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J. W. Richardson—Franklin.
W. B. Brown—Fairview.
J. M. Renshaw—Eva.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1887.

Home and Society.

James T. Grant has returned to Kansas City. Campbell Grant has returned to Owensboro. Jack Peters, Fairview, was in the city Tuesday.
Joe Smith, Cerulean, was in the city Tuesday.
Hon. John Polak has returned from Louisville.
Miss Mary Kelly is visiting Mrs. Judge J. J. Lauder.
Frankie Sells, Newstead, spent Wednesday in the city.
Wm. Donnan, Louisville, spent Monday in the city.
Winston Henry, Casky, was in the city Monday.
J. H. Wakefield, Trenton, was in the city Tuesday.
Mack Hill, Boaring Springs, was in the city Tuesday.
Miss Lena Lay spent Wednesday in the city shopping.
Miss Lulu Baker, Bellevue, spent Tuesday in the city.
John Davidson, Lafayette, was in the city Wednesday.
Miss Beatrice Walker was in the city shopping Wednesday.
Miss Katie Thomas, Paducah, is visiting Miss Lulu Wood.
St. John left Monday for New York to lay his fall stock.

Miss Mary Lay, Casky, was in the city shopping Tuesday.
Mrs. John W. Payne is visiting relatives in Jackson, Tenn.
Judge J. H. Bowden, of Frankfort, spent Sunday in the city.
Mrs. Lon Hardy, Caldecott, spent Wednesday in the city.
Miss Bertha Willis, Louisville, is visiting Miss Johnnie Beard.
Hugh Cronshaw, Boaring Springs, was in the city Wednesday.
Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Blakey are home from a visit to Auburn.
Hon. Larkin T. Brasher, Crofton, was in the city Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Peyton, Pembroke, was in the city Tuesday.
Hon. Smith and wife, Montgomery, spent Wednesday in the city.
Miss Bertha Fowler, of Paducah, is visiting Mrs. C. F. Jarrett.
Miss Minnie Sells, Boaring Springs, was in the city Wednesday.
Miss Mollie Perry has returned from a visit to friends in Fairview.
Jas. Radford and wife, Longview, were in the city shopping Wednesday.
Miss Letitia Hill, of the Bethel Church neighborhood is in the city this week.

Mrs. Dr. M. and Miss Mollie Fairlight have returned from Danville.
Misses Emma and Lizzie Camp, Allenville, are visiting friends in the city.
Misses Morris and Fagan, Pembroke, were in the city Wednesday shopping.
Mrs. James Anderson, Hartford, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Walker.
Mrs. Est Wright is at Madisonville spending a few days with her friend, Miss Ella Pratt.
Mrs. Smith Grady, of Tennessee, is in the city on a visit to her father, F. W. Wagoner.
P. C. Richardson and wife have gone to Mont Eagle Springs, Tenn., to spend the heated term.
Miss Mattie Dennis, Kingsford Tenn., passed through the city Thursday en route to Cerulean Springs.
Mrs. Bobbie Brough and daughter, Miss Fannie, are visiting friends and relatives at Pembroke.
Mrs. H. C. Grant and son, Archie, left Monday night for Kansas City to spend several weeks with friends.

Miss Fannie Rowden left Monday for her home in Frankfort, after a month's visit to her sister Mrs. H. M. Caldwell.
Hon. James Rowden returned Saturday night from a week's stay at Danville, where he reports in a state of health.
Misses Mae and Emma Fagan have returned home after a delightful three week's visit to the family of Mr. Ben Bradshaw, in the country.
Mrs. M. H. Nelson and children left Monday morning for Beaver Dam Springs, Tenn., to spend several weeks with her brother's family.
Misses Lizzie Harrison, of Evansville, and Mary Haggerty of the city and Mr. G. Haggerty spent Sunday at the Sebree camp-meeting.
Miss Ellen Ramsey, of Jacksonville, Ill., arrived in the city Friday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. S. Davidson. Mrs. Ramsey is a sister of Judge A. V. Long.

The young society folks enjoyed a delightful moon light social on Thursday evening at the hospitable residence of Mr. E. H. Hopper. The grounds were beautifully lighted with lanterns. An elegant supper of light regaled the young society-makers. The festivities were kept up until a late hour.

Word-Tempest.

Mr. Davis Word and Miss Leona Templeton, both of this city, were married Tuesday at 4 o'clock, p. m., at the residence of the bride's parents, on east 7th street, Rev. J. W. Lewis officiating. The happy couple left on the 6:25 train for a short bridal tour. The New Era extends its heartiest congratulations.

McKreese Wine of Cardini is for sale by the following merchants and relatives in Christian County:
H. B. Garner, Hopkinsville, Ky.
G. E. Guthrie, Hopper & Son, " "
J. M. Armstrong, " "
Clifton Coal Co., Mannington, Ky.
W. H. Nolen, Bainbridge, Ky.
W. H. Martin, Crofton, Ky.
M. B. Miller, Pembroke, Ky.
Eva, Ky.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad offers exceedingly low rates for their excursion next month to Old Point Comfort, Washington, Newport News and other points of interest on the eastern sea coast. Tickets are good on the regular passenger trains of August 9th and 10th, and are good on any regular passenger train returning until August 25th. Fare for the round trip from Nortonville is only \$14.00. This is an exceedingly cheap rate and affords a chance to make the trip. It will do well to secure sleeper berth at once.

The True Method.

Of curing habitual constipation, and liver and kidney ills is to avoid the use of the bitter drastic liver medicines and cathartics, and to take only the pleasant liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs. It cleanses as well as sweetens the system, and does not leave the bowels constive, so that regular habits may be formed and the invalid permanently restored to health. It acts promptly and effectively; it is easily taken, and perfectly harmless. For sale in 50 cents and \$1.00 bottles by H. B. Garner, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Death of W. J. Graham.

The community was shocked Wednesday morning to hear of the death of Walter Judson Graham, who had been sick with typhoid fever, for about three weeks. For several days past he had been reported better, and was not prepared for such a sad calamity. He was born and reared in this county, and was a young man well qualified to perform the various duties of life. He was a progressive, well awake representative of the younger generation, and at the time of his death was Vice-President of the Farmers Bank, this city. He was married in 1884 to Miss Ada Price, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. L. Price, who with one child survives him. The funeral services were held yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, from the Baptist church.

Dental Goggles.

The town was full of country water-mills Monday.
Pay your subscription and get your ticket before Sept. 5.
But little interest was manifested in the election Monday.
The boss jeweler, optician and watchmaker is M. D. Kelly.
Mr. Hanson Dulin is out after a severe spell of sickness.
For list of lands for sale by John W. Payne, see fourth page.

Read the article on the Ohio Valley road on the editorial page.
Tobacco is not quite so strong this week as it has been for several months.
The camp-meeting at Sebree commenced Thursday and will continue several days.
For first-class turn-outs see William Campbell & Pool, 7th Street Livery Stable, special inducements to drivers.

The past week has been one of the most brilliant of the season in social circles, and the gayeties promise to continue indefinitely.
Jailor Long has a new boarder in the person of Geo. Metcalfe, col., of Garrettsburg. Metcalfe is charged with a very serious offense.
The colored Teacher's Institute will be held August 24th and 25th inclusive. Supt. Renshaw says there is a prospect for a most interesting session.

Parties who are going on the excursion to Old Point should leave their names with Mr. W. A. Wilgus, who has charge of the affairs for this point.
There are now no cases of measles at the Asylum, nor have there been for twenty-one days and it is therefore pretty certain that the disease has been exterminated.
We are in receipt of a catalogue of the Hopkins County Fair, to be held at Madisonville October 19th, and continuing four days. A pleasant time is promised all who attend.

The excursion Sunday to the Chalybeate Springs, just north of the city was a success one hundred and fifty-one persons made the trip. The train will be run again next Sunday.
The strike of the quartermen working on the pike was quickly settled. The two leaders were promptly discharged and the rest of the men were glad to resume work at former prices.
Dr. Fairlight received a telegram from Auburn, Ky., announcing the death of C. H. Blakey, Jr., a brother of Dr. T. W. Blakey, of this city. Dr. Blakey had gone up the day before.

The directors of the Driving Park have added to their already attractive programme, a ring for Holstein cattle. The premium and conditions are the same as the rings for Jersey and Short-horn cattle.
Mr. Ely, an old and respected citizen of the Bainbridge neighborhood had a stroke Saturday morning from the effects of which he died at the residence of his son-in-law, W. L. Stevenson, Monday morning.
Hopkinsville was a convenient, well arranged market house, where sellers and buyers of country marketing and produce can find each other without difficulty. The prices are reasonable and the same as the rings for Jersey and Short-horn cattle.

At Hadensville, Todd county, last Friday, three negroes, Sol Snowden, Moses Watkins and Allen Chase, working in a tobacco field, took refuge from a storm under a large tree. Lightning struck the tree and instantly killed them all.
A blind man with fiddle and songs, some dozen African citizens and small boys with red lemons "all year kin drink for er nickel" and numerous countrymen with loads of melons kept things lively on the court-house square Monday.

Georgia Anna Green was arrested Monday afternoon upon a warrant charging her with stealing a rocking chair from the residence of Mrs. F. J. Coe on North Main a few nights ago. The property was recovered. The prisoner waived examination and was held over to Circuit Court under \$40 bond.
Mr. Hobbs, B. Withers, general agent for Herndon Hallums & Co., Clarksville, a boss tobacco warehouse firm, has lately been "rushing things" in this section. Mr. W. is one of the best judges of the weed in the district and knows well the peculiar art of making good of a farmer's heart with a long price for his "crop."

A prominent young merchant on Main street experienced a somewhat embarrassing predicament at Chalybeate Springs last Sunday. When his attention was riveted upon his "best girl" a card of cards fell from his pocket. A young lady friend quietly tore up the pack and the young man was not called upon for explanations.

A survey is being made from Gracey view in Christian County, where the L. & N. T. Railroad is crossed by the Hopkinsville and Cadiz road, to Cadiz, Ky., a distance of about eleven miles. We are reliably informed that the L. & N. T. Railroad intended to subvert a proposition to Cadiz and the Trigg county people to build a branch of this road to Cadiz—Clarksville Chronicle.

There has been a week passed, a rumor or the streets, that Chief of Police, Felix Biggerstaff, was working hard among the colored voters in the city against the O. V. railroad proposition, and in the interest of the L. & N. R. R. The New Era interviewed the Chief Monday upon the subject and he emphatically denies it, and says further that he is for the new railroad.
M. Wolford, an itinerant peddler from the "Rock City" at arrested Monday afternoon for peddling wares without State and County licenses. He had obtained a City license and thought that was all that was necessary, and when he was pulled, he was very much surprised and quite indignant. His ignorance of the law finally availed him, however, and he was released. Not being able to do the additional tax, he shut up shop.

Mr. J. S. McCarty has been making some further investigations into the oil rock at his quarry near town. Last week he drilled a hole through about one foot of hard limestone and a foot deeper into the oil stone. The hole is an inch and a half in diameter and is about forty feet from the original oil opening in the quarry. It fills up with oil regularly every night and is mopped out during the day. Mr. M. has strong belief in the existence of natural gas comparatively close to the surface and is making arrangements to bore for it.
Col. Frank B. Richardson, the well known summer, who is also one of the principal political leaders in the Pembroke precinct was in the city Tuesday with a badly swollen wrist. Although dumb as an oyster on the subject himself, inquiry developed the fact that the injured hand was one of election results. It seems that Phil Bell, a colored politician of this city, was in Pembroke on election day and in his zealous work for Col. Bradley managed to become an offensive partisan in the strongest sense of the term; so much so that Col. Richardson at one time during the day felt called upon to plant his fist quite forcibly between the colored gentleman's eyes. The first blow was followed by several others in quick succession, the negro making no resistance. There were no arrests and but little damage done, that being sustained by Col. Richardson.

Evansville Reunion.

We acknowledge receipt of a handsome invitation to the "Reunion of the Blues and the Gray" under the auspices of Paragut Post No. 37 G. A. R., at Evansville, Ind., Sept. 20th and 21st inclusive. It will be a most enjoyable occasion embracing besides speeches from eminent Generals on both sides, infantry, zouave and battery drills for prizes amounting to \$3,000, and a grand sham battle in which a thousand troops are expected to participate. We advise our people to go over and can assure them of a hearty welcome from our Hoosier neighbors.

Death of Chas. A. Deane.
Capt. A. V. Townes, we learn, has received a letter from Chicago announcing the death of Mr. Charles A. Deane of that city, which occurred on Sunday the 24th ult. of typhoid fever. Mr. Deane has visited Hopkinsville several times during the present year in the interest of a new railroad enterprise, known among our citizens as "the Chicago route" and at the time of his death had about completed the organization of a syndicate in the interest of the road. It is not probable the scheme will be abandoned, however, now that Mr. Deane the prime mover, is dead but we may hear from it in the future.
Mr. Deane was a gentleman of culture and ability and impressed all who met him with a sense of his genuine worth.

Monday night about 12:30 o'clock the people of this city were aroused by the first without further notice. The accompanying shock was startling and numbers of people left their dwellings to escape the threatened catastrophe. It was perhaps the strongest shock ever felt in this city, and the subterranean disturbance was the absorbing topic all day Tuesday.

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Missionary Meeting.

The 7th Missionary Circle of Bethel Association met at New Barren Springs church on Saturday and Sunday, July 30th and 31st. Notwithstanding the opposite heat, six churches of the 7th Circle and two of the 8th Circle were represented. On Sunday the congregation to the Bethel Association in reference to the establishment of a mission at Old Rock Bridge Church in this county.

Syrup of Figs.

Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal., in Nature's Own Concentrated Form. It is the most easily taken and the most pleasantly effective remedy known to cleanse the system when bilious or constive; to loosen the bowels, to cure all cases of habitual constipation, indigestion, etc. For sale in 50 cents and \$1.00 bottles by H. B. Garner, Hopkinsville, Ky.

A New Society Wins.

Clarksville Tobacco Leaf.
We are glad to notice that a number of young ladies, accompanied by a gentleman relative, have tried the pleasure of bathing on the bar opposite the city and their experience was such that they will repeat the visit, accompanied by other ladies and gentlemen. It will take only a short while to make this sport a favorite one here. Aside from the pleasure afforded, its healthfulness is acknowledged by all and it is impossible to estimate the benefit that may follow to those who acquire the art of swimming. We note from our Owensboro exchanges that it is a favorite recreation among the ladies of that city. Says the Inquirer:
The pastime of bathing on the beach has become more popular, and a party of ladies and gentlemen go over by the steamer Joe Lee almost every life.

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of miles of enjoyment. We can do better when in perfect health; but how often do the store of people feel like giving it up, discouraged, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no reason for this. As every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that Green's August Flower, will make three times as much of a man as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seven-fifty per cent. of all maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Constipation, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will cure you. Try it.

A Midnight Killing.

This city was the scene of another bloody murder last Saturday night. The facts of the killing as near as we can get them are as follows: Parker McComb, the deaf mute that drives the water sprinkler, went to a saloon at the well's exit on 7th street at about 2:30 o'clock Sunday morning with a revolver in his hand, and striking a match held to the face of Bob Cary who was lying down, either asleep or trying to sleep. Cary, on seeing the pistol, said "Don't shoot me." The match went out and McComb lighted another and held it near Cary's head. The latter pointed his pistol at the victim. Cary at this juncture jumped to his feet and ran up Seventh street, yelling at his pursuer not to shoot him. McComb followed him to the corner of 7th and 8th streets, where he was soon followed by the residents of that portion of the city. McComb was found just after daylight by the police at the house of a negro woman near the old mill pond. The arrest was made without trouble. McComb was taken to the residence of Judge Brasher, who released him on a bond of \$200. Cary carried home and lived until noon Sunday. After the death of Cary the police re-arrested McComb and committed him to jail. What motive prompted the crime we have been unable to find out. There several rumors but they are not of an authentic nature. One is that about two hours before the killing, McComb was fired at by an unknown person near the rock spring. Another is that a certain negro in town was going out Seventh street about an hour before the killing and when he passed McComb, Crumbrugh's residence he was called across the street by a white man who after some conversation said to the negro that he was waiting for "Dumby," by which name McComb is generally known. The white man had a pistol in his hand and was apparently waiting for somebody. The name of neither the negro nor the white man could be learned.

For Rent.

2 front rooms suitable for office or store, on 7th street, near the old mill pond, with good ventilation and every convenience, at stairs.
N. B. SHYER,
Cor. Main & 7th sts.

Money Saved!

By calling at once — on can save at least 25% in buying a first-class buggy or spring wagon. Every job fully warranted.
METCALFE MFG CO.

The Commercial Hotel.

Louisville, Ky., has reduced its rates to 15 per day.

PREFERRED LOCALS.

AH! THERE!

My 1, 10, 11, 13 is a man's name.
My 2, 4, 5 is a school.
My 3, 8, 9, 10, 11 is a blood-sucker.
My 6, 7, 12, 13 is an unmanly child.
My 14, 8, 4, 7 denotes excessive cost.
Ice Cream and Cake, coupled with glory, for first correct solution.

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109 SOUTH MAIN.

O. V. R. R.

MEN WANTED.

When the O. V. Company begins to build they will need men for the work, and in the mean time, these same men, as well as ladies and children of all ages, conditions and circumstances, are requested to call at Park, where they will obtain all the cooling drinks of the season as well as fruits and confections of all kinds.

Fresh Bread Daily.

Headq's for Cigars and Tobacco.

A. L. WILSON'S,

Main street near 9th.

Wanted—Old School Books.

I will take old school books AT HALF PRICE in exchange for new ones. Bring on your old books and exchange them at Garner's City Pharmacy, No. 7 Main street.

Gold Watches For 39c.

Who ever heard of a man buying a Gold Watch for 39c. And yet a firm down East had the audacity to head one of their advertising sheets in this way, and did it simply to catch the eye of the public. Now we do not believe in deception of any sort still we have such anxiety for a sight of the eye of the Great Public, that I have been making all this talk simply to get you to LOOK-ING OUR WAY, and shall be willing to take your punishment. PROVIDED we fail to show you bargains almost EQUAL to gold watches for 39c. To begin with, we have 250 Misses and Children's Sailors at 25c. New style dress Lawn at 3c. The handsome line of MILLINERY in Hopkinsville at the very lowest PRICES. Dry Goods and Clothing in endless variety. Give us an early call.

N. B. SHYER,

CORNER MAIN & NINTH

For Sale.

The McCombs farm within 1 mile of Newstead depot, containing 225 acres of land. Dwelling of 5 rooms, 4 cabins, stable, barn, plenty of water, close to school and churches, and is one of the best farms in the county. Neighborhood can't be improved upon. Also 50 acres of timber land detached. Will be sold separately.

THE FOX PLACE.

On South Main street with 2 acres of land. Dwelling with 11 rooms large stable. All necessary out buildings. In splendid repair. Terms easy.

140 acres of land.

Half way set in cloven All under good fence, plenty of good timber, 5 room house, cistern, spring in every field, will be at the terminus of the pike on Lafayette road. Price \$20 per acre. All cash.

87 acres of land, 72 cleared, 15 in timber,

well set in clover, 1 and a half miles from the city, on the Cadiz road. Price \$50 per acre, one-third cash, balance with interest.

312 acres of land on Little River set in cloven

Cox Mill and Palmyra roads, a good dwelling 6 rooms, hall, pantry. Barn to hold 25 acres tobacco, stable with capacity for 25 head of stock & cows, 4 tenement houses, 2 cisterns never failing well, good orchard, ice house and 85 acres of timber. Price \$9,000, one-third cash balance 1 & 2 years with interest.

We have Dwelling, vacant Lots and some Business Property for Sale, well located in this city.

Fire and Tornado Insurance written in first-class Companies, and prompt attention in case of loss.

Negotiating Loans a specialty with us.

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Look at Lipstine's

Before you buy anything in the way of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Boots and Shoes or Millinery. The time has come for the Summer clearing and all goods now on our shelves MUST GO REGARDLESS OF PRICE. Room must be made for the Fall stock; times are too hard and money is too scarce to have silver dollars tied up in goods lying sleeping in stock. They must go, and now is the poor man's chance and the rich man's opportunity to secure bargains. Don't let it get away. Go to see "poor old Lip" with money and he will let you have goods at your own prices. MRS. HART has lots of SPECIAL BARGAINS for the ladies. Don't fail to

Look at Lipstine's.

Carpets! Carpets!

Velvets, Body Brussels, Tapestry Brussels—with borders to match. A good Brussels Carpet at 50 cts. Full stock of best Extra Super Carpets, Cotton Chams, etc. We have the best stock of Carpets and Oil-cloths ever spread out in this city, with the lowest prices.

DRESS GOODS.

We have all the fabrics and colorings in the new and stylish goods for Spring and Summer wear. We can get up a handsome dress of any kind at the smallest possible cost. In LACE DRESS GOODS, especially, we have something new, unique and very stylish.

Hamburg Edgings, Flouncings, Etc.,

all new pretty and cheap. A brand new line of Table Linens, Napkins, Doilies, &c. Our SHOE DEPARTMENT is full of good shoes of latest styles, and best makes at lowest prices. Our business motto is "Good Goods at Lowest Prices." Call and see us.

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