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MURRAY KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1908.

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EDITORIAL.

MY CRITIC, COUNTY JUDGE WELLS.

In last week's issue of the Times my critic, County Judge Wells, devoted a considerable space to a defense of his recent accusations against me, but a greater amount of space was consumed in a rather amusing attempt to be poetical and dreamy. The Judge made facetious references and comparisons between myself and some of the characters represented in old nursery tales. I am glad my attention has been called to these old fables as I am very certain that the mirror in them reflects many different characters.

My critic extends profuse congratulations upon what he terms a conversion upon my part. I am not afraid of a fair discussion of any issue, I invite just criticism, but equally as much do I dislike to engage in controversy with a man both unjust and unfair. I admire men who entertain convictions with sufficient courage to proclaim them, especially when such convictions are based upon facts. I can not admire the gallery god, the buffoon who plays for public plaudits. The pampered horse that dashes by the grand stand to finish at the quarter post never excited the serious admiration of the interested spectator who loves a fair race and a square deal. Upon my own merit I will attain the goal of success or suffer the humiliation of utter defeat. I scorn to rise upon the demerits of any man. If Judge Wells will stop and reflect, if his dethroned reason has again been enthroned, if the reign of frenzy he has suffered is swept into the past, if he can now retire to some sequestered spot, "far from the madding crowd" and devote only a few minutes to sober, serious reflection he will realize that he wrongfully accuses me, that he has attempted to do me injury and in so doing expects to profit thereby himself. I occupy the same position today in my loyalty to the tobacco growers' organization and in my opposition to lawlessness that I have always occupied. I have no apologies or a tends to make for the fight I have made for organized labor, and I want to here renew my allegiance and to again declare that I expect to continue in my humble way to battle on for the cause despite the dirty accusations hurled at me. I will not pose as a martyr, but as certain the battle wages I will be and a willing, fighting private in the ranks of the common people with them to victory or march or fall with them in the last ditch facing the most damnable enemy a proud citizenship of a proud commonwealth ever waged holy war upon.

But let's hurry on. My critic takes invoice on me, and the benefit of truth let's itemize the account, and place a little premium on the items in the account. Possibly the truth can be attained in this way. My critic says: "He said a few of Al Perry's neighbors paid him a friendly visit."

I will pay Judge Wells \$25 in gold for a copy of the Ledger in which is contained the above statement or any reference that can be even distorted into such a statement.

"He said a night rider is a good citizen."

I will pay Judge Wells \$50 in gold for a copy of the Ledger in which I made the above statement. The charge is false and my critic knows it, still he is

fully and maliciously circulates the accusation.

"He said that the county judge should have called on him and other citizens instead of state guards."

I will pay \$10 in gold for a copy of the Ledger containing any statement even similar to the above.

"He undertook to lead the people to believe that the state guards were costing the county \$6,000 or \$7,000 per month."

I will pay \$10 in gold for a copy of the Ledger in which I said the guards would cost one cent. I quoted Gov. Willson. Judge Wells admitted the county would be called upon to pay a part of the expense. I have the same right to believe Gov. Willson that I have to believe Judge Wells. They are very much alike when it comes to making statements.

"Again, the first issue of your paper after the troops were brought undertook to make odious my action by insinuating that they were brought here to protect Griffin & Pitt and other factories here in town."

I will pay \$10 in gold for a copy of the Ledger containing any reference by me to the matter. In your article, "To the Public," published in my paper of April 2nd you said: "I have definite and direct information from the night riders themselves that before the moon changes they shall swoop down on Murray and burn her property and beat her citizens."

The Louisville Times of April 4th quotes you as follows: "County Judge J. G. Wells said this morning that he had been misrepresented and intentionally so by some people by the statement that he had called for troops to protect the trust's rehandling house at Murray. He said that he wished The Times would state that he called the troops for the protection of the farmers."

The above statements remind me of the negro's con trap. "It catches 'em gwine and comin'." It seems that Judge Wells has made so many different statements that I must be charged with a portion of the responsibility but I deny the allegation.

I will readily pay any or all of the above sums upon presentation of proof demanded, that it might be added to the "meager sum" Judge Wells declares he is to receive for aiding in the prosecution of men charged with night riding in this county. It will not be trust money nor law and order league money, either.

But it seems that Judge Wells dejects public plaudits for doing his duty. Listen to this:

"It is passing strange that at every newspaper of the state and hundreds of them outside of it have seen proper to commend my course in these trying times that you should, etc."

It is said that a pompous individual upon interviewing himself to a man of "GYNAG" was invited to "take Governor Again intruding himself into the busy man stated that if, if resident of a railway, vice-president of a trust company, etc. Thereupon the man of letters invited him to "take two chairs." Judge Wells I invite you to accept the whole flower garden as a bouquet, and as you modestly acquiesce be reminded that possibly the hundreds of newspapers outside of the state realize that "distance lends enchantment." The official who whimpers because he is not applauded by the public for

doing a plain duty can not be expected to fill the requirements of the position he holds. But his honor hardly finished complaining because of lack of plaudits until he declares: "I am willing to be maligned, vilified and abused if I can but aid in ridding our fair land of this hideous nightmare." Thus he taunts the rabble and would have it cry, "crucify me! crucify me!" The public is not going to participate in such orgies, but it certainly has the right to comment upon the conduct of its servants.

Passing we want to again quote from Judge Wells' article of last week, and while admitting that it has no part in this controversy I want to merely suggest. He says:

"I shall use all legitimate means in my power to assist in the prosecution of these cases and that too for a mere pittance contributed by citizens of Calloway county and OTHER citizens of the state. Not one cent of the meager sum comes from the American Tobacco Company or any other trust."

In your article in my paper of April 2nd you say, "that on most important matters with which an official has to deal, it is for the general welfare, that such official should take the public into his confidence." Why do you not tell the public how much you are to receive for your service in prosecuting the Calloway cases? Why do you not tell the public who is paying the mere pittance you are to receive? Deny that the Louisville Law and Order League, of which a reliable authority says, "it is a notorious fact that the instigators of this order are beneficiaries and minions of the tobacco trust," is contributing one cent of the meager sum. You are standing before the same public today that you addressed through my paper of April 2nd. Take this public into your confidence again.

In insinuating terms Judge Wells charges that the association has fostered law violations. My whole endeavor has been to attempt to disassociate the association from any participation in these crimes, to refute the harmful accusations that the organization condoned or endorsed lawlessness of any character. The night riders are not a part of the tobacco association, but rather enemies of society and violators of civil law. I still contend that the lawlessness that has prevailed in the tobacco district was instigated by the tobacco trust, and has been fostered with the hope that it would destroy the association. Driven to desperation the combine of thugs and thieves, who have robbed the people of this section of the products of their honest toil for years, has resorted to damnable methods to thwart the growers in their battle for living prices. The worst enemy the organization has is the hiredling who parades in loyalist garments and continues to knife the organization secretly. I expect to continue in the fight for the army of toilers who compose the tobacco growers organization, and my purpose to advance its welfare and its interests will not be deterred by any man's charges against me. On and up with the association till every pound of tobacco is controlled by it, and the rapacious, greedy trust is forced to pay the producer a remunerative price for his labors. Down with the hellish influence that is attempting to place the stigma of lawlessness upon the body; that is attempting to fetter the organization with shackles of shame and abuse to enable the trust to crush out its life and again place the yoke of peonage upon the neck of the wealth producers of this fair land.

In conclusion and in reference to the Judge's fight against me I want to direct his attention to one of the fables that he possibly overlooked, and to remind him that it is always profitable to adhere to truth and facts. The story runs:

"A Fowler took his gun, and went into the woods a shooting. He spied a Ringdove among the branches of an oak, and intended to kill it. He clapped the piece to his shoulder, and took his aim accordingly. But, just as he was going to pull the trigger, an adder, which he had trod upon under the grass, stung him so painfully in the leg, that he was forced to quit his design, and threw his gun down in a passion. The poison immediately infected his blood, and his whole body began to mortify; which, when he perceived, he could not help owning it to be 'fate.' Fate," says he, "has brought a destruction upon me while I was contriving the death of another."

There is a law of retribution governing life. Men often fall into the very pit they dig for others.

Very respectfully,
O. J. JENNINGS, Ed. Ledger.
Womans Influence.

The reformation of an evil man by even the best of wives is among the most difficult of human undertakings. The cases where a woman, however deeply in love, has married a drunkard and roused against the entreaties of her friends, and has not lived to repent the act, are so few as to be worthy of citation as exceptions which go to prove the rule.

It is by no means an easy task to reform any one, says the New Idea Woman's Magazine for June. People always dislike to be found fault with, and prefer their own tricks and manners to those of others. Even where they know they are wrong, they want to be excused, not blamed. Are we not taught that "the way to hell is paved with good intentions?" No man who cannot stand upright without the aid of a woman is a safe husband; she who endeavors to hold up such a weakling, is apt to be bent if not broken in the effort.

Since marriage is the closest of human associations it is inevitable that the two who are thus bound together shall act and react each upon the other. But, it is, alas! the exception where the higher nature elevates the lower; the rule is that the higher must be hindered and held down by the weight of the lower, even if it is not altogether abused by contact with that which is mean and degrading. It is the law of custom and tradition that a man shall rule over his wife, and it usually is his will which shapes their life together.

Yet, despite all the dreadful facts daily told, the awful examples which continually are seen, young women persist in receiving the attentions of dissipated men, and in time marry them. The specious argument: "If I had you with me always, my darling, as a guardian angel, I would be able to resist temptation," has prevailed with many a weak, loving woman to her life-long wretchedness and woe. It may safely be asserted that any man who will not lead a clean and upright life for the sake of his own self-respect, or for love of the mother who bore him, will not do so for a wife.

Sprains Quickly Cured.
Bath the parts freely with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and give them absolute rest, and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

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SCHOOL CLOSED

Murray Graded School Closed Last Week After Successful Year.

The school children are again "foot loose and fancy free."

The nine months' term of school was closed last Friday after one of the most successful sessions in its history.

The closing week was devoted almost wholly to examinations and preparation for the closing exercises.

The exercises at the school building last Friday night were witnessed by a large crowd, every available foot of space in the big auditorium was pressed into service to accommodate the spectators, while scores were denied the pleasure of witnessing the performance because they were unable to find even standing room.

The exercises consisted of pantomimes, drills, songs, recitations, etc., and the little performers acquitted themselves creditably to themselves and their instructors.

The graduating exercises were held at the Opera House Friday night, and again a crowded house was present.

The class of 1908 is comprised of Miss Rauda Moore, Miss Fay Houston and Miss Wadie Miller. The three young ladies were recipients of many handsome flowers from admiring friends.

The Department of Expression, under the instruction of Miss Eunice Cury, will entertain tonight at the Opera House, and is promised a full house.

The Department of Music, under the management of Mrs. Holton will entertain at the Opera House next week.

Harris Grove.

Not much sickness to mention this week.

J. C. Denham and wife spent last Saturday and Sunday in Linnville.

A. Y. McNeely and family visited in Graves county the past week.

James Orr and family were in Murray last Saturday.

Galen Windsor has returned from Centerville where he has been attending school.

Jim Neal and wife, of Murray, visited W. W. Humphreys last Sunday.

John Windsor, of the Mount Pleasant vicinity, had the misfortune of losing his stables and crib by fire one night the past week. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Ed Phillips and wife were the guests of Jesse Paschal and wife the past week.

Lee Myers set out 7 1/2 acres of tobacco last week.

Elmon Windsor, of Centerville, Tenn., is expected home quite soon to visit relatives.

The farmers of this section are behind with their farm work. Tobacco plants are rushing them. Scarcely any corn planted. General farm work will be in progress for some time if the weather will permit.

Joe Leach, of Graves county, who was shot by John Miller the past week was able to return home last Saturday.

Come on all you correspondents and let us hear from all parts of the county so we may have a newsy paper.

U Know.

Rev. P. P. Pullen, of P. is, was the most of relatives this week.

Sam G. Pullen, who has been quite ill of pneumonia, is gradually recovering.

RESOLUTIONS.

County Committee of The Association Denounces Charges Preferred.

At the regular adjourned meeting of the county committee of the Planters Protective Association held Saturday the 2nd inst. the following resolutions were unanimously adopted and signed by each member present:

"WHEREAS, We the county committee of Calloway county for the Planters Protective Association, while regretting the necessity of such action, deem it but justice and right that we denounce the accusations as unwarranted and absolutely false made against the chairman of this body in particular and this committee as a whole, for being responsible for recent unlawful conditions prevailing in Calloway county. The tobacco growers association as an organization has made repeated public declarations regarding its attitude toward lawlessness, and without exception each utterance was a denunciation of any character of crime committed in the name of the association, and if such crimes were participated in by members would be exceedingly hurtful to the whole organization."

"It comes to this body that his honor, County Judge Wells, stated to the chairman of this committee that 'the blood of the men indicted in this county was upon him;' that the unfriendly influence to the association has seized upon this statement to do injury to the organization and place a false accusation upon the committee, that is humiliating to the members hereof and harmful to the association's interests. Therefore be it.

RESOLVED, That we deplore and denounce such utterances emanating from one placed in a position of honor and trust by the people of Calloway county, who are honestly laboring to maintain the association, in the face of the over-whelming power of the tobacco trust, to enable them to command a living price for the products of their toil; that they might be free men not slaves; that they might be able to entirely remove the trust yoke that has galled them for years. Be it further.

RESOLVED, That under the facts now presented that Judge Wells should retract such statement and remove the stigma placed upon this committee and the association of tobacco growers of this county.

Ewing is Coming.

The editor of the Ledger is in receipt of a letter from General Manager Ewing, of the tobacco association, stating that he will be here next fourth Monday to meet with the Calloway county committee. He stated further that he was certain that Hon. Joel B. Fort would also attend and address the tobacco growers.

A large crowd will be here fourth Monday to hear these well known association men.

Seasons Work Finished.


Griffin & Pitt, who made a purchase of tobacco here for the Regie contract, finished pricing the purchase last week and have closed their place of business. Their purchase is estimated at about 800,000 pounds.

Homestead Fertilizer for sale at L. E. Radford and W. P. Dolaney, Kirksey. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$2.00.

Panacea for blues—The Ledger.

Rickets.
Simply the visible sign that baby's tiny bones are not forming rapidly enough.
Lack of nourishment is the cause.
Scott's Emulsion nourishes baby's entire system. Stimulates and makes bone. Exactly what baby needs.

ALL DRUGGISTS, 50c. AND \$1.00



Obituary.
Joseph Groce, who recently confessed to the county attorney of Lyon county that he had attended meetings of night riders and made affidavit to his story, repudiated his confession when called upon to face the Lyon county grand jury last Monday, and stated that he was forced to make the confession. Two men whom he had implicated were members of the jury.

Tire nerves, with that "no ambition" feeling that is common in spring or early summer, can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. One will absolutely note a changed feeling within 48 hours after beginning to take the Restorative. The bowels get sluggish in the winter time, the circulation often slows up, the kidneys are inactive, and even the heart in many cases grows decidedly weak. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is recognized everywhere as a genuine tonic to these vital organs. It builds up and strengthens the worn-out weakened nerves; it sharpens the failing appetite, and universally aids digestion. It always quickly brings renewed strength, life, vigor, and ambition. Try it and be convinced. Sold by H. D. Thornton.

Last Tuesday morning, after Monday night's downpour of rain the road just east of town was found to be full of small cat fish, about three or four inches long. Several were also found in the fields and on the hill sides. About three hundred of them were picked up by the boys of the town. It is claimed that they fell from the clouds during the rain storm and no other plausible explanation of the unusual occurrence is given. —Hazel News.

Weak women should read my "Book No. 4 For Women". It was written expressly for women who are not well. The Book No. 4 tells of Dr. Shoop's "Night Cure" and just how these soothing, healing, restorative, soporifics can be successfully applied. The book, and strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Night Cure is sold by H. D. Thornton.

To Investigate Sending of Soldiers
Frankfort, Ky., May 7.—The Scott county grand jury is investigating by what authority troops were sent to that county, and several of the men in the militia have appeared before the jury to testify. Judge Robert Stout, in his instructions to the jury, said that the Governor has no right to send troops into any county except on the request of the County Judge, Sheriff or Circuit Judge. He directed the grand jury to investigate whether or not the soldiers had been sent to Scott county for the purpose of intimidating any citizens, and if they found that the soldiers were there to intimidate anybody indicted by the grand jury, they should return an indictment against any State official who was in the plot to intimidate.

There is talk here that an indictment is to be returned against Gov. Wilson and Adj. Gen. Johnston, charging conspiracy to intimidate. The people of this and surrounding counties are objecting vigorously to troops being sent into their counties and the growers are up in arms.

A Californian's Luck.
"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Bickham, of Tracy, California. "I was 23 years cured me of an ankylosing case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at Dale & Stubbins' drug store.

Notice To Farmers.
I now have on hand all the tobacco sprays you are looking for, and you can get them when you want them. Respectfully,
GEO. E. CURD, Dexter, Ky.

DOWNWARD COURSE.

Fast Being Realized By Murray People.

A little backache at first. Daily increasing till the back is lame and weak. Urinary disorders quickly follow. Diabetes and finally Bright's disease. This is the downward course of kidney illa. Don't take this course. Follow the advice of a Murray citizen.

J. T. Wells, Clothing Merchant, living on Cemetery St., Murray, Ky., says: "My wife had suffered a great deal from kidney trouble, and although she had tried a number of different remedies, and had doctored a great deal nothing seemed to prove of benefit to her. She was greatly annoyed with her back, her head also pained her intensely, and dizzy spells were of frequent occurrence. Finally upon the advice of a friend I obtained a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Dale & Stubbins' drug store and asked her to take them. She did so and from the beneficial results she received, can recommend them highly. They acted like magic in her case and a few boxes of this remedy gave her more relief than she had known for years. My wife is constantly recommending Doan's Kidney Pills whenever she has an opportunity."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

There is a Pink Pain Tablet made by Dr. Shoop, that will positively stop any pain, anywhere, in 20 minutes. Druggists everywhere sell them as Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets, but they stop other pains as easily as headache. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets simply coax blood pressure away from pain centers—that is all. Pain comes from blood pressure—congestion. Stop that pressure with Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets and pain is instantly gone. 20 Tablets 25c. Sold by H. D. Thornton.

Brook's Chapel.
Farmers are getting a little behind with their work on account of so much wet weather. Tobacco plants are looking well and some corn has been planted. T. P. Tarry, who has been sick for some time, is not much better.

Joe Swift, of Hico, was here to see his mother, Mrs. Kit Swift, this week.

Uncle Hamp Swift, who is eighty some odd years old, attended quarterly conference at Maple Spring Saturday and performed the duty of steward.

Barn raisings are too numerous to mention.

Tom Jones and family went to Murray fourth Monday.

Phillip Anderson and wife attended their Baptist meeting at Olive 5th Sunday.

Some of our people attended the meeting at Harmony Chapel Sunday.

Sunday School was organized here Sunday with Wellington Stringer superintendent, Euria Gordon, musician; Jim Jones, Bible teacher of class No. 1; Garland Neal, teacher of class No. 2, and T. G. Gordon secretary.

If You Read This
It will be to learn that the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice recommended, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Shoop's Medical Discovery for the cure of every chronic, dangerous, curable disease, such as consumption, liver, or kidney disease, rheumatism, and all other diseases of whatever origin, nature or location. It is also a specific remedy for all such diseases, and a long standing cause of curable ailments, and that its use is absolutely safe and its results are permanent and its use is recommended by all the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice. It is a sure cure for all such diseases, and a long standing cause of curable ailments, and that its use is absolutely safe and its results are permanent and its use is recommended by all the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice.

Wick Tarry, of Birmingham, was here to see his parents Sunday.

Barnie Jones is erecting a large frame barn.

Mrs. Stevenson and Mrs. Hubbard attended the grave yard services here Saturday.

Miss Bertha Byars is visiting her half brother, Tolle Timmons, of Paducah. AUNT JOE.

Homestead Fertilizer for sale at L. E. Radford's and W. P. Dunaway, Kirksey. Prices range from \$1.25 to \$2.00.

Roll Call Meeting.

The annual roll call meeting will be held at Poplar Spring Church at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday before the fourth Lord's day in May.

Introductory Sermon, "The Security of the Believer."—O. W. Hargrove. T. L. Shelton, alt. Roll call at 1 o'clock.

Importance of Church Members Attending Church Meetings.—J. W. Clark and P. J. Henry.

Does the Scripture Teach that we should give one tenth of our income to the Lord?—Joe Johnson and Oury Taylor.

The Final Roll Call. J. T. Enoch and N. S. Castleberry.

Importance of Sunday Schools.—George Workman and J. T. Stewart.

Allen. Immersion, is it Right to Receive it?—H. B. Taylor and Enoch Calhoun.

Prayer Meetings.—D. M. Green and Virgil Johnson.

Missions.—A. A. Harris, W. J. Beale and Wm. Self.

We extend a general invitation to all. Dinner on the ground.

J. D. OUTLAND, JOHN BLALOCK, COM. BRO. HICKS.

Good Words for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.
People everywhere take pleasure in testifying to the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. Edward Phillips of Barclay, Md., writes: "I wish to tell you that I can recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. My little girl, Catherine, who is two years old, has been taking this remedy whenever she has had a cold since she was two months old. About a month ago I contracted a dreadful cold myself, but I took Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was soon as well as ever." This remedy is for sale by Dale & Stubbins.

Preaching at Old Blood River Spring on the first Sunday in June, at 11 o'clock, by H. S. Morgan. By W. O. Hargrove at 1 o'clock. Dinner on the ground. Everybody invited to come and bring something to eat with them and let us have one more pleasant day at the old spring, as this will be our last appointment at this place. We are going to hold an old fifty year ago meeting at that time. Everybody come. H. S. MORGAN.

If You Don't
succeed the first time use Herbine and you will get instant relief. The greatest liver regulator. A positive cure for Constipation, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Chills and all liver complaints. Mr. C., of Emory Texas writes: "My wife has been using Herbine for herself and children for five years. It is a sure cure for constipation and malaria fever, which is substantiated by what it has done for my family." Sold by Dale & Stubbins and H. D. Thornton & Co.

The many friends of Ruby B. Chrisman will be pleased to learn that he has been elected cashier of the bank at Henry, Tenn., for the ensuing year to succeed J. M. Reynolds who resigned. Mr. Chrisman has been assistant cashier of the bank for a short time and his early promotion is quite a compliment to him.—Hazel News.

Get the habit—Read the Ledger. Stop Gambling. If you suffer from Rheumatism or pains, or Ballard's Snow Liniment will bring quick relief. It is a sure cure for Sprains, Rheumatism, Contracted Muscles and all pains—and without the reach of a nail. Price 50c, 75c, \$1.00. C. R. Smith, Paducah, Tex. writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for years and have found it a fine remedy for all pains and aches. I recommend it for pains in the chest." Sold by Dale & Stubbins and H. D. Thornton & Co.

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Because it's clean.
Because it's economical.
Because it saves time.
Because it gives best cooking results.
Because its flame can be regulated instantly.
Because it will not overheat your kitchen.
Because it is better than the coal or wood stove.
Because it is the *perfect* oil stove.

For other reasons see stove at your dealer's, or write our nearest agency.


Made in three sizes and fully warranted.

The **Rayo Lamp** cannot be equaled for its bright and steady light, simple construction and absolute safety. Equipped with latest improved burner. Made of brass throughout and beautifully nickel-plated. An ornament to any room, whether library, dining-room, parlor or bedroom. Every lamp warranted. Write to our nearest agency if not at your dealer's.

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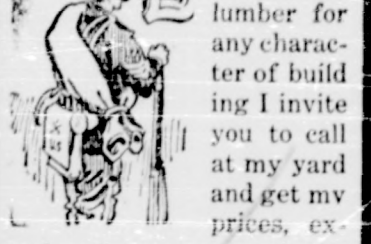
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NOT WISE TO TAKE CHANCES

Man Who Knows by Sad Experience Warns Others Against the Talking Machine.

"Take it from me," said a commercial traveler who had just returned from a long trip, "if you have the talking machine habit at your house and you send records to your wife, with loving messages, have a dress rehearsal every time before you address the package. I sent a record from Chicago, and when it came my wife called in the family, the children and my mother-in-law to 'hear papa talk.' Things must have got mixed in the shipping department at Chicago, because it wasn't papa's voice at all, and what the machine did say was probably arranged to be heard anywhere except in a family circle. My wife stopped it in time, but her mother—well, as I said, be sure and avoid trouble and insist on the dress rehearsal."

BEST AGE FOR MARRIAGE.

A German doctor lays it down as a well established fact based on close observation that women who do not marry until 35 or thereafter invariably achieve matrimonial success.

Why women of this particular age should make more successful marriages than those who fall victims to love's young dream is fairly obvious. When a woman marries between 30 and 40 she either does so for companionship, choosing her mate accordingly, or from need, in which case she also chooses with a certain amount of care. She has no wild dreams of unalloyed bliss.

TAKING A FACE BATH.

Water will do wonders for one if people but realized it. As a complexion maker, for instance, it is a great beautifier used both internally and externally. An excellent tonic effect may be had by taking a face bath at least once a day in cold water. Fill a basin with the water, placing it on a stand or chair where it can be conveniently reached without too much stooping. Drawing a long breath, dip the face in and out of the cold water for about two or three minutes. When it is necessary to breathe the mouth can be lifted from the water, but immediately take another deep breath.

VIOLET INK THE CHEAPEST.

"Look here, you, a literary man can't afford the extravagance of violet ink."

The literary man tore thoughtfully a pendant piece of leather from the sole of his shoe.

"I know," he admitted, "that violet ink costs three as much as black. But black ink corrodes a pen in a week, whereas violet is non-corrosive and with its use it is possible to make one pen last six or seven months. The late Russell Sage, who used violet ink exclusively in his office, revealed this great truth to me during my brief clerical career in his office."

CAUSE FOR SUPERSTITION.



"I think it's all rot about 13 being an unlucky number, don't you?" "Well, I don't. I've never yet run up again 12 juriesmen and one judge without avin' rotten bad luck."

NEW FRENCH COINAGE ILLEGAL.

The French government finds itself—or is it authoritatively declared to be—in the position of, if not exactly a "smasher," at any rate an issuer of bad money. It has just minted a 25-centime piece in nickel, and it seems that the law provides that only multiples of ten are permissible. Twenty-centime pieces would be all right. Twenty-five-centime pieces are illegal. A committee specially appointed by the government has formulated this conclusion, and, technically, it is unquestionably correct. The government is now asked what it proposes to do in the matter. —Harper's Weekly.

CHECKED RAID ON ORANGES

Juvenile New Yorker Saved Possessions of Unfortunate Vendor of Fruit.

A peach on which three pyramids of oranges had been carefully arranged by a swarthy vender was standing near the curb of an uptown street the other day. It was on the sunny side of the street, and the three signs, "2 cents—8 for 15 cents," "3 cents—12 for 35 cents" and "4 cents—7 for 25 cents," were already attracting attention, when two fighting dogs and a man of peace got mixed up under the wheels. The cart went down, and the orange pyramids became bright moving spots on the asphalt. The small boy was present, and helped himself, regardless of price, and scampers—possibly to be on time for the noon meal. One urchin was stopped by a little, well-dressed seven-year-old who had seen the accident. He broke away from his father, with whom he was walking, seized hold of the boy and said: "Say, that isn't yours—it's the poor man's. Put it down." A crowd witnessed the act and showed its approval. Not another orange went astray. The father smiled with pride as he led his little son away, but he had gone only a few steps when a boy shouted after him: "Hey, there! Why don't you buy de kid a' orange?" And he did. —N. Y. Tribune.

THE ONE GREAT PASSION.

Every man has his great passion and one only. It is that of his boyhood. In his mature years he may suffer a score of times the pangs of unrequited love, but the heart strings are stretched and the pain is less intense. Years have brought him wisdom. Experience gives him comfort. Even in the greatest depths of suffering he knows that time will lay its healing hand upon him and that some day he will look back with wonder on his delirium and even offer up thanks to his gods. With the untutored boy it is different. He suffers as children suffer to whom has not come the consolation of philosophy. He loves. He loves violently. He builds high castles in the air; his fancy ranges wider, for behind him lies no trail of unfulfilled dreams. He is a savage, wounded unto death, lost in the desert, not knowing that he is to come again to friends and life and forget his dolorous wanderings.—Scribner's.

AN UNFORTUNATE LOAN.

"I lend my dress suit?" Not on your life!" replied Chief Clerk Moale of the transportation department in the Southern Pacific. "And get it in the neck the way Corrigan did, eh?"

"What happened to Corrigan?" "Well, two years ago a fellow whom he knew slightly borrowed Corrigan's dress suit to go to a dance. Next thing Corrigan heard was that the fellow had dropped dead of heart disease. Corrigan went to the funeral to do the right thing. When he peered into the casket he noticed the deceased had on his dress suit. The undertaker had picked it out because it was the only dark suit in the fellow's wardrobe. Corrigan wept real tears when he saw them lowering the coffin into the grave. That was his first and last dress suit. He vowed he'd never get another." —San Francisco Chronicle.

HANDEL'S HYMN.

Sir Frederick Bridge tells a good story at the expense of the committee which drew up the new Wesleyan hymn book, the tunes for which he edited. Sir Frederick says it was an "artful committee." They submitted to him a tune which they declared was by Handel. It was so bad, however, that he sent it back, with the intimation that if it were included in the book, every time it was rendered Handel would turn in his grave. The committee submitted it again, this time with the promise that if only he would include it it should be marked to be sung "pianissimo," so as not to disturb Handel.—London Globe.

SERVICE HE NEEDED.

Photographer—Pardon me, sir, but is that as pleasing an expression as you can assume?

Sitter—Yes, sir; I'm doing the best I can to look pleasant.

LEVIED TRIBUTE ON NATIVES

Enterprising Soldier in Fair Way to Get Rich When His Gamie Was Spoiled.

The native soldiers are a difficult problem to deal with in our colonies, for as soon as the white man's back is turned the native soldier, if he can possibly get a chance, uses the show of authority that his uniform and arms give him to plunder and ill-treat the defenseless natives. While I was at Lokoja there was a case of a Yoruba soldier who deserted from the garrison, taking with him a copy of the King's Regulations. With this he went about all over the country, "squeezing" the chiefs for cattle and sheep and anything that he had a fancy for, on the strength of it; and it was a long time before his depredations were discovered and he himself caught.—Wide World Magazine.

THE OTHER SIDE.



"Why do you wear only one spur, Mink?" "Sure, wan's enough, sir! If ye keep one side o' the horse gait, the other must keep up with it."

STRANGE SELF-MUTILATION.

A remarkable story comes from Nenagh, county Tipperary, Ireland. A laborer named Kearney reported to the police that his wife had chopped off four of her fingers with a bill hook. He stated that his wife disappeared a short time ago, and after four days' absence returned home looking like a skeleton, having apparently been wandering through the country without food. After sleeping restlessly that night she rose and went to the kitchen, and when he followed he discovered her in the act of chopping off her fingers. The woman is now in the workhouse infirmary.

BEAUTIFUL CANARY ISLANDS.

Americans are noticeably lacking in the Canaries. The islands are off the route of travel between Europe and the United States, and are almost entirely neglected by traveling Americans, the visitors being mostly British, with a sprinkling of Germans. The climate is very pleasant, but these islands are by no means as attractive as the Hawaiian islands. The latter are far more tropical and more beautiful in vegetation. But, for all that, the Canary islands are exceedingly interesting and pleasing, and I should like to return and enjoy more of them.—San Francisco Chronicle.

SAVED HER BABY BROTHER.

Genevieve Cosgrove, eight years of age, of Middletown, N. Y., waded in a pond to her neck and saved her brother Edward, four years of age, from drowning the other afternoon. The Cosgrove children, with several others of their own age, were playing about a pond near their home when the little boy sank in about four feet of water. The other children ran away screaming for help, but little Genevieve waded in and when her brother came to the surface grasped him by the hair and pulled him out.

REMARKABLE EYE ACTION.

Mrs. Humphry Ward, at a ladies' luncheon in New York, said of the literary style of a popular novelist: "It is an insane style. It makes me think of the schoolgirl novelist who wrote: 'He sprang ardently forward, but a look of soft entreaty from one of Pearl's eyes, and a glance of warning darted from the other, forced her regretfully back into his chair.'"

THE USUAL WAY.

"How do you expect to spend your vacation this year?" "Judging from the number of people my wife has invited to visit us at our cottage, by sleeping on the floor as usual." —Detroit Free Press.

S.S.S. CURES MALARIA

Malaria is due to impurities and poisons in the blood. Instead of being rich, strong and healthy, the circulation has become infected with germs of disease which destroy the rich, red corpuscles that furnish nourishment and strength to the body, and reduced this vital fluid to such a weak, watery condition that it is no longer able to keep the system in health, or ward off the countless diseases and disorders that assail it. The loss of these red corpuscles takes the color and glow of health from the cheek, and we see pale, sallow faces and washed out, chalky complexions among the first symptoms of Malaria. But Malaria is a general, systemic disease, and as the blood becomes more heavily loaded with its germs we have more serious and complicated symptoms; the impure blood having its effect on all parts of the body. The appetite fails, digestion is weakened, chills and slight fever are frequent, and the sufferer loses energy and ambition because of a constant tired-out and "no account" feeling. The lack of necessary nourishment and healthful qualities in the blood causes boils and abscesses, skin affections, and in some cases sores and ulcers to break out, and sometimes the patient is prostrated with a spell of malarial fever which may leave his health permanently impaired. To cure Malaria both a blood purifier and tonic are necessary, in order to remove the cause and at the same time build up the system from its weakened and run-down condition. S. S. S. is the medicine best fitted for this work. It is the most perfect of all blood purifiers, and the purely vegetable ingredients of which it is composed make it the greatest and safest of all tonics.

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The Murray Ledger

O. J. JENNINGS, Editor and Owner.

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LAW AND ORDER LEAGUES.

The following extract was taken from the Madisonville Journal:

"The editor of the Hopkinsville Independent, a paper which advocates and favors the organization of farmers for their mutual protection, is out in a cold in his issue of April 15, stating how he has been ostracized, boycotted and intimidated by the so-called Law and Order League of Hopkinsville, because of his opinions.

"While it is not the intention of the Journal to take up Mr. Casey's fight, for we believe he is amply able to take care of himself in that night-rider community, we just want to lend our aid in correcting a false impression that has gone out from almost every community in regard to who the actual oppressors of individual liberty, free speech and a free press are, and who the actual law-breakers are who have, within the last few years, made Kentucky so notorious.

"Every intelligent person in the state of Kentucky, and almost in the whole American country have heard of the tobacco trust, and the tobacco growing communities know of its baneful effects by actual experience. And it comes down through our representatives and created officials from Washington that, however honorable and enterprising this trust may pretend to appear to be, that it is simply, to use a plain expression, a band of thieves organized to rob the tobacco grower of the reasonable profits of their sweat and toil. Before this trust materialized tobacco went at reasonable, living prices. There were many buyers in the field, and they were in no way connected one with the other, and they vied one with another as to who could give the best price for certain grades of tobacco and still make a reasonable profit on his purchase. Times then were

reasonably good in the tobacco growing districts. But after the organization of the trust prices for the leaf gradually declined, and it was not long until there was but one set of buyers—those of the trust—and then the prices continued to decline until they reached the level of robbery.

It is true there were a few so-called independent buyers, but these were backed by the trust, and had to depend upon the trust for their only market. Consequently the "independent buyer" existed only in name. The trust set the price he should pay the planter and also the price which he could expect to get for his purchase.

The planters saw the price of the product gradually declining, year after year, and still they tried to live. It grew to be a common sight to see women from their household duties and children from their schools, barefoot and otherwise half-dressed, struggling in the fields, trying to keep the wolf of want from their homes, but still the price went down.

"It finally occurred to the farmers that they could organize as well as the buyers, pool their tobacco, and hold the price up. This has been effectually done, but in the meantime the trust has not been idle. In every community they have their minions and their tools to do their bidding at so much per. Some of them would refuse to join the farmers' association, and the trust would put them on the back and pay them higher prices for an inferior grade of tobacco than they would pay for good association tobacco. But the association planters went along serenely, letting the non-association planters reap the profits off their crops, which the association farmers had gained for them. But the trust did not tire in their opposition to the planters' association, and finally plant beds began to be scraped and otherwise destroyed. In many instances it is known that these beds were already failures, or that the person who suffered the pretended loss had a bountiful supply of plants left in other good beds to set a large crop. Thus it was inferred that these persons destroyed their own only tobacco beds

and left the good ones, at the instance of the trust, just to cast a reflection of out-lawry upon the planters' association.

"After awhile so-called independent barns began to catch fire mysteriously and burn. But it has since been learned that the trust had refused to back these 'independents' further, and that the insurance companies had threatened to cancel their insurance. That these useless barns burned before the insurance expired was never mentioned in the newspaper special sent out, but the reflection of incendiaryism was cast upon the planters' association. Still farther on in the troubles, bands of armed and masked men would enter towns and communities, and commit depredations which cannot be excused under any pretext except that of revolution, and the farmers' association has been accused of this. While it may be that some individuals who are members of the planters' association, might have been engaged in this out-lawry, it is a fact that the associations have time after time denounced violence and night-riding. And the majority of those who are known to be night riders, are not members of the association, and many of them are not even farmers.

"The last resort of the trust is the organization, all over the state, known as the Law and Order League. This is being organized in many cities and towns and it is a notorious fact that the instigators of this order are beneficiaries and minions of the tobacco trust."

South Pleasant Grove.

No sickness to report. Plowing is the order of the day. Lee Myers has 8 acres of tobacco set.

John Radford and family, of Coldwater visited John Smotherman last week.

Wheat is looking fine in this section, but little sown. Clayton Paschall has returned from school.

Boys from this section attending school at Centerville, Tenn., report smallpox in that town and many of them are coming home.

This vicinity was visited by a severe storm on last Monday

afternoon which blew many trees and fences down, no other damages.

A large crowd is expected at Pleasant Grove Sunday it being children's day.

J. J. Moore and family of Murray, were here Sunday.

J. Clay Erwin, of Murray, was shaking hands with old friends at this place Sunday.

We are glad that Murray has a man in it like the Editor of the Ledger, who is not afraid to express his opinion on a subject until he knows what the majority think about it. The Ledger is the only newspaper ever printed in the county that had an idea wholly its own and not afraid to express it. We say, hurrah for the Ledger. BILLY DARWIN.

Relief from Rheumatic Pains.

Among the troubles that beset mankind rheumatism is one of the most aggravating. "I suffered with it for over two years," says Mr. Rolland Curry, a patrolman, of Key West, Fla. "Sometimes it settled in my knees and lamed me so I could hardly walk, at other times it would be in my feet and hands so I was incapacitated for duty. One night when I was in severe pain and lame from it my wife went to the drug store here and came back with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I was rubbed with it and found the pain had nearly gone during the night. I kept on using it for a little more than two weeks and found that it drove the rheumatism away. I have not had any trouble from that disease for over three months." For sale by Dale & Stubblefield.

Mrs. W. H. Hunt died last Friday morning at her home in Alto after a short illness. She was one of the most widely known ladies of the county and was about 63 years of age. The funeral services were conducted from the home Saturday afternoon and the burial took place immediately afterwards in the Alto cemetery. Mrs. Hunt is survived by a husband and six children, all of whom were present at the funeral. The children are Mrs. K. Robertson, of Murray; Mrs. Alexander, of Murray; Mrs. Current, of Clarksville, Tenn.; Walter and Oscar Hunt, of Clarksville, and Earnest Hunt, of Nashville.

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PROTESTED.

Trigg County Officials Indignant Over Action of State Troops.

Cadiz, Ky., May 8.—A detachment of fifteen soldiers entered the northern part of Trigg county Thursday night and arrested Harvey Sanders, Buck Sanders, Hooker Sanders and Tom Reddick, all of them charged with night riding, in warrants sworn out at Eddyville by Sanford Hall, Robert Stephens and Fred Merrick were arrested on the same charge today by Clarence Broadbent, sheriff of Trigg county.

Much indignation was expressed here today over the action of the soldiers in entering the county and making arrests, and John W. Kelly, the county attorney, and Sheriff Broadbent are especially indignant. Gen. Roger Williams was called up over the long distance telephone at Hopkinsville and Mr. Kelly told him the circumstances. Mr. Kelly said the soldiers had no authority to enter Trigg county and make arrests and that he would tell the citizens of Trigg county to "shoot them down like dogs" if the occurrence was repeated.

Mr. Kelly said that Gen. Williams agreed with him and was unable to understand why the warrants had not been issued in the regular way. The general said he would come to Trigg county tomorrow to look into the situation.

Sheriff Broadbent learned of the issuance of the six warrants Thursday night from Sheriff

Cash, of Lyon county. Mr. Cash called up over the phone and asked Mr. Broadbent to serve the warrants and when the sheriff went to the northern end of the county this morning he found that the soldiers had been before him and taken four of the men. He arrested the other two and turned them over to the Lyon county authorities. Mr. Broadbent said he was informed by Mr. Cash that Judge Crumbaugh had given the warrants to the soldiers to serve.

Brandons Mill.

ED. LEDGER:

Please accept my thanks for the articles in your paper in favor of the laboring class, and especially the clause that denounces day robbing and night riding. I am able to realize that the latter has been rampant in Calloway and deserves attention, but will day robbing get what it deserves?

Allow me to congratulate you in making known to the public that you are in favor of labor, and especially your firm and determined stand for the tobacco association, which means plenty and prosperity to the working class. Again I will say hurrah for Jennings. We need more men like Jennings in Calloway. "Law grinds the poor and rich men rule the law," said Goldsmith, but he should have added that the reason why laws grind the poor is because they are made by the rich and therefore for the rich. When the poor learn to make their own laws they will not remain poor.

Again I want to thank you for your loyalty to us poor, old "Mossbacks."

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LOCAL & PERSONAL.

Mrs. Fannie Starfield, of Mayfield, is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hart, this week.

Childrens day will be observed by the Methodist church at Linn Grove next Sunday. The public is cordially invited.

V. A. Patterson, of Hymon, was in town Tuesday en route to Paducah to buy a bill of merchandise.

Miss Mary Diuguid left Wednesday morning to visit relatives in Ft. Worth, Tex., for several weeks.

Quite a delegation from this place and the county left Tuesday for Hot Springs, Ark., to attend the Southern Baptist convention in session in that city.

R. T. Wells, consul commander of Murray Camp, W. O. W., was the speaker at a Woodmen memorial held in Paducah last Sunday.

"Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. J. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Bert Barnes has returned to her home in Benton after a visit to her parents, J. C. McElrath and family. Her children will remain here some time.

Terrell Stubblefield returned last Thursday night from San Antonio, Tex., where he has been employed the past two and one half years.

Ice Free.

Robertson & Buoy will sell Ice Cream Freezer at cost plus 25 cents and the Murray Ice Co. will give 50 pounds of Ice with each Freezer bought before June 15, 1908.

The Murray base ball team and a team from Company C, state guards now located here, played at the ball park last Friday afternoon, resulting in a score of 12 to 0 for the home team.

W. A. Usher, chairman of the Graves county tobacco association, has tendered his resignation to the committee of his county. He is a candidate for county judge and resigned upon this account.

Information was received here Tuesday announcing the death of Flournoy Knight in New Mexico, near Roswell. Flournoy and his grand-mother left here about one year ago. The particulars of his death could not be learned.

Ed Gardner, who recently escaped from the chain gang in Paducah, was arrested by Roy Edwards last Sunday on the train as he was returning to Hazel from Puryear. He was brought here and placed in jail.

While at work in the Simpson marble yards Tuesday morning Irvan Forrest let a heavy stone fall on his right hand almost severing two fingers. He was assisting in loading the stone on a wagon.

Mrs. C. T. Province left Wednesday morning for Lincoln, Ark., where she was called by the death of her sister, Mrs. Jessie Lucy. The particulars of the death of this former well known Murray lady are not obtainable.

Last Sunday the children of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Dodson gave Mrs. Dodson a surprise birthday dinner. They erected a table in the yard under the shade of the trees, and from boxes and baskets loaded it with good things to eat until it fairly groaned beneath the weight. Between 50 and 60 relatives and friends were present and all seemed to enjoy themselves very much.

LAND FOR SALE.—75 acres of good land, well improved, good well and a good orchard, good stables and other out buildings. I live on new Murray and Hazel road 1 mile South of Murray.—FAIR WILSON. Aug. 1-08.

Sanford McClure and Miss Lena McCuiston were united in marriage last Sunday at the home of the bride's father, P. M. McCuiston, near Brandons Mill, Rev. J. D. Outland officiating. The contracting parties are well known young folks and have many friends to wish them a joyous voyage through life.

This county was visited by a wind storm Monday afternoon that did considerable damage to trees, fences, tin roofs, etc. The greatest damage resulted to orchards and fruit. Scores of trees were blown down, and when not blown down a great quantity of fruit was knocked from the trees.

Valued Same as Gold.

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Dale & Stubblefield's drug store, 25c.

A son of Tim Moody and a son of Levi Roberts, boys about 8 and 10 years of age, were thrown from a mule last Sunday near their home in the southwest part of the county and quite seriously hurt. The Moody boy sustained a fractured skull and his recovery is very doubtful. The Roberts boy suffered a broken jaw and was otherwise bruised up considerably.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulents is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation. 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

GROUND HOG CHILLED PLOW.



Do you like to get your moneys worth every time you trade, and treat the man you trade with good and nice, and make him feel good, and praise the article the article you buy? Now if you do you buy a Ground Hog Plow. It is the latest plow out, it has better suction, the repairs cost a good deal less than some other plows.

You will say that I have never tried one of them, and let us answer that for you, who was the first to try the Avery, the Oliver and the Vulcan plows? As time has moved on improvements have kept pace with time, and the GROUND HOG CHILLED PLOW is the very latest plow out, and has improvement above all the rest. So to see this plow is to buy it, so if you need a plow ask your merchant to get one of these Ground Hog Plows for you, that is if it is not convenient for you to come to our store after it.

A. B. BEALE & SON, Agents

for Calloway and adjoining Counties.



Spring is here

WE HAVE THE GOODS.

And our aim is to sell them, and to do this we have put a price on them that will surely move them. We have the largest and the most up to date line in the town of Murray. Everything brand new. You will get no old goods if you buy from us. We carry everything that you could wish for in Ladies, Mens and Childrens wear. As our stock is brand new you will come nearer finding what you want with us than you will at other houses and at prices less than the other folks.

10,000 Yards of the best brands of Prints to go at 5 cents per yard.
10,000 yards of Hoosier Domestic to go at 4 1-2 cents per yard.

Miss Cammie Baker

Recognized as one of the best trimmers in Western Kentucky is in charge of our millinery department. We will say to you that we will sell you Ladies and Childrens hats at half the price you have been paying. This is big talk but we have the goods to back up our talk.



Underseil

Now, for us to tell you that we will undersell our competitor is of no use, for you know our motto is to "Sell and Sell quick," and to do this we sell for less profit than the other fellow.

CLOTHING, SHOES, FURNISHINGS, ETC.

Our Clothing, Hat and Shoe Department for men, boys and Children was never better. We took great pains in selecting the nobbiest things the market afforded, and we are safe in saying that we can save you from \$1 to \$2 on every suit you buy from us. We are not doing this because we love you, it is that we figure that we can make more money for ourselves by selling goods for small profit and more of them. Now it is up to you to come in and get our prices, and you will be convinced that every word of this ad is true.

A. Q. KNIGHT & SON.

Killing At Key Landing.

Meager details reaches this paper of a killing that occurred last Sunday on Big Sandy river at Key's Landing, near the Henry and Benton county line. Will Brewer, a well known character of that section, was shot and killed by a man by the name of Evans. A brother of the dead man was also seriously cut with a knife. The cause of the trouble is not known.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest Coffee Imitation ever yet produced. This clever Coffee Substitute was recently produced by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis. Not a grain of real Coffee in it either. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee is made from pure toasted grains, with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for Coffee. No 10 or minutes tedious boiling. "Made in a minute" says the doctor. Sold by W. W. McElrath.

Get the news; get the Ledger.

Arrests In Sight.

Cadiz, Ky., May 12.—General Williams and six soldiers late yesterday afternoon arrived here with J. G. Cossey, of Golden Pond, in this county, and C. S. Colson, who live on the Lyon county line. The two men swore out warrants against 16 Trigg and Lyon county citizens charging them with having conspired to whip Cossey and Colson. In the warrants are eleven Trigg county men and five Lyon county.

Cossey's warrant names nine men and Colson's seven. The two men live about ten miles apart, and the alleged whippings took place about six weeks ago. The warrants were given to Sheriff Broadbent and he sent the Lyon county portion to Sheriff Cash. The names of the men involved will not be made public until arrests are made.

THE LEDGER \$1.00 a year.

Harris Grove.

Health is good in this vicinity at present.

The farmers are getting along slow with their work on account of so much wet weather.

Tobacco plants seems to be very plentiful and about ready for setting, also a fine crop of weeds and grass growing where the people intend to set them.

George Saunders is improving slowly after having to walk on crutches ever since last fall from the effects of rheumatism.

A horse belonging to Scutter Galloway ran away with a buggy near here one day the past week. No damage was done except tearing the buggy up very badly.

I will close by saying hurrah for the editor and the association.

SPRAT.

Dan Owings and wife visited near Smithland the past week. Her father has been quite sick.

NEW Millinery STORE.



I have just opened in rooms above the Farmers & Merchants Bank a new millinery store, and select this method of informing my friends and the public, and earnestly solicit a share of the trade.

My Stock Is All Brand New

and of the latest styles and at reasonable prices. A call will be appreciated. Come and see what I have to show you.

I Make a Specialty of Cleaning both Ladies and Gentlemen's Hats

MRS. INEZ BROWN SALE, Murray Ky.

Rheumatism

If you want to get rid of it, take Dr. Miles' Nervine modified as directed in pamphlet around bottle. In addition to the direct curative properties it has a soothing effect upon the nervous system by which the rheumatic pains are controlled, and rest and sleep assured. It has made many cures of this painful disease, some of them after years of suffering. If it will cure others why not you. If your case is complicated, write us for advice, it costs you nothing and may save you prolonged suffering.

"I was so crippled that I could scarcely walk. After having my shoes on for an hour or two I could manage to walk to the door of the house. Then I began to have pain all through my system. My doctor told me I had an acute attack of inflammatory rheumatism. I read about Dr. Miles' Nervine, bought a bottle and I commenced to get better from the start and for the past six months have scarcely any pain, and am able to walk as well as ever."

J. H. SANDERS,

P. O. Box 2, Rockaway, N. J.

Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Nervine, and we authorize him to return price of first bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Ellhart, Ind.

Independent Cumberland
Phone 32 Phone 10.

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(over Wear's drug store)

Will practice in any Court in
the State.

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Lawyers.

Murray - Ky.

Office Citizens Bank Building.

Phones—Cumberland 104, and
Independent 48.

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AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH Dr. King's

New Discovery

FOR COUGHS

AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES.

GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY

OR MONEY REFUNDED.

Chamberlain's

COLIC, CHOLERA AND

Diarrhoea Remedy

It is a reliable, pleasant and safe

remedy for bowel complaints

both in children and adults. Buy

it now; it may save life.

THE LEDGER

AND THE

Twice-a-Week Republic

Both 1 year \$1.40

Ice Free.

We have just received a CAR

LOAD of Ice Boxes and Refriger-

ators and will sell you one as

cheap as you can buy it any-

where and give you 400 pounds

of ice with each box bought be-

fore June 15, 1908.

MURRAY ICE CO.

Do You Love

your baby? You would

he cries. Buy a bottle of

Cream Vermifuge and

never cry. Most

worms, and the

know it. White-

finger rid the

clean out its

ant way. I've

keep a bottle of

the house. We

never enter her

cents. Sold by

field and H. D. B.

BITTER SPEECH.

Ed Webb Denounces the Law and
Order Leagues of Ken-
tucky and Tenn.

Clarksville, Tenn., May 10.—The Dark Tobacco Growers' Association met here. Ed Webb, of Trenton, Ky., created a sensation by his attack on Clarksville, and Gov. Willson, of Tennessee, and Gov. Willson, of Kentucky, for official acts, he claimed against the association. He was bitter in his remarks. Among other things Mr. Webb said: "You have only driven the American Tobacco Trust to the first ditch, and that combine is not going to rest. They have a new game to work in another way and are trying to get behind the law and have gone after the governors of Kentucky and Tennessee. Over in Kentucky last year we had two men up for governor, one a known friend of the farmer and the other a trust attorney, who was elected. Immediately after election Governor Willson rushed over to Louisville and organized a Law and Order League, a contemptible organization, organized for the purpose of slaughtering tobacco growers of the 'Black Patch' and that alone. The oath demanded that each member be furnished with a repeating rifle that will kill a man almost two miles. This was done to force the farmers to give up their fight. Who are the men that compose the Law and Order League? They are not farmers. The membership is confined to the cities. The Law and Order League requested troops to be sent to the tobacco section. Mr. Joel B. Fort was prevented from speaking at Hopkinsville in the interest of the association and they may stop you from meeting here after awhile. Through the influence of the American Tobacco combine twenty-eight men of Caldwell county were arrested and carried to Paducah where every man proved an alibi.

He referred in strong terms against the opposition to the association at Clarksville. He said a similar occurrence as the Holwell case in Kentucky had taken place in this county when armed men went from Clarksville in response to telephone messages, to a point about ten miles in the country and lay in wait and murdered a boy without knowing he was guilty of anything. He said: "Admitting that these boys were guilty of whipping a man. What had tobacco to do with it? Who went to Nashville to back up the men who were indicted for murder in the first degree in this case? A large number of citizens from Montgomery and Robertson counties went over and bailed them out."

He referred in caustic terms to Gov. Patterson's visit to Clarksville to make an investigation of the trouble here following the killing of young Bennett and to the Law and Order League of Clarksville, which he claims is organized to fight the tobacco association.

Association Sales.

Since our last report Salesman

Hood, of the local association

market, has sold 170 hogsheds

of tobacco at the usual good

prices. Of the total number 130

were leaf at \$10 to \$12, and 40

hogsheds lugs at \$8 to \$10. A

total of about 650 hogsheds have

been sold here up to this date.

The two warehouses have re-

ceived about 2,700 hogsheds,

leaving in storage now a few in

excess of 2,000 hogsheds. This

market will receive about 4,000

hogsheds this year, while last

year only about 2,200 were sold

here. Considering the receipts

the sales this year have been

fully up to last year's sales.

Salesman Hood is anticipating

risk business within the next

few weeks.

Recital Programme.

Following is the programme
of the recital to be given by the
music class under the direction
of Miss Lattie Cook, at the Op-
era House next Wednesday night
May 20th. Admission 15, 25, 35c.

PART I.

Selection—Violin and Cornet.

—Messrs. Beale and Walters.

Piano—Snow Song—(Lohen-

grin)—Miss Bettie Thornton.

Piano, duet—Misses Margaret

Stum and Elizabeth Higgins.

Songs of Yesterday—Mrs. Gray

Swann.

Piano, duet—Restful Moments

—Miss Opal Wallace and Miss

Cook.

Piano—Anne Laurie—Miss

Louise Graham.

Piano—March Mignonne—Miss

Gladys Owen.

Piano, duet—When Love is

Young—Misses Maude Cook and

Bettie Thornton.

PART II.

Piano, duet—La Reveil d'Au-

mour—Misses Ethel Thornton and

Gladys Owen.

Piano—By Moonlight—Miss

Louise Williams.

Piano—The Happy Wanderer.

—Miss Mary Conner.

Trio—Dancing Butterflies—

Misses Gladys Owen, Ethel

Thornton, Miss Cook.

Selection—Violin and Cornet.

—Messrs. Beale and Walters.

Piano, duet—Autumn Days—

Miss Cook, Miss Rebecca Pace.

Piano—Old Black Joe—Miss

Ethel Thornton.

Verdict is Large One.

Paducah, Ky., May 14.—Rab-

bis Hollowell, who sued 28 alleged

night riders of Caldwell county

for \$50,000 personal damages,

was given a verdict for \$25,000

yesterday morning in the Feder-

al court. The jury was out only

15 minutes.

The attorneys for the defense

announced an appeal and the

court allowed them 30 days in

which to file a bill of exception

to the finding of the jury.

AN UNFORTUNATE LOAN.

"Lend my dress suit?" Not on

your life!" replied Chief Clerk

Moore of the transportation depart-

ment of the Southern Pacific. "And

get it in the neck the way Corrigan

did, eh?"

"What happened to Corrigan?"

"Well, two years ago a fellow

whom he knew slightly borrowed

Corrigan's dress suit to go to a dance.

Next thing Corrigan heard was that

the fellow had dropped dead of heart

disease. Corrigan went to the fu-

neral to do the right thing. When

he peeked into the casket he noticed

the deceased had on his dress suit.

The undertaker had picked it out

because it was the only dark suit in

the fellow's wardrobe. Corrigan

kept real tears when he saw them

lowering the coffin into the grave.

That was his first and last dress suit.

He would he'd never get another."

San Francisco Chronicle.

HANDEL'S HYMN.

Sir Frederick Bridge tells a good

story at the expense of the commit-

tee which drew up the new Wesleyan

hymn book, the tunes for which he

edited. Sir Frederick says it was an

"artful committee." They submitted

to him a tune which they de-

clared was by Handel. It was a

bad, however, that he sent it back

with the intimation that if it were

included in the book, every time it

was rendered Handel would turn in

his grave. The committee submit-

ted it again, this time with the prom-

ise that if only he would include it

it should be marked to be sung

"pianissimo," so as not to disturb

Handel.—London Globe.

SERVICE HE NEEDED.

Photographer—Pardon me, sir

but is that as pleasing an expres-

sion as you can assume?

Sitter—Yes, sir; I'm doing the

best I can to look pleasant.

Photographer—There is an excel-

lent facial specialist two doors down

the corridor to the right. May I sug-

gest that you drop in there for a few

minutes and have him block out a

smile for you?

Stanley Was a Waif.

It is not generally known that
Stanley, the famous explorer,
was a waif, and that his original
name was not Stanley at all, says
the June Delinquent. The little
boy's "real name," was John
Rowlands. He was born near
Denbigh, Wales, in 1840. When
he was three years old he was
put in a poorhouse at St. Asaph.

It was ten years later that he
sailed away to America as a
cabin-boy. In New Orleans a
merchant by the name of Henry
Morton Stanley adopted him and
the little boy was given his name.
The "John Rowlands" was dis-
carded from that day, and it was
Henry M. Stanley, Jr., who served
in the United States navy,
won fame as a war correspond-
ent in Turkey and with the
British Army in Abyssinia, and
as the crowning achievement of
his life, after he had penetrated
the darkest wilds of Africa and
found Dr. David Livingstone,
opened up the Congo region for
intercourse and commerce with
the world.

It Reached The Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a
large general store at Omega,
O., and is president of the Adams
County Telephone Co., as well
as of the Home Telephone Co.,
of Pike County, O., says of Dr.
King's New Discovery: "It

saved my life once. At least I
think it did. It seemed to reach
the spot—the very seat of my
cough—when everything else
failed." Dr. King's New Dis-

covery not only reaches the
cough spot; it heals the sore
spots and the weak spots in
throat, lungs and chest. Sold
under guarantee at Dale & Stub-

field's drug store. 50c and \$1.00.
Trial bottle free.

The Tobacco Trust's Hope.

The only way for the farmers

to successfully combat the tobacco

trust is for them to get togeth-

er in one organization. As long

as there are two organizations

the trust will play one against

the other. There is no use in

saying that the trust can't and

won't; for it will. It has done

so heretofore, and it will do it

again. The one which pools the

smallest amount of tobacco will

be paid the highest price in order

to make those in the larger pool

dissatisfied with their organiza-

tion. So long as there are two or

more factions of growers the

trust has hopes of destroying the

tobacco organizations, and any

man with only common reason-

ing faculties is bound to admit

that it is only through dissensions

among the growers that the trust

has any show to win in the fight.

—Owensboro Inquirer.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Di-

arrhoea Remedy.

There is probably no medicine

made that is relied upon with

more implicit confidence than

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera

and Diarrhoea Remedy. During

the third of a century in which

it has been in use, people have

learned that it is the one remedy

that never fails. When reduced

with water and sweetened it is

pleasant to take. For sale by

Dale & Stubblefield.

Under the terms of a bill in-

troduced by representative Sims

the Secretary of the Treasury is

directed to refund to the State

of Tennessee nearly \$8,000,000,

that being the amount of money

collected from citizens of the

State for taxes on cotton in 1863

—GS inclusive.

The World's Best Climate

is not entirely free from disease,

on the high elevations fevers

prevail, while on the lower levels

malaria is encountered to a

greater or less extent, according

to altitude. To overcome cli-

matic affections, lassitude, mala-

ria, jaundice, biliousness, fever

and ague, and general debility,

the most effective remedy is

Electric Bitters, the great alter-

ative and blood purifier; the an-

tidote for every form of bodily

weakness, nervousness, and in-

sonnia. Sold under guarantee at

Dale & Stubblefield's drug store.

Price 80c.

F. F. Cree attended court in

Eddy this week.

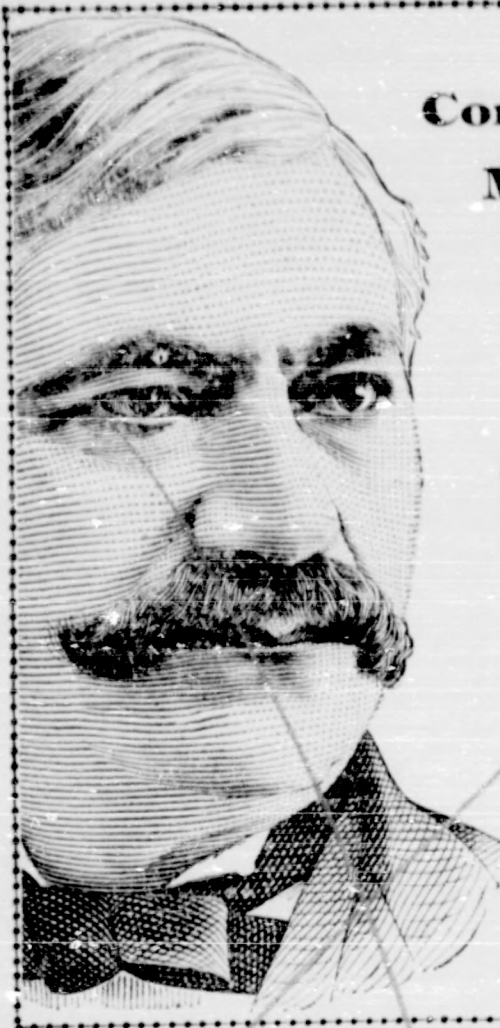
Tobacco Association PRIZER.

I will work association tobacco in Murray in the building
known as the old pants factory, south of the R. Downs brick
factory, near depot. I have no other business and will give
my whole personal attention to the classing, grading and sell-
ing of your tobacco. I assure you that I will get you the
highest price for all tobacco intrusted to my care, and as
quick sales as any one. Call and see me when in town.
Yours to command.

B. C. VEALE.

Store your tobacco where you wish, that does not
concern me. I am not running a warehouse and only
ask for a share of the prizing business.

HAD CATARRH THIRTY YEARS.



**Congressman
Meekison
Gives
Praise
To
Pe-ru-na
For
His
Relief
From
Catarrh.**

CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON COMMENDS PE-RU-NA.

"I have used several bottles of Pe-ru-na and I feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head. I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be fully able to eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing."—David Meekison.

OTHER REMARKABLE CURES.

Mr. Jacob L. Davis, Galena, Stone county, Mo., writes: "I have been in bad health for thirty-seven years, and after taking twelve bottles of your Pe-ru-na I am cured." Mr. A. E. Kidd, well-known architect, 547 Jefferson Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "I have had catarrh over half of my life. I tried nearly every catarrh remedy advertised, beside a great many physicians' treatments, all of which failed. I had heard and read of Pe-ru-na and decided to try it. I have taken seven bottles of it and weigh 175 pounds."

A SINCERE RECOMMENDATION.

Mr. D. C. Prosser, R. F. D. No. 2, Shelby, Okla., writes: "Two years ago I was badly afflicted with catarrh of the stomach. I had had a run of typhoid fever, was very depleted. I could find nothing I could eat without causing distress and sour stomach. Finally I came to the conclusion that I had catarrh of the stomach and seeing Pe-ru-na advertised, began to take it. It helped me soon and after taking three or four bottles I was entirely cured of stomach trouble and can now eat anything."

Thompson School House.

Health for y good.
The land is the or-
ginal. When the weather
will. **CLIMAS**

We are having a Sunday
school at Mt. Carmel every Sun-
day morning at 9 o'clock.

A good many of our young
folks attended the foot washing
at Old Soldier creek last Sunday.

The young people had a nice
candy breaking at Louis Byerly's
last Saturday night.

With the boys would be a little
more careful how they shoot their
"pops" around here of a night.

Sounds like the soldiers might
be around, and we know that we
don't need them down this way.

The people met at the Wyatt
grave yard last Saturday for the
purpose of cleaning it off. There
was between 75 and 100 present.

Vester Turner was there with
his picture outfit to make a view
of the grave yard.

There was a wedding in our
section last Sunday. Albert Fin-
ney and Miss Gore, of Magness.
We wish them a long and happy
life.

Van Carson's baby has been
quite ill the past few days.

Miles Beach and wife, of the
Kirksey vicinity, were visiting
Kiley Norsworthy last Sunday.

Will close with my best wishes
to O. J. Jennings and his good
old Ledger, and the tobacco as-
sociation. RATTLEHEAD.

With most of the appropri-
ation bills out of the way it is es-
timated that congress will be
able to complete its work and ad-
journ by May 25th, though the
session will probably last a week
longer. Only two appropriation
bills remain to be passed by the
house and the senate has dispo-
sed of all but four.



YOU know better than anybody else
what will satisfy you in shoes. We
know that somewhere among our Selz
Royal Blue shoes you'll find what you want.

If you'll pay \$3.50, \$4 or \$5 for shoes,
you'll get what you want; we can give
you the strongest kind of a guarantee of
satisfaction.

Selz Royal Blue shoe is the best shoe in
the market today for fit, style and wear.

CHUNN & HICKS, MURRAY, KY.

Discusses Primary Election.

Murray, Ky. R. F. D. 7.

Ed. LEDGER:—
I noticed in a recent issue of
the Louisville Courier-Journal
that the primary election for
Calloway county would not be
held this fall on account of pres-
ent conditions in the county. I
do not know who sent the infor-
mation to the Louisville papers,
nor who has the authority to
speak for the county committee
and endeavor to dictate its action
before it is called together. In
the first place I want to say I am
not in sympathy with night rid-
ing and am in hope that those
who are guilty of such conduct
will be prosecuted, but I am not
in favor of consolidating the as-
sociation, night riding and poli-
tics. They are three distinct ele-
ments and should not be blended
together as some would have
them.

It has been a custom in this
county for the past several years
to hold the primary on the date
of the regular November elec-
tion, and it a pleasure to our old,
gray haired fathers to go to the
polls on the first Tuesday in No-
vember and make choice between
the boys.

If our neighbor counties, Mar-
shall and Graves, can hold their
primaries regardless of condi-
tions why is it not possible for
Calloway to do likewise when she
has soldiers to guard her? My
opinion is that we are in better
condition to contest the matter
than ever before.

I do not believe that this is a
monarchy we are living under
where a few can run our affairs,
or in other words where a politi-
cal machine can take our county
committee by the nose and lead
her to a defeat of the wishes of
the democratic party.

To be plain in the matter we
are in favor of every tub setting
on its own bottom, and if any
one has made a mistake let him
reap the fruits of his misdeeds,
and not bring our party to de-
feat in an endeavor to perpetuate
himself in office. We want the
primary at the time of the regu-
lar November election, and let
every man shape his business to
meet it, and if he is getting a
better thing let him go and let
some one else have a bite of pie.

I am a democrat and have been
voting the ticket for more than
fifty years, and am not in favor
of party cliques and shall do my
utmost to vote them down from
this time on, and the man who
dictates such movements should
be remembered when he asks
for office. I would like to see
other express themselves along
this line. Your truly,
A DEMOCRAT.

To The Farmers, Merchants and Produce Dealers.

It has been circulated through
some unreliable source that we
are in a trust, or belong to a
trust, and we positively deny the
charge. Any one who says that
any corporation or trust has any-
thing whatever to do with our
business, or furnishes, or is fur-
nishing any capital, or combining
with us in any way to control
prices on produce in any way,
tells a malicious lie to hurt our
business and reputation, or to
further their own interests, or to
make us withdraw from buying
produce at Murray, Ky.

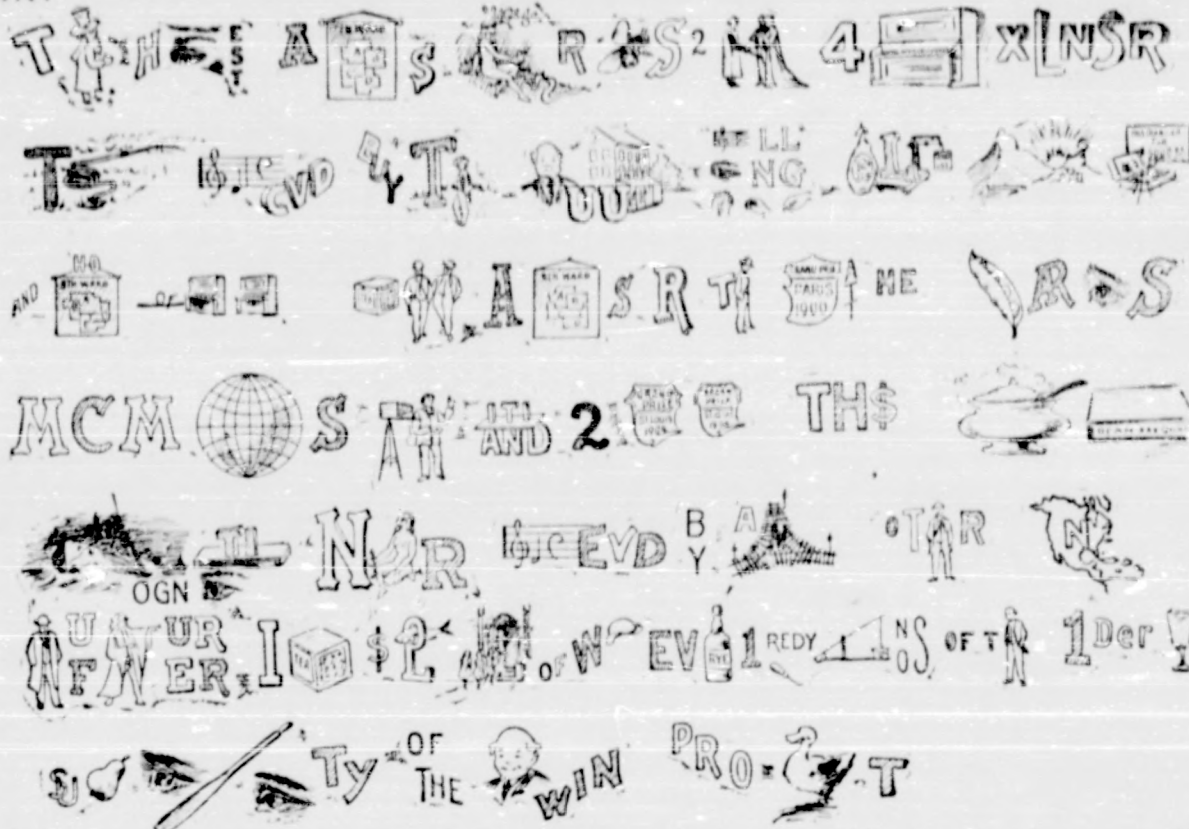
Furthermore, that the under-
signed, P. E. Woolfolk and Ed.
Bowers are not connected with
any corporation or corporations,
or so-called trusts, in any way,
but run our business as any other
individuals, and attend strictly to
our own business, and solicit your
business in our humble way.

Thanking the public for the
liberal share of business we have
received since in your midst, we
are yours very truly,

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For Solving The Above Puzzle

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520 BROADWAY, PADUCAH, KY.

Will give away absolutely FREE

One \$375 Hamilton Piano.

In addition to the above most valuable and highly desirable First Prize will be
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Piano, or Piano Player, of the Baldwin make in our warehouses.

What The Contest Is.

This is a contest based on the correct solution of the Rebus Puzzle shown here-
with. All information asked for must be given in full and the information attached
to the solution of the puzzle.

The envelopes containing the solution of the Rebus as submitted by the con-
testants will be opened for record a short time previous to the date on which the awards
are to be made. The answers will then be examined in the presence of three impar-
tial judges, gentlemen of the highest integrity, and who are in no way connected
with the music industry, whose decision will be final and irrevocable.

To the person living within the assigned territory submitting the correct or near-
est correct solution, will be presented absolutely free of charge the beautiful \$375.00
Upright Hamilton piano.

To other contestants in their order of merit will be presented credit coupons as
follows: 15 coupons at \$75.00 each; 20 coupons at \$50.00 each; 25 coupons at \$65.00
each; 30 coupons at \$80.00 each; 40 coupons at \$55.00 each; 50 coupons at \$50.00 each.
These coupons will be accepted by us as that much credit on any new piano or piano
player, of the Baldwin make, at its regular selling price. Should there be more than
one correct answer, or should two or more tie in being correct or nearest correct in
their solutions, awards will then be made upon penmanship, general neatness and
completeness of contestants papers.

If You Are Successful

in getting one of these credit coupons and already have a piano, the coupon may be
disposed of, providing such transfer is properly endorsed by the Publicity Depart-
ment representative at our store.

Only one coupon can be applied upon the purchase of any piano or piano player.
Neither the piano nor any other prize will be awarded to anyone employed by or con-
nected in any way with the sale of musical instruments.

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Read these Instructions Carefully.

Write out the solution of the above Rebus, give your full name and address, and
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might want a piano or piano player, mail or deliver your solution to

W. T. MILLER & BRO. Rebus Department

Contest closes on May 23rd, 1908 at 12 a. m. noon. All solutions must be received by that day. Don't fail to participate. It is a golden opportunity.

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