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VOLUME III.

CONDENSED NEWS.

An earthquake was felt in the New England towns Monday night.

The Moody meetings in Louisville will be continued till Sunday, February 12th.

At a fire in Pittsburg, Monday night \$300,000 worth of property was destroyed.

Charles C. White, editor of the Flenington Times-Democrat, has been declared insane.

The nomination of Dr. Currey for postmaster at Nashville, Tenn., has been confirmed.

The Chemical Paper Company's mill at South Holyoke, Mass., was burned Tuesday. Loss \$100,000.

The reports of the trouble in Bell county over Gen Duffield's survey have been greatly exaggerated.

The Howard House at Malone, Franklin county, New York, was burned Monday night. Loss \$200,000.

At Farmington Springs, near Maysville, Ky., J. M. Hawley's store was burglarized of \$200 Tuesday night.

The residence of Chas. Hazard, editor Sunday Telegram, Elmira, N. Y., burned Tuesday. Loss \$25,000.

Speaker and Mrs. Carlisle were received with a salute of seventeen guns when they went ashore to visit Fort Monroe Tuesday.

The residence of Overton Lee, five miles out from Nashville on the Grand White Pike, was destroyed by fire Monday. Loss \$45,000.

The citizens of Frankfort have offered the Louisville Southern \$100,000 to extend its line from Walton, nine miles distant, to Frankfort.

The hospital for crippled children in New York caught fire Monday. There were 163 children there under treatment but all escaped.

Dr. Asa Gray, a noted botanist and for many years professor of botany at Harvard College, died Monday night at the age of seventy-seven years.

Jesse Creel, a wife deserter, living near Milltown, Ind., was called out by the white caps last Tuesday and given fifty lashes on the bareback.

A half dozen business houses were destroyed by fire on Broadway, New York Monday. Several accidents to firemen occurred. Loss, \$1,500,000.

A drunken man turned over a lamp in a Dallas, Tex., boarding house, which set the building afire. He was burned to death and several others had narrow escapes.

Christian Feick, of Snowden, Pa., killed his wife with a shot-gun and then himself last Monday night. He was temporarily insane, the result of brooding over poverty.

An eighteen-year-old girl, daughter of a wealthy Missouri farmer, has disappeared from her home at Barnard. Suspicion rests upon the family, as they would say nothing about her.

A freight train on the Lake Shore railroad near Chicago, carrying naphtha, broke through a culvert Tuesday and took fire. One man is missing and the whole train was destroyed by the fire.

The second section of a passenger train on the Savannah, Florida & Western road ran into the first on last Tuesday evening. An engineer was killed and a fireman dangerously wounded. Four sleeping cars were burned.

Jno. D. West, Knoxville, the young man who was wounded by Jas. F. Rule, associate editor of the Knoxville Journal, is dead. A warrant has been sworn out against Rule charging him with murder in the first degree.

Eugene Tapel, nephew of a Louisville druggist, and principal of the Fulton-street school at Columbus, O., who absconded with \$800 entrusted to him to pay the teachers, committed suicide Monday night at Columbus, O. He said he was between the penitentiary and death, and he preferred the latter. He had been gambling.

The Hatfield-McCoy trouble is settled for the present. The agent sent down there by Gov. Wilson to investigate the matter reports that the parties have all laid aside their arms and that peace reigns. He has countermanded the order calling out the military and the state guards who were enroute have been ordered to return to their homes.

In the Kimshe mountains, Indian Territory, five masked men called at the house of Reuben Williamson, a wealthy cattle owner, living near Spring Station, and to make the old man tell where his money was held his hands on a red hot stove until he was unconscious. His wife then gave them all the money in the house and certificate of deposit on a Kansas City bank. Williamson is expected to die. The robbers escaped.

On Tuesday at Centre Sydney, near Augusta, Me., Edward Wentworth was fatally shot by his son. He was a man of large family and very cruel to them. After beating his wife, he struck his daughter, knocking her down, and was choking her when his wife remonstrated; whereupon he jumped up, swearing he would kill her, and started for his pistol. His son was before him, and grabbing the weapon shot his father through the heart.

At Cleveland, Tenn., Chas. Burton, from some unaccountable cause commenced to abuse his wife, who was in bed, being in a delicate condition, and finally pulled her out of bed and kicked and bruised her in a horrible manner. During this time she gave birth to a child, which was born dead. The father dug a hole in the yard, put the child in, covered it up, and returning to the house continued his abuse and blows until neighbors came in and put a stop to the inhuman conduct. He was arrested but managed to escape and is still at large.

BOOTH AND BARRETT.

A Graphic Description by "Bitty Button" of a Trip to Nashville.

FAIRVIEW, KY., Feb. 1.—Not long since, a merry little party of our Fairview girls and boys decided to lay aside "Imperial Caesar," and take up the more interesting study of Shakespeare, with Edwin Booth for a teacher and the Vendome as a school room. Sad to relate, as the time drew near, our boys were immensely popular in other directions.

One was suddenly called to Hopkinsville; another had a severe attack of pneumonia which kept him confined one whole morning; upon a third, was imposed the urgent duty of assisting a patient from this world to the next.

Happily, the three left were the very nicest escorts our town could have afforded. And a "jollier" crowd than that of our five girls, three boys and three chaperones could not have been found. On! you need not be winking, Mr. Supton, these chaperones are not many; for that matter, we would not have needed one, as a slower party is seldom seen. I can give an apt illustration. When we left the Maxwell for home we were almost too late for breakfast, and missed our "bus" altogether. When at last, through mud and slush, we reached the depot for the 7:10 train, we found the time to be 7:30. As luck would have it, there were a few persons in Nashville slower than we. The train came, in the short space of forty minutes; we got on, and here we are. But hold on, I have us here at home before we reached Nashville, so I guess I had better start again. The morning of our departure was lovely! Above hung low watery clouds, while below was a mixture of mud, water and ice, which had rather a bad effect on our four mules, as they seemed to be frequently seized with a sudden desire to sit down for a rest on every particularly large piece of ice they found. And as they all wanted a seat on the same piece, it was a little inconvenient. A gentle mist was falling which saturated our starch and dignity, leaving both useless. When crossing the bridge near Pembroke, one of the mules, not even saying "by your leave," quietly stepped off for a drink of water. Most unfortunately the harness was strong and one of our chaperones (whose weight does not, I believe, exceed two hundred and seventy) on the opposite side of the wagon, so he didn't get it, but hung in a somewhat uncomfortable position between earth and sky. The gentlemen, being assisted in some degree by the vocal powers of the ladies, succeeded in placing our errand "Gabriel" again on terra firma—or rather, terra softer—when we proceeded without further inconvenience to Pembroke, where we spent a delightful evening in the elegant reception room of Mr. Owen Smith. Nothing important occurred on our journey except we came near being precipitated into the gorge which lies below "Ridgeway." The train seemed to be trembling on the brink of the precipice. We thought "to be, or not to be," certainly was the question then. About that time a small voice suggested that some one hold the train down. We thought if it were held up, we would be satisfied. The chaperones were on the uppermost side of the train, so no uneasiness was felt, but that was all that saved us. We were very popular after this small service, so much so that we were even annoyed by the attempts of a crowd of Clarksville college boys to make our acquaintance. With some trouble we secured rooms at the Maxwell, one on the first floor and two rather higher up. That night the Campbells were put on the first floor (near the water tank) and the Baptists above where, from the size and height of the rooms, it was supposed they could "hold close communion with the angels." Of course this was quite pleasant for them until they wished to turn over, when all were under the necessity of "piling out" on the floor and getting in on the other side. The next day we took in the capitol, museum, penitentiary and Vanderbilt, where we met our friend Mr. Reno Downer, who is educating himself there. At the penitentiary we felt very much honored at making the acquaintance of some of its noted inmates. We were assured if we ever returned to board we should be well fed and released in twenty days. It is said the place is almost as popular as the Maxwell, twenty boarders having been registered that evening. After visiting a few of the largest music, clothing and jewelry establishments in the city, we decided we had "taken in" about as much of that kind of food as we could digest at one time, so tried a change of diet and went to dinner. But wait a minute, I've left out something. The oldest gentleman in our party, having been the night before given over to the tender mercies of "the boys" was found quite ill, he being thus quietly disposed of, to add the plans of a certain struck couple who did not care for too much watching. That night we saw Booth and Barrett in "Hamlet." The acting was superb, and beyond the power of pencil to portray. Booth's grace, perfect control of feature and voice, rendered the play intensely fascinating and interesting. On the morning of our return a gentle shower fell, but as we swept near the boundary line of Tennessee the clouds vanished as if by magic. The sun awoke and shot "golden arrows" into the myriads of diamonds which the Rain-god had flung alike over frowning mountains and smiling vale. On one side, down, down, dimmed by distance, downward lay wooded slopes, while on the other hand, "merged in ethereal blue, were ledges of rock, from whose rugged ridges, spring scintillating cascades chained into silence, and lovelies hung like the hoary beard of winter himself. Our luxurious carriage (with the addition of a movers cover) awaited us, we reached home with no injury except to our pride, which was much mutilated by our being mistaken for "East Tennessee" movers. If any of our friends start on a similar trip under like circumstances, I will say but this, in words of our renowned "Bill" Shakespeare, "May I be there to see!" BILLY BUTTON.

Weather Almost too Cold

—TO THINK OF—

Spring Goods,

But we want it thoroughly understood that we are making great preparations for the coming season. We will commence to open our Spring Stock about February 1st, and will be able to

Show About February 20th,

the most complete line of Spring Goods ever brought to this section of the country. Our buyers are now in the market and from the amount of goods they write they have purchased, it will tax our spacious quarters to put them on sale. Remember we were not in business last Spring, consequently have

No Last Year's Shop-worn, Old Styles On Hand.

Everything, bright, New, Clean and the very Latest Styles.

Our Extraordinary Advantages in Buying

Enable us to sell for less money than other merchants. Everybody who has Dry Goods to buy this Spring should call on Bassett & Co., and inspect their mammoth stock before making purchases. We start in the New Year with the determination to do the largest retail business in Southern Kentucky.

How do We Propose to do It?

- 1st. By carrying the largest stock.
- 2d. By showing the greatest variety.
- 3d. By handling more novelties than other houses.
- 4th. By selling for cash.
- 5th. By marking all goods in plain figures.
- 6th. By having strictly one price.
- 7th. By guaranteeing everything we sell.
- 8th. By refunding money if customers are not satisfied with purchases.
- 9th. By treating customers politely whether they are looking or buying.
- 10th. By saving customers money on every dollar's worth of Dry Goods they buy.

We mean Every word we Say

and stand ready and willing to prove every word of the above, if you will call at Bassett & Co's.,

Wreckers of High Prices.

What Winter Goods we have left are being sold at about half our original price, and you well know that our original prices were 25 per cent. lower than other people asked for same goods.

You cannot spend an hour more profitably anywhere than at

Bassett & Co.,

No. 4, North Main Street, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

GREAT REMNANT SALE.

We have just got through invoicing and have a big lot of Remnants on hand.

Remnants of Dress Goods at 1-3 the regular price.

Remnants of French Satteens.

Remnants of bleached and brown Domestic.

Remnants of Table Linen.

Remnants of red and white Flannel.

Remnants of Calico.

Remnants of Gingham.

Remnants of Carpets.

We have placed the lot on our center counters and will close them out at 1-3 the regular price.

Metz & Timothy,

Leaders and Controllers of Low Prices.

Hopkinsville, Ky.

They Must Go!

This is our great Semi-annual Sale—a closing sale of Winter Goods of all descriptions. The holidays over we settle down to regular business, commencing 1888 with better values than ever. We must make room for our immense Spring stock.

Do you want the best \$1.50 Overcoat? Buy at Pye & Walton's.

Do you want the best \$2.00 Overcoat? Buy at Pye & Walton's.

Do you want the best \$3.00 Overcoat? Buy at Pye & Walton's.

Do you want the best \$5.00 Overcoat? Buy at Pye & Walton's.

Buy the best \$2.00 Trousers at Pye & Walton's.

Buy the best \$5.00 Men's Suits at Pye & Walton's.

Buy the best \$6.00 Men's Suits at Pye & Walton's.

Our constantly increasing trade is easily accounted for by the fact that we sell thoroughly reliable goods at reasonable prices. We are always glad to show our goods and it will pay you to investigate us before you buy. Call and see us.

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Just finished taking an inventory. We find we have too many goods, and they must go. We will begin to offer the greatest bargains of our age. Our biggest cut is in our

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If you ever expect to buy a cloak now is your chance. Come and take your choice of any of our \$5 and \$6 Cloaks for \$3. Pick and choose of any \$7 or \$8 Newmarkets for \$4.50.

We have placed on sale our entire line of Broad, Bead and Fur Trimming at ruinous prices. Space won't permit us to quote prices on our entire stock, but if you will give us a call we will be sure to interest you in prices. We are determined to sell.

We almost forgot to mention our large line of Wool Hosiery. We have almost cut prices in two in this department.

We have too many Winter goods on hand. Sell them we must, and therefore put prices on them that will move them.

We will place on sale this week a large line of Hamburg Trimmings, both white and colored. Machine and real Torchon Lace.

Just think of \$8.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00 Newmarkets going for \$5.00.

All our \$11 and \$12.50 Newmarkets to be closed at \$6. All \$14, \$15 and \$16.50 Newmarkets must go at \$8 and \$10. We have one Newmarket, size 36, which will go for \$12.50.

Our entire stock of Cloaks, consisting of Plush Wraps, Newmarkets, Jackets and Children's Cloaks, must be cleaned out.

Immense stock of Flannels will be sold at ruinous prices.

Underwear for children, and ladies at prices that will astonish you. One hundred Flannel shirts at 75c, \$1 and \$1.25, worth double the money.

Waterproofs and Jerseys and Jeans at 25 % less than can be bought elsewhere.

Swiss Embroidery, Check Nainsooks, Bleach Domestic at less than New York cost, Table Cloths, Towels and Napkins, Sheetting, Bed Tick.

1000 yards Curtain Scrim at 6/c.

500 yards fine Lace Curtain Net, slightly soiled, at half price.

100 pair elegant lace curtains at two-thirds their value.

250 slightly soiled Bed Spreads at just one-half their worth. Remember our Annual Bed Spread sale is always the town talk.

Call to see us, we will show you a great many other bargains which scarcity of space will not permit us to mention.

Remember goods must be sold to make room for our Spring Stock, which will arrive about February 15th.

M. FRANKEL & SONS.

WHEN GREEK MEETS GREEK Then Comes the Tug of War TO THE WINDS WITH PROFITS!

After this date, Tuesday, Dec. 14th, 1887, we put our foot down on profits and pick up the knife and cut the life out of prices.

The Proof of the Pudding is in Eating.

All our goods marked in plain figures. We attach a tag with the regular price and then our mark down price in red letters.

All our \$4.50,	\$5.00 and \$6.00	Suits and Overcoats	now go at.....	\$3.50	and \$5.00
All our \$6.50,	7.00 and 7.50	" "	" " " " " "	4.50	and 7.50
All our \$8.00,	9.00 and 10.00	" "	" " " " " "	6.00	and 9.00
All our \$12.00,	12.50 and 13.00	" "	" " " " " "	8.50	and 12.50
All our \$15.00,	16.50 and 17.50	" "	" " " " " "	11.00	and 15.00
All our \$18.00,	18.50 and 20.00	" "	" " " " " "	14.00	and 18.00
All our \$22.50,	25.00 and 30.00	" "	" " " " " "	16.50,	18.50, 20.00
All our \$25.00,	Chinchilla Coats and Vests	now go at.....	at.....	7.50	
All our \$20.00,	Astrachan " " " "	" " " " " "	" " " " " "	13.50	

Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats

Cut from \$1 to \$5 on the garment. Unlaundered White Shirts worth 50c. reduced to 25c. Linen Bosom New York Muls " " "\$1 reduced to 50c. Underwear, Gloves, Hats, Caps, etc. reduced fully 25 per cent. under competitors' prices. Talk is cheap but we will prove to you that when we say we give genuine bargains we mean it. Be sure and attend this great Red Letter Sale. Such a chance to secure good reliable clothing may never occur again.

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