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# THE TRI-WEEKLY NEW ERA.

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**AGENTS.**  
Who are authorized to collect subscriptions to the New Era:  
Lee Thacker—Lafayette, Ky.  
Dr. G. W. Rives—Williams P. O.  
C. A. Brasher—Crockett.  
Gilliland & Kennedy—Bainbridge.  
D. H. Armstrong—Carroll Springs.  
W. W. & J. P. Barnett—Pembroke.  
J. W. Richardson—Fruit Hill.  
W. B. Brewer—Fairview.  
Jno. M. Renshaw—Eva.

**RAILROAD TIME TABLE.**  
TRAINS NORTH 10:15 A. M. 3:30 P. M.  
TRAINS SOUTH 6:30 A. M. 8:00 P. M.  
THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1887.

## Personal.

Hon. Jas. B. Garnett is in the city.  
Dr. Howell spent Sunday at Dawson.  
Miss Clara Means is at home from Virginia.  
Mrs. Burns returned from Cadiz Wednesday.  
Mr. T. L. Bell spent Tuesday at the Phoenix.  
Jno. A. Bacon, of Roaring Springs is in the city.  
Mr. Tom Buckner returned to Henderson Wednesday.  
Miss Mary Lacy, of Casey, was in the city Wednesday.  
Mrs. Ora Kelly is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. G. Goss.  
Mrs. F. K. Roach and daughter, of Evansville, came over Tuesday.  
Mrs. L. Dinkelspiel is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Roach.  
Messrs. Edgar Thomas and C. H. Tandy spent Tuesday at Clarksville.  
Misses Willie and Laura Morgan are visiting Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Terry.  
Mr. A. M. Owens, of Evansville, was at the Phoenix hotel Wednesday.  
Mr. Wallace Green, of Keokuk Station, Tenn., is visiting relatives in the city.  
Mr. Isaac Keen, of Evansville, attended his brother's funeral Wednesday.  
Eng. Jno. C. Nason, of Stewart county, is in the city on special business.  
Mr. J. R. Armstrong and wife, of Petersburg, Pa., arrived in the city Tuesday.  
Mrs. Tom Burdette and daughters returned from Old Point Comfort Tuesday.  
Mr. R. P. Stevens and daughter, Miss Helen, returned Tuesday from Dawson.  
Master Major Woodridge took in the stock show at Clarksville Wednesday.  
Mrs. Eugene Wood and Miss Belle Moore spent Wednesday at Clarksville.  
Mrs. Jno. Chappell, of Cadiz, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper.  
Miss Germania Hurley, of Cuba, Mo., is visiting Mr. J. H. Roper's family, near Poe Doe.  
Mr. E. A. Roper, of the Poe Doe neighborhood, is home from a visit to relatives in Illinois.  
Miss Lizzie Hall and Master Redford, her brother, of Nashville, are visiting Miss Mary Lacy.  
W. A. Gossett has returned from the East, where he has been purchasing a big stock of furniture.  
Mrs. Judge J. I. Landes, who accompanied the party to Old Point Comfort returned home last Monday.  
Dr. Saml. Baker, a leading eclesiastic of the Russellville ministry, attended Dr. Keen's funeral Wednesday.  
Miss Mary McGowan, who has been visiting the family of Eng. Alex Campbell, returned to Louisville Wednesday.  
Dr. J. M. Pennington, formerly pastor of the Baptist church here, late of Upland, Pa., spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the city.  
Messrs. Gus Dawson, Thos. P. Cockran, Geo. Ledford and Bill Dawson, of Roaring Springs, attended the tobacco sale Wednesday.  
The New Era had the pleasure of a call Tuesday from Dr. F. M. Osher, of Fulton, Ky., who with his family, is visiting his father, Mr. J. H. Osher, near Newstead in this county.

## 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 constive; 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.

## Local News.

M. M. Hambery, Penn. Mut. Life Ins. Co.; office with Lee Johnson.  
Mr. C. B. Webb has secured a patent on his tractor-car.  
The largest stock in the jewelry line, and lowest prices, at M. D. Kelly's.  
Pay your subscription and get your ticket before Sept. 5.  
Rev. Lamb is conducting a series of revival meetings at Wolf's Chapel.  
A protracted meeting will begin at Poe Doe on Saturday night, Sept. 3rd.  
For Rent—A good two-story cottage, on South Main street. Apply at this office.  
Mr. Enoch A. Brown has returned to the city with a view of attending school this fall.  
The young folks were entertained at the residence of Mr. W. E. Ragsdale, Tuesday night.  
Mules For Sale—A pair of fine mules sixteen hands high, six and three years of age. Call on Seth H. Myers, Kelly's Station.  
Dr. F. F. Rogers has moved into his elegant new cottage on 10th street and the house he vacated will be occupied by Dr. Patton.  
Mr. E. B. Bassett arrived in the city Tuesday evening and is busy preparing for the grand opening of the new Dry Goods house Saturday week.  
Mr. J. C. McReynolds is plaintiff in a suit against the L. & N. R. R. Co. for damages sustained by one of his valuable mares. The animal fell through an unsafe cattle gap and broke her leg.  
Elder Robt. Duffin and wife left this morning for their home in Texas. Mr. Duffin was formerly a prominent farmer of this county and no man ever lived here who was more endeared to the people than Elder Duffin.  
Hopkinsville is a place with memories, and they cluster around every little spot throughout the city, making it dear to all who know it. Better than that, it is a city with a future, where bright points arise up in every direction so that he who runs cannot but read.

Gossett the furniture man, 9th street, wants to see you call to-day.  
New parlor sets fine and cheap at Gossett's furniture store, 9th street.  
New goods every day at Gossett's Furniture store. Call and look and price.

Mrs. John Boyd has returned home much improved, and her boy, Sherman is all right.  
Elder Broadhurst of the Christian church has just closed a successful meeting at Dawson.  
The health of this county is said to be better than ever before known at this season of the year.

The Primitive Baptist Association begins Friday at Cerulean and will continue until Sunday.  
Gossett's new furniture store on 9th street, is headquarters for cheap goods. Finest assortment in the city.  
Baby carriages—prettiest and cheapest stock in the city at Gossett's Furniture Store 9th street, near Main.

Mrs. James Higgins left Wednesday for Henderson having received a telegram announcing the illness of her husband.  
"Hands on your pocket-book." Look out for thieves, pick-pockets and card-moon sharks, to-day. The city is full of 'em.

The amateur soldiers, of the Latham Light Guards met at their armory Tuesday night to practice. The boys will drill every night this week.  
The Baptist church, interior, was appropriately decorated with grape and floral offerings, Wednesday as a tribute of reverence to its late pastor.

Elder Jas. U. Spurrin is holding a successful revival meeting at Mount Zion church in North Christian, many converts will receive the ordinance of baptism to-day.  
Last Monday night some vandal stole a large demijohn filled with oil? from one of "the boys in the trenches," as it were. The loss cast a deep gloom on the subsequent proceedings.

"Old Uncle Johnnie" Montgomery used a hickory cane pretty freely over the head of an obnoxious individual Tuesday afternoon. He says he knocked the offensive man "sensible."  
Mr. W. H. Whitlow, the Casey fruit man, had on exhibition in this city Tuesday some "late Crawford" peaches that were the largest ever seen here. One which the New Era got measured 11 inches in circumference. From five trees of these peaches, Mr. Whitlow, in 22, realized \$117.

How is it, that the Black Hills of Runcomb county, North Carolina are thought by some to be the nearest way most any where in Tennessee to some weather is there sometimes to some folks. (The above is a joke, contributed by a good friend of the New Era who is *particeps criminis*. He and two other people will understand it.)

Tom Dickerson and Henry Dickerson colored, engaged in a quarrel over a female paramour in a negro dive at Trenton last Saturday, which terminated in a tragedy. Henry was shot through the heart and killed almost instantly by his antagonist. The murderer fled after the homicide and up to this writing has not been apprehended.

Another marriage that will startle the natives will soon occur in this city, and it will eclipse anything and everything of the kind that has occurred before. We are not at liberty, at present to divulge the names of the parties, but they will, when the time arrives, take it perfectly natural.

The colored teachers are having an excellent and most interesting session of their institute. The attendance has been increasing every day. The discussions are full and varied and the general work of the members will, under all the circumstances, compare very favorably with that done by the white teachers recently.

Hon. Jas. B. Garnett, Commonwealth Attorney, is fresh from Greenville, Ky. To a reporter he stated that the Muhlenberg County Circuit Court recorded an unusually heavy business for the term just closed. Over \$1,000 in fines were assessed against law breakers and 6 recruits sent to the state prison, 3 white and 3 colored. One prisoner was given one year in the penitentiary for false swearing in a legal prohibition contest.

A certain farmer of south Christian, whose modesty, we are bound to respect, met a man on the Clarksville road while on his way to the city a few days ago. The stranger petitioned him for work, and was directed to his house. It happened that no one was at home at the time, and the fellow entered and helped himself to \$15 in money, and a pair of home-spun pantaloons.

Tuesday night, Will Owen and two other negroes were skylarking near Jno. Douglas's restaurant, on 9th St., when a green country negro came along and undertook to gently remonstrate with Johnson for treating one of the others so roughly and Owens thereupon turned upon the colored rustic and dealt him a blow upon the proboscis, producing a river of life-blood. They afterwards "made up."

Bethel College, at Russellville, is to have a grand opening, Thursday Sept. 1st. Besides an abundance of oratory, the good dames of the town will spread on the College campus a most bountiful feast of "good things to eat" for the special benefit of the visitors.

Excursion trains between that city and Hopkinsville, Clarksville, Springfield, Owensboro and Bowling Green will carry passengers at 4 cents a mile for the round trip. Students from all over the country will arrive that day and the occasion will be a big one. We are authorized to give a special invitation to our people.

A farmer's dog arrived in the city yesterday morning at the rear end of a wagon load of watermelons, and was vacantly gazing about him at the fine buildings in pleasing astonishment, when a town dog jumped on him without any provocation whatsoever, and as he proceeded to "chaw" the auricular appendage of the rural dog, the latter very cunningly decoyed him under the wagon wheel and induced him to stay there until the supreme "stufin" was squeezed out of him.

This should be a solemn warning to city dogs not to trifle with country dogs if they don't wish to become candidates for Bologna honors.

It outwits all—Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Mr. O. S. Brown lost a fine mule Saturday.  
Rev. Sheldrake closes a successful revival at Casey to-day.  
The hospitable home of Mr. Walter D. Radford will be the scene Friday night, of a moonlight social.

Mr. Willie Withers, who has been quite ill at Cerulean Springs, was brought home Wednesday. His condition is changeable.  
A revival meeting, in which much earnest enthusiasm is being manifested, is in progress at Bell's Chapel, near Fairview. The Rev. I. W. Emerson conducts the meeting.

We call attention of the City Council to the bad condition of the pavement on North side of 9th street, opposite Mr. Rhodes Thompson's residence. We understand it was ordered to be remedied twelve months ago.

W. H. Williams, of Tennessee, sued R. S. Reese Tuesday for \$4. He claims that Reese hired of him a buggy and horse to bring him (Reese) to the depot, and that the latter boarded the train without settling the account.

The ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, at Elkton, gave a creditable entertainment at the Elkton Opera House last Monday night. The cast of programme was "The Cricket on the Hearth." The affair was interspersed with music, vocal and instrumental.

Mr. Tom J. Landrum, one of the directors of the Caldwell County Fair Co. called on the New Era, yesterday and invited us to the fair at Princeton October 11th and 15th inclusive. Our neighbors always have a good fair and this county is generally well represented.

We again arise to suggest the propriety of organizing a hotel company. Hopkinsville is more in need of a first-class hotel building than any thing. Now is the time to make the move when public sentiment is alive to the spirit of improvement.

Can you not afford to give \$1.00 for the WEEKLY NEW ERA for twelve months and in addition get a chance to draw a valuable premium, say a four-horse wagon worth \$75.00? Come in before the first Monday in Sept.

At a public brand dance in a remote section of North Christian one day last week, nearly every man who participated in the festivities was loaded with a goodly supply of the "wild cat mountain juice." It was a "let'er-go-galliger" affair, but fortunately no damage was done.

Everybody interested will please take notice that after our drawing (1st Monday in September), every subscriber who is in arrears will be dropped from the list without further notice and papers will thereafter be promptly stopped when the time is out.

Hopkinsville experienced a decided change in the weather Tuesday morning. A cool breeze passed over this latitude, bound Southward. It is reported that all stations in the Upper Lake, and nearly every point in the Ohio Valley region had heavy rains. In this city the thermometer registered Wednesday, at 6 A. M. 62 degs.

C. E. Dupler, of Equality, Ill., lost smell, taste and hearing by Catarrh, but got them back by Laxative.

A band of itinerant gypsies who are camping near the Asylum engaged in an all-around go-as-you-please battle Tuesday afternoon, in which the women of the tribe took a conspicuous part. One of the men suffered severe treatment at the hands of his spouse. His ire was so wrought up that he came into the city to seek legal redress. But it seems the local magistrates had no jurisdiction in the adjudication of the domestic dissension. A mutual reconciliation was finally effected between the belligerents.

For the past few days a series of familiar discourses on Orthodoxy have been in progress—the teacher is one of our most enterprising and successful merchants on N. M. street and the pupils, a skillful and experienced aesthetic artisan. So profound and well-versed is the preceptor in his subject that he has not yet exhausted his practical knowledge concerning the native of the Canary Isles—his origin, varieties, food, characteristics, etc. Anon he proposes to declare his relationship to the gold-ditch, and then consider one of our native songsters—not one of the grove—the gardian angel of home. Judging from the interest manifested, and the good to be expected therefrom, it is to be hoped our young men will make a public call on the observant naturalist to give a lecture at the Court House.

**Habitual Constipation**  
And kidney and liver ills, depending on a weak or inactive condition of the kidneys, liver or bowels, are successfully and permanently cured only by the use of the gentle yet effective laxative and diuretic, Syrup of Figs. Its advantages are evident; it is easily taken, pleasing to the taste, acceptable to the stomach, harmless to the most delicate system, and truly beneficial in effect. For sale in 50 cents and \$1.00 bottles by H. B. Garner, Hopkinsville, Ky.

**PREFERRED LOCALS.**  
**READY.**  
You are respectfully invited to our Grand Opening Saturday, Sept. 3rd. It makes no difference whether you want to buy or not, we will be glad to see you. BASSETT & CO.

**CHEAP FURNITURE**  
at the new Store of W. A. Gossett, 9th street, near Main. Best bargains in the city guaranteed always. Call and examine the handsome new parlor sets, astonishingly cheap. Big stock of Baby carriages and willow goods.

We mark all of our goods in plain figures. We sell our goods at one price. We do a strictly cash business. All goods warranted as represented, money cheerfully refunded if not satisfactory. We are here to stay, we want your trade. BASSETT & CO.

## PREFERRED LOCALS

**COLLARS 2 CENTS.**  
We are sole agents for the celebrated Oriental Steam Laundry. Work left at our store on Tuesday, returned Saturday.

**CUFFS 2 CENTS.**  
BASSETT & CO.

## WRINKLES.

A man may sweat and a lady fume. They may try to cool off all day. But without Galbreath's cream They can't keep down the steam. Because they ain't built that way.

A man may drink all sorts of trash And try to feel happy and gay. But his health will fall. Without good GINGER ALE Because he ain't built that way.

Why will a man smoke, a cabbage cigar. For which he has five cents to pay When both Gentile and Jew Can buy a "B-Jon." That is bound to be built the right way.

**J. B. Galbreath & Co.**  
100 SOUTH MAIN.

At the front in all things, we will be particularly so in Gents' Furnishing Goods. Our line of dress shirts, unlaundried shirts and fancy percale shirts has never been surpassed and we don't think ever will be.

Our hosiery, underwear and suspenders cannot be excelled.  
BASSETT & CO.

**For Rent.**  
2 front corner rooms suitable for offices with front M. M. street entrance, and good ventilation and every convenience, up stairs.  
N. B. SHYER,  
Cor. Main & 9th sts.

## COME

To our opening Saturday Sep. 3rd. Palace Store of Kentucky. We guarantee our prices. Money refunded if not satisfactory. What more can you ask?  
BASSETT & CO.

**Special!**  
Owing to the fact that our stock is large, considering the advance of the season, we have concluded to make extraordinary cuts in Millinery and Fancy Goods.

All light Hats, trimmed and untrimmed, will go the balance of this month regardless of COST. This is no advertising dodge, but solid facts, and we stand ready to prove it.

Men's, Boy's and Children's Straw Hats at your own price.  
**N. B. SHYER,**  
CORNER MAIN & NINTH

## NO

Old shop worn goods in our stock. New store, new fixtures, new stock. We are not ashamed of our prices, we mark all goods in plain figures.  
BASSETT & CO.

We can save you money on Dry Goods, Notions, Cloaks and Furnishing Goods. The way to prove it to you, come to our opening. All goods marked in plain figures at prices that will surprise you.  
BASSETT & CO.

**Our Summer Drives.**  
A clearing up of odds and ends, and all prices scaled down to close lots. In all our departments can be found some special bargains.

Dress Goods and Trimmings at manufacturers prices. In White Goods, Linen Lace, Hamburgs and Oriental Laces, the bottom has dropped out. If you don't believe it, come and see. A large lot of Remnants of Carpets at wholesale prices. The best shirt in the world for the least money. A complete line of

**Gents' Furnishing Goods.**  
On our bargain counters can be found a big line of Counterpane, Table Linen, Towels and Napkins.

**Our \$15 Suits**  
—ARE NOW SELLING AT—  
10.00; \$10.00 at 8.00;  
\$8.00 at 5.00; & \$5.00 at 3.00 and so on.

We are closing out our entire stock of Parasols at cost, and don't forget to look at our Ladies \$2.50 Custom-made shoe.

**JONES & CO.**  
HOPKINSVILLE  
High School.

The fifteenth scholastic year of this well established, limited, select school for boys and young men will begin  
MONDAY, AUGUST 29th, 1887.

Instruction is given in a full course of English, Latin, Greek, German, Higher Mathematics and Book-keeping. Thorough teaching and strict discipline characterize the school.

TERMS FOR SESSION OF 40 WEEKS.  
Tuition and Board \$4.00 to \$6.00  
Boarding pupils are required to board in the family of the Principal. For further information address  
J. O. FEMMEL,  
Hopkinsville, Ky.

# CUTTING DEEPER EVERY DAY.

Large and Strictly First-Class Stock of

## JOHN T. WRIGHT, Dec'd.

This original stock was the most extensive ever brought to Hopkinsville, and

### BARGAINS THAT ARE BARGAINS

can still be had in plenty. We have the finest line of Corkscrews, Light Color Cassimeres and Scotch Cheviots in 4-Button Outaways and Sack Suits in all sizes and they fit like tailor-made garments.

Read How The Prices Have Been Cut:

For \$3.50 all Suits that sold for \$ 5.00	Child's \$2.50 Suits marked down to \$1.75
For 5.00 " " " " 7.50	Child's \$3 " " " " 2
For 7.00 " " " " 10.00	Child's 4 " " " " 2 50
For 9.00 " " " " 12.00	Child's 5 " " " " 3 50
For 10.00 " " " " 14.50	Child's 6 " " " " 4
For 12.50 " " " " 16	Child's 7 50 " " " " 4 50
For 15 " " " " 20	Boy's 4 " " " " 2 75
	Boy's 5 " " " " 3 50
	Boy's 7 50 " " " " 5
	Boy's 10 " " " " 7
	Boy's 12 50 " " " " 9

Child's Suits have been cut in the same proportion, also boys.

Remember all our goods are marked in plain figures. Come and compare prices. They are beyond all comparison with goods offered elsewhere. Goods and prices bound to please.

★THE JOHN T. WRIGHT STOCK—GLASS' CORNER★

# Look at Lipstines'

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

## Look at Lipstine's.

### Don't Read This

If You do Not Wish to Save Money!

ONLY 20 DAYS LONGER

WILL WE CONTINUE OUR

# Grand Mid-Summer Clearance Sale!

—In the meantime, we will give you some Immense Bargains—

## In Laces, Embroideries, Lace Curtains and Netts, White Goods AND SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

Read the Prices and call and be convinced of the facts.

Oriental Laces 6 and 8 inches wide at 10c. reduced from 25 and 30c.	Napkins and Red and White Table Linens, at fully 25 per cent. reduction from former prices.
Torchon Laces (all Linen) 5c to 16c, worth from 10 to 30c.	Albatross Cloth (all wool, 40 inches) pale tint at 40c.
Torchon Laces (machine made) 15 to 30c. pieces worth from 25c. to 85c.	An elegant line of Corsets from 25c. to 1.00.
Fancy Colored Laces at unheard of prices to close.	1000 pairs of Ladies Fancy Cotton Hose 6c worth 15c.
New lot of Hamburg Embroideries at "squally prices."	500 Ladies odd Collars at 5c worth from 10 to 20c.
Very pretty Colored Hamburgs, all colors and widths, at 8c	Embroidery Silk, all colors, small spools, 1c per spool.
Oriental Flouncings, 40 to 60 inches wide at 50, 60 and 75c.	Our Remnant counter is filled with Bargains.
Curtain Netts and Serims 10 to 50c worth 20 to 75c.	100 gross Pearl Buttons at 5c per doz. worth 10c; and great many other bargains to numerous to mention. Last but not least, is our

## IMMENSE STOCK OF CLOTHING.

Which we have cut prices almost half in order to make room for our stock of Fall Clothing and Overcoats, which will contain the choicest novelties of the season at reasonable figures. Therefore, before placing your orders or making purchases, look through our Mammoth Store-rooms.

# M. FRANKEL & SONS.

MAMMOTH DOUBLE STORE ROOMS, BEARD'S CORNER. "Old Reliable."

We always Lead, Never Follow.