner & Son.

Go to Buckner & Son for your winter suits, clothes and overcoats, they can save you money. See them at once.

Bring in your dried fruit; we are buying more than any house in the country.

Buckner & Son.

Go to Buckner & Son for bargains in bacon and lard.

Salt in any quantity.

Buckner & Son.

Good jeans pants for \$1.

Buckner & Son's.

Best cotton batting 3 lbs for 25c.

Buckner & Son.

Good Mackintosh coats for \$2.50.

Buckner & Son's.

Go to Buckner & Son for winter hosiery, they have the best.

Our fall stock will be in this week, the largest and best we ever had, all at old prices. Nothing advanced. A good all leather men's or woman's shoe \$1 up; men's boots \$1.25 up; men's suits \$2.50 up; overcoats, men's, \$2.50 up; ladies' capes 75c up; ladies' jackets \$2.50 up. The nicest and best line of dress goods and trimmings, and lots of millinery goods.

Resp. Sam Howerton.

OUR FALL AND WINTER GOODS ARE IN,

We are just back from market and are more than pleased with our big purchases.
We bought heavy for cash, and at old prices. No matter if goods are
advancing we are able to sell you goods as cheap as ever.

Do not Miss

WINTER BOOTS AND SHOES.

We know they are best as well as the Cheapest.

We Certainly have the

CHEAPEST LINE OF CLOTHING

Ever shown in town, and at Old Prices.

Our Stock of

HATS AND DRY GOODS

Are high in Class but low in Price.

We Lead in DRESS GOODS.

We Lead in UNDERWEAR

YOU WILL SAVE DIMES AND DOLLARS BY TRADING WITH

PIERCE-YANDELL-GUGENHEIM CO.

INCORPORATED.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Best coffee in town at the Leader.
Fresh oysters at A. J. Butler's.
Goods at cost at A. M. Gilbert's, Tribune.

The Leader has the best molasses in town.

Mr. A. F. Griffith went to Henderson Monday.

Mr. Isaac Linley of Salem, was in town Monday.

Mr. H. L. Sullivan, of Belle Mines was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Wolf, of Shady Grove, was in town Tuesday.

Fresh oysters served at all hours at A. J. Butler's.

Mr. A. C. Moore was in Smithland Saturday on legal business.

Miss Lizie Evans, of Ridgway, Ill., is the guest of relatives here.

Mr. John Jack, and wife, of Cave in Rock, are visiting friends here.

Will pay cash for hides, wool, kang and all produce. Schwab.

Mr. H. Koltinsky has been sick for several days with typhoid fever.

Fine writing papers, fine tablets, and envelopes at R. F. Haynes.

Mr. E. R. Doles has been ill of fever for five weeks. He is now some better.

100,000 pounds of dried apples and peaches wanted; will pay cash for them. Schwab.

Mrs. Nannie Hughes, of Everest, Kan., was the guest of Mrs. S. B. Hughes, last week.

To the Leader for glassware, queensware and tinware. Big stock. Our prices do our talking.

B. F. McMican, who has been confined to his bed for two weeks with fever, is able to be out again.

Don't throw away your peach seed, they will bring you as much as your eggs. Schwab.

A little child of R. M. Franks had a congestive chill and has been dangerously sick.

WANTED.—A. F. Griffith wants 1000 gallons of good country sorghum. Go see him and get his price.

Mr. W. P. Beard, a well known citizen of Tolu, is reported as being dangerously ill of typhoid fever.

We lead in quantity, in quality and in low prices: If you would save money, come to us for groceries.

The Leader.

Drs. Isaac Clement and R. G. Car of Tolu were in town Monday.

They report business in their towns as somewhat duller than usual.

I will leave Tribune Oct. 15, and until that date I will sell goods at wholesale prices. This is your opportunity to get dry goods, notions, hats, shoes, groceries, queensware, glassware, etc., etc. These goods must go.

A. M. Gilbert, Tribune, Ky.

Congressman Rhea.

Congressman John S. Rhea will address the people at Marion, Oct. 16.

Go to A. J. Butler for the purest, cleanest and best candies.

Col. A. D. McFee, of Ford's Ferry was in town Monday.

Mr. W. L. Adams has taken the agency for the Penn Mutual.

Save your apple peelings and cores. Will pay cash for them. Schwab.

Prettiest line of Jewelry you ever saw now on display at Freeman's.

Mr. Wm. Marble and wife, of Princeton, attended the Daniel-Cameron wedding yesterday.

Get your winter shoes and dry goods at A. M. Gilbert's, Tribune. He is closing out at wholesale prices.

You must hurry your peach seed in. I want to get through buying this month. Schwab.

If you need any repairing on your watch, clock or jewelry, go to the old experienced jeweler, W. M. Freeman.

Mr. H. B. Williams, of Hopkinsville, was in town yesterday, representing a laundry company of that place.

If you are hunting bargains go to A. M. Gilbert's, Tribune. He is selling everything at wholesale prices.

Rev. W. H. Miley will not fill his appointment at Tolu Saturday night but will fill his Sunday morning appointment there.

If you want some bargains in queensware and glassware go to Tribune. A. M. Gilbert is closing out at wholesale prices.

Rev. A. J. Thompson, of Kuttawa will begin a revival meeting at Chapel Hill church tomorrow evening, to continue ten days or more.

Rev. R. Y. Thomas, of Greenville, is in town this week. He will return in a few days, and will not remove his family here, as he intended doing.

FOR SALE.—A young mare and a young horse; will sell on time. I also have a young male to exchange for a good milk cow. E. E. Thurman.

Large congregations heard Rev. Mitchell, the new pastor of the Methodist church, Sunday. He preached splendid sermons and made a fine impression.

Rev. G. M. Bonnette, the new minister of the M. E. church on this circuit, preached his first sermon at Bethel Sunday morning and at Wilson's Chapel in the evening. He is well pleased with his work.

Rev. L. McWhirter, of Greenville, Tenn., preached at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Mr. McWhirter married a daughter of the late Judge Leech, of Princeton.

A. J. Chittenden's family have moved into the J. N. Woods building, occupying the upper story over the grocery store. G. W. Elder and family will occupy the Chittenden residence.

R. S. Paris, who teaches school in the Bethel district, has had to suspend for awhile on account of diphtheria. Some four or five cases of the disease have developed in that section.

The many friends of Mr. J. R. Finley will be gratified to learn that he did not drop out as gauger in the recent shake up. Collector Yandell has given him an assignment for the next two months.

A protracted meeting began at the Baptist church Monday night. Rev. Willis Pierce is doing the preaching, and he is an able, earnest preacher—popular with the people of Marion, and will have large congregations.

Mr. Richard Hughes, near Crittenden Springs, has been partially paralyzed more than a year. Both limbs on one side of the body are badly impaired and the muscles of the tongue are in such a condition that he can not talk.

Mr. James Farris, of Salem, returned from Pope county, Ill., with his wife Monday. Mrs. Farris is in very poor health, and has been with her brother, Dr. Dallas L. Farris, for several weeks. She has lung trouble and her recovery is very doubtful.

Mr. Albert Bruce and family, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., passed through town Tuesday on a visit to friends in this county. They left here several years ago for Missouri, where they have since resided. They like their native State best and will probably locate in this county.

Marriage license have been issued as follows:

Oct. 1, Richard M. Pierce and Miss Jessie Davis.

Oct. 2, S. J. Sullenger and Miss Ida Hardin.

Oct. 5, John G. Daniel and Miss Henriette Cameron.

Oct. 5, Wm. Corley and Miss Susan A. Chandler.

Mr. Thos. Barger of Dunn Springs is recovering from a long spell of severe illness. An abscess on the back of his neck and shoulders kept him bedfast for weeks, and at one time his life was despaired of; but he is now able to be up, and in the course of a few weeks hopes to be out again.

Rev. P. T. Hardison left Wednesday night of last week for his new field of labor, Jeffersonville, Jefferson county.

He is a grand old man and his many friends in Marion hope that his health will be fully restored and that he may be able to do many years of active service in the ministry yet.

Mr. Tom Murray, who lives near the old water mill five or six miles from town, while at a bar raising the other day met with a painful accident. While "carrying up" a corner of the building the axe he was using glanced and struck him on the knee, inflicting a severe though not serious wound.

A. F. Griffith, the grocery man, had quite an unpleasant experience Sunday evening. Going home after night he, in the darkness, made a misstep, went through the porch floor and landed in the cellar beneath. No bones were broken, however, as he landed in a large tub of water, which Mrs. Griffith had placed there, but not exactly for that purpose.

There has been some changes in the management of the Clark & Kevill mill. Mr. W. D. Haynes now has charge of the exchange department; Wm. Peck becomes assistant miller and D. B. Kevill is general manager, and will see that the flour is satisfactory and everything in accordance with the best of conditions for patrons.

Monday Hon. J. C. Sims, of Bowling Green, pursuant to announcement, made an address at the court house on the political issues of the day. The audience was small, consisting, by actual count, of Republicans 55, Democrats 32, Populists 3, Democrats 3, silver Republicans 1, politically unknown 3, total 97.

The speech was an average goldie, but failed to arouse any perceptible amount of enthusiasm—except, indeed, among his three goldie brethren and a few of his Republican sympathizers, these latter especially when the speaker struck the "crime of '73."

Mr. Sims spoke for about an hour, and concluded by informing his three goldie brethren that they were the great Democratic party, and that they had a candidate for clerk of the court of appeals, by the name of Hindman. Although he did not expect to elect his man, he expected great things in the future, when free silver would be out of the way—and his three brethren applauded and said amen.

Mrs. Sarah Farmer, wife of H. C. Farmer, is dangerously sick at her home five miles west of town. She has been very low for some time, and her friends are very doubtful of her recovery.

LATER—Mrs. Farmer died Tuesday at half past two o'clock. She was 50 years of age, a kind christian lady, a member of the Baptist church at Union, and had a host of friends. She was buried yesterday in the family grave yard near home. She leaves a husband and several children. A large number of friends attended the funeral services.

For Police Judge.

We announce Mr. T. T. Murphy a candidate for police judge of Marion. Everybody recognizes in "Uncle Tom" an honest, straightforward, good citizen. He has had considerable experience on the bench as police judge and is a level headed man. If elected he will meet out justice according to law, and will doubtless make an eminently satisfactory officer.

For County Attorney.

Mr. T. F. Newcom directs us to announce him a candidate for county attorney. Mr. Newcom is well known to the people of the county; he has been teaching in our public schools a number of years, and some years ago he made a creditable record for school superintendent. He stands high as a man and a citizen.

Announces for Re-election.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace for Union precinct and promise if elected to do in the future as I have in the past, the best I know how. I am thankful to my friends for past favors. Election November 2, 1897.

T. A. Harpending.

Newcomer a Candidate.

There was a genuine surprise in local political circles Tuesday when a petition was filed in the county clerk's office asking that T. F. Newcom's name be placed on the official ballot, under the log cabin, as a candidate for county attorney. The petition states that he represents the principles of the "National Democratic party," and has been endorsed by the Republicans. Mr. Newcom is the well known teacher; he voted in the Democratic primary last April, and his candidacy is a big surprise.

BRYAN COMING

Next Week He Makes the State a Flying Visit.

And is Expected to Stop A Few Minutes at Marion Wednesday.

—Louisville, Ky., Oct. 2.—W. J. Bryon will speak in Kentucky as follows:

At Glasgow on Saturday, October 9. He will remain over at Glasgow on Sunday.

On Monday, the 11, he will speak at Lebanon in the morning.

In the afternoon of the 11, he will speak at Elizabethtown.

At Russellville on Thursday, the 12. At Herders on Wednesday morning the 13.

At Paducah on the night of the 12. These are the only set speeches arranged and he will remain no longer in Kentucky.

Efforts have been made since it was known that Mr. Bryan would go from Henderson to Paducah, to get him to stop at Marion. Yesterday Mr. O. M. James received a letter from National Committeeman Woodson stating that the special train would stop for a few minutes at Marion Wednesday, Oct. 13. It is not yet known at just what hour the train will be here, but Hon. William Jennings Bryan will be at the Marion depot next Wednesday for a few minutes. Efforts will be made to get him to make a short speech.

Lola Free Silver Club.

The Lola Free Silver Club meet every Friday night and invite every one to come out to its meetings. The committee on speaking will arrange for a speech at every meeting. Following is the committee: J. D. Foley, W. N. Davis, L. P. Mitchell, R. S. Paris. Other clubs are invited to meet with us, and the silver candidates especially.

R. S. Paris, Sec.

Reunion of Old Soldiers.

CAVE IN ROCK, ILL., Sep. 27. There is to be a reunion of the 47th Illinois, and other regiments at Shaw's, Cave in Rock, Ill., Oct. 19, 20, 21 and 22. All our late comrades are invited to be present, and participate in one of the grandest reunions of the year.

Joseph Mason, Vice President Gallatin and Hardin Counties Veterans Association.

For Mayor.

We announce Mr. Wm. Redd as a candidate for Mayor of Marion. There isn't a more honest or affable gentleman anywhere than Bill Redd; he is a man of good sound sense, conservative in his opinions, and if chosen to fill the office there is no doubt but that he would leave nothing in his power undone to make a faithful officer. He will greatly appreciate your vote.

A Big Meeting.

A big revival meeting is in progress at Dunn Springs church, conducted by Rev. W. M. Brown. A large number of conversions are reported. A basket dinner will be given on the grounds Sunday and an all day meeting will be held. Everybody is invited to come, bringing well filled baskets.

A CARD.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of magistrate in Hurricane precinct. I will greatly appreciate the vote and influence of every voter in the precinct. If I should be elected it would be my utmost endeavor to make you a good and faithful officer.

F. C. Moore.

Held Over.

The men whom Buchanan accused of whipping Squire Paine—Howell, Pope, Wilborn and Hurst, were held over by Judge Moore to answer any bill the grand jury might find against them. So sure were they of acquittal that they did not employ a lawyer until the trial was partly over. The court said there was a doubt of their having committed the offense, and while he did not believe a jury would find them guilty, yet in an examining trial the commonwealth was entitled to the benefit of any doubt, while on final trial the defendants could have the benefit of the doubt. The bonds were reduced from \$1,000 to \$500 and all executed bond. Bob Wilborn, who was also accused by Buchanan, was discharged.

New K. of H. Lodge.

Tuesday night a lodge of Knights of Honor was organized at Shady Grove. Grand Reporter A. J. Hess was the instituting officer. There are twenty-six charter members. The following officers were chosen: Dr. J. N. Todd, P. D. J. L. Cardwell, D. J. H. Brandon, V. D. C. F. Gavanah, A. D. G. W. Mitchell, R. B. F. Horning, F. R. A. D. Babb, T. V. S. Kemp, G. Henry Bell, C. D. N. Kemp, Guard. W. S. McDowell, S. The lodge was named "Shady Grove."

Glendale Revival.

The meeting began, September 19, 1897, and continued two weeks. Bro. Hall and Murphy did the preaching and Bro. W. B. Yates led the singing. The power began to fall at the first service and the meeting was good from first to last. Souls were saved at almost every coming together, and one night fourteen were converted. One hundred and eleven were converted and sanctified during the meeting. The Christians were wonderfully revived and worked with a zeal never witnessed before. One unrepentant person was heard to remark that "he never saw such Christians. If any one got away from them he must leave the house and go to the woods." Many times during the services there were penitents not only at the altar but all over the house. Eternity alone will reveal the wonderful good done at this meeting.

R. T.

Notice.

I will on Saturday, October 9, at Hurricane let to the highest and best bidder the Hotel and Feed Stable at Hurricane camp ground at 1 o'clock, p. m.

R. M. Franks, Sec. of Committee.

FISCAL COURT.

Tuesday the fiscal court of the county convened, with Judge Moore presiding and the following Justices in attendance: J. R. Postlethwait, T. H. Hunt, J. W. Mabry, T. A. Harpending, P. C. Moore, W. G. Condit, J. N. Cully and W. E. Todd.

The following allowances were made to the persons named to aid in their support:

Jemima Reynolds \$20, Wm. Marcum \$20, Ada Smith \$18, Mrs. Cash \$48, A. M. Queternous \$12, Nancy Millican \$36, Louis Montgomery \$36, Mrs. Louis Adams \$15, Sarah Buchanan \$5, Curtis Teer \$10, Mrs. Johnson \$5, daughter \$48, R. W. Clark \$24, Louisa Stinson \$1 per week, Jane Duncan \$24, Widow Vaughn \$8, R. B. Young \$24, Mrs. Snell \$12.

The following claims were allowed: A. C. Moore, defending two paupers in circuit court \$5.

Dr. J. W. Crawford, medical attendance to prisoners \$17.

Dr. J. R. Clark, services as health officer \$65.

S. F. Woodson, for bridge \$20.

N. J. Ferrigan, holding inquest \$6.

J. R. Summerville, goods for poor house \$6.45.

W. A. Orendre, pauper coffin \$3.

G. P. Wilson, caring for Mollie Bevel's child \$18.

C. W. Love, delivering escaped lunatic \$4.

T. A. Murry, taking care of Nora Wilson's child \$2 per month.

W. B. Binkley, pauper coffin \$4.

Marion Bank, cashing school draft for 1896 and 1897 \$30.

W. G. Condit, for benefit of widow Brent and children \$18.

J. T. Franks, serving road orders, etc. \$51.50.

J. A. Farris, burial clothes for Jas. per Milligan, \$4.25.

W. C. Tyner, coffin for Mullinax \$4.

A. Dean \$10 for L. Hughes.

G. P. Wilson, bridge com. \$1.

J. R. Postlethwait, bridge com. \$2.

A. S. Hard, total jailer claims for year, \$761.80.

D. Woods, road orders, etc. \$201.85.

J. N. Cully, bridge com. \$6.

H. L. Sullivan, supt. of poor house for 1897, \$20.

The sum of \$10 was appropriated for repairing bridge near Sullivan's.

The sum of \$75 was appropriated to rebuild bridge on Meadow creek.

S. F. Corder amount expended for Bell Brantley.

On account of old age and disabilities Ira Thompson, Ira B. Hughes and D. F. Kemp were released from poll tax.

W. H. Asher was elected supt. of poor house for 1898; salary \$18.

By a vote of five to three a motion to appropriate money for a bridge at Dunn Springs was voted down.

The tax rate in the county was fixed at 25 on the \$100 worth of taxable property and \$1.50 poll tax. The Marion precinct railroad tax was fixed at 15 cents on the \$100.

The price for plows and teams on road was fixed at \$1.50 per day.

Daniel—Cameron.

Mr. John G. Daniel and Miss Henriette Cameron were married yesterday at 9 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Henriette Cameron of this place, Rev. W. H. Miley performing the ceremony. A number of their friends gathered to witness the happy union, and immediately after the ceremony the contracting parties left for their home in Cadiz.

The bride is one of Marion's most handsome and accomplished young ladies, and greatly admired by all who know her.

Mr. Daniel is a popular young business man of Cadiz, and has a large number of friends here. The Press extends hearty congratulations.

A CARD.

Having been solicited by quite a number of the people of Marion to become a candidate for Mayor, I have consented to do so, and in announcing myself a candidate for this important office can only say that if honored by your votes and elected it shall be my purpose to advance the interests of our city, and in so far as I can carry out the wishes of the people.

Very truly yours, J. P. Pierce.

NEW LAUNDRY.

Harry F. Johnston has secured the General Agency for the Eclipse Laundry and Dye Works, of Henderson, Ky., one of the best laundries in the State. This laundry turns out the best work on shortest notice. Shipments made every Tuesday evening, returning Friday morning. Mr. Johnston will take pleasure in calling for and delivering your packages. In connection with the laundry he has made arrangements to take orders for dyeing, cleaning and repairing at a very low figure. Parties having work of this kind will find it to their advantage to call on him and get estimates. Satisfaction is positively guaranteed in both branches. Headquarters at Perry & Gues's dry goods store.

NOTICE.

The Fusion Populists are hereby called to meet in Marion on Monday, Oct. 11. Business of importance and all are requested to attend.

T. T. Murphy, Chn.

Miss Mina Wheeler Will Speak.

I will address the people on education in Crittenden county at the following places: Marion, Monday Oct. 11. Colon school house, Wednesday night, Oct. 13.

R-wheel school house, Thursday night, Oct. 14.

For clean, fresh groceries go to the Leader.

Other candidates are invited to be present, if you wish to address the people a fair division of time will be given you.

Mina Wheeler.

At THE OLD STAND WE STILL DO BUSINESS

FRESH BREAD EVERY DAY.

We have just replenished our stock with a line of
PURE, FRESH, Candies,
Our goods cannot be beat. Remember we lead all others in fancy groceries. If you want something good to eat, come to us.

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FRESH Oysters

Served in any styles
We also keep them in bulk to sell in any quantity. Leave orders, and we'll deliver them at your house

