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For Congress,  
HON. POLK LAFFOON,  
OF HOPKINS COUNTY.  
ELECTION NOVEMBER 28, 1886.

If the earthquake comes next week  
Wiggins will be a success.

The Madisonville Times got in the  
rooster act very cleverly this week.

The Blair bill, oleomargarine and  
other interesting questions will now be  
given a short vacation.

A Russian statistician says that ex-  
cessive application by school children  
superinduces headache.

Newark, N. J. dispatches the last sen-  
sation of a wanderer coming home to  
find his wife married to another fel-  
low.

Mr. Jolly has fired his "first gun of  
the campaign". The artillery salute  
will come later. The funeral is set for  
early in November.

The new gambling law has first taken  
effect in Union county. Two fellows  
were sent up for running games of  
chance at the Uniontown fair.

The President is again at Wash-  
ington. For fear he would not catch a  
deer in the mountains, he captured one  
just before his vacation season.

Commissioner Sparks says that 20,  
901,967 acres of the public domain were  
disposed of last year. The poor rail-  
roads only got about 2,000,000 acres of it.

If Prof. Wiggins, cyclone and earth-  
quake come to time next Wednesday,  
his inevitable moon will be very well re-  
ceived in polite circles, that is if the  
circles are left.

One hundred thousand families rep-  
resenting 500,000 people are starving in  
Texas by reason of the recent drought.  
Rev. John Brown is at Buffalo trying  
to secure 100,000 bushels of seed wheat  
for the poor people.

Mr. G. A. T. Yor, of the Interior De-  
partment, has been to Frankfort and  
says our penitentiary is the best one he  
ever saw. Taylor's ignorance of peni-  
tentiaries is suspicious. Maybe he ain't  
a good judge of such matters, or per-  
haps he's prejudiced against the peni-  
tentiaries he's been in.

It is now said that El Coyote, the  
Mexican bandit, was not killed as at  
first reported. With Gerónimo gone  
the Pacific coast could not suffer the  
sudden loss of El Coyote. We insist  
that these two distinguished person-  
ages should be started out on a diplo-  
matic career.

A new phase of treatment for the in-  
sane has been developed in a New York  
lunatic asylum. The poor inmates are  
formed into a regular school and light  
tasks are imposed from day to day.  
This is for the purpose of toning up the  
debilitated mental energies. A good  
plan if it will work.

Bartley Campbell, the great drama-  
tist, is reportedly insane. Some of his  
plays are the strongest that have been  
presented in recent years. He believes  
that Oliver Cromwell lives in his stom-  
ach. A man whose digestive organs are  
the habitation of such a huster as the  
great Oliver can hardly be blamed for  
going deranged.

The Springfield Republican says:  
"Speaker Carlisle in an interview calls  
attention to the fact that, after the pay-  
ment of \$140,000,000 more of the na-  
tional debt, no more bonds can be called  
in till 1891. So for about three years  
the Government surplus will have to  
accumulate, and unless the taxes are re-  
duced or bonds bought at a high premi-  
um, an enormous surplus must accumu-  
late, which taken from the channels of  
trade will 'paralyze' trade. 'I am very  
strongly of the opinion, therefore, that  
when the debt which is now payable  
has been fully discharged, if not before  
that time, the people of the country will  
demand a reduction of the taxes on spirits  
and tobacco. Mr. Carlisle says it will  
never be done, never. The reduction  
will come upon the tariff and not upon  
internal revenue, for it is plain to my  
mind that no political party of this  
country can afford to take the position  
that whiskey and tobacco and beer shall  
be free while a tax remains upon the  
people's clothing and implements of  
trade. People won't stand it.'"

Twenty-five chairmen of committees  
in the last Congress have been defeated  
for re-nomination. It looks as if the peo-  
ple were running this government after  
all.

Down in Georgia the colored people  
are frantic over Prof. Wiggins prophe-  
cy. They think the world is coming to  
an end and that the judgement is near  
at hand.

Next Wednesday is the day set for  
Prof. Wiggins' terrible cyclone and  
earthquake. They say that superstition  
has been driven out of this country, but  
we will venture that pretty much all of  
the enlightened state of society will keep  
one eye on the 29th till she has come  
and gone.

It is said that the gubernatorial can-  
vass over in Tennessee is getting a little  
warmer. The red and the white rose are  
becoming spirited in their discussion,  
and a break and a breach between the  
brothers is not improbable. Should they  
succeed in going through the fight with  
their fraternal relations as strong and  
as firm as in days gone by, it will be  
a heroic triumph as proudly won by  
both as the honors of the office one is  
to receive.

Poik LaBonne's record his first term in  
Congress entitles him to the support of  
every voter in this district. He was  
diligently one of the working mem-  
bers. His part in the redemption  
of the public lands alone gives him  
a value as a public servant far above  
the average. His admirable speech on  
the silver question and his unques-  
tioned understanding of the public finan-  
ces gives him an influence in the House  
rarely attained by members during their  
first term of service. His civil service  
amendment bill was pushed by the  
leading papers of the country and gives  
him a position as a statesman but seldom  
reached by one so young in public life.  
His constant attention to the  
wants and wishes of his constituency  
gives him a place in the popular affec-  
tions not often occupied by public offi-  
cials. In fact, he is a man for the sec-  
ond district to be proud of, and in his  
hands the banner of Democracy will  
not trail.

The birth and development of an idea  
is one of the strangest and most un-  
derstood processes in the world. It comes  
in fragments.

Thousands of minds  
catch it as an intuitional judgement.  
Finally some man comes along and  
speaks it out and the thousands agree  
with him, because they themselves have  
felt the same unuttered thought. Ideas  
are scarce. Rarely does one man pos-  
sess two. Their ownership stamps him  
as a crank. Luther was one of this  
class, so was Mahomet and a host of  
other immortals. They had their idea,  
spoke it out, found the multitudes  
awaiting them and captured fame.  
Oscar Wilde, ridiculed as he was, had  
an idea which left its impress in the  
aesthetics and decorations of our homes  
and in the drapery of the female form di-  
vine. The dude is an idea. Dudes do  
not have ideas, understand, but he is  
one. He is a reaction from the "thug."  
The professional bruiser is the rough  
end of manhood, the dude is the invisi-  
ble end of sentimentalism. The dude is  
a character as much as the artist or  
brick-mason. He is the balance-wheel  
of much that is coarse and vulgar. Not  
that he intends to be, it is true, but be-  
cause he is so in spite of himself. A  
mixture of dude and thug makes a good  
average man. As it is they are in equi-  
librium. The tendency is to gravitate  
towards each other, and when they  
amalgamate we will have a good healthy  
citizenship.

When the system is debilitated by dis-  
ease, it should be strengthened and re-  
newed with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This  
medicine invariably proves itself worthy  
of all that can be said in its favor.  
Sold by druggists and dealers in medi-  
cines. Price \$1. Six bottles \$5.

The absence of the bloody shirt plank  
from the numerous platforms claud-  
ated by the various State Republican  
conventions is conclusive evidence that  
that issue is dead beyond resurrection.  
The vain efforts of politicians, especially  
our local politicians, to inject this idea  
into campaign issues is ridiculous to  
such a degree that it is never attempted  
except in extreme cases and then only  
on the presumption of the most violent  
ignorance of the constituency. The  
many lurid prophecies that were gra-  
tuitously announced when Mr. Cleveland  
was elected, about the condemnation of  
that was to fall upon the negro race, had  
found an unexpected and contradictory  
fulfillment in the increased prosperity  
and wealth of the colored people of the  
South. The negro race is not yet pre-  
pared to act upon these facts, but many  
of the more intelligent among them re-  
cognize these conditions of their pros-  
perity. Under the guidance of these  
numerous leaders, we may expect a  
new political alignment among them.  
As they grow into a proper conception  
of the problems of life and of state, it is  
not to be expected that they will pre-  
serve that "mighty unanimity" which  
expert politicians have thus far deluded  
them into observing. A split in the  
negro vote is the logical conclusion of  
the prosperity they are enjoying, of  
their growing intelligence and their  
freedom. The man who to-day waves  
the "bloody shirt" insults the intelli-  
gence of both races and is in deed and  
in fact an incendiary. Since it seems  
destined that this country, for the first  
time in the history of the world, is to  
solve the problem of two races living  
amicably on a common soil, enjoying a  
common freedom and the protection of  
the same laws, it is treason of the first  
degree to tend to disrupt the friendly  
relations of the two races. It is an old  
dog, it is true, and it has been seen  
it day. Long ago it lost its force and  
effect in national politics, and it is now  
laughed at to rest never again to play its  
fraudulent part in county affairs. The  
Republicans are shrewd in ejecting it  
from their platforms, and our local Re-  
publican friends can find a pointer in  
the omission.

H. B. Garner wishes to state that he  
has not found an article he was refer-  
ring to in his issue. It is with pleasure he  
guarantees to the public Ayer's English  
Remedy as a sure and never-failing cure  
for Asthma, Cough, Whooping Cough,  
Croup, and all Lung Troubles. It is  
the standard remedy for Consumption.  
He has never found its equal.

When symptoms of malaria appear, in  
any form, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It  
will prevent a development of the  
fever of disease, and eradicate them  
from the system. A cure is warranted  
in every instance.

The Great Wonders of America.

1. The Capitol at Washington, with its iron dome weighing 8,000,000 pounds.
2. The Bunker Hill Monument, where noble Warren fell.
3. The Washington Monument an obelisk shaft, 555 feet 5 1/2 inches high.
4. Niagara Falls the stupendous cata-  
ract where 90,000,000 cubic feet of  
water pour hourly over the precipice.
5. The Mammoth Cave where you  
may wander for 200 miles through the  
bowels of Kentucky.
6. Old Fort Snelling the tireless geyser of  
Yellowstone Park, which not only  
spouts 130 feet, but spurts punctually  
every 55 minutes.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Com-  
plaint, you have a printed guarantee on  
every bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy.  
It never fails to cure. Sold by J. R. Ar-  
mstrong.

Tom Marshall's Best.

When Hon. Thomas F. Marshall was  
holding a debate in this county with  
Gen. John C. Breckinridge in the Scott-  
Pierce Presidential campaign in 1852,  
interrupted Mr. Marshall, saying:  
"Tom, don't you remember when you  
and I were in the watch-house together  
at Lexington?"

Mr. Marshall gave the intruder one of  
his peculiar, searching looks, and, with  
much effect, replied:  
"Well, I do thank my God from the  
bottom of my heart that I ever knew  
you have forgotten you."

He then turned to the subject of this reply,  
and felt that the greatest blessing that  
could befall him would be the ability  
to forget unpleasant people. (Kentucki-  
an-Citizen.)

Buckley's Arnica Salve.

This best salve in the world for Cuts,  
Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Pim-  
ples, Sore Throat, Chapped Hands, Chil-  
blains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and  
positively cures Piles, or no pay re-  
quired. It is guaranteed to give perfect sat-  
isfaction, or money refunded. Price 25  
cents per box. For sale by Harry B.  
Garner.

Killed Two of His Tormentors.

OWEN, Ky., Sept. 21.—George  
Hull, Jacob Simpson, Josh Ingram  
and young King, while drunk, went to  
the residence of J. L. Jump last Sat-  
urday night, and because he (Jump)  
would not drink with them began abus-  
ing him and his family. Jump, seeing  
that nothing would do but a fight, went  
to a neighbor's and procured a gun and  
returning fired on his abusers, mortally  
wounding Hull and Simpson. Jump had  
at one time been a drinking man and  
but recently joined the church and was  
trying to lead a better life. The men  
were neighbors and had always been the  
best of friends. All the parties live  
near Holbrook, Grant county, and about  
twelve miles from this place. Up to  
this time Jump has not been arrested.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—  
a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria,  
and Canker Mouth. For sale by J. R.  
Armstrong.

About Earthquakes.

Earthquakes increase in number to-  
ward the middle and end of the cen-  
tury.

Since the creation of the world 14,  
000,000 people have been killed by  
earthquakes.

One reason why Charleston suffered  
so severely from the earthquake is be-  
cause it is on a low sandy soil.

There is an earthquake every day in  
the year some where, although it may  
be so slight as to be hardly noticeable.

One hundred earthquakes were re-  
corded last year, and during some of  
these years 600 were recorded. 1880,  
1,300 shocks occurred in Japan.

Seismic troubles are often correctly  
predicted days ahead by that delicate  
instrument, the seismometer. The  
trouble is to tell just where the shocks  
will take place.

It was only the low-lying portion of  
Lisbon which was destroyed in 1755  
in San Francisco the buildings on it  
"made lands" near the bay suffer more  
from earthquakes than those on the hill  
portion of the city.

A most astonishing phenomenon of  
the Japanese earthquake was the lifting  
of the Papandayan mountain. In a  
flash of time it was split into seven  
peaks. Where a lone mountain had stood  
loomed up seven peaks, each some  
7,000 feet high.

Earthquakes do not result from vol-  
canoes. Frequently volcanoes are formed  
by earthquakes. The great number  
of volcanic eruptions are in the summer,  
while the greatest number of earth-  
quakes occur in the winter. Two are  
simply the different effects of a common  
cause.

Greece, Italy, Egypt, Asia Minor and  
North Africa belong to one of the three  
great earthquake areas of the globe.

The other two are (1) the Andes, west-  
ern coast of North America, Kamatska,  
Japan and New Zealand; (2) Arabia  
and India, from the equator to twenty  
degrees north latitude.

The Pacific slope has long enjoyed an  
undesirable pre-eminence as the dis-  
tinctively earthquake region of the  
United States, yet, according to the re-  
ports kept at Washington, there were  
147 earthquakes on the Atlantic coast  
from 1872 to 1883 and only 151 during  
the same time on the Pacific coast.

Dr. John F. W. Herschel, in a lecture  
on earthquakes published about ten years  
ago, calls attention to the enormous  
quantities of matter that are carried  
down the rivers, or are washed from  
the coast, and says that in order to  
counteract this earthquakes are con-  
stantly occurring in some localities.  
The cause of the matter is to be found in  
the central heat of the earth.

The late Commander Morrison; royal  
navy, in 1834, published the following  
observations on earthquakes, and is recom-  
mended by State Reports of Schools in 36  
States, and by over 20 leading College Presi-  
dents.

In the present instance an eclipse of the  
sun occurred on Aug. 29. Jupiter and  
Uranus were in conjunction with the  
moon on Aug. 31. On the same day  
there were important aspects between  
the sun and Jupiter and between Mars  
and Uranus. —Boston Advertiser.

I would specially recommend to the  
ladies Ayer's Dyspepsia Tablets. As  
a laxative they have no equal. They  
are guaranteed to cure Chronic Con-  
densation, Dyspepsia, and all diseases ar-  
ising from a diseased stomach. With a  
free use of the Tablets, Sick Headache  
is impossible. H. B. GARNER, Druggist.

The Henderson, Archer, McBride,  
Donaldson and Krebs Lithographing  
Company, Cincinnati, have demanded a  
return from the nine-hour to the ten-  
hour system. The employees have struck  
against the demand. The Stronwbridge  
Company has been working ten hours  
and this caused the other companies to  
take this action against their workmen.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of  
Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself  
and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S  
CONSUMPTION CURE. Sold by J.  
R. Armstrong."

## Sore Eyes

The eyes are always in sympathy with  
the body, and afford an excellent index  
of its condition. When the eyes become  
weak, and the lids inflamed and sore, it  
is an evidence that the system has  
become disordered by Scrophula, for  
which Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best  
known remedy.

Scrophula, which produced a painful in-  
flammation in my eyes, caused me much  
suffering for a number of years. By the  
aid of a physician I commenced taking  
Ayer's Sarsaparilla. After using this  
medicine a short time I was completely  
cured.

My eyes are now in a splendid con-  
dition, and I am as well and strong as ever.  
—Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.

For a number of years I was troubled  
with a humor in my eyes, and was unable  
to obtain any relief until I commenced  
using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medi-  
cine has effected a complete cure, and I  
believe it to be the best of blood puri-  
fiers. —C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H.

From childhood, and until within a few  
months, I have been afflicted with Weak  
and Sore Eyes. I have used for these  
complaints, with little benefit, the best  
of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and consider it a  
great blood purifier. —Mrs. C. Phillips,  
Glover, Vt.

I suffered for a year with inflamma-  
tion in my left eye. Three ulcers formed  
on the ball, depriving me of sight, and  
causing great pain. After trying many  
other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally  
induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

By Taking  
three bottles of this medicine I have been  
entirely cured. My sight has been re-  
stored, and there is no sign of inflamma-  
tion, or ulcer in my eye. —Kendall  
T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted  
with Scrophulous Sore Eyes. During  
the last two years she never saw light of  
any kind. Physicians of the highest  
standing exerted their skill, but with no  
permanent success. On the recommen-  
dation of a friend I purchased a bottle of  
Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and after using it  
commenced taking. Before she had used  
the third bottle her sight began to im-  
prove, and she is now perfectly cured. —W. E. Smith,  
Lancaster, Mass.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,  
Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.  
Sold by all Druggists. Price \$1; six bottles, \$5.

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Simple, standard, Fancy, Groceries!  
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is well supplied with Fine Whiskies, Brandy  
and Wines. Fresh Cold Beer always on tap,  
and a choice lot of Fine Cigars and Tobacco  
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