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CAPIES

We opened the season with the finest and largest line of Capes ever shown in the town and our trade on these has been immense. We are still offering the best values that can be found in \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Capes.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO CLIFTON'S.

And they are coming for miles around—coming from the north—coming from the south, from the east and from the west—COMING FROM ALL AROUND. And the reason they are coming is because they can always find just what they want at our store and always AT THE LOWEST PRICES ever before offered in the county.

A BIG DRIVE IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

No Difference What Prices Others May Offer You, You Will Find Our Prices Lower.

CLOTHING

Our stock of Clothing is the Largest and Completest ever shown in the County.
Men's Winter Suits from \$2.50 up.
Boys' Suits from 75 cents up.
See our Elegant Line of Young Men's All Wool Suits—French and Satin lined for \$7.00, worth \$10.00.
The Best \$3.00 and \$5.00 Suits in the County.

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We are the acknowledged Leaders in Shoes.
The Largest Line—the Best Goods and the Lowest Prices.
Our Line of Women's Solid Winter Shoes, Button or Lace \$1.00.
Our Celebrated Line of Men's Heavy Extra High Cut Shoes for \$1.25 cannot be found elsewhere for Twenty per cent more Money.

Furnishing Goods

Our Line of Ladies' and Men's Furnishing Goods is up-to-date in every particular. We are showing some Special values in Ladies' Vests and Men's Underwear that cannot be even approached elsewhere. Ladies' Heavy Jersey Ribbed Fleece Lined Vest for 15c. worth 25c. Ladies' Heavy Jersey Ribbed Fleece Lined Silk Fleece Vest for 25c. —Ladies' Extra Heavy cotton undershirt, ribbed neck, pearl buttons for 25c.—Special values in Ladies' Union Suits for 50c.—You must see these goods to appreciate the values.

Dress Goods.

Our stock of Dress Goods is Complete and embraces everything that is New and Stylish.
All of the all WOOL NOVELTIES
BROAD CLOTHS, COVERT CLOTHS, ETC.
Everything in Trimmings and Linings—All that is New.

We have some Big Bargains in Silk Plush Capes.
\$10.00 Capes For \$8.00.
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If you want to pay CASH for your goods, you are entitled to CASH PRICES. If you want CASH prices, you should trade at a CASH HOUSE. We do strictly a CASH BUSINESS. Buy for cash, sell for cash and make no bad debts. Now don't you think we can afford to name lower prices than those doing business on any other basis. WE BELIEVE WE DO IT. Suppose you come in and investigate. THE ADMISSION IS FREE. Costs you not one cent, and it is a question that you are certainly interested in.

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DR. KINSELLA.

AROUND SANTIAGO.

The Battles as Viewed from a "Front Row Seat."

Here are some pen pictures by C. E. Hands, the correspondent of the Daily Mail. He saw the fighting before Santiago—from what he describes as a "front row seat," on El Pao. Here, while watching a battery demolish a Spanish blockhouse and drive the Spanish from the trenches, Mr. Hands had his first experience with schrapnel.

"Bang! went our gun. I clapped my glasses to my eyes and watched the distant trench to see the Spaniards bustle away. Boom! went another gun at a distance. Before there was time to wonder what or where it was there came a sound in the air like the hiss of some awful firework serpent. It filled the entire atmosphere. As it approached the hiss became a shrill whistle, and the whistle a terrifying scream.

"Schrapnel!" cried an officer as he threw himself on his face.

"Crack! went something overhead, and cries of consternation came from the Cuban rendezvous in the ruined mill at the foot of the hill. Boom! again, scream, whistle, crack; down we all went on our faces as close to the ground as we could.

"Field hospital, quick!" yelled some one from the battery.

"Scream again; this was awful. The little cluster of spectators had separated at the first shot. We ran around for such shelter as the lee side of the hill afforded. As speedily as possible, considering the difficulties of the ground and the burning heat of the sun, I made my way back to a spot which, while not yet

by a front row seat, was not quite the center of the Spanish schrapnel field.

He was also fortunate enough to see the splendid storming of El Canele, the Belacava of Cuba, with the added glory of utility.

"When a 'trench' came—I lost exact count of time—there was still a jangling of volleys over by Canele. But in front our men were away out of sight of a ridge far ahead. Beyond there arose a long, steepish ascent, crowned by the blockhouse upon which the artillery had opened fire in the morning.

"Suddenly, as we looked through our glasses, we saw a little black ant going scrambling quickly up the hill, and an inch or two behind him a ragged line of other little ants, and then another line of ants, until it seemed as if somebody had dug a stick into a great ant's nest down in the valley, and all the ants were scrambling away up hill. Then the volley firing began ten times more furiously than before; from the right beyond the top of the ridge burst upon the ants a terrible fire of shells; from the blockhouse in front of them machine guns sounded their continuous rattle. But the ants swept up the hill. They seemed to us to thin out as they went forward; but they still went forward. It was incredible, but it was grand. The boys were storming the hill. The military authorities were most surprised. They were not surprised at these splendid athletic daredevils of our doing it. But that a military commander should have allowed a fortified and entrenched position to be assailed by an infantry charge up the side of a long exposed hill, except by a terrible artillery fire, frightened them not so much by its audacity as by its terrible cost in human life.

"As they neared the top the different lines came nearer together. One moment they went a little more slowly; then they stopped; then they went on again faster than ever, and then all of us sitting there on the top of the battery cried with excitement. For the ants were scrambling all around the blockhouse on the ridge, and in a moment or two we saw them inside it. But then our hearts swelled up into our throats, for a fearful fire came from somewhere beyond the blockhouse and from somewhere to

the right of it and somewhere to the left of it. Then we saw the ants come scrambling down the hill again. They had taken a position which they had not the force to hold. But a moment or two and up they scrambled again, more of them, more quickly than before, and up the other face of the hill to the left went other lines, and the ridge was taken and the blockhouse was ours, and the trenches were full of dead Spaniards.

"It was a grand achievement—for the soldiers who shared it—this storming of the hill leading up from the San Juan river to the ridge before the main fort. We could tell so much at 2,500 yards. But we also knew that if had cost them dear.

As I was trying to make myself comfortable for the night in some meadow grass wet with dew as if there had been a thunder storm, I saw a man I knew in the Sixteenth, who had come back from the front on some errand.

"How's the Sixteenth?" I asked him.

"G-d, what's left of it," he said; "fifteen men left out of my company—fifteen out of a hundred."

"We have fought a great battle but we have not taken Santiago yet."

Here is a description of the scenes after the battle:

"This was Saturday, the day after the big fight, and the road was busy both ways. From the front the heavy jolting, six mule ammunition wagons were returning empty after dropping their boxes of cartridges at the firing line.

"Not quite empty, for as they came nearer you saw the awnings of big palm leaves were spread from side to side. And then, when, with a 'Whoo-hoo!' and a crack of the long whip and a 'Git in there, durn yer,' from the Texan teamster, the mules swung round from the road up the steep bank into the hospital field, you saw as the wagon tilted that under the palm leaves pale, bandaged men were lying. They groined in agony as the heavy springless wagons rocked and jolted.

"For God's sake kill me out of this," screamed a man as he clutched in agony at the palm leaves between him and the sun. It was awful that wounded men should be carried back in such fashion, but then, as someone exclaimed, 'Guess there's a considerable shortage of ambulance traction. And then there was a certain grim appropriateness to the proceedings of yesterday.

"Our men had been fired as ammunition against intrenchments and positions that should have been taken by artillery. It was quite in keeping that the poor, battered spent bullets should be carried back in the ammunition wagons.

"But besides the wagon there came along from the front men borne on hand litters, some lying face down

ward, writhing at intervals in awful convulsions, others lying motionless on the flat of their backs with their hats placed over their faces for shade. And there also came men, dozens of them about, painfully limping with one arm thrown over the shoulder of a comrade and the other arm helplessly dangling.

"How much further to the hospital, neighbor?" they would despairingly ask.

"Only a quarter of a mile or so, neighbor," I would answer, and with a smile of hope that at the thought after all they would be able to achieve the journey, they would hobble along.

"But the ammunition wagon and carry them all. For hobbling down the steep bank from the hospital came bandaged men on foot. They sat down for awhile on the bank as far as they could get from the jumble of mules and wagons in the lane, and then setting their faces toward Siboney they commenced—to walk it. They were men whose injuries were too slight for wagon room to be given them. There was not enough wagon accommodation for the men whose wounds rendered them helplessly prostrate. So let the men who had mere arm and shoulder wounds, simple flesh wounds, or only one injured foot or leg walked it. Siboney was only eight miles away.

"True, it was a fearfully bad road but then the plain fact was that there was not enough wagons for all, and it was better for these men to be at the hospital, and better that they should make room at the division hospital, even if they had to make the journey on foot.

"There was one man on the road whose left foot was heavily bandaged and drawn up from the ground. He had provided himself with a sort of rough crutch made of the forked limb of a tree which he had padded with a bundle of clothes. With the assistance of this and a short stick he was padding briskly along when I overtook him.

"Where did they get you, neighbor?" I asked him.

"Oh, durn their skins," he said in the cheerfulest way, turning to me with a smile, 'they got me twice—a splinter of a shell in the foot, and a bullet through the calf of the same leg when I was being carried back from the firing line."

"A sharpshooter?"

"The fellow was up in a tree."

"And you're walking back to Siboney? Wasn't there room for you to ride?" I expected an angry outburst of indignation in reply to this question. But I was mistaken. In a plain, matter-of-fact way he said:

"Guess not. They needed all the room for worse cases 'n mine. Thank God, my two wounds are both in the same leg, so I can walk quite good and spry. They told me I'd be better off down at the landing yonder, so I got these crutches and made a break."

all beautifully cheerful. And not merely cheerful. They were all absolutely unconscious that they were undergoing any unnecessary hardships or sufferings. They knew now that was no picnic, and they were not complaining at the absence of picnic fare. Some of them had lain out all the night, with the dew falling on them where the bullets had dropped them, before their turn came with the overworked field surgeons.

"There were only sixty doctors with the outfit," they explained, 'and naturally they couldn't tend everybody at once."

"That seemed to me a quite sufficient number," I said, 'and you have been more doctors, more ambulances. Some of them seemed to have a faint glimmering of a notion that there might perhaps have been fewer wounded; but then that was so obvious to everybody. The conditions subsequent to the battle they accepted as the conditions proper and natural to the circumstances.

The cheerful fellow with the improvised crutches was so filled with thankfulness at the possession of his tree branch that it never occurred to him that he had reason to complain of the absence of proper crutches. I happened by chance to know that he had picked away in the Siboney Bay there were cases full of crutches, and I was on the point of blurted out an indignant statement of the fact when I remembered that the knowledge would not make his walk easier. So I said nothing about it.

"I had to make the journey to Siboney myself. There was nothing more than a desultory going on at the front, and I had telegrams to try and get away. So I passed a good many of the walking wounded, and heard a good many groans from palm-awed wagons. The men were, all the same, bravely and uncomplainingly plodding along through the mud. As they themselves put it, they were up against it, and that was all about it.

"And down at Siboney? Well, thank God, the hospital tents had been unloaded. They were short of cots, short of blankets, short of surgeons, short of supplies, short of nurses, short of everything. But thank goodness, by squeezing and crowding and economizing space there was shelter for the men as they came in. And thank goodness too, for the Red Cross Society."

LEPER SCALE

Two Hundred Lepers Escape Confinement at Manila.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 17.—There is a leper scare in Manila. Through the neglect of the Spanish officials nearly 200 lepers have escaped from confinement. For a time this was unknown to the American authorities, and the outbreak was allowed to wander at large. Orders have been issued to the effect that all lepers will be arrested and sent to a small uninhabited island on the southeast of Luzon. On this island the American government will establish a hospital for the lepers of the Philippines. They will be fed and cared for at the expense of the government.

MATTHEW W. HUGHES,

In His Ninetieth Year.

Leaving Mr. Gady's, as mentioned last week, we went to the home of Matthew Woods Hughes better known all over his section as "Uncle Mack."

We found him sitting in company with his daughter-in-law in the shade of a tree in the front yard of his quiet home, hale and lively, and with the ruddy glow of a man of sixty five, although he is now in his ninetieth year, and certainly one of the oldest men in Crittenden county.

His father was William Hughes; his mother's maiden name was Nancy Roe. She was twice married, her first husband being Thomas Hughes, a first cousin to William, her second husband.

By her first marriage, she was the mother of the following children: Thomas, Richard, Joseph, Andrew, James, Ansel and William, and a daughter, whose name I have not learned. She first married a man named Flynn and after his death, married a Mr. Jones. By this second marriage, she was the mother of James C. Jones, who was county clerk of this county at the time of his death, more than twenty years ago, and of a daughter Mary, now Mrs. [Frasley Ford] who lives near Crayneville.

So far as I have learned, all the sons of this marriage except Thomas, spent their lives in this county. Thomas married Miss Jane Wheeler, and settled down on a farm southeast of Fredonia, and became one of Caldwell county's most prosperous farmers. He died nearly forty years ago. His only surviving children are James and Frank Hughes who live upon the old homestead, and Mrs. Bell Tinsley, widow of William Tinsley, of Louisville. Jim and Frank, both substantial citizens and most excellent men, live on the old homestead.

Dr. King, now of Princeton, married the sister, Melville, and after her death married a younger sister, Nannie, who died several years ago. The only remaining sister married Thomas Tinsley. An older brother Thomas, married, and his widow now lives in Fredonia.

So far we have spoken only of the children of Nancy Roe by her first marriage with Thomas Hughes. Her children by her second marriage, with William Hughes, were Matthew W. the subject of this sketch, and Benjamin, and a daughter named Nancy who married Alexander Dean, and was the mother of Dr. T. L. Dean, and of those two jolly, bustling boys Job and Al Dean.

Matthew married Clara Hill, a sister of the late Jackson Hill, in 1827, in his eighteen year. That was seven years ago. We would like to hear from all the men and women now living in the county that married so long ago. The nuptial ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph Kilpatrick a Methodist minister, then well known in this county.

His children have been eight sons and three daughters as follows: William and Andrew J., now living in Illinois; J. Harvey, living near Weston; Thomas in Livingston county,

this state; Columbus in Missouri, Marion and Sidney who died in infancy, and Joseph E., who lived upon the old homestead, and, together with his good and dutiful wife, cares for his father in his old age.

His daughters were Araminta, who married William H. Crow, now of Marion, Caroline who married James Duval, and Ann who married Ben Roach.

How interesting, how thrilling, the venerable people whose memory extends back almost a century; that have seen an unbroken wilderness transformed into a thriving and prosperous country.

The first school he ever attended was at Suck Spring, now Baker's school house. He has a live recollection of those jolly, rollicking gatherings of the old time, the militia musters. He attended company musters at the old Alfred Moore place, near Repton, and battalion and regimental musters at Cross Keys, where Pierce Butler now lives.

In answer to a question by Brother Price, he said that he remembers a Methodist minister in his early days named John Johnson. Was this the Rev. John Johnson, who was the father of Dr. Adam Clark Johnson, who lived in Marion and taught school from twenty five to thirty years ago, and was at one time a member of the county school board? That John Johnson was a very eminent divine in his day, and a collaborer of the celebrated Peter Cartwright.

Mr. Hughes parents came from Chester county, South Carolina, in 1801, and settled near Mr. Zion church. That was forty years before Crittenden county was organized or the ground where Marion now stands was cleared.

Here in this quiet secluded spot, in the midst of interminable forests and pastures of pea-vines, the boy sported and frolicked at a time when the steamboat whistle had never been heard in all the length of the beautiful Ohio; when the flatboatman and keelboatman were in their glory, and the sublime solitudes of that noble

river resounded with their merry boat songs; when the hardy pioneer could go out with his old flintlock with a greater certainty of killing a deer in one hour than the Marion sportsman can now feel that he will bring in one poor little quail after a half day's hunt.

Here he passed his youthful days, and grew to man's estate; here he loved and wooed and won a companion that fought life's battle by his side, that cheered him in his success with her noble womanly gratulations, and gave him her sympathy in his hours of misfortune and affliction.

Here in this sylvan retreat, that rural deities, he has lived that serene, ideal life about which poets sing. Far removed from Mammon's storm centers, the greatest financial tempests have rolled and thundered and lashed the shores of the commercial world, and spent their fury long ere they reached the high and dry ground upon which he stood.

"Far from the madding crowd's ignoble strife, His sober wishes never learned to stray. Along the cool, sequestered vale of life, He kept the noiseless tenor of his way."

Shaking hands with him and his kind hearted son and daughter, invoking Heaven's blessings upon them all, with a long extension of this gray haired patriarch's lease of life, we started on a pleasant ride homeward. IGNORUS.

Error in Minutes.

To whom it may concern: The members of the Marion Circuit, M. E. Church will take notice that I reported \$23.00 in full for benevolence for this circuit and have a receipt for the full amount. But the Conference Treasury made a mistake in its report to the Minutes committee and consequently failed to give me any credit for the \$4.00 which I reported for the Board of Church Extension and the \$1.00 reported for the Women's Home Missionary Society was credited to the Women's Foreign Missionary Society. I have notified the Treasurer of the mistake and requested him to rectify the mistake in the columns of W. C. Advocate. Those who have received a copy of the minutes have doubtless noticed the mistake. Our report this conference year is \$1.00 in excess of last year.

G. M. BURNETT,
Pastor Marion Circuit.

Getting Ready

For Xmas!

In order to make room for our large purchase of holiday goods we will, until the first day of December, sell any of our beautiful dinner sets at a reduced price. We have just received a fresh stock of Prunes, Raisins, Currants, Hominy, Oat Meal, Mince Meat, Etc.

Will Meet Any Prices Made in the County

And give you full weight and measure. We guarantee satisfaction on all our sales and mean what we say. GIVE ME A TRIAL.

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Made from pure cream of tartar.
Safeguards the food against alum.
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Like biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work easily and thoroughly.
Hood's Pills
Best after dinner pills.
25 cents. All druggists.
Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.
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For \$3.50 you can get one worth \$5.00
For 5.00 you can get one worth 7.50
For 7.00 you can get one worth 9.00

And you get them as fine as you want. Get your boy an \$5.00 suit that is worth \$1.25. The best goods.

In Suits we are Overstocked.

Have a lot at \$3.50 worth \$5.50
Have a lot at \$5.00 worth \$8.50

We have the Cheap Suits, the Medium Suits, and the Fine Suits, and on every grade our prices simply defy competition

Special Styles

In Ladies and Gents Underwear

AT LOWEST PRICES

Capes and Jackets

Dress Skirts.

We have them in the newest styles and they are at the right prices.

Be sure and see them before you buy.

Dress Goods, Silks

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To suit all. Have lots of them and our prices are always the very lowest.

Call at our store and be convinced.

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For Men, Women and Children

At the Right Prices.

You can't afford to miss us, we want your business and must have it, if good goods and low prices win

PIERCE YANDELL GUGENHEIM CO.

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

If the general results of the late election endorse the administration, the result in Kentucky is an endorsement of the new election law.

of the legislature and the legislature chosen elects a United States Senator to succeed Landry.

If the United States continues to expand, she will be extensive enough by 1900 to maintain the parity of the two money metals, without outside assistance. The goldbugs had better be on guard, or the old thing will slip a cog.

After conquering Spain in war we are to pay her \$30,000,000 for the Philippines. Real estate has advanced since Jefferson's day. He bought the province of Louisiana, embracing one million square miles of the United States, about one-third of the whole, for half that sum, and didn't have to fight to make the trade either.

Ex-Governor Flower of New York made a speech last week advocating expansion, and the imperialistic newspapers tell us that it is safe to follow his advice, because he is a successful "business man"—he has amassed a fortune. There can be no objection to a man's making a fortune, but every man who has amassed a fortune is not a Senator, and because a man is a millionaire does not always make him a safe leader. The acts of our legislative bodies, both national and state, seem with efforts to shut off the business methods of some of our "successful business men." This class of men is found among those who own the railroads, and we have to legislate in every direction to keep the railroads within the bounds of reason. The big banks are frequently operated by these "successful business men," and yet laws are necessary to curb their avarice; the Standard Oil Company, the American school book trust and other mighty money making institutions are the offspring of the brain of "successful business men" and the problem of the age is legislation that will circumscribe the methods of that many of these are using to prey off the people. Now, is it safe to follow the advice of these men, simply because it comes from the class, in the matter of taking in foreign territory, when we have to hustle to keep them from swallowing up the people in their home country? If there are no considerations in national life outside of amassing fortunes, advice from this source may be safely followed, but if there is more in a nation's or an individual's life than dollars, the millionaire's wisdom may not be worth more than a poor man's foresight.

Star Pointer, the world's champion pacer, was sold in New York yesterday for \$15,000, \$800 less than he brought last year.

ARE YOU IN?

The county should have a good road a city. An organization of this kind could do much good towards keeping alive and extending the sentiment for better roads already extant. The articles in the Press have aroused a great deal of interest in this all-important matter, and the paper proposes to keep up the good work. It aided and abetted by an organization composed of all men who favor the improvement of our public highways, even if it costs a little extra money. The organization takes the movement of papers and books and all other kinds of literature upon this subject will naturally assist in moulding public opinion, and creating a determination to have good roads, and when the public—and what is the public but the people?—demands these improvements, the plans and specifications will come spontaneously. A great many of us think we want good roads, and we do want them, if they will come as a Christmas gift, but our desires are not arduous enough to move us to any expenditure of money or muscle to get them. Then there are those of us who care little or nothing about the matter; our fathers and grandfathers traveled the old muddy, rocky roads before us and made no complaint, and we are no better than they. Then some of us, gentle readers, do not know the difference between a good road and a bad one, and care less; with us a road is a road, if it "stands still."

Shake us all up in a bag together, and we will find that public sentiment for good roads is no stronger than a Kansas New Year's egg nog.

A good-roads society, club, or guild can do much to remedy this defect. A winter's study and discussion of the question might bring some good—a winter's setting might hatch a valuable spring chicken.

Our schools are improving, our churches are growing taller, our farms are better than they were twenty years ago, why not fill up some of the ruts and scrape off some of the bumps in our roads?

If you are "in" a quarter or two—if necessary—to defray the expenses of a club, and will attend as many as three meetings a year, and assist in the good work, send in your name, and when a hundred names are in, a public meeting will be called and shape given to the work. Remember, this "quarter or two, if necessary," is not to build a turn-pike from the sombre hues of autumn to the sweet perfumes of May, but to be used in convincing each that the other is really for good roads.

Are you in?

Sores.

"Running sores appeared on my leg and spread over the entire lower portion of the limb. I got no help from medicine till I tried yours. I was cured by one bottle of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

ISAAC ACKER, Covington, Va.

Circuit Court.

Harmon Acquitted and Murphy on Trial for Murder

The case of the Commonwealth against Charles Murphy for killing Thomas Lindsay is now on trial, and will probably reach the jury some time today.

Monday was spent in impaneling the jury, and Tuesday morning the twelve men had been selected. They were: C. W. Fox, W. J. Allen, F. M. Jones, W. F. Jennings, W. D. James, J. W. Gustard and W. F. Jacobs.

Ed. Harmon who has been in jail since the last term of court to answer an indictment charging him with rape, was acquitted by the jury. The H. B. Fox case, in which Fox and others are charged with causing a false arrest of Cas. Monan was continued by the commonwealth on account of the absence of witnesses Cas Monan, Ed. Wade, Ben Peck, Jr., Oscar Anderson and Mrs. Ann Gray.

The case against Frank Jacobs, charged with malicious shooting, was continued by defendant, and an attachment issued for Tom Sleasaker.

The cases against Claude Henry and others, confederating etc., were continued by the commonwealth, and attachments issued for Obe Burgess and wife.

An allowance of \$75 each was made for the following persons as paupers: Evers, Holloman, Finny, Aarons, Oscar Dore, Ruby James.

Twenty Five Indictments.

The grand jury adjourned Tuesday after returning twenty-five indictments, as follows: Burning barn 1; malicious shooting 2; flourishing pistol 1; disturbing worship 3; concealed weapons 2; trespass 4; detaining a woman 1; assault and battery 1; petit larceny 1; breach of the peace 1; failing to deliver money to succeed in office 1; selling liquor without license, 7.

Ready For Business.

The big steamship purchased from A. H. Cardin has been overhauled and re-modeled, and Mr. Jarvis, the new man, now has everything in readiness to receive and handle tobacco. His buyer will visit as many of the tobacco raisers as possible, and he will be glad to look at all samples brought to the steamship. If you have a crop to sell bring in a sample for his inspection.

New York, Nov. 22.—Thousands witnessed the fight tonight at the Lenox Athletic Club between James J. Corbett and Thomas Sharkey, and again in disappointment saw the long time favorite from the Golden State go down in defeat. The decision for supremacy in the noted fistie encounter was rendered in favor of Sharkey in the seventh round on a foul.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 21.—The Alabama House of Representatives today read and referred a joint resolution appropriating \$500 to buy a sword for Lieut. Hobson, of Merriam fame. The Senate is expected to concur in the resolution.

HANING AT EDDYVILLE.

Cato Will Pay the Penalty of His Crime Friday at 1 o'clock

Will Cato, the young man, who in conjunction with his partner in crime, murdered an old shanty-boat man on the Cumberland river several months ago, will be hung at Eddyville tomorrow. The crime was one of the blackest on the criminal record of Southern Kentucky, and if ever a man deserved hanging, Cato is entitled to it. He was the younger of the two, and was probably saved his neck. A big crowd is expected in Eddyville that day.

The Eddyville Tale says: The prisoner will be executed at 1 o'clock p. m., on the state's ground, just back of the prison wall where the scaffold is now being erected.

DEMAND FOR CORN.

South Africa Buying Much American Corn.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—A heavy and continued demand exists for corn and also for American cornmeal in South Africa, according to United States Consul General Shaw, at Cape Town.

The corn is quoted at \$3.52 per hundred pounds in Cape Town and \$4.44 in Johannesburg, and the supplies do not satisfy the demand. The cornmeal is quoted at \$4.18 per 100 pounds, and large importations have recently arrived from America and Montevideo.

Railroad Engineer

Testifies to Benefits Received From Dr. Miles' Remedies.



There is no more responsible position on earth than that of a railroad engineer. One has steady nerves, clear brain, bright eyes and perfect self command, depend the safety of the train and the lives of the passengers. Dr. Miles' Nervine and other remedies are especially adapted to keeping the nerves steady, the brain clear and the mental faculties unimpaired.

Engineer F. W. McCoy, formerly of 1225 Broadway, Council Bluffs, but now residing at 3411 Humboldt St., Denver, writes that he "suffered for years from constipation, causing sick, nervous and bilious headaches, and was fully restored to health by Dr. Miles' Nervine & Liver Pills. I heartily recommend Dr. Miles' Remedies."

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee. First bottle free. Second bottle money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address: DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Try that three year old Davis County Whiskey at C. E. Davis & Co. It is fine for \$2.00 per gal or 50c quart.

MODOC'S MELODIES.

TOLU, KY., Nov. 15, '98.

The Teachers Reading Club at this place Saturday was a failure. The county president failed to appoint a vice president, or either the appointee failed to put in an appearance; therefore nothing could be done.

A great many people have steered a good way north of our good opinion, but not so in the above case. Gather up the fragments that nothing is still creating quite a sensation, yet at the same time some people have about as much idea about an old back as an oyster. Shall a man be banished from society on account of his age or from the fact that he is polite to everybody that he meets; common sense and decency says nix.

When I am laid in my grave I wish to be stretched at my full length, that I may occupy every inch of ground I have a right to.—Selch.

Thoughts that are the spontaneous result of accidental situations, either respecting high place or company have often a strength and always an originality that would in vain be looked for in fancied circumstances and studied paragraphs. No to find them in their precious importance and divine efficacy we must search among the obscure recesses of disappointments, affliction, poverty, distress and bachelors.—Rat.

Duty performed never fails of its reward in some way.

The ages will sweep on and—lift the hills, roll the waters, flash the lightning, weigh the sun, but Modoc still carries baskets of grapes sweeter than the grapes of Eschol to his last girl that is by far sweeter than the grapes. Who could behold or see her superior charms, fine intelligence and not love? Who could love and be silent; grapes or no grapes, bachelor or no bachelor.

Some people seem to have only a front porch knowledge of a few things and can not even dovetail their ideas into anything that would edify anybody or anything. So mote it be.

Old man Quantrell and old Champ Ferguson better known down here as Dr. A. S. H. Boyd and S. A. Marks, concede the election of Wheeler to Congress by a small majority, but are in battle array for the next fellow that comes along without the pass word.

Before we close we must say with out any reluctance on our part that we have one of the best schools that this correspondent has ever had the privilege of visiting. Prof. C. B. Hines and Mrs. Mamie Guess deserve a great deal of credit and praise for their splendid work and management of the school. Will give the grade and general average of the school next week; also the grade and average of the old bachelors of this town in another epistle later on if Spartacus has not renewed his youth it is no fault of

A first class meal at any hour at Hearin's.

CHURCH MATTERS.

A Good Meeting.

I closed a good meeting at Coldwell Spring, Nov. 16, which continued eleven days. I had the assistance of Eld. J. W. Oliver who did most of the preaching, and did well to the satisfaction of the church and congregation; the song service was conducted by Bro. Leslie Holt, of Lyon county, who did his work well. We had 14 professions and 11 baptisms and a glorious revival. I have this grand old church in the last two meetings. We have a fine band of young people in this church as I ever saw who are doing good work for the Master. I have been pastor of this church for eight years with an interval of one year. The church is in a prosperous condition, to God be all the praise. I go next week to assist Bro. Oliver at Blooming Grove, Livingston county. W. R. GIBBS.

Ed. Press.—We would be glad to publish to the world through your columns what the Lord has done for us. We began a protracted meeting at Blackburn church on the fourth Sabbath in October, Bro. W. C. Moore pastor. The meeting continued on the first week without seeming results, but the Lord was working his hosts, the Christians were alive to the work, as was manifested by their earnest labors, fervent prayers and untiring zeal. On the fifth Sabbath night, Eld. D. E. Bentley of Piney Creek church came to assist us; when through his earnest preaching and the deep earnest work of the church and people united, the Lord descended in the power of his might and spirit and dwelt among us; sinners were made to tremble and feel the power of the Lord, and mourners to cry out "what shall I do to be saved," and twenty one made to feel they were saved. The meeting closed on Friday, the 13th day from commencement, at the water on old Piney creek, where we had met to attend to the ordinance of baptism, where Bro. Bentley delivered a discourse on its mode, after which B. O. Moore led nine of the little boys and girls down into its waters and buried them beneath its liquid waves. The nine baptized were Kate McChesney, Xosmie Stenbridge, Phronie Stenbridge, Effie and Dora Brown, Alpha McConnell, Richard McDowell, Luther McConnell and Harry Eskew, all of them young boys and girls who will come on and take the places of the old when their work is done. We had a most glorious revival and the church built up, showing that when Zion travels she shall bring forth sons and daughters in honor and glory to God.

KATE MCCHESNEY.

LAURA STENBRIDGE.

The pastor Rev. R. A. LaRue will begin a meeting at Crooked Creek church next Sunday. Rev. J. S. Miller is expected to assist.

We call special attention to our new calicoes, percales, flannel outing, novelties in dress goods.—Woods & Fowler.

NEWS NOTES.

Gen. Don Carlos Buell died at his home in Muhlenburg county Saturday.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 21.—Three thousand operatives in the cotton mills here struck today on account of a reduction in wages.

The police reports of Havana show an alarming increase of crime. Highway robbery is common, organized gangs being at work.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 20.—A grand jury upon the charge of conspiracy to unlawfully use public moneys in the Senator's bank.

The entire Sixth Virginia infantry (colored) is disbanded and under arrest at Camp Mason, Ga. The regiment had set out for Macon to take part in the war in the white provost guards.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 19.—The Court of Appeals today overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of the Ohio Valley railroad vs. Landers, involving the separate oath law.

A Spanish officer in Havana has made a proposition to raise a battalion of two thousand Spanish soldiers, who, unwilling to return to Spain, wish to swear allegiance to the United States and continue to serve in Cuba.

Under orders from Washington the Merritt Chapman wrecking tug Chapman sailed from Santiago for Cat Island, the scene of the wreck of the cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa. The government still has hopes of saving the Ma in Teresa.

A delegation of business men from Pana, Ill., notified Gov. Tanner that the city was in a state of terror on account of the riotous miners and that the troops now there were not

able to cope with the emergency. Another company was ordered to the scene.

John B. Dacey, the negro Collector of the Port at Wilmington, N. C., in an interview in New York, placed all the blame for the race riots at the Carolina city on Masly, the negro editor who so grossly insulted the women of the state.

Milwaukee, Nov. 19.—Miss Jessie Schley, who went to Spain as a delegate of the Women's International League for Peace in an effort to bring the war to a close, issued a statement in the American press today, in which she takes the credit of influencing Spain to peace.

Gen. Garcia and other Cuban Assembly delegates have reached New York. In an interview Gen. Garcia declares there is complete unity among the Cubans and confidence in the United States. There is no sentiment for annexation, he declares.

The Peace Commissioners at Paris have made their final demand on Spain, and a final answer must be given on or before next Monday, November 28. The United States must have the entire Philippine archipelago, and offers \$20,000,000 for the concession of the islands.

The American communication refused arbitration on the article of the protocol bearing on the Philippines, and declared the purpose of the United States to maintain the Philippines as an "open door" to the world's commerce.

The date of the evacuation of Cuba has been settled. Spain will cease to dominate the island January 1. The Spanish troops then remaining will be confined to barracks until transports can convey them to the peninsula. It has been decided that all small arms shall be returned to Spain.

Mormon Church.

VANCEBURG, Ky., Nov. 17.—This county continues to be the point in the State in which the Mormons seemed to have gained their foothold. Elders of that faith are now gathering here for the purpose of arranging to dedicate their new church building at Pleasant Hill, this county. The new place of worship is three miles south of here, and though it is a neat building, it is not built with any attempt at display.

Farm for Sale.

Farm of 207 acres, 8 miles south west of Marion on Claylick creek; 100 in good state of cultivation, 12 in blue grass, 40 acres in wheat, 60 acres bottom; good house of 3 rooms, hall and kitchen, 1 tenant house, two stock barns, other necessary buildings, 3 cisterns, plenty stock water, good fence, well improved. Cheap for cash, or will sell for half cash, balance in two payments of one and two years, notes drawing 6 per cent interest from date until paid, no timber to be cut, except for use on farm, until purchase money is paid. See the undersigned on the farm.

W. A. LEWIS.

The Clement CASH GROCERY!

Is the place to buy the Most and best goods for least Money.

We want the cash grocery trade and if you will price my goods you will find it will be to your interest to buy from me. We pay

Highest Price for Produce

Will thank you to give us a trial.

Groceries, Queensware, Tinware, Clocks and Jewelry.

W. F. Clement

AT THE GRIFFITH STAND.

The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

LOCAL BREVITIES

See Dr. Ravdin if you need glasses.

Marion should have a commercial club.

The tobacco buyers are hustling around now.

Great stock of new fall at Woods & Fowler's.

Rock and gravel is being put on Depot street.

Mrs. R. Y. Thomas has been sick several days.

Dr. Ravdin the oculist warrants all his work.

Mrs. A. F. Griffith has been sick for several days.

Rev. J. S. Miller, of Smithland, was in town Monday.

Mr. Will Summers a student of this place spent Sunday at home.

Mr. H. D. McChesney and wife, of Salem, were in town Monday.

Examine our line of heaters.

Cochran & Baker.

Mrs. A. B. Oliver, of Hampton, is the guest of Jesse Oliver's family.

Mr. J. H. Morse's little daughter, Ruth, has been sick several weeks.

Save money by buying your stove and heaters from Cochran & Baker.

Dr. Ravdin, the well known oculist will be here from Dec. 1 to 8th.

Joe and George Hughes, of Weston were called to town Monday on business.

We give honest weight, fair measure and lowest prices given. Try us.

Hearin & Son.

Shoes, harness and tinware repaired by Henry Cundiff. Your work solicited.

We have the newest and best stock of shoes to select from in town.

Hearin & Son.

Prof. Evans went to St. Louis last night to spend Thanksgiving with friends.

Do not fail to come or write us if you want a saw mill.

Southern Mfg Co.

Rev. J. G. Haynes, of Atlanta, Ill., was in this vicinity a few days last week.

Dr. Charles Rorer and wife, of Fredonia, were visiting friends in town the first of the week.

Mrs. R. F. Haynes, Jr., and children left yesterday for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

We build new saw mills and can furnish you a rig or saw; try us.

Southern Mfg Co.

Mr. Walter Pierce, one of the prosperous young farmers of the Salem valley, was in town Monday.

If you want gloves, hosiery, handkerchiefs, collars, cuffs, neckwear, or sets, dress trimmings. Come to see us.

Woods & Fowler.

Miss Grace Ainsworth who has been visiting relatives in the Caldwell Springs neighborhood, returned home Sunday evening.

Big line of shirts, suspenders and ladies and gents underwear, all at prices that make them sell.

Woods & Fowler.

Mr. J. B. Hubbard expects to move his family to town this week. He will occupy the J. W. Blue residence near Senator D. B. Co.

We have a special bargain to offer in way of engine and well drilling outfit, as good as new, cheap for cash.

Southern Mfg Co.

John Mahoney, of Frances, is on the Federal grand jury at Paducah this week, and J. M. Freeman, of Marion, is on the petit jury.

LOOK OUT for the first signs of impure blood—Hood's Sarsaparilla is your safeguard. It will purify, enrich and vitalize your BLOOD.

MARION GRADED SCHOOL BOYS

Making Their Mark at the State College.

L. D. Threlkeld, of Salem, and A. F. Crider, of this place, completed the high school course in the Marion Graded School at the close of last term, and went to the State College at Lexington together in September, and are rooming together. The college boys are divided into two literary societies—the Union and the Patterson. Crider became a member of the Union and Threlkeld of the Patterson. At a public meeting of each society a member of each is chosen by contest of declamatory powers, and then there is a similar contest between those two for the honor of representing the State College at the intercollegiate declamatory contest. Over three competitors last week Crider won the medal of the Union society, and Threlkeld carried off similar honors of the Patterson society. On December 9, these two meet to measure lances to determine which shall represent the college in a contest with other colleges of the State.

Marion Graded School from the principal to the pupils in first grade, is naturally very proud of Lal and Albert and the honors they have won. The standing these two boys have reached so early in their college career not only speaks well of their own prowess, but it shows the kind of work Marion Graded School is doing. Last year Perry Maxwell, another graduate of our high school, won similar honors, and also won second medal at the intercollegiate contest. By their fruits ye shall know the tree.

We are headquarters for fruits, nuts, candies, groceries of all kinds. Fresh oysters and celery.

Hearin & Son.

LOST—A maroon vest pocket surgeon case, containing a pair of scissors, needles, etc. Please return, if you have found it.

I. H. CLEMENT,

Tolu, Ky.

We keep on hand boiler feeders pumps and all kinds of brass goods for boilers. Call on us or call us up by phone 57 if you want to save money and get prompt service.

Southern Mfg Co. Princeton, Ky.

The Rucker Brothers, of Henderson county, were in the county last week looking at some farms with a view to buying if they found one to suit them. They were making the trip from Henderson to Mayfield in a buggy, looking at the country enroute.

Lacy Sisco, a young man living in the Sisco Chapel neighborhood, died of pneumonia Wednesday. He was a son of Mr. L. M. Sisco.

When you want pure Whiskey, Brandy, and Fresh Groceries go to C. E. Doss & Co., for them; they keep the best at the lowest price.

A. J. Chittenden, since retiring from the grocery business, has been granted a peddlers license and is now on the road in that capacity.

Mrs. Alex. Clark spent last week in Marion, Ky., the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Cora Wagner.—Elizabethtown, (Ill.) Independent.

Dr. Clement, of Tolu, was here yesterday looking for a house as he contemplates moving to this town.—Elizabethtown, (Ill.) Independent.

Mr. Irvin Browder, of New Salem, was in town Monday; notwithstanding he has turned into his eightieth year, he is as active as most men at sixty.

Old fashions in dress may be revived, but no old fashioned medicine can replace Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by J. H. Orma.

Win Hill and Rufus Elder are doing carpenter work near the historic old water mill. Panther Hollow they are erecting a handsome residence for Mr. James Paris.

Should you want your engine repaired it will be to your interest to call on us; we guarantee our work and give prompt service.

Southern Mfg Co.

Mr. Sol. G. Lee, of Pinckneyville, was in town Monday. In response to the question, "how are you prospering, Sol?" he said: "I am happy living on crawfish and pumpkins."

Judge Yates, of Dyessburg, was in town Saturday. The people of Dyessburg find that nobody can serve them as police judge so satisfactorily as he, and they elected him to the position again.

Sanday Adams went to Evansville last week to make arrangements to manufacture the castings for his and M. Vickers' patent churn. They have a splendid churn and hope to make some money out of the patent.

Mr. Jug Hodge has been elected clerkable in his district in Livingston county. He is an old man for active work, but if he qualifies, we will wager that no district in the two counties will have a better officer.

Under a recent decision a depositor can give a receipt and draw his money out of the bank himself without having to put a revenue stamp on the receipt. No one but the depositor in person can use the receipt and it cannot be used as a check.

BURGLARIES.

The Sheriff's Safe Ransacked Monday Night—Haynes' Drug Store Broken Into Saturday Night.

Saturday night burglars entered R. F. Haynes' drug store and took a dollar or two from the money drawer, and a small quantity of goods. The lock to the safe was tampered with, but the door was not opened. The burglar or burglars got into the building by getting on top of the ware room, going through a window in the second story into Dr. Clark's office, removing the lock to the office door, and then the way was clear to the store room below.

Monday night the sheriff's office in the court house was entered through a window. The big iron safe was unlocked, and the burglar went through the various papers therein. He found no money, but carried away a small steel drawer containing a lot of papers, in shape of receipts, that are valuable to the sheriff, but worthless to the burglar. The small iron door to the inside drawer was pried.

Tukeys Wanted

J. H. Graves & Co., will begin to buy, dress and ship turkeys to the eastern market about December 1. They will receive at Marion, Repton, Tolu, Levisa, Dyessburg and Crayneville and at points in Livingston, Caldwell and Lyon counties. Will notify persons having turkeys through agents and the papers, as to dates of delivery. As we propose to dress and ship direct East, we have no fear in saying that we can and will make it to the interest of all persons having turkeys for sale to hold until we get into the field.

J. H. GRAVES & CO.

CHAPEL HILL.

Corn gathering is the order of the day.

Our lively friend, W. D. Baird was around last week looking at the boys' tobacco. Billy knows how to pull the strings to get the boys to trade with him; he says he has not seen any 6 cent tobacco, and don't think there is any in the country.

J. F. Adams has bought him some land; I wonder if Frank is going to marry. Well Frank it is a long time that has no turn, may be there is a chance for you yet.

We have a horse in our neighborhood that will climb up and get out of the loft; he puts his feet in the cracks of the wall and up he goes and gets his oats; no joke.

Harrison Bigham wants to rent some good tobacco land for next year; will rent for part of the tobacco; call and see him early as possible.

The wheat in our neighborhood is coming up fine and looks well; there is about two thirds of a crop sown in this section.

Corn is turning out fine in our midst; some are done gathering and had a good yield, filled their cribs chuck full and running over.

Mr. Sam Tolbert, of Sturgis, was in our neighborhood and bought some fine yearling last week.

Harrison Bigham would like to buy some shoats; he will pay good price for 8 or 10, weighing from 40 to 60 pounds.

We have some good young mules for sale in this section, various colors and sizes for little a price.

Brother Thompson was on hand at his regular appointment the third Sunday; he had a good congregation and preached an excellent sermon.

Your writer was visiting Mr. John Ashbridge last Sunday, close to the Jackson School House, and found the people in fine health and plenty to eat, and was living home and boarding in the kitchen.

VIEW.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin has gone to Sherman, Texas, to spend the winter with relatives and friends.

John Howland went to Livingston county, last Saturday to see his sick brother that is very low.

Mr. J. E. Binkley, of Paducah, is going to move in this neighborhood.

There is a new mine being open in this community on Ed. Harnard's land; we think the spar is plentiful.

Mrs. R. C. Cardin has returned home from a long visit in Livingston county.

Mrs. Binley and daughter, of this place, have returned home from Nashville, Tenn., where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

Big Show in Marion!

For 30 days J. H. Morse will show the greatest values from his mammoth line of general merchandise ever shown in Marion.

Bargains in Suits Dress Goods, Shoes, Capes and Flannels. Jackets.

We bought our goods to sell, and to sell them quick. We will offer all our 500 yards best 10 cent Canton flannel for 7 1/2 cents. 500 yards all wool flannel worth 25 to 30 cents for 22 1/2 cts. Heavy all wool double width flannels worth 60 cts for 45 cts. All our dress goods and silks will be offered at reduced prices. 100 pair men's Elastic Seam Scriven's patent drawers in Canton flannel worth of profit. 500 pair men's and women's heavy shoes for \$1.00 per pair. 200 pair women's fine kid shoes worth 1.50 for 1.15. A few cases of men's fine shoes to close out at 1.00. Our capes and jackets for women and children will be closed out regardless of profit.

We are already buying goods for next season and we are compelled to get rid of our present lot to make room for more. If you have goods to buy, this is your chance to get full value.

J. H. MORSE

TOLU.

The river is in fine boating stage.

A young blacksmith has just made its appearance at Mr. Davenport's.

The whole family are doing well.

Ed. Weidman met with the misfortune of mashing the end of his finger off.

The school board has put a nice library case in our school building.

We have now about fifty volumes in our library, and our principal says about one hundred more will be added in a short time.

The idea of a school library is a new one to us but we find it is of incalculable value to the pupils.

Our school is still growing, with a census of 121, we have enrolled 120. The trustees as well as teachers deserve much credit for the success of our school.

Foster Love and family, of Ford's Ferry visited friends in Tolu Saturday and Sunday.

S. K. Breeding, Chaplain of the Eddyville Penitentiary preached in Tolu Tuesday night of last week.

R. M. Franks and daughter, Maggie, attended church here Sunday.

James Carter and family visited at Tolu Sunday.

Rev. J. G. Haynes preached at the Methodist church here at 11 o'clock Sunday.

Mrs. Laura McFarlan and daughter, Miss Mattie and little son Jim, of Elizabethtown, Ill., visited the family of Mr. T. A. McAmis of this place Saturday and Sunday.

Little Sallie Vealson is on the sick list.

Eugene Guess, went to Marion Monday in obedience to the command of the grand jury. Eugene said he didn't know a thing.

Joe Thomas carries the mail every day except Sunday, and is under treatment of a doctor every Sunday. Jim says he could not go if he did not have to.

We understand that Mr. Buckner Croft has purchased the Dr. Carby property and will move to Tolu in the near future.

Phin Croft and wife were in Evansville last week.

Miss Blah Love requests us to say that on Monday night, November 7, she lost a nice black shawl between the residence of Taylor Guess and the steamboat landing at Tolu. The finder will confer a favor by leaving same at Guess & Sons' store.

BAKER.

Mr. Charley Taylor went to Cave Springs last Saturday night.

Many from these parts attended church at Repton Sunday.

Miss Maud Truitt, of Sulphur Springs attended church here Sunday.

J. W. Phillips has returned from a trip to Caldwell county.

Misses Eva, Clara and Addie Nunn, spent last Saturday and Sunday with their aunt Johnnie Haynes of this place.

T. M. Winn and family were the guest of Will Taylor's family Sunday.

Owing to the absence of Rev. K. B. Blackburn, we had a prayer meeting at this place last Saturday night.

LEVIAS.

Mrs. N. B. Barnes has been very sick for two weeks, but is much better now.

J. B. Carter and family were the guest of Judson Bennett Saturday and Sunday.

Grace Barnes attended the protracted meeting at Union Sunday; Grace is a Cumberland river farmer.

Miss Lena Donkey attended church at Union Sunday.

Jasper Franklin has gone to the spar mines to haul spar; he is thoroughly equipped for hauling.

C. R. Stevens and family returned from Carraville last week, where they have been visiting.

Mr. Woodard and wife, of Hampton attended church at Union during the protracted meeting.

Meeting commenced at Siloam Sunday night, Bro. Johnson conducting it.

Will Larue is attending court at Paducah this week.

Meeting at Pleasant Grove Sunday was largely attended; two funerals were preached.

James Faris, of Salem, called to see J. H. Davidson Sunday.

The wheat looks fine in this section. Farmers have finished sowing a large crop.

E. B. Taylor and wife, were the guest of G. B. Taylor Saturday.

Dr. Paris and family, paid Scott Paris and family a visit last week. The Dr. has located in Marion and we are glad to claim him as one of Crittenden's citizens.

SHADY GROVE.

Our town is certainly on a boom. The Alexander Telephone will have an office here in a few days and we will be in communication with Providence and Marion and the outer world generally. Mr. W. H. Towery will manage the helio department.

Coal stone is now being mined right at us and under us. A thirty two inch vein is found on the mill lot of L. C. and W. H. Towery and it is regarded in the light of a bonanza to the community.

Dr. P. R. Taylor, Dean of the Kentucky School of Medicine and his father Mr. Dick Taylor came down for their annual bird hunt. They were quite successful in bagging the feathered tribe, but the doctor has returned to his post of duty, leaving the old gentleman to continue the sport. They were the guests of

Mortie Taylor and W. H. DeHaven.

The doctor is fine on the wing, but he found almost his match in the person of young Oscar Leat.

Gus Lemon is in from Oklahoma, visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Lou Frazer is visiting her parents, near Dalton.

Miss Lena Towery gave a social on Tuesday night of last week in honor of Miss Minnie Ferrell of Henderson, who is visiting her sister Mrs. Boggess.

Widowers are proverbially bold, but kissing on the portico in the broad open day light is a new fad for Main street.

Jack Cloyd, the saw mill man has moved to town.

Rev. Gooch assisted by Rev. Bentley pastor of Piney Creek church, will begin a protracted meeting at the Baptist church at this place next Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Towery is conducting our public school in a manner that gives satisfaction to patrons. There will be a dinner at the school house on Thanksgiving day and probably there will be some exercises suitable to the occasion.

Attorney James T. Coleman was in our town on business last week.

L. C. Towery's large tobacco house is not yet rented.

W.

RED TOP SCHOOL HOUSE.

Farmers of this neighborhood are busily engaged in gathering corn.

Our school is progressing nicely with R. J. Robinson as teacher. Although young in the cause we think him capable of teaching young ideas.

Guthrie Davis of the Bells Mines, neighborhood, was in this vicinity last Saturday night and Sunday, although it was the Lord's day he went Gardning.

Prayer meeting at Eason church every Wednesday night. Don't forget to come out and help sing.

Several of the good people of this community have been attending the protracted meeting, that has been in progress at Oak Grove in Webster county.

What was not learned at Mrs. Wood's on last Sunday evening surely was not for the lack of school teachers.

We are glad to know that the river is fordable once more.

J. A. Carnahan who is now a citizen of Fish Trap, has bought a farm in Webster county, and intends moving this fall.

Sister Helen Lucas preaches at Eason on Thanksgiving day.

D. J. Martin and A. B. Morrow have been erecting barns this fall.

Edgar Walker is fixing to build a dwelling house.

FREDONIA.

Miss Woody of Marion, has been visiting the Misses Wigginton's for several days.

Rev. Barbee failed to reach his appointment here Sunday night, but came on Monday and will preach at 11:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. and perhaps longer.

Fred Guess and Lee McElroy, of Crider, attended services at the C. P. church last Sunday.

J. T. Morgan, of Flatrock was in town Monday to ship a lot of produce.

Marion Millen and wife, of Hampton, have been visiting in Caldwell, Todd and Muhlenburg counties for the past five or six weeks.

Mrs. Catherine Threlkeld, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Threlkeld and Thomas Threlkeld, of Carrsville are visiting A. S. Threlkeld and family.

Mack O'Hara, of View, was in town Monday.

H. C. Rice, went to Princeton, Monday.

J. S. Bugg, of Morganfield, has been in town several days.

Miss Lillie Brown, of Carraville, was home on a visit Saturday and Sunday.

We have a few fine Kersey Jackets worth \$10, we offer them at \$7.50.—Sam Howerton.

The best stock of Mens' suits in the county, all wool, from \$3.75 to \$13.50.—Sam Howerton.

Jean pants, all wool, \$1, at Sam Howerton's.

New Dry Goods.—Sam Howerton. Standard calicoes 3 1/2 cts.

Sam Howerton.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will on Wednesday, December 7th, 1898, sell to the highest and best bidder, all the personal property of Mrs. M. J. Wyatt, deceased, consisting of Corn, Wheat, Tobacco, Hay Oats, Horses, Mules, Hogs, Cattle, Wagons, Buggies, Harness, Farming Implements of all kinds, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Poultry, etc. All sums of Five Dollars and over on a credit of twelve months, with interest at six per cent. Note with good security. All sums under Five Dollars cash in hand. No property to be removed until paid for, or satisfactory note given.

J. F. WYATT, Admr., of Mrs. M. J. Wyatt, dec'd.

Fredonia, Ky., Nov. 22, 1898.

Tomatoes, Corn, Flake Hominy, Strawberries, Oranges, Grapes, Bananas, Raisins, Currants, Apples, California Peaches, Cranberries, Celery, Fresh Oysters, Kraut, Pickles, Sauces, AT COPER'S

Pickled Pigs Feet, Rolled Oats, Macaroni, Cheese, Cocoanuts, Potted Ham, Sardines, Salmon, Pine Candles, Mixed Nuts, Tennessee Chesnuts, AT COPER'S

Roasted Coffee, Fresh Bread, Grubham Bread, Fresh Cakes, Lunches, hot or cold, Served at all hours, Heavy Meals, Used Groceries of all kinds, AT COPER'S

1 lb pkg soda for 5 cts and a pkg throw in, AT COPER'S Opposite The Courthouse

