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## NUMBER 144

ALBERT A. METZ

New York Life.....	\$16,151	Feb'y 25, 1878.	60 18	93 45	31 68	1 7
Equitable Life.....						

DIFFERENCE IN COST IN EIGHT YEARS IN FAVOR OF THE MUTUAL LIFE:

Over Mutual Benefit, \$23.80; Over New Y. & L. Life, \$31.87; Over Equitable Life, \$66.40.

Same Man; Same Amount; Same Time—*but every different result.*

James Story, Trigg county, Ky., (age 33) insured in the Southern Mutual Life of Ky., in 1878. His dividend in 1887 was only 16.5 per cent.

M. H. Nelson, Hopkinsville, Ky., (age 36) insured in the Mutual L. I. F. in 1879. His *Lowest* dividend was 12 per cent. His dividend 1887 was 40 per cent.

M. P. GREENSHAW, Solicitor,  
Mutual Life Ins. Co., Hopkinsville.

—Office in McDaniel Block.











## THE TRI-WEEKLY NEW ERA.

—PUBLISHED BY—  
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**SUBSCRIPTION RATES:**  
One year, \$1.00  
Six months, .60  
Three months, .35  
One month, .15

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In clubs of ten, \$7.50  
One extra subscription free to club raising  
GO TO WORK AND GET US UP A CLUB

### AGENTS

Who are authorized to collect subscriptions to the New Era:  
Lee Thacker—Lafayette, Ky.  
Dr. G. W. Rives—Williams P. O.  
A. A. Braden—Crittenden,  
Crittenden & Kennedy—Bainbridge,  
D. H. Armstrong—Cerulean Springs,  
W. W. J. P. Garrett—Pembroke,  
J. W. Richardson—Fruit Hill,  
W. B. Brewer—Fairview,  
Jno. M. Renshaw—Era.

### RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

TRAINE NORTH 10:15 A. M. 10 P. M.  
TRAINE SOUTH 6:35 A. M. 1:30 P. M.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1887.

### Personal.

Will Garner, of Knoxville, is in the Phoenix.  
Mrs. Dr. C. C. Woodson, was in the city Monday.  
Miss Mary Barr, of Lafayette, was in the city Monday.  
C. C. Slaughter, of Nashville, spent Sunday in the city.  
J. A. A. Thompson and W. T. Cooper are at the Post Comfort.  
Will Naylor's smiling countenance was seen on our streets Sunday.  
Mr. V. W. Williams, of Nashville, is spending a day or two here with friends.  
Miss Anna E. King, of Corydon, is visiting Mrs. Mary Bell, on 7th street.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Richardson have returned from their visit to Mont Eagle.  
Mr. D. B. Lipstone and Miss Julia Hart returned from Clarksville, Sunday.  
Miss Mattie Shanks, of Fairview, was the guest of Miss Mattie Perry last week.  
Mrs. John A. Bacon, of Boonville, springs, spent several days in the city last week.  
E. W. Coombs and Mat Horn, of Hamby Station, are stopping at the Union Hotel.  
Mr. Leighton McComb, wife and son, of South Christian, are in the city Monday.  
Miss Lizzie Leighton and Mrs. Belle Coombs, of Paducah, are in the city visiting friends.  
Mr. Ed. Finley, P. O. Inspector, passed through the city Sunday on his way to Clarksville.  
Mrs. Xanthe Pritchett and Miss Agnes Pritchett, from Madisonville, are at J. W. Pritchett's.  
Miss Sabina Dillon, of Fort Doe, returned home after a visit of several days to Miss Mattie Perry.  
Miss Carrie Metowan, of Louisville, returned home Saturday, accompanied by Miss Susan Campbell.  
Messrs. R. C. and Chester E. Ragin, and Miss Emma and Ida Ragin, of Knoxville, were in the city Sunday.  
Mr. E. W. Newwood and family will leave today for Kansas City, Mo., where Mr. Newwood has been there for some time, and is engaged in the Real Estate and Insurance business in that city. While regretting very much to lose them from our society, a host of friends here will wish them the most abundant prosperity in their new home.

### 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.

### South Kentucky College.

The time is rapidly approaching when the schools will again open. It is a matter of no little moment that in the selection of a school we make no mistake. There are many good schools, and it is well for our country that it is so. But among the number of superior schools, South Kentucky College may be mentioned. It has always ranked high as an institution of learning, and under its present management we feel confident it will lose nothing of its former prestige. Its President, Prof. Sobey, has had ample experience, and we may say successful experience, in the management of schools. The faculty have all seen long service in the school room. Those who are seeking among many institutions of learning, one to which to send their sons and daughters will make no mistake in choosing this well-known establishment and finely conducted school. The Department of Engineering will be under the control of Capt. Dabney, a graduate of the Naval Academy. The pupils in this department will be given thorough, practical drills. The fall term begins Monday, Sept. 6.

### 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.

### O. V. Notes.

The bridge which fell last Wednesday the O. V. road has been rebuilt and is now ready for the track.  
The Ohio Valley road will, it is expected, reach Princeton some time in September. From that point the road will be carried on to Hopkinsville and Cairo.  
Those who were wounded last week by the collapse of the bridge on the O. V., below Marion, are improving and will all get well. Engineer Will Gordon was not as seriously injured as was at first supposed.  
The Ohio Valley railway received Wednesday from Philadelphia two new Baldwin locomotives. The increased business on the road has made more rolling stock a necessity. The new engines are large and the very best made.—Henderson Journal.

## Local News.

M. M. Hanbery, Penn. Mut. Life Ins. Co.; office with Lee Johnson.

The largest stock in the jewelry line, and lowest prices, at M. D. Kelly's. Capt. Sam Stiles has moved into his new and neat little cottage on West 9th street.

For RENT—A good two-story cottage, on South Main Street. Apply at this office.

Our county jail now boasts of as many as a crowd of criminals as one would care to see.

An interesting children's party was given at the hospitable home of Mrs. Durrett, last evening.

A little trouble occurred at the depot Sunday afternoon but it did not amount to much. An irate father was the aggressor.

Kider Jas. T. Spurlin closed a successful meeting at Mount Zion, Sunday. Seventeen converts received the ordinance of baptism.

Reva, Walker Piner and J. W. Hingham are conducting a revival meeting at Vaughn's Chapel. The first services were held Sunday.

Miss Lillie Woodridge left for Oak Grove Sunday, where she will preside over a select school. Miss Woodridge is a thoroughly competent teacher.

A tremendous gathering attended the Hard-shell Baptist meeting at Cerulean Springs, Sunday. The day was pleasant, and the meeting highly interesting to all.

A pleasant party of young ladies and gentlemen spent the day last Friday at Campbell's cave. Dancing, music and merry-making constituted the enjoyment.

Mr. Loving Gaines, of the Elkton Progress, was in the city Saturday representing his paper. His trip was productive of good results, as he secured many subscribers for the Progress.

\$1,000 TO LOAN—The Hopkinsville Building and Loan Association has four thousand dollars to loan on good real estate. Now is the time to build a home before the winter comes.

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One day last week Mrs. W. W. Phipp and her two daughters, Misses Amanda and Josie, met with a distressing accident. They were returning home in a spring wagon, and when near Jno. B. Gowan's, on the Palmyra road, the horse became frightened and uncontrollable. The reins broke and in the excitement Amanda and Josie leaped out of the wagon, sustaining severe injuries. Mrs. Phipp remained in the wagon and checked the mad steed. She returned and assisted her daughters into the vehicle. A physician was sent for and upon examination found that neither of the young ladies was injured internally. Both are improving.

On examination, I have taken a membership in the Home Library Association of Chicago, which is a remarkable example of the value of organization in supplying its members with the best popular and standard books at publishers' wholesale prices, without burdening them with the profits of the jobber and retail dealer. A scheme which reduces an elegantly printed set of Washington Irving's works from \$15.00 to \$4.50; which furnishes a handsome copy of Shakespeare for 45 cents, and Macaulay's History of England in five volumes for \$1.25, speaks for itself and stands on its own merits. It is a boon to every lover of books to find, that, science, art and religion. The scheme is warmly commended by leading statesmen, preachers, journalists and professors, men in all classes and being based on safe business principles, will, we believe, succeed.

S. C. Mancan.

## Another Robbery.

An exceedingly bold robbery was perpetrated Sunday morning within a few feet of a crowd gathered at the depot awaiting the 10 a. m. train. Ed Morris, col. the thief, used a barrel against the side of the warehouse adjacent to the freight depot on 8th street, and with some sort of instrument removed the window casing, raised the sash and let himself down into the large tobacco room. He then, with the agility of a cat, scaled the fire proof safe wall and crawled through an opening at the top of the roof. Once inside he helped himself to ten pounds of French candles, a box of herring, and a box of blue. He made his exit through the heavy sliding door—the locks being on the inside. Morris hid some of his ill gotten gains in the new sewer near the railroad track. It was afterward captured as was also the impudent rascal. In his pocket was about three pounds of the stolen candy. He was jailed and will involuntarily form the acquaintance of this city next week. Morris' offense comes under the heading of house-breaking.

Pembroke Engagement.  
Sunday night Mr. Owen Smith, depot agent at Pembroke, and Miss Mattie Garnett, a charming young lady of that village, left Miss Garnett's home with the avowed purpose of attending church at Salubria, a few miles distant. They changed their minds, however, or at least their destination, and passing Salubria without stopping, drove on to this city, reaching here shortly before the 10 o'clock train came in. When the train arrived they boarded it for Evansville, Ind., with the expressed intention of getting married. Having heard nothing to the contrary, we presume their laudable intention was carried out and that they have by this time returned and are the happy couple. The bride is only about 15 years of age, which fact caused probably the only objection to the match.

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## PREFERRED LOCALS

**Gaither's**  
is the place for school supplies of all kinds, cheap. Call and get your Fall outfit.

**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 Gaither'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 underwear. Because they 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 "Bible." That is bound to be built the right way.

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

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

BASSETT & CO.

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

BASSETT & CO.

**For Rent.**  
2 front corner rooms suitable for offices with front Main 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.

**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

**FOR CHEAP FURNITURE**  
Go to the new store of W. A. Gossett, 9th st., near Main.

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.

**\$100 REWARD.**  
STOLEN, at the Circus grounds in Clarksville, a Gold Hunting Case Watch, stem-winder, anchor, gent's size, made by H. C. Capt. No. 12095, case engraved on outside with letter B. A reward of one Hundred Dollars will be paid for the return of the watch to L. GATCRAFT, Clarksville, Tenn.

Aug. 24th, 1887.

**JONES & CO.**

## 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.**

**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 Cutaways 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  
For 5.00 " " " " " 7.50  
For 7.00 " " " " " 10.00  
For 9.00 " " " " " 12.00  
For 10.00 " " " " " 14.50  
For 12.50 " " " " " 16.  
For 15. " " " " " 20.

Child's \$2.50 Suits marked down to \$ 1.75  
Child's \$3 " " " " " 2  
Child's 4 " " " " " 2 50  
Child's 5 " " " " " 3 50  
Child's 6 " " " " " 4  
Child's 7 50 " " " " " 5  
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.★

**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.

Torahon Laces (all Laces) 5c to 16c, worth from 10 to 30c.

Torahon Laces (machine made) 15 to 20c, pieces worth from 25c to 85c.

Fancy Colored Laces at unheard of prices to close.

New lot of Hamburg Embroideries at "squally" prices.

Very pretty Colored Hamburgs, all colors and widths, at 8c.

Oriental Flouncings, 40 to 60 inches wide at 50, 60 and 75c.

Curtain Netts and Scrims 10 to 50c worth 10 to 75c.

Bed Spreads and Linen Table Covers, Lap robes, Towels, Napkins and Red and White Table Linens, at fully 25 per cent. reduction from former prices.

Albatross Cloth (all wool, 40 inches) pale tint at 40c.

An elegant line of Corsets from 25c. to 1.00.

1000 pairs of Ladies Fancy Cotton Hose 6 1/2 worth 15c.

500 Ladies old Collars at 5c per doz. worth 10c to 20c.

Embroidery Silk, all colors, small spools, 1c per spool.

Our Remnant counter is filled with Bargains.

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 purchase, look through our Mammoth Store-rooms.

**M. FRANKEL & SONS.**  
MAMMOTH DOUBLE STORE ROOMS, BEARD'S CORNER.  
We always Lead, Never Follow.

"Old Reliable."