

The Crittenden Press.

VOLUME 21.

MARION, CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, APRIL 12, 1900.

NO 44

PIERCE-YANDELL-GUGENHEIM COMPANY

Like Dewey Fought the Spaniards!

WE FIGHT HIGH PRICES! Our Ammunition is Latest Styles, Good Goods and Low Prices.

Goods bought with the cash and for the benefit of our customers. With the determination to make this our banner year, we have put the knife of Low Prices to all goods. It is not the saying but the doing, and we can only ask for a hearing to convince you that we make no idle talk, and our Low Prices cannot be found in the county, our varieties and styles are all that you could want.

NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE YOURSELF BETTER OFF,

Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Silks.

We cannot say too much about it. We spent many days in selecting and know our dress goods are up-to-date. We have everything that is new, and women and children can find just what they want.

LADIES SKIRTS and WAISTS, and can suit you at right price. It will pay you to see our line.

HATS AND CAPS; You find the best styles with us only. Beautiful Spring Neckwear, all styles, shapes and all kinds.

Our Shoes.

We do know our shoes are the best.
We do know our shoes are the cheapest.
We do know our shoes are the most stylish.
Our \$2.00 ladies shoes are \$2.00 everywhere.
Our \$1 shoes, or oxfords, are solid leather.
We have the nobby shapes for men and women.
See our 50c child's shoes, solid leather.

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS. We have them in styles you can only get from us.

Stylish Clothing.

The acme of style, elegance and economy is our clothing.
Our \$15.00 suits are same as \$25.00 tailor-made suits.
We have them with double breast vests and belt on pants.
Our \$7.00, \$7.50 and \$8.00 suits are better than you can find for \$10.
Our \$5 and \$6 suits are better than you can find for \$7.50.
We have children's suits from 75c up.
All wool pants from \$1.50 up.
Our long experience has taught us how to buy and how to sell clothing and we claim the right to underbuy and undersell others. See us and believe.

We intend fighting to the finish, and competition must "keep off the grass," or suffer the consequences. Judge us by what we do, as well as what we say.

PIERCE-YANDELL-GUGENHEIM COMPANY.

FIRE PROOF RECORD VAULTS.

COMMISSION APPOINTED TO REPORT COST.

Claims Allowed, Tax Rate Raised to Meet the Small-Pox Expenses.

APPROPRIATIONS ABOUT \$3,000.00

The fiscal court was in session three days, completing its work and adjourning Thursday afternoon.

Just before adjourning, the attention of the court was called to the crowded condition of the clerk's offices, and the insecurity of the valuable records. The matter was pretty thoroughly discussed by several members of the court, and it was the unanimous opinion that there should be fire-proof vaults for the protection of the big books that contain the titles of the many farms and homes in the county, to say nothing of the mortgages, bonds of guardians and administrators, copies of settlements, vouchers, and scores of other things that affect the interests of nine-tenths of the people in the county. A loss of these by fire would entail a loss to the people that could hardly be estimated in dollars, and they never could be

replaced in anything like a satisfactory way. While a fire might not occur, it would be wise, with so much at stake, to provide against such a calamitous event. Nearly every other county in this section of the state have long ago taken this precaution, and, said to those who talked, if we neglect it, and a disastrous fire should occur, we will be blamed. A motion was made by Squire Harpending that Messrs. Rochester and Woods and P. S. Maxwell be appointed as a commission to enquire into the probable costs of vaults for the County and Circuit Clerk's offices and report at the next term of the fiscal court. All the justices voted for the motion. Each member of the court agreed to advise with his constituency and explain the matter, and if the people feel that the improvement should be made, steps will be taken to that end at the October term.

It was agreed that the addition necessary could be made to the west end of the court house, where the rooms would adjoin the two offices.

This board of magistrates, and especially the County Judge, has been exceedingly anxious to get the old debts paid and the county upon a cash basis, and the prospect was promising until the small pox claims begin to come in; this was an emergency not taken into the calculations, and it took the court a day or two to find out just

where to commence business.

Dr. J. R. Clark's claim, as was stated last week, was cut from \$615 to \$190, and Dr. J. J. Clark's from \$318 to \$190; a small shave was made in Dr. Phillips', and then the court got to work and made the following allowances:

J. T. Pickens, sheriff, tax books.....	\$25.00
Dr. J. D. Wofford, health officer at Tolu.....	50.00
Dr. C. E. Moreland, health officer at Fords Ferry....	20.00
Dr. E. M. Neewoom, quarantining smallpox suspects.....	20.00
Dr. O. C. Cook, vaccinating nine persons.....	2.25
Dr. J. W. Crawford, vaccinating.....	7.00
A. L. Cruce, smallpox guard.....	91.00
E. L. Doles.....	91.00
Simon Bigham, waiting on smallpox patients.....	13.00
J. P. Pierce, services on board of health.....	20.00
S. H. Cassidy & Co., supplies to smallpox patients in quarantine.....	53.35
Mrs. Richards nursing smallpox patients.....	34.00
Aaron Towery, surveying.....	4.00
Carl Henderson, defending in a case of lunacy.....	2.50
P. K. Cooksey pauper coffins.....	9.00
Owen Boaz, pauper coffin.....	5.00
Geo. H. Ford, cost in road case.....	15.00
R. F. Haynes, drugs.....	27.35
S. H. Cassidy & Co., burial clothes for Hall.....	5.60
McFee & Hill, supplies to smallpox patients.....	5.85
McConnell & Stone, goods for smallpox patients.....	10.30
Andy Lynn, attention to Laura Lynn.....	8.00
W. H. Clark, clerk examining.....	2.00
T. A. Harpending supt. work on public road and bridge commissioner.....	8.00
J. H. Robinson, services as road commissioner.....	2.00
W. C. Hamilton, lumber and services as road com'r.....	6.00

T. J. McKinney, services as bridge commissioner.... 5.00
F. M. Davis' application for aid was rejected.

The following persons were allowed the amounts named to aid in their support:

Invalid child of N. J. Millican, \$18; T. H. Armstrong, \$6.50; Wm. Marcum and daughter, \$18; Mary Burton, \$8; A. A. Riley, invalid child, \$8; W. J. Haney, \$12; Susan Hawkins, \$16; C. B. Moore, \$12; Sarah Tom Lear, \$10; Mrs. Henry Lynn, \$12; Jane Sly, \$12; Rebecca Johnson and daughter, \$36; W. McD. Clark, \$10; Jno. T. Riley, \$18; J. H. Travis for blind son, \$10; Mrs. Cash, \$24; Amanda Lynn, \$8; R. W. Clark, \$12.

Sam Davidson's application for aid for son, rejected.

By reason of advanced age Geo. L. Boaz and R. C. Lucas were released from poll-tax.

J. T. Riley and Mr. Travis, a blind boy, were released from poll-tax because of their bodily disability.

Arthur Ready's application for aid rejected.

Dr. Smock's claim of \$50 for services in smallpox cases, was rejected.

J. R. Postlethwait, T. J. Hamilton and T. A. Harpending reported that the \$75.00 appropriated for the rocky hills on public roads in their districts had been expended; W. C. Hamilton reported \$50 expended and J. H. Robinson \$60 of the amount expended.

The question of providing means to pay the expenses incurred by the smallpox was settled by levying an additional tax of five cents on the \$100 worth of property. The justices all supported this plan, holding that it would be better to levy the tax and pay than to have the debt hanging over the county, drawing interest.

Putnam Fadeless Dye produces the fastest and brightest colors of any known dye stuff. Sold by Glenn & Deboe Crayneville, Ky.

WEAVER FOR BRYAN.

The Leading Populist of the West Talks About the Situation.

Gen. James B. Weaver of Iowa, was in Louisville last week, and while there he gave out an interview to the papers in which he said:

"There is but one sentiment among Democrats and populists in regard to the Democratic nominee. Without exception they favor Mr. W. J. Bryan's renomination. "Since reaching Kentucky I have been informed that the Populists of the State who favor the candidacy of Bryan will shortly hold a conference in Louisville to select delegates to the Sioux Falls convention May 9. They tell me that the 'middle-of-the-roads' who have bolted the regular organization and have selected delegates to the Cincinnati convention do not represent the Populist sentiment of Kentucky. Such gentlemen as the Hon. Thomas Pettit and State Senator Crenshaw, of Hopkinsville, and others of like standing and character are not at the head of the movement."

"Will the Sioux Falls convention endorse Bryan?"

"The Sioux Falls convention will be as heartily for Bryan for President as the Democratic convention itself," replied Gen. Weaver. "The 'mid-roads,' having broken from the organization and called their convention in Cincinnati, will flock to themselves and we will not be disturbed by them at Sioux Falls. The Populist leaders will do nothing to embarrass the situation nor will they attempt to dictate to their allies the personnel of the ticket."

"They realize that Bryan has already been practically renominated by the people, and they will bow loyally to the people's will."

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Docket Completed and Court Adjourned Friday.

The March term of the Crittenden Circuit court closed Friday afternoon.

The two colored boys who entered the plea of guilty to the charge of breaking into a store house and were given a sentence of two years in the penitentiary, were sent to the house of reform instead of the state prison. The law places it within the discretion of the court to send those of tender years to the house of reform. Judge Nunn very wisely concluded that these boys should, on account of their ages, be sent to the latter institution, and he therefore entered a judgment directing the sheriff to take them to Lexington instead of Eddyville.

A motion of the plaintiff for a new trial in the case of the Evansville Bottling Co., vs The Croft-Barnett Mercantile Co., was overruled by the court.

Among the last judgments rendered was that granting Mrs. Julia Miles a divorce from her husband, Mr. Lucien Miles. The parties were married thirty years ago, and have lived together the score and ten years. They are well known in this and Livingston counties.

The jailers claim for keeping state prisoners from the November to the March term of court was \$235.40.

Those horrid fits of depression, melancholy, low spirits, and sudden irritability, that sometimes afflict even good tempered people, is due to the blood being permeated with black bile. HERRINE will purify the blood, restore health and cheerfulness. Price 50c cts, at J. H. Orum's Drug store.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Bigman Lodge, No 256,
F. & A. M.
Regular meetings Saturday night before full moon in each month. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.
J. G. GILBERT, W. M.
J. B. KEVIL, Secretary.

CRITTENDEN CHAPTER, NO. 78,
R. A. M., meets regularly Saturday night after full moon in each month.

WINGATE COUNCIL, No 35, R & S M
Regular meetings second Monday night in each month.

Blackwell Lodge
No. 57, K. P.
Meets every Friday night in K. P. Hall.
J. W. BLUE, C. C.
GEO. M. CRIDER, K. of R. and S.

Marion Lodge No 60
Regular meetings first and third Monday nights in each month, in the Masonic Hall.
Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.
J. S. BRASWELL, M. W.
J. C. BOURLAND, Recorder.

W. J. J. Paris, M. D.
PHYSICIAN
MARION, KY.
Office over Orme's Drugstore.
Telephone No. 27.

A. C. MOORE,
Attorney and
Counselor at Law
OFFICE--Rooms 3 and 4, over Marion Bank.
MARION, KY.

L. H. JAMES O. M. JAMES
James & James
LAWYERS
MARION, KY.

W. H. Clark,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
MARION, KY.
Office over Haynes' Drug Store.
Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to his care.

M. E. FOHS,
Merchant Tailor
MARION, KY.

Clothes Cleaned and Repaired.

J. E. HANCOCK
TINNER.

Tin Roofing, Guttering, Etc. All kinds of Repair Work, Roof Painting and Gun Repairing. All work guaranteed. Shop east Masonic building.

SEND NO MONEY
This Circular Plush Cape is the latest style for Fall and Winter. Made of finest quality plush, lined with softest down, and trimmed with the latest in fur. It is a real masterpiece of craftsmanship. Write for free circular and sample card today. **ROEBUCK & CO. CHICAGO**

Kodol
Dyspepsia Cure.
Digests what you eat.

It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Grippe, and all other results of imperfect digestion. Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.



DAIRY RULES.

They Are Suggested By the U. S. Animal Bureau.

Read current dairy literature and keep posted on new ideas. Observe and enforce the utmost cleanliness about the cattle, their attendants, the stable, the dairy, and all utensils.

A person suffering from any disease, must remain away from the cows and the milk.

Keep dairy cattle in a room or building by themselves. It is preferable to have no cellar below and no storage loft above.

Stables should be well ventilated, lighted and drained; should have tight floors and walls and be plainly constructed.

Allow no strongly smelling material in the stable for any length of time. Store the manure under cover outside the cow stable and remove it to a distance as often as practicable.

Whitewash the stable once or twice a year. Use land plaster in the manure gutters daily.

Use no dry, dusty feed just previous to milking; if fodder is dusty, sprinkle it before it is fed.

Clean and thoroughly air the stable before milking. In hot weather sprinkle the floor.

Have the herd examined at least twice a year by a skilled veterinarian.

Promptly remove from the herd any animal suspected of being in bad health and reject her milk. Never add an animal to the herd until certain it is free from disease, especially tuberculosis.

Do not move cows faster than a comfortable walk while on the way to place of milking or feeding.

Never allow the cows to be excited by hard driving, abuse, loud talking, or unnecessary disturbance; do not expose them to cold or storm.

Feed liberally and use only fresh, palatable feed stuffs; in no case should decomposed or moldy material be used.

Provide water in abundance, easy of access and always pure; fresh but not too cold.

Salt should always be accessible. Do not allow any strong-flavored food, like garlic, cabbage and turnips, to be eaten, except immediately after milking.

Clean the entire body of the cow daily. If half in the region of the udder is not easily kept clean it should be clipped.

Do not use the milk within twenty days before calving nor within three to five days afterwards.

The milker should be clean in all respects; he should not use tobacco; he should wash and dry his hands just before milking.

Milk quietly, quickly, cleanly and thoroughly. Cows do not like unnecessary noise or delay. Commence milking at exactly the same hour every morning and evening, and milk the cows in the same order.

Throw away (but not on the floor, better in the gutter) the first few streams from each teat; this milk is very watery and of little value, but it may injure the rest.

If in any milking a part of the milk is bloody or stringy or unnatural in appearance, the whole mess should be rejected.

Milk with dry hands; never allow the hands to come in contact with the milk.

Do not allow dogs, cats or loafers to be around at milking time.

If any accident occurs by which a pail full or partly full of milk becomes dirty, do not try to remedy this by straining, but reject all this milk and rinse the pail.

Weigh and record the milk given by each cow, and take a sample morning and night, at least once a week, for testing by the fat test.

Remove the milk of every cow at once from the stable to a clean, dry room, where the air is pure and sweet. Do not allow cans to remain in stables while they are being filled.

Strain the milk through a metal gauze and a flannel cloth or layer of cotton as soon as it is drawn.

Aerate and cool the milk as soon as strained.

Never close a can containing warm milk which has not been aerated.

If cover is left off the can, a piece of cloth or mosquito netting should be used to keep out insects.

If milk is stored it should be held in tanks of fresh, cold water (renewed daily) in a clean, dry, cold room. Unless it is desired to remove cream, it should be stirred with a tin stirrer often enough to prevent forming a thick cream layer.

Never mix fresh milk with that which has been cooled.

Do not allow the milk to freeze. Under no circumstances should anything be added to milk to prevent its souring. Cleanliness and cold are the only preventives needed.

Milk utensils for farm use should be made of metal and have all joints smoothly soldered. Never allow them to become rusty or rough inside.

Do not haul waste products back to the farm in the same cans used for delivering milk. When this is unavoidable, insist that the skim-milk or whey tank be kept clean.

Cans used for the return of skim-milk or whey should be emptied and cleaned as soon as they arrive at the farm. Clean all dairy utensils by first thoroughly rinsing them in warm water; then clean inside and out with a brush and hot water in which a cleaning material is dissolved; then rinse and lastly sterilize by boiling water or steam. Use pure water only.

After cleaning, keep utensils inverted, in pure air, and sun if possible, until wanted for use.

It is reported that quite recently one of the large sheep owners of central Wyoming was offered \$4 per head for the top of his ewe lambs, which is said to be the highest price offered for range lambs during the past twenty years.

ZEBROIDS.

They Are a Cross Between a Zebra and a Horse.

The British minister at Washington has furnished to the bureau of animal industry some interesting facts about what he calls "zebroids"—i. e., crosses between the zebra and horse—which are being bred by Baron de Parana on his plantation in the state of Rio Janeiro. It appears that the object of these experiments is to produce a larger and handsomer hybrid than the mule, and one which, as proved by results already obtained, is a more valuable animal. The Baron declares that the zebroid will prove of great economic importance, and that it will be in fact, the mule of the twentieth century, supplanting the humble but cantankerous offspring of the ass and the mare.

The Baron imported his zebras from Africa expressly for this purpose, and he says of the hybrids produced that they are very sprightly though at the same time gentle and



(Young Zebroid.)

docile, and have extraordinary muscular strength. Their size, shape, pace and disposition depend upon the dam, and so they may be bred at will for the saddle or for heavy or light draft. It is only necessary to select mares possessing the qualities desired. Thus crossing with mares of the heavy Percheron or Suffolk gives Zebroids that are large and very strong, while mating with Arabs and Normans produces small and slender zebroids, tractable and suitable for work that requires quickness. The hybrids are softer mouthed than mules, and they never kick. And, though when first handled they have an inclination to bite, they give this up when they find that there is no intention to hurt them. The Baron's stud of Zebroids is derived from the Transvaal, where at the present time these striped relatives of the horse are being employed to a considerable extent as beasts of burden and especially for coach teams. Frequently they are driven four-in-hand in the two wheeled Cape carts. They may be purchased in Pretoria or Johannesburg for \$50 to \$150 each.

Giving Medicine to Horses.

To give the horse a drench or bolus requires both skill and patience with exceeding gentleness. All solid medicines should be at first reduced to powder and then rolled in some viscous material to form a paste in an oblong cylinder mass about two and one-half inches long. "Place the right hand flat over the bones of the animal's nose, grasping each side, thus to steady the head, while with the left hand the operator seizes the tongue, drawing it outward to the left side, the fingers resting on the lower jaw for support. This will secure the tongue from being drawn out too far. The bolus should be grasped between the first second and third finger tips of the right hand and carried over the tongue to the back of the mouth." Withdraw the right hand quickly and also release the tongue, instantly closing the horse's mouth and holding his jaws together. In giving a drench or drench, which is the liquid form of administering medicine, use a horn, or a perfectly clean tin bottle. Stand on the left side of the horse and "insert the fingers of the left hand within the angle of the mouth," drawing away the animal's cheek in order to form a suitable pouch into which the fluid is poured. In small and successive doses as the creature permits it to pass down the gullet. The neck of the bottle, therefore, does not enter the mouth, and injuries from that source are entirely avoided. The tongue must be left quite free, as it is a most effective organ in carrying fluids upward to the gullet, and its action greatly facilitates the operation of drenching."—Our Animal Friends.

Water for Cows.

How many dairymen appreciate the amount of water their cows need, both to digest their food and to furnish that needed for their milk supply? A cow cannot work over her food nor supply milk without water and plenty of it. It takes four pounds or half a gallon of water for every pound of dry matter in the food; this means nearly 100 pounds of water for a cow receiving dry food alone. If the food contains water, as in silage or roots, of course the amount required is less. The Geneva Station found that cows in full milk require four and three-fifths pounds of water for every twenty pounds of milk. Now, if a cow is in a cold barn with cold food and ice-water to drink, is she going to chill herself with a hundred pounds of cold water merely to keep up her milk flow? Feed is high this year, and bran, hay, corn, etc., are high priced fuels to heat water, cows and stables with. Yet there are going to be many tons used this winter for just that purpose, and the users will be unanimous in the opinion that "dairymen don't pay."—Hoard's Dairyman.

Secretary Coburn of Kansas advises the farmers of that state to put corn into good rat proof cribs and hold it a year or two, marketing no more than is absolutely necessary. He says there has never yet been a season of unusual production but what it was followed by one of scarcity and high prices. Kansas farmers, he says, can hold their surplus just as well as not.

The States that produce more corn than they consume are Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Missouri, Indiana, Texas and Ohio.

Over five thousand horsemen of Philadelphia have signed a petition for the construction of a speedway in that city.

ARE YOU BANKRUPT in health, constitution undermined by extravagance in eating, by disregarding the laws of nature, or physical capital all gone, if so, **NEVER DESPAIR** Tutt's Liver Pills will cure you. For sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, torpid liver, constipation, biliousness and all kindred diseases. **Tutt's Liver Pills** • an absolute cure.

"Do you guarantee these goods?" asked the shopper. "Well, not exactly," replied the store clerk, "you see, they are intended merely for Christmas presents."—Philadelphia North American.

His Peaceful Method. Stubb—That old man killed more Indians than any man in the west. Penn—An old scout, I presume. Stubb—No. He used to deal in fusel-oil whisky on the border of the bad lands.—Chicago News.

A Secret No Longer. Wytte—The great inventor is dead and his marvelous secret is lost. Wyke—Not at all. I understand he committed it to his wife. Wytte—Exactly.—Phila. Press.

The Old Trouble. "Alexander gave his wife a piano." "Ah, so she would stay at home more?" "Either that, or so he would have an excuse to get away oftener."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Size of It. "How do you like your new house?" "Well, it might be called 'cozy'." "Has it a wide yard?" "About a yard wide."—Philadelphia Press.

Not a Speaking One. Hoax—Henpeck's wife is an awful talker. Did you ever meet her? Joak—Oh, yes; I have a listening acquaintance with her. Record.

Spreads Like Wildfire. When things are "the best" they become "the best-selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver and kidneys, bowels blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly run down man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by J. H. Orme, Druggist."

Tried the Experiment. "My! hasn't that woman a sour look?" "Yes, she must have heard that lemon juice was good for the complexion."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

No Skin Game. "What do you think," said the Arctic fox, "about this boundary brush?" "Oh," answered the martlet, "it's just as well to be fur-bearing."—New York Press.

Unlucky in Love. Harry—So you got the mitten twice? Roland—Yes but they were not a match.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Don't Be Funny. It does not pay. If you have a good thing, tell it out. Don't use false means to attract attention. We say "right out" and mean it, too. That Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will cure every case of Stomach Trouble. It will stop any pain caused by indigestion; it knocks Sick Headache by attacking the cause of the complaint and aids you to digest your food, no matter what you eat.—J. H. Orme and R. F. Haynes.

Christmas in the Hub. Willie Sappington—I presume, Miss Backbay, you will, of course, you know, hang up yonah stocking on Christmas eve? Miss Beyan Backbay—You presume too much, Mr. Sappington. It is not my habit to suspend a certain portion of my apparel within plain sight of the vulgar gaze of any gentleman, even Mr. Santa Claus. However, I may condescend to leave my spectacles where Mr. Santa Claus may use them to discern the hand-painted plaque of any presents my friends may send by him.—Omaha World-Herald.

Million Given Away. It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million crin bottles and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, LaGrippe and all Throat, Chest and Lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on J. H. Orme, Druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

CAMP-MEETING HOTEL.

We will until Monday, April 30, 1900, receive sealed bids for the rental of the hotel on the Hurricane camp-grounds for the approaching camp-meeting. We reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
J. T. TERRY,
I. H. CLEMENT.

Just What you Need!
Merry War Powdered Lye,
For making Soap absolutely without boiling, and for
Softening Hard Water.
Sold in 5c and 10c packages. Prize tickets in each package
at COPHER'S

PIANOS.
Steinway, Chickering, Starr and other High Grade Pianos.
The Best is the Cheapest.

Our new system of monthly payments makes it easy to own the best piano. Write for descriptive catalogue and price.

Jesse French Piano and Organ Co.,
ERNEST SMITH, Manager.

240-242 N Summer St. NASHVILLE, TENN
AMERICA'S LEADING MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS.

VICTOR 20.00 Buys this High-Grade Sewing Machine

21.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

22.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

23.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

24.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

25.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

26.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

27.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

28.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

29.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

30.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

31.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

32.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

33.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

34.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

35.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

36.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

37.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

38.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

39.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

40.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

41.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

42.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

43.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

44.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

45.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

46.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

47.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

48.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

49.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

50.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

LYONS
TRADE MARK.

LAXATIVE SYRUP
NATURE'S CURE FOR
CONSTIPATION.

Is made from the choicest extracts of vegetables and fruits, contains no injurious drugs, and is the best prescription that can be compounded for the cure of Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Nervousness and to dispel Colds and Fevers. It drives out all impurities of the blood and makes the complexion clear.

If you do not like it better than any laxative you have ever used, your druggist will refund the money. An ideal remedy for children as well as adults. For sale by druggists at 50c. per bottle.

For Sale by
J. H. ORME, MARION
WELDON DRUG CO. TOLU
J. D. ELDER, SHADY GROVE

PIANOS.
Steinway, Chickering, Starr and other High Grade Pianos.
The Best is the Cheapest.

Our new system of monthly payments makes it easy to own the best piano. Write for descriptive catalogue and price.

Jesse French Piano and Organ Co.,
ERNEST SMITH, Manager.

240-242 N Summer St. NASHVILLE, TENN
AMERICA'S LEADING MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS.

VICTOR 20.00 Buys this High-Grade Sewing Machine

21.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

22.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

23.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

24.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

25.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

26.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

27.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

28.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

29.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

30.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

31.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

32.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

33.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

34.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

35.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

36.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

37.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

38.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

39.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

40.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

41.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

42.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

43.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

44.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

45.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

46.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

47.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

48.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

49.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

50.00 Buys this High-Grade Victor Golden Oak

THE COURT OF APPEALS' DECISION.

The Record of the Legislature is Conclusive of the Gubernatorial Controversy.

IT IS NOW UP TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE LAND.

Frankfort, Ky., April 9.—The Kentucky Court of Appeals Saturday, six of the seven judges concurring in the decision, affirmed the judgment of Judge Field that Beckham is the legal governor of Kentucky.

The opinion was handed down in the presence of all the members of the court. Three opinions were presented for filing. The majority opinion was presented by Judge Hobson and concurred in by Judges Hazelring, Payntner and White. The second opinion agreeing with the conclusions reached, was presented by Judges Burnham and Guffy. The third opinion, dissenting from the others, was by Judge DuRelle.

and it was granted.

By agreement all parties are to assist in getting a speedy hearing at Washington. A motion will be made by the attorneys for the Democrats to dismiss the writ on the ground that the Federal court has no jurisdiction, and the argument will be made on this motion.

THE COURT'S CONCLUSIONS.

We are clearly of the opinion that the State Constitution was intended to maintain the absolute independence of the legislative branch of the government; that the power claimed by the appellant, Taylor, is in conflict with both the letter and spirit of the instrument, and that his attempt to adjourn the Legislature from January 31 to February 6 was void, and did not interfere with the right of the Legislature to proceed with its session at Frankfort.

We have no more right to supervise the decision of the General Assembly in determining the result of this election than we have to supervise the action of the Governor in calling a special session of the Legislature or in pardoning a criminal, or the action of the Legislature in contracting debts, or determining upon the election of its members, or doing any other act authorized by the constitution.

We are unable to see how this case can be distinguished from any other legislative action taken in a matter over which the constitution has given the legislature exclusive jurisdiction, and are therefore of the opinion that the courts are without jurisdiction to go behind the record made by the Legislature under the Constitution. Such a record seems to us entitled to every presumption in its favor that the records of this court, kept under its supervision, would be entitled to receive at the hands of the Legislature in a matter before it.

The office of Governor being created by the Constitution of this State, the instrument creating it might properly provide how the officer was to be elected, and how the result of the election should be determined. The provisions of the Constitution on this subject do not abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States. Such an office is not property, and

in determining merely the result of the election, according to its own laws, the State deprives no one of life, liberty or property. In creating this office the State had a right to determine the result of the election, and it had a right to provide such a mode of procedure as it saw fit. It is wholly a matter of State policy. The people of the State might by an amendment to their Constitution abolish the office altogether.

Whether the Assembly was right or not in its decision, it is not our province to determine. But a much more important question is involved in the case, which is the integrity of our form of government, as founded by our forefathers. If the action of the Legislature may be disregarded by the courts, then it is no longer an equal and independent branch of the government within its constitutional jurisdiction, but the courts become the final depository of the supreme power of the State. Judicial tyranny is no less tyranny because couched in the forms of law.

For these reasons we are of the opinion that the courts of this State are without authority to enter into the inquiry sought in this case, and that the journals of the General Assembly are conclusive of the controversy. The judgment of the lower court being in accordance with these views, is, therefore, affirmed.

THE OPINION OF BURNHAM AND GUFFY.

I have been led, with some reluctance, to the conclusion, and not without some misgivings as to its correctness, that there is no power in the courts of the State to review the findings of the General Assembly in a contested election for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor as shown by its only authenticated records.

Do You Want A Normal?

Do you wish to take a six or four weeks course with Dr. A. L. Peterman, the great institute man and most popular educator of the South, and Prof. Charles Evans, of Marion Graded School.

The term to begin on May 13th, 1900, in Marion School Building, Marion, Ky.

Dr. Peterman has consented to hold this Normal, provided the teachers of Crittenden and adjoining counties prove themselves desirous of having him with them.

PROOF: Send this blank enclosed to Prof. Charles Evans, Marion, Ky., before April 15th and if sufficient number with yours reaches us we shall notify you that we shall begin the work.

Six dollars pays tuition for six weeks.

Fifteen dollars secures best board for six weeks.

Twenty-one dollars actual expense for this rare educational treat.

Preparation for Common School Certificate.

Preparation for State Certificate.

Peterman gives an hour's work daily on Psychology and Pedagogy.

Peterman discusses Literature daily.

Do not wait too long before you send in the enclosed blank filled out.

Dr. Peterman has trained more teachers than any man in the South. An author, lecturer, scholar—he is a leader and inspirer of men.

A chance for Crittenden, Livingston, Webster, Union, Caldwell and Lyon county teachers.

MARION: A city of about 2,500 people, five churches, a refined thrifty community.

MARION SCHOOL BUILDING: Eight rooms; commodious, brick, library of 600 volumes; special magazines and papers on library desk. Everything for comfort and improvement.

The session is for pleasure, preparation, progress.

Teachers who do not use summer vacation for pleasurable improvement are doomed.

Upon my sacred honor I promise to be present during the Normal Term, conducted by Dr. A. L. Peterman and Prof. Charles Evans, at Marion, Kentucky, beginning May 13, 1900, and do here subscribe dollars for weeks tuition, the alternative of attendance either four or six weeks resting with me.

REPORTER.

The Bishop Did Not Think St. Peter Could Keep Him Out.

"The brightest reporter I ever knew," said a newspaper man, "was Billy Gaylor, who died at Hot Springs in 1895. He was a most persistent fellow after an item, and that reminds me of a little story about the last incident of his career. He had been assigned by a certain Chicago daily to interview an eminent bishop about a schism in the Church. The bishop didn't want to talk and wouldn't see him, but Gaylor begged a servant to let him into the hall, and he waylaid the dignitary as he was coming through. He was ordered out for his pains, but next day he penetrated the house again on some pretext or other, and was again fired. He repeated the exploit three or four times with similar results, and at last the bishop coming home late, at night, found Billy sitting in his study reading the Bible. Nobody could explain how he got in, but the prelate smiled and told him what he wanted to know, on condition that he would go away and stay away. "Shortly afterward poor Gaylor got gallstones and died, and, happening to meet the bishop at a church conference, I told him that the young man who had once so molested him would never do it again. "Let us hope that he is in heaven," said a clergyman standing by. "No doubt he is," he replied gently. "I don't think they could keep him out."

Among the Wise.

First Young Woman—"Let's see; who wrote 'Pickwick Papers'?" Second Ditto—"Dickens." First—"Of course. I couldn't for the moment think of his name." Second—"He was the author of 'Pennyless' and 'Under Two Flags,' you know." First—"O, yes, I know that."—Boston Transcript.

Literary by Heredity.

"I don't see," said Mr. Mulberry, "why you women have that Mrs. Watkins in your literary club. The rest of you are bright enough, but she's dull as dull as can be." "It's this way," answered Mrs. Mulberry: "Mrs. Watkins' great-grandmother's half-sister's second cousin by marriage could trace her descent from Chaucer. So you see, after all, with such literary claims, we couldn't well leave Mrs. Watkins out."—Harper's Bazar.

Man's Tears.

The grand dame was visibly affected. "If I give you five cents will you get intoxicated with it?" she asked feelingly. The unfortunate started as if stung. "No, no!" he protested wildly. "I'll take it home to my wife, and she will probably give a cotillion with it!" There were tears in his voice, and a man's tears, you know, are impressive.—Detroit Journal.

Opinions Useless.

"What is your opinion on this new national question?" said the inquirer. "My boy," said Senator Sorghum, dolefully, "that's a difficult under which our statesmen have to labor. By the time I get through hustling for votes and watching the schemes of the opposition, I don't have a minute left for forming opinions about anything."—Washington Star.

Matter of Spelling.

Magistrate—"How comes it, sergeant, that you say in your oral testimony that the prisoner stole an encyclopedia, and in the written report of the case you said he stole a cook book?" Sergeant of Police—"Well, you see, Judge, it's easier to spell cook book than encyclopedia."—Heltere Welt.

Advise Grats.

Mr. Buyer—"Mr. Green, there seems to be something serious the matter with the horse I bought of you yesterday. He coughs and wheezes distressingly, and I think perhaps he is wind-broken. What would you advise me to do?" Jay Green (promptly)—"Sell him as quickly as you can. I did."—Tit-Bits.

Beneficial Exercise.

Mr. Pinkie (10 p. m.)—"My dear, the doctor says a brisk walk before going to bed will insure sleep to insomnia sufferers like myself." Mrs. Pinkie—"Well, my dear, I will clear the room so you can walk. Please carry the baby with you."—New York Weekly.

A Puzzler.

"John has five oranges, James gave him eleven, and he gives Peter seven, how many has he left?" Before this problem the class recoiled. "Please, sir," said a young lad, "we always does our sums in apples."—Tit-Bits.

Natural Effect.

First Goat—Oh, Nanette. Come over on the next lot. There's such a pile of old magazines there! Second Goat—No, William. Ever since I ate that last poem I've been so dizzy my feet gets all mixed up.—New York Press.

Only Three.

Friend—"The gossips have formulated a regular indictment against your character. They say you were a terrible flirt while abroad. Do you plead guilty?" American Girl—"Y-e-s; to three Counts."—New York Weekly.

Meant as a Compliment.

"Don't you think, Mrs. Spitzly, that this hat is a little too gay for a matronly woman like me?" "Not at all, my dear. You know that you're years younger than you look."—Tit-Bits.

Competition.

"Maud says she is madly in love with her new wheel." "Kuh! Another case where man is displaced by machinery."—Household Words.

One of Fashion's Follies.

"I hear they are trimming the bottom of skirts with fur." "Yes, that's another fashionable fur."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

DO YOU FEEL ...

BILIOUS, DROWSY,
LOW SPIRITED,
BODY AND
BRAIN WEARY?

PRICKLY

ASH BITTERS

RELIEVES AND INVIGORATES.

It cleanses the liver and bowels, strengthens the kidneys and aids digestion, thus the system is regulated and the body fortified to resist disease.

... A VALUABLE REMEDY TO KEEP IN THE HOUSE ...

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Price \$1.00 Per Bottle.

R. F. Haynes, Jr., Druggist, Dealer.

OUR NATIVE HERB TABLETS.

The Great Blood Purifier,



Kidney and Liver Regulator.

Guaranteed by our REGISTERED GUARANTEE to cure all diseases arising from Impure Blood and Inactive Liver or Kidneys. 200 Days' Treatment \$1. The dollar back if you are not cured.

I have been a sufferer for several years with liver and kidney trouble, and derived no benefit from doctors, and had almost desponded. I gave "Our Native Herbs" a thorough trial, and it has done more for me than anything I have used in ten years.—R. M. Franks, Tolu, Ky.

I have suffered with kidney trouble for years; at times unable to work, doctored for years but grew worse. Took "Our Native Herbs" and am well. John Drake, Tolu, Ky. I have given "Our Native Herb Tablets" a fair trial, find it as recommend for the kidneys, headache and catarrh. Wallace Bennett, Tolu, Ky.

D. W. STONE, AGENT, TOLU, KY. **THE ALONZO BLISS CO., SOLE PROPRIETORS** Medicine mailed promptly on receipt of price.

FREE! FREE!

A Darning Ideal (Howar, Price 35¢).

A Domestic Sewing Machine, Price \$5.

By subscribing now for THE EVANSVILLE TWICE-A-WEEK COURIER you may be able to secure either or both the above valuable prizes. Do you know The Twice-A-Week Courier is one of the best weekly in the country? It contains all the news, the best stories, the finest illustrations.

From now until the end of the great political campaign, Nov. 17, 1900

ONLY 50 CENTS, IN ADVANCE.

This offer is for new subscribers only.

Write or call on The Courier, Evansville, Ind., for particulars of the great prize offer.

SAVE YOUR STAR TIN TAGS

"Star" tin tags (showing small stars printed on under side of tag), "Horse Shoe," "J. T.," "Good Luck," "Cross Bow," and "Drummond" Natural Leaf Tin Tags are of equal value in securing presents mentioned below, and may be assorted. Every man, woman and child can find something on the list that they would like to have, and can have

FREE!

- | STAR. | STAR. |
|--|--|
| 1 Match Box, good steel | 23 Clock, 8-day, Calendar, Thermometer, Barometer |
| 2 Knife, one blade, good steel | 24 Gun case, leather, no better made |
| 3 Scissors, 4 1/2 inches | 25 Revolver, automatic, double action, 12 or 15 caliber |
| 4 Child's Set, Knife, Fork and Spoon | 26 Tool Set, not playthings, but real tools |
| 5 Salt and Pepper Set, one each, quadruple plate on white metal | 27 Toilet set, decorative porcelain, very handsome |
| 6 French Briar Wood Pipe | 28 Remington Rifle No. 4, 21 or 22 cal. |
| 7 Razor, hollow ground, fine English steel | 29 Watch, sterling silver, full jeweled |
| 8 Butter Knife, triple plate, best quality | 30 Dress Suit Case, leather, handbag and durable |
| 9 Sugar Bowl, triple plate, best quality | 31 Sewing machine, first class, with all attachments |
| 10 Stamp Box, sterling silver | 32 Revolver, Colt's, 35-caliber, blued |
| 11 Knife, "Keen Cutter," two blades | 33 Rifle, Colt's, 12-shot, break-down |
| 12 Butcher Knife, "Keen Cutter," 6-in blade | 34 Guitar (Washburn), rosewood, inlaid |
| 13 Shears, "Keen Cutter," 4-inch | 35 Mandolin, very handsome |
| 14 Nut Set, Cracker and 3 Picks, silver plated | 36 Winchester Repeating Shot Gun, 12 gauge |
| 15 Alarm Clock, nickel | 37 Remington, double-barrel, hammer Shot Gun, 10 or 12 gauge |
| 16 Six Genuine Rogers' Teaspoons, best plated goods | 38 Bicycle, standard make, ladies or gents |
| 17 Watch, nickel, stem wind and set | 39 Shot Gun, Remington, double barrel, hammerless |
| 18 Carvers, good steel, buckhorn handles | 40 Regina Music Box, 14 1/2 inch Disc, 4000 |
| 19 Six Genuine Rogers' Table Spoons, best plated goods | |
| 20 Six each, Knives and Forks, buckhorn handles | |
| 21 Six each, Genuine Rogers' Knives and Forks, best plated goods | |

THE ABOVE OFFER EXPIRES NOVEMBER 30TH, 1900.

Special Notice! Plain "Star" Tin Tags (that is, Star tin tags with no small stars printed on under side of tag), are not good for presents, but will be paid for in CASH on the basis of twenty cents per hundred, if received by us on or before March 1st, 1901.

BEAR IN MIND that a dime's worth of

STAR PLUG TOBACCO

will last longer and afford more pleasure than a dime's worth of any other brand. **MAKE THE TEST!** Send tags to **CONTINENTAL TOBACCO CO., St. Louis, Mo.**

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

The Boers are getting their second wind, and are astonishing the British.

The shots fired in Manila bay two years ago did not strike Mr. Bryan's popularity.

The records of the Fiscal court show that the county had a rather severe attack of smallpox, after all.

The fiscal court of this county might console itself in contemplating the fact that "there are others."

The announcement of Admiral Dewey for President confirms earlier impression that Mrs. Admiral issues orders occasionally.

It is now clearly proven that it was not the governor of Indiana and the governor of Kentucky that remarked either to the other: "It's a long time between drinks."

Now if "Uncle Sam" wants to take a hand in settling state election, we are ready to submit, but to be frank with the old gentleman, we think its none of his affair.

Twelve men and one woman have been killed in the vicinity of Irvine, Ky., since last June. Irvine is not in the neighborhood of Frankfort either.

Judge Cantrill has warned the newspaper reporters at Frankfort to keep off the grass, and we will probably have less straw news from the seat of contest and inquiry.

The smallpox may not have been painful nor inconvenient to those who had it in the mild form, but, like measles, the danger doesn't seem to be over after you get up.

The credentials of J. C. S. Blackburn as Senator from Kentucky for the term of six years, beginning March 1, 1901, was filed in the Senate by Senator Jones last week.

It is announced that the property of Grand Rivers has passed into the hands of an English syndicate and preparations will be made at once to begin operating the furnace.

In the contest cases for the minor State offices, the attorneys have signed an agreement to get the matter before the Supreme Court at the same time the contest for governor goes in.

The big convention hall at Kansas City, Mo., in which the Democratic National Convention was to have been held, was destroyed by fire last week. An effort is being made to rebuild at once.

In a short time, if the thing keeps on growing, the Crittenden county man who is not fortunate enough to own or operate a spar mine will have no standing in financial, social or dress circles.

The Henderson Gleaner is authority for the information that the smallpox claims of the physicians and health board in Henderson county were cut from \$1,898 to \$550, by the fiscal courts.

The Senate committee has decided to report against seating Clark, the copper king from Montana. The evidence of bribery in securing his election, the committee thinks, is too strong to entitle him to a seat.

Senator Harrel has written an open letter to Governor Beckham, accusing the latter of ingratitude, and threatening to unlimber his heavy artillery this fall, when there is to be an election for governor. We infer from the letter that the Senator wanted an appointment at the hands of the governor and did not get it, and therefore a somewhat volatile. As a usual thing it is better to bear these kinds of disappointments in silence than to vent our spleen in the public prints.

Clothes that Fit



Most young men had rather have a \$5.00 suit that fits nicely than to have an ill-fitting \$10.00 suit. One of the strong features of our Suits is that they fit and look like merchant tailor made goods. They are the celebrated "Vitals" brand—the largest makers of mens' clothing in the world, and when you buy one of this make, you have the assurance that the cut and style is the very latest.

Our assortment is the largest in the country. Remember we challenge a comparison of our celebrated \$8.50 "Vitals" suits with those sold by others \$10.00. A \$15.00 or \$12.50. If you are interested in High Grade Clothing at Low Prices, come to see us.

CLIFTONS.

With the "grand millinery openings" and the house cleaning season both on hands at once, "man may want but little here below," but his deficiency is fully compensated for in the demands of his better half.

Gov. Nash, of Ohio, is keeping the middle of the road for a safe position in the Kentucky muddle. He recognizes neither Beckhan nor Taylor singly as governor, but when both send requisition papers, each for himself, it goes with the Ohio man.

The courts may be a little slow at times, and sometimes some litigants may think that decisions are not what they should be, but there are but few who do not agree that they are much better institutions than guns for determining disputes.

The Congressional Committee meets next week to name the time and manner of nominating a candidate for Congress; we have no particular suggestion to offer, believing that the committee will be guided by wisdom, but we would like to suggest that there be no tariff on candidates.

The republican State Convention is to meet in Louisville May 17. It is said that in case the Republicans lose, in the contest, it is the programme to nominate the old ticket, Taylor and Marshall, for governor and lieutenant governor.

The announcement that Admiral Dewey establishes one pertinent fact, which the country has been pining to have elucidated. Like David Bennett Hill he says: "I am a Democrat." Now if he wants to draw a line that will distinguish him from the ex-Senator, let him remain a Democrat.

Hon. South Trimble has announced for Congress in the Seventh district. He is one of the brainiest, soundest and most courageous young Democrats in the State. His career in the legislature has demonstrated that he does not belong to that large class found in all legislative bodies that is pas-

NO NEED TO ITEMIZE, WE SIMPLY HAVE THE GREATEST STOCK OF

MILLINERY

Ever offered in this section. It was selected with care, it was bought to meet the demands of this market, and we feel sure that our judgment and that our experienced trimmers will enable us to please you.

WE CAN PLEASE YOU IN PRICES.

Many thanks for past patronage and we assure you that we will appreciate your trade this season.

Mrs. M. D. Roney

sive; he is in the active voice, indicative mood, and in championing a cause, his opponents generally find that he is in the plural number.

Senator Linsley is to follow the plan of Mr. Carlisle, having reached the highest rung of political honors for him in Kentucky, he will go to New York to practice law. The almighty dollar is the balm for the lost prestige at home. These two men—Carlisle and Lindsay—are mental giants and they have clearly demonstrated the fact that men make mistakes no matter how towering they may be.

The action of the fiscal court in taking steps to provide fire-proof vaults for the many valuable records in the court house now has the precedent of all other local questions, and every man interested has the floor and the ear of the justice in his district. We are inclined to think that a longer delay than that proposed would make the impartial observer think that we are "penny wise and pound foolish."

Col. Tom Pettit, of Owensboro, has called a conference of the Populist of this State for Louisville, April 25. Mr. Pettit, it is understood, represents that element of the party which favors Mr. Bryan.

Jim Howard, the mountain feudist, who, it is thought, fired the shot that killed Gov. Goebel, announces that he is ready to surrender and able to prove that he was not there. Those mountain fighters may be as handy with an alibi as they are with a rifle.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by J. H. Orme, Druggist.

The Normal.

A good Normal School in a county is one of the best educational agencies. Nothing elevates the standard of teaching more rapidly. We have an outlook for one of the best normal schools possible, for six weeks training in educational methods and teacher-training. Crittenden county ought to give the normal fifty pupils this year. Will we give it our hearty support?

SCHOOL TAX.

The Penalty To Be Added After April 23.

The six per cent penalty will be added to the 1900 school tax after April 23.

H. A. Haynes, Treas.

EGG PARTY.

The Children to Hunt Easter Egg Saturday Afternoon at T. H. Cochran's

The children of the C. P. Sunday school will have an Easter egg hunt at the residence of Mr. T. H. Cochran Saturday afternoon April 14, at 2 o'clock. All the children in town invited. Admission 10 cents.

A False Report.

The report is being circulated by certain parties that I have sold my laundry business, but such is not the case, so do not be misled by parties who would seek your patronage.

Very respectfully,
T. A. WELDON.

TO STOCK RAISERS.

Notice to stock breeders and lovers of good stock we want to call your attention to our selection. Bailey, the celebrated red squirrel stallion, bred by Gay Bros., of Woodford county, purchased and brought to this section by E. R. Martin, is a very fine saddle horse. Parties wanting this kind of stock will lose nothing in going a long distance to patronize Bailey.

Black Satin, Jr., is a Black Spanish Jack, that has few equals in the State.

Hearing is believing, seeing is knowing. We invite the public to come and see our stock and get our prices before breeding elsewhere and judge for themselves.

Thanking you for your past patronage I solicit your inspection.
F. M. DANIEL.

Those horrid fits of depression, melancholy, low spirits, and sudden irritability, that sometimes afflict even good tempered people, is due to the blood being permeated with black bile. HERRINE will purify the blood, restore health and cheerfulness. Price 50c per bottle. Sold by J. H. Orme's drug store.

EXCURSION.

On Easter Sunday, April 15th, a special excursion train will be run from Paducah to Henderson, Ky., and return, for the accommodation of those desiring to attend the Grand Free Exhibition, Ball, Lion Ascension, High Diving and Bridge Jumping, performed by the Greatest Living Athletes. In addition to these attractions Easter services will be held in all the churches, and Easter Bonnets will be in evidence. The excursion train leaves Marion at 8:55 a.m., arrives at Henderson at 11:20 a.m., returning leaves Henderson at 5:30 p.m. Fare \$1.00 for the round trip.

T. C. JAMESON, Agt.

APRIL SHOWERS

Wash away the filth and waste that have accumulated during winter.

In like manner Hood's Sarsaparilla expels from the blood impurities that have been deposited during the season when there has been but little perspiration and perhaps constant confinement in impure and vitiated air. It is a boon to tired mothers, housekeepers, teachers, and others who spend their time indoors. It gives the blood richness and vitality, fitting it to nourish and strengthen the nerves, muscles and all the great organs of the body. It cures all spring humors and banishes that tired feeling. It is the best medicine money can buy for all diseases caused by impure or impoverished blood. You should begin taking it today.

WM. FOWLER, President.
J. R. CLARK Vice President.
R. L. MOORE, Second Vice President.

E. J. HAYWARD, Cashier
J. B. HUBBARD, Asst Cashier

Farmers Bank

OF MARION, KY.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL STOCK \$30 000.00

A BANK OF DEPOSITS, LOANS and DISCOUNTS

Does a General Banking Business. Special Attention given Collections and Remittances. It solicits your business.

The Red Circle Pill

The Best Liver and Stomach Remedy on earth.

Guaranteed to absolutely cure any curable case of Indigestion, Constipation, Chronic Headache, Jaundice, Biliousness and the early stages of Brights Disease and Diabetes. For the ailments peculiar to women it is

WITHOUT A RIVAL.

THE RED CIRCLE PILL does not nauseate, sicken or gripe. Try it once and you will never be without it. Sold only by

Druggist. R. F. Haynes, Marion.

DRESS MAKING

Our dressmaking department has all the latest fashion plates, and we guarantee every piece of work that we send out.

Ladies, ours is the place for

Style,
Quality,
Low Prices.

Don't take a peek of any old kind of pills to cure a pint of disease when a dose of Morley's Little Liver Pills for Bilious People will cure you while you sleep. Sugar-coated. One a dose. Sold by

New Royal



FAMILY SEWING MACHINE Possesses all the modern improvements to be found in any first-class machine. Sold at popular prices. Warranted ten years.

MANUFACTURED BY ILLINOIS SEWING MACHINE CO. ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS.

The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The prettiest line of laces and embroidery in town at CLIFTONS.

Circuit court convenes at Smith-land Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Baker has been sick several days.

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

Little Miss Edna Schoolcraft is visiting in St. Louis.

Squire R. S. Paris, of Loh, was in town Monday.

Mr. Al Woods and wife left Monday for Kansas.

Ollie James was in Louisville the first of the week.

Miss Melville G'enn will return from Florida this week.

Mr. Gus Graves, of Dycusburg, was in the city Monday.

Mrs. Reiter, of this place has purchased the Kelsey hotel.

Miss Hortense Finley is conducting a private school at Dycusburg.

Rev. Randolph and son returned from a visit to Trigg county Thursday.

Mr. T. J. Hammond, of Gracey, was the guest of his kinsman, Mr. Carlow this week.

Mrs. Potts, of Birmingham, Ala., is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Waggoner, of this place.

Mr. E. R. Martin and Master Henry Turley, of Caldwell county paid us a call Monday.

Mens Clay worsted suits \$5.00 New York Store

Good work horses seem to be in good demand.

There was a slim attendance at county court Monday.

Mr. C. S. Nunn and wife were in Evansville Tuesday.

Representative Berry, of Union county, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Harrigan has been dangerously ill several days.

Rev. J. F. Price is at Dawson this week assisting Bro. McMan in a meeting.

Mrs. Nina Howerton carries a complete line of fine perfumery and toilet articles.

The peach trees are blooming out in spite of the freezes and dierful predictions.

Rev. Thompson, of Kuttawa attended the session of Presbytery here last week.

Miss Nannie Dean went to Childer Monday to see Mr. Warner A-lamson who is very ill.

Rev. G. M. Burnett expects to go to Evansville this week, and will be absent some days.

Mr. Harry Martin, of Pinckneyville, spent several days with friends in the city last week.

John Kirk, after several weeks illness, is able to be out again, though he is still very feeble.

The school boys closed their congressional work Monday night after a session of eight months.

For the most stylish and reasonable millinery call on Mrs. Nina Howerton. New goods coming in every week.

Mr. J. A. Fleming, of Birdsville, is in town and has a view of locating here, if he can find property to suit him.

Al Swansey is arranging to go to Kuttawa to go into the stock and livery business with Logan Reed. He will go next week.

Elzie, the little son of Mr. D. B. Moore, is very sick with typhoid fever, at the home of Judge Moore of this place.

Luther Farmer returned from Lexington Sunday, where has been attending a business college. Luther completed the course.

There will be no services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church next Sunday on account of Rev. J. F. Price being at Dawson.

Gold medals to HARPER who's key at New Orleans and World's Fair Chicago. Try it, you will endorse the Judge's verdict. Sold by J. H. ORME, Marion, Ky.

Mrs. James Henry is arranging to locate in the insurance business in Tennessee. He has been sick several days and will leave for his new location as soon as he recovers.

Mr. Will G. Hammond, formerly of this place, has been made cashier in the I. C. railroad office at Henderson. We are glad to see this deserving Marion boy promoted.

The Livingston county fiscal court also had a smallpox expense problem. The claims allowed on this account at the court last week amounted to \$1200, and there are others.

A five year old child of Benj. Enoch, near Deer Creek, was taken suddenly ill with spasms Sunday morning and died in a few hours. The interment took place in the afternoon.

For Bicycles and Repairs call on Creed Taylor.

Before buying your spring suit call and see our line.
New York Store,

Men's Overalls 30c a pair. New York Store.

A barn belonging to Mr. Jones, of the Frances neighborhood was destroyed by fire last week.

WANTED—To rent a house in Marion of 6 or 8 rooms for July 1st.—H. F. Ray, Franklin, Ky.

Mrs. Nina Howerton will carry an elegant line of the latest belt goods, fancy pins for waists, hair ornaments, etc.

Don't you want some fine Black Minorcas or Light Brahmas chickens or eggs. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give me your order.

R. S. PARIS, LOLA, KY.

The fire alarm broke up the meeting of the city council Tuesday night, before any business was transacted. A meeting will be held next Tuesday night.

We have a first class dress maker and every facility for this department of our business, and every piece of work we send out is guaranteed. Mrs. M. D. Roney.

A little house on West Salem street was burned Tuesday night. It was unoccupied, and the fire was probably of incendiary origin, the building belonged to Mr. A. F. Griffith.

Osteopathy is not a patent appliance. It is a scientific method of treating diseases and deformity of the human body by mechanical adjustment and manipulation, reasoning from cause to effect.

Agents on salary of \$15.00 per week and expenses; the greatest agent seller ever produced; every stock and poultry raiser buys it on sight. Hustlers wanted. Reference. American Mfg Co., Terre Haute, Ind.

It has been suggested that the mayor issue a proclamation calling upon all citizens to feed the rats a poisoned diet for one week. The rats are making a strong fight to take the town, and without a concerted charge of the citizens, they are likely to succeed.

Parties along the Fords Ferry mail route will endeavor to secure the free delivery of their mail. As the department is favorable to this system, all the star routes that go out from this place ought to be thus employed.

The wife of Mr. Fred Clement of near Crayneville, died at their home Saturday, after a brief illness. Mr. Clement, who is one of the county's best citizens, has the deepest sympathy of his host of friends in this dark hour of bereavement. The funeral took place from the home Sunday afternoon, and the interment at the Clement graveyard.

Judge Nunn, J. W. Blue, C. S. Nunn, A. C. Moore, H. K. Woods, John Moore and R. C. Walker, composed a party that spent the day on Brushy Fork and Crooked Creeks last Saturday flirting with the funny tribes of those classic streams. They ate a hearty dinner, killed a snake (with a gun, not with "snake-medicine") and left the fish to grow. Judge Nunn delivered instructions to the denizens of the water as to how to bite, explaining that this was the lawful season for them to act promptly and rapidly on all hooks presented for investigation, the four learned lawyers, for the first time in their practice agreed that the instructions were just right, and the newspaper representative agreed to report the proceedings if the decision of the fish was favorable to the expectations of the court. No report was necessary.

For coughs and colds there is no medicine so effective as BALLARD'S HORE-HOUND SYRUP. It is the ideal remedy. Price 25 and 50 cents at Orme's.

100 pairs Sam-ple shoes, size 7, value \$3.50 to \$5 going at 2.50.
New York Store.

Mens brogan shoes \$1. a pair. New York Store.

Damage Suit.

A damage suit was filed in the circuit court this morning by Attorney Isaac Linley for Miss Rosa Gilliland against Mr. Robt. Boyd, for \$5,000 for detaining her against her will.

The parties both live at Salem, and owing to their prominence the suit has created quite a sensation. Mr. Boyd is in the mercantile business at Salem and was formerly post-master there.—Smithland Banner.

Even the most vigorous and hearty people have at times a feeling of weariness and lassitude. To dispel this feeling take HERBINE; it will impart vigor and vitality. Price 50 cents at Orme's.

The millinery opening last week attracted the attention of the ladies more than usual. Some of the displays were marvels of beauty.

Running Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Pimples etc., are quickly cured by Banner Salve the most healing salve in the world. Price 25c. No other "just as good."—R. F. Haynes.

**Best Calico, 5c
Hoosier Domestic 5c
Good Bich'd Dom 5c
Good Cotton Plaid 5c
Good Lawns 5c
Bed Ticking 5c
Good tobacco Can-
vass 11-2c
You will hardly
hear of the immense
advance in cotton
goods at
CLIFTONS**

Prettiest place In town.

Completest Line of Medicines.

Purest and Best Drugs.

Safest Prescription-ists.

Greatest Line of Stationery.

The Best Perfumeries Made.

Clothes, Hair and Tooth Brushes.

Purses and Pocket Books.

Bring us your prescriptions any time, day or night, we will fill them promptly and accurately.

R. F. HAYNES

The Druggist.

Phone 10.

A NEW MILL FIRM.

The Bigham Mill Sold To Messrs. A. Dewey, Chas. I. Morgan and J. H. Orme.

Messrs. A. Dewey, J. H. Orme and Chas. I. Morgan have purchased the Bigham Flouring Mills and will take charge next week. They will begin over-hauling the machinery and make such additions as are necessary to make it a prime mill in every particular. The firm name is A. Dewey & Co.

EDITOR PRESS:—The display of millinery goods last week in our town were such as that our milliners may well be proud of. That of Mrs. Nina Howerton was the most artistic. The combinations of colors, the arrangements in designs and displays all showed the hand of an experienced and tasty milliner. The \$75 pattern hat was trimmed with \$5, \$10 and \$20 bills and was the hit of the season.

A VISITOR.

Cuts, wounds, burns, sprains and bruises quickly heal if you apply BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Price 25 and 50 cents at Orme's drugstore.

Marriage License.

Robt. Holloman and Miss Willie Davis.
T. A. Tyner and Miss Lula Ann Robinson.
P. A. Vaughn and Miss Bessie Worley.

Deeds Recorded.

J. T. Pickens, sheriff, to J. M. Burton, 20 acres.
Geo. H. Crider to W. W. Rice, 62½ acres for \$900.
T. B. Davis, assignee of L. D. Jones, to R. H. Jones, 50 acres for \$200.
J. E. Clement to M. C. Lofton, interest in land for \$90.
Nora Lofton to M. C. Lofton, interest in land for \$50.
P. S. Maxwell to S. R. Adams, lot for \$200.
Sarah Nunn to C. L. Reiter, interest in land for \$81.33.
W. C. Watson to L. H. James, 40 acres for \$400.

Mother! Beware of those secret robbers of your baby's quiet and health. Those sleepless nights and long hours of tiresome vigil are caused by those terrible enemies of childhood—worms. Destroy and remove them with WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. Price 25c at Orme's drugstore.

—THE— Boston Grocery.

As the city of this name is the "Hub of the Universe," so the Boston Grocery is the center of the grocery trade in this section. If the cleanest and best of goods, honest, square, fair dealing, and price are right for both buyer and seller merit your age, this house will be glad to see you.

Everything in the Grocery Line.

The McKinney Bread,

Best sold in Marion.

G. E. BOSTON

Frankfort!

Has Nothing to Do With our Prices!

We have just received a fresh and full line of fine candles, the best on the market.

Fruits of all kinds.
Nuts from 15 to 20 cts per lb.
Graham crackers 10c per lb.
Soda Biscuits 10c per lb.
Ginger snaps 25c per barrel
Hominy 3 cans 25c
Beans 3 cans 2c
Ported Ham 3 cans 25c
Sardines 5c a can.
Rolled Oats 3 packages 25c
Pott's Johns Breakfast food 2 packages for 25c
Grape Nuts 15c per package
Seed Potatoes 90c per bushel
Coffee, roasted, from 12c to 30c per pound

Rice 3 pounds for 25c
The best Syrup 25c per gallon
Tinware, Stoneware, Glassware, Woodenware, Granite ware cheaper than any house in town.

We have a full line of everything in the grocery line and want your trade. Will sell cheap give you full weight and treat you right.

WOOL! We want all the wool in Crittenden county. Don't fool your wool away but get our prices before you buy. All kinds of produce wanted—we pay the best prices.

Everything to eat at the Lowest Prices.

HEARIN & SON,

Don't forget our Horse and Cattle Powders, Hog Cholera Medicine, Poultry Food and Louse Killer.

A Nice House and Lot for sale. Some fine stock hogs for sale cheap.

Rambler

1900 MODELS
28 inch Wheel.....\$40
30 inch Wheel.....45
Tandem75

Agts Wanted

Throughout the State where we are not now represented for our complete line.

OUR OWN

Speed

28-In Wheel \$30
30-In Wheel \$35

We Are

Ready For

1900

Business!

Our line is the Best and most complete.

The BIG 4

The most complete line of wheels ever offered—must be seen to be appreciated—but a catalogue will be mailed on application. Remember we want good agents. Are you with us if not, drop us a line and our representative will call on you.

Price

28-In Wheel \$20
24-In Wheel \$25
26-In Wheel \$23.30
28-In Wheel \$27 to 30

Our New Addition

CLIPPER.

28-In Semi-racer chain's \$75

28-In Roadster Chainless 60

28-In Roadster Chain Wheel 40

OUR 1900

Sundry catalogue is now ready, illustrating many of the latest Cycl Novelties.

THE RELIABLE

Ideal

90 in Wheel.....\$20
24 in Wheel.....\$25
26 in Wheel.....\$23.30
28 in Wheel \$27 to 30

News from all over the County.

Happenings of the Week
As Chronicled by Our
Special Correspondents.

DYCUSBURG.

Mr. T. J. Jeffery is very low with fever.
Guy Dunning, of Salem, spent Sunday here.
Arthur Finley, of Marion, was in town Sunday.
W. L. Dycus, of Kuttawa, was in town Sunday.
Miss Hortense Finley opened the spring school Monday.
Steve Tisdale spent Saturday and Sunday at Pickneyville.
Bud Bennett went to Paducah last week on a business trip.
The farmers around here have commenced planting corn.
Mr. E. J. Hayward, of Marion, was here a few days last week.
Sam Ramage and family, of Kelsey, were here Saturday and Sunday.
Miss Effie Parsons, of Pinckneyville is the guest of Steve Tisdale's family this week.
Mrs. Annie Newcom, of Marion is the guest of her father's family, J. H. Clifton, this week.

LOLA.

J. N. Bateman's family is improving.
J. B. Mahan is very low with pneumonia.
We are expecting a railroad through here some of these days, and with our fine farming land and minerals, Lola will bloom like a rose.
The Standard Oil Company are uncovering a vein of fine spar on W. C. Forman's farm. The vein is said to be a large one, and the spar is of the best grade.
Mr. Thomas Tyner and Miss Lula Robertson were married at the residence of John Malcom, Sunday night. We wish the young couple unalloyed peace and happiness.
There is talk of a vein of coal on John Slaydon's farm, about two miles from here. It is said that coal was mined there by a blacksmith many years, and parties here will probably take a lease and uncover the vein.

CHAPEL HILL.

Albert Hughes is on the sick list.
Misses Ada and Elva Hill were the guests of Misses Addie and Ada Bigham.



Out in Kansas

lives a happy wife. She writes: "I have used *Mother's Friend* before two confinements. The last time I had twins, and was in labor only a few minutes. Suffered very little." The reason why

Mother's Friend

does expectant mothers so much good is because it is an external treatment, to be applied upon the outside, where much of the strain comes. It helps because the pores of the skin readily absorb it, and it comes into direct contact with and is absorbed by the parts involved. Morning sickness is quickly banished, and nervousness is kept completely away. The sense of dread and foreboding is not experienced, even during labor itself. Confinement is short and almost without pain. Recovery is quick and sure. Best of all, *Mother's Friend* benefits the unborn just as much as the expectant mother, and when the little one comes it will be strong, lusty and healthy.

Strugglets sell *Mother's Friend* for \$1 a bottle. Send for our free book on the subject, fully illustrated.
THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.
ATLANTA, GA.

William Harrison Bigham has dug a pond and will stock it with fine game fish.

John Sutherland, of Marion, was out at our Sunday school Sunday evening.

Elder Griffith, of Dycusburg, was in this community Sunday visiting friends.

Prayer meeting every Thursday night and Christian Endeavor every Sunday morning.

W. H. Bigham wants to sell a fine two year old mule; has been worked, in good fix.

Clarence Daughtery and Fred Hill visited friends in Caldwell Springs neighborhood Sunday.

Misses Maud and Anna Hill have moved from Marion, where they have been attending school.

Some corn has been planted in this section, and the wheat prospect is better than for many years.

Quite a number of young people gathered at Charlie Clement's Sunday night and had a nice singing.

EMMAUS.

Mrs. F. M. Brown has been quite sick the past week.

Uncle Aaron Humphreys will preach at Emmaus the second Sunday.

We are glad to report the smallpox in this neighborhood on the wane.

Miss Corda Davis, of Livingston was visiting in our neighborhood last week.

Alfred Montgomery mourns the loss of pet lamb, "Mary." Mary went dead.

School is progressing nicely at Elm Grove under the management of Power Wolfe.

Several of the spar mines have resumed operation and the demand for laborers is quite good.

Mrs. Julia Fox has been appointed collector in this district for the Goebel monumental fund.

Mr. Geo. Smith and his better half spent Saturday and Sunday in the Cedar Grove settlement.

Phil Travis' face is all smeared with smiles and most any other dutiful husband would be under like conditions. Yes, it is a girl.

We are glad to note that Master Willie Wright, who had his leg broken some two or three weeks ago, is improving rapidly.

News from the Hodge Cave headquarters is encouraging. A new grist mill is being erected at the cave by two of our most enterprising citizens, Messrs. Chester Grissom and Sam Shelby. Success to you, gentlemen.

FREDONIA.

Farmers are busy planting corn. Gid Dollar of Princeton, was in town Monday.

J. I. Lindle and wife, of Crider, were in town Tuesday.

Young men, call and see our suits.—Buckner & Son.

T. B. Hughes bought a ten pound hen a few days ago.

Born to the wife of D. P. Black Saturday April 7th, a girl.

Mrs. Carrie Reiter has purchased the Kelsey hotel and livery stable.

Misses Lucy Hughes and Charline Wilson, of Crider, were in town Monday.

For bargains in pants, hats, ties, shoes, shirts and dress goods, call on C. B. Loyd.

Born to the wife of Ira Bennett last week, a large democrat of the voting species.

We can please everybody in quality, style and price of dress goods, hats, shoes, clothing, etc., Buckner & Son.

W. P. Black and daughter, Miss Ella, of Crider, were visiting Rev. Halsell and wife Friday.

My goods are the best money can buy, and I will sell for as little profit as anyone.—C. B. Loyd.

M. G. Young, of New Bethel, has the best saddle horse in this country. he bought of Al Woods.

Bacon, lard, potatoes, cabbage, garden seed, groceries of all sorts at very low prices.—Buckner & Son.

Miss Lily Brown came home from Carrsville Saturday, to see her grandmother who was at the point of death.

Bob Robinson and family, of Marion, will make Kelsey their future home. They lived here a few years ago.

Mrs. S. R. Cassidy and little daughter, and Miss Brannum, of Paducah have been visiting here for the past week or two.

A big store, a big stock, all bought for cash. We can beat any price named on any kind of goods in our line by any other merchant. Sam Howerton.

Mrs. Eliza Johnson died at her home in Fredonia at 7 o'clock Sunday morning after a week's illness. Funeral services at C. P. church Monday, conducted by J. P. Halsell. Interment at the Adamson graveyard one mile west of Crider. She leaves two sons and two daughters.

We Don't Want Money Bad.

We want it good and we will give you value received, as is every bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, no matter be it 10c, 50c or \$1.00, as we guarantee it for Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache and Stomach Trouble.—J. H. Orme and R. F. Haynes.

HOMES FOR SALE.

Ten acres of land adjoining Marion on the west; house of three rooms, hall and two porches, about five acres in orchard, half of trees now bearing.

Thirty acres of land adjoining above, house of three rooms, good water and good stables. Price of latter \$1000. For other particulars apply to A. J. Chittenden, Marion, Ky.

Have You Been Sick?

Perhaps you have had the grippe or a hard cold. You may be recovering from malaria or a slow fever; or possibly some of the children are just getting over the measles or whooping cough.

Are you recovering as fast as you should? Has not your old trouble left your blood full of impurities? And isn't this the reason you keep so poorly? Don't delay recovery longer but

Take

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

It will remove all impurities from your blood. It is also a tonic of immense value. Give nature a little help at this time. Aid her by removing all the products of disease from your blood. If your bowels are not just right, Ayer's Pills will make them so. Send for our book on Diet in Constipation.

Write to our Doctors. We have the exclusive services of some of the most eminent physicians in the United States. Write freely and receive a prompt reply, without cost.
Address, Dr. J. C. Ayer, Lowell, Mass.

AGENTS WANTED—We want a live, energetic man or woman to represent us, at once, in your territory. Most liberal commission to the right person. Advancement rapid. Good references required. Those wishing to better themselves, address
"OFFICE,"
Cor. Perkins and Union Streets, Akron, Ohio.

SEED SWEET POTATOES.

I have 400 bushels of seed sweet potatoes, Southern Queen—for sale. Retail \$1.25; wholesale \$1.00. Prompt attention given to all mail orders.
GEO. L. WHITT,
Frances, Ky.

KEEP your blood pure and your stomach and digestive organs in a healthy condition by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and you will be WELL.

More Goods

Than I Care to Move.

I will stay in town several weeks longer, until I dispose of them.

EVERYTHING WILL

GO AT COST

As long as they last. Remember the place,

The New York Store

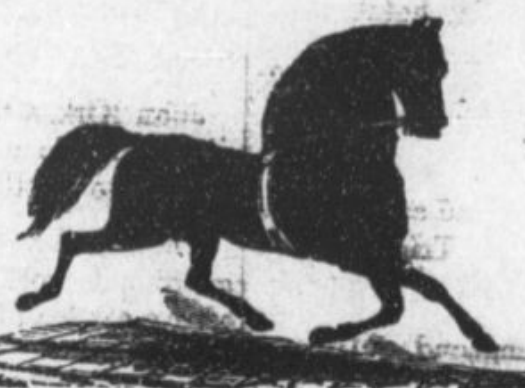
A. ZIFF.

Marion, y.,

1 door W. Postoffice.

Improve Your Horses,

By Breeding to the Best.



BERMUDA BOY

Fine Saddle and Harness Station, Bred by B. J. Tracey, Lexington, Ky., owned by Jesse Olive, Marion, y.

He is 16 hands high, bay, weight 1150, sired by Bermuda 5874, record 2:20 1-2 (sire of Iris O 2:15 1-2; Beresford 2:16 1-4; Timbrel 2:16 1-2) by Banker 4144, dam Pattie Patchen by Mambrino Patchen 58; 2 dam Mandy by Stanhopes Blood Hawk.

Bermuda Boy's (405) 1 dam Tilly Wilkes, by Fayette Wilkes 2036, son of George Wilkes 2.22 and Sally Hamlet by Hamlet 100. 2 dam Julia by John Dillard, Jr., dam of Tilford 2:17 3-4 and Tilman 2.29 1-2 and Miss Tilford, a winner in Europe. 3 dam Alice by William's Denmark. 4 dam The Hall Pacing mare.

I take pleasure in calling the attention of the horse breeders of Crittenden to this fine animal. Call and see him or address me for other information.

Jesse Olive.

To The Public,

1900 finds us at the same old stand, doing business in the same square old way—

Selling Good Goods For The Cash.

At the lowest prices, always giving 100 cents worth for the dollar.

This year we hope to do more business with you, promising courteous treatment and the lowest possible prices, and we add just here that all

Heavy Woolen Goods are offered at Greatly Reduced Prices...

Your account is due and we need the money. Thanking you for your liberal patronage in the past, we are your friends

Woods & Fowler

A M Henry,

THE GROCERYMAN

everybody trades with him.

R. J. MORRIS,

Dentist,

Office over Marion Bank.

MARION, KY.

Over \$1.000⁰⁰ Worth of First Class Wall Paper

That I will dispose of at once, and to do so I have put the prices down to the low water mark...

One-Third Cheaper than any Wall Paper Sold from any Sample Book from any House.

This great stock of paper is up-to-date in Styles, and embraces all qualities, and many of the designs are the same as you see in some of the sample books, and I will sell them one-third cheaper than you buy them from others. Come to headquarters and see this great line of the Latest Goods, and buy your paper during this Clearance Sale.

Spring is here and if you are needing paint, remember that I sell

A Ready Mixed Paint on the Guarantee.

J. H. ORME,

The Druggist.

ELOQUENT

Mr. Beveridge on the Porto Rican Tariff Measure.

GEMS FROM HIS SPEECH.

Reciprocity with Porto Rico will help that island; it can not hurt us. No, it will help us more than it will help Porto Rico. It affords us a safe experiment with our possessions at the very beginning of our experience as an administering power. For a nation of 70,000,000 of people with an imperial continent for its home, and practiced in all the arts of industry, can not suffer in competition with a little island smaller than a single county in Texas, 1,200 miles from our shores, and peopled by less than one-seventieth of our number of inhabitants, poverty stricken and prostrate, ignorant of the meaning of self-government, and beholding modern civilization as through a glass.

Reciprocity with Porto Rico is not only a matter of duty; it is a measure of economic wisdom. It is the reciprocity for which the great statesmen of the Republic have planned and toiled. And it is reciprocity not with a foreign country, but with our own possession. It is a reciprocity of nature: Porto Rican products supply what we need and can not so well produce; we supply what Porto Rico needs and can not so well produce. It is a reciprocity decreed by natural laws to which our acts must in the end conform. It is a reciprocity "not made by hands, eternal in the heavens." It is a reciprocity of predestination—a relation established in the nature of things, and as inevitable as was our conflict with our race antagonist in the recent war.

When our markets are open to Porto Rican products industry will and must of necessity, be stimulated as by the wine of life itself all through our island, the people will prosper, money will pour into their withered hands, and Porto Rico, now desolate, will be placed in a position of prosperity justified by its resources, its location, and possibilities. And with her prosperity she will in turn endow us. Her markets will exclusively be ours; for our tariff against Europe and the world will be her tariff against Europe and the world, and so our clothing and flour, and corn and implements and all the products of our farms and mills and looms will have exclusive markets there. And the more prosperous we make her by offering our markets to Porto Rico, the more she can buy of us and will. Increasing

prosperity means increasing desires; increasing prosperity means more money to satisfy those desires. And so this act if simple justice creates a new and exclusive market for what we raise and make, and supplies the money to make market valuable—supplies the money by buying from our own island necessities now purchased from foreign lands. But to close our market to our own possession or to make those markets dear and difficult, is to take from our masses the necessities produced on our own territory; and to make the markets of our own dependency dear and difficult to our producers is to deny ourselves the opportunity to sell our own products to our own possession.

Porto Rico came to us like Ruth saying: "Entreat me not to leave thee, or return from following after thee; for whether thou goest I will go, and where thou lodgest I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God; where thou diest I will die, and there will I be buried; the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me." Thus comes this little land, asking like Ruth, only that she may glean in the harvest after the reapers, acknowledging her shortcomings and asking not to be exalted, neither vaunting her excellence nor speaking of her rights. And Senators, she is hungry, we will feed her. She is naked; we will clothe her. She asks only for the liberty to live; we will free the hands of her industry. She is bruised and wounded and weak; we will soothe her bruises, heal her wounds, strengthen her weakness. The American people will have it so. Call it sentiment, if you will, but sentiment, than God, is the strongest quality of the American character. It is this sentiment that has inspired all the heroism of our heroic history, and written on the statute books of the Republic every law that will, in the world's great future, be the justification for our existence. And when the noblest sentiment of the soul and the most practical wisdom of the mind write out the same conclusion we must accept it as the highest revelation known to man of the will of that Providence that rules the world and raises up and casts down principalities and powers. For "Righteousness exalteth a nation," saith the Word.

If, then, we give reciprocity of trade to this faithful little island it will inspire confidence throughout Latin-America. It will create that friendship which is the basis of all genuine international understandings. It will encourage other peoples to welcome our protection whenever it may be to our interest to extend it.

KIDNEY DISEASES are the most fatal of all diseases. Foley's Kidney Cure a guaranteed remedy or money refunded.—R. F. Haynes.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

ZION HILL LODGE, No. 371, F. & A. M.

BRETHREN:—We are called upon to pay the last tribute of respect to our beloved brother, H. C. Gilbert. His labor is over; the trials, temptations and vicissitudes of life are past; he has gone to the land of light, where refreshments are eternal. Brother Gilbert was 78 years of age, and was made a Mason in Calloway County, Tenn., about 52 years ago, and for several years acted as Deputy Grand Master of that State. He moved to Crittenden (which was then Livingston County,) in the early eighties, and was one of the charter members of Zion Hill Lodge No. 371, of which he remained a faithful member until he peacefully breathed his last April 5, 1900. Therefore be it

RESOLVED: That in his death his family has lost a kind and loving husband, and a kind and indulgent father, the community a good and faithful citizen and Zion Lodge one of its beloved and faithful members.

RESOLVED: That we extend to his family our tenderest sympathies in their sad bereavement, and bow in humble submission to the will of God. Be it further

RESOLVED: That we wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days, showing to the world and to his bereaved family and friends that he had cast his lot with a society that believes in a happy eternity. Be it further

RESOLVED: That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the lodge, a copy sent to the Crittenden Press for publication, and a marked copy of the same sent to his family.

J. M. FORD,
C. G. MORELAND,
E. W. HULL,
Committee.

A Horrible Outbreak.

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C. C. Ishill of Morgantown, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles, Only 25c at J. H. Orme's.

QUEEN'S WELCOME.

The English Sovereign Royally Received in the Emerald Island.

For the first time in thirty-nine years the Queen of England paid her Irish subjects a visit last week, and her entrance into Dublin was a gorgeous affair, and a most interesting ceremony took place at the city limits where ancient gate and castle towers had been reproduced for the occasion. On the city side of the gate were the Lord Mayor and Council in their scarlet robes, the mace bearers in blue

and silver, and several hundred of the best known Irish, who were provided with seats on stands. The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers lined the road as a guard of honor, while behind them were cordons of police, Lancers and militia.

Thousands of spectators eagerly awaited the coming of the Queen. Shortly before her arrival the Pursuivant-at-Arms, wearing a gorgeous cape of royal heraldry, galloped up to the Lord Mayor and asked permission for the entrance of the Queen. Gravely, and in quaintly-worded terms of courtesy, the Lord Mayor granted the request. Back galloped the Pursuivant-at-Arms, the gate banging behind him. Although the aged Beef-eaters, rigged out for the occasion with costume from the Gayety Theater, could scarcely totter around, the whole scene was a counterpart of Sixteenth century play.

Then from the ramparts of the gate came a fanfare of trumpets. The Queen was in sight. Out upon a scarlet cloth, laid Raleigh-like upon the muddy road, stepped the Lord Mayor and the corporation, their robes glowing in the bright sunshine and their wands and maces flashing brilliantly. The gate creaked open. The Earl of Denbigh rode through, and then came the Life Guards. Ireland had not seen Life Guards for over thirty years, and many were the curious comments made as they galloped past. Behind them were carriages containing the members of the court and attended by mounted equestrians, and then more Life Guards. Finally, amid almost perfect silence save for the echo of cheers and cries of "God Save the Queen," from outside the city limits, came the Queen herself.

The moment the Queen passed the gate enthusiasm broke loose. Bands struck up, men cheered and sang bareheaded and the women waved their handkerchiefs and struggled to get a better view. Many of them even weeping.

Beside the Queen rode the Duke of Connaught, commander of the forces in Ireland. During the five minutes when the Queen was receiving and answering the address of welcome, there was scarcely a lull in the frantic cheering from the crowds. Frequently the Queen nodded. In fact, she scarcely ceased nodding during the entire nine-mile drive. Princess

Christian also took a prominent part in the ceremony, helping the Queen to take the sword, keys and casket containing the address, for despite her ability to go through these functions, it was evident that this tiny old woman of eighty years was really very frail and weak. It was a pageant such as had never been seen in Ireland before.

The Queens response to the address welcome was as follows:

I think you heartily for the loyal welcome and good wishes which you have tendered me on behalf of yourself and your fellow-citizens on my arrival in the ancient capital of my Irish dominion. I came to this fair country to seek a change and rest, and to revisit scenes

which recall to my mind the warm welcome given to both myself and my beloved husband. I am deeply gratified that I have been able at this time to see again the motherland of those brave sons who have recently distinguished themselves in the defense of my crown and empire with cheerful valor, as conspicuous now as ever in their glorious past. I pray that the Almighty God may ever bless and direct you in the high functions which you exercise for the benefit of your fellow-citizens.

Many people suffer untold tortures from piles, because of the popular impression that they can not be cured. **TABLER'S BUTTERFLY PILE OINTMENT** will cure them. It has met with absolute success. Price 50c in bottles, tubes 75c at J. H. Orme's.

OUR NATIVE HERB TABLETS.

The Great Blood PURIFIER,



Kidney and Liver Regulator.

Guaranteed by our REGISTERED GUARANTEE to cure all diseases arising from Impure Blood and Inactive Liver or Kidneys. 200 Days' Treatment \$1. The dollar back if you are not cured.

I have been a sufferer for several years with liver and kidney trouble, and derived no benefit from doctors, and had almost desponded, I gave "Our Native Herbs" a thorough trial, and it has done more for me than anything I have used in ten years.—R. M. Franks, Tolu, Ky.

I have suffered with kidney trouble for years; at times unable to work, doctored for years but grew worse. Took "Our Native Herbs" and am well. John Drake, Tolu, Ky.

I have given "Our Native Herb Tablets" a fair trial, find it as recommend for the kidneys, headache and catarrh. Wallace Bennett, Toly, Ky.

D. W. STONE, AGENT. THE ALONZO BLISS CO. SOLE PROPRIETORS

Medicine mailed promptly on receipt of price.

If you are ailing, it may pay you to investigate

OSTEOPATY.

It cures many cases of many kinds, where other remedies have failed.

Osteopathy is new and Scientific. Osteopathy courts investigation.

I will open an Osteopathic Infirmary in Marion about July 1, 1900. Upon inquiry any further information will be gladly given by mail from Franklin, Ky., my present address.

Your Friend,
H. F. RAY.

"AS YOU SOW, SO SHALL YOU REAP."

Wholesale Only. **Ross Seed Co.** DEALERS IN PURE **FIELD SEEDS** AND ONION SETS. Clover, Timothy, Orchard Grass, Kentucky Bluegrass, Red Top, Millet, Etc., Etc. Also Manufacturers' Agents for **FARM IMPLEMENTS.** Nos. 136 and 138 Second St. LOUISVILLE, KY.

