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The Tri-Weekly Kentucky New Era.

VOLUME II.

HOPKINSVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, TUESDAY, MAY 17, 1887.

NUMBER 100

THE UNKNOWN DEAD.

Monument Notes—Let all Read That They may Understand.

The town is fully alive to the magnitude of the unveiling ceremonies next Thursday. That the public may keep thoroughly posted we commenced to their attention the following information.

We notice that a number of the glasses in the street lamps have been turned around, and it is difficult to find the names of our streets. As this will be a matter of much importance on next Thursday, as strangers will have to be guided solely by the street names, we trust the city council will have this matter attended to at once.

The Committee on Arrangements have received \$1,750 worth of flags for decorating purposes. It is requested that all citizens decorate their homes and business houses. Two expert decorators will be here from Nashville and one from Evansville to arrange the cemetery and speakers stand.

The City Council and Board of Trade, of Evansville, have appointed delegations to attend the unveiling. At least three hundred from that city will be here. They will bring a beautiful floral offering for the occasion.

The Bowling Green, Henderson, Allen and Owsboro Military companies will be here in full uniform. The Latham Light Guards will entertain them.

Main street will be sprinkled to the cemetery entrance and footmen will be in no danger of dust.

Programmes of the order of march will be circulated Thursday morning.

The printed invitations have given out. The public should understand that every body is cordially invited.

The banks will close at 1 o'clock Thursday.

The public schools and the other schools in the city will give a holiday Thursday.

All ex-soldiers who are not present in organizations are requested to form on 10th street.

The Council has generously ordered an arch to be swung over Main street at the Seventh street crossing. Another arch will be placed at the 8th street crossing.

Mr. R. G. Hayes, a prominent citizen of Louisville will head a large delegation from that city.

Owsboro, Henderson and Paducah will send large delegations.

Four colored organizations have notified Sam Hawkins that they would participate in the procession.

The K. of P. Lodge has established headquarters on the second floor of Howe's building. All Knights are requested by order of the Lodge to wear a printed badge.

The City Council will entertain all visiting councils in the city court-room, and the Reception Committee have tendered the council a hearty vote of thanks for the same.

At the foot of the steps leading to the second floor of the Howe building policeman Will Ennis will act as a special outer guard for the K. of P. and the Reception Committee's headquarters on the third floor.

Col. Joe Ford says there will be 250 visitors from Nashville, while Clarksville will almost be here in its entirety.

The South Kentucky College cadets will stack arms around the monument during the unveiling ceremonies.

The Latham Light Guards, the marshal and his aids and many extra officers will have full police authority Thursday.

Hon. John Feland will entertain Gov. Knott.

Hon. Hunter Wood will entertain Hon. W. C. P. Breckinridge.

Dr. James Rodman will entertain Dr. Strickland.

Mr. C. M. Latham will entertain Dr. Deems.

There will certainly be 15,000 people here.

The ball is going to be a grand affair. Gov. Knott, Gov-elect Buckner, Auditor Hewitt, Col. J. Stoddard Johnson, Treasurer Tate and Secretary of State McKenzie will be here Thursday.

The ladies in charge of the distribution of medals are earnestly at work. Remember the sale of these medals is to help pay the unveiling expenses.

Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee, will attend the unveiling Thursday and at the general headquarters Thursday morning at 7 o'clock.

All citizens are requested not only to decorate their homes and business houses but to illuminate the same at night.

SPECIAL NOTICES AND REQUESTS.

All citizens who will entertain distinguished guests are requested to report the same to Mr. C. F. Jarrett.

All citizens are earnestly requested to send their private vehicles to the depot at 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

The general headquarters of all the committees is on the third floor of the Howe building.

A fine gold ring is offered as a premium to any young lady who sells the most medals.

The Reception Committee is ordered to meet at the New Era office Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and at the general headquarters Thursday morning at 7 o'clock.

Chief Marshal Nelson orders all his aids to meet him at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at Holland's billiard hall.

The public reception at Mrs. Virginia Latham's in honor of the orators and distinguished guests will be held from 8 till 10 o'clock Thursday evening. Those desiring to meet our distinguished visitors should call early as the public reception will close promptly at 10 o'clock. After that hour a supper will be served to the Committees, the Council and distinguished guests.

Additional Local.

The Odd Fellows have established their headquarters for unveiling day in the county court room.

The Chippewas have gone to Crofton. A free lecture was given at the court-house last night.

The Prohibitionists did not hold their meeting Saturday night.

The colored people of the city will give a union picnic on the 27th.

Breeders of good milks and horses should examine Polk Candler's stock.

J. B. Galbreath & Co., are making some elegant improvements in their factory.

The ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian church made over \$40 at their supper Friday night.

Louis Trice, colored, was liberated from jail Saturday, by officers from Clarksville failing to arrive.

Joe Reisch was tried before Judge Anderson yesterday for carrying concealed weapons and fined \$25.

Fox Rast—new cottage within three squares of Court-house.

Winfree & Kelly.

It is rumored that Rev. Dr. Coleman, of Hartford, will be called to the pastorate of the Pembroke Baptist church.

Rev. E. L. Powell, of Mayesville, was married to Miss Lida Smoot, of that place, last week. Elder Powell was formerly pastor of the Christian church in this city.

Mr. George T. O'Bryan, who has for three years been the operator at the depot, has been deservedly promoted to the agency at Earlington. We commend him to the good people at that place.

The Metcalfe Manufacturing Co. is building a new office and making other extensive repairs and additions to their already big establishment. It is one of our most deserving institutions and we are glad to note its boom.

The following from the Providence Index tells of the good luck of a former pupil of South Kentucky College: "Herbert Quirey has purchased Mr. Ashby's half interest in the Index, and with his help we will be able to make a new and better paper than before."

The City Council meets in call session this afternoon to consider the propositions of parties wishing to construct street railways and water works. The meeting is a most important one and we trust satisfactory arrangements will be made so that our people can enjoy both these modern luxuries.

Marshal Ed. Higgins, of Crofton, was tried before Judge Anderson Monday for making an assault on Geo. Martin and fined \$5. It seems that Martin was raising a disturbance in his own house when Mr. Higgins went in and quieted him. Higgins' attorney asked the Judge to raise the fine to \$25 so that the case might be carried to the Circuit Court.

We take pleasure in correcting our statement in regard to the death of Mr. J. F. Davenport, of Trenton, last Monday week. Mr. Davenport was not under the influence of liquor, and his death was either caused by his horse throwing him or from apoplexy. He was a very popular man. Gentle, kind and true, he maintained his friendship as only a true man can.

The Casky Grange Sale.

The annual gathering of the Casky Grange, on their beautiful grounds near the Station, is always the signal for an outpouring of the people, both from the country and town, all bent upon spending a day in the woods.

The gathering this year was no exception to the rule, for the woods were fairly alive with people who came from far and near. The day was extremely warm, which made the dense shade of the grove all the more inviting. A shower about noon was a great relief and cooled the atmosphere. The sale of stock was large and the prices entirely satisfactory to the farmers. Among other sales, we noticed one by Strother, Backs of four grade cows and calves to W. W. Garnett as follows: One at \$15.00 and the other three at \$35.00 each. The wool sale was made at the depot. There were both foreign and home buyers present and they sent the prices right along up to the intense satisfaction of the owners. Our own Wallace Embury, however, had the longest pole and knocked the permission, buying every pound offered except one small lot that was bought by Wiley & Parker.

Col. Milt. D. Brown was the auctioneer and succeeded in doing himself great credit. The shower about noon delayed the dinner about an hour, and the crowd grew quite restless, they however were more than repaid for waiting for the rain to cease, for they were regaled with one of the finest and choicest dinners we have ever had the good fortune to attend. The writer is under obligations to the family of Esq. W. E. Warfield for courtesies extended, and we did our utmost to enjoy their kind hospitality. We trust that we will again have the pleasure of attending a Casky Grange sale and to meet the many friends we have, and while away together the hours of a summer's day.

Death of W. J. Davis.

Mr. W. J. Davis died at his home in this county Monday night, in the 63rd year of his age. He was one of our best known citizens. At different periods of his life he has been prominently connected with the politics of our county and state, and his death is a great loss to the community in which he lived. He will be buried this afternoon.

In the spring, hundreds of persons suffer from boils, carbuncles, and other eruptive diseases. These are evidences that the system is trying to purge itself of impurities, and that it needs the powerful aid which is afforded by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Lively Bidders.

The town was full of contractors yesterday bidding in their bids for the construction of our turnpikes, 37 miles in all. Representatives of some of the wealthiest construction companies in the country were here as well as smaller bidders. The bids were opened in the afternoon but it may be several days before the contract is awarded. There were upwards of 20 bids handed in all of which have to be carefully perused by the engineer and directors.

Guests at English Hotel.

There is more personal attention paid to guests in a certain sense by the servants of the English hotel than in ours. But as it is a service chiefly directed against the pocketbooks of the guests it soon becomes very annoying. At all of the leading hotels of London there is a uniformed porter at the door. If there are one or two inside doors you will find a porter in uniform at each one of these. At the elevator, often stands a porter in the uniform of a chauffeur. You will find at every turn and bend in any great London hotel a gayly uniformed servant ready to step across your path and insist upon helping you in the most trivial way, but expecting always in return for each act a sixpence. The very way that a porter bows to a man as he leaves the house is suggestive of the sixpence. All of this show and attention has not the slightest semblance of hospitality.

The English people as a class do not live in hotels. Every Englishman, however poor, keeps house. They are very fond of shutting themselves up behind regular doors of walls. Since the sunny days have come I have taken a number of walks through the residence portion of London, and I do not think during the many miles that I have walked about, that I have found a house open even to the most casual view of the general public. Even the smallest cottages have brick walls built around them, and the visitors who desire to enter must ring a bell in the side of the door in the garden wall.—T. C. Crawford in New York World.

Fourth of July Fire Crackers.

"The two best friends of our glorious Fourth," said a dealer, "are Chow-Hing and Chow Sun of Canton. The boys find fewer 'sissers' in a pack of their fire-crackers than in any other make. Theirs are the kind that go off best with us anyhow. When you see that red label with the gold dragon on it you may be sure you are buying firecrackers that will crack. See that marked and rattled package there like a chest of tea? In that are exactly 20,480 crackers. It takes in eight boxes, with forty packs in each box and in every pack sixty-four crackers. Some packs contain seventy-two crackers, but fully 90 per cent. of our importations are what we call '40-64s.'"

"How many packages like that come one ship?" he was asked.

"Five thousand is quite an ordinary invoice. That would be just 102,400,000 of the crackers. How would you like to float for four months a ship that much powder? These crackers arriving to-day were ordered as long back as September and October. In China crackers are dearest in November and December, when the Chinese are busy working for their own jollification when the native new year comes in."—New York Sun.

Japan's Pharmacopoeia.

A new pharmacopoeia has been issued in Japan. Its preparations number 475, and they are named first in Japanese and then in Latin.

THE MARKETS.

Retail prices in Hopkinsville, corrected for every issue by the local dealers.

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| Flour, Retail | 1.50 |
| Flour, wholesale | 1.25 |
| Hams, sugar cured | .14 |
| Hams, country | .15 |
| Lard | .08 |
| Flour, Fancy, patent | 1.40 |
| Flour, standard | 1.25 |
| Brans and shipstuffs, less than 50 bu. | .05 |
| Corn Meal | .12 |
| Pearl Meal | .15 |
| New Orleans Molasses, Fancy | .60 |
| Candies, Star, 50 | .25 |
| Butter | .30 |
| Eggs | .20 |
| Hominy, per gallon | .40 |
| Corn, per bushel | .45 |
| Clover seed | 2.00 |
| Cut stalk, retail | 2.25 |
| Beans, navy, per bushel | 1.25 |
| Potatoes, per bushel | .30 |
| Coffee, golden | .20 |
| Coffee, good green | .20 |
| Coffee, Java | .20 |
| Cheese, good factory | 1.00 |
| Cheese, Young American | .60 |
| Rice | .12 |
| Cracked Rice | .10 |
| Sugar, N. O. | .12 |
| Salt, New Orleans, granulated | .12 |
| Salt, Kanawa, 5 bushels | 2.00 |
| Salt, Kanawa, 1 bushel | .40 |
| Sage, 5 bushels | 1.00 |
| Potatoes, Irish, per bushel, (seed) | 1.00 |
| Peas, per bushel | .30 |
| Mackerel, No. 1, per kit | 75¢ |
| Mackerel, Barbado, No. 2 | .50 |
| Lemons, per dozen | .35 |
| Oranges, per dozen | .45 |
| Corn in ear, per barrel | 1.75 |
| Oats, per bushel | .45 |
| Hay, per cwt. (clover) | .40 |
| Timothy, per cwt. | .40 |
| Hides, dry, salt | .14 |
| Hides, green | .14 |
| Hides, yellow | .14 |
| Beef, salt, gross | 24¢ |
| Hogs, gross | 15¢ |

Louisville Market.

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| PROVISIONS— | LOUISVILLE, May 11. |
| Meat Pork—Per lb. | 17.00 |
| Bacon—per lb. loose | 15.00 |
| Shoulders | 6 1/2 to 6 3/4 |
| Chest ribs | 6 1/2 to 6 3/4 |
| Chest sides | 9.50 |
| BULLMEATS— | |
| Shoulders | 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 |
| Chest ribs | 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 |
| Chest sides | 7 1/2 |
| LARD— | |
| Choice leaf | 10 to 10 1/2 |
| Prime steam | 9.50 to 10 |
| SUGAR CURED MEATS— | |
| Hams | 19¢ |
| Breakfast bacon | 9 1/2 to 10 |
| Shoulders | 10 to 10 1/2 |
| DRY BEEF— | |
| Louisville | 10 to 12 |
| GRAIN— | |
| WHEAT— | |
| No. 1 Longberry | 84 |
| COR— | |
| No. 2 mixed | 43¢ |
| No. 1 white | 41¢ |
| MIXED— | |
| No. 2 mixed | 30¢ |
| No. 1 white | 30¢ |
| OATS— | |
| No. 2 mixed | 20¢ |
| No. 1 white | 20¢ |
| RYE— | |
| No. 1 | 65 |
| CATTLE—Good to extra shipping, or | |
| Export cattle | 4.50 to 4.60 |
| Light shipping | 4.35 to 4.45 |
| Dark good to extra | 4.25 to 4.35 |
| Dark common and rough | 3.75 to 3.85 |
| Pulls | 5.15 to 5.25 |
| Light stockers | 3.50 to 3.60 |
| Feeder, good | 3.25 to 3.35 |
| Butchers, best | 3.25 to 3.35 |
| Butchers, medium to good | 3.00 to 3.10 |
| Butchers, common to medium | 2.80 to 2.90 |
| Thin, rough steers, poor cows and | |
| calves | 1.50 to 1.60 |
| HOGS—Choice packing and butchers | 1.15 to 1.25 |
| Pair to good butchers | 1.15 to 1.25 |
| Light medium butchers | 1.15 to 1.25 |
| Shots | 1.00 to 1.10 |
| Wool—Dressed grades lots are held at 3¢ for | |
| clothing and 2 1/2¢ for combing 3/4 and 1/2 blood | |
| wool medium, wool free of burrs, country | |
| packages, Burry and cotton wools, 16¢; 16¢; | |
| black, white and lot washed, suitable for | |
| wool lots and for dealers' lots. Pulled wool, | |

FEATHERS—

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| New | 20 |
| Mixed | 20 to 25 |
| MIDDS— | |
| Prime flat | 15 1/2 |
| Prime flat | 12 |
| No. 1 | 10 |

Prestridge-Clardy.

This morning at 8 o'clock, at the elegant home of the bride's father, Dr. J. D. Clardy, Rev. J. N. Prestridge, of this city, will be united in marriage to Miss Fannie Clardy, Rev. J. T. Barrow officiating. Only the immediate friends and the relations of the contracting parties have been invited. Mr. Flen Clardy and Dr. B. F. Eager will officiate as fathers. After the wedding the young couple will come to this city and spend a night at Mrs. J. P. Campbell's where they will take rooms after an extended tour through the South.

The bride is one of the most accomplished young ladies in the county. She is thoroughly educated and has a soul consecrated to the work to which her relations in life have assigned her. Her social culture, womanly dignity and beautiful character will command for her at once a prominent place in the society of any community in which she may reside.

The groom is a young man of the noblest character. His life work is known to all of us and his fitness for it is universally recognized. For several years he has served as the pastor of the Baptist church in this city. His personal popularity has been extended beyond the flock to whom he is indeed a shepherd, and the good he has wrought in our community cannot be measured by the blessings of his own congregation. He is a man of excellent literary culture. As a preacher he is logical, convincing, at times eloquent—but always earnest and sincere. To such a man jealousy and envy are strangers, and on his happy wedding day the New Era invokes upon the young couple the blessings and guidance of a divine Providence.

They will return from their Southern trip in about 8 days.



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

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2 Doors from Bank of Hopkinsville.

The Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York.

ASSETS, JAN. 1, 1887. \$114,181,963.24.

ACTUAL RESULTS—A TALE OF FOUR POLICIES.

In 1878, Dr. George Tilden, of Omaha, Neb., (aged 36), took life policies for \$5,000 each in the following Companies, with results stated below.

| COMPANIES. | No. of Policy. | Date. | Annual Premium. | Total Cash Dividends including 1887. | Average Annual Dividend. | Per Cent. |
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| Mutual Life of New York | 100 | March 5, 1878. | \$60 12 | \$100 00 | \$100 00 | 16.6 |
| Mutual Benefit of New Jersey | 11,000 | Feb'y 5, 1878. | 67 15 | 200 00 | 200 00 | 29.8 |
| New York Life | 216,151 | March 28, 1878. | 20 11 | 200 00 | 200 00 | 17.5 |
| Equitable Life | | Feb'y 20, 1878. | 20 11 | 200 00 | 200 00 | |

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TUESDAY, MAY 17, 1887.

AGENTS

Who are authorized to collect subscriptions to the New Era:
Lee Trucker—Lafayette, Ky.
Dr. G. W. Rice—Williams P. O.
C. A. Brasher—Creston.
Gilliland & Kennedy—Bainbridge.
De H. Armstrong—Cerulean Springs.
W. W. & J. P. Garnett—Pembroke.
J. W. Richardson—Fruit Hill.
W. B. Brewer—Fairview.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

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| TRAINS NORTH | 10:15, A. M. | 10 P. M. |
| TRAINS SOUTH | 6:35, A. M. | 5:25, P. M. |

Personal.

Mrs. V. M. Metcalfe has returned home.
J. W. Dwyer returned from Elkton Monday.
Lee Watson, Cagky, spent Monday in the city.
Charles A. Deane, of Chicago, was in the city Monday.
Mrs. Ehlender Pendleton, Pembroke, is in the city.
Geo. B. Atkinson, Earlington, was in the city Monday.
F. B. Richardson, Pembroke, was in the city yesterday.
C. H. Ryan, the contract builder of the I. A. & T. R. R., was in the city Monday.
Col. John Day has finished his work of advertising the unveiling and has returned home.
Miss Fannie Jones, Pembroke, is visiting Mrs. D. F. Smithson, on South Walnut street.
L. J. Frazer, Jr., business manager of Crab Orchard Springs, is in the city in the interest of his hotel summer resort.
Mrs. T. F. Burke, New York, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lusk, Nashville, arrived in the city Monday to attend the Freestridge-Clarke nuptials.
Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart, of Clarksville, returned home Monday, after a pleasant visit to the family of Mr. Jno. S. Bryan, on South Virginia street.
Miss Annie Kennedy, of Hopkinsville, spent several days with friends here last week. Although it was her first visit, many friends hope that it will not be her last.—Providence Index.

Sale of Property for City Tax.

All property on which the city tax for 1886 is not paid by May 20th, will be advertised for sale. Call at once and settle and save costs.
WALTER F. GARNETT, Collector.

Close Up.

At a meeting of the Board of Councilmen of the city of Hopkinsville held May 14th, 1887, it was ordained that the business houses be requested to close at 12 o'clock (sun time) at noon, May 19th, 1887, on account of the unveiling ceremonies.

Attest: H. R. LITTLE,
City Clerk.

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 when bilious or costive; to dispel 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.

Tried to Escape.

Jim McKelroy, colored, the Henderson murderer, made an ineffectual attempt to break jail last Friday. He and John Bradley, colored, occupied cell No. 1 on the lower floor. The front of the cell is a 3/4 inch iron wall. With a steel spring from their shoes one or the other began cutting a triangular hole in the wall. One side of the triangle had almost been cut through when Jailer Long caught the trick. He removed McKelroy into an upper cell. A curious fact is that the closest investigation failed to discover the instruments the prisoners worked with. All of the prisoners denied all knowledge of the affair, but Mr. Long settled matters by saying he would shackle the next man who was caught at such work. Since then all has been well.

Circle Meeting.

The "Circle Meeting" will be held at Salem, May 28 & 29, 1887.
After preliminary exercises the following topics will be discussed:
1. "Is there any just reason for discriminating against Foreign Missions," Rev. J. N. Kendall.
2. "Special reasons for vigorously prosecuting the Chinese missions," J. D. Clardy.
3. "What portions of our country present the best prospects for successful mission work, Rev. S. P. Forgy.
4. "Advantages of training the young in mission work," Rev. J. T. Barrow.
5. "Systematic beneficence and the best way to attain it," Dr. Harris.
6. "Elements of success in Sunday School work," Lyman McCombe.
7. "Effects of the example of Church members," J. F. Garnett.
8. "Map Lecture," Dr. B. F. Eager.
J. D. Clardy, V. P.
Newstead, May 11th, 1887.

The Excellent Qualities

Of the delightful liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, commend it to all who suffer from Habitual Constipation and kindred ills. Being in liquid form and pleasing to the taste, harmless in its nature, strengthening as well as cleansing in its properties, it is easily taken by old and young, and truly beneficial in its effects, and therefore the favorite family remedy, especially with the ladies and children, who require a gentle yet effective laxative. For sale by H. B. Garner.

Local News.

The boss jeweler, optician and watchmaker is M. D. Kelly.
FOR SALE—a good milk cow with a young calf. Apply to H. P. Warr.
Frank Ragdale will receive Embury's wool at the Eugene Mills office at depot.
An unknown drummer died on the train between Guthrie and Nashville last Friday.

Several men were slightly injured by a blast at the rock quarry near the tank Friday afternoon.

The next regular meeting of Casky Grange will be held on Thursday, May 20th. Mr. Brigham will speak at 2 p. m., on same day.

The tobacco sales this week both in this city and Clarksville will be held only on Wednesday, the buyers and sellers wishing to attend the unveiling.
The town clock has been shipped and will arrive in the city the latter part of the week. It will be placed in position in the court house cupola early next week.

A bunch of cyclists from Clarksville wheeled over to this city Sunday. They were in full uniform and looked like they were having fun. They came over in three hours.

At the children's meeting at the Methodist church Sunday, Rev. Thomas Bottomly exhibited a cane made from the wood of the first Methodist church ever built on this continent.

Last Friday afternoon the lightning struck a tree on Ed. Ritter's farm killing a valuable mare and colt standing beneath it. The electrical display that day was of a startling nature.

Fairview subscribers will take notice that W. B. Brewer, Postmaster, is agent for the New Era and will accept for subscriptions. Persons in arrears will please call on him at once and pay.

Rev. L. M. Berry, of Missouri, preached a very interesting and able sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning. At night Rev. W. C. Grace, of Columbia, Tenn., addressed a very large congregation.

The attorneys of Rock Radford, who was sentenced to seventeen years in the penitentiary, made a motion in the Trigg Circuit Court last week for a new hearing. The motion was over-ruled and an appeal will be taken.

Church Hill Grange, No. 109, will hold its 8th annual stock sale, on Friday, May 27th, 1887. About 200 head of cattle will be on sale, consisting of Registered Shorthorn and Grazing cattle. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Henderson Journal: It has developed since Mr. Madisonville says that a deep-laid plot and organized effort has been made on the part of the colored men of the county to release him from jail. Riders have gone throughout the country and visited farm houses to get recruits to assist in the movement.

CHEAP MILLINERY—Miss Alice Hays calls attention to her remarkably cheap line of new, fresh millinery. Straw hats from 25 cents up; Fine Milan straws \$1.25 to \$1.75, and all other goods in proportion. An elegant assortment of fine French flowers, at lowest prices.
All goods are sold for cash and marked down cheaper than such goods were ever sold here before. Give her a call.

The Nashville Union has swallowed up the American and consequently the Rock City is without an anti-administration organ. A bloody rumor comes from Memphis, however, that "a syndicate of twenty-two prominent democrats was formed there to establish a democratic paper in Nashville. The capital subscribed is \$32,000, which will be increased to \$100,000. The paper will be served with the Courier-Journal's telegraphic news. All names are withheld for the present.

A special from Madisonville says: "The man Coffman, who was shot about a week ago by the Price boys, is reported as being somewhat improved. For several days it was thought impossible for him to recover. He was shot in the back, just to the left of the spinal column, and just above the kidney. The two boys, aged eighteen and fourteen, are now in jail awaiting the result of the wound. If Coffman dies there is a great probability that the elder one, at least, will grace the gallows. The Price boys are regarded as desperate and worthless characters."

Tennessee: The conductors on the Chesapeake, Ohio & Southern railroad running between Louisville and Memphis, fifteen in number, have been summarily dismissed. Gen. John Echols, Vice President and General Manager, was asked the reason for the discharge of the men. He replied that some were in ill health and others were color blind and a change of climate would no doubt be beneficial to many of them. This is all the information that could be obtained although it was given out that they had asked for an increase in pay and being refused had resigned in a body.

Saturday, Paducah voted on two railroad proposals to subscribe \$100,000 each to the Paducah and Mt. Vernon and Chicago, St. Louis and Paducah, a majority of the qualified voters being required to carry the measure. The vote polled in favor of both was 1,311, 226 more than the majority required. The roads are to be built by January, 1889, from that city to Cypress Junction and Eldorado, Ill., on the first named. The other, completed now to Marion, Ill., will reach Paducah in the required time. Twenty-four votes only were recorded against the proposition, though those not voting counted against.

At Hanson, last Thursday while Samuel Smith, an employee on the L. & N. railroad, was unloading rock at that place, he lost his balance and fell off the car and across the main track. He was stunned by the fall and before his companions could render any assistance he was run over by a passing train, which completely severed his head from his body. Smith lived at Hanson and had been connected with the road for a long time. The conductor of the train was from the north and had heard strange stories of Kentucky shot guns. The next day while his train was at Hanson he saw a man with a gun walking up the track, and thinking a mob was after him he made a Montrose run for life and liberty.

Mr. Latham's Response.

It will be remembered that Company D, a short time since assumed the name of the "Latham Light Guards" in honor of Mr. John C. Latham, of New York. Being notified of the honor, Mr. Latham has returned the following handsome response:

No. 16 & 18 WALL ST.,
New York, May 12, 1887.
State Guards, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Officers and Members Co. D. 3rd Ky. State Guards, Hopkinsville, Ky.
GENTLEMEN:—Your recent action in the adoption of the name, "Latham Light Guards," fills me with pride, and I am deeply sensible for the extraordinary honor that it confers upon me.
In carefully reading the resolution, on which you acted unanimously, I am impressed with the faultless form of expression, which you employed to convey the handsomest compliment which has ever been vouchsafed to me.

My appreciation is further heightened, by a consideration of the fact, that I had no claim whatever upon your consideration in the bestowal of that distinction which you have given me.
A popular speaker once said, in acknowledging his unworthiness on an important occasion, "there are no honors I enjoy so much, as those I least deserve."

On this principle, my pleasure at the great surprise you have given me, is all that you could ask, and more than I can express.
With the best wishes for your every success, and the fullest confidence in your usefulness, I remain, with cordial regard and great respect,
Very sincerely yours,
Jno. C. LATHAM, JR.

PREFERRED LOCALS.

Just Received

100 pieces of satin faced pongee gingham in checks, stripes and figures in all the new shades, worth 20 cents at 12 1/2 cents. Come early. Shyer's corner.

COOL OFF

—AT—

Wilson's.

Sherbert.

Ice Cream,
Soda Water,
Soda Pop,
Ginger Ale.

And everything else cool and nice.

Strawberries

in all shapes. Come in to

Wilson's

—AND—

COOL OFF.

WHERE

Are the best boots and shoes? At Dabney & Bush's.

Bids for Coal.

I will receive sealed bids for good lump coal for the Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum for one year, beginning June 1st, 1887. Said coal must be forked free from nut, slack and dirt, delivered and weighed at Ashland, and will be paid for monthly by said weight. I reserve the right to reject any and all bids.
E. L. WALKER.

Where

Do you save money in Boots and Shoes? At Dabney & Bush's.

5,000.

pairs Ladies Hose worth 10, 15 and 20 cents, all at one price 5 cents

At N. B. Shyer's

We guarantee that this paint, when properly used, will not crack, flake or chalk off, and will cover more surface, work better, wear longer and permanently look better than other paints, including Pure White Lead and Oil.
We hereby agree to forfeit the value of the paint and the cost of applying it, if in any instance, it is not found as above represented.
J. B. SHYER & WILLIAMS CO.
Sold by H. B. Garner, the leading druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Dabney & Bush

Buy goods from first hands and guarantee them.

Mens, boys and children's straw hats. The largest stock this side the Ohio river can be found at N. B. Shyer's Clothing Rooms, 201 & 203 S. Main St.

I SCREAM!

Our parlor is now fitted up neatly for the purpose of supplying our patrons with the unadorned and various other kinds of refreshments, and shall endeavor to merit your patronage by supplying only the very best and purest goods.

Ice Cream, Strawberries,
Sherbet, Cream Soda.

N. B.—We have arranged with Mr. George V. Green to supply us with his well-known RICH JERSEY CREAM.

J. B. Galbreath & Co.

Be Sure

You go and see Dabney & Bush before you buy Boots and Shoes, or you will lose money.

New Millinery received daily at

SHYER'S Corner

201 & 203 MAIN STREET.

PREFERRED LOCALS

NOW WE HAVE THEM.

Parisian styles in crazy cloth just opened at SHYER'S corner.

SEERSUCKER COMBINATIONS

In all colors, in 12 yard patterns at SHYER'S corner.

That Exhibition

on J. E. West's was a grand success. Charlie is a success in anything pertaining to the sewing Machine.

SAILORS! SAILORS! SAILORS!! Without exception we have the largest stock of Misses and Childrens Sailors in this city. Give us a call. Mackinaw wide brim sailers with ribbon band, all sizes, worth 75 cents at 35 cents each.

SHYER'S Millinery Dep't

New Goods.

We are receiving our Spring stock, consisting of the following novelties in Dress Goods, Trimmings, &c: Sebastopol; English Serge; in all the newest colors; Gray goods in every shade out this season; Plaids; Checks and Hairlined stripes; Cashmeres, in all colors; Satines and Batiste; Velvets, in all shades, the newest wash goods out; Cable-cord or Rope Gingham; Zephyr Gingham in plain stripes, checks and Plaids; Surah Silks and Velvets in every color, both plain, plaid and stripes; a beautiful line of White Goods, Laces and Embroideries; Kid and Silk Gloves; Ladies "Princess of Wales" collars and cuffs; Ribbons, Ruching &c. A full line of Clothing, Piece-goods and Hats. Carpets, Oil cloths, and rugs.

Would be pleased to have our customers and friends call and see us before purchasing. Respectfully,
JONES & Co.

For Sale.

The Burbridge House.

This well known, first-class Private Hotel, located in the business center of the city, with all its furniture and appointments is now for Sale on easy terms. A good opportunity is offered for any person who wishes to make a fortune in a pleasant and profitable business.

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

A few Choice Farms for Sale.

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

Negotiating Loans a specialty with us.

We rent houses and collect rents, and pay taxes for non-residents. Come to see us if you want anything in our line.

Callis & Co.

MAIN STREET.

Post Office Building.

MONEY to be made. Cut this out and return to us, and we will send you free, something of great value and importance to you, that will start you in business which will bring you in more money right away than anything else the world. Any one can do the work and live at home. Either sex, all ages. Something new, that just costs money for all work. We will start you capital not needed. This is one of the genuine, important chances of a life-time. Those who are ambitious and enterprising will not delay. Grand outfit free.

CLOTHING!

Our stock is new and complete in all styles.

NOTIONS!

The largest and most complete stock to select from.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

The largest and most complete stock to select from.

DRY GOODS.

The largest and most complete stock to select from.

Ladies' Furnishing Goods.

The best in the city and nearest fitting.

Boots and Shoes.

All the latest styles and novelties in any quality.

Dress Goods.

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