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# The Tri-Weekly Kentucky New Era.

HOPKINSVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1888

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VOLUME III.

## CONDENSED NEWS.

A special from Aberdeen, Miss., states that a negro named George Washington on Thursday shot and killed two white boys in a quarrel over a trivial matter. A posse is in pursuit of him and a lynching is likely to occur.

A mob of strikers on Wednesday evening attacked a train of the Chicago and Alton road, at Chicago, which was protected by armed guards. A number of shots were exchanged and one of the guards was killed and another fatally wounded.

After an exciting contest of two or three weeks, in which much acrimonious personal controversy was indulged in, Hawesville, the stronghold of local option, goes wet by nineteen majority. The city council is about a tie, but the wet side elected the Mayor by eleven votes.

Just before daylight Monday morning the jail at Friar's Point, Miss., was discovered on fire. Desperate efforts were made to release the five prisoners it contained, but without success, and they perished in the flames. One of the prisoners set the jail on fire, hoping to escape.

The boycott against hauling "Q" cars has been raised on all railroads, and the strike has ended on all roads except the "Q." By raising the boycott the men hoped to show the public the incompetency of the Burlington men who took their places by swamping that road with freight.

A man living near Cookeville, Tenn., wanted a young heifer sappling out of his tobacco plant bed, and cutting it off seven feet above the ground, hitched a yoke of oxen to it to pull it up. He stood behind it to see it come up. It came up after the chain slipped off. Funeral yesterday.

Hanson Willis, a noted Virginia desperado, wanted for the recent murder of his father-in-law near Pomeroy, for the murder of a man years ago and for the killing of one of the would be lynchers pursuing him in Jackson county, March 4, was captured at Wheeling, W. Va., Thursday.

A cablegram from Tangiers says: The government has refused the demands of the United States in regard to the imprisonment of an American citizen at Rabat. It is expected that the United States government will act with vigor against the government of Morocco, and resent without delay this affront incurred in the performance of its duty in the protection of its citizens abroad.

During a thunder storm at 2 o'clock Thursday morning, lightning struck a 10,000 barrel oil tank owned by the Transit Company. The tank contained about 7,000 barrels of oil, which took fire and boiled over, the flaming liquid cascading down the hillside, threatening destruction to the town. Disaster was averted, however, by throwing up ditches which turned the fire in another direction. One house, a barn, four rigs and an engine house, together with about 800 barrels of oil, were destroyed. The burning fluid ran across the railroad, burning the track for some distance and necessitating the transfer of passengers.

A local paper at St. Paul publishes interviews with about 200 prominent Republicans of Minnesota regarding the working of high license in that state, where the law has been in effect for about eight months. It is agreed that the law has worked well in all the cities and the effect has been good, not only in the sense of increased revenue, but in lessening the number of saloons and in bettering the character of those that are in operation under the law. With one single exception, the replies show the sentiment is favorable to the retention of the law, and in nearly every case the statement is made that the people will not consent to a return to the old order of things. In Carver county alone, where there are a great many Germans, the law has been disregarded, but the sentiment there has always been strongly opposed to any restriction of the traffic.

A terrible railroad accident occurred about four miles west of New Hampton, Ia., on the Milwaukee & St. Paul road, by which at least a dozen persons lost their lives and from fifteen to twenty were injured. The train which left Chicago at 11:30 Thursday morning and was due at 2:13 Friday morning, passed nearly on time, and when about four miles west, plunged into a creek. The creek was swollen by the immense amount of water which has been running off for the past few days and in addition to this a gorge of ice was formed which, previous to the arrival of the train, carried away a portion of the bridge. There was nothing to show that there was danger ahead, and the train plunged into the swollen stream while running at full speed. The engine and three coaches went into the creek and were immediately submerged in the torrent of water which overflowed the banks.

Prof. Hogan, of Jackson, Mich., made a magnificent leap from his balloon shortly after noon Thursday. The first attempt at an ascension was a failure, but the second effort was a success, and the air-ship soon reached a height estimated at nearly 10,000 feet. At this elevation the balloon seemed to stand still, and by the aid of glasses, Hogan could be seen edging over the side of the car. Suddenly a cry went up, "he's jumped," and the crowd craned their necks to see the man dash himself to pieces. The parachute failed to work at first, and the daring aeronaut was seen diving to the earth with lightning speed. A moment later, however, the umbrella-shaped life-preserver opened its wings and Hogan's rapid descent was checked. From that point he dropped slowly, and reached the earth safely in four minutes, at a point about one and one-half miles from the city. The fool-hardy man dropped 600 feet before his parachute opened.

## Tobacco News.

The market this week was active and firmer on all grades. The buyers manifested great interest and things were lively all day at the exchange.

Hanbury & Shyer sold this week 22 hds. as follows:

4 hds. good leaf, 7 70 to 8 50.  
3 " medium leaf, 6 50 to 7 50.  
13 " lugs, 5 25 to 6 95.

Hancock, Fraser & Ragdale sold this week 38 hds. as follows:

9 hds. good to fine leaf, 14 00, 9 25  
9 00, 9 50 75, 10 50, 10 00, 9 10, 9 10.  
17 hds. common to medium leaf, 6 75 to 9 00.

12 hds. lugs, 4 50 to 6 50.  
M. H. Nelson & Co., sold this week 9 hds. as follows:

1 Hhd. old lugs, 3 05.  
3 " new lugs, 5 05 to 6 50.  
3 " old leaf, 6 00 to 8 00.  
2 " new leaf, 7 00 to 8 00.

Sales by Gant Galtner Co., of 72 hds. as follows:

31 hds. of old leaf, 7 25, to 9 00.  
13 " new medium leaf, 7 75 to 9 50.

10 hds. common leaf, 6 00 to 7 50.  
19 " lugs and trash, 2 00 to 6 40.

Wheeler, Mills & Co., sold this week 32 hds. as follows:

12 hds. medium leaf 2 at 10 50, 10 00  
8 25, 8 25, 8 90, 8 80, 8 85, 8 50,  
8 25, 8 00.

10 hds. common leaf, 7 90, 7 50, 7 00  
6 90, 6 30, 6 20, 6 55, 6 95, 6 60, 6 25.  
10 hds. lugs, 3 00 to 3 50.

Abernathy & Co., sold this week 34 hds. as follows:

12 hds. medium to good leaf, 8 00 to 11 25.  
11 hds. low leaf, 6 20 to 7 25.  
11 " lugs, 4 25 to 7 00.

Steer clear of biliousness by a free use of Acumun's Purgative Peas. For sale by H. B. Garner.

## Crofton Notes.

Special Correspondence.  
CROFTON, Ky., April 5.—Frank Hill and family are moving to-day to Hanson. We are sorry to lose such estimable, good people and hope they may be successful in their new home.

Mr. John M. Lockhart, and little girl, went to White Plains to-day.  
W. H. Timmons arrived here to-day to take charge of an extra gang of laborers on this section of the L. & N. I learn that the management intends putting extra men along the line and getting the road up in fine condition this spring and summer.

The firm of Nixon & West, of our town, has been dissolved. O. A. West retains J. J. Nixon will continue the business, that of dealer in general merchandise.

Robert Watson, of Kelly, about two years ago ran a thorn into the palm of his right hand and breaking it off could never extract it. It is now making its way out at the back of his hand.

Mrs. Wilson and son, Dick Wilson, went to Earlinton yesterday.

Mrs. V. C. Clark went to your city yesterday to visit the family of her brother, O. S. Brown.

C. A. B.

Home testimonials are most reliable, and if you will send your name and address we will send statements of numbers of the best citizens of Nashville regarding the wonderful cures effected by the Ethiopian Pile Ointment. It never fails. 50 cents and \$1 per bottle. Manufactured by Ransom Root Medicine Co., Nashville, Tenn. For sale by all druggists.

## Fergussonville Notes.

Special Correspondence.  
FERGUSSONVILLE, April 4.—Will Danley's little child died last Wednesday of pneumonia.

The "hop" at Mr. A. Y. Gibson's on last Saturday night was an enjoyable affair. Splendid music was furnished. Mrs. Jasper Willis got badly crippled last week by her horse falling with her. Joseph Wicks is convalescent after a severe spell of pneumonia.

Frank Powell, of Todd county, has moved to our vicinity.

Judge West and J. W. Wicks, of this neighborhood, are attending the tobacco sales in Hopkinsville this week.

Rev. J. U. Spurlin will preach at the Fears' school-house the third Sunday evening in this month at 4 o'clock.

We had a little fracas down this way Saturday. One or two got knocked down, though no one seriously hurt.

Miss Jennie Mescham is visiting Miss Josie Putty this week.

Mr. John Morgan and wife has returned to their home in Union county, after spending a month with Mrs. Morgan's brother, Mr. Wilson Berry.

DUTCHMAN.

Acumun's Purgative Peas are indispensable especially in miasmatic regions, and should always be kept on hand by every family. For sale by H. B. Garner.

## Piles Eked News.

Special Correspondence.  
PILZER ROCK, Ky., April 3.—Mr. Bud Henderson has three cases of diphtheria in his family and his little son is not expected to live.

The burial of Miss Fannie McCoolin, who died of consumption, occurred last Sunday.

Mr. Wiley Richardson and Miss Dora Calvin were married at the residence of the bride's father, Ben Calvin. A number of their friends attended the wedding. The New Era wishes them much joy and success in their future life.

Misses Ellen Perkins and Maggie Faughn spent Monday with Mrs. Ivy Mescham.

JOLLY.

## Buckley's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by H. B. Garner.

## Ponder Over the Following

# PRICES!

## THEY ARE WORLD BEATERS!

3c	Each for a line of Silk and Fancy hats, for fancy work, worth 10c.	16 1/2c	to 35c. a yard for French Indis. Linen to be had only at Bassett & Co's.	37 1/2c	a yard for the finest French Satens, made extreme styles, the celebrated Groe, Roman & Co. make.
5c	For ladies' real Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, sheer and fine.	17c	a pair for ladies' full regular Pin Striped Hose. These are from a forced sale and are worth a double.	40c	a pair for genuine Guyots French Suspenders. The best and most comfortable made.
7c	A yard for Cream Seersucker with fancy stripe—actually worth 15c.	25c	each for Straw Door Mats, 1 1/2 yards long.	50c	a pair for ladies' extra fine Gauze Black Hose, warranted fast black and not to soil the clothing or stain the feet.
8c	A yard for fine Batiste; new patterns and very pretty.	Lace Curtains!		50c	a yard for all-wool Riverside Ladies' Cloth, in all the new shades. This is excellent value and very stylish.
10c	A spool for 500 yards O. N. T. Spool Cotton, only to be found at Bassett & Co's.	69c	Nottingham	60c	a yard for figured Challies or Muslin d'Laines, very fine and light weight. Delightful for tea gowns or evening dresses.
10c	A dozen, clear white Pearl Dress Buttons, half-bolt.	90c	Taped Lace	69c	will buy a pair of French Kid Gloves, embroidered backs, actually worth \$1.
10c		\$1-25	Curtains in	85c	a yard for the very best quality Henrietta Cloth, in all the new colorings.
12 1/2	A yard for sheer white Check India Linen, excellent value.	1.50	Newest Patterns	\$1.25	for choice of a line of Fine Silk Umbrellas, slightly damaged, worth \$3.
15c	Each, handsome Turkish Towels, all colors, for Tides or Splashes, worth 35c.	1.75	and all great Values.	\$5.00	for embroidered French Satine Box Suits, in all colors and styles of braiding.
15c	A yard for genuine Linen Lawn, warranted all linen. Competitors sell for 35c.	Free!	Curtain Poles and Fixtures complete go with Curtains \$2.00 and up.		

Come in early as these goods cannot last long at the prices quoted.

# BASSETT & CO.,

"Wreckers of High Prices."

Mail orders for goods or samples promptly filled.

## D. H. BALDWIN & CO.,

HAVE THE

## Largest Piano Store in Kentucky,

Or in the West. It contains a large and elegant assortment of

Decker Bros., Haines Bros., Steinway & Sons, J. & C. Fischer, Estey

Piano Co., D. H. Baldwin & Co. and Arlington Piano Co. Pianos.

They have not only the largest and finest assortment that can be found but sell at lower prices for the same quality of instruments than any other piano house in the United States.

D. H. Baldwin & Co., N. 236 4th Ave., Louisville, Ky.

A fine assortment of **ESTEY ORGANS.** Also a number of Pianos taken in exchange at bargains.

Memphis Store, 258 2nd Street. Nashville Store 218 Church, Street

# METZ & TIMOTHY.

## SPRING.

# 1888.

Check nainsooks extra quality, at 5c per yard. Indigo blue prints at 5c per yard. 500 yards of

## SUMMER SILKS AT 19C

per yard, in brown only. A handsome line of dress gingham at 7 1/2, 8 1/2 and 10c per yard. Hamburg edge at 10c, worth 20c. Oriental laces at 25c, worth from 50 to 75c per yard. See our line of cambric trimmings at 10c, cheap at 25c per yard. A full line of fancy Marsailles at 15, 20, 25 and 30c per yard. Extra large size linen huck towels, 40 inches long by 24 wide at 50c a pair, retailed everywhere at 75 cents per pair. Remnants of silk and satins at half their cost price. Fancy box suits and combination suits sold last season at \$12.00 to \$15.00. We will close them out at \$8.00. 500 children's lace caps at 10, 15, 20 and 25c each.

## MoireSilks in All the New Shades.

We are making a special run on

## LACE CURTAINS.

Ask to see our lace curtains at \$1.50 a pair; we will guarantee the same quality can't be bought in Hopkinsville for less than \$2.50. At \$2.50 we will sell you a pair of lace curtains that cannot be equaled in the city for less than \$3.50. Ask to see our luminating curtains, they are the newest and handsomest goods out. At \$3.00 we will show you lace curtains that cannot be bought elsewhere for less than \$5.00. We call special attention to our stock of

## SWISS FLOUNCINGS,

they are pronounced by every one who has seen them to be the handsomest line ever brought to the city.

## HENRIETTA CLOTH

in all the new shades at 35c per yard.

## A FULL LINE OF FANCY BRAID TRIMMINGS.

Swiss edges at 10c per yd., worth from 15 to 20 cents. Ask to see our line of Swiss flouncings suitable for children's skirts, we have them at 25, 35 and 40c and upwards. We again call attention to our line of children's lace caps; don't fail to examine them before purchasing.

# METZ & TIMOTHY,

Leaders and Controllers of Low Prices.

HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

## A WORD TO THE WISE.

## READ IT!

# PYE & WALTON

Have received a large lot of

## Spring Clothing,

Which they have placed on sale at their store. We are showing styles that can not be duplicated in Hopkinsville. We are offering bargains that can not be matched. Our assortment is composed of selections from the cream of the very best makes, and on several we have the exclusive control. We have an elegant line of Browning, King & Co's.

## SPRING SAMPLES,

Which we make suits to order, guarantee a fit or no sale. We also have an elegant line of

## SPRING HATS

in all colors, and we invite the young men to inspect before buying. Our line of

## Spring and Summer Furnishing Goods

is now complete. We respectfully invite one and all in to see us.

Don't buy second-class goods. Don't pay two prices for what you buy. Don't fail to see our stock. Don't forget our prices are way, way down.

# PYE & WALTON,

HOPKINSVILLE KY.

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## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

TRAIN	NORTH	10:18 A. M.	10 P. M.
TRAIN	SOUTH	6:25 A. M.	5:02 P. M.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1888.

## Personal.

(Please furnish the names of your visitors  
and addresses, for this column, and thereby  
confer a favor that will be appreciated.)

Jo Quaries, of Howell, was in town this week.

Rev. E. B. Bassett is in Louisville on business.

Rev. A. Malone, of Franklin, Ky., is in the city.

Mrs. J. N. Dulin, of Beverly, spent Thursday in town.

J. L. Boone, of Mayfield, Ky., was in the city this week.

Dr. Armstrong, of Fairview, was in the city Thursday.

Mr. Frank Mason, of Pee Dee, was in the city Thursday.

Julie Winfree and lady, of Oakley, were in the city Thursday.

Rev. Frank Perry took a short trip to Louisville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brashear, of Crofton, were in town Friday.

Mrs. Mat Jones, of Roaring Spring, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Jno. W. McGaughey, Newstead, was in town Thursday.

Miss Emma Cooper, of Lafayette, is the guest of W. E. Ragdale.

Mrs. Richard Vaughn, Fairview, was in the city shopping Thursday.

Miss Mattie Cowen, of Marshfield, Mo., is visiting Mrs. N. B. Shyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vaughn, of Fairview, spent Thursday in the city.

Mr. Jno. T. Kabbeth, of Trenton, spent several days in the city this week.

Miss Lizzie Rutherford, of Trenton, is visiting Miss Hattie Graves, Maple street.

M. G. Miller, a prominent business man of Pembroke, was in town Thursday.

Calvin Layne, a prominent merchant of Fairview, was on the streets Thursday.

Mrs. C. D. Bell and Mrs. J. P. Bell, of south Christian, were in the city Thursday.

Mr. Jose Giles and son, Abbott, of Howell, were in the city on business Thursday.

Miss Alice Hays left for Cincinnati to lay in her spring stock of millinery, Thursday.

Mad. D. Jacobs will start east to night for her second purchase of spring millinery.

Miss Halley Rives left for her home at Lafayette, Friday, after a two weeks' visit to her uncle, W. E. Ragdale.

Mrs. M. H. River, of Lafayette, who was delayed here by several days' illness, left for Cincinnati today to buy spring millinery.

Miss Julia F. Venable, who has been on an extended visit to friends in Nashville and Galatia, Tenn., returned home Thursday morning.

Miss Rosa May Featherston, who for the last month has been the pleasant guest of Mr. Henry Bryan, returned to her home at Cedarston, Georgia, Friday.

Miss Annie Clayton, who for the past several months has been the pleasant guest of her sister, Mrs. Welch, will leave Monday for her home at Hamilton, Mo. Miss Clayton was quite popular in society here and leaves many friends who regret her departure.

At the Opera House.

On Monday and Tuesday night and Tuesday matinee Burks' Equinecurriculum will occupy the Opera House.

The show is strictly first-class, and there will be fourteen horses and ponies in the exhibition. These animals are educated to a wonderful degree and perform feats that are very astonishing. In other cities the show has been well patronized by ministers of the gospel, and has always been a favorite with the ladies who love pretty horses.

The animals will walk up the opera house steps and to their positions on the stage just the same as would human beings. The stage will be covered with sawdust and well arranged for the exhibition. There will be a parade on Monday. The evening prices will be, reserved seats, 50 cents; general admission, 35 cents; gallery, 25 cents.

Missionary Meeting.

The next meeting of the Sixth Circle will be held at Casky, April 28th and 29th, 1888. Commencing Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m. The following subjects will be discussed:

1. Missionary Plans of the S. B. C. Can They be Simplified and Cheapened? S. P. Forgy.

2. History and Prospects of our Brazilian Mission. J. P. Garrett.

3. Why is it that we have so Few Evangelists? J. D. Clardy.

4. To What Extent May God be Known by the Study of Nature? J. P. Garrett.

5. Hindrances to Efficient Mission Work. J. T. Barrow.

6. To select their own subject. W. B. Walker.

Sunday-school Mass Meeting. Dr. Harris will be followed by five minutes speeches by Layman McComb, Winston Henry, A. E. Word, C. D. Bell and others.

The churches are earnestly requested to send large delegations and liberal contributions. J. D. CLARDY, V. P.

Acumen's Purgative Pills are purely vegetable and is the only remedy that will remove the bile from the system without griping or pain. For sale by H. B. Garner.

## Local News.

Try a milk shake at Wilson's.

Fresh oleomargarine at McKee's.

Auth D. Hicks, Fire Insurance.

Hopkinsville Limestone Caster's stable.

Ford Schmitt has started his pop works.

Go to A. G. Bush for boots and shoes and save money.

Soda water, the best of all substitutes, is now in demand.

WANTED.—One hundred tons of clover hay at Anderson & Tate's.

Honest goods, honest workmanship, honest prices at M. D. Kelly's.

For Sale.—A first-class, new parlor organ, cheap. Apply at this office.

Ross Rodgers represents the Mutual Life Insurance Company of Kentucky.

Repairing buggies a specialty at Ducker's. Old stand, 8th and Virginia.

The Latham Light Guards will be marched out for target practice this evening.

Mrs. Lizzie Dick has accepted a position in the millinery department of Ike Lipstine.

James Cook is quite sick at the residence of his father, Dr. Cook, on Seventh street.

Repairing of all kinds, cheaper than ever before on buggies, carriages, etc., at Ducker's.

Tobacco plants are looking well and there will be an abundance if they escape the flies.

Kit Banks, aged ninety, a worthy and deserving old colored man of this city, died Wednesday.

Mrs. Moore, of Owensboro, delivered two lectures at the Cumberland Presbyterian church this week.

Mr. W. E. Ragdale enjoys the distinction of being the first to make a deposit in the First National.

Best lake ice delivered at your residence or for sale at corner Metz & Timothy's.

"The wheat crop this year will hardly be up to the average," said a prominent planter to a New Era man Thursday.

Lee Adcock, the brakeman who was injured by a freight train at Trenton Tuesday, it is thought will die from the injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long entertained a party of friends at their hospitable residence on south Main street Friday night.

The natural gas excitement has not died out at Lebanon. The company will begin boring in another locality at an early date.

There are now seven borders in the county jail. Twenty is the highest number that Mr. Long has had at any one time this year.

For Sale.—Five houses and lots in Hopkinsville and a farm of 150 acres in this county. Terms reasonable. M. HANNA, easy.

A house belonging to John Brodrie, colored, situated on the Clarksville pike about one mile from the city, was destroyed, with its contents, by fire Wednesday night.

Elsewhere in this issue may be found a notice of a "History of the Desap Family." The volume has been received at this office and it is all that is claimed for it. Price \$3.30.

Rev. J. T. Barrow left yesterday to begin a series of meetings with the church, of which he is pastor, at Princeton, Ky. He will be joined on next Monday by Rev. J. N. Prentiss, who will aid him in the meeting.

The series of sermons delivered at the Baptist church by Dr. Graves were very able and drew large congregations. Dr. Graves concluded the series Thursday and returned to his home at Memphis.

WEEKLY NEW ERA \$1.00 a year, with ticket in the drawing, TRI-WEEKLY \$2.00 a year with two tickets or \$1.00 for six months with one ticket. Terms cash in advance. Papers stopped when time is out.

There is a movement on foot to erect a spectacle on a lot on north Main street in which to hold religious services. Rev. J. U. Spurlin, an eminent Baptist divine, will conduct the meetings.

The improvement that a trip across the Atlantic will create can be seen by sending over to Crumman at Clarksville for a jug of that old Bourbon that was exported to Bremen in '82 and brought back in '85 thus having enjoyed a couple of voyages across the Atlantic.

Frank Whitlow, Bud Wootley and Dan Marshall, colored, were placed under arrest Friday afternoon, charged with violating the prohibition law. Max Hanberry is the principal witness for the commonwealth. Their cases will be tried before the city court at 1 o'clock this evening.

The Sunday-school of the Ninth Street Presbyterian church, by a rising vote on Sabbath morning, adopted a number of resolutions deploring the death of Mrs. Margaret McPherson, which at the request were heard from the pulpit and transcribed upon the session book of the church. Mrs. McPherson had for years been an untiring, earnest and consecrated teacher in the Sabbath-school and she will be greatly missed.

The Presbytery of Muhlenburg holds its spring session in the Ninth Street Presbyterian church in this city, Thursday the 26th. Presbytery will be convened after a sermon by the retiring moderator at 8 o'clock p. m. In connection with this session of the Presbytery interesting papers will be read by a member or prominent elder of the church. (The program of these exercises will be published at a later date.)

Mr. E. H. Armstrong and Miss Alice Perkins eloped to Clarksville, Thursday morning, and were married at the Northington House, that city, by Rev. A. D. Sears, the venerable Baptist minister. They were accompanied by Mr. M. S. Perkins and Miss Ellen Williamson; Mr. Chas. W. Driver and Miss Marlene Hamby. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to Hopkinsville, where they will make their future home.

## PREFERRED LOCALS.

Mrs. G. M. Mescham will leave Monday for San Diego to join her husband who holds a position on the daily press of that city. Mrs. Mescham will be accompanied by her brother, Henry Tandy. Mr. Jesse L. Edmundson will go along with the party in order to take a position that has been offered him on the San Diego. In Mrs. Mescham we lose a lovely woman, in Henry Tandy a promising young man and in Mr. Edmundson a bright and talented young journalist. The best wishes of their friends attend them.

Ed Sells, of Owensboro, was killed Tuesday night about 7 o'clock by J. E. Hite, who is employed at Osborne's planing mill. It seems that Hite was taking Miss Mary Hamilton to the skating rink, and Sells, an old lover of hers, came up and rudely pulled her away from him. Hite demurred, and Sells struck him. After a few words had passed, a man named Ed Wolf gave Sells a pistol, and told him to use it. It is said that Sells then fired one shot. Hite then pulled his pistol and fired four shots, one of which took effect. Hite was arrested. Sells was noted as a desperate and dangerous character and his death is a good thing for the city.

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Buckner Leavell to the Front

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For Sale.—Five houses and lots in Hopkinsville and a farm of 150 acres in this county. Terms reasonable. M. HANNA, easy.

A house belonging to John Brodrie, colored, situated on the Clarksville pike about one mile from the city, was destroyed, with its contents, by fire Wednesday night.

Elsewhere in this issue may be found a notice of a "History of the Desap Family." The volume has been received at this office and it is all that is claimed for it. Price \$3.30.

Rev. J. T. Barrow left yesterday to begin a series of meetings with the church, of which he is pastor, at Princeton, Ky. He will be joined on next Monday by Rev. J. N. Prentiss, who will aid him in the meeting.

The series of sermons delivered at the Baptist church by Dr. Graves were very able and drew large congregations. Dr. Graves concluded the series Thursday and returned to his home at Memphis.

WEEKLY NEW ERA \$1.00 a year, with ticket in the drawing, TRI-WEEKLY \$2.00 a year with two tickets or \$1.00 for six months with one ticket. Terms cash in advance. Papers stopped when time is out.

There is a movement on foot to erect a spectacle on a lot on north Main street in which to hold religious services. Rev. J. U. Spurlin, an eminent Baptist divine, will conduct the meetings.

The improvement that a trip across the Atlantic will create can be seen by sending over to Crumman at Clarksville for a jug of that old Bourbon that was exported to Bremen in '82 and brought back in '85 thus having enjoyed a couple of voyages across the Atlantic.

Frank Whitlow, Bud Wootley and Dan Marshall, colored, were placed under arrest Friday afternoon, charged with violating the prohibition law. Max Hanberry is the principal witness for the commonwealth. Their cases will be tried before the city court at 1 o'clock this evening.

The Sunday-school of the Ninth Street Presbyterian church, by a rising vote on Sabbath morning, adopted a number of resolutions deploring the death of Mrs. Margaret McPherson, which at the request were heard from the pulpit and transcribed upon the session book of the church. Mrs. McPherson had for years been an untiring, earnest and consecrated teacher in the Sabbath-school and she will be greatly missed.

The Presbytery of Muhlenburg holds its spring session in the Ninth Street Presbyterian church in this city, Thursday the 26th. Presbytery will be convened after a sermon by the retiring moderator at 8 o'clock p. m. In connection with this session of the Presbytery interesting papers will be read by a member or prominent elder of the church. (The program of these exercises will be published at a later date.)

Mr. E. H. Armstrong and Miss Alice Perkins eloped to Clarksville, Thursday morning, and were married at the Northington House, that city, by Rev. A. D. Sears, the venerable Baptist minister. They were accompanied by Mr. M. S. Perkins and Miss Ellen Williamson; Mr. Chas. W. Driver and Miss Marlene Hamby. After the ceremony the happy couple returned to Hopkinsville, where they will make their future home.

## PREFERRED LOCALS.

Fighting Facts for Old Fogies

Far be it from us to wish to disturb the sweet slumbers. Free from ambitious dreams of those who are dead to the fact that they are living. In the glorious nineteenth century, with progress written on every page of the book of the years as the leaves are turned one by one. But we will stir up the idle sleepers and wake them to the fact that former things have passed away, and that the Old Fog method of doing business on long credit and big profits no more fit the present order of things than the garb of a boy fits the man. Give your trade to those who seek to increase by lasting application and untiring labor at the Forge in the white heat of the living prices. A few prices for the present.

A new line of India Linen, good value 5c.

A new lot Sea Island domestic, good value, 5c.

175 more parasols left, our price, 5c.

200 more parasols left, our price, 10c.

100 more parasols left, our price, 15c.

75 more parasols left, our price, 20c.

Another big lot of men's best standing linen collars, 5c.

Another big lot of men's cuffs, linen, 10c.

1000 men's silk back ties, scarfs, text and bows, 10 and 15c.

4 papers of needles, nicely assorted, 5c.

4 papers of pins, good goods, 5c.

500 Certain Silk-finished Ruching 5c a yard.

Over 500 different styles of Lace neck wear, long fronts and trimmed in flowers and ribbons; these goods cost high, but we have them, your choice, 10 and 15c.

Bargain counter.

800 gross best dress buttons, all colors, ranging 2 and 3 doz on card, 5c a card.

A few more skirts worth \$1, now 75c.

54 inch Turkey red Table Damask, 25c a yard.

A pair of lace curtains and pole complete, \$1.25.

Remember we carry the finest line of millinery in the city and give with each purchase a good book.

New line lace caps and the most complete stock of collars and cuffs in this city. Very respectfully,

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Our line of Toilet Articles is simply superb: Soaps from 50cts. per dozen to 75cts. per cake—Pearls, Lubin's Cologne and other toilet necessities. Our Perfumery is unsurpassed, as we make a specialty of this line of goods—Lubin's Extracts, Colgate's, Palmer's, L'Orange, L'Amour's, and others. Ladies are especially invited to call and examine.

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The First National Bank.

Treasury Department,  
Office of Controller of U. S. Currency,  
WASHINGTON, March 15th, 1888.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank, of Hopkinsville," in the town of Hopkinsville, in the county of Christian, and state of Kentucky, is complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking; Now therefore I, Jesse D. Abraham, Deputy and acting Controller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank, of Hopkinsville," in the town of Hopkinsville, in the county of Christian, and state of Kentucky, is authorized to commence the business of banking, as provided in section fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the revised statutes of the United States. In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hand and seal of office, at Washington, D. C., this 15th day of March, 1888.

J. D. ABRAHAM,  
Deputy and Acting Controller of the Currency.

No 3856.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE

MAT S. MAJOR

a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, at the August election, 1888, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE

D. G. WILEY,

a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, at the August election, 1888, subject to the action of the Republican party.

Vanbelle Timber Land For Sale.

The owners offer for sale a tract of timbered land lying in Christian county, Kentucky, about one mile east of Kelly Station. This land was formerly owned by H. T. Wood, deceased. The tract contains

656 Acres.

It is all timbered and contains a large amount of good saw timber. The tract will be sold privately, in a whole or in parcels to suit purchasers who are referred to D. M. Taylor or Eugene Wood, at Hopkinsville, Ky. See James A. Boyd, of Kelly Station, will show the land to any one wishing to look at it.

It will be sold privately before that time, said land, and a small tract adjoining the same, lying five miles north of Hopkinsville, adjoining the land of Higginbotham and being "in the state of the land," will be sold privately at the Court House in Hopkinsville, Ky., on the first Monday in May, 1888.

The title is unquestionable.

Terms will be made known at time of sale.

G. C. BOSS WOOD,  
Adm'r of H. T. Wood, dec'd.

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