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THE NEW ERA.

\$1.00 A YEAR.

Received at the postoffice in Hopkinsville as second-class mail matter.

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COURT DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court—First Monday in June and fourth Monday in February and September.
Quarterly Court—Second Mondays in January, April, July and October.
Fiscal Court—First Tuesday in April and October.
County Court—First Monday in every month.

HOME & SOCIETY.

Mr. C. S. Coleman, of Bonnetts town, was here this week.
Mrs. G. H. Stowe, of Julian, was shopping in town this week.
Miss Ellen Hooser has returned from a visit to relatives in Todd county.
Mrs. George Murphy and daughter, of Madisonville, are visiting in the city.
Mr. Jerome Allen, of Paducah, is visiting friends and relatives in the city and county.
Miss Mary McGowan returned to Louisville Monday morning after a pleasant visit to relatives in the city.
Colby D. Hall and Cland B. Hall, of Waco, Texas, arrived in the city Monday morning and are the guests of their uncle, J. W. Fritchett.
Mr. W. G. Fox, of Howell, was in the city on business Monday. Mr. Fox told a New Era representative that the weather had been warm down at Howell for several weeks.

Miss Nettie Edmunds returned Saturday night from a two months visit to friends and relatives at Keokuk, Iowa and Memphis, Tenn., at all of which places she enjoyed her stay very much.
Miss Hallie Anderson, of Paducah, is visiting in town.
Mr. Ed Thompson, of Madisonville, is visiting in the city.
Miss Made Bradshaw, of Paducah, is a guest of Miss Jennie Winfree, on South Virginia street.
Mr. W. C. Bell left Tuesday morning for Baltimore to secure his samples for a business trip through Southern territory.
Mrs. George Flournoy, who has been visiting Miss Jennie Winfree, was called on Paducah Tuesday morning by the sudden illness of her husband.

Mr. J. F. Dixon, of Howell, was in the city Wednesday.
Mr. Lewis Ragdale, of Mississippi, is visiting relatives here.
Mr. Charles W. Morrison, of Pembroke, was here Wednesday.
Mr. Frank M. Quarles, of Howell, was in town this week.

Mr. W. T. Fowler is able to be on the streets again after several weeks illness. Mr. James Radford, of the Casky neighborhood, was in town this week.

Mrs. J. H. Willis and daughter, of South Christian, were in the city this week.
Mr. Lee Watkins, a prominent young Montgomery farmer, was in town this week.

Mr. John Feland, Jr., has been engaged as editorial writer on the Hopkinsville Banner.
Dr. Ben Caudle, of Newstead, was in town yesterday.

Mr. W. D. Cooper, of Lafayette, was in the city yesterday.
Judge Edwin Garner, of Lafayette, was in town yesterday.

Mr. R. A. Caudle, of Newstead, was here yesterday morning.
Mr. W. J. Nobis, of Madisonville, was in town yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Moore, of the Square, was here yesterday morning.
Mr. D. H. Armstrong, of Corleau, was in town yesterday.

Miss Willie Radford, of South Christian, was in the city shopping yesterday.
Miss Ella Fennell, of Bowling Green, is visiting the Misses Griffiths, on North Virginia street.

Miss Daisy Whitfield, of Clarksville, is a guest of Mr. Tom Edwards, on South Virginia street.
Miss Mamie Cornick, of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting Miss Florence Bowman, on South Virginia street.

Miss Bettie Burk is home again, having returned Friday from a visit among friends and relatives at Hopkinsville and Ellettsville.
Mr. J. L. Tobin, of Hopkinsville, was in the city Tuesday on business.
Miss Mary Henderson has returned to Hopkinsville from a visit to Miss Mary Watson—Oades Telephone.

We live in a country of which the principal source is stomach trouble. It is more widespread than any disease, and, very nearly more dangerous. One thing that makes it so dangerous is that it is little understood. If it were better understood, it would be more feared, more easily cured, less universal than it is now.

So, those who wish to be cured take Shaker's Digestive Cordial, because it goes to the root of the trouble as no other medicine does. The pure, harmless, curative herbs and plants, of which it is composed, are what render it so certain, and, at the same time, so gentle a cure. It helps and strengthens the stomach, purifies and tones up the system.

Sold by druggists, at price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.
Be Sure You Are Right
And then go ahead. If your blood is impure, your appetite failing, your nerves weak, you may be sure that Hood's Sarsaparilla is what you need. Then take no substitute. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's. This is the medicine which has the largest sale in the world. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient, always reliable, easy to take, always safe.

To Cleanse the System
Effectually yet gently, when constive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish, to permanently overcome habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity without irritating or weakening them, to dispel headaches, colds or fevers, use Syrup of Figs.

Awarded
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DR.
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A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Alumina, Arsenic or any other adulterant. See the Standard.

CAPT. BELL CHOSEN.

Selected by the Populists to Run For Congress.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Stories Gathered at the Various News Centers of the City.

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3. A symposium is a free discussion in which all the members are invited to participate.
4. There can be no better way to estimate the live touch than the freedom with which she asks questions and by the character of those questions.
5. The institute is a place to get knowledge for your work of the coming year. Find out what you need by thinking over the subject beforehand.

Wanted to Sell.
An air motor wind-mill. Good as new. Forty foot steel tower, tank, etc. Will sell at half price.
H. H. ARNOLD.

Tragedy in a Field.
Near Clarksville Oscar Prewitz and J. T. Travis, planters who partners in a crop of tobacco, quarreled Tuesday and fought while at work in the field. Prewitz shot Travis twice with a revolver, killing him almost instantly and then made his escape.

The politicians and candidates will take in the Hopkins county fair next week. Among the persons who have signified their intention to be present are Dr. John D. Clardy, Judge Joseph L. Landre, E. T. Frank, L. P. Tanner, Judge J. D. White, Hon. Malcolm Yeaman, Hon. John L. Dorsey and others.

The gold bugs around here are all claiming that Hon. Josh Powers is one of them. They have even gone so far as to assert that he would make the race for Congress on the Bollocrat ticket. Powers is the member of the Louisville daily newspapers, despite his declaration that he was a Democrat, hence would vote for Bryan and Sewall, continue to class Col. J. D. Powers with the bollocks, and make frequent mention of him as the leader of the rumpers. Now that he was not present at the Wall street meeting at the court-house Saturday afternoon, but instead in the city of Louisville, these same papers, which seem to be lost to all shame and common decency, will certainly hereafter treat Mr. Powers with the fairness and courtesy to class him with the Democrats.

Mr. L. P. Tanner, the defeated opponent of Hon. J. D. Clardy, has made a clean, honest and upright canvass of the district, says the Uniontown Telegram, and has acquired during association with the people a large number of staunch and loyal friends. Mr. Tanner is a bright young man, a true Democrat, and the fact that he holds some good things in store for him.

Nominee Franks, of the Republican party, who thinks he is running for Congress, proposes to open the campaign just as soon as the weather gets cool enough for him to speak and hold a crowd. He claims that he expects to beat Dr. Clardy, the Democratic nominee. He will fall several thousand short of his claims. The Hustler.

Disease attacks the weak and debilitated. Keep them strong by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES.
What the Colored Teachers' Institute is Doing.

MEETING ON MONDAY.
An Excellent Program—The Hiles Bill—Prof. Jackson to Speak.

About eighty teachers are present at the colored teachers' institute in session at the colored public school of this city. The exercises have been very interesting and much enjoyed by all who have attended the meetings. Devotional exercises are held daily to the colored preachers. Among the subjects that have been discussed are school management, discipline, spelling, reading and attendance.

The Christian County Teachers' Annual Institute will commence in this city on next Monday and will continue five days. The exercises of the institute will be held at the Methodist church, and a cordial invitation is extended to anyone who desires to attend.

Mr. Davidson, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, says that the reports from the several public schools which have opened for the first or fall term, show a remarkable increase in the attendance of pupils. He knows of nothing to attribute this to, except the Hiles Compulsory Educational Bill, which is now a law and operative. The increase is in all instances large, but in some so great as to necessitate assistance teachers in schools, where heretofore, one teacher alone has been sufficient.

At Tullahoma, in Berathit county, where there have never been more than fifty pupils, the school started out with an attendance of nearly ninety. Each school with over fifty is entitled to an assistant teacher, and it is believed that when all 10,000 of the schools open with the increased attendance may result in work for many additional assistant teachers.

Miss Katie McDaniel, Superintendent of the county schools of Christian county, writes to the New Era as follows regarding the meeting of the teachers next week: Prof. E. W. Weaver, of Paris, Ky., will be the instructor. He is one of the leading educators of the State and is a pleasant, forceful speaker, full of interest and enthusiasm in the great work in which he is engaged and all who hear him will be instructed and entertained

