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## CONGRESS AND SILVER ISSUES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16, 1893.—The democratic leaders of the House passed the silver question to the occasion, and broke the record for a new congress by getting to work on the silver question on the fifth day of the session. They also disappointed the republicans who were cocked and primed to arraign the democrats at the bar of public opinion on the charge of intentional procrastination. The republicans have been so surprised at the ease with which the democrats reached an agreement to take up the silver question, in advance of the appointment of committees, discuss it fourteen days and then vote upon the bill for the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law and amendments thereto for the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16, 17, 18, 19, or 20 to one, and for the substitution of the old Bland act, which was the law before the Sherman act was passed in 1890, that they have just begun to charge the democrats with railroading the matter through the house. The democrats are perfectly willing to plead guilty to the charge of railroading the question; they believe that the situation required railroading, and that the people had a right to expect it. The agreement under which the debate is now being conducted is thoroughly democratic; it provides for an equal division of time and for a vote upon the bill and the amendments named without filibustering, and the decision of the question is to be made solely by the majority in the House. It looks now as though the bill for the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law would pass, although there is a probability an amendment providing for the free coinage of silver at an increased ratio may be added to the bill.

Up to this time the debate has been carried on in a spirit of toleration, although some of the speakers on both sides—silver and anti-silver; there are no political sides recognized in the debate—have made some rather strong statements. The small attendance is surprising, in view of the great interest throughout the country in the result. Of course every body knows that it is easy for members of the House to find more comfortable places than their seats in the House to spend their time from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily, but it does seem that more of them should regard it a duty to attend the sessions than do. While there is no actual necessity for their being present, if they do not intend to speak, until the voting begins, still it would look better to see them in their seats.

The democratic Senators have not found it so easy to agree upon a programme for the disposal of the silver question in the senate, although the committee appointed by the democratic caucus, of which Senator Gorman is chairman, has made some progress towards a compromise, and there is reason for the belief that it will eventually succeed. The most radical silver men in congress are republican senators, and it is their influence which makes it difficult to get the democratic senators to agree upon a compromise substitute for the Sherman law. There is little, if any, probability that a bill for the repeal of the entire law or of the purchasing clause can get through the senate without being accompanied by a substitute.

The town has been full of silly rumors about President Cleveland's health since his return to Gray Gables, under his physician's orders, in search of much needed rest. The case is very simple and there is no occasion for rumor. There is nothing the matter with the President's general health, but he has been overworking himself ever since the fourth of March, and being only human his system is now paying the penalty, and demands the rest which he has not before felt at liberty to give it. There is really no good reason

why he should be in Washington during the discussion of the silver question. In fact, there are more reasons for his being away. Had he remained here he would constantly have been charged with trying to influence votes in some way or other. Being away he can get needed rest and no one can accuse him of trying to interfere with the constitutional rights of senators and representatives.

The agreement to take up the silver question in the House was a great relief to Speaker Crisp, as it will enable him to take his time in making up the committees, for there will be nothing for them to do until after the silver question is disposed of.

While there has been nothing in the shape of an official agreement to that effect, there seems to be a general understanding among the democrats in the House that the committee on Ways and Means will as soon as its membership is announced begin work of reforming the tariff.

### The President and the Tariff.

Touching the tariff the president speaks in no uncertain tone. Here the message is all that the most ardent friends of revenue reform could desire, or ask. It removes any doubt that may have been created by the artful misrepresentation of the protectionists as to Mr. Cleveland's position and intentions. "It was my purpose," says the president, "to summon congress in special session early in the coming September, that we might enter promptly upon the work of tariff reform, which the true interests of the country clearly demand, which so large a majority of the people, as shown by their suffrages desire and expects, and to the accomplishment of which every effort of the present administration is pledged. But while tariff reform has lost nothing of its immediate and permanent importance, and must in the near future engage the attention of congress, it has seemed to me that the financial condition of the country should at once and before all other subjects be considered." Every word here spoken is wisely and well spoken, and is literally true. The finances first by all means and as a matter of course, for the trouble there can be ended by a specific act, a single surgical operation. The evils of the tariff call for systematic treatment. They can not be cured in a day and a night. They are chronic. They corrupt the blood. They must be dealt with radically, but not precipitately; and we have the assurance of the president that the administration, whose every effort is pledged to that end, is fully mindful of its duty. With Cleveland in the white house and Carlisle in the treasury, how could it be otherwise.—Watterson in the Courier-Journal.

The success of Mrs. Annie M. Beam, of McKeesport, Penn., in the treatment of diarrhoea in her children will undoubtedly be of interest to many mothers. She says: "I spent several weeks in Johnstown, Pa., after the great flood, on account of my husband being employed there. We had several children with us, two of whom took the diarrhoea very badly. I got some of Chamberlain's Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy from Rev. Chapman. It cured both of them. I knew of several other cases where it was equally successful. I think it cannot be excelled and cheerfully recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by R. H. Starks.

The railroads of the U. S. pay over \$12,000,000 a year for killing and injuring people.

### Hood's Cures.

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## THE COMMON SCHOOLS OF KY.

In treating of this (our subject) the writer fully realizes that there is room for criticism and that on the three thoughts involved. If he fails to swim, do not raise the flag of censure or condemnation too high. If he extols their enterprising, their developing and intellectual worth too much, or criticises too severely, remember it is an error of the head and not of the heart.

Though still a young man I have had more than ordinary experience in the common schools of Kentucky. I began teaching before I was twenty; since that time I have spent much of my life with the children of Henderson county, and have taken a deep interest in our school system, watching its standard. I hope I am not too bold when I say our common schools are not doing what they ought to do. They are in a great measure dead.

Now why is this so? The prime cause is the lack of firmness in our County Superintendents. Why none but the best educated, the best moral and most discreet men in our county should hold that important place. No man who seeks the office for the emoluments, no man who cannot make an average of 85 per cent, no man who is immoral himself, should have the audacity or presumption to stand at the head of education in any county in our grand old state; which is doing good in everything except its common schools.

No man or woman should be allowed to teach who is not a good disciplinarian, no one who is addicted to any immoral habit should be granted a certificate. The law forbids it justly. I do not censure all of our superintendents, for many of them are competent and doing excellent work. Then I say let the people of each county see to it in the future that they get better men in office than they have ever had. Our standard will then be raised. The state demands this. Our public money is constantly increasing, and we will soon have money sufficient to pay our teachers better salaries. The writer believes in good pay and in good teachers. A cheap teacher is high at any price. Give the competent teachers the right to control their schools. Let them be reasonable but rigid. Let the officials sustain the teacher in any necessary correction—for a school not governed is worse than not taught.

We must raise our standard, then, so that many of our boys and girls will not be forced to leave their own homes to obtain a mere business education, and our schools will then be thorough, and when a student leaves the common school he will have a good foundation for a collegiate course. There is no reason why our schools should not be as good as any. As it is now in a great many districts none but the mere primary classes attend. To get anything like an education the larger pupils are forced to leave home.—W. W. Hatchett in Educational Courier.

### VISITING.

Did you ever think how expensive and troublesome company is and how much time is lost in such the habit of visiting. It is said enough time is lost and money spent in visiting in the United States every year to more than pay off the national debt. We don't doubt it, because it only requires a very little observation to inform one of the vast numbers of people who visit. Too much company has a damaging effect upon the visitors and the visited. It is a habit that cuts both ways and does as much damage to the persons who visit as to the ones who are visited and in more ways than one. In America the people make visitations and not visits, but in the old countries they only visit. The more a country becomes well settled in its manners and customs the shorter becomes the time of its visitors. When the country was new and the

people lived far apart and could only see each other when on a visit, then visiting had a good effect on the morals and civility of the people and appreciated by both parties, but now it is quite different. So much visiting now is entirely unnecessary, and as called for, from the fact the country is becoming so thickly settled the people can see and meet each other more or less every week in business and at the various kinds of public meetings that call them together. Visits, at one time in history of this country, were necessary and profitable from a social standpoint, but not so now. Calls are now taking the place of visits in the cities and thickly settled parts of the country. They are an improvement over the old time visitation. In our day we have seen visiting carried on to an alarming extent. We can call to mind men who have been kept poor all the days of their lives feeding too much company, and we also can call to our minds many poor but clever women who have toiled and labored for unnecessary company until their health failed them and they are now in premature graves. A reasonable amount of company is good for everybody and makes people feel better towards their neighbors and friends, but too much company brings them into contempt with each other and does more harm than good. It must be a terrible ordeal for a man, his wife and from five to ten children to gather themselves together and leave home on some evening and go to a close neighbors and remain all day and night and call it a visit.

Of course visiting to a great extent is only a custom, and like all other habits and customs needs reform, and while the people are making so many attempts at reform we believe a beneficial reform could take place in visiting as well as other social customs. This reform can come by bringing about more calls and less visitations.

Grand Rivers Herald Excursion. The Grand Rivers Herald Excursion to the World's fair will leave for Chicago on Tuesday, Sept. 19. The total cost is \$23. It includes railroad fare from Calvert City, Gilbertsville, Grand Rivers, Eureka, Kuttawa or Eddyville to Chicago and return, five days hotel accommodations in Chicago, railroad fare from Chicago to the grounds, admission to the fair five days—Sept. 21 to 25 inclusive—in fact every dollar of necessary expense.

For further particulars address Edgar W. Whittemore, Grand Rivers, Ky.

Never sleep with the bed against the wall, for health as well as convenience. It is unhealthy to sleep next to a wall because of possible dampness, and also, more serious still, because the breath exhaled is thrown back into the face and breathed again. Headache has often been permanently cured by pushing the bed to the middle of the room.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Barnes is Doing the Business. Why is it that people are coming from all parts of the county to buy goods of Barnes? Because he has a full and complete stock of all kinds of Dry Goods and sells them cheaper than they can be bought in Paducah or Mayfield.

Have you read "Collection Number One"? It only costs you 10c. Forty pages of good short stories for only 10c, at Lemon's drug store

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Examine my plows before you purchase. I guarantee to save you money. Respectfully,

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Our New Furniture and Wall Paper Palace

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Wall Paper, Window Shades, PICTURES

Easels, Mirrors, Refrigerators, Children Carriages, Bicycles, Bicycle Supplies and Repairs.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce  
**E. BARRY**  
of Marshall county, a candidate to represent Marshall and Lyon counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky subject to the action of the democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
**B. F. SMITH**  
of Lyon county, a candidate to represent Marshall and Lyon counties in the lower house of the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
**JOHN W. OGILVIE**  
of McCracken county, a candidate for State Senator from the counties of Ballard, Carlisle, Marshall and McCracken, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WED. EVENING, AUG. 23.

Out of 13 banks in Nashville only three remain.

Don't ask what congress will do. Wait and see.

National bank circulation has increased since August 1st over \$5,000,000.

Senator Lindsey spoke on the bank bill Monday, and will speak on the silver bill later in the week.

Congressman Breckinridge's career will soon end in infamy, and he will go down to his grave in disgrace.

Dr. J. D. Clardy is a candidate for state senator up in his district. He is a good man and by all means should be elected.

Don't ask will congress repeal the purchasing clause in the Sherman act. Just wait and see. You will not know the difference any way unless someone tells you.

Since Miss Pollard has sued Congressman Breckinridge for \$50,000 on a breach of promise, some wicked republican has suggested that he now be elected to the U. S. senate. How wicked!

Henry George and Dick Tyler are "in it" for a senatorial fight in the lower district. Both of them are for Wm Lindsey for U. S. senator. Mr. George had better keep a weather eye on that man Dick Tyler.

The great Ferris wheel at Chicago, that cost \$185,000, has been bought by Mr. Irvin Massey of Memphis, and as soon as the fair is over it will be moved to Billings park where it will ornament it forever.

All that a democratic senator or representative in congress has to do to be exactly right, is to simply step upon the platform formulated at Chicago and stay by it and fight for it. Be a democrat or get out of the party.

Louisville don't propose to send anyone to the senate or lower house who is not for the re-election of Senator Lindsey. We are in the same condition. Lyon and Marshall don't care to send a man to Frankfort this winter who is opposed to Lindsey.

One hundred and forty national banks have suspended during the summer, over one-half of which are now back in business. The financial storm is passing away and better times are now returning. Confidence is being restored and the country will soon be all right again.

Poor Cleveland, he has it all to bear. The great pension frauds, the bad crops and the big debts made by the republicans; yes, and the poor man is to blame for the silver trouble, and also for the development of so many fools in the west. Poor man, indeed, but his shoulders are broad and it may be he can bear it.

Hon. J. D. Powers, revenue collector of this district, appointed about 25 persons last week to take the places of republicans, but not a name fell to the credit of Marshall county. We understand that he has an interest in a "Keeley Cure Institute" and will appoint several to that place from this county. That might do more good than the other.

Hon. S. O. Nunn, the democratic nominee for state senator, and W. J. Deboe, the republican nominee for the same place in the Fourth senatorial district, are now in the

midst of a hot campaign. They take up their time in the discussion of national politics. The senatorial committees should call a meeting and read the riot act to them. Let them discuss state politics—something about which they are familiar.

Judge Bennett, our present member of the Appellate court has been making the rounds over the Purchase looking after his fences for re-election, but did not visit this county. He either don't want the vote of the county or else he thinks our people are for him anyway. Better come, judge, and see us.

The Tribune predicts that before the close of Cleveland's administration the democratic party will be stronger than ever before. The sudden change from a corrupt to a pure administration, retarded by the losing power, would naturally disturb the business equilibrium of the country. Democrats, don't allow the disturbers to cause you to stray away from the true path before the present administration has had a fair trial.

This is about the way the bank account will stand with the man who is elected to the legislature this year from Marshall and Lyon counties at the end of his term of office:

To 60 days at \$5 per day	\$300
Stationery	20
Mileage	60
Total	\$380
CREDITS—	
By Board	\$ 60
Extra and necessary exp's	60
Two trips railroad fare	50
Election expenses	75
Four months loss time	100
Leaving a balance to his credit of	\$345

\$35, which he will have to pay for a tailor-made suit of clothes, which will leave him without a cent of cash. Who will say that such public service costs too much?

## Getting After An Officer.

Mr. Guthrie Dinguid, the present town marshal of Murray, got a roasting last week by the Ledger for slacking concerning his duty as an officer. If he be guilty of what he was charged he deserved every line that was said. The time is at hand when the press must speak out and condemn every officer who disregards the solemn oath he took when he was ushered into office. The people all over the country look to a true, bold and fearless press for an exposition of all public officials, who fail to perform their duties, with a strong hope of improving official service. Calloway county is not the only county that officers are slow to do their duty. Every week most we notice papers, both great and small, exposing public officials for a dereliction of duty, and in every instance it results in good. When a man goes before his constituency and ask for votes and promises to make a good officer and do his duty when elected should not complain at an expose when he fails to comply with his promises. Officers belong to the voters and not to the holders and each officer should be held strictly responsible to the people for his failure the same as an individual to his employer, and the day is in the near future when officers will be indicted for malfeasance in office the same as any other offense. We hear complaints against some of our county officials but at present we do not know whether they are well grounded or not, and until we do know we will not persecute, but as soon as the facts are ascertained we will make mention of them in the columns of the Tribune. However some people are all the time complaining at county officials, it makes no difference how faithful they are in the performance of their duties.

Mrs. H. E. Wellman,  
No. 2 Linn st., Janesville, Wis., under date of June 16, writes the following: Kenyon & Thomas, Sirs: I was confined to my bed four months with inflammation of the right ovary, had a good physician and tried almost everything, but got very little help until I tried your Dr. Hale's Household Ointment about four months ago. It has done wonders for me. I can do quite a good day's work. I have every reason to believe that it will entirely cure me. I am also using your Dr. Hale's Household Tea with good results. Sincerely Yours,

Mrs. H. M. Wellman.  
This great medicine is for sale at J. R. Lemon's drug store.

Stray Mule.  
Strayed from my stable or lot, five miles south of Benton, near Glade, one dark bay horse mule about 15 hands high, six years old with white collar marks on both shoulders. Left Tuesday Aug. 1, 1893. Any information will be thankfully received.

R. L. YORK,  
Glade, Ky.

Many Persons  
Are broken down from overwork or household care. **Brown's Iron Bitters** rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile, and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

## J. W. GRAHAM

Is the Nominee of the Peoples' Party for the Legislature.

The Peoples' party met in mass convention in the M. E. church at Birmingham last Saturday, Aug. 19, 1893, in pursuance to a call of the county committees of Lyon and Marshall counties, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the legislature.

The convention was called to order promptly at 1:30 p. m. by M. G. Nelson. On motion of Chris Littlejohn M. G. Nelson was elected permanent chairman to preside over the convention. He came forward and thanked the convention for the honor conferred and promised to preside without partiality and to the best of his ability.

T. D. Brown, J. W. Graham and J. H. Goheen were put in nomination for secretary. The vote was taken which resulted in the election of Mr. Brown.

The chairman asked the pleasure of the convention when it was announced that the committee on resolutions was ready to make its report, whereupon J. W. Graham came forward and read the committee's report, which was as follows:

Whereas, The Peoples' party committees of Marshall and Lyon counties have called a convention of the Peoples' party of said counties to meet at Birmingham Aug. 19, 1893, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the legislature, therefore be it

Resolved, That we endorse the call of this convention; and further, that we endorse the Peoples' party platform as made at Omaha as our idea of national government, and

Resolved, That we endorse our platform of state policy the following: Whereas, The condition of the laboring people of our state has been growing worse for a length of time, the conditions being partly attributable to the wasteful expenditure of the peoples money in appropriations of innumerable kinds. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we demand a system of less taxation.

That we oppose the payment of any state officer except for services rendered.

That we oppose any and all appropriations from the state treasury, except to defray the actual expenses of the state.

That we endorse the courage, fidelity and statesmanship of Gov. John Young Brown in his votes, and his strict adherence to the constitution of the state.

M. G. NELSON,  
G. C. FINLEY,  
J. H. GOHEEN,  
J. M. HOLLAND,  
G. L. GRAY,  
S. M. LINDSEY,  
J. W. GRAHAM,  
Committee.

The committee's report was adopted as a whole.

The chairman then announced that nominations were in order. G. C. Finley was put in nomination by M. G. Nelson, and J. W. Graham by L. C. Hamilton. Nominations were declared closed and the vote was taken by private or secret ballot, which resulted in Mr. Finley receiving 32 and Mr. Graham 24 votes. The chairman then announced the result of the vote and declared G. C. Finley the nominee of the convention. He was called for and responded in a short speech, at the end of which he declined to accept the nomination which left the convention again without a nominee.

Nominations were again declared in order. S. M. Lindsey placed in nomination the name of M. G. Nelson, and W. A. Ross nominated J. W. Graham. The vote was again taken by private ballot, as before, and resulted in 23 votes being cast for Nelson and 38 for Graham. J. W. Graham receiving the greatest number of votes was declared by the chairman to be the nominee. Upon motion of Mr. Smith Mr. Graham was, by a rising vote, declared the unanimous choice of the convention.

Mr. Graham was called to the platform and then there profoundly thanked the convention for the honor thrust upon him, and in a 30 minutes talk outlined the course of the present canvass, and said he would do all he could to be elected, and if elected to carry out the will of his party and constituency. At the close of his remarks the convention adjourned sine die.

ECHOES FROM THE CONVENTION.  
The convention was composed of a representative body of good looking men.

Short speeches were made by Finley, Nelson, Graham and Harrison.

There were 61 votes cast in the convention, but in all there were about 75 third party men present.

We do not know that the 61 persons who were present and voted reflected the will of the 1,000 who were at home.

Gus Ross, the red-headed hero of just across the river near Hamlet, had the honor of putting in nomination the name of the man who was nominated.

The nominee said he was sure to be elected, and one good brother said "amen."

Representatives were there from both counties. It's true the third party advocates two years ago were opposed to conventions where only a few took part, but they are now beginning to run in the tracks of the old parties. In only a short time they will be clamoring for primaries.

Any one purchasing \$1.50 worth of our Plantation remedies is entitled to the Memphis Appeal-Avalanche, weekly, until January 1 1894; or \$1.00, retail, the Memphis Scimitar, weekly, for same length of time. These remedies are guaranteed to cure, or money refunded by merchant of whom purchased. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. W. Starks & Co., Hardin. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

## CURD HELD OVER

In a \$500 Bond to Await the Action of the Next Grand Jury.

## Curd-Brewer Trial.

This famous trial began last Friday and ended yesterday evening at night. It was a trial wherein James L. Curd was charged with seducing Miss Amanda Brewer, a young lady under 16 years of age. These parties both live in and about Hardin and belong to good families and are well connected.

This was an examining trial in which much interest has been manifested by the citizens of that locality. We would give a complete synopsis of the evidence, but this was only an examining trial and the case yet has to be submitted to the grand jury and we might do one or the other an injustice by more or less moulding public sentiment and therefore we will only say that Mr. Curd and Miss Brewer gave testimony contradicting each other in every important point in the case. A great many witnesses were introduced by both sides and every inch of ground was closely contested by the able attorneys employed by each party. This is a very unfortunate neighborhood disturbance and will result in harm to the parties concerned and to the society thereabout.

The court sat patiently from the beginning to the end and gave close attention to all of the evidence in detail and decided the case according to the law and evidence notwithstanding there was a conflict in most of the testimony.

At the beginning of the trial all of the witnesses were put under the rule and spectators excluded from the court house. This was a great disappointment to the large crowd of eager listeners who had planted themselves all over the court room in order to hear the sensational evidence and roll it under their tongues as a sweet morsel.

At the close of Mr. Fisher's speech the judge decided to hold Mr. Curd over in a bond of \$500 to await the action of the grand jury.

Is your life worth 50 cents. Dumb Chills; Ague; Congestive Chills; Death. This is the evolution of that malarial chills sensation. Stop it in time. Plantation chills cure will do it, or it will cost you nothing. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. W. Starks & Co., Hardin. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

World's Fair Notice.  
On and after August 19th 1893. The St. Louis Alton & Terre Haute Railroad will sell tickets from Paducah, Ky., to Chicago, Ill., and return at following rates, \$13.45 limited to continuous passage in each direction, final return limit 30 days from date of sale. \$18.45 limited to continuous passage in each direction, final return limit November, 15th 1893. Tickets will be on sale until October 31st, 1893. GEO. E. LARY, G. P. A.

Why Don't He Act?  
What's the matter with our legislative district committee? Is it possible that the committee will have to meet and act regardless of the chairman of Lyon county. If Mr. Furnish wants to reflect the wishes of the democrats why don't he act. Delays are dangerous.

The Big Murray Item  
We got an item from Murray this week that was an item. It was the Saturday Item, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Murray, by John Mc Meloon and Barnett Wear, two young newspaper men of the "get up and push" order. It was a very nice paper, well edited and we hope these young adventurers in a newspaper may always be able to furnish their subscribers an item at least once a week.

Notice.  
Parties knowing themselves indebted to Dr. W. S. Stone will please come forward at once and settle their account and save further cost and trouble.

W. S. STONE.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.  
The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. R. Lemon.

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You are aware the millinery season is now about over and that we have some special bargains to offer you that you should not fail to call and examine.

Respectfully,  
MRS. W. B. HAMILTON,  
Benton, Ky.

## F. T. Foust No More.

Last Wednesday, just after going to press, we received the sad intelligence of the sudden and unexpected death of our friend Thomas Foust. He died at his home a few miles east of Briensburg in the midst of his family.

On Tuesday he was as well as usual; at supper he ate as heartily as was common for him, after which he sat about with his family until late bed time, when they all retired; but just as he was going to bed he told his wife that he "felt very bad," but nothing more was said until a short time afterwards, Mrs. Foust was aroused from her slumbers by an unusual noise made by her husband getting up and walking out into the yard. She immediately went to his relief and found that he was stricken with paralysis of the heart and was unable to speak to her. She at once awoke the family called in a few of her neighbors and sent for physicians, but it was too late, the poor man lingered in that condition until about 3 o'clock in the morning when all but what was mortal had taken its flight and the body of that once genial and clever man lay cold in death. His remains were laid to rest at the Wilson cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of his sorrowing friends.

He was a native Tennesseean, having been born and raised near Clarksville, Tenn. He and his wife and brother William who now survives him came to this county about twenty-five years ago and bought and settled on the place where he died, and during these long years he has been one of the county's best citizens, moral, industrious, upright, neighborly and useful as a good man in every sense of the term. He leaves a wife and two children, besides a host of friends, to mourn his untimely death. We have known him since he first came to this county and we have only known him to love him and admire him for his many exalted traits of gentlemanly character. We can only say with his sorrowing wife and children, that we mourn with those that mourn and weep with those that weep for the sudden taking away of F. T. Foust.

Plantation chills cure stops chills stops 'em quick, and they never come back. If you don't believe it, try it. If it don't stop 'em ask for your money back, you'll get it. Price 50 cents. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. W. Starks & Co., Hardin. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

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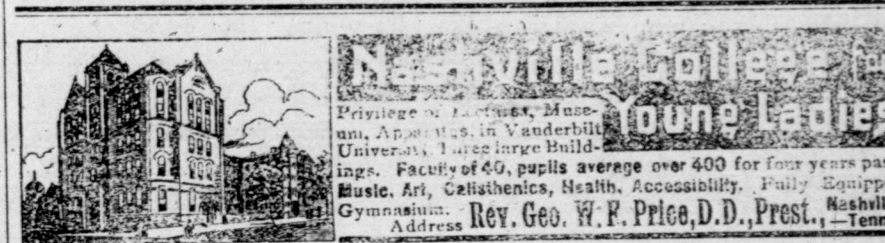
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OLIVE, KY., June 6, 1893.  
This is to certify that I have been subject to Asthma for 20 years, and after trying every known remedy during that time without relief, except temporary, I commenced the use of the Kola Compound and after having used two and a-half bottles of that I have never had a symptom of asthma. J. B. WILSON, M. D.



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At Briensburg.  
The new goods at Mrs. J. M. Mooney's are drawing large crowds of people, buying their their

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She buys goods in the city of New York at low cash prices, and sells them the same way. Call and examine goods and prices at  
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\$23 Pays All Expenses.  
Remember September 19th is the time to go to the World's fair. The train will leave on that day and the excursion will be conducted by Mr. Whittemore, editor of the Grand River's Herald. Any where from Paducah to Princeton. All information will be given by Mr. Whittemore.



## TO CHICAGO via the LAKES.

The fastest trip to the great city of Chicago and the most scenic trip to the Lakes, via the Lakes and the Chicago & North Western Railway. The trip is made in the most comfortable and luxurious Pullman sleeping cars, with the finest food and service. The trip is made in the most comfortable and luxurious Pullman sleeping cars, with the finest food and service. The trip is made in the most comfortable and luxurious Pullman sleeping cars, with the finest food and service.

### RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

#### The P. T. & A. R.

SOUTH BOUND.			
No. 52	Thru Passenger.	Accom.	No. 53
Lv. Paducah	8:30 am	4:10 pm	
Benton	9:16 am	5:18 pm	
Murray	9:52 am	6:21 pm	
Park	10:45 am	7:35 pm	
H. R. Junction	11:53 am	8:45 pm	
Hollow Rock	12:21 pm	9:00 pm	
Lexington	2:00 pm	Ar 9:00 pm	
Perryville		Ar 9:45 am	
Jackson	2:55 pm	Ar 9:45 am	
Ar. Memphis	6:00 pm	Ar 9:45 am	

Direct connections at Memphis with all lines diverging. At Jackson, with Illinois Central and Mobile & Ohio. At Hollow Rock Junction with N. C. & St. L. At Paris with L. & N. At Paducah with N. N. & M. V. and St. L. & P. A. J. Welch, A. G. P. A.

#### St. Louis & Paducah Ry.

NORTH BOUND.			
Lv. Paducah	11:10 am	4:20 pm	
Metropolis	12:01 pm	5:35 pm	
Parker City	1:25 pm	6:40 pm	
Crest Springs	1:42 pm	6:50 pm	
Carbondale	2:50 pm	7:40 pm	
Pinckneyville	4:15 pm	9:15 am	
Ar. East St. Louis	6:35 pm	11:35 am	
St. Louis	6:50 pm	11:50 am	

This is the shortest, quickest and cheapest route to all points northeast, north, northwest and west. Passengers leaving Benton at 9:15 am arrive in St. Louis at 6:50 pm. Corresponding time at all other points. For further information call on or address C. C. McCarty, Southern agent, Paducah, Ky., or Geo. E. Lary, general passenger agent, St. Louis, Mo.

### HERE AND THERE.

**Blains Tabules** relieve colic. Get your turnip seed at Lemon's Wilder Wear spent Sunday in Murray. Get your school books at Lemon's. The Curd-Brewer trial lasted four days. Go to Lemon's and buy all kinds turnip seed. Mr. Thos. R. Jones of Murray spent Sunday in the city. Logan Curd of the Murray Ledger spent Friday in the city. Judge Moss is on the mountain top where the Clinton Democrat. Try **BLACK-DRAUGHT** for Dyspepsia. Prof. Brannock and family spent Saturday at Clear Pond near Calvert City. Will Utterback, one of Murray's handsomest young men, spent Sunday in the city. Mr. George L. Wyatt, a promising young farmer of Briensburg, was in the city Monday. Ripans Tabules cure colic. Mrs. Emma Brame of Murray, has been the guest of Miss Eva Brannock for the past few days. Mr. G. W. Locker and wife of Birmingham will visit the World's fair during the month of October. J. W. Holland of Birmingham raised only eight bushels of wheat and took it all to mill last Saturday. Shiloh's cure, the great cough and croup cure, is for sale by A. Pickett's store, containing twenty-five doses, only 25 cents. Children love it. Sold at Lemon's drug store. A severe snow and hail storm visited some parts of Minnesota and Wisconsin last Friday. Stones fell as large as hen eggs and did much damage. Furniture. Car load after car load of furniture has been sold at Barnes' since the first of January. Reynolds big show will exhibit at Paducah next Wednesday, Aug. 30. See rates in another column of this issue. Found—the reason for the great popularity of Hood's Sarsaparilla—simply this: Hood's cures. Be sure to get Hood's. The type force of the Ledger were in the city Sunday looking after the matrimonial news of Marshall county.

### BLACK-DRAUGHT FOR COLIC.

The legislative race in Marshall and Lyon counties is not so complicated as some would have us believe.

W. M. Reeder is now completing him a new house and will soon be as happy as the father of nineteen children could well be.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A. San Diego, Cal., says: Shiloh's catarrh remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good. Price 50 cents. Sold at Lemon's drug store.

Wheat fed to hogs will bring \$1.40 per bushel. That is a good price, but who has got the wheat and hogs?

The grand total of property assessed in the state of Kentucky for the year 1892 makes the snug little sum of \$568,741,146.

If Bennett, Grace and Park enter the race for judge of the court of Appeals, won't things be warm though?

Tobacco is heading up and it begins to look like cabbage, and it rain don't fall in a few days it's "farewell tobacco crop."

Barnes, has a lot of summer and fall pants that he must sell in order that he can have room for his new fall goods, and he has decided to almost give them away. Come before all are gone.

If some of these country newspapers were to get as many subscribers as they say they do they would now have at least 10,000 subscribers.

Ripans Tabules: for torpid liver.

The democrats of Ballard and Carlisle counties have nominated Dr. A. T. Hobbs of Carlisle county for the legislature. The peoples party will nominate a man for the same place in next month.

Miss Mary Holland, the popular teacher in the Hill district, near Sharpe, was in the city Monday night to attend the musical. She is having a very full school and doing lots of hard work.

Miss Amanda Brewer is a fair witness and told her story with convincing effect, and if the people had been permitted to hear her testimony they have said the same about her.

McElree's Wine of Cardui for Weak Nerves.

The good old Smithland News came to us last week full of good and bad news. Miss Sue Garrett, you must remember, is the editor and she gets the paper out each week through much hard work, but it comes all the same.

We refund money in every instance when Plantation chill and fever cure fails. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

If the city council of Birmingham would put a \$10 tax on every checker board and a \$5 tax on every man who engages in a street discussion of politics or religion it would do business more good than the election of the peoples party nominee.

Ripans Tabules cure indigestion. J. H. Little, D. C. Strow, W. G. Dyeus, G. W. Oliver, Boone Reed and Jamie Wilson of this place, and Wm Douglass and R. M. Pace of Sharpe, left Monday morning for Ashland, Ky., where they go to attend the Sunday school State Union.

Banks fail and there are panics to the right and left of us, but the "old reliable" continues to pay her claims. You need a life policy payable instantly without conditions in case of death. Better see Geo. W. Oliver about this.

Mr. Martin Tyree, a young man, the son of Mr. Thomas Tyree near Oak Level died last week of a malignant form of fever. He was a nice young man with bright prospects and his parents have the sympathy of all in losing a promising son so young.

Plantation chill cure is guaranteed. If it don't cure go and get your money back. Ask your merchants about it. Price 50cts. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

Mrs. Lemon and ourself were the guests, while at Birmingham Saturday, of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Locker, and it is unnecessary to go into details, but from the many good things found on their table we were led to believe that their hospitality knows no bounds and their tact to entertain is not excelled by any people living within the metes and bounds of the county.

Ripans Tabules: for sour stomach

### McElree's Wine of Cardui.

Have you tried Plantation Liver pills for habitual constipation? They are perfectly delightful and a sure cure. Price 25cts. sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

There is more politics discussed in Birmingham in one day than there is at Benton in one year. Checker playing and the discussion of religion and politics on the streets will ruin any town on the continent. When business men are continually discussing politics and religion on the streets it's a sure sign that the death-knell to business is being sounded.

McElree's Wine of Cardui and THEODORE'S BLACK-DRAUGHT are for sale by the following merchants in Marshall county: J. R. Lemon, Benton. George Locker, Birmingham. John M. Green & Son, Brewer's Mill. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg. John Tichenor, Calvert City.

Hon. T. P. Cook, an able attorney of Murray, attended as co-counsel in the Brewer-Curd trial. Mr. Cook is a rather fine looking attorney, he is a little bald, like all great men, his face is round and ornamented with a beautiful mustache; he dresses well, wears a light gray coat and gray pants of a darker shade, black socks and fine shoes, white shirt and a superlative necktie, but prides himself of small feet. All in all Mr. Cook is a nice gentleman.

Confess! Miss June 8th 1893. I have used Dr. King's Royal Gernmetur and have observed its use among my friends and can say I regard it as one of the best and most reliable remedies for what it is recommended to do that I have ever tried or known. I recommend it heartily. A. H. Wimberly, City Marshal.

That Racket. Did you hear that racket? If you did, you should go and see what it was, and when you do you will find it of interest to you. It was the knocking down of high prices at Barnes' which made such a racket. He has made a sweeping reduction in prices in order to make room for the immense fall stock of goods he is now buying. Call while prices are down.

Hon. T. P. Cook is a very pleasant, forcible and entertaining speaker. He handled his argument in a way that caught the ear of the court and the spectators. He remembered names, circumstances and the evidence better than is common among attorneys in such cases. His comments and criticisms on witness on the opposite side were courteous and respectful.

Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rump and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50c, and \$1 per bottle at Lemon's drug store. 5

On our way to Birmingham last Saturday we were paired to notice the poor prospects for corn along the road. The fields of corn belonging to Ross, Lamb, Wyatt and others will not make a bushel to the acre. The hot dry weather with northwinds is doing its work for the corn, and though plenty of rain might fall in that section of the county it could not save fields of it.

Are You In It? If not, why not? Why don't you always keep on hand a bottle of Dr. Hale's Household Cough Cure to allay the first irritation caused by a sudden cold. This is the finest remedy in the world for every kind of cough. You feel the good effect of the first dose, and by thorough using your cough is soon cured. 25 and 50c bottles at J. R. Lemon's drug store. 3

Taxes Taxes. To the taxpayers of Marshall county: I am now ready to collect your taxes for the year 1893, and under the new revenue law I am compelled to collect them at once to make it pleasant round. Prepare yourselves to meet us at our office or various appointments in the county and pay them. C. H. STARKS, Sheriff.

McElree's Wine of Cardui for female diseases

### G. W. Riley.

Since there will be no election on the local option law Mr. Riley has concluded to remain here for at least another year and has ordered a new supply of the finest whiskies in the market, which he proposes to sell to his friends at the lowest prices. He has one of the finest saloons anywhere. Call and see him.

The Entertainment. The musical entertainment given by Miss Brannock and her pupils Monday night at the M. E. church was quite a success. The lovers of fine music were highly entertained during the evening with songs, duets, trios, solos and instrumental music. The selections showed both good judgment and taste and their rendition was quite perfect. Miss Brannock was assisted by her brothers, Arthur and Walter of Amsterdam, N. Y., the former possessing a deep musical voice of the operatic order, the latter being a very fine violinist. The Misses Lula Reed, Nellie Palmer and Luna Lemon who have been in Miss Brannock's class performed their parts well showed that they had made rapid advancement in both vocal and instrumental music since being taught by her. The entertainment was enjoyed by all present and everyone went away well paid for their visit.

Haw's This. We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by his firm. West & Trux, Wholesale druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Walding, Kinnam & Marvin, Wholesale druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. 44-41

We wonder how the voter in the ranks of the third party can conscientiously go to the polls at the November election and support a man who was nominated by a convention. One of the main reasons why the many of them left the democratic party because "these tricky conventions" were held that did not reflect the will of only a few of the party. It won't be long until they will be doing as bad as anybody.

Ripans Tabules prolong life. Why pay \$1.00 for a chill cure when you can buy Plantation chill cure of us at 50c. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

There were eight lawyers engaged in the Curd-Brewer trial. Fisher, Dyeus, Bean, Lovett and Heath for the commonwealth. The defendant was represented by W. M. Reed, T. P. Cook and W. M. Oliver.

Go To the Circus. Reynolds Big Railroad Show will exhibit at Paducah, Ky., Aug. 30. The P. T. & A. railroad will sell round trip tickets, including admission to the Big Show, at the following low rates:

Hardin	\$1.00.
Glade	1.00.
Benton	1.00.
Iola	1.00.
Elva	.80.
Ramsey	.70.
Oaks	.75.

Notice. The Hon. Joe A. Parker of Lagrange, Ky., will address the citizens of Marshall county at Benton on August 26, at 2 o'clock p. m. Everybody invited to come. Will also speak at Hardin at night. BEN HOUSTON. J. T. LENTS. M. G. NELSON.

Jim Curd or Amanda Brewer one swore falsely in the examining trial held here this week, but the editor does not know which one it was, nor never will know.

We would not urge an article without merit. We urge and guarantee Plantation chill cure. Sold by R. H. Starks, Benton. Barry & Stephens, Benton. J. R. Lemon, Benton. M. L. Chestnut, Gilbertsville. J. A. Jones, Gilbertsville. J. H. Phillips, Iola. Reeves & Parrish, Iola. J. H. Ham, Hamlet. L. J. Gossett, Briensburg.

Joe and Frank Sirls surrendered themselves up to the authorities Monday and have been in jail since, but will be brought out for trial to-day.

Egner's Frry Open Again. It is with pleasure I announce to the traveling public that I have a new ferry boat where persons can be transported across the river at any and all times at the regular price. Don't fail to cross the river at Egner's ferry. F. P. EGNER, Aurora, Ky. 36-71

## REDUCTION In DRESS GOODS at BARNES'

Royal Bedford Cord reduced from 10c to 7c.

Brenader Tissue prices cut from 7c to 6c.

Canton Crepe, big cut in prices, from 20c to 12c.

Venetian Mustin, the regular price 7c now 6c.

Good Summer Coat and Vest selling now at 75c.

Think of Plow Shoes cut in prices from \$1.50 to \$1.

A great reduction in all qualities of Spring Laces.

These are only a few of the great REDUCTIONS At BARNES'.

D. G. PARK.

It is now understood that D. G. Park will be a candidate for a position on the appellate bench from this district. He is a citizen of Mayfield, and well known to the people of at least thirteen counties in the district, and enters the race with a strong following of solid friends. As to his ability as a lawyer it is recognized by all who know him. As to his nerve and will power to execute the law to the letter, that too is well known in more counties than one. The hard study and close attention to the law that he has given in the past fifteen years is only a strong guarantee of his superior fitness for the place he now seeks. He is now young and in the prime of his manhood, and like the illustrious Lindsey, will soon push his way to the most exalted place on the bench. If he enters the race, which we understand he will, he will be a strong candidate and one hard to beat. We at present do not know who will enter the field, but let come who may, Park will be in the fight.

It Should be In Every House. J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay St., Shrapshurg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, that it cured his wife who was threatened with pneumonia after an attack of "La Grippe," when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good.

Robert Barber, of Cookport, Pa. claims Dr. King's New Discovery, has done him more good than anything he ever used for lung trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at Lemon's drug store. Large bottles, 50c, and \$1. 5

A Father Kills His Son. Last Sunday a Mr. A. J. Wood, living in Paducah, got drunk threw a beer bottle at his son aged 19 years old and broke his neck, from the effects of which he died in a few moments. This man Wood is no akin to the large family of Woods of this county, but came recently to Paducah from Kansas City, and married the widow Reed the former wife of Lee Derrington of Symsonia. He is a quarrelsome man and frequently had family troubles until he finally killed his son and is now a murderer in jail.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. A certain cure for Chronic Eye Eyes, Tetters, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. 25 cents per box.

Buy Your Bus Tickets. All persons living in the city and wishing to use the "Bus," to or from the depot must first secure tickets at the office in the hotel. This rule is imperative and before the "Bus" will go to any part of the city, tickets must be secured and orders left in the office. 40-3mo J. P. STILEY.

The trial of the little Allen Lindsey for the murder of Mrs. Sturgeon's baby is set for to-day.

Is Your Nerve Steady? Or do you feel that you are breaking that your nervous system is giving away? If you have a weak nervous system the very best thing you can do is to begin today using Dr. Hale's Household Tea. It is the finest nerve tonic known and will restore you to health and vigor. Don't delay. Get a free sample to day at J. R. Lemon's. 3

"Collection Number One" of short stories by "Wandering Jim" is just out and are for sale at Lemon's drug store. Price 10c. Sent post paid by mail to any address, 12c.

Egner's Frry Open Again. It is with pleasure I announce to the traveling public that I have a new ferry boat where persons can be transported across the river at any and all times at the regular price. Don't fail to cross the river at Egner's ferry. F. P. EGNER, Aurora, Ky. 36-71

## Lightning Liver and Kidney Remedy.

Will cure backache, pain in the side, dizziness, loss of appetite, constipation and all liver and urinary troubles.

Lightning Cough Drops. Will cure coughs, croup, whooping cough, hoarseness, bronchitis, sore throat, and will relieve consumption.

Lightning Hot Drops. Will cure neuralgia, toothache, earache, sprains, burns, bruises, cramps, colic and all painful affections. A sure cure for diarrhoea or summer complaint.

Lightning Worm Killer. Will remove all kinds of worms from the system. Cures worm fever and colic; prevents worm fits.

Lightning Vegetable Liver Pills. Cure sick headache, acidity of the stomach, biliousness, etc.

Lightning Blood Elixir. Cures pimples, scrofula, and all skin and blood disorders.

Lightning Horse and Cattle Powders. Are the best for all kinds of stock. Try them.

All the Lightning Remedies are sold and guaranteed to relieve or money refunded, by R. H. Starks.

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## Over the Country.

Few of the Events Said to Have Happened in the Past

WEEK—HERE AND THERE.

The mayor of Shepherdstown, W. Va., recently fined himself for letting his cow run at large, a violation of the town's ordinance.

A man at Lancaster last week kissed his wife's sister and it is occasioning him a heap of trouble, as she happened to be another man's wife.

The purchase of American securities by European buyers, has, within the past week, been enormous. This will soon relieve the money stringency.

A man at Carrollton last week put another man's name to the bottom of a check to see if it would pass, and he will be given the opportunity of learning a trade at Frankfort.

An evangelist at Greenfield, Mo., announced that he was there to chase hell up one street and damnation down the other. If it don't turn cooler he will be calling for some one to head him off or he will break his damphool neck.

There is a man in Cincinnati employed by a minister to wander about the town and report to him queer incidents that he may find. These are then weaved into the preacher's sermon. He is able to speak of surprising phases of life and his congregation wonder how he gets time to do so much.

A conference has been suggested of leading Congregationalists, Christians or Disciples and Free Baptists, to propose a basis for a practical alliance between the three denominations, the proposed basis to be submitted to the representative body of each denomination for discussion and possible ratification.

The latest Kentucky tale from the World's fair is to the effect that an old Nebraska farmer, looking at the hemp in the Kentucky exhibit said: "Kaintucky raises all the tools of the devil—whisky, tobacco an' hosses, an' its about the squan thing her to raise the hemp to hang the men that uses 'em."

William Dragoo a farmer, fearing that the bank at Munsie, Ind., in which he had \$500, might suspend came in Saturday and drew it all out in silver. When he reached home, after dark he tied his horse in front of his house and went in, leaving the money in the buggy. When he returned, a few minutes later, the rig and silver had disappeared.

According to an old story a preacher told a little girl, in answer to a query, that everything is in heaven as it is upon earth, except that there were no newspapers there because they couldn't get enough printers through the pearly gates to set the type. But the preacher's theory has now been exploded. A newspaper foreman has been heard from through a spiritualistic medium, and he says heaven is full of printers, reporters and editors, but it is impossible to run a newspaper there, as elsewhere, without a devil. Thus another slander upon "the art preservative of arts" is refuted.

A justice of the peace in Sandersville, Ga., being called upon to perform a marriage ceremony, is accused of concluding with: "By the authority vested in me as an officer of the state of Georgia, which is sometimes called the Empire state of the south; by the fields of cotton that lie spread out in snowy whiteness around us; by the howl of the coon dog and gourd vine whose clinging tendrils will shade the entrance to your humble dwelling place; by the red and luscious heart of the watermelon, whose sweetness fills the heart with joy; by the heavens and earth, in the presence of these witnesses, I pronounce you man and wife."

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Mr. Thomas Batte, editor of the Graphic, Texarkana, Arkansas, has found what he believes to be the best remedy in existence for the flux. His experience is well worth remembering. He says: "Last summer I had a very severe attack of flux. I tried almost every known remedy, none giving relief. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea remedy was recommended to me. I purchased a bottle and received almost immediate relief. I continued to use the medicine and was entirely cured. I take pleasure in recommending this remedy to any person suffering with such a disease, as in my opinion it is the best medicine in existence." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by R. H. Starks.

### What It Costs at the Fair.

There has been many exaggerated and false reports about the cost of seeing the Fair, that have had a tendency to keep down the attendance and prejudice the public against it. I want to say to the readers of the Tribune that hotel and restaurant prices are as low to-day in Chicago as they were before the World's fair was talked of. It will not cost a cent more to spend a week or ten days in Chicago than it does in Louisville Cincinnati or any other large city. It costs fifty cents to the Fair grounds, and that is the total admission to the World's fair. A walk through Midway Plaisance costs nothing, and it is left entirely to the visitor whether he will take in any of the shows along that street. The streets of Cairo, Old Vienna, the Animal Show, the Ferris Wheel and the Moorish Palace, are all that are really worth entering. And the total cost of these will be \$2.25. The cost of meals inside the grounds is about 20 per cent higher than in the city. You can get a good lunch for twenty-five cents and a good dinner for seventy-five cents. A week at the Fair is enough for anybody; and there is no reason whatever why it should cost more than \$35, including railroad fare from Louisville and every legitimate expense. I speak advisedly on this question after a personal experience and a thorough investigation.

### Cheap Rates to Chicago.

The St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute R. R. offer a rate of \$18.45 from Paducah to Chicago and return during the World's fair. Tickets will be on sale from April 25th to October 31st, limited to continuous passage in each direction, final return limit November 15, 1893.

Tickets at this rate will be sold via Carbondale and Illinois Central or East St. Louis and Wabash railroad, Chicago and Alton, Jacksonville Southeastern line and Vandalia and Illinois Central.

For further information, tickets, etc., call on or address C. C. McCarty, Palmer House, Paducah, Ky.

A young man who smokes more cigarettes than the average fiend gets away with, and by rigid economy in other lines and saving the boxes in which he purchased his favorite article of something, managed to accumulate 1,000 of them. He heard that the manufacturers would give a handsome present for the return of that many boxes. Anxious to reap the benefit of his unremitting toil in this particular line, the young man packed the boxes carefully and expressed them to the head-quarters with bright anticipations of the present he was to get. After a few days of waiting he had a response from the firm and this was what it says: "Send us another thousand and we'll send you a coffin."—Whitley County Herald.

Mr. J. C. Boswell, one of the best known and most respected citizens of Brownwood, Texas, suffered with diarrhea for a long time and, tried many different remedies without benefit, until Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea remedy was used; that relieved him at once. For sale by R. H. Starks.

Apple are always in demand and is remarkable that farmers do not take more care of their trees. The trouble generally is that little attention is paid to the fact that all apples should be grown on open trees in open orchards to produce a really high grade of fruit. Perhaps the most popular apple is the greening. The spy and the Spitzenberg are also always in demand. The snow apple is the most popular early winter kind.

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## SALEM, ILL.

People are generally healthy here. Crops are fine and the present prospects is that all the barns will be well filled. We have been needing rain for the last two weeks, but as I begin to write the rain begins to fall.

The Benton Tribune is a capital paper and is destined to do the county a great deal of good. Us fellows who have been away from old Marshall and Benton for a long time are exceedingly glad to read such a paper as the Tribune, to find out how things are moving in and around the old home-stand. Long may the waves of good keep rolling in that grand old county. While some of us are far away, and in the midst of nice people, we have not departed from our first love that we have always had for our native county and first friends we ever knew.

The spirituality in all the churches here is rather at a low ebb at the present, still we have very fine congregations to preach to, and profound attention.

I hereby tender my regards to the editor of the Tribune and all the friends in that part and pray the Lord to perpetuate his blessing unto us all.

M. M. DURAND.

### Commissioner's Notice.

C. H. Starks & Co., Plaintiffs vs. D. R. H. Truitt, & Co., Deft.

By order of the Marshall circuit court rendered at its June term 1893, in the above named suit all persons having claims against Calvin Dishman are notified to produce the same to me properly proven in my office in Benton, Ky., on or before the first day of the next October term 1893 of the Marshall circuit court or they will forever be barred as against C. H. Starks, assignee of said Calvin Dishman.

J. H. LITTLE, M. C. C. C. Persons having claims to file when I am absent may file them with circuit clerk R. L. Shemwell.

J. H. LITTLE.

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