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THE TRI-WEEKLY NEW ERA

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1886.

MEAT FOR BABES.

Stuff the school children; fill up the heads of them.

Black and white, and every problem and question.

Stuff them with brains and fill them with knowledge.

When they are through with the labor and show of it.

What do they care for the what and how of it?

Feed them and cram them with all sorts of knowledge.

Read them and push them through high schools and colleges.

Keep the hot little on, boiling and frothing.

Push them and press them to higher studies.

Read them and push them while they are in the way.

Knowledge is great, though many say it will kill for it.

Put on the taxes to pay for the high school.

Use them and press them to higher studies.

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THE SIGN BEARER.

"Sandy" was not really his name.

course, but when a man becomes, in

point of fact, nothing but a peripatetic

sign, he is apt to grow indignant at

small points of etiquette and to the social

excesses that demand a ready and gen-

erous name when he is addressed.

For old Sandy was a gentleman in

spite of the fact that there was nothing

visible of him above the sign board to

be seen, but a pair of drooping shoul-

ders, inadequately covered with a rusty

twisted coat, a weather-beaten neck, in

which some of the cords seemed to have

aspirated under pressure of reason, the

heavy brows, and long, straggling hairs,

drooping shaggy, a cane, worn for

years, and a pair of trousers, made of

the same material as the coat, and a

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What Can be Done.

A gentleman of wealth one day, while

practicing penmanship, wrote his name

upon a blank slip of paper and allowed

it to lie upon his desk. It attracted the

attention of a neighbor, who, for a joke,

filled the space above the signature in

the form of a promissory note, and in a

few days afterward presented the paper,

with an offer to allow considerable dis-

count if the apparent drawer would cash

it at that time. The gentleman recog-

nized the job and the holder of the docu-

ment, placing it in his pocket, de-

parted and nothing more was said about

it. Subsequently the holder was stricken

with paralysis and died; and his execu-

tors, finding the paper above the signa-

ture, and the mischief of the thoughtless

practical jokes.—Exchange.

Street Car Etiquette.

The Boston Herald says that "Here's

a good Mrs. Lacy" is the expression

used in the street cars of that city. It

is a wretched expression, and the fact

that it comes from the center of culture

shows it to the level of a full-fledged

idiot. The Boston Herald, "Madam,"

is the best and most sensible

editorial in the city. It is a pity that

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Pyæmia.

Is the most violent form of blood-poison-

ing. Less speedily fatal, but not less cer-

tainly so, is the condition of the blood

in which the first symptoms are Pimples,

Scabs, Boils, and Eruptions.

When the taint of Scrofula gives

warning of its presence by such indications,

no time should be lost in using AYER'S

SARSAPARILLA, the only perfect and reliable

medicine for the purification of the blood.

SCROFULA.

Is a foul corruption in the blood that

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# THE TRI-WEEKLY NEW ERA.

—PUBLISHED BY—  
New Era Printing and Publishing Co.

JOHN O. RUST, Editor.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1886.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

TRAINS NORTH	10:35 A. M.	10 P. M.
TRAINS SOUTH	6:55 A. M.	5:55 P. M.

## AGENTS

Who are authorized to collect subscriptions to the New Era:  
Lee Thacker—Lafayette, Ky.  
Dr. G. W. Rives—Johnson's P. O.

## OUR CLUB OFFER.

Get us a club of five new subscribers, for either weekly at \$1.50 or TRI-WEEKLY at \$2.50 a year and we will give you the WEEKLY NEW ERA for one year with ticket in our drawing.

For a club of ten new subscribers we will give the TRI-WEEKLY NEW ERA one year, ticket in the drawing and the forty five books advertised in our list of "Inducements."

For a club of more than ten we will give the paper, ticket and books as above and a liberal commission, which we guarantee to be satisfactory to the club-ruler. Go to work and GET US UP A CLUB.

## Personal.

T. F. McCord, Harrington, was in the city Monday.

Miss Flora Trice is visiting friends in Bowling Green.

Rev. A. L. Johnson left for his home in Texas Monday.

Mrs. Austin Peay, of Garrettsburg, was in the city Monday.

Miss Edna Pierce, of Nashville, is visiting Mrs. H. W. Tibbo.

Mr. Jas. F. Fyfe returned from a prospecting tour through the South.

T. J. Blaine, representing Forbes & Bro., went to New Monday.

Lillford Arthur, agent for Marie Prescott was in the city Monday.

Mrs. James Anderson, of Hartford, is sitting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Walter.

Mr. Milton Gant, of Owensboro, is in the city shaking hands with his old friends.

Rev. J. N. Prescotte left to-day for Selma, Ala., to spend several weeks in visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. F. M. Campbell and sons, George and Fletcher, leave to-day for Birmingham, Ill., on an extended visit.

Herschel Porter, Tom Jackson, Walter Williams and Mrs. F. B. Richardson, Pembroke, were in the city yesterday.

## To McPherson's Creditors.

Those holding claims against assigned estate of J. D. McPherson and me as his assignee, are notified to present them on or before Jan. 1st, 1887, at my office, R. W. HENRY, Assignee.

## Marriages.

Mr. Geo. Dalton and Miss Ada Meacham will be married Thursday morning at 6 o'clock by Rev. T. J. Barrow. They will spend a few days visiting friends in Tennessee and return to this city to live.

Mr. J. Add Smith and Miss Maggie C. Peay, both of Pembroke, will be married at the Baptist church, that place, to-night, the father of the bride, Rev. J. M. Peay, officiating.

## Marie Prescott.

Next Saturday afternoon Miss Marie Prescott will appear at the opera house in "Pygmalion and Galatea." That night she plays "Czeka" and Monday night "Ingomar." We do not hesitate to state that Miss Prescott is one of the greatest actresses. She is a native Kentuckian and second only to Mary Anderson. Our citizens should assuredly patronize so worthy an attraction. Prices as usual. For the sake of the best in theatricals we bespeak for Miss Prescott a liberal patronage. The N. Y. World says: "Marie Prescott has been gaining unstinted praise for her superb acting at the Union Square Theatre. She has carried her large audience to the greatest heights of enthusiasm. There is an intensity about her acting that enchains the hearer at once. She has the rare fire of histrionic genius, and it is a matter of congratulation that she is at least being recognized for what she is worth by the American public."

## The Worst Yet.

If something is not done to stop the bold thieving perpetrated on our streets, it will be unsafe for ladies to appear without an escort. Saturday evening about 6 o'clock, as Miss Mary Blumenthal was on her way home a bold attempt to rob her was made by two negro toughs. She first noticed the fellows at the head of Mechanics street. They followed her up 7th street, and when in front of Mr. Berry's residence attempted to take from her a hand satchel. She grappled with them and screamed. Mr. Berry came to her relief and the thieves scampered off without the satchel. They then went to South Kentucky College and entered one of the rooms while the young ladies were at supper. Someone heard them and scared them off. About the same time the same thing, it is supposed, met Mrs. Sarah Coleman on Campbell street, in front of Mr. E. G. Seabree's residence, and attempted to rob her of her purse. They tore the satchel to pieces but were frightened off by Mrs. Coleman's screams before they got any plunder. On the heels of the Bruff robbery, last Tuesday night, it is enough to make honest citizens indignant beyond degree. If some man would blow their brains out, it would be well for the town. The thieves are described as half grown negro boys. Miss Blumenthal recognized them but does not know their names. The police can bestow no greater favor on the public than by bringing these offenders to justice. It is a shame that respectable ladies should be attacked on the public streets before it is hardly dark by desperate hoodlums. As a word of warning we tell them to look sharp or some man will shoot the life out of them.

Charley Anderson took a photograph of the New Era building yesterday afternoon.

# Around Town.

Gaither's got 'em—Christmas trix.

Have you seen the new "Burmese" ware at Howe's?

Rev. A. L. Johnson preached an interesting sermon at the Christian church Sunday morning.

A fine farm in Trigg county, near the I. A. & T. railroad, is offered for sale. See notice in this paper.

Born to the wife of Mr. G. V. Lander, Saturday night, a boy.

The show window at Howe's Jewelry Palace, is the greatest attraction on Main street now.

A Chautauqua Literary circle has been formed in this city. Many of our leading married ladies belong to it.

Stop at Gaither's and see the Holiday Goods. They're simply immense.

A commendable style was introduced at the Cantata Tuesday night by the ladies of the audience—they all left their hats at home, or took them off after they entered the Opera House—Chronicle. Girls, don't let the Clarksville bells outdo you!

1,000 bushels of Clover Seed wanted. JNO. R. GREEN & CO.

The tobacco sale to-morrow will be an important event. Goodly quantities of the old and new crop will be offered, and the buyers will be on hand to take in the weed. Our citizens, even one of them, should work for the home market at all times.

REMEMBER, that McKee & Co. are now receiving their Holiday Goods and soliciting your patronage. We now have Oranges, Lemons, Cocoanuts, Apples, Figs, Dates, Currants, Nuts, Candies, &c. We also have a beautiful line of Pickles in bottles and in bulk; also a full line of California Canned Goods. Now is your time to buy. Come to see us.

Tom Edmundson, the ex-saloonist, is endeavoring to draw an honest living from the Florida waters. As Jonah, the prophet of the Almighty, was taken from a whale, he has determined to get the profit of the "Almighty Dollar" from fresh receipts of ocean trout, mullets and Spanish mackerel. A sample of red-snapper sent us was excellent. The enterprise deserves encouragement.

Young man, rush around to Gaither's and get a present for your best girl. She has already been there and selected it. "Ed" will give you the tip.

An Earlington correspondent says: "Saturday night while conductor Cannon was en route south with freight train and while passing through Hopkinsville, some dapper thought he would replenish his coal supply and therefore made a raid on a car of coal on the train for that purpose when he received, as his reward, a shot from a pistol, but whether or not fatal we are unable to say."

Evidently there is something amiss a town somewhere. Somebody must be getting rich on the credulity of customers, according to their statements; or else there will be a big blow-up in the business before very long.

W. A. Glass and Birch Walker have started a mill for crushing corn—grain, cob and shuck—for feed, on the old Richardson place, five miles from Hopkinsville, on the Canton road. It is a great feed economist, as the experience of practical farmers in the North for many years, has demonstrated, and the enterprise will doubtless be freely patronized by the public generally of the vicinage. Persons living in town who have horse or cows to feed would save time and money by using crushed feed.

Wedding presents for a notable society event were purchased last week at Gaither's Jewelry store. They have duplicates on exhibition. They are the loveliest things of the season. "You just ought to see them."

The street lamps were not lit in the Northern part of the city at all, Friday night, and the same thing occurred on several streets in the Southern. In this connection we desire to state that in some parts of the city the lights are regularly turned out nearly every night shortly after being lit. The miscreants should be detected and punished. It is somebody's duty to find out who are the guilty parties. These lamps are for the public good and not a standing joke for people who don't know a joke from a thrashing machine.

Strunk Book and Rex—Corner of 9th and Clay streets, now occupied by J. T. Barrow. Apply to JNO. R. GREEN & CO.

Dr. A. A. Willets delivered his lecture "On the Wing, or a Summers night over the sea," at the Opera House, Friday night. Owing to the inclemency of the weather only a small crowd was present. The lecture was one of the most charming ever heard here. It abounded in soul stirring descriptions, beautiful narration, humor, pathos, point and eloquence. The delivery was the perfection of simplicity. Dr. Willets has a warm place in our hearts and we are always glad to see him in Hopkinsville.

The most useful and elegant Christmas presents for either gentleman or lady is one of John Holland's gold pens and toothpick, which you will find in great variety at M. D. Kelly's, the only authorized agent in this city and who sells them as low as inferior goods of a different make are sold.

Milton and Dollie Nobles in "Love and Law," at the Opera House, Saturday night, was the best all around show that has been here in two seasons. Nobles is a clever comedian, polished, easy, fresh, genuine. Mrs. Nobles is charming in her part. As Rita she won the hearts of the audience and her pure, sweet voice, musical brogue, superb intonation and exquisite force were captivating. Louis F. Howard as Giovanni Conti was all the part required and divided honors equally with the stars. Mary Davenport as Old Rosa was an exact characterization, superbly executed. Every part was a success. Nobles can "draw" here next time.

"Oh Susie! Have you seen the lovely thing?" They are just too sweet, said a leading society girl as she stopped a friend on Main street Saturday. "No I haven't, but I'm going right now, come on." And they both tripped straight across to Gaither's drug store, crowded in, and began to look through. The truth is the world of handsome things to be seen there is quite bewildering, and no wonder the lovely creatures were enthusiastic. Call around at once.

# Cabinet sized photographs reduced to \$5 per dozen at Anderson's gallery.

Seasoned wood in any quantity at the Diamond Coal yard, near the depot.

The love-lit diamonds in a maiden's eyes sparkle not more brilliantly than the pretty things at Gaither's Jewelry Store. Come feast your eyes upon them.

Begin the new year with a subscription to the New Era, \$1.50 a year for the WEEKLY; \$2.50 for the TRI-WEEKLY with ticket in our big drawing next April. It's a good investment.

A festive kick bombarded the plank fence in the rear of Mr. H. B. Garner's drug store, with a roman candle yesterday evening. The target practice was perfect as the fence was soon in a promising blaze. Mr. Garner discovered the flames and quickly extinguished them and the kick.

For anything in the jewelry line go to M. D. Kelly. He has the largest stock of diamonds, fine gold and silver watches, gold pens, spectacles, silver-ware, gold-headed canes, clocks, &c., &c., at 10 to 25 per cent. lower than any other house can afford to sell them.

Hunter Wood's not as some might suppose, a wood hunter, although his history shows that he Wood Hunter revenue inspection as long as any fraction of it could be seen. He is making one of the most alert and competent officers the Government has ever had in this State—Bowling Green Democrat.

The rush continues at the City Pharmacy, which is recognized headquarters for Holiday Presents. Nothing like it ever seen here before. Mr. Garner, after infuse trouble and expense, has made a "ten strike" in his selection this year, which the public is not slow to recognize and appreciate. Examine his stock now before the choice articles are all taken.

The side-walk of stone flags has been completed over Main street bridge—a great convenience to footmen in bad weather. A good brick side-walk now extends from the bridge nearly to the northern entrance of the Cemetery. It should be constructed to the gate. The muddy interval between the street pavement and the excellent drive in the Cemetery does not harmonize, nor does it belitt the neatness and comfort which should characterize the best built town in Western Kentucky.

If you don't think Christmas is coming, go to Howe's Jewelry Palace and see the elegant display. It is simply immense.

Coal thieves have been abundant lately. Felix Biggs-staff round a regiment one night last week, and Sunday morning Joe—Hopsen—was jailed—stealing fuel from the city. The guilty parties say that the brakeman sell them the coal for tobacco and whisky. They train men will throw off large quantities of this paltry exchange. The railroad officials here deny the allegation. They say it is a trumped up charge to conceal the real thieves. The matter is being investigated and the light will soon be turned on.

Wouldn't the jewelers of Hopkinsville have a bonanza, like they once had, if they could get rid of the "Boss Jeweler," M. D. Kelly, who has forced the prices of everything in his line down to a living standard?

One day last week a terrible explosion occurred at the saw mill of Mr. J. J. Lynn, located on the farm of Col. Joe Ashby, four miles East of Hanson, this county. The boiler of the mill exploded with terrible force. Four mill boys were hurt, Geo. Morton, the sawyer, Wadell and another man whose name we could not learn were knocked down, stunned and bruised. Ellis, the engineer, was badly hurt, and his chances for recovery are doubtful. The explosion was terrible. The mill shed was demolished, and lumber and debris scattered in every direction—Madisonville Times.

We see that our popular jeweler M. D. Kelly is presenting to his lady customers, who buy goods to the amount of one dollar and upward, an elegant present, which is most artistic and useful. Call in time before they are all gone.

In spite of the abundance of delicate game fowl, there is a lingering remnant of the savage in mankind which lingers after wild meat, and fancies that the flesh of no domestic fowl or four-footed beast is so toothsome as that of wild animals. Fat possums have made their appearance on the streets and the soul of the gray-haired African is filled with unutterable longings and memories of long ago, "bello do wah." Eastern papers say that this ugly brute, the abhorrence of farmers' wives, which favors his juicy ribs and tender loins with the savor of fat chickens and is so pernicious, is growing in favor in Eastern restaurants and commands a high price. The possum crop in Kentucky is as abundant as the tobacco crop and high prices need not be apprehended for some time.

About \$600 already made up on our premium list and \$100 more to be added between now and April. How is this for a gift to subscribers? Subscribe for one year and get a chance.

At the recent term of court of claims Esq. Cal Tapp made a statement that he was never satisfied with the settlement made with the Sheriff in November, 1885. The court appointed to overhauling the books, papers and memoranda of that settlement. They found that in the settlement referred to there was an error against the county of more than \$1,800. The mistake seems to have occurred in crediting the Sheriff twice with the pauper fund appropriation and some poll tax levies. Ex Sheriff Niblet was then Sheriff, and the settlement was made by County Attorney Orr for the county. Sheriff Niblet, we understand, says he did not see the statement until it was read in court, and says he knew nothing of the error. He has not yet examined Commissioners Tapp and Dempsey's report, but says that if there is a mistake he is perfectly willing to have it corrected. No collusion or fraud is charged. It is generally regarded as an oversight or mistake, but a costly one to Hopkinsville county—Madisonville Times.

Subscriptions to any paper or magazine in the world taken at this office at club prices that will in many instances save the price of the New Era. For instance, the daily Courier-Journal (six issues a week) and the WEEKLY NEW ERA for \$10.50; or TRI-WEEKLY for \$11.50.

# Papers Wanted.

To complete our files we want the following papers:

Nov. 20—21—22—23—24—25—26—27, 1885 and 49 and 50, 1886 of the TRI-WEEKLY NEW ERA.

Also, October 3rd and 10th, 1884, and October 30th, 1885 of the WEEKLY.

Anybody who has any of the above will greatly oblige us by sending them in at once and we will gladly pay for them. Address plainly.

New Era Co., Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

# Morrison Released.

John B. Morrison, who was held over by Judge Anderson, last Friday, under a bond of \$100, was released from custody Monday. His father came to the city with complete satisfaction, the bond was arranged and the young man liberated. His wife has been with him since the trial. He went to his father's home Monday evening where he will remain till the next term of court.

# The Delightful Liquid Laxative.

Syrup of Figs is a most agreeable and valuable family remedy, as it is easily taken by old and young, and is prompt and effective in curing Habitual Constipation and the many ills depending on a weak or inactive condition of the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels. It acts gently, strengthens the organs on which it acts, and awakens them to a healthy activity. For sale by H. B. Garner, Hopkinsville, Ky.

# Tobacco Market.

Montague & Morris, of Franklin, Ky., held a tobacco fair on the 15th inst., which was largely attended by the farmers and buyers. About forty entries were made of samples of ten pounds each. The samples comprise the usual varieties of tobacco commonly raised in this section, exclusive of the white Burley. This collection of tobacco was pronounced by the tobacco buyers as being the finest in size and quality they have examined this season, and as evidence of the fact the samples were put up and sold and brought seven and a half dollars per hundred, two and three being the general price.

Clarksville Chronicle Dec. 18: Offerings were fair upon the Board this week, but mainly of low grade of leaf and lungs. The demand was fair and the sales for the week will probably reach a total of two hundred hogsheads. The market shows no new feature of interest. The loose market has not yet opened, the mixed character of the crop, and high views of planters, delaying transactions of any size.

Common lugs..... 2 00 to 2 50 Medium lugs..... 2 75 to 3 00 Good lugs..... 3 25 to 3 75 Common leaf..... 3 50 to 4 00 Medium leaf..... 5 25 to 6 50 Good leaf..... 6 50 to 8 00

# FRANKFORT GETS IT.

The Colored State Normal School Located in Kentucky's Capital City.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 18.—The committee to select a location for the Colored State Normal School, consisting of J. D. Pickett, Superintendent of Public Instruction; Judge Surratt, of Louisville; Hon. C. M. McElroy, of Bowling Green; and Col. J. O. Holmes, of Lexington, have accomplished their work, and awarded the school to Frankfort, Lexington, Bowling Green, Danville, Owensboro and Hopkinsville were taken into consideration, but the location was given to Frankfort for the reason that it is more central, is in the midst of a large colored population, and does not cost \$1,500 in cash and a tract of ten acres of ground on the top of Fort Hill. The site is the most desirable about the city, and when the buildings are finished, which will cost \$7,500, the amount of the State appropriation, it will be an imposing elevation that will greatly add to the picturesque of the view.

The citizens have agreed to construct at their own cost a handsome roadway of eighteen feet in width up the hill on both sides to the building, and the State department calls for \$2,000 annually for the maintenance of the institution, all of which will likely be largely supplemented by private contributions.

# Syrup of Figs

Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal. Is Nature's Own True Laxative. It is the most easily taken and the most pleasantly effective remedy known to cleanse the system of all obstructions; to relieve headaches, colds and fevers; to cure habitual constipation, indigestion, etc. For sale in 50 cents and \$1.00 bottles by H. B. Garner, Hopkinsville, Ky.

# Our Thieves.

The holidays are at hand. Every body wants money; not only those who work hard and honestly for it, but also the idle, vicious class who never did a day's honest work in their lives. Hopkinsville has a considerable class, rather more than her share, some think, of these vagabonds whose fingers itch to handle money which they have not earned and are not fairly entitled to. They hang upon the streets watching a chance to commit some rascality, and glaring with wolf-like eyes at every unprotected child, or woman who passes by. The day-dream and night-dream of these vermin of society for whom hand-outs, jails, work-houses and galows were especially invented, is to plunder a hen-coop, rob a meat-house, or snatch a pocket-book, or satchel from a small boy or a woman, if they can catch their victims "in the gloaming" in some lonely place. Sometimes, however, cold, hunger and robbery make the foot-pads bold and they have been known to assault children on the sidewalks of Main street. There have been several attempts at highway robbery of late in the vicinity of the depot, of a bold character that ladies and children should on no account go abroad unprotected after dusk; if they do, they risk not only their money, but their lives. Skull-cracking and purse-grabbing are kindred professions, and the scoundrel who attempts robbery will not hesitate to commit murder, if necessary. The police should be reinforced for a few weeks, if need be, in order to land these highwaymen and either send them in jail or make the town too hot for them.

# The Wallace Defalcation.

The recent special to the Courier-Journal relative to the \$30,000 defalcation in the Bank of Hopkinsville in 1881, stated correctly that it was brought on by the cashier's attempt to extricate certain relatives in Hopkinsville from unfortunate grain speculations. As the dispatch gave the name of our late townsman, Mr. Milton Gant, now of Owensboro, who is a relative by marriage of the Wallace defalcation, a merchant of Hopkinsville, as one of the sureties on the cashier's official bond, readers outside of Hopkinsville might be in haste, that Mr. Milton Gant is one of the parties referred to in the Courier-Journal's dispatch. In Hopkinsville everyone knows that he was not concerned in the speculations, either directly or indirectly. The correspondence and papers left by Wallace and the defalcation, in fact, show that he was not in any way implicated.

# Evansville Tribune.

"Quail hunters who wish really good sport should go to Hopkinsville. Just in the rear of the Insane Asylum are a number of old fields full of rank grass and briars that are literally alive with quail. It is nothing unusual to get up five coveys in one flight. Dr. James Rolman and his son, Tom, killed one hundred and thirty-four on Tuesday last. They were two of the finest wings shots in Kentucky, this is hardly to be wondered at, but it shows how thick the quail are. They were hardly out of the quail pens when they were shot. It is supposed that they were run out of the Green River bottoms by hounds. John Young killed the last of the quail last week. Those who have been laboring under the impression that Evansville was a "dry" town will now throw up the sponge."

# Style.

An old and faded Cyprian has been begging in this city for several days. Monday she was shipped to Madisonville by the police.

# Style.

The New York Sun shows up one of the fashionable follies of the day by printing the following on the authority of the Boston Record:

"A Boston small dog whose lines had indeed fallen in pleasant places has just died. He wore delicate napkins at his meals, with his name embroidered in the center. He was put to sleep in a crib, with costly furs for his bed, and covered of the finest worsted with blue and white. Over his sleeping person was drawn a counterpane of figured silk. When he came an airing it was always from the seat of a carriage, and the coachman had driven him out alone when by chance no members of the family were ready to accompany him. It is said, on the authority of the Record, that since his death his former home has been in mourning. Visiting friends of the family have been given to understand that the family physician had forbidden all allusions to the dog in the presence of his mistress occasions. A flood of tears from the attending physician has rightly prohibited any mention of the name or fate of the pet. A suitable memorial will soon be erected to its memory."

# PREFERRED LOCALS.

# THE LAST SHALL BE FIRST.

The Newest, Nobbiest and most Elegant display of Christmas Goods is now on exhibition at Gaither's Drug Store.

He has distanced the whole turn-out, downed all competitors and stands at the head of the class. It is needless to enumerate. Absolutely everything new, elegant and appropriate for a present now in stock. Prices that never fail to catch. Seeing is believing. Come and see, the biggest thing on the programme at Geo. Edgar Gaither's.

# Liberal Reward!

On Saturday night, Dec. 18th a sorrel horse, with black face, white mane, tail and feet, 12 yrs old, some under light fore leg, disappeared from Hopkinsville. I will pay a liberal reward for his delivery at Fritz's livery stable, or to me near Pembroke.

# W. L. Yancey.

# We Have Still for Rent:

A Store-House on 9th Street, 3 Dwellings on Campbell Street, 1 " " North Main Street, 1 " " Princeton Street, 1 " " Brown Street, 1 " " Hopper Street, 1 " " Jessup Avenue.

And a number of houses and lots and vacant lots for sale, well located in almost any part of the city. Fire and tornado insurance written anywhere, and prompt settlements in case of loss. Negotiating loans and the sale of Real Estate a specialty with us. Post Office building, Main Street, Hopkinsville, Ky. CALLIS & CO.

# HEADQUARTERS AT City Pharmacy

for Holiday Goods of all kinds. Elegant Books, Toilet Articles, Hand-Carved Novelties in Alabaster, the latest thing out. Call at once and look through.

Yours Truly, H. B. Garner.

10,000 No. 5. Envelopes for sale at a bargain. Apply at this office.

# PREFERRED LOCALS.

# ALMOST HERE

Christmas and almost gone is the chance to supply the

# LITTLE FOLKS

with Toys, Candles, Fruits, &c., for their holiday rejoicing. While tons of goods have been already sold, there is still a

# LARGE SUPPLY

at the best place in town to buy such things. We mean "business" when we say it. Come in now and load up.

J. B. Galbreath & Co.

# THE Favorite Place FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS

is the ever popular Jewelry House of D. Galbreath & Co. They are now enjoying a boom unprecedented and their vast and superb array is melting before the hungry horde of purchasers like the mists of morn before the sun's rays. Call before the novelties are all gone.

# KEEP IT IN MEMORY

that they sell only standard goods at fair profits which are always reasonable rates. See their stock before you buy.

# MERCHANT TAILORS MOVED.

N. Tobin & Co. have moved their Merchant Tailoring establishment from corner of Ninth and Main

To Opera House Block.

They have a large stock of Winter goods which they are now offering at special bargains. If you need a suit, or overcoat do not fail to call on them. Repair work promptly done at remarkable prices.

N. Tobin & Co.

# —We Have—

# Got 'Em On The List.

Everything new in Gents' Neckwear. The nobbiest line of Stiff and Soft Hats in the city can be found at WRIGHT'S, the Main Street Clothier.

Blank Notes for sale at this office, cheaper than can be bought in Louisville or Cincinnati.

# THE GREAT EARTHQUAKE IS COMING

Carpets are cheaper at Jones & Co's than ever before. It would astonish anyone to see their Dress Goods and Trimmings. They were never sold as low, and while they don't say they are selling Clothing at cost, one would think so to see their goods and hear their price. Their prices on

Jeans, Blankets and Quilts are down below Zero. They have ransacked all the Eastern markets this fall for low prices, and have succeeded, and now stand pledged to sell goods cheaper than any one. Their

# NOTION DEPARTMENT

was never as full and complete as now, comprising all the latest novelties belonging to this branch of the business.

No one should go WITHOUT A CLOAK when they can be bought at such low prices as Jones & Co. are offering them. Their BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT is complete. The \$2.50 Shoelaces anything in the city.

Headquarters for Towels, Table Linen and Napkins.

# JONES & CO.

# Opera House!

Christmas Attraction!

Saturday, Dec. 25 Monday, Dec. 27 CHRISTMAS MATINEE at 2:30

The Dying shed Kentucky Tragedy and MARIE PRESCOTT, supported by R. D. McLean and her own superb company.

# REPERTOIRE.

Saturday Evening, Dec. 25—"CZKA." Monday Evening, Dec. 27—"INGOMAR." Prices as usual. Seats at J. B. Galbreath & Co.

# BETHEL Female College

Hopkinsville, Ky.

The Fall Term will open on MONDAY, AUGUST 30. An experienced faculty, thorough instruction and terms as heretofore. For other information call on or address